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PROBS: Moderate N.W. and W. winds fair and cold; a few local snow flurries.

DALEPORT ASSERTS CHANGE WON'T LAST LONG

The People Will Not Be Content to Be Governed Under the "Preposterous Scheme" — Asquith Says That He Will Put an End to the Double Voting.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The Canadian Associated Press has it from high authority that the government will not waver in their policy in regard to the veto.

Balfour, at Dartford, emphasized the sincerity of the Unionist promise to put tariff reform to a referendum, adding that tariff reform stood where it did in the Unionist program.

Home Rule Trickery. Balfour claimed that the party's device was intended to get home rule thru a trick which, however, would be as easy as anticipated.

On the constitutional issue, Balfour added that the government could not make their decision final.

Asquith, at Bury St. Edmunds, said the sole issue with the Tories was one of expediency put forward to avert that issue.

It was to maintain undivided and undisturbed the supremacy of the imperial parliament, and subject to that condition to give the Irish fellow-subjects the power by legislation and by executive of their own to deal according to their own views on matters which were purely of Irish concern.

Wants License Moved. In addition to Transfer, But is Opposed.

W. B. Strickley of the Vendome Hotel, East Queen-street, appeared before the license commissioners yesterday, asking to have his license transferred to A. W. Hynes, the Volunteer Hotel, 240 West Queen-street.

R. H. Greer, representing Aid. John O'Neill, objected to the transfer, as under the clause of the present license a clause gives the landlord the option of purchasing in the event of a transfer.

Barry of Ballymore, a Success. The new play, "Barry of Ballymore," presented by Chauncy Olcott at the Princess Theatre last night, was a great success.

New Alliance Secretary

REV. W. M. ROCHESTER, B.A., the new general secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, who has just arrived from Winnipeg, and will take up his duties in the Alliance offices here immediately.

LIBERALS MAKE A GAIN ON FORMER STANDING. One to the Good Now — Lessons Learned From the Voting in Lancashire.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The polling results show monotonous regularity and the returns to-day leave the government one seat to the good, the Unionists having gained 21 seats from the government, and the government coalition 22 seats from the Unionists in the election of 518 members out of 670.

Government coalition: Liberals, 191; Conservatives, 45; Nationalists, 58; Independent Nationalists, 7. Total, 289.

Lancashire, by increased Unionist and decreased Liberal majorities, is displaying a consistent tendency in favor of the Unionists, while the county districts contiguous to London are following the lead of the capital in favor of the Liberals.

Results in Detail. LANCASHIRE (Gordon). J. Hodge (Lab.)... 3840; H. W. Lister (Lib.)... 3187.

LABOR MAJORITY 653. Previous majority, 473. LANCASHIRE (F. E. Heywood). H. T. Cawley (Lab.)... 5430; R. A. L. Hutchison (U.)... 4941.

LABOR MAJORITY 489. LANCASHIRE (E. Rosendale). R. Hon. Harcourt (Lib.)... 6619; J. C. Hoyle (U.)... 5238.

LABOR MAJORITY 1382. Previous majority, 2490. LANCASHIRE (W. H. White). Major D. White (U.)... 7467; H. D. Woodcock (Lib.)... 6798.

LABOR MAJORITY 669. MIDDLESEX (Brentford). Hon. A. P. Compton (U.)... 5199; W. Lobban (Lib.)... 4124.

MIDDLESEX (Totterham). Percy Alden (Lib.)... 12,944; E. V. Sturdy (U.)... 10,945.

LABOR MAJORITY 1,999. NOTTINGHAM (Mansfield). A. B. Markham (Lib.)... 11,285; W. P. Cockerell (U.)... 4,200.

LABOR MAJORITY 7,188. YORKSHIRE WEST (Hallam). D. T. Smith (U.)... 8708; D. T. Smith (U.)... 6837.

GOVERNMENT TO TAKE HAND

Minister of Labor Intimates That, if Results of Appeals to G. T. R. President Are Unsatisfactory, Something May Be Done—Extension of Intercolonial Discussed.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—In the house of commons this afternoon the action of the Grand Trunk Railway Co. in not reinstating a number of its employees, who participated in the strike last summer was discussed by R. L. Borden. The leader of the opposition interpellated the minister of labor on the subject.

Reinstatement of Employees. R. L. Borden introduced the question of the reinstatement of employees of the Grand Trunk Railway, who have lost their places on account of participation in the strike of last summer.

The American commissioners have not yet been appointed, but it is probable that the delegates who were to be named.

The minister of labor then explained, under the present situation, the commission had considered it advisable not to take any further steps.

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HAGUE CONFERENCE FOR SUPPRESSION OF OPIUM

Twelve Nations Will Participate—Date is Fixed for May 30th, 1911.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The state department to-day announced successful completion of the long-continued negotiations looking to the gathering of an international conference, with the object of suppressing the opium traffic.

CONFERRER ON THE QUIET. Did Mayor, Manager and the Railway Board.

That there was a "closed door" conference, in which Mayor Geary, Manager Fleming, among others, and the Ontario Railway Board participated yesterday afternoon, was stated last night to be a fact.

JUSTICE RIDDELL HONORED. Will Be One of Speakers at Important Washington Conference.

Hon. Justice Riddell of this city has been honored with a distinguished place on the program of the opening session of the international conference of the American Society for the Judicial Settlement of International Disputes.

LEIN HOY, a Chinaman 22 years of age, died at his laundry, 477 Church-st., yesterday morning after eating a dish of opium.

KILLED BY HER PARAMOUR. Catherine Devine, aged 31, of London, Ont., who had been living for some time with William Baker, an inspector for the Western Union Telegraph Co., was shot and killed by him this afternoon, after which he committed suicide.

BOY BITTEN BY MAD DOG. Immediately following the removal of dog muzzles an authentic case of a child bitten by a dog affected with rabies comes to light.

LIBS. NOMINATE CANDIDATE. C. Robert Will Be Standard-Bearer Against Nationalist in St. John's.

MONTREAL, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—C. Robert, an influential farmer of the county, was nominated in St. John's, P.E.I., as the Liberal candidate.

THE BLOOR STREET VIADUCT. Read pages 9 and 10 of this issue, and then carry it in your pocket.

Domestic Arrested. Lozie Sheppard, an employe of Wm. Wright of the hotel at King and Parliament-streets, was arrested yesterday by Detective Guthrie charged with theft of cash from her employer's clothing.

A MERRY SOUL



King Mackenzie's Jester and his Little Wooden Snow Shovel.

RAILWAYMEN SAY THEY HAVE BEEN HOODWINKED

Had Been Asked by Hon. W. L. M. King To Leave Their Case in His Hands—Were Duped.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—The deputation of Grand Trunk railwaymen who waited upon Hon. George F. Grahame, minister of railways, and Hon. Mackenzie King, minister of labor, today to demand that the government implement its bargain with the strikers, seems determined to accomplish its object, if that is possible.

BOY THIEVES IN BIG STORES. Four Youngsters Taken in Charge by Detectives Yesterday.

Isaac Lash, 12 years, 74 Venues-street; Bennie Weinstein, 14 years, 99 Chestnut-street, and another younger boy were arrested by Detectives McKinley and Armstrong yesterday charged with thefts from the Simpson store.

CHINAMAN'S SUDDEN DEATH. Lem Hoy, a Chinaman 22 years of age, died at his laundry, 477 Church-st., yesterday morning after eating a dish of opium.

A TRIAL TRIP. Bobby Leach's Boat Will Be Sought Over Falls, Empty, as a Test.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—The Mitchell lifeboat, in which Bobby Leach proposes to go over the falls, will be given a trial trip over the Horseshoe Falls to-morrow afternoon.

The Man and the Motor Car. One remarkable thing about the owner of a motor car is his unbounded pride in the machine he is running.

Farming Rejuvenating. In introducing W. F. Maclean, M.P., who spoke on "The live stock show and the breeder," Mr. Allan warmly commended the support given by Mr. Maclean, personally and thru The World, which always gave fair market reports, although this was not always true of other papers.

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OFFICES TO RENT

Quebec Bank Building, singly or en suite; newly remodelled. H. H. WILLIAMS & CO., 88 King St. East - Toronto.

TORONTO WILL BE CHICAGO OF CANADA

The Prediction of Many of the Speakers at the Banquet of the Live Stock Breeders at the Union Stock Yards — How the Industry is Growing.

If there is a more prosperous class than the stock breeders of Ontario, the members are to be congratulated as belonging to a peculiarly favored community. Certainly at the banquet which brought to a splendid close the opening day of the live stock show at the Union Stock Yards at West Toronto, every speaker slapped his neighbor on the back, figuratively speaking, and vied with the other speakers in glowing references to the healthy condition of the trade, and in predicting still greater things to come.

Farmer Better Off. Mr. Allan said that he had never before had the pleasure of being present at so splendid a gathering representing the drovers and breeders of the province.

Ontario Triumphs. Sam Charters, M.L.A. for Peel, replying in go the toast, pointed out that the Ontario department of agriculture was spending this year \$745,000 in promoting agriculture.

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HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

MOTHER AND CHILD FOUND WITH THEIR THROATS CUT

Boy Was Dead, Killed, It Is Supposed by His Mother, Who Will Probably Die Also.

HAMILTON, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—When little Harry Patience returned from play this afternoon to his home in Kenilworth-avenue, he was unable to get into the house, and, securing assistance, the door was forced, and on the floor was found the dead body of his brother Bert, aged 4, and nearby the unconscious figure of his mother, with a terrible gash in her throat. It is supposed that Mrs. Patience cut her child's throat and then attempted to commit suicide. A razor, covered with blood, was found under a sofa.

Mrs. Patience was conveyed to the City Hospital, and it was announced, after an examination had been made of the wound by the doctors, that her chances of recovery are very slim, as the windpipe has been penetrated. Mr. Patience is employed by the Canadian Power Co. Residents in the neighborhood say that she was around during the day, acting in a perfectly reasonable manner, while her husband is unable to explain the theory of the police that she must have suddenly had an attack of homicidal mania.

At a late hour to-night an operation was performed on Mrs. Patience, which increased her chances of recovery, so the doctors say. At the meeting of the city council this evening a memorial was passed urging the government to both deepen and widen the Burlington Canal, and Mayor McLaren was deputed to present it in person to-morrow to Hon. William Pugsley, the minister of marine and fisheries.

A Fraser and Walter Anderson were appointed by the council as auditors for the city for 1911, at a salary of \$200. It was also decided to publish the assessment rolls in pamphlet form, at a cost of \$344, and deliver them through the city.

The fire department was called to a small blaze in the rear of St. Mary's schoolhouse this evening, which was extinguished before it had done much damage.

Travelers' Certificates. Commercial travelers' certificates for 1911 can now be had from Fred Johnson, 100 St. James, Federal Life Building.

HAD A LIVELY TIME How Aid, Heyd Silenced a Disturber at Jewish Meeting.

A meeting of the Citizens' Independent League was held in the Lyric Theatre last night. The league was organized a year ago to encourage the Jewish people to vote for the men who act fairly by them. Mayor Geary came in early and had a short talk with a few of the first comers, but had no effect on the meeting.

ASK PROTECTION FROM COLD Building Trades Want Windows Covered With Cheese Cloth.

The Federated Building trades last night passed a resolution to be sent to the Building Trades Association, asking that all buildings in Toronto be covered with cheese cloth from Nov. 15 to April 1, in order that the men working inside need not be exposed unnecessarily to the cold.

Sunshine and Flowers in the South. In the South and in California they are enjoying June weather. Blue skies, bright sunshine, warm breezes and all around tropical luxuriance of flowers and foliage.

It will give you instant relief, show you the harmless, painless nature of this great remedy and start you well on the way toward a perfect cure.

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HAMILTON BUSINESS DIRECTORY

HAMILTON HOTELS HOTEL ROYAL

COMES TO TORONTO FROM CHICAGO

Mr. George A. White Joins Staff of Big Tailoring House in This City.

Mr. Geo. A. White of Chicago has arrived in Toronto and will be a permanent citizen here. Mr. White has been engaged for a number of years in a responsible capacity with the E. V. Price Company, wholesale tailoring house of Chicago. This is the largest tailoring concern in the world, doing a business of several million dollars yearly.

Mr. White, "I had great faith in the possibilities. I am very much impressed," he continued, "with the enterprise of Canada's largest tailoring house. This is an institution the people of Canada should feel proud of."

Don't fall for the great gambling game known as "The Girl of the Golden West" with its "Big Review" at the Star this week.

ORGANIZE FOR BETTER PAY Brick and Tile Workers Set About a Big Task.

A campaign to swell their present membership of 250 to 2000 by April next, has been undertaken by the local branch of the Brick, Tile and Terra Cotta Workers' Alliance.

These tradesmen are now receiving from \$2.40 to \$3.50 a day, and the alliance proposes to establish a regular wage for its members.

Piles Quickly Cured at Home Instant Relief, Permanent Cure—Trial Package Mailed Free to All, in Plain Wrapper.

Piles is a fearful disease, but easy to cure, if you go at it right. An operation with the knife is dangerous, cruel, humiliating and unnecessary.

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FARM COLONY WOULD CURB HALF CITY'S INEBRIETY

So Says Dr. Crothers, an Authority in Addressing Society for Reforming of Drunkards.

A representative gathering of reformers attended the annual meeting of the Toronto Society for the Reformation of Inebriates, in the normal school auditorium last night. Prof. Wrong presided. Dr. Crothers, Walnut Lodge hospital instructor, gave an address on the Journal of Inebriety, addressed the meeting.

Dr. Crothers said that the question was very ancient one. The records of the pyramids show the presence of a pumoloid type, high leucine and low leucine, were in operation on the Nile. One of the kings made the use of spirituous liquors as a punishment on the fourth offence.

In the range of modern science this continent had taken the lead in recognizing inebriety as a sickness, a disease. The first establishment for the scientific treatment of inebriety was at Binghamton, N. Y., in 1855, and he had been connected with it for several years.

