PRICE TWO CENTS.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Demands 2 Canadian Fleets With 2 Dreadnoughts

Canadian Fleet For Each of the Coasts and 2 Dreadnaughts

Laurier Announces His Naval Policy Amid Cheers and the Singing of "Rule Britannia."

A FLEET FOR EACH COAST AND A DREADNAUGHT FOR EACH FLEET

Ottawa, Dec. 12.—A Canadian fleet for each of Canada's coasts, with a super-Dreadnought as the centre of each fleet.

Establishment of yards in Canada and the building of the ships as far as possible in Canada.

Fleets to be manned as far as possible by Canadians, and to be maintained by Canada, ready to go to the aid of Britain in time

Such was the policy announced by Sir Wilfrid Laurier this afternoon as the proper one for the Dominion and Empire, and one which he would be prepared to enact if given an opportunity. The announcement created a profound impression.

The Liberals cheered, and cheered again, and when the Liberal chieftain concluded, "Rule, Britannia," rolled out in deep-chested

The galleries were jammed to suffocation, and many distinguished outsiders were seated on the floor of the chamber. Everyone was on the alert for the announcement. When Sir Wilfrid arose, his striking figure arrested the attention of the great assembly and commanded instant silence.

BORDEN'S POLICY UN-BRITISH.

Sir Wilfrid condemned the Borden policy of direct contribution as un-Canadian, un-British, and against the best future interest of the British Empire. He concluded with an amendment condemning the Borden policy, and expressing Parliament's want of confidence in the Government which had brought it in.

NEW SENSATION

AT BANK INQUIRY

poned Nesbitt Trial Was in

Custody of Crown.

Light on That \$3,000

Check.

[Canadian Press.]

letter, for which the crown found it

necessary to postpone the Beattie Nes-

bitt trial a couple of weeks ago, was

opened this morning. The letter was

The session was held at Osgoode

witness called. He was unable to

throw any further light on the \$3,000

check, which he alleges he gave to

After the inquiry had adjourned, W.

When this morning's session opened,

ing" letter to Sir William Meredith to

mer, secretary of the commission, since

T. C. Thompson, K.C., counsel for

Local Office of the Dominion Express "Stung" For Sum of \$33.75—A Warning Issued to the Public.

Dominion Express Company that money orders stolen from Osgoode, Ont., about two weeks ago, are being cashed in this section of the province. \$33.75 on Nov. 29, one of the stolen orparties cashing the order chose the busiest days of the month, and got away with it. It is thought that only

They were reported at Windsor a few days ago, but have not yet been the bank's charter, apprehended. The warnings were not After the inquiry ssued until last week, so the local of- C. Mickel, K.C., of Belleville, who has fice had no knowledge of the stolen orders at the time the one was cashed appeared throughout for the depositors,

The orders are in two books, the first urged at Ottawa looking to the taking book being Series X., numbered from over of the assets by the Government dor thereupon endeavored to prove that 612401 to 612449, containing 48 orders. The second book contains 31 orders of might otherwise lose everything. He was in reality worth much money. She first quoted 75 cents per yard, but later cut her price to 35 number 190878 was the one cashed in estimated that this would cost \$1,000,-

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—A LITTLE MILDER. Forecasts. Toronto, Dec. 12—8 a.m.

ort Arthur....

Friday Southwest winds; fine and a little

The following were the twest temperatures during verious to 8 a.m. today:
Stations. High. Low ONDON ... 38.5 100 ictoria ... 48 44 algary ... 20 20 last June, having come to him from Detective Guthrie, of the city force. through E. Nield, stenographic report-

er for the commission. BRITISH OFFICER KILLED

Army Ciptain Slain by Tribesmen

Near Shiraz, in Persia. Teheran, Persia, Dec. 11. — Captain Ackford, of the ritish army, has been killed by tribesmen near Shiraz,



Former Londoner Lost a Priceless Watch to the Robber Who Cleaned Up Passengers on C. P. R. Train Some Days Ago.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 12. — Alex. Has Several Evenings in Reserve | morning: "If the advocacy of local opformerly of London, was one of the victims of the bandit who on Saturday evening held up all the passengers on the sleeping-car on the C. P. R. Imperial Limited shortly after leaving Vanouver, and secured hundreds of doltars in cash and jewelry.

The loss Mr. Calder feels more than

anything-else is that of a silver watch ing as superintendent. He had carried it ever since, and its value to Mr. Calling its favor at the forthcomists of the stump in its favor at the forthcomists of the stump in its favor at the forthcomists of the stump in its favor at the forthcomists of the stump in its favor at the forthcomists of the stump in its favor at the forthcomists of the stump in its favor at the forthcomists of the stump in its favor at the forthcomists of the stump in its favor at the forthcomists of the stump in its favor at the forthcomists of the stump in its favor at the stump ssions," he said today.

ago was the chief owner of the London street railway, stated to The Adver iser today that he remembered Calder very well. In fact, Mr. Calder has been in the habit of coming to London quite frequently to visit since he left his native city, though he has

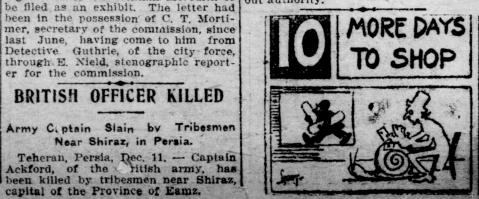
"Missing" Letter Which Post- Police Are Informed of Certain Alleged Sales of Counterfeit Goods to Unsuspecting People of This City—Y. W. C. A TRAVERS ON THE STAND Name Used. Again Says He Can Throw No Further

The police have been asked to take care of Irish lace vendors, who, it is alleged, have been plying the old game of selling cheap laces for the genuine Limerick products in London during said, have succeeded in disposing of a considerable quantity of the alleged also in attendance, counterfeit article, and yesterday afofficers, was the sensation sprung at ternoon operated with much success in a down-town retail store, what will probably be the final sitting

The women entered for the purpose of disposing of some of the lace to one of the lady clerks, but when that person's attention was attracted to several customers, they immediately interested several women. It is said that one of the ladies invested quite heavily before it was known that the lace was of little value

Working the Game, Yesterday afternoon a rather fineooking, tall, slim woman of 88 or 40 ears called at a local institution and proceeded to interest the staff. She wore a gray overcoat, and a motor A quantity of the lace was taken from a paper bag, but when examined by one of the prospective customers. was pronounced bogus. The lace ven-Because of the knowledge of one of the ladies her plans were frus-

It is also alleged that the name of the Young Women's Christian Associathe commission, handed over the 'miss- tion has been used by the women without authority.



"SOMETHING AWFUL"

London, Dec. 12.—"Something awful—" that phrase rings in the ears of every apprehensive policeman in London, and the officers would like to know what it means. The suffragettes have given fair warning that they have a thorough surprise for Christmas time, but they refuse to give an inkling of what it will be, except that it will be "something awful." If the police do not soon learn what those words mean, it is feared that some of the department heads will fall victims to nervous prostration.

The gleeful suffragettes are boasting that their Yuletide performances will eclipse all of their past pranks.
"What will they do next," is a question that all London is asking and the would-be voters reiterate the answer: "Some-

ITALIAN SHIP WAS LOST CHANNEL COLLISION

Steamer Which Was Rammed by the Centurion Believed To Be the Derna, Carrying a Crew of Twenty-Five Men.

[Canadian Press.] Devonport, Eng., Dec. 12 .- The steamer run down and sunk by the British battleship Centurion in the English Channel on Tuesday was, as has now been almost certainly established, the Derna, whose crew consisted probably of about twenty-five men. She was formerly known as the

Girgenti, and was owned in Genoa, The Derna passed Dungenness on Dec. 9 on the way to Port Talbot, in Wales, from Memel, in the Baltic Boat marked Derna, containing the body of a man, was picked up off the Isle of Wight, and the bow light found on the Centurion after the collision has been identified as

LIBERAL LEADER DISPOSES OF HON. MR. HANNA'S JIBE

to Co-operate for Local

Toronto, Dec. 12. — At Woodstock Rowell, Mr. Rowell, M the Ontario Opposition, in its favor at the forthcoming elections. To this Mr. Henna, provincial secretary replied, as quoted by the Globs this

fic platform on local option campaigns is to be taken as the test of sincerity, then Mr. Rowell for himself will be very

careful to comply with the test."

Mr. Rowell's rejoinder, as published this afternoon, is: "The answer to Mr. Hanna's statement is very simple. I have already promised to speak at two local option meetings. I am also holding two on three evenings in reserved. ing two or three evenings in reserve to co-operate with members of the Government if they desire, as I recognize that the appeal for local option will be more effective if joined in by leaders of both political parties.

MAYOR TO SEE C. N. R. PEOPLE IN REGARD TO L. AND P. S. R.

It was rumored today that while in As a result, neither proposition is Toronto Mayor Graham will interview really before the aldermen, or the Lonhe C. N. R. authorities relative to don and Port Stanley board. As the autheir attitued towards the London and thority of both bodies is very short-Port Stanley Railway.

it the present moment. The city passed a motion advising that he proposition to electrify the line be not given up hope of getting the Lon-aid over for further consideration. don and Port Stanley Railway. They The London and Port Stanley board, in the interim, had notified the C. N. R. portance to the city of London that it that negotiations with them relative to cannot well be turned down. leasing the road were off until the

lived now, it was stated today that The situation is somewhat involved nothing will be done with either recommendation until next year.

It is known that the C. N. R. have consider that their offer is of such imfrom th C. N. R. directly, but will be CONDEMNED MAN No communication has been received shortly, it is anticipated.

ANNEXATION OF SUBURBS IS UP IN TORONTO TODAY

Mayor Graham and City Solicitor Meredith Are in Queen City Attending Meeting of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board-London Township Objects to Certain Names.

Mayor Graham, City Clerk Baker and petition are really property-owners, encity Solicitor Meredith are in Toronto titled to vote, although the township adday attending a session of the On-authorities dispute this contention. tario Railway and Municipal Board to consider the petitions from Pottersburg and Ealing regarding annexation. Mr. W. R. Meredith and Miss Mary Grant, majority of 40 or 50 votes. representing London Township, are

Mr. Baker took with him a number of affidavits bearing on the assessment to have a majority. rolls, and expects to establish the fact that a large number of names on the

The city clerk claims that the petitions signed for annexation are sufficiently signed, in fact, there is a clear On the other hand, the representatives of London Township insist that the petitions need at least eleven names From present indications, there wil be a stiff battle put up by both sides.

LOCAL POLICE KNOW NOTHING OF MAN

Stratford Officers Take Into Custody Alleged Londoner on a Serious Charge.

custody in that city a young Hebrew, who, it is claimed, travels under the Orenstein, of Toronto, E. name of S. Rodgers, of London, Ed and F. Wilson. The man is charged with having attempted to pass a worthless check in Wednesday evening, when the department several stores in Stratford, and inquiries concerning him have also been received by Chief McCarthy from Mil-verton, Brampton and Berlin, where he s alleged to have operated.

While the prisoner in one of his escapades claimed to hall from London the local police know nothing of him. He registered at the Crown Hotel in Stratford as F. Rodgers, of London, but when arrested gave the name of Oren-stein. He is said to have admitted having thrown the check away, but a search by officers failed to locate the paper.

It is said that Orenstein entered several stores to make purchases, tendering a check for \$14.50 in payment. On each occasion the wily merchants investigated, and saved their money.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.
Steamers. Arrived at.
inland...... New York
ri. der Grosse...New York

MAN STRUCK BY FIRE CHIEF'S BUGGY

William F. Howell, of 27 The Ridgeway, Hurt Last Evening.

ner of Dundas and Richmond streets of responded to an alarm from the residence of Miss L. Chisholm, of 781 Richmond

He was carried into a nearby store where he was found to be suffering only from an abrasion of the scalp. He was later able to proceed to his home.

The motor truck was leading the other apparatus from the Central station, with the chief's buggy following it. Mr. Howell, who was about to cross Richmond street on the north side of Dundas street, proceeding westward, waited for the motor and started over. He passed to the centre of the road, when some person shouted to him, and becoming excited, he attempted to retrace his steps.

As a result he walked directly in the path of the chief. All of the apparatus continued to the blaze without halting, as is the rule, while Mr. Howell was taken care of by the traffic officer at the corner. The blaze, which was caused by an accumumilation of dust about an overheated pipe, was responsible for about \$25 \\
damage, but was easily extinguished with hand chemicals. where he was found to be suffering only

FIND STICKS AND STONES UNDER BEST APPLE TREE

Ald. Richter Quotes "Abe" Lincoln in Discussing Attacks Made Upon Himself and the Aldermen Who Dared to Consider L. and P. S. R. Report.

"Abraham Lincoln once said that the could not be submitted as a bylan that had the best apples," said Ald. Richter, with a smile when asked if he had anything to say in reply to the vicious attacks of a defeated newspaper upon himself and six other aldermen who voted to secure more information in regard to the London and | believe this recommendation was made

ort Stanley Railway. the board of trade had recommended that the matter be permitted to go to the people.

Not a Bylaw, But Plebiscite. absolutely nothing before the council paper called for. o indicate that they had passed a esolution, and we were not considernot conform to the order paper, and cannot see eye to eye

most sticks were found under the tree and that the council had no right to submit anything but a plebiscite. Then there was the bungle on the order papers, which made the whole thing irregular. Not Yet Considered.

"As to the committee of the board of trade making a recommendation, I to its own board, and that the board "In the first place we are accused of trade has not yet met to consider of refusing to permit the matter to go it. The council had nothing to do to the people after the London and with such a recommendation until it Port Stanley board and a committee of is sent by the board of trade.

"I think the council was put in office by the citizens to do its duty, and it would have been false to its trust had it taken any other course than the one pursued. We had absolutely regard to the Port Stanley no right to submit a bylaw to the oard's recommendation there was electors, and that was what the order

"If these aldermen are to be abused for doing what they saw to be their ing their recommendation, but what duty, then it is a poor inducement appeared in the order paper as 'a by- for other men to enter the public ser-law to issue \$890,000 cebentures,' but vice. Surely we should not fly into which proved to be a plebiscite. It did personalities and abuse because we the whole thing was out of order. have lived in London for more than Surely the citizens of London want thirty years. I have managed to keep their council to act like men who out of police court, and every other understood their business, and not like court, and I do not think that my schoolboys, although I do not like to reputation will be injured by any hard ast aspersions on some of our bright words. As I said at the council meetschoolboys. I have no doubt that the ing the best friends of a man are often city solicitor saw that the matter his keenest critics."

WOMAN FOUND MURDERED NEAR TOWN OF FLESHERTON

Mrs. Hannah Love, Who Had Been Missing Several Days, Found Dead in Cellar of Home With Body Covered With Wounds—Son Says He Saw Stranger Near Home.

lage, a mile and a half from here. The with wounds in the back and head. her to go to the high school in Flesh-and adjourned.

district is all excited over the discov- with some fowl. Later the husband ery here at midnight of a terrible returned, and says he thought she had murder, of Mrs. Hannah Lucille Leve, gone away to a friend's house. He aged 48, a prominent and popular Sab- found a stick of wood on the bed in bath school worker, and the wife of the bedroom, but thought nothing of Henry Love, a laborer, of Ceylon vil- it, and burned it. No trace of Mrs. Love being found at the friend's, her body was found in the cellar, covered husband instituted a search and discovered the body. Neighbors in close There were evidences in various parts proximity saw and heard nothing unof the house of the woman's awful usual. The son Arnel says he met a struggle for life against the murderer. stranger Tuesday morning when on She was last seen Tuesday morning by his way to school. A jury was emher son Arnel, aged fourteen, who left panelled, which viewed the remains

REVEALS MURDER PLOT

Petrosina Was Victim of Band in Canada.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Dec. 12.-Claiming that a number of influential Italians in New York, Montreal and Vancouver are banded together in a society which has exploited poor immigrants in this coun-

Battista, an Italian, now under sentence of death here for the murder of a compatriot, Salvatore Macaruso, has made a long confession in which his claims are incorporated, and which were forwarded to the Minister of Justice, Hon. C. J. Doherty, at Ottawa, Say That Government Detective Justice, Hon. C. J. Doherty, at Ottawa. Battista says this society, of which he was a member, made a practice of collecting subscriptions on the pre-

> ciety had him murdered. SHIP AFIRE.

text that the money was forwarded to

the royal family in Italy. The money

thus secured was distributed among

its members. Petrosino discovered the

scheme, and to shut his mouth the so-

London, Dec. 12.—The British Lara golaw from Mobile Nov. 24 for Havre try and that this society was directly passed the Lizard today, and signalled responsible for the death of the Italian that the vessel is seriously damaged by detective, Petrosina, in Italy, Carlo fire.

NOBLES FROM MANY SHRINES PILGRIMS TO LONDON OASIS

rought scores of nobles wearing the characteristic red fez. Detroit, Hamil- Hall on Queen's avenue, later being ton, Toronto, Buffalo, Rochester, St. taken to their hotels. Thomas, Windsor, Sarnia, Chatham, Brantford, Stratford, Sault Ste. Marie and other cities were well rep- from Detroit arrived over the C. P. R. resented. From every standpoint the at noon, and were most welcome. They gathering will be one of the most suc-

cessful ever held in London.

voted largely to business matters, and the election of officers. Ill. Potentate Potentates Esten A. Fletcher, Rochpected that Noble Thomas Rowe will Marc Lester, Toronto; John Bolton and be elected potentate for the coming year, with Noble Henry Roe, of St. Thomas, as chief rabban. Imperial Council Delegates.

The contest for delegates to the Im-

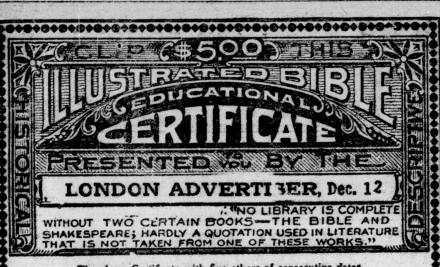
The Shriners are holding their an- headed by Past Potentate A. L. Davis, The Shriners are holding their all headed by Last Lind, A. B. Barr, Morley nual ceremonial session this afternoon, Riley, Charles McGeary, Joseph Argue of visitors and members of Mocha Percy Trebilcock and a number of others, met the various trains and gave Every train coming into London the visitors the right sort of a wel-

They were escorted to the Masonio The Detroit Shriners.

The Moslem Temple delegation are all right good fellows and were

made to feel at home. The Buffalo and Toronto contingents The afternoon meeting is being de- will not arrive until 7:30 o'clock. Among the distinguished members of the craft already in London are: Past ester: Martin Blecher, Buffalo: Nobles

> Lou G. Lee, Buffalo, and many others. A Toronto Boy.
>
> Noble Esten Fletcher, Rochester, one of the best-known Shriners in America, is a Toronto boy, and for some years travelled through



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purpose. It was pointed out also that

the act should include a regulation re-

"That we are of the opinion that it

would be well to have compulsory in-

vice, and that a committee be author-

Some Prize-Winners.
The grand champion in the beef cat-

tle department of the show was won by

Mischief E., a yearling Shorthorn heit-er, bred and shown by W. R. Ellott &

Sons, Guelph. This heifer won first at

a white dent. These ears were good

L. D. Hankinson, Aylmer, on Longfel-

corn excluded, was won by Duncan

Prize Cattle.

for Shorthorn grades - 1 Peter Stew-

forth; 3, Thomas McMillan, Seaforth.

hibitors, grade steer or heiter fed

Dominion Shorthorn Breeders' prize

Special for Wellington County ex-

county-John Lowe, Elora; 2, Peter

Wellington County prize bullock, un-

Wellington County prize bullock, un-

der 2 years-1, David R. Baine, Fergus.

der 1 year-Geo, Ferguson, Salem, and

Brant County special for best beef animal-1 and 2, Chas. B. Smith, Scot-

Huron County special-John H. Mc-

Lean and Thomas McMillan, Seaforth

Lambton County special - Joseph

Abell, Forest: D. A. Graham, Wan-

Specials for Aberdeen Angus grades,

Specials for Aberdeen Angus grades,

bullock, under 3 years-1, 2 and 3, John

bullock under 2 years—Chas. Mc-Dougall and R. R. Short, Salem.

Sheep and Hogs.

Grand championship for sheep-J

& D. J. Campbell, Woodville, Ont., with

wether that won grand championship

at Chicago last week. Admitted to b

shire with an unbeaten record. Deci-

practically everything with Shrop-

Drummond trophy for sheep won by

James Roy, Bornholm, with an out-

Arkell & Sens, Col. Robt. McEwen, E

Brien & Sons, Joseph Linden, J. G.

