

TEN PAGES—FRIDAY, MORNING JANUARY 1 1897—TEN PAGES New Year bring Good Luck to Our Readers

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Canada is Uncle Sam's Troublesome Competitor.

GOODYEAR'S STATEMENT before the Tariff Commissioners at Washington Yesterday.

Two Fine and Other Woods Want Equal Protection with Spruce—Canadian Competition Affects the Lumbermen of the United States.

THE MAYORALTY ELECTION.

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Meeting of the Toronto Humane Society.

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HAMILTON MAYORALTY FIGHT.

Hamilton, Dec. 31.—(Special.)—Though it was understood that the Michigan Central Railway Company would take control of the T.H. & W. Railway to-morrow, there is good reason to doubt the authenticity of the assertions that made the better part of the day.

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MR. BLAIR AT CHICAGO.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—A party of distinguished Canadian railway officials arrived in Chicago in their private car yesterday.

ECHOES OF THE BANQUET.

Mr. Laurier Acknowledged to Have Shown Great Ability as a Tactician in His Speech.

WARWICK A TOTAL WRECK.

St. John's N. B., Dec. 31.—The following despatch, dated Seal Cove, Grand Manan, Dec. 3, is all the information of the wreck of the Donaldson...

KAMLOOPS GOLD BOOM.

Two Hundred and Fifty Claims on Sugar Leaf Mountain—Money Change Hands.

AN ITALIAN WITH A RAZOR.

He Attacked James McGuire, Who Assailed a Lady Whose Cape Had Been Snatched.

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COUNTY AND SUBURBAN NEWS

The Residents of North Toronto Jubilant Over the Removal of the Tollgates... Toronto Junction, Dec. 31.—(Special.)—A wrecked wagon, broken harness and a few cuts about the horse's legs were the result of a runaway of R. J. Duffy's horse yesterday afternoon.

ton School house. The financial report showed \$103.28 in hand without recording this year's levy. The report was read by the school trustee, Alexander Macpherson, for 27 consecutive years.

In North Toronto the candidates for Reeve are George Lawson and H. Waddlington. The children's Christmas entertainment in connection with St. Stephen's, Maple, on Wednesday evening, was most successful.

Sherwood Lodge, S.O.E. No. 70. Sherwood Lodge, S.O.E. No. 70, held its annual dinner, 70 strong, at the Davison Hotel last evening.



A SCENE IN TORONTO.



TORONTO'S BUSIEST CORNER.

LORD BERESFORD INJURED. His Horse Fell When He Was Hunting AND HE IS SERIOUSLY HURT.

The horse rolled upon him and he was unconscious for hours. Further details of the accident to Lord William Beresford show that he was not thrown from his horse, as was at first reported, but that his horse fell while taking a fence at Dorking, Surrey, and rolled upon him, cutting a deep gash in his forehead, and it is said, breaking several of his ribs.

Thousands of citizens on Christmas Shopping Expeditions. At all times the junction of King and Yonge-streets presents a busy scene. It is to Toronto what the "Bank," Regent-street and other centres of "bus traffic" are to London.

THE YOUNG-STREET TOLLGATES.

North Toronto shouted until it was hoarse last night at midnight, when the Yonge-street tollgates lay jammed up on their ready for casting away. They were probably some 250 present, and the crowd included Reeve and the Township Council.

THE LABOR ORGANIZATIONS WILL TAKE A HAND IN THE COMING MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS—They Have Queried the Candidates and Got Answers.

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FOR SALE

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS

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PAST POWERS SOMERSAULT

New President Says Toronto May Worry Along With Canadian Baseball.

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 31.—President P. T. Powers of the Eastern League will leave Toronto for New York today. He says that the events of the last 24 hours have shown that it is no longer a sure thing that the city of Toronto will be accepted as a member of the league.

SUNDAY BALL IN THE NATIONAL

The National Baseball League will hold an annual meeting on Sunday, the 1st inst., at 10 o'clock, at the Hotel Hamilton, New York.

BASEBALL BRIEVES

The Phillies may take their preliminary practice in the city of Philadelphia.

