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PRICE TWO CENTS.

SENSATIONAL DROP RECORDED

City's Percentage for This Year Is Only About One-Half What It Was in 1908—City Is Unable to Account for the Unprecedented Drop.

Port Stanley Railway show a decided road," said Mayor Stevely.

President Stevely read his annual report in which he pointed out that

held at noon the statement of the treasurer was submitted, which showed the total receipts from the railway to be \$15,976 39, as follows:

"The treasurer is a switch land been find the first to place in a switch land been larger to place in a switch land been Rental-\$10,000.

3,379 79.

The expenditures for the year had been dropped. amounted to \$211.

The falling off is in the percentage on earnings. Last year the city received \$6,706 21, from the Pere Marquette, \$3,326 42 more than this year, or practically double the amount. Is It Competition?

"I cannot see what has been the Gerry, Ald. Saunders, Mr. A. W. White cause of this unless competition is and Secretary Baker.

At the final meeting of the board the right to place in a switch had been Interest on rental—\$2,596 60.

Percentages from Pere Marquette—

Which had proved a great state of the extension of the lease to the Pere Marquette had been been dependent of the pere Marquette had been been stated been stated by the pere Marquette had been stated been stated by the pere Marquette had been stated by the pere Marquette

Report Was Filed.

STORM SEWERS BADLY NEEDED

All Sections of the City Will Be Benefitted—The Present Sewers in contact with a switch beside the killed. Were Never Intended to Carry Off Storm Water.

ably be carried by a good majority.

No definite plan for the sewers has accept the recommendation, and as a result no definite scheme has been

scheme will be carried out practically

drains would handle the surface water in that neighborhood. No definite idea of the location of

One or two would be placed down town to relieve some of the sewers.

Engineer Graydon Speaks.

MAJOR M'NEIL DIES

The receipts from the London and seriously affecting the earnings of the

at Port Stanley at a cost of \$130 which had proved a great convenience

On motion of Ald. Saunders the re

Fort was received, and ordered placed in the minutes. A quorum was not present, and the minutes were not read. Those present were Mayor Stevely, president, Ald

BYLAW WORTHY OF SUPPORT

The storm sewers bylaw is receiving said Mr. Graydon. "I would have to the string and was hanging on to the much commendation, and it will prob- take numerous levels to find out the most advantageous positions for them. There is no doubt at all that the byyet been made. At a recent meeting of the council City Engineer Graydon plainly points out that the sewer system constructed was not intended recommended that an engineer be employed to take levels and make a replaced to the most suitable streets and make a replaced to the most suitable streets. for the sewers, but the council did not accept the recommendation and as a ter into these sewers. It had to be

However, if the bylaw is passed, the

A Trunk Sewer. Mr. Graydon stated to The Adver- the streets should as far as possible Mr. Graydon stated to The Advertiser that a trunk sewer would have to run down William or Maitland streets from the G. T. R. tracks to the river. Laterals would be run up and down the cross streets, emptying into the main sewers, and draining that whole east end. Every year there are costly floods, and many thousands of dollars' worth of stuff is destroyed.

The streets should as far as possible be kept out, and NO ATTEMPT MADE TO CARRY OFF STORM WATER IN ANY SEWER NOT INTENDED BY THE ENGINEERS TO BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE."

"The present system of sewers was mever intended for storm water," said Mr. Willis Chipman to The Advertiser. "It was a hygienic sewer only, and we

Another main sewer would be car-tied down Egerton street, and side drains in the north or south sections

of the city could be given by Mr. Graydon. probably in the direction of Ridout

"I have not a definite idea as yet where I would locate these drains," benefit to all."

IN THE PHILIPPINES

Township, in 1876.

Ago, and Is Now in Govern-

Michigan.

ment Position in Lansing,

Chipman in his report in 1896 or 1897 done in several instances, and the r sult has not been very satisfactory the citizens generally." Mayor Little's Message.

In the final message of Mayor Little to the council of 1897, it contained the following sentence: "The sand from the streets should as for an armony the streets should as for a same than the streets should as for a same than the streets should as for a same than the streets should be same than the streets should be same than the streets are same than the streets should be same than the streets s

of dollars' worth of stuff is destroyed, "It was a hygienic sewer only, and we and roads are ruined because of these especially warned them against using it for storm water purposes. A to the sewers, and this should not have been done."

Good for London East. "East London should vote for the storm sewers," said Ald. Gerry, chairman of the board of works, an alderman of long experience. "It will be

The rest of the city needs such a sys- characterize adequately. tem, too, and it will prove of great THE EARL PERCY DEAD IN FRENCH CAPITAL

Was Born at Telfer, in London a Victim of Pneumonia -Rumors of Duel.

Father Left Here Twenty-Eight Years formerly under secretary of state for DEATH WAS DUE

due to complications following an attack of rneumonia.

The death is announced at Manila, Earl Percy was the eldest son and Philippine Islands, of Major John Mc- heir of the seventh Duke of Northum-Neil, a former Londoner, and son of berland. He had represented South Mr. James McNeil, who left London Kensington in parliament since 1895. for Michigan 28 years ago. Mr. Mc- In 1902-03 he was under secretary of Neil has been connected with the aud- state for India, and in the two suc-

Major McNeil, had been in the United The report that he had died from States army for years, and was a very wounds received in a duel is denied.

Paris, Dec. 30.—Despite assurances of The late Major McNeil was born at The late Major McNeil was born at Taris, Dec. 30. Despite assurances of those who should know, to the conduct of due to a convulsion. Deceased was a trary, the rumor persists today that the pupil of St. George's school, and a very 1876, and after a short residence in London with his parents, was taken by trary, the rumor persists today that the earl received mortal wounds in a duel with pistols. His challenger is reporting player. The funeral was held this afthem to Colfax, Mich., where the fam- ed to have been an Englishman in whose family the earl had been re-My nome is said located.

Mr. Alex. McNeil, of Melbourne, formerly proprietor of the Queen's Hotel, London, is an uncle and Mrs.

Whose lamily the earl had been received as a friend. The story confines that the two men became bitter by the Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Canon Dyson Hague, of the Memorial Church, conducted the services. their grievances quietly on the out-skirts of Paris. A bullet, it is said. Wilson, of 519 Simcoe street, is an

> ROY SANDERSON SENT FOR TRIA

Seventeen-Year-Old Boy Has Number

Knox Church Sunday School, Mr. Thos. Alexander, superintendent, took place on Wednesday evening, and the attendance was very large. Among those who took part in the programme were: Margaret Murray, Mabel Barnard, Minnie Bruce, Ella Pelton, George Wilcox, Stuart Kennedy, Earl Houghtby, George Hobbs, Gladys McEvoy, Albert Cahill, James Watson, Gordon Meek and many others.

Seized With Neuralgia.

ily home is still located.

Christmas Entertainment.

Mr. F. L. Wright, of Saginaw, Michof the hotel. Dr. George Wilson was immediately called, and the sufferer was removed to Victoria Hosis condition was favorable, and no erious results are anticipated.

Continued on Page Three.

The Christmas entertainment of

HAD LONDON RELATIVES London, Dec. 30, -word is received here of the death at Paris today of Earl Percy (Henry Algernon George), foreign affairs.

According to the family death was

Neil has been connected with the aud-teeding years under foreign secretary. He was born in 1871, and was unmarfor some years, while his son, the late ried. His home was in London.

passed through the earl's lungs.

of Charges to Face.

Roy Sanderson ,a 17-year-old boy, who for some time past has been working for Mr. Frank O'Brien, London Township, appeared before Squire taining a dollar-bill and some silver, Quebec from his employer. The theft was discovered on Tuesday, and Mr. O'Brien igan, a guest at the Grigg House, was at once notified the police, as Sander-seized with an attack of neuralgia of son was suspected of being implicated the heart while walking in the corri- in a number of petty thefts that had taken place in the city. Detectives Nickle and Egelton went out to the house and found the boy, and after some difficulty succeeded in locating pital in the ambulance. This morning the purse and two of the rings. At the conclusion of the examination morning the boy was sent for trial.

BUILDING PERMITS IN CANADA

	Permits.	Permits.	Inc.,	Dec.
	Nov., 1909.	Nov., 1908.	P. C.	P. C.
Berlin, Ont	\$ 6,000	\$ 2,000	200.00	
Brantford, Ont	36,750	22,790	61.25	.
Calgary, Alta	211,550	61,700	242.86	
Edmonton, Alta	63,365	80,505		21.29
Fort William, Ont	138,365	36,575	278.30	
Halifax, N. S	104,575	20,750	403.97	
Hamilton, Ont	165,850	165,850	56.35	
Lethbridge, Alta	96.175			
London, Ont	37,475	51,700		27.51
Montreal, Que		279,068	73.05	
Port Arthur, Ont	13,350			
Regina, Sask	49,205	9,276	430.45	
St. John, N. B	33,900	18,200	86.26	
Sydney, N. S	10,070		235.66	
Toronto, Ont	1,940,650	1,379,749	40.65	
Vancouver, B. C	615,829	346,800	77.57	
Victoria, B. C	55,585	104.710		46.91
Winnipeg, Man	291,900	244,600	19.33	******
Totals	\$4,353,534	\$2,767,498	57.30	• • • • • •
	BORNESSE VINCENSE BURGES			NAME OF TAXABLE PARTY.

A BRAKEMAN'S CLOSE CALL WAS STRUCK BY A SWITCH Photo by Frank Cooper.

George Lacey, of Burwell Street, Had a Miraculous Escape From DEATH FOLLOWED Death While Working His Train in the Yards at Kincardine.

Lacey, together with Brakeman Bert Angles, and Engineer Clegg, was engaged in shunting some cars.

Struck by Switch.

Missed the Brakeman.

The accident was not discovered until Brakeman Angles and Engineer Clegg missed Lacey and went back to look for him and found him lying in the snow. He was cared for, and by adn by recovered consciousness, and insisted on riding back to the city on A blinding snowstorm was in pro- the train last night even though he gress, and he did not notice the switch was very badly shaken ur. He got in beside the tracks, with the result that at 2 o'clock this morning.

Liberal Press Makes Merry at the Expense of the Thunderer hopes of his recovery were given up cials, the freight business during the many thousands less this year than Which Publishes a Wild and Weird Dispatch as to

London, Dec. 29.—The Liberal press ple had learned from Blatchford the terday. adequate system would be sufficient is pulling the leg of the Times. One socialist, what Lord Roberts had been to take care of storm water. A large paper criticises the Times' Toronto telling his countrymen for three years. plainly the increasing preponderance irreducible minimum of national seof foreign population in the Canadian curity. We were not safe unless we (Dr.) Horace Ferguson, at home. west cannot be kept loyal to the em- took more efficient measure of napire unless it is given a bribe in the tional defence.

Another paper remarks that the the exchequer?" ished yesterday, than which place the to contest the Lords, home rule is a Times says, few portions of the globe certainty." offer richer rewards to the capitalists, At Rugby Lord Salisbury said he capital has had a great deal to do country. with the development of Latin Amer-

Lord Roberts Indorsed. F. E. Smith, Liverpool, said the peo-

Into Death of Frank

Nansan.

death was due to natural causes.

Dr. C. W. Belton, who made

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW-MILDER.

TORONTO.
Toronto, Dec. 30-8 a.m.
Today-Westerly winds; fine and cold.
Friday-Southwesterly winds; fair and

TEMPERATURES.

 Stations.
 8 a.m.
 Min.

 Victoria
 40
 32

 Calgary
 50
 34

'ather Point....... 8 4 Minus (-) means below zero. WEATHER NOTES.

Another storm has developed off the Atlantic coast, and northwest gales, with

snow, prevail in the Maritime Provinces.

The weather continues very cold from Manitoba to New Brunswick, and quite

Storm signals are displayed along the

At & o'clock this morning the local ob-

servatory registered 7º above zero.

Port Arthur 6 Parry Sound 4

mild in the far west.

Stations.

ple of Britain." This, it says, is im- asked, "Are you going to trust the the city hundreds of dollars a year. the slandered people of Canada to who understand it, or to the playful, less. Robert Wallace, Frank and Chas. pathetic and romantic chancellor of less, Robert Wallace, Frank and Chas.

Leonard, William Elliott and Michael Fines' mammoth supplement to the John Dillon, at Swinford, said: "If

that exodus of British capital which bodies to govern the country. An in- and will attend the funeral Former British Under Secretary tariff reformers lament. Coupled with dependent body was wanted with a the Times' glorification is undisguest pride in the fact that British under the interpret the relations of the guised pride in the fact that British utmost to interpret the wishes of the

> Chamberlain Raps Budget, London, Dec. 29. — Joseph Cham-

(Continued on Page Six.) SECURES BIG DAMAGES TO NATURAL CAUSES FROM THE GOVERNMENT

Western Farmer a Nice Fortune.

As a result of a post-mortem ex-[Special to The Advertiser.] amination made yesterday afternoon on Ottawa, Dec. 30.-A western farmer Frank E. J. Nansan, son of Buglecomes into a handsome fortune todap Sergeant Nansan, of Wolseley Barracks, Coroner Ferguson has decided by a judgment of the supreme court. Court told Sanderson, and I am practhat an inquest is unnecessary, as He is James W. Brown, of Qu'Appelle tically certain that the only course is River, Saskatchewan. Three years ago to send you back to the industrial the Government built a dam across the school." outlet of Long Lake to improve navigation. In doing so they raised the water over 1,277 acres of Brown's land. He brought action against the Government and Judge Cassels today awarded him \$25 an acre on damages, ternoon from Wolseley Barracks to to the amount of \$47,216.

A RABIES SCARE

Authorities Are Investigating. Ingersoll. Dec. 30.—Among the resi-

lents of West Oxford in the vicinity of Folden's Corners, there is considerable alarm over an attack by a tramp dog yesterday afternoon on a young son of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Davis. It is feared that the animal may have been suffering from rabies. The lad was riding on a sleigh when it snapped at He was bitten on the leg between the knee and the foot. The wounds were cauterized as soon as possible, and the animal destroyed by the boy's father. The peculiar actions of the dog aroused suspicion, and it was deemed advisable to have a postmortem examination, which was made

by Dr. Harrison last evening. This revealed symptoms of rabies, and although not well defined, it has been decided to make a thorough investigation. At the request of the child's parents, the head of the animal will be sent to Ottawa for further examina-\$1,076,309.



THE LATE COL. DAWSON.

A SEVERE CHILL

Pneumonia.

ANNIVERSARY OF HIS WIFE'S DEATH

Who Died Nine Years Ago Yesterday -Member of First Brunswick Club.

fatal illness was announced in yester- Stanley shows a great falling off durday's Advertiser, died at his home, 288 ing the year. fering for two days from acute pneu- centages of the carnings of the P. M. have been \$32,790 above \$80,000, as

On Monday evening Col. Dawson was down town, in connection with the joint installation of Masonic officers, and took a chill. He became so Southwestern Traction Company.

Out The shrinkage is due altogether to a decline in the passenger business, caused by competition from the Southwestern Traction Company.

In other words, the difference in carnings amounted to over \$32,000, which was due to passenger service falling off. ill that he was taken to his home in a cab, and rapidly grew worse. All early in the afternoon.

It is a singular coincidence that Mrs. decline has not been in freight carn- "The passenger business has not been Dawson died just nine years ago yes- ings.

Three sons and two daughters survive: Louis and Melville, of Irvin, quantity of water has been poured in-correspondent for saying: "Pretty There had been a fatal betrayal of the Alberta; Charles, of St. Louis; Mrs. Frank McBride, of Calgary, and Mrs. Col. Dawson was one of the first members of the Brunswick Club, when, shape of a tax on the food of the peo- Mr. Wyndham, speaking at Chester, lors' Club. Other early members of that time were Edward Paull, James

> Kew. glorification of South America, pub- the Government wins and get power be completed until messages are re The funeral arrangements will not ceived from the sons in the west. Mayor Oliver, Mr. T. C. Irving and is a hint to the judicious to accelerate thought it a pity to have two elected warm friends of the late Col Dawson

TO THEFT CHARGES

Roy Sanderson Admits Stealing Goods From Local People -Was Remanded.

his age as 17, and who is believed to heavy demand for new accommodations are, in the main, the real motive fur-Coroner Concludes Investigation Supreme Court Judgment Gives have escaped from Mimico about two tors in the great upbuilding which is months ago, pleaded guilty in the taking place.

The returns for November show months ago, pleaded gunty in the police court this morning to stealing a gun worth \$8 from a gunsmith of the city and to stealing brass valued provinces in the Dominion. Permits this city and to stealing brass valued were issued for new work representing were issued for new work representing W. O'Brien, of Hyde Park, but this was not proceeded with.
"I will remand you for a week," the

PORT STANLEY COUNCIL

Last Year's Quartette Was Re-elected by Acclamation.

There will be no contest for councilregistered this year; Edmonton, wh lors in Port Stanley, as last year's fails to equal last year's figures council was re-elected by acclamation. It consists of Clarence Cromwell, Geo. Tramp Dog Wounds Small Boy and the M. Grimmond, Rudolph Long and Harley Taylor.

> reeveship. Matt Loney is opposing Reeve W. Jackson, and there are six candidates for school trustees to fill 430 per cent. Halifax, which appar-Those running as school trustees are of the past few months with a vengethree vacancies. Frank Shepherd, W. J. Berry, James

Arniel, Geo. Gray, Frank Young and Henry Jelly. Is Spring Coming? Heary Hull, living on the Hamilton

road, called at The Advertiser office

today stating that a robin was seen

yesterday in his orchard close to his

back door. Other people near at hand

Bank Clearings Increased. The total bank clearings for the week ending Dec. 30 • the London Clear-

New Blood Tell the People What Ought To Be Done, While the Members of Present Civic Bodies Endeavor to Explain Why It Has Not Been Done.

raging outside, there was a very fair election. turnout at the East End Hall last night, when the opening meeting of cannot see where they have been so the municipal campaign took place.

A new feature that everybody wel
We, as a council board, controlled a comed was the presence of three very small amount of money. We were

"This is really a filthy hall," said chairman, and there is great danger public schools are also uncontrollable, of the plaster falling down on you. I The library board could have dethink our aldermen owe it to us to put this place in proper shape."

Ald. Ferguson Speaks. would consider it the highest honor to \$15,000 of the estimates, and pared be mayor. He hoped Ald. Beattle and everything we could. The board of

Considering the storm that was no matter what the outcome of the

"In reference to the council being denounced as a whole," he said. "I stoves, two of which were provided by simply tax-gatherers for the school Rev. James Rollins, of King Street board, as far as that expenditure is presbyterian Church. The hall, for concerned. We cannot cut down the debenture debt, the hospital fund, etc. Those are uncontrollable expenses. Po-Mr. George Burdick, who was chosen lice protection and the Collegiate and The library board could have demanded more, but they cut their figure down as close as possible. We have a hospital second to none. What is the Ald. Ferguson spoke first, and said use of having the buildings if we don't he had lived in London all his life and keep them up? We cut off \$12,000 or

nimself would always be good friends George Lacey, a Grand Trunk brake- he struck it, and the impact hurled man living on Burwell street, had a riding and he was rendered insensible. Had he been riding on any other car except the last one he would probably he was knocked insensible by coming have been through the care of which he was priding and he was rendered insensible. Had he been riding on any other care except the last one he would probably have been through under the care and the communication of SHOWS A BIG FALLING OFF

The Competitionof the Southwestern Traction Co. Has Had Its Effect Upon the Pere Marquette Railway-People Prefer Electric Rides.

The passenger business of the Pere Lieut.-Col. M. D. Dawson, whose Marquette between the city and Port

over \$6,700, while this year they are compared with \$67,000 in 1908, under \$3,400.

Freight Business Normal.

According to Pere Marquette offithat the P. M. carried to Port Stanley

per cent of all earnings over \$80,000, The city last year received in per- in addition to a paid rental of \$10,000 a year. This year the earnings must

A Great Difference

There is a great difference in the

yesterday, and his death took place early in the afternoon.

Wife Dead Nine Years.

Wife Dead Nine Years.

We death took place past year has been normal, or rather last.

better than normal. In fact they are handling all the business their terhandling all the business their terhandling all the past year, said minals will allow them to handle. The Mr. Young, freight agent of the P. M.

BUILDING IS STILL VERY ACTIVE

Compiled by the Magazine "Construction."

THE FIGURES FOR LONDON OFFER HAS BEEN MADE

A Slight Depression Noted, But Operations Are Now Going on at a Satisfactory Rate.

