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LONDON, CANADA, TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1901.

WHOLE NO. 16162.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DE. S.

DIED.

HOMISTER-On Jan. 5, 1901, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs Samuel Parkinson, lot 18, Westminster township, Hannah, beloved wife of the late Charles Homister, in her 84th

Funeral on Tuesday, Jan. 8, from the residence of her son, James H. Homister, Hamilton road, London, at 2:30 p.m. (service at 2 o'clock), to Woodland Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

LONDON OPERA HOUSE All this week.

"PAULINE" The eminent French hypnotist and mind reader. See the great cataleptic test tonight. Prices, 15c, 25c and 35c. Matinee Saturday, 15c, 25c. 62i

TUNISIAN SAILED FROM LIVER-POOL Saturday, Jan. 3, with a large number of passengers; due Portland Thursday, Jan. 10. Numbers of berths can be secured for sailing from Port-land Saturday, Jan. 19. F. B. Clarke, direct agent, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

STARLIGHT RINK-YORK STREET, opposite G. T. R. depot. Open afternoon and night. 5c and 10c. b

HRS. HARRISON (SERAMIS), OF TO-RONTO, will lecture on "Folk Songs" at the Woman's Morning Music Club Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 9, at 4 o'clock, in Cronyn Hall. Members free. Non-members, 25 cents.

P. D. A.—NEW TERM FOR BEGIN-NERS now open. Gentlemen, Mon-day; ladles, Tuesday evenings. Be taught by competent teachers. Dayton & McCormick.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY R. B. Millard, 245 Princess avenue. Spe-cial attention given to the waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

MEETINGS.

ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 20, A., F. AND A. M., G. R. C.—A regular communication of above lodge will be held this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 in Sherwood Hall. Visitors welcome. R. A. Bayly, W.M.; M. D. Dawson, Secretary. b

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

SPECIAL EVANGELISTIC SERVICES every night this week at Dundas Center Church, commencing at 8 o'clock. Special singing. Bright services. All are invited.

DOMESTICS WANTED.

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED-AP-PLY 522 Princess avenue. 62c

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANT-ED., Apply Mrs. C. E. Sterling, 282 Piccadilly street. 61tf

WANTED - GOOD GENERAL SER-VANT. Highest wages. No washing. Apply 429 King street. 60tf WANTED-50 GENERAL GIRLS AND cooks for London, St. Thomas and Woodstock; big wages. Mrs. Lockhart's Employment Office, European Hotel, Dundas street. 'Phone 964.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED-MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; only eight weeks required; special offer for thirty days to applicants from distance on account of great demand for barbers during spring rush. \$50 monthly gueral days to appli-\$50 monthly guaranteed gradu-Catalogue and particulars free. Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

BLACKSMITH WANTED AT ONCE—With two or three years' experience.
State wages. G. W. Snelgrove, New-

WANTED—TEN BOYS TO LEARN Shorthand and Typewriting. A situa-tion guaranteed as soon as qualified. Wm. C. Coo, Official Court Reporter, 76 Dundas street. 48bc ywt

TEACHER WANTED FOR 1901, FOR Corunna R. C. school. State salary. References required. Address, James Roberts, secretary-treasurer, Box 59, Corunna, Ont. 58h

AGENTS WANTED.

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A DAY SURE—SEND US YOUR AD-DRESS and we will show you how to make \$3 a day; absolutely sure; we furnish the work and teach you free; you work in the locality where you live. Send us your address and we will explain the business fully; remember, we guarantee a clear profit of \$3 for every day's work; absolutely sure; don't fail to write today. Imperial Silverware Company, Box A407, Windsor, Ont. ywt

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CITY CANVASSER TO SOLICIT OR-DERS for Roswell's tea and coffee. 743 Richmond street.

PATENT MEDICINE AGENTS-WE have a proposition to offer you; send postcard; write quick. The Dr. Roberts Medicine Company, London, Ont.

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LOST - FOXHOUND - WHITE tan. Reward if returned. Hotham, Delaware.

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WANTED TO PURCHASE-A SECOND-HAND typewriter. Address, stating particulars, C. B. A., this office.

58c wty

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WANTED—TEAMING, BY MAN WITH good team, etc. Terms reasonable.

Box 10, this office. 59n good team, etc. Box 10, this office.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

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HORSE FOR SALE, CHEAP—FOR delivery purposes. Apply 26 Gunn street. 62u

THIRTY BREEDING EWES, SIX FAT lambs. George Lewis, lot 10, con. London township. 62c ywt

HORSE, BUGGY AND HARNESS FOR sale cheap. Party going to leave city. Apply 54 St. George street. 61c HARD WOOD-BEECH AND MAPLE-

Best quality; also soft wood. Prompt delivery. S. Gillies & Son. 'Phone 1,312. IF YOU ARE TROUBLED WITH OLD sores, piles, burns, skin disease, use New Century Magic Salve. 25 cents box. No. 15 Masonic Temple.

SIRLOIN AND PORTERHOUSE steak, 10c; rib roast, 9c; shoulder roast, 7c and 8c; boiling pieces, 5c and 6c, at Park's, corner Market Lane.

CHEAP WOOD AND COAL—FOR ONE month we will sell half cord of good soft wood blocks for \$2; the best hard wood, blocks or split, and the best quality of all kinds of hard and soft coal, at the lowest cash price. Yard, William street and G. T. Railway. 'Phone 1,391. Green & Co.

SKATES, AIR GUNS, AND PCCKET Knives at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street, one door south G. T. R. station.

SNAP IN NEW AND SECOND-HAND Pianos during next ten days. One fine Piano, 71-3 octaves, guaranteed; only \$100. Heintzman & Co.,217 Dundas street.

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NEW YEAR VOLUMES ARE NOW COMPLETE. MES
NOW MADE TO
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CHAPMAN'S BINDERY,
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GEESE AND DUCKS IN LARGE QUANTITIES

At the Murphy Provision Store, 246
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CHOICE MUSTARD PICKLES, 15c quart; vinegar pickles, 15c quart, or 2 quarts, 25c; fine honey, 14c comb; oysters fresh daily, 35c quart; fine lemons, 15c doz.; prunes, 7c lb, or 4 lbs 25c; good bread, 4c per loaf; new dates, 7c lb; a fine stock of groceries and good fruit always on hand. Give us a call, at R. A. Ross', corner York and Thames streets.

BUCHANAN'S COAL AND WGOD DE-LIVERED to any part of the city. Office 633 Colborne street. 'Phone 1,096.

STOCK-TAKING SALE—SOME OF OUR prices cut in two. We must have money at once, at any cost. Keene Bros., 127 King street.

STOVES—NEW AND SECOND-HAND-Very cheap at Keene's Stove and Fur-niture Store, 141 King street.

CHANGE, at a bargain; also square piano. Sanborn & Trebilcock, 183 Dundas street, London (Anderson's book

STORM SASH MUST BE PUT ON, eavestroughs cleaned, trees pruned. Now is the time to buy an extension ladder. Factory, 405 York street. Cata-logue free. Address, The Waggoner Ladder Company, Limited, London, Ont.

BARGAINS AT PARISH'S STORE— Few more baseburners left, with ovens; 1 Red Cross, 2 Royals, Parlor and Cook Stoves for coal. Furniture, Bedroom Sets, Mattresses, Springs, all taken in exchange. Remember place, 357 Talbot street, south Market Square.

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TO LET-GOOD BUSINESS STAND, No. 207 Dundas street. Will rent in one or two, as at present divided. Will lease to good tenant on favorable terms. Apply 185 St. James street.

TO LET-TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, with stable and large lot. Duchess avenue, South London. Apply 354 Rich-mond street.

TO LET-STORE AT PRESENT OC-CUFIED by The Dominion Savings and Investment Society. Apply Thomas C. Knott. 31tf

TO LET - LARGE STORE, NO. 173 Dundas street. Possession Dec. 1. Ap-ply Fitzgerald, Scandrett & Co. 3tf TO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN-Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South Lon-don, late of London Furniture Com-pany. 'Phone 310,

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FOR SALE-BUILDING LOTS, NEAR new Normal School. Will sell cheap on easy terms. Apply 278 Ridout street.

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OLD GOLD, SILVER, JEWELRY AND diamonds bought for cash. S. K. Mil-roy, manufacturing jeweler, 255 Dundas WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS— Steam boilers and safes a specialty, 194 Hamilton road. 'Phone 1,231.

Will be Sold by Public Auction

by J. W. Jones, at his rooms, 242 Dundas street, London, on Monday, Jan. 14, 1901, at 2:30 p.m., the stock of Rotz & Co., of Blenheim, as follows: General drygoods \$1,783 22

This is a good stock, well assorted. Store may be had; good stand, low rent. Terms: One-quarter down; balance, 2, 4, 6 and 8 months, with interest at 7 per cent per annum, approved indorsed paper. Stock list on the premises, or with GIBBONS & HARPER,

Solicitors for Vendors, London, Ont

SEVERE WEATHER

Schools Closed on Account of Cold in St. Petersburg.

Austria and Russia-Nine People Frozen to Death.

London, Jan. 6 .- Severe cold has suddenly set in throughout Europe. In England it is accompanied by a northeasterly wind, amounting to a gale over the channel. At Dover a boat was capsized, four persons being drowned; and probably other accidents will be re-

On the continent the weather is still more severe. Snow has fallen as far south as Naples; and in St. Petersburg the cold is so intense that the police in the streets have had to be frequently relieved and the schools to be closed. At Moscow the temperature is 30 degrees below zero Fahrenheit. Tremendous gales are blowing over the Adriatic. Terrible blizzards are reported from Austria and Southern Russia, extinguishing signal lights and resulting in the derailing of the Orient express at Alasu.

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The storm caused a collision between passenger trains at Mikola, near Szat-mar, Hungary, six persons being killed.

Nine people were frozen to death on a high road in Transylvania. Odessa is completely snowed under. The harbor is frozen over and trains are unable to enter or depart in consequence of the

Paris, Jan. 6.—Severe cold is reported throughout France and Italy. A foot of snow fell at Marseilles last evening, and snow fell at Marseilles last evening, and the mercury shows 18 degrees of frost in Paris today. There have been a number of deaths in the streets. Trains from a long distance are greatly delayed. Snow has fallen even in Southern Italy, and the city of Rome and surrounding country are snow-clad for the first time in many years. Crowds assembled on the Pincio to witness the rare panorama.

BURGLARY AT SARNIA.

Sarnia, Ont., Jan. 7.-Burglars broke into McCrae & Co.'s book store Friday night, and took about \$70 in cash from the safe and \$25 worth of goods. No

No man is happy who does not think himself so.—Marcus Antonius.

High wind blew a flock of wild turkeys into a street in the center of the city of Cumberland, Md., recently. They were so bewildered that a number of them were captured.

LONDON UNDER A NEW REGIME

Only Four of Last Year's Aldermen Will Gather Around the Board.

Mayor Rumball Re-Elected by a Handsome Majority---The Water Commissioners Resume Their Seats---Anti-Hospital Bylaw Snowed Under---Personnel of the New Council--- Figures That Tell the Story.

MAYOR-F. G. RUMBALL.

ANDREW GREENLEES, J. H. A. BEATTIE, EDWARD PARNELL, W. H. WINNETT, CL. T. CAMPBELL. NEIL COOPER, JUSHUA GARRATT, GEORGE OLMSTED, SAMUEL STEV-ELY, WILLIAM GERRY, R. S. AB-

SCHOOL TRUSTEES-CHAS. Mc-CORMICK, C. COLERICK, W. M. ENGLISH, E. J. MACROBERT.

WATER COMMISSIONERS - J. W. LITTLE, WM. JONES. HOSPITAL TRUSTEE - THOMAS

McCORMICK (acclamation).

Such are the results of the municipal elections of 1901, the first year in which the city council, reduced in number from 18 to 12-has been elected by the general vote of the people. The warmth that was gradually becoming aroused as the campaign progressed, was not evident during the day. It was very quiet. An opinion that the vote being polled was small, was frequently expressed, and the F. B. LEYS' OFFICE WILL BE AT the London Hat, Cap and Mantle Manufacturing Company, 355 and 357 Clarence street, for the present.

Supposition was substantiated when all the returns were made. For the mayoralty contest the vote was remayoralty contest the vote was

rebe explained by the non-acquaintance with the combined ballot. For the mayoralty contest in 1898 there were 6,795 votes cast; in 1899, 5,195; last year, 5,057; and this year only

4.948. The personnel of the council has

been radically changed, only four of ALDERMEN-HUME B. CRONYN, last year's aldermen being re-elected. Mayor Rumball's re-election, with the splendid majority of 1,000 over Ex-of welcome will be given by the Ald. Douglass, and 886 over all, was not unexpected

Among those of the council, Ald. Hume B. Cronyn heads the poll, an honor which his courtesy and marked capability will no doubt justify.

Ald. Andrew Greenlees is also a barrister, older than the gentleman who topped the list and versed in the lore and ways of the council chamber. Year before last he sat at the aldermanic board as the representative of the sixth ward. He is a worthy as well as clearly a popular citizen.

Ald. J. H. A. Beattie completes the trinity of barristers who were one, two and three at the top of the list. And Ald. Parnell-what can be said of him that is not already known? After two years retirement, he looms before the public eye again. Large experience of things municipal is his. Possessed also of a deep sense of his duty to the city, with the practical ability necessary to advance his ideas, the will be welcomed to the council by all public-spirited citizens.

Ald. Winnett is again elected, and comes to the council with a mind fresh with memories of last year's work.

Ald. Cl. T. Campbell enters the council chamber for the first time as an alderman, his previous official training having been acquired as school trustee and a member of the board of health. While on both these boards he gave to the consideration of the matters that arose his marked ability. Ald. Cooper is triumphant again, thus demonstrating that his power lies not in his favorite ward alone, but in the city at large.

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BOERS LED BY COLONIALS!

IN EUROPE. Two Hundred of Them Said To Be Making for Gray's Pass.

Terrible Blizzards Reported From Christian Dewet Working Up Sympathy for the Burghers in South Germany-Arrival of More Canadian Soldiers at Halifax.

> who are reported to have been detached from a commando in the neighborhood of Fraserburg, are making for Gray's Pass, intending to thereby enter the western province. The fact that they have chosen this pass is regarded as proof that they are led by

BRITISH LOSSES. The war office has issued a table of

the war losses to the end of 1900. The total casualties of every kind were 51,-687, but owing to the fact that a majority of the men invalided home have recovered and rejoined their commands, the total reduction of the forces was 14,830. There are also missing and prisoners seven officers and 898 men. The number of invalids who left the service

and are unfit for duty is 1,570. AN AFRIKANDER DEPUTATION. At a meeting of Afrikander members of the Cape Parliament, at Cape Town yesterday, it was resolved to send Messrs. J. X. Merriman, former treasurer of Cape Colony; J. W. Sauer, for-mer commissioner of public works; and J. H. Hofmeyer, to England, to represent the state of affairs in South Africa to the government, parliament and people of Great Britain.

STIRRING UP SYMPATHY. Berlin, Jan. 8. — Christian Dewet, nephew of the Boer general, is making speeches in South Germany in behalf of the Boer cause and arousing great sympathy. The meeting which

London, Jan. 8 .- Two hundred Boers, | lutions being telegraphed to Count Von Buelow and Mr. Kruger. ARBITRATION

Madrid, Jan. 8. — The Federal Republican party has introduced resolutions in the senate and the chamber of deputies declaring that Spain should adhere to the first proposal of arbitration between Great Britain and the two Boer republics, whether coming from Holland or some other power, and that if no such proposal is forth-coming Spain should take the initia-

THE VICTORIA CROSS. London, Jan. 7. - The report cur-rent in Canada that four Canadians had been awarded the Victoria Cross for distinguished bravery in Africa, does not receive confirmation here. The military secretary at the war office says that no rewards have been made to Canadians since Pte. Lindsey Richardson, of the Mounted Rifles, was decorated several months

[The foundation for the story that four Canadians were to receive the Victoria Cross was a letter received at Quebec. It stated that Lieut. R. W. Turner, of Quebec; Lieut. H. Z. C. Cockburn, son of Mr. G. R. R. Cockburn, of this city; Sergt. E. J. Holland, of Ottawa, and Pte. W. A. Hensley, of the Haldimand Rifles, had been recommended for the decoration for heroic deeds on the battlefield.]

REACHED HALIFAX. Halifax, N. S., Jan. 7 .- On board the steamer Carthagenian, which arrived from Liverpool this morning, were the following named Canadians: Sergt. T. R. Miles, C. M. R.; Pte. D. H. Doust, R. C. D.; Pte. J. G. McDougall, he addressed adopted resolutions pro-testing vigorously against the over-throw of the two republics, the reso-throw of the two republics, the reso-

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be without it. We know the value of this Hair Tonic, because we prepare it and have had many speak of the pleasant results of its use. Only 50 cents bottle.