Championship for best pen hogs

hog shown and prizes for dressed hogs,

won by J. E. Brethour, Burford. Other

swine winners: Brien & Son, Ridge-

M Owen Sound.

The White Leghorn Club held its annual meeting this afternoon. Mr. George Henderson will be asked to act as Cana-

Henderson will be asked to act as Canadian judge of Leghorns.

Officers were elected as follows: Honorary president, A. E. Doan; president, William Billings, St. Marys; first vice-president, R. Campbell, Brantford; second vice-president, A. H. Switzer, Woodham; secretary-treasurer, William Cadman, St. Thomas; directors, J. G. Taylor, George Henderson, R. Pond, William Ferguson, J. McCormick, R. Billings, A. H. Switzer and F. H. Gallinger.

CLERGYMAN INJURED.

fatally injured in a street car accident

town: Douglas & Son, Mitchell,

Lethbridge & Sons.

factories.

sion popular. John Campbell

Carmichael, of West Lorne.

art, Everton; 2, John McLean,

Charles McDougall, Guelph.

Lowe, Elora.

ized to grade the horses 1, 2 and 3."

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SPENDID HORSES AT THE WINTER SHOW

Federal Grant May Be Obtained spection of all horses standing for scrto Aid Fine Fair Annually.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Guelph, Dec. 11 .- One of the most successful days in the history of the fair was the verdict of those who are in close touch with the innumerable finish she is perfect. activities of the big winter show- at the end of today's program. The day throughout was a busy one, and filled with interest every moment. There was something highly important and of practical value for everyone in the erlendidly varied list of events.

The outstanding feature of the In the boys' and girls' seed competition, first for spring wheat went to Ernest Goltz, 16 years old, Bardsville, which attracted a large company to the arena this afternoon. The two-wear-old open class of Clydesdale stalthe brought out an exceptionally ported Scotch. The special sweepstakes fine string, and the winner "Prince of Aden" provoked great admiration.

Dairy Resolutions. At a largely-attended meeting the Dairymen's Association unanimously passed a resolution to establish a de standard of temperature for cream sent to creameries, which was fixed at 55 degrees. Another resolution, based on statistics specially complied this year, showed that at least per cent of hand separators used farmers are washed only once a day. The association wants farmers Stewart, Everton.

to sell their milk according to test. Alleging irregularities on the part of Robert Miller, of Stouffville, one of the judges of beef cattle at the winter fair, John Lowe, of Elora, protested today against the awarding yesterday of the grand championship to "Michief E," the pure Scottish to "Michief E," the pure Scottish Shorthorn heifer, bred by W. R. El-Hott, of Guelph. Mr. Lowe claimed that Mr. Miller had purchased the heifer from Mr. Elliott previous to awarding to it the premier honor and that his decision was influenced. Today the cattle were rejudged, Prof. George E. Day replacing Mr. Miller in the judges' stand. The same decision

was reached as when first judged. At the public meeting held in the city hall this evening an array of speakers entertained the audience. The chair was taken by the Hon. Jas. Duff, minister of agriculture, and with him on the platform were Hon. W. H. Hearst, Mayor Thorp, H. C. Schol- best mutton sheep in America, a Shropfield, M. P. P., and many others. A splendid musical program was provided, in which Captain Thomas Robson and C. J. Pink, of London, took

Wm. Smith, M. P., vice-president of the fair, responded in behalf of the visitors. Mr. Smith referred to the Other principal sheep winners: Peter Mr. Smith referred to the great success of Canadian exhibitors at the great International Stock Show in Chicago. "I am told that the man who won the great successes with his first for bacon pigs, silver cup for best Clydesdale horses came from my county," said Mr. Smith. He charcame from my acterized the Winter Fair as probably the greatest educational factor in the sphere of agriculture, and on this ac-

sphere of agriculture, and on this account it was worthy of more creditable buildings and position.

The Hon. W. H. Hearst, in a fine address, dwelt upon the great resources and possibilities of the province of Ontario, both new and old parts, socalied. He expressed it as his opinion as a cabinet minister that when the board of the Winter Fair led their case before the content of the winter fair factories. when the board of the Winter Fair laid their case before the Ontario Government they would receive every consideration from the members and Ontario Poultry Association, the follow-

Interesting Addresses.

In the lecture room, John Bright, live stock commissioner for the Dominion, and others, discussed the new law regarding the inspection and enrolment of stallions. Much criticism was voiced respecting the system of inspection.

In the lecture room, John Bright, live dent, Wm. Barber, of Toronto; secretary A. P. Westervelt, of Toronto; directors, Joseph Russell, of Teronto; A. W. Tyson, of Guelph; G. J. Henderson, of Hamilton, G. H. Scott, of St. Thomas; P. S. Grier, of Owen Sound. respecting the system of inspection, cases being cited where the horses had to be taken fifteen miles for the

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BORDEN PEEVISH UNDER SHARP QUIZ

Sir Wilfrid Points Out That Naval Statement Indicates Secret Pact With Britain.

PREMIER REFUSES AN EXPLANATION

Declares That He Will Not Amplify Remarks—Wednesday in the Commons.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.-In spite of studied cortesy on both sides, there was unmistakably a flash of fire as the swords of the Prime Minister and Sir Wilfrid Laurier crossed this afternoon in anticipation of the naval debate which the latter will open tomorrow. Sir Wilfrid called attention to a Canadian press cable from London which appeared in yesterday's papers, declaring that Mr. Asquith had stated in the House of Commons "that certain arrangements of a general character had been agreed upon between the admiralty and the Dominion Government with regard to the transfer of certain warships of the royal Canadian navy after sufficient notice had been given to allow of their being replaced by blacing in Canada of an order for some light cruisers." The leader of the Opposition de-

sired to know what this meant. Had there been an agreement between the British and Canadian Governments not disclosed to the Canadian Parliagarding conformation as well as blemishes. The following resolution was

ment? Mr. Borden said that Mr. Asquith doubtless referred to what Mr. Boren himself had referred to in his speech last Thursday, namely, the likelihood of the admiralty having oil tank vessels, auxiliary cruisers and

small ships built in Canada. Sir Wilfrid's Suspicions. This reply did not altogether satisfy Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He said that

apon reading over the speech of the Premier, he had found intimations of agreements of one kind or another. Guelph and at Ottawa last year as a For example, the British admiralty calf. She is considered the best animal was to build certain ships in Canada ever shown at this fair. In flesh and in and the Canadian Government was to pay the extra cost of such construc-The Klinck trophy for the best 25 tion and Canadians were to officer the ears of dent corn went to T. G. Shep-ley, Amherstburg, on Wisconsin No. 7, Canadian Preadnoughts. Was this an agreement, or did it relate to conversations Mr. Borden has lad with some stuff, and as representative of perfecmembers of the Government or other tion as could be grown anywhere. The officials in England? Bates cup special for flint corn went to

The Prime Minister answered that ne had made no statement in House which was not justified by the He was sure that whatever Mr. Asquith had said was precisely true, but he could not vouch for the accuracy of the cabled report.

Premier Nettled. Sir Wilfrid protested that his quesfor the member If there was any agreement between making the most creditable showing the British and Canadian Governments of three varieties of selected seed corn, not heretofore disclosed it should be laid on the table of the House before

the naval debate began. Mr. Borden repeated his statement that he had spoken with authority on these subjects. Sir Wilfrid Laurier protested that he was entitled to know if there was

any written agreement and what were

in its terms. "The right hon, gentleman must acept my statement that I was authorized to make whatever statements I made to the House upon this subject,' rejoined the Prime Minister, and Speaker Sproule abruptly brought the ngagement to a close by calling the next item upon the order paper.

Highways Bill Up Again. Hon. Mr. Cochrane introduced his

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last night on Front street, opposite the cured. Since that time I have not Queen's Hotel. He was on his way to been troubled with indigestion, which Queen's Hotel. He was on his way to the Union Station to board a train for home, when he was thruck by a Bathurst car, receiving a fracture of the base of the skull and injuries about the or Edmanson Bates & Co., Limited.

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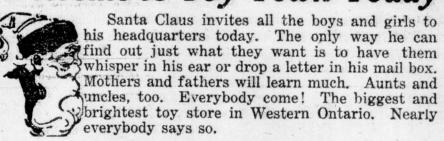
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bill "to encourage and assist the improvement of highways." This is a bill which was killed by the senate at the last session. Replying to a question by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Mr. Cochrane intimated that the bill would go to the Senate in precisely the same terms as at the last session. "Some amendments," he said, "not accepted by the

the House last year, may be accepted this year. Hon, J. D. Hazen, minister of marine, called attention to the fact that vessels of all foreign nations at present enjoy the same privileges as United States vessels in Canadian waters in which American fishing vessels are allowed to operate under the treaty of 1818, He asked leave to introduce a bill to amend the customs and fisheries protection act so as to enable the Government to prevent such fishing by all foreign vessels except those belonging to citizens of the United States. Upon the suggestion of Mr. Speaker Sproule, that the bill

Government while the bill was before

the bill stood over. Pave Way to Parliament. Mr. Burnham (West Peterboro) in-

that province. Mr. Meighen, the Conservative mem-ber for Portage la Prairie, introduced troduced a bill to amend the elections ct. At present candidates for Doagain a bill which has been before minion Parliament must make a deparliament for several sessions, shiftposit of \$200. Mr. Burnham's amending the burden of proof to the railway ment would require candidates for ment would require candidates for company in an action brought by the parliament in each province to make owners of live stock killed on the only the deposit required by candidates company's track while at large. parliament in each province to make



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dates of the Legislature. In Ontario, for example, no depesit was required from candidates for the local House and, therefore, under his amendment no deposit would be required by can-Parliament to Meet Eight didates for the Dominion House in

Months After Home Rule Is Law. London, Dec. 11, - The discussion was continued in the House of Commons this evening of the amendment

AMENDMENTS GUILLOTINED | the bill had received the royal assent. The amendment was carried by 142 majority. Thirty other amendments were guil-

> \$55,000 " A SEAT. New York, Dec. 11 .- The lowest rec-

orded price for a stock exchange seat to clause 42 of the home rule bill of- since 1907 was reached the week when fered by Sir Rufus Isaacs, the at- John H. Reynolds, jun., sold his seat to torney-general, providing that the date of the first meeting of the Irish Parprevious low record we \$58,000. Three Hament should be eight months after weeks ago seats were sold at \$73,000.

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BORN. MARRIED. DIED.

BIRTHS THORPE-At Victoria Hospital, Dec. 11, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thorpe, a

daughter. MARRIAGES WACK—SAGE—At St. George's Cathedral. Kingston, on Tuesday, Dec. 10, 1912, at high noon, Wilhelmine J. Sage, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Sage, London, to Milton Arthur Mack, of Westmount, Que.

DEATHS. BLACKWELL—At his late residence, 284
St. James street, on Dec. 11, 1912,
Daniel W. Blackwell, dearly beloved
husband of Maude Blackwell, aged 55 Funeral from the above address on Friday, Dec. 13, at 3:30 p.m.; service at 3 o'clock. Interment at Mount Pleas-

UPTHEGROVE-At his late residence PTHEGROVE—At his late residence, 707 Waterloo street, on Dec. 11, 1912, William Thomas Upthegrove, dearly beloved husband of Eva May Upthegrove, aged 54 years. (Engineer C.P.R.)
Funeral from the above address on Saturday, Dec. 14, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Funeral in charge of St. John's Lodge, No. 20, A., F. and A. M. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. this intimation.

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MEETINGS.

AN EMERGENT ASSEMBLY OF RICHARD Coeur de Lion Preceptory, No. 4,
will to held in the Masonic Temple on
Friday, Dec. 13, 1912, at 2:15 p.m., for
the purpose of attending the funeral of
the late Sir Knight D. W. Blackwell,
284 St. James street, city. A. E. Somerville, presiding preceptor; S. Baker,
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Toronto, Dec. 12. — Daniel McGillle cuddy, a prominent Canadian newspaperman, died at his home, 727 Dovercourt road, last night, after an illness extending over two years and a half. He was in his 63rd year and for the past two years had lived in Toronto, coming here from Calgary, where he was publisher of the News-Telegram, giving it up on account of ill-health. He is survived by a widow, two sous and two daughters, all of Toronto. Mr. McGillicuddy was born in Carlisle, England, and came to Canada when quite young, settling in Halifax, where his father was connected with the British garrison. When a boy he entered newspaper work. Many years ago he established the Goderich Sig. nal and the Brussels Post, and later the Calgary News-Telegram. first position was on the Guelph Mercury. When a young man he was connected with the Globe during the time the late George Brown was editor, and when the Telegram was established by John Ross Robertson, over 30 years ago, he was taken on the editorial staff. He was also a past president of the Canadian Press Association. He was a veteran of the Fenian raid, going to the front in 1866 with the first Toronto contingent. When on the executive committee of the Canadian Wheelman's Association years ago, he was one of the first to begin the good roads movement, and he organized Huron County for the old Liberal Government. He took an

editor of Hansard. BAD CHECK ARTIST CAME FROM LONDON

active interest in politics, and had en-

gaged in many campaigns int he east

Young Hebrew Is Held on Several Serious Charges at Stratford. [Special to The Advertiser.] Stratford, Dec. 11 .- S. Orenstein, of Toronto, alias E. Rodgers, of London, allas E. Wilson, a young Jew, who at various times has followed as many DR. ERNEST WILLIAMS—SPECIALTY, diseases of the heart. 363 Queen's avepursuits as he has names, was arrested charge of attempting to pass worth-

> he attempted to pass a check for \$14.50 in J. D. McCrimmon's shoe store, and also in Fletcher Johnston's store, but these merchants refused to cash the check. STOCK BROKERS.

less checks. He is now in the

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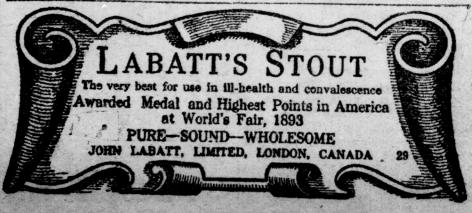
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LONDON, THURSDAY, DEC. 12. A DISQUIETING REPORT.

There are well-authenticated reports at Ottawa that the Borden Government British Government for imperial preferential trade as the price of (1) the British preference, (2) our contribution to the navy. It is even stated that in be made on the British preference.

The interests supporting the present Canadian Government have never been reconciled to the preference. They are demanding their reward from Mr. Borden. Evidently the Government is betain imposes a bread tax on her fortydemand, but Mr. Borden can then turn present representative system. round and say to the Northwest farmers, whose menace doubtless troubles him, that he has done what he could for them and that they can plame the British Liberals, not him, for their insufficient markets. At the same time Messrs. White and Reid, which wish naval policy. to make the Canadian market their close preserve.

Canadian Liberals, as Sir Wilfrid Laurier hinted recently in the House, made the British preference, have stood by it all along, guarding it jealously in the reciprocity pact with Washington, and are going to continue to stand erence helps the mother country, and is nia lost her trident? good for Canada, too.

The Borden Government will at least make a pretence of demanding a reciprocal preference, viz., that in return for favors which we grant to our own consumers by relaxing the tariff on British goods, Britons should tax themselves against the goods of all-comers, a new prime minister. Thereby Mr. Borden will not only do

ment of ingratitude. On the heels of the naval contribusideration of that, every bakery of tion comes. Great Britain be taxed recalls the demand of Sir Charles Tupper a decade ago that in return for Canada's participation in the South African war Great Britain should adopt a protective tariff and grant Canada a preference. The shamelessness of such a proposal brought a blush to self-respecting Canadlans. And Canada will be set in the same light or worse by a proposal now to exact a preference for the contribution. It is to be hoped that Canada will not be put in this odlous position. In the opinion of the British people it would take away any virtue that there is in our gift. The contribution would prove a shirt of Nessus to John Bull, if the time you learn how to carve, I preeny British Government should accede.

steps in Workmen's Compensation, Ontario has done nothing but modify laws that were in advance of other countries in 1885, but which are now indefensible in view of the social reawakening the world over.

It is perhaps difficult to directly interest many voters in such a question as Workmen's Compensation: apparently it is less difficult in Quebec, Manitoba, and all the other provinces. excepting New Brunswick, than it is in Ontario. There are more dramatic subfects of legislation which catch the public eye, but none which has more real appeal to their sympathy and sense of justice than the proposal of Mr. Rowell to care for the families of the office towel. The future essay the men killed and injured in industrial pursuits. It is painful to realize that in the five years between 1907 and 1912, about 4,000 workmen were killed and 20,000 seriously injured in Ontario. without protection for their families. beyond the ordinary processes of the courts, and under a system by which a great proportion of the moneys But rise at four-thirty finally paid by the industrial interests And wash up what's dirty, pockets of those in need of it.

The question has been raised in the Legislature in every session since 1907, and the Government has repeatedly promised to introduce a bill. Mr. Proudfoot, of Centre Huron, introduced a measure in 1910, but was asked to withdraw it to allow the Government to take action. Three years have clapsed since this promise, and nothing has reached the statute book. Mr. Rowell has determined to force the fissue at the coming session by intro-Legislature in every session since 1907. assue at the coming session by introducing a bill, if the Government again fails to do so. Further delay would be an intolerable reproach to the

not be initiated. as the opponents of the system feared, or as its advocates hoped. Perhaps this will be the experience in Saskatchewan.

The Prime Minister of Manitoba has denounced the initiative and reference in Saskatchevan.

dum as Yankee fads with which agitators in Canada are trying to undermine British institutions, a rather piquant comment on the adoption of the principle of the referendum by that reputed bulwark of the British constitution, the Unionist party. There is no section of the British Empire the coming budget some attack is to where a popular check on a government and a legislature would be more defensible than in Manitoba at the pres-

ent time The initiative and referendum have enthusiastic supporters in this Province, but they are not numerous ing moved to put it up to the British enough to make the question one of Government that the preference will be practical politics. Interest will be curtailed or abolished unless Great Bri- stimulated by the experiment in Saskatchewan. The western people have five millions of people. The British led the way in tax reform, and they Government will naturally refuse this may show us an improvement on our

> A Canadian navy is the corollary of the Canadian militia. Logically the two stand or fall together.

In fairness to Mr. Borden and Mr. Foster it should be acknowledged that he will be able to do something for their speeches of 1909 are among the hearing. those clamorous interests behind most urgent arguments for the Liberal

> A town-planning organization for Ontario comes late, but better late than it was sought to discredit the testimony never. Most cities and towns in this country "just grew," like Topsy. The wonder is that they have turned out

"The tones of Mr. Borden's proby it. They have several good reasons nouncement were not unlike the bugle sky at any given time. for this. Great Britain gives us free notes of a relieving force heard by a entrance to her markets, while the besieged garrison," says the Montreal United States has long maintained Star. It is not a flattering picture of against us a hostile tariff. British pref- the mistress of the seas. Has Britan-

> The Dublin woman who aimed a hatchet at Premier Asquith and hit John Redmond, has been given her doing today?" he asked. freedom because the jury disagreed. If she had aimed the batchet at John Redmond, Britain might have needed

Mr. Rowell's invitation to Ontario something for his financial mainstays cabinet ministers, to join him in local at home, but play into the hands of the option campaigns is described by Mr. Tariff Reform party in Great Britain, Hanna as a joke. Mr. Hanna also dewho will accuse the Asquith Govern- scribed Mr. Rowell's banish-the-bar policy as a joke. The Sarnia man will not be feeling so funny over Mr. tion, the suggestion that, partly in con- Rowell's proposals when the next elec-

> IT HURT JUST THE SAME. [Vancouver Province.] Appendicitis has only been known as a isease for thirty years. Previous to that it was one of the most unpopular

members of the cramp family. MADE HER LAUGH. Boston Transcript.1

Tom-Did Miss Roxley entertain your proposal? Jack-On the contrary, my proposal seemed to entertain her.

EVEN WITH HIM. [Judge.] # "It's all right, my dear," said the June

groom to the June bride, "Some day you'll learn to cook." "Yes," she retorted quickly, "about

THEY KNOW HIM IN STRATFORD. WHERE ONTARIO LAGS.

Though backward countries, such as regard for exactitude, either unintention-Spain and Russia, are taking forward ally or wilfully, which he had in Strat-

ford in advocating hydro-electric power, NOT EASY. [Toledo Blade.] Warden-The prisoner refuses to work unless he can practice his own trade? Governor-That is but natural, Put him

it. What is his trade? Warden-He is an aviator, sir. THE COMMON TOWEL. [Toronto Telegram.] Sanitary science has thrown the com-A roller towel on the back of the kitchen door in every farm house can no longer be recognized as an answer to the problem of the ages,

Where kin the hired man wipe his hands?" Nor will the humorist be able to radiate myriad countenances with mirth rovoked by side-splitting references to office towels will be modelled on the famous essay on snakes in Ireland, as

follows: "There are no office towels." UTOPIAN. [Judge.] The maid of Good Mrs. McGlue

(That's who!) Has practically nothing to do (Hurroo!)

for compensation did not reach the Then work till next morning at (Calleo!) Callay! don't you wish it was you?