A farm colony was a practical plan for reducing inebriety. It reduced the moral contagion. Drugs were not sufficient in most cases. Moral influence, medical aid, and physical control was necessary.

At least 50 per cent. of the Toronto inebriates, if placed on a farm colony, under military discipline, religious attention, and medical care, would become useful and orderly citizens. This would be a practical and rational solution of the civic drink problem.

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Bank of England Notes. Qualities Which Prevent Their Being Counterfeited Successfully.

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Previous to this investigation the directors of the bank had been endeavoring to remedy the evil, but having been submitted to them, all of which they were obliged to reject, says The Scientific American.

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SECRET CUSTOMS ORDER STORY PROVES CHANGING

Order Was a Public One, To Appraise Entries at Market Value as Law Requires.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—An official denial was given this evening to the statement, published in Toronto and Winnipeg to-day, to the effect that the Dominion board of customs appraisers five years ago had secretly passed a resolution that invoices covering agricultural implements imported from the United States into Canada should be advanced five to ten per cent, and upon this the duty levied, so that instead of Canadians paying the authorized duty of 17 1/2 per cent, they had paid from 20 to 25 per cent.

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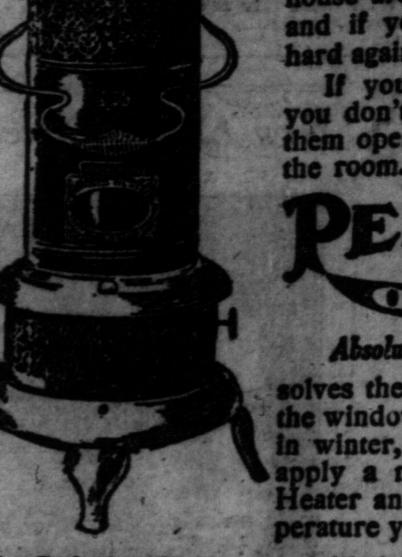
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The Perfection Oil Heater is finished in Japan or nickel. It burns for nine hours. It has a cool handle and a damper top. It has an automatic locking flame spreader, which prevents the wick from being turned high enough to smoke, and is easy to remove and drop back so that the wick can be quickly cleaned.

The burner body or gallery cannot become wedged, because of a new device in construction, and consequently, it can always be easily unscrewed in an instant for reworking. The Perfection Oil Heater is strong, durable, well made, built for service, yet light and ornamental.

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Failure to turn out a few inches for an approaching car cost William Plunkett, 388 Lansdowne-avenue, his life at Dundas-street and Dovercourt-road at 7 o'clock last night.

Plunkett, a carriage agent, was driving west on Dundas-street upon one of his lorries. The vehicle was slightly on the level as he approached Dovercourt-road. There he met east-bound car No. 1142. He failed to turn and the car struck the front of his wagon and threw both men into the roadway.

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Mark Envelopes for Mail Orders for Goods on this page "City Ad."

EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

Use the New Elevators in Queen St. Section.

1800 Men's High-Grade Ties at Each 17c



Of good style — of good quality — of good patterns. Four-in-hand shape with the prevailing folded end and narrow French seam style. A wealth of choice in neat, fancy patterns of light and dark colors, and in plain shades. Usually two and three times the price would be asked. While the lot lasts, each .17
—Main Floor—Queen Street.

The Third Day of That Special Fur Coat Selling

The prices that follow certainly bespeak the consideration of men who have in their minds a Christmas gift of this order, because such price advantages are not common. The garments, it may be added, are all very choice and superbly made.

- 12 Near Seal and Natural Muskrat Coats, 24 inches long, designed in the Windsor style; cuffs, collar and revers to waist are of natural muskrat; the coats are lined throughout with brown satin, and have fancy silk girdles. Greatly reduced to each 29.85
- 1 Sample Black Russian Ponyskin Coat, 48 inches long, semi-fitting back, box front, long shawl collar and cuffs of western sable, lined throughout with black satin. Greatly reduced to 55.00
- 1 Sample Grey Russian Squirrel Jacket, 30 inches long, semi-fitting back, straight front, storm collar and cuffs of self, brown satin lining. Very greatly reduced to 52.50
- 1 Sample Near Seal Coat, 48 inches long, semi-fitting back, double-breasted, shawl collar of western sable, brown satin lining. Greatly reduced to .. 52.50

Women's Fancy Neckwear at 15c

Women's collars, made from fine quality net, edged with Persian and finished with Persian bows. There are also pretty net bows with jabots attached, trimmed with ribbons, laces and medallions, in large range of designs. All high-class goods and suitable for Christmas gifts. Reduced for quick selling, to, each 15

Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs

Always acceptable for Christmas gift, these handkerchiefs are of exceptional value. Large in size, with hemstitched hem, and a heavily embroidered initial in one corner. They wash perfectly and are put up in dainty boxes, suitable for gift making. Each 75

Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs

Women's Handkerchiefs, every thread guaranteed to be pure Irish linen, with neat hand-embroidered spray in one corner, and finished with a narrow, hemstitched hem. Six in box for 1.00
—Main Floor—Yonge Street.

Fascinating Display of Beautiful Christmas Ribbons

Wide Taffeta and Satin Ribbons, for fancy work and personal use, for hair bows, sashes, etc., these give an assortment that compose a Christmas special of most attractive value. The colors are white, cream, sky, pink, rose, wine, red, alic, copenhagen, royal, navy, blue, myrtle, emerald, champagne, tan, brown, grey, mauve and pumpkin. Width 6 inches. Special value, per yard 25

Exquisite Fancy Ribbons, our selection of fancy ribbons is very noteworthy. We especially recommend a pattern in rich silk velour which shows some very unusual and handsome color combinations. They include tones of old rose, brown, delf blue, turquoise, pink, grey, champagne, tan and moss. Many uses are suggested for this ribbon, combined with satin and silk. It makes handsome bags, scarfs, mufflers, etc., 8 1/4 inches wide. Price, per yard 1.25

Taffeta and Satin Ribbons, in just two colors, brown and green, and only two shades of each, provides many Christmas ideas as they are very high class goods, 4, 5, and 6 inches wide and worth many times Wednesday's price, per yard 5
—Main Floor—Yonge Street.

The Umbrella Situation

The prices we are naming on umbrellas are the best we have offered for some time. The supply is plentiful and the choosing therefore a matter of unhampered taste. A gift that everyone wants.

Men's and Women's Umbrellas, with a large variety of new handles, mounted in sterling silver and rolled gold, have good silk mixed covers and close rolling frames, silk lined. Each 1.98

Men's and Women's High-Class Pure Silk Umbrellas, with a fine collection of new handles, in horn, ivory, pearl and natural wood, are mounted in sterling silver and rolled gold. Best quality and finish, 5.00, 8.00 and 10.00
—Main Floor—Yonge Street.

Warm Coats for Young Women, \$5.00

These coats combine well considered cut and good finish with a special warmth of material that will make them exceedingly attractive at the price. Made in heavy cheviot cloth of black and navy, double-breasted, with college collar, semi-fitting back and plain sleeve, they are full length, 51 inches, with bust of 32, 34 and 36 inches. An exceptional value, each Wednesday 5.00

Young Women's Coats \$10.00

Several different styles in various materials and colorings, all semi-fitting, assorted in notch, college and military collars, body and sleeves lined with extra heavy sateen lining, full length, 32, 34 and 36-inch bust. Special value, each 10.00
—Second Floor—James Street, North.

Women's Gloves at a Clearing Price

Large quantities of beautiful gloves that do not have complete size range or color range, but give the best kind of choice among many varieties make up a fine stock for early morning shopping on Wednesday, with every size in one or another color.

They are women's French kid or lambskin gloves, with 2 dome fasteners, oversewn seams and stitched points, in tan, mode, beaver, navy, myrtle. To clear Wednesday per pair 39
Cannot promise to fill phone or mail orders.
—Main Floor—Yonge Street.

Santa Claus will be in Toyland from 8.30 till 10.30 Wednesday morning.

THE T. EATON CO. LIMITED

LAWYER DENOUNCED WIDOW AS A VAMPIRE

Recited Kipling to Emphasize His Point — Unusual Scene in Court.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 12.—The evidence upon which a jury will convict or acquit Hattie Leblanc of the murder of Clarence F. Glover was completed shortly after the beginning of the afternoon session of the trial today, and the remaining two hours was occupied by Melvin M. Johnson, the leading counsel for the little Cape Breton girl, in the opening of his plea for her life. The lawyer declared at the outset that the little girl was brought from the provinces solely for the white slave traffic, and then, turning to Mrs. Lillian M. Glover, who induced her to leave her home, Mr. Johnson denounced the widow as a vampire, and recited Kipling to emphasize his point. He will finish his argument to-morrow.

District Attorney John J. Higgins today made one last effort to introduce Glover's alleged dying statement that Hattie Leblanc had shot him, but when he declared that Mr. Johnson himself had said that Hattie had admitted the shooting, there was a burst of passionate protest from the defence. Judge Bond ruled the evidence out of the case.

When Mrs. Glover was on the stand, the district attorney became involved in a heated argument with Judge Bond upon the admissibility of some of her evidence, and the colour became so bitter that the district attorney was threatened with expulsion.

Two more witnesses were introduced, who declared that they saw Mrs. Glover close by the laundry on the evening of the shooting, while the widow denied that she was out of her house on that night. After a breathing spell of half an hour, the principal defender of Hattie Leblanc began his final effort to obtain her freedom.

It was expected to-night that Mr. Johnson would close before noon to-morrow, and that the rest of the day would be taken up by the district attorney.

Hattie Leblanc is facing another danger nearly as terrible as a verdict of guilty. She may soon become totally blind. Ophthalmic surgery has attacked her. There is one hope, her youth, and ophthalmic surgeons believe there is a chance to save her sight. Even if decay of the optic nerve is arrested, however, she will always be partially blind.

EXTRADITED FOR ABDUCTION

Brought Back From Memphis to Ontario.

Inspector Greer of the provincial police department reached Windsor last evening with Robert W. Scott and Mabel C. Bennett, who were brought back by him from Memphis, Tenn., charged with abducting Wilson Scott, a boy, who was one of the party.

The boy's parents were married in Ontario, but went to live in the States, where a divorce was the outcome of their married life, the mother being awarded custody of the child, and returning to live in Essex. On May 21 last it is alleged that Scott and the Bennett woman automobile into Essex, picked up the boy from the street and carried him off.

Recently they were located and arrested in Memphis. Inspector Greer went to Essex on Thursday, took evidence most of the night and got the necessary extradition papers in shape and reached Memphis Sunday.

The arrested couple had intended putting up a stiff fight, but the papers were so complete that the officials turned them over, and they were brought back to Canada without delay.

CAR RIOTERS IN COURT

One Fine of \$10.00 and Costs for Throwing a Stone.

Horace Fleisher paid \$10 and costs for his part in the Street Railway riot of Wednesday night last when he appeared in police court yesterday morning. He had thrown a stone at Queen and Yonge streets, which was all he did.

Archie Bowden, in addition to the charge of disorderly conduct, faced the further charge of an aggravated assault upon a conductor, George H. Hatcher, who is now in hospital with a wounded leg. Both charges stand a week. George Jones was fined \$10 for throwing at a car, but not hitting it.

Stanley Larmer and Arthur Oulmette were also up. Oulmette, having spent five days in jail, was allowed to go, when it was shown that he was holding a stone, and had not thrown it. Larmer will wait a week for trial.

William Vogan, who tried to renew the riot on Sunday night by casting several stones at a car, which he failed to hit, at King and York streets, pleaded guilty in early court before Magistrate Ellis, but not guilty when sent before Magistrate Denison. His case was remanded till Thursday.

Archie Miller, 41 Grenville-street, on Saturday night objected to paying until he had entered a Queen-street car, and as he thought he was drunk, Conductor Meade humored him. Later Miller had advised a lady who was entering the car to pay no attention to the new rules, and when she was arrested, in police court he was fined \$2 and costs by Magistrate Ellis. He made a break for the door, but was turned back when he used "language" and was remanded till Thursday.

In afternoon court, Louis Davis, who yanked a "pay-as-you-enter" placard from a car during the late unpleasantness, was fined \$5 and costs.

28 YEARS A SOLDIER

Sergt. A. Rochejoquein Dead—Saw Service in Many Lands.

A soldier from his youth, and still wearing the King's uniform after considerable war service, Sergt. A. De Rochejoquein, of the 9th Battery (C.P.A.), died yesterday at Grace Hospital, after a short illness.

He was an Englishman, and at the age of 19, joined the 12th Royal Lancers, in which Regiment he won his three stripes. He served in Egypt on the staff of Sir Evelyn Wood, and was attached to the 2nd Light Cavalry Corps, where he was entrusted the duty of delivering despatches to the gumbast, a flexible, during the bombardment of Alexandria. Lord Charles Derosford, then in command of the Concor, took Rochejoquein twice out of three times as the staff of the 12th Lancers.

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After returning from South Africa, he served for some years in the 48th Highlanders. Fifty years of age, he had given half of his life, 28 years in all, to the service of his country. He wore the Egyptian medal with two clasps and the Khedive's star, the South African medal with five clasps and the Imperial Long Service Medal. He leaves a widow, one son and two daughters. The funeral takes place on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence, 2 Kenilworth-crescent, to Norway Cemetery.

SOCIETY NOTES

A pleasant afternoon was spent in the Methodist board room yesterday, when William Briggs gave a luncheon and reception in honor of Mrs. Nellie M. McClung, the well-known authoress, inviting several other women of note in the literary world. Dr. Briggs was the toastmaster, and each of the department heads of the Book Room responded to his call, after which the women individually expressed their thanks to him for giving them the opportunity of meeting Mrs. McClung. Mrs. McClung gave "The Band of Hope" from her "Sowing Seeds in Danny" in her characteristic way, much to the enjoyment of the gathering. The guests included Miss Marjorie MacMurdy, Mrs. Jean Blewett, Misses Camilla and Mary Sanders, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. L. A. Dill and Miss Amy Campbell. Mrs. McClung leaves for the west on Saturday night.