As yet the lateness of the scason as, seemingly, had no deterring offeet Company who visited Chatham yesteripon operations in the building line, day and looked over the factory which allic ring of the trowel resounds turned last night, and a member of the hroughout the land, and even the section where the severity of the north winds usually lessens the force of activated in the officials of the company were most favorably impressed with the offer. tivity, the march of progress still remains but little checked. While the company will be held immediately and mildness of the weather has been instrumental in giving a furthering im- them, and the matter will be taken up petus to late fall developments, yet the with representatives of the Chatham Roy Sanderson, a youth, who gave needs of a great growing co

There is another charge of stealing an aggregate value practically doubling money and rings from the place of that of the same period of last year. that of the same period of last year and the comparative amounts, as sur plied Construction, places the avergain for the month at 57 per cent most remarkable advance for this

time of the year. Only Three Decreases. Out of the list of eighteen cities reporting, only three decreases noted and these are so widely divergent in location as to only serve to emphasize the sound situation which still affected were: Victoria, which suffer a decline of 46 per cent, the first

the month by 21 per cent, and London. which fell behind on the month's work to the extent of 27 per cent. month was characterized by a series | CUTTER WAS SMASHED There will be a contest for the of gains. The largest increase registered was in the case of Regina. which made a phenomenal advance of ently is recovering from ance, note the second highest that of 403 per cent, and Fort William stands the next in order with a sub-stantial increase of 287 per cent.

Gains Are General. The gains in general are of most gratifying proportions, and only two cities reporting increases, have failed striking a hydrant in front of The Ada to double their figures by at least one half. Toronto, as usual, looms up with the largest volume of work, having back door. Other people hear at the largest volume of work, having also saw the bird. Mr. Hull says the robin is making his winter home in a robin is making his winter home in a ssued permits aggregating in value issued permits aggregating in value walk and prevented further trouble.

\$1,940,650, as against \$1,379,749 in Noincrease of 40 per cent. Ontario, in fact, with the exception of London, forged ahead substantially. Berlin reg-

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SCOTT PEOPLE ARE IMPRESSED

According to Canadian Statistics Chatham Using Every Endeavor to Take Industry From London.

Big Factory in the Maple City Is at the Disposal of the London Firm

If They Will Go There, The members of the Scott Machine he sound of the hammer and the me- the city has offered them there, re-A meeting of the directors of the

t council next week.

The Chatham Offer. "The factory we can get," The Advertiser was told by a member of the firm, "Is built of cement and steel is large, and splendidly every way for our needs. As matters stand we must secure larger premises in order to accommodate our business. We were never busier than at tho present time, and have work enough ahead for all winter. The Chatham factory is in such shape that we could tak possession of it immediately and

commence operations." Chatham Is Busy.

It is known that Chatham is making every effort to secure the company, and their offer is a most tempting one to the London firm. The manufacturers' committee of the Chatham council has added more new factories to Chatham in the last two years than any city of its size in the country has obtained, and they are putting up a strong case to the Scott

Machine Company. HORSE RAN AWAY

rett Brothers.

A cutter belonging to Scandrett Brothers was smashed to pieces in a runaway on Dundas street yesterday afternoon at 4:30. The cutter was upset in the street railway tracks at the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets, Henry Bell, the driver, being thrown out. He was not injured. The horse took fright and ran, the cutter

vertiser. Thomas Breen, of Clarence street, who was reading the bulletin, caught value the horse as it ran up onto the side

There will be a watchnight service in the First Congregational ing House totalied \$1,149,107. For the isters a 200 per cent gain; Brantford Church tomorrow night, commencing same period last year, the total was one of 61 per cent, and Hamilton an at 11 o'clock, under the direction of

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Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Cotton Vests, in white, shaped waist, taped neck, lace trimmed, well finished,

Manicure and Toilet Sets for New Year's Gifts at Half Price

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Children's Woolen Scarfs, heavy knitted, cardinal, pink, light blue and white, 2 yards long, finished with a heavy fringe. Special 45¢

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Twelve Shoe Laces One Thousand Matches One Bar Eclipse Soap	
One Thousand Matches	/h/
One Bar Eclipse Soap	
One Bottle Japanese Shoe Polish	

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AT-HOME **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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CRUSHED UNDER WHEELS. North Bay, Dec. 29.-A distressing acci-

who owns a mine at Doherty, eight miles from Temagami, had just purchased a o visit his parents, and made a rush for He missed the step and fell under the

KILLED AT CROSSING.

Buffalo, Dec. 30. — Hurrying to the but because I want bedside of a patient Miss Emma Held-terms for the city. strum, 22 years old, a trained nurse, and a companion were instantly killed at a grade crossing near Depew, about twelve miles from here, last night.Walter Lindholm was driving the sleigh, containing the nurse. It was bitterly cold, and the two were so heavily cov ered with wraps that they did not hear said that I had stock in the City Gas ed the speaker. "I'm not going to tell the rapidly approaching passenger Gent occurred at Temagami station, on when they reached the crossing. The

EAST END

control.

(Continued from page 1.)

spent \$7,000 to build a smallpox hospital, and it was a good move. We spent \$8,500 for relief, and we must take care of our poor. And now we have a surplus of more than \$5,000. The Tax Rate.

Ald. Ferguson then compared the ate this year with that of other years, and said this year was an improvement on last year, when everything is considered. He thought the council had done their work honestly and fairly, "I have been very much criticised in ertain quarters," he said. "That is all very well, but people should be con-

"I want you all to know where I am on the Sunday car question. When we have 50,000 people and a majority vote for it we will have them. If I am in the council then I will vote for

Ald. Ferguson said there had been considerable talk about the deal for the land where the power distribution station and water plant is being built. That, he thought, was business entirey between him and the London Street him, and the newspapers for fair re-Railway Company. He came back ports. from a business trip to take the mat- council," he said, "the tax rate will ter up with the London Street Railway be much higher next year. He would Company, and they didn't come for like to see a new council elected, just three weeks.

Referring to the hydro-electric, he do any more than this year's." aid, he had taken some objection to the scheme before it passed. But now their support.

Some Questions.

Mr. J. M. Parsons asked Ald. Ferguon the following questions: Question 1. How much has the aldermanic delegations cost the citizens for the current year, in-

cluding Medicine Hat and Calgary? 2. Will you explain to the taxpayers why your name does not appear at the four leading hotels, or among the list of delegates with their wives and daughters published in full in the Medicine Hat News? And why your name does not appear in the official report published in the Canadian Municipal Journal of Montreal; as mover, seconder, or as having taken any part in the debates that

followed? 3. The delegates' expenses together with the association fee of \$120 cost the citizens \$610. Will you please tell the electors present wherein London benefitted, by reference to what you saw and heard at the said convention?

Ald. Ferguson replied as follows: Question 1. I will give you the figres tomorrow at the city ball. 2. Ald. Ferguson asked Mr. W. A. Wilson to read a letter from his relative, G. K. Leeson, in which it was stated that he met Ald. Ferguson in in the

was not published because he was too There is a chance, he said, for a good

Medicine Hat and Calgary. In regard to the third question Ald.

What Is Needed.

"What we need in London," he said. s more boosters and less knockers. cited the present cement merger case handling the business of the city in as an example.

Ald. Beattie.

Ald. Beattie was the next speaker. "I'm a sort of home-grown article," e remarked. "I was born within three plocks of the corner of Dundas and all my life. You have been very good resent the city on the water board. to me in the past, and I wish to thank go one step farther and to show added been no tax for lawn watering. confidence by electing me to the chief magistrate's chair. I stand before you as an advocate of no politics in municipal affairs. I think you should pick out the best men you can regardless of politics or creed. I have een criticized regarding my relation to Niagara power. It has been said of me that I have been working for the corporations. The only corporation 1 not saying that this is wrong, and have worked for is that of the city of London. I am not now, and never have 000 to the Grand Trunk shops. peen, an opponent of cheap power. I papers came out, "Alderman Beattie opposed to chear power.' That was not correct. I was not opposed to cheap power, but to anything that was not giving the city a fair deal. "As soon as I looked at the contract

saw that the aggregate cost amounted to \$3,000,000; that there were thirfrom the source of supply as London, and so I stood out against it, not be- bylaw. cause I was opposed to cheap power, Ald. Fitzgerald spoke briefly of his

"The contract is entered into now. and if I am elected mayor it is my to come up and visit the east end of intention in every way to try to fur- the city once a year. ther the interests of cheap power.

"Ugly things have been said of me platform tonight you may take in at regarding this subject. It has been one ear and out of the other," remark-Company, and therefore was opposing you what I have or have not done, be-

to this not one of my family have had 1 a cent's worth of interest in that com-

"It has also been charged that I have an interest in the London Electric. I City Gas Company, but from that day have no such interest. The starting health estimates were \$5,000, but they of this story was a mean, low, cowardly thing to do, and the man who repeats it is little better than a coward

Sunday Cars.

"I confess that I did not favor Sunday cars in the council. But no matter what my conviction may be, I am a law-abiding citizen, and just so soon as our city census shows that we have 50,000 people, and that the majority want a bylaw submitted, if I am in the mayor's chair, I will see that it is submitted. And I will be the first one to see that the people get their desire, as far as it is in my power. "I quite coincide with the remarks made by the preceding speaker, regarding the tax rate. The council has only about \$200,000 which they can

"I think that the city streets have been starved in the past. We must economize, but we must not do so at the expense of efficiency."

Mayor Stevely. Mayor Stevely thanked the electors for the support they have always given "No matter who are in the

to show people that it couldn't really

As a candidate for the water commission, he told the people that there thought it was the duty of citizens to are some important things coming up. push Niagara power now that we have He knew all about the contract with it, and make it a success. He spoke Mr. Beck for water and also for power, of the time when he had secured an having followed, the latter closely for increase of 25 cents a day for the civic two years. He thought it would be employees, and in closing asked all for good business for the citizens to return a candidate, who like himself was thoroughly in touch with the situation. He explained the bylaws to be voted upon, and said he would not support the bylaw for conduits for underground wires. In regard to the sewers, he

favored the extension. In reference to the garbage bylaw he sald it was the women who were responsible for it being presented. Of Sunday ears, he thought, the people should rule.

Mr. A. T. McMahen.

Mr. A. T. McMahen, in presenting himself for election, stated that if he was elected to the board he would see that the business was conducted in ar honest and straightforward manner. "I have not been an advocate of Sunday cars," he continued, "but we are servants of the public when elected to a public position, and, if elected, in this, as in every other matter, I will strive to meet the wishes of the people. And if you mark your ballots

fully rewarded for any inconvenience to which I have been subjected." Mr. Philip Pocock.

for me I will feel that I have been

Mr. Philip Pocock said he was very pleased to make his first appeal in East London. He was a candidate for the water commission as a result of a 5 petition presented. In regard to the waterworks, he said, it has cost \$1.-Medicine Hat the last of July. In re- 050,000, and the outstanding debenture thing, more than \$400,000 has been debates, and had made a speech which he thought, was a most important one severe on certain members of the businessman to increase the revenue evention who had more pull than he from the waterworks. Had a good He read an affidavit swern to clear-headed businessman been at the Thomas Patterson, mayor of Calt, head of things in past years, he thought no declared that Ald. Ferguson was a good deal more might have been derived.

this year the returns show a loss of erguson said the figures were cor- \$9,000 compared with last year. He thought there was an ample field for practicing economy.

Niagara power, he thought, was very similar to the water system, so far as nstead of scattering the impression the running of it was concerned. He er and wide that London is governed did not think one single cent should be nonentities give those who do their expended unneces arily for distribution. est credit for doing it, and you will If it were London would be at a very not be running around as you have serious disadvantage with other cities. ately trying in vain to get candidates." In the last five years London has not He thought London should remain in secured factories as other cities have, e association of municipalities in because the electors have not been rder to keep up to date, because the selecting the right men to represent ssociation can deal with corporations them. Election time is the time to critbetter than any individual car. He icise. He felt that he was capable of a businesslike way, and asked the support of the electors.

Ex-Ald. Matthews.

Ex-Ald. Matthews, one of the candidates for the water commission, stat-Richmond streets, and have lived here ed that he felt fully competent to rep-"I know just what that board has to do," continued the speaker. "It is easy my career I have always endeavored to tell why the waterworks revenue to tell why the waterworks revenue serve you faithfully, and I ask you to has decreased. It is because there has

"I think that the waterworks department, instead of issuing debentures for extensions, should pay cash, and save the interest.

"In regart to the factories of the city, it is easy to explain why they don't come. Anybody can get factories if they buy them, and if you want them you will have to bonus them. I'm think London did well in giving \$100,

"I hope you will use discretion voted for it as probably most of you your choice for the water board. I am have. When the contract was pre- not on any ticket. I'm a volunteer sented I looked it over carefully to see candidate without anybody to pull where the city benefitted. One of the strings on me. I owe no debt to anyone, if I am elected, but you, the electors, and you will I serve."

teen municipalities interested, one of was going into the council to try and them Toronto, and yet London was better affairs. May be I can, and wasn't honest," he continued. paying \$671,000, or about one-fifth of may be I can't, but I'm going to try," ticket for Oakville, where he was going the total cost. I did not see why Lon- he remarked. "I have no account to voice from the back of the hall. don should be charged so much more give of my stewardship tonight, and I That matter is going to hurt me the train, which was already in motion. than St. Thomas, which is as distant thank the Lord for that." He stated some, but I was right." Ald. Cooper rethat he was in favor of the garbage

but because I wanted to get better actions in the council during the Ald, Cooper considered it a pleasure

"Much that has been said on the

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been for the last thirteen years, and that she had a weman rival. Search is men. All must be within the church.

there have been men on it who are a being made for the woman. "Don't give me any aristocrats at the

head of affairs. If you put in enough Ald. Moorhead gave a brief account They asked me if I would support a of various items of business that came utility board slate. What use are they? They have no more brains or ability than the men on the council. "I have never done anything that

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LOS ANGELES MYSTERY

Girl Engaged to Millionaire's Son Believe To Have Been Murdered.

belief that her 18-year-old daughter Bessie was poisoned, Mrs. Jennie Priest has asked the district attorney to investigate the death of the young woman. train on the New York Central tracks cheap power. I want to give that state- cause you must give every man in the lit is alleged by the mother that Miss ceived. He does not object to lay when they reached the crossing. The the T. and N. O. Railway, just as the engine smashed the cutter to splinters ment an emphatic denial. Thirty years council the credit. This council has Priest was engaged to Harry Sayre, a speakers in his church, but they must express for North Bay was pulling out. and instantly killed both occupants. ago my father was president of the been as good a council as there has Newark, N. J. millionaire's son, and be duly licensed, and speak as church-

Miss Priest died in Glendale on Christ- his spirit of "no compromise."

said Ald. Cooper. "They did it once. poisoning, a third as zinc poisoning. The to which he belongs, as that surrenthe guest of her supposed rival at a din- where he cannot recognize ner at a restaurant, and that she became violently ill immediately afterward. In her delirium she constantly accused the adopted the resolution of Ottawa woman with whom she had dired, and Synod they have gone, he said, be-"What about the buckskin?" asked a during lucid periods she exhibited letters yound the canons, and he repudiated from Mr. Sayre, in which he is alleged their leadership, because in this into have warned her against her alleged stance it would make almost unbear-

his fears. Mr. Sayre is in Arizona. ANGLICAN PRELATE AGAINST MOVEMENT

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IF YOU WANT HELP, SITUATIONS, want to buy or sell real estate, etc., insert an advertisement in the Hamilton Herald, the recognized want medium of the city. Rate, ic a word, or three con-James Lankin, a carpenter living at 252 Horton street, was seriously injured at the Grand Trunk car shops secutive insertions for 2c a word, cash with order. Subscription: Daily, 25c a month, 82 yearly; Saturday edition, 50c yearly. Sample copy sent on application. picked up was hurried to Victoria Hospital in the city ambulance. Dr. REMOVAL - GEORGE CRADDOCK, architect, 461 Talbot.

BEGGING ON STREET

MOORE, HENRY & MUNRO,
ARCHITECTS, CIVIL
ENGINEERS, LAND SURVEYORS,
ALBION BUILDING.
JOHN M MOORE. FRED HENRY,
J. VICAR MUNRO. James O'Brien and His Pal Gathered

in by the Police. James O'Burn, who says he came from Windsor, where he was employed on the railway, appeared before Magistrate Love this morning for drunken-GOULD & MOHAN HAVE REMOVED ness and vagrancy. O'Burn was beg- at 466 Ridout street. This was a hapging on the street yesterday, but said py occasion, for the reason that not drink for a year, what he was doing. He said he was Those in attendance were Marshall "Some people might think so, but it on his way to Toronto, and wanted to W. W. Thompson of Prescott. Ont was pretty easy for me," said Bur-SLATE ROOFING, ASPHALT CEMENT paint for from roofs Walter Scott, 504 York street, London. was remanded until tomorrow for vagrancy.

TWO WOMEN AT PEAR FOR DRUNKENNESS

One Was an Irish Girl Not Long in Canada.

trate Love this morning for being and Fort Madison respectively. TION required for students; state location and terms at once. J. W. Westergirl named Gladys McConnell, who said she came from Balmeny, Ireland, to Toronto, and then to London a few days ago. OVENS, M.D., L.R.C.P. (LONDON), oculist and aurist-Office day, each Saturday. Hours, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. 225

"If you want to keep your good looks," the court told her, "I would advise you to stop drinking. I will Mr. W. Caven Barron Played a let you go this time." The other woman was Mrs. Mary Crosby, and she had been having a little celebration, she explained. She DR ALICE JAMIESON-REMOVED TO was allowed to go. pointments

NO CONTEST FOR

Ingersoll, Dec. 30.—There will be no mayoralty centest here, the honor having gone to Dr. Angus McKay, ex-M. P. P., by acclamation. The contest promptu address, spoke of his work as for the reeveship will be between M. T. a composer during the last few years, Buchanan and S. M. Fleet. Mr. F. G. making a strong piea for individuality Wally and R. B. Harris are the con- in music.



Tenders for 5 pplies for the Year 1910 Scaled tenders for supplies addressed avenue, London Electrical treatment.

Diseases of women a specialty to the undersigned will be received unti-le o'clock on Tuesday, the 18th of Janu-ary, 1910, for the supply and delivery of various articles of Timber, Hardware Castings, Oils, etc., for use on the Wel and delivery DR G L CLARKE (RETURNED FROM DR ECCLES, QUEEN'S AVENUE—
Specialty, diseases of women. Hours, 10 till 2.

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Tenders for Indian Supplies Sealed tenders addressed to the under-signed and indorsed "Tenders for Indian Supplies," will be received at this department up to noon on Friday, 14th January, 1910, for the delivery of Indian supplies during the fiscal year ending the 31st March, 1911, duty paid, at various man who was widely known both in 31st March, 1911, duty paid, at various points in Menitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Forms of tender, containing full particulars, may be had by applying to the undersigned. The lowest or any tender

not necessarily accepted. J. D. McLean, Secretary J. D. McLean, secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

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MONEY TO LOAN.

solicitors, etc. Masonic Temple 'uilding, corner Richmond and King. Thos. H. Purdom, K.C., Alexander Purdom. PRIVATE FUNDS AT LOWEST RATES -M. P. McDonough, barrister, 418 Tal-

> PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN ON MORT. GAGES on rael estate. Macpherson & Perrin, 57 Dundas street. PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN-LOWEST rates. Buchner & Gunn, corner Talbot

and Carling.

PRIVATE AND TRUST MONEY TO loan on farm and city property; lowest rates, amounts and terms to sult; no commission charged. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor, 98 Dundas street. MONEY TO LOAN AT 5% AND 51/2%-Knott & Sangster, Room 101, Masonic Temple, London.

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BIG EIGHT-COURSE DINNER AT THE PALACE CAFE CHANGE IN PRICES Seven tickets for \$1.00 or twenty-

one for \$3.00. Single meal, 20c. ywt

OUR ROOMS HAVE ALL BEEN RE-FURNISHED-Hotel Harrison. King and Talbot streets. DUKE OF YORK HOTEL, DUNDAS street east-Modern, up-to-date, \$1.25 and upward. J. M. Young, proprietor.

METROPOLITAN HOTEL-\$1 AND UP-

F. W. FARNCOMB, CIVIL ENGINEER, and surveyor, Bank Toronto Chambers.

Dundas and Wellington.

WARD. Dundas and J. Wright, proprietor. SURVEYORS.

PHYSICAL. CULTURE, Etc. HATTIE E. ROONEY, A.L.S.E., TEACH-

MINISTER LEMIEUX **UNDERGOES OPERATION**

Accident to Mr. James Lankin, Postmaster-General Convalescing After Removal of Tumor From Head.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Dec. 29. - Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, postmaster-general of Can-WAS REMANDED TO JAIL this morning by falling from the runada, who has been operated upon for a pairing. He fell on his neck and when valescing satisfactorily at his home. It Police Magistrate Says the Man is expected that ne will be able to get out in the course of a few days.