HUMANE AND DIVINE JUSTICE.



SASKATCHEWAN'S EXPERIMENT.
Saskatchewan has the first Canadian Government to sanction the initiative and referendum.

The bill for the purpose provides that if a measure fails to get a two-thirds majority in the Legislature, it may, upon petition, go to a vote of the people; and that legislation may be also initiated by petition. Measures granting supply are not to be subject to a referendum, and legislation involving a charge upon the revenue may not be initiated.

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> LUCKY SARAH. [Chicago Record-Herald.] Mme. Bernhardt says it is hard work that keeps her young. The madame is one of those who have succeeded in play-

ing at their work. A CONDESCENDING COACH. [Chicago Record-Herald.] Harvard's football coach receives a salary of \$10,600 a year. Nevertheless he is occasionally willing to associate with

some of the professors. THE GREAT TROUBLE. [Chicage Record-Herald.] "The trouble with most people is that they can't see themselves as others see

trouble with most people is that they can't get other people to see them as they see themselves." THE ESSENTIAL THING.

[Florida Times-Union.]

To acquire good manners one must have unselfish thoughts. HAS EARNED A HEARING.

[St. Thomas Journal.] The Borden navy policy speaks for itself if we are to take the words of the Kingston Standard. Seeing that it was wrapped so long in silence it is only right to sit quiet and give it a fair

JUDICIAL NOTICE OF CLOUDS.

[From Cases of Interest.] It was held by the supreme court of Missouri in a recent burglary case, where a witness who claimed to have seen defendant running from the burglarized building by showing that the moon was ow and the morning in question cloudy. and therefore must have been rather dark that judicial notice could not be taken of the existence of clouds in the

A-MISSING ODOR.

[Church Times.] A good illustration of the wit Bishop Welldon, the popular dean of Manchester, is afforded by the followng story: At a luncheon given by the ord mayor of Manchester, the dean sat next to Sir Herbert Tree.

"I went for a long motor ride this morning and lost a bet," replied the I only wish I knew." famous actor. "Indeed!" said the dean. "And may ask what the bet was?"

"I made a bet that we would pass through four hundred different odors, and we only encountered three hundred and ninety-nine."
"Ah!" replied Bishop Welldon promptly. "You missed the odor of

MORE DIRECT. [Baltimore American.] "Don't you think he is mendacious in his conversation?"

"No. I don't. I think he's a liar." NO ILLUMINATOR.

[Judge.]
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A SPOKANE MYSTERY

Three Women Dead After Drinking From Bottle of Liquor.

[Canadlan Press.]
Spokane, Wash., Dec. 12. — Miss
Jennie Rost, who with Mrs. Ralph Scott and Mrs. B. Rost, partook last Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Scott, of a bottle of liquor which Mrs. Rost had procured by sending a messenger boy to a cafe, died here last night, making a list of three deaths from a cause that so far has baffled the authorities

Mrs. Rost died yesterday and Mrs. Scott died Tuesday morning. An autopsy on the bodies of Mrs. Post revealed no cause of death, and the coroner has decided to send the contents of the stomach to the state chemist for analysis. A peculiar feature of the deaths was

that each woman suffered from par-Saturday.

A DIVORCE RECORD

Chicago Woman May Have Ties to Two Cut on Same Day. [Canadian Press.]

Chicago, Dec. 12.-If two divorces for which she has applied are granted her by Judge Luthill on Saturday Mrs. Ida Hentz Downey-Klatt will have created a record for divorces in the Chicago courts, as there has never been an instance where two decrees were granted to one person on the

The woman's first husband was William Lafe Downey. There was a separation after eleven days, and she says that she understood shortly afterward that he had obtained a divorce. Then she married Emil Klatt. with whom she lived for five years. Suit was brought against Klatt about the same time the complainant learned that she had never been legally separated from Downey. She ask. ed the court to give her the two divorce decrees at once to "save time."

HURRY ORDERS

United States Battleship New Hampshire Rushing to San Domingo.
[Canadian Press.]
Norfolk, Va., Dec. 12. — The battle-

ship New Hampshire left at midnight for San Domingo. Hurry orders were received from Washington last night. as a result of disturbing advices from the negro republic. The warship has less than her normal supply of coal. and many of her crew are on shore orders, but the emergency was such that only those within easy call were summoned aboard before the ship sail-

BLOW AT LEGISLATION

Saskatchewan Minister Says It's an Attempt to Invite Pro-

Regina, Dec. 12.-In yesterday's address in the Legislature, Hon, Mr. Turgeon alluded to the highways act introduced by the Dominion Government at the last session of Parliament calling it an insidious attempt to invade provincial for the gradual enfeeblement of the legislatures. He suggested as an alternative to the bill, a pro rata distribution among the provinces of the surpluses ob-tained from customs and excise duties, leaving a fair margin in the hands of the Dominion Government, Mr. Tur-geon's address was made to a resolution moved by himself.

The position of the Conservative party was emphatically stated by Mr. oughby, who contended that the reso-ution was premature. It was an absurdity, he argued, to make a statement of the povneal objections to a bill yet to be introduced in the Federal Parliament this session

ast-Hour Attempt to Save Montreal Man From Gallows.

TO SAVE CONDEMNED

APPEAL TO KING

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Dec. 12 .- The work of buildng a scaffold for the execution of Anionio Farduc, an Italian, who is to die omorrow, was completed this morning. Arthur Allis, the hangman, is in town,

and visited the jail last night, to be in troduced to his victim. To prevent, if possible, the hanging be oming a public spectacle, as similar affairs have been in the past, Sheriff emieux has asked that reople, whose nomes overlook the jail yard and who have been in the habit of charging fees to the curious desiring to witness executions, to refrain from doing so this time Factory owners, whose premises are in the neighborhood of the jail, have also been invited to keep their hands from coking on.

Last attempts to save the condemned men have been made by Alban Germain his counsel, who has addressed a cable asking for elemency, to King George. King Victor Emmanuel of Italy has also been asked to use his influence. Today Mr. Germain has an appointment with the Governor-General on the subject.

ABOUT LOST JEWELS

SAYS BIRRELL KNOWS

British Government Again Denies That Gems Have Been Recovered. [Canadian Press.]

London, Dec. 12. — Another official denial of the reported recovery of the stolen Irish crown jewels was given by Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for "Well, Mr. Tree, what have you been Ireland in the House of Commons today. He said: "I have no knowledge whatever as to where these jewels are.

Laurence Ginnell, the Irish member who constantly puts questions in regard to the Irish crown jewels, declined o accept the assurance given by the hief secretary, to whom he retorted: "The Chief Secretary for Ireland is able, if he likes, to lay them on the table!"

A MARRIAGE PROBLEM

Can U. S. Laws Dissolve a Union Contracted in Canada?

[Canadian Press.] Moose Jaw, Sask., Dec. 12.—Whe-ther or not the United States has the power to dissolve a marriage made in Canada is one of the cases to be delittle girl ever make any bright an- cided at Regina in the supreme court in the immediate future. Dan. Mc-Kerchar, who has a farm near Milestone, and is well known here, has been arrested on a charge of bigamy and the circumstances of his case have this international aspect, cording to information received Mc-Kerchar was married in Canada, but left for the States with another woman. He lived there long enough to become naturalized, and then obtained a divorce from the woman whom he left in Canada. It is alleged that while in the States he lived with and afterwards married the woman with whom he eloped from Canada, and afterwards brought her back to this coun-

A CHANCE FOR WOMEN

Under Reform Bill Grey Tells a Suffragette Meeting.

London, Dec. 11. - Sir Edward Grey, secretary for foreign affairs, in a letter which was read at a suffrage meeting here tonight, reaffirmed that woman suffrage would have alysis of the throat, which began last its chance in the Government reform bill. If Parliament adopted the suffrage amendment, he declared, the Government would loyally support it, al hough the ministers were divided on the subject.

Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst was bowled down in an attempt to address a suffrage meeting in Norwich tonight, although admission had been by ticket to suffrage sympathizers.

MOTHER AND SON SUICIDE. New York, Dec. 12 .- After placing a song record, "Nearer My God to Thee." in a phonograph at their home in Brook lyn last night, Mrs. Marie Ultzen, jun., 60 years old, wife of a well-to-do architect, and her son, William Ultzen, jun., 40, turned on the gas, fastened rubber tubes to their faces with be't and strap, and committed suicide, killing also a dog and a canary, by asphyxiation.

WIRELESS RECORD. Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Dec. 11.

Clear communication was established last night between the wireless station here and the station at Queen Island. which lies north of Victoria, B. C. Operator Walter Gray was at first incred. ulous, but replied, and was assured that he was talking to Queen Island. This was not a series of disordered dots and dashes, but a clear message Both operators exchanged congratulations and greetings. Quite recently a message being sent from a vessel in the Southern Atlantic to New Orleans was picked up at the Soo.

DAYS MORE BEFORE XMAS SHOP

Sunday school committees are urged to make their selections in boks for prizes and Christmas trees as early as possible.

EARLY

POPULAR LINES OF BOOKS FOR GIFTS AND PRIZES, AT

8¢, 10¢, 15¢, 17¢, 25¢, 35¢, 40¢, 50¢.

Book selling is going merrily on. Customers are making the best of the crowded conditions, Getting the books they want at lower prices than elsewhere is a compensation for any inconvenience suffered this season. Early in the day is the best time to make your selections.

POSTCARD ALBUMS.

Large size Postcard Albums that will hold 300 cards, chrysanthemum cover. Regular 40c each, reduced 25c

OOZE LEATHER GIFT BOOKS Thoughts from Ruskin, Longfellow, Burns, Wordsworth and others, at 25c and 35c.

ONLY CHAPMAN'S

Enthusiastic buyers are surging around the Book, Doll and China Counters. Just one word of advice is offered. Come early in the day, between 8:30 in the morning and 2 in the



Dressed Dolls, 25c to \$7.50

Ready for Santa Claus to put in his pack. Thousands and thousands of beautiful Dolls, dressed from head to foot, the gayest and the prettiest Dolls you ever saw. Some are flaxenhaired, others are dashing brunettes. Their eyes move and they have real eyelashes. Comparison will show you our values are the best.

Eskimo Dolls, 10c

Here's a bargain that will make Santa Claus smile. 10 dozen Eskimo Dolls, dressed in plush, unbreakable celluloid faces, squeak voice. Worth 15c, 20c and 25c. As long as they least. 10¢ each.

ALL DEPARTMENTS ARE CONTRIBUTING WEEK-END BAGRAINS OF UNUSUAL IN-TEREST TO CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS.

Ladies' Suits

20 only Ladies' Tweed and Serge Suits, the oddments of several shipments, worth double the price we are asking to clear the line. On sale Saturday \$5.95

Girls' Coats

6 only Children's Cloth Coats, lined with red flannel, trimmed with braid; fit girls 8, 10 and 14 years. Regular price \$6.00. On sale Friday and Saturday at.....\$4.75 and Satur-

10 Coats for small children, some of white bearcloth, others of red and blue cloth, worth double. Clearing Friday and Satur- \$1.50

Ladies' Coats

8 only Ladies' Black Coats, plain tailored style, velvet collar. Regular price \$16.50. and Saturday at ... \$11.95

Hosiery

"THE UNEQUALLED" Black Silk Lisle Hose, for women, wide garter top, double sole, all sizes. Each 50c pair in box.....

BLACK SILK HOSE, with lisle feet and top. Each pair

Holeproof Silk Hose

Black, tan and white, at \$1.00 a pair. Box of three pairs, guaranteed to wear 3 months. Price......\$3.00

LADIES' CASHMERE HOSE, pure wool, Penman's make, sizes 81/2 to 10. Friday and Saturday at, pair ... 32¢ Three pairs90¢ BOYS' RIBBED CASH-

MERE HOSE, good warm weight, all wool. A clearing lot for boys 6 to 12 years. Worth 25c, 30c and 35c pair. Friday and Saturday 21c

Underwear Women's Vests and Draw-

ers, winter weight, at per garment 33¢ Children's Heavy Fleeced Vests and Drawers, 1 to 5 years. At garment....19¢ Extra large size Black Tights for women. Pair. 59¢

Bath Robes

7 only Gents' Bath Robes, good colorings, werth \$5.50 and \$7.50. On sale Friday and Saturand Saturday..... \$2.95

3 only Gents' Bath Robes or Dressing Gowns, regular price \$12.50. On sale Friday day \$5.95

Waists

Ladies' Flannelette Waists, trimmed with velvet, dark colored stripes. Sizes 34 to 44. On sale Friday 59c and Saturday at....

Ladies' Black Sateen Waists -Tucked fronts and collar. front fastening. All sizes up to extra stout women's sizes. 34 to 50. On sale Friday each......59c and Saturday,

Dressing Sacks Ladies' Flannelette Dressing Sacks, fitted back, satın ribbon bows, a variety of colors. Sizes 34 to 44. Regular price \$1.25.

On sale at......85c **Petticoats**

3 dozen Ladies' Black Regal Taffeta Petticoats, with flounce and dust frill. Lengths 38 to 42. Worth \$1.25. On Saturday and 79c

Handkerchiefs

LADIES' PURE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, hand embroidered in dainty floral and medallion designs, three in a fancy box......45¢

25 dozen Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, bordered and corner designs. Worth 121/2c, 15c and 18c. Friday each.....9c

Hat Pins

3 dozen Hat Pins, handsome brilliants and colored stones. Regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and Now.....79c

Christmas Ribbons

Narrow widths up to halfinch. Holly and Christmas Ribbons, for tying packages and for fancy work, yard. 3¢ A piece of 18 yards for 50¢

Down Comforters

Pure Arctic Down-Filled Comforters, covered with down-proof French sateen in the following colors only: light green, terracotta, blue and red, also one with satin on one side. Size 72x72. Worth \$7.50 and \$8.50. On sale Friday and \$6.50 Saturday.....

Ready-Made Sheets

and Cases Size 2x21/2 yards. Readymade Sheets, made of heavy round thread linen-finished cotton, washed ready to use.

Special at, a \$2.19 READY-MADE PILLOW CASES, of pure bleached cotton, hemstitched. Sizes 40. 42, 44 and 46 inch. 23c

Pillow Shams Pure Irish Linen Shams. hemstitched, 30 inches-square. Can be used for a lunch cloth as well.

Each..... Real Laces Half Frice

Broken lines of Cluny and Irish Crochet Collars at half price to clear.

3 only Cluny Lace Yokes and Collars, were \$4. Now, each

3 only Linen Cluny Lace Yokes and Collars. were \$10. now each... 3 only Cluny Dutch Collars,

were \$1.25. Now, each..... 2 only Cluny Collarless yokes. Were \$3, \$1.50 now, each.....

6 only small Irish Crochet Dutch Collars, were \$2.00 and \$2.25. Now, \$1 and \$1.13

2 only Dutch Collars, handembroidered lines. Were each......\$1.63

Roscoe Silk 250 yards Roscoe Silk; nearly all silk, very pretty and dainty for evening wear. Shades are sky, pink, mauve, tan, navy, reseda, jasper, silver, cream and ivory, 25 and 27 inches wide. Were 25c and 35c yard, Two days' sale.....19c

J. H. Chapman & Co., 239 and 243 Dundas St.

Making Paper Flowers. The woman's Music Club. New Ways to Use Dates.

WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW

Here and There at Home. Billie Burke Urges the Need of "Doing Things."

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On the Modest Violet and the Woman Who Does Things



THE FIRST WORD-There is no virtue in being a hypocrite.

I have never heard a man wish he had been born a woman, and yet l have heard many women complain greatly because they had not been born I have come to the conclusion that this is because, until very lately, the whole education of women has tended toward making them hypocrites.

In that beautiful story of the "African Farm" Olive Schreiner says: "From the moment a child is able to understand we say to the girl, seem, and to the He grows up proud of his strength, his virility, his courage and all the other attributes that are supposed to be manly, while a woman must modestly blush and disclaim when any one attributes to her qualities which every normal woman knows she must have to make a success of her life.

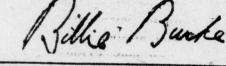
Women are usually too sensitive of the judgment of others to be able to accomplish great things. Yet you never see a woman who is honest and sincere enough to show this self-respect and confidence unless there are hundreds who exclaim that she is conceited and unfeminine. A man who displayed the same qualifications of success would be lauded.

There is a great difference between being conceited and having confidence in yourself. A conceited woman rarely is successful because she is always looking for the impression she makes on other people. She does not realize that other people's impressions about her are seldom worth the trouble of gathering. The capable woman, however, while she may regard the appreciation of those about her, is usually too busy carrying out her ideas to worry much about the superficial opinion of others. If you would enjoy life at its fullest yourself, as well as make happy those you meet every day, you must BE and not forever SEEM.

Be "somebody" who does something and take so much interest in the do-ing of it that you forget all about the "somebody" who does it. I have known women who seemed to think that the whole universe palpitated around their egos and they seemed to be always very much afraid that if they stopped one moment thinking of themselves one of the planets might slip a cog. And yet all the time they were trying to seem as though they were the littlest, the most unimportant of God's creatures.

This hypocritical attitude is, to me, one of the silliest a woman can assume, and it usually covers a large bump of self-conceit. Never mind about being misunderstood, girls. Go ahead and DO the thing you think is right.

JUST ONE LAST WORD-To misunderstand the frankness of a sincere mind is a sure evidence of hypocrisy in yourself.



There Is a Man

at the top in every business-a man who knows best and uses his knowledge to the best advantage.

Mr. Owain Martin is the expert on plane tune in this country, and he satisfies himself that every piano that leaves the Martin-Orme factory is perfect. Hear the Martin-Orme.

Callaghan's 613 Wellington Street

N. B.-First door north of Vic-



LYPSIL, for the Lips AT ALL DRUGGISTS VINOLIA COMPANY, LIMITED

Showing Beaver Hats. Madame Allenby, of 619 Richmond Street, has a fine selection in all colors. Open evenings for inspection, ywt

MISS NEWNHAM ADDRESSES W. A.

branch Women's Auxiliary, West Lon- meetings in secret. Last night he asked don, was held Tuesday afternoon in the me to clope, and as I am deeply in love parish room with a good attendance present. Very encouraging reports of the year's work were presented. An election of officers took place, with the following result: President, Mrs. Sage; first vice-president, Mrs. Gash; second vice-president, Mrs. Smith; secretary-treasurer, Miss Wallace.

Miss Newnham, sister of the Bishop of Saskatchewan, was present, and gave reasonable. This eloping business isn't an interesting description of the work among the Indians in that diocese. Several branches of the Women's Auxiliary have been formed there with a membership of Indian women, whose desire to ing lovable, true and courteous. It will spread the gospel might well be a lesson be decidedly the wiser course to wait a

It was stated at this meeting that the





Problems of the Fair Sex Solved by Cynthia Grey

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is mpossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn as they are received. No letters can be answered privately.]

An "At Home" Lunch. Dear Miss Grey,-1. Please give some aggestion how to serve an "at home"

2. What is your opinion of my writing? Thanking you in advance, and hoping

o see this soon I remain

AN INTERESTED READER. A .- 1. To my mind, the simplest way of serving refreshment upon such an occasion is to have the tea table with tea service at one and and a hot chocoate outfit at the other, in readiness in ne din.ng-room. Have plates of thin bread and butter, sandwiches, light cake and wafers all on the table beforehand. Request a couple of married ladies to our the beverages, and have one or two younger friends assist in passing the refreshments, etc. A pretty flowering plant, or a vase of cut flowers, should ccupy the centre of the table. For a very informal affair the hostess may imply have the tea things on a table n the drawing-room and tea is poured and bread and butter and light cake is ence Eggleston. ffered to the callers by the hostess her-

2. It shows carelessness, but is legible

Has It a Meaning. Dear Miss Grey,—Please find out for me the meaning of the word "khaled." It is the title of a book by F. Marion Crawford, and I could not find the word n my dictionary. It would oblige me

very much. Sincerely yours. gorical story of that name, but I, also, am unaware of the meaning of the word.

Hotel Etiquette.