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Lauder, artificer; Sergt. W. Dick, artificer. Ottawa, Jan. 7. - Brigade orders have been issued for a voluntary composite guard of honor, representing the Ottawa brigade, to meet the members of the second Canadian contingent at the railway station on their arrival. The men will be escorted to the drill hall, where short addresses will be allowed to go home. The presentation of lockets will come later.

THE ROSYLN CASTLE. Halifax, N. S., Jan. 7.—Midnight.— No sign of the Rosyln Castle yet. This is the vessel bearing the second Can-

adian contingent from South Africa. WEDDING MAY HAVE TO WAIT.

Duke of Saxe-Weimar's Death May Delay Wilhelmina's Marriage.

Over 100 People Saved From Wreck and Pirates in Magellan Straits.

London, Jan. 8 .- A dispatch from The Hague says: Though the grand expected, the news, nevertheless, caused a considerable shock at the palace... where all the blinds were immediately lowered. Six weeks' deep court mourning has been ordered, which may lead to the postponement of the queen's marriage, though some authorities

declare the contrary.

The second chamber has discussed and passed the bills relating to the queen's marriage, and the status of Duke Henry. The first, giving permission for the marriage, was voted by 79 to 10. Then Duke Henry's naturalization was accepted, and last, by 81 votes to 7, the duke's income in case of the queen's death was decided upon. After voting a grant for naval expenditure the chamber adjourned until Feb. 12.

102 PERSONS SAVED. The little Spanish steamship San Augustin has been wrecked on a small islet in Smith channel, Straits of Magellan. The British steamship Cova saved the passengers and crew, 102 in number, from attack by the pirates of the coast, and landed all hands in

Punta Arenas. MAY COME HERE.

The Molokanen, a sect numbering 40,000, whose founders removed in 1840 from various parts of Russia to the Caucasus, and whose delegates have just brought glowing reports from the Doukhobors, or Russian Quakers, in Canada, contemplate emigrating America. The sect secured state lands in the Caucasus almost rent free, but recently the Russian government an-nounced that the rents would be increased three or four fold. Now the Molokanen are petitioning the government to restore the former rentals or to permit emigration.

COLOMBIA AND VENEZUELA. Kingston, Jamaica, Jan. 8 .- Letters received here from Panama say the relations between Colombia and Venezuela are much strained in consequence of the latter's connivance with and the assistance being given to the revolutionists in the former country. The activity of the rebels only restrains Colombia from taking warlike measures against Venezuela, and even now Colombian troops are being moved to the border. The rehals [Continued on page 5.]

Light & Heavy Overcoatings

HERE will be found in our stock the nobbiest range of goods in London suitable for fall and winter. The assortment is very complete.

SLATER BROS Merchant Tailors.

399 Richmond Street.

of Jackets Clearing

The cold weather didn't come just exactly when we expected it. But it is here now, and will most likely make a protracted stay | Style 705.-Ladies' Coats, of German beaver, in fawn or and make its presence felt. Had it come along in proper season it is more than likely this proclamation of very low prices on very stylish, well made and most comfortable winter garments would not now be appearing, and the mothers who have still to buy for their girls, as well as those industrious daughters who do their own buying, would not have so exceptional an opportunity to secure what they want at so small a price. You doubtless have seen our splendid Jackets before this -you doubtless have admired them and Style 808 .- Of fawn beaver cloth; heavy satin lining wished you could afford to invest. We have reduced the prices so that you can-and very easily. We urge you to come as early as possible, because experience has taught Style 820.-Ladies' Jackets, of extra quality fawn German us that many customers want the same Jacket.

YOUR TIME TO BUY

WERE \$3.25, REDUCED TO \$2.25.

Ladies' Jackets, of heavy, rough cloth; in navy, myrtle, brown or black; mercerized metallic lining; coat collar; double breasted; six large buttons; neat tailor finish. Regular price \$3.25; sale price......\$2 25

WERE \$5.00, REDUCED TO \$3.50.

black; coat collar; double breasted; six large buttons. Were regularly sold for \$5 each; sale price.....\$3 50

WERE \$6.50, REDUCED TO \$4.25.

Ladies' Jackets, of good beaver cloth, in fawn, blue, myrtle or red; twilled silk or satin lining; coat collar; double breasted; six large pearl buttons. Were good value at our former price, \$6.50; sale price.....\$4 25

WERE \$7.75, REDUCED TO \$4.50.

Style 804.-Ladies' Jackets, of Oxford gray frieze cloth; lined throughout; rolling stock collar; large lapels; double breasted; six large black buttons; lapels, cuffs and skirt of coat finished with silk stitching in diamond pattern. Were \$7.75 each; sale price.....

WERE \$12.50, REDUCED TO \$6.75.

throughout; coat collar; bouble breasted; large pearl buttons. Our former price for this handsome mantailored garment was \$12.50; sale price.....\$6.75

WERE \$18.00, REDUCED TO \$9.00.

beaver; heavy satin lining throughout; coat collar; double breasted; two small pockets; bell cuffs with six rows of silk stitching; eight rows on collar and lapels, and nine rows on skirt of coat; small inverted plait back. We are going to sell this handsome \$18 coat at half

FOR MOTHERS TO READ.

We have in stock some very nice short Jackets, suitable for girls from 3 to 12 years, made of one or two-toned rough cloths, prettily trimmed with strapping of plain goods, velvet, buttons, etc. Also new plain beaver coats, tastily finished. In some of these we have not every size, the lines having been broken with the early season's selling, but if the size you want is here we have a bargain for you. See if it is. This is a great opportunity for mothers to supply their girls with natty, cozy jackets.

Style 2075.—Of two-toned Boucle Cloth; collar, lapels, cuffs, and front of coat finished with plain goods and gilt buttons; for little girls from three to five years. Were \$2.50 each. Two only of this make to sell at.....\$2 00

Style 2072.—Made of heavy mixed blue and brown rough cloth; collar, front, cuffs and skirt of coat trimmed with velvet, and pearl buttons; for girl of from five to six years. Were \$3 each. Two only left of this size. Special sale price.....\$2 48

Style 2089.—Of heavy red Boucle Cloth; collar and cuffs of plain cloth to match, tweed lined; two pockets and gilt buttons; for girls of ten or twelve years. Were \$3.25 each. Special sale price......\$2 75

OTHER REDUCTIONS.

Our \$3.50 makes for \$2.95; our \$4 makes for price......\$9 00 | \$3.48; and our \$4.75 makes for \$3.95.

From Near-by Places

An interesting event took place on Wednesday, Jan. 2, at "Millgrove," the home of the br.de's parents, when Beatri 3 Pearl, second daughter of Mr. Wm. Rockey, was united in marriage to Mr. Dugald Biack, a prosperous young farmer of Ekfrid township. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. J. C. Pilkey, of Onondaga, assisted by Rev. G. F. Hurlburt, of Mount Brydges. The ceremony was witnessed by about 60 relatives and friends, among whom were the Misses McKenzie, of Glencoe; Miss Blanks, Aldoph; Mr. Livingston, Watford; Mr. and Mrs. Rockey, St. Thomas Mr. and Mrs. Hagarty, Wallaceburg; Miss Fisher, Buffalo; Miss McInarine, London, and others. The bride was the recipient of many useful and beautiful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Black took the evening train for a trip east, before settling in their future home near Appin.

LOBO

Lobo, Jan. 4.-The house of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Campbell, Rose Villa Farm, Lobo, was the scene of a very happy gathering on Tuesday evening, Jan. 1. It being a reception for their visiting friends, Mr. Albert Wernham, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Diem, of Marine City, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. McFarlane, of Inniskillen, and 30 other inguests from Adelaide, Komoka, East Williams, Katesville, Ivan and The six-o'clock dinner served in the dining-room. The table was laden with many good things, while huge bouquets of roses and car-nations were on either side, which the whole a most beautiful sight. The dinner was served in several courses, the guests being attended to by two charming young ladies. After ample justice had been done to the dinner, the guests adjourned to the spacious parlors, where they were entertained with music, singing, games and dancing. Solos were given by Mr. Albert Wernham, of New York, in his usual humorous style. Mrs. Charles Wernham also delighted the guests with her beautiful selections of songs and music. Miss Martha and Walter Campbell contributed to the pleasure occasion with songs and instrumental music. The merriment was kept up until early in the morning. when the company joined in singing "Praise God From Whom All B'essings Flow," while Mr. Charles Wernham presided at the organ, after which the company dispersed, feeling much satisfied that they had been present. Mr. and Mrs. Diem, Marine City. and Mr. and Mrs. McFarlane, Inniskillen, are at present the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Campbell. Miss Mary McPhail, of Caradoc, has returned home after spending a few ys with her cousin, Minnie Camp-

LAMBETH.

bell, Lobo.

Lambeth, Jan. 8 .- A very pleasant evening was spent by the members of the Anglican Sunday school and their friends at an "At Home," held in the Masonic Hall. Games of various kirds were indulged in and an impromptu programme rendered after refreshments had been served. The programme was taken part in essrs. W. Woodhull and H. Poole, Miss Rose Clarke and others. A watch-night service was held in

the Methorist Church on New Year's eve. conducted by Rev. J. G. Hunter. Mrs. (Rev.) T. W. Cosens, returned resday from a visit to relatives

Mr. Wm. Moore, of New York, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. D. Lown. Miss Rose Andrews is visiting friends in London.

Rev. J. S. Fisher, returned home on

Wednesday from a visit to his par- MUNICIPAL ents at Arthur. ents at Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Humpidge regaled a number of their friends with a game supper one evening last week. Mrs. Bertha Routledge, of Toronto, is renewing old acquaintances in the village.

Mr. J. Scott, of Scottsville, has been engaged as clerk in Mr. J. Vandermade's store in place of Mr R. Vandermade, who leaves shortly to spend the winter in California. The W. M. S. held a very success-

ful tea in the basement of the Methodist Church on Thursday evening. Parker is slowly recovering after his very severe illness.

KILWORTH.

Kilworth, Jan. 4.—A very approprite sermon was delivered here last Sabbath by Rev. Mr. McVitty, on the passing of the oid century and the birth of the new. His hearers will doubtless retain in their memories and hearts much of his beneficial and practical advice for progress in the new year. the new year.

After having spent a very pleasant vacation at her home in Glanworth Miss Glen has returned and recommenced teaching in the district school here.

Miss Dora Kilbourn has returned to London to resume her studies at the Collegiate.

Mrs. Richard Fonger, who has been visiting relatives here, left for her home in Michigan.
Miss Lila Kilbourn, of Parkhill, has been enjoying her vacation among relatives here.
Mr. F. Kanes, now living in this vicinity, is having his house painted by Mr. George Elson. Frank Tanton has returned to Rodney, where he is engaged teaching

Breakfast Grumblers.

Before the advent of Malt Breakfast Food, breakfast grumblers were found in the majority of homes. These breakfast grumblers for long years had been invoking dietetical science to produce a breakfast food that would satisfy the appetite, promote digestive vigor, give nutrient and strength to the system, and furnish necessary ento the body and brain for the work of the day.

The introduction of Malt Breakfast Food to the homes of Canada has brought joy and contentment to young and old who work muscle or brain. Now that Malt Breakfast Food is largely used, there is less grumbling about taxed digestion, irritation of the stomach, eruptions and redness skin and other troubles that the ordinary oatmeal and other grain

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In Hartford, Conn., the life of every cat is in peril. The board of health of that city has come to the conclusion that cats are the means of carrying diphtheria.

For twenty-four years Vapo-Cresolene has been extensively used for all forms of throat and bronchial troubles. All Druggists.

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator does not require the help of any purgative medicine to complete the curs.

Give it a trial and be convinced.

ELECTIONS

In Various Sections of Ontario-Mayor Howland's Big Majority

Acton—Reeve, John Williams.

Adelaide—Reeve, W. Sullivan; councilors, S. Harris, J. Adair, T. Patterson, J. A. Denning. A. Denning.
Alvinsten—Reeve, C. J. Bindner; councilors, I. P. Chambers, H. Lovell, H. Mc-

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Aldborough—County councilors, S. B. Morris and D. Laing; reeve, W. Tolmie; township councilors, D. Campbell, W. H. McLean, D. Hyndman and B. House.
Amherstburg—Mayor, D. Seeter (acclamation).
Arnprior—Mayor, Claude McLachlan.

Arthur—Reeve, G. A. Mitchell.
Aylmer—Mayor, John H. Glover; councilors, A. H. Backus, W. S. Caron, R. C. McKenny, J. J. Nairn, Stephen Pierce, T. D. Price.

T. D. Price.

Barrie-Mayor, G. A. Radenhurst.
Berlin-Mayor, Dr. G. Bowiby.

Belleville-Mayor, R. J. Graham, by 536/
majority over Ald. Chown.
Bienheim (Kent)-Mayor, Greenwood
(by acclamation).

Brampton-Mayor, Thomas Shauburn;
council re-elected by acclamation,
Brant-County councilors, Scott, Davidson, J. B. Howell, George Atkinson.
Reeve for South Dumfries-Vanatter, 271;
Maos, 264; one division to hear from. Maos, 264; one division to hear from.
Brantford—Mayor, D. B. Wood; aldermen, W. C. Livingston, R. Ryerson, Wm.
Berry, R. Middlemiss, W. E. Dunne, R.
Hall, M. K. Halloran, W. S. Brewster,
B. J. Wade, J. H. Ham, F. J. Bullock, J.
W. Bowlby, John Leitch, A. Weir, Frank
Wilson

Brooke—Reeve, L. Lindsay; councilors, W. English, W. Kelly, P. Kingston, J. W. English, W. Kelly, F. Kingston, M. McCallum
Brussels—Reeve, James Ross,
Chatham—Mayor, G. W. Sulman; aldermen, A. B. McCoy, W. Fleming, W. S. Marshall, G.W.Scane, G. A. Mounteer,
G. W. Cowan, G. G. Taylor, John Edmonson

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Chesley—Reeve, Dr. J. M. Stuart; councilors, Wm. Krug, J. W. Speesz, John Savage, George Pauline.
Chippewa—Reeve, McKenzie.
Clinton—Mayor, Thomas Jackson, sen.; councilors, Thomas McKenzie, H. B. Combe, S. Plummer, Thomas Walker, John Bell, O. Johnston.
Cornwall—Mayor, P. E. Campbell.
Dresden—Mayor, A. Ribble; councilors, J. C. Tassie, W. Ward, T. Steeper, E. Hazlett, R. McConnell, D. Warner.
Dunnville—Mayor, W. D. Swayzie; aldermen, G. T. Blackwell, T. K. Galbraith, George Middaugh, W. W. Montague, W. Michener, W. J. Penny, Durham—Mayor, Wm. Calder.
Dutton—Reeve, John Dowswell; councilors, Duncan McLean, James Law, Thomas Hockin, John E. Clark.
Elora—Reeve, H. Clarke.
Enniskillen—Reeve, George Pearce; councilors, Acton, Doyle, McLean, Kitchen; county councilors, Graham, Cameron.

Essex—Mayor, Arthur Raines (acclamation); councilors, Dr. J. W. Brien, O. H. Bricker, H. M. Johnson, John Laing, G. G. Thomas, John Gormley; county councilors, for No. 2 district, R. R. Brett and J. E. Stone. and J. E. Stone.

Exeter—County councilors, H. Spackman and R. Hicks; reeve, W. B. Bissett
(acclamation); councilors, John Evans, I.
Armstrong, W. H. Levett and J. Muir

(all by acclamation).

Fergus—Reeve, J. J. Craig.
Galt—Mayor, Thomas Vair; aldermen,
S. Moyer, A. R. Goldie, J. H. Radford,
G. Hogg, A. Thomson, R. Ferrah, H.
Cant; county councilors, R. Gliholme, G. Laird.
Glencoe—Reeve, T. Rathburn; no election for councilors.
Guelph—Mayor, J. Kennedy. Aldermen:
St. Patrick's ward, H. H. O. Stull, Wm.
E. Taylor, George J. Thorp: St. George's ward, A. B. Petrie, James E. Day, T. O'Comper, W. W. White: St. John's ward, J. Hamilton and Barker (accla mation), third representative to be elected later;

St. David's ward, Robert Barber, J. W. Kilgour, John A. Scott; St. Andrew's ward, C. L. Dunbar, James Ryan, Geo. Hastings; St. James' ward, James Anderson, Richard Crowe, William Slater. Hanover-Reeve, W. A. Mearns; councilors, Ahrens, Ball, Frook, Hallman. Hagrayille, Pagere, George, Smith:

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Stratford-Mayor, James Stamp; alder-ways James Stamp; alder-way was provided by the Computation of the council of the counc

cilors, Ahrens, Ball, Frook, Hallman.
Hagersville—Reeve, George Smith;
councilors, James McBride, W. C. Vanloon, J. S. Park, Henry Hall.
Hamilton—For mayoralty: Major J. S.
Hendrie (Conservative), polled 4,256 votes;
Ald, M. H. TenEyck (Liberal), 1,143
votes; Ald. J. Findlay (Liberal), 2,188,
and W. Barrett (Socialist), 442 votes,
Major Hendrie thus had a plurality of
2,068 over Findlay. The aldermanic returns, show 15 Conservatives and 6 Liberals.