Fisher, who is attending him, cannot tell yet how seriously Lankin is in-**AFTER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS**

AND WAS ARRESTED A Very Pleasant Event at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller, Kidout Street.

For the first time in a quarter of a century all save one of the surviving sons and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Miller met in a family reunion that he was so drunk he did not know ent, but also several of their families. work his way there and the court de- W. W. Thompson, of Prescott, Ont., well. cided to give him the chance. William with her daughter Lula and sons Lisle Denney, of Montreal, a pal of O'Burn, and Fred, the former of the Standard Bank, Chatham, and the latter of the Dominion Bank, Brampton, Ont. Mrs. kept track of how many drinks I take, Sam Lonsbrough, with husband, who is said the prisoner, "but I probably had a prominent farmer of Bottineau, North twenty. Dakota, and sons, Victor, Clifton and Clarence, the latter being in the United magistrate. States navy service; Dr. J. Miller, of Fort Madison, Iowa: Dr. C. Miller and family, of Des Moines, Iowa, who are in charge of the work of the bureau of animal industry, United States de-Two women appeared before Magis- partment of agriculture, at Des Moines

A MUSICAL TREAT FOR SYMPHONY CLUB

Number of His Own Composition.

were afforded a treat last night at your friend, I am going to remand you INGERSOLL MAYORALTY their second concert, when Mr. W. for a week to get the whiskey out of this city, rendered a number of his

> made to Mr. Maurice Poure, or to the mation to the people of Bad Last night's programme was as fol-Ensemble-Romance Dessau

Saunders, E. Blackburn; M . D. Fetherston, Corbett and Fetherston, (a) Night Song Ashford farmers. (b) My Own True Love Ashford

Mr. F. L. Willgoose, Mrs. Ralph McCully. (a) Valse W. Caven Barron (b) Mazurka Fantastique Mr. W. Caven Barron.

Mr. F. L. Willgoose. Trie-For organ, violin and piane.. Andante-From C Minor Symphony . .

erston. GEORGE VALLANCE DEAD

Prominent Hamilton Hardware Merchant Died This Morning.

of his majesty's customs. He entered the employ of Wood & Leggatt, as an office boy at 16 years of age, and worked himself up to a partnership. He years, was not prominently connected with "Me many local lodges, being of a retiring physically, being over six feet in

funeral will take place on Friday. WHERE IS MISS ANN METCALF?

Burlington Man Is Anxious to Learn Whereabouts of His Sister.

The Advertiser has received a letter from Mr. Metcalfe, of Burlington, in- this, two privates were detailed by quiring as to the whereabouts of his direction of Captain Reed to visit sister, Miss Ann Metcalf, who was a the officers' quarters and ask for resident of this city 30 years ago. Any donetions of flowers. The officers information regarding her present adapth and their ladics responded liberally, dress will be gladly received by him, and many beautiful flowers were thus

MILLIONS OF BUSHELS

Ottawa, Ont. Dec. 20.—According to shows what a well-liked and popular figures received at the department of man McNeil was among the men of trade and company of the trade and commerce, 65,483 cars of his company. All the regiments are grain had been inspected at Winnipeg up to Dec. 14. Of this number 39,683 wery much grieved at lesing a good man and most excellent soldier." were brought to Winnipeg by the C. MONTREAL ALDERMEN
P. R., 18,279 by the Canadian Northern, 3,510 by the Grand Trunk Pacific, and 2,693 by the Great Northern. The total shipments of grain from Fort William and Port Arthur to east-36,964,307 bushels. The total shipment morning by Chief Justice Fitzpatrick went via Buffalo.

SHOPLIFTER SENTENCED.

n jail with hard labor was the sen- Canadian supreme court these seven tence imposed by Magistrate Denison aldermen who composed the Montreal HATTIE E. ROONEY, A.L.S.E., TEACH-ER of elocution, expression, physical culture. Studio, 253 Queen's avenue. ywt stealing a number of small articles in Eaton's store. The woman admitted her guilt and smiled as she descended to gives them their old status in the meantime. this morning on Mrs. Emily Croft for finance committee will have to make

BURWELL TOO GAY WITH A SHOOTER

Flourished Pistol in the Bar of a Local Hotel the Other Night.

Should Get the Whiskey Out of His System.

For having a seven-shooter revolver in his possession and snowing it in the motel Windsor and for being runk, Frank Burwell was remanded to jan for a week by Magistrate Love

tins morning. Burwell pleaded hard to be allowed to go, and promised to get out of town, but the court thought he would benefit considerably by a week's visit at Castle Carter, and sent him down. Burwell created considerable amusement by the way he replied to the questions put to him.

An Easy Drinker. In the box he stated that until about three weeks ago he had not had a "You have been drinking pretty hard

"How many drinks did you have on Dec. 28?" asked the court. "Now, you know I never in my life

"What do you drink?" asked the "Any old thing that makes modrunk," was the reply. Burwell explained that he had bought a 22-calibre revolver to give his sister for Christmas. It cost him \$7, he said. and the man who sold it gave him two boxes of cartridges. He admitted flourishing the revolver in the barroom of the Hotel Windsor, and said

James had taken it away from him, because James thought he was drunk Wasn't Drunk, Though. Witness did not consider that he was drunk.
Mr. C. C. James, in the box, said that Burwell was showing a revolver in the barroom, and that he had asked him for it, and Burwell gave it to him to keep. "I want to save you from yourself," The members of the Symphony Club The court told Furwell. "I fear that some serious results may happen, I fear that you might injure yourself.

COL. M'NEILL DIES.

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A Popular Soldier. testants for the deputy reeveship.

Seven are in the field for the six seats

A programme of special interest has been arranged for the next concert,

The article below, copied from the copied from the Jan. 12, open to club members only. Cable News, Manila, Philippine Islands,

Application for membership should be of Nov. 5, will convey the first inforraised in this section, and is still well known in Southern Huron and Northern Sanilac Counties. His father, Mr. James McNeil, now in Lansing, has Misses Regan, I. Blackburn, Broderick. been a resident of Celfax for many years, and three brothers of deceased, Thomas, Fred and William, now live there, all well-to-do and prosperous

As noted in the clipping, Major Me-Neil was a man of fine parts and estimable character, generally ked by acquaintances everywhere. He was a soldier by profession and was a favorite with his army comrades: "Sergeant-Major McNeil, of Com-... ... W. Caven Barron pany E, Twelfth Infantry, died at the post hospital at 6 a.m. yesterday, (a) Irish Love Song ... M. R. Lang gastro enteritis and acute nephritis.
(b) To Anthea ... Hatton The funeral was held yesterday afterneon at 4 o'clock. The band of the Twelfth played for the funera, and each company was represented by two commissioned officers and two squads Mr. Willgoose, Mrs. McCully, E. Feth- and the artillery were also represented in the procession. The funeral was largely attended by the officers, and a very impressive service was conducted

by Chaplain Dallam, of the Twelfth Infantry. "McNeil's home was at Bad Axe, Michigan, where his father. James McNeil lives. He was born in London,

Canada, coming to the United States when a little boy. Twelve Years in the Army. "McNeil had twelve years' service in man who was widely known both in the army, ten years of which were Canada and the States. He was born served in the coast artillery, of which par- in Hamilton in 1848, and was the arm he was a junior grade sergeant-the fourth son of the late Hugh Vallance, major. He served in the Spanish-

"McNeil was a finely-built man disposition. He leaves a widow. The height, and was often spoken of as being one of the finest-looking soldiers in the regiment. He was well liked by every man in the regiment, and was undoubtedly one of the most deservedly popular men in the organ-"The men of the company desired

to purchase a handsome set piece of flowers, for the funeral, but none could be procured in time. On account of procured for the services. "Company E was on guard yesterday WENT VIA BUFFALO at the time of the funeral, but as each man requested permission to attend, the company was relieved, in

TO THE PRIVY COUNCIL

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Dec. 30.-Leave to appeal to ern points for milling and export were the Privy Council was given this to American points were 19.611.216 were disqualified by a decision of the bushels, of which 17,377,154 bushels supreme court last week declaring it had been illegal to pay the expenses of Mayor Payette and Clerk Bauset to the Champlain celebration in France. Toronto, Ont., Dec. 29. - Ten days If the privy council agrees with the

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LONDON, THURSDAY, DEC. 30.

-V. E. Marentette & Sons.

GLADSTONE.

The hundredth anniversary of the birth of William Ewart Gladstone was enthusiastically commemorated yester-"little peoples" of Eastern Europe, the their good angel in the days of their op year has been notable for the centenary celebrations of Darwin, Lincoln, Ten-Gladstone—a constellation names. There is a deep between Gladstone and Lintheir ideals and their achievethe aristocratic atmosphere of Oxford, other in the backwoods of Kentucky, but they became alike in their hatred of oppression, their pas- with those of another progressive sion for humanity, and their trust in Unionist, Mr. Ellis Barker, a German the instincts of the common people, who has become a naturalized Eng-Both did their noblest work in the lishman, even to the extent of Angli-When he took up the cause of Ireland, in obedience to the sense of justice which burned in him like a to convert their own party before it flame, he severed life-long ties and can be said that there is such a thing will have to go to a landscape painter was merely a shallow watercourse made they are only faint indications of the broke with the remnant of his patrician support. No man in England was more reviled or detested by the section which Gladstone himself described as the "upper ten thousand." In Morley's will be found his arraignthis class at a time when it was befriending Turkey, while Glad-

"From this body there has never last half-century have contributed qualities. so much to the fame and happiness of England. They did not emancipate the Dissenters, the Roman Catholics, and Jews They did not reform the parliament. They did not liberate the negro slave. They did not abolish the corn law. They did not take the taxes off the press. They did not abolish the Irish established church. They did not cheer on the work of Yet all these things have been than theirs, and despite their oppo-

denunciations of the Bulgarian mas-

The successors of Gladstone must fight the same enemy. In this they are obeying his last political testament. Fifteen years ago he warned were deprived of its absolute veto power. Timorous counsels prevailed at the time, but the Liberal party has been forced into Gladstone's position article of their creed. Happily, howby the logic of circumstances. It has ever, the idea of learning for learning's seen nearly the whole work of a Liberal House of Commons for four years contemptuously destroyed by the representatives of the upper ten thouhas also been entirely converted to his view that England owes Ireland self-government as a reparation for centuries of wrong and op-

Time has vindicated every one of Gladstone's great policies. The voice of detraction is being silenced by the verdict of history. His figure is growing greater with the years, and dwarfs rivals and contemporaries in the pub-

SIR GILBERT PARKER ON THE LAND QUESTION.

Sir Gilbert Parker, in the current Fortnightly Review, discusses the land gressive unionist. The land, he says, has been too much the victim of a vas," was the reply. certain narrowness of thought: without reason it has come to be regarded as a luxury, as something apart from the stern activity of a nation working

While trade and been growing, agriculture has been declining, and Great Britain has every year become more dependent on for- theus Unbound'?" eign countries for food. While the general population has been increasing, the fields have been drained of men, and the result is the nation is deprived of the source from which it has drawn its real strength, its homely permanent vitality. All schools of political thought see the direction in which the solution must be sought-by placing the people back upon the land, by increasing the number of holdings, by the development of intensive cultivation. But here they part company, irreconcilably divided on the question rox.

As a true Unionist, Sir Gilbert does ments will never stand for it." not believe the remedy lies in "communal purchase" and occupation and state landlordism, but sees real reday by his fellow-countrymen. The ferm in small ownership, land banks ership alone, he admits, will not aid Armenians and Montenegrins honor- in repopulating the countryside; it ed in their own way the man who was must be accompanied by co-operation and credit. He refers to what has been accomplished in other countries Greece, too, raid homage to through co-operation in agriculture, the memory of the great Phil-Hellen- which provides associations, without bowed before his shrine. The present the farmer, if he be honest, can obtain Paris)-Have you ordered? credit on personal security at the low-

Sir Gilbert believes that small ownership would kindle the ambition and do I know? stimulate the energy of the people of the soil, give them an honorable and Both were emancipators. Lin- ings, save them from the bitter necescoln freed the slaves of the republic; sity of expatriation, or the more more than any British statesman of wretched life of the overcrowded the child with the aid of a stethoscope. the nineteenth century Gladstone freed dwellers in the towns. Organized comhis countrymen from the shackles of bination, he believes, would enable abuses. One was reared in them to meet and overcome the many difficulties of the hard struggle which the child's reply. modern conditions demand as the price

> Elzbacher. But with Lord Lansdowne declaring that the Unionist peers will nead. The first fasts only until the next meal; the second while you are near him; never consent to a policy of using the the third forever. public money to put landless men on the land, it looks as though Sir Gilbert Parker and Mr. Ellis Barker will have as a Unionist land policy.

A vote for the garbage removal bylaw is a vote for a clean city.

The ratepayers should put the Kan., said: "If they would jack the latest Niagara power bylaw under- whistles up and put new engines under

How the high protectionists of Canada and the United States must laugh stone was shaking England with his in their sleeves at the Chamberlain fairy tale that a tariff of 10 per cent will cure all Great Britain's troubles!

Gladstene won immortality by caron any occasion within my memory rying his conscience into public life. I frequently wake up and hear my wife's proceeded the impulse that has Other British statesmen have done prompted, and finally achieved, any this, but none of his contemporaries of the great measures which in the had the same combination of great

Police Magistrate Love doesn't agree with the Toronto judge who decreed indulge." that cigars were a drug. Whether it is judicial or not, the magistrate's decision is a judicious one in this great judge was referring only to Toronto good deal by watching my game.

The great Liberal Moderate, Sir Ed-Italian freedom and reconstitution, ward Grey, says that the hereditary element must be eliminated from the done, and done by other agencies House of Lords. This "Socialistic, hysteria" will bring down upon him Enpeck. the wrath of the Toronto Mail, the grown we have a commission form of partment. I hear such nice things Hamilton Spectator, and the London Free Press, What would England be to them without the hereditary peers:

> President Schurman, of Cornell, throws the cold water on the study of modern languages, and the classics. Anything that doesn't directly help a man to make a living is tabooed even by many so-called educationists. The chief end of man is to improve his circumstances, not himself, is an sake has not wholly died out.

EXPLAINED.

[M. A. P.] Vicar (severely)-I was surprised and sorry, Mrs. Smith, to observe that your husband walked out of church in the middle of my sermon last Sunday. Mrs. Smith-Oh, you really must ex cuse him, sir; 'e's a somnabulist, and

HOW THE GERMAN BLINDED HIM.

walks in 'is sleep, you see.

[Philadelpiha Times.] J. Campbell White, secretary of the lay men's mission movement, during his work being put upon production by agreefor missions, had had some queer experiences, but one he had in a mining camp in Montana some years ago gives him much amusement when he reverts to the conspicuous of his from home. He was illiterate, and no one

the man from the banks of the Rhine clapped his hands over Mr. White

ed Mr. White, after he had been able question from the standpoint of a pro- to free his ears from the fellow's palms.

NEW YORK'S LITERARY GIRLS. [New York Sun.]

young man who said he'd never if he liked Trollope, was outdone the other day in a Fifth avenue book store. A girl of 17 came in and asked the clerk "Prometheus," by a man named Kelley or Sheets, or something like that. "Oh," said the clerk, "Shelley's 'Prome-

"Yes," replied the girl "that's it. But if you please, I'd rather have it bound. It's so easy to lose the pages, you know,

NEXT TO NONE. [Illustrated Bits.]

Hardup-There was a time when people ised to say that I had more money than brains, but they can't say that now. Wife-Why not? Hardup-Because I've come down to my Wife-Well, you've still got a shilling

[Washington Evening Star.] "What do you think of that English notion of abolishing the House of Lords? "It's an outrage," answered Mr. Cum-"It's worse than bankruptcy. It's repudiation. We American millionaires who have made big matrimonial invest-

CHANCE FOR ANANIAS II.

[Lippincott's.] If some bright genius only would Invent a brand new story For married men who stay out late, He'd pave his way to glory.

A MEAN INSINUATION. [Boston Transcript.]

Lawyer-Yes, and where were you? Witness-Sir

WAITING TO FIND OUT.

Cincinnati Tourist (who, for the first time has just entered a restaurant in St. Louis Tourist (who has reached the table some minutes before, and who looks up from a French bill of fare)-Yes. Cincinnati Tourist-What did you order?

WHAT THE DOCTOR DID.

Gustave Ullyatt has a little daughter who hasn't been well recently. The other day a physician was called to the Ullyatt home to see her. He examined When her father came home that evening he asked what the doctor had said. "Nothin'," replied the little girl. What did he do?" asked Mr. Ullyatt. "He just telephoned me all over," was

DUE TO HIS BUSINESS. [Baltimore American.]

"So you discovered a cab driver who Well, what sort of writes poetry? "Naturally, he's a hack writer."

THE THREE WAYS. [Judge.]

There are three ways to reach a man-

IN THE WRONG SHOP Meggerdorfer Blatter.

Lady-I would like you to paint my portrait with my hat on. Painter-Good gracious, madam, you

SLIGHT REPAIRS NEEDED.

[Kansas City Star.] Discussing the Central Branch lo tives, an old railroader in Frankfort, them, they would have some good engines.

THE MEANEST JANITOR.

[Chicago Record-Herald.] A South Side man claims that the janinever gives us enough steam during the said the complainant, "and at night teeth chattering on the bureau.

KNOWLEDGE HIS GUIDE.

St. Louis Star.1 "Do you believe that spirits talk and reveal secrets? "Unquestionably. That's why I never

HANDED HIM ONE.

[Life.] Kitty Quicktongue-No, thanks. I never could profit by other people's mistakes.

THE LATEST IN HOME RULE. [Washington Herald.]

up, now. Who's the head

your family?" "But since my daughters are

WANTED TO KNOW. [Somerville Journal.]

Lawson-He is going to give her an mbrella for a Christmas present. Dawson-Are they engaged or mar-Lawson-Married. Why?

Dawson-Oh, I just wanted to know whether he will pay \$7 for it or \$1 50.

POOR WOMAN. [Judge.]

My dear wife's memory is bad-I tell this with regret; For she remembers everything She really should forget.

DULL TIMES IN JAPAN

rice following a bounteous harvest.

Waiting for Owner

Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 30.-Twentyfive thousand dollars is lying in the "Dot letter vas from mine girl. I hold safe of the German Hospital, awaiting your ears so you don't hear vat in it the finding of heirs to the estate of Mrs. Tindel, who died at that institu-

tion of apoplexy. The money was in large bills, concealed in Mrs. Tindel's clothing, and eaten any, to somebody who asked him was brought to light, together with

her will, after her death. Apoplexy claims hundreds of victims r. Yet apoplexy is but an advanced stage of blood poisoning which manifests itself in headaches and backaches. Very frequently the

cause is constipation. Such a case as the above shows the importance of keeping the bowels active, the kidneys regular, the skin healthy, so that the blood will be always pure and rich.

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FRENCH TREATY IN EFFECT FEB. 1

Ottawa, Dec. 29.-Ratifications for the Franco-Canadian treaty are being exchanged, and it was announced today that the treaty would come into effect on Feb. 1, a month later than originally

CORRESPONDENCE

The Money Bylaws.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: In a few days the property owners of our city will be called on to say whether we will add another mortgage on our my maid was in my boudoir arranging city of \$160,000. In wonder will this never end until we are totally bankrupt. What would happen to any firm or individual if they would keep heaping on debt as our city has been doing? Ruin and disaster would be inevitable. Is it not a fact that over one-quarter of the city's income is needed to pay interest on deentures at present.

Now let us see what this \$160,000 is wanted for. First, for placing some o hydro-electric wires underground, still leaving a whole host of them on poles above the streets, and if poles are needed for the wires through the city, as it seems they are by the number of them recently set up, why should \$70,000 more be spent to put part of them underground?

Would it not be better to wait a few years to see how the enterprise is going to pay? In my opinion the Niagara power scheme is costing the city too much already, without putting on us such a large sum before it is known whether it will pay or not. After some time, if it is found to be a paying business, then let the profits from it put the wires underground, the same as the other companies ave to do at their own expense As for the \$60,000 asked for storm

sewers: I would say that whoever was responsible for making holes in the streets for running the water into the sewers in the time of rainstorms, had, to say the least, not much common sense I am sure we have all seen thunderstorms that washed sand and dirt off the streets into those holes until they were closed rubbish: then the water had make its way to the river as it did before through his stomach, his heart or his we had any sewers. Indeed, the natural head. The first lasts only until the next drainage of our city is so good that in what they learned, but to extending a few minutes after the ran is over it is all gone. But what sand and rubbish goes into those manholes before they are partly closed is enough to put the sewers out of business in the near future. Then there will be a job cleaning them out. paid her own substitute. These are a What then? Should we spend \$60,000 for storm sewers? Certainly not; for if there but like bubbles on the top of a pot at some of the street crossings, all the heat beneath, the ardent zeal they water would run off to the river and bring to their work. That the result creeks, as it did before there were any is high efficiency is shown by the sewers, and as it has to do in West fact that the whole six of the assist-London and other streets where no sew-lants trained in London in that year

As for the garbage plant which we are asked to vote \$30,000 for: I do not quite which the board is trying to quench understand what the garbage is. Is it all by the unkind and undeserved treatkinds of refuse that we see on a public ment which has been meted out to dump, such as old tinware, ashes, wire, etc., or only such things as will burn,

the kitchen, etc.? will be have to pay for the taking of it of their garbage, will it not be taken alone have to pay all the bills? I for one tion before I vote even for the garbage A CITIZEN. London, Dec. 29.