R. Robson of 144 Harrison-street announces the engagement of his young daughter, Jessie Milne, to Mr. Bert Perkins of Richmond, Quebec, the wedding to take place in January.

A "CONTINUING OFFENCE"

Important Decision by U. S. Supreme Court on Conspiracy Case.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Announcing the broad rule that a conspiracy under the Sherman anti-trust law may be a "continuing offence" instead of an offence limited to the formation of the conspiracy, the supreme court of the United States today went a long way toward dispelling doubt as to the law. The direct result of the decision is that Gustave E. Hissel of New York and Thomas B. Harrod of Philadelphia must answer further to the indictment brought in 1909 in New York, charging them with conspiracy, with the American Sugar Refining Company and others, to drive the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company out of business.

The indirect result will be that the government will find it easier to prosecute conspiracies under the Sherman law. Instead of being required to prove a conspiracy, or an overt act in furtherance thereof, within three years of the time of the indictment, it is held that the accused will be required to show that the conspiracy had been ended by abandonment or success more than three years before the indictment.

WORK SUSPENDED FOR SEASON.

AMHERSTBURG, Dec. 12.—All work on the construction of the new Lybston dam in the lower Detroit River has been suspended until spring. The dam practically precluded any possibility of moving tug boats or dredges about in the channel, and flows are held up several feet in some places. Most of the boats that have been at work on the channel all season have gone into winter quarters. The boats will undergo repairs at once.

Died Suddenly.

TWEEED, Dec. 12.—Thomas McCaman, an old and respected resident of this village, died suddenly to-day of a paralytic stroke. He was around 80 years of age, and came to be in the hospital yesterday, and he leaves a widow and grown-up family.

Apple Packer Fined.

BELLEVILLE, Dec. 12.—Murray Huibert, an apple packer, was to-day fined \$10 for placing a brand upon some barrels of apples which did not correspond with the fruit in the barrels of the age.

TO LAUNCH BIG STEAMER

"Princess" of the Inland Lines, Now Ready for Plunge.

There will be launched at the yards of the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company, Limited, Collingwood, on Saturday, at 2 p.m., the largest ship that has ever been built in Canada, and, in fact, in the British colonies.

This boat is 525 feet in length, 56 feet beam and 31 feet moulded depth, is a steel bulk freight steamer with side ballast tanks and double bottom, is constructed on the arch and web frame system, and has 20 cargo hatches. The vessel with her engines, boilers, machinery, rig and outfit was designed and built by this company for the Inland Lines, Limited. She will be christened the "Princess."

She will be launched into the new concrete dry dock, which is the second dry dock at this plant, and has the distinction of having the widest gate of any dry dock in the British colonies, namely 100 feet.

The special train leaves Toronto at 8:05 a.m., and the afternoon train returning leaves at 4:10 p.m., arriving in Toronto at 7:55 p.m. It is possible that the Grand Trunk will issue excursion rate tickets.

STOLE CHEQUE AND NOTE

Ernest Gravatt Gets Two Years in Kingston Penitentiary.

WOODSTOCK, Dec. 12.—Ernest Gravatt was charged before Judge Finkle this morning with stealing a cheque of the value of \$322.24, and a promissory note for \$175 from Wm. S. Thom, a patient at the epileptic hospital, where the prisoner was an attendant. He was found guilty and sentenced to two years in Kingston penitentiary. Gravatt was arrested in Toronto several weeks ago.

Queer Case of Trespass.

Altho he only had short stumps for legs, W. Hutchins, a lad of 16, appeared in the afternoon police court for jumping on and off trains at Brock-avenue crossing. "He lost two legs some time ago doing the same thing," said the constable. Trespass was the charge. He was sent to the shelter for a week to give the police a chance to investigate.

Soldier Sent to Jail.

Not often is the King's uniform exchanged for the jail patches, but Private George Carson of the R.C.R., made that change yesterday shortly after the magistrate had sent him away from the police court to serve 20 days for theft of \$12 from a man with whom he had been drinking.

ENGINE BACKED ON HIM

Brother of Senator Jaffray Killed at Carberry, Man.

CARBERRY, Man., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—John Jaffray of this place was crossing the track to reach the depot, when an engine which was cut from the train to take water finished watering and backed up on Jaffray, who was instantly killed.

He was a brother of Hon. Robert Jaffray of Toronto. Deceased had lived in Carberry for ten years.

F. W. Stair's own show, "The Big Review," at the Star this week. The one best show on the road.

Struck by Train and Killed.

TWEEED, Dec. 12.—J. F. Walker, manager of the Queen's Hotel, Tweed, received a telegram from North Tonawanda, N.Y., to-day, stating that his son, William Walker, had been struck by a passenger train at that place. No further particulars were given. Mr. and Mrs. Walker left for North Tonawanda this afternoon.

Toronto Festival Chorus.

A combined rehearsal of chorus and orchestra for the Messiah will be held this evening in Victoria Hall. A full attendance of the members is requested.

To Welcome Him Home.

To-night the ex-pupils of De La Salle Institute will meet at the institute to welcome Rev. Bro. Lawrence, former director, on his return from an extensive tour of the British Isles and the continent.

Her Face and Body Were Literally Covered With "BOILS."

Burdock Blood Bitters Cured Them.

Mrs. John H. King, Johnston, N.B., writes: "Last summer I was very much troubled with boils, and my face and body were literally covered with them. A friend advised me to take Burdock Blood Bitters. I got three bottles, and before I had taken all the first one my boils began to go away. I had just taken a few doses out of the last one when they all disappeared. My husband has also used Burdock Blood Bitters with much benefit."

Boils in themselves are not a dangerous trouble, but still, at the same time, are very painful. They are caused entirely by bad blood, and to get rid of them it is necessary to put the blood in good condition, and for this purpose there is nothing to equal that old and tried remedy, Burdock Blood Bitters.

Manufactured only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

NOT HER CHILD

Story That Body Was Brought to Gertrude Enright by a Girl Friend.

KINGSTON, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—Relatives of Gertrude Enright are disinclined to believe that the child found in Rochester is hers. It is rumored that the girl made a statement that a dead body was brought to her by a girl friend, who asked her to help get rid of it, and that she assisted in disposing of the body. Police Bailey says he has had no word from Rochester to look for the missing girl. The girl's father died a year ago. There is a mother and several children. The mother is prostrated at the news which came to her thru the newspapers.

MAY RUN FOR CONTROLLER

Major J. W. Collins is Being Urged to Offer Himself.

Major J. W. Collins, wholesale lumber dealer, is being again pressed by many friends and acquaintances to offer himself as a candidate for the board of control. Major Collins is president of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association and is well known, not only in military but in civic circles, having frequently appeared before the controllers and the council on matters of public importance.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12.—Herbert Mason Clapp, a wealthy clubman of this city, is in a hospital with a bullet in his head and likely to die, and his beautiful young wife is locked up charged with having shot him. According to the police, the couple quarreled in their bedroom at 2:30 this morning, and Mrs. Clapp jumped out of bed, secured a 4-calibre pistol and shot twice.

Lord's Day Alliance.

The annual meeting of the Toronto branch of the Lord's Day Alliance will be held this afternoon in St. James-square Presbyterian Church. Sunday labor, amusements, parades and tobogganing will be discussed.

More Deadly Than the Plague

The Common Cold is Held Responsible for a Multitude of Human Ills.

Colds kill more people than plagues. When not avoided they can often be hurried from the system by keeping the filtering and excretory organs active.

Many write us that nothing helps them so quickly as a cold as Dr. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills. This is because these pills act directly on the liver, kidneys and bowels, and promptly arouse their activity.

The poisonous matter which collects with every cold is quickly removed from the system before it has time to cause trouble or give rise to other disarrangements.

If misfortune in the form of a cold should overtake you do not give it a chance to attack the lungs, or to settle on the kidneys. Get rid of it quickly by using Dr. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills.

Mr. J. H. Gibbard, Mission City, E. C., writes: "We have used Dr. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills for the last year, and think they are just the thing as a family medicine. My wife had been sick for nearly two years with torpid liver and kidney complaint. Sometimes she was so bad she had to go to bed for two or three weeks at a time, and she suffered dreadfully."

"Reading of Dr. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills, she decided to use them, and has been improving ever since. She is never sick a day now, and we believe the cure permanent. I have been greatly benefited myself by this treatment for kidney trouble."

Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills are on all drug stores, or sent by mail at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto. To protect you against imitations, the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., the famous Receipt Book author, are on every box.

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Common Sense and Dewar's Whisky Make an Ideal Beverage

B.C. Lacrosse Teams Will Tour Europe in 1912

VANCOUVER, B.C., Dec. 12.—Provision is made in the proposed program for the Olympic games which will take place in Stockholm, Sweden, in 1912, for a series of lacrosse games by two Canadian teams. The draft program has been received in this city by B. Flormann, who is making the arrangements at this end for the tour of the lacrosse teams. July 19 and 21 are the days set apart for Canada's national game.

The idea Mr. Flormann has in mind is to take two teams from British Columbia to Sweden. He figures on the Vancouver and New Westminster teams as the ones in line for the trip, and his plans propose an extended tour in addition to playing at the Olympic games. Mr. Flormann thinks that the advertising that British Columbia would receive would be worth the cost of the trip, and he is going ahead with his plans. He proposes to play a couple of games in Eastern Canada and one in New York City before leaving America. In Europe he plans to have the teams play in London, Paris, Bordeaux, Hamburg, Berlin, Copenhagen, Christiania and Stockholm. In case there is peace and quiet in Spain Mr. Flormann would like to have the teams run into St. Sebastian and play a game in the famous ring devoted to bull fights.

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GROVER HUGHES AT 12-1 MINS MONSIEUR FEATURE

Malitine Steps 6 1-2 Furlongs in 1.21 2-5—Results at Oakland.

JACKSONVILLE, Dec. 12.—Grover Hughes, neglected in the betting at 12 to 1, won the feature of today's card at Monsieur, a handicap at six furlongs, for two-year-olds. He took the lead at the start and was never in trouble, winning easily by several lengths in the fast time of 1:21 2-5. A new track record was made in the fifth race, when Malitine stepped 6 1-2 furlongs in 1:21 2-5. Jockey J. Wilson was a spe. def. f. the rest of the week for striking Jockey with the whip during the running of the fourth race.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs: 1. Bertis, 107 (McTaggart), 7 to 2. 2. Perthshire, 110 (Trozier), 4 to 5 place. 3. Spin, 109 (Bell), 3 to 5 show. Time 1:21 2-5. Defeat, Choptank, Clarkburg, Mason, Rampant, Emma Seward, Ortara, Hickey and Sam Matthews also ran.

SECOND RACE—Five furlongs: 1. Monte Fox, 112 (Butwell), 6 to 1. 2. Trustee, 107 (Killingworth), 12 to 1 place. 3. Red Bob, 112 (Davis), 2 to 1 show. Time 1:07 3-4. Dance Away, Deceivable, Freekick, Tippy, Billy Barr and Fort Worth also ran.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs: 1. Grover Hughes, 111 (Trozier), 12 to 1. 2. Via Octavia, 111 (McCabe), 5 to 2 place. 3. Jack Denman, 108 (Ober), 3 to 1 show. Time 1:21 2-5. Te-Nun-De, Live Wire, Glouce, Leanside and Garneal also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Five furlongs: 1. Keep Moving, 109 (Shilling), 4 to 1. 2. Belmore, 109 (Kirschbaum), 11 to 2. 3. Miss Picnic, 104 (Gagan), 7 to 2. Time 1:02 3-4. Academist, Velaine, Miss Dice, Frank Ferris, Saline and Bad Ann also ran.

FIFTH RACE—One mile and twenty yards: 1. Rosevale, 100 (Martin), 2 to 1. 2. Jim Gaffney, 107 (Shilling), even. 3. Big Stick, 95 (Garner), 9 to 2. Time 1:42 3-4. Busy Man, J. C. Clew, Davie Andrew, Harry Rogers and Glen Mary also ran.

SIXTH RACE—One mile and seventy yards: 1. Captain Burnett, 113 (Thomas), 7 to 1. 2. Elgin, 112 (Glass), 1 to 1. 3. Jim Caffery, 109 (Garner), 12 to 1. Time 1:56. Bellevue, Treasure Seeker and Nebulous also ran.

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THE HAMILTON ALERTS

Players Dissatisfied Over the Matter They Are Tossed About.

HAMILTON, Dec. 12.—The Spectator tonight says: The O.R.F.U. has been the centre of a lot of strife during the past three years, in fact ever since the Hamilton Tigers and the Toronto Argos broke away from the old union and formed the interprovincial organization, and two years ago, and again last fall, appeared to have struck the rocks. A little fresh air was added to the organization a year ago, however, with the result that the old union weathered the storm pretty well. The fall until quite recently, when dumb-headed work on the part of certain officials brought down a reputation of the players which proved so disastrous to the organization a year or two ago, and there is so much about that dark days are in store for the O.R.F.U. again.

Saturday night the Hamilton Alerts held a meeting in the clubrooms to discuss the latest phase in the junior football mix-up, and the manner in which they have been tossed about by the O.R.F.U., and some of the players were decidedly sore over the effect that the Alerts withdrew from the O.R.F.U. and then challenge the Junior Tigers for the city championship. It was pointed out, however, that it was too late now to arrange a game with the Alerts and the club finally decided to await the final decision on the Petrosia protest.

Meanwhile the Alerts are preparing for their trip to Montreal on Saturday. Petrosia will meet St. Lambert, Quebec winners, in the Canadian final. There is some talk of the Montreal team coming to Toronto to play on Saturday, but it is heard from them on this subject as yet. If they desire to play at home rather than come to Hamilton, they are willing to go east, and will be sent on the long trip with grand chances for a victory.