WALLER STILL LEADS

Washington, Dec. 31.—At the close of the fourth day of the race, Waller 683, a cycle race, was leading.

WHEELS AND WHEELS

A Syracuse man has calculated that there are 12,000,000 wheels in actual use in the world, not including those in storage.

ELLIOTT DEFEATS FULFORD

New York, Dec. 31.—A. R. Elliott, the crack professional pigeon shot, has defeated F. J. Fulford in a contest.

BIKE CYCLING BRIEFS

The Cleveland Bicycle Club is to have a cycle race built into the famous cycle race.

TRACY AND INDIGATION

Tracy and Indigation, C. W. Flower & Co., are selling more of their famous Pills.

While climbing his ass

While climbing his ass on the foot of Bathurst-street yesterday afternoon, Captain Andrew Baird of the 2nd Cavalry and severely sprained his right shoulder.

CANADIANS WIN AT CHICAGO

Capron Beat Maggiori and Took First Money.

PLAYED A BRILLIANT GAME

Sutton Captured Third Place by Defeating Matthews.

Close of the Hamilton-Billiard Tournament—The Frenchman was Favorite for First Place at Odds of Four and Five to One.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—The Hamilton-Billiard tournament came to an end today with the final match between Capron and Sutton.

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MUDLARKS PREVAILED

Four of them are Winning Favorites at New Orleans—Jockey Senger on a Winner and a Placed Horse.

New Orleans, Dec. 31.—Rain and mud marked the last day of the year at the Grand National horse race.

WANTS TO BOX IN TORONTO

Barlow, N.Y., Dec. 31.—Matty Matras wants to box in Toronto.

AUSTRALIA TO RACE UNCLE SAM

Australia is to race Uncle Sam in the proposed international race between champion harness horses.

ORILLIA HOOKY CLUB

Orillia, Dec. 31.—The Orillia Hooky Club has elected its officers.

HAPPENINGS OF A DAY

Items of Passing Interest Gathered in and around this City.

CURLERS ARE COMING

And their Toronto Brothers Will Give them a Warm Reception.

LEADING AUSTRALIAN SIRE

The sire of the champion of winning sires for the past season in Australia.

WINDSOR'S NEW CURLING CLUB

Windsor, Dec. 31.—A number of citizens will be invited to the new curling club.

PERSONAL

Hon. Clifford Sifton visited the city for a few hours yesterday.

LIQUOR MAN IN TROUBLE

A summons has been issued against David V. Hanger, liquor dealer.

THREE FAVORITES AT FRISCO

San Francisco, Dec. 31.—First race 7 furlongs—Gallop, 13 to 5.

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IN THE ROPED ARENA

Many Matches on Tapis All Over the Country—Fugillat's Goals.

A match between Charlie Strong of Newark and Muldoon's cyclone will be arranged by a New York club soon.

THE GRAND TRUNK CLAIMS

The Grand Trunk claims that the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound People have altered their time-table in such a way as to prevent a proper interchange of traffic.

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THE SLATER SHOP

How much of your Shoe is leather, workmanship—and how much of it is profit? The Shoe you should buy and the Shoe most dealers sell, differ as these proportions differ.

ONE HUNDRED PAIRS OF TROUSERS

A WEEK IS THE OLD YEAR RECKONING.

Canada's Largest Tailoring Store.

For the New Year we have every confidence of increasing our Trousers sales to one hundred and fifty pair weekly.

TO ORDER

Note Our Prices for the New Year: \$1.98, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50, \$6.

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A Happy New Year To All.

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THAT GREAT MARKING DEAL

Further Particulars of the War Eagle Sale.

WHAT IT ALL MEANS NOW.

It is Simply an Immense Consolidation of Valuable Properties.

Mr. George Gooderham will hold over 1,500,000 shares and the balance will be held in Toronto and Montreal.

The World has obtained further particulars of the War Eagle-Crown Point deal chronicled exclusively in these columns yesterday morning.

The deal now consummated means the consolidation of the War Eagle, Crown Point, Robert Lee, Tiger and Uncle Sam properties.

Mr. George Gooderham will be president and other Mr. T. G. Blackstock or Hon. George A. Cox vice-president of the consolidated company.