Dear Miss Grey,-I read every evening with much interest your column in The Advertiser, and I must compliment you on the good advice you give to all those seeking it. Now, you would greatly oblige me if you would please answer the following questions: 1. When going to a hotel for dinner

with a gentleman, sihould the lady choose the table? 2. When is the proper time to use the finger-bowl, and how is it used? 3. Should vegetables, such as corn or eas, be eaten with a fork or spoon?

coat while having dinner? Hoping to have an answer soon, I am, ours sincerely, A COUNTRY LASSIE. head waiter, or someone in charge, usually signifies where a table is vacant. 2. At the end of the meal finger-bowls are used, or immediately after the fruit The ends of the fingers are dipped in the water, one hand at a time, and then wiped upon the napkin. 3. I believe that strict etiquette calls those to be eaten with a fork, but many people use a spoon instead. 4. It is customary to remove the coat, but not the hat, when taking a transient

A Foolish Lass.

Dear Miss Grey,-Since you have nelped so many other girls out of their difficulties, I thought you could perhaps help me. As I have no one to consult in the matter, I look to you for help. I am 19 years old, and am deeply in love with a young gentleman who is Tells St. George's Ladies of Indian Mis two years my junior. He seems very sign Work at Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of St. George's whatever, and so we had to have our with him, had I better do it?

JEAN R. A .- No. indeed. Do you want to spoil your own life and his? What chance would a 17-year-old boy have of supporting you and himself? Where would he get the money for rent, and coal, and food? And if he did earn it, could you manage to run a home? Do be a little so pleasant in reality as it sounds in the stened dates. Put in paper cases stery books. What reason have the and sprinkle grated cocoanut over the so pleasant in reality as it sounds in oung man's parents to dislike you? Try to find out, and remedy the fault by befew years until the young man is better It was stated at this meeting that the gross receipts from the sale of work held last week totalled in the neighborhood of \$400.

able to think or keeping up a nome, and perhaps by that time you will have shown his people that you are a girl quite worthy of him. Don't you think, yourself, this will be the better way?

Sure, Mike! Dear Miss Grey,-1. Will you places ell of a suitable gift for a young ma_ give to a young girl for Christmas? 2. Also what is a good cure for black-neads on the face? 3. What are attractive things for

oy's room? Thanking you in advance. "MIKE." A .- 1. Fancy tie, collar, or jabot, embroidered handkerchiefs, notepaper, hatpin, or perhaps a pair of kid gloves. I wonder if you know the size of her hand.

2. Scrub the face thoroughly in hot soapy water every night before retiring; rinse the skin well in clean water, and massage with a good cold cream. 3. If it is a den, pictures usually righten a room, and cushions add comfort as well as color to the couch or Morris chair. A collection of some sort. say of Indian relics, snapshots, or outtrophics of various kinds, also helps to give a characteristic touch.

VEIL FASHIONS.

Vells in Russian mesh, hand-run with a pattern of matching shade in roses daisies, violets or small foliage, are considered the leaders in face coverings. Navy and all the dark blues are deservedly popular because they are flat-tering to the complexion and usually to the eyes, but browns are much worn and black has not suffered a loss of favor.

None of the figured meshes are drawn tightly over the face, but are arranged to stand well away from the features, Consequently, their patterns seem rather blurred, as is the case with the shadow

As nearly as possible the veil matches the shade of the hat. A dark-hued-mesh never is placed against a chapeau of white felt or plush or faille. Nor is a netting in pale tone permitted to come into close contact with all-black head-

WOMAN'S MUSIC CLUB HOLDS FIRST CONCERT

Happily-Balanced Programme Rendered Yesterday to Large Audience.

The first of the series of afternoon concerts to be given by members of the Woman's Music Club was held yesterday afternoon in the Normal School, and was a success from every standpoint. The attendance was large and the audience very sympathetic and appreciative. Miss Muriel Saunders arranged the

the close for her well-balanced selections. The music for this recital was Miss Keene, of Sherbrooke, Que., was entirely given by local talent, The program was as follows: Chopin, "Polonaise, Op. 26, No. 1," Miss Marjorie Keene; Tours, "Beyond the Sunset," Miss Chrissie Armstrong; Goldmark, "Air from Concerto in A Minor," Mr. Alan Yeates; Mascheroni, "Till Death," Mrs. A. Rea; Paginini, "Liszt-Campanella," Miss Dangerfield; Sidney Homer (a) "Requiem," Reichardt (b)

To Prevent Easier Than To Cure

(c) "The Moon Drops Low," Miss Flor-

[By a Physician.]
Ingrowing toenalls are not only exremely painful but sometimes very seri-

Like many other ills, if taken in time A.—"Khaled" is, as you doubtless to grow worse, day by day, they are gorical story of that course in the alleometimes the cause of surgical treat-

To cure by prevention is by far the easiest and best medical advice a physician can teach to any patient, whether it be toenails or cancer. The common cases of ingrowing toe-

nails are improper footwear and an improper method of cutting the nails. the nail is cut too short, especially at the angles, while at the same time the shoe is too short or too narrow, the skin on the toe is forced over the nail. Consequently by the further growth of the nail, the flesh is pushed still further over until a point is reached where inflamma-The preventive measures of the trouble

First, in cutting of the nails. The toenail should be cut in concave form, the to grow over the nail, the flesh should be pushed back from the A .- 1. Not necessarily, although her tened in position with a strip of oxide preference is, of course, considered. The of zinc plaster. A gauze packing should be and waiter, or someone in charge, be inserted under the edge of the nail. A saturated solution of boric acid serves as an antiseptic dressing.

DAINTY DATE RECIPES

Date and Nut Loaf. One pound of stoned dates,1 pound of walnut meats, 1 cupful of flour, 1 cupful of sugar, 4 eggs, 2 teaspoonfuls of baking powder, 1 teaspoonful of vanilla, ½ teaspoonful of salt. Beat the eggs separately and cream the yolks with sugar. Sift the baking powder and salt into flour; stir it into the mixture, then fold in the whites of the eggs lightly. Add the vanilla, and drop in the dates and nut meats a few at a time. Pack in a slowly for one hour.

Stuffed Dates.

One pound of dates, ½ cupful of sugar, ¼ pound of ground almonds, I teaspoonful of vanilla, red and yellow colorings, white of an egg. Wash the dates, dry them and remove the stones. Stir together the sugar and almonds, put in the vanilla and moisten with the egg. Knead thoroughly, then divide into three portions. Color one portion pink with a few drops of red coloring; another yellow with a few drops of yellow, and leave the other white. Mold all small egg-shaped pieces and insert in top.

STOVE PROTECTOR.

To keep a stove clean when frying make a circular opening the size of a mat. Have the mat large enough to protect that part of the stove on which grease is likely to get spattered. Lay the Fat Stock show in Guelph. He will the mat on the stove, set the fryingpan on the opening, and the frying may be done with the consciousness that the stove will be clean when the mat is reoved .- Ladies' Home Journal.

CERTIFICATES FOR MISTRESSES. Here is a happy suggestion by a writer in the Pall Mall:

"I think it would be an excellent idea for the mistress and maid to exchancertificates. That of the mistress sho certify that she is just, reasonab good-tempered, and not given to making false accusations, and in return she may receive what she suggests, a certificate of good conduct from the maid.'

The Birthday Calendar



IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY ed. If you are in employ you will have some temporary discouragement. Afterwards you will form some valuable friendships.

Wm. Johnson, who has been in the service of the G. T. R., has seve ed his connection with the railroad and has moved to Camlachie, and intends to start farming.

friendships.

Those born today, although having good intellects and, in general, the qualities which make for success, will have to overcome an inordinate love of pleasure and company before they will ad-

Tunnel Town News

EFFECTIVE WORK FOR OPTION AT SARNIA Monster Meeting on Friday To Be Ad-

dressed by Big Men. SARNIA BRANCA FFICE, 209 Front Street. Office hours, 9 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., 8:31 p.m. to [:00 p.m.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, Dec. 12. — Another big local option meeting will be held in the town hall tomorrow. Mr. George W. Morrow, of Detroit, Michigan state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, programme for the occasion and received many congratulatory remarks at will address the meeting and will be followed by Rev. John Bailey, of Toronto, the field secretary of the Doof a miscellaneous character, and apart minion Alliance, Mr. John Cowan, K.C., will occupy the chair. A crowded house is anticipated, as every day the fight grows warmer in a quiet, purposeful Local temperance people are way. confident of success.

RAISING SCOW

Rapid Progress in the Work on the Hustler. "When the Roses Bloom," Mary Salter

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, Dec. 12. - The Reid Wrecking Company of Sarnia is making good progress with the work of raising the sand scow Hustler, which was sunk near Algonac on the American side about a month ago. The Reids have towed the vessel to a point below the old channel, where they will have less difficulty raising her. It is expected that the job will be completed very

LOOKING FOR SITE

Large American Firm May Locate at Tunnel Shortly.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, Dec. 12. - It is understood that a large American manufacturing concern is looking over Sarnia as a prospective place to establish a Canadian branch. Just what this concern is is not known, as the representatives desire to say nothing until some definite action is decided upon.

BUZZ-SAW BURST.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Shakespeare, Dec. 12. — Carner
Bros. had a remarkably close call from being killed yesterday when, as they were sawing ties for Andrew Battler, the saw suddenly burst, and the pieces eas, be eaten with a fork of spoon!

A. Should the lady remove her hat and outer angle projecting beyond the toe. eral hundred feet. No one was seriously hurt.

District Personals

PARKHILL.

Parkhill, Dec. 11.-Mrs. (Dr.) Wilson as returned home after a visit with her parents in Forest.

Dr. Racey was in London on Monday.

Miss Lou Fletcher, of the public school staff, is in Toronto.

Mr. J. G. Russell went to Hamilton or Wednesday to attend the funeral of his father, Richard W. Russell, who died father, Richard W. Russell, on Tuesday.

Mr. Dan. Steele, Mr. Lloyd McKenna, Mr. Joe Hagan and Mrs. Dan. Hagan are in London this week attending the funeral of Alex. Buchanan, who was killed on Monday. Deceased was a former resident of Parkhill.

LUCAN.

Lucan, Dec. 12.—Mr. Thomas Abbott, of Edmonton, has returned to this vicinity to visit relatives. Mr. Abbott resided here

nut meats a few at a time. Pack in a messrs. Mclihargey and Revington shippad a carload of cattle to Toronto yester-Dr. Charles McMehen, of Vancouver, spent a few days recently with his cousin, Mr. R. J. McMehen. The pupils of the Lucan high school intend building an open air rink this win-

ter. Miss Nash, of London, arrived yesterday to train the children for the English Church concert. Some of the farmers of the vicinity are hauling grain to town on slighs.

Rev. Wm. Lowe spent Tuesday in London on business.

Mr. Russell Canning arrived home from London yesterday.

ST. HELEN'S.

Mr. John Webster. Mr. John Webster left today to go up to his mill in New Ontario. Mr. William King left today for stove lid in the centre of an asbestos Peterboro, where he will work in the bush.

travelling salesman for the estate of R. H. Miller for two years, has left for Toronto.

THAMESFORD.

Miss Scellan was a visitor to London cross, whose reputation as an operator Evangelistic services are still going on the Methodist n the Methodist Church, and will con-inne until next Sabbath evening. Mr. Daniel Sutherland, of the 1st con-cession, of East Zorra, died at the home mourn his loss.

Mr. Henry Golding's new house has now the roof on and inside work rapidly going on, and expects to take possisession about March 1.

Messrs. E. H. Ambrose, of Hamilton;
J. F. M. Stewart, treasurer, Toronto, and T. Bradshaw (member of the firm of A. E. Ames & Co.), Toronto.

The company is stated to be the CAMLACHIE.

exaporator.
R. Prout, of Texas. visited recently with A. J. Schram, after an absence of Joe Montgomery has inished putting in tile for S. W. Trusier.

Miss Annie Mitchell has secured a position in Mrs. Cairns' store.

Wm. Robinson is busy threshing beans.

S. W. Trustier has received a carload of soft coal.

Wm. Johnson, who has been in the serviced of the G. T. R. has severed by

CODY'S CORNERS.

Cody's Corners, Dec. 11.—Mr. George McKenzie has left on a business trip to Georgia.

Mrs. Ernest Thornton, of Sweabours, visited recently with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Parker.

Mr. Israel Day and Gaughter, Miss.

Gloves, Hosiery and Handkerchiefs

In Pretty Christmas Boxes

Ladies' 20-Button Kid Gloves, in white only, guaranteed to wear. Special, per pair\$3.00 16-button Kid Gloves, in white and black. Every pair

guaranteed.....\$2.00 and \$2.75 Ladies' Kid Gloves, two clasps at wrist, gussetted fingers, will keep their shape till worn out, guaranteed not to

rip. All colors and black. Per pair......\$1.65 At \$1.00 plair—The best Dollar Kid Glove we have ever shown; gussetted fingers. Every pair guaranteed. Tans, grays, browns, cream, white, greens, navy, champagne, mode, etc., as well as black and white, all sizes, at only, per pair.....\$1.00

Ladies' Fine Silk Hosiery—These are all superior quality. Your choice of a very sheer quality or heavier weight. Colors are tan, cream, champagne, gold, mauve, white, sky, pink or black, at per pair.....

.....\$1.10, \$1.50 and \$2.25 Ladies' Seamless Feet Cashmere Hose, fine fast black dye, will wear well, all sizes, at pair.... 50¢, 60¢ Ladies' Black Cashmere Stockings, with gray heel and toe, all sizes. Special, per pair......45¢ Children's Lambswool Stockings, in black, white, cream, tan, red, pink and sky. All sizes, at only, per pair...

25¢ and 35¢ Special Handkerchief Values

Hemstitched or Scalloped Edge Handkerchiefs, with corner patterns..... 10¢ each, 3 for 25¢ Embroidered Linen Handkerchief with hemstitched edge.

Heavy Lace Edge Handkerchiefs, with fine linen centres, 12 Innisfail Hand-Embroidered Handkerchiefs, in pretty box. Regular \$3.00 value, per box only.....\$2.00 Initial Handkerchiefs, for ladies. 6 in box. 75¢, \$1.50

Colored Border Silk Handkerchiefs, at each......50¢ HANDKERCHIEF BOXES FREE.



P., L. and O. Reliable Prescription Work

is known throughout the entire city.

We-these three stores-have built up an enviable reputation on the reliability of our Prescription service-through using only high quality

We are Careful, Accurate, Prompt.

PERCIVAL, Richmond Street Phone 1261.

LISTER. Wortley Road, cor. Craig Phone 1920.

OMOND. 468 Dundas St. Phone 1429.

THE PROGRESSIVE DRUGGISTS.

this vicinity recently.

Mr. Ted Piper returned a week ago from the West, where he spent the sum-

Mrs. Thomas Johnson is in Toronto this week; with her sister, Miss Phoebe Cassine, who is quite ill.

Mr. Mervin Cody, of Tremont, Ill., celebrated his 97th birthday on Monday.

Mr. Cody is in excellent health. ST. HELEN'S.

St. Helens, Dec. 11.—Mr. John Paterson left here yesterday for New Ontario, where he will team logs for Mr. Fred Day and Miss Florence Sutherland, of Embro. Mr. and Mrs. Day will reside on the farm lately purchased from Mr. T. Featherston.

CANADA INTERLAKE LINE, LIMITED

Largest Purely Freight Line on the

Lakes-Offering of Securities. A. E. Ames & Co. are today offering \$950,000 of 7 per cent. cumulative prefcent, in common stock.

has been formed to take over the Can- tried Thamesford, Dec. 11.—The children of the different Sabbath schools are very busy preparing for entertainments in each church during the Christmas holied by that company. Mr. J. W. Norof freight transportation stands particularly high, is managing director of the new company. Mr. M. J. Haney is president, and Mr. R. M. Wolvin (president of Standard Shipping, Lim-(president of Standard Shipping, Lim- and diseases. All druggists and ited), Winnipeg, is vice-president. An- stores, 50c box, or Zam-Buk Co., Tocession, of East Zorra, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Glen Patterson, of the Governor's road, recently after a lengthy illness. The funeral takes place today to North Embro Cemetery. He leaves a grown-up family of three sons and two daughters, besides sisters, to mourn his loss.

(President of Standard Snipping, Limitation and the Governor's road, recently after a chert will-known name in navigation circles is that of Henry Munderloh, of Montreal, the other directors being Messrs. E. H. Ambrose, of Hamilton; J. F. M. Stewart, treasurer, Toronto, for price, Refuse substitutes.

largest concern operating freight business on the lakes. Camlachie, Dec. 12.—Thomas Dunford A feature of the preference stock is that a reserve fund is to be built up at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the outstanding preferwith A. J. Schram, after an absence of ence capital until it reaches 50 per cent. Joe Montgomery has finished putting in thereof. This transfer to reserve is cumulative, and is to be made before payment of any dividend upon the

common stock. There is a great deal of information in the offering in our advertising col-umns, amongst which it is mentioned that the net earnings for 1912 of the Canadian Interlake Line, Limited— which is being taken over, and which operated seven vessels for the full season and two for only part of the sea-

Cassle, of Kintore, visited relatives in son-will be, in round figures, \$225,000 while the estimated net earnings from operation for the year 1913 for the

fourteen vessels are \$348,000. The advertisement states that the directors proposed to place the common stock on a dividend-paying basis from July 1 next at the rate of 5 per cent, per annum. Messrs, Ames & Co. indicate that they expect a ready response to the offering

Rheumatism and Sprains ZAM-BUK IS A CURE

When you have a sprain or feel the aching, gnawing pain of rheumatism, or the acute agony of lumbago, rub

Zam-Buk well in. . Mrs. Frances Wyatt, of 25 Guy avenue, Montreal, says: erence shares of the Canada Interlake found Zam-Buk most soothing and Line, Limited, with bonus of 15 per valuable for rheumatism and stiffness of joints and muscles. I suffered long The Canada Interlake Line, Limited, and acutely from rheumatism and as been formed to take over the Canvain. I also took medicines internally, but it remained for Zam-Buk to effect a cure. It seemed to penetrate to the very seat of the pains, driving them completely out, and I am now cured." Zam-Buk is also a sure cure for piles, ulcers, cold sores, chapped, hands, cuts, burns, scalds, scalp sores bables' rashes and



Could Not Sleep Well REGENT OF BAVARIA For Four Years.

HEART AND NERVES WERE BAD.

To the thousands of people who toss on a sleepless pillow night after night. or who pace the bedroom floor with nerves unhinged, heart action wrong, and to whose eye sleep will not come. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills offer the blessing of sound, refreshing slumber.

They restore the equilibrium of the deranged nerve centres and correct the wrong action of the heart.

Mrs. Wm. Douglas, Thessalon, Ont., writes:-"I am going to send you my tesand Nerve Pills did for me. For four years I could not sleep well at night, as my heart and nerves were so bad. I tried all the doctors here, but none of them helped me. I read of your Heart and Nerve Pills, and tried only a few boxes, and I can certainly say they did me a great amount of good. I can now sleep as well as ever and can advise sleep as well as ever, and can advise anyone who suffers from heart trouble to

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50 cents a box; 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto. Ont.

COMPANION COURT FOREST CITY ELECTS

Officers for the Year Chosen on Wednesday Night.

Companion Court Forest City, No. \$10, I. O. F., elected the following king. officers Wednesday night: C. D. H. C. R., Comp. Heron; P. C. R., Comp DeCourcey; physician, Dr. Black; C. R., Comp. Campbell; V. C. R., Comp. Walsh; F. S., Comp. Anstie; R. S., Comp. Eames; treasurer, Comp. Walsh; chasticing Comp. Webb; chaplain, Comp. Wilkins; organ ist, Comp. Billings; S. W., Comp. Phelps; J. W., Comp. Webb; S. B. Comp. Daly; J. B., Comp. Bradshaw; captain of guard, Comp. Walsh. An "At Home" was held after the meeting, and was one of the best ever held in the city of London

PLEADED GUILTY TO AN ASSAULT

Joseph Farmer Fined by Police Magistrate Judd.

Joseph Farmer pleaded guilty to

yesterday, and was arrested in the pects to conclude its investigation of was 42 years old. evening in an intoxicated condition. It the stock exchange situation by the was considered well that he had been end of this week, and to begin the probe picked up off the streets, as he had over of the principal branch of the inquiry,

DEAD AT MUNICH

Luit pold, Greatly Loved by His Subjects, Dies in His 91st Year.

[Canadian Press.]

Munich, Bavaria, Dec. 12. — Luitpold, prince regent of Bavaria, died here today. He was 91 years old. The prince regent had been in failing health for several months, and

death was not unexpected.