The interprovincial junior series will be strong again in very evident. Here in Hamilton there will be two in the junior series, such clubs as the Eskimes, the Dundas Y.M.C.A., etc., all being ready to make the jump into faster company, while there is a good chance of the Alerts, if they are in the game, returning to the Big Four ranks. The sentiment at their meeting on Saturday was anything but favorable to the O.R.F.U., it being the general opinion that the Ontario union had treated the local team rather churlishly, especially the view of the fact that the Alerts had proven a strong adjunct to the old union during the past few months.

It is the opinion among local Rugby circles that the Canadian Rugby Union at its annual meeting will have to leave the O.R.F.U. action of last week to pass without some attention being paid to it. The interprovincial delegates to the C.R.U. intend to bring up the matter and have fully threatened, claiming that the O.R.F.U. has violated all the rules of the game in the manner in which they have attempted to buck the senior union. The delegates will have to be prepared to leave the O.R.F.U. alone, declaring a truce in the war that has been going on for some time, but the development of last week are sure to cause a continuation of the scrap, and it is a safe bet that the Big Four will put their energy into the fray than they have done for some time.

The annual meeting of the O.R.F.U. promises well. There is a movement on foot to dislodge the T.A.A.C. faction from the control of the association, and it is said that Billy Sles and other members of the movement to place Jack Carter in the office of secretary of the union. Sles, who is the O.R.F.U. representative on the

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Don't Relish Social Reform. A worthy battle raged at the Socialist last night, when Prof. Lloyd of Toronto University lectured to the Socialists on "National Economic Waste." Dr. Lloyd is professor of political economy at the university, and was well versed on his subject, but the defenders of socialist principles proceeded to cry and pull his arguments to pieces when their turn came. The collegian spoke from the standpoint of social reform, not knowing that his remarks had no faith in any such belief. There was general good feeling at the close, however, and Prof. Lloyd received a pressing invitation to come again.

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It's a Mighty Hard Thing to Dope Out a Good Proposal at That By "Bud" Fisher

MUTT MADE A BLOOMER, WRITING OUT A PROPOSAL FOR ME YESTERDAY. I'VE GOT TO WRITE ONE MYSELF TODAY. THEN I'LL LEARN IT AND PROPOSE TO MY DEARIE. I GOT IT ALL DOPED OUT—NOW I'LL TRY IT ON MUTT. FIRST—HE'S GOT A BETTER EDUCATION THAN ME—I'LL SEE IF HE LIKES IT! SWEETHEART, THERE COMES A TIME IN THE LIVES OF ALL MEN WHEN HE THINKS OF GREATER THINGS THAN MERE EXISTENCE. WHEN LOVE STEALS INTO A MAN'S HEART, HIS THOUGHTS TURN TO A HOME, A PLACE TO CALL HIS OWN—AND A LITTLE GIRL TO LOVE. SHARE HIS JOYS AND HIS SORROWS—SWEETHEART, I WANT YOU TO SHARE MINE. I WANT YOU TO BE MY WIF. HEY! CENTRAL, GIMME THE BOARD OF HEALTH!

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Ostrich Boa and Satin Throw Clearance The balance of this season's stock of Handsome Satin Ostrich Feather Neck Throw Scarves will now be cleared during the gift-making season.

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WEST TORONTO, Dec. 12.—(Special).—More and more the need for a public hall of a size befitting the importance of West Toronto is felt.

There was a big exodus of citizens out to the fat stock show this afternoon and evening and everyone is delighted with the magnificent showing of fat stock and the success of the Union Stock Yards Co.

The funeral of the late Mrs. McGilivray, whose death took place at Fairbank yesterday, will take place on Tuesday afternoon.

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THE WEATHER

OBSERVATORY, Toronto, Dec. 12.—(8 p.m.) Windy and light air, centered over Wisconsin, dominates the weather of the continent. Cold conditions have prevailed from Manitoba to the Atlantic Provinces, while in Alberta and Saskatchewan, temperatures have been high.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 42-49; Vancouver, 40-47; Kamloops, 22-49; Edmonton, 8 below-38; Battleford, zero-14; Prince Albert, 2-29; Calgary, 2-41; Moose Jaw, zero-22; Regina, 20 below-12; Port Arthur, zero-22; Parry Sound, -18; London, 13-21; Toronto, 12-20; Ottawa, below-zero; Montreal, 4-12; Quebec, 6-18; St. John, 22-28; Halifax, 14-30.

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STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. Dec. 12 At From 10.00 Dominion Railway Board, city hall. 10.30 Canadian Grange, Victoria Hall, 10.30 presbytery, Temple Building, 10.30 Empire Club, Justice Biddell on "King George V." 10.30 Lord's Day Alliance, St. James' Square Church, 2.

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Deaths. CARMICHAEL—On Monday, Dec. 12, at his residence, Woburn, Bridget, widow of the late William Carmichael, in her 81st year.

DAVIDSON—At Ross Lawn, Mimico, on Sunday, Dec. 11, 1896, Douglas St. Claire Davidson, Col. of Honor, husband of Mrs. Mary and Douglas Davidson.

KEENE—At her residence, 23 Carlingwood, on Monday, Dec. 12, 1896, Margaret Keene, widow of the late John Keene.

MULHOLLAND—At her home, 23 Broadhurst street, Toronto, on Monday, the 12th December, 1896, Mary A. widow of the late Thomas Mulholland of West York, in her 84th year.

WEBB—At Toronto, Dec. 11, 1896, Ellen E. Webb, sister of Mrs. T. D. Day of Guelph, in her 84th year.

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Balm Beach Gun Club. The regular weekly shoot of the Balm Beach Gun Club was held on Thursday, Woodbine, yesterday afternoon.

Partridge Three-Man League. The Athletics were easy for the Heavyweights in the Partridge Three-Man League last night and the latter took all five.

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GOVERNMENT TO TAKE A HAND

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Mr. Borden said he would have thought that the case of any man who had been guilty of violence would have been quashed before the three months had expired.

W. B. Northrup said it was up to the men to prove that the charges of the superintendent were wrong, according to the stand taken by President Hays.

In reply, Mr. King said he regarded the methods of the Grand Trunk as extraordinary. But the question was whether it was the public interest or an investigation of its own.

Dr. Reid of Grenville asked if the understanding was that the men should get their old places back.

Mr. King said that was the understanding. Dr. Reid remarked that many of the men had not been given their old places, and were now serving in inferior positions.

W. S. Middlebro (North Grey) read from newspaper reports that Hon. G. P. Graham had threatened the Grand Trunk that if the men were not reinstated, he would hold up the estimates of the G. T. P. until they were.

Mr. Graham replied that he was glad to state that the Canadian Pacific and other electrical importance to him, it was a matter of justice to the men, but he had made no such threat as that indicated.

John Hervey (Alberta) asked if the government had received any information in respect to the mining disaster at Bellevue, Alta., and suggested aid for the sufferers.

Sir Frederick Borden said the government had not received any reports, officially or otherwise.

Over 30 questions were on the order paper and a large number of them were referred to the committee on the order paper. The most important was a query by Mr. Middlebro, who asked if the government intended to bring down any legislation with reference to a grant of land, or money, to the veterans of 1867.

No More Land Grants. Sir Frederick Borden replied that it had been decided by the government that no more land grants would be made to make any further grants of land, except under the homestead conditions of residence and settlement.

In reply to a question by Mr. Monk, the minister of militia, he stated that the statement of the other day, that the Rainbow had not been scrapped by the British admiralty.

The minister of militia, stated, in answer to Col. Hays, that no adverse reports had been received by the department regarding the Ross rifles used by the Queen's Own Rifles in Great Britain last summer.

Major Sharpe was informed that the government had canceled its contract for lighting the Woods and the Canadian buildings at Ottawa, leased by the government from the Imperial Realty Co., and had made a contract with the Municipal Electric Light Co. of Ottawa.

The premier told Dr. Daniels that the chief justice, or other senior justice of the supreme court, when sitting in the administration of the government, received extra emolument to the extent of one-quarter of the governor-general's salary.

Mr. Campbell (Dauphin) asked by being uncertain and vacillating in policy, and declared that it did not know whether to give the Intercolonial its proper development.

Sir Frederick Borden replied that a measure was now pending to produce a pass before he should enter the office of the department of militia.

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"During this season of the year the increased traffic will be responsible for doors being opened more frequently than usual, and this, together with the cold weather we are now having, should convince conductors of the necessity of seeing that the doors are not kept open a moment longer than the time required to admit passengers."

JAMES GUNN, Superintendent, Toronto Railway Company.

TORONTO WILL BE CHICAGO OF CANADA

Continued From Page 1. could be rendered to further the Welland Canal project.

H. R. Emmerson (Westmoreland) reported that the Canadian Pacific and Canadian Northern Railway Companies had seen the value of the Intercolonial.

He thought the government had made a mistake in not acquiring the Dominion Atlantic Railway and adding it to the Intercolonial system.

He declared the government should not hesitate to acquire branch lines in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick as well as the main line.

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DAY OFF, OR MORE PAY?

Police Sign for the One While Wishing the Other. It appears that fear of official displeasure rather than genuine desire to be substituted for the present day off of a week.

Still it is a fact that in No. 1, the down-town division, where there are 48 men, exclusive of officers, only five of these men declare for higher pay.

In No. 2 division 50 out of 54 sign the petition. But last night, in a gathering of 16 men, 12 declared that they would sooner leave the day off than the pay.

It also said that as well as in No. 2 division, more than persuasion was used in No. 4, 5 and 6 divisions, while they say that it was made more than plain in all the divisions, save No. 1, that the officers favored the petition.

POWER MAY NOT BE READY For a Real Celebration on Date City Has Fixed.

Will there be a further delay in the hydro-electric celebration in Toronto? Mayor George said yesterday that he was not certain that the city would be ready to receive the original date of Dec. 27, the date set for the celebration, and that he would not care to run the risk of a hitch in the illumination planned.

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Truth About Maud and the Judge.

The judge lingered a moment and looked across the fence at Maud Miller. "You don't happen to know a young woman in this neighborhood who would accept a general housework position in a family of three, where there is no washing, and the hired man cleans the rugs and windows, do you?" he asked.

"For a moment Maud rested on her knee and seemed about to say something, but finally she only shook her head—and the judge rode away.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Money in Live Stock. Responding to the toast, "The Live Stock and the Farmer," proposed by Ald. Baird, Robert Miller of Southview said that two years ago he had predicted higher prices, because Chicago interests had taken hold of the market, and this prophecy had been justified.

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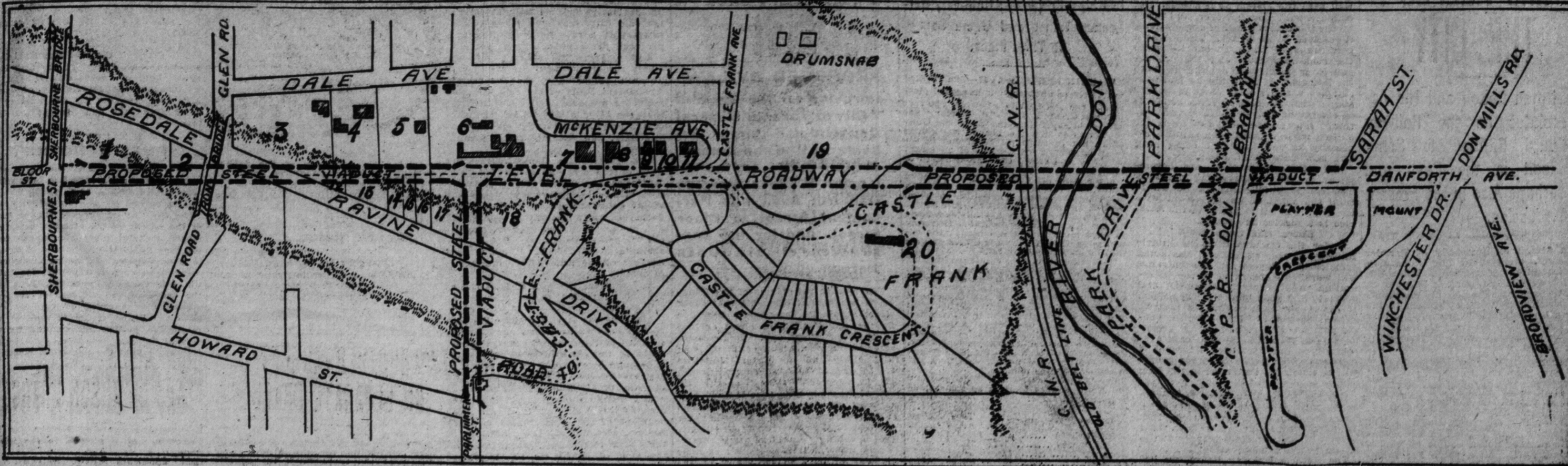
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PROPERTY AFFECTED BY BLOOR STREET VIADUCT



This plan shows the property which would be affected by the construction of a viaduct and roadway to connect Bloor-street and Danforth-avenue with a branch connection from Parliament-street.

The project as it is now before the people really consists of three viaducts with a roadway to connect them. Also the Bloor-Danforth connection is commonly spoken of as the Bloor-street viaduct that work alone would consist of two viaducts connected in the centre by a roadway on the level land in Rosedale.

A LEVEL STREET.

From Bloor-street east the proposed extension would run a short distance thru level land to the east of Sherbourne-street and would then be carried across the first Rosedale ravine on a steel viaduct 1220 feet long reaching the north bank of the ravine at a point east of Glen-road and south of Dale-avenue.

From this point the extension would be continued as a regular street along the level land a distance of about two thousand feet to the west bank of the Don ravine in A. E. Kemp's Castle Frank property.

EASTERN VIADUCT.

From Castle Frank another steel viaduct, 1450 feet long, will cross the Don ravine to the extension of Danforth-avenue west from Broadview-avenue.