It is understood that Mr. George Gooderham takes over 1,500,000 shares in himself and that the rest will be taken up in Toronto and Montreal.

SMELTER FOR ROSSLAND.

American Capital to Erect a Plant Right in the Kootenay.

According to the latest advice from the Kootenay, Rossland is to have a smelter. American capital is behind the enterprise, and it is expected that arrangements for the erection of the plant are shortly to be completed.

Our before-stock-taking sale of clothing is a great success. The Overcoats we are selling in sizes 22 to 35 for \$3.47 are cheap at the regular prices, \$4. to \$6.

The lowest regular price coat on the table is \$5 and the highest \$10. You take your choice for \$3.95.

OAK HALL, CLOTHIERS, 115 to 121 King-St. East. TORONTO.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS. Will kindly recommend that Subscribers to obtain the Mutual Benefit Co.

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN. will be gratefully accepted at the offices of the Society by W. G. H. LOWE, Secretary.

A Happy and Prosperous NEW YEAR And Many of Them!

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SNOWDROP 4c, IBEX 5c, RED EAGLE 7 1/2, SILVER BELL 10c. These are positively the best low-priced stocks on the market.

Happy New Year. To all members of the Colorado Gold Mining and Development and the Kootenay Exploration Companies.

Alfred Allayne Jones, Financial Agent and Mining Share Broker, Vancouver, B.C.

B. C. GOLD MINING STOCKS. WEATHER BELL, GOLDY, ELISE, ZILOR.

I. E. SUCKLING, Broker, N.E. Cor. King and Yonge Sts., Toronto.

GROUND FLOOR PRICE. GRAND PRIZE - Has both the Deer Park veins and a cross vein as well.

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OFFICERS

President - R. J. FLEMING, Esq., Mayor of Toronto. Vice-President - G. A. FARINI, Esq., F.R.H.S., Director British Canadian Gold Fields.

OBJECT

The Company is formed for the purpose of buying, selling, operating, leasing, prospecting and developing mining properties.

BROKERAGE DEPARTMENT

This is one of the prominent features of our business, which is at present upon a paying basis. It is thoroughly organized, as we have an agency business extending throughout the Dominion and elsewhere.

DIVIDENDS FROM THE START

The Company have acquired the largest mining brokerage business in Toronto. This arrangement places the Company in a position to pay all expenses from the start, even if the business does not increase immediately in volume, which it is confidently expected it will do.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

ROSSLAND GOLD MINING DEVELOPMENT & INVESTMENT CO., Toronto, Ont. Gentlemen - I have examined the records of the brokerage business of the Rossland Gold Mining Development & Investment Co., 114 Yonge-street, Toronto, for the month of November, 1896, and find that the commissions earned as shown thereby were \$72,451.

GOLD MINING TO-DAY PAYS

This is especially so in British Columbia, where we largely intend to operate. No country in the world has such a large percentage of paying mines for the number opened.

OPTIONS

This Company is fortunate in having connected with it men who have been through the Gold Fields of British Columbia and elsewhere, who have options in these and other districts.

You are not asked to buy shares in a Company having one, two or three claims, which cost a few thousand dollars and are capitalized for a million each, three-fourths of which are kept by the vendors, who sell sufficient of their stock to recoup themselves.

Mr. W. Hamilton Merritt, Esq., F.G.S., Mining Engineer, has to say: "The best way that Canadians can do to open up their undoubted mineral wealth is to form legitimate development companies to help the prospector to open up his single prospect by spending a limited amount on each of such claims."

LOW-GRADE ORES

Of Which There Are Millions of Tons in Rossland. A plant by this process is working in Colorado in charge of Mr. Mead, and \$5.00 ore is being reduced at a cost of \$1.00 per ton.

UNIVERSAL SUCCESS OF DEVELOPMENT COMPANIES. On Nov. 1st, 1896, the West Australian Mines Development Syndicate, on a capital of \$75,000, after writing off all preliminary expenses and making ample provision for depreciation, yielded, after fifteen months' operations, over \$500,000.