Luitpold was 65 years of age and had lived a long and useful life as a great German military leader, when he was called upon in 1886 to take the throne of Bavaria, the second largest state in the German Empire. His call to the regency was the result of the timonial for what your Milburn's Heart insanity of King Ludwig II. and his

> Luitpold had devoted himself tirely to his military duties and was unfamiliar with court life, but he was highly regarded in the courts of Europe and took up his new duties conscientiously, and with painstaking endeavor. He quickly won a firm place in the hearts of his people, who became accustomed soon to calling him "King," although this was not at all to the liking of the old-fashioned prince. "No, I am not your king," he frequently remarked with a military man's gruff show of petulance. "I am only the re-

As a sovereign Luitpold did much to Bavaria. The royal income, which he might have received as king, he devoted to paying national debts, and when urged later to take the crown and title, declared he was "too old to change." It has been declared that his St. Michael's Church when it is comson, Prince Luis, would probably succeed him, in which case it is not unlikely that he will take up the title of

PROBING OPERATIONS OF WALL STREET

Congressional Investigators Will Have the Stock Transactions Eplained. [Canadian Press.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 12.-Operaions of the New York Stock Exchange and the principles of stock exchange transactions were the program for today's hearing before the House moncy trust investigating committee. A dozen

examined. vestigation of the clearing house systems throughout the country, and is tems throughout the country, and is of Cincinnati, a brother.

Or continue the steel of Cincinnati, a brother.

Or continue the steel of Cincinnati, a brother.

Or continue the steel of Cincinnati, a brother. charge of assaulting Joseph Marinella detention of the New York stock offi- for several years, being a member of in the bar of the Duke of York Hotel cers and the brokers on the New York the old firm of Marshall & Mason, at the police court this morning, and Exchange yesterday caused consider- After disposing of his store to Mr. was fined \$2 by Police Magistrate Judd. able discussion, the New Yorkers de-Farmer was also ordered to pay 50 manding that they be allowed to re-cents witness for the thing and else-A Blenheim man came to London that they remain. The committee exheriance has been been and the committee exheriance and the committee exheriance has been been and the committee exheriance.

TASTES AS TASTE

SELECTED WHISKY

BRANCH NO. 498.

C. M. B. A., OFFICERS

Bro. William Toohey Was Elected as President.

At the regular meeting of Branch No. 498, C. M. B. A., Bro. G. F. Galarneau was named representative of the branch to the convention to be held in Hamilton next year, Bro. Geo. Smart was named alternate. The officers for the year were elected as follows:

President, Wm. Toohey; first vicepresident, James McCue; second vicepresident, T. J. Kiley; recording secretary, C. L. Cushing; assistant recording secretary, M. Toohey; financial secretary, G. J. Galarneau; treasurer, Rev. Father Hanlon; marshal, M. Toohey; guard, George Smart; trustees, Rev

The branch was organized on April I last and has grown very rapidly. The

STRATHROY FUNERAL

Edwin M. Marshall, Former Businessman, Died in Chicago, [Special to The Advertiser.] Strathroy, Dec. 11.—The funeral

Edwin M. Marshall, who died in Chicago recently, was held yesterday from the residence of his aunt, Mrs. Jas. H. English, and was largely attended. Rev. Rural Dean Robinson conducted the services. The pallbearers were L. H. Lampier, F. P. Hughes, M. Rapley, W. H. Stepler, J. A. Newton, and R. F. Richardson.

Mr. Marshall resided in Strathroy for a number of years, and was a member New York financiers connected with of Beaver Lodge, No. 83, A., F. and A. the stock exchange were ready to be M.

The committee has finished its in-there were his widow, Mrs. Roberts, of mer months, and the privileges se-

prepared to continue the stock ex- The late Mr. Marshall was engaged change branch of the investigation. The in the hardware business in Strathroy

REEVE FOR LEAMINGTON.

[Special to The Advertiser.] amington, Dec. 12.—Ralph White, main in London, but to return to his financiers of New York are expected to announced that he will be a candidate native village for the reeveship.

SECRET WORKERS.

The Plan Upon Which Tea and Coffee

Tea and coffee are such secret work-

ers that they are not suspected as

the cause of sickness or disease, but

there is a very sure way to find out

A Southern lady gives an interesting experience her husband had with

coffee. It seems that he had been us-

ing it for some time and was an in-

valid. (Tea is just as injurious be-

cause it contains cafferine, the same

suspected that coffee was the "Worm

at the root of the tree," and ordered

it discontinued with instructions to

The wife says: "We found that was the true remedy for his stomach and

heart trouble and we would have glad-

ly paid a hundred times the amount

of the doctor's charge when we found

how wise his judgment was.
"The use of Postum instead of cof-

fee was begun about a year ago, and

it has made my husband a strong,

well man. He had gained thirty-five

pounds in that time and his stomach

and heart trouble have all disappeared.

friend- of the benefit we have received

from leaving off coffee and using Pos-tum in its place." Name given by

Canadian Postum Company, Windsor,

Look for the little book, "The Road

never tire of telling .. our

use Postum regularly in its place.

The physician in charge shrewdly

drug found in coffee.)

MOTORISTS CALL ON GOVERNMENT

Ask for Reciprocity With the United States in Auto Licenses.

Elimination of Fee System Advocated-Complaint Against Magistrate.

the minister for the consideration of county council resolves that we deputation was headed by President Frank Mutton, of the Motor League, and included over a score of wellknown motorists.

Perhaps the sest important matter brought before the Provincial Secretary was the question of reciprocity in automobile licenses between Ontario and the various states, particularly New York. It was pointed out that the initiative had been taken on the other side of the border, and that all that was needed to put reciprocity into effect was action by the Ontario Legislature. The recognition of American licenses in Ontario would have the effect of increasing the tour-Those who accompanied the remains ist traffic immensely during the sum-

States would be a decided conveni-The minister promised to take the matter into consideration. It is regarded as probable that the Government would not look with hostility upon reciprocity between Ontario and Quebec, and might even approve of an West London Angry Over Breakwater A Rienhaim mer arrangement that would permit tour-He ists to enter Ontario and remain in the province for a number of hours without being required to take out an extra license. The chief difficulty in the way of a wider form of re-

\$40, and a diamond stick pin in his "the concentration of money and cred-bossession. He was advised not to reits." In that connection the leading deputy reeve of Mersea, has definitely main in London, but to return to the reconstruction of the inquiry, Learnington, Dec. 12.—Ralph White, ciprocity is the fact that already discussion was caused by the fact that main in London, but to return to the leading deputy reeve of Mersea, has definitely automobiles travelling across. Southmain in London, but to return to the leading deputy reeve of Mersea, has definitely automobiles travelling across. Southmost reconstruction of the inquiry, Learnington, Dec. 12.—Ralph White, ciprocity is the fact that already discussion was caused by the fact that main in London, but to return to the leading deputy reeve of Mersea, has definitely even the Niagara no breakwater scheme will be submitfrentier and Detroit are doing an immense amount of damage to the roads. It is felt that Ontario would be giving the erection of the Wharncliffe read more than was received by recipro-Want Free System Abolished. A protest against the persecution motorists are subjected to, particularly at the hands of rural magistrates and police officials, was vigorously made by the deputation, and Hon. Mr. Hanna was

would make not only penalties, but costs as well, payable to the municipalities. This would do away with the fee system, and would help to give motorists fairer treatment and more consideration from the constables, whose zealous work is now largely due to a desire to get fees. Magistrate Kingsford's method of handing cases in which motorists are prosecuted for minor infractions of the bylaws came in for criticism. The motorists resent the fact that whereas a teamster who breaks a traffic regulation generally escapes with a dollar fine the motorist who commits the same offence must pay from \$10 to \$25. It was urged that power be given to municipalities to establish a special court presided over by a man thoroughly conversant with traffic con ditions to try all offences against traffic

The hardship entailed in having stop their automobiles every time a street car stops was also made known to the It was suggested that automobiles be allowed to pass standing street cars on wide streets. Ten fee between the street car and the motor

was thought to be enough. The deputation asked that the section providing for the impounding of automobiles be changed to allow three convictions "within one year" before a car can be taken, and recommended that a time limit be set for the issuing of sum-monses for minor offences. They also asked that all vehicles in towns of 10,000 population be required to carry lights to show their presence on the highway. The Motor League, upon the suggestion of the minister, will submit a detailed memoranda, which will be considered by the Government,

M'CLARY MANAGERS IN SESSION HERE

Heads of Branches Having a Talk at the Fountainhead.

managers of the different branches in Canada of the McClary Manufacturing Company of this city are in session here, and will continue daily meetings until Saturday.

The convention is for the purpose of discussing the work of the past year with the general management, and methods to be pursued in 1913 will also be decided upon. Those in attendance are John

Foote, of Vancouver, B. C.; D. George Clark, of Calgary; A. J. Clark, of Winnipeg; A. D. Kinnelly, of Toronto; J. C. Newman, of Montreal; G. E. Main, of Hamilton, and G. S. Bishop, of St. John, N. B.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.
mers. Reported at. From.
d.......New York ... Antwerp Chicago New York Antwerp
Chicago New York Havre
Noordam New York Rotterdam
P. Adalbert Philadelphia Hamburg
Ivernia Liverpool Boston
Mt. Temple London Montreal
Liverpool, Dec. 11.—Arrived: Steamer
Welshman, from Portland.
Hamburg, Dec. 11.Arrived: Steamer
Pallanza, from Montreal.
Aukland, Dec. 11.—Arrived: Steamer
Wakanui, from Montreal.

SOLD TO LONDONER [Special to The Advertiser.]
Parkhill, Dec. 12. — Mr. G. F. Steele, who has for the past four years conducted a hardware business here, has recently soid out to Mr. Houghton, of London. Mr. Houghton takes possession the first of the year.

STRONGLY IN FAVOR OF LOCAL OPTION

Lambton County Council Finds That Intemperance Fills House of Refuge.

Sarnia, Dec. 11.-The Lambton County Council at their session pass-CRITICIZE THE POLICE County Council at their session passed the following resolution: "Whereas n the report of the house of refuge committee, which has been adopted by this council, there appears a statement to the effect that fifty per cent. of those persons now in the House Toronto, Dec. 12.—The representa-tives of the Ontario Motor League of intemperance, and whereas these regrettable intemperate habits were paid their annual visit to Hon. W. J. screated and fostered by the licensed Hanna's office yesterday to lay before barroom system, therefore, this gret to see licensed in this county so the Government suggested changes in large a contributing agency to the the motor vehicles act, together with population of the House of Refuge, a number of new propositions. The and view with approval the efforts of those municipalities still under license to vote it out by adopting local option bylaws, and that we note with satisfaction the fact that the large proportion of the municipalities of this county are already under local op-

Hon. W. J. Hanna, provincial secretary, who represents West Lambton in the Legislature, when interviewed yesterday as to his attitude towards Mr. Rowell's challenge that if he is in favor of local option why not advocate it in coming contests, and particularly in Sarnia, Mr. Hanna's home town, said:

"If the advocacy of local option in the way of speeches from the public platform in local option campaigns is to be taken as the test of sincerity, then Mr. Rowell for himself will be very careful to comply with the test."

CITY COUNCIL WAS SEVERLY CRITICIZED

and Bridge.

The members of the city council, individually and collectively, were severely criticised at the meeting of the West London Progressive Associabetween the Niagara no breakwater scheme will be submitted to the voters in January, and, in addition, the failure to proceed with bridge.

The meeting was unanimously in favor of reverting to the old system of electing the aldermen, a certain number from each ward.

It was decided to support the candidates brought forward by the Trades and Labor Council and the executive urged to have adopted legislation that committee was authorized to obtain several residents of West London to enter the aldermanic field. This week a number of circulars

were distributed to the residents of the community living west of the Wharncliffe road asking them to meet at the residence of Mr. Trott in London Township to decide about the payment for a drain.

Mr. E. Pudney asked if any members of the association were able to explain the reason for such a meeting. Mr. Stinchcombe said that Mr. Trott wanted a drain fixed, and wished some 365 residents of the city to assist paying for it, despite the fact that Mr Trott would be the only one to gain any benefit. Mr. Stinchcombe promised that at the next meeting he would have legal advice upon the matter.

The election of officers for the coming year was left until the first meet ing of the association.

NOT THE STEAMER OSPREY. London, Dec. 11. - The owners of the steamer Osprey report that the lamp found on the Centurion after the collision is not the Osprey's. A report to Lloyds' says that the Osprey sighted off Portland Bill tonight, Earlier dispatches said she was the ship sunk by the Centurion yesterday.

Piles Quickly **Cured At Home**

INSTANT RELIEF, PERMANENT CURE-TRIAL PACKAGE MAILED FREE TO ALL IN PLAIN WRAP-



Many cases of Piles have been

cured by a trial packaga of Pyramid Pile Remedy without further treatment. When it proves its value to you, get more from your druggist at a box, and be sure you get the kind you ask for. Simply fill out free coupon below and mail today. Save yourself from the surgeon's knife and its torture, the doctor and his bills.

FREE PACKAGE COUPON PYRAMID DRUG COMPANY

402 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich Kinly send me a sample of Pyramid Pile Remedy, at once by mail, FREE, in plain wrapper.

Name City State



If You Value Your Eyesight You will equip your reading table with a Rayo Lamp

Authorities agree that a good kerosene oil lamp is the best for reading. The Rayo is the best oil lamp made-the result of years of scientific study. It gives a steady, white light, clear-mellow. Made of solid brass, nickel plated. Can be lighted without removing chimney or shade. Easy to clean and rewick. At Dealers Everywhere.

THE IMPERIAL OIL COMPANY, Limited

TOBOGGAN SLIDE

Citizen Hopes Street Railway Will Have One at Springbank. "I hope the citizens will make some

provision for tobeggan slides this

lish products cannot be surpassed, and that is the manufacture of cocoa and hocolate powder and the many confections derived from these. With the knowledge gained from nearly 200 years' experience in this usiness, and a trade that has assumed world-wide proportions, since 1729, the House of J. S. Fry & Sons, Limited, may be given a fair share of the credi

that attaches to "the old country" for her supremacy in the cocoa industry. Fry quality has been attested by the awarding of over 300 "Grand Prizes Gold Medals and Diplomas. While commencing with the Royal Warrant of Appointment to H. M. King George the Second, in 1729, the House of Fry have catered to scores of the crowned heads of Europe. A glance at a page advertisement of suggestions for Christmas candy buy-

and Chocolate are the purest of the ach, or have backache and feel worn pure and made under scientific and out, sanitary conditions. Give and eat "Fry's" freely-there's

nothing about them but healthy and

keen enjoyment. RELAX THE RULES

Stamps May Be Placed on the Back of Envelopes.

charity, the new postoffice regulation, times and bowels. forbidding the use of Christmas A Cascaret tonight will straighten stamps, will be relaxed to the extent of you out by morning—a 10-cent box allowing those who purchase stamps from any drug store will keep your in the inerest of hospitals to place stomach sweet; liver and bowels regther on the backs of the sweet of the state of the sweet of the state of the sweet of them on the backs of the envelopes. It was stated today that while no forget the children. stamps, save the regular Government carets because they taste good — do ssue could be permitted on the face good-never gripe or sicken. of the envelope, there was nothing to prevent their use on the reverse side

CASE FELL THROUGH. [Special to The Advertiser.] Chatham, Dec. 11 .- George Hare, Wallaceburg, charged with committing a serious offence against a 14-year-old Dresden girl, was dismissed at the fall assizes this afternoon by Judge Dow lin, on the evidence of the girl.

As the word IDEAL implies, our Electric Irons cannot be surpassed. Present one to your wife for Christmas. Made in London by the Ideal Electric Mfg. Company.

Direct From Our Workshop.

CAMEORINGS \$3.50 to \$12.00 S. K. Milroy & Co.

Maker-to-Wearer Jewelry Shop, 260 DUNDAS STREET, near Wellington.

Vapo Cresolene A Simple, Effective Treatment For Bronchial Troubles.

WOULD BE POPULAR HOW TO DESTROY THE DANDRUFF GERM

BY A SPECIALIST.

Thope the citizens will make some provision for toboggan slides this winter," said a young businessman this morning.

"At present London misses the typical cal outdoor sports that should be enjoyed, and are enjoyed by other cities in Canada. There are fine hills at Springbank for slides, and it seems to to me that the street railway could attract a great many citizens there in the afternoon and evening. I know that hundreds of young people would patronize the slides and even pay for the privilege."

Dainties For Christmas.

It has been said that in "Merrie England" old Christmas customs have a stronger hold than anywhere else in the world. It is certainly admitted that the English know better than any other nation how to provide good things to eat for the season of cheer and festivity.

While other nations claim to have equalled the "roast beef and plum pudding of Old England," there still remains at least one field in which English products cannot be surpassed, and that is the manufacture of corosa and t

riginal color.
CAUTION Do not apply where hair is not desired and be sure to avoid tonics containing poisonous wood alcohol.

BOWELS BAD, LIVER TORPID? CASCARETS

If Constipated, Bilious, Headachy, Stomach Sour, Take a Cascaret.

You men and women who can't get eeling right-who have headac coated tongue, foul taste and foul Fry's in this issue will be eloquent of breath, dizziness, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, ing. Remember, too, that Fry's Cocoa with a sick, gassy, disordered stom-

> Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days. salts, cathartic pills or castor oil? This is important.

Cascarets work while you sleep; cleanse and regulate the stomach, emove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry [Canadian Press.] out of the system all the constipated out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poison in the interout of the system all the constipated

fular and head clear for months. Don't

Famous "Pint of Cough Syrup" Recipe

No Better Remedy at Any Price. Fully Guaranteed.

Make a plain syrup by mixing two cups of granulated sugar and one cup of warm water and stir for two minutes. Put 21/2 ounces of pure Pinex (fifty cents' worth) in a 16-ounce bottle, and fill it up with the Sugar Syrup. This gives you a family supply of the best cough syrup at a saving of \$2. It never spoils. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

The effectiveness of this simple remedy is surprising. It seems to take hold instantly, and will usually stop the most obstinate cough in 24 hours. It tones up the jaded appetite and is just laxative enough to be helpful in a cough, and has a pleasing taste. Also excellent for bronchial trouble, throat tickle, sore lungs and asthma, and an unequaled remedy for

whooping cough and croup.
This recipe for making cough remedy with Pinex and Sugar Syrup (or strained honey) is a prime favorite in thousands of homes in the United States and Carada. The plan has been imitated, though never successfully. If you try it, use only genu-ine Pinex, which is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, and is rich in gualacol and

all the natural healing pine elements. Other preparations will not work in this recipe. A guaranty of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this recipe. Your druggist has Pinex, or will get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

Detectives and Doctors

Work along similar lines. One seeks the thief who steals money or valuables; the other is after the thing that steals health.

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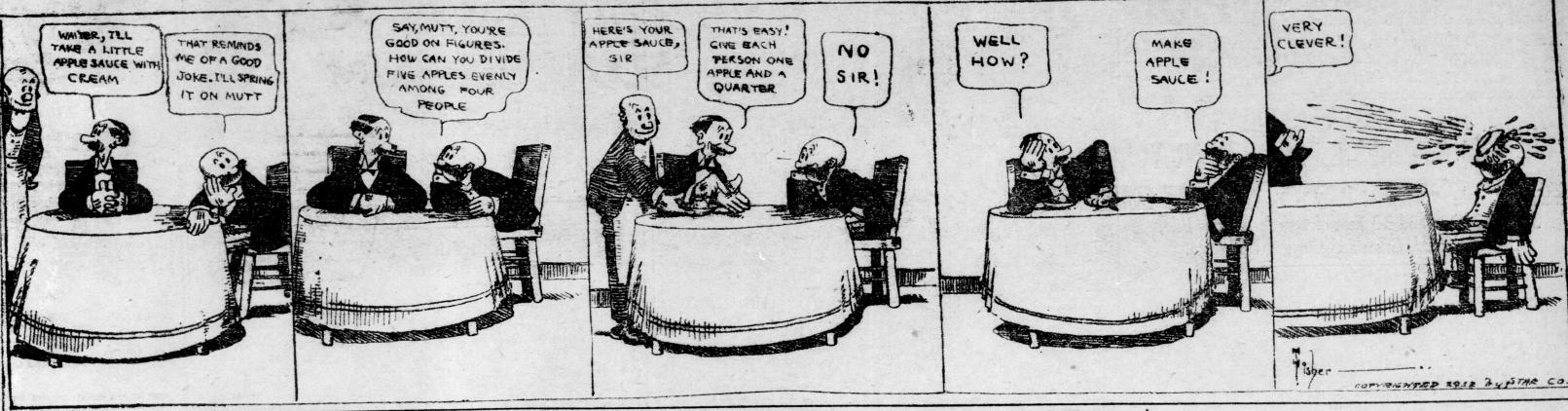
ALL THE NEWS THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

By "Bud" Fisher

Mutt Must Have Heard This One Before



The question of an executive com-mittee was brought up, and the fol-

lowing representatives from each

Thistle Club-R. D. McDonald, "A"

London Club-Messrs. Currie, Shaw

Asylum Club-Dr. Robinson, A Thrower, Dr. Ross, J. C. Richardson.

cup. This will be dealt with later on.