The roadways for vehicles on the proposed viaducts would be 42 feet wide with two sidewalks each five feet wide.

THE COST.

The estimated cost of the Bloor-street extension is:

Substructure	\$ 29,612
Superstructure	291,952
Steel	41,580
Flooring	41,580
Paving	22,835

ALL STEEL WORK.

The Parliament-street connection consists entirely of steel viaduct construction running from the head of Parliament-street to a point on the north bank of the first Rosedale ravine in the rear of the old Hopkins house at 21 Dale-avenue. The roadway on this viaduct would be 42 feet wide and the two walks each six feet wide.

The estimated cost of this section is \$142,000, and the land damages consequent on it are estimated at \$68,000.

PROPERTIES AFFECTED.

The properties which would be affected by the proposed work are numbered on the plan with large black numbers. They are as follows:

- (1) Thomas and Leobeth Long own 1 1/2 acres on the east side of Sherbourne-street directly in the line of the extension. It is assessed at \$8850. The best part of this property would be taken.
- (2) Small lot east of the Long property owned by Samuel G. Thompson, assessed at \$140. Would all be needed.
- (3) Residence on Dale-avenue of Strachan Johnston, K. C., assessed at \$20,774. South 26 feet would be taken leaving the house about 170 feet from the viaduct.
- (4 and 15) Owned by S. Frank Wilton, assessed at \$21,250. The south-west part of the property would be taken, leaving the house about 165 feet from the viaduct.
- (6) Owned by Frank E. Hodgins, K. C., assessed at \$15,515. Would take south 26 feet, leaving the house about 115 feet from the viaduct.
- (7) ONE IS INJURED.
- (8, 17 and 18). Owned by Albert E. Dymott, assessed at \$4,815. This property would suffer more than any other. The new roadway would cut thru the lawn at the back of the house within twenty-five feet of the residence, and leave a small piece of property on the south of the new road. On the other hand, while the property would be spoiled as a site for a private residence it would be given an additional frontage on Bloor-street and would become valuable building property.
- (9) Owned by Oliver R. Maclellan, assessed at \$14,000. Would cut off 60 feet from the rear leaving the depth of the property at 84 feet, and the house within 15 feet of the new road.
- (10) Owned by Albert Dale, assessed at \$2100. Would cut off 25 feet from the rear, leaving the property with a depth of 113 feet, and the house within 15 feet of the new street.
- (11) Owned by William Prendergast, assessed at \$5000. Would lose 15 feet, leaving the property with a depth of 115 feet, and the house 45 feet from the new street.
- (12) Owned by George W. Bedell, assessed at \$2000. Would lose about 10 feet off the rear leaving the depth of the lot at 113 feet, and the house within 45 feet of the roadway.
- (13) Owned by Mrs. Maria Carleton, assessed at \$1150. Would lose small angular piece about five feet in depth off the rear, and might damage the house which is built close to the rear of the lot.
- (14) Owned by Albert Horton, assessed at \$25. Will all be needed.
- (15) Owned by Albert Horton, assessed at \$70. Will all be needed.
- (16) Owned by Joseph Tait, assessed at \$80. Will all be needed.
- (17) Owned by Albert Horton, assessed at \$55. Will all be needed.
- (18) Property of Maudell B. Jackson on the east side of Castle Frank-avenue. The new street will cut a 46-foot strip thru the south end, leaving a small piece, 1 1/4 acres in area, to the south of the new street. House will not be affected.
- (19) The property of A. E. Kemp. The new street would pass thru the north part of the property leaving a fifty-foot strip to the north. The house would not be affected.

There is at present a road leading from Castle Frank-avenue to the head of Parliament-street, running behind the properties numbered 7 to 11.

BLOOR-DANFORTH-PARLIAMENT VIADUCTS

How the Project Will Easily Pay for Itself and Give the City a Big Revenue

Herewith are a lot of facts about the Bloor-Danforth-Parliament viaduct—the greatest and most needed public improvement in Toronto to-day. But also the most misrepresented.

We print the latest map of the viaduct from The Telegram, with a slight addition. Also The Telegram's description of the property affected.

We print the city-by-law authorizing the work. This by-law is on the page following.

We give a detailed map of "Playter-mount," a piece of land owned by the

city at the Danforth end of the viaduct which will go a long way toward paying for the bridges.

We also print other important information as to how the cost is to be met.

The Cost is Easy.

It will be seen from the by-law that the cost of the whole improvement—three steel viaducts, making the road, land damages—is to be \$1,040,395, represented by an annual payment for interest and sinking fund of \$7,238 for thirty-seven years. The figures of the engineer are above the mark.

BUT THE ACTUAL CASH COMMITMENT IS AN ANNUAL PAYMENT OF FIFTY-SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR THIRTY-SEVEN YEARS. THAT IS ALL.

Can Toronto afford that sum annually for so important an improvement? Yes.

But is there nothing on the other side of the account that will pay the cost without any tax on the city treasury? Yes, and this article is to show it.

The city has useless land near the improvement that it can sell at a big price; it has other land near the improvement that can also be sold at an advance; it can expropriate neighbor-

ing land and sell it after the improvement; the increased value that the improvement will give to over-four-thousand acres of land—practically all the first and second wards—will increase the revenue that we have to impose on property thus affected. Let us give the details.

A Cow Pasture Finds \$200,000.

Look at The Telegram's map at the right hand top corner. You will see a section on the south side of Danforth-avenue that has been lettered "Playter-mount," after the original owners, from the crown of the land thereabout. It lies between Winchester Hill-road and the Canadian Pacific right-of-way (up the Don) from the small post-hospital up to Danforth-avenue. The large map to the left shows it in detail. This plan was prepared by the property department of the city and works out the available frontage if the city sold it to help pay for the viaduct. At present it is only a cow pasture, and it has been idle ever since the city acquired it. Yet, with the viaduct, it will make a splendid site for business houses facing Danforth, and give a better and more profitable site for houses.

It would give the finest cathedral site in Toronto, or any other great institution. Let us take it for ordinary city purposes. The 480 feet of frontage on Danforth, at the eastern end of the viaduct (see city plan) will cost \$200,000 a foot for business purposes the day the viaduct is built. Have you seen the colony of houses in full business places that have sprung up at Broadview and Danforth in the last year or eighteen months where formerly was but an old blacksmith shop. Have you seen the fine residences thereabout and building—the churches that are under way? We believe that \$200 is a nearer price for this fourth frontage. Anyway ask Williams. The plan further shows that there are 1170 feet on the Crescent, set out in the plan, of the finest building sites in all Toronto, away up on the hill overlooking the Don Valley and separated from all other property in every direction. The frontage on the Crescent, off Danforth-avenue, would easily bring \$100 a foot as it is superior to anything on the best part of Broadview-avenue which is now worth from \$50 up. It is a beautiful mount or will be, when the viaduct leads to it. It is nominally part of Riverdale Park, but separated completely from it by the Winchester-road up the hill. No account is taken of the value of the hillside as shown by the dotted lines. So worked out, on these prospective values, the hill at present an eyesore would realize the following figures:

450 ft. on Danforth-avenue, at \$200 a ft. . . . \$ 90,000
1170 ft. on the Crescent at \$100 a ft. . . . 117,000

The city can pick up \$207,000 in cash or more before the second annual payment of \$57,000 on the viaduct is due! The World is not afraid to guarantee the above prices and will find the people who will pay the price thus set out for the property when the viaduct is completed. In this one piece of property now owned by the citizens but unused, over one-fifth of the entire cost of the viaduct could be realized!

Another Piece of City Land.

But this is not the only piece of idle land the city has and which will be greatly improved by the viaduct. Some years ago it was taken over on account of unpaid taxes. It lies a little south of Danforth-avenue, between Logan and Carlaw avenues, 19 acres in the block. With the increased demand for building land when the viaduct is built it would, as laid out by the city, bring \$40 to \$50 a foot, or realize another \$200,000! It is idle to-day. It would be built on to-morrow.

What Can Be Expropriated.

The city is asking and will doubtless get at the forthcoming legislature power to expropriate prop-

erty that adjoins or may benefit from municipal improvements. Immediately opposite Playter-mount, (see Telegram map) on the north side of Danforth there is a common owned by the Playters and others, with a few little houses on it, which would be equally valuable and which could be expropriated by the city, and another \$100,000 made by the increased value which would be yielded by the construction of the viaduct. Portions of the Don-road on either side and portions of Danforth-avenue west of Broadview-avenue, already to be expropriated, and would be greatly enhanced in price, provided the new law is got. Let us go to the west end of the viaduct. Keeping The Telegram map before us for instance, take the Jackson Estate, No. 19, on the plan. A portion of it could be expropriated and would make very valuable property re-sold, so would properties numbered 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 15, 17. While for the time being they would be damaged for the present residences that are now on the property, they could be great in connection with the new bridge. The World believes that by judicious handling of these properties, almost one-third more of the cost of the viaduct could be secured in this direction.

It would be no great trouble to expropriate other property on Danforth and Broadview, perhaps a quarter of a mile away, that could be resold to complete the entire purchase.

In fact, The World's contention is, and a careful study of it will substantiate the view that the city property and the turn-over that could be made on the Rosedale property and the expropriations that could be made on the eastern section and resold at an increased value would provide for the entire cost of the viaduct; and instead of the debentures putting a liability on the city for a single cent the whole thing would prove a great benefit to the citizens, be a paying investment and a producer of an immensely increased revenue in the way of taxes by reason of the general advance in the price of land affected by the improvements.

A Manifest City Blessing.

And then look at the convenience it would provide in the way of improved traffic accommodation and giving a great east and west street, ten miles long, in what will be the middle line of Greater Toronto!

It is bound to be immediately a greater improvement than all the combined subways in the west were at their start. It has more far-reaching benefits in its wake, it damages no one, it helps everyone, the people of two wards, it steadies Yonge-street and balances the city, it gives thousands of acres for cheap houses, it connects up the east with the north and the west, it will electrify the upper end of the second ward, it will even, according to The Globe, need its beneficence out as far as Donmills, five miles away! A thing that can do that is worth doing.

They Should Be Reasonable.

Three chorus girls are said to have resigned from the staff of a musical comedy because they would not wear "horrid tights." Dear, dear, a girl must wear a little something on the stage even in these emancipated days.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

FRENCH PLANS IN AFRICA

Punitive Expedition Probable for Slave Trading Tribes.

PARIS, Dec. 12.—The public is becoming more and more interested in the serious situation in the Togand region.

The dearly won victory of the lamented Colonel Moll, with his handful of colonial troops, is likely to be followed up by a formidable punitive expedition against the fanatical slave trading Senoussi tribes, who have been supported and supplied with quick firing rifles, ammunition and other war material by Turkish officers and agents thru Tripolitan ports into Tibesti.

The vast territory between the hinterland of Tripoli and Lake Tchad is within the sphere of French influence, in accordance with the treaty with England signed on March 21, 1899, by M. Delcasse when he was minister of foreign affairs.

The French military authorities consider it indispensable to establish strong posts in Tibesti and Bornou in the rich granary country of the Senoussi, which would compel the Senoussi to retire toward the Lybian oasis, prevent the great Muselman tribes of the Arabo-French empire from entering Central Africa from obtaining arms and ammunition, suppress the only safe route remaining open in Africa and assure for Tunis the outlets of the markets of Tchad, Bornou, Sokoto and Baguirmi.

There is no doubt that certain strong influences at Constantinople and in France are working hard to create difficulties for France in Central Africa. It should also be remembered that Turkey never recognized the Arabo-French treaty of March, 1899, and protested against it at the time.

ELECTION BETTING HEAVY

Clerks Gamble in the "Buying and Selling of Majorities."

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Many clerks and clerks will have reason to regret the second general election of 1910. The stock exchange is always ready to enter into a gamble, and buying and selling majorities is a game which always attracts many players with political opinions.

The procedure is simplicity itself. One buys or sells a majority at a certain figure, and takes or gives the difference between the figure quoted at the time of the bargain and the actual result. Each unit counts one sovereign.

When it is remembered that the estimated Liberal majority at one time ranged as high as 140, and that after Mr. Balfour's speech at the Albert Hall it fell as low as 66, and now, at the end of a week's pollings, the ruling figure is 125, it is evident that some big differences will have to be met.

It appears that a large number of clerks, carried away by political enthusiasm, have been going in heavily for this gamble, and that disastrous results are so widespread that the stock exchange authorities are considering how to prevent the house from being used for betting transactions of this sort in future.