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Hensall-Reeve, Arnold; councilors, Hudson, Miller, Smallcomb and Scott.

Hespeler-Aldermen, David Rife, jun., R. Lockhart, J. Walter Christman, John Fisher, H. W. Prestien, August Pabst; public school trustees, James Jardine, W. H. Weaver, G. W. Rife, Howard-Reeve, J. S. Boothroyd; county councilors, John Reycraft and John Crowden.

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Kingston—Mayor, R. E. Kent.

Kingsville—Reeve, James Sweet.

Kincardine—Mayor, G. M. McKendrick; councilors, Arnold, Temple, Wood, Flett, Shiells and Quinn; county commissioners, Lieut.-Col. Scott and Dr. Bradley.

Lambton—County councilors, division No. 7. A. McIntyre and William Armstrong.

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Leamington-Mayor, Wm. Smith.
Listowel-Councilors, C. Anderson, F.
Wellington Hay, W. Pelton, Harry Maboney, C. Prueter, J. A. Hacking.
Metcalfe-Reeve, R. Pettit; councilors,
R. Truman, W. Gutten, D. McIntyre, D.
Bewar.

Milton-Mayor, J. S. Deacon.
Mitchell-Mayor, Fred Davis; councilors, George Larkworthy. Wm. Martyn,
G. E. Sawyer, James Broooks, Fred C.
Hord, Adam Koenig. Hord, Adam Koenig.

Moore—Reeve, James Smith; councilors,
John McBean, D. M. Johnston, Thomas
H. Carter, Thomas M. Cowan
New Hamburg—Reeve, Louis Peine;
county councilors, New Hamburg. F.
Wilmot; township. W. R. Plum, Josiah
Hallman Niagara Falls-Mayor, R. P. Slater. Niagara Falls South-Reeve, George W

Nissouri West-Reeve, Richard Fitzgerald, 50 majority; councilors, John Gumb, John Harris, Robert Sterritt and Albert Smith.

North Dorchester-Reeve, Jackson; councilors, Banks, Wrath, Beattle, Chit-

councilors, Banks, Wrath, Beattle, Chittick.

Norwich—Reeeve, C. G. Hulet.
Oakville—Mayor, John Kelly,
Orangeville—Mayor, Wm. Still.
Ottawa—Mayor, Ald. Morris, by a majority of 1,597 over the next highest candidate, as follows: Morris, 3.347; Cook, 1.750; Raphael, 1.443; Butler, 249; Davis, 204; Campbell, 172.
Owen Sound—Mayor, A. Read.
Parkhill—Mayor, W. Royce (acclamation); councilors, A. W. Humphrles, Fred G. Worts, John Knapton, J. W. Simpson, D. N. McLeod, C. A. Gibbs; trustee, ward 2, M. Jackson.
Petrolla—Mayor, J. McCutcheon; councilors, Walker, Jenkins, Fitzgerald, Pratt, Anderson, Lowery; water commissioners, O. Simmons, M.P.P., Wm. English; trustees, McAlpine, Duncan, Reilly and Keck.

Port Dover-Reeve, M. Truesdale; councilors, Thompson, Ross, Long and

Maneer.
Port Stanley—Reeve, John Beasley:
councils, Wm. Berry, Alex. Taylor, A.
Macdonald and John Oliver.
Renfrew—Mayor, W. E. Smallfield.
Ridgetown—Mayor, W. B. Graham;
councilors, Reycraft, Wilson, Hunter,
Wallace, Lowthian and Simson.
Sarnia—Mayor, Wm. Logie, M.D., 7
majority; aldermen, D. Milne, W. F.
Lawrence, T. H. Cook, W. J. Proctor, J.
G. Merrison, M.D., W. H. Minifie; county
council, G. W. Kittermaster and G. A.
Proctor. Proctor.

Simcoe-Mayor, R. Smighill (acclamation); councilors, R. E. Gunton, C. E. Boyd, H. D. Setner, W. Burt, C. Mason, J. F. Buckmer, W. Burt, C. Mason, South Dumfries-Reeve, H. S. Maus; councilors, J. P. Nunan, R. Murray, J.

Stratford—Mayor, James Stamp; aldermen, Wm. Davidson, J. C. Monteith, J. H. L. Bradshaw, E. H. Eidt, Wm. Daly, James Trow, Thomas Savage, E. K. Barnsdale, J. D. Hamilton, J. P. Murray; school trustees, B. M. Williams, James Gadsby; two year term, Chris McLellan; one year term, John Welsh.

St. Catharines—Mayor, J. B. McIntyre, St. Thomas—Mayor, S. Chant, majority 228; aidermen, F. Ferguson, W. Trott, Dr. Luton, George Ponsford, R. N. Price, C. F. Maxwell, R. Sanders, Thomas Meek and P. Meehan. The Trades and Labor Council placed a ticket of ten aldermen in the field against the old council, but only three of their men were elected. Water commissioners, G. K. Crocker, W. E. Idsardi.

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Tesswater-Reeve, L. A. Brink.
Tilbury East Township-Reeve, D.
Fletcher; councilors, J. W. Clark, W. McGraham, H. Marshall, S. Warnock; couny commissioners for 7th division of Kent, T. Robinson, James Ross. Tibury West-Reeve, R. E. Dodson; councilors, Kendrick, Jackson, Morris councilors, Rendered, and Birce.
Tilbury Village—Reeve, Dr. Sharp;
councilors, C. Clark, W. A. Johnston, E.
Giroux, A. H. Roszell; school trustees,
W. C. Crawford, G. Chalmers, Dr. J.

Ferguson.
Tilsonburg—Mayor, V. A. Sinclair; councilors, A. Slater, J. C. Ross, George Brasher, C. H. Denton, Wm. Jackson, John Tilton.
Thedford—Reeve, Watts (acclamation); councilors, Wellington Cornell, T. W. Edmons, Joseph Stonehouse and Charles Sulvester.

Sylvester.
Toronto—Corrected returns show that 24,950 votes were cast in the mayoralty election, and that Mr. Oliver A. Howland, Q.C., is elected by a plurality of 4,230 over Controller Spence, the second in the race. The figures are: Howland, 12,306; Spence, 8,076; Macdonald. 3,354; Shaw, 990; Woodley (Socialist), 223. The aldermen elected are: Frame, Stewart. Shaw, 990; Woodley (Socialist), 223. The aldermen elected are: Frame, Stewart, Russell, Richardson, Oliver, Foster, Cox, Lamb, Sheppard, Loudon, Sheard, McMurrich, Urquhart, Burns, Crane, Hubbard, Starr, Fraleigh, Bell, Woods, Graham, Ward, Hodgson and Lynd.

Walkerton-Mayor, S. H. McKay; councilors, Vogan, Cryderman, Hefferman, Fraser, Schumacher, McKay; county commissioners, A. W. Robb, B. Cannon.

man, Fraser, Schumacher, McRay, county commissioners, A. W. Robb, B. Cannon.
Wallaceburg—Mayor, C. Chubb; councilors, W. E. Boulton, H. A. Stonehouse, W. H. Heath, M. Martin, W. J. McDonald, J. T. Saint.
Waterloo—David Bean (acclamation).
Watford—Reeve, Thomas Howden; councilors, J. H. Hume, J. Saunders, J. Fowler and J. Brown.
Wiarton—Mayor, G. Kastner.
Windsor—Aldermen, Isaac Watts, Ben Brooks, D. H. Bedford, J. F. Smyth, J. G. Gangnier, Henry Walker, James Banwell, S. Dupuis, Thomas Blackburn, H. Siebert, Euclid Jacques, Peter Smith; water commissioner, E. W. S. Bauer.
Woodstock—Mayor, Dr. Mearns; councilors, Robert Murray, John A. McKay, John Mitchell, R. G. Sawtell, Dr. Rice, A. Bicknell, Dr. Odlum, F. Richards, James Rapson, John Neve; water commissioners, John A. Bain and Robert Whitelaw.
Wroxeter—Reeve, A. Munro.
Wyoming—Reeve, J. W. Smith; coun-

Whitelaw.
Wroxeter-Reeve, A. Munro.
Wyoming-Reeve, J. W. Smith; councilors, J. E. Anderson, G. G.-Hartley,
J. M. Wilson, E. V. Donnelly.

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TESTED BY TIME.-In his justly celebrated Pills Dr. Parmelee has given to the world one of the most unique medicines offered to the public in late years. Prepared to meet the want for a pill which could be taken without nausea, and that would purge without pain, it has met all requirements in that direction, and it is in general use not only because of these two qualities, but because it is known to possess alterative and curative powers which place it in the front

Canadian Failures in 1900.

[From Dun's Review, Jan. 5.] Canadian failures during the year 1900 were 1.355 in number and \$11.613,-208 in amount of liabilities, slightly exceeding the two previous years, but comparing most favorably with the four years prior to 1898. Banking defaults were smaller in amount than in 1899, but double in number. Last year's record was unusually satisfactory, at most points, and the general condition of business was prosperous; the principal cause of increased lia-bilities being located at Montreal, where a trader in produce failed for \$850,000, and a butter maker for \$200,-This difficulty also involved a warehouse to the extent of \$850,000, and some financial concerns, making the loss outside of manufacturing and trading much larger than customary. pended, with an indebtedness of \$277,-000. These few extreme cases swell the total and make the table appear worse than the normal defaults war-In many ways the year 1900 was especially free from misfortune, and considering the severe loss to wheat growers in Manitoba, that province makes a splendid exhibit.

GRAVEL STONES LIKE BEANS

Reuben Draper, of Bristol, Que., Saves His Life by a Timely Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Bristol, Que., Jan. 7.—"I have the stones in a bottle at home and can show them to any one who doubts my story," story," said Mr. Reuben Draper, of this place, after relating his remarkable experience with the dread disease Gravel.

This is what he says: "About three years ago I was suffering great pain with Gravel. The doctor came twice or three times, left me some medicine which did me no good and charged me fifteen dollars. A man told me Dodd's Kidney Pills had cured his mother, so I bought some.

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INFAMMATORY RHEUMATISM .-Mr. S. Ackerman, commercial traveler, Belleville, writes: "Some years ago I used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for Inflammatory Rheumatism, and three bottles effected a complete cure. I was the whole of one summer unable to move without crutches, and every movement caused excruciating pains. I am now out on the road and exposed to all kinds of weather, but have never been troubled with rheumatism since. I, however, keep a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Oil on hand, and I always recommend it to others, as it did so much for me."

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Two only Fur Caperines at \$4 75 each. One only Fur Caperine, worth \$25, for \$12.
Three only Mink Muffs, worth \$4, for \$1 97 each. Large Black Fur Muffs, only \$1 each. Four only Fox Ruffs, worth \$4, for \$1 39 each

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We are proud of our Hosiery offerings. There is everything new or staple that is desirable for men, women or children. We feel our money-saving prices cannot be beaten. Very heavy line of Wood Hose for children, 61/2, 7, 71/2, 8, only 25c

pair. Ladies' Heavy Wool Ribbed Hose, 29c pair

Ladies' Plain Wool Hose, 25c pair. Ladies' Fine Ribbed Cashmere hose, 25c, 39c, 49c, 65c pair.

Ladies' Plain Cashmere Hose, 25c, 35c, 40c, 49c pair. Ladies' Special Cashmere Hose, 3 pairs for \$1.

Ladies' & Children's Seasonable Underwear

Ladies' Fleeced Vests, 15c, 20c, 25c, 39c, 50c each. Ladies' Fleeced Drawers, 25c, 35c, 49c pair. Ladies' Hygiene Vests, 47c, 59c, 75c each.
Ladies' Hygiene Drawers, 49c, 59c, 69c, 75c pair.
Children's Fleeced Vests, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 19c, 25c each.
Children's Hygiene Vests, 19c, 23c, 29c, 32c, 35c each.
Children's Hygiene Drawers, 19c, 20c, 25c pair.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Dress Skirts.

Ladies' Cloth Skirts, in fawn and gray, \$2 19 each Ladies' Cloth Skirts, in black and navy, \$2 39 each. Ladies' Heavy Twilled Serge Skirts, \$3 25 each. Ladies' Tailor-made Skirts, Heavy serge, stitched seams, at \$3 59.

These skirts are cheap at \$4 50.

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Homespun Suitings in plain gray, brown and gray checks. Special, Special line of very heavy 50-inch Serge Dress Goods, in navy and black, 50c yard.

Fine Cardinal Cashmere Dress Goods, 39c, 49c yard. Ladies' Costume Cloth, in gray, fawn, navy blue and black, 25c Costume Cloth, 54 inches wide, brown, navy, blue and black, 35c

Children's Wool Comforters for the neck, 15c, 25c each.

Fancy Art Sateen Department.

Mercerized Stateens, 250 yard. Plain Sateens, all colors, 12½ c yard. Reversible Double Fold Cretonne for curtains, 20c yard.

AROUND THE CITY.

Fancy Art Sateen, 15c, 18c, 20c yard.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

-The Western Medical College re-

-The hockey special will leave at 6:20 for Stratford tonight. -Election returns will be read out

from Opera House tonight. -The London Conservatory of Music

reopened this morning for the winter

-Mrs. Joseph Fox and three children have left on a visit to relatives in Chicago.

-Mr. Will Bartram returned yesterday to Toronto, where he will continue

-Contractor John Walters has returned from Buffalo, N. Y., where he has been on an extended visit to his brother, who is ill.

-Mr. W. P. Hart, a former Londonnow connected with the Saginaw (Mich.) Exponent, is visiting friends here. Mr. Hart was engaged in The Advertiser establishment some seven-

G. T. R. EARNINGS.

The following are the earnings of the Grand Trunk Railway system for week Dec. 22 to Dec. 31, 1900: 1900, \$830,298; 1899, \$802,128; increase, \$28,170. POLICE COURT.

This morning's session of the police court was a short one. Wm. Campbell was fined \$3 or ten days in jail for disorderly conduct on the market on saturday. Two drunks and a non-

support case were dismissed. TO GO TO THE CENTRAL.

Five prisoners are now in jail awaiting removal to the Central Prison. Their names and the terms of imprisonment to which they have been sentenced are as follows: D. H. Sampson, 3 months for non-support; John Boyle, 9 months for theft; Fred Lyons, 4 months for theft; Hans Kroil, 1 year for theft; George Andrews, 3 months for theft.

DEATH OF MRS. HOMISTER. On Saturday evening the death

Kills Germs.

That's precisely what Vapo-Cresolene does. You light the vaporizer, the vapor of Cresolene is given off. Not a disease germ can live in this vapor, yet can live in this vapor, yet

it can't possibly harm even the youngest child. Just naturally breathe-in the vapor; it destroys the germs of la grippe, hay fever, influenza, and whooping-cough. It's the common sense treatment for all troubles of the throat and bronchial tubes.

Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. A Vapo-Cresolene outfit, including the Vaporizer and Lamp, which should last a life-time, and a bottle of Cresolene, complete, \$1.50; extra supplies of Cresolene 25 cents and 50 cents. Illustrated booklet centaining physicians' testimonials free upon request. Vapo-Carsolene Co., 18e Fulses St., New York, U.S.A.

Mrs. Hannah Homister occurred at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Parkinson. Mrs. Homister's death is particularly sad, following, as it does, so closely upon that of her husband, the late Chas. Homister, two weeks ago. Mrs. Homister was in her 84th year, and, with her husband, was one of London's oldest settlers. The funeral takes place at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon, from the residence of her on, J. H. Homister, Hamilton road,

to Woodland Cemetery. PAULINE HERE.

Prof. Pauline, the eminent French hypnotist, arrived in town this morning, and was seen by an Advertiser reporter at his rooms at the Grigg House. Although rather tired from his heavy Michigan engagement of the last four weeks, he said in answer to a few questions put to him: "Yes, I am greatly impressed with your city. I have traveled over the world, and must say it is one of the prettiest cities I have ever seen, and am confident that I will be able to get the thinking and scientific people here interested in my performances. I have the greatest confidence in my phenomenal blindfold street drive, which always proves a strong factor among the believers of mind-reading." Prof. Pauline appears at the London Opera House all this

WILSON-GILBERTS.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gilberts, con. 8, McGillivray, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Dec. 26, when their eldest daughter, Dowlby, was united in marriage to Mr. J. W. Wilson, of this city. The bride, who was given away by her brother, was beautifully attired in cream brocaded silk, and wore a white silk veil and orange blossoms in her hair, and carried a bouquet of cream roses. Her traveling suit was of navy blue, which was very becoming. She was assisted by her sister Lizzie, who was dressed in white organdie and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The groom was supported by Mr. John Waters, of Mount Brydges. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Diehl, of Ailsa Craig, in the presence of about 50 people, immediate friends of the bride and groom. The two little maids of honor, Vera Bowman, niece of the bride, and Eva Shaddock. niece of the groom, looked charming in white muslin over pink, carrying a basket of pink and white carnations. The large number of costly presents testified in no small way to the es-teem in which the young couple are held by their many friends. groom's present to the bride was a gold bracelet. After congratulations and partaking of the wedding break fast, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson left on the 7:15 train east, amid showers of rice and best wishes of the community.

