ILL. BRO. F. J. HOWELL, 33 Degree

MUST NOT CUT UP

Wall---Electric Switch Proposed.

he will appeal to the police commission

The report of the Toronto lawyer engaged to give the city an independent opinion on Justice Anglin's decision will likely be in Mayor McLaren's hands by Thursday. It is likely that a special Council meeting will be held to discuss the matter before it comes up on Mon-

ets Committee yesterday. The price as \$1,901. The same firm will supply

A. O. U. W.

Joint Initiation and Two Present ations Last Night

in their commodious rooms on MacNab

street south, Grand Recorder M. D. Car

der, of Toronto; J. M. Peregrine, P. M.

W., Hamilton, and City Organizer W. A

Boldluc were among the visitors presen

The meeting was called for the purpos

The reserve and surplus, including

THISTLE RINK TO-NIGHT. There should be a large crowd of skat-rs at the Thistle Rink to-night, as the e is in first-class condition. The skat-

the matter before it comes up on day night at the regular meeting.

the furnishings for \$248.

ers to make it compulsory.

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HAMILTON, CANADA. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1909.

SENSATIONAL MARRIAGE.

Millionaire's Daughter Married Second Time to Same Man.

Nuptials of Miss Helen Maloney and Mr. Osborne.

What About the Elopement With Mr. Clarkson, of London?

Philadelphia, Feb. 2.-Miss Helen Maloney, of this city, and Arthur Herbert rne, of New York, were married today by Rev. Stephen M. Lyons, in St. Catharine's Roman Catholic Church, Spring Lake, N. J., where Martin Maloney, father of the bride, has a sum-

The formal announcement of the mar-The formal announcement of the marriage was made by Mr. Maloney to the Associated Press in the following statement: Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maloney announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen, to Mr. Arthur Herbert Osborne, of New York. The marriage was solemnized by the Rev. Stephen M. Lyons, pastor in St. Catherine's Church, Spring Lake, N. J., on Tuesday, Feb. 2, at 8 a.m., in the presence of the family. The above action on the part of Miss Maloney and Mr. Osborne was taken with the full sanction of the church."

Miss Maloney and Mr. Osborne was taken with the full sanction of the church."
The marriage of Miss Maloney and Mr. Osborne marks the culmination of a chapter of what may properly be termed an international romance. It began in October, 1907, when the social world was startled by the announcement that Helen Maloney had cloped from her father's palatial summer home at Spring Lake with Samuel R. Clarkson, of London, who had been a guest in the home of Mr. Maloney, who is one of the wealthiest men of this city, and prominent socially. Mr. Clarkson occupied a good social position in London, and it was understood that he was a suitor for Miss Maloney's hand.

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For a time after the elopement the young couple were missing, but Mr. Maloney finally located them in Europe and brought his daughter back home. In the meantime the discovery was made that Miss Maloney previously had gone through a marriage ceremony with Arthur Herbert Osborne, of New York, who was then a student in Princeton University. The ceremony that united Miss Maloney took the name of Helen formed by Justice of the Peace Boyd, in Mamaroneck, N. Y., on Dec. 28, 1995. Miss Maloney took the name of Helen Eugenie, of Pittsburg, and Mr. Osborpe used the name of Herbert Ogden, of Pittsburg.

used the name of Herbert Ogden, of Pittsburg.

All this made a newspaper sensation when it became public, but the Maloney family maintained silence. It was known, however, that Mr. Maloney, who had been highly honored by Pope Leo XIII., who conferred upon him the title of Marquis, took up the question of the annulment of the marriage both in Rome and in the Archdiocese of the Catholic Church in this city.

Finally the matter was taken to the New York courts, where action was

Finally the matter was taken to the New York courts, where action was started, looking to the annulment of Miss Maloneys' marriage to Osborne. The annulment was granted on the ground that they had never lived together. Miss Maloney was a witness in her own behalf, Mr. Osborne putting up only a passive defence. Miss Maloney testified that she never considered the marriage joined her and Mr. Osborne together as man and wife, and that she went through the ceremony as a precautionary measure to save herself from the attentions of titled foreigners who were regarded favorably by Miss Maloney's parents. oney's parents.
WHO HE IS.

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New York, Feb. 2.—Arthur H. Osborne, to whom Miss Maloney was married, is a New York stockbroker. He is about 21 years old, and the son of the late William F. Osborne, for many years an official of the American Sugar refining Co. The young man was graduated from Princeton university in 1907, and began business as a broker in the curb stock market in this city.

SKIPPED OUT.

Preacher Gets 3 Year Term For Stealing Church Money.

Rome, Ga., Feb. 2.-The Rev. Henry Wilmer, pastor of the East Rome Baptist Church, has been convicted of embezzling the funds of his church and sen-tenced to three years in the penitentiary. He raised a large sum to rebuild the church, and then left for Chicago, where he said he could indus

church, and then left for Chicago, where he said he could induce a wealthy lay-man to assist. Wilmer was not seen again here until detectives captured him in Chattanooga and brought him back. and brought him back.

His wife is in Rome, where she has been selling tracts for a living.

CITY TREASURER.

St. Catharines Council Appoints One After Heated Discussion.

St. Catharines, Ont., Feb. 2 - D. J. C. Munro, clerk of the town, was last night Munro, clerk of the town, was last night appointed by the Council treasurer, to succeed Miss Mina Dougan, resigned. The salary is to be \$200, an increase of \$25 over that formerly paid. Town Solicitor Casey was also an applicant, but Mayor McCulloch ruled his application out of order on the ground that it was received after the time had expired, according to the advertisement inserted in local papers. An animated discussion ensued, Mr. Casey contending that it was unusual to combine the offices of clerk and treasurer, only one instance existing of such a union in Ontario. Another discussion followed with a good deal of heat regarding the appointment of the assessors.

of the assessors.

Finally William Martin was appointed to do the entire work, which was formerly done by two men, but not before Reeve McMann reminded Mayor McCulloch that he opposed Martin's appointment because his assessment was raised to nearer property value last year. The Mayor reluctantly admitted it.

NO HELP FROM **COMMISSIONERS**

Police Board Seems to Have Little Confidence In the License Board.

Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock the Police Commissioners met, and the greatest result of their deliberations was that Commissioner Jelfs and Commissioner McLaren reached an agreement. Magistrate Jelfs, as chairman of the commission, called the meeting, and the important business in the chairman's invitation consisted of a plea for the members to put some plan into force that would do away with alleged boozing among the new men while in uniform. Chlef Smith admits there is some tippling among the men; Mayor McLaren affirms there is quite a bit of the mender of the mende McLaren affirms there is quite a bit of it, and Magistrate Jelfs and Judge Snider express themselves as pleased that it has been exposed and anxious to put a stop to it. Nothing definite was accomplished at yesterday's meeting, but it was decided that a warning should go forth to the members that cases of booring while on duty would be dealt with ing while on duty would be dealt with severely and the offender dismissed. Chief Smith was also instructed to look

Chief Smith was also instructed to look into the matter, and make all offenders toe the mark in future and ride the water wagon while they are in uniform. After the reading of the minutes at yesterday's meeting. Judge Snider attempted to ward off the tiff between the chairman and the Mayor. He found a defect in the committee books issued by the city, which scheduled the commission for 11 a. m. meetings, and he objected strenuously to that time.

sion with me that I had not ocen a friend in need. I was astonished by the yersion the press put upon it when I called this meeting the press quoted his Worship as saying he did not intend to be choked off by me. Now, I didn't intend to call this meeting till Friday of last week, when I got a letter from Judge Saider." His Worship read the letter, which was in regard to the tippling alleged against the police officers, and in which the Judge asked him if it should not be investigated. The Magistrate stated that he hoped his explanation was sufficient to put a different face on the question, and he said he hoped harmony and peace would once more hold sway.

"I hope so, too," said Mayor McLaren, heartily, "The first I heard of the matter was in the papers, to the effect that you had stopped a little pumping scene between a policeman and myself, Continued on Page 3.

scene between a policeman and myself (Continued on Page 3.)

THE VICTIMS BURIED TO-DAY

Sensational Stories of Foul Play Given on Credence

By the People Who Know Most About Affair.

Result of Post Mortem Will be Made Known To-morrow.

connection with the VanSickle fire on Saturday morning, in which four lives ere lost, are going to ridiculous excremes to try to give color to the invisited the scene first and those who are best acquainted with the people, the operty and the conditions say the idea of foul play is simple nonsense However, the theories of Wesley Van Sickle, father of Harry VanSickle, or of the victims, are being widely cir ulated. It is pointed out by those who ere first on the scene that Wesley were first on the scene that Wesley VanSickle knew nothing of the tragedy for hours after it occurred; that before he heard of it hundreds of people had tramped over the place; that the remains had been removed and that he could see nothing as it was when the bodies were found. A despatch from Jerseyville says:

The attempt to cloud the fatal fire of Saturday morning in a mystery is an

The attempt to cloud the fatal fire of Saturday morning in a mystery is an absurdity. Stories about an unfair will and a family motive for the tragedy are especially ridiculous. It is certainly strange that four grown people, three of them in the prime of life, should be burned to death in a solid brick dwelling and not one of them reach either a door or a window, yet when the circumstances are considered the case is not so mysterious. The fire originated downstairs. That is established by the testimony of the son and nephew of the house at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning, when smoke was seen coming from the upper part of the dwelling. There was a stove in the downstairs hall that burned wood. Mr. Philip Vansickle was in the habit of replenishing the stove during the night. He slept alone on the lower floor. The hall was covered with linoleum, a highly inflam the mable substance. In mending the fire it umes from the burning oilcloth poure apstairs and suffocated three member of the family who slept there.

The autopsy performed on the in-ructions of the coroner, Dr. Farmer, structions of the coroner. Dr. Farmer, by Drs. McAllister and Gibson, proves that Philip VanSickle, whose body bore no marks, came to his death by suffocation. This effectually disposes of the talk of plots and murder, for if the old man on the ground floor was suffocated there is no doubt at all that a like fate met those upstairs. All four were probably dead hours before the fire was discovered. It would have been quite impossible for Mr. Philip VanSickle to sleep peacefully downstairs while three persons occupying bedrooms above him were being murdered.

The funeral of the four victims took place this afternoon from the home of Seth VanSiekle to the Stenabaugh burying ground, not far from the seene of the fatality. The services were conducted by Rev. John McKinnon. of Jerseyville, assisted by Rev. H. Edgar Allen, of this city.

Boost Hamilton.

At the same time boost Made-in-Ham-At the same time boost Made-in-Hamilton goods. Nowhere can you get a better baking powder than that made by Parke & Parke, druggists. It is made from tested cream of tartar and pure baking scda, combined in the exact proportions. Sold at 15c per ½ lb and 25c per lb

A Twentieth Century Pipe.

You have missed much of the pleasure of smoking if you have not tried a Peterson patent pipe. No nicotine, always dry and clean. They are sold at peace's pipe store, 107 King street east.

Pittsburg Blaze

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 2.-Fifty lives were imperilled early this morning by fire, which partially destroyed the old homestead hotel at Homestead a suburb of The sleeping guests, Pittsburg. aroused by firemen, escaped in night attire and three children were carried out of the burning rooms by firemen. Joseph Wagner, a bartender, was overcome by smoke while aiding the firemen, Upon being revived he went back overcome, but was carried out a is about \$5,000.

IT WAS HIS FIRST SLIP

Bert Osborne Given a Chance to Do Better.

Bert Osborne, who stole a trowel from Cheeseman's Brick Yards last week and pleaded guilty to the charge yesterday appeared for sentence this morning, and

Judgment was given against Earl Saverman, 64 Sherman avenue north, for \$25 wages due to H. Dirskz.

James P. Kelly, 12 Smith avenue, was fined \$3 for being drunk and disorderly last night. Constable Fuller arrested him for creating a disturbance on his way

nome.

William Flaherty (Toronto), Albert
Brazer, Hughson street north, Martin
Lynch, York street, and Thomas Street,
Liberty street, were fined \$2 each for
being drunk last night.

BOAT SERVICE.

Report That the Macassa Will Run East of Toronto.

At a meeting of the representatives of the Hamilton and Turbine Steamboat Companies in Toronto yesterday, it was decided that J. C. Goodearle should be the general manager of the Turbinia Co., and W. E. Bishop of the Hamilton S. Co. Passenger and freight tariffs will be agreed upon and an interchange of tickets will enable the public to take advantage of choice of steamers. Capt. B. W. Bongard will have charge of the Turbinia, with James Blair as chief engineer, who will bring two expert assistants out of Parsons' turbine works at Newcastle-on-Tyne.

It is said that the Macassa will likely take the north shore route east of Toronto. the Hamilton and Turbine Steamboat

I. P. McConnell has been appointed enger agent in Toronto

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

JAP ALLIANCE

Important Speech by Foreign

States and France.

Minister Komura outlined the foreign policies of Japan in a carefully worded gave the note of the tone of the entire imphatically as follows: "The foreign policy of this empire should have as an object the maintenance of peace and the levelopment of natural resources."

With reference to Great Britain, he With reference to Great Britain, he said that even this was of far-reaching importance in the relations of the two countries, while other powers happily and uniformly contributed to the consolidation of the general peace of eastern Asia, which was one of the principal objects of the agreement. The alliance, he continued, had steadily gained strength and solidity, and to-day stands as an enduring foundation.

The relations of Japan with Russia, he went on, were constantly increasing in

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were yelding momentous resources. Thus, in his opinion, there was every reason to expect an increasing growth of the friendly sentiments between them.

Touching on the relations of Japan with France and Germany, he said that they were on an equally satisfactory footing, and that the declaration of Chancellor Von Buelow in the Reichstag clearly manifested the frank and friendly attitude and complete accord of Germany and Japan in the Far East. He expressed the sincere hope that the good relations with Germany would continue. Concerning China, Count Komura said: "It is evident that in view of our present and close relations the nations should draw ties of sincere friendship and mutuality. It is gratifying to note that some long pending questions have been satisfactorily adjusted recently, and the solutions of Page. 8) (Continued on Page. 8)

THE MAN IN **OVERALLS**

the expert lawyer hired by

As William Strong truly says, organ

The Lynden tragedy is another lesso us to be careful with fire.

What a farce this keeping quiet the ame of the expert lawyer. It looks like mid's play. However, mum's the word. Sh, not a word now. 'Sdeath!

Any possibility of the foundries starting up? I would like to see a lot of these idle men back at work. It's no joke being idle this weather.

As Mr. Birrell has been perfectly quiet this last few weeks, I gather that the

Our West Hamilton member has not yet risen in his seat to declare that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is a thief and that you have to nail down things when the Liberal members are around. That was his line of talk up here during the campaign.

We never hear complaints about the carcity of water at fires now. You have to thank Mr. Barrow for that, as well as for many other things. I am afraid the smallnoy hospital has

Another thing I should like to see, and that is a march out of the members of the Canadian Club, headed, by the Elgar Choir. Has Mr. McMenemy got everything

WITH BRITAIN

Stands To-day as an Enduring Foundation of Peace.

Minister Komura

Japan Friendly With Russia, United

Tokio, Feb. 2.—Speaking before the ower House of the Diet to-day, Foreign peech, delivered before a full and attentive house. The opening sentence speech, when Count Komura commenced

went on, were constantly increasing in intimacy, and both nations were observ-ing the spirit and letter of the compact governing their attitude in the Pacific while the policies of both Governments

What will you bet that the Hon. S. H.

cation and push are needed to make familton great. Talk is all very good, ut we want that industrial committee.

I hope that cold snap found nobody with an empty coal bin. The above is in full of all interest and

The above is in full of all interest and charges for storage. If the goods are redeemed within fourteen days the rate is payable as for a month and a half. If before the end of the second month the rate for the full two months is payable. An infraction of these regulations provides for a fine of \$50. the rate for the full two months is payable. An infraction of these regulations provides for a fine of 850.

Hamilton policemen are to be real gum shoe sleuths if Chief Smith's ideas are carried into effect. At the Markets retary James.

Notwithstanding the notoriety achieved by the different captains who have commanded the sandsucker at various times, no less than fifteen, men are willing to tackle the job. That number of applicants has been filed with Sec-

Big Tidal Wave New York, Feb. 2.-A special which arrived to-day from Palerwhich arrived to-day from Paler-mo, reported that his ship was nearly overwhelmed by a tidal wave off Cane Gallo, Sicily, at 11

night Ald. Crerar, Farmer and Sweeney,

nembers of the special committee ap

ter, discussed the matter informally. It

neeting for a committee to handle the

natter and to advise the Council to ap-

eal to the Legislature to give the city

City officials say that the Markets Committee yesterday by undertaking to see that the provisions of the act re-specting pawnbrokers are complied with

conferred a benefit on a great number of people, who have suffered injustice for years. Each pawnbroker will be requir-ed to make a deposit of \$1,000. On the

sion to own, build and operate an switch. The idea is to submit a to the people for the amount re-

o'clock last night. The passengers were thrown into a panic, in which many of them were injured. The ship narrowly escaped disaster.

wave off Cape Gallo, Sicily, at 11

MRS. SAWYER DEAD.

Former Hamilton Lady Passes Away in Toronto.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Feb. 2.—Mrs. Jane M. Saw-yer, widow of Samuel Fisher Sawyer, I am afraid the smallpox hospital has been made so attractive that people will want to get sick so as to get sent there.

When is that tonic sol-fa society to be organized? I must call and see Mr. Smith about it.

Now listen to the ice men holler that if the ice gets much thicker they will have to charge more for it owing to the difficulty of handling it.

Up to the hour of going to press Premier Whitney had not "compelled" the county to erect a poorthouse.

Perhaps it is the Desjardins Inter-Urban Railway that is buying up that Cannon streed property. John Patterson had better get busy.

Another thing I should like to complete the control of the minute of the minut

Before Judge Snider this morning William Wilson was remanded until the next sittings of the High Court, in March, when he will be tried on a charge of forging three cheques. Wilson applied for bail, and it was granted at \$1,000 with two sureties of \$500 each.

ELECTRIC SMELTING.

NO 29.

Process of Treating Iron Ores by Electricity Discovered.

Water Power Will Take the Place of Coal.

Immense Importance to Ontario and Quebec.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)
Ottawa, Feb. 2.—That the complete access of the electric smelting process of treating iron ores has been demonstrated is the significant report brought back to Ottawa by Dr. Eugene Haanel, director of mines, who has just returned from a visit to Dumnarfvet, Sweden, where he went on invitation to inspect the new electric smelting furnaces recently opened there. The fact that these new furnaces have proved a success in the electric treating of iron ores is of incalculable importance to the whole iron and steel industry of Onwhole iron and steel industry of On-tario and Quebec, and means that the enormous supplies of iron ore in these provinces can be profitably exploited, in the absence of neighboring coal de-posits, by means of the abundant water power scattered throughout these pro-vinces.

In his first reports on the experience at Sault Ste. Marie in 1995-6 Dr. Hea-

at Sault Ste. Marie in 1905-6, Dr. Haa-nel stated that the new furnace installed BAY FRONT PARK. nel stated that the new furnace installed there needed certain modifications to make it commercially practicable. His report awakened a lively interest in Sweden, as well as in other parts of the world where conditions are similar to those of Central Canada. A Sweedish Company was organized to exploit the new process and work was carried on for a year and a half in eight new furnaces, costructed according to the results of the Canadian experiments described in Dr. Haanel's report. As soon Mayor Will Oppose Railway On Revetment Mayor McLaren declared to-day that he would strenuously oppose any movement to have a railway switch run along the revetment wall. If there is to be a railway connection there, he says, it must be at the south end and not cut up the property behind the wall. Last property behind the wall. Last rubber heels on their shoes, if necessary will ampeal to the police commission. results of the Canadian experiments described in Dr. Haanel's report. As soon as the company had their plant preperly established and in complete working order Dr. Haanel was invited to inspect and pronounce upon it. The new furnace is very similar to a blast furnace in which the (Tuyers) that is, the apparatus for introducing the blast furnace in which the (Tuyers) that is, the apparatus for introducing the blast, are replaced by electrodes. A three-phased current is employed and about seven hundred horse power delivered to the furnace, which is large enough to employ fifteen hundred horse power. Dr. Haanel assured himself that hte furnace in every way met his expectations as a solution of the problem of electric smelting on a profitable commercial scale. A Parks Board employee named Russell was injured in a peculiar manner at Victoria Park this morning. The snow scraper struck a stone, and Superscraper struck a stone, and dent Marshall asked one of the to remove the obstacle. He picked stone up and heaved it in the air. ame down on Russell's head, inflict-

The electrotos required no regulation, and the instruments showed that the urrent was steady and without flue

wation.

While in Europe Dr. Haanel also took becasion to make some important in-While in Europe Dr. Haanel also took occasion to make some important investigation into new zine production processes and into the latest developments in connection with power development from gas producer engines. The Department of Mines will conduct this year a number of experiments in connection with gas producer engines, which are becoming of increasing importance in the industrial life of the European continent. A model plant is being built. The Germans have evolved a successful method of using peat with gas producer engines, and it is hoped that as a result of the experiments the large peat deposits scattered throughout Canada can be made commercially feasible for power production.

LAND SALES.

The chief business for the Fire and Water Committee to deal with to-mor-row night is the receiving of tenders for waterworks and fire department sup-plies. A statement will also be pre-sented showing the cost of the sand-sneker since the city obtained posses-sion of it. Railway Not Interested In Cannon Street Deal.

It has transpired since yesterday It has transpired since yesterday that no railway is entering into the buying of property on Cannon street, near John. Major Mewburn and J. R. Marshall, of the firm of Mewburn & Ambrose, have bought the lot on the southeast corner, while Hendrie & Co. have bought the southwest corner, and as far as can be learned, intend putting their offices there. Major Mewburn said that he did not intend to do anything with the prothe A. O. U. W. was held last evening

ADVANCE

Oddfellows Honor Two of Their Past Grands.

The meeting was called for the purpose of initiating a number of candidates, the ceremony being done very creditably by the Hamilton Degree Team. Bro. Carder addressed the meeting at some length, stating, among other things, that the growth of the order during the past year had been very good, over 2.500 having been admitted by initiation; apporting that the death rate had separating that the death rate had Oddfellows, honored two of its past masters last evening. On behalf of the lodge P. G. Bro. Mark E. Thomas, of the Grand Organizer's staff, presented past grands to Mr. Harry Hawley, who occupied the chair in 1996, and B. S. Eby, who was the presiding officer in 1997 and 1998. Mr. Thomas spoke interestingly of the work of these two enthusiastic Odd-fellows and also of the excellent progress made by the Order of late. Both the recipients replied feelingly.

Mr. Thomas is closing his special work here. He has endeared himself to every member. He was tendered the thanks and the best wishes of the lodge, several members speaking of his good work. He will go from here to Brantford about the middle of the month.

Ther was a fine turnout last night and two candidates were initiated. The lodge will give an open smoker on the evening of Wednesday, February the lodge P. G. Bro. Mark E. Thomas, having been admitted by initiation; also reporting that the death rate had fallen off considerably, being 82 less than The reserve and surplus, including \$40.677.62 interest on reserve fund, is \$1.952.892.16, and still leaving \$100.000 of a balance in the beneficiary fund. He was sure that the standing of the order would be appreciated by all members. Brother Carder urged the members to turn out and assist their organizer and try and make the year just entered upon a greater success. During the evening P. M. Bro, J. E. Kalev, of Dixon Lodge, was presented with a handsome gold watch fob, and P. M. Bro, J. R. Dodson, of Gore Lodge, with a gold locket as a

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-Col. the Hon. J. S. Hendrie has been re-elected a member of the executive of the Ontario Artillery Association. Beware of those who are homeless by

TIMES PATTERNS.

5563.

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single breasted style and the pattern provides a high standing or rolling collar. The materials most in use for such garments are outing flannel, madras, silk and pongee. The med-ium size will require 6½ yards of 36-inch material

inch material.

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G. T. P. MANAGER

Going West to Arrange Details a

to Branches.

Melville, Sask., Feb. 2.-Accounding to

telegraphic advices from Montreal, Edson J. Chamberlain, the new Vice-President and General Manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railroad, will arrive here

early in February on a trip of inspec

While in Melville he will attend to

The absolute purity and delicious lavor, the refreshing and invigorat-ing qualities of "Salada" Tea, have nade it the daily beverage of mil-

THEY FREEZE.

Uncomfortable Posi ion of Residents of Several Ohio Towns. Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 1 .- With the

thermometer ten degrees below zero to-

MAY BE MURDER.

Coroner's Jury Want to Know

Where McAnaney Was.

into the death of James McAnancy,

whose body was found in Albert Devlin's

to any address on receipt of 10 in silver or stamps.

The Tangle of Fate

Bonnie, going up the narrow stairway before her triumphant sister, looked down with flashing eyes at her unkind father and cried out, tempestuously:
"You are a cruel papa to let my sister tell you stories of me, and not listen to my side, too! I will never love you any more, and I will marry Lin! I'll jump out of the window and run away with him, so there! And if I was Imogen I wouldn't be making all this fuss about a man that didn't want me! Good-bye, Lin, till I see you again, and I hope that won't be very long, in spite of jealous Miss Imogen!"
Imogen gave the pretty rebel a resentful push, and the golden head disappeared up the stair-way. Lin La Valliere followed to pack his clothes, and the two sisters entered their own room. It was all over—the pretty love-dream of Lin and Bonnie. A cruel fate had torn them apart.

"Miss Mollie, I know you will help us."

"Miss Mollie, I know you will help us, because you love Bonnie, and you know that they are treating us both very badly," said Lin La Valliere.

It was an hour after he had left the Dale place, and he had sought pretty Mollie Miller, Bonnie's friend, and told her the story of his wrongs. The pretty schoolgirl was indignant at the way her friend had been treated.

"Yes, I will help you to elope with

schoolgirl was indignant at the way her friend had been treated.

"Yes, I will help you to elope with Bonnie," she replied, for the impetuous lover had decided to carry off his little sweetheart by storm, and make her his happy bride. "It will be delightful to outwit that proud Imogen Dale," continued pretty Mollie, laughing gayly at the idea of the young lady's discomfiture when she should find Bonnie gone. The story of Bonnie's love affair spread rapidly in the neighborhood, and every one sympathized with the captive girl, even the youths who had loved her and been laughed at in her bewitching fashion for their pains. Lin La Valliere could have organized a regiment, if necessary, to storm the fort and carry off the captive beauty.