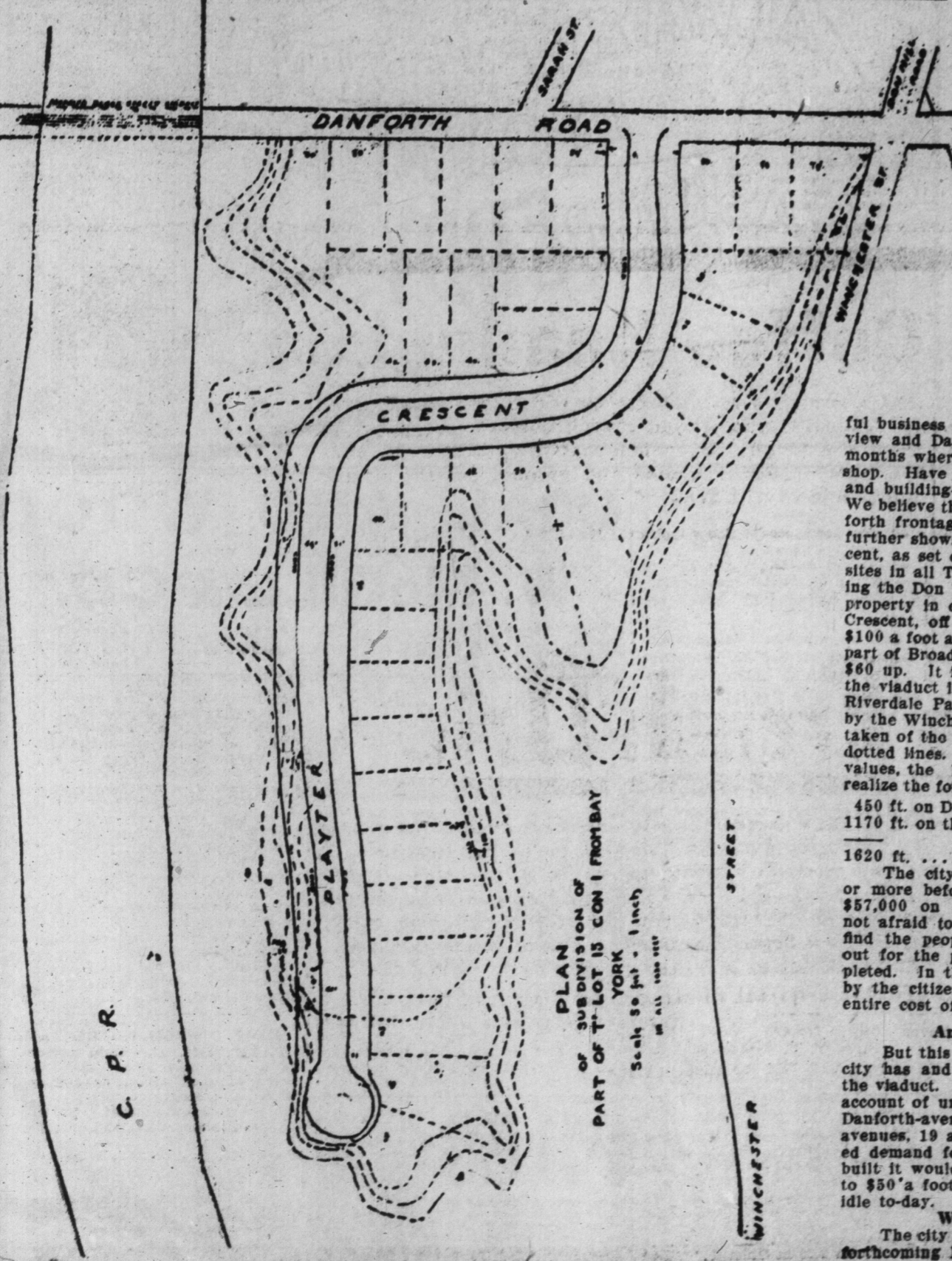
MOUNT SINAI IDENTIFIED

Prof. Mueli of Vienna Thinks He Has Solved a Great Biblical Puzzle.

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PLAN OF SUBDIVISION OF PART OF LOT 15 CON 1 FROM BAY YORK

Scale: 1 inch = 50 feet

DANFORTH ROAD

CRESCENT

PLAYTER STREET

WINCHESTER STREET

HAD KIDNEY TROUBLE.

COULD NOT CROSS THE FLOOR PAIN WAS SO GREAT.

Miss Hazel Hess, Winchester Springs, Ont., writes: "I was troubled with my kidneys for five years. They were so bad, at times, I could not cross the floor for the pain. The doctor could not do me any good and a friend advised me to use Doan's Kidney Pills. I bought six boxes and now I have been cured for over four years. I will recommend them to every sufferer."

No woman can be strong and healthy unless the kidneys are well. When the kidneys are ill, the whole body is ill, for the poisons which the kidneys ought to filter out of the blood are left in the system. Then how important it must be to see to it that this system of sewage be not clogged up.

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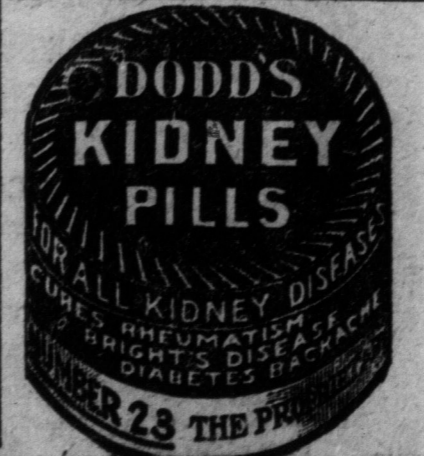
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London Globe.

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SCARBORO COUNCIL MET AT WOBURN ON MONDAY

Pass Number of Accounts—North Toronto Skating Rink Opens on Wednesday Night.

WOBURN, Dec. 12.—(Special).—Reeve Amis, presided at Monday's meeting of the Scarborough Township Council with Deputy Reeve Paterson, and Councillors Law, Green and Ormrod all present.

This being the last meeting of the council for the dispatch of general business a large number of accounts were finally disposed of. The indemnity of the reeve and councillors for the year and accounts amounting to \$75 in the case of the former and \$60 in each of the others was paid.

The final estimate of \$319, made by Barber & Young, the township engineers, in favor of the township for work done on the Milne's bridge, was ordered paid.

The expenses of the board of health, amounting in all to \$69.00, of which \$48.00, and the Canadian Inspection Company for testing car of cement for the Milne bridge was paid \$4.00.

For repairing culvert between lots 24 and 25, con. 2, Robert Chapman and son, and Robert for repairing bridge between lots 20 and 21, con. 1, gets \$4. David Purdie, drawing gravel, \$1.50; George Shorting, \$30; Sam McCord, \$22.40; W. C. Charters Lumber Co., \$3.92; R. Leidlau Lumber Co., \$2.20.

William Patton, road commissioner, presented report showing an expenditure of \$84.

A number of other matters were taken up and the decks were cleared ready for resumption of business after the municipal election, if election there be, and by the belief that no opposition will develop in any quarter, North of the dividing line between Markham and Whitchurch the movement is not applicable.

The North York Farmers' Institute, under the direction of the Farmers' Institute Branch of the department of agriculture, will hold a free course in stock judging in the town hall, Newmarket, on Thursday and Friday of next week.

The Pickering Village Committee will hold their annual meeting in Pickering Town Hall on Tuesday evening, Dec. 13, at 8 o'clock.

Mimico Village will hold its first election for the offices of reeve and councillors at the January municipal elections.

CREDIT SALE. Wednesday, Dec. 14, of farm stock and implements, fresh milk cows, etc., the property of Mr. J. H. Jessop, lot 12, con. D, Scarborough.

VAUGHAN TOWNSHIP. Mrs. Mary Jane McClusky, who lived on a farm in Vaughan Township, and whose death occurred in November, left property consisting of part of lot No. 26 in the Township of Vaughan, valued at \$600. The son, Andrew McClusky, gets the land with the house on it. This bequest is subject to a bequest of \$5 each to the following relatives: Elmore McClusky (grandson), Annie McClusky (granddaughter), Robert, Henry and James McClusky (sons), and Mary, Anne and Elizabeth McClusky (daughters).

MARKHAM VILLAGE. MARKHAM VILLAGE, Dec. 12.—(Special).—Mrs. Wilson, wife of Rev. Mr. Wilson, who a few days ago met with an accident thru falling into the gutter, is now fully recovered, and is able to resume her usual duties. In making some repairs around the house, Mr. Wilson had left the trap door open, and the result that Mrs. Wilson, in walking in that direction, fell to her death.

STOUFFVILLE. A pretty chrysanthemum wedding was that of Jessie Allen, only daughter of Mr. A. S. Leasby of Stouffville and Mr. William Jamieson of Wellandport in Chief Court, Stouffville, on Thursday, Dec. 8, at high noon, Rev. Mr. Wright officiating.

CASE OF HOTELIAN DRINK SEEMS TO BE A HARD ONE

Fined Because Police Found Whiskey Used by His Wife During Her Illness.

LEAMINGTON, Dec. 12.—Here Milklin, Dr. painter, Dr. Henry Dring of the Hotel Deming were summoned to appear before Police Magistrate Selkirk to-day for having whiskey in their possession. Mr. Milklin received a fine of \$50 and costs, and Dr. Dring got \$35 and costs.

Mr. Milklin was detected by Chief of Police Booth, while in the act of carrying a case of whiskey for use to his home from the train about two weeks ago. There was no proof that he had sold any of the goods.

Mr. Dring has many sympathizers, as he has proven to be a first-class hotel man, who lives within the law at all times, whether under license or local option. During the illness of his wife she had used the whiskey for bathing, and after her death Mr. Dring had taken the jug to his room, and thought nothing more about it, till the chief of police went in search of it. It seems that some one who had been employed in the house had reported that the jug was in Mr. Dring's room, leaving nothing for the police to do, but to go and carry it out and lay the complaint.

ASKS ARMENIANS TO RETURN. Exhorted to Go Back and Strengthen Constitutional Government.

BRANTFORD, Dec. 12.—(Special).—E. Akouni, one of the prime movers for constitutional government in Turkey, and a representative of the Armenian revolutionary organization, addressed a meeting of 400 Armenians here yesterday, exhorting them to return to their native land and use their influence in securing the restoration of constitutional government. The meeting passed a resolution calling on civilized countries for assistance in the relief of the hundreds of Armenian political prisoners in the hands of the American and English capital in Turkey, as a safeguard for the continuance of constitutional government.

FLOGGING IN SIBERIAN PRISONS. Government Charged With Taking Brutal Revenge on Opponents.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 12.—All the opposition parties in the duma have united in addressing an interpellation to the ministers of the interior and justice, regarding the reported wholesale flogging of political prisoners in the Zaratul and Volvolsk Prisons in Siberia. It is charged that the government is taking a brutal revenge on its political opponents, and by so doing is disgracing Russia.

HALF-MILLION FOR DARTMOUTH. HANOVER, N. H., Dec. 12.—The gift of half a million dollars for the further enlargement and strengthening of the teaching staff of Dartmouth College, from Edward Tuck of Paris, a graduate of Dartmouth class of 1882, was announced by President Ernest Fox Nichols, at a meeting in Webster Hall to-day.

LAW UNCONSTITUTIONAL. CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 12.—Federal Judge Boyd to-day held unconstitutional the federal white slave law, passed at the first session of the present congress, on the ground that it violates the principle of state rights. The decision freed two men, Quasi and Napier, indicted as white slaves. Several other cases of like nature are on the docket of this state.

Ministerial Association. The General Ministerial Association yesterday decided to celebrate this centenary of the English Bible, by special sermons on Feb. 5 and 12. Dr. George Workman of Montreal, formerly of Victoria University, read a paper on "The Altar." He invited attention to the fact that the Bible was not a book of dogma, but a book of life, and that the writer of the paper has been so many times attacked for his alleged heretical theories.

Wants Marriage Annulled. NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Augustus T. Post, the balloonist, has filed a petition for the annulment of his marriage to-day, on the ground that his wife never was separated legally from her first husband. They have been living apart for two years. Mrs. Post who has been married three times, denies the allegation. The case was adjourned until to-morrow.

Building in Stucco. Careful inspection is necessary while stucco work is in progress to see that the wire or metal lath is properly fastened and that the mortar is properly mixed of good ingredients and is applied in sufficient thickness. Usually two-coat work-lath in thickness not much over one-half inch. This runs close to the lath, forming a one-inch coating is sure to be far more satisfactory, lasting and durable. The writer calls to mind a house on Long Island where the wire lath was fastened directly to the studding and a stucco rich in cement troweled on to a thickness of about one inch on the face succeeded thru to the base, forming a bond about one-quarter inch in thickness. This house has stood for years.

Christmas in England. The last possible departure of any steamship from America that will call at the British Isles before Christmas will be the Mauretania from New York Saturday evening. There is still some accommodation vacant, which can be secured by applying to J. A. Webster & Co., corner King and Yonge streets.

Don't fail to see Toronto's own show, "The Big Review," at the Star this week. Ladies' matinee Thursday, 10c.

AMUSEMENTS

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GRAND MATS. WED. 25c & 50c. OPERA WILDFIRE HOUSE Next—The Turning Point

MILITARY FUNERAL SERGEANT ROCHEJOCQUELIN Will take place from No. 3 Kendiworth Crescent on Wednesday, the 14th inst., at 2 p.m. The Hon. Highlanders will furnish the firing party. Those wishing to attend will parade under Sergeant-conductor under the Hon. Highlanders on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

DIVIDEND NOTICES DIVIDEND NOTICE Niagara Navigation Company, Ltd. NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of four per cent, being at the rate of eight per cent, for the year has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Company, and the same will be payable on the 22nd of January, 1911.

TOY HOUSE TO BE KEPT UP Even The Girl for Whom It Was Built Has Married and Moved Away. From The Chicago Daily News.