HIGH COURT SITTINGS.

Col. John Macbeth has received from Toronto the schedule of weekly high court sittings for the first half of 1901. They are as follows: Thursday, Jan. 10; Thursday, Jan. 17; Saturday, Jan. 26; Thursday, Jan. 31; Thursday, Feb. 7; Thursday, Feb. 14; Saturday, Feb. 23; Thursday, Feb. 28; Friday, March 8; Saturday, March 16; Saturday, 8; Saturday, March 16; Saturday, March 23; Saturday, March 30; Thurs-day, April 4; Saturday, April 13; Thursday, April 18; Friday, April 26; Thursday, May 2; Saturday, May 11; Friday, May 17; Thursday, May 23; Thursday, May 30; Thursday, June 6; Thursday, June 13; Thursday, June 27.

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New York, Jan. 7 .- Allegations are made here this morning by the Herald in effect that confession has been made that vice in this city has been compelled to pay over \$5,000,000 annually for protection. The newspaper says:

"Startling revelations regarding the system of blackmail levied upon vice and crime in this city have been made by a man who has long had prominence as a successful gambler. His story, which is in the nature of a vol-untary confession, has been told to W. M. K. Olcott, former district attorney. Proofs have been furnished, and more will be forthcoming if demanded.

BIG CORRUPTION FUND. "It is computed that a corruption fund of \$5,608,000 was collected last year. Of this vast sum one-half was the result of levy made upon gambling houses and kindred establishments." After quoting Mr. Olcott's admission that the ex-gambler's confession had been made to him, the Herald details

"So exact is the system of extortion in operation that the commission which assesses, collects and divides the blackmail, knew in advance just what the profits for the year would be. The city was blocked off into districts, and a the violators of the law to pay in proportion to their earnings.

the methods thus:

"The entire amount was divided into 28 parts for the purpose of distribution. Of these parts four went to the great man, whose consent had to be obtained before the system could be put

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tanked before the System countries and the System countries are supported and the System countries and the System countri teen entered directly into the division of money, and some were compelled to satisfy themselves with a single share. But the purse was deep, and the smallest fraction represented \$200,000, which was sufficient to warrant the division with men outside who are strong enough to demand a few crumbs."

Joseph Chamberlain On England's Future.

Joseph Chamberlain, whom many charge with the Boer war, has a vigorous article in Success for January, in which he gives to the American people his conception of the destiny in store for England, now that her empire is practically a unit. He says:

"What should we be without our ern Sea. What would they be without us? Fragments-nations, indeed, but without the fullness of national life, without the cohesion that enables them to look the world in the face. We are bound together also, by something which, in international and national affairs, is, perhaps, even stronger than material interests-by the ties of sentiment, by common ideals and common aspirations. We crave from them, from our kinsfolk, from our fellow subjects, their affection; we invite their sympathy; we delight in their support.

"That does not mean that we are hostile to other nations. On the contrary, we desire their friendship, too. We should be glad to have their apat the cost of more essential objects We hope that they will reciprocate the friendly feelings which we express and feel for them; but, if not; we will humbly submit to our destiny -we will endeavor to do without it, conscious of our rectitude.

"If we cannot persuade them, then we must be isolated; but if, even then, we are surrounded and buttressed by these groups of sister nations, I say, in the words of the Canadian statesman, our isolation will be a splendid isolation. I do not say this in a spirit of vulgar ostentation. I do not think the view I am putting before you is an ignoble view of our national destiny. No, it is better for all of us; it widens our horizon and broadens our view to be free men in a company of nations, to be citizens of no mean city. We have the comfort of knowing that, if even the worst of disasters were to overtake this country; If we were to be, as is often prophe sied by our critics abroad, a fallen state; or if, by some physical convulsion of nature, we were to sink like a volcanic island in the seas that we have ruled so long, even then we should leave behind kinsfolk across the Atlantic and on the Pacific seas. and they would carry to distant ages and to unknown heights the scepter of our great dominion."

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MONTREAL AND TORONTO.

Happenings of the Hour.

The car shops of the Virginia and Southwestern Railroad at Bristoi, Tenn., were burned Saturday. Loss,

North Essex Conservatives in the next provincial election. Mr. Wm. Bernard Wallace has been

Smallpox has been effectually stamped out in New York, according to the officials of the board of health. 7,000,000 persons have recently been vaccinated.

der, has been settled out of court.

store, Todd's ticket and agency office, Hall's real estate office and Botting's barber shop, at Brandon, Man., were burned on Sunday. Loss not stated.

Frank Folett, aged 19, of South New Berlin, N. Y., went to a surprise party as the escort of Miss Blanche Sargent, his fiancee. The lady flirted with another youth and Folett killed him-

Fruit growers in South Essex are levy was made each for a given sum. complaining of the destruction of their The money was obtained by compelling peach trees by rabbits. In one orchcomplaining of the destruction of their ard over 300 trees were girdled by the pests, which have appeared in large numbers along the lake shore.

Governor McCallum, of Newfound-land, has been appointed to succeed Hon. Sir Walter Francis Hely-Hutch-inson as Governor of Natal and Zululand. A feeling of regret is general at

Africa with the Canadian Mounted Infantry. The boys are expected home this week.

Glass manufacturers of Pennsylvania and Eastern States are taking steps to organize a trust. Concerns representing \$20,000,000 are said to have already signed an agreement, and it is expected to include capital amounting to \$50,000,000. At Winnipeg on Sunday the premises

and stocks of the Grundy Music Company, Barrowelough's music store, H. P. Marcy, pianos and organs, T. C. Thurman, jeweler, and the Winnipeg theater box office were burned. The temperature, which was twenty below zero, hampered the firemen consider-

It has leaked out that during the past two months the mails have been empire? Two small islands, with an robbed at Moncton, N.B. One bag overcrowded population, in the North-stolen contained I. C. R. checks to the value of \$12,000, which, however, needed indorsement before the money could be collected. At Shediac a bag containing registered letters

Eli T. Bangs, aged 75, a well-known contractor and millionaire, died at his home at Fayetteville, N. Y., after a long illness. He had been engaged in many important government contracts, among the more notable being the construction of Sault Ste. Marie docks, Delaware breakwater and Charleston harbor.

A team of horses belonging to Joseph Shith, of Ancaster, ran away in Hamilton Saturday, and threw Smith out, injuring him. On the C. P. R. bridge the animals dashed into a rig occupied by Ira Blain, of Green's Corners, and threw him to the ground cutting his head. Blain was taken to the General Hospital and his recovery is very doubtful.

of Appeal, at Toronto, as the result of the retirement of Chief Justice Burton from the bench. The Lord's Day case was argued before a bench of five judges, of whom Judge Burton was one. He retired shortly after the hearing, and judgment in the case was not given. The case is to be reargued.

A stove in the residence of Miss Cunningham, Amherstburg, was wrecked by the hot water attachment The water became frozen in the pipes during the night and when they were thawed the steam generated so quick ly that the pipes burst. Miss Wear, who was in the room at the time, received a bad scalp wound by a piece of the flying pipe.

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Mr. Kennedy independent, was probably elected to the Quebec Legislative Assembly in Gaspe.

Messrs. Vipond, Peterson & Co., wholesale fruit merchants, Montreal, assigned. Their liabilities are \$40,000.

The West Point hazing case was resumed today (Monday) before the congressional committee at Phila-

There is some talk of Dr. J. O. Reaume being the candidate of the

appointed judge of the county court for Halifax county, in place of the late Judge Johnston.

The action brought some time ago by Mr. J. M. Lottridge against ex-Mayor George Roach, of Hamilton, for \$10,000 damages for alleged slan-

Currie's fruit store, Reesor's jewelry

Thomas Young, who conducted a stock broker's business at Halton, Ont., some years ago, was arrested Saturday on a charge of defrauding Ferdinand G. H. Pattison out of \$1,000. He was

self with a revolver.

ing elaborate preparations for the reception to be tendered to seven Kingsville boys who saw service in South

A deadlock has arisen in the Court

The session and managers of St. half of the congregation, presented Mr. Francis Blackie with a purse of gold as a small recognition of the 36 years' services as clerk of the session. They also, on behalf of the board of nett with one quarter's salary in recognition of his faithful service as

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London Starts the 20th Century Municipally.

The new system of abolishing wardvoting in aldermanic elections was yesterday tried for the first time in Canada in a place with the population of London. School trustees were elected by the reduced number of wards, but will be elected next year by the vote at large, as were the aldermen this year. In a contest for the first council of the new century, and with the new system of all-over voting, one need not wonder that a very large number of aldermanic candidates entered, so many, indeed, that the expected easily happened, namely, that through the dissipation and division of voting force, many men as good as those elected were defeated. However, the defeated have no lack of good company.

Mayor Rumball's deserved majority of nearly a thousand votes gives him an invigorating mandate to carry out his programme.

Major Hume B. Cronyn has the honor of heading the aldermanic poll for the first council of the twentieth century, with Ald. Greenlees close

Ex-Mayor Little heads the poll as water commissioner. His ex-worship has never been beaten yet.

Among the electors cailed back to service, after a year's absence from the council are Messrs. Parnell, Greenlees, Olmsted and Stevely.

Mr. John W. Pocock made a capital run for water commissioner, and against two strong men

The bylaw to abolish the hospital trust was itself abolished by a vote of 2,326 to 476. That settles that.

Among the "new blood" in the city council are Major Hume Cronyn, Dr. Cl. T. Campbell and Mr. J. H. A. Beattie, each of whom may be expected to do good work.

Although some excellent men were necessarily defeated, the result of have been so long ago if the light of London's first election for the cen- publicity had been on the department; tury may be regarded on the whole as but it never was." satisfactory.

starts the twentieth century with new | ed characteristic of the new century opportunity.

The House Question.

Lord Salisbury thas stated that in

England the question of the better housing of the poor is a question of prime importance: and when he says that, we may take it as serious, for he is not given to needless agitation. Mr. Alfred Smith, late chairman of in the International Journal of Ethics, tion building, beautiful in design, and handles the subject in an intelligent, the yearly exhibition in that building the has a remedy to propose. His work other country. While perhaps art will sists upon the need of increased accommodation. If the slums were clearings, that would not materially increase the accommodation. That ticular branch is to make a picture the sanitary standpoint. The question, Smith's answer is that the reason is one quite apart from the question of facilities for communication, and one of a far more fundamental character. namely, the present system of local taxation. His view is that local taxation ought to be levied, not on the present ratable value, i. e., the value of the premises as a whole, land and buildings taken together, if occupied; but on the site value, i. e., the value of the ground apart from anything in the way of buildings or improvements upon it, and the rate ought to be levied whether the land is occupied or not. This theory is, of course, not new, but Mr. Smith, working upon a large basis of fact, applies it to London in a way that will commend it to many. One brief extract must suffice.

'On the outskirts of growing neighborhoods we often see land which is guitable for building, but which is left idle year after year. Under the present system of rating such land is classed as agricultural, and rated on this basis, say from £3 to £5 an acre. But as soon as houses are built and occupied, the ratable value goes up suddenly a hundredfold, from £3 to £5 to £300 or £500 an acre. The underrating of the land before it is built upon, encourages owners to hold it for a rise longer than they would if it were rated all the time at its real value; but it is also true that the crushing burden of rates, which is im- "The Day's History-Literature, Scierates in itself to postpone and prevent tion-Justice, Instruction, Modera-

building. Our present rates immense- tion." It is appropriate that one of ly increase the cost of occupying the the best newspapers in the world houses that are built, and it becomes should issue so unique a calendar. impossible for any one-private builders, philanthropic companies, public bodies-to provide houses for working people at reasonable rents. If land everywhere were rated on its real value, whether built on or not, and if the erection of buildings did not make it liable to any increase of rates, there can be no doubt that we would have

more and cheaper houses." The author goes on to show how this would throw the heavier taxation settlement and cultivation of the land: on the fully developed sites at the center and relieve the outskirts of burdens that hinder their progress. Such a proposal needs careful consideration, but it is evident that in Old London it is a pressing question, and other cities will learn from any experi-

A Symposium of Forecasts.

Great attention has been paid by prominent men and journals to the record of events and the progress of the nineteenth century. Apparently not content with retrospect, many thinkers are attempting a forecast of the present century. Such a forecast, it is hoped, will stimulate thought, and tend to bring about the results predicted. We are living in the age of the Daily Newspaper and the Telegraph, an age when facilities for the spread of knowledge are multiplied a thousand-fold as commany cases is little more than mere speculation.

The New York Herald, in a recent issue, gives a number of predictions by eminent men, who are specialists in their particular departments. A few of these forecasts are given here, as they are along lines of greater certainty. Prof. Felix Vitate, surgeon of the

Italian army, and Government physician of Uruguay, has great faith in that branch of medical science known as bacteriology. This science was founded by the French chemist, Pasteur, a short time before the Franco-Prussian war. Next to Pasteur, Dr. Koch stands out as the most prominent man in researches along the line of the germ theory of disease. Prof. Vitate observes: "It is possible that during the century to come the germs of every ingovernments to furnish the opportunity of research in this promising branch of

Mr. John W. Keller, president charity commission, New York, predicts broader public charity. He says: "The old Idea that anything is good enough for the sick poor man is gone forever. The new idea is that nothing is too good for the sick poor man, and that idea has come to stay. That is the question should be approached in a outgrowth of public opinion centered broad spirit. The people who pay toll charities in the last ten years. It would

Dr. W. H. Tollman, director of the Museum of Social Economy, New The new city council of London York, writes: "Sociologically the markwill be a greater development of industrial betterment; that is, the various ways by which the conditions of wage-earners can be improved." The twentieth century employer, in other words, will feel it a duty to do more for his employe than to merely pay him his wages: educational, recreative and social institutions of all kinds will be planned for his special benefit.

Speaking of art, Mr. Albert B. Wenzell advocates the nationalizing of art Housing Committee, London schools. He observes: "I believe the County Council, has published a small next century will see a national govbook on this subject. He is an au- ernment art school, properly conducted, thority, and, according to the review and a permanent national art exhibisensible fashion, with the result that will be the equal of any exhibition in any applies to London, but the principle not reach its zenith in the twentieth

may apply elsewhere. Mr. Smith in- century, for art is long, it will make Mr. L. L. Curran, making his foreed and replaced by wholesome dwell- cast along the line of photography, writes: The desideratum in this parcleansing is absolutely necessary from that shall be as a mirror held up to nature. "It will not be many years," then, is what hinders the utilization says Mr. Curran, "before the album will of land for building purposes? Mr. disappear entirely, and in its place will come the color photographic transparencies, seen stereoptically, giving the exact presence of the subject in every detail of color as well as form. The very best of the monochrome photographs will be as antiquated at the old-fashioned daguerrotype is today." Prof. G. A. Bobrick, of the University of St. Petersburg, declares that liquid air is the most promising aspirant for twentieth century glory. It will be put to a variety of uses. Liquid air will probably be used in the transmission of power of Niagara Falls to distant points. Automobiles are already being propelled by liquid air, and it is possible that liquid air will solve the problem of aerial and submarine navigation. Regarding its use in the household, Prof. Bobrick says: "Before the century is half-gone, ice for household use will be a curiosity. Liquid air will be delivered from house to house in cans, just as the milkman delivers his wares every morning for daily con-

The Evening Star, Washington, D. resenting the ideals of this enterprising journal. The names of these alle-Business Activity." "News Gathering," posed when the thouses are built, op- ence, Art, and "The Editorial Func-

sumption.

Grants To Volunteers.

We notice that the London Advertiser is advocating a grant by the On-tario Government of 160 acres of land to the soldiers of 1866, 1885 and 1899. In New Ontario there is plenty of land, and such a grant would prob-ably not be missed by the province. We hope, however, that if grant is made it will be under such settlement conditions as will insure the The granting of land and land script

in Manitoba to soldiers and half breeds without any settlement conditions, has proved a curse in that pro vince. Probably 90 per cent of these lands fall into the hands of land speculators at a nominal price, and a large part of them are still in the hands of these speculators. This makes scattered settlements which is one of the drawbacks of that province. It is not likely that many of those who were out in the Fenian raid of 1866 would care to go farming up in New Ontario, and the suggestion is nonsense. If the Government want to reward the persons referred to let them offer 160 acres with settlement conditions attached to the grant, and also

the option of a money grant, say of

\$100, or one dollar an acre, \$160 .-

Windsor Record. The Record appears to approve of the principle. We do not know under what, if any, conditions the Government grant to the veterans of 1899 has been decided to be made. If there are few of the veterans of 1866 who would care to take up land in New pared with those of a century ago. Ontario the less objection should exist With such a beginning, prediction in to the offer, whether made subject to conditions or unconditionally. We see no objection to the Record's suggestion of an optional offer, and no reason why, in either way, it should not be open to the descendants of such veterans. We have not discussed the details or conditions under which such a grant should be made.