Does Enthusiasm Pay?

Not long ago a member of the said that he seemed unable to enthuse certainly recognized the importance in fault as when he makes another item a teacher of that rare faculty-the read: "Increase for five teachers, \$150. power to inspire love of his subject. The value of this power cannot be set down in dollars and cents, and when it is found it should be appreciated far beyond the salary paid. The board "My wife used to be," admitted Mr. did very wisely in retaining Miss Macabout her management and the pride her girls take in their work that feel the \$200 extra would have to be multiplied several times to compensate the city for her loss.

Why not apply the same principle

stand as regards that unpurchasable tion have furnished the quality-enthusiasm? A few days ago the characters for numerous plays, but I quoted from the inspector's report "The Lost Trail," by Anthony E. Wills, regarding the teachers as a whole. It which comes to the Grand tonight, and also contains complimentary references seen in all the principal cities of the to the courses of lectures and the work of the Mothers' Clubs, both of which excellent features were inaugurated by the kindergartners. In the clubs they have tried to arouse in the mothers more thought about the right with some very successful operas bringing-up of their children, some- Since her initial visit here she has been thing much needed. In the lectures a strong favorite and with three per Tokio, Monday, Dec. 26.—The eco- they have given, at considerable finan- formances to be given of "Marcelle" nomic situation in Japan at present is cial risk to themselves, an opportunity on Friday, Saturday and Saturday not favorable, and its looked-for re- for culture and literary enjoyment vival has not arrived. As a result the depression in manufacturing is great, and great agricultural sections throughout the island are gloomy. This is primarily due to the low price of Ross once happily characterizing them tend the theatre on Friday night to as "the literary elite of London." More "See the old year out and the new year The weaving industry is particularly than this, the kindergartners had dur-in." hard hit by this depression, a limit is ing the year courses of lessons from tion, with all the beautiful scenery and ment among the weavers. Immediate release from this embarrasisment is not looked for in accounting accounting the second of the control of th looked for in economic circles, but on games, and Miss Cronise, of the Chiaccount of the fact of a magnificent cago kindergarten, in brush work and story. There was a German immigrant in the camp, who had received a letter gether with the recovery of the bal-

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the benefits to others. Miss Laidlaw visited the schools of England entirely at her own expense. The board merely granted her leave of absence, but she few things that show their enthusiasm, passed the departmental examination

them, as well as by compelling them to work under conditions in which e. g., paper, wood and all refuse from they will be greatly handicanned. Trustee Graham recently published tor of the flat building in which he lives tor of the flat building in which he lives place for the disposing of the garbage, city of the proposed change. Among the management is the proposed change and the proposed change are the proposed change. the items is this: Three teachers left, from our premises? If a majority on any \$1,400. Of these three, two are kinderstreet refuses to petition for the removal gartners who have taken post graduate courses in Chicago at a cost of away? And will the owners of property \$600 each, not including the loss of their salaries for the time required. would like more light on the above ques- So highly esteemed were they that one of them is now teaching in that city at a salary of \$120 a month. The other will doubtless have no reason to regret that her spirit was too high to permit her to apply to the London board When Mr. Graham considers their going a gain to the city, he shows that board of education, criticizing a teacher he is not fit to be intrusted with our educational interests, that he has no Conceited Bridge Player-Come hers his class. Whether the criticism was conception of the real value of things, cigar centre. Perhaps the Toronto and sit by me, Kittie. You can learn a justified I do not know, but the trustee and that his figures are as much at

that is \$50x5-3150. AN INTERESTED PARENT. London, Dec. 30



"The Lost Trail" Tonight. The far west and the pioneers who to the kindergartens? How do they opened that great territory to civilizafound homes there before railroads United States and Canada the last four seasons, is said by critics to be one of the best of this class.

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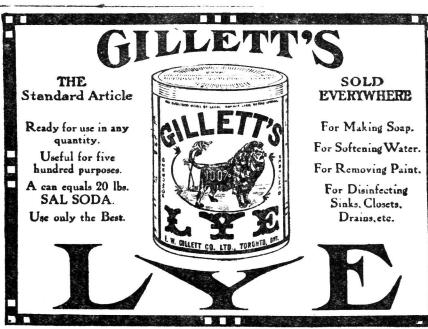
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A Sudden Thaw May Cause a Disas-

trous Inundation. Pittsburg, Dec. 30. - Pittsburg is The official measurements of the threatened with one of the worst snowfall during the past two weeks is floods of local history, due, so the authorities here say, to the unusual and

length of time, the Allegheny River ice-pack will be broken with a rush the results of which will be incalculably disastrous to all shipping interests and water-front property on the Ohio River points south of here.

flood of 1907 was much less. The river is now at a six-foot stage severe weather conditions of the past and Pittsburg experienced zero weafrom home. He was illiterate, and no one in the camp understood enough German to read the letter to him. He was, of course, overjoyed to learn that Mr. White course, overjoyed to learn that Mr. Whit

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MADAME'S WARD

BY PAULINE BEVERLY.

"No, thanks." He shook his shoulder free from my hand. "It is her hangs in the library—the portrait of especial wish never to speak to me Dorothy Chavasse?" again, you say, and I promise you that I'll respect it. There—let me go, Ned; it will do no good to stand palavering it will do no good to stand palavering "You remember her story—you told "You remember her story—you she

detain him, "you could tell her what broke her heart and died when she 'you going to the Mount?"

"I could have done," he returned, cause her lover played her false—don't ternly; "but now—no!"

"I was, but now that I have cause her lover played her false—don't perhaps it is not necessary."

"Well, I wouldn't, if you."

The next moment he was gone, and I heard the rapid tramp of his feet grow fainter and fainter on the frost-bound nath cutside. It I have the rest of t noisy, glittering ballroom I must go, or Madame's keen eyes would be quick to detect my absence. I went back, "What of it?" I asked, and then ularly troubled and worried expressions. private ideas on the subject had cer- what you have done?" people had taken their departure, led don't believe me—look!" by the party from Rexborough Chace. She held up one little

it was Natalie. She was not looking managed to saysallow or haggard her little dark face was to the full as brilliant as it had been at the beginning of the evening, and her eyes shonel ike stars. But there was a curious tremor about her lips as she looked at me which made me wonder too.

leaves, bright blossoms, and swinging, winkling, colored lamps.

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PATTERN DEPARTMENT. LONDON ADVERTISER, turned out before twelve, though

"Ned, you know that picture that

here if we talk till doomsday."

"You remember her story—you told it to me one day, you know—how she

bound path outside. If I had followed | "Nothing. But I said-didn't I?own inclination. I should have that she was foolish to do that, and rushed off after him; but I knew that what girls did nowadays was to for-

wishing the ball and all belonging to suddenly clasped her arm. "Nat, you it a thousand miles away. But my don't mean-you can't-that that is

She held up one little brown hand: was thinking how sallow and haggard most of the girls looked, when I felt the touch of a cold hand on mine, and looked round with a start to see that it was Natalie. She was not looking

"Who dared put that there-St. "Not St. George,"

"Who, then?" "Fraser Froude."

\md it means-"

do it-I did not think I should be able, retary for the Canadian council and the various classrooms, laboratory, investigated. There were three mur-I wonder if he will know that I co-operate with the Stratford commit- of the various classrooms, laboratory, ders during the year, four homicides, I wonder if he will know that a co-operate with the Strationa committee, and the infirmary to their special related and thirteen infanticides. Fifty-seven just in time to prevent her from fall- tee at Woodstock tonight. ing to the ground in a dead faint.

CHAPTER XXIX.

Of all the miserable mornings I remember commend me to the morning after that unlucky ball. A thaw had

vious night with mademoiselle. I scarcely need say that I was going ington," said Professor Wrong, "has a to Redpots, though what I should say more difficult task in some respects to Roger when I saw him I had not than any other diplomat here - had the faintest idea; but see him I cer- serves two nations, not merely one. In tainly must. His white face and angry theory the King still rules; in fact he eyes had haunted me all night-poor has no political power and the prime old fellow!—and had banished sleep, minister rules. In theory Canada is a tired as I was. Somehow, I thought, colony; in fact she is an independent general wear, whether at home or at desperately, I would set things right nation." general wear, whether at home or at desperately, I would set things right business than the rather plain shirtwaist. In spite of that mad climax to which the complimented the United States trial for Charles W. Morse, who is business than the rather plain shirtwaist. In spite of that mad chimax to which It may be made of linen or madras, or Nat had contrived to bring them. I on her policy in the Philippines, and now in the Tombs under sentence for Nat had contrived to bring them. I declared that eventually Canada hoped having violated the national banking which it may be attached. The essential little less than mad when she accept- to make similar advances outside her laws. The motion for a new trial was since the scene in the conservatory. He advocated greater stringency of which convicted him was laxly guardeasy to keep pressed if made of woollens. Since the scene in the conservatory, and advocated greater stringency of which convicted him was laxly guard-scene a model is here shown, with its when her shriek as she fainted had divorce laws for this country, explained, and had been allowed to drink ex-

PATTERN DEPARTMENT OF THE diamond upon her finger on the pre- helping mold it to fit modern condition of sentence. Martin W. Littleton, clined to think that the whole thing "Mr. Gladstone," declared the amhad been plain and tangible enougha thing there was no mistaking. And

> with his crowning stroke. I was half-way down the High street, trudging along with my head down, as much in sheer depression as to keep the rain and sleet out of my eyes, when I ran against someone, and, of course, halted abruptly, to find that I was just abreast of Haddon's, the tailor's, and that I had nearly knocked

doorstep. CAUTION—Be careful to inclose above flustration and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is bust measure, you need only mark 32 34, or whatever it may be. When in waist measure, 22, 26, or whatever it may be. If a skirt, give waist and length measure. When misses or child's pattern, write only the figure representing the age. It is not necessary to write "inches" or "years."

Patterns cannot reach you in less than one week from the date of order. The price of each pattern is 10 cents in cash or the price of each pattern is 10 cents in cash or "Pretty well I think None of well and the price of the little damsel's victims, and I pitied him, although he was not Roger. "What vile weather, isn't it?"

Patterns DEPARTMENT. "You didn't see me!" he said, laugh-"Pretty well, I think. None of us

over Raby St. George upon his own

What can you expect after keeping up until 5 o'clock? It was guite that Three Fatalities Yesterday After= hen you went, wasn't it?"

"Past, I think. How is Miss Orme?" "That's more than I can say, for I aven't seen her." "It was very strange she

faint," he said, anxiously. "Oh, I don't know!"-and I turned straight and eagerly at me. "She's a delicate little bit of a thing after all I couldn't have done it! She'll be

"I was, but now that I have met you "Well, I wouldn't, if you'll excuse my saying so. They're sure to be done up, you see—in fact, I wonder they

came out, and I dare say she won't." | Ine second case was that of James came out, and I dare say she won't." | B. Griffith, of Rockwood, an eastern "I wanted to see her," he said, hesithat would never do. Back to the hot, get as soon and as easily as they had tating, and looking away from me

sion.

(To Be Continued.)

LAYMEN'S MEETINGS

Held During January.

morrow, and then perhaps he will be Rev. H. M. Clarke will locate in the morning, didn't 1?" Her wild will meet the Stratford committee at quirements. shrick, and I caught her in my arms and Mr. Caskey will meet the commit-

INDEPENDENT IN FACT

In Theory Only Is Canada a Colony, Says Professor Wrong.

New York, Dec. 20.-Prof. G. M. taken place in the night, and the ruts Wrong, of the University of Toronto, of the lane leading from Chavasse to before the American Historical and Whittlesford were transformed from American Political Science Association hard ridges to a mass of soft black declared that Canada, to all intents and spongy mud. A cold drizzling rain was purposes, was a free country and could coming down too, chilling me to the break her ties with the mother counbone as I plodded along. It was rather try without a struggle with the people

"The British ambassador at Wash- sion.

my mother herself seen her, for Nat's Ambassador Bryce's address on "Redoor was locked against all comers, cent English history and its constituand Valla, when she stolidly presented tional aspects," was largely devoted to herself, would say nothing but that her a tribute to the late William E. Gladonment in the federal prison at Atlanta,

At Ottitz, near Ratibor, a clay now I was on my way to Redpots to figure, representing a nude female stone age dwelling. The figure is

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ST. DAVIDS YOUNG MAN DEAD BESIDE TRACK

Killed by Train and Body Lies in the Snow All Night.

Niagara Falls, Dec. 30. - Charles Stewart, sectionman, found the frozen body of a man along the G. T. R. tracks, four miles west, at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The body has been identified as that of Arthur Bell, aged 25 years, son of Joseph Bell, fruit grower, St. David's, who started to walk the track and had presumably been hit by some train at night, there being a large hole in the head. The body evidently had lain alongside the track most of the night, as it was covered with snow.

HANDS COVERING EARS; DIDN'T HEAR EXPRESS

noon in Hamilton and Vicinity.

Hamilton, Dec. 30-Since 5:30 o'clock away from his eyes as they looked vesterday afternoon there have been no less than three fatalities requiring investigations by three coroners. and look how she danced! By Jove, Rubis, a foreigner, who lived at 408 Inkerman avenue north. While workright enough after a good rest. Are ing at the steel plant, a load of slag fell on him, completely burying him. His comrades made frantic haste to dig him out, and had nearly uncoverappeared at all. Nat hadn't when I out, and an inquest will be held.

The second case was that of James suburb of the city. He was walking along the G. T. R. tracks, and it is supposed that he had his hands cover ing his ears to keep them from freezing. He was overtaken by an express, Somehow I began to wish that St. Somehow I began to wish that St. Cleorge had not been on the doorstep and his mangled body was found at 7:30.

else. But now he had so obviously something else to say that I could not something else to say that I could not and an inquest will be held to see if Standing by the conservatory door, I something glittered upon the third in common politeness help stopping to her death was due to natural causes. Little is known of the woman.

DENTAL PEDAGOGICS

A Series of Eight Conferences To Be Professors From All Over America Gathered at Toronto.

Toronto, Dec. 30.—The laymen's Toronto, Dec. 29.—The Royal Colmissionary movement is planning a lege of Dental Surgeons, at its formal enter with greater consideration upon series of eight conferences to be held opening today by the lieutenant-goverthe work of extending the kingdom of you sleep"-you're O. K. in the A. M. in cities in Ontario through January nor of Ontario, Hon. J. M. Gibson, was "It means that I have accepted him," and February, and the programme fortunate in having present at the "Ned, I have something to say to ou."

"What is it?" I asked, trying hard to suddenly her cold fingers gripped mine suddenly her cold fingers gripped mine tightly. "Ned, I shall not break my the first meeting will be held at portant institutions devoted to the fook at her as coldly as I felt; but it lightly. Nea, I shen not be able Stratford Jan. 6 and 7, and the one teaching of dental surgery in all to laugh now when he thinks of it, following will be at Woodstock Jan. America, and who are now in the city "Come in here," she returned, draw-will he? It is a good thing I am brave. 12 and 13, and then at Guelph Jan. 18 as delegates to the seventeenth annual meeting of the Institute of Dental and 19. Pedagogies. The delegates sorry. He looked a little sorry to- stratford for a week preceeding the new building at 2 o'clock in the after- report for the year 1909, made public By the side of a huge broad-leaved night, I think. I was glad I could conference, and act as executive seeexotic she stopped, and stood looking do it—I did not think I should be able. retary for the Canadian council and of the vertices abundance of the equipment and the adaptability investigated. There were three mur-

> laugh went off into a sudden shrill noon today, and the Rev. C. Manning Hon. Dr. Pyne, the minister of education, said that the success of any in prison, institution of learning depended upon the teachers, and he mentioned the name of Dean Willmot as one who had done much to bring the Royai College

Dr. Ellison Hillyer, New York, presigogies, said that the new college was and several people were killed outthe most magnificent building, the right, best equipped, he personally had ever seen, and he congratulated the uni- greater than for any previous year in versity, the city, and the Dominion at the city's history. large on its erection.

The address of the afternoon by Dr. bone as I plodded along. It was rather try without a struggle with the late in the afternoon—close on 4 of Canada hardly knowing a change of dentistry in the University of saving feat during a recent storm. The Pennsylvania consisted of an o'clock—but the household at Cha- had been taking place.

Vasse had been sleepy that morning. "But we have no intention of doing cloquent plea that the pedagogical der the fishing craft, of which the methods used in the teaching of denand instead of the usual 9 o'clock so." declared the speaker. "John Bull methods used in the teaching of denbreakfast, that meal was still proceed- is an old fellow with a lot of money to tal surgery should be so applied as to ing in different parts of the house invest, and Canada is a young man direct the student's attention not simwhen I departed. Indeed I had left with a growing business and no capitol The result is that we need each to the higher ethical principles inlifting the boat and holding it above Madame sipping a cup of chocolate in tal. The result is that we need each to the higher ethical principles in-

IT'S JAIL FOR MORSE

Must Begin at Once To Serve Sen tence of Fifteen Years.

New York, Dec. 29.—Judge Hough of the United States circuit court, this brought Madame in at the head of a ing the necessity of parliamentary cessive quantities of intoxicating liquors during the course of the trials and the period of its deliberations.

Mr. Morse will now have to begin sleep. But for that great glittering stitution, and his notable work in for a further move to postpone execuwas a fabrication, spoken in half-hy-bassador, "was the principal of the offices it was stated that an appeal the convicted banker's attorney, could would probably be taken against today's decision of Judge Hough. Littleton some time ago indicated the add unwillingly to my friend's misery divinity, has been unearthed in a possibility that an appeal from an adverse finding in the United States over 4,000 years old, and is the most circuit court might be taken to the ancient representation of the human ultimate authority of the United States supreme court.

MISSIONS CONVENTION

Five Thousand Delegates to Discuss Foreign Work at Rochester,

Rochester, Dec. 29.-With 5,000 delegates present from all parts of the United States and some from abroad, the quadrennial convention of the students' volunteer movement for foreign missions was scheduled to open in the convention hall for a five days' session. At 8 o'clock this morning the registration of delegates began.

The purpose of the convention outlined, is: 1. To bring together representative



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enterprise, both at home and abroad, for association and conference. 2. To consider unitedly the leading problems of the world's evangeliza-

3. To gain inspiration and a vision Over-eating means extra work for the of the missionary possibilities of the stomach and bowels. You've got to

Canada, and leaders of the missionary

Christ among the non-Christian ma- Tonight's the night to take care of to-

MURDER AND SUDDEN DEATH Over Eight Hundred Cases in Montreal During Last Year.

Montreal, Dec. 29. — A gruesom persons met death by drowning, 38 were burned to death and 22 men died

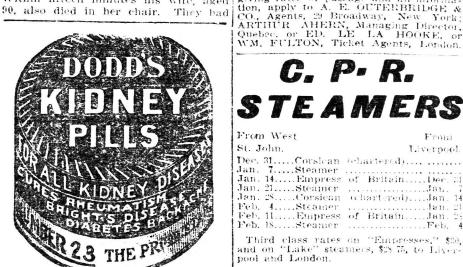
The number of sudden deaths from natural causes was extraordinarily great, 224, while 72 were killed by railof Dental Surgeons to the place it now ber was swelled by the accident at the Windsor station in April last, when a ient of the Institute of Dental Peda- heavy train crashed into the station,

The total for the year is much

NEW USE FOR SUBMARINES. Toulon, Dec. 30.-The submarine don, Ont. masthead alone was above water

TOGETHER IN DEATH.

St. John, N.B., Dec. 29.-At Carlingford, in Carleton County, Richard Kitts, Antigua, Guadeloupe, Demir Everett, aged 80, died in his chair. Demerara. For illustrated pamph within fifteen minutes his wife, aged 190 also died in his chair.





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TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY. SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the east—*3:45 a.m., 10:1 a.m., *11:12 a.m., *11:28 a.m., 6:30 p.m. *8:00 p.m., 10:10 p.m.