THE VENTURE SYNDICATE, another Australian company, with a paid-up capital of \$120,000, earned \$520,000, or nearly four and one-half times its paid-up capital.

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FIRST ALLOTMENT

We invite subscriptions for the first issue of 200,000 of the fully-paid, non-assessable shares at 10 cents per share. Allotment will be made in the order in which applications are received.

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The Canadian Gold Fields Syndicate.

An Exploration and Mining Syndicate, operating under bond the high-grade Sunset Group of Gold-Copper properties at Rossland. Owns the Jennie, a rich silver property in Slocom. Capitalization, ten million shares, par value ten cents each. Sold only at par, absolutely non-assessable. No personal liability. Entire capital stock placed in Treasury.

HOWARD C. WALTERS, President and Managing Director. JAMES CLARK, Superintendent War Eagle Mine, First Vice-President and Advisor. Director, J. C. DREWRY, Secretary-Treasurer.

It is only intended to sell two million shares of the stock at present, that being sufficient to pay for the properties now under bond, equip them with machinery and provide ample working capital.

The Sunset - now being actively developed by the Canadian Gold Fields Syndicate Limited - a shaft is down 45 feet in pay ore. Five assays made from fair samples clear across the shaft give the following results in gold: No. 1, \$44; No. 2, \$42; No. 3, \$50.40; No. 4, \$48; No. 5, \$56.

Plans for complete steam hoist, air compressor and four-drill plant are under way, and, as soon as equipped, extraction and shipment of pay ore in quantity will begin.

Subscriptions are now invited for the fully paid non-assessable shares of the Canadian Gold Fields Syndicate, Limited, at ten cents per share. Prospectus on application. Send orders and remittances through any bank, broker or direct to The Canadian Gold Fields Syndicate, Ltd., Rossland, B.C.

Agents and correspondents wanted everywhere.

Mining Stocks. We would recommend the following British Columbia and Ontario mining stocks to investors: Evening Star 25 cents, Kootenay 20 cents, London 25 cents, Mayflower 15 cents, Lily May active and advancing, 20c; St. Paul, a fine active, first issue of stock, 15c; Iron Colliery first issue of stock, 20c; only 50,000 shares on the market; St. Bruno, a good property, 15 cents; in blocks of 100 shares, Algoma Coal Mining Co. first issue of stock, 30 cents; Silver Star Mining, 10 cents. If you want to buy Canadian Mining Stocks it will pay you to plan Mining Stocks to your satisfaction. Write to us for prospectuses and particulars. Agents made by competent assayer.

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New Year Set Shoe Business Saturday's Specials.

Men fail of success because they
propose to start the New Year in such a
had tempting values offered during the
Saturday.
There is supposed to be a degree of dullness
in prices the magnet that will keep up in-
these New Year Bargains of Saturday:

- Men's Rubber Sole Lace Boots, in tan or black, leather lined, vulcanized sole, sizes 6, 7, 8, reg. \$4, Saturday..... 2.00
- Men's Shell Cordovan Lace Boots, Goodyear sewn, round toe, sizes 6 & 7, reg. \$3, Sat. 1.00
- Men's Boston Calf Lace Boots, half-dollar toe, sewn or nail bottom, all sizes, reg. \$1.50, Sat. 1.10
- Boys' Dongola Elastic Side Boots, sizes 3 and 4, reg. \$2, Saturday..... 1.00
- Boys' Hockey Boots, grain leather, in tan or black, big variety at low prices.
- Boys' Solid Leather Lace Boots, whole foxed, neat toe, hand riveted, warranted, sizes 1 to 5, reg. \$1.50, Saturday..... 1.00
- Youths' Seal Lace Boots, whole foxed, opera toe, sewn sole, standard make, sizes 11 and 12, reg. \$1.50, Saturday 1.00

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TANT NOTICE.

Main on Front-
from Church to
Simcoe-street.

MR KEATING'S REPORT.

It is no doubt remember that at the fire at which
the Building, McKinnon Building and a num-
ber of other buildings were destroyed a year or so ago, that
the pressure was not as good as it should be in that
district, and I understand that complaints were
made to the Fire Department, but by citizens generally, who
are not in that vicinity.