The Advertiser explains that it did not mean to intimate that the Ontario Government should confiscate the Proof Line toll road, but that somebody should purchase it. That proposition was fully agreed to years ago, when all the other toll roads in the county were abolished. The only difficulty has been in agreeing as to who should do the purchasing. Should it be the county as a whole, or the townships through which the road runs, and what proportion should each township bear? If the Adverfectious disease will be discovered. It tiser can settle these points, and en-is in my estimation incumbent upon force its decision, the whole matter will be simply and easily settled .-Free Press

The Free Press states the point fairly. The Advertiser says it can never be determined with absolute justice whether the county as a whole or the township through which the road runs should bear the expense, or what proportion each township should bear. Toll roads are a muisance. The trongly on the department of public in London township today ought not to be called upon to do so. The County Council should not draw too fine distinctions. The county is in a splendid condition financially, and it would be a very small matter for the county as a whole to secure the abolition of tolls on this the only road in Middlesex where tolls are collected.

Paragraphs About People.

We have heard very much about heroes lately, so that we are led to think that heroes are common. Well, that is one of the good things connected with war, and there are not many good features in that terrible business. This, at any rate, comes out in critical times, that there are many men who are prepared to suffer hardships for the sake of their country, and capable of showing heroic qualities. The conditions under which the war in South Africa has been waged are such that patient toil and daring activity has been demanded from thousands of our fellowcitizens of the British Empire, and the demand has not been made in vain. From the great city of London, from the towns and villages of England, Ireland and Scotland, from Canada, Australia, New Zealand and India, their response came with cheerful courage. Most conspicuous was the man, Lord Roberts, who has just received the honor of his Queen and the homage of his countrymen. At a dark hour, when his own heart was sore from personal loss, as well as from his country's sorrows, he took the big business in hand, and did his share of the work. A man who is naturally humane and peaceloving, he discharged his part of the sad duty with masterly skill and unflinching courage. Not only did he win the enthusiastic devotion of his soldiers and show his kindly care for them, but he gained the admiration of the world by the qualities of a statesman and the character of a gentleman, which he manifested in an unostentatious manner. He does not need our praise, but we are constrained to say that he is a man of whom the British Empire may well be proud. The country is to be congratulated that has such a man to

During the past century the center of population of the United States has moved from a point twenty miles east of Baltimore to Western Indiana, a distance of 505 miles.

The santir, a kind of dulcimer, has been used for ages in the Caucasus. In the early days of the last century many efforts were made to fasten hard points to pens of softer material. Bits of metal were often fastened as points

to pens of glass, tortoise shell or horn. THERE IS DANGER IN NEG-LECTING A COLD. Many who have died of consumption dated their troubles from exposure, followed by a cold which settled on their lungs, and in a short time they were beyond the skill of the best physician. Had they used Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, be-fore it was too late, their lives would have been spared. This medicine has no equal for curing coughs, colds and all affections of the throat and lungs. of trade marks; seventh, protection of the morning, after a good night's rest,

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to per cent discount on all Crockery and Glassware.

Mantle and Fur Department

25 and 50 per cent discount on all Ladies' and Children's Mantles. 25 and 50 per cent discount on all Ladies' Tailor-Made

Costumes. 10 per cent discount on all Furs.

Carpet Department

- 20 per cent discount on all Carpets.
- 20 per cent discount on all Comforters. to per cent discount on all Curtains.

Knitwear Department

- 10 per cent discount on all Wool and Cashmere Hosiery.
- 10 per cent discount on all Flannelette Gowns. 10 per cent discount on all Underskirts.

25 Per Cent Discount on All Ladies' Shirt Waists

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10, 20, 25 and

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DRESS GOODS.

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This List to Clear at a Discount of 10 Per Cent. All of our Table Linens, All of our Cretonnes, Ail of our Towels, All of our Art Sateens, All of our Towelings, All of our Art Muslins, All of our Prints,

All of our Sheetings,

All of our Silkolines, All of our Wrapperettes, All of our Flannels, All of our Pillow Cottons.

THIS LOT AT A DISCOUNT OF 20 PER CENT. All of our Metallic Skirt-

All of our Doilies, All of our Tray Cloths, ings, All of our Lunch Cloths, All of our German Eiders, All our Five O'Clock Allour Sideboard Covers,

All of our Pillow Shams.

Clothing

Furnishings

10, 20 and 33 1-3 Per Cent Discounts Given in CLOTHING and FURNISH-INGS DEPT.

SHOE DEPARTMENT

10 and 20 PER CENT DISCOUNTS GIVEN IN THE SHOE DEPARTMENT.

THE MASSACRE OF 100 BOYS!

Described by a Sister of Charity at Ning Po.

British Take Little Stock in the Story of a Russo-Chinese Treaty.

London, Jan. 7 .- A sister of charity, writing from the Maison De Jesu Enfant, at Nink Po, Nov. 29, describes the massacre at Naking of 100 little boys. Some of them, she says, were roasted alive in the church. Others, led by a brother, escaped to the orphanage outside the city, but all were killed and the place was burned. Despite threats of torture and the frequency of most painful deaths, declares the sister, "apostacy was wonderfully rare."

The British foreign office considers the reported agreement between Russia and China, regarding the Manchuria province of Feng Tien, as probably referring to military measures of a temporary character. There is nothing in the possession of the foreign office to show that any agreement has the sanction of Russia and China.

In the opinion of the foreign office there is likely to be a great deal more discussion before the Chinese imperial personages finally agree to the penalties insisted upon by the powers.

EXPEDITIONS WILL GO ON. Count Von Waldersee says that China's request through her representative at foreign courts that the expeditions should cease cannot be complied with at present. No expeditions, he asserts, are sent out without adequate cause. When there are scenes of bloodshed or disorder, troops are sent to interfere, this being the only means of preventing outrages. He declares that the expeditions are not intended for punitive purposes, but merely for police purposes, with a view of giving the necessary protection to life and prop-

The report that the Chinese court had instructed the Chinese peace envoys to refuse to sign the joint note of the powers to China is confirmed. Prince Ching, however, informed the court that it was too late.

COMMERCIAL TREATY PROPOSED Shanghal, Jan. 7.-Sir Ernest Mason Satow, British minister to China, has proposed to the other foreign envoys the draft of a commercial treaty with China based upon the following conditions: First, freedom for all coasting vessels; second, freedom for all vessels on inland waters, especially the Yang Tse Kiang; third, permission to import foreign salt; fourth, adoption of regulations encouraging Chinese investments in foreign concerns; fifth, steps extending China's become the strained nerves and the exports and imports; sixth, protection easier follows the sought for rest. In

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Knowing these things, is there an intelligent man who would not pay

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treaty ports. The draft has not yet been accepted by the powers.

Court officials, it is reported, still raise objections to signing an acceptance of the joint demands.

a cold bath is very invigorating, but at no time during the day, if the nerves are strained, should it be repeated. ance of the joint demands.

BATHS AND FATIGUE. When a body is fatigued or the brain has been over-taxed by excessive mental work, it is very wrong to take a cold bath. Such a bath excites, and if we add this to the already excited state of the body, the result seems rejuvenating for the moment, but very soon the tension becomes too great, soon the tension becomes too great, the second of the second and the body cannot be forced to do more work. A warm bath is the only kind to be applied when one wishes to recover from fatigue, and the longer in reason a tired body remains in a bath of, say, 70 degrees, the quieter

A SHORT ROAD to health was op-ened to those suffering from chronic coughs, asthma, bronchitis, catarrh, lumbago, tumors, rheumatism, excoriated nipples or inflamed breast, and

channel fourteen feet deep can be con-structed from St. Louis to Lake Michigan, by way of the Illinois River, for \$35,000,000.

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LONDON UNDER

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well as the ward, esteems him as practical man.

Ald. Gerry is one of the dauntless four who surmounted the obstacles imposed by the general vote. His course in the council has been and will practical man.

Ald. George Olmsted is a manufacturer and well known to most citizens. He has had some experience of the council chamber and of the way in which municipal affairs are conducted, and will undoubtedly proven himself a capable administrator.

Ald. Joshua Garratt is too well known to need more than passing mention. Some said that he was a ward man only, but the fact that he can once more style himself alderman would seem to show that the city, as

pherson was one of the best trustees

in the city, and should be on the The water commissioners. Messrs. Little and Jones, were re-elected by large majorities over their opponents, Messrs. Pocock and Parsons, though

Mr. Pocock made a fine run. Mr. Mc. sought re-election. The former's defeat came rather in the nature of a surprise, and he has been a good elder-

The electors expressed in unqualified terms their trust in the Hospital Trust the majority in favor of its continu-

The Detailed Vote for Aldermen.

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CITY OF WOODSTOCK.

Woodstock, Ont., Jan. 8 .- At the

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Div. 10 Totals 34 545 834 Grand totals-Rumball Bartram 114 Mayor Rumball's majority over both his opponents, 886. PILES OF SNOW. St. John's, Nfid., Jan. 8 .- The weath-

far the winter has been very trying: Snow is piled in tremendous quantities in many sections of the island and enormous difficulty and expense are involved in moving trains, which have a constant struggle in order to combat the storms successfully.

er continues unusually severe. Thus

Hood's Pills

Do not gripe nor irritate the alimen-tary canal. They act gently yet promptly, cleanse effectually and

Give Comfort Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

Water Commissioners. WARD ONE.

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Omaha, Neb., Jan. 8 .- A letter has been turned over to Chief Donahue, the Omaha police department, in which an offer is made to deliver cer-

tain information to him regarding the abductors of Edward Cudahy, jun., upon his compliance with certain conditions. The chief and Mr. Cudahy evidently considered the letter authentic and of enough importance to justify a reply, because the following advertisement appeared in the coumns of a local paper this morning: "Your request asked for in letter mailed at Lincoln on Jan. 4, to be answered be-fore Jan. 7, will be granted.—E. A. Cudahy, J. A. Donahue." Both decline of city incorporation was carried by
482 majority. It is expected that steps
will be taken for incorporation as a to say what the contents of the letter were, or to refer to the conditions The Bylaw. WARD ONE

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STRATHROY'S BYLAW CARRIED. Strathroy, Ont., Jan. 8 .- A bylaw for the purpose of granting a bonus of \$3,500 to the Cameron & Dunn Manufacturing Company here was carrie. by 446 majority.

CABLE NOTES.

Lord Revelstoke (John Baring), a di-rector of the Bank of England, and a partner in Baring Bros. & Co., while out hunting with the hounds Saturday was thrown from his horse and dragged a distance. His face was badly

Samuel D. Caldwell, the United States consular agent at Seville, Spain, died on Monday in St. Thomas' Hospital, London, England.

Luther Lambdin, postmaster at Haiti, Missouri, has been arrested for em-bezzlement. On Dec. 20 he wired that his office had been robbed of two registered letters, once containing \$1,000. He

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You have no doubt seen some of the bargains your friends have purchased at our store. We have met with phenomenal success; the goods we have sold in the past have made customers for us. We intend to build our business on the same principle that we started on, viz.: "Good goods at a low price," and only one price. Cash only, plain figures, and cash refunded if you want it.

To clear out winter goods we are cutting the prices to a mark that will send them out fast.

LADIES' JACKETS.

Ladies' Jackets, were \$3.75 and \$4, for......\$1 90 Remember these goods are all this season's purchases.

DRESS GOODS.

Cloth Dress Goods, double fold, in black, navy, brown and green, per yard only......121/2c Fancy Cloth Dress Goods, regular price 25c, sale price...... 19c navy and black, at per yard..... (They cannot be beat for the money.)

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All-wool, heavy weight, nice and fluffy, per pair.....\$2 18 All Blankets and Comforters reduced in price. BLACK CASHMERE HOSE.

Special for Misses, worth 20c per pair, for.................. 11c Larger sizes, worth 25c, for...... 17c See our Ribbed Cashmere Hose, high spliced heels, a bargain,

TABLE LINENS. Have you examined our Table Linens? It not, do so. We have been told they are the best in the city, and to make an extra bargain, we are selling them at a reduction this month. Our \$1 Table Linen, 21/4 yards wide, for per yard 79c Our 75c Table Linen, 2 yards wide, for per yard.......... 64c See the 2-yard wide Table Linen we are selling at per yard 35c INFANTS' HOODS—were 50c, tor..... LADIES' VESTS-Ribbed, each..... 10c MEN'S RIBBED WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS-were

50c each, for each 39c WOMEN'S FLANNELETTE NIGHT GOWNS-Each only .. 39c GRAY FLANNELS.

Come to Our January Clearing Sale and Make Money.

GRAY & PARKER.

150 DUNDAS STREET.

WEDDING MAY HAVE TO WAIT.

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are receiving large supplies of arms and ammunition through Venezuela. BELGIAN SENSATION.

Paris, Jan. 8 .- A dispatch received from Brussels says the military commission which is studying the reorganization of the defense of Belgium has been informed of the government's project that France annex Belgium, and that the Belgian minister at Paris notified the government of this fact. The dispatch adds that Great Britain at this time was indifferent, while Germany was inclined to acquiesce regarding the suggested annexations, as France's compensation for the loss of Alsace-Lorraine. The statement has caused a sensation in Belgium, and has attracted much attention in France. The Belgian minister here, denies that he attributed such a declaration to Gen. Zurlinden. He admits he sent his government cuttings from newspapers making similar assertions, but he refrained from comment on them. The minister adds that through his career he remembers no incident tending to affect the neutrality of Belgium, except at the time of the French empire and its scheme regarding the

left bank of the Rhine. CANADIANS PROMOTED. London, Jan. 8.—The war office announces that the following seven Canadians nominated by Lord Minto have been appointed second lieutenants in imperial regiments: R. Wood, in Royal Warwickshire Regiment; F. E. Leach, in the King's Regiment, Liverpool; A. Butler, in the Norfolk Regiment; R. Cockburn, in the Suffolk Regiment; J. H. Dwyer, in the East Lancashire Regiment; W. R. H. Dann, in the Manchester Regiment; A. N. Bredin, in the Prince of Wales' Leinster Regiment. Andrew Noble Bredin enlisted as a private in the second battalion, M. R., and was formerly with the Northwest Mounted Police. Frank Easton Leach was a graduate of the Royal Military College at Kingston. He belonged to the second battalion, C. M. R. Allan Butler, a private in the first battalion, C. M. R., was for-merly lieutenant in the First Prince of Wales' Fusiliers, Montreal,

Anglo-Canadian Trade.

CONTINUES TO GROW. London, Jan. 7.-The total value of

the imports from Canada during the year ending Dec. 31, 1900, amounted to £18,554,674, while the exports from this country to the Dominion reached £5,-022,954.

The board of trade returns issued today show the following increase in British imports from Canada during the year 1900, as compared with the previous year: Cattle, £202,000; wheat, £405,000; oats, £409,000; peas, £36,000; bacon, £313,000; hams, £145,000; chease, £785,000; eggs, £55,000; fish, £203,000, wood pulp; £131,000; hewn wood, £70,-00; sawn wood, £422,000. Decreases— Sheep and lambs, £44.000; wheat flour, £583,000; butter, £437,000; horses, £45,-

British exports to Canada show the following increases: Salt, £25,000; spirits, £35,000; cotton piece goods, uther Lambdin, postmaster at Haiti, souri, has been arrested for emplece goods, £215,000; jute piece goods, £29,000; The progress of the fire was watch-souried letters, once containing \$1,000. He is since confessed to taking the letter.

sheet and boiler plates, £35,000; cast iron and wrought iron, £30,000; lead

A \$35,000 BLAZE! Explosion of an Oil Lamp Causes

Serious Fire at Wood's Fair.

Morphy's Jewelry Store Also Suffered Heavy Loss-Fire Confined to Top Story-Traffic Blocked.

Fire broke out on the upper floor of the building occupied by Wood's Fair, at 176-178 Dundas street, about 3:15 yesterday afternoon, and before it was extinguished the stock of the store had been damaged by fire, smoke and water to the extent of about \$30,000. The jewelry store of A. Morphy & Co., which is immediately beneath the premises where the fire originated, was also damaged by water to the extent of \$4,000 or \$5,000.

The fire was caused by the explosion or overturning of an oil lamp in the east stock room on the top flat. The room was filled to the ceilings with crowded shelves, with only narrow passages between. Several employes were engaged in stock-taking, and when the accident occurred which started the fire, they were compelled

to vacate the premises hurrledly.