Arrive from the west—*12:09 a.m. *3:1 a.m., *11:30 a.m., 1:10 p.m., *4:10 p.m., 6:30 p.m.

p.m., Depart for the east—*12:14 a.m., *3:4 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., *11:40 a.m., 2:0 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:53 p.m.

Depart for the west—*3:55 a.m., 7:40 a.m.

*11:18 a.m., *11:43 a.m., 1:40 p.m., *8:18 p.m. LONDON AND WINDSOR. Arrive-10:25 a.m., 4:00 p.m., *6:50 p.m.

Depart-6:35 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 2:05 p.m. *8:10 p.m. STRATFORD BRANCH. Arrive—\$3:25 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:33 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m. Depart—6:00 a.m., 10:26 a.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Arrive—10,00 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:50 p.m.

Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. Frive from the east-*11:25 a.m., †6:3 p.m., *7:12 p.m., *10:52 p.m.

Arrive from the west-*4:45 a.m., †12:3 p.m., *5:35 p.m. Depart for the east—*4:55 a.m., †7:4 a.m., †12:45 p.m., *5:42 p.m.

Depart for the west—*11:33 a.m., †7:4 p.m., *11:60 p.m., *Daily, †Daily, except Sunday.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY Arrive-6:55 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 5:10 p.m. Depart-7:20 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:35 p.m.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY. Depart-5:05 am., 77:10 a.m., 9:40 a.m. 2:30 p.m., 73;40 p.m., 47:15 p.m. Arrive-8:45 a.m., 412:20 p.m., 1:50 p.m. **HO P.M., 19120 p.m.

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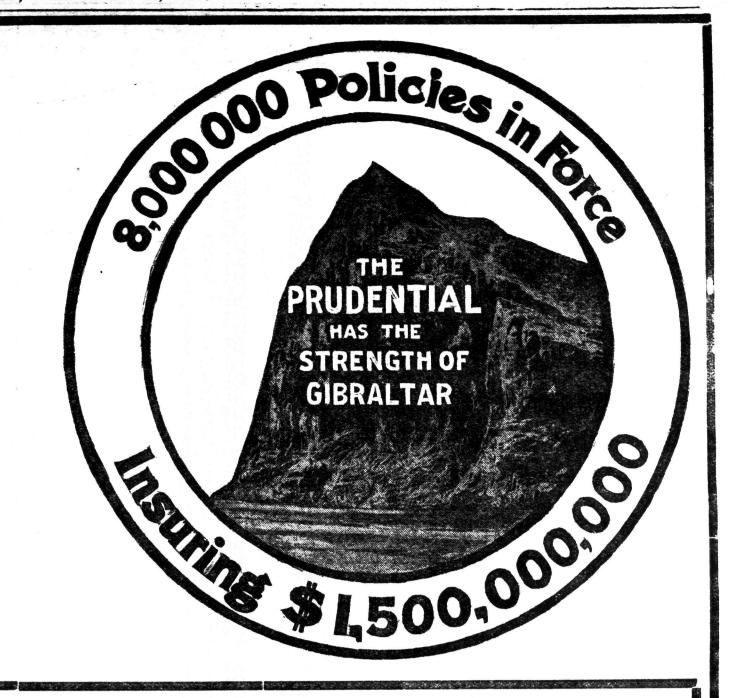
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rlain today made an address to the by 10,000 or 12,000 majority ectors of West Birmingham, in Joseph Chamberlain will dictate the

iberals would not only injure the ness did not keep him, to fight his own Isle of Wight County Press: ciends of England there whose in- campaign. erests were safeguarded by the pres- Though he was howled down at a reas now threatened by foreign naions as never before.

SOME SAFE SEATS.

A special to the Toronto Star says London, Dec. 29 .- The English pof the 668 aspirants, either already ominated or yet to be chosen, for eats in the next Parliament, not more han seventeen are today considered be absolutely certain of election. Of his number nine are Irish Nationalsts and seven Irish Conservatives. The eventeenth is the Right Hon. James owther, speaker of the House of By immemorial custom. the speaker is chosen for life, and conequently entitled to re-election after

Premier Asquith will assuredly win n his old district of East Fife, Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd-George cannot lose Carnarvon, and War Minister Haldane and Foreign Secretary Grey are safe in Haddington and Berwick respectively. The only member of the present cabinet who is in danter is Postmaster-General Buxton of

the London ward of Poplar. Balfour Quite Safe.

Most of the big Conservatives are and Sir Frederick Banbury, the most are absolutely certain of success. They ire the representatives from the orig- time.

nal city of London, a patch one mile square in the heart of the metropolis.

hich he advocated tariff reform and seven Birmingham seats as usual. He Mr. Godfrey Baring, has been addressciprocity with the colonies, and at- will have a contest, however. The Lib- ing quite a number of Primrose cked the budget as placing a heavy erals made the mistake in 1900 of leav- League meetings. At a gathering of the arden of taxation on the people and ing him unopposed. as a result of "faithful" at Ryde, however, Mr. Hall Liverpool, Dec. 29.—Prominent memthe same time increasing the num- which he stumped the country at leis- let himself go, and delivered himself bers of the Grimsby fish trade are ure and did incalculable damage to the of one of the most pitiful declarations about to establish a Grimsby in the The address asserted that home rule Liberal candidates. This time he will that this campaign has yet produced, west. It is intended to develop a Zelaya, self-styled "titular president" r Ireland as is promised by the have to remain at home, even if sick-He said, according to a report in the fishing industry at a new port to be of Nicaragua, arrived in this city yes

nt control, but the danger to all cent meeting in his own constituency form they would have the bloodiest towns of Canada and to the United comed the deposed executive with cries ould be greater since Great Britain of East Worcestershire, Joseph Chamberlain's son Austen is sure, in his ever been seen, (Hear, hear.) It was and it is intended to establish a fish-

> The Labor leaders, Arthur Henderon, Keir Hardie, Ramsay MacDonald, and George Barnes, will win easily

who has already contributed to the gaiety of Devonport, for which constituency he is the Unionist candidate. has had another somewhat disconcerting experience. At a meeting he was addressing things were not going smoothly, and Sir John was a bit irritable. He was dilating upon the "catastrophe" involved in the return of the present Government to power when a voice rang out from the back of the hall; "They certainly will come back." Like a flash the candidate retorted. "I angry. will bet anybody two to one they

In an instant half the persons present were on their feet, eager to accept To the odds. This was a Unionist audience, too. If the "catastrophe" does occur, and the Liberal Government is returned to power. Sir John Jackson gloomily asked his audience to "mark his words." "In ten years," he disequally certain of re-election. Arthur mally prophesied, "England as a man-Balfour, the Conservative leader, ufacturing nation will be below the level of Spain." If his words did not cunning obstructionist in Parliament, come true, "let them remind him of it." But he did not offer to wager this FRENCH TO INSPECT

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Take a Little Diapepsin Now undigested food, nausea, headaches, dizziness, constipation and other stomach Will Feel ach disorders.

Some folks have tried so long to find their minds that they have something that additional troops would be mobilelse wrong, or believe theirs is a case ized. trouble, why don't you keep some of nervousness, gastritis, catarrh of the stomach or cancer. the stomach or cancer.

This, no doubt, is a serious mistake, Your real trouble is, what you eat does not digest; instead, it ferments and partment today gave an emphatic desours, turns to acid, gas and stomach nial to a startling report of a small-Tell your pharmacist to let you read poison, which putrefy in the digestive pox outbreak in the east end, which

trict, and, unlike the erratic outer of Wight Tories. This is perhaps fortu-London, wards, is always Conservative nate for their champion, Mr. Douglas Hall, who is endeavoring to wrest the People of Grimsby, England, Will Deposed Nicaraguan President seat from the present Liberal member.

does not hurt the millionaire, but trawlers will be sent from Grimsby to bleeds the working man." Mr. Mick- establish the nucleus of a fleet. lem asked if a more detestable electioneering falsehood could be imag-

SIGNALLING CLASSES

don during the months of April and

10,000 VOLUNTEERS

NOT SMALLPOX. Hamilton, Dec. 29.-The health de-

the city was accused of hiding to allay

The rumor probably was started by and other distress go in five minutes and other distress go in five minutes and relieves at once such miseries as belching of gas, eructations of gour to try Pape's Diapensin. the seriousness of the measle epidemic.

TO ESTABLISH A FISH PORT IN B. C.

Move Trawlers to Canadian Harbor.

protest against an election song which field, Mr. Thomas Bascomb and Mr.

The C. P. R.'s Plan. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, the presi- Mexican officials among his callers, ined. Then the refrain said that the dent of the Canadian Pacific Railway but the ex-president said that he exInstitute, and that body is conducting and that the end is not far off. The Chancellor of the Exchequer "spoke Company, never arrives on this side rected to see President Diaz within a Chancellor of the Exchequer "spoke Company, never arrives on this side rected to see President Diaz within a a vigorous canvass in her behalf. If cardinal has been unconscious for some he sprang." This sort of thing which but that he has some fresh "information which but that he has some fresh "in he sprang." This sort of thing, which tion" for the eagle-eyed penny-a-liner, sertion made on the train while en was low and infamous, made him The zest with which any statement he route to this city, that he was still may make is taken up is something the head of the Nicaraguan Governwonderful, and his "latest" is that his ment. they will wait for the next trip of the dency. will throw in free transportation as will engage in business in Mexico. The well, and indemnify them against loss character of the business I have not for, say, fifty years! Speaking seri-ously, if a scheme such as outlined vet determined. by Sir Thomas is practicable—and who disturbances throughout Central Toronto, Dec. 29.—It is reported that doubts the potentialities of the Cana-America will be found in the consolution of all the republics. Now is the report was published there that Sir the report was published to the consolution of all the republics. when Lieut.-General French, of the British army, visits Canada next year of 10 000 soltion, because it is stated on fact that friendly intervention with this end in the Prince of Wales, and that the Canrecently when 1,600 small holdings view. I believe that it will be possible adian Prime Minister would probably The camp would comprise all the were offered in England, there were to secure as the head of this proposed accept. It was learned upon inquiry city corp of Western Ontario, as well 35,000 applicants! The writer does not consolidation a good man acceptable from an authoritative source that Sir Some folks have tried so long to find as the rural regiments. General Cotton know whether these figures are corto all."

sia or an out-of-order stomach with stated today that the report was correct; at any rate, they are Sir Thomas.

The trip from Salina Cruz was the common, every-day cures adver- rect as regards the presence of Gen- Whether the scheme is put into oper-eventful. tised that they have about made up eral French, but he had no instructions ation or not, time, of course, will tell -meantime it is an admirable "ad."

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for the Canadian Pacific, and the one

that is, according to the Daily Mail,

if the Canadian Northern and the

ZELAYA AT MEXICO **GRIPS FULL OF GOLD**

Centre of Demonstration by Central Americans.

Mexico City, Dec. 30 .- Jose Santos

named Port Grimsby at the mouth of terday. No Mexican officials met him. "They had a duty to keep their men the Skeena River, British Columbia, A He was, however, greeted by 200 Cenin work. If they did not have tariff re- town is to be linked up with all the tral Americans and Mexicans, who welrevolution in this country that had States by the Grand Trunk Pacific, of "Long live Zelaya," "Long live Mexfather's opinion, of re-election, or it is exactly this state of things that ing centre, with docks, wharves, certain that the elder Chamberlain brought about the French revolution, wholesale fish markets, cold storage, would see him safely taken care of in It was brought about entirely by free salt and coal depots, fish curing, oil, ticeable fact that his arrival was offand fertilizer works, similar to those ticeable fact that his arrival was offi-"Low and Infamous." and fertilizer works, similar to those cially ignored. Zelaya was driven to in existence at Grimsby, Hull and Aberdeen, England. The moving West Herts, has entered an emphatic sprints in Grimsby are Mr. Jas. Schoparette, against a grain and the second and he states the Unionists have been sing-ling in the division. One line, in ref-frontage and existing canneries have erence to Mr. Lleyd-George, was: "He already been secured, and several by guarded throughout the trip. At his hotel Zelava received first a

number of personal friends and then gard, is a candidate for membership the newspaper men. There were no on the board of education.

company intend to make special pro- He said in substance: "I am the tivision for British small holders in the tular president of Nicaragua, and still election is generally looked on as a in this province, 30 below zero being Vision for British small holders in the way of setting aside a number of small farms in Alberta and Saskatche-other of Saskatche-o garrison classes for signalling instruc-tion will be held in Toronto and Lonbut then there are many on this side not acceptable to the people of the inwho are never satisfied, and who say trip of the terior as a candidate for the presiHAS NO INTENTION

PACKING FRAUDS.

Terento, Dec. 29.-Mr. P. W. Hod-'arousing great interest." One wonders gett, provincial fruit inspector, has issued notice that owing to the large suspected of these frauds.

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WOMAN FOR TRUSTEE

Morrisburg, Dec. 30.-Especial terest attaches to the municipal situoccasion, because a woman, Mrs. Win

She has been brought out by the Morrisburg branch of the Women's tonight that their patient was dying weman to serve as a school trustee here, and one of the first in the towns

of Ontario. Being in every way qualified to render good service as a trustee, her cury took a sudden drop last night

OF VISITING S. AFRICA

Sir Wilfrid Likely to Visit the West After Prorogation.

Wilfrid Laurier has no intention of going to South Africa. It is said to be not unlikely that after prorogation the Prime Minister and Lady Laurier will visit the Canadian west.

DOCTOR-MEMBER SUED.

number of frauds discovered in the been sprung in municipal circles by packing and marking of apples and the issuance of a writ against Dr. R some other fruit, the department will H. Parent, French-Canadian candidate new begin the prosecution of parties for board of control, by Mr. A. E. Lussier, barrister, on behalf of Napoleon Gougeon, claiming damages "for ne-

November 2 last, Dr. Parent was calle in to attend his wife, who was seri ously ill. Dr. Parent, it is alleged, did Morrisburg Lady Standing for the not respond to the call. Mrs. Gougeon died, and upon this alleged neglect of professional duty the responsibility of Mrs. Gougeon's death is placed. Dr. Parent says he was not called

and it is a case of mistaken identity.

Rome, Dec. 29.-The physicians in attendance on Cardinal Satcili, forme papal delegate to America, admitted

Winnipeg, Dec. 29.-After remark able fine and comparatively mild spe

wind is shifting south with promiof milder weather.

In disorders and diseases of children drugs seldom do good and often do harm. Careful feeding and bath-

ing are the babies' remedies.

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A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

JOHNSON SHOWS SENSE AT LAST

Once Reckless Spender Will Put Some of His Spare Coin in Chicago Real Estate.

HAS LEFT-HAND WALLOP

Mapping Out Plan of Attack and Defence to Meet Peculiar Style of Jeffries.

Chicago, Dec. 29.-Jack Johnson, although taking a temporary layoff from theatrical engagements, is using his time to good advantage by looking over some property on the south side which he expects to purchase with the proceeds of his fight with Jeffries on July 4. Realizing that he cannot be champion forever, the big black intends to invest some of his money in real estate. He already has purchased a fine home on the south side, and is figuring on several other pieces of property in the neighborhood.

John Says He's Clever.

Jack cannot understand why it is some scople are continually trying to belittle his ability as a fighter. The statements credited to Corbett that Jack has only three good blows, all of which are with his right hand, and that he has not a good wallop in his left, have roused th big black to a point where he claims he will show Corbett and a lot of other people that he is just as clever a fighter and just as hard a hitter as any man ir the history of pugilism.

Fears a Change.

Fearing that Jeffries will change his aghting position from a crouch, the champion says he is trying to figure out just what position Jeff will assume when the fight starts. Realizing Corbett's judgment of fighters, Jack fears the ex-cham-pion will teach Jeff another style of defense, which will make it harder for him

to land effectively.

Jack admitted he had figured out a style of attack which would enable him to land some punishing blows if Jeff as- City Defeated in Second Trial Against sumed the crouching position. Just what this attack was he would not say, but he intimated the fight would not last long if Jeffries fights him as he did the other men he has met.

Never Extended

The fact is admitted by the champion forced him to extend himself. He says

CITY LEAGUE JUNIORS ARE PRACTICING HARD

5t. John's Hockey Players Were Out Last Night-Another Practice on New Year's.

Day from 12 to 1 p.m.

out: B. Woolley, T. Woolley, J. McColl, pursuers were armed with guns, sticks, Fetherstone, Owen, S. Legg, Wright, H. etc., but failed to annihilate the dog Sing, Walden, G. Geogehegan, T. McIn- which was a very valuable one. The dog tyre, A. Callahan and Fetterly

SUSPENSION OF HAYES AND SHEPHERD UPHELD

Registration Committee of Amateur John McEwen Second, and Major Athletic Union Sustains Action of Military League.

Philadelphia, Dec. 29.-Following the Melvin W. Shepherd and Wm. J. Hayes, Club at the Dufferin Park ice track: the registration committee of the Atlantic compete in a local military athletic meet after having agreed, it is alleged, to enter Parker (McPhee) 2 1 2 1

BANTAMWEIGHT CHAMP WILL GO ON THE STAGE

Coulon Announces He Will Start Two EASTERN SKATING ASSN. Months' Theatrical Engagement.

It's a whirl at the Thespian existence for Johnny Coulon, bantam-weight pugilist of the world. Johnny, through his Western Will Be Taken Into Internatheatrical manager, Barney Green, announced last night that after filling one and possibly two fight engagements in the east, he would start out on a tour of an eastern theatrical circuit. He is to be accompanied by Jim Barry, ex-champ of the same class, and the two will give three-round exhibition bouts in connection today amounteed that it had the bound of the same class, and the two will give severed all relations with the Eastern button today. The others will come tion with the show.

after which it is likely he will fill a date n Philade phia about Jan. 22. Following the Philadelphia bout the bantam fighter will make his maiden bow to the public pects to put in about two months the road, and if that looks good and the opportunity presents itself, he may sign another contract, unless a good fight shows up in the meantime.

SCHEER TO BOX ROSS

Detroiter Gets Twelve-Round Go Before Newcastle Club.

Cleveland, Dec. 29.-Tommy Dugan, of Detroit (Freddie Scheer), and Tony Ross. of Newcastle, were matched yesterday to meet in a twelve-round engagement in Home Pitcher Can Spend Interthe Pennsylvania town on Tuesday evening, Jan. 11. Dugan has been doing very little fighting lately, since his trip to the South, and is more than anxious to show his ability in the ring against a fair heavyweight man.

It has been definitely settled that Tommy Kilbane and Eddie Faust will meet in Cleveland on Wednesday evening, Jan. 5. This was decided upon yes-

CLUNE, MAN WHO HELPED FIND SULLIVAN, IS DEAD

He Was the Original Backer of the Former Champion.

Peekskill, N. Y., Dec. 29.-Matthew J. Clune, for many years one of the best known sporting men in the county, is dead at his home here. Clune was one of the first to recognize John L. Sullivan's ability as a fighter, and was the original backer of that famous pugilist before and after the time e was champion of America.

AMERICAN AND BRITISH POWER BOATS TO RACE

Challenge of Englishmen Is Accepted-Two Bdats Coming.

New York, Dec. 29.-The Motor Boat Tlub of America has accepted the challenge of the British Motor Boat Club for the international cup, and has notified the British challengers that their entry of two boats will be received. The date fixed for the race is Saturday, Aug. 20, 1910. The course will be selected within the next two weeks.

WOODSTOCK LOSES

Oxford County.

Toronto, Dec. 30. - The action of the City of Woodstock against the County of Oxford for its share of exthat he uses his right to good advantage received its charter as a city, was the Hoosier boy for a 45-round or finish to avoid. the occasion arises; but he dismissed by Chief Justice Mulock battle. Bronson stands ready to meet the claims he can hit just as hard with his yesterday at the close of a trial open- casterner over any old route, and the left. He also asserts he has not met a ed at Woodstock on Oct. 28 last and the coast. in the last four years who has resume in Toronto on the 20th inst. when he fought Tommy Burns and Stan-ley Ketcheil he had the feeling that the the county has a surplus on hand of PRES. LYNCH, GRIFFITH The City of Woestock alleged that people thought he was a big, powerful \$37,000, of which it claimed to be people thought he was a big, powerful \$37,000, of which it claimed to be fellow, and ought to whip fighters who entitled to receive about \$5,000, and AND HEYDLER ARE NAMED were smaller in every way. He said he instituted proceedings for recovery. was content to go along, spar and exchange wallops with his opponents until he found a good chance to put over one of his favorite blows.

Instituted proceedings for two documents of the found agood chance to put over one of his favorite blows. Jack has been doing a little light work that unless Woodstock could show the basement of his residence to keep that the county was in the position | Cincinnati, O., Dec. 30.—President Thos. him in condition. He has completed ar- of a trustee it was unnecessary to J. Lynch and Secretary John Heydler rangement for his training at Ocean offer evidence on any other point and Manager Clark Griffith, of the Cin-Springs, Cal., two months before the Mr. George W. Watson, K. C., for chinati club, constitute the new rules

SANE DOG, MAD MEN

upon dismissed the action.