It is out that this main is intended to form a part
of the improvement of the distribution system,
the business portion of the city, but for all that
the east of the River Don. It has been suggested
that the whole length of main, from Simcoe to Sher-
burne present it would be sufficient to lay only
ten Simcoe and Church-streets.

It is contracted for this work, as well as the con-
veyment on Front-street, which cannot pos-
sibly be laid, the water main is laid, the amount to be
estimated, if money is not provided by the
people on January 4th, 1897.

qualified to vote for Money
to be voted for this Bylaw.

BERT J. FLEMING, Mayor.

The I.O.F. Has

One Supreme Court,
Thirty-two High Courts,
2,600 Subordinate Courts,
100,800 Members,
\$2,001,665.42 Surplus,
\$4,000,000 Paid in Benefits

"Nothing Succeeds Like Success."



Oronhyatekha, M.D.,
Supreme Chief Ranger.

The Supreme Court

Under the Amendments to its Act of Incorporation, secured in 1896, maintains a deposit of \$100,000 with the Government of the Dominion of Canada, makes annual returns to the Department of Insurance, and is subject to a strict Government Inspection; also maintains a deposit of £20,000 sterling with the Government of Great Britain and Ireland, and a deposit of \$50,000 with the Insurance Departments in the United States, and makes annual returns to these several departments.

The Phenomenal Growth of the I.O.F.

Date	Members	Surplus	Assets	Liabilities
Jan. 1882..	1,019	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 4.18	\$ 2.00
.. 1884..	2,210	2,700.00	2.44	4.73
.. 1886..	2,588	20,902.00	8.50	7.78
.. 1888..	3,642	51,082.00	1.50	4.36
.. 1890..	5,500	90,825.00	10.00	5.78
.. 1892..	7,811	98,102.00	11.02	6.48
.. 1894..	11,200	117,000.00	9.56	6.59
.. 1896..	17,549	188,130.00	10.84	6.13
.. 1897..	24,604	282,097.00	11.54	6.59
.. 1900..	32,000	408,706.00	12.05	6.25
.. 1902..	43,024	550,507.00	13.70	6.47
.. 1904..	58,000	808,870.00	15.00	6.67
.. 1906..	70,000	1,127,228.00	16.00	6.67
.. 1907..	81,000	1,500,000.00	18.00	6.67
Dec. 1896..	100,800	2,001,665.42	19.00	6.67

The Independent Order of Foresters

HEAD OFFICE: CORNER RICHMOND & BAY STREETS, TORONTO, CANADA.
Surplus on hand 1st December, 1896, \$2,001,665.42



Join the I.O.F.

And protect yourself and your family.
Protect yourself with \$250, \$500, \$1,000, \$1,500, \$2,000 or \$2,500, in the event of total and permanent disability.
Protect your family with \$500, \$1,000, \$2,000, \$3,000, \$4,000 or \$5,000, payable at your death.

Wives and Mothers

Should induce their husbands and sons to join the I.O.F., for of the \$4,000,000 paid in benefits fully two-thirds were paid to the widows and orphans of deceased Foresters.

Every Forester

When he reaches the age of seventy is freed from any further charges, and his benefit certificate becomes a paid-up certificate, the benefits being still payable as provided in the certificate and in the constitution and laws of the Order. All taxation also ceases immediately upon the total and permanent disability of a Forester.

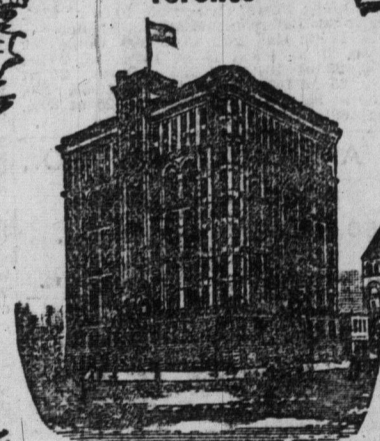
The Independent Order of Foresters

Is the best Fraternal Benefit Society in the world, and is the strongest financially, and you ought to be one of its 100,000 members. Every dollar of the surplus is at the back of the I.O.F. Benefit Certificates.