The Umpires.

W. J. Cameron, St. Thomas; Dr. Hayes, Sarnia; J. C. Waddell, Petro-

lea; Fred Millman, Woodstock; J. C.

Toronto: Charlie Sumner. Wingham;

pointed by the meeting:

J. C. Cuthbertson, Bright.

The following umpires were ap-

ub were elected

Paris, Dec. 11.-Charley Ledoux, of Paris, bantamweight champion of Europe, and Kid Williams, of Baltimore, fought a six-round draw at the National Athletic Club tonight. The fight was one of the fastest and hardest ever seen in this city. Both men took a lot of punishment, and while no decision was given the popular verdict gave Williams a shade the

KID WILLIAMS BEAT LEDOUX.

SWIMMING CHAMP ARRIVES. [Canadian Press,] New York, Dec. 12.—Rudolph Arnold, of the Hellas Club, of Germany, European champion swimmer at the breast stroke, is in this country to seek new honors. He will wear the colors of the New York Athletic Club during the winter season, and hopes to arrange a series of meetings with Michael McDermott, the American record-holder.

LONDON CITY BONSPIEL COMMENCES ON JAN. 7

The London city bonspie! will comnence on the afternoon of Tuesday, siders will be asked to pay an entry event of the curling season in Lon-den, and generally it is one of the ground that outside curlers should not largest and best things of the curling be asked to pay an entry fee without ear. This year, judging from the ex- getting an expression of their opinion ssions made at the meeting of the on the matter. However, both Secreexecutives of all the local curling tary Tillson and Treasurer Wright had lubs at the Travellers' Club last interviewed the greater number vening, the bonspiel will be just as big, but a great deal better than ever. other words, it will be one grand success from the moment that the irst stone is played until the time that the final shot in the last game of the last trophy event is made. \$1.50 be paid by each outside rink entering the bonspiel.
The Executive Committee. Chairman Thomas Gillean was in chair when the meeting opened, and after the reading of the minutes and the report of the treasurer the business of electing new officers was

McCreery Elected. Mr. S. J. McCreery, on motion of Fulton, S. Swift, S. Pool, John Par-Mr. R. B. Wanless, seconded by Dr. dem, and R. W. Glover. Wright, was elected chairman for the eason 1912-13. Secretary L. E. Till-son and Treasurer Dr. Wright were Asylum Club-Dr. Ro e-elected to their respective offices. Although a comparatively new member in local curling circles, Mr. McCreery, as a member of the Thistle Carling Club, has proved himself to the an energetic worker and an enther sice by Mr. Thomas Gillean, and he thusiastic sportsman, and his election to the chairmanship assures the local curlers that the bonspiel will undoubtedly be a huge success. Belocal curlers that the benspiel will undoubtedly be a huge success. Belocal curlers that the benspiel will undoubtedly be a huge success. Belocal curlers that the bonspiel will undoubtedly be a huge success. Belocal curlers that the benspiel will undoubtedly be a huge success. Belocal curlers that the bonspiel will undoubtedly be a huge success. Belocal curlers that the bonspiel will be put before the manager of the Bank of Toronto, and an effort will be made to find out whether the bank is willing to donate another cup. Then there's where the good comes in Corridon's a mignty good ball player." responded Callahan, "and I don't the Stewartons, Frank the stern to Winnipeg. Then the result of it was that Chicago added its waivers to the rest; Simply for the good of the league. Here's where the good comes in Corridon's a mignty good ball during the coming hockey season by during the coming hockey season by during the coming hockey season by during the coming the twenty is the will not with the Stewartons. Then the sea will be put before the manager of the head to find out whether the good of the league. Here's where the good comes in Corridon's a mignty good of the lead the result of it was that Chicago added its with the result of it was that Chicago added its waivers to the rest; Simply for the good of the league. Here's where the good comes in Corridon's a mignty good of the lead to the result of it was that Chicago and Greg George, of Queen's, and Sid, and Greg George the will be put before the manager. The Cubs hairman last year, and although he place of the Bank of Toronto did not want to reflect any credit up- providing it was called the Gillean on himself he believed that the bonspiel last season was one of the best ever held, both from the attendance and the competition in the games. He believed it should be made a permanent affair, and was sure that it would become so as the seasons grew.

Thanked the Members.
In taking the chair, Mr. McCreery Stratford; J. G. Turnbell, Galt; Dr. Roberts, Grand Rapids; Andy Taylor, thanked the members for the honor bestowed upon him and assured them that he would do all in his power with the assistance of the secretary, to make the bonspiel one of the best The Bank of Toronto have decided to donate another trophy to the London city bonspiel to take the place of the one which goes to Skip Thomas Gillean. ever held in London. The treasurer's report showed that

a balance of \$138.14 had been left over from last year, and with this who won it three years in succession. The matter was decided this morning when Chairman McCreery and Secretary Last year the bonspiel had cost \$444.86, but it was thought that the expenses this year would not total up

that high. The entrance fee for city corlers was placed at \$2, while out Chicago, Dec. 11 .- Frank Chance can be This big event is the initial fee of \$150. Some objection was ofmanager of the New York Yankees if he fered to this last decision, on the wants to. Joe Tinker is already manager

of the Cincinnati Reds to all intents and purposes. The Tinker deal was pulled off in New York today. At least, that's the way New York dispatches had it. But a very important part of it was pulled right here in Chicago, a part that was absolutely necessary to the completion of the visiting curlers last winter in regard to the matter, and not one dissenting For several weeks we have been reading that a young ball player named Red Corridon was to figure in the Tinker trade. We read, also, that it would be easy to get waivers on Corridon from the American League if sufficient pressure was brought to bear. Well, Corridon was not released from Mr. Johnson's circuit until this afternoon. And here was the pressure: For several weeks we have been read voice was raised. In fact, the out siders were quite willing to contribute toward the expense of the affair. The motion was then carried that a fee of

pressure:

"For the good of the league."

Every club waived on Corridon before noon today except the White Sox. Just before this afternoon's session of the league was called, President Johnson ap-

roached Charles Comiskey and Jimmy callahan and put the case before them. "Will you waive on Corridon?" asked Ban. "What do you think about it?" inquired Commy of his manager. "I think Corridon's a mighty ayer," responded Callahan. "a

Kniseley, Mitchell, Grant, Humphries and Phelan for Tinker, Catcher Chapman and Pitcher Grover Laudermilk, of the Cubs. Cincinnati gets its manager. The Cubs get what they wanted for Mr. Tinker. Navin gets back his \$8,000 and then some. Then what? Why, it's whatever Frank Farrell, president of the New York Yankees, is willing to slip him for Mister Frank Chance, formerly known around these parts as the Peerless Leader.

As soon as the Tinker deal is closed, the Cincinnati club will give Chance his outright release. Mr. Farrell will then make again the offer that was indirectly made to Chance a month ago. The Californian can take the job of Yank manager for \$18,000 a year, with a five-year contract Cunningham, Galt; Duncan Ferguson,

\$18,000 a year, with a five-year contract and a bonus of 5 per cent annually of the club's earnings. BOXING COMMISSION WILL MEET. [Canadian Press.]

Albany, Dec. 12.—According to advices received by the New York State Athletic Commission it is probable that the proposed international commission or the regulation of boxing will include Denmark and Switzerland, as well as England, France and America.

Definite arrangements for the preliminary receivings of the commission will inary meetings of the commission will probably be completed within a few

Perrins Cover Amount Deposited By C. P. R.

McCarty was to d—big."

And McCarty, at his hotel, paid a tribute to the gameness displayed by his anquished opponent by remarking to the newspaper men.

"I didn't know they ever made men so game. I didn't believe any living man of Flynn's size could have stood up so long under the punishment I was able to administer."

As the result of his desperate fight against overwhelming odds, Flynn, lefeated, has more friends and admirers here than he ever had before. In his lefeated, has more friends and admirers here than he ever had before. In his hattered face, he was the arrangements in connection with the match have been made, owing to the fact that Mr. McNeil has so far been that Mr. McNeil has so far been the c. P. R. team. Telephone messages have failed to bring any response from the C. P. R. man, and the matter is being further held up by the absence of communication between the two teams. The Perrin team is desirous of making the arrangements for the match as soon as possible, but apparently the C. P. R. are contented to take their time. Since the letter published in The Advertiser on Monday, nothing has been heard from the c. P. R. team.

Taking his reputation as champion to checker player of uptown New York. His checker player blayed players of the Y. M. C. A. from the ranks of the Y. M. C. A. from the ranks of the Y. M. C. A. from the ranks of the Y. M. C. A. from the ranks of the Y. M. C. A. from the ranks of the Y. M. C. A. from the ranks of the Y. M. C. A. from the ranks of the Y. M. C. A. from the ranks of the early morning kept the spectators at the early morning kept the six-day bicycle race in their sets to day until after daylight. Notwithstand-the players sliting played simultaneously, the players sliting players sliting the early morning kept the early morning the almost coation. The games were players sliting the almost coation. The games were bady until after daylight. Notwithstand the simulation of the sim defeated, has more friends and admirers here than he ever had before. In his lotel, where he spent the morning doctoring his battered face, he was the recipient of the congratulations of hundreds who saw him go down to defeat, With this fight out of the way, fans today are looking forward to the battle on New Year's day between McCarty and Al. Palzer, the only other Palzer two weeks ago signed an agreement to meet the winner of the Flynn-McCarty battle. He came here from New York a week ago and began

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HAMBY SHORE SIGNS

Ottawa, Dec. 11 .- "Coo" Dion, formerly of the Winnipeg Victorias, settled all The Seal doubt tonight as to where he would play

A STAR NET MINDER

CHRISTY MATHEWSON SOME CHECKER PLAYER

New York, Dec. 12.-Christy Mathewon, who at certain seasons of the year is known to the public as a baseball pitcher, took his famous right arm to the West Side Y. M. C. A. last night and used it with excellent results in maintaining his reputation as champion

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Chicago, Dec. 12.-The status of Montreal, Dec. 12.—Dicky Boon, manager of the Wanderers, thinks he has a wonder in Edwards, a young Kingston goal tender, who he tried out in the nets yesterday Edwards stopped all kinds of hot shots from Cleghorn. Roberts and Hyland like a veteran. The men who turned out to the first practice of the Wanderers yesterday were Broughton, Boyes and Edwards, in goal; Art Ross and Sprague Cleghorn, defence; Gordie Roberts, Ernie Russell, Oudie Cleghorn. Harry Hyland, Art Bernier, forwards.

Mordecai Brown, former pitcher for the Chicago Nationals, which has been in doubt, was settled last night by Wm. New, of the Louisville club, of the American Association. He said Brown belonged to Louisville, which wanted him as a pitcher for next season, but that the club would not stand in the way if Brown desired to better himself by accepting a position as umpire in one of the big leagues.

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HAIR-RAISING SPRINTS AND FREQUENT FALLS

Six-Day Riders Provide Excitement for

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Dec. 12.—A series of hair-raising sprints and frequent fails during the early morning kept the spectators at the six-day bicycle race in their seats

DOINGS IN CITY HOCKEY CIRCLES

light training. Palzer was one of those who witnessed last night's pattle.

"McCarty Too Big" 3ays Jim;

"Flynn Game One" Says Luther

is nose broken and his lips torn to shreds by the terrific battering he re-

ay made no comment on his defeat except the statement:

white hope" regarded here as being in McCarty's class.

eived last night at the hands of Luther McCarty, Jim Flynn, of Pueblo, to-

Los Angeles, Dec. 11.—Both eyes closed, his right ear pounded to a pulp,

will meet in the Y. M. C. A. this evening for the purpose of drawing up the James knows where to get all the schedule for the season.

game to the last.

Knox Church will place a strong team in the Presbyterian League this winter. All of last winter's men are vailable with the exception of Drs. the reports. Washburn and Parkes.

City League. "Bill" is some cage show an interest in good clean sport to make good in a convincing manstrike when they landed him.

The boards at the Simcoe rink will be painted white. This is a great help to the players, especially in the dark corners, and all hockey rinks are carrying out the idea.

There is nearly an inch of ice on the Cove. If the present cold weather continues, there will be good skating at the Cove Friday and Saturday.

Memorial Church will have a strong demonstrate what they can do on team in the Anglican League, "Jim- skates before the week is out.

The Manufacturers' Hockey League my" Orr, of the local O. H. A. hockey

It is reported that the Meds have landed Henrickson, a former Preston junior O. H. A. player. He has been in the city all summer, according to

The City Hockey League is in need "Bill" Callahan has signed up with of a trophy. This is a chance for the Western University team in the some of London's prominent men who

Drumbo has been added to Group 7, in the intermediate series. This means that there are five teams in this group which includes London. Paris, Guelph and Brantford. To win the district the winners will have to play ten games. Some district, this.

There is a good sheet of ice at the Princess rink, and the local O. H. A. candidates will have an opportunity to





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Don't regard Syrup of Figs as physic. It stimulates the liver and bowels, just as exercise would do if you harsh look of the liver and took gought of it. It is not harsh at the liver and took enough of it. It is not harsh at the line of the you is the liver and took enough of it. It is not harsh at the lime why leads to the way I should be an any look enough of it. It is not harsh at the liver and took enough of it. It is not harsh at the liver and took enough of it. It is not harsh at the lime was when he misrepresented my action in subsidizing The Firefty. I don't deny he was pretty mad at the idea of losing substicing The Firefty. I don't deny he was pretty mad at the idea of losing substicing The Firefty. I don't deny he was pretty mad at the idea of losing substicing The Firefty. I don't heavy free was pretty mad at the idea of losing substicing The Firefty. I don't heavy free was pretty mad at the idea of losing substicing The Firefty. I don't have a bear repurpant to his better nature." "Jealousy!" shrilled Helen, fier woman's wit at last finding a joint in his armor. Yet never did woman err more than she in thinking that her American suitor would flinch beneath the shaft.

"That is the word," was the quide reply. She flared into indignant scorn. "Pray tell me why he or any other man should feel jealous of you where I am concerned," she said.

"I am going to tell you right away—the lead of you by telephone last night! Of course, that part of t

bowels, just as exercise would do if you not injure. took enough of it. It is not harsh like salts or cathartics. The help but thoroughly, move on and out of which Syrup of Figs gives to a torpid your system by morning all the sour

harmless, natural and gentle.

When eyes grow dim, you help them.

liver and weak, sluggish bowels, is bile, pelsonous fermenting food and clogged-up waste matter without gripe, nausea or weakness.

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OXFORD PIONEER

Mrs. Augusta Nichols Dies at Home in Ingersoll.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ingersoll, Dec. 12. — The death oc-curred yesterday of an old and respected resident in the person of Augusta Nichols, relict of the late A.Nichols, of North Oxford, who passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. L. Scott, Thames street north. The late Mrs. Nichols had been an invalid for the past two years.

For the past twelve years she had resided with her daughter. She was a member of the Methodist Church and was a regular attendant as long as her health permitted. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Scott, she leaves two sons, James and Emerson, both of North Oxford. The more venturesome youngsters.

Only One "BROMO QUININE," that is Laxative Bromo Quinine

and a few "grown-ups," have been skating on the ponds. Many warnings have been issued regarding the danger they were courting. A few local marksmen attended a big fowl shoot at Putnam yesterday. The affair was held on the river flats,

terday on business. COURT BYRON OFFICERS

Meeting.

Court Byron, No. 683, I. O. F., has elected the following officers: C. D. H. C. R. Bro. H. F. Burton; physicians, Drs. George and Shoebotham; P. C. R., Bro. Jos. Doyle; C. R., Bro. Cecil Van-Dusen; V. C. R., Bro. Allen Swazey; F. S., Bro. J. Justin; R. S., Bro. William Box; treasurer, Bro. Thos. Gerry; orator, Bro. Alfred Ray; organist, Comp. Justin; S. W., Bro. C. Barton; J. W., Bro. Frank Campbell; S. B., Bro. Frank Calloway; J. B., Bro. William Doerr; auditors, Bros. C. Heaman and W. Lancaster; trustees, Bros. F. Campbell and J. Justin; central committee, Bros. Justin, Burton, Swazey, Comps. Bear and Galloway.

The Silent Barrier

(BY LOUIS TRACY.)

"I settled that point, too. Mr. Bower told you the facts. The deduction he forced on you was a lie. To my harmless notion of gratifying a girl's longing for a holiday abroad he added the motive that inspired his own journey. I overheard your conversation with Miss Jaques in the Embankment Hotel; I saw Bower introduced to you; I saw him looking for you in Victoria Station, and knew that he represented the meeting as accidental. I felt certain responsibility on your account, so I followed by the next train. Bower played his cards so well that I found myself in a difficult position. I was busy guessing; but was unable to prove anything, while the one story I was sure of was not in the game. And then, you see, he wanted to make you his wife, which brought about the real complication. I haven't much use for him, but I must be fair, and Bower's only break was when he misrepresented my action in holiday abroad he added the motive that

ner.
"Well, it ought to interest you. But it has humorous points to which I can't do justice under present conditions. You are right, Helen—you most always are. The real question at issue is my position in the deal, which becomes quite clear when I say that you are the only woman I have ever loved or ever shall love. More than that, you are the only woman to whom I have ever spoken a word of love, and as I have set about loving the dearest and prettiest and healthiest girl I have ever seen, it is safe to figure that you will have sole claim on all the nice things I can try to say to any woman during the remainder of my life."

He hestiated a moment. He did not appear to notice that Helen, after a rebellous gasp or two, had suddenly become very still.

and Stop Hair From Falling

"I suppose I ought to have fixed up a finer bit of word painting than that," he continued slowly. "As a matter of fact, I don't mind admitting that ever since II don't mind admit 'I suppose I ought to have fixed up poorest sort of prevaricator I know. And the reason those set forms wouldn't work at the right moment is that they were addressed to the silent air. You are near me now, my sweet. You are almost in my arms. You are in my arms, Helen, and it sounds just right to keep on telling you that I love you now and shal love you for ever. Oh, my dear, my dear, you must never, never, run away again! Search the dictionary for all the unkindest things you can say about me: but But besides killing the germs it supplies nourishment to the hair; stops it from falling out and causes it to grow that when you are absent the day is night, and the night is akin to death."

Guide Pietro was somewhat a pholosopher. Stamping about on the tiny stone plateau of the hut to keep at bay the cold mists from the glacier, he happened to glance through the open door. He rew away instantly.
"Bartelommeo," he said to his com-anion, "we shall not cross the Sella to-"Bartelommeo," he said to his contrained to his contrained with our charming voyageur."

Bartelommeo was surprised. He looked at the clean cut crest of the rock, glowing now in vivid sunlight. Argument was not required; he pointed silently with the stem of his pipe.

decision will be reached.

Among those present were Dr. Ramsay, Halifax; Dr. Forest, Halifax; Dr. Forest, Halifax; Dr. Montreal; Dr. Armstrong, Dr. Weish, Montreal; Dr. Armstrong, Dr. Herridge, Ottawa; Stem of his pipe. stem of his pipe.
"Yes," murmured Pietro. "We couldn't

have a better day for the pass. It is not the weather." "Then what is it?" asked Bartelommeo, moved to speech.

'She is going the other way. Didn't you catch the tears in her voice yesterday? She smiled at my stories, and carried hereby but her eyes were heavy, and

She smiled at my stories, and carried herself bravely; but her eyes were heavy, and the corners of her mouth drooped when she was left to her thoughts. And again, my friend, did you not see her face when the young signor arrived?"

"She was frightened."

Pietro laughed softly. "A woman always fears her lover," he said. "That is just the reason why you married Caterina. You liked her for her shyness. It made you feel yourself a man—a devil of a fellow. Don't you remember how timid she was, how she tried to avoid you, how she would lodge into anybody's chalet rather than meet you?"

"But how do you know?" demanded Bartelommeo, waking into resentful ap-

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Mrs. Anna Rodriguez writes as follows from her home in Valencia: "For a long time I suffered with failand although weather conditions were ing strength and nagging headaches. very adverse there was a large attendance. Many good scores were made. My condition grew steadily worse, tendance. Many good scores were made. My condition grew steadily worse, my limbs became bloated and shaky.

Mr. J. G. Gibson was in Toronto yespains, dizziness and chills. I unforiunately didn't suspect my kidneys and was nearly dead when I discovered the true cause of my sufferings. South London Court Held Ite Annual health and strength that comes to all who use Dr. Hamilton's Pills that I felt sure they would help me. Such

preciation of Pietro's close acquaintance with his wooing.