Flesherton Has an Unusual and 29 THOROUGHBREDS Unnecessary Roundup.

Flesherton, Dec. 30.-A collie dog that A dozen hockey players showed up at had been running and was breathing the St. John's A. C. clubhouse last night hard, caused considerable excitement for practice, all showing good speed for near here. He was observed by a farmer, Stable of Valuable Horses on Patchenthe first time out. Another practice will who supposed he was suffering from be held at Anthistle's rink on New Year's rabies. The dog was chased over four miles, and led the pursuers, who num-The following are requested to turn bered about twenty, to his home. The was not mad, but the men were.

MATTIE CHIMES TAKES FREE-FOR-ALL ON ICE

Brino Third-Parker Copped in Matinee Special.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—The following are the recent action of the Military Athletic results of the second day's racing of the League of Pennsylvania in suspending ice meeting given by the Toronto Driving Free-for-all, purse \$300: divison of the Amateur Athletic Union Mattie Chimes (Tour) 2 1 1 1 Chairman Chadwick at once notified the Major Brino (Hodson) 5 3 3

Matinee special, unfinished: Harry Lee (Farrell)..... 5 2 1 Wiry Stanton (Dryden)...... 4 5 5 3 1 Lou Belle (McDowell) 1 3 6 6 Belle Mason (Lock) 3 1 4 7 5

THROWN OUT OF UNION

tional and Will Divide the Territory.

Chicago, Dec. 29.-The Western Skating Association today announced that it had three members paid up, the Bank of Amateur Skating Association, because of along in due time, and then we should Some Scrap.
Coulon expects to go on with Patsy

Amateur Skating Association, because of have some regular hockey.

This looks like London's year on the ice. There are fast players to burn, Brannigan in Pittsburg about Jan. 10, America, reinstating Edmund Lamy, of and if the city league does not de-Saranae Lake, N. Y., as amateur skating velope some speed merchants there champion of the United States and Can- will be another guess coming. will make his maiden bow to the public ada. Steps will be taken at once to refrom behind the footlights. Johnny exorganize the present territory, as the InKeep a day or two a week species. ternational Union has eliminated the the city league. Eastern Association from the governing bodies of skating

Losing a little box containing half Association to recognize Lamy as an mission, today notified President William to 6. The lineup: Losing a little box containing half amateur, and comply with the ruling, J. Clymer, of the Wilkesbarre team, that Pitcher Egan has been awarded to the local team. Egan is the twirler secured the Western Skating Association to enter the Western Skating Association the Western Skating Association to enter the Western Skating Leonard, near Limoges, announced his loss to the public, appealing for the Western Skating Association to enter from Cincinnati last season and then the return of the money. Finding his the east. Sixty members of the Western traded to Elmira for Levi Knapp. El-

CLEVELAND PARK HAS NEW SCHEME

val Between Innings in the Shelter of Clubhouse.

A TUNNEL WILL BE USED

to Get Players Off the Field

In building its new baseball park, the leveland club plans an innovation that will be welcomed by its home players, and that in inclement weather will give its home pitchers a distinct advantage. The trick is a tunnel from the Cleveland bench to the clubhouse. It was originally designed merely to enable the players, at the close of a game, to reach their dressing-rooms without going through he crowd. Necessity for passing through bunch of spectators is always a nuisance, the fans frequently becoming offensive when a home club has lost tough game, and annoyingly exuberant

Another Use.

But it has been discovered that the unnel can be put to another use. past years, after a pitcher has finished an inning on a cold day, he has been forced to sit on the bench wrapped up n heavy sweaters, so that his arm would not get cold. But on the new Cleveland park, when he is through pitching, in less than ten seconds he can be in the steam-heated clubhouse, and he needs no sweater whatsoever. This is sure to be a to become Jack Johnson's chief spargreat advantage to a pitcher, and valu-

BALDWIN SEEKS FINISH FIGHT WITH BRONSON

able to the club.

Chelsea Lightweight Thinks He Can Take Ray's Measure in Conga

New Orleans, Dec. 29.-Mattie Baldwin. the Chelsea lightweight, who fought Ray champion, at times driving Smith cessive county taxes collected since Bronson, of Indianapolis, to a draw here around the ring with a whirlwind of 1893 up to the time that Woodstock last Sunday afternoon, today challenged blows that the sailor had hard work

Rules Committee of National League Appointed Yesterday-Some Alterations Pending.

Woodstock, objected to be thus restricted, and declined to present any stricted, and declined to present any a series of meetings in New York within argument. Mr. Justice Riddell theretain alterations in the rules of the league. Later these alterations in the rules will be considered by the magnates at their meeting in February

PERISHED IN FIRE

Wilkes Farm at Lexington Destroyed Last Night.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 30.-A stable on the Patchen-Wilkes stock farm, belonging to W. E. D. Stokes, of New York, was lestroyed by fire last night, and 29 valuable thoroughbreds, also the property of Mr. Stokes, were burned to death.

OLD COUNTRY RESULTS

London, Dec. 29.—Several league matches were played yesterday, resulting as follows: First Division.

Notts County 2, Blackburn Rovers 2. Sheffield United 4, Liverpool 2. Bristol 2, Sunderland 3.

Second Division. Barnslev 5. Derby County 1. Birmingham 0, Bradford 1. Lincoln City 0, Leeds City 0.

Southern Division. Luton Town 4. Brentford 2. Brighton and Hove 1, Bristol 0, Coventry 4, Queen's Park Rangers 0. Exeter City 3, Reading 1. Northampton 3, Watford 0. Swindon 7, Norwich City 1.

Wolverhampton 4, Leicester 1. Rugby. Newport 19, Bargarians 0. Swansea 16, Edinburgh University 0. Leicester 12. Penarth 6.

Cliftonville 1, Derry Celtic 0, Belfast 1, Distillery 0 Glentoran 4. Linfield 0.

Shelburne 2, Bohemians

THREE TEAMS PAID UP

Boys Are Practicing Faithfully for the City League Opening.

The City Hockey League has now

boys are practicing faithfully, and Keep a day or two a week open for

EGAN TO WILKESBARRE

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Dec. 29.-Chairman over Listowel, of the Northern League, The persistent refusal of the Eastern Garry Herrmann, of the National com- in an exhibition game, by a score of 15 appeal in vain he took to his bed. Skating Association now in the east will mira tried to retain him, but the commission decided he belonged to Wilkes- wind was found dead there, killed by be used as the nucleus of the new or-

ACTION DROPPED

Wilkesbarre Will Not Contest Case Re Slaving and Ball Players. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Dec. 29.-Manager

Clymer, of the New York State League, ounced today that the suit of Manager McGeehan, of the Allerown club of the Atlantic League, over the purchase of Pitcher Peloquin by Wilkesbarre, had been amicably settled.

The abrupt ending of what promised to be a notable case in baseball was undoubtedly due to the stand taken by the officers of the National Baseball Associaterday by the club where the contest Built From Bench and Was Intended tion, who were against the position assumed by Manager Clymer, who held ed the thirteenth amendment to the United States constitution, which prohibts slavery.

"GUNBOAT" SMITH IN 20-ROUND DRAW

son's Sparring Partner in Fierce Battle.

BURNS HIS OPPONENT

Sailor Had It All His Own Way Till Callum, J. C. Sloan, A. Hill. Bitches, the Twendy when Jack Smith, A. Hill, C. Sanbourn, Bitches, Smith, A. Hill, C. Sanbourn, Bitches, Rallied.

San Francisco, Dec. 30. - "Gunboat" Smith, sailor pugilist, who is scheduled ring partner when the negro goes into training for his fight with Jeffries, lought a 20-round draw with Burns, of Salinas last night, the battle involving the heavyweight championship of the Pacific coast. The fight was one of the fiercest Kelly. ever seen between heavyweights in a

San Francisco ring. Smith led up to the twelfth round, and Burns was Bitches, groggy when he went to his corner. He came back in the thirteenth with rush that carried Smith to the ropes and from that time to the end Burns held his own with the former navy

LONDON WINS FROM WOODSTOCK 18 TO 3

Local Intermediates Look Like Winners in Opening Match of Hockey Season.

Shows Class - Combination Work Won Out.

London opened the local hockey season in the proper manner at the Jubilee Rink last evening, when the intermediate O. H. A. seven dusted the ice with Woodstock in an exhibition game, winning by 18 to 3. The London boys were weak in but one point, and that can easily be remedied. Crossy, at left wing, is out of condition, having been on the ice only a couple of times this winter.

play nicely. Mallen a Wonder. Mallen, an 18-year-old player, who came from Morrisburg this year, was the class of the team, and shot in a Keown, D. Thody, F. Burton. number of goals. On several occa-

Jimmy Orr, at centre, was another speed merchant. He figured in about half of the total scoring. Prodgers was a topnotcher, and did some fast work

Ken Casselman There.

Ken Casselman showed up in usual brilliant manner. In the second half he took the puck the entire length of the ice and put it through for a goal. London shot two goals to Woodstock's one, and at half-time the tally stood 7 to 2. The combination work of Orr, Mallen and Prodgers was unbeatable. Bryce and Thompson, on the Wood-stock team, worked well together, and scored the first for the losers. latter was rough in spots and was penalized for tripping.

The Line-Up.

coverpoint; Bernhardt, cover; Mallen, rover; Orr, centre; Crossy and Car- Dogs, novice—A. L. Klein, Dogs, rothers, left wing; Prodgers, right open—A. L. Klein, H. E. Straitch, A. Woodstock-Prout, goal; Scott, coverpoint; Thompson, cover; Stone, rover; Bryce, centre; Pascoe, left wing; Henry, right wing. The officials were: Archie McMahen, referee; Ken Murray, timekeeper, London; G. Joyce, timekeeper, Woodstock; penalty timekeeper, Web-

O. H. A. PRACTICES

Juniors Will Take the Ice Tonight Ball. Fhom 6:15 to 7:15. The O. H. A. juniors will hold a

practice this evening at the Jubilee Minnes. Rink from 6:15 to 7:15, and every player is expected out in order to get in shape for a match being arranged with the Paris Juniors Insell.

The intermediates will practice either tomorrow or Saturday at noon.

OPENING AT INGERSOLL. Ingersoll, Dec. 29 .- The Ingersoll Intermediates opened tonight with a victory

Ingersoil-Goa!, Laird; point, McLean;

A BULLTERRIER **BEST DOG IN SHOW**

will not contest the right to sell and buy Miss McKeown's Entry Won J. D. Eagan, J. D. Eagan, Bitches, open Thomas Chivington, of Louise Prize When Tickets Were Drawn to Decide Champion.

DRAKE WITHDREW that the sale of a baseball player violat- As He Donated the Cup-Exhibition Was a Record-Breaker-The

> The exhibition of the London Canine and open—Miss Madge. Bitches, puppy and novice—C. Brennan. Open, Miss the city hall, over thirty classes being Madge, 1 and 2. epresented by about 175 entries.

Prize-Winners.

Competition for the best dog or bitch in the show was very keen, the four judges being divided. The award was Man Scheduled to Become John made to Kennilworth Kennels, but having donated the cup, Dr. Drake withdrew his entry. Slips were drawn to decide between Miss McKeown and Mr. Love, the former winning. Following were the prize-winners:

> Brindle Bullterriers. Dogs, puppy-O. Honsmaff, A. Hill, W. T. Suhr. Dogs, novice-S. McCallum, Hill, W. T. Suhr. Dogs, open-S. Mcopen-T. Smith, A. Hill, C. Sanbourn.

Bedlingtons, Dogs, novice-Dr. Campbell Beagles.

Bitches, novice—G. Kelly. ppen-G. Kelly Bloodhounds. Dogs, puppy-Dr. Stevenson. Dogs.

Dogs, open—Dr. H. A. Stevenson, Boston Bullterriers. Dogs, open—R. Oke, J. Ferguson. Bitches, novice—T. White, W. O. Ruse, 2 and 3. Bitches, open—R. Oke,

ovice-Dr. H. A. Stevenson, G. Kelly.

T. White, W. O. Ruse. Collies, Rough. Dogs, puppy-R. McEwan, Dr. Forester, Wm. Scott. Dogs, novice—R. Mc-Ewan, F. H. Laird, V. Bateson, Dogs, open-R. McEwan, Dr. Robinson, F. H. Laird. Bitches, novice—J. W. Laird, Wm. Scott, Miss Armstrong. Bitches, pen-R. McEwan, J. W. Laird, D. and city.

S. Roberts. Cocker Spaniels, Black. Dogs, pupry-M. Jackson. Dogs

Cocker Spaniels, Red. Dogs, puppy—J. Gibson, Dogs, novice—J. Gibson, Dogs, open—J. Gibson, Bitches, novice—J. H. Brooks, W.

H. Holland. Bitches, open—J. Brooks, W. H. Holland. Dalmatians.

English Bulls. and open, J. McCall.

English Setters. Dogs, puppy—W. Smith. Dogs, and, Central Y. M. C. A.; Toronto; novice—W. Smith, A. S. Blackburn, 2 Johnson, unattached, Merritton; Holand 3. Dogs, open-H. Clark and den, West End Y. M. C. A., Toronto; Humpidge, W. Smith. Bitches, pupry- Hewlett, Niagara Falls; Snow, Oshwe-Clark and Humpidge. novice-A. S. Blackburn, H. Clark, G. Stratford; Watts, University

Bowman. English Bull Terriers. Dogs, puppy-G. W. Sherlock. Dogs, novice-G. Burgess, L. Sage, G. W. Crow Carrothers took his place at half- Sherlock. Dogs. open—G. Burgess, L. time, and figured in the combination Sage, G. W. Sherlock. Bitches, puppy T. White, A. Sutton, Duckworth Bitches, novice-Burgess, T. White, A Sutton. Bitches, open-Miss

Foxterrier, Wire-Haired. number of goals. On several octa sions he took the puck through the sions he took the puck through the entire Woodstock team.

Dogs, puppy—I. D. Beatte, J. Grant, H. C. Becher, Dogs, novice—H. E. Mapleton, Dec. 29.—Miss tout and the Beattie, J. Grant, H. C. Becher, Dogs, is visiting Miss Grace Penhale, of St. open—J. Grant, H. E. Beattie, H. C. Thomas.
Becher. Bitches, puppy—Miss Lena Short, Miss B. M. Spry. Bitches, novice —J. J. Biggs, J. Dillon, Miss Spry.
Bray
W. F. Charlton, of Toronto, is the

Dogs, puppy-W. G. Francis. Dogs, novice—Kennilworth Kennels, 1 and 2; Mrs. Westbury. Dogs, open—Kennilworth Kennels, 1 and 2; Mrs. WestWestbury. Dogs, open—Kennilworth Kennels, 1 and 2; Mrs. Westare the guests of their aunt, Mrs. An-In the first four minutes of play, worth Kennels, 1 and 2; Mrs. West- drew Munro, of Brownesville. nels, Kennilworth Kennels. Bitches, Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Cloes, of New novice-Kennilworth Kennels, Blemore Sarum, spent Christmas with the lat-Kennels, Mrs. Westbury, Bitches, open ter's father, Mr. John H. Charlton. -Kennilworth Kennels, Mrs. Westbury, 2 and 3.

Foxhounds, American. Dogs, puppy—C. Deacon 2. Dogs, John Thompson. novice—C. Deacon 2. Dogs, open—C Deacon 2. Bitches, novice-J. W. Mc-

Callum, G. Kelly. Bitches, open, J. W. London-Milne, goal; Casselman, McCallum, G. Kelly. Greyhounds. M. Learn. Bitches, open-A. L. Klein,

> Great Danes. Dogs, novice-Mrs. Geo. Langley. Dogs, open-Mrs. Geo. Langley. Irish Setters. Dogs, novice-Dr. Stevenson, Dogs, open—Dr. Stevenson, Bitches, open—G. Bowman.

> Italian Greyhounds. Dogs, novice—Dr. C. H. Ball, St. Thomas. Dogs, open—Dr. Ball. Bitches, puppy—Dr. Ball, 1, 2 and 3. Bitches, novice—Dr. Ball. Bitches, open — Dr.

Dogs, puppy-H. Lauder, Mrs. Minnes. Dogs. novice-H. Lauder. Bitches, puppy, novice and Harow. Messrs. Dowes and Harow open-L. Collins. Manchesters.

Irish Terriers.

Dogs-puppy, novice and open-G. Newfoundlands. Mrs. Finch. Pointers.

Dogs, novice-W. A. Brock. Dogs, open—W. A. Brock, W. H. Short. Bitches, open—C. A. Love, St. Thomas. Poodles. Bitches, puppy-C. Brennan. Bitches. ovice-C. Brennan. Bitches, open-Mrs. Lockray, C. Brennan.

Pugs. Dogs, novice-E. Langford. Dogs, open-E. Langford.

Pomeranians. Bitches, open-A. M. Learn, 1 and 2. posted.

Russian Wolfhounds. pen-Dr. Tillmann.

Scotch Terriers. Dogs, puppy—Miss Madge. Dogs, ovice—J. D. Eagan, J. D. Eagan, Miss Madge. Dogs, open—J. D. Eagan, J. D.

Toy Terriers. Bitches, puppy—S. Marsh. Bitches, ovice—S. Marsh. Bitches, open — S. Marsh.

English Foxhounds. Dogs, novice—Glenmore Kennels Dogs, open — Glenmore Kennels. Bitches, novice — Glenmore Kennels. Bitches, open-Glenmore Kennels. Special Black Poodles. First-G. A. Henry.

White West Highland, dog, puppy, novice and open, Dr. Niven. Yorkshire Terriers. Dogs, purpy-Miss W. Darch. Novice

Scotch Terriers.

Specials. Brindle Bullterriers—S. McCallum. Boston Bullterriers-R. Oke. Collies, Rough-R. McEwen. Collie, dog, puppy-R. McEwen Collie, bitch-R. McEwen. Cocker Spaniel, Black-M. Jackson. Cocker Spaniel, Red-J. Gibson.

Dalmatians, dog-T. Poole. Dalmatians, bitch-Mr. Coursey English Bulls-J. McColl. & Humpridge. English Setter, bitch-A. S. Black-

English Setter, dog-Clark & Humpridge. English Bullterriers, dog-G. Burgess, L. Sage. English Bullterrier, bitch McKeown, Daniel Thody. Foxterrier, Wire-Hair - J. J. Biggs, H. E. Beattie.

Foxterrier, Smooth, bitch - Kenilworth Kennels American Foxhounds - J. W. Mc Callum Greyhounds-A. L. Klein Great Dane-Mrs. Langley. Italian Greyhound-Dr. C. H. Ball,

Foxterrier, Smooth, dog-Kenilworth

Irish Terriers-H. Lauder. Pointer—C. A. Love, Poodles—Mrs. Lockrey. Russian Wolfhound-Dr. Tillmann. Scotch Terrier-J. D. Eagan. Yorkshire Terrier-Miss Madge. The Judges.

Waters, St. Thomas; A. J. Taylor, To-

ronto; Dr. Niven, city; Daniel Thody NEW YEAR'S ROAD RACE

Dogs, puppy—M. Jackson. Dogs, open—M. Many Entries Received for Martin Event at St. Catharines. Catharines, Dec. 29.—The Martin

out this morning as follows:

John Chittim, Chatham; W. A. C. MALLEN A WHIRLWIND

| Dogs, puppy—A. Corbett. Dogs, novice—T. Poole, A. Corbett. Beaverton; George Richards, Hamilton; Sociation.
| Bitches, novice—W. H. Hanford, Johnson, Merritton: Edmonstone and Bitches, Corpett, Strank Gregory, St. Corbetts, Corpett, St. Corbetts, Corpett, St. Corpetts, Corpett, St. Corpetts, Co Wilkinson, Henney and Murray, Vermont A. C., Toronto; Corkley, Carlton, Dogs, novice—V. Jackson. Dogs, open mont A. C., Toronto; Corkley, Carlton, -V. Jackson. Bitches, puppy, novice woods, Black, Sloan, Buxton, McCormack, Begley and Lawson, I. C. A. C., which will be started next spring. Toronto: Brown, St. Catharines Allan, St. Catharines: Waud C. How-

Bitches, ken; Summers, Burlington; Averley, ronto; Tressider, Central Y. M. C. A., Toronto; MacFarland, St. Catharines; J. M. Allen, Niagara Falls; Boucock, Merritton, H. Allen, St. Catharines:

Burns, Hamilton: Leo O'Neil I, St Mary's L. and A. Club, Toronto. **MAPLETON MATTERS**

Christmas Entertainment in Schoolhouse-Municipal Candidates.

guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Charlton. Misses Zelman and Mamie Brown

George Thompson, of the Medical

College, London, is spending the holi-

days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Misses Clara Wismer, Stella Warwick, Violet Brown, Lulu Finch, Sarah and Kathleen Moore, students at the Avlmer Collegiate Institute, are spendling the vacation at their homes here. A Christmas entertainment was held in the school house Thursday evening. An excellent programme was given, consisting of vocal solos by Misses Mabel and Eva Warwick, Mabel Bancroft and Clara Wismer; recitations were given by Misses Lulu Finch. Georgian Lenentine and Eljeva Moore and Willie Louks, and Ross McCaulley This was interspersed with several good dialogues and tableaus, with colored illuminations, which were very pretty. The proceeds were \$13 45. The nominations for the township of South Dorchester are: For reeve, J. J. Mitchell and D. D. Finch; councillors, P. Andrews, John Charlton, E. G. Mrs. Legg, Wm. Taylor, S. Dowes, Thomas

are new men in the field. D. D. Finch, who has served the past five years as councillor successfully, solicits your vote and influence Degs, purpy-Mrs. Finch, Bitches, as reeve for the township of South Dorchester in the coming election for 1910.—(Advertisement.)