In This Order

there are no assessments on death, and members are not worried as to the number of assessments they will have to pay. Members pay each month a stipulated sum, according to age at initiation. These payments may be made monthly, quarterly, semi-annually or annually, in advance, at the convenience of the member himself.

Temple Building, Toronto



Highest Building in Canada

The Supreme Chief Ranger
And THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL join in wishing you

A Happy New Year and Many Returns.

Enactment of Parliament Relating to Liabilities

The liabilities of any member of the society shall be limited to the assessments, dues, fees, capitation tax and fines of which, at the date at which he ceases to be a member by withdrawal, expulsion, suspension or non-payment of assessments or dues or otherwise, notice has been actually given by the society, or which under its constitution and laws have matured and become due: Provided that no member shall be entitled to any pecuniary benefit of the society during the time such member is in default with respect to the payment of any assessments, dues, capitation tax or fines, and the provisions of this section shall be printed on each and every policy issued by the society.

Members of the I.O.F.

Are under the protection of the Supreme Court, and come under full benefits so soon as they have passed the Medical Board, have paid all required fees and are initiated into the Order.

Benefits Given by the I.O.F.

In addition to the Social and Fraternal Privileges which a Forester enjoys by virtue of his membership in this great Fraternal Order, he secures the following substantial benefits:

For Himself During His Lifetime.

A.—FURNISHED BY THE SUBORDINATE COURTS.
1.—Free Medical Attendance by the Court Physician within whose jurisdiction the Brother is taken sick. Some courts, in addition, furnish medicine free, as well as trained nurses if deemed necessary by the Court.

B.—FURNISHED BY THE SUPREME COURT.
2.—A Sick Benefit of \$3 a week for the first two weeks and \$5 a week for the next ten weeks, and, as provided in Section 224 (5) of the Order, \$5 a week for an additional twelve weeks.

3.—A Total and Permanent Disability Benefit of \$200, \$500, \$1,000, \$1,500, \$2,000 or \$2,500.

For His Beneficiaries, at His Death.

4.—A Funeral Benefit of \$50.
5.—A Mortuary Benefit of \$500, \$1,000, \$2,000, \$3,000, \$4,000 or \$5,000.

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AT OSGOODE HALL

The Case of Robinson v. Dobbin, a Family Affair, Creates an Interest With the Master in Chambers.

Mr. James S. Cartwright, sitting for the Master in Chambers, has delivered an interesting judgment upon the plaintiff's motion for interim alimony in Dobbin v. Dobbin.

REPARATE SCHOOL TRUSTS.
Nominations in the Various Wards Yesterday—Two Contests Probable.

Editor World: Kindly allow me, through your esteemed journal, to call the attention of the municipal council to an important matter.

Wills in Probate.
The will of the Rev. Canon Pettit has been entered for probate by the court.

Contagious Diseases in Ontario.
The Board of Health, showing the deaths from contagious diseases for a population of 1,467,000, were 197.

Wheat and Flour.
The local market is quiet and firm. White sold at 37c and 38c.

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WHEAT OFFERS splendid opportunity to make money, and our prices are the lowest.

Business Embarrassments.
The creditors of Sales & Halliday, general store Meritt, will meet on Saturday.

Some Covering by Shorts and Liverpool Closed Higher.
The Bank Clearings at Toronto for the Week and Month—Local Securities Fairly Active and Strong—Wall Street Stocks Bull and Irregular—Provisions Heavy in Chicago—Latest Commercial News.

Thursday Evening, Dec. 31.
Cash wheat in Chicago 1/4c higher, at 79 1/2.

Wheat-Dec. 31. 79 1/2.
May wheat on crib 84 1/2.
Puts on May wheat 84 1/2, calls 25 1/2 to 25 3/4.

Windsor Salt.
The purest and best, costs no more than the common kinds do. Why your grocer sells it.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.
Following are the closing prices to-day at important centers:

Chicago. Cash. 81 1/2.
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London. 80 1/2.

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STOCKS, GRAIN & PROVISIONS

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Receipts of grain on the street to-day:

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