But he preferred to use stratagem, so he and Mollie Miller, after holding a long consultation together, arrived at a conclusion, and ported with mysterious smiles of satisfaction to carry out their plans.

smiles of satisfaction to carry out their plans.

And the upshot of the whole matter was that on the morning of the fourth day of Bonnie's imprisonment, Imogen awoke in the cold grey dawn chilled to the bone by a frosty breeze blewing in upon her through the open window. Bonnie was gone, so were all her best clothes, and a ladder outside the window showed how she had escaped. Farmer Dale's watch-dog had been poisoned, and everything proved that Bonnie had very efficient help from the outside. Later in the day a note reached Farmer Dale in a very mysteriaus manner. It said simply:

imply:
"Dear Papa,—I have run away to
marry Lin. I told you I would do it,
you know. You have treated me cruelly,
but I forgive you and love you still.
"Bonnie."

CHAPTER VIII.

Imogen's secret wrath at her sister's elopement was terrible, but she hid it under a mask of contemptuous indifference, saying curtly to Creey, when she affored her symptoms.

ered her symptahy:
'It is a good riddance to bad rubbish!

Say no more about it!"
But alone in her own room once again
Imogen took down the little framed
photograph of her sister and ground it
to fragments beneath her furious heel photograph or her sister and ground it to fragments beneath her furious heel.

"How I hate you, you miscrable little coquette!" she hissed, through her white lips. "I wish I had cut off all those dangling curis before he came here! They always took the men, I think! Even papa used to love to wind them around his fingers when she sat on his knee; but I neven could understand what there was in a yellow curl to wind itself around a man's silly heart!"

Spurning the fragment of the shattered photograph with a disclainful foot, she continued, passionately:

"She has gobbed me of the man I loved best in the world, and blighted all my grand prospects in life, but it's a long lane that has no turning, and I may match you yet. Bonnie Dale, for what you have done to me. I shall watch my chance to be revenged, and if that time comes I will not spare you!"

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Imogen did not guess how terribly near to her was that revenge for which she thirsted as a man dying of thirst longs for a drop of water to cool his of the dark fate lowering over her fair head as, seated by her adoring lover, with her small hand nestled in his, she with her small hand nestled in his, sue was being driven toward the station, where she was to marry Lin La Villaire, and go away with his on their wedding journey to his city home.

The little town of Cross Lanes near

The little town of Cross Lanes near which the Dales lived was fully fifteen mlles from the nearest railway station, and the road to it was through a mountainous country, rough and dangerous, so the lovers would have been ten or twelve hours on the road before their old-fashioned carriage rumbled into the little mining town of Ansted, where they hoped to find a preacher, a rough sort of a specimen who resided in the neighborhood and preached on Sundays to the mountain people.

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In the carriage with the lovers were Mollie Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Harper, a young married couple who had eloped themselves, and therefore took great delight in forwarding runaway marriages. They had very gladly agreed, at Mr. La Valliere's request, to chaperon the bridal party, and it was their own carriage in which the journey was accomplished.

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They arrived at the little station in a steady downpour of rain, and there being no hotel drove straight to the preacher's

"My husband is down at the mines. You men folks can go down there and get him while the ladies come in and rest," said the minister's wife.

Mrs. Harper made 'Bonnie lie down in the little bedroom upstairs and rest.
"You look so pale and scared," she said. "But, bless your heart, my dear, there's nothing to feel frightened over. You're going to have a fine rich husband that loves the very ground you walk on."

on."

There was a stir down stairs, and presently Lin came up ushered by the preacher's wife.

"Come, darling," he exclaimed, drawing Bonnie hand through his arm, "the minister is here, and the train we are to leave on will come in about fifteen minutes."

minutes."

The three women followed to the little back parlor, where Mr. Harper and and a rough-bearded, common-looking

man, the preacher, stood on the hearth-rug awaiting them.
"Don't look so frightened, my own darling." Lin whispered, fondly, to his pale little sweetheart, and they paused before the minister.
Bonnie was trembling like a leaf. She did not look up until a harsh, familiar voice exclaimed:
"Bonnie Dale!"
With a wild start, she lifted her dark eyes to the preacher's face.

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"You here to be married again!" he exclaimed. "Why, where is your hushand, Miles Westland, that I married you to at the old haunted mill on Hallow Eve night?"

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If an earthquake had divided the solid ground beneath their feet the little group in the minister's parlor could not have been more startled than they were at the words that had fallen from

the preacher's lips.

His keen gray eyes, with their rather shifty expression under their betling black brows, were fixed on Bonnie Dale's face with blank astonishment as he awaited her answer to his question. A low murmur of astonishment came

A low murmur of astonishment came from every one in the room except Lin and Bonnie. He was gazing at her in wonder, and she had fallen back a pace, her face death-white, her eyes dilated in terror, her lips parted in dumb agony. At the utterance of her name she had recognized the voice of the rough preacher who had bound her in unwilling chains to Miles Westland. The moment she had feared and dreaded had come to pass. She was found out.

Finley Pike, the preacher, waited in vain for the trembling girk to speak, and at last exclaimed:

"Miles Westland isn't dead, is he? And you couldn't get a divorce from

And you couldn't get a divorce from him this quick. So how can I marry

you to another-He did not finish, for, at this mo-ment, the stricken girl fell unconscious at his feet.

The women crowded around her, and then Mr. Harper said, in surprise "You must be mistaken, Mr. Pike. Bonnie isn't married to anybody, and as for the schoolmaster, he disappeared

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Hallow Eve night and has never been seen or heard of since."
"That's very strange." Pike answered, and then and there, while the women worked to restore Bonnie to consciousness, he told Mr. Harper and Lin La Valliere of the midnight marriage at which he had officiated at the old haunted mil on Hellow Eve.
"Miles Westland had me engaged todo the job beforehand," he said. "It was to be a secret yet awhile, because her folks wa'n't willing. He said the girl loved the ground he walked on, but land sakes, she acted foolish after she got there, and tried to back out of the match. But he brought her around, and I tied the knot as fast as law could make it, and Westland paid me a good-sized feasier. hess, he told Mr. Harper and Lin La Valliere of the midnight marriage at which he had officiated at the old haunted mil on Hellow Eve.

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While in Melville he will attend to several minor details in connection with the two branch lines to be built from this town early in the present year. It is expected an early start will be made on the branch running northwards to Hudson's Bay, via Yorkton, and shortly afterwards construction will start on the line to Regina. As far as these lines run within the province they will be sub-sidized to the extent of \$15,000 per mile; the Saskatchewan Parliament having revently passed legislation to this effect. From Regina the southerly branch will be undary of North Dakota, where several American lines will make connection with the two branch lines to be built from the sevent all the two branch lines to be built from the two branch lines to be built from the two branch lines to be built from t

gone."

Lin La Valliere, with despair in his blue eyes, watched the man's face eagerly, trying to detect some falsehood in it, but face and voice were both honest,

he told his story. "You would swear to this story?" he

"You would swear to this story?" he asked, sadly.
"Yes, sir, on a whole stack of Bibles!" replied Finley Pike, and just then he saw Bonnie's large, dark eyes wide open and looking at him with loathing.
"You don't deny the truth, do you, Bonnie Dale!" he asked, in his rough way, and for a moment there was dead silence. "You can't deny it, you know, for your husband may come back at any minute and claim you," he added, as she did not speak.

thermometer ten degrees below zero today, Lancaster, 25 miles from here, is
practically without fire. The natural
gas main from the West Virginia field
has broken across the Ohio River and
the city is without a supply. Lines of
people are going to the coal yards with
buckets, baskets and wheelbarrows, or
anything else they can get, but the coal
factories and schools have closed.

At Upper Sandusky the natural gas
has been reduced to the lowest pressure
and the water pipes have frozen. Chilicothe, Ohio, is also minus gas, and few
houses are equipped for coal fires. s she did not speak.

Mrs. Harper felt the slight form restng against her tremble with a mortal
hudder; then Bonnie lifted her head
nd looked defiantly at her accuser.

"You are mistaken," she said. "Perhaps you did marry some one to Miles Westland, but it was not me."

Finley Pike gave a low laugh of won

der.

"Come, now, none of that nonsense," he answered, "It was you, and nobody else, Bonnie Dale. It ain't likely I would forget the prettiest face in the country so soon, and your name, and those long curls."

"You speak falsely," Bonnie repeated in a strange voice.

liere, who stood aloof, pale as death, and with despairing eyes. She held out her trembling hands to him. "I was not," she cried, wildly. "I was not at the old haunted mill that night. Do not let him turn your heart against me! I am no man's wife unless you keep your proise and make me yours"

He did not answer, only gazed at her with those pathetic dark blue eyes full of a dumb despair.

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"Mr. Finley Pike, you're not telling the truth! I don't believe Bonnie ever married Miles Westland. She despised him, and he went away from the party that night because she wouldn't have anything to say to him. Go on with the ceremony this minute, or it will be too late for the train, and then Bonnie's papa may come and carry her home again.

again."
It was the pretty school girl, Mollie in Miller, who spoke. Her cheeks were if tushed with anger, and her dark gray eyes glowed indignantly as she looked as Finler. Mollie were griy

Adjournment was made till Tuesday

Finley.
'Dear Mollie!" sobbed Bonnie's trem bear Monie: sooved Bonnie's trem-bling voice, and the two girls clasped hands tenderly. Mrs. Harper did not utter a word. She seemed dazed by the turn affairs had taken.

"Well, you're a pert young one!" an "Well, you're a pert young one!" an swered the preacher, witheringly. "Does your mother know you're out—hey?" Mollie curled a silent, contemptums lip at him, but he only laughed at her, lip at him, but he only laughed at her, and turning to the others, said, coolly: "Good folks, you better take Bonnie Dale home to her pa, and tell him to keep her there till her husband, the school master, comes after her. There won't be any marrying here to-day ly me, I assure you!"

"I will not go back to papa—never again!" almost shrieked Bonnie, and again she looked at her pale and illent lover. "Oh, Lin, you will not desert me!" she cried, pleadingly.

He looked round at the others, and said:

He looked round at the said:
"Let me speak to her alone for a few minutes, please."
Every one went out, and they were falone; but he stood apart from his beautiful young love as if she had been a stranger.

(To be Continued.)

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POLICE RAID.

RUSSIAN ADMIRAL'S DAUGHTER TAKEN INTO CUSTODY.

Charged With Treason-Colonel's Daughter Also Under Arrest -Sensation Caused by Detention of Former Police Chief.

Petersburg, Feb. 1 .- The police midnight raided the headquarters at midnight ranged the heating of the Union of Clerks and Shop Employees, and arrested two men who ere found on the premises. They large number of manifestos and quantity of correspondence and i

quantity of correspondence and life-gal literature. As they were about to depart a young girl appeared, and was imme-diately, arrested. She was found to be carrying a roll of paper, which turned out to have upon it a manifes-to written in invisible ink. She was identified as the daughter of Rear-laminal Ratakoff of the Russian Admiral Batakoff, of the Russian

whose body was found in Albert Devlin's livery stable early Saturday, was opened before Coroner Jory this evening, and revealed that death was due to a heavy gathering of blood on the brain. Death was at first supposed to be due to applexy, but Dr. Hooper, who, with Dr. MacDonald, performed the post-mortem, swore otherwise, and that though the stomach contained no trace of liquer, a clot of blood would have thrown deceased into a condition resembling in navy.
Six other persons were subsequent-

was at first supposed to be due to apoplexy, but Dr. Hooper, who, with Dr. MacDonald, performed the post-mortem, swore otherwise, and that though the stomach contained no trace of liquer, a clot of blood would have thrown deceased into a condition resembling intoxication.

Devlin swore that when he went for a final look at his horses before going home for the night the man was in the barn apparently intoxicated.

Adjournment was made till Tuesday week, to ascertain what became of Mc-Ananey between the hours of 5 and 9 o'clock Friday evening. A wound over the temple leads to fears of foul play.

NURSES IN TRAINING.

Do Dot Come Under the United States Alien Law.

Washington, Feb. 1.—An important immigration case was decided to-day by Secretary Straus, of the Department of Commerce and Labor. Ethel Wright, a Canadian woman of 25 years of age, and advanced to the content of the police of the empire, on the charge of being a revolutionist, has caused a great sensation.

The circumstances of his arrest were dramatic. At 6 o'clock yesterday morning his house was surrounded by police, who wore builet-proof cuirasses. Lakuhpin was awakened, and appeared half-dressed. When the order for his arrest was shown to him, he replied, calmly: "Gentlemen, do your duty."

Former Minister Prince Urusof, a brother-in-law of Lakuhpin, arrived at the house while the police were searching it, and was placed under arrest, but he was liberated after having been searched. Other residences were visited by the police, including one occupied by M. Sliosberg, an advocate, who acts for the Ministry of the Interior

Ice Bridge at Falls.

immigration case was decided to-day by Secretary Straus, of the Department of Commerce and Labor. Ethel Wright, a Canadian woman of 25 years of age, applied for admission to the United States in order that she might enter the Nurses' Home at Chicago to study nursing. In common with other student nurses at the inetitution, she was allowed a small compensation. A special board of inquiry rejected her application and denied her admission.

Miss Wright appealed her case to Secretary Straus, and he has directed that she be admited. He holds that the case in no way comes under the prohibitions of the alien contract labor Niagara Falls, Feb. 1.—Under the influence of a cold northwest wind and a driving snowstorm, Nliagara has come into her own again. Not in years has the winter scenery been prettier than it is to-day. From the spillway of the Ontario Power Co. to the power house art collector, and probably no other private collection has so many gems by Reynolds, Gainsborough and Romey.

Fire in the store of McKendry's, Limited, Yonge street, Toronto, on Monday did damage estimated at \$50,000.

s lost to sight under a coating of jagged ice from six inches to as many fee

WHERE IS COOPMAN?

Orangeville Sewing Machine Agent Missing.

Orangeville, Feb. 1.—A particularly mean case of embezzlement has just come to light here, coincident with the departure of G. H. Coopman for parts unknown. The absconder is an Englishman about thirty-five years of age, who arrived here last summer age, who arrived here last summer from Wingham. He secured the local agency of a large sewing machine company, and posed as a man of commercial importance. Coopman joined St. Mark's (Anglican) Church, and affiliated with the local chapter of St. Andrew's Brotherhood, being appointed Treasurer of the Sunday school and custodian of the finances of the brotherhood.

The disagreeable fact has just been developed that in each case Coopman has proved recreant to his trust, he having levanted to parts unknown, after having appropriated the funds committed.

is care as Treasurer of the above named organizations.

The worst feature of the situation s that Coopman has deserted his wife and three small children.

BURTON DEAD.

Was Head of the Brewing Firm of Bass & Co.

London, Feb. 1.-Michael Arthur London, Feb. I.—Michael Arthur Bass, Barton Burton, who was director of the brewing concern of Bass & Co., Mr. W. Whilson, St. Thomas: Mrs died to-day. He was born in 1837. Al-though Lord Burton was best known to the public as the head of the famous brewing firm, his claim to be rememberbrewing firm, his claim to be remembered is his enormous donations to public and charitable works. He spent the equivalent of a large fortune in improving and beautifying the Town of Burton-on-Trent. He was also a great art collector, and probably no other private collection has so many gems by Reynolds, Gainsborough and Romney.

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A quiet but pretty wedding was solumized on Jan. 20 at the parsonage in rdan, when Miss Eva Victoria Case, urth daugnter of Mr. Benjamin Case. Temperanceville, Aurora, was unite marriage to Mr. J. C. Armstrong, oil in of Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong Cheapside. Rev. R. Keefer performe ec ceremony, in the presence of a sma rele of friends. The bride was becon circle of friends. The bride was becomingly attired in a smart costume of greyand green, with hat to match. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold watch and chain with monogram. The happy young couple took the evening train for Hamilton. Their honeymoon was spent at Jordan, Woodstock, Hamilton, Appieby and other points.

A host of friends gathered at the residence of Mr. Jas. Armstrong, on Monday evening last, to attend a reception given at the home-coming of their son and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Armstrong, At 8 o'clock the guests began to assemble, until the house was well filled with a happy company, who amused them

happy company, who amused them-ves with games, music, etc., until the vival of the bride and groom and ty, who came by carriage from Hag-ville at about 10 o'clock. The bride ked charming in her Princess gown of hoped he would have the pleasure of the tending more affairs of the kind. He congratulated the bride and groom and gave them a hearty welcome to Cheap

oung couple and wished them all the uccess possible.

Mr. Arthur Exans complimented the ostress, Mrs. James Armstrong, and aid Cheapside was the place for a young an looking for a wite, judging from tasty and bountiful supper he had artaken of.

artaken of.

Mr. W. Degrow followed in speech by elling what he thought was the reason or so few social affairs of that kind. It was because so many of the young lalies in Cheapside preferred living alone, a referring to the groom, he said he and lived there, and had always found time honorable, upright, obliging and norally clean. He congratulated him on his choice of a life partner, and a comed her and her husband to

Mr. R. Mattice offered congratulations, and said he was pleased to know two such pleasant young people would be residents here. He wished Mr. and two such pleasant young people would be residents here. He wished Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong had seven sons and seven daughters and that a wedding would occur every six months, and he would receive an invitation to each re-

Mr. James Mellon also made an an

Mr. James Mellon also made an appropriate speech.

The groom responded for himself and bride by thanking those present for their kind speeches made and for the many beautiful and costly gifts, which were a sign to him of their affection for himself and Mrs. Armstrong. After supper, games and music were indulged in until the wee 'sma hours. Before breakuntil the wee 'sma hours. Before breaking up congratulations were heaped upon the young couple and also upon
Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong
from all the guests present, who were:
Miss Case, sister of bride (from the
Nurses' Training School, Woodstock),
Miss Calista Case, another sister; Mr.
and Mrs. Abe High, Mr. and Mrs. Fred
Beck S. Cayuza: Mr. and Mrs. Fred
Beck S. Cayuza: Mr. and Mrs. Los. Mr. W. Whilson, St. Thomas; Mrs. Willis Shoup (missionary to West Indies; Rev. R. and Mrs. Railton, Dr. and Mrs. G Sherk, Mr. and Mrs. F. Aude, Mr. and Mrs. W. Degrow, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. R. Mattice, Mrs. R. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Akkinson, Misses A. and M. Stillwell, Miss Matilda Pond, Miss M. Fligg, Miss W. Beam, Mr. Charles Beam Mr. Goad-Beam, Mr. Charles Beam, Mr. and Wm. Butler, Mr. Walter Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Metcalfe, Miss Erie Wood, Mr. Geo. Wood, Miss Emma Pond, Mrs. S. Day, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pond, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Buckley, Miss Eva Buckley, Messrs. Roger and Edward Shoup, Miss Laura Dennis, Mr. Roy Dennis, Mr. O. Weiderick, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hurst, Miss Annie Shoup, Mr. Jas. Mellon, Mr and Mrs. Sydney Jepson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evans. The bad roods prevented a number from a dis-Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Metcalfe, Mis

roads prevented a number from a distance from being present.

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The two combatants less than did the few hours of Mars-la-Tour.

To deliver a flank attack it is essential to know where the flanks rest. It is to be hoped that this task will be achieved in the future by airships. The enemy also will have his airships. The chery will be to the one which can rise than two combatants less than did the few hours of Mars-la-Tour. above the adversary, destroy it with a dropped bomb, and then rise rapidly

gain to escape the flames. CHINESE WALL OF FORTIFICA-

TIONS. Immediately after the close of the Franco-German war Franco proceeded to build an uninterrupted barrier along the Upper Moselle and the Meuse, which now covers the whole of its eastern frontier from Switzerland to Belgium. Since the direct road into France was taken for granted that Germany—for it was taken for granted that Germany still sought her plunder in the pleasant valleys of the Seine and Loire—it was as-What the Kaiser Read to His of the Seine and Loire—it was as ned that she would seek to avoid the barrier by passing through Belgium at one end or Switzerland at the other. To forestall attack on the right wing portant article in the January issue the Deutsche Revue, which the Gerir Emperor read to his general at at ir New Year's conference:
the late chief of the general staff of German army, General Count Yon deiffen, commences his now famous liele in the Deutsche Revue with the tention that the treaty of Frankfort, eich closed the war between Germany 1 France, put an end to it in appearate only. Although arms were laid on at its summons, a new war at one and. The war of arms was followed the very of german aggression fortified herself strongly. Italy had not long before lost Provinces to France. In apprehension that this feverish fortification might n Emperor read to his generals at which closed the war between Germany and France, put an end to it in appear-ance only. Although arms were laid down at its summons, a new war at once began. The war of arms was followed strongly. Italy had not long before lost Pravinces to France. In apprehension that this feverish fortification might prevent her revenge, she met fort with fort, battery with battery. Thus before two decades had elapsed since the close of the war of 1870 a Chinese wall of fortification had been erected against Germany from the Zuyder Zee to the Mediterranean.

The possibility now remained that Italy might join her German ally and pour winted forces "like a stream bursting argued."

was prevented from taking office this Judge O'Leary upon the request of Mr. Pilcher, who alleges breach of contract and illegality of the resolution. Mr. Pilcher sat up all last night holding the fort in the office to prevent his rival from taking possession. Now the citizens see the road with nominally two managers, but none in authority to administer it. Mr. Pilcher will act until the injunction has been grayed. The other powers, of course, could not be content to watch this duel of armaments with indifference. If they wished to have a say in the future polities of Europe and of the world at arge they had to see to it that they did not fall behind France and Germany they are the restrict of armanents. Thus after

aly might join her German ally and pour united forces "like a stream bursting its banks" over the great barrier into France. To prevent this, Switzerland fortified her passes.

These imaginary German ambitions of conquest, thus summarily stifled on souths and cast, must now, of course, seek another outlet. As Germany could no longer march peacefully to Paris, she would, of course, set out for Moscow. Russia, trembling, sets to work to build a lien of fortresses on her frontier, aided in the task by numerous streams and marshes. A barrier was also erected against Austria, Germany's ally. Thus the States of the Triple Alliance were isolated on the cast as on the west. In the north Denmark has, made a strongpractically the same value.

BATTLEFIELD OF THE FUTURE.

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the enemy's presence again the flow. then passes to a description of the deficient of the next European war. Nothing, he maintains, will be seen to betray the enemy's presence save the flashes of his artillery. It will be impossible to realize the presence of the enemy's infantry save that from time to time a thin dark line will be seen to quiver, leap forward, and suddenly disappear Cavalry will accomplish their task be yond the range of view of the other two arms. There will be no Napoleon, surrounded by a brilliant staff, glittering upon the neighboring heights. Even the States of the Triple Alliance were isolated on the east as on the west. In the north Denmark has made a stronghold of Copenhagen, and thus dominates the entrance to the Baltic, while Britain possesses a "mighty floating. fortress, which she can erect at any given moment in the North Sea," and by means of which she can effect a landing at some Danish seaport and hurl her forces into Schleswig.

Description: surrounded by a brilliant stair, guing upon the neighboring heights. Even with powerful field glasses there would be little for him to see. He would be an easy mark for the enemy's batteries. The general officer commanding will be the general officer commanding will be the general officer to the rear,

seated at a large table, where telephone, telegraph and wireless implements will be at hand. Motor cars will be waiting outside to carry despatches for long distances.

There in a comfortable chair sits the modern Alexander, a map of the battlefield before him. He sends his orders by telephone or by wireless. He receives reports from subordinate generals in their captive balloons or airships.

The battles of the future will be prologed and weary, but they will not be more L'oody than of old—perhaps less so. The fourteen days of Mukden cost POSITION OF EUROPE TO-DAY.

trade without materially injuring her own. She must allow her competitor, who is at the same time her best customer, to live." Before proceeding with a landing on the coast of Jutland she must await despatches from Africa, from India, from America, from the Far East. If she is to set the world in flames she will be too wise to let her army be imprisoned in Schleswig. It is doubtful whether Russia, after her recent experience of the methods of modern warfare, will be eager to attack. France has clearly decided only to satisfy her cooling desire for revenge in company with trade without materially injuring her

ing desire for revenge in company with allies. All are apprehensive of the appall-

QUEER MIX-UP.

Discharged Street Railway Manager Secures an Injunction.

Port Arthur, Feb. I.-Almost every day the management of the street railway provides a new sensation or vaudeville stunt. Last week the joint board dismissed Manager Pilcher and reappointed T. H. Macauler, but the latter was prevented from taking office this

MIXED BLOOD.

Blood From White Man Transfused Into Negro Woman.

New York, Feb. 1.-What is believed ould aid to be the first case of blood transfusion and from a white man to a negro woman eted was made here to-night at Bellevue Hos-

Several offered their blood, but Gus

Mrs. Stirling Alleges Husband Ar-

ranged Divorce Evidence.

Edinburgh, Feb. 1.—Interest in the Stirling cross-suits for divorce was revived to-day, when Mrs. Stirling, the former American show girl, began her Clark and never intended to, as I had no need to. I know all I could get out of defence of her husband's charges. She occupied the stand the greater part of the day, and—made a pathetic figure, several times being overcome with tears. She characterizedemany of the assertions of her husband's lawyers as villainous lies and accorded Myser Athente. tions of her husband's lawyers as vil-lainous lies, and accused Mrs. Atherton of intriguing to throw her in company with Lord Northland, so she could mono-polize Mr. Stirling to herself. On ac-count of the questions which they wished to ask, counsel would not proceed until every woman was cleared out of court early in the proceedings to-day.

WHITE SLAVES.

Henry Lair Gets Two Years For Enticing French Girls.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 2.-Henry Lair was to-day sentenced to serve two years in the Government prison at Leavenworth, Kan., and to pay \$2,000 for promoting the white-slave traffic.

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The principal witness for the Government was Marie Puroy, 19 years old, who was snatched from the streets of Paris by Jules Dufour, when she was 14, and brought to Chicago, where she fell into the hands of Lair. She got a chance to tell immigration officers of her plight and was finally rescued.

Dufour is a brother of Alfonso Dufour, who, with the woman, Eva Dufour, jumped \$25,000 cash bail following indictment on the same charge and fled to France, where they were recently caught and convicted.

ucien d'Arvaille, Lair's supposed wife, ho was indicted with him for enticing French girls to this country, in viola tion of the immigration laws.