The fire department responded promptly to the call which was turned in, but several delays were experienced before they were enabled to begin properly their work of overcoming the flames. The situation looked quite serious at first, as the fire was burning briskly the length of the flat. As soon, however, as the firemen were enabled to get several streams on, the flames were beaten back and finally extinguished, though it was over two hours from the time of the arrival of the department until the fire was out. Among the goods stored in the rooms where the fire raged were a quantity of giant firecrackers. Their explosion created considerable excitement.

The major portion of the damage

done to the stock was, of course, by the water poured into the building, and which dripped down to the lower flats. Every effort was made to protect the stock by covering the shelves and tables with tarpaulin, but despite this the goods received a thorough soaking. Ar. Wood, after as careful an estimate as was possible under the circumstances, placed his loss at over \$30,000, but later estimates may either enhance or decrease this figure. Loss will be fully covered by insurance, as policies aggregating \$42,000 were held on the stock.

The damage to the building is comparatively slight, and is covered by insurance. A small hole was burned in the roof, but the floors and interior, with the exception of the shelving, escaped damage. The building is the property of Mrs. Adelaide Pring, who resides in Ireland, and whose property there is looked after by J. H. Flock,

Bayley's drygoods store, which ad-joins Wood's Fair, on the west, escaped without damage.

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THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL M	ARKET.
A. M. HAMILTON & S	ON'S REPORT.
London, Tu	esday, Jan. 8.
Wheat, white, per bu	61%c to 63e
Wheat, red, per bu	61%c to 63c
Oats, per 100 lbs	75c to 78c
Peas, per bu	50c to 54c
Corn,per bu	42c to 44c
Barley, per bu	331/2c to 43c
Bckwheat, per bu	
Beans, per bu	\$1 00 to \$1 10
Dressed hogs	
Wheat was standy and	ld

Wheat was steady and unchanged.
Oats sold from 79c to 82c.
One load of barley sold at 75c.
Beans were \$1 10 per bushel.
Hay sold at \$7 to \$8, and straw for \$3 to \$4 a load, and \$6 by the ton.
No change occurred in hogs, either live or dressed. The demand for both was good and the supply light.
Quotations:

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Wheat, white fall,, 100 lbs.\$1 05 @	\$1 07
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Oats, per 100 lbs 78 @	81
Peas. per 100 ths 82 @	90
Corn, per 100 lbs 78 @	80
Barley, per 100 lbs 70 @	90
Rye, per 100 lbs 75 @	85
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs 85 @	90
Beans 100 @	1 25
HOGS.	
Hogs, light, 100 lbs 575 @	6 00
Hogs, singers 600 @	6 00
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs. 400 @	5 00
Pigs, young, per pair 350 @	4 50
Sows, per 100 lbs	*
Dressed, 100 lbs, selects 775 @	8 25
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Dressed, 100 lbs, heavy 500 @	7 00
HAY AND SEEDS.	
Hay, per load 700 @	8 00
Straw, per load 350 @	4 00
Stram con ton	0 00

For Housekeepers.

PROVISIONS			
Cheese, per lb		0	12
Eggs, single dozen	22	0	12 25
Butter, lb, large rolls or crock	20	0	25
Butter, pound rolls, retail	21	00	23
Butter, creamery	24	à	25
Lard, per lb	11	@	12
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Butter, lb rolls, baskets	19	(0)	20
Butter, crock	18	0	20
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Celery, per doz	30	0	40
Cabbage, per doz	40	0	50
Beets, per bag	35	0	40
Onions, per bag	60	00	75
Carrots	30	390	40
Parsnips	40	0	50
Savory and Sage, per doz.	15	(0)	24
Parsley, per doz	35	0	35
Artichokes, per bag	75	0	75
Vegetable oysters, doz	25	0	25
MEAT, HIDES, E	TC.		
Beef, per lb	5	0	6
Mutton, quarters, per lb	6	98	6 7
Lamb, quarter	8	0	9
Hides, No. 1, per lb	61/2	0	61/2

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THE OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 7 .- Oil opened

OIL CITY, Jan. 7.—Credit balances, 1 25; certificates closed \$1 29 bid. Petrolia Advertiser: Petrolia crude, \$1 50 net; Oil Springs crude, \$1 59 net; fined, in bulk, 11½c to 12½c; refined, in barrels, 14½c to 15½c.

TCRONTO HAY MARKET.

Toronto, Jan. 5.—Baled hay—The receipts are moderate and the market is steady; No. 1 is quoted at \$10 to \$10 50 per ton, and No. 2 at \$9 to \$9 50 per ton, car lots on the track here. Baled straw—Offerings very light and demand good; quotations range from \$5 to \$6 per ton for car lots on track here.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET. Detroit, Jan. 7.—The bean deal is firm at an advance of 2c to 3c in the leading deals. January and February \$2 15 bid.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Speculative rever ran riot in nearly all of the grain and provision markets today, and trading was the heaviest in some time. A strong realizing movement broke wheat badly near the end of the session, May closing at a decline of 1½c to 1½c. Corn held part of an early advance, closing ½c higher. Oats advanced ½c, and provisions closed 2½c higher to 10c lower, the decline being in pork. Local receipts were 14 cars, two of contract grade. Northwestern receipts were 573 cars, against 475 last week and 806 a year ago; total primary receipts were 919,000 bu. Seaboard shipments of wheat and flour aggregated 608,000 bu. World's shipments last week were only 5,882,000 bu. Estimated receipts Tuesday: Wheat, 160 cars; corn, 710 cars; oats, 315 cars; hogs, 29,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows:

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Wheat, No. 2, Jan., 75c; Feb., 75%c to
75%c; May, 78c. Corn—Jan., 36%c to 37c;
Feb., 37%c; May, 38%c to 38%c. Oats—
Jan., 23%c; May, 25%c. Pork—Jan., \$13.70;
May, \$13.70. Lard—Jan., \$7.17%; May,
\$7.32%. Short ribs—Jan., \$6.90; May,

\$7.02½.

Cash quotations: Flour steady. No. 3 spring wheat, 70½c to 73c; No. 2 red, 76c to 75½c. No. 2 corn, 37¼c to 37¾c; No. 2 yellow, 37¼c to 37¾c. No. 2 oats, 24¾c to 25½c; No. 3 white, 26½c to 27¾c. No. 2 rye, 54½c. Good feeding barley, 45c to



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No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 55; No. 1 northwestern,
\$1 57 to \$1 60. Mess pork, \$13 70 to \$13 75.
Lard, \$7 17½ to \$7 20. Short ribs sides,
\$5 80 to \$7 05. Dry salted shoulders, 5%c
to 6%c. Short clear sides, \$7 40 to \$7 50.
Clover, \$10 50. Eggs weak; fresh, 20c.
Receipts—Flour, 48,000 bbis; wheat, 108,000 bu; corn, 404,000 bu; oats, 321,000 bu;
rye, 3,000 bu; barley, \$2,000 bu.
Shipments—Flour, 37,000 bbis; wheat,
58,000 bu; corn, 128,000 bu; oats, 153,000 bu;
rye, 5,000 bu; barley, 5,000 bu.
SUGAR DEARER

SUGAR DEARER. New York, Jan. 7.—All grades of refined sugar advanced 10 points today. London, Jan. 7.—Beet sugar unchanged.

THE DAIRY MARKETS. NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Butter was weak, but not quotably lower; creamery, 17c to 25c; factory, 11c to 14c; June creamery, 17c to 22½c; imitation creamery, 18c to 18½c; state dairy, 16c to 23c. Cheese firm; fancy large fall-made, 11½c to 11½c; do, small, 11½c to 12c.

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—Cheese, 10c to 11c. Butter—Townships, 21c to 22c; western. 18c to 19c. CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Butter was dull; creameries, 15c to 23c; dairies, 18c to 20c. Cheese dull, 10% to 11%c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 19,000, including 700 Texans; good to prime steers, \$5 25 to \$6 10; poor to medium, \$3 75 to \$5 20; stockers and feeders, good to choice stronger, \$2 90 to \$4 40; cows, \$2 65 to \$4 25; heifers, \$2 75 to \$4 75; canners, \$2 to \$2 60; bulls, \$2 85 to \$4 40; calves, \$4 to \$6 25; Texas fed steers, \$4 to \$4 90; Texas grass steers, \$3 30 to \$4 10; Texas bulls, \$2 50 to \$3 50. Hogs—Receipts, 37,000; mixed and butchers, \$5 to \$5 40; good to choice heavy, \$5 15 to \$5 40; rough heavy, \$5 to \$5 10; light, \$5 10 to \$5 32½; bulk of sales, \$5 15 to \$5 30. Sheep—Receipts, 23,000; good to choice wethers, \$3 75 to \$4; choice mixed, \$2 70 to \$2 80; western sheep, \$3 75 to \$4 60; Texas sheep, \$2 50 to \$3 50; native lambs, \$4 to \$4 75; western lambs, \$5 to \$5 65.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Beeves—Receipts, 5,331; steers and bulls steady; cows were lower; steers, \$4 50 to \$5 55; oxen and stags, \$4 50 to \$4 60; stockers, \$3 50; bulls, \$3 to \$4; cows, \$1 80 to \$4; cables quoted live cattle selling at 11c to 12%c; sheep steady; refrigerator beef, \$9\forall c to 10c; shipments tomorrow, 440 cattle, 1,206 sheep and 4,440 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 1,516; veals steady; barnyard calves strong; veals, \$5 to \$8 50; light calves, \$4 50; barnyard calves, \$4 50; barnyard calves, \$4 50; barnyard calves, \$5 50; barnyard calves, \$4 50; barnyard calves, \$6 70; Canada lambs, \$6 50. Hogs—Receipts, 10,344; steady, at \$5 40 to \$5 65.

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—The receipts at the east end abattofr this morning were

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—The receipts at the east end abattoir this morning were 500 head of cattle, 75 calves, 100 sheep and 100 lambs. The demand was dull, prices were unchanged. Cattle, choice, sold at 4c to 4½c per lb; good at 3½c to 4c; lower grades, 2c to 3c; calves, \$2 to \$10 each; sheep brought from 2½c to 3½c to per lb; lambs, 4c to 4½c; hogs, 5c to 6c. \$10 each; sheep brought from 2½c to 3½c per lb; lambs, 4c to 4½c; hogs, 5c to 6c.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 7.—Cattle—Forty loads on sale; active demand for choice grades, which were 10c to 15c higher; common grades barely steady; good demand for export cattle and choice shipping steers; fresh cows and springers of top quality steady, but the lower grades were hard to sell; calves fairly active; choice mainly \$8.25; some sales higher; the close on calves was dull and the basis \$8; good to best smooth fat export cattle of desirable quality, \$5.50 to \$5.75; good to best, \$4.75 to \$5.10; shipping steers, \$5 to \$5.35; export bulls, choice to extra, \$4 to \$4.40; good to choice butchers' steers, \$4.25 to \$3.95; feeder bulls, \$2.25 to \$3.15; canners, good to best, \$1.75 to \$2.15; yearling steers, good to choice, \$2.75 to \$3; fat heifers, choice to extra, \$4 to \$4.50; good to choice, \$2.75 to \$3; fat heifers, choice to extra, \$4 to \$4.50; good to choice, \$2.75 to \$3; fat heifers, choice to extra, \$4 to \$4.50; good to choice do, \$3.85 to \$4.50; common and stock heifers, \$2.75 to \$3; steers, good to best, \$3 to \$3.5; canada stockers, common to good, \$2 to \$3.50; Michigan stockers, common to good, \$2 to \$3.50; Michigan stockers, common to good, \$2 to \$3.75; Jersey stockers, \$2.25 to \$2.80; milkers and calves, choice to extra, \$50 to \$55; good to choice, \$7.50 to \$8; heavy calves, \$4 to \$4.50; springers, choice to extra, \$4.50 to \$4.50; springers, choice to extra, \$5.50 to \$6.25; good to choice, \$7.50 to \$8; heavy calves, choice to extra, \$6.25 to \$6.30; closing firm; choice to extra, \$6.25 to \$6.30; closing firm; choice to extra, \$6.25 to \$6.30; good to choice, \$6.10 to \$6.25; fair to good to good to choice, \$6.10 to \$6.25; f basis was fairly maintained, and rose to \$6 30, closing firm; choice to extra. \$6 25 to \$6 30; good to choice, \$6 10 to \$6 25; fair to good, \$5 50 to \$6; common to fair. \$4 75 to \$5 50; sheep, choice to extra. \$4 50 to \$4 75; good to choice, \$4 25 to \$4 50; fair to good, \$4 to \$4 25; closed firm at the best prices of the day. Hogs-Market opened 10c lower, with 130 loads on sale, and the basis \$5 40 on Yorkers and \$5 45 on pigs; as the day advanced the market went higher, the basis being \$5 50 for pigs and \$5 45 for Yorkers; roughs were quotable at \$4 75 to \$5; stags, \$3 75 to \$4 25.

STRIKE ENDED

Nova Scotia Mine Owners and Their Employes Reach a Settlement.

Haurax, N. S., Jan. 7.-Strikers and employers of the Drummond and Acadia mines arrived at an amicable settlement Saturday afternoon. The demands of the strikers in both cases. it is said, have been granted.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Jan. 5-6.	Repor	rted at.	From.
Kensington	.New	York	Antwerp
Vaderland	Antw	erp	.New York
Kaiserin Maria			
Theresa			
Cymric			
Campania			
Triera			
La Bretagne			
Grecian			
Bevic			
Jan. 7.			
Servia	.New	York	Liverpool

AN AFFLICTED FAMILY

Woodstock, Jan. 7 .- Some time ago Arthur Pelton, a well known Innerkip man, was taken down with typhoid fever. He was very near death's door, but recovered. Then his father. Gibson Pelton, contracted the disease and died. Miss Bertha and Mrs. Pelton were later removed to Woodstock hospital, and Mrs. Anderson, a sister, has now been taken to Stratford hospital, all suffering from the same maiady.

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While Many of the Rescued Ones Will

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 8 .- Not since the great lantern works fire of 1888, in which many persons met their deaths and many more were injured, has such an awful catastrophe afflicted Rochester as the fire at the Rochester orphan asylum, a three-story structure on the corner of Hubbell Park and Exchange street, this morning. Of 165 to 195 inmates, between 20 and 30 lives have been lost, and many more of children and women taken from the building will die from the terrible burns and injuries received.

It was but a few minutes after o'clock this morning when smoke, which was discovered by a nurse, was located in the boiler room, and word was sent to police headquarters. All the fire apparatus was rushed to the burning building, but before the first engine arrived the neighbors for blocks around had arrived and were doing their best to rescue the inmates. Shortly after the fire was located.

A TERRIBLE EXPLOSION took place near the est end of connecting wing, completely blowing out the lower part, thereby cutting off the escape of children in the east end of building

It was later ascertained that the boiler had blown up. In the east wing were the sleeping apartments of the asylum, located mainly on the sec-ond and third floors. The lower was known as the first nursery and the upper as the second. Herein were children or more, in charge of Miss Sarah Ashdown and Miss Brad.

SLEPT ON. The explosion, though of great force, was not loud enough to awaken the sleeping nurses. When the smoke began to pour into the east wing it was but a matter of a few seconds before whole sleeping population was brought into a realization of the sit-uation with a suddenness which alone seemed to rob nearly everyone of their judgment and mental faculties. terrible chorus of cries and groans filled the air. It was impossible to see anything, and as the thick smoke poured in, the scene became one of indescribable confusion. The chief nurse, Miss Ashdown, did all within her power to let the children and nurses know of their peril, but of course her efforts could count for but

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little, with such a small army of hu-

manity.

When the firemen arrived, their attention was turned to the inmates IN THE HOSPITAL WARD.

the wing which is the older section of the institution. On the floor next the top was Miss Brad. With the flames all around it seemed impossible to escape. She did, however, but was so seriously injured by falling that she

It was stated this morning by Miss Dienhart that there were 75 girls in the west wing. Besides these there were two children and two nurses in the hospital department, which was also in that wing. It was estimated at 8 o'clock that all the inmates of the west wing had been gotten out, either dead or alive. Many children were taken away early and the number saved and those dead and injured could with great difficulty be counted. THE WORK OF RESCUE.

The work of rescue and attempted rescue was taken up by many hands, volunteers as well as firemen, and in many cases was carried on in a manner that was nothing less than heroic, but the flames gained such rapid headway and spread with such incredible spread with such incredible speed that it was beyond human effort to prevent the loss of life.

Ambulances from all the hospitals were on the ground almost as soon as the fire companies, and the houses of those residing in the neighborhood were thrown open to receive the liftle ones, who ran or were dragged from the asylum. The ambulances were started to the hospitals with the most seriously burned of the children, and in several cases the little bodies were cold in death when taken from the ve-hicles at the hospital doors. The scenes at and near the asylum were beyond

In the midst of the confusion, and in the dim light, it was impossible to see many of the horrible accidents that were later reported.