"Because I married Lola two years earlier. Women are all the same, no matter what country they hail from—nervous as young chamois before marriage—but after! Body of Bacchus! Was it on Wednesday that Caterina hauled you out of the albergo to chop firewood?"

Bartelommeo grunted, and put his pipe in his mouth again. CHAPTER XVII.

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The Settlement.

Though Helen was the better linguist, it was left to Spencer to explain that circumstances would prevent the lady from going to Malenco that day. He did not fully understand why the men should exchange glances of darksome intelligence when he made this statement. He fancied they were disappointed at losing a good customer; so he went on brokenly:

"You are in a hurry, eh. Well, then, take us across the glacier to the Aguag-llouls. We should obtain a fine view from the summit, and get back to the hotel for luncheon. I will pay the same rates as for the Sella."

Both guides were manifestly pleased.

as for the Sella."

Both guides were manifestly pleased. Pietro began a voluble recital of the glories that would meet their enraptured gaze from the top of the mighty rock.

"You will see the Bernina splendidly," he cried, "and Roseg, too, and the Gluschant, and Il Chaputschin. If the lady will trust to us, we can bring her down the Tschierva glacier safely. You are a climber, signor, else you could never have crossed the ta before dawn. But let us make another cup of coffee. The middle Roseg ice is safe at any hour, and if we are on the rock by 9 o'clock that will be perfect for the sun."

Already a grand panorama of glaciers

Already a grand panorama of glaciers and peaks was unfolding itself. A cloudless sky promised a lovely August day, and what that means in the high Alps the mountaineer alone can tell. But Spencer turned his back on the outer glory. He had eyes only for Helen, while she, looking mistily at the giant rock across the valley, saw it not at all, for she was peering into her own soul, and found the prospect dazzling in its pure ound the prospect dazzling in its pure

delight.

So they sat down to a fresh brew of coffee, and Spencer horrified Helen by a confession that he had eaten nothing since the previous evening. Her tender solicitude for his needs, her hasty unpacking of rolls and sandwiches, her anxiety that he should endeavor to consume the whole of the provisions intended for the device. of the provisions intended for the day's march, were all sufficing guerdon for the sufferings of those miserable days since the hour when Mrs. de la Vere told him that Helen had gone. It was a new experience for Spencer to have a gracious and smiling woman so greatly concerned for his welfare; but it was decidedly of the provisions intended for the day's and smiling woman so greatly concerned for his welfare; but it was decidedly agreeable. These little attentions admitted so much that she dared not tell—as yet. And he had such a budget of news for her! Though he found it difficult to eat and talk at the same time, he boldly made the attempt.

[To be Continued.]

UNION DISCUSSED BY PRESBYTERIANS

Basis Accepted by the General Assembly Taken Up at Toronto Meeting.

ing of Presbyterians from all over the Dominion met today at St. James' Square Presbyterian Church to discuss The document passed by the General Assembly for the purpose of amalgamation was read and discussed, but owing to the comprehensive character of the document some time will elapse before a

Principal Gordon, Kingston; Dr. Mac-Gillivray, Kingston; Dr. R. P. MacKay, Dr. Somerville, Dr. J. L. Murray, Toronto; Dr. McOirum, Dr. Bryce, Winnipeg; W. G. Brown, Red Deer; Principal MacKay, Vancouver; R. W. Dickie, Dr. B. D. Fraser, Principal Mc-Kinnon, Halifax; Dr. R. E. Scott, Montreal; Dr. Drummond, Hamilton; Dr Farquharson, Durham; R. S. Laidlaw Brandon; J. A. Cranston, Fort William; W. G. Wilson, Moose Jaw. The meeting was presided over by Dr. Clark, Montreal.

SYNDICATE BUYS BANQUE INTERNATIONAL

No Merger With Home, But Some Other Institution May Be Absorbed.

Montreal, Dec. 11. — A syndicate, headed by Sir Henry Pellatt, of Toronto, today took over the Paris shares of the Banque Internationale, an option on which was secured by a local group of capitalists, headed by J. M. Fortier, just a month ago. The transfer of the shares was put through this affernoon, 52,575 shares in all, and a check for \$286,000 was drawn up and will be paid over to the representatives of the Paris interests tomorrow. Considerable speculation surrounds the entrance of Sir Henry Pellatt into he bank's affairs. It has been stated definitely that the Home Bank has ceased to figure in negotiations for the acquirement of the Internationale. At the same time the fact that Sir Henry Pellatt is now in the field leads to some supposition that Toronto interests are interested in the Internationale and that another movement may be afoot which will lead to an absorption of another character than that recent-

In the meantime the only announcement made today, both by Sir Ro-dolphe Forget and C. A. Bernard, K.C. who has been acting in the recent legal negotiations, was to the effect that a syndicate headed by Sir Henry Pellatt had taken over the French stock and Ball. that the business of the bank would This is the largest court of the or be continued as usual until its future der in London. had been decided upon by the new

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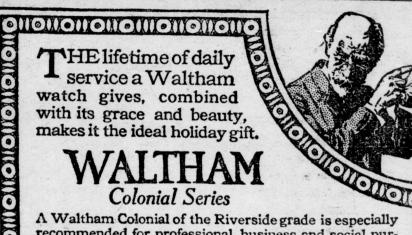
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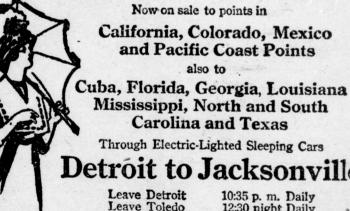
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ENDED HER LIFE

Mrs. Thomas Mather, of Comber, Took Quantity of Laudanum. [Special to The Advertiser.] Comber, Dec. 11 .- Mrs. Thomas Ma-

despondency, swallowed two ounces of Yonge street, Toronto. laudanum yesterday afternoon and died from the effects today. Mrs. Mather worried much over domestic troubles and made several prévious attempts to end her life. Besides her husband, who is a well-known thresher, she leaves two children, Stella, aged 20, and Edgar,



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BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the East—*3:52 a.m.,
10:56 a.m., *11:12 a.m., *11:28 a.m.,
*6:30 p.m., *8:00 p.m., 10:45 p.m.

Arrive from the West—*12:14 a.m.,
3:43 a.m., 8:50 a.m., *11:55 a.m., 1:10
p.m., *4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the East—*12:19 a.m.,
*3:48 a.m., 7:20 a.m., 9:00 a.m., *12:05
p.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:53 p.m.

Depart for the West—*3:57 a.m., 7:40
a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 1:40 p.m.,
8:20 p.m. Depart for the West—\$3:57 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 8:20 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR, Arrive—10:23 a.m., *4:00 p.m., 6:50 p.m., 11:05 p.m.

Depart—6:35 a.m., *11:43 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 8:05 p.m.

STRATFORD BRANCH.

Arrive—11:15 a.m., 1:39 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m.

Depart—6:00 a.m., 10:26 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:40 p.m.

Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

marked, daily, except Sunday. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Arrive from the East—*11:42 a.m.,
6:50 p.m., *8:15 p.m., *11:12 p.m.

Arrive from the West—*4:30 a.m.,
11:20 a.m., *12:15 p.m., *5:45 p.m., 5:15 p.m.
Depart for the East—*4:38 a.m., 7:00
a.m., *12:25 p.m., *5:55 p.m.
Depart for the West—8:00 a.m.,
*11:50 a.m., 7:00 p.m., *8:23 p.m., *11:20 p.m.
Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY. Arrive—7:04 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 4:55 p.m., 9:40 p.m. Depart—7:20 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:20 p.m., 10:11 p.m.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY. Arrive—8:45 a.m., *12:25, 1:50, 4:38, Depart—5:50, *7:10, 9:45 a.m., 2:30, *4:15, †7:00 p.m.

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COMMERCIAL FINANCIAL

TORONTO, Dec. 11.—Baled hay—The market is steady, with supplies more liberal; No. 1 is quoted at \$13 to \$13 50, on track at Toronto; No. 2, \$12; mixed hay is quoted at \$10 50 to \$11 a ton, on track. Baled straw—The market is quiet, with prices of good straw quoted at \$9 50, on track at Toronto.

SUGAR.

TORONTO, Dec. 11.—There was a fairly good trade today, with prices generally steady. Raisins and nuts in good demand. Sugars are quoted in Toronto, in bags, as follows: Extra granulated, Redpath's, \$4 85; do Redpath's, 20-lb bags, \$4 95; do St. Lawrence, \$2 85; do St. Lawrence, 20-lb bags, \$4 95; extra Stan. Gran. Acadia, bags, \$4 75; Imperial, granulated, \$4 70; Beaver, \$4 70; No. 1 yellow, \$4 45; unbranded yellow, Acadia, \$4 25.

TORONTO, Dec. 11.—The price of some standard lines of leather to the trade are as follows: No. 1 Spanish sole, for jobbing, per lb, 36c to 37c; No. 1 slaughter sole, heavy. 41c to 42c; harness, best No. 1 R., 41c to 42c; harness, best No. 1 R., 41c to 42c; harness, best No. 1 R., 40c to 40c; heavy upper, 60c to 65c; French kip, \$1 15 to \$1 25; Canada calf, 75c to 85c; French kid, \$1 15 to \$1 25; Canada calf, firsts, \$1 38 to \$1 42; saddlers, russets, doz., \$11 to \$13. and heifers sold at from \$6 15 to \$7 20, and in some few isolated cases as high as \$8 per cwt. Good medium stock went at from \$5 25 to \$5 75, and common at \$2 75 to \$3 75. Cows ranged from \$3 to \$5 25, and bulls at almost the same figures. Canners changed hands at \$2 to \$5 75. Calves soid at from \$7 to \$8 for good veal, and the less choice stuff upwards from \$3. The steady demand for milkers and springers still continues, and prices range from \$45 to \$85 each. Stockers and feeders weighing between 550 and 7:0 lbs, sold at \$3 25 to \$3 75; feeding bulls, 600 to 1,000 lbs, \$2 75 to \$4 375.



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This Morning.

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in New York caused some uneasiness, but dealers here are not largely committed. American * securities opened steady. Trading was active and prices advanced from ¼ to 1% under the lead of Union Pacific and Canadian Pacific. The market reacted in the second hour and then be-came dull. Panicky conditions prevailed in the afternoon, owing to the weakness in

For Other Financial News See Page

WHY DID CHURCHILL MAKE ADMIRAL RESIGN?

Minister Said It Was Ill Health. But Bridegman Is Riding to Hounds.

London, Dec. 11. — Reports have been rife of differences between the civil lords and the sea lords of the British admiralty, and these led today to a close catechism in the House day to a close catechism in the House of Commons, by Lord Charles Beresford, of Mr. Winston Churchill, first maltese lace, and pearl trimmings, lace

Mr. Churchill confessed that Vice-Admiral Sir Francis C. Bridgeman, whose retirement from the position of first sea lord, and the succession of Prince Louis of Battenberg, were Miss Mary Garrow, niece of the of Prince Louis of Battenberg, were announced on Dec. 6, was called upon by Mr. Churchill himself to resign.

Vice-Admiral Sir Francis Bridgeman's Mrs. Fred Shephard, Mrs. Charles Lee withdrawal, without having authority to do so. "I take the full responsibility for the statement," he added, and went on to say that no differences of view of policy had led to any disagreement.

Differences are seid to have arisen.

the sea lords demanding more generous treatment for them. While Vice-Admiral Sir Francis pink and white carnations and palms. Bridgeman's health is not too robust, the fact that he was riding to hounds in Yorkshire yesterday lends to confirm the general impression that the state of his health does not explain satisfactorily his withdrawal

on the subject of increasing the pay

FASHIONABLE WEDDING IN GODERICHCHURCH

from the admiralty

Miss Helen Shephard Becomes Bride of Mr. Thomas Prest.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Goderich, Dec. 11 .- A very fashionable wedding took place at St George's English Church today, when Miss Helen Shephard, third daughter of Captain Shephard, was united in marriage to Thomas Prest, of the Bank of Commerce here. Rev. Mr. Fether-

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ingham, rector of the parish, performed the ceremony.

The bride was given away by her

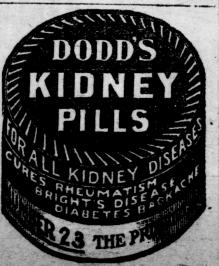
veil, bouquet of roses and lilies of the

valley. The bridesmaids were Miss Daisy

bride, was flower girl. by Mr. Churchill himself to resign.

Mr. Churchill also admitted that he gave ill-health as an explanation of Weyburn, Sask., sisters of the bride.

Differences are said to have arisen Doyle, Miss Hodge, and Miss Clifford. on the subject of increasing the pay of the officers and men of the navy, the sea lords demanding more sea, brother-in-law of the bride. The house was beautifully decorated with



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It is now the largest company in Canada engaged entirely in freight lake transportation. All are modern steel vessels. We offer for sale at par 9,500 fully-paid shares of the above-described Preference stock, carrying a bonus of 15% of the amount of the Preference shares in Common stock. Payments to be made as follows :---

\$25 per share with subscription,

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on January 2nd, 1918,

with the right to the subscriber to pay in full on allotment, or on January 2nd, 1913, or with accrued dividend, on February 1st, 1913, thereafter ranking for the full quarter's dividend, payable April 1st, 1913. Subscription books are now open at our offices, and will close not later than Saturday, the 21st inst. at noon.

The right is reserved to allot only such subscriptions and for such amounts as may be approved, and to close the subscription books without notice. Fractions of Common shares will be adjusted on allotment at \$70 per share.

The first dividend on the Preserence shares is to be paid on April 1st, 1913, for the quarter commencing January 2nd, 1913. Thereafter Preserence share dividends will be paid quarterly. Interest on payments on account of subscriptions will be paid on the first dividend date, April 1st, 1913, at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from dates made.

In view of the large earnings for the current season, and the valuable freight contracts held by the Company, combined with the generally favorable business prospects, the Directors propose to place the Common stock on a dividend-paying basis from July 1st, next, at the rate of five per cent. per annum, payable quarterly, the first payment to be on October 1st for the quarter then ending.

The Company's Managing Director, Mr. J. W. Norcross, has had a wide and successful experience as master of some of the largest vessels on the great lakes, and, later, in the management of transportation companies. He is generally regarded as having a thorough knowledge of the business of water transportation, and his important traffic affiliations will be of great value to the Company in keeping the fleet employed. He will be supported by Directors several of whom have been actively associated with lake shipping for many years, and whose connections will be valuable in securing traffic.

Application will be made in due course to have the Preference and Common shares listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange. Preference Shares are preferential, both as to assets and cumulative dividends, at the rate of 7% per annum, and are redeemable at 110. The Preference Shareholders have the right to elect two of the seven directors.

Validity of the issue of Preference and Common shares has been certified to by Messrs. Rowell, Reid, Wood & Wright, and Messrs. Thomson, Tilley & Johnston. The Company has filed a prospectus and an agreement between Canadian Interlake Line. Limited, and S. Casey Wood, the younger, as Trustee for the Canada Interlake Line, Limited, in the office of the Provincial Secretary, where they may be inspected during business hours.

The amount of underlying bonds is \$720,000, and there is mortgage indebtedness of \$66,432. The Company's charter provides that a Reserve Fund, which may be used in the business of the Company, shall be established out of the earnings, at the rate of 3% per annum on the amount of the outstanding Preference capital.

This transfer to Reserve is cumulative, and is to be made before payment of any dividend upon the Common stock. When the fund reaches 50% of the total outstanding Preference stock, the Charter provides that it is to be so maintained, and if the fund reaches 50% of the total outstanding Freierence stock, the Charter provides that it is to be so maintained, and if at any time it is drawn upon it is to be in like manner restored and maintained. The advantage to the Preference Shareholders of this provision is manifest.

Subscriptions may be forwarded by mail or by telegraph at our expense. They may be on regular forms, which may be had on request, or, where these are not available, letters simply stating that so many shares are subscribed for under the terms of the offering will be sufficient.

A memorandum is appended, giving features of the business furnished by Mr. J. W. Norcross, Managing Director, which includes figures as to earnings for the year 1912, certified by Messrs. Clarkson & Cross, Chartered Accountants. Full particulars relating to the offering have been published in folder form, and may be seen at our office, or will be

We recommend the purchase of these shares from the standpoint of security, interest return and prospects of increase in their market value.

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ROYAL INSURANCE BUILDING, MONTREAL STATEMENTS FROM MANAGING DIRECTOR'S LETTER:

The fleet consists of 14 modern steel freighters, having a capacity, measured in bushels of wheat, of 1,662,500 bushels. The names of the ships are as follows : Canadian, Acadian, Regina, Kenora, Tagona, Fordonian, Gordon, Hamiltonian, Calgarian, McKinstry, Renvoyle, Cadillac, Pioneer, and Mars.

The "Fordonian" and "Calgarian" are new ships, almost completed, which will be ready for operation at the opening of navigation in 1918. The first nine vessels constitute the finest, most modern and best equipped fleet of canal size package freighters operating on the Great Lakes. The "McKinstry," "Renvoyle," "Cadillac" and "Pioneer" are thoroughly modern steel bulk

freighters, and are also of canal size. The "Mars" is engaged in freight traffic on the Lakes west from Buffalo and Port Colborne and on Georgian Bay. Arrangements to acquire the 14 vessels were made when

Arrangements to acquire the Tvesses with another tonnage was comparatively cheap, and they could not be replaced to-day except at a considerable advance upon the purchase price.

The total insurance on the fleet is over \$1,800,000, which

exceeds the total of the Preference stock and underlying Bonds. The Company's fleet has been specially constructed for the purpose of handling package as well as bulk freight, with the result that advantage has been taken of the largely-increasing volume of package freight offering from eastern ports to the west. The considerable number of vessels in the fleet secures to shippers a regular and frequent service, and, as a result, the line has formed important and valuable shipping connections at Montreal and intermediate points, and at Port Arthur, Fort William and Westfort, the lake ports of the three great Canadian railways.

Considerable of the Company's tonnage is protected by favorable contracts, having from three to seven years to run. Under these contracts 180,000 tons of westbound freight were handled this year. The Company has also a contract for each of the next three years for transportation of pulpwood for four boats for the four months of the season of navigation when tonnage is slackest. The value of seven of the vessels, as fixed by the appreisal made by the Canadian Appraisal Company on April 15. 1912, and by the purchase prices of the additional vessels totals \$1,851,958, and is in excess of the total of the underlying Bonds

and Preference stock. The Company will be in a strong financial position, having ample working capital and three of its vessels free of bonded indebtedness. By 1925 the Sinking Fund will have retired the Bonds on four other vessels, and those now outstanding will then have been reduced to \$220,000, while in 1827 all the exist-

ing Bonds will have been paid off. NET EARNINGS-1912.

The net earnings for the year 1912, up to November 30th, of the Canadian, Acadian, Regina, Kenora, Tagona, McKinstry and Renvoyle, and of the Gordon from July 1st only (being date of purchase), and the Hamiltonian Estimated for balance of season 14,000

ESTIMATED NET EARNINGS-1913.

Canadian, Acadian, Regina, Kenora, Tagona. McKinstry, Renvoyle, Gordon and Hamiltonian the same as for 1912, notwithstanding that the Gordon and Hamiltonian were not in commission for the first three months of the navigation season\$225,000 Fordonian, Calgarian (almost completed and will be in commission on April 1st, 1913, at opening of navigation

Total net earnings from operation......\$\$48,000 Interest on Bonds and Mortgages.....\$46,750

Sinking Fund for Bonds 67,000

Net earnings on Common Stock

It will, therefore, be seen that, after paying out of the earnings the heavy charge of \$67,000 for Sinking Fund, there would, in accordance with the above, remain an earning on the Preference Capital of 23.4%, and after payment of the preterred dividend and making provision for the Reserve Fund there is a surplus equivalent to 18.4% on the Common Stock.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

For Other Markets

PRODUCE.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—Prices were weak and lower on the bourse today. Canadian Pacific lost 3½ points. Exchange on London, 20 marks 44½ pfennigs for checks; money, 5½ per cent; private discount rate, 6 per cent.

STOLE FROM CARS

in Transit.

ago, were not taken from stores in

AMUSEMENTS

"Milestones" an Unusual Play.

promised when "Milestones," the de-

Edward Knoblauch, which is the sen-

"The Bohemian Girl."

spectacular production of "The Bohem-

an Girl," in English, to the Grand on Monday evening, next, should prove among the most important of the sea-

son's offerings. Balfe's masterpiece will

be presented in a lavish stage environ-

ment that is said to rival any of the

many productions given to this opera

in its 70 years of popularity. The mag-nificence of the Aborn version combin-

ed with the wealth of detail never be-

satisfy'ng

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[Special to H. C. Becher.]