DAVIS ON BOARD.

Grand Trunk Takes Up Northern Navigation.

Sarnia, Feb. 1 .- Hereafter the Northrn Navigation Co., of Sarnia, will be known as the Grand Trunk route, and freight of the road will be shipped direct

freight of the road will be shipped direct from there to all lake ports.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Navigation Co., held in Collingwood, Ont., W. E. Davis, passenger traffic official of the Grand Trunk, was elected as the railway company's representative on the board of directors.

New terminals will be built in Sarnia and a special fast train to be known as the Line Special will leave Toronto for Sarnia and will run to the Navigation Company's docks.

for the Grand Trunk the necessity for the building a fleet of its own.

WILL BE DRY.

Prophesy That the States Will Have Prohibition in 25 Years.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 2 .- "The whole in five years, and the entire Union in 25 years, It will not be many years until we will as soon think of returning to slavery as to open saloon." This was a sentiment expressed last night by Rev. E. E. Folk, of Tennessee, at the othern Anti-Saloon League confer

ence.
Alluding to the work of the league in Tennessee, Rev. Mr. Folk said: "I hasten to give credit to the man who did more than any other for the cause in

The conference will continue until

INGERSOLL'S TRIBUTE.

(Written in Burns' Cottage when visiting Ayr). The Scotland boasts a thousand names Tho' Scotland boasts a thousand names of patriot, king and peer,
The noblest, grandest of them all Was loved and cradled here;
Here lived the gentle peasant prince
The loving cottar king.
Compared with whom the greatest lord labeled to titled this. Is but a titled thing.
Tis but a cot roofed in with straw. Tis but a cot read.

A hovel made of clay,

but out the snow and storm One door shuts out the snow and stor One window greets the day. And yet I stand within this room, And hold all things in scorn, For here beneath this lowly thatch, Love's sweetest bard was born.

Like one who clasps a shrine, When the glad lips at last have touched The something deemed divine: And here the world through all the

years,
As long as day returns,
The tribute of its love and tears
Will pay to Robert Burns.

Trying to Shake Him Off.

Mrs. Grimshaw (while the visitor is removing his wraps)—What did you bring that man out here to dinner for when the house is all torn up and full of the smell of paint? Besides, you've told me a thousand times that he's a bore and you don't like him! Mr. Grimshaw-I know it, my dear. That's why I brought him, -Chicago Tri-

Happy are the miseries that end in

NO HELP FROM COMMISSIONERS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

Clark and never intended to, as I had no need to. I know all I could get out of him, and I did not want to pump him for what I already had proof of. I believe in always giving a man a chance to work things off, and warning him first, and I wanted it understood where I stood on the question. They would then have no cause to complain."

In regard to the tippling, the Mayor said that he had had many cases reported to him by reputable citizens, who would not appear to prove the charges, and he would not force them to, as it would do no good, and would stop all other information later. "I feel sorry for a man," said the Mayor, "who can't go through his day's work without drinking, and it also leaves him under an obligation to some person for every drinking, and it also leaves him under an obligation to some person for every drink he gets in the way they get them."
"What I want to do," said Judge Smider, "is to put it out of the force, because it's a bad thing to have a tippler on the force, and if your information comes from a reliable source it is your duty to fetch up the informer, and have the man before us."
"I have given the chief some information that I cannot make public, and I will give him some more," said the Mayor.

will give him some more," said the Mayor.

"It makes the men neglect their duty, and I am particularly anxious to have it cleared out," said the Judge.

Mayor McLaren said two men whom he knew well had told him of a policeman who walked down the street with them and in a whisper asked: "What's chances for a nip at your house?"

Judge Snider: "There are only a few like that." Mayor McLaren: "There are a lot of

ood men on the force."
Mayor McLaren said there ought to

good men on the force."
Mayor McLaren said there ought to be a way of geting at a hotelkeeper who gave liquor to policemen, and Magistrate Jelfs mentioned that only a short time ago he fined a man \$200 for giving a policeman liquor and recommended the commissioners to cut off his liceuse. "They ought to be able to stop it," suggested the Mayor.
"They can, but they won't," replied Magistrate Jelfs.
"Oh! they won't do anything," observed the Judge.
This looked like the finish of the bout, but Magistrate Jelfs started the ball rolling again. "Before we are off this I want an expression of opinion from the Mayor," he said. "He seems to think I am pursuing him with hostile intent." "Not at all," said the Mayor; "and for my part I hope we get along peace-fully."
The next business came as a surprise,

fully."

The next business came as a surprise, and seems to indicate that a reorganization of the force is near. Chief Smith asked that Constable John Bainbridge be appointed patrol sergeant. Mayor McLaren asked what was wrong with Constable Campbell, who is Bainbridge's senior. Chief Smith said Campbell was the one man senior to Bainbridge, and that there would be plenty of openings soon, one of which could go to Campbell. The chief heightened the impression that he wanted a reorganization soon by saying that the commissioners would have to be careful in their appointments now.

The estimates were considered by the Board and it was decided to ask for \$84,260.00 this year, an increase of about \$13,000 over last year's appropriation. A new station, to cost \$9,000, was decided on, but it has not been decided yet whether the building will be in the wast end or the west. The general impact and or the west. The general impact and or the west. ession is that the station is needed in

necessary for repairs to the signal sys-tem. The system in use at present was declared antiquated and the Chief said

Sergeants, patrol (3) Constables, first class (28)

Total ... \$ 6,724 eterinary and photographer .. Additional equipment for signal

system

Total ... \$ 8,055

THE HAMILTON TIMES

TUESDAY, FEB. 2, 1909

ESTIMATES BROUGHT DOWN. As foreshadowed by statements of

the Ministers and by the Speech from

the Throne, the estimates for the coming fiscal year show a considerable rection from those last presented. The total sum covered by them is \$110,489,-This is over nineteen millions les than the estimates of last year, which, as first brought down, were increased by about ten and a half million by supementary votes. The Government hopes to avoid increasing the present estimates largely by supplementary estimates; and it is possible that additional estimates may be dispensed with altogether. Of sum now asked for \$26,500,000 is a statutory expenditure. Of the remaining amount over \$30,000,000 is for expenditure on capital account, so that charged to revenue. The capital expenditure provided for is nearly \$13,000,the money invested in the N. T. R. The ever paring down would not injure etclining and the mas pretty nearly kept if the National Transcontinental Railway, which last year absorbed \$30,000,000, calls for \$20,000,000 this year; in all,

stock. It is satisfactory to note that, hood.

last year. The increase in the number of letters carried over that of the previous year was nearly 32,000,000, an increase hardly up to the ratio of 1906, depression. The showing made, how-

Letters 396,011,00
Postcards
Registered letters 9,078,00
Free letters 13,207.00
Third class matter pieces 76,496,00
Fourth class packages 6,178,00
Closed parcels for abroad . 82,34
The following statement shows the
number of letters posted in Canada du

ing the jent.	
Ontario	82,838,000
Quebec	77,757,000
Manitoba	33,923,000
British Columbia	29,524,000
Nova Scotia	24,075,000
New Brunswick	15,806,000
Saskatchewan	14,848,000
Alberta	13,549,000
Prince Edward Island	2,907,000
Yukon	693,000
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CRIME'S QUAGMIRE.

A Brantford Expositor reporter recent accompanied Constable Adams, who was taking William Cheevers to serve a sentence of three years in Kingston penitentiary, and his story, published in the Expositor of the 30th ult., contains not a little suggestive matter for thinkers. This was not Cheevers' first offence. He had only two months before completed a three-year term and been turned out to find work or steal or starve. His story, making all proper allowances hardly illustrates what that society is doing to give the erring a fair chance to struggle back into a life of honesty. Cheevers, in talking to the reporter,

said:
"I started at 12, years of age, and I got a stiff sentence in the reformatory. I wasn't a bad lad when I got out, either, but when I came back home my father was dead, my mother had married again, and I did not get along well with my stepfather. You see, I didn't have a friend and I practically had no home. That was 12 years ago and it was not hard to get into trouble. I am now 28 years old. The next time I came up I got 30 days in next time I came up I got 30 days in the Brantford jail, and since then have the Brantford jail, and since then have served 3 months, 6 months, 23 months and 3 years. That 23 months in Central took the heart out of me, and I have never been the same since. When I got out, however, I had a trade at broom making, and Warden Gilmour gave me a good recommendation to a Mr. Taylor, in Toronto. I went to work, and if ever a man had good resolutions I had. I was not at work long, though, until the money invested in the N. T. R. The Post-Office service requires \$600,000 told the foreman he would have to let Post-Office service requires \$600,000 more than last year to keep pace with the demands of our growing population. The Government has been as good as its word in reducing controllable expenses.

The Public Works appropriations have been reduced \$8,000,000; the Railways and Canals item, \$13,750,000, and wherever paring down would not injure efficiency, reductions have been made. The But I got over it, "Continued Studholme, M. P. P., the third party in the Legislature, a back seat, and selectrk, but see...
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" turned out calls for \$20,000,000 this year; in all, the Public Works vote amounts to \$10,881,408. The estimates have been carefully prepared with a view to providing for the necessities of the country, keeping in view the large failing off in the national revenue. Among the items in the Ontario votes is one of \$50,000 for the reconstruction of the Burlington channel piers. It will now be seen to what extent the Opposition and the country will be ready to assist the Government in its policy of economizing expenditure.

THE LANDED BANKING AND THE LANDED BANKING AND LOAN COMPANY.

The thirty-second general annual meeting of the shareholders of the above financial institution was held in its offices in this city yesterday, and the reports which were presented must have the reports which were presented must have the reports which were presented must have cone and the reports which were presented must have cone as the reports which were presented must have cone as the reports which were presented must have cone as the reports which were presented must have cone as the reports which were presented must have cone as the reports which were presented must have cone as the reports which were presented must have cone it. I would have given a lot for six months and had a chance to come out in the harvest time, with a chance to make good. That is shall have done it. I would have given a lot for six months and had a chance to come out in the harvest time, with a chance to make good. That is easier than beggin. However, I never could beg; not on a bet, "remarked Cheevers."

One cannot help thinking that in such that the reports which were presented must have done it. I would have given a lot for six months and had a chance to come out in the harvest time, with a chance to make good. That is easier than beggin. However, I never could beg; not on a bet," remarked the remarked that the state of the remarked that the remarked the remarked the remarked that the remarked that the remarked that the remarked that the remarked the remarked to come the remarked that the remarked the remark

reports which were presented must have been gratifying to all concerned. The so-called financial depression does not might, under more favorable conditions, seem to have touched this company, for have found fruition in a useful life. it enjoyed a prosperous year in all its Even after a long prison term he was departments, thanks, no doubt to care ful, conservative management on the part of the directors and officials. The net profits for the year, after deducting to him; only union men were allowed all charges, amounted to the handsome sum of \$81,422.17, and with the balance carried forward from last year, reached the total of \$92,826.28. Two half-yearly was a marked man; the officers do not dividends at the rate of six per cent per make it easy for an ex-convict to earn annum, amounting to \$42,000, were paid; a living their surveillence is a poor re-\$8,100.22 was written off head office commendation to employers, and hunger premises, and \$40,000 transferred to the invites to crime. Cheevers has a good serve fund. With the \$40,000 added, record as a prisoner. Perhaps a humane the reserve fund now amounts to \$390, system which helps instead of pressing 000, or over 55 per cent. of the capital down would have helped him to man-

even in dull times, the company's funds In his confidences he had something have been satisfactorily utilized and the to say of the parole system, and it was repayment on mortgages promptly and not altogether favorable. Indeed he tells well met. The securities held were re- what might naturally be expected of ported to be of the best. These state- its working within the walls of the priments show that the Landed Banking son. And his statements are highly sug-& Loan is one of Canada's substantial gestive of what we might expect under banking concerns, well established in the the indeterminate sentence system, in confidence of the public. The handsome new structure erected by it for its head or long—even to a life sentence—accordoffices at the corner of James and Main ing to the impression he may succeed

the strength and integrity of the company, but it adds greatly to the facilities of the company for carrying on its business. Mr. Thomas Bain, the President, and Mr. C. W. Cartwright, the Manager, are to be congratulated on the success attending the company.

CUR POSTAL RECORD.

Perhaps nothing so forcibly brings home to the average reader a realization of the growing importance of Canada's business, as the post office statisties. The figures are striking. There were 11.823 offices in the Dominion reporting last year. The increase in the number was a continual throat-cutting process going on, literally speaking, to "get in right," and get out on parole. Of honor among thieves Cheevers knew it not, behind the gray walls of Kingston. There was none for him, although he reiterated he had done his best on the job.

ers that be" in the prison, or bring "pull" from without to help him. All would be managed, not in open court, in the full light of day, but in secreey and darkness. On the reports of the men "played" to the authorities would imagined. This fault naturally affects does not do away with the intelligent discretion of the judges. Let Sir Wilfrid to such a system.

by a well-directed charge of shot is entitled to the sympathy and approval of

EDITORIAL NOTES.

If some alderman in the secret let out who that expert is, Mr. Mayor be shaken?

Does Mr. Barnard, M. P. for Victoria C., by virtue of the forgery of that Borden telegram, admit that "the receiver is as bad as the thief"? An honorable man must find Barnard's position rather

The Chatham News hears that certain Bothwell people "may be" heirs to \$750, 000,000, an estate hidden away some where in Middlesex, England. may be a few odd dollars and cents;

The Tory organs are forced to admit that the forgery of that Borden telegram was "a nasty piece of business," and that it probably deceived the people of Victoria into voting against man, but Barnard hangs on to the stolen

A local contemporary asserts that or failure to tax our people to build a navy for Canada "hits" us in many ways, for instance: "It means a falling off of a less consideration for our great financial world." We don't believe it, and we lieves it. Not a scintilla of evidence has

ian can hardly do less than fall on the Premier's neck and pledge him everlastthere is an "if" in the story referred to.

The Mail and Empire declares that he eapital cost of the eastern division of the Transcontinental Railway on further intimation that the Grand Trunk Pacific people are dissatisfied with the way the road is being built. The fact is, as the organ well knows, that every with the Grand Trunk Pacific before it is

The Canadian Courier has a short and easy way of settling the "u" problem in our spelling. Here is its dictum: in our spelling. Here is its dictum:

It is not a question as to whether we shall make a new law or not; it is a question of observing the law we have. Officially, by a minute of the Privy Council of Canada, and by the practice of the Government, harbour has possession of the "u." Until that regulation and that practice are changed by the same authority, the man who spells the word in the short form is breaking the official regulations. He is an outlaw and an unpatriotic citizen.

There will be people who will harbor.

(beg pardon, "harbour") the suspicion but there is no evidence in the article itself that it is not intended as sm and a warning to those who are not ials." no matter how absurd.

OUR EXCHANGES

(London Free Press.) overheated stove is running the crossing a close race.

Old and Dignified.

The British Museum is one hundred and fifty years old, but it is too dig nified to mark this important mile-post in its career by any special celebration

Make It Three and a Half. (Toronto Star). From a number of quarters comes the suggestion that the rate allowed on deposits in the Post-office savings bank, now three per cent., be in-creased.

(Toronto Telegram.) A policy of bringing offenders to the police court is the only means of abat-ing the nuisance. The spectacle of one public swearer being fined might

start a movement to purify the air of street cars and other public places. Keep Their Seats.

Kingston. There was none for him, although he reiterated he had done his best on the job.

That touches a vital defect in the indeterminate sentence system. The prisoner's term would be long or short as he can be such directly that himself 'nat' with the row. (Toronto Globe).

DR. BRENT CHAIRMAN

Canadian Head of the International

Opium Commission at Shanghai. Washington, Feb. 1.—Rev. Charles H. Brent, Protestant Episcopal Bishop of the Philippines, was elected Chairman of the International Opium Commission, which began its sessions to-day at Shang-will China. He may nowing add for the ersity in 1884. Dr. Brent was a mem-er of the Philippine Opium Commission in 1903-4, and it was at his suggestion

The only secret a woman considers worth keeping is her own age.

CHAPPED FROM FINGERS TO ELBOWS.

Boy's Agony Relieved by Zam-Buk

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If you are suffering from badly-chapped hands you will be able to comprehend a little of the agony which Henry
Waiker, of 14 Manufacturers street,
Montreal, endured before Zam-Buk gave
him rehef. His mother, telling of the
case to a Press representative, said:
"Henry works with his shirt sleeves
rolled up above his elbows, and passing
from a warm room to the biting cold, as
he was obliged to do, he got the worst
case of chapped hands and arms 1 have
ever seen. From his fingers to his elbows was one mass of raw flesh, with
bad cracks here and there. Whenever
he washed, it brought tears to his eyes
the pain was so acute. He tried several kinds of salves, but nothing relieved
him really until he tried Zam-Buk. This
balm seemed to take away the burming
and smarting almost at once. The cracks
began to heal, and a few applications of
the balm cured him. His hands and arms
are now smooth and soft.

"We have also used Zam-Buk took the
fire out and healed up the sore. It really seems a wonderful household preparation.
"On one occasion my son Haary had

his foot frozen. It was very swoller and discolored, but Zam-Buk both re

and discolored, but Zam-Buk both relieved the swelling and removed the discoloration. Zam-Buk is so handy and
so effective that we shail always keep a
supply handy."

Miss Hattie Bertrand, of Salisbury,
Ont., says: "Every winter I suffer from
chapped hands, but. Lhave found, a cure
in Zam-Buk. Applied at night, it heals
the cracks by morning, and takes away
all the sorenees."

Similar effects follow its use for eczema, scalp sores, blood-poisoning, uleers, ringworm, children's sores, cuts,
burns and bruises. It also cures piles.
All druggists and stores sell at 50e, a
lox; or post free from Zam-Buk Co.,
Toronto, for price.

AMUSEMENTS

presented at the Bennett Theatre this season is Edward Davis' offering this week-"All Rivers Meet at Sea." made a deep impression on the audience gained to pay a rental of 3 per cent., at both performances yesterday. There is being greatly swollen by extravalare four people in the cast and all are This statement is purely a clever performers and do full justice to Mail and Empire falsehood, as is its the little tragedy. Mr. Davis, who takes the little tragedy. Mr. Davis, who takes the leading part, was formerly a preach-er of the gospel, and in the playlet he still preaches some, or, rather, moral-izes. Divorce is the basis of the play, the dialogue of which is marked by phil-osophy of living. The playlet is ele-gantly staged, and promises to be one of the favorite acts on this week's good hill

Another high class act, but of a dif-ferent character, is that of the Micze-koff-Sandiers troupe, Russian dancers. There are five people in the troupe, and their dancing was of the whirlwind or-der. Two of the members were exceedingly clever and elicited loud applause. The people were nicely dressed and pre-sented a very pleasing appearance. The musical skit, "Five Minutes Late,"

manner.

A good laugh producer was the farce.

"A Detective Detected," presented by
Hickman Bros. and Retta Merrill.

Jennings and Renfrew appeared in a
singing turn and received a fair share
of the applause. Altogether the bill
this week is a good one, and should
draw large audiences. "ROMEO AND JULIET."

Shakespeare's great play, "Romeo and Juliet," was the new bill at the Sayoy Theatre last night, and it was given a very creditable presentation by the Sel- Wynne Matthison (of "Everyman"



BERNARD DALY, e sweet singer in "Rory of the Hill," at the Grand to-morrow

man Stock Co. The play was magnificently staged, and the seenic artist of the company, D. C. Du Bois, came in for much praise. The title roles were taken by Mr. Jos. Selman and Miss Elfreda Lasche. The latter made a charming Juliet, and showed a fine conception of the role. Mr. Thaddeus Gray was very strong in the role of Mercutio. Miss Du Bois, who was suffering from the injury sustained last Friday, gave a clever character study in the role of Juliet's nurse. One of her arms, was in a sling, and she acted under difficulty. The performance, altogether, was most satisfactory, and the company will no doubt draw a large audience of students of Shakespeare during the run of the play.

A GENUINE NOVELTY.

A GENUINE NOVELTY. Mackey's Humanuva Company opened at the Colonial Theatre yesterday, and at the Colonial Theatre yesterday, and played to record breaking business. The theatre was crowded to the doors at

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1909 SHEA'S Skirts Made to Measure of Sale Goods \$1.25

Our Winter Clearing Sale

Rousing Bargains in White Wool Blankets

WHITE BLANKETS AT \$2.69—Good large Blankets, not all wool, but nearly so, 64x84 size, 7 pounds weight, well made and good firm quality, worth \$4.00, but a little dust soiled at fold, so they go for per pair ... \$2.69
WHITE BLANKETS AT \$2.95—Every thread pure wool, 6 pounds weight, 60x80 size, a beautifully woven Blanket, very lofty finish, fast colored borders, full \$4.50 value, on sale for per pair ... \$2.95 \$5.00

and \$5.95 Blankets for \$4.50 \$6.50 and \$6.95 Blankets for \$5.95 Blankets for \$5.95

Women's Coats at \$8.95

At this price we have picked out a quantity of Coats in loose back, fitted back and semi-fitted, black beavers, kerseys and fancys, and fancy cloths, finished with silk and braid, all the most stylish goods in Canada to day, worth from \$15.00 to \$18.00, the whole goes on sale to clear

\$15.00 \$20.00 to \$25.00 Coats for

Jackson; housekeeper, Miss Deborah Carter; adopted daughter, Miss Emily Surplus; mistress, Mrs. John Surplus.

To-morrow afternoon and night at the

Grand will be seen the romantic Irish drama, "Rory of the Hill," with Beranrd Daly, the Irish tenor, in the role of Rory O'Connoll. Mr. Daly is favorably known through his portrayal of Dan O'Hara in "The Kerry Gow." He will sing a number of Irish ballads specially written for this play. At popular prices "Rory of the Hill" should attract good sized audiences at both performances.

HILDA SPONG COMING.

HILDA SPONG COMING. Hilda Spong, who is well known rough her brilliant work in many omment roles in New York produc-ns, will appear at the Grand next Fri-

and Saturday in a new play called Man and His Mate." The action

akes place in picturesque New Mexico. The story of the play is developed in-ensely, and never has Miss Spong's great

art been given greater scope. Her work as "Betty Breckenridge" is said to be most clever. The company is

That the original Henry Miller Asso-iate Players are to be seen in "The Ser-

larly good one, and theatregoe look forward to an excellent pance. Seats will be on sale to-

morning.

Women's Neck Furs On Sale

Women's 'Possum Stoles, \$12, on sale for Women's 'Possum Stoles, \$15, for Both Isabella and Blended, for Black Lynx Stoles, with heads and tails, \$15, for .. \$9
Marmot Stoles, good heavy fur, good size, \$7.50 for \$5

Silk Underskirts-A Sale

sale of black and colored Silk Underskirts, Moreen and Sateen Underskirts, in black and co

fifty young men, interspersed with the latest jokes. Altogether it was one of the best of programmes. The songs included "The Dollar Sign," "Napanee," "Good-bye, Mr. Rag-time," "My Irish Rose," "Sweetheart Days," 'Automobiling," "Good-bye, My Caroline," "Fa, Ta, Au Revoir," "In Jungle Town," "Someone." "O'Brien Has No Place To Go." "I Never Even Said Good-bye." The characters in the comic sketch, "A Regular Fix," were: The regular fix, Mr. Hugh De Brass; a lawyer, Mr. John Surplus; assistant to lawyer, Mr. Charles Surplus; clerk, Mr. Abel Quick; sheriff's officer, Mr. Abraham Smiler; porter, Mr. Solomon Smith; maid, Miss Matilda Jane Jackson; housekeeper, Miss Deborah ifty young men, interspersed with the atest jokes. Altogether it was one of Popular Shoe Sale

BEST and most popular sale ever put on by us. The assortment and size are BETTER, and the price reductions GREATER than ever before. This week more broken lots have been put into this sale-in fact., fo

the next few days, while this sale lasts, new lines will be added to the of bargains and they are GENUINE BARGAINS.

Reliable

This is a reiable sale. We guarantee to you that the reducions are made rom our regular selling prices-and ur regular prices are as low as any an sell at.



Save Money

By buying Shoe at this sale you will save from \$1 to \$1.50 per pair -and the Shoes are all stylish and up-to-date in every way. The quality is guaran-

BARGAIN SALES—We know that the public is being "stung" every week at so-called "bargain sales"—the 99-cent kind. When a line of goods are slow sellers at, say \$1.75, it's let us have a bargain sale and ticket them \$1.99, and clear them out. Stung again!

OUR SAILE IS DIFFERENT—It is an annual cleaning up sale of all broken lots. We have these GENUINE SALES twice yearly in order to keep our assortment new and up-to-date. Hadn't you better come AT ONCE and secure a pair? Men's and Women's \$1 to \$1.50 off regular-price.

WARM SLIPPERS for women, men and children at prices below the

J. D. CLIMIE 30 and 32 King St. West

FOREIGN MAIL. Hours of Closing at Hamilton Fo

design that is still hidden away, only to e fully revealed in some of the coming far away ages. The angels themselves looked on in wonder, and understood not; then, O man, who art thou, that thou thinkest to unlock the secret cham-

Monday evening is a matter for pleasurable continent. Orten when a piay has timished a highly successful season, managers rely upon its reputation alone to "carry" it on the road, and withdraw from it some of the high salaried artists who had much to do with establishing its value. But "The Servant in the House" will come to Hamilton with exactly the same cast as that which roactly the same cast as the s who had much to do with establishing its value. But "The Servant in the House" will come to Hamilton with exactly the same cast as that which recently appeared in the second big engagement of the play at the Savoy Theatre, New York. It is composed of Edith Wynne Matthison (of "Everyman" fame), Tyrone Power, Walter Hampden, Arthur Lewis, Mabel Moore, Frank Mills and Ben Field. This is an alliance of historic talent which cannot be surpassed at the present day. The New York Sun says that its equal has not been seen since the time when Augustin Dalv's great company included John Drew Adages to the service of the serv fame), Tyrone Power, Waiter Hampden, Arthur Lewis, Mabel Moore, Frank Mills and Ben Field. This is an alliance of historic talent which cannot be surpassed at the present day. The New York Sun says that its equal has not been seen since the time when Augustin Daly's great company included John Drew, Adn Rehan, Otis Skinner, James Lewis and Mrs. Gilbert. Seats go on sale Friday morning.