BOUT CANCELLED.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 29.-Battling Nelson will not be able to meet Dick Hyland in a boxing contest here until February. This cancels the proposed match, as Hyland cannot be here at that time Willie Gibbs, of Philadelphia, and Leddy Peppers, of Kansas City, will meet here in a ten-round bout before the Empire Athletic Club next Saturday afternoon. the forfeit money having been duly

Dogs, open—Dr. Tillmann. Bitches, AMERICAN ASSOC. NAMES PRESIDENT

ville, Beats Out O'Brien, of Milwaukee, on First Ballot.

SCHEDULE OF 168 GAMES

Decided Upon for Next Season-Not Much Trading Done at Meeting.

Chicago, Dec. 29.-Thomas M. Chiving. ton, of Louisville, today was elected the president of the American Association of Baseball Clubs over Joseph D. O'Brien, of Milwaukee, incumbent, at the annual meeting of the association. Chivington won the office for one year on the first ballot by five votes to three. He an-nounced that the association headquarters would be removed from Milwaukee to Chicago about Feb. 1. O'Brien received the votes of Milwaukee, St. Paul and

Minneapolis. The association decided to play 169 games in 1910, elected W. R. Armour, of Toledo, vice-president, and decided to English Setter, puppy, bitch-Clark hold the schedule meeting in Chicago at the time of the American League meet

ing, about the middle of February.

Little Trading. While there were many American Association and other magnates at the meeting, there was little trading done. Roger Bresnahan, manager of the St. Louis Nationals, was the only major leaguer present. He was trying to disoose of some of his surplus youngsters. Pitcher Packard, of the Louisville

eam, was sold to Columbus It was announced that four men of the Thicago Americans were sold to the San Francisco Pacific Coast League club. The men sold were: Catcher Warring, formerly of the Guthrie, Okla., team; Pitcher Harry Stewart, of the Houston, Tex., eam; Pitcher Frank Miller, of Der Pacific coast product.

SECRETARY HEWITT **ISSUES INSTRUCTIONS**

Judges-D. Lynn, Port Huron; Mrs. O. H. A. Rules Being Sent Out From Toronto to the Referees. Toronto, Dec. 29.-The usual instructions n the conduct and management of hockey matches have been issued to O. H.

referees from the office of W. A. Hewitt, secretary. Outstanding are found the new requirements adopted at the annual meeting, by which captains must wear distinguishing Year's road race is going to be a armlet; the scoring of a goal not renrecord breaker, judging from the com- dered void by a foul to head it off, and plete official entries, which were given penalized or injured players off the ice may not resume play until by the consent of the penalty timekeeper. Referees

Bitches, open—Mr. Coursey, Frank Gregory, St. Catharines; Saunders, JUAREZ TRACK THERE TO STAY Stevens, W. H. Hanford.

Skinner, Don. Sheridan, Richardson, Juarez, Mexico, Dec. 29.—The directors of the Lockey Club vesterday increased the capital stock \$200,000 for necessary

DROPPED DEAD.

Guelph, Dec. 29.—Peter Anderson, a well-known citizen of Guelph, who for 25 years was one of the city's prominnt merchants, dropped dead on the street in Manchester, Mich., where he was making a business visit in the in-

He is survived by his widow, one daughter at home, and a son who is a missionary in India. ---Lions are said to walk about the palace of Emperor Menelik of Abyssinia and

terests of his company.



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hem for the use of the Citizens' Munici

on the Water and Power

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Are Not Being Consulted.

He Adam Beck and his contract yes-

some time," said Mr. Jones in discuss-

and I have had to do with some con-

tracts. It is changed without leave or

license, and no person is consulted. The

city's engineer has nothing whatever

we are getting, nor does the contractor

"Take the reservoir, for instance.

accepter them. I heard some time ago

that the reservoir was being changed

change, and one which we were not

asked about. They are now thinking

Elect Best Men.

AN ACTOR FALLS

Clan Warlare Renewed in New

York Chinatown.

AH HUNG THE VICTIM

known Parties, Who Make

Their Escape

the Tong warfare in New York's Chi-

Ah Hung, who was a prominent

member of one of the Chinese secret

organizations, was in his room when

he heard steps in the hallway outside

and then a voice demanding admission.

He opened the door a bare inch or

Monday night, were on the spot with-

in a few minutes. They arrested sev-

I. C. R. WRECK SEQUEL.

San Francisco three years ago.

Ottawa.

before daybreak.

hat happened to them.

what is going to be changed

"It is the funniest contract

terday afternoon at the co

CHAIRMAN JONES

Citizens Petition For Water Commissioner **Candidates**

We, the undersigned citizens of London, who have subscribed our names hereto, desiring that the municipal affairs of the city should be wisely and economically administered, pledge ourselves to support Messrs. Philip Pocock, A. T. McMahen and Wm. Wyatt for the utilities commission, governing the electric distribution and waterworks system, should they consent to offer themselves for election:

J. W. Little. H. B. Archer, George C. Gibbons. G. F. Brickenden. John Forristal. Thomas Treleaven. George Childs, H. Ram. John F. Madden, J. F. Maine.

Dr. Tillmann.

R. C. Struthers, Henry Pocock. E. Meredith. R. J. Young. W. H. Winnett. William Reid. Dr. Wyckoff, R. Rider. William Gorman. A. J. McGuffin. Dr. McCallum,

John M. Dillon. John Dromgole. J. B. Smallman. H. J. Childs. J. W. Metherall. T. J. Hutchinson. J. N. McWood. George Rowntree. A. O. Jeffrey, James McCormick,

Gentlemen,—

In compliance with your very large and influential petition, representing as it does the professional, industrial and commercial life of our beautiful city, we, the undersigned, have consented to allow our names to stand for the honorable office of water commissioners, and if elected will apply ourselves to the very best of our abilities in discharging the important duties intrusted to us.

and a thousand other ratepayers.

(Signed)

Philip Pocock A. T. McMahen Wm. Wyatt



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For Mayor for 1910

Thanking citizens for past support and hoping my record will entitle me to a continuance

VOTE FOR

J.H.A.Beattie

FOR MAYOR FOR 1910

VOTE AGAINST Compulsory Vaccination

Westland, Spence Weekes, Hunt,

for School Trustees The only candidates indorsed by the Anti-Vaccination League. b

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE SOLICITED FOR

W. J.

Against Compulsory Vaccination.

PLATFORM: No compulsory vaccina-tion; fair play to the kindergarten staff; thorough reorganization of the Collegiate Institute. 58-i-vtxwv The average person does not experi-ence any sensation from an electrical current until the pressure reaches about 25 volts. **Electors of London** Your Vote and Influence

Respectfully solicited for JOHN I. A.

-FOR-

SCHOOL TRUSTEE

DR. J. D.

Solicits the votes of the Ladies and

As School Trustee For 1910

Platform-Against Compulsory Vac-

the Electors of the City of London. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

Health Commissioner Ritchie, of Bos-ton, declares that pneumonia is now the most fatal disease in his jurisdiction.

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE Respectfully Solicited for the Election of

DR. W. J. Stevenson Fitzgeral As Alderman for 1910

To the Electors of the City of London: LADIES and GENTLEMEN. Your Vote and Influence Solicited for

AS ALDERMAN.

VOTE FOR J. H. AS ALDERMAN 1910

Your Vote and Influence Respectfully Solicited by

IF YOU DESIRE CLEAN, PROGRESSIVE, ECONOMICAL CIVIC GOVERNMENT VOTE FOR

AS ALDERMAN FOR 1910

payers, public meetings will be held during this week as follows:

On Wednesday, Dec. discuss all municipal questions.

At 8 p.m. in the City Hall to

discuss all municipal questions. S. STEVELY, Mayor. YOUR VOTES AND INFLUENCE Respectfully Solicited for

As Water Commissioner

A candidate who has a thorough knowledge

President and Manager of the London Concrete Machinery Company, Limited.

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WILLIAM

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As Alderman for 1910 Your vote and influence respectfully

Neil Cooper

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN Your vote and influence respectfully

JOHN G. RICHTER

General Manager the London Life Insurance Company,

For Alderman

VOTE FOR

Ald. Jas.

FOR RE-ELECTION FOR 1910

Vote for the Following and then a scamper of feet down the **Candidates**

bullets had struck him in the forehead and penetrated the brain. a continuation of the trouble in Chinatown, which resulted in two deaths on

NEIL COOPER. W. S. DAVIDSON, R. C. ECKERT.

J. GARRATT. JAS. JEFFERIES. E. ROSE.

J. H. SAUNDERS. W. J. UNDERWOOD. W. A. WILSON.

G. WOOD. BAD MEN SENTENCED. three years each

FLAMES RAVAGE THESSALON, ONT.

A Section of Business District Destroyed Yesterday Morning.

VOLUNTEER ENTIRE TOWN IN PERIL Loss Expected To Be at Least

One Hundred Thousand.

Thessalon, Dec. 29.—The business pal League, to bring voters to the polls on Saturday next, Jan. 1, will kindly call at or notify the secretary, 100 Dundas street, not later than Friday evening, Dec. 31, or Saturday morning. section of this village was badly gutted

The fire started in the Wilson Printing Company's office. Most of the adjoining business houses were con-AFTER MR. BECK structed of wood. The town has but recently installed a water service, and today's fire proved that it was a boon to the place, otherwise the entire town Says the City Has Been "Doped' | would have been destroyed.

The loss is figured by insurance men tonight at \$100,000. Many Soo insurance men are interested, but no statement of the risks carred can be obtained until the rulns have been in-TALKS OF MANY CHANGES spected.

The business houses destroyed are: Wilson Printing Company, Argue's Declares the City Does Not Know What gents' furnishing store, Loomis' candy store, Flesher's tobacco store and poolroom, Bateman's clothing store, Fulton's butcher shop, and White's Chairman William Jones, of the harber shop water commission, took a hot shot at

Argue's store was located in the handsome Sandle Block, which narrowly escaped destruction. The Im-"The people have taken a dose of perial Bank, Masonic Hall and opera house are badly damaged by smoke dope, that they will not get over in

that I have ever seen during my life, PROPERTY BOUGHT

to say about it. We do not know what Hon. Adam Beck Lays Communication Before the Water Commissioners.

We were given plans of that, and we DEEDS SATISFACTORY

two and a half feet, I know now that Says Chairman Jones-City Water it has been lowered five feet, a great Supply Is Again Declared To Be · Pure.

of changing the foundations. The machinery has not been ordered yet. En-At the final meeting of the water gineer Glaubitz asked me the other commissioners held yesterday afterday what sort of concrete work I preferred. I understood this had been setled a long time ago. They are cut- from Hon. Adam Beck, stating that ting their cloth according to the gar- he had finished the purchase of propment. The citizens will wake up some crty for the pumping station, and had PHONE 348. day, and then they will find out what the deeds forwarded. The cost of the parcels amounted to \$4,400, divided as

ollows: London Street Railway, parcel 156x

"Next year's board will be very im-2,000. \$2,000. pertant, and the citizens should elect Hunt Bros., for land, \$2,000. the best men. Here we have a \$100.000 London Street Railway, for wells contract, and we are never consulted and right to lay pipes and pump well That may be business, but it is differ-

in perpetuity, \$100. ent from what I have been accustomed Hunt Bros., three wells with same rights \$300, total \$4.400. Mr. Beck also stated that he had made arrangements with the City Gas Company to lay a pipe from some of the wells across their property for IN THE TONG WAR

the sum of \$1 per annum. All Satisfactory.

"I have seen the agreements and deeds and they are most satisfactory, said Chairman Jones. "I suggest that they be sent to City Solicitor Meredith, and as soon as he is satisfied the money is to be paid over. Commissioner Darch moved that this

be done, and it carried. Electrical Engineer E. I. Sifton recommended the purchase of five barto Death in His Room by Unrels of oil for dipping pins, etc. On motion of Commissioner Darch he was instructed to purchase the oil.

Water Is Pure. A report was received from Dr. Amyot, provincial analyst, to the effect

New York, Dec. 30 .- The renewal of that he had examined two samples of water from the east pond and the natown, claimed another victim early city tap, and found them absolutely free from colon bacilli or any deleterious substances. The water supply of actor, was shot and killed in the hallthe city is free from any suspicion. C. S. Hyman & Co. asked for a oneway of his tenement house home just inch service into their factory. Referred to Engineer Moore with power.

Agreement With Street Railway. Chairman Jones reported that the agreement with the London Street Railway had been signed. It contained clauses compelling the company light the pavilion and furnish hot water for pienickers, two clauses not two and peeked out. There was a shot tacitly agreed upon. in any former agreements although

Vote of Thanks. A hearty vote of thanks was tender-

ed Chairman Jones by Mayor Stevely shot ran up and found the body. The He referred to the kindly manner in which the chairman had presided over seen in Detroit since his disappear the meetings during the year, and doclared the business was handled with. The police, who have been expecting better dispatch than on any board he had sat on during the year. The city was losing a valuable man in the retirement of Mr. Jones, and the citizens we saw a man who cortainly resemble would be most fortunate if they elect- Dr. Cook. ed a man of his calibre to the board. eral of Ah's neighbors as witnesses, Commissioner Darch seconded the Cook in that his moustache but were unable to find any tangible sentiments of Mayor Stevely, and shaved off. Cowley called my attenclues to the identity of the murderers. stated that everybody got a square tion to the likeness; but neither of us Ah Hung came to New York from deal from Chairman Jones. He re- really thought it was Cook. The man

Chairman's Reply.

Quebec, Dec. 29. -- Following an in-Chairman Jones thanked them for quiry held by Mr. W. A. Dube, division- their kindly sentiments, and for their PETERBORO PRISONER al superintendent of the I. C. R., into support during the year. He had tried the recent collision at St. Anne de la to do his duty, he declared, and had Peocatiere, the conductor of the spe- served the people conscientiously. He cial train, H. Lebel, and the engineer paid his respects to the contract held of the same train, J. Cote, were sus- by Hon. Adam Beck in no uncertain years of age, committed suicide in one pended, awaiting further action from language, and declared that next year's the cells at the police station this mornboard would have very important busi-It was established that the special ness to deal with.

ANALYSIS OF STRONG'S BAKING POWDER

By J. F. Snell, Professor of Chemistry, Macdonald College, Quebec, Canada.

To W. T. Strong, druggist, 184 Dundas street, London:
Dear Sir,-I have recently had occa-Dear Sir,—I have recently had occasion to test a sample of your Baking Powder for alum and acid phosphate of lime, the two substances commonly substituted for cream of tartar in the poorer brands of Canadian baking powders. I found your product entirely free from these substances. I not that Bulletin 174 of the Laboratory of the Inland Revenue Department not only classes yours among the pure only classes yours among the pure cream of tartar powders, but gives such results on the amount of gas produced per pound of powder as would place your brand among the most efficient powders of its class.

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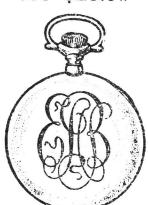
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lance," said Atterney Patrick Boyle yesterday. "I was coming in from St Thomas, Canada, on the Michigan Central Monday morning, with Fred Cowley, trainmaster at St. Thomas, and

got off at Detroit and jost himself in a crowd."

COMMITS SUICIDE

Peterboro, Dec. 29.-Edward Shanlay. ing, by drinking carbolic acid from a He has been a regular night Toronto, Dec. 29.—William Griffin arrived five minutes behind time at and Joseph Maguire, men with bad St. Anne, where it was due to arrive Stevely, Engineer Moore and Secretary Ellwood.

where he was allowed to spend the night He had no home or friends here, and for some time had been out of employment. An inquest will be held. lodger at the station for a week or so where he was allowed to spend the night

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 Rio de Janero
 90%

 Toronto Railway
 1294

 Twin City
 1154

414; Coal, com., 150 at 91; Penman com., 50 at 56; Converters, 100 at 45

TORONTO, Dec. 30. As Cal.

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Toronto Mortgage.

Black Lake. 79½
Dominion Iron and Steel bonds.

Electric Developement.

Mexican Light and Power bonds.

Morning Sales: F. N. Burt, 10, 25 and

Packers A....

Hochelaga Bank, 62 at 143; Iron bonds, 100 at 95%, 3,000 at 95%; Commerce Bank, 25 at 1964; Royal Bank, 50 at 225; Textile bonds, 1,000 at 981/2.

GEESE FAVORITES ON LOCAL MARKET

Housewives Seem Determined to Give the Turkey the Go By.

TURKEYS AT 18c TO 21c

lucks Were Very Scarce-Geese Sold From Twelve to Fourteen Cents a Pound-Other Quotations.

| Illinois Traction, pref. | 92 |
| Lake of the Woods, com. | 142½ |
| Lake of the Woods, pref. |
| Laurentide Paper, com. | 125½ |
| Laurentide Paper, pref. |
McKay Com.	92	
McKay, pfd.	78½	
Mexican L. & P.		
Minn. & st. Paul	141	
Mt. L., H. & Power	135½	
Montreal Street Railway	2221	
e	Montreal Steel Works	103
Montreal Telegraph	150 Despite the fact that today was the paratively small turnout on the local Nipissing Nor. Ohio T. & L.... holiday market, there was only a com-	

prominent feature of the market, but Rio de Janero even it was somewhat scarce. Geese were apparently the favorite, Quebec. com. 66
many people evidently being glad to Textile com. 70

many people evidently being glad to get them in place of turkey at 12 cents to 14 cents.

At any rate there was no doubt of their popularity, and the supply, which learned the supply which learned was the largest of anything on the Penman, com. market was readily disposed of in the Rubber bonds. 97

majority of cases at 14 cents. Bank of Toronto Turkeys were fairly plentiful but did Reserve. 411
Rubber, com. 95 not seem to be in very great demand Rubber not seem to be in very great demand Rubber pref. 118

Many of those having turkeys to sell tried to hold up the prices to 22 cents, little prices to 22 cents, little prices to 22 cents, little prices to 23 cents, little prices to 25 cents, little prices to 26 cents, little prices to 26 cents, little prices to 27 cents, little prices to 28 cent greeting their efforts at this figure.

Prices Dropped. As the market went on, however, the prices dropped perceptibly, and the Mexican Electric bonds...... ales were more brisk.

The prevailing price was 19 and 20 Ogivie Milling bonds 11.54 Ogivie Milling bonds 11.54 Orthodox 1 one or two sales were recents, and one or two sales were re-

ported at 18c, and one at 21c.