A MOST DRAMATIC INCIDENT was the fall of a fireman, Morris Keating, who went up to the roof on a ladder to rescue women and children. Just as he reached the top a stream of water was turned on him to keep away the flames but it had the effect to conter was turned on him to keep away the flames, but it had the effect to confuse the man. He reached for a woman and the latter jumped for his arms. Suddenly the man lost his hold on the ladder. The crowd groaned as the fireman fell with the woman to the ground. The woman was killed, and the fireman was so seriously injured the fireman was so seriously injured that he may die. The roof was cover-ed with children, who had escaped through a scuttle from the upper rooms, and the firemen were kept busy carrying them down. Many escaped

unharmed in this way.

Most of the dead taken from the buildings were carried temporarily to the near by residences. In one house a dozen dead bodies were lying at one time. The living and dead were laid on floors, couches and beds. As soon as the hospital ambulances arrived, however, the living children were speed-ily sent to the hospitals, while the dead were taken in hacks to the morgue. Early this morning the morgue represented that already

TWENTY-FIVE DEAD CHILDREN have been brought there, some of whom still remain to be identified. When it Twenty or Thirty Lives Believed to Have Been Lost,

became apparent the apparatus already on the scene, every available instrument of the fire department was brought out. The fire was fought from the scene was fought from the scene was fought from the scene was fought for the scene was fought from the scene was found to be scene was found to be scene with the scene was found to be scene was became apparent the fire was not be every available point, but in spite of that, the building was almost completely destroyed before the blaze was fin-

Following is a partial list of DEAD AND MISSING:

Mrs. Martha Gillis, a nurse; Charlotte Bryant, Charles Benham, Bushnell Carey, Evelyn Carey, Evangeline Carey, Rhea Connell, Mury Alexander Norton Howard, Helen Hamilton Bertha Hall, Gladys Hill, Mary Kane, Gertrude McCall, Mary McCall, Carl Halstedt, Hazel Murray, Myrtle Patterson, Harry Povelosky, Earl Richards, Allan Richardson, George Stuck, Violet Stuck, Lillian Stone, Minnie Skinner, Herman Saperston, Hildred Slocum, Gertrude Toner, Minnie Tiffany, Mildred Wright, Otto Welchey, Arthur Kelly, Cora Potter, Bertha Potter, Susan Marthage Potter, Ethel Wright and Alfred Demorest.

PARTIAL LIST OF INJURED. Lorena Owen, suffocated, serious; Allen Belmore, badly burned; Miss F. M. Hibbard, face, arms and chest badly burned; Mrs. Cline; foot broken; Miss Kate Catterill, leg broken, badly bruised; Morris Keating, fireman, hand injured; Blanche Addison, badly burned, serious; Paul Dunn, colored, badly burned; Miss Brad, Miss Lawson and Mary Brown.

Caught on the Fly.

Theo. Lanctol, proprietor of the St. James' Hotel, Montreal, died Monday morning, aged 43.
Former United States Senator James Ware Bradburg died at his home in Au-

gusta, Me., Sunday. Rev. I. W. Corey, of Kenosha, Wis., may become the pastor of Bruce Avenue Baptist Church, Windsor.

Asa Beach, inspector of licenses for Dundas county, died at his home, in Iroquois, on Monday, aged 70. The recently organized milk trust in

Toronto is to be followed by a bread trust. A company with a capital of \$850,000 is to be formed. Beaudry, of Montreal, an ex-convict. is under arrest at Kingston for rifling

poor boxes in St. Mary's Cathedral, and for stealing a cap from a worshiper. E. M. Moffatt, manager of the Parisian steam laundry on Adelaide street, Toronto, has not been at his post for a week, and the firm's books are being

Barton, 12-year-old son of Thomas Brown, St. Thomas, had his leg broken in two places above the knee Friday afternoon while coasting down the St. George street hill. The steamer W. R. Morley-Lans-

downe collision case at Marine City, Mich., has beeen settled. Capt. Morley has received a check from the Granu Trunk Railway Company for \$39,057 51. The Countess of Antrim has arrived

in New York from England, on her way to Canada to visit her sister, the Countess of Minto, wife of the governor-general. Lady Antrim is one of the favorite ladies-in-waiting of Queen Victoria. The appeal in Mayor Macdonald's

libel suit (at Toronto) against the Sat-uday Night and Editor Sheppard, resulted in defeat for the mayor. appeal was against the order of Chief Justice Falconbridge, dismissing his action. Sir Henry Edward McCallum will

leave Newfoundland in March to assume the governorship of Natal. Re-port says that he will be succeeded as governor of Newfoundland by Sir John Bramston, who was chairman of the royal commission of inquiry into the French shore question in 1898.

Two money bylaws were submitted to the ratepayers of Parry Sound-one for \$29,500 for the purchase of an elec-tric light plant and extension and imA "Lonely" at \$10.00 is a good suit or overcoat without companions.

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provement of the waterworks system, and the other for \$2,500 for the construction of a steel bridge across the Seguin River. Both carried.

A large deputation waited on Premier Ross representing the United Empire Loyalists. They asked that the Ontario Government grant \$2,000 to put in book form the information secured by the U. E. Loyalists from the United States archives in Washington. Their request will be carefully considered.

Latest Weather Probabilities

SLEET OR RAIN.

Toronto, Jan. 8-10 a.m.-Weather hould for the lower lakes region: Strong southerly winds; mild, with sleet or rain tonight. Wednesday-Weather turning colder, with strong northwesterly winds.

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"She is a young girl whom your mother has engaged for awhile in the sewing-room. But why do you ask? Why are you so surprised?" the earl asked, regarding him keenly.
"I was surprised at her beauty, and for a moment I thought I had seen her somewhere before," he returned, trying to speak indifferently, though a bright color flushed his cheek, for he had not forgotten the summary justice that had

color flushed his cheek, for he had not forgotten the summary justice that had been dealt him that night when he had assailed Tina in the street.

He had not seen her champion distinctly, and when he had recovered from the effects of his fall they had both disappeared, so he never knew who it was that came to her aid.

"Your mother and Gertrude have callers—Lady Holborn and her son. I met them not three minutes ago going toward the palm house," the earl said, as he turned to enter the mansion, anxious to know how Tina was after her fainting turn.

will go and overtake them," Louis l, and immediately bent his steps in Instead of proceeding to the palm ouse, however, he turned down another ath, in a thoughtful and somewhat ex-

"I wonder how she happened to be in England, and here of all places?" he muttered to himself. "She is the most bewitching little piece of humanity that I ever saw in my life, and it will not be my fault if we do not become better acquainted before many days."

Meanwhile Tina had sped away to her room, where she was weening nassion-

room, where where she was weeping passion-

"Why this doubt and mystery?" she cried, in utter abandonment of grief, "Why should such a blight, such a cloud hang over my life, when all about me are so happy and free from care? I am alone and friendless, an alien, and I am only twenty—how can I live out my life so? It is too cruel—I cannot bear it!" She second to be whelly appropriate the She seemed to be wholly unnerved; she had imposed a restraint upon herself for so long that now she had allowed herself to give way, she was entirely broken

She arose from the bed, where she had she arose from the bed, where she had thrown herself, and began walking her room, striving to regain her composure. "What can this mean?" she resumed, unable to forget her grief. "Who was this Count Louis Demaire, and how does it happen that his coat-of-arms and that other are the same? And the earl's son, Louis Arthur Demaire Carisford—if I Louis Arthur Demaire Carisford-if 1 Louis Arthur Demaire Carisford—if I could but have it explained? Oh! mother! mother! if you could have but lived until I was old enough to understand, and could have helped me to unravel this mystery."

She began sobbing again nervously, but she had wept her eyes dry, and no tears came to relieve her aching heart. She was becoming hysterical; she could

She was becoming hysterical; she could not breathe; the atmosphere of the house seemed to oppress her.

She went to the window, threw it up, and leaned far out to inhale the fresh

air; but a spirit of restlessness was on her; she could not stay long there, and, wrapping a heavy shawl around her, for the sun was beginning to fade and the air was damp, she stole down a back way out of the house, and, slipping into a secluded path, where she thought no one would be likely to observe her, she soon began to grow calmer in the solemn stillness and solitude of the place, and who were the cool breeze fanning her fevered brow

with the cool breeze fanning her fevered brow.

She had not been there long, however, when she heard voices, and she remembered the party that she and the earl had met on their return.

They were just coming back from the palm house, and had taken this path instead of the one by which they had gone to it.

Tina stood irresolute for a moment; she would on no account meet them, and if she turned back they would see her before she could reach the house; so she slipped out of the path into the shadow

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of some trees and shrubbery and waited for them to pass.

In a moment more Lady Arlesbury, Lady Holborn, Gertrude and Lord Holborn passed, laughing and chatting in a lively manner, and they had not proceeded far when they encountered Louis, when there followed joyful greetings and exclamations of surprise and pleasure at his unexpected return.

These sounds made Tina feel more lonely and unhappy than before.

Situated as she was, she was debarred from all companionship, save that of the earl and the seamstress; there was no one to be giad at her coming or to grieve at her going—no one to be interested

ther going—no one to be interested n her welfare or to be troubled if mis-fortune overtook her, and the world for the moment seemed a dreary, wretched place to the sorrowing girl.
While the gay party stood talking together Lord Holborn suddenly discovered that he had dropped his handker-chief.

chief.

Excusing himself and saying they need not wait for him, he retraced his steps to look for it.

The rest of the party passed on, and Tina was about to emerge from her hiding-place and try to gain another path before Lord Holborn should return, when she saw him coming back with the missing handkerchief in his hand.

He was walking very leisurely, as if

she saw him coming back with the missing handkerchief in his hand.

He was walking very leisurely, as if he was not at all anxious to overtake his companions, his head bent, and a thoughtful expression upon his fine face. As he came nearly opposite where Tina was standing, waiting, with suspended breath, for him to pass, a dry twig upon which she had stepped suddenly broke beneath her weight.

Lord Holborn heard the noise and stopped to see what had caused it.

His eyes caught sight of the girl's light dress, and thinking it must be Gertrude who had waited for him and in a fit of mischief was hiding till he should get by, he parted the shrubbery and stepped into Tina's presence.

CHAPTER XXIII. Lord Holborn's look of astonishment betrayed that Tina was the last one he had expected to find there, although, if the truth were known, his thoughts had been full of her as he paced so leisurely

along the path.

"Mademoiselle Florienz!" he exclaimed, with a quick lighting up of his

whole face.

Then, remarking her flushed face, the quiver of her lips, and the trouble in her eyes, he said, apologetically:

"I beg your pardon if I have intruded. I thought you were Miss Arlesbury; pray excuse me."

Tina bowed; she could not speak—the sight of his friendly face, his sympathetic tones, nearly made her weep again.

The young man stood irresolute a moment; propriety bade him retire and leave her to the privacy of her own sorrow; but his heart bade him stay and share her burden, whatever it might be. share her burden, whatever it might be. He longed inexpressibly to comfort her; his whole soul was reaching out after her with a mighty yearning.

With an impulse that he could not re-

sist he bent down to her, his aglow with a tenderness of which he was unaware.
"Mademoiselle Florienz told me not

long ago that she numbered me among her friends; she is in trouble now—will she not prove her friend?"

Tina flushed, and the tears started again at this evidence of sympathy and interest.

"My lord," she said, tremulously, "no one can help me. It is a trouble of a life-time; it will only cease when I die."

The words were full of irresistible

He looked at her, a strange fire in his eyes; his chest heaved with the emotion that stirred him, and an expression of resolution gathered about his mouth. "A trouble shared is half overcome,"

"A trouble shared is half overcome," he said, in a low, tender tone; then added, the passion which he could not control leaping to his tongue:
"Tina—forgive me if I seem premature, but I love you, and to see you in trouble and sorrow forces me to leap all barriers. Your face has haunted me ever since I stood in that window at Monsieur La Fort's and saw you sitting in the court. That night afterward, when I came to your resue and saved you steur La Fort's and saw you sitting in the court. That night afterward, when I came to your rescue and saved you from the insults of that craven, it seemed to me as if some power divine had sent me to the woman whom Heaven intended that I should love above all others. Darling, I know this is sudden to you—that perhaps I frighten, shock you; but I know not when I shall see you again—you will not let me roome to you. again—you will not let me come to you that I might teach you to love me by degrees, and—forgive me again if I tell you that of late when we have met there you that of late when we have met there has been something in your glance, your tone, that has bidden me hope—that has whispered that my presence was not unpleasant to you. Dearest, tell me that I may hope—that you can return my love, and let me share, exorcise, perhaps, this trouble that is making, you so wretched."

[To be Continued.]

To Margaret D. Blair.

IIn Memoriam.1 Voices that rise from the shadbwy past, Eyes that on earth we may see no more,

Oh, haunt us ever-while life shall last-'Till we, too, land on the other shore. Oh, friend, who went with the wintry

That tried too hardly thy fragile We keep thee-thy loving looks and ways-

Set in our hearts forever the same.

Fair and pure as a lily in May, Sweet and gentle in look and tone, With a heart that could never turn

From a human sorrow it made its own True and tender the soft blue eyes, Candid and clear as a summer morn;

For in thee we welcomed with glad sur-A fair white rose without e'er a thorn!

And the tender tones and the looks of love. And the smile that lighted the earthly home-

Token of kinship with heaven above, Where parting and death no more may

Still they are ours to keep-for still The past is present with God for aye, And the future that waits on His holy Shall give us back what death took

awav. -Agnes M. Machar, Kingston.

SEDITIOUS PAPERS SUPPRESSED Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 7 .- The steamship Tacoma brings news from Hong Kong that the American consul at Canton has required the viceroy of Kwang Tung to suppress several seditious native newspapers which were being circulated through Canton, advising the natives to rise against for-The present serious situaeigners. tion in Canton is regarded as due largely to the influence of these papers. Everywhere there is the strong undercurrent of hatred to foreigners.

HIS GREATEST SIN.

[Buffalo Express.] At a revival meeting in Kempton, Ind., a penitent said he wished to con-fess the greatest sin he had ever committed in his life, and to ask the prayers of the meeting for his forgiveness. He explained that he had voted for Bryan last fall. There is a wide field open for the revivalist who brought about that conversion.

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NINETEEN CHILDREN PERISHED

By the Burning of an Orphan THE WORLD Asylum.

A Family of Five Persons Lose Their Lives in a Fire at Lewiston, N. Y.

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 8-2 a.m.-Fire broke out in the hospital section of the Rochester Orphan Asylum at 1 o'clock this morning, on Hubbell Park, and the flames spread rapidly to other sections of the institution. At this writing it is known that nineteen of the children perished, and it is feared that many more victims may later be re-

The fire was first discovered by some men passing the asylum. They hastily sent in an alarm, and then turned their attention toward assisting the nurses and the children. terrific explosion was then heard, and in a moment the entire hospital section was in flames.

On the arrival of the fire apparatus a general alarm was sent in, calling out the entire department. The smok began to pour out of every window in the main building, and the screams and frantic cries of the children could be heard. The work of rescue began with a will. Children and nurses were ! carried from the building, all in an the Iserotosi Coub tonight. unconscious condition, some dead. Ambulances from the different hospitals were summoned and the victims were removed to the several institutions.

There were 109 children at the hospi tal, and a corps of about 30 nurses and attendants. Two of the women attendants are among the dead. The origin of the fire is not known at this time. The property loss will probably exceed

FIVE MORE VICTIMS. Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 7.—A special to the Times from Lewiston, N. Y., says: A terrible accident, resulting in the death of an entire family named Taylor, occurred at an early hour morning at Model River, a settlement three miles east of this village. The family consisted of Edward H. Taylor, his wife and three small children. The eldest was a girl five years old, the second was a girl about three, and the youngest was a boy baby. Flames were discovered issuing from the house by Clifford Nichols, a neighbor, He gave the alarm and neighbors rushed to the scene. Ladders were procured, and an entrance was effected to the upper story. Hearing and seeing nothing of the family it was sup-posed they had escaped. The flames were so fierce that the would-be-rescuers were forced to make hurried Investigation later showed that the entire family had perished in the house. It is supposed they were overcome by smoke and suffocated in bed. Search is being prosecuted for the bodies of the victims. The remains of the oldest girl were found just before this dispatch was sent.

The fire originated, it is thought, from dumping hot ashes in a barrel, in the rear of the house. The dead man was employed by the Erie Preserving Company.

OTHER FIRES.

Boston, Jan. 7 .- For the fourth time within a year, the Boston and Maine hay shed district in Charleston has been visited by fire, and this after-noon two of that corporation's long hay and merchandise sheds on Rutherford avenue were almost completely destroyed, another shed more or les damaged, and more than forty freight cars, nearly all filled with hay, ruin-The total loss will aggregate at least \$113,000, the losses being covered by blanket policies. Picton, Ont., Jan. 7.-The interior of

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FIRE-BUG SHOT. Gloversville, N. Y., Jan. 7.-Edward Eddy was shot and instantly killed at Trevett, a small settlement in Saratoga county, near the Fulton county line, early Sunday morning, while trying to burn the home of Hiram Van Buren.