Sir,-Having all my life taken a very great interest in the solution of the two great interest in the solution of the two questions that have been and are just now, agitating the minds of, at least, some of the readers of your most excellent paper; and having noticed by your publication of Friday last, that the subject in question would be dealt with in Central Presbyterian Church, I made it my business to be there last Sundry evening, as a hearer. In listening to the Rev. Mr. Sedgewick's meritorious discourse (for it was he who speke), I was much struck with his deep carnestness, and his honest endeavor to ciucidate the problem of God's apparently hidnen purpose concerning the creation in general, and that of man in particular. But, like the question of "What Is Life!" it proves to be somewhat enigmatical in its aspect. To say that God made man, because He desired a more complete expression of Himself than He already found in mat. desired a more complete expression of Himself than He already found in mattheatre was crowded to the doors at every performance. The company is a good one, and the opening bill, "The Two Orphans," was given in a praise, worthy manner. The Humanuva Co, pression of Himself in His Son Jesus, then why did He desire to repeat it in man? He was also surrounded by an inmar? He was also surrounded by an inmar? He was also surrounded while results when their home, near here, burned last night, by throwing them man? He was also surrounded while results while results then when their home, near here, burned last night, by throwing the many is composed of New York actors, who will play the "Two Orphans," until Wednesday evening, then changing to comedy for the balance of the week.

ERSKINE BOYS CLUB.

The second annual concert under the ampieces of Erskine Boys' Club was held in Erskine lecture hall last evening. The ampiece success. The programme contained in a complete success. The programme contained and some club design in which is the observable of the latest songs by a chorus of table, or animal, including man. Some er, seems to me to be somewhat cramp-d, stopping far short of the ultimate

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"THE GOLDEN BUTTERFLY."

The same graceful cadence and pleasing melody which charmed theatregoers to decade or so ago i'r Hamilton will destroyed by the seate of the provided and grounded to think and to say, that life is love; the stranger that is could and grounded. ing melody which charmed theatregoers a decade or so ago in Hamilton will deslight them in DeKoven and Smith's new comic opera, "The Golden Butterfly," which will be presented at the Grand on Thursday evening, Feb. 11, exactly as it was seen during its long run at the Broadway Theatre, New York, with the brilliant comic opera star, Grace Van Studdiford, in the title role, supported by a company of over eighty people.

THE PROBLEM OF HUMAN LIFE

ing else. Of course it is a pleasant thing to think and to say, that life is love; the feb. 10th. Feb. 11, 5 p. m., Empress of Irelations of our personality, the supremacy of the moral over the material, the lofty exultation of our sublimest conceptions; hand when we view it in connection with and when we view it in connection with the crowding effort of the Great Eternal One, Ent., alas! poor man, is it possible that a Feb. 18, 5 p. m., Tunisian, sailing Teb. 17th.

The PROBLEM OF HUMAN LIFE depths of degradation, misery and shame, as many have failen, so as to be scarcely recognizable at all as belonging to the order of man? Then, again, is it not almost equally inconceivable, that God, with His prescience—foreknowiedge—would make a something that He knew would descend, as it were, even into the yery bowels of hell itself, to bring up muck and mire, that he might besmirch yery bowels of hell itself, to bring up muck and mire, that he might besmireh himself, even beyond the ullness of the lowest desires of the forlest beasts, that prowl upon the face of the earth? Then, why did God make men? "What is man, that Then art mindful of him?" Yours respectfully.

A. H. Bennett,

Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 1, 1999.

FLUNG INTO SNOWBANK.

Two Children Saved From Death in a Fire.

Gardner, Ill. F,eb. 1.-Mrs. Albert

Month of February.

The following schedule shows the closing of the transatlantic mails for by England, during the month of February, 1909, the hour given being the time of closing at Hamilton post of-

Feb. 1, 12.15 p. m., Kaiser Wm. der Grosse, sailing Feb. 2nd. Feb. 2, 12.15 p. m., Mauretania, sail-ing Feb. 3rd.

Feb. 4, 5 p. m., Hesperian, sailing 5, 12.15 p. m., St. Louis, sailing Feb. 6th. Feb. 8, 4.30, Campania, sailing Feb.

19, 12.15 p. m., 3t. Paul, sail-

Feb. 22, 4.30 p. m., Mauretania, sail-12.15 p. m., Mauretania. m., Empress of Britain.

MILITARY TRAINING.

ing Feb. 27th.

26, 12.15 p. m., New York, wile

400,000 Trained Men to be Added to Home Defence.

London, Feb. 1.-The National ervice League, the object of which is to bring about compulsory military training in Great Britain, has taken



and comfort in the parlor car--

the Loved ones are speeding on the steel roadway---watching the swiftly passing

scenes---anticipating the pleasures awaiting at their journey's end---trusting to the railway to keep them safe from harm.

And is the railway true to its trust?

Is it guarded with safety devices that keep vigilant eyes on every mile of track? Is it prepared to prevent disaster?

The records show that Railroad Accidents are alarmingly on the increase--that 85% of Railroad Accidents are preventible-that but a ridiculously small percentage of the mileage in North America has safety devices of any kind.

Under conditions such as these-where is our guaranteethat our loved ones are safe on the railway?

Yet there is an absolute safety device that will surely prevent all disasters on the Railroad caused by collisions, head-on or rear-end, open switches, breaks in the track or open draw-bridges.

It is the Price System for Automatic Stopping and Controlling of Trains.

Come down to our Demonstration Room, top floor Norwich Union Building, 12-14 Wellington Street East, any day between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. Let us show you how the Price Device will absolutely protect you and yours when you travel on the railway. Exhibition Free.

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Material Progress.

Montreal, Feb. 1 .- Mr. Henry Bouras-

sa, managing director of La Publicite,

Limited, has put forth the prospectus of his new company, whose object, ac-

years." This paper will avoid illustra-tions, sensational stories, scandals of Police Courts and resorts, to make room for ideas and facts adapted for the

THE OTHER SPEC.

The president of the British Board of Trade has been to Birmingham and has ruffled the feathers of the

he way, but a six-penny weekly of onsiderable ability). He toke of a stubborn yet artificial domination which has long nourished insufferable

which has long nourished insufferable pretentions upon insignificant abilities. "It can." he said, "prevent the abolition of the plural voter, it cannot amend a bill to give old age pensions to 600,000 people. Posing as a Chamber of Review remote from popular passion, it neverthelt—exhibits a taste for cheap electioneering, a subserviency to caucas direction upon

a taste for cheap electioneering, a subserviency to caucas direction upon a level with many of the least re-puted elective chambers in the world." He speaks as one who realizes vividly that until the House of Lords is dealt with there can be no sub-stantial amelioration of the condi-tion of the poor and the desperate.— Communicated.

Too Much Brandy.

Montreal, Feb. 1.-Dr. Milton Hor

Montreal, Feb. 1.—Dr. Milton Horsey this morning submitted to the court his report of the analysis of the brandy chocolates which were seized by detectives in a big raid on local confectionery establishments, made last week Dr. Hersey stated that the liquid in the chocolates contained 6.26 pure alcohol, or 20 per cent. of brandy. The percentage of alcohol in the whole candy was about 7. The chocolates were about half the strength of ordinary brandy, and he considered them intoxicating

Starboarder—The landlady says fish is good for the brain. Hallroom—Well, if she continues to give it to us six days a week we'll soon know enough to leave.

intoxicating

spectator (not our neighbor

editorial staff such

Hamilton Representative

E. B. ARTHUR Room 600, BANK OF HAMILTON BUILDING

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NEW TERMINAL BOURASSA'S PAPER.

Of the West Shore R. R. at 52nd. Designed to Promota Moral and Street and North River.

West Shore Railroad's new ter-The West Shore Railroad's new ter-minal at the foot of West 42nd street and the North River, New York, which has been under construction during the past year, has been completed, and was opened for traffic on Friday, January 29, 1909.

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The building, with its canopies which cover the decks of the boats at the bridges, is a conspicous point on the bridges, is a conspic

The new station, which is much larger than the old one, is equipped with every convenience and comfort for travellers and ferry traffic. The spacious entrance lobby, 45 by 37 feet, opens directly upon the street. The ticket office, with eight windows for the sale of railroad and Pullman tickets, is located to the left of the entrance, and the bureau of information, parcel checking room and public telephones to the right. Between the lobby and the main waiting room are, the ferry ticket heath. the lobby and the main waiting room are the ferry ticket booths, four in num ber and arranged so as to handle the traffic without delay.

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The main waiting room, 80 by 66 feet, is of dignified and substantial construction, and especial attention has been given to the lighting, heating and ventilation which may be said to be perfect.

Two ferry slips with separate approaches are substituted for the single slip of the old terminal. Each approach has double driveways for vehicles and sidewalks for pedestrians. The connection with the boats is over electrically operated bridges of the most approved suspension type, doing away with the use of gangplanks.

The public and the railroad company may congratulate themselves upon the opening of this terminal, which adds another feature of comfort to the metropolitan journeyings, and which should do much toward encouraging and developing the territory reached through it.

ECONOMY --- SOMETIMES.

To the Editor of the Times:
Sir,—I see by your report in Saturday's Times that a few minutes' work in passing some accounts by the County Council on Friday was postponed for a day on a frivolous pretext, which caused the Warden to severatically compare that only on a trivolous pretext, which caused the Warden to sarcastically remark that the postponement would entitle the members "to another day's pay," and this is the body of men that compel grand jurors to fulfil their duties visiting published. ing public institutions at their own ex-pense. How careful some people are o-public expense—sometimes—aren't they

Yours, County Taxpayer.

At Canton, China, at least 200 lives were lost in a fire which occurred in a fleet of flower boats. The charred bodies of 170 victims have already been recovered, but many persons are still missing.

REDUCTION IN DUNDAS.

Temperance People Want Two Licenses Cut Off.

Site For Public Buildings Recom mended to Government.

Complaint re Workmen Tickets Being Looked Into.

Dundas, Feb. 1 .- The February meet ing of the Town Council was held last evening. Mayor Lawrason in the chair and all the members present.

A letter from Town Solicitor Gwyn explaining the position of the town in he matter of Freeman Marcy's claim that the costs incurred by him in the natter of the suit against the town

matter of the suit against the town two years ago by one, Wood, injured while working at the dam, was received.

Dr. Bertram wrote that owing to bad condition of the crossing over the H. & D. track on Main street, he had a runaway and his cutter was badly injured, for which he claimed compensation. His communication was referred to the Finance Committee.

Mrs. Anderson, King street, asked for water service, which was referred to Fire and Water Committee.

The report of Fire Chief Knowles for

Fire and Water Committee.

The report of Fire Chief Knowles for the past year was received and referred to the Fire and Water Committee. It contained the following information:
Fires during the year, five: amount paid firemen, \$59.25; paid extra men, \$5.40; the losses by fire were covered by \$17.500 insurance, of which \$4.850 was paid.

From the Royal Templars and the Cen-From the Royal Templars and the Central Temperance come requests for a reduction of hotel licenses. The communications were backed up by a strong deputation from these societies. A motion that the deputation be heard was passed, and W. J. Kerr was the first speaker. He urged that the town had a greater proportion of licenses than other places. proportion of licenses than other places, and a reduction from six to four would still leave all the hotel accommodation. W. A. Davidson was the next speaker who urged that hotels could be, and who urgest that notes could be, and were being carried on without the bar.

John Douglas placed the town's revenue from licenses at \$400, a sum that did not by any means recoup the corporation for the increased expenses caused by the tariff. He hoped the Council would see its way clear to grant the reation for the increased expenses caused by the tariff. He hoped the Council would see its way clear to grant the re-quest of the delegation. After some little discussion by the

ouncil, a motion to refer the matter to the Finance Committee was carried, al-though it was pointed out that if any-thing was done action must be taken by thing was done action mus-the first of March.

On recommendation of Fire and Water
was decided to purchase

e water meters, notion by Councillor Bertram, see-by William Lunn, "that in the m of this Council the best location ne new public building would be Liddy block." An amendment moved by Councillo. as moved by Councillors Moss and awson that the block of Charles W. Avener be recommended. After a debate wormth, some length and no little warmth, Moss, Lawson and Spittal; for the Liddy block, Bertram, Boyle, Mount, Penning-Two by-laws were put through, one to

borrow \$10,000 to meet current expenses, and the other appointing W. W. Forsyth assessor, at the same salary as last year,

A letter from Town Clerk Fry thank-d the town on behalf of himself and sis-ers for the letter of condolence from he Council, owing to the death of their

ense for the bowling alley adjoining the filey House, held by R. J. Findlay, of hat hotel, transferred to him. Referred

that hotel, transferred to him. Referred to the Finance Committee.
Collector Knowles reported thus: Amount of taxes on roll for 1908, 832, 466.56; collected to date, 827,036.78; amount uncollected, \$4,529.28. His request for \$100 on salary was graated.
Mayor -Lawrason reported that the complaints of Dundas people that they were being unjustly treated by the H. & D. in the matter of workingmen's tickets, had been laid before the management of the road, and a promise secured that said complaints would be carefully looked into.
At 10.30 Council adjourned.

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Dr. Bertram's horse took fright yesterday while crossing the H. & D. Railway track on Main street and ran away, doing some damage to the cutter, but

nor meas and facts adapted for the sup-port of its doctrines, and calculated to interest intelligent men. It will be ab-solutely independent of political and financial influence, and its policy will be highly militant. NEW HOUSES FOR WELLAND.

Welland, Feb. 2.—Work will begin n one hundred new houses as soon on one hundred new houses as soon as spring opens, while local contractors prophecy that this number will be only a fraction of what will be built this year.

The meeting of the W. C. T. U. was addressed by Mrs. Byron-Smith, of Hamilton. A "Y" was organized in the evening.

Miss Elgiva Hockey was a visitor

MAC NAB FORWARD CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Forward Club of MacNab Street Presbyterian Church was held last evening. In spite of the cold weather quite a number turned out to hear Mr. W. M. McClemont's address on Burns, which was very interesting and instructive. A hearty vote of thanks was extended to the speaker.

The man who makes his money yeast doesn't always rise in the so world.

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is the best remedy for Catarrh, Bronchitis, Scrofu-la and Anemia. It enriches the blood and produces strength faster than any-thing else.

KEYNOTE OF CAMPAIGN

Common sense is the keynote of the campaign against Consumption. "Good food, fresh air and rest; keep the windows open winter and summer"—that is the advice of scientists who have made a study of this dread disease which has caused more deaths in the United States during the past year than have been occasioned by yellow fever during the many epidemics of the past one hundred and fifteen years.

While great progress has been made in the successful treatment of consumption, it should always be borne in mind that prevention is much easier and more certain than cure. It is important to check a cold at the beginning, as the disease often finds its starting point in neglect

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To break up a cold quickly, mix a half-ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine with two ounces of Glycerine and a half-pint of good Whiskey. Take a teaspoonful every four hours. It is said that this will break a cold in twenty-four hours, and cure any cough that is curable. It is easily prepared and quite inexpensive, as the mixture makes a quantity sufficient to last the average family an entire year. In having this formula put up, be sure to use only the genuine Virgin Oil of Pine, prepared by the Leach Chemical Co., Windsor, Ont.

A HERO POLICEMAN.

Sacrificed Tooth to Get Evidence Against Unqualified Dentist.

London, Feb. 1 .- No list of English heroes ought to be considered complete without the name of the policeman who sacrificed himself in the cause of duty sacriliced himself in the cause of duty the other day by having a perfectly good tooth pulled in order to provide direct evidence against an unqualified dentist. As yet the name is not forth-coming, and the modest hero refuses to disclose himself. Only the story is known.

There are recipients of the Victoria There are recipients of the Victoria Cross who would shrink from the ordeal of a tooth extracted without gas, and the policeman in question could not take gas as he had to keep wide awake to watch the illegal act as it proceeded. The dentist in the case had evaded the law for some time, and the only way to catch him seemed to be to arrest him in the very act of pulling a tooth, so the policeman, anxious to win laurels, agreed to go and lose one of his molars in the cause.

He went and suffered at the hands of

He went and suffered at the hands of he unqualified extractor of teeth and promptly arrested him after the operation, to the amazement of the dentist

FOUND IN TIME.

Fuse Attached to Inflammable Stuff in Coal Shed.

nost sensational arson trials in the history of the country has been begun here by the commitment of M. Driscoll and his son, F. Driscoll, on a charge of setting fire to the barn and house of a neighfor named Demers. Settlers around saw the fire in the barn, and rushed to Demers' assistance in time only to avert a possibly horrible tragedy as the culmination of the crime. When they arrived they found the outbuildings in flagues and a box full of inflammable material in the coal shed, to which a burning fuse had been attached, and which had burned down almost to the explosive point.

xplosive point.
Had it not been discovered when it was the lives of Mrs. Demers and four ittle children would have been menaced, not sacrificed, as they were asleep in house at the time. with the crime, and they have just bee

NEED NOT PAY.

U. S. Supreme Court Sustains Defendant in Refusal.

Washington, Feb. 1.-The case of the Continental Wall Paper Company vs. Lewis Voight & Sons, of Cincinnati, was to-day decided by the Supreme Court of the United States in the Voights' favor. The suit was brought by the company on a debt of \$75,000, the payment of doing some damage to the cutter, but more to itself.

Four big sleigh loads of Epworth Leaguers, of Dundas, about 90 in all, went to Copetown last night. They visited the League there and were treated right royally. Copetown furnishing the refreshments and Dundas a good musical and literary programme.

Postmaster Graham is able to be at business again, after an illness that confined him to his house for some time.

The suit was grouge to payment on a debt of \$75,000, the payment which was resisted on the ground the paper company is a trust. The description in refrect maintains that the Connection of the payment of the paper company is a trust. The description in restraint of trade, not recover from a customer for value of goods the latter purchased.

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Fourth—Frank Keachie, John Whetam, Hazel VanSickle, Muriel Hendrie, Senior third—Gladys Hooker, Zella Main, Della Hendrie, George Keachie, Al

fred Griffin

Junior third-Jennie Kelly, Olive Cro nin, Ervin Bricker, Ethel Falkiner, Rog er Bricker.
Senior second—Beatrice Moore, Edith
Hendrie, Russell Whetham, Harold Cronin, Fred Thompson, James Kelly, Herbert Dale.
Junior second—Gracie Hooker, Charlie
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Grummett, James Culham, Parke Grummett, Maggie Falkiner.
Part 2—Gordon Whetham, Robert
Thompson, Ingles Hood, Hugh Kelly,
Stanley Montgomery.
First class—David Main, Myrtle Main,
Vera Mulholland, Joe Kelly, Morley Gerrard, Ray Cronin.

MOUNTAIN LION KILLED BABY. Mother Found it Crunching Remains of Her Child.

Bilboa, Cal., Jan. 31.—A mountain lion crunching the lifeless and mangled body of her two-year-old boy was the sight that greeted Mrs. Chris, Brown last night, when she entered the family tent, four miles from the Hotel Delmar, after a short walk. The mother, in deceive which serves when the state of the short walk. after a short walk. The mother, in de-pair, rushed screaming at the beastly slayer of her child. The lion growled savagely and backed slowly out of the rear of the tent, his mouth dripping with the baby's blood, and disappeared. The Brown family arrived from Dela-ware two weeks ago.

H. Noyce, who swore at Port Arthur that Mr. Hodder had participated in a commission on the purchase of a motor generator, will be prosecuted on a charge of perjury. A warrant has been issued for his arrest

INCREASES IN SALARY

Aldermen Expect a Flood of Applications This Year.

Jail Governor and Turnkeys Recommended For Advances.

Estimates For Year Call For Expenditure of \$22,600.

The first of what threatens to be flood of applications for salary increase was dealt with by the Markets Commit tee yesterday afternoon, when the Coun-cil was recommended to increase Goveror Ogilvie's salary \$200 a year. Mr. Ogilvie at present receives \$1,000 a year and the turnkeys' salaries are graded from \$500 to \$650 a year, according to from \$500 to \$650 a year, according to services. The salary of the Governor of the jail was fixed at \$1,000 thirty years ago, and there has been no change since. Some of the new aldermen thought the turnkeys were the poorest paid men in the city's service.

Ald. Peregrine, who is Chairman of Finance, agreed that the men should be better paid, but he pointed out that

petter paid, but he pointed out that there was danger of the Council being flooded with applications for salary in reases this year, and none of them ng through. He reminded the aldern ing through. He reminded the aldermen that it would be pretty close sailing to get through this year without an overdraft. There was no objection to the recommendation going to the Council, and it was sent on. After pruning the estimates the committee decided that it could not get along with less than \$22,600 for the departments under its control. Of this amount \$5,200 is for the City Hall; \$6,500 for the markets; \$3,50 for the scales and \$7,400 for the jail. In the City Hall account there is an appropriation of \$1,400 for the caretaker and his wife and \$600 for the engineer. It was stated that as a result of the ac-It was stated that as a result of the ac-cident the caretaker met with some time ago, when he fell down the elevator shaft, he would probably never be able shaft, he would probably never be able to do any heavy work around the building again. It was on this account the new aldermen were told that the engineer had to be employed. A sub-committee was appointed to look into the matter and report.

The estimates also contained an appropriation of \$1,200 for coal. Ald. Pergrine said this was too much, and the committee cut off \$200. Provision was also made for re-burnishing the chandeliers, at a cost of \$100.

"The chandeliers are a disgrace to the city," said one of the new aldermen.

There is no money to spare for improvement, however, and the amount was struck out.

was struck out. "It's a shame," said Building Inspec

tor Anderson," to let a \$200.000 building like the City Hall go to ruin. At least \$500 a year should be set aside for re-pairs."

The aldermen remembered the over

draft and decided they could not spare the money.

In the market estimates provision is made for paving the Central Market with asphalt. The original estimate was \$1.430, and this was cut down to \$950. In the jail estimates \$600 for painting the outside of the jail and another \$100 for improving the turnkeys' room was struck out.

Solicitor Waddell wrote the commit-tee inclosing a form of a pawn ticket, with an explanation on the back of the rate of interest pawhrykers are per-

rate of interest pawnbrokers are per-mitted to charge, and stating that the penalty for an infraction is \$50. He sug-gested that if the ticket was adopted the

lice and detective department awarded to Fralick & Company.

B. C. 1400.

Interesting Historical Address by Rev. G. F. Salton.

The regular weekly meeting of the Hamilton, Ministerial Association was held in the board room of Centenary Church yesterday afternoon and there was a good attendance. An interesting and instructive address was given by Rev. George F. Salton, of Stratford, on "A Basket of Old Letters," or "The Story of the Tel El Amirna." These letters were written in 1400 B.C., and related to the history of the Hebrews and Egyptians in the time of pages. Hamilton Ministerial Association was

Mr. Salton was a former pastor of Centenary Church and he was heartily welcomed by all his old parishers who chanced to see him.

BROKE THROUGH ICE

Toronto Man Drowned in Lake Pangus.

Lakeport, Mass., Feb. 1.-The driving nowstorm early to-day claimed a victim in Frederick King, aged twenty-five, of Toronto, who with his wife and two Toronto, who with his wife and two children removed here less than six weeks ago. King went to his death in the waters of Lake Paugus. King was employed by the Independent Ice Company, and was one of its night shift. He was with the rest of the gang of ice-cutters about 5 o'clock this morning, when he was told to go ashore with a horse which had been used in the work. King took a lantern and started on his trip.

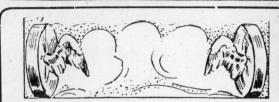
trip.

The snow was falling rapidly, and his mates quickly lost sight of him. A moment later they heard his cries for help, but before they could reach him he had disappeared in the water of an opening from which the ice had been cut. AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE.

Premier Fisher in Favor of Compulsory Training.

Melbourne, Feb. 1.—Premier Fisher, speaking at the Foundation Day luncheon, said the question of defence was whether the people were prepared to pay or not. He was hopeless about naval defence without an Australian naval defence without an Australian navy co-operating with the Imperial fleet. He entirely favored compulsory training. Mr. Deakin hoped a middle course could be steered between setting apart a portion of the people only for national defence and crushing the country under a huge expense.

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Home Industry Exposition

From Feb. 4th to Feb. 13th

The formal announcement of our Fourth Annual Home Industry Exposition will be made in to-morrow night's papers. Preparations have been going on, on a colossal scale in order to this event one that will go down in the annals of Hamilton history, as the greatest effort ever put forth by a retail

This method of exploiting what Hamilton is doing within her great work shops and factories, from an educational point of view alone, should command the attention of every loyal

Prints, Ginghams and Organdies

Just in and fresh as June flowers. Many lots come even a little earlier than we expected, but none too soon for the busy woman who is getting all her summer sewing done in the cold weather, and wants to choose from the newest and daintiest patterns. The following ready for to-morrow.

32 inch English Prints, hard to excel in sturdiness of quality and defulness of pattern and coloring, a full range of light and dark ef-

Need a New Skirt?

What woman doesn't at this time of the year? Something smart and trim for general use to finish out the winter and start the spring with.

All new spring styles, every one of them—and a special purchase lot at a very special price as an incentive for choosing to-morrow.

\$6.00 and \$7.50 Skirts \$5.00

Smart Separate Skirts of Panama and Venetian Cloth, made in new gore flared style. Some have pleated panel front, others have plain panel trimmed with buttons, and finished at foot with self fold, navy, brown, green and black; worth regularly \$6.00 and \$7.50, on special sale to-morrow at all one price ... \$5.00 Worsted Skirts \$6.00

Trim Walking Skirts of fine diagonal worsted, in navy, grey and black, made in stylish, gore flared style, perfect fitting and trimmed down the front with large self buttons, inverted pleat in back, special value at \$6.00 Dressy Skirts \$7.50

Dressy Skirts of fine black Panama Cloth, made in nine gores, with leated panel front and back, trimmed at foot with wide satin fold, headed ith two narrower ones, well tailored, and exceptional value at ... \$7.50

Directoire Skirts \$10.00

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A Great Mid-Winter Sale of **Underwear and Hosiery**

Some unusual savings that no one can afford to pass by. Savings

Women's Winter Underwear—Saving Event A very opportune sale to replenish your supply of winter Underwear. makes as Turnbull's, Watson's, Hygeian and others are in cluded in this sale event, in all-wool, union and fleece cotton make. All sizes, shirts and drawers to match, with various trimmings.