Ducks were very scarce, and could hardly be obtained at any price. The Black Lake com 22

Grain,		
Thagt par bu	10	\$1 05
Oats, per cwt 1 15	to	1 20
Corn. per cwt 1 25	to	1 40
Buckwheat, per cwt 1 25	to	1 30
Barley, rer cwt 1 15	to	1 25
Peas. per cwt 1 15	to	1 35
Beans, per hu 1 25	to	1 65
Eve, per cwt 1 05	to	1 10
Hay and Straw		
Hay, per ton	1.	15 50
Straw, per ton 7 00	to	8 00
Daving Danduce		

Putter, cuanmary, Ib	2515	to	2716
Butter, rolls, lb	21	to	25
Butter, crock, Ib	99	10	24
Fags, crate, dozon	43	to	20
Fore freel-laid dozen	33	to	35
Eggs, fresh-laid, dozen Honey, strained, lb	10	to	12
Honey, in comb	12	to	15
Poultry, Dress			•
	19	to	20
Turkeys, per lb	11	10	15
Ducks, spring, per lb	10	10	11
Old ducks, per lb	8	to	9
Old fowl, per lb	13	to	14
Chickens, per lb	12	to	14
Geese, per lb		(0	14
Poultry, Alive	9.		
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Turkeys, per lb	20	to	20
Spring dueles, per lb	9	to	10
Ducks, per 1h	9	to	9
Young fast par th	9	to	11
Butchers' Mea	4-		
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	00	to	9 00
	00	to	10 00
	10	to	12
Spring lamb, per lb		to	10 75
Dressed hogs, per cwt10		CO	10 10
Live Stock			
Small nigs, per pair		to	5 50
	7 60	to	7 60
	5 00	to	6 00
Stags, per cwt	2 00	to	3 00
Export cattle, cwt	2 00	to	5 50
Milch cows, each3	0.00	to	55 00

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Lambskins, each	75	to	85
Wool, washed, per ib	20	to	22
Wool, unwashed, per lb	12	to	14
Hides, No. 1, 1b	11	to	12
Hides, No. 2, 1b	10	to	10
Hides, No. 3, 1b	9	to	9
Vegetables.			
Potatoes, per bag	55	to	65
Turnips, per bu	25	to	35
Celery, per dozen	30	to	40
Lettuce, per dozen	30	to	40
Sage, per dozen	20	to	20
Savory, per dozen	20	to	20
Cauliflowers, each	5	to	20
Cabbage, dozen (to size)	30	to	40
Red cabbage, dozen	40	to	40
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a.m.—Americans in London are firm and s to % above parity.
Financial plan of Chicago city and con necting railways announces the whole property to be taken on 4 per cent basis

on \$62,000,000 capitalization.

James S. Brailey, jun., will apply to the Attorney-General of Ohio regarding the purchase of independent phone companies v J. P. Morgan. Lackawanna Coal Company declares a dividend of 2½ per cent.

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Chambers 39, Crown Res 4.15; Cobalt Lake 15, Coniagas, 5.60, Foster 35, Green Meehan 13, Kerr Lake 8.60, La Rose 4.95, Little Nipissing 21.50, Nipissing 10.80, Otisse, 20, Rochester 19, Nova Scotia 45. Silver Leaf 13.50, Tem-

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CRITICISM IS UNJUST SAYS HON. MR. BECK

States That Chairman Jones Was Consulted When Certain Changes Were Made.

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Hon, Adam Beck was interviewed by The Advertiser today concerning the 77 per cent. Winnipeg, too, managed criticisms of Mr. William Jones, chair-man of the water commission, regard-though not submitting comparative figing the contracts for the pumping sta- ures, shows by her amount of \$96,175.

"Mr. Jones is not justified at all in game. making such statements," said Mr. Beck. "He was consulted when the changes were made in the reservoir. When the contractor started excavating he struck quicksand, and it was found that a good foundation for the reservoir could not be obtained. was then decided to make the reservoir five feet shallower, but of the same capacity as the former, namely, one million gallons. This was to be done by increasing the area of the reservoir. The citizens need not alarmed or worried by Mr. Jones' statements. The new reservoir, in fact the whole plant, will be equal, if not better than the specifications.

The Foundations. "His objections regarding the foundations are also unwarranted. We are using St. Marys stone and vitrified brick for facing, although they are costing more than the concrete, but they will make a much better appear ing building.

"I might mention some things we are providing not in the contract or specifications. We are erecting an auxiliary reservoir that will be of great advantage. Another thing that will appeal to the citizens is the fact that we are providing wells that will yield half a million gallons of water more

Morning Sales: F. N. Burt, 10, 25 and 15 at 59; Dominion Coal, 100 at 91¼; Rio, 25 at 90½; Mackay, 10 at 91½, 100, 50 and 10 at 91½; Toronto Railway, 90 at 129%, 10, 50 and 50 at 130; Trethewey, 500 at 1.43; Dominion Steel, 50 at 71½; N. S. Steel, 3d., 10 at 69½; C. P. R., 25 and 25 at 181%, 25, 40 and 25 at 182; C. P. R. rights, 2 and 3 at 10, 25, 25, 10, 25, 5 and 25 at 19½; Twin City, 50, 100 and 200 at 116½, 100 and 25 at 115½, 25 and 100 at 115½, 75, 50, 100 and 15 at 115¼, 75 at 115½; Tolluth-Superior, 25, 25, 25 and 15 at 67%.

LIBERAL POLICY

Mr. Harold A. Richardson Is an Out-and-Out English Co. servative.

TALKS OF SOCIALISM

Hopes "the Sound Sober Senses of the People" Will Prevail to Keep Up the Lords-Home From Chicago.

Mr. Harold A. Richardson, Mrs. Richardson and family, arrived in the city last evening via the M. C. R. from Cheago in a special car, and are spending a few days in the city. They are registered at the Tecumseh House. Mr. Richardson, who is a son of Canon Richardson, is busily engaged preparing plans for the erection of a large steel plant in England, to carry out the large contracts he has secured from the British Government for armor plate.

Spending the Holidays. "I came over to spend Christmas here," he stated in conversation with the Advertiser. "I am going ahead rapidly with my armor plate work in England, and I expect to make much

progress shortly. "I will be here until next Wednesday, when I will take Mrs. Richardson and the children back to England. "Of course, I am missing the turmoil of the elections, and I would have liked very much to have remained and done some little thing for the good

For Tariff Reform.

"By that I mean, for preference for Canada and Tariff Reform. These are the questions of most importance to England and Canada.

"There is no Liberalism in England any more-it is Socialism. The campaign is a very sharp one, but I expect the sober senses of the English people will come to their relief. "I cannot speak longer at this time

player, of Saginaw, Mich., was over-come by heart treuble while standing ing parties were present. After a short be as bad as it was before the recent in the Grigg House last night and had honeymoon trip, they will spend a epidemic was checked. There are also to be removed to Victoria nospital. He couple of weeks in the city, going ten cases of diphtheria in the wards,

BUILDING NOT ACTIVE

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advance of 56 per cent. Port Arthur failed to submit comparative figures and the amount noted only refer to work undertaken in the fire limits: and as regards London, it might be mentioned, that while the city has experienced a slight depression for the month, it has so far this season undertaken new work amounting to \$818.129 as against a total of \$441,860 for the entire year of 1908.

Montreal's Increase. Montreal's increase of 73 per cent reflected fully the pronounced activity in that city; while further east, in addition to splendid headway made Halifax (235 per cent), Sydney's advance (235 per cent), and St. John's gain of 86 per cent, shows conclusively that the forward movement in that sec-

tion is quite general.

As regards the west, the month wit nessed an undertaking of an unusually large amount of work. Besides Regina's great gain, as previously mentioned, Calgary annexed another enormous increase (242 per cent), while Vancouver over-reached her last year's figures for the month to the extent of that she is well on the safe side of the



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EAST LONDON

CHELSEA GREEN ELECTION HOT, BUT GOOD-NATURED

Mr. S. W. Haines Was Chosen School Trustee By Majority of Seven.

The hottest election ever held in Chelsea Green took place at the school house yesterday when Mr. S. W. Haines was returned for school trustee, having a majority of seven over Mr. David Greensides. There were 61

votes cast. The nominations took rlace at 'clock, Mr. Haines being named Mr. W. J. Gibling and Mr. S. McBride, while Mr. Greensides' name was placed before the electors by Mr. John cummings and Mr. Frank Welch. The auditors, Mr. W. E. Mitchell for the people, and Mr. W. J. Gibling for board of education, reported that the affairs of the board were all in good shape, and the fight started. Mr. Haines was far in the lead until about 3 o'clock, when a large number of McClarys' employees were brought out to support Mr. Greensides.

Shortly after a contingent arrived from the rolling mills, and Mr. Haines won out by seven, the count standing 34 to 27. Mr. Haines, who was on the board last ear, is one of the foremen at the the door. rolling mills, while Mr. Greensides She was holds a similar position at the McClary foundry.

Both are popular, and as the majorty of the residents of the Green are employed at these plants the fight was a keen one. Chelsea Green is now preparing for the township elections, which take

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place Monday next.

Quiet Wedding in East London Yesterday.

A quiet wedding took place yesterday at the residence of Mr. Alfred Page, 510 English street, when his

The Rev. Sam Small, the southern evangelist, journalist, author and lecturer, will spend Sunday in the city, and will speak to an onen meeting of Mr. Alex. S. Connolly, of New Stered, was the scene of a pretty wedding last evening when Miss Margaret A. Marlin became the wife of Mr. Alex. S. Connolly, of New Street, was the scene of a pretty wedding last evening when Miss Margaret A. Marlin became the warrant on another served with a warrant on another served with a warrant on another served with a warrant on Santher Margistrate Nobie, of Strathroy, yester-

The Dominion Bank

Has Removed to New Premises at Cor. of Dundas and Richmond Sts.

A number of beautifully-fitted rooms on the first and second floors are available for rental at reasonable prices, en suite, or by the room. Inspection by the public is invited.

C. A. ROSS, Manager

day elected to the board of education of Chelsea Green, was made the re cirient of a handsome gold-headed umbrella by about forty employees of the London rolling mills recently. The Presentation was made by Mr. J. Hughes, while Mr. D. Flynn read the accompanying address.

PAINFULLY BURNED

Accident to Mrs. Alfred Page of Eng-

lish Street. Mrs. Alfred Page, of 510 English street, was painfully burned at her home the other day while attending A the furnace when a sheet of flame

She was attended by a physician and will be laid up for some days. It was Marshall, of West London, on Wedfeared for a time that blood poisoning nesday, when her only daughter, Mary would develop.

DR. SEABORN ILL. Dr. Edwin Seaborn, of East London,

ANOTHER OUTBREAK OF SCARLET FEVER

Number of Patients in Victoria march, played by the bride's cousin, Miss May Marshall, of Maple Grove. Hospital on the Increase.

fever in the city, and the number of ents which the young couple received cases in the contagious wards at Victoria Hospital has jumped from 17 to 25 during the week. The cases have Fred Wright, a well-known football couple were unattended, and only the player, of Saginaw, Mich., was over-immediate relatives of the contract much larger number than is usual

ANOTHER CHARGE AGAINST BEECH

The home of Mr. Richard A. Hall, Pleaded Not Guilty and Was Remanded

charge, and appeared before Squire Magistrate Noble, of Strathroy, yester-The offense entered against him today was that of stealing a gold watch and chain valued at \$7 from Frank A Runaway.

ouple were unattended.

After a wedding trip to Toronto and o'clock. He pleaded not guilty, claim- o'clock today, by running away from other points they will eside in British ing that the articles had been given near the corner of Dundas and Rich-to him by an 8-year-old boy who claimed that they belonged to him. He market lane and on reaching the market was remanded till Tuesday, Jan. 4, at ket was caught without having receiv-

SINCLAIR---MARSHALL

Pretty Wedding in West London.

An exceedingly pretty wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Thomas Ethel, became the bride of Mr. Oliver Sinclair, a popular employee of Elliott, Marr & Co. Rev. Thomas Nixon, of is ill in Victoria Hospital with scarlet St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, West London, performed the ceremony. The bride was charmingly attired in a beautiful princess of blue messaline, silk trimmed, with gold net and braid, and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses. She entered the drawing-room leaning on the arm of her mother to the strains of the wedding march, played by the bride's cousin, After congratulations the guests retired to the dining-room, where

dainty luncheon was served. The many beautiful and costly presgroom is an employee

Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair left on a short wedding tour. They will be at home to their many friends after Jan. 8, 1910. at 152 Wilson avenue.

EIGHTEEN MONTHS FOR SUIT THIEF

George Bell, of Strathroy, Got Al

That Was Coming to Him. in the Central Prison.

A cream-colored pony, attached to a Beech was committed for trial and small cutter and driven by a young

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Ladies' Handsome **Tailored Skirts**

We have Skirts in the latest style and color, ranging in price from \$1.95 to \$6.95.

Don't let cold weather find vou unprepared, when such values as these are presented for your acceptance during this week.



Furs at Half **Price**

In order to clear the balance of our Furs, we will sell them at half price. All Furs must go, as we don't want to carry them over for the next season. Come early and get your choice.

Don't Miss This Chance

Special line of Embroidered Silk Waists, in the very latest style and daintiest patterns, at sale price of \$2.95 Cashmere Flannelette and Sateen Waists, in assorted

shades, from 49¢ to \$1.45 We have a complete collection of Petticoats, in silk, sateen, English silk, heatherbloom and moreen, from 59¢ up to \$3.95; in all colors.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

Committed for Trial. John Smith and John Beach with indecent assault, Magistrate Love yesterday committed Tierney for trial.

JAMES LEID'S ABSENCE IS STILL A MYSTERY

Son Writes That Father Is Not With Him in New York

State.

The Advertiser is in receipt of a letter from Mr. James Leid, of Celeovon, his father, Mr. James Leid, who wan- The Advertiser. "Everything is going People's Home here, is not with him. signed "James Leid," and thought that

The police have been unable to find any trace whatever of Mr. Leid since he

MR. R. C. ECKERT OF GORMAN, ECKERT & CO.

The friends of R. C. Eckert (of Gorman, Eckert & Co.), are rallying to his support. He is busy today, but he trading post of the Hudson Bay Comwants your vote. If he doesn't see you pany in Manitoba, and was established in the meantinme, BE SURE AND in 1635. That is some time ago." VOTE FOR HIM. He wants it, and will appreciate it. His experience as a businessman will prove valuable to the (Advertisement.)

The Grand Trunk city ticket office, clock corner, will be open on Friday evening for the sale of New Year's excursion and other tickets.

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ALD. MIDWINTER HOME TO VISIT HIS PARENTS

City—Has Farm With a History.

Ald. Midwinter, of Winnipeg, is vis-Ald. Midwinter came down from the

About Winnipeg. "We have a fine city in Winnipeg, New York, in which he states that Ald. Midwinter in conversation with I think the best in the Dominion," said dered away recently from the Aged along splendidly in that country, no boom, but a steady growth. The west Mrs. William Armstrong received a to the east. In Winnipeg we are gois prosperous, and that means much picture card just before Christmas ing ahead nicely. We are building our it was from her father. It appears, it in full operation in a year or so. own power plant and expect to have We are putting all underground work and have passed a bylaw making all companies in the city put their wires underground. That is the only system, in my opinion, We are building for the future, and no poles for us.

First Trading Post. "I am a farmer, owning about 1,000 icres near Portage la Prairie. It will be interesting to you, perhaps, to know that the farm I own was the first "London is a pretty city, but the west is the country."

JOINT INSTALLATION OF MASONIC LODGES

St. John's and St. George's Officers Placed in Positions Last Night.

The St. John's, London, and St. George's Chapters of the Masonic order held a joint installation, the first ceremony of the kind held in many years. Right Ex-Com. John Graham was in charge of the installation, assisted by a board composed of the Right Ex-Companions P. W. D. Brodrick, U. A. Buchner, George Sutherland, of Thedford, the grand superintendent of the London district; A. E. Cooper and Oliver Ellwood.

At the close of the seremony a very enjoyable lunch was served, and a number of bright speeches were deliv-

The officers were installed as fol-

St. John's Chapter, No. 3-First principal Z., A. L. Simmie; im. past

Com. T. G. Davis; third prin. J., Ex. Com. W. R. Bishor; treasurer, Rt. Ex. Com. A. E. Cooper (re-elected); scribe E., Rt. Ex. Com. Oliver Ellwood (reelected); scribe N., Com. Chas. Gilbert; prin. soj., Com. A. M. Trick; janitor, com. John Robertson (re-elected). London Chapter-First principal Z,

F. E. Harley; second prin. H., G. W. Reid; third prin. J., H. J. Heath; im past Z., Finlay Marshall; scribe E., C. C. Reid; treasurer, J. E. Keyes; scribe N., C. R. Reid; prin. soj., Whit Lancaster; jun. soj., C. R. Orr; janitor, W. A. Young.

St. George's Chapter-Principal Z., T. P. Elliott; im. past Z., F. Palmer; second prin. H., J. A. Atchison; third prin. J., O. W. T. Fuller; scribe E., Ex. Com. William Spittal; treasurer, Ex. Com. N. W. Emerson; scribe N., Com. I. W. G. Quantz; prin. soj., F. Miller; sen. soj., G. Carswell; jun. soj., O. McGeary.

EAST END MEETING

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plied. "The darned thing had two splints. Besides Graydon had two one has started to plan for the New horses, and I wasn't going to vote for another. Mr. Wilson says that he won't vote for anyone who goes on a jaunt. I will vote for anyone who goes Let one of them be: That you will on some necessary work. And the reasstart on the first day of the NEW on some men go is because they have

There was a lively passage between Mr. Cooper and Mr. Wilson over the

"London is too young for the garb-**Phones 929** age system, continued Mr. Cooper. "It's all right for the people down and 1390 town, but we don't need it yet. There is only one bylaw we should support, and that's the storm water sewer."

Mr. W. S. Davidson asked the electors for their support. In speaking of he sewers he said the fault lay with those who had originally put them in. They had built only for themselves. There is too much tearing up of streets and roads which means a great ex-

Mr. J. A. Tancock reviewed the grievance of his furnace which evidently still rankles.

"I tell you that if I'm elected the poor man will get more justice as quickly as the rich," remarked the speaker. "I believe in justice. If I'm and would inderse the board's elected I will try to prevent the taxes in regard to the kindergarten. being raised."

Aid. Rose thanked the electors for their past support, and asked their support again.

Hall a Disgrace. Mr. A. J. Morgan spoke of the dis-

graceful condition of the hall. "It isn't the tax rate that is the think that they are getting value for tion of disease. their money," he went on to say. He was opposed to the conduits for for the school board, declared himself Niagara power wires, because the city opposed to compulsory vaccination, and wasn't getting value for its money, in favor of single session kindergar-He suggested that the conduits be tens.

the board of education," said Mr. Mor- troduces politics I am a rabid Tory." gan. "I don't think it is right that Mr. Weekes spoke of the introduc

to boost the city in every way in his banks, in which the children have al-

After hearing the evidence in the by Says Winnipeg Is a Very Fine he remarked, "I will be the first one that this would mean a saving of to let the people have their wishes." \$6,050 on the present expenditure. Two candidate at the request of many citi- child of kindergarten age, the speaker zens, and asked the electors to sup- concluded.

port him. iting his parents in this city, and was what they are going to do," said Mr. The old firm of Heintzman & Co., 242 His father and mother who are 87 and G. W. Westland, a candidate for call early and get first choice. 85 years of age, moved to London some school trustee, said he was very strongtime ago, and it was to visit them that ly opposed to compulsory vaccination,

Anti-Vaccination.

Mr. Spence, a school board candidate, remarked that the anti-vaccination question would be the most important to come before the board. "The subject of vaccination," continued the speaker, "is closely con-

nected with the tax rate." difficulty, but that the citizens do not effect of vaccination in the propaga-Mr. Spence went on to discuss the Mr. W. R. Colby, another candidate

placed under the sidewalks, and the "We want to remedy some of the different companies be charged rent mistakes the Tories have made in the "There should be a limit placed on introduce politics, but if anybody in-Collegiate," he said. "I don't want to ard should gobble up all the of manual training into the school, and W. J. Underwood briefly asked the department. He also spoke of the inelectors for their support, promising troduction of the system of penny

Mr. Henry Pocock stated that he was After careful consideration, six out not in favor of the city bonusing in- of nine of the board decided that the Mr. John D. Richter said he was a hours is long enough for study for a

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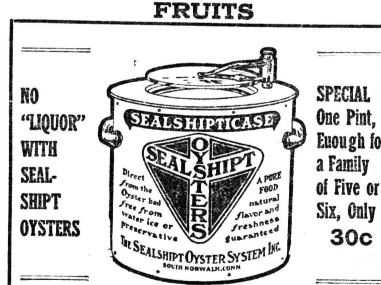
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troit after an absence of about 25 Wright has been trainmaster at To- sought. ledo, St. Thomas, Michigan City and Chicago, and leaves the position of division superintendent at Jackson to

return to the city of his boyhood. Mr. Wright, after Jan. 1, will have charge of all the traffic entering and leaving Detroit over the Michigan superintendent of the Jackson division. Cochrane, of St. Thomas. D. J. Hackett, now trainmaster at Jackson junction, has been promoted to assistant division superintendent at casions. Hueston's Livery. Jackson. Trainmaster P. C. Hill at

J. W. WESTERVELT, Jun., C. A. ljunction, will go to Niles as trainmas

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St. Thomas, Dec. 29.-Friends of Mrs. Central, and will also have charge of Adam Cochrane, for many years a resithe tunnel traffic after the tunnel is dent of St. Thomas, were advised tonight completed. W. H. O'Keefe, now as- of her death at the home of her daughsistant division superintendent at De- ter, Mrs. A. Hutchinson, Salt Lake City. troit, will take Mr. Wright's place as years, and is survived by Mr. W. T.

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