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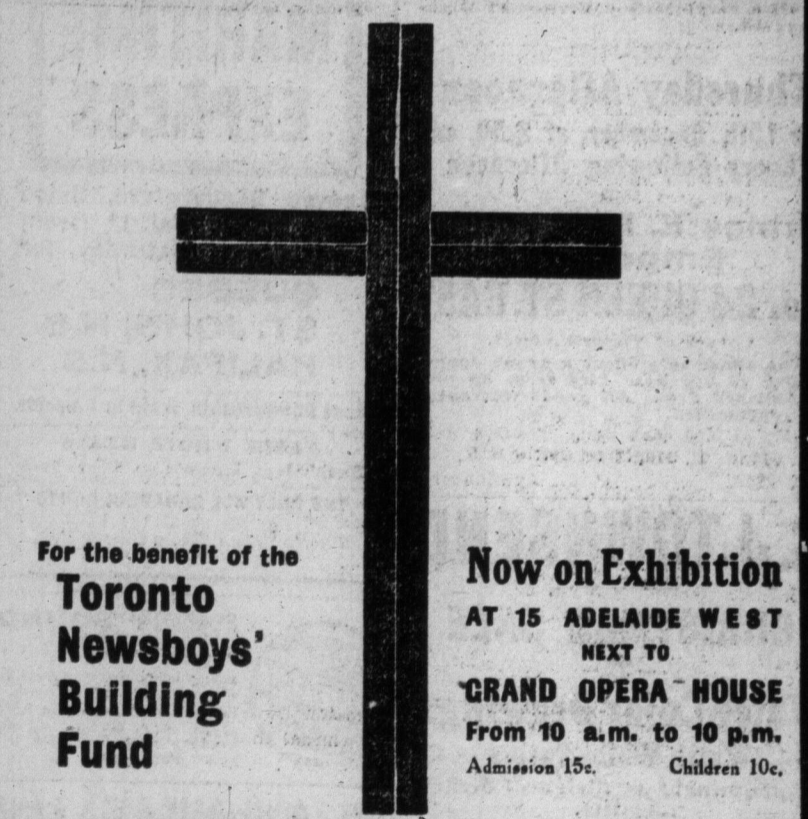
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SUBWAY ON MASSEY FARM

C. N. O. Railway Gets Order From Railway Board, Approving It.
The Canadian Northern Railway secured an order from the Dominion Railway Board yesterday afternoon permitting them to construct a subway and cattle pass and alter the roadway on the Massey estate, the right of way through which are expropriated. The company desired this privilege in order that the damages to the property would be lessened in comparison to a level crossing.
The City of Hamilton's application for an order directing the C.N.R. to provide proper protection at the intersection of Main-street with the Port Dover line was dismissed, as was the application to have the T. H. & B. Railway protect the retaining walls at the east end of the Hunter-street tunnel. Hearing was deferred on other Hamilton applications.
Difficulties at Guelph were fixed up by ordering that the C.P.R. provide a watchman at Allan's bridge, the city bearing half the expense. The city is to erect and maintain a foot bridge at Hefferman-street by Feb. 1, and the company is to reimburse them with 20 per cent. of the cost. The company is to install gates at Eameswood by June 15, to be operated day and night, the city to pay 20 per cent. of installation and maintenance. The plans of the new C.T.R. passenger station at Guelph were approved.
Tillamont secured an order compelling the M.C.R. to maintain a man to operate the gate at Tillamont-avenue bridge as well as the Tilamont and Radcliff Townships have at least secured relief from floods from the River Thames. A 60 foot canal, which the township propose to build, known as the "Pike and Dauphin Drainage Scheme," was approved. The Grand Trunk's objection that its line might be injured was left to the commission's engineer.
The commission deferred its decision in the matter of protection of the Robles and Woodson crossings on the C.T.R. north of Barrie. The C.N.O. Railway Company was authorized to construct a branch line to the Gilmore lumber plant in the Town of Trinton. The Grand Valley Railway's application for approval of the proposed line extensions in Brantford was left in abeyance, pending an examination of the plans. Approval was granted to the G.T.R. in the proposed deviation of a portion of its line connected between the 12th concession of Vespra Township and a point east of Bradford-street, Barrie.
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King's Two Courses.
The New York Tribune's London correspondent cables:
The King has at least two moves on the board. One is the acceptance of the decision of the people as expressed in the coalition majority, whether larger or smaller than it was last in the parliament. In that event the house of lords will be quietly informed of the King's sense of its constitutional obligation and the veto bill will be enacted without the creation of new peers. This is what Liberal partisans assume will happen after the coronation.
On the other hand, Unionists foresee and greatly prefer the second move. This is the suggestion for another and larger conference, which will take up home rule and hang up every controversial question until the coronation is over. This is the line which Mr. Garvin will take in a fresh series of political homilies in his various journals, and his friend Oliver, whose letters to The Times over the signature of "Pacifists," have been republished by Murray, will collaborate with him.
A most convincing argument for a statesmanlike settlement, by representatives of the two main parties, can be offered especially regarding home rule by an arrangement between Uster and the other provinces; yet it is extremely doubtful whether a conference can be organized with the consent of the three groups of the coalition majority.
The Unionists may play strenuously for another conference, but the ministers with a majority behind them will proceed vigorously with the veto bill and keep faith with the general electorate.
Veto first and home rule another year is the phrase which followers of the government are already adopting. The faction fight in Ireland has become so embittered that the independent Nationalists cannot be properly numbered with the coalition forces. They have received Unionist support in every fierce contest, and must be accounted the allies of the Tories in any critical division.
The difficulties of the government in dealing with home rule and the embarrasments of the pacemakers in arranging a concordat with the help of a new conference have both been enormously increased by the Nationalist feuds in Ireland.
Wines at Hebrew Weddings.
The attorney-general's department has ruled that liquor will be legally served at all ceremonies of a religious

PATENT NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to R. S. O. 1897, Chapter 129, and amending acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of Eliza Large of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, married woman, who died on or about the 22nd day of April, 1910, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors of the said estate, on or before the first day of January, 1911, their names, addresses and descriptions, and a full statement and particulars of their claims, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, duly verified, and that after the said date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have notice, and the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or claims notice shall not have been received at the said date.
Dated this 28th day of November, A.D. 1910.
URQUHART, URQUHART & PAGE,
No. 12 Richmond-street East, Toronto,
Solicitors for Joseph Alfred Large, James Cridland and Alfred Garratt, Executors of the Estate of Eliza Large.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, who has a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The application for a homestead must be made to the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.
Duties.—Six months' residence upon the homestead, or 18 months in each of three years. A homesteader must reside within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.
In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside upon the homestead for six months from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.
A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead rights and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead. Price \$20.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.
W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.
N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

ESTATE NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—IN THE Matter of the Estate of Mary Sheffer of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, Married Woman, Deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to R. S. O. 1897, Chapter 129, that all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said Mary Sheffer, deceased, who died on or about the 16th day of May, 1910, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned Administrator, The Trusts & Guarantee Company, Limited, Toronto, or to the undersigned, Rowan, Jones & Sommerville, its Solicitors, on or before the 31st day of December, 1910, their Christian and surnames and addresses, with full particulars in writing of their claims, and statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, duly verified by statutory declaration.
And take notice that after the said 31st day of December, 1910, the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have notice, and the said Administrator will not be liable for said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or claims notice shall not have been received by it, or its said Solicitor at the time of such distribution.
Dated 28th November, 1910.
THE TRUSTS & GUARANTEE COMPANY, LTD., James J. Warren, Administrator.
ROWAN, JONES & SOMMERVILLE, 10 Victoria Street, Toronto, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to R. S. O. 1897, Chapter 129, and amending acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of Joseph A. Large of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, married man, who died on or about the 12th day of November, 1910, are required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors of the said estate, on or before the first day of January, 1911, their names, addresses and descriptions, and a full statement and particulars of their claims, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, duly verified, and that after the said date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have notice, and the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or claims notice shall not have been received at the said date.
Dated this 28th day of November, A.D. 1910.
URQUHART, URQUHART & PAGE,
No. 12 Richmond-street East, Toronto,
Solicitors for James Cridland and Alfred Garratt, Executors of the Estate of Joseph A. Large.

Administrators' Sale

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Re L. W. MULLHOLLAND ESTATE
Tenders will be received by registered mail only, addressed to the undersigned, the Toronto General Trusts Corporation, 100 Queen-st. West, Toronto, on or before the 10th day of December, 1910, for the purchase of the following lands:
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Prices Move in Narrow Range

United States' Visible Supply Shows Decrease for Week—Prices Sustained on Winnipeg Exchange.

London Market Dull.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The securities markets had a sluggish appearance in the late dealing. The statement of election influences was reflected chiefly in consols which were strong. Covering took place in Grand Trunk, and American bonds which had been heavy in the official session, displayed a disposition to rally on the curb. Continental houses closed steady.

Readjustment is Not Complete.

As to the future of the market, the outlook is promising for rather more activity and a fair advance, although in view of lessened satisfactory conditions of business no very pronounced upward movement is yet in sight. Readjustment is not yet complete, and inflation has not been entirely eliminated, but there is nothing seriously unbecoming in the situation; and if commodities can only be brought to a more reasonable basis, there is nothing to prevent a restoration of business activity.

Dull Times and Lower Prices.

No improvement in the business situation is evident and the sentiment in commercial circles is pessimistic. In the stock market, after two weeks of reaction, the technical position shows from now on will yield good results. We are approaching the period when much money will be released and bonds will probably be the favorite form of investment, which should make for more activity in these issues—J. S. Bache & Co.

ON WALL STREET.

Ericksen Perkins & Co. had the following: Stocks sold off rather sharply in the last hour, ending not far from par. The market opened steady, but by prominent interests was resumed, after bidding up to get a better supply to sell on. We see nothing to buy stocks on, but thin sales on buiges from now on will yield good results. The Washington news was not very re-assuring, particularly that relating to judicial appointments. As for trade developments, they are disappointing. The low state of bank reserves here does not warrant much rise at this time, even if business conditions permitted, which they do not.

Chas. Head & Co. to R. R. Bondard.

Altho London quotations for a change condition generally lower by substantial fractions, our market opened steady. This was followed by further recessions of 1/4 to 1/2 a point, and then by a recovery of all or more than the earlier losses and dulness. The government has instituted suit against the Southern Pacific Railroad to recover oil and mineral lands valued at \$10,000,000. The case clearly reflects the tendency in this line of business, and will be generally accepted as an indication of conditions existing in other trades. In speculative quarters the hope still prevails that a quiet rally in the market will come about before the Christmas holidays, but no reason is advanced for such a movement—Town Topics.

Gold in London Market.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The \$700,000 Cape gold available in the open market for sale was divided as follows: \$300,000 to Germany, \$200,000 to the Bank of England and \$200,000 to India.

Rio Earnings.

A cable to Playfair, Martens & Co. gives the Rio earnings for the week ended Dec. 10 as \$29,736.45, an increase over the same week last year of \$71,657.35.

Twin City Earnings.

For the first week of December the earnings of the Twin City Rapid Transit Co. were \$112,083, an increase over the same week last year of \$10,444, or 10 per cent.

Bank of Toronto Annual.

Highly Satisfactory Year Indicated by Statement—Profits Were Larger.

The annual report of the Bank of Toronto was issued yesterday, and, as usual, the statement should prove highly gratifying to shareholders of the Institution. Net profits for the year showed an increase of \$10,185.57 over those for 1909, being \$589,656.28, this being after due provision had been made for bad and doubtful debts, etc. The deposits shown were \$28,986,719.21 against \$24,573,897.16 on the same date last year.

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BRANCHES IN TORONTO
MAIN OFFICE—Cor. King and Bay Sts.
ADELPHI STREET—Cor. Adelaide and Simcoe Streets
COLLEGE STREET—Cor. College and Grace Streets
PARKLANDS—Cor. Queen and Close Aves.
WEST TORONTO—Cor. Dundas and Keele Streets

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

Railroad	Week-end Dec.	Increase
Can. Northern, week-end Dec.	\$1,815,000	\$17,500
Wabash, 1st week Dec.	21,432	1,432
do, 2nd week Dec.	21,432	1,432
do, 3rd week Dec.	21,432	1,432
Duluth-Superior, 1st week Dec.	553	553

TRACTIONS IN LONDON.

Playfair, Martens & Co. reported following prices for the traction issues on the London stock market:

Railroad	Dec. 9	Dec. 12
Mexican Tramway	129 1/2	129 1/2
Sao Paulo	107 1/2	107 1/2
Rio de Janeiro	102 1/2	102 1/2

BRITISH CONSOLS.

Consols	Dec. 10	Dec. 12
Consols, for account	78 1/2	79 1/2
Consols, for money	78 1/2	79 1/2

MONEY MARKETS.

Bank of England discount rate, 4 1/2 per cent. Open market discount rate in London for short bills, 3 1/2 per cent. New York call money, highest 3 1/2 per cent, lowest 2 1/2 per cent, ruling rate 2 1/2 per cent. Call money at Toronto, 3/4 to 5 per cent.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Glasgow & London, James Building (Tel. Main 737), to-day report exchange rates as follows:

Buyers	Sellers	Counter
N. Y. funds, 1-2 1/2 dis.	1-6 dis.	3/4 to 1/2
Local funds, new	2 1/2	2 1/2 to 2 3/4
St. Paul, 60 days, 3-10	5 1/2	5 1/2 to 5 3/4
Ster., 60 days, 5-10	9 1/2	9 1/2 to 9 3/4
Cable trans., 9-12	9 1/2	9 1/2 to 9 3/4

TORONTO STOCKS

Stock	Dec. 10	Dec. 12
Amal. Asbestos	12 1/4	12 1/4
Back Lake Com.	18 1/2	18 1/2
Can. Pac. Ry.	107 1/2	107 1/2
B. C. Packers	57 1/2	57 1/2
Can. Gen. Electric	92 1/2	92 1/2
Can. Ry.	107 1/2	107 1/2
Can. Ry. (preferred)	55 1/2	55 1/2
Can. Ry. (common)	21 1/2	21 1/2
Can. Ry. (preferred)	55 1/2	55 1/2
Can. Ry. (common)	21 1/2	21 1/2
Can. Ry. (preferred)	55 1/2	55 1/2
Can. Ry. (common)	21 1/2	21 1/2

MONTREAL STOCKS

Morning Sales:

Stock	Price
Montreal Ry.	127 1/2 to 127 3/4
Quebec Ry.	107 1/2 to 107 3/4
Quebec Ry. (preferred)	55 1/2 to 55 3/4
Quebec Ry. (common)	21 1/2 to 21 3/4

NEW YORK STOCKS

WALL-STREET, New York, Dec. 12.—Apart from its fairly firm underdone during the greater part of the session, the course of to-day's stock market was so unimportant as to call for little comment. Trading was light, and active interest in the market was confined to a few speculative leaders, although isolated movements in some of the more obscure specialties indicated a mild resumption of operations by dormant pools. The day's news embraced an unusual variety of subjects, including the appointments to the federal suit attacking the validity of the Southern Pacific Railway Co.'s title to oil lands in California. Last week's unsatisfactory bank statement, the adverse report of the United States Steel Corporation for November, and the November exports.

OUTSIDE HOLDERS REFUSE TO LIQUIDATE.

World Office Monday Evening, Dec. 12.