All-Wool Quality \$1.00, now reduced to 89c 90c, now reduced to 75c 75c, now reduced to 59c

Fleeced Cotton Makes 50c, now reduced to 39c 35c, now reduced to 29c 25c, now reduced to 19c

Men's Night Shirts

Men's Underwear Reduced

Penman's and Tiger Brand Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers to match, in heavy winter makes, all sizes, regular \$1.00 quality, now 75c Men's Heavy All Wool Winter

Shirts, superior make for wear, dou-ble breasted, regular 85c, sale price

85c, now reduced to 55c \$1.00, now reduced to 75c

Women's and Men's Flannelette Nightwear

Women's White Flannelette Night Gowns, large, full, generous tucked, hemstitched and embroidery insertion trimmed, high neck, with double yoke back and front. Also Men's Heavy English Colored Striped Flamel ette Night Shirts, collar and pocket. These are heavy, warm, winter qual-

Women's Night Dresses \$1.25, now reduced to 85c \$1.35, now reduced to 95c

Boys' Underwear Reduced Boys' Heavy Wool Shirts and rawers to match, in warm winter akes, sizes for ages 9 to 12 years, these saving prices:

35c, now reduced to 25c 45c, now reduced to 35c 55c, now reduced to 40c

Two Great Price Reductions in Hosiery

35c Cashmere Hose 19c Women's All Wool Plain Cash-mere, All Wool English Hosiery, seamless feet, elastic tops, all sizes, winter weights, regular 35c value, sale price

40c Cashmere Hose 29c Extra quality Women's All Wool English Cashmere Hose, plain, me-dium and wide ribb makes, seamless

Extra Special! Children's Underwear to 65c for 35c Surplus lines gathered together for the opening of this great sale event

They are in all wool makes, in white or natural, fine qualities for winter and spring wear; shirts and drawers to match, in sizes for children 6 to 10

FINCH BROS., 29 and 31 King St. W.

Tentative Marriages.

Reet. He entirely favored compulsory training. Mr. Deakin hoped a middle course could be steered between settting apart a portion of the people only for national defence and crushing the country under a huge expense.

The new Winnipeg Stock Exchange The new Winnipeg Stock The new Winni

a contract to be renewed if both found the relations amicable

TO CONSERVE RESOURCES.

Mr. Borden Moves For Committee of the House.

Premier Wants Each Separate Interest to Have a Committee.

House Debate on Question Adjourned-Secret Commissions Bill.

Ottawa, Feb. 1.-The partisan note was conspicuous by its absence from the proceedings of the House to-day. In a compact speech, full of interesting information gleaned from many sources, Mr. Borden submitted a resolution which, if accepted in the form suggested by the Prime Minister, will immeasur

which, if accepted in the form suggested by the Prime Minister, will immeasurably extend the sphere of Parliament's usefulness and prove of incalculable benefit to the Dominion.

The motion was in the following terms: "That in the opinion of this House it is advisable to appoint a scleet standing committee on natural resources, who shall have authority to inquire into and consider and report upon all matters appertaining to the conservation and development of the natural resources of Canada, including fisheries, forests, mines, minerals, waterways and water powers, and to whom may be referred, from time to time, any report, document or matter touching the subject which they are appointed to consider."

Last session Mr. Sinclair, Liberal member for Guysboro, moved a resolution in favor of the appointment of a select committee to deal with the subject of fisheries, and in the course of a discussion favorable to the proposal, the leader of the Opposition threw out the suggestion that the scope of such a committee might be extended to forests, minerals and other resources as well. Since then Mr. Borden appears to have devoted special attention to the question, and the resolution he introduced to-day is the result. The leader of the Opposition approached the consideration of the subject in no critical or partisan spirit. His object, frankly expressed, was to urge upon the House the necessity of a step which he regarded as of vast importance and in the interests of the country, and his speech, lucid, comprehensive and informative, was fully in accord with that intention.

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And it was in the same spirit that his proposal was met by the Government. Indeed, Sir Wilfrid Laurier not only accepted the resolution in substance, but expressed his readiness to earry it several steps farther. In order that the work of the select committee proposed might be properly distributed and thoroughly covered. Mr. Borden suggested that each of the resources specified in the resolution should be investigated by a sub-committee. The Prime Minister while heartily endorsing the idea underlying the resolution pointed out that a group of sub-committees might be rather cumbrous, and he suggested that it would be more in accountered. uggested that it would be more in ordance with the objects they had few if a committee were appointed leal with the fisheries alone, anoth or the minerals and a third for fores ry, waterways and water powers, these three resources being intimately allied. Apart from the inherent advantages of such an arrangement. Sir Wilfrid

Apart from the inherent advantages of such an arrangement. Sir Wilfrid thought it would be in the interests of public business if the select committees of the House were composed of fewer members and were increased in number. The leader of the Opposition eagerly accepted the Prime Minister's suggestion and in order that the form of the resolution might be more fully considered the debate was adjourned. OPPOSITION LEADERS' ARGUMENT

opposition leaders. Argument of the was a-beautiful gold bracelet, on which were engraved her initials. The bridesmaid was the recipient of a pretty ing set with rubies and pearls, and the groomsman of a tie pin set with pearls, the gift of the groom. After the carety, and of the mines not under immediate operation. "I have not any doubt," he said, "that if our forests are properly conserved our water powers will prove a more valuable asset to the people of Canada than our coal and other minerals combined. They should be conserved as a valuable asset, and held in trust by the State for the benefit of the whole people." Dealing with the inies, he declared that they should be "additionable asset, and held in trust by the bride was held by her circle of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson deprople." Dealing with the inies, he declared that they should be "additionable asset, and held in trust by the bride was held by her circle of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson deprople." Dealing with the inies, he declared that they should be "additionable asset, and held in trust by the bride was held by her circle of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson deprople." Dealing with the inies, he declared that they should be "additionable asset and speculatives and showers of rice and good islates. On their return they will reside would prevent waste and speculatives and showers of rice and good islates. On their return they will reside would prevent waste and speculatives and cooks. Station. retain control, and haps in the future go a step farther than that."

TO KILL ONE FORM OF GRAFT. Hon. Mr. Aylesworth introduced his bill to prevent the payment of acceptance of illicit or secret commissions, and other like practices. He expained that the measure was based on the English act, passed two years ago for the same purposes. The bill was read a first time.

"Dr. Barr introduced a bill to facilitate the crossing of railways by telephone wires.

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If Mr. Lancaster was forestalled by Mr. Lakerdike in the introduction of his bill to protect the level crossings, he got ahead of the member for St. Lawrence to-day on the second reading. This was the bill which was sent three times to the Senate and as often rejected. To-day it passed through committee without discussion, and now stands for a third reading.

The same stage was reached by Mr. Clarke's bill amending the railway act by making general the liability of railway companies for damages. stands for a third reading. started by locomotive

QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

No fewer than 78 questions were on No fewer than 18 questions were on the order paper.

Replyrey to Mr. Barnard, Hon. Mr. Brodeur announced that negotiations were in progress with the Imperial Government for the transfer of the navel station at Esquimalt to the Canadian Government.

Mr. Avisavorth informed Mr.

dian Government.

Hon. Mr. Aylesworth informed Mr.

Taylor (New Brunswick), that exDeputy Warden Bourke, of New Westminster Penitentiary, had been asked to
tupply the Department of Justice with
any information regarding the escape of
Bill Miner which he had not already furnished.

Answering Mr. Claude Macdonnell.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley stated that the erection of the new postoffice promised to Toronto could not be proceeded with intil a definite decision had been come to in regard to the location of the new Union Station.

Sir Fdererick Borden informed Col.

Worthington that the usual camps of 181-2 mills.

instruction, including one at Petewawa, would be held this year.
Sir Frederick Borden informed Col. Armstrong that the Government had taken no action to bring about the resignation of Mr. Morse, Vice-President of the G. T. P., and that there was no truth in the statement that the Government could not get on with Mr. Morse.

In the evening the House went inte Committee of Supply and passed a number of items, the Government evi-dencing their desire to push on the work

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EMERSON-GOWLAND.

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The residence of Mrs. T. Gowland, Blackheath, was the scene of a very pleasant social gathering last Wednesday, the occasion being the marriage of her youngest daughter, Beatrice, to J. H. Emerson, of Cook's Station. The bride was neatly attired in white albatross, trimmed with Honiton lace, and carried a bouquet of beautiful white carnations. The wedding march was played by little Miss Gladys Laidman, of Hambilton, a niece of the bride, and the groom was attended by Robert Young. The bride was given away by her brother, Walter Gowland, and, followed by the bridesimaid, proceeded to the arch, which was tastefully urranged and decorated with Georgian agents.

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HOLMES-LITTLE.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lit-The home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Little, of Nassagaweya, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Jan. 20th, when their youngest daughter, Margaret Roberta, was united in marriage to Mr. Duncan M. Holmes, also of Nassagaweya. At four o'clock, the appointed hour, the guests had assembled. Miss Agnes Elliot, an old schoolmate, and particular friend of the bride, played the wedding march, from Lobengrin. the wedding march, from Lohengrin. The bride wore a beautiful dress of cream Santoy with yoke of tucked chifcream Santoy with yoke of tucked chif-fon, and rose point lace, with bridal veil and orange blossoms, and was es-courted by her father. The ceremony took place in the parlor, under a beau-tifully prepared arch of evergreen, trim-med with tinsel and having large white bell overhead. Rev. A. Blair performed the ceremony.

After congratulations and good wishes the bride and groom led the way to the bride way pour led to the bride with Groom led with Groom and beautifully decorated with carnations and bride loaded with good things, and beautifully decorated with carnations and speeches were made suitable to coeasion. The young couple took an east bound train to spend their honeymoon in the Eastern cities. The guests, to the number of about fifty, spent a very pleasant evening in various amuse mets, as singing, dancing, etc. The bride's travelling suit was of brown Panama, with hat to match, and sable furs. The groom's gife to the bride was a gold watch fob with initials engraved. The presents were numerous and costly. watch fob with initials engraved. The presents were numerous and costly, showing the high esteem in which the young couple are held. On their return they will reside at Lorne Hill, Nassagaweya, and will be at home to their friends after the first of February.

CUT DOWN THE EXPENSES.

Government to Keep Expenditures Within Bounds.

Votes For Intercolonial and National Trancontinental.

Total Amount is Nearly Twenty Millions Less Than Last Year.

Ottawa, Feb. 1.-The estimates for coming fiscal year were laid on the table of the Commons this after-The Government has implemented its promise of cutting down expenditure as far as possible this year to meet the as far as possible this year to meet the decrease in the revenues. The estimates total \$110,489,774, which is nineteen and a quarter millions less than the estimates of last year. The main estimates last season were followed by supplementaries which totalled ten and a half millions. It is understood that this session there will be no supplementaries, or that they will be so small as to addilittle to the total of the main estimates made public to-da,.

Of the total estimates for the coming year twenty-six and a half millions are for amounts authorized by statute and eighty-three and three-quarter millions are to be voted by Parliament. Of this a little less than thirty and a half millions are for expenditure on capital account and before the same tendence of the country of the same to be completely the same to be same to be completely the same to be completely the same to be same to be completely the same to be such as the same than the same that the same than the same tha

a little less than carry and a national lions are for expenditure on capital account, and a little less than fifty-three and a half millions are for general expenses of administration chargeable to revenue. The amount to be voted or capital expenditure this session i almost thirteen millions less than the vote for capital account last session, and the amount for current expenditure shows a decrease of over six millions three hundred thousand. The vote for civil government is increased by \$1,870,000. This is due to the reclassification of the inside civil service under the new act and increases in salaries for inside and outside officials. There is a millon and three-quarters increase in the provision for interest charges due to the issue of bonds on account of the National Transcontinental construction. Votes for the Department of Agriculture have been cut by a half million; the Public Works appropriations have been cut by eight millions; for militia there is a decrease of thirteen millions less than th lions; for militia there is a decrease of \$636,000, of which \$340,000 is saved in the item for annual drill; for quaranting there is an increase of \$35,000; for each there is an increase of \$35,000; for each the item for annual drill; for quaranting the item for annual drill; for

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In the item under civil government the salaries of the Clerk of the Privy numel is uncreased from \$3,575 to .000. The salaries of the Superintendat of Insurance, the Auditor-General, the Deputy Ministers of the Departments of Militia, State, Printing, Indian Affairs, Mounted Police, Finance, Customs, Inland Revenue, Marine, Public Works, Post Office and Labor are increased from four to five thousand sollars. The salary of the Deputy Medicater of the Interior is increased from \$3,825 to \$5,000, and of the Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce from \$4,200 to \$5,000.

In the Immigration branch there is a decrease of \$100,000 in general expenses and a cutting down of the staff of foreign agents.

Under the head of public works the following are the larger items:

To complete the new Victoria Memorial Museum at Ottawa, \$400,000. For Port Arthur and Fort Willaim harbor improvements, \$600,000 Improvements at St. Andrew's Rapids.

evements in St. John harbor. \$475,000.

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Tiffin harbor improvements, \$125,000.

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Victoria harbor, \$150,000.

For the survey of the proposed twelve-foot waterway between the St. Lawrence and Lake Champlain via the Richelieu and Yamaski Rivers a vote of \$20,000 is asked; for the St. Lawrence ship canal the vote is \$800,000, an increase of \$40,000.

The sound \$5,000 is voted for a Dominion forestry convention.

The total amount to be voted for public works is \$10,881,408, and of this only \$3,313,000 is chargeable to capital account, the balance being made chargeable to income, although many new public buildings are included.

For harbors and rivers in Ontario the

For harbors and rivers in Ontario the following are among the new votes ask-Burlington channel, piers, reconstrucion, \$50,000.

Toronto harbor improvements, \$375,

SUSPECT ARRESTED.

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(Special Despatch to the Times.)

Kingston, Ont., Feb. 1.—Reginald Lewis, a young man about 30 years of age, and an ex-member of R. C. H. A., was arrested this morning on suspicion of having been connected with the robberies of the Palace jewelry store and Corrigan's dry goods store at Gananoque.

ESKIMO SCHOLAR.

New York, Feb. 1.—Mene Wallace, the full blooded Eskimo boy who was brought to the United States 12 years ago by Commander Peary, was heartily cheered to-day by a big crowd of students on the campus of Manhattan College here, when he appeared to enter the preparatory class of the institution.

Mr. John Small, collector of customs, Toronto, was stricken with paralysis on

Toronto, was stricken with paralysis on Monday.

THE COMMON APPLE A GREAT **SOURCE OF HEALTH**

The Juice of the Ordinary Apple is One of the Best Things in the World for Keeping the Blood Pure.

Few people there are but enjoy a ripe, juicy apple. But how many realize that it is a medicine as well as a treat?

Apple juice has a very marked effect on the kidneys, increasing their power to throw off the waste products of the body, called urea, and thus prevent Rheumatism, Sciatica, Neuralgia and similar troubles that come from poisoned blood.

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Similarly, other fruits stimulate the action of the liver and bowels—others of the skin. Combined, they keep the blood pure—the body clean and heaithy. To get this effect, however, one must eat a great deal of fruit, or better, eat a little fruit and take "Fruit-a-tives."

"Fruit-a-tives" are tablets in which the juices of ripe fruits, with their medicinal value intensified, are combined with valuable tonics. They act directly on Bowels, Kidneys and Skin and put them in perfect condition—thus ensuring the thorough elimination of all waste matter and poisons from the body. Trial box 25c. Regular size 50c—6 boxes for \$2.50. Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

CHURCHES PROTEST.

Half-Fare Rates For Clergymen May be Restored in the West.

Winnipeg, Jan. 31.—The decision the part of the C. P. R. to abolish the half-fare rate in Manitoba for all clergy-men is being protested against by the men is being protested against by joint missionary board of several churches, with the exception of the Baptists. They maintain that the with-drawal of this privilege by the road will seriously interfere with the great home missionary work which the churches find missionary work which the churches find themselves called upon to face. Second Vice-President Whyte, while making no definite promises, has taken the matter under consideration, and there is a prob-ability that the half-fare rate for all

DIVORCE CASE.

Says Mrs. Stirling Menaced the Life of Lord Northland.

Edinburgh, Jan. 31 .- Mrs. Atherton, or the witness stand to-day, created a sen-sation at the Stirling divorce trial by testifying that Mrs. Stirling once had purchased a revolver, and declared she would shoot Lord Northland, the co-respondent named by Mr. Stirling, unless he married her.

"She said," Mrs. Atherton testified, "that she would take her own life, or ord Northland's; one must go, and it idn't matter which."

same way you have been."
This was a reference to Capt. YardeBuller, who refused to marry Mrs. Atherton after her divorce, in which he was

DEADLY CROSSING.

Boy Instantly Killed .-- Two Men Seriously Hurt.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. L.-The condition of Jacob and Max Greenagle, who are at the Homeopatic Hospital here, is grave. They were struck by a New York Central train near Lyons, N. Y., where they live, while riding across the tracks in a sleigh Saturday night, Seven-year-old George Greenagle, a son of Jacob, was instantly killed. Max, the other son, was seriously hurt, and with

LIFE SENTENCE.

Faced Death Five Times For Murder of Woman.

Chicago, Dec. 1 .- Herman Billik, who has five times been respited from death on the gallows during his two years imprisonment in the county jail, was taken to the State Penitentiary at Jol et to-day to begin a term of lif iet to day to begin a term of life impri-somment for the murder of Mary Vrzal his death sentence having been commut-ed by Governor Deneen. Billik expressed confidence before his departure that he would receive complete freedom soon.

BOY SCOUTS ORGANIZED.

The boys of Mr. William Linklater's lass of the First Congregational Church net at the home of Mr. Linklater on 'riday evening and organized the above-amed clear.

met at the home of Mr. Linklater on Friday evening and organized the above-named class.

The purpose is the mutual improvement of the members and the advancement of Christ's kingdom among boys. The following officers were elected: President, Marshall Dickinson; Vice-Tresident, Charles Davies; Secretary, Tom Brown; Treasurer, Harry Cowan; Librarian, Jack Gibson; Teacher and Press Reporter, Wm. Linklater.

Any boy wishing to join the class may

Press Reporter, Wm. Linkater.

Any boy wishing to join the class may send his name and address to the secretary, Tom Brown, 40 Caroline street north, or to any other member of the class. Visitors always welcome on Sun-

DAMAGE BY SPRINKLER.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 1.—By the bursing of pipes in the sprinkler system \$48 000 damage was done the dry goods warehouse, at the corner of Queen and Crawford streets. It is Queen and Crawford success. thought the bursting of the pipes was due to frost.

DIED IN BLIZZARD.

Kingston, Ont., Feb. 1.—William Holder, of this city, has received word that his nephew, Ernest Holder, 17 years old, son of Isaac Holder, of Bladworth, Sask., was killed in a blizzard that swept over the country last week. No details are given. Isaac Holder went to Saskatchewan four years ago from Fron-

KILL THEM OFF.

DOCTOR ADVOCATES PLAN TO IM-PROVE RACES OF PEOPLE.

Colony for the "Culls"-Based on the Principles Now Applied by Many Farmers in Breeding Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Extraordinary experiments were related and radical meameetings of Chicago physicians in the

for the discussion of the problems of heredity.

Dr. Eugene Davenport, dean and director of the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois, created a great sensation among the several hundred doctors when he advocated the application of the fundamental principles of eugenics for improvement of the human race. His treatment of the subject was based not only on the paper read to the meeting but also on his own vast experience in meeting the practical problems of live stock breeding.

His chief proposal was that all the "culls" or "scalawage" of the human race should be taken before the courts, scientifically investigated and, if found unworthy, colonized and allowed to die off.

EXPERIMENTS IN INTERMARRIAGE.

EAPERIMENTS IN INTERMARRIAGE.
Scarcely less interesting was the recital of Dr. W. L. Tower, professor of
zoology of the University of Chicago,
who toke of experiments in intermarriage of Anglo-Americans, German-Americans and Irish-Americans with the Indians of southern Mexico. He announced
important scientific deductions arrived
at as a result of comparing these with
similar experiments with different varieties of a certain small South American

Other men who have devoted their

knowledge might be of practical better to them in their daily work. WOULD IMPROVE HUMAN RACE. Not until Dean Davenport, who has taken a breed of cows yielding 150 pounds of butter a year and developed therefrom cows yielding 1,000 pounds of

of our breeding is to be," he said, "W ther it is to be the production of a

of our breeding is to be, he said, whe ther, it is to be the production of a few superior individuals or the general elevation of the race. In the first we must proceed as in the breeding of thoroughbred racehorses. If the second, as in the production of good average fat stock for the farm.

As to the first, it is not necessary to consider whether any further advance in this regard is practical or not, for the human race to-day is working it out of its own accord. In the long run our system of preferential mating produces persons of exceptional talent. Like mates with like, and people of exceptional ability in any line, musical, artistic, commercial, are naturally thrown together by their common tastes and unite thus, bringing forth phenomenal individuals in all lines.

MARKIAGE LAWS EASILY EVADED.

MARRIAGE LAWS EASILY EVADED "Some people advocated better mar-riage laws. Marriage laws have nothing to do with it. The only solution is the absolute prevention of reproduction among the culls, human as well as ani-mals. One way is to colonize them Some people express abhorrence at the idea, but do we not already colonize the interval of the criminal. insane, and, tempforarily, the criminal; insane, and, tempforarily, the criminal; "Let Mr. Jones be taken into court and his ancestry record be investigated. If we find his parents were dominantly bad it means that he is 50 per cent. bad if his grandparents were also bad, he is 25 per cent, more bad, and so on.

YACHT DESTROYED.

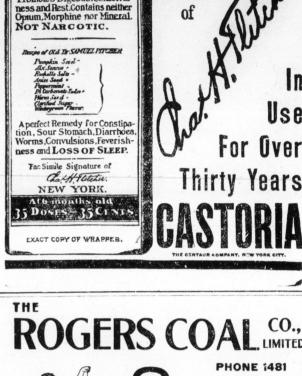
Workman's Lantern at Sandwich Caused \$7,000 Blaze.

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 1.—The explosion of a lantern carried by a workman caused the total loss of the steam yacht loing at her dock in Sandwich to-night. The boat was valued at \$7,000, and car owned by George Brooks, of Aml burg, and he was also her captain



Women were not intended to suffer more than men. A mother needs to be bright and happy, but she cannot be this so long as she suffers untold agony In silence. It is no wonder she is irritable when her back aches from morning till night. Her kidneys are wrong and are responsible for that TIRED, sleepless, nervous and dizzy feeling. She needs DR. ROOT'S KIDNEY AND LIVER PILLS. They will cure the kidneys and give new life and energy. Thousands can testify to this. See that you get the genuine DR. the kidneys and give new lite and energy. Thousands can testify to this. See that you get the genuine DR. ROOT'S KIDNEY AND LIVER PILLS. They are put up in Tin Boxes and are sold by all druggists and dealers at 25c a box, or postpaid from DR. ROOT CO., Spadina Avenue, Toronto.

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SUES FOR BOARD BILL

But Gets Non-Suited, Though Judge Sy pathizes With Her.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—Elizabeth Caswell sued Alex. Lyons in the jury Assize Court yesterday for \$2,340^t and costs, the amount representing ten years

the amount representing ten years board at \$4.50 per week.

The plaintiff said the defendant had promised to marry her when her furshand died and for this reason she allowed him to live at her house so long.

"Did he ever give you any money?" asked the counsel for defence.

"Ten cents once in a while."

"Did he help you out of trouble?"

"He paid my fine when I was convicted of selling liquor, about \$100."

The defendant is a cattle dealer of Markdale, and he claimed that he had paid several fines for the plaintiff, as well as bills.

Justice Latchford regretfully non-suited the case, dismissing it without costs, saying:

saying:
"She probably believed he would marry her when her husband died and kept him friendly to her for many years by doing more for him than a man of his mean disposition was likely to do for a woman who thought that much of him?" Mrs. Caswell's husband left for parts

Mrs. Caswell's husband rection particular unknown over 20 years ago.

Rev. Mr. Stevens and family, residing at Winger, west of Welland, were nearly asphyxiated by the fumes of natural gas. The chimney became choked up. Francois Xavier Droullard, aged 86

years and one of the pioneer residents of Essex County, died at his home in Windsor on Monday from paralysis, De-ceased saw service in the rebellion of ties in 1908 were \$1,153,740.

SLEW FRIEND.

Fatal Outcome of a Duel Fought in Germany.

Berlin, Feb. 1 .- A duel with pistols was fought to-day near Frankfort-on-Main by Baron Von Oertzen, an infan-Main by Baron Von Oertzen, an infantry captain, and Lieut. Von Stuckrad, of the reserves. The latter was killed. The two were formerly close friends until Lieut. Stuckrad, during Capt. Von Oertzen's absence during the manoeuvres, some time ago, cloped with the latter's wife. The woman's parents traced the couple to New York, when friends tried vainly to persuade their daughter to return. Capt. Von Oertzen subsequently obtained a divorcé, but this had hardly been granted whent Lieut. Von larter was tracked to the couple of the co hardly been granted whent Lieut. Von Stuckrad quarreled with the woman, whom he forsook, leaving her in Ameri-ca, and returned to Kreuznach, where his father, a retired burgomaster, re sides. After the duel Von Oertzen sur-rendered himself to his superiors. Probably the only penalty imposed on him will be a formal reprimand.

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neer residents
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succession du740.

President Roosevelt has been offered
a wild west show.
An "unemployed" man who was engaged by Toronto to shovel snow
promptly paid a Police Court fine imposed for drunkenness.

THE LANDED BANKING & LOAN CO.

Proceedings of the Thirty-Second Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders

The Thirty-second Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of The Landed Banking & Loan Company was held in the Company's office yesterday at noon, the following shareholders being present: J. B. Fairgrieve, Alex. Main, George E. Fisher, W. A. Robinson, E. B. O'Reflly, M. D., E. R. Niblett, Archdeacon Forneret, R. R. Bruce, C. S. Scott, Hon. Thomas Bain, S. F. Lazier, K. C., Fred B. Ross, A. H. Moore, E. G. Payne, Jas. Angus, Andrew Patterson, A. E. Malloch, M. D., and H. M. Patterson.

The chair was also by the President Hop. Thomas Bain, et al.