OF SPORTS

Stratford.

London Hockey Team Defeated at

Juniors Lost to Woodstock-Windsor Curlers Defeat Toledo-Racing Results.

CURLING. TOLEDO DEFEATED BY WIND-

SOR. Windsor, Jan. 7.-The new rink of the Burns curling club, of Toledo, was opened on Saturday, when three rinks of the Windsor Curling Club made a trip to the town and took the former organization into camp, winning by 7 The Windsorites were lavishly entertained.

FISTIC. CALLAHAN WON.

Boston, Jan. 7.-Tim Callahan, of Philadesphia, knocked out Oscar Gard-

HOCKEY.

LONDON LOST TO STRATFORD. Stratford, Jan. 7 .- For the first time in three seasons London's hockey team met defeat, when Stratford won out tonight by a score of 4 to 1. Although London was defeated, they had the better of the play all through the reversed. Both teams played fast hockey, but the red, white and black forwards were faster and individually better players than their opponents. The game was a series of scrimmages around the Stratford nets, when the red-shirted players would break away and dash down the ice, generally for a goal. It was Johns' off night, three of the shots were easy ones to stop and should have been captured. London seemed weak in center as the puck was sent in from the side time and again, and a vigorous effort should have scored. Easson, at point, hugged the nets all the time, dropping on his knees and at one time laying full length across the front of the goal. Stratford's defense work was well nigh

perfect The game was started shortly after \$, and Hugh Jack, of Toronto, made an able and impartial referee. judgment on offsides was perfect, but he let a little rough play get by him. Stratford was much heavier than their opponents, and used their weight every time they had an opportunity. At half time the score was 2 to 0 in favor of Stratford, and in the second half they added another brace, while Lontallied only one. The line-up was: Stratford-Goal, Baker; point, Easson; Gordon; forwards, Rankin, Lightfoot, Perry and Farquharson.
London-Goal, Johns; point, Peel;
cover, Little; forwards, Hern, Hobbs, Westcott.

COBOURG LOST. Belleville, Ont., Jan. 7 .- The hockey natch in the junior series of the O. H. A. between Cobourg and the Victorias, of Belleville, was won by the home team by 9 goals to 7. The match was very fast and exciting throughout. GALT 3, AYR 2.

Galt, Ont., Jan. 7 .- One of the scheduled hockey games in the W. O. H. A. series was played here Saturday night between Ayr and Galt, resulting in favor of Galt by a score of 3 to 2. LONDON JUNIORS DEFEATED.

The Woodstock Juniors defeated the London Juniors at the Jubilee Rink last night in a very one-sided game. The home team was out-played by the visitors at every point. was 7 to 1, with London holding the small end. Only a small crowd was in attendance. The Woodstock team was accompanied by a contingent of rooters and a few ladies.

TURF. New Orleans, La., Jan. 7 .- The weather was fine; track heavy and lumpy. Faise Lead, Morini and Horse

Shoe Tobacco were the winning favorites. Summery: First race, 1 mile, selling-Henry of Franstamar won, Dramburg 2, Od Fox Time, 1:50½. Second race, 6 furlongs, selling—Di-

onne won, Gracious 2, Woodstick 3. Time, 1:191/2. Third race, mile and a quarter, sellng-False Lead won, Rushfield 2, In-

dian 3. Time, 2:20½. Fourth race, 7 furlongs, handicap— Moroni won, Donna Zay 2, Glen Lake Time, 1:34½.
Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Horse

Shoe Tobacco won, Alpaca 2, Bean 3. Sixth race, 6 furlongs, selling-Sagaraned wen, Salina 2. Island Prince 3. Time, 1:19.

Annual Entertainment.

The annual Christmas entertainment of the Egerton Street Baptist Mission was held on Friday, Jan. 4. After a few well-chosen remarks by Pastor T. S. Johnson, of the Adelaide Street Baptist Church, a good programme was successfully carried out, showing how efficiently the children had been trained by Miss Annie Main and other workers in the school, A humorous part of the programme was a drill by twelve young ladies, entitled "Marching Backwards," trained by Mr. Geo. Duncan. Everyone did their part well, from the little tots of 4 years to the older scholars. After the programme was over every scholar was given a bag of candy and an orange. This school is in a very flourishing condition, having 140 scholars on the roll and the building free from debt. In connection with it there is a Sunday evening service, which is conducted by lay brethren from all denominations, and which are greatly appreciated, judging by the numbers who attend.

Following was the programme: Opening address, Bertha Henshaw; chorus, "Bethleham of Judah"; recitation, Lily Lake; recitation, Maggie Roberts; recitation, Willie Lake; solo, Alice Roberts; Christmas exercises by nine children; recitation, Gracie Ancus; recitation, Irene Hall; dialogue, by four boys, "The Smoke Fiend"; re-citation, Ethel Henshawe; recitation, Edith Roberts; duet, Edith and Mable Henshaw; recitation, Little Earl; di-alogue, three girls, "Who Are the alogue, three girls, "Who Are the Saints"; recitation, Janet Sanders; recitation, Annie Angus; solo, Maud Totten; recitation, Ethel Earl; the auction collection prizes; recitation, Violet Brooks; dialogue, "Honest and Honorable"; drill, "Marching Backwards"; recitation, Rosie Angus; the Star Exercise, by six girls; recitation, Sarah Henshaw; dialogue, four boys; solo, Miss Etta Rose; recitation, Violet Griffiths; dialogue, "Better Than a Doctor"; recitation, Tommy Burns; chorus, "Star of the East"; recitation, Lily Gilmore; dialogue; closing address, Ethel Henshaw.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Jan. 7, 8 p.m.-A storm is developing over the Western States, and it is probable that it will move directly over the lake region, accompanied by snow and rain. The weather continues very cold in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories, but is quite moderate from Ontario eastward. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 32-40; Calgary, 20 below-6 below; Winnipeg, 22 below-2 below; Port Arthur, 6 below-10; Parry Sound, 24—28; Toronto, 30—36; Ottawa, 20—28; Montreal, 20—26; Quebec, 14—22; Halifax, 22—32.

Local temperatures: Monday, Jan. highest, 33.5; lowest, 27. Today (Tuesday), the sun rose at 7:50 a.m., and sets at 4:58 p.m. The moon rises at 9:17 p.m., and sets at

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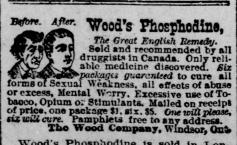
-Mrs. A. B. Burgess, of Port Huron, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Maker. -Mrs. M. Manning is visiting her son, Principal Manning, of the Essex

public school. -Miss Burnett, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Burnett, of Colborne street north, has returned to her duties in the city hospital at Ayr,

SPRING ASSIZES.

The spring assizes at which the Sifton murder case will come up for trial, open on April 9 before the Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, Sir W. R. Meredith. The non-jury sittings of the same assizes have been set for hearing by Mr. Justice Ferguson, on June 3.

Last year 1,000,000 barrels of American flour were shipped to Hong Kong. He that takes time to resolve gives leisure to deny, and warning to prepare.-Quarles.



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AFTERNOON CABLEGRAMS

Probable Reconstruction of the London and Globe Finance Co.

Talk of Trading German East Africa for Cyprus—Uncle Sam's Trouble

With Venezuela. With Venezuela.

BRITISH TRADE BOOMING. London, Jan. 7 .- The statement of the board of trade for the month of December shows increases of £5,707,-800 in imports and £1,573,500 in ex-

ports.

MAY BE RECONSTRUCTED. The reconstruction of the London and Globe Finance Corporation, says a New York Tribune cablegram from London, now seems probable as a result of the recent flurry in the mining market, and the failure of sixteen or twenty operators. A scheme of re-organization has been accepted in principle by 39 creditors of the corporation, and Lord Dufferin, when a meeting of shareholders shall be held this week probably will be enabled to present a more favorable statement of liabilities and resources than has been

expected. TRIAL OF SUBMARINE BOATS. Cherbourg, Jan. 7.-Important trials of submarine boats took place here today. The minister of marine, M. De Lanessan, and the minister of war, Gen. Andre, came the Cherbourg, specially to watch the experiments. After an examination of submarine boat Morse, M. De Lanessan boarded the Narval and proceeded to the roadstead, where a number of surface and submarine maneuvers were carried out, Gen. Andre witnessing them from

the Impregnable. UNCLE SAM VS. VENEZUELA. United States minister at Caracas. Venezuela, Mr. F. B. Harris, according to the latest advices received here, has not yet succeeded in obtaining justice for the New York and Bermudese Asphalt Company, in its dispute with the local authorities, and the situation is regarded as critical. Three American war-ships are either at La Guayra, or on their way here (the Buffalo, the Hartford and the Scorpion), and the Americans are complaining at alleged delay in obtaining protection for their interests. The local authorities, it was added, encouraged the natives to invade the company's plant.

PROPOSED INTERNATIONAL DICKER.

St. Petersburg, Jan.7.-Discussing the alleged project of an exchange of German East Africa for Cyprus, the No-Vremya says: treaties, the other powers must be consulted about Cyprus. Russia will never consent to Germany securing such a footbold in the near east.' Count Lamsdorf has been definitely

appointed Russian minister of foreign

WHY ST. PAUL'S?

Rev. Dr. Johnston Remarks Upon the Choice of a Church for Thanksgiving Service.

It was with apparent interest that the congregation of St. Andrew's Church heard the pastor, Rev. Dr. Johnston, say last night in the course of a strongly effective sermon that he could understand why the soldiers marched to St. Paul's, in old London, for a service of thanksgiving; but he could not see why they should go to St. Paul's in this There was no state church in this country, he said, and the proper place to hold such a service was in the place to noid such a service was in the largest church in the city, where the most people could attend, and that was the First Methodist Church, where all the Christian ministers could take part in the welcome and thanksgiving. I invite the Bishop of Huron, I invite the Dean of Huron to this pulpit," he said. "On all public occasions"; and he added: "Perhaps I should not have referred to this, but it has been on my heart for some time."

some time."

It might be said that when the matter was being considered in committee, a remark similar to Dr. Johnston's, about their being no state church in Canada was made. The reason for the service being held in St. Paul's was that the suggestion to hold it was first made by Rev. Canon Dann, who is the senior military chaplain of this district. He offered the use of St. Paul's, and the committee accepted it.

Amusements.

Prof. Pauline, the hypnotist and mind reader, will appear at the London Opera House this evening, and continue all week. One great test Prof. Pauline will perform is known as the ring test. Another feat which is simply wonderful is the great pin test. The startling feature of the test will be the great participated for the test. will be the great cataleptic test. Don't fail to see this wonderful perform-ance. Election returns will be read from the stage. Pauline will this afternoon, at 4 o'clock, select a commit-tee of leading citizens, who will decide upon a route to be driven over, and also hide some article. Pauline will drive blindfolded over the selected route, with committee, find parcel, and return it to the owner.

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UNSOLVED PROBLEMS OF SCIENCE.

By Dr. Wilhelm Mueller, German Traveler and Scientist.

The remarkable progress of all branches of human science, the won-derful discoveries and inventions made during the nineteenth century created the impression in the minds of many people that the coming cen-tury will bring us much nearer to the solution of the great secrets of creation if not the solution itself. So many things it is argued by those sanguini-cal people, which a century ago would have been considered utterly impos-sible have become realized during the century that it is but fair to assume that we shall continue to unravel one mystery of nature after the other until we shall have discovered the ultimate reason of everything, that until we have gained full knowledge of the essence and nature of all things in nature.

Their process of reasoning seems logical at the first glance, but it leaves out of consideration the highly important factor of our natural limitations which eventually must put & stop to all further progress beyond edge consists of the results, direct or indirect, of empirical observations. By a process of reasoning natural philosophy has deducted from the result of those observation certain laws which were finally accepted as so-called "eternal truths." Kant has subjected pure reason to a thorough exhaustive criticism, and the conclusions of his masterly work may be summed up in the sentence, there are no eternal truths.

All our empirical knowledge, upon

which we have built the structure of "eternal truth," has been arrived at through the medium of our perception. But our perceptive power is subject to constant changes and is gradually developing. The natural consequence is that truths which we evolved from the total of our empirical observations ten, twenty or a hundred years ago do no longer appear to us as truths from the standpoint of our su-perior knowledge, acquired by more perfect means of observation and perception. These constant changes necessitate a constant reconstruction of the structure of sciences. All the elements of our knowledge are so closely connected with one another that the slightest shifting of one link is felt in and materially affects the entire chain, The great stumbling block in the path of science searching for truth consists of the fact that there is no absolute standard of truth, that no one really knows what is the truth. In fact, everything is truth-but not to everyone. There is no absolute, only relative, truth. In that fact lies to everyone. our limitation. It stands in our way to the solution of the highest and most profound problems as to the source of all things that are, as to the nature of mind and matter and as to the mutual relation existing be-tween them. The battle royal between monism and dualism is still undecided, and neither victory nor a com promise is possible, because both theories can never be more than relative truths, and there is no way of bridg-ing over the irreconcilable contrasts. Matter may move matter, mind act upon mind. But how can matter act for \$3 50. upon the mind, something that occupies space upon something that does

not occupy space? No theory, however ingenious it may be, can explain to us the mutual relations between mind and matter. We do not even know whether matter really exists, or whether it is not merely a creation of our active mind. perceive that matter constantly undergoes changes, but we do not know whether those changes actually take place, or whether they are merely the reflection of changes in our perception. To attempt to dispose of matter, by putting force or energy in its place is merely an acknowledgement of the impossibility of solving the mystery of matter. It means a change of the problem, but not its solution. The theory of casualty may explain the transformation of one motion into another, but it does not lead us to the reason of the motion itself. Even in attempting to solve apparently more tangible problems we soon reach barrier of our limitations. Chemistry teaches us that matter consists of varlous chemical and mechanical combinations of certain primary stances called elements. The study of chemical combinations led to the tablishment of the atomistic theory. The latter is undoubtedly ingenuous and apparently perfectly logical, but, if we follow it out in its consequences, we soon find ourselves in a dilemma. If the atom is indivisible it cannot occupy any space, for, everything that fills space, no matter how small, can be thought divisible, and must be divisible ad infinitum. But, on the other hand, if the atom is really indivisthle and does, therefore, occupy no space, it can never be a part, however small, of matter. 0x0x0x0x * * * toinfinity will always be equal to 0. The total is equal to the sum of its components. Inasmuch as the total, in this case matter, occupies space, that quality must essentially pertain to every part, however small, of the whole. logical deduction would be that matter is composed of parts which are not matter, a theory which is obvious-

Thus we continue to grope through the labyrinth of mysteries surrounding us, always hopeful, nothwithstanding the fact that at every turn the gigantic interrogation point of the "unknowable" stares in our face.

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The Large Hold That the British Have Gained at Important Points in the

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The English are doing most of the foreign banking for China. They get a percentage on the greater part of the quarter of a billion dollars used in its foreign trade. They have made the Chinese government loans up to the last four or five years; the first two loans at the close of the Chinese-Japanese war, each amounting to \$80,-000,000, having been placed with the English and Germans. There is one English bank in China which has deposits of \$80,000,000. It pays 6 per cent on deposits, and, notwithstanding this, declares big dividends. In a recent transaction it made a clear profit of

\$2,000,000, and its stock is now 200 per cent above par. "There are, in round numbers, about 13,421 foreigners in China. I do not include the soldiers called in by the present war. Of these foreigners more than 5,000 are English, 2,000 Americans, 1,000 Germans, 900 French, 160 Danes, 400 Spanish, 150 Italians, 1,000 Portuguese and 1,700 Japanese. More than two-thirds of the Americans are

missionaries.
"A look at what the English are doing at the different ports will show whether they are profitable or un-profitable servants. They surely have not wrapped their talent in a napki

and buried it in the sand. They have made the open ports modern European cities. They are everywhere the leaders in society, education and busi-

Grand Trunk Engines.

Advices have been received at the head offices of the Grand Trunk Rail-way Company, that the twelve simmogul freight locomotives now building at the Brooks and Dixon companies' shops in the United States, will be ready for delivery in about three weeks. The engines are of the "900 class," similar to the moguls built at the company's Point St. Charles shops. They were designed by Mr. Frank W. Morse, superintendent of motive power, the dimensions being

Cylinders, 20 by 26 inches; total weight of locomotive, loaded, 161,976 pounds; total weight of tender, loaded, 120,000 pounds; with driving wheels 62 inches in diameter outside of tire; water capacity of tank, 4,500 United States gallons; coal capacity of tender, 20,000 pounds; working steam pressure, 200 pounds. The boilers each contain 283 tubes, two inches in dia-meter and eleven feet eleven inches in length The engines are equipped with Westinghouse-American brakes and

train signals. The twelve engines mentioned in the foregoing, together with the twenty-four of the same series now being completed at Point St. Chardles, will be put into service on the western and middle divisions of the system, where, by the improvements made on the roadbed, it is possible to increase the trainloads from 25 to 33 per cent

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