The Toronto stock market continues to stand up against the sentiment held among the trading element, and offerings of the speculative issues are being taken without allowing much impression to be made on prices. The strength of prices can only be attributed to the refusal of outside holders to liquidate, and, if this can be kept up, no further weakness can be forced. Any new public buying is scattered, and is not of the ordinary highly speculative character. The market was without feature to-day, and even another uprising in Rio failed to have any special influence on the power stock of that city.

ENDING PRESIDENT TATF'S JUDICIAL SECTIONS.

Reports dealing with western railroad conditions during the past week indicate that traffic is holding well on the lines west of Chicago, with some slight improvement in the section east of that centre. Local institutions called some loans, and their action found reflection in the slightly firmer tone for money on call. Domestic exports for November showed fairly large increases in shipments of corn and cotton, with an extraordinary falling off in wheat. Shipments of this cereal were over 5,000,000 bushels below November, 1909. Total exports of foodstuffs for the 11 months of the calendar year are less by over 50,000,000 bushels than in the corresponding period of last year.

THE HOND MARKET WAS EASY TOTAL SALES, PAR VALUE \$2,277,000.

United States Bonds—Perkins & Co. (J. G. Beatty), 14 West King street, report the following fluctuations in the New York market:

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Perkins & Co. (J. G. Beatty), 14 West King-street, reported the following prices:

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	14.80	14.75	14.65	14.65
Jan.	14.85	14.75	14.65	14.65
Feb.	14.90	14.80	14.70	14.70
Mar.	14.95	14.85	14.75	14.75
Apr.	15.00	14.90	14.80	14.80
May	15.05	14.95	14.85	14.85
June	15.10	15.00	14.90	14.90
July	15.15	15.05	14.95	14.95
Aug.	15.20	15.10	15.00	15.00
Sept.	15.25	15.15	15.05	15.05
Oct.	15.30	15.20	15.10	15.10
Nov.	15.35	15.25	15.15	15.15
Dec.	15.40	15.30	15.20	15.20

SUICIDE IN BIG FIREPLACE

Woman Pours Kerosene on Her Clothes and Walks into Fire.

NEW IBERIA, La., Dec. 12.—After saturating her clothes with kerosene, Mrs. Eugene Knapp walked into a big open fireplace in her home at Dubon Station to-day, and was burned to death.

Team Owners' Association.

At the last regular meeting of the Team Owners' Association, held in Society Hall, the following members were elected to fill the offices for the ensuing term, viz: President, Bro. J. H. Caldwell; vice-president, Bro. J. H. McCabe; recording secretary, Bro. J. H. Gonnell; financial secretary, Bro. W. G. Taylor; treasurer, Bro. G. Tyndall; winder, Bro. A. Jessop; trustees, Bro. W. Carter, J. Nelson, Jr., and J. E. Russell; executive committee, Bro. John Preston, J. Montgomery, G. Reeves, A. Bord, and Jas. Coulter.

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14k. Sunbursts, 72 fine real pearls, pendant safety catch, \$25.00. 9k. pearl and amethyst set Bracelets, \$9.95.



Chinaware Gifts

Wedgwood Teapot, Greek design, \$2.25. Export China Tea Cup and Saucer, old English shape, \$2.00.



Gloves and Hosiery Gifts

Women's Knit Hosiery, fancy silk top, with contrasting Hela thread top, in all the newest shades and colors...



Book Gifts for Young and Old

A gift series of the poets, in handsome leather bindings. Regular 85c. Special 75c each. Children's Books. Old Mother Hubbard's Pictures, Harry Otis Kennedy. Our special price 49c.



Solid Leather Bags 98c

9-inch Solid Leather Bags, covered frames, patent clasp fasteners, leather lined, change purse inside, solid leather handles. 2 styles, one with round bottom, and one with bellows. Regular \$1.50 each. Wednesday .98 (No Phone or Mail Orders.)

Here's a List of Little Things That Make Excellent Christmas Presents

Writing Folios, for men, women and girls—in imitation leathers at 25c, 33c, 48c and 98c; in morocco, seal grain, saffian, at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$15.00.

New Handkerchiefs, Just Arrived from Belfast

We have just marked off and placed in stock six large cases of Men's and Women's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, direct from Belfast.

Art Needlework

Hand Bags, suitable for evening or street wear, in Irish lace, hand embroidered linen and satin. Regular 75c. Wednesday 50c.

Red Ribbons

Wednesday will be a Red Ribbon Day in the Ribbon Department. A quantity of 5 and 6-inch Taffeta and Satin Ribbon was specially bought for this Red Ribbon Sale to-morrow.

A Startling Sale of Women's Coats!

\$15.00, \$18.00 AND \$25.00 COATS to go Wednesday at \$6.98!

WE INTEND to clear up our stock in the Coat Section before Christmas, and take this means of doing it, offering phenomenal savings.

Our \$15, \$18.50 and \$25 Coats will go on sale Wednesday morning at \$6.98. Smart Street Coats, Golf or Automobile Coats, Dressy Coats—in fact, coats for any and every occasion.

Materials are fine kerseys, broadcloths, diagonal serges, in black, brown and navy, also of imported tweeds, in stripe effects, and in mixtures of grey or greenish tones; made in a great variety of smart up-to-date styles, semi-fitting backs, double or single breasted fronts; trimmings are either self strappings, velvets or buttons. Regular selling prices \$15, \$18 and \$25. Wednesday's price 6.98

\$10 Wadded Silk Robes \$7.00 30 only Women's Wadded Lounging Robes, of extra quality silk; collar and cuffs are finished with rows of stitching; silk girdle and frog fastenings; colors are navy or cardinal, with self or contrasting linings; also sky, old rose, wisteria or Copenhagen. Sizes 34 to 44. Regular \$10.00. Wednesday \$7.00.

New Lingerie Waists for Christmas

Waists of fine white sheer lawn, whole front of dainty eyelid embroidery, and groups of pin tucking, baby tucked back, new short kimono sleeve, trimmed with fine Val. lace insertion. Regular \$3.00. Special Wednesday \$1.95.

Christmas Aprons

We have never been able to offer such a wonderful assortment of aprons for your choosing as right now. Aprons for every use for which they are required are here by the thousands. Come Wednesday for aprons. Special inducements for the day.

Fashionable Corsets Reduced THE \$2.50 KIND, TUESDAY FOR \$1.25

We will offer for Tuesday selling one hundred and thirty-six pairs fashionable corsets at half their real value. We saved in the buying. You save in the selling. The fact that they are "Royal" makes a guarantee of their superiority.

Wash Goods Dept.

Pretty Bunting for Christmas decorations, red, white, blue, yellow, green, pink, etc. 6c. Netting for making stockings to hold toes, candies, etc. pink, white and yellow, and red, 25 inches wide, per yard, 6c.

In the Men's Store

women as well as men are welcome to pick and choose. What we mean by the Men's Store is that the goods are those in demand by the men of to-day and the men of to-morrow.

FURS TO BE APPRECIATED THIS CHRISTMAS. Men's Persian Lamb Collars, glossy and even curls, well lined, will fit any coat. Special prices \$12.00 and \$13.50.

MUFFLERS, NECKWEAR AND COMBINATION SETS. 2,000 Mufflers, assorted colors and designs, squares and rectangles, each one in a fancy Christmas box. Special Wednesday \$1.00.

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' ULSTERS. Regular Prices \$5.50, \$6.50 and \$7.50. To Clear Wednesday at \$3.97.

BOYS' HEAVY WEIGHT FANCY TWEED ULSTERS. Boys' Heavy Weight Fancy Tweed Ulsters, in all the new patterns and shades, including herringbone weaves and stripes, in grey and brown tones; cut in the latest single and double breasted college styles, with neat military collar; splendidly tailored and finished with strong durable linings and trimmings. Sizes 25 to 33. To clear Wednesday at \$3.97.

MEN'S FANCY WORSTED PANTS. Regular Prices \$2.75, \$3.00 and \$3.50. To Clear Wednesday at \$1.98.

Wednesday's Grocery List. 2,000 stone Fresh Rolled Oats, per stone, 26c; Choice Sugar Cured Ham, half or whole, per lb., 18c; Canned Tomatoes, per tin, 11c; Canned Corn, 5c; Pure White Clover Honey, 5 lb. pail, 64c; Choice Valencia Raisins, 2 lbs., 27c; Choice Currants, cleaned, 2 lbs., 25c; Finest Mixed Peel, orange, lemon and citron, per lb., 16c; Feather-Strip Coconut, per lb., 17c; Pure Almond Paste, per lb., 40c; one car choice Mexican Oranges, good size, per dozen, 20c; Teller's Cream Soda Biscuits, 3 lb. box, 25c. Telephone direct to Department.

2 LBS. FRESH ROASTED COFFEE, 39c. 300 lbs. fresh Roasted Coffee, in the bean, ground, pure, with chicory, Wednesday, 2 lbs. for 39c.

Holly Per Bunch 10c. Holly, per bunch, 10c. Holly Wreaths, at 25c and 50c. Boxwood Wreaths, at 50c. Immortelle Wreaths, at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Moss and Cedar Wreathing, per yard 5c, or 25 yards for \$1.00. Paper Bells, at 3 for 5c, 2 for 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c. Paper Stars, at 3 for 5c, 5c, 10c, and 15c. Poinsettias Paper, at 5c and 10c each. Poinsettias Velvet, at 25c each. Electric Light Shades, made of holly with berries, each \$1.00.

Den Furniture for Gifts

Settees, frames made in genuine quartered oak, finished, fumed or early English, with heavy loose cushion, covered in best Spanish leather. Price in best leather, \$22.00. Pedestal Cellarettes, in rich golden, early English or fumed finishes. Price, \$14.75.

Cupid's "Awake" and "Asleep." Fisher Heads, latest edition. Etching Carbons, Photographs, great variety, suitably framed. 75c only. Photographs, \$1.99. Marine and landscape, framed in 3-inch ash, with gilt lining, some in weathered oak, and lining, regular prices \$2.25 and \$4.95. Wednesday \$1.99.

TRAVELLING GOODS, 25 PER CENT. DISCOUNT. 27 only. High-class Club Bags, English and American samples, at 25 per cent. off regular prices. Some are slightly soiled, selected Paris grain, waist, single and double breasted, and real alligator leather club bags, brass locks, russet, brown and black. Regular prices up to \$19. Special for Wednesday (No phone orders filled.)

BUY YOUR WALL PAPERS BEFORE XMAS. Parlor Wall Papers, in silkette and dull effects, rich colorings, to 25 per cent. off regular prices, cut-out or frieze border. Walls, per roll, regular \$2.00, special \$1.50. Dining Rooms and Halls, Dens and Libraries, cloth effects, in brown, green, red, blue and white, regular \$1.50, special \$1.00. Bedrooms and sitting-rooms, in light shades, floral and stripes, with cut-out, drop or frieze border, in light shades, floral and stripes, regular \$1.50, special \$1.00. Wednesday 7 to 8c yard, Wednesday 8c.



If You Want to Make the Children's Eyes Sparkle Put These in the Xmas Stocking

1,000 jointed Dolls, with bisque head, pretty face, eyes that open and close, curly hair, jointed arms and legs, 16 inches high. Wednesday, 50c. 25 only beautifully Dressed Dolls, with Bisque heads, pretty faces, eyes that open and close, some with real eye lashes, long curly hair, jointed arms and legs, slippers and stockings, dressed in silk, silk chiffon and organdy muslin trimmed with lace, insertion, and ribbon, fancy lace, and straw hats, 28 inches high, regular up to \$13.50. Wednesday, \$6.00.

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100 PE... H. H. WILLI... PROBS: So... MOTION FOR P... and Efficie... Cold Storage... —But for... dence Fea... Would Have... OTTAWA, Dec... 12.30 this morn... rooms divided on... the motion to go b... by Dr. Sproule o... the agricultural an... Canada would b... by the establishme... a more efficient sy... under governme... and in the opinio... government ought... and effective consid... It was farmer'... yesterday and had... use of want of oc... stock supply, it w... received the suppl... bers on the Locust... (Adapted) said, ou... tion he would us... Sproule's announce... The vote was 10... 100-0. Sproule's... men's majority bea... but... vated with the gov... Anticipating the... number of western... servative party has... this means of secu... vantage over the... stock raising indus... was not keeping pe... farming industries... Dr. Sproule review... the Manitoba, and... the Alberta, and... Dr. Rutherford's... ment regarding... He said the stock... battle of the cow... less each year b... for the simple rea... coming unprofitable... cause of a lack of... the reports agreed... remedied by the go... The question, consid... and abattoirs, unde... themselves in the... dead meat trade... not necessarily be d... under direct gov... vision... Affected by the... The sheep trade o... had been affecte... This industry, whic... the removal of the... goods. He said the... sheep in the countr... a few years ag... Continuing a the... Grey compared the... quantity of the fo... have developed the... mainly, Australia... discontinue the... disadvantage of Car... tries, he said, owed... of trade in that c... adoption of a syste... and abattoirs, unde... foot and mouth dis... States, which preven... of live animals out... country, mixed with... Canada, but it coul... dead meat trade... He condemned the... having undertaken... this industry, whic... to the attention of... agriculture for year... inspector-general... referred to, had sug... a thorough and up-t... storage, both in the... abattoirs and in... over the establishme... methods. Steamers... built and specially... meat trade of the A... ment should adop... A system should b... the handling of... old country, if we... fruits there in prop... Cold Storage a... Concluding, Dr. S... amendment to the... supply, calling for... of a system of cold... and abattoirs, unde... the department of... General Sydney Fish... marks, but accused... phed, Dr. Sproule... phed the questi... but he has forgotte... living home market... tion was growing in... the cities than in... ducing enough food... own use. It was un... he said, that shee... thought, that Cana... triotic enough to w... William Thoburn... bated out to the... reason why so much... coming into Canad... huring the Canadi... was owing to the... The preference ma... manufactured goods... ada that less wool... Continued on Page