Malloch, M. D., and H. M. Patterson.

The chair was taken by the President, Hon. Thomas Bain, and the Manager,
C. W. Cartwright, acted as Secretary.

The Secretary read the motion convening the meeting, also the minutes of
the meeting held the previous year, which were confirmed.

REPORT OF DIRECTORS

The Directors submit to the Shareholders the Thirty-second Annual Report of the Company's affairs, together with the Profit and Loss Account and Balance Sheet for the year ended December 31, 1998, as duly certified by the Auditors, appointed by the Shareholders.

The Net Profits for the year after deducting all charges, amount to \$81,422 17 Added to which is the balance carried forward from last year 11,404 11

Which amount h	ends at the r	ate of six ner	r cent. per	annum	\$42,000	00
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With the \$40,000 added, the Reserve Fund amounts to \$350,000, of over 55 per cent. of the Capital Stock of the Company.

The Company's funds have been satisfactorily employed and repayments on mortgages have been promptly and well met.

The customary examination by a Committee of your Directors of all the securities of the Company has been made, and all were found to be in a very satisfactory condition.

The Directors report the completion of the Company's new building

satisfactory condition.

The Directors report the completion of the Company's new building which has greatly added to the facilities of the Company for handling its business and has been universally approved.

The Directors again place on record their appreciation of the services rendered the Company by its agents in Great Britain, Messrs. MacAndrew, Wright & Murray.

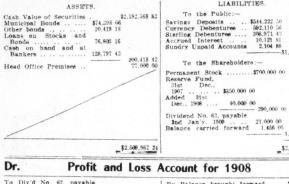
The Officers of the Company have performed their several duties to the satisfaction of your Directors.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

All of which is respectfully submitted,

Hamilton, January 20th, 1909.

General Balance Sheet, 31st December, 1908 LIABILITIES



\$2,569,987 24 Profit and Loss Account for 1908 Cr. To Div'd No. 62, payable
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To Debenture Expenses . . Written off Head Office 8.100 22 Balance carried forward \$168,563 47 C. W. CARTWRIGHT, Manager

We hereby certify that we have examined the books, accounts and vouchers. The Landed Banking and Loan Company for the year ended 31st December 108, and have found the same correct, and the foregoing statements are in commity therewith.

We have also examined the Securities and find them in perfect order and correctly set forth in the above statement, and in the Securities Book. RALPH E. YOUNG,

G. E. F. SMITH, Chartered Accountants.

Hamilton, Jan. 20th. 1909.

Hamilton, Jan. 20th, 1909.

Additors.

The adoption of the Report was moved by the Hon. Thomas Bain and seconded by Mr. C. S. Scott.

On motion the following were re-elected Directors for the ensuing year:

Samuel Barker, M. P., Hon. Thomas Bain, S. F. Lazier, K. C., M. Leggat, Charles Mills and C. S. Scott.

Ralph E. Young, C. A., and G. E. F.Smith, C. A., were reappointed auditors

for the ensuing year. The usual vote of thanks to the Auditors and Directors having been passed,

meeting adjourned At a subsequent-meeting of the Directors, the Hon. Thomas Bain was elected President and Mr. C. S. Scott Vice-President.

THE SALOON.

Mr. Watkins Tells the Public Some of the Toings It Is Good For.

Sir .- As some of the aldermen seen to think the saloon is not such a very

or at least a comfortable home in which to reside.

No. 4. The saloon is the cause from whence proceed the blows, curses and unkindnesses, which many a drunken man gives to his wife and little ones.

No. 5. The saloon is good to keep children from going to school, as on account of lack of money, the drunkard's children are oftentimes not decently enough clad to permit them to attend school.

No. 6. The saloon intoxicates the husband, incapacitating him for work so that he loses his pay for the time that he is not working.

that he loses his pay he is not working.

No. 7. The saloon is the cause of a great deal of ill health to both rich and poor on account of the bad effects of liquor drinking and the diseases brought

on by the same.

No. 8. The saloon is the enemy in large part to commerce generally, for the money that would be spent in the saloon would otherwise go into the coffers of the dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, and other merchants' establishments, thus giving an impetus to busness that would be simply maryllous and directly and in-

the condition of affairs which would be

wonderful. Frederick W. Watkins. Hamilton, Feb. 2, 1909. SAN JOTTINGS.

Jack Frost is having things his own way just now at the San, but he has not affected the good spirits of the patients, for cheerfulness abounds. Several things of interest occurred during the past week. There was a lecture on the best way of continuing the cure after leaving the backersons to retain as many as possible in our midst, perhaps you will kindly allow be to indicate some of the things the saloon is good for, among which may be mentioned some of the following:

No. 1. The saloon is good for making men drunk, in which condition they frequently murder other men or their own wives and children.

No. 2. The saloon is good for clothing the barkeeper's wife in silk and diamonds, and the drunkard's wife in rags.

No. 3. The saloon is good for providing a hovel for the miserable drunkard wine in which to reside.

No. 4. The saloon is good for providing has very often a luxurious home or at least a comfortable home in which to reside.

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No. 6. The saloon intoxicates the husof interest occurred during the past week. There was a lecture on the best

Donations—Mrs. H. C. Gwyn, clothing; Miss F. Harvey, \$1; Mr. D. Lavrock,

THE GOLD CURE.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 2.—Twenty Sissenton Indians will leave the Keeley Institute to-day to return to their reser-vation in South Dakota. The white man taught these Indians to drink whiskey, so they came to the white man to cure them of the whiskey habit.

A BIG FUND.

ceries, soots and snoes, and other incerchants' establishments, thus giving an impetus to business that would be simply marvellous, and directly and indirectly there would be a betterment in reached a total of \$16,000,000.

REAL ESTATE.

Wealthy Capitalists Purchase Some Costly Corners in Toronto.

Toronto, Feb. 2.-A combination of capitalists, including representatives from Britain, the United States, Manitoba and Toronto, have been quietly purchasing through Robins. Limited, some of the best property on Yonge street, and within the past few days fully twenty blocks have been secured, the total involved being over one million dollars. The negotiations have been in progress for some time, and the deals completed only represent part of the immense sums these and other capitalists have invested and are prepared to invest in central properties in Toronto. The Jamieson corner on Yonge and Queen streets has been secured for a New York firm, which expects to be in operation here in the early summer. toba and Toronto, have been quietly

TOT'S ADVENTURE.

Emily Husband, Toronto Girl, Unable to Find Brother in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 1.-Travelling all the way from Toronto, Canada, in search of her uncle, Emily Husband, 14 years old, reached St. Louis penniless and in the wake of the big storm, to find a friend in a man wearing the garb of a soldier and other friends at

garb of a soldier and other friends at 3831 Cleveland avenue.

She now is in the care of Matron Kintzing, of Central district station, and Capt. Young is making every effort to locate the uncle, Herman S. Husband, who is in the metal business, is married and lives in this city.

Emily, a sweet-faced child, says she

Emily, a sweet-faced child, says she Emily, a sweet-faced child, says she is the daughter of Wailace Husband, late of Toronto, but went to Oregon for his health. She told Capt. Young she kept house in Toronto for her two brothers. Henry and William, and then, hearing her uncle needed a nurse for his baby in this city, she decided to come here.

here.

Her brother, Henry, gave her the uncle's address and also wrote him. Emuncle's address and also wrote him. Emily forgot the address, but she came on bravely. She reached here Friday, and then, carrying her grip, strode out into the storm to find her uncle.

She says she trudged some blocks and then met a soldier. She asked him to find her uncle and he tried to.

CLAIM PERJURY.

1.112.456 06 H. W. Laird's Reply to Premier Scott's Graft Charge.

Regina, Sask., Feb. 1. — H. W. aird, plaintiff in the sensational libel action here with Premier Scott as action here with Prenier Scott as defendant, told his version of the payments of sums of money to him by civic contractors, upon which the charges of graft were based by Hon. Mr. Scott. He admitted receiving two payments of five hundred dollars each, one from Fry and another from Dobson, partners in the contracting partners in the contracting Dobson, Jackson & Fry, who installing a sewerage system in city, but absolutely denied that such payments were personal to him They were contributions to the Pro-vincial Rights central fund, and were later paid over to the Treasurer of that political organization along with other amounts, totalling altogether \$ 500, which he collected from vario

Laird declared that Fry had lied whe Laird declared that Fry had lied when he stated anything to the contrary. The prosecution also sought to establish that Fry had ben paid to testify as he did, and one witness, Mr. Maedonald, Provincial Rights organizer, made the statement that Fry had said he had been offered ten thousand dollars to take the stand against Laird. The court would not allow the evidence unless the prosecution would actually charge that the witness had been bribed. This was not done.

The prosecution, however, said they were prepared to allege that Fry was guilty of periury and that some one was also guilty of subornation of periury. This evidence was not admitted on technical grounds chnical grounds.

Fat and the Directoire

The coming season will be a hard one or fat ladies. The directoire mode encorsers already lift scornful eyebrows at uch a plebianism as bulgy hips. Fat, a short, wheresever it may be deposited, has merited great condemnation.

o go.

Many minds—many methods, 1. Exertise. 2. Dieting. 3. Worrying. 4. Tilt facing. 5. Marmola. All these are suggested, but not all should be adopted. For instance, 1 and 2 are not easy, while 3 and 4 are not hygienic. Thus we set them on one side and consider Marmola.

Marmola. What is it? A harmless powder obtainable of any good druggists, which, when mixed with % ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic and 4% ounces Peppermint Water and taken after meals and at bedtime will, without causing any inner disturbances, or outward flesh wrinklings, reduce the excess flesh, proportionately and uniformly. 12, to 16 portionately and uniformly, 12 to 16

DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL.

New Brunswick Man Dead from Pois-

onismick man bead from Pois-oning—Three Others III.

Sussex, N. B., Feb. 1.—Michael Mc-Kenna, aged 65, died from wood al-cohol poisoning to-day at a lumber camp a few miles from here. Three other members of the lumber crew who

other members of the lumber crew who drank some of the poison are very ill, but are likely to recover.

McKenna went to Sussex on Saturday and bought a quantity of wood alcohol for external use, he told the druggist. He was warned against drinking the alcohol, but on reaching the camp began drinking it, with the fatal result.

Two Freeze in New York.

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New York, Feb. 1.—Two deaths resulted from the cold to-day. James Kelly, aged 70, was found frozen to death at Irvington, and Malcolm Meyers, 54, a hack driver, was found dead in a stable at Rockaway Beach. Two thousand applicants for food and coffee were lined up at the Bowery Mission during the night, which was the largest number fed at that place thus far this winter.

Fire in Church.

Campaign of Economy February

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EVERY bargain told of below hits the bull's eye of Economy. It is a nine days' wonder sale presenting you with golden opportunities to buy just the goods you need at a saving of a third to a full half and more than a half. This great two weeks' selling campaign will last all this week and next and includes many thousands of dollars' worth of fine new goods withdrawn from our regular stocks and greatly price cut for a quick clearance to make room for the new spring things now demanding admittance. The real winter has arrived at last and the weather man says we are going to make up now for our fine January and December. Are you prepared for it? Let this remarkable cut price sale help you to wonderful economies. Read every item carefully—'twill mean the saving of dollars to you. To-morrow will be the best day to come.

\$16.50 to \$115.00 Mink Stoles and Throws now \$10.50 to \$88.00 Rich full-furred qualities; elegant styles; beautiful markings \$30 to \$45 mink muffs now reduced to \$22.00 to \$35.00 each Warm satin-lined down beds; elegant styles; many are trimmed \$7 to \$12.50 marmot stoles, throws and muffs at \$2.98 to \$5.98 look like mink and wear splendidly; rich \$65 to \$75 fur-lined coats for women, now \$49.00 to \$63.00 Beaver shells, black and colors; linings of muskrat or hampster \$32 to 40 black Astrakhan coats for women at \$25.00 to \$35.00 Nice rich black glossy finish; good curl; warm styl

Women's \$10.00 25 to 30-inch black coats on sale at \$3.00 Nice warm styles in beaver and kersey cloths; all sizes Women's \$12.50 to \$35 long winter coats, now \$3.29 to \$22.50 \$18.50 to \$40.00 evening cloaks reduced to \$13.50 to \$29.00 Pretty styles and evening shades in broadcloths; beauties \$6.00 to \$12.50 lace and net blouses now at \$3.59 to \$7.50 White, cream and ecru; beautiful new styles for dressy Our \$4.50 to \$12.50 separate skirts now at \$2.98 to \$7.98 and smartest of styles; black and colors

Women's \$1.10 to \$1.25 warm winter underwear at 88c garment Vests and drawers; nice fine all wool qualities; Women's \$3.25 to \$3.75 combination suits at only \$2.50 Ribbed. Swiss and cashmere wools: fine qualities: all sizes \$2.50 long cape gloves for women, in all sizes, at \$1.75 pair Nice pliable, soft qualities; correct tan shade; perfect fitters

Our \$5.50 to \$7.00 all wool blankets now \$4.88 to \$6.19 All sizes and qualities; unshrinkable; very fleecy and warm 60c to \$2.35 good hardwearing carpets now at 51c to \$1.59 Wiltons, Axminsters, Brussels, Tapestry; good patterns \$4.65 to \$23.00 lace curtains now at \$2.88 to \$17.50 a pair Irish, Arabian and duchesse point; exclusive patterns Men's \$1.00 to \$2.50 lined mocha gloves now 75c to \$1.88 selected qualities; balance this season's stock \$6.00 to \$22.50 trimmed dress hats now \$2.50 to \$7.50 each Black colors; silk velvet shapes; newest styles; rich trimming \$5.00 to \$6.50 eiderdown dressing gowns now \$4.39 to \$5.88 Warm cozy styles in red, blue or grey; nicely finished \$2.75 to \$4.00 dressing sacques of eiderdown, \$2.19 to \$2.88 styles; well made and finished Women's 50c to \$2.00 flannelette nightgowns now 39c to \$1.69 White or pink, also stripes; nice generous sizes; well made 50c to \$2.00 dress goods and suitings-3,000 yards-35c to \$1.58 Every fabric, coloring and pattern effect for now and spring \$1.00 to \$2.00 black dress goods and suitings now 49c to \$1.35 Newest weaves in plain and novelty styles; a grand assortment 50c to \$1.25 silks in plain and fancies, now at 25c to 69c Taffetas, louisines, tamolines, foulards, pongees and Japs 10c to 20c laces and insertions; 1 to 6 inches wide; 5c to 13c Linen and cotton torchons, Valenciennes, Clunys; nice variety \$6.50 warm down comforters; February sale price \$5.00 Art cloth covers in neat floral pattern; pink, blue or green

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ECONOMICS OF FORESTRY.

Splendid Address by Rev. G. F. Salton Last Evening

To the Men's Association of Central Presbyterian.

Interesting Description of the Great Algonquin Park.

The Men's Association of Central Pres yterian Church turned out in a large body last evening to hear the splendid

marks, he said that in the life of every loyal Canadian there was the lure of the forest, which he claimed came from the forefathers of the present generation. And it was only just and right that this be fostered in the minds and hearts of the younger generation, in whom rest the future of the country.

The reader first took up the subject

The speaker first took up the subject Algonquin Park, as a playground for the people of the Province, as a game preserve, and lastly as a conservator of the national resources of the country such a plebianism as bulgy hips. Fat, in Short, wheresoever it may be deposited, has merited great condemnation, and is anathema. In Chicagoese, it's got to go.

Many minds—many methods. 1. Exericise. 2. Dieting. 3. Worrying. 4. Tight lacing. 5. Marmola. All these are suggested, but not all should be allowed.

1893 set aside a vast tract of land in the "Highlands of Ontario" as a great public supervised playground and health district for the people of Ontario and Canada. The name of "Algonquin" was given the reservation in honor of the memory of the greatest nation of Indians in this country.

Mr. Salton then went into the history of the race before and after the discovery of America, and he considered it quite fitting that the great reserve should be named after the Algonquins.

In speaking of the area of the park, he said that it was 2,800 square miles, situated in the very centre of the pinery of eastern Canada. There is not a tract of land within the Province which in the limited space gives rise to so many important streams. The park is easy of access at Parry Sound and Georgian Bay by the Grand Trunk Railway. It must be remembered that within that 1,800,000 acres of land there are 1,200 lakes and rivers, and there is room for 1.800,000 acres of land there are 1,20 akes and rivers, and there is room fo

Cache Lake is the objective point

ers. Cache Lake is the objective point for all tourists.

Mr. Salton gave a very interesting account of a cance trip taken by himself and party through the lakes and described these lakes and the rugged country that was to be seen.

Algonquin Park js, however, more than a mere playground; it is a game preserve as well. It is forbidden to carry a gun or rifle within the confines of the reservation, and as a result there is to be seen wild animal life of all descriptions. Deer and the like are very plentiful. Mr. Salton thought hat the number of rangers should be doubled.

The Americans have to a large degree occupied the points of vantage in the park, and it is a pity that Canadians are not awake to the fact that in Algonquin Park they have a tourist resort that is beyond compare in any part of the western hemisphere.

Coming to the subject of Economics of Forestry, Mr. Salton, said that it is

before. He regarded the destruction of the forest as one of the most immin-ent and portentious perils that the country has been confronted with, and yet the ordinary business man has not shown any interest in the matter, as a matter of fact, he appears to be sub-limely indifferent.

put in our schools. Instil into the young people of this country a love of tree culture. If this be done we shall soon have a generation of sturdy, intelligent, patriotic foresters, the like of which cannot be found even in the forest-loving country of Germany. During the 19th century fully two-thirds of our invaluable forests were ruthlessly, needlessly and uselessly wasted. What the 20th century will do depends upon the patriotism we instil into the hearts of our children. It will either uslessly destroy or will conserve and foster our natural wealth."

TAILORS NOT WILLING.

Question of Renewing Agreement With Employers.

With Employers.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—There is a slight possibility of trouble between 400 union tailors in this city and the 25 "bosses" who have hitherto recognized the union. The agreement between the two parties expires on March I, and whereas neither party seeks any real change in the rate of pay or the hours of labor the employers ask that the agreement be renewed for three years as before. The nucn's committee reported to that effect at a meeting in the Labor Temple yeaterday afternoon, but was instructed to submit to the employers a proposition to sign for one or two years only or to leave the agreement as it stands subject to 30 or 60 days' notice from either party. They claim that the work on a garment may be increased or decreased by some change in the fashions, and that they would accordingly be hampered by a three-year agreement. The committee will report again in two weeks.

Laxa-Food

The food we digest, not what we cat, is what does the human system good; food that contains the gluten and neces-Fire in Church.

Hagersville, Feb. 1.—Fire arising from the furnace caused a loss of \$500 in the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon.

Coming to the subject of Economics of Forestry, Mr. Salton, said that it is a question that is agitating the minds of the public of this broad Dominion at the present moment, more than ever of the public of the public of this broad Dominion at the present moment, more than ever of the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon.

Coming to the subject of Economics of food that contains the gluten and necessary parts to make bone and sinew and good, sound flesh. Try Laxa-Food.—A. If for the building of St. Anne's school, W. Maguire & Co.

LOWER RATE FOR SCHOOLS.

Separate School Board Reduces

Separate School Board Reduces the Taxes For 1909, the Taxes For 19

Ann's school loan from the Episcopal thing wanted. The committee recombiderations compared with necessary Heintzman or a Gourlay, Winter & Leempairs to the schools which have not ing instrument, as these firms had prombeen thoroughly repaired for ten years, ised a substantial reduction for cash and the Provincial Separate School Inadvertising purposes. The matter as spector recommended renairs that spector recommended repairs that are referred back to t absolutely necessary which will ther consideration amount to about \$4,000, and he also recommended improvements would swallow the whole year's wealth."

Following his address, Mr. Salton showed fine limelight views of Algonquin Park. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered him for his excellent address.

School and the Public Comparate School and the Public Comparat play grounds for the children. Mr. R. T. Steele is taking an active interest in this scheme and meetings have been held between the Separate School and the Public School representatives to see what could be done in the matter but so far nothing has been attained. While both boards recognize the necessity of larger playgrounds for the children, they are unable to cope with the need on account of the financial difficulty. The estimates are:

estimates are: Receipts— Taxes still due from city ...\$ 1,000.00
 Government grant
 1,300.00

 School fees
 1,200.00

 Taxes to be collected
 14,812.29
Total	\$21,312.29	
Expenditure—	Salaries of teachers	\$7,400
Salaries of caretakers	1.884	00
Stationery for schools	1.500	00
Fuel	1,200	00
Debentures due in June	1,222	72
Interest	30	57

Interest on St. Ann's loan ... Sundries The total assessment for this year am

was \$200 in the hole as a result of the contract, and he asked the Board to make it up. This request was based on the fact that a large number of the coment blocks used in the building were too large, being three-quarters of an inch longer than others. Chairman T. J. Coughlin stated that Kennedy and the man who made the cement blocks were numbers, in the contract, but that Kennedy in the contract but the the contrac

advertising purposes. The matter was referred back to the committee for fur-

NO TRACE OF OFFICIAL. them Worst is Feared in Case of Ottawa

Civil Servant.

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Ottawa, Feb. I.—No clue has yet been obtained as to the whereabouts of Mr. Peter Robertson, the Interior Department official who mysteriously disappeared last Wednesday. The circumstances surrounding the case lead his friends and relatives to believe that the worst has befallen him. It was learned from his friends to day that Mr. Robertson had been suffering from nervous prostration, and his cowdition had become decidedly worse during the two weeks prior to his disappearance.







MARKETS AND FINANCE

Tuesday, Feb. 2.—The farmers evident: | \$4.50 ly preferred to sit snug in their homes to coming to market this morning and braving the biting winds, for very few braving the biting winds, for very few finade an appearance, and buyers were also scarce on Central Market this morning. As a consequence of a general absence all over the country both live and dressed pork went up about twenty-five cents. Trade on the grain market was slow, but no changes took place. No other noticeable changes occurred.

Standard prices at 8.a. m. were.

Dairy Produca.					
Creamery Butter	0	30	to	0	32
Dairy Butter	0	25	to	0	28
Cooking Butter	0	20	to	0	23
Choese, new, per lb	0	15	to	0	(9)
Cheese, old, per lb	9	17	to	0	20
Eggs. dozen	0	35	to	0	35
Cold storage eggs	0	30	to	0	30
Poultry.					
Chickens, pair	0	80	to	1	50
Geese, pound	0	12	to	0	12
Geese	1	00	to	1	50
Turkeys, lb	0	21	to	-(1	25
Ducks, pair	1	25	to	1	60
Fruits.				6	

Vegetables, Etc.

Smoked Meats

16 to	0 17
1; to	0 18
15 to	0 17
11 to	11/2
21/4 to	14/2
07 to	O O()
08 10	0 00
08 to	0 00
	16 to 17 to 15 to 11 to 21/4 to 0 07 to 0 08 to

Dressed hogs 9 00 t	0 9 25
Mutton, per cwt 6 00 t	0 7 00
Spring Lambs 11 00 t	o 12 00
Veal, per cwt 7 50 t	0 9 50
Fish.	
Good supply and demand, no change	
Salmon Trout, 2 lbs 0 25 t	0 0 25
Whit Fish. 2 lbs 0 25 t	0 0 25
Herring, doz 0 20 t	0 0 00
Halibut, 1b 0 20 t	0 0 00
Haddock. lb 6 10 t	0 0 00
Pike, lb 0 10 t	0 0 00
Cod. 1b 0 10 t	0 0 00
Flourders 0 10 t	0 6 10
Smoked salmon 0 15 t	0 0 15
Lake Erie herring, Ib 0 10 t	0 0 00

| dozen ... 0 20 to 0 30 huddle, lb. 0 10 to 0 00 21bs. 0 25 to 0 25 The Hide Market. Fair supply, demand small, prices

Wool, pound, unwashed 0 08 to	0 0
Calf skins No. 1, pound 0 15 to	0 O
Calf sking, No. 2, pound 0 13 to	0 0
Cal! skins, flat 0 00 to	121
Calf skins, each 1 00 to	1 2
Hides, No. 1, per lb 81/2 to	81/
Hides. No. 2, per lb 71/2 to	74
Hides, flat 0 07 to	71
Sheep skins 0 70 to	0 7
Grain Market.	
Barley 0 50 to	0.5
Wheat, white, bush 0 94 to	0 9
Do., red, bus 0 94 to	0.9
Onts 0 42 to	431
	0.7
Buckwheat	0 5
Chonned Corn 1 35 to	1 3

TORONIO MARKETS

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The storm has made the country roads origins on the storet market were practically and, one load of bay being the total country and set \$2.25 to \$5.00 for light.

Dressed hogs are firm at \$8 for my loading to total properties of the storet market were practically and, one load of bay being the total properties of the storet market were practically and, one load of bay being the total properties of the storet market were practically and one load of bay being the total properties of the storet market were practically and one load of bay being the total properties of the storet market were practically entired to the storet market were practically and one load of bay being the total properties of the storet market were practically entired to the storet market were and the storet market were practically entired to the storet market were practically entire

common, \$3.75 to \$4.10; cows, \$3 to \$4.50; canners, \$1.50 to 2.50.

Milkers and Springers— A limited number of springers and milkers sold at from \$30 to \$90 each, and one at \$65.

Veal Calves—Veal calves sold at \$3 to \$650 ner cwt.

Veal Caives — veal caives sold the Second of the Second caires and Lambs—Export ewes sold at \$4 to \$4.25 per cwt.; rams, \$3 to \$3.50 per cwt.; lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.25 per cwt. Hogs—Hog prices have again advanced. Gunns, Limited, and H. P. Kentonia. nedy, commission dealer, both report selects at \$6.90 per cwt., fed and water ed at the market, and \$6.65 to drovers for hogs f. o. b. cars at country points SUGAR MARKET.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$4.60 per cwt., in barrels, and No. 1 golden, \$4.20 per cwt., in barrels. These prices are for delivery here. Car lots 5c less.

OTHER MARKETS.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET. Wheat—January \$1.00 1-2 bid, July \$1.03 7-8 bid, May \$1.03 bid,
Oats—January 38 1-8c bid, May 41 1-2c

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal—About 1,300 head of butchers' gattle, 196 calves, 201 sheep and lambs, and 1,212 fat hogs were offered for sale at the Point St. Charles Stock Yards this forenoon. The offering of live stock during the week consisted of 2,272 caitle, 300 calves, 500 sheep and 3,060 fat hogs. The severe cold weather had a depressing effect on the market, but prices were firm, with an advance in the prices of fat hogs. Prime beeves sold at 51-8 to 51-2c per lb.; pretty good cattle, 4 to 5c, and the common stock at 3 to 33-4c per lb. Calves sold at 4 to 51-4c per lb. Sheep sold at about 4c, and lambs about 6c per lb. Good lots of fat hogs sold at from \$7.35 to \$2.60 per 100 lbs.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKET. Montreal-About 1,300 head of butch

BRITISH CATTLE MARKET.

not recovered from last week's drop. Top quality is 12:1-2 to 13e; secondary, 12e; bulls, prime, 10:1-2e; secondary and inferior, 9:1-2 to 10e per lb.

LONDON WOOL MARKET. London There were 13,647 bales of-fered at the wool auction sales to-day. Greasy merinos were firmer, owing to were in active demand for the home trade and Americans, and the latter paid 1s 1d to 1s 3d for fine sorts. Scoured South Wales, 3,000 bales; scoured 71-2; to 1s 91-2d; greasy, 61-2d to 11d Queen.0and, 1,560 bales; scoured, 1:1-2d to 1s 8d; greasy, 7d to 1s Nictorial Gob bales; greasy, 61-4d to 1s 3d. South Australia, 200 bales; greasy, 9d to 1-1-2d. West Australia, 1,000 bales greasy, 7d to 101-2d. New Zealand, 5,

COBALT MINING STOCKS

49 1-2, 500 at 49 3-4, 500 at 49 1-2, 500 a

491-4.
Peterson Lake—30 at 321-4.
Gifford—200 at 27, 100 at 27, 300 at 27, 2000 at 261-2. Buyers 60 days, 1000.
Little Nipissing—500 at 38, 1000 at 40, 500 at 39 3-4, 1000 at 40, 1000 at 40, 100

500 at 39 3-4, 1000 at 40, 1000 at 40, 100 at 40, 500 at 39, 500 at 41, 500 at 41, 500 at 42, 2000 at 43. La Rose—100 at 6.60, 100 at 6.58. Chambers-Ferland—200 at 83 1-2. Silver Bar—50 at 63 1-2, 500 at 64, 500

at 64.

Amalgamated—100 at 11.

Cobalt Lake—500 at 161-2.

Nipissing—50 at 9.871-2.

Foster—500 at 441-4, 500 at 44.

McKin. Dar, Savage—300 at 1.00.

Cobalt Central—1000 at 49, 500 at 49.

Silver Queen—100 at 93, 1000 at 96.

Temiskaming—50 at 1.611-2, 400 at 1.601-2, 200 at 1.601-2, 1000 at 1.601-2, 1000 at 1.603-4.

Trethewey—100 at 1.591-2, 100 at 1.59, 1000 at 1.603-4, 1000 at 1.61, 3000 at 1.61, 1000 at 1.601-2, 1000 at 1.601-2, 1000 at 1.501-2, 1000 at 1

TORONTO EXCHANGE.

Green-Mechan-100 at 20.

Monday Morning Sales. Kerr Lake—50 at 8.45. Trethewey—300 at 1.61, 100 at 1.61. Beaver—200 at 281-4. Rochester-50 at 223-4. Peterson—2000 at 33. Scotia—1000 at 63. Crown Reserve—50 at 2.74. Silver Leaf—800 at 12 1-2. Little Nipissing—100 at 40 1-2.

Clown Reserve—30 at 12 1-2.

Little Napissing—100 at 40 1-2.

Chambers—100 at 83.

Otisse—200 at 45, 50 at 45.

Cobalt Central—1000 at 51, 1000 at 51.

Monday Afternoon Sales.

Trethewey—100 at 1.61.

Silver Leaf—50 at 12 1-4, 100 at 12 1-4.

Rochester—100 at 22 1-2.

Beaver—20 at 28.

Silver Queen—1000 at 95.

Chambers—500 at 83, 500 at 84.

McKinley—100 at 1.60.

Temiskaming—100 at 1.62, 50 at 1.62.

COBALT ORE SHIPMENTS.

Ore shipments to Jan, 29 for 1909 are 4,639,813 pounds, or 2,319 tons.

The total shipments for week ending Jan, 29th were 1,515,068 or 7,57 tons.

| The total shipments for week ending | London Copper; Spot £57 17s. 6d; up | 10s. The total shipments for 1908 were 25, 463 tons, valued at \$10.000,000. The total shipments for the year 1907 were 14,040 tons, valued at \$6.000,000, in 1906 the camp produced 5129 tons, valued at \$3.000,000 in 1905 2,144 tons valued at \$3.478,196, in 1904, 158 tons, valued at \$1.478,196, in 1904, 158 tons, valued at \$1.47 alued at \$130,217

WINNIPEG EXCHANGE OPENS. Winnipeg, Feb. 1.—First session of the innipeg Stock Exchange opened at 10.30 o'clock, Vice-Chairman T. H. Champion, in the absence of Mr. Nanton, making introductory remarks. Hugo Ross made the first bid, being for Ganadian Fire, while the first sale was made between C. W. Allan and R. T. Riley, being 20 shares Northern Trust at 110, Quotations: Canadian Fire, 120 bid; Canadian Pacific, 171 bid; Northern Trust, 110 bid, 112 asked; Standard Trust, 110 bid, 112 asked; Standard Trust, 110 bid, 112 asked; Standard Trust, 115 bid; Winnipeg Electric, 154.1-2 bid; B. C. Loan, 125 asked; Commercial Loan, 100 asked; Empire Loan, 110 asked; Home Rank, 118 asked; Northern Crown, 93 bid, Sales 20 Northern Trust, 110.

RICHELIEU EARNINGS. 10.30 o'clock, Vice-Chairman T. H. Cham-

balance of the unissued capital stock of the bank, at the price of two hundred (200), to shareholders of record at the

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NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Feb. 2.—Noon.—The early market developed an upward tendency, with the best buying in U. P., Den., M. K. T., B. R. T., Copper and Malt issues. The most influential offerings were in U. P., St. Paul, and possibly Reading. B. R. T. directors meet to organize later this week, and claimed that a majority of them favor a 4 per cent. dividend, but not believed that rumor of a dividend declaration to-day is correct. Time for subscription to 18,000 Steel pfd, and 15,000 common by employees expires on subscription to 18,000 Steel pfd, and 15,000 common by employees expires on Thursday. It is rumored that employees have been reassured by officials as to the tariff, and business outlook. As to the I. I. purchase, it is said that the net profit on I. C. I. on rails alone is about \$4.200,000 per annum, which is equal to 12 1-2 per cent. on the \$35,000,000 of 5 per cent. bonds exchanged for the property by the U. S. Steel Corporation. Many millions have been spent on the property since it was acquired, and the coal and ore deposits are worth \$170,000,000. Pennsylvania's December statement completes a year in which the company earned about 8 per cent. on its outstanding stock, against 10.4-5 per outstanding stock, against 104.5 pecent, the year previous. The feeling that after a substantial decline in lead ing stocks some recovery is due, and firmness in United States is a distinctive constructive factor.—Ennis & Stoppani Liverpool.—Wheat 5-8 higher. Corn

-4 higher . 1.30 p. m.-Wheat 7-8 higher. Corn 1.4 up. London Copper: Spot €57 17s. 6d: up 10s. Futures €58 17s. 6d: up 10s. Mar-

Balt. & Ohio Can. Pacific Ches, & Ohio $\begin{array}{ccc} 122 & 122.4 \\ 41.6 & 42.3 \end{array}$. . . 90.6 91.4 90.6 91.2 131.3 132.3 131.1 132.1 .. 25.3 25.3 25.2 25.3 ..145.3 146 145.2 146

RICHELIEU EARNINGS.

The annual report of the Richelieu & Third Ave. 40.4 40.4 40.2 40.4 1
Ontario Navigation Company just issued shows for 1908 gross earnings of \$1,241-747 and net profits of \$250.741 after providing for fixed charges, interest, etc. This compared with gross earnings of \$1,341-747 and net profits of \$250.741 after providing for fixed charges, interest, etc. This compared with gross earnings of \$1,305.004 in 1907, in which year net profits were \$261.423.

NEW STANDARD STOCK ALLOTTED.

The directors of the Standard Bank of Canada have allotted seven thousand eight hundred and twelve (7.812) shares, halance of the unissued capital stock of Lead 78 Rs. 27.6 78 882 77.6 78
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Stocks and Bonds

Correspondents of ENNIS & STOPPANI, Members Consolidated Stock Exchange, New York. Toronto Cobalt Stocks, reported by A.

E. Carpenter, 102 King street east:

Asked Bid 3 00 1634

Cablege, per dozen 0 50 0 75 0 85 4, 2000 at 28 34, 2000 at 28 34, 2000 at 28 58, 200 at 28 59 0 100 0 100, per of 100 0

strong, 48s; long clear middles, light, steady, 48s 6d; do., heavy, steady, 48s 6d; clear bellies, steady, 51s 6d. Lard, prime western, in tierces, quiet, 49s American refined, in pails, quiet, 49s 3d

DUN'S REVIEW.

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Some irregularity continues in industrial and mercantile activity. A fundamental factor of strength is the steadily multiplying evidence that stocks are so depleted as to render a large and general resumption of the nation's industries inevitable and measurably nearer as confidence is restored. The report of the leading steel producer for the December quarter of 1998 proved to be on the whole more favorable than had been expected, unfilled orders showing an increase of 181,550 tons as compared with the September quarter. The usual January lull in the iron and steel trade has been somewhat intensified by the uncertainty as to the ultimate tendency of prices, but the outlook for a better decertainty as to the ultimate tendency of prices, but the outlook for a better demand for finished steel products improves. In textiles, fluctuations in the law material have not affected the firmness of finished cotton products, while the good prices obtained at the London wool auctions have given additional strength to that branch of the textile market. There are numerous reports of enlarged industrial activity at widely scattered points throughout the West enlarged industrial activity at widely scattered points throughout the West and South and distributers of merchandise in all lines anticipate a slow but steady return to the normal volume of transactions. The fact that this week for the first time in many months the Bank of England secured the gold from the Transvaal, Paris having ceased its accumulation of gold upon the successful flotation of the Russian loan, points to easy money in international markets for some time to come.

FOR TANKARD.

Group Competitions Begun in This City This Morning.

Ontario Tankard curling in Hamilton rink ice this morning. The Brantford and Ancaster curlers played on the east end ice, and the Thistles, Victorias, Paris and Glanford on Thistle ice. Dundas and the Asylum play this afternoon at the Thistle rink.

The Hamilton Thistles defeated the Hamilton Victorias, and Paris defeated Glanford, the scores of the Thistle matches being as follows:

Glanford.

Paris.

J. Cavan,
J. Torrance,
J. S. Armitage, . Young, J. S. Armitage, G. T. Tate, J. McDonald, .. 11 D. Caven, O. E. Armstrong, Chas. Tate, H. C. O'Neil, E. Dickenson. skip 11

Paris won by H. Thistles. G. Crawford J. Gartshore H. Victorias. W. H. Seymour Dr. Hilker R. A. Milne
J. B. Turner
) Skip
Chas. Brigger
Geo. Stevenson
E. W. Burrow
Dr. Hunt
Skip

| 11. Instles won by eight shots. | 56.2 | Brantford Heathers. Ancaster. | 84.2 | F. S. Blain | J. C. Gurnett | 5 | 40 | F. L. Wood | W. H. Smith | 6 | 38 | J. S. Scott | D. Robinson | 118.6 | G. G. Gilmore | T. E. D. Byrne | 5 | 78 | 8kip | 19 | 8kip |

Brantford won by 5 shots. Niagara Falls, St. Catharines and Sim-be defaulted.

and Thistles won from Victorias by 34 to

TRIBUTES TO THE WIRELESS.

gale! n the storm-wrecked steamer limps through the mist and the swirling spume
I push a way to the outer day and tell of the vessel's doom.

I have come unseen with secret speech, I have guarded the tale upheard; upheard;
I have put mine eyes on the journey's end and delivered the faithful word.

Don Marquis has hinted at the same splendor of achievement in his lines: But now they may howl, the storms,

and growl at the "k of the lineman's hands,
But gone is their pride with the boast of the tide that bit at the deep sea strands.

For a sentence thrills through the bastioned hills that has neither voice nor form.

Better wear out shoes than sheets .-

HALF MILLION

At Stake in Hamilton Case Coming on at Toronto.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Ont., Feb. 2 .- Michael Pigott, Hamilton, and H. E. Larkin and Alex. Sangster, of St. Catharines, are suing he Guelph & Goderich Railway for an the Gueiph & Goderich Kailway for an alleged balance due on construction of about half a million. The defendants deny this indebtedness, and offer something under a hundred thousand, which the plaintiffs have refused to accept as yment in full. Mr. Lynch-Staunton, K. C., of Ham-

ilton, represents the crown in the Court of Appeals to day in the appeal from Judge Winchester's conviction of the five

JAP ALLIANCE WITH BRITAIN.

(Continued from Page 1.)

ion of other problems is not altogether mpossible if they are treated in a spirit f conciliation and accommodation. Japan watching naturally with keen interest and sympathy the progress of reforms in China. And it is our earnest hope that the statesmen of China will preserve do-mestic order and tranquility. We have

mestic order and tranquility. We have invariably made it a guiding rule to observe the Open Door principle with equal opportunity to China, and we are firmly determined to adhere to that principle with unswerving loyalty."

The Foreign Minister dwelt at length upon the relations between Japan and America. He said: "The friendship of Japan and the United States. It is absalutely essential that both maintain unimpaired these sentiments of amity, and extend and strengthen them by every means. Notwithstanding the perfect accord which has always existed regarding the aims of the two countries in the the aims of the two countries in the Far East and in the Pacific it appears that doubts have been entertained a some quarters concerning the sincerity of the intentions. In order to remove this misunderstanding," he continued "the two governments have deemed is advisable to exchange diplomatic note

officially announcing a common policy which I am convinced will be largely in ental in preserving the repe the Orient.

"With regard to the question of legis lation unfavorable to the Japanese now "With regard to the question of legislation unfavorable to the Japanese now pending in California, the Imperial Government is relying on the sense of justice of the American people, together with the friendly disposition of the Federal Government and is confident that the question will not lead to international complications."

"Japan," he went on, "being therefore on cordial terms with all the powers, including those which have not been mentioned, it must be admitted that the maintenance of peace, which is the one principle object of our foreign policy, is

principle object of our foreign policy, is now practically assured; and we are enabled to devote our endeavors to the development of our national resources. The first point claiming our attention is of emigration

the problem of emigration.

"In view of the new international conditions assigned to Japan it has become necessary that our people, instead of scattering in foreign lands, shall concentrate in the far east, thus securing a united effort looking to legitimate activity and avoiding everything likely to obstruct the development of international commerce and industry.

These considerations have told the Government to follow an avowed policy with respect to emigrants to Canada and the United States, enforcing in perfect accord and good faith the restrictions placed on emigration."

Count Komura concluded his speech by saying that the Imperial Government had decided to notify the various powers next year of the termination of existing commercial treaties to be effective one year after such notice was given. He said that it was the intention

tive one year after such notice was given. He said that it was the intention of the Government to negotiate new treaties "unhampered by any unequal engagements." The new comets, he continued, will be based en tirely upon the principle of reciprocity with a view to the free development of

nternational commerce.

The Foreign Minister's speech was re-

opportunity, and, if it could, solve the question of the rights of Japanese in question of the rights of Japanese in foreign countries. He said that even the president of one country had denied Japanese to travel, a right which was theirs by treaty. Count Hamori's speech was greeted by continued cheering by the Opposition.

Foreign Minister Komura replied with a few words, saying that he had out-

roreign Minister Komura replied with a few words, saying that he had out-lined the fixed policy of his Govern-ment and that he had nothing to add and nothing to retract. The House then adjourned.

NO HOPE FOR SWYRDA. Radcliffe at Brampton Arranging for

Armenian's Execution.

Armenian's Execution.

Brampton, Feb. 2.—Radeliffe, the hangman, was here to-day arranging with the authorities for the erection of a scaffold for the execution of Swyrda on the 11th instant. The possibility of commutation of his sentence has been buoying him up for some weeks, but it is understood that the Government has decided that the sentence must be carried out.

bastioned hills that has neither voice nor form,
Nor reeks of the might of the chaossprite that lashes the earth with his storm.

Bited and bridled, and shackled and girdled and bound with a linkless chain,
The brute powers cower at the godlike power that dwells in human brain;
Man has stolen the wings of the deathless Things that range where the spirit is lord.

He is leagued anew with the Silence through the strands of a strandless cord.

Better was out show that has neither voice not have the properties. On the 11th instant. The possibility of commutation of his sentence has been unough in up for some weeks, but it is understood that the Government has decided that the sentence must be carried out.

POWER BY-LAW PASSES.

Stratford Council Gives Measure a Third Reading.

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"Black Knight" Stove Polish

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Deputy of the Minister of the Interior,
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WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY IN THE WORLD OF SPORT.

Gossip and Comment

Reports from the Pacific coast a week or two ago were to the effect that Dr. B. F. Roller, the Scattle wrestler, had decided that he would not want any more of the boxing game. But later reports state that the doctor was entirely satisfied with his showing against Denver Ed. Martin, and that he is seriously considering taking up the boxing game in earnest. Roller made a good showing against Martin, according to some of the critics who were there, and they attributed his slowness in that match to the fact that the ring was very heavily padded and that Martin is unusually clever on his feet. There is no doubt that Roller has the strength and the gameness, but he needs some one to teach him the finer points of the game and more experience.

Al. Kubiak, the Michigan heavyweight, is another one after the same style as Dr. Roller, but Kubiak is getting his experience in short bouts around Philadelphia and Pittsburg, and the chances are that if he does not go wrong he will be able to give a pretty good account of himself within the next year.

What good or what bad results from

What good or what bad results from athletics as far as the physical being is concerned? Melvin Sheppard has just made a statement to the effect that the 1,500 metre race which he won at Sheppard's Bush in the Olympic games last summer cost him three years of his lite because of the strain. "People laugh at me when I tell them than 1.500-metre." summer cost him three years of his life because of the strain. "People laugh at me when I tell them than L500-metre race in London took three years off my life. I put everything that was in me into that race."

Capt. Cooney, of the steamer Dundurn, Capt. Cooney, of the steamer Dundurn, Smith and Hackbusch.

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Capt. Cooney, of the steamer Dundurn, is in sack cloth and ashes over the loss of his Irish terrier, Pat. He thinks Pat has been stolen, and is being keyt a prisoner, else he would have returned ere this. Pat is a highly bred dog and was presented to the captain by the owner of the Tyrone kennels. The detectives are working on the case.

James J. Jeffries has started South. Pown into the isnd of Johnson and cotton blossoms. Right into the smoke's territory with his company of vaudevide stars. He has signed a contract with Pineus and Hairis, who have placed Billy R. Dailey aiacad as pilot, and the South will be C-vered in its entirety. The cowboys of Arizona will get a fleeting glance of the champion, who now comes from under cover at the insistent demand of the sporting world, but refrains from saying anything that will be triping the province of the Court of the Patrice of the Court of the Patrice of the playing was loose in spots, the boys show a big improvement as a result of the practices held last week. Four games were played last week, and, with the exception of one, all were closely contested. The 12th Field Ambulance Corps were nosed out in the last inning, after a stremous game with B Company, 91st, the final section being 24 to 20. The teams:

B. Company, 91st (24)—Arabart, Hutchison, Carter, Cummings, Barton, Kirkpatrick, Stevens, Almos and Bryce.

12th F. A. C. (20)—MeDonald, Baird, Mann, Kappell, Ogilvie, Williams, Duncan, Simons and Clark.

L'mpire—Joseph Sutton.

Toronto World: All reliable reports are to the effect that Tom Longboat is in good condition for his race with Shrubb Friday night in New York. His 15 miles on Saturday night was only a romp. Though the relay of runners were Washington's best the Indian loped home a winner in good time.

"And I forgot the way to block a short-arm jab; oh, Gee! It was a shame the way that kid step-ped in an' pummeled me."

Two games were played in the East End League at Britannia Rink, last night, these being the first in the new series.

Babe, a 4 Pounder, Comes Into World WINDSOR'S GREAT NINE.

She—When I was shopping to-day I saw a goblet made of bone. Me—That's nothing! Why, I've seen a tumbler made of flesh and blood! She

MANY INDOOR GAMES.

Opening of the Garrison Indoor League.

Nationals Doubled Score on St. Patricks.

St. Patrick's (5)—Casey, Ratelle, Regan, Smith, McCue, Wilson, McCarthy, and Buscombe

and Buscombe.

One of the first games played on the Armory diamond this season was that between the Scoundrels and Victorias. The players of both teams covered their positions well. The final score was 4 to 0, in favor of the Scoundrels, This was the Scoundrels' first defeat. The teams lined un as follows:

demand of the sporting world, but refrains from saying anyoning that will be
accepted as convincing.

Jeff is truly entitled to the sobriquet
of "Silent Jun." He says a lot and still
says nothing, or turns his inquisitors
aside with a jocular remark that is foreign to the subject—fight.

Jeff continues getting himself into condition. Insaddition to his daily stunts
on the stage, he will take to long morning walks, which will gradually merginto five-mile runs.

Lan, Simons and Clark.

Umpire—Joseph Sutton.
C. Company, 91st, defeated the Signal
Corps Andilly, the score being 21 to 14.

The teams
Colquboun, Hall, Rollo, Lithgow, Graham, Eyett, Hewitt and Petfield.
Signal Corps (14)—Norman, Williams,
Holmes, Potticary, Mellon, Claimau,
Honeymoon, and Thomas.

The game between H Company, 91st,
and E Company, 91st, was a burlesque.

The game between H Company, 91st, and E Company, 91st, was a burlesque. The former company won easily, with 42 runs to their opponents 11.

The teams were as follows.:

H. Company, 91st, (42)—Smith, Whitney, Miller, and Pust.

Bedell, Miller, and Bunt.

E Company, 91st (11) Fogwell, Lyle,
Bowman, Winnington, Evel, Lawrence,
Jones, Lamb, and Ebening.

In New York city it is proposed to teach boxing in the public schools.

News item.

Our little boy came home to-day, his eyes were black and blue,
His ear was hanging by a thread, three teeth were missing, too;
Oh, what has happened, tell me, quick," his mother loudly cried,
"I didn't have my lesson, maw," the little chap replied.

"And I forgot the way to block a short—"Two games were placed in the Park Tanger of the way to block a short—"Two games were placed in the Park Tanger of the way to block a short—"Two games were placed in the Park Tanger of the way to block a short—"Two games were placed in the Park Tanger of the way to block a short—"Two games were placed in the Park Tanger of the way to block a short—"Two games were placed in the Park Tanger of the way to block a short—"Two games were placed in the park Tanger of the way to block a short—"Two games were placed in the park Tanger of the way to block a short—"Two games were placed in the park Tanger of the way to block a short—"Two games were placed in the park Tanger of the park Tanger of the park Tanger of the were the placed game, score being 24 to 16. The line up follows:

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series.

The crowd present exceeded the man "We studied upper-cuts to-day, I got three on the jaw.

But I gave one fo Willie Jonez, the best you ever saw;

And then I got a right-arm swing that I will not formed the street than the street that I will not formed the street than the street that I will not formed the street than the street that I would be street the street that I got the street t

You ever saw;

And then I got a right-arm swing that I will not 'orget,
Because he'd studied lessons that I haven't got to yet;
To-morrow, if I'm feeling strong, the teacher says that I

To morrow, if I'm feeling strong, the teacher says that I

Some six rounds with Frankie Smith—

To more six rounds with Frankie Smith—

To

"I used to think arithmetic was hard, but it's a cinch
Out hitting in the clinch;
An' how to side step, dick an' swing, an' also how to faint,
Which is to make him think you're going to hit him where you ain't,
Then, when his guard is lifted up, you soak him in the slats,
Say, Maw, I need some money now for gloves an' trunks an' mats."

Now which Tom Longboat is the public to believe? The one that writes pathetic appeals to Tim O'Rourke or the one that sends shouts of confidence to his relative on the reservation?

LILLIPUTIAN A MOTHER.

Babe, a 4 Pounder, Comes Into World

Through Caesarian Operation.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 1.—Looking more like pretty dolls than real, live human beings, Mrs. Lawrence A. Ramsey and Miss Elfie Martha Ramsey, the smallest mother and the tiniest baby in the world, are doing nicely at their home in this city.

Mrs. Ramsey in vaudeville circles is known as "Queen of the Lilliputians." She is 25 years old and weighs only 57 pounds. She lacks two inches of being four feet tall.

Baby Ramsey weighed four pounds at her birth in the Medio-Chirurgical Hospital, on Jan. 4. The Caesarian operation was necessary to bring her into the world. That mother and daughter survived this most critical of operations is still being marveled at by the medical profession. Ten days after the operation the midget mother was able to sit up. Five days later she was able to walk and before another week passed she left the hospital.

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WINDSOR'S GREAT NINE.

Windsor, Feb. 1.—The Fusilier indoor baseball team is ready to defend its title as regimental champions of Canada in Toronto, if that team is sendy to defend its title as regimental champions of Canada in Toronto, if that team is sendy to defend its title as regimental champions of Canada in Toronto, if that team is sendy to defend its title as regimental champions of Canada in Toronto, if that team is sendy to defend its title as regimental champions of Canada in Toronto, if that team is sendy to defend its title as regimental champions of Canada in Toronto, if that team is sendy to defend its title as regimental champions of Canada in Toronto, if that team is sendy to defend its title as regimental champions of Canada in Toronto, if that team is sendy to defend its title as to establish an undisputed title to superiority in that team is sendy to defend its

ST. KITTS LOST.

Niagara Falls Hockey Team Won a Game.

St. Catharines, Ont., Feb. 2.-Niagara alls did not give Port Dalhousie Two good games of indoor baseball were played in the City League last night, and although the attendance was small, the players did their best. The Nationals succeeded in more than doubling the score on the St. Patrick's, the final score being 11 to 5 in their favor. Both teams worked hard and many good plays were made. The teams were:

Nationals (11)—Phillips, McMischon, Southon, Tracey, Hughes, Pickard, Brpdges, Sheridan and White.

St. Patrick's (5)—Casey, Ratelle, Regan, Smith, McCue, Wilson, McCarthy, and Buscombe. look-in in the O. H. A. game played at

teams were:

Port Dalhousie—Goal, May; point, York; cover-point, Scott; rover, Bowman; centre, Dwyer; right wing, Coons; left wing, Rooney.

Niagara Falls—Goal, Williams; point,

Mumford; cover-point, Urquhart; cen-tre, Shea; rover, McAvoy; right wing, McKay; left wing, Kelley.

BRANTFORD MEANS BUSINESS.

Brantford, Feb. 2.—That Brantford means business in the Ontario Pro. League was evidenced yesterday, when Manager Roy Brown turned out to practice on the defence. Jack Marks will be in the game next week against Toronto, his broken hand having mended rapidly. Fred Povey, the injured point man, got out of the hospital yesterday, and a shake-up of the whole team is rumored. With Brown in the line-up, local management figures that nothing can stop the locals from winning. The work of a couple of the team Saturday night against Toronto was very disappointing to the local fans. to the local fans.
MEETING TO-NIGHT.

A meeting of the eWntworth Hockey League will be held at J. W. Nelson's store this evening to arrange for the city games at Britannia Park rink. All members of the executive are requested to be present.

Royal M. C...... 9 Quren's II 8

Mackie Cup. North Bay1 TO-DAY'S CARD. .10 Sturgeon Falls . 1 circle

O. H. A. intermediate—T. A. A. C. vs. Eurekas at College street rink, 8.15; Cobourg at Peterboro. O. H. A. junior—Woodstock at Strat-ord, Barrie at Newmarket, St. Michael's

Ayr, New Hamburg at Baden. North Shore League—Blind River at Little Current.

LONGBOAT'S CONDITION

Toronto Expert Thinks He is All O. K.

Toronto, Feb. 1 .- How is one to recon ile the undoubted facts that a Longboat letter to Toronto says he is beate before he starts against Shrubb on Friby a cut of 15 to 2. The beam entropy of the beam entropy of the beam entropy of the pattern are not believed in the most of the pattern are not of the principles around the start beam entropy. The pattern are not of the principles around the start beam entropy of the pattern are not of the principles around the start beam entropy of the pattern are not of the principles around the start beam entropy of the pattern are not of the principles around the start beam entropy of the pattern are not of the principles around the start beam entropy of the pattern are not of the principles around the start beam entropy of the pattern are not of the principles around the start beam entropy of the pattern are not of the principles around the start beam entropy of the pattern are not of the principles around the start beam entropy of the pattern around the start beam entropy of the pattern around the start beam entropy of the pattern around th him a sure winner? Is the Indian furn-

The entries received so far by Mr. Carroll include the following:

MEDAL MATCHES.

Clappison and Martin Rinks Won Last Night.

Two medal matches in connection with the Thistle Curling Club were playwith the Thistic Curling Club were played at the rink last night, R. Martin's rink won handily from W. S. Me-Brayne's, and T. Clappison's braves defeated R. S. Morris' trio by one shot. The players in the latter game were:
R. S. Morris, skip; W. A. Stewart,
Jas. Scott, Hope Crerar—7.
T. Clappison, skip; R. B. Ferrie, R. Watkins, Dr. Langrill—8.
The Thistle Club will send four rinks to Toronto on Saturday to play the Granites.

H. G. C. SECRETARY.

There was a large attendance of members of the Hamilton Gun Club last night at the Royal Hotel, when a successor to the late Mr. J. J. Lawlor was elected. There were four applicants for the position, and the contest was a spirited one. Mr. H. A. Horning was elected. The reports of the recent tournament, which were presented, showed nament, which were presented, showed that it was the most successful practically yet held by the club.

SHORT ENDS.

Little Paragraphs of Sport From Far and Near.

York, Feb. 2.-Thirty New York, Feb. 2.—Thirty members of the Australian amateur Rugby football team, en route to California, were on the steamer La Gasogne when she arrived to-day from Havre. Within an hour after they had landed they were on a train bound for San Francisco. In California they will, it is stated, play the all-California, the Leland Stanford and University of California teams. They will sail from Vancouver, B. C., on their return trip to Australia.

circle.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 1.—Yussiff Mahmout won from Raoul de Rouen in a wrestling match at the Seventh Regiment Armory to-night in two straight falls. The first fall went to the Turk on a foul, after 37 minutes and six seconds of rough work. The second fall was won in 20.54 1-2, with a scissors and head-lock.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb.2.—James Dris-coll, the classy English boxer, gave an-other clever exhibition to-night at the Washington Sporting Club when he out-pointed Tommy Langdon, in six splendid

PREMIER'S CHEQUE.

Mattawa Men Locked Up For Trying to Pass It at Hull.

Ottawa, Feb. 1.—Two Mattawa men day, while a letter from the same quarter to relatives in Deseronto declares Sir Wilfrid Laurier a work of woodstrip in a sure winner. men's art in the shape of hand-carving V ished with the real information and the white man misled? They just can't be reconciled, and one can only remember in the can't be reconciled, and one can only remember in the can't be reconciled. had the unfortunate experience of being

Armory Hall while the crowd is waiting for the 3,000-word story of the Longboat-Shrubb race to start, will close at Billy Carroll's to-morrow night. Two prizes will be awarded, the judges being lay Hill, Bobby Kerr and ex-Ald. Dwy-IN STRAIGHT HEATS.

Hamilton Horse Won 2.24 Pace at Jerry, loikg., by Al. Medium, M. Waters, St. Thomas (Mc-

Montreal, Feb. 2.- There was an or dinary card to-day at Delorimier Park, the 2.24 page and the two-mile race, best two in three, but notwithstanding the Done extreme cold there was a large attendance. Out of sixteen extries in the 224 pace, the first race of the day, only eight responded to the call, with Dick Baird's ideal the favorite at even money against the field. Jack Rombough was up behind the Hamilton horse and as he appears to be the class of the drivers here, the favorite had strong support, recordless of the fact that Dra Micros. here, the favorite had strong support, regardless of the fact that Dan McEwen, the Eel's driver, was in the race behind

The following is the summary terday's racing: 2.24 pace, purse \$400— Ideal, b. g., by Arbuteskan. R. Baird, Hamilton (Rom-bough) Jenny Price, ch.m., by Red Elk, A. Haworth, Brantford (Hed-son)

Marguerite, gr. m., by King Ley, A. G. Curley, Malone,

Time—2.264, 2.23\(\frac{1}{2}\), 2.23\(\frac{1}{2}\). Two miles, 2 in 3, 840\(\text{9}\).

Jittle Sandy, br.g., by Altour, A. Bellanger, Montreal (Robillard) ol. Taylor, b.g., by Strathboy, A. Laplante, Lachine (Leger).

J. B. Sauve, Alexandria (Gimmour).

the Eel's driver, was in the race behind Jerry.

It was just a procession all through, with Ideal leading, and that tells the story of the race.

The other event, the two-mile two in three race, went to Little Sandy, who bea tthe favorite, Col, Taylor, after trailing to the last turn in each heat.

Col. Taylor sold for \$20 against \$10 for the field before the race.

Mr. Welby Almas of Brantford, the well-knewu pool seller, yesterday sold the grey trotting mare, Ella Nevada, 2.1634, to go to Russia, price \$1.500. The local association made the amountees this year. One is "the racing, Feb. 17, 18, 19, 20, at Belorimier Park, which will be pleasing to the horsemen.

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Knocking Down the Pins

| Class B at the H. B. & A. C. alleys last wisht. The Knockabouts took three | H. T. Malcolmson | 128 | 150 | 121 | 206 | 160 | 160 | 165 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 | 325 games from Wood-Vallance No. 1 and the Gun Club No. 2 won three from the Royal Qualities. The scores:

| G. C. Martin | W. Davison | D. T. White | D. T. Whi Royal Qualities. The scores:

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the Scoundrels being the only ones to go
Graham
Straight. The scores:
CLASS C.

City Travellers	123	139	157	416
Harvey	124	206	192	222
Wilson	196	169	123	429
Graham	177	121	139	459
Buttram	129	151	124	404

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you? If it doesn't, it should. There's no better or surer way to make

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The following horses were sold in the paddock at Les Angeles: Ethon (8500). To W. Walker, and Bat Masterson (84, 725), to A. D. Worley.

Mr. R. B. Calder and Mrs. Robert Rus-arfuke, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rus-el, of Deforaine. Man., visited on Mon-yard Mr. Goo. E. Smith. Mrs. Alice Robins, of Lynden, spent is week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. 80, E. Smith.

TWEEDSIDE

horhood took advantage of the fine drys kast week and finished their fall

moving to Mr. Charles Dewitt's house at Mr. and Mrs. William Bradt attended

KELVIN

AMUSEMENTS

OPERA HOUSE TO-MORROW Met. and

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MATINEE | SEATS | NIGHT | 15c-25c | SELLING | 15, 25, 35, 50

and SATURDAY HILDA SPONG

U. S. FLEET AT GIBRALTAR.

Many Salutes Fired When Battleships Arrived.

Foreign Warships Take Part in the General Firing.

Red Coa's Escort Admiral to Residence of Governor.

Gibraltar, Feb. 1.-For over an hour is morning the port of Gibraltar seem ed to be the scene of a naval engagement that arrived yesterday were exchanging the salutes with the shore and the for eign warships in the harbor that were tted because of Sunday. The Conneccicut saluted the port and the flag of Vice-Admiral Sir James Goodrich, the commander of all the naval establishcommander of all the naval establishments at Gibraltar, with 21 guns, and when these had been returned, gun for gun, from a shore battery and the British battleship Albermarle, other salutes were fired to and answered by the Russian, French and Dutch warships in port. The reverberations were incessant for an hour, and the clouds of grey smoke blew over the waters.

The colliers promptly took up their positions alongside the Minnesota, Vermont and Kansas, and before the sound of the saluting guns had died away the bands on board the ships were playing "rag-time" to liven up the dirty and arduous work of coaling for the home-

arduous work of coaling for the homeward voyage.

The Rhode Island and the New Jersey came into port at 10 o'clock this morning, and they were followed an hour later by the fourth division, the Wisconsin, Illinois, Kearsarge and Kentucky, which anchored outside the breakwater. The third division, consisting of the Louisiana, Missouri, Ohio and Virginia, brought up the rear, and presented a beautful picture as they steamed in, glistening in the sunlight, and their signal flags cracking in the smart breezes. Rear Admiral Sperry, accompanied by the members of his staff, came ashore at noon and called officially upon General

noon and called officially upon General Sir Frederick Forestier-Walker, the Military Governor. A guard of honor consisting of a company of the Norfolkshire

H COMPANY.

Boys of the Thirteenth Had a Jolly Time.

H company of the 13th Regiment held its annual abrquet last evening in the Germania Club quarters, and there was a big turn-out of the boys. A number of the officers of the regiment were present to assist in the enjoyment. After the good things had been disposed of, there followed a programme of songs, toasts and recitations. During the evening the following prizes were presented:

Junior prizes for attendance at the rifle ranges, Pte. Steadman, Pte. Hannon; senior prizes for best three scores during the season, Copp. Morison, Color-Sergt, Weston, Pte. McNichol, Sergt. Sibbald; silver challenge shield, section No. 3, 4,085; No. 4, 2,370; No. 1, 2,802; No. 2, 2,776; silver spoons for best six scores in each section. Pte. Steadman, Pte. McNichol, Corp. Morison; recruiting prize, Pte. Steadman; attendance prizes were also awarded to the members of the different sections. The programme was as follows; Pinno solo, Harry Al. Germania Club quarters, and there was lient and Accepted Scottish Rite the different sections. The programme was as follows: Piano solo, Harry Allen; song, Sergt, Woodcroft; song, Pte. Campaign; song, Sergl, Martin; toast, Col, Moore and staff; song, Corp, Morison; song, Pte. Street; toast, Our song, Bugler Cooper; recitation.

TAFT A MASON.

To be Made One on Sight by Ohio Grand Master.

Master of Ohio Masons, Charles S. Hos inson, of Zanesville, has tendered William Howard Taft, President-elect of the United States, the rare and high honor of being made a Mason at sight. Judge Taft has accepted and will return to Cincinnati on Thursday, Feb. 18, when the Grand Master will conven a distinguished company of Masons in the Scottish Rite Cathedral and exercise the high percocative, which belongs only to high prerogative, which belongs only to a Grand Master of Masons.

This honor is so rarely conferred that there is but a single instance of it on record in the hundred years of the history of Masonry.

TIME ABOUT.

Welland, Ont., Feb. 2.— Welland county Council has arrived at an agreement by which the wardenship of the ounty hereafter will go to each political acty alternately. The agreement has seen signed by every member of the council except Beeve Foster, of Fort crie.

VESSEL RAMMED.

Dover, Feb. 2.—The Atlantic transport line steamer Mobile, bound for Baltimore, was in collision this morning with the British steamer Dunkeld off Beachey Head, and returned to Gravesend with her bows badly stove in. The Mobile rammed the Dunkeld's starboard side. The Dunkeld was badly damaged and anchored in the Admiralty Harbor.

The Mobile is a freighter and does not customarily carry passengers.

dreds of People

Have bought freely of the big values offered in men's suits and overcoats the last few days. Just as good awaits you; \$24 overcoats \$18, \$15 overcoats and suits \$8.98, \$12 and \$8 Persian lamb collars \$5.50 and \$8.98, \$40 boys. irls' knitted toques 29c, worth 50c. k & C., 12 and 15 James street

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—Mrs. A. Williamson, Main street east, rill not receive on Wednesday, February rd on account of illness. -Mr. C. B. Linton left to-day for

Nassau to spend six weeks, combining business, pleasure and health. -Mrs. Warren Darling, Rosedale, To-onto, second daughter of Hon. Wm. ibson, is ill with typhoid fever.

Dobic & Co., general merchants, of Thessalon, have made an assignment to the Mercantile Trust Company, this

—If the writer of the letter signed "Hamilton" will send his name and address, not for publication, it will be published.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lucas are in the city, guests at Rowanhurst. They leave to-morrow for Prince Rupert, their -All members of the Ancient Order

of Foresters and Knights of Sherwood Forest are requested to attend the fun-eral of the late William M. Hyde, who was first lieutenant of the Knights. —Mr. Kenneth F. DeLong, who eight months ago was transferred to the Co-balt branch of the Imperial Bank, has now been transferred to the new branch in Elk Lake to take the position of ac-countant and teller.

The incorporators of the Ben Hu Truck Company, Limited, of the Ben Hut Truck Company, Limited, of this city, are Messrs, F. R. Close, Gordon Hender-son, Henry E. Ralston, W. M. Findlay, Thomas A. Henderson, Carl H. Snyder, A. B. Crawford and C. E. Thomson, The share capital is \$20,000.

-Walter E. Irons and George Pettit, of Toronto: Ben Broughton, John S. Broughton and Joseph Wheeler, of this city, are the incorporators of the Su-perior Manufacturing Company, which has been organized to carry on a stamp and steneil goods business in Toronto.

—The anniversary tea meeting and en-tertainment of the Christadelphian Sun-day School, which was postponed from Jan. 1st, will take place on Wednesday. Feb. 3, at 5.30 p. m., in the C. O. O. F. Hall, 67 James street north. The same

purchase the failuring business of Messrs, J. G. Thomson & Co. With Mr Firth as designer, the future of this con-cern is very bright, as he has excep-

-The Canadian Club has secured Mr. G. C. Creelman, President of the On-tario Agricultural College, to speak at their luncheon on Thursday, February Regiment, in red coats, met the Admiral's launch at King's Stairs, and escorted the carriages of the American naval officers to the residence of the Governor.

their luncheon on Thursday, February 4th. The luncheon will begin at 6 o-clock in the Hotel Royal, and will be open to the public at the usual price, 50 cents.

REUNION OF A. & A. S. R.

Perfection Degrees To-day----Many Visitors Are Here.

The 29th annual reunion of the Anc-

33, Cleveland, Ohio: John F. Schwartz,
32, Chicago, Ill.: Frank Braman. 32,
Cleveland, Ohio: G. K. C. Mc Gregor,
32, Waterdown: W. H. Lyon, 32,
Toronto: Thomas G. Davis, 32, London: John H. Dunlop, 32, Toronto: J.
E. Stanton, 32, Montreal: Robert Magness, 18, Winnipeg, Alvie C. Drope, 32,
St. John, N. B.: Cuillian G. Park, 30,
Toronto: R. G. Henderson, 18, Toronto; W. J. Moore, 30, Woodstock;
L. E. Edwards, 30, Woodstock; John
Leslie, 32, Winnipeg: J. S. King, 18

degrees to-day, are: G. H. Levy, 32, T. P. G. M.

K. Bethune, 32, Senior Grand Warden.
G. H. Carley, 32, Junior Grand War-Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 2.—The Grand den. Grand Logan, 32, Grand Secretary. William Logan, 32, Grand Secretary.

D. Dexter, 32, Grand Treasurer. A. M. Cunningham, 30, Grand Orator. Thos. Lees, 33, Grand Almoner. G. R. Lloyd, 32, Grand Master of

A. F. Hawke, 32, Grand Expert. G. W. Ballard, 18, Assistant Grand

C. L. M. Harris, 32, Organist, C. A. Herold, 32, Assistant Organist. J. Gill, 18, V. G. V. of H. W. Tocher, 32, Grand Tyler, W. H. Davis, and D. Clark, 32, Audi-

FORMER HAMILTON GIRL

The marriage took place on Thursay, Jan. 7, at Highfield Church, South day, Jan. 7, at Highfield Church, South-ampton, England, of Annie Frances, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hoskyn, to Cornelius Jan Heerskerk, eldest son of His Excellency Mr. Heemskerk, Neth-erlands' Minister of the Interior, The Hague, Mrs. Hoskyn will be remembered as Miss Kate Corsan, daughter of the late Mr. Thomas Corsan, of Hamilton and Toronto.

LADIES' NIGHT.

What promises to be the big athletic cent of the season will be ladies' night t the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, Friday, eb. 12th. The ladies will put on a splenprogramme of marching, exercises and bell drills and rhythenical gymnas

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FOR HAMILTON.

Brantford Chief Driving the Vags This Way.

Complaint Against Slemin - Trouble on the Market.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Brantford, Feb. 2.-No less than three agrants were at the police court yeserday, all of whom pleaded for a chance to be allowed to continue on their itinrary to Hamilton. They were Fred Harrington, Garfield McCrae and Fred Grey. McCrae put up such a tale of hard luck that Crown Attorney Wilkes went down in his own pocket and contributed his railway fare to the Arabitious City. Thomas Slade, hailing from Aylmer, walked into the police station last night for a night's lodging. He came from Aylmer and was likewise on his way to Hamilton. Chief Slemin reports that 80 per cent. of the vags with the cold weather are Bound for the larger cities, and he is determined to run them cut of Brantford and prevent them from becoming charges on this city. Likewise Ansie Robbins, a colored girl, was given a chance to beat it to the Fails.

Puneral from his father's residence, 100 Sanford avenue north, on Wednesday at 3.30 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemerer. Friends please accept this intimation.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS—Northwesterly winds partly cloudy with snow flurries, colder again to-night. Wednesday northerly winds, fair and cold.

The following is issued by the Deartment of Marine and Fisheries:

Temperature. went down in his own pocket and con-

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Brantford Children's Aid Society was held last evening, when an address was delivered by Principal Ferrier, of Mimico School, on "The Reclamation of Boys." Work, sport, education and religion were essentials required in converting the wayward into a good citzen, he said, while parental control should be exercised in full before a boy was handed over to an institution to look after him. The society elected officers as follows: President, Frank Foster; Vice-Presidents, A. C. Parker, W. B. Wood; Seeretary, S. M. Thomson; Treasurer, C. Cook.

AFTER CHIEF SLEMIN. ANNUAL MEETING.

AFTER CHIEF SLEMIN. Proprietor Spittal, of the King's Ho-tel, has announced that he has placed his case in the hands of solicitors, and it

A COMPLAINT. J. W. Robinson, a local market at-tendant from Burford, has filed a com-maint with the City Council against Market Clerk McAuley, charging the official with partiality in the allotment of space on the local market, and asking the Council for a committee to investi-gate the charge. Mr. Robinson states GENERAL NOTES.

Manager Roy Brown, who was the greatest defence player in the old Inter-national League, has turned out to prac-

The

General Superintendent Rev. S. R. Drake has returned from a visit to B. M.

OBITUARY.

Funeral of the Late Mrs. McAllister at Binbrook.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Joseph The funeral of the late Mrs. Joseph McAllister took place from the family residence on Monday morning to St. Joseph's Church, Binbrook, and was one of the largest seen in that district in many years. Rev. Father Cleary celemany years. Rev. Father Cleary cele-brated requiem high mass, and made fitting references to the Christian charac-ter of the deceased, and also to the re-spect and high esteem in which she was held by an unusually large circle of friends, who will mourn her demise. The following acted as pall-bearers: Messrs. John Barrington, Adam Bellentine, Frad-eric Wright, David Bell, Patrick Smiley and Cornelius O'Neil.

The funeral of Margaret Matilda Hill Y. M. C. A. SENIOR CABINET. took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, R. M. and Mrs. Hill, 171 MacNab street north, to

CHURCH FIRE.

Port Colborne, Ont., Feb. 2.—The Presbyterian Church here was damaged last evening by fire, which was confined to the interior of the edifice. The loss from flames, smoke and water wil be considerable.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-weekly Times. 50c first insertion: 25c for each subsequent insertion.

BIRTHS

VOSSEN-On Sunday, Jan. 31st, 1909, at 28 King street east, a son to Mr. and Mrs William Vossen,—(William Ewart Vossen)

DEATHS

CLEARY—On Monday, February 1st, 1909, at 116 Hughson street north, Johanah Cleary, ediest daughter of the late Thomas Cleary, ediest daughter of the Medical war-ter of the Cleary's Church, thence to Holy Sep-ulchre Cemeterz.

HYDE—In this city on Sunday, January 21st, 1909, William Mason, youngest son of E. W. Hyde, and grandson of Jas. Watson, of Gode-tch, aged 21 years.
Funeral from his father's residence, 100 Sanford avenue north, on Wednesday at 3.30 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery. Friends please accept this intimation.

Temperature. 8 a.m. Min. Weather

Cloudy Fair Cloudy Clear Fair Cloudy Snow Snow Cloudy Snow Quebec Father Point *Below zero.

WEATHER NOTES.

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The shallow low which was over northern Ontario yesterday has passed to the lower St. Lawrence Valley and from present indications another high area will spread over the Great Lakes from the north. The weather is fair and moderately cold throughout the Dominion.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Forecasts:—Eastern States and Northern New York—Fair to-night, slightly warmer in south portions, slightly colder in northwest and extreme north portions; Wednesday fair, slight to moderate winds; mostly southwest.

tonis; Wednesday fair, slight to moderate winds; mostly southwest.
Western New York—Snow flurries tonight; slightly colder in northeast portion; Wednesday partly cloudy.
The following is the temperature registered at Parke & Parke's drug

9 a.m., 28; 1 la.m., 30; 1 p.m., 30; lowest in 24 hours, 14; highest in 24 hours, 30.

AT THE SAN.

Miss Macdonald and Party Gave Entertainment.

sword dance, Anss Grace Records, song, Miss Olive Wilson; sailors' hornpipe, Mr. Gordon Henderson; song,
Sergt, Whitney; Irish jig and clog
dance, Miss Grace Macdonald; song,
Mr. John Dinning; song, Miss Olive Wilson; Highland fling, Mr. Gordon Henderson; song, Sergt, B. Whitney; Shauntruese, Mr. Gordon Henderson. The

TWO BURGLARS.

Men Who Broke Into Gananoque Store Confess.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Kingston, Ont., Feb. 2.- The men who burglarized the Crystal Hall jewelry store at Gananoque on Saturday night jewelry, are under arrest here and have Edgar, are both young men in the early twenties. They pleaded guilty to several charges of theft in the police court this morning, and were remanded until Friday for sentence. They admitted that they robbed Louis Abramson's store in this city on the night of Jan. 12, when furs and jewelry to the amount of \$1.500 were taken. Lewis, who smiled when arraigned in court, is a former member of the Army Service Corps, while Edgar is a member of the battery and wore his uniform this morning.

The funeral of Margaret Matilda Hill took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, R. M. and Mrs. Hill, 171 MacNab street north, to Hamilton cemetery. The require services were conducted by the Plymouth Brethren.

SMALLPOX IN TORONTO.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—A man living in Grace street has ben removed to the Newiss Cottage smallpox hospital. Dr. Sheard, the medical health officer, says he contracted the disease in Belleville, whence he recently came. There were three other persons in the house and the quarantine regulations have been enforced.

HAD TO RUN.

Sharbot Lake, Out Feb. 2. The house and the clay cancass, pointing out the difference between the old fashioned way and the up-to-date way of gathering in sharbot Lake, Ont., Feb. 2.—The house of James Irwin, in this village, was burned early to-day, with all the contents. Mr. Irwin was alone in the house and escaped in his night clothes. Loss \$1,509, partly insured.

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"No, dearest," answered Miss Golden

firmly.
"Then I love you," said the noble count, and two fond hearts beat as one.
-Puck.

Steamship Arrivals.

BULLETS IN HEAD.

Winnipeg, Feb. 2.—A despatch from Lethbridge, Alberta, says Richard Vadnais, a French-Canadian rancher, residing south of Cardstone, has been brought to the Lethbridge City Hospital with two bullets in the head. Vadnais' wife is alleged to have done the shooting, which is said to have been the outcome of a quarrel.

In spite of the fact that a girl is given in marriage, lots of them throw themselves away.

Steamship Arrivals.

February 1.
California—At New York, from Glasgow, St. Louis—At New York, from Bermen.

California—At Superford—At Purland, from Liverpool. Caledonia—At Glasgow, from Boston. Italia—At Marseilles, from New York, Certigen Luise—At Geons, from New York. California—At New York, from Glasgow.

Martha Washington—At Cape Race, from Antwerp, Hesperian—At St. John, from Liverpool. Caiabria—At New York, from Falermo. February 2.—

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