Open. High. Low. 83% 84½ 83% 89¼ 85% 89%

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.

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COBALT STOCK EXCHANGE. [Edward Cronyn & Co., members of the oronto Stock Exchange, report the following quotations on the mining market

TORONTO, Dec. 12.—Beaver, 40 to 41; Chambers-Ferland, 204 to 21½; Conlagas, 7.50 to 7.60; Cabalt City, 7 to 28; Cobalt Lake, 50 to 52; La Rose, 240 to 2.50; Mc-Kinley-Darragh, 2.10 to 2.20; Nipissing, 840 to 8.50, Peterson Lake, 15 to 16; Temiskaming, 40 to 41; Dome Extension, 83, to 94; Dome, 194, to 204; Hollinger, 16 to 154; Jupiter, 37 to 3712; Preston E. Dome, 34, to 4; Swastika, 34, to 94;

5 to 15%; Jupiter, 37 to 3172. F S. Dome, 3% to 4: Swastika, 9% t Vipond, 18 to 19.	0 9%;	Wheat— Open. High. Low. Close. no Dec 83% 84½ 83% 84% att May 89% 85% 85% A
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Canadian Salt	1121/2	COTTON
City Dairy, com		[Special to H. C. Becher.]
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Detroit United 1872	68	19 530
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Winning Palway7.60	7.50	London Stock Exchange. LONDON, Dec. 12.—Stocks closed today for
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La Rose	8.40	do, for account, 74%; Amalgamated Copper, 76%; Anaconda, 7%; Atchison, 108%; c
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Dominion Hon	2361/2	and Ohio, 80, xd.; Chicago Great Western,
Bank of Hamilton	190	De Beers, 2014: Denver and Dio Grande,
Merchants' Park		20%; do, preferred, 39; Erle, 32; do(first preferred, 49%; do, second preferred, 41;
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Canada Perminent	1953	Pacific. 158%: do. preferred. 93%: United 1
Central Canada	80 77	States Steel, 67%; do, preferred, 110%; Wabash, 4; do, preferred, 13%. Bar silver
Dominion Savings		steady, 29 9-16d per ounce. Money, 4 to 4% per cent. Discount rates—Short bills,
Tramilton Provident	125	5 per cent; three months' bills, 4% to 5
Huron and Frie, 20 p. c. pd	195 141	per cent. Paris Exchange.
Landed Banking	120	PARIS. Dec. 12.—The bourse was heavy l
Mational Trust	215 164	today. Three per cent rentes, 89 francs 80 centimes for the account; exchange on
Ontario Loan. 20 p. c. paid.	. 152	London, 25 francs 22½ centimes for checks; private discount rate, 3½ per
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Rio Janeiro, 1st mort. ... 9814
Sao Pau'o bonds ... 100
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Montreal Stock Exchange.

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MONTREAL. Dec. 12.—Morning Sales:
C. P. R., 1.130 at 255 to 259½; Detroit
United, 110 at 71 to 71¼; Montreal Power,
1,531 at 221½ to 225½; R. and O., 615 at
110¼ to 111½; Twin City, 60 at 103 to
104; Toronto Railway, 108 at 139½ to
140; Soo, 125 at 137 to 136; Shawinigan,
150 at 135 to 134½; Winnipeg Railway,
25 at 215; Montreal Tramway, 25 at 140;
Steel Corporation, 909 at 57½ to 56½;
Scotia, 265 at 86 to 94; Mackay, 6 at \$2
to 84; ePnmans, 120 at 55 to 54½; Domin-Steel Corporation, 909 at 57½ to 55½; Scotia, 265 at 86 to 94; Mackay, 6 at 82 to 84; ePnmans, 120 at 55 to 54½; Dominion Textile, 465 at 81½ to 80¾; Canada Car, 145 at 81½; Spanish River, 125 at 63 to 62¾; Canada Cement, 200 at 27 to 27¾; Dominion Canners, 175 at 68½ to 67¾; Laurentide, 10 at 218 to 217½; Canadian Cotton, 175 at 29¾; Montreal Cotton, 100 at 61½; Montreal Cotton, preferred, 45 at 103¾ to 104; Dominion Iron, pireferred, 10 at 103½ to 104; Textile, preferred, 25 at 104¾; Sherwin-Williams, preferred, 25 at 99; Cement, preferred, 87 at 92¾; to 92½; Canada Cotton, preferred, 10 at 76; Spanish River, preferred, 35 at 93½ to 94½; Canada Cotton, preferred, 10 at 76; Spanish River, preferred, 35 at 93½; to 94½; Canada Cotton, preferred, 10 at 76; Spanish River, preferred, 35 at 93½; to 94 Bonds—Dominion Coal, \$1,000 at 98½; Canada Cotton, preferred, 25 at 95½ to 205½; Nova Scotia, 28 as 265; Montreal, 1 at 243. Crowp Reserve, 75 at 3.50.

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BROWN CITY, MICH., AT MERCY OF FLAMES

Saginaw Asked to Send Help and Detroit Says Wires Are Down.

[Canadian Press.]
Saginaw, Mich., Dec. 12.—The Saginaw fire department, shortly before munication with Brown City at noon had been cut off.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 12.-"Minute, A Social. own burning up." The foregoing message was received here early this afternoon by the Western Union Telegraph Company, when it of the winter's work. Mr. Harmon attempted to communicate with its Westland, the president, briefly outoperator at Brown City for information concerning the fire raging there. Communication then ceased, and the com-

GEO. HEAMAN GUES

rany opened his store for business. So many gems had been taken that the shop was closed in order that an inventory might be taken.

The establishment, flanked by stores of fashionable silversmiths, was entered during the night through a hole sawed in the celling from a dressmaker's shop on the second floor, after the wall of the building adjoining had been pierced. Behind curtained windows the thieves urned on the lights and smashed four large showcases, taking their entire contents. A locker was forced and a shop girl's apren stolen to carry away the gems. With a rope the robbers made their exit through the ceiling. Detectives with microscopes studied the broken showcases today in an effort to obtain fingerprints of the burglars.

EAST LONDON NEWS Loot of Boy-Thieves Was Taken While MUCH HAD BEEN DONE; Toronto, Dec. 12.-The stolen goods found in the cave at Weston when two MUCH STILL TO DO

Mr. A. J. Morgan's Address to Baptist

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Missionary Society.

The annual meeting of the Baptist men's missionary committee was held in the Adelaide Street Baptist Church, the pastors with representatives of the various churches of the denomination being present. Mr. A. J. Morgan, the retiring president, pointed out that though much had been done since the organization of the committee, it would require increased effort and consecration, if the committee was to reach the goal which it was expected to reach. Rev. H. H. Bingham, Rev. Steeves and others thought we had every reason to others thought we had every reason to Days. be encouraged. Statistics since the formation of the committee, about five years ago, show a healthy increase. In 1908 the amount given to missions by the five Baptist Churches of the city was \$1,890.70, and in 1912 It was \$6,-169.06. The average giving per member for missions for lightful comedy by Arnold Bennett and was \$1.06, \$1.86, \$2.25, \$2.86 and \$3.35 respectively, which shows an increase

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TRY THIS

Chicago, Dec. 12. - G. S. Faber, a civil engineer, with a penchant for chronological dates figured out last night that at 12 minutes past noon today one may take a firm grip of his pen and write the date, 12:12-12-12-

If there is a desire to add another 12 to the date line one can wait until 12 seconds after the

Faber figured further that the next time it will be possible to get a like combination will be in 98 years, 11 months, 2 days, 23 hours, and 58 minutes, Then it will be possible to write the exact date 10:10-10-10-10.

LOCAL ITEMS

L, and N. Visitor.
Mr. F. E. Weiss, of 1025 Majestic Building, Detroit, travelling passenger agent of the Louisville and Nashville Railway, was a visitor at the Grand Trunk depot this morning. Floral Offerings.

Among the floral offerings received

at the funeral of Alex. E. Buchanan, the victim of Monday's elevator accident at Silverwood's, Limited, were: Gates ajar, from Silverwood's employees; wreath, R. Willis & Sons; noon today, was urged to hurry appar-spray, Mrs. J. Taylor; spray, Anna Hoatus to Brown City, in Sannac County. gan; wreath, Miss Anna Campbell; A message from that town said a seri-ous connagration was raging. Com- Alex. and Will Mackison; spray, Harold Smith; wreath, Local No. 33, Steve Mounters' Union; spray, Miss Bertha McGee, and many others.

The members of Knox Church Young People's Society held a social in the hall of the church to mark the opening lined the policy of the society. Mr. MacIntosh, of King Street Presby terian Church, the guest of the evening pany has not been able to secure addi- in a vigorous speech, showed what the tional information. were given by the following: Miss Fitchett, Miss Alma Grigg, Miss Ir-win, Mr. J. A. Stewart, all of them TO ANOTHER SITE having to respond with an encore. Mrs.

street east and runs back to Oxford, Quite a portion of the farm is marshy, but with good drainage it should prove to be a very valuable piece of land. The transfer is being made out.

The property at the northeast corner of Waterloo and Victoria streets, which was purchased as a possible site for St. Michael's Church, later erected on the corner of Cheapside and Maithand streets, has been sold by the church for the sum of \$4,000. The lot includes 50 feet on Waterloo street and 300 feet on Victoria, and was bought three years ago for the sum of \$1,800.

BIG DIAMOND STEAL

Gems to the Value of \$25,000 Taken From a N. Y. Store.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Dec. 12.—A \$25,000 diamond robbery in a Fifth avenue jewelry shop was discovered today when Joseph Varga, head of the Varga Jewelry Company ogened his store for business. So many agms had been taken that the lowest part of the Ministry of the Mapping and Toll. Althen—Tempthating and Toll. Part and Other Sermons. Gwatkin—Early Church History of the Church of English. Which, believing trains, but that he had ashed almost at full speed into the stancing cars.

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Sewage Sludge. Huff—Huff's Talks on
Real Salesmanship. Taylor—Principles
of Scientific Management. Trezise—Typography of Advertisement. Hunter—

of Scientific Management, Trezise—Typography of Advertisement, Hunter—Tapestries. Hayden—Chats on Cottage and Farmhouse Furniture, Champlin and Bostwick—Young Folks' Cyclopedia of Games and Sports. Dunne—Draughts Praxis: A Practical Guide to Scientific Checkers. Chesterton—Ballad of the White Horse. Chesteton—Miscellany of Men. Maeterlinck—On Emerson and Other Essays, Young—Finland. Winter—Chili and Her People of Today. Edmonton and Stratheona Directory, 1911. London City Directory, 1913. Ottawa City Directory, 1911. Cartwright—Reminiscences. Horne — David Livingstone. Fitchett — Wesiey and His Century. Thompson—John Wesley as a Social Reformer.

NEW C. P. R. BOATS. Montreal, Dec. 12.-The Canadian Pacific Railroad will have two new oats running from Liverpool to Mon-PERSONAL ao aoin p- J mf taolwyac treal in 1914. The new steamers, which have been ordered from the Barclay Gurle Company, of Glasgow, are to be of the two classes' type and will carry of over 300 per cent, in that period. 530 first-class and 1,230 second-class. The officers elected for the following passengers. The ships will be fitted out a oil burners, though they will also

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Disastrous Wreck on Northern Division of the Grand Trunk.

KILLED WAS

Fast Freight Hit Cars That Had Been Shunted Into the Main Line.

Midland, Dec. 11. — The failure to flag the approach of a fast grain train at Waubaushene, a station about 16 miles from Midland, resulted at noon today, in one of the worst wrecks in of the Grand Trunk system, in which one employee was killed, two others seriously hurt, while two huge en-

Laidlaw, banker, mentioned Dorothy Arnold and said that he had known her from the time when she was a little girl. and that the Arnolds realized that "the worst" had happened to her.

Mr. Laidlaw explained yesterday that he had known the Arnoids for many years and was familiar with their efforts to find Miss Arnoid, although he was not speaking in any way by authority. He said that he believed and knew that the Arnolds believed that Dorothy Arnold had been kidnapped, probably by white slavers, and he went on to say that he himself believed that when the kidnappers discovered that their victim, was a member of a family of sufficient means to enforce a continued search for her she was murdered to prevent discovery. Mr. Laidlaw and his wife have interest-Mr. Landaw and his whe have interested themselves in the white slave and other social problems, and the banker was careful to have it understood that he mentioned the Dorothy Arnold case only as an illustration of what might only as an indistration of what maps happen to girls and young women of gentle birth and breeding if the slavers could lay their hands on them.

While not professing to be able to give details of her diseppearance, Mr. Laidlaw is of the opinion that Miss Arnold was continued while crossing Central rark captured while crossing Central bundled into an automobile and car

John S. Keith, attorney for the Arnold family, said that the kidnapping theory had been entertained by the family since a month or six weeks after the disappear ance of Dorothy Arnold, and that nothing had developed to alter their belief in that theory. Mr. Keith said also that the fam-ily believed that white slavery was at the ottom of the kidnapping, although robbery alsa might have been a factor. The family also believed that the young woman was murdered, probably soon after

The robbery theory, upon which muc stress was laid at one time, has since een pretty we labandened by the Arnolds and their lawyers, for the reason that er does not as a rule make away wit the body of his victim in a case he find that he has struck too hard, but thinks more of his escape.

Mrs. Arnold long ago came to the conclusion that her daughter was dead,

Mr. Keith said. Dorothy Arnold was the daughter of a New York millionaire, who disappeared one afternoon while walking on the streets

LEARN TO PREACH BY CORRESPONDENCE One of the Suggestions Made Before

Presbyterian Union Committee. [Canadian Press.]

Toronto, Dec. 12.-Among the many suggestions to be considered by the union committee of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church at its sitting now in progress is one that the doctrinal statement of the union basis should recognize the teachings of Scripture regarding the person of Satan, and should also contain an arworship. Another writer wants the position of the Protestant Union position Church with reference to the Roman Catholic Church, and provision made to the real meaning of the word Roman Catholicism.

Some of the officials think that the young mare that wrenched her right basis does not give adequate pro-foreleg, and from the shoulder down nouncement on the question of public worship and marriage. A unique sugplied Nerviline, and it worked like a gestion has been made to the union committee that there be a correspondence course for candidates for the ministry, who cannot afford to take a col-

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MISS ASQUITH COMING.

New York, Dec. 12. — One of New York's prominent holiday visitors this also smoking cigarettes."

A JURY OF WOMEN.

Idependence, Kan., Dec. 12.—Twelve Our tuners carry official letters of the wealthiest and most prominent of the wealthiest

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WOOLLEN MANUFACTURERS ASK FOR HIGHER TARIFF

And Will Protest Against In- view the interests of the consumers, creases of the British Preference.

Ottawa, Dec. 11 .- A number of and Ontario have been in the capital sumer in the Dominion. for the past few days, impressing upon the Government the need of greatand clothing manufacturers of Can-

ada. They are also taking the prenembered that ever since the British ernment. preference was established, cutting lown by one-third the protection of is competition, they have been protesting that they are not getting fair treatment as compared with other now total over twenty-two millions. manufacturing industries.

MANY WOMEN SMOKE

Examples of Ultra-Fashionables Is Followed by Large Proportion of Business Class.

London, Dec. 11.-Cigarette smoking mong English women of the middle classes is on the increase.

Not only does the ultra-fashionable woman smoke in public and in her own home, but her example is followed by ticle safeguarding the simplicity of a large proportion of the business class

A correspondent gives an instance of this fact, showing that women now for the instruction of the children as smoke in public with the utmost unconcern. "I was recently travelling north," he writes, "and dined in the third-class

restaurant car. Facing me at the table was a woman obviously of some refinement, and I hesitated to light my cigar after the meal. "To my great surprise, however, she shortly afterward produced a cigarette case and began to smoke. I then noticed that out of twelve women dining in this

and also believing that, under the existing protection, averaging over twenty per cent., the woollen industry in Canada is able to make good headway and return ample dividends on investment, declined to increase the duty and thereby put an addiwoollen manufacturers from Quebec tional tax on practically every con-

Three years ago an appeal for higher protection came from the Coner protection for the woollen, flannel servative members of the Commons. Leading members of the party, Messrs. Lennox, Blain, Sproule, Hencaution of entering an early protest derson and Thoburn, supported the against any proposal to increase the claims of the woollen men for more British preference. It will be re-favorable treatment from the Gov-

It is understood that a specific duty being asked for against what they thirty per cent, previously enjoyed call the "shoddy" clothing material by the woollen men against British now imported in large quantities from

car near here, endangering the lives of the passengers. Among the women summoned are the IN PUBLIC IN LONDON wives of two millionaire oil operators, two bankers' wives and two suffragist

Personal Mention

Mr. Thomas Hastings is quite ill at his home on Wilson avenue, West Lon-

Messrs. George Kimbell and Arthur

Mizzen, of Talbetville, left today for Quebec, where they will sail on the Empress of Britain for England, Col. Davidson, of the C. N. R., was

in the city yesterday on his way to Vancouver. He will return before Christmas.

Mrs. Richard Forristal (formerly Lottle Kenny) will receive for the first time since her marriage on Friday next, Dec. 13, from 4 to 6, at her home, 804 Talbot street, and afterwards on the first Monday of the month.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

A quiet wedding was solemnized at St. George's Cathedral, Kingston, Tuesday, Dec. 10, when Wlihelmine J. Sage, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Sage, of 576 King street, city, was united in marriage to Milton Arthur Mack, of Westmount, Quebec. The happy couple vill reside at 640 Belmont avenue, Westmount, Que.

Sergeants' Smoker. Sixty invited guests, members of the Garrison Sergeants' Association, were entertained by the Seventh Regiment Sergeants at a euchre and smoker in the armories on Wednesday evening. Progressive euchre, impromptu songs and addresses followed by a ight lunch, all combined to make most enjoyable evening for the mili-

An Enjoyable Evening. To cultivate better acquaintance among the old and young members of St Andrew's Church a social was held on Wednesday evening in the base-ment of the church. Nearly 200 were in attendance, and spent an enjoyable evening in the usual social manner. Rev. Dr. Ross presided and introduced a short program. The ladies served a

light lunch at the close.

Funeral on Saturday.

The remains of Mr. William T. Upthegrove, formerly a C. P. R. engineer whose death occurred here Wednesday will be interred Saturday afternoon at Woodland Cemetery. The services will be conducted at his residence, 707 Waterloo street, at 2 oclock by Rev. Mr. McCamus, of Colborne Street Methodist Church, and by the officers of St. Johns Lodge, No. 20, A., F. and A, M., The funeral will be held at

The funeral of Mr. Daniel W. Blackwho died at his residence, 284 St. James street, Wednesday afternoon following a prolonged illness, will be hela tomorrow afternoon and interment will be made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Services will be conducted at his residence at 3 o'clock by Rev. Thomas Mitchell, of New St. James' Presbyterian Church, on behalf of the family, and by St. John's Lodge, No. 20, A., F. and A. M. The cortege will proceed to the cemetery at 3:30. Illustrated Lecture.

Illustrated by lantern slides, a lecture was given by Miss Nora Bowman B. A., in the Church of St. John the Evangelist on Wednesday evening on the topic, "Japan, Its Domestic, Social and Business Life." Miss Bowman is well versed in her subject, having spent some years in the oriental counry as a missionary, and she entertained her auditors in an intelligest manner on the great problems and advances which that country has been making. Several interesting curios were shown and brief addresses were given by Rev. E. Appleyard, Canon Craig, and Prof. T. G. Wright.

THE DIRECT CAUSE OF TUBERCULOSIS

Dr. E. L. He ins' Address in New St. James' Church.

That tubercule bacillus, poisonous germs which become lodged in the human system, abetted by lack of proper nutrition, form the direct cause of tuterculosis, was the statement made by Dr. Emmerson L. Hodgins, in an address dealing with the white plague problem, in New St. James' Church on Wednesday evening

Dr. Hodgins contended that this was the cause of consumption and not hereditary forces, which many people forces, which many people supposed. He announced that if an ancestor of his was troubled with the atal disease, the same fate need not ecessarily be his, but rather there culd be a tendency toward contraction of it. The essential elements to eradicate the roots of the disease from the system were fresh air, sunlight and a regulated diet of good pure

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ANGUS IS RIGHT; GABEY IS WRONG

Ald. Richter Gives His Opinion of Two Reports on Street Lighting in London.

MATTER UP ON MONDAY

Ald. Richter Finds That His Own Report and That of Professor Angus Are Practically the Same.

At the meeting of No. 3 committee, held last evening, Ald. Murphy's pure food bylaw was presented and recommended to the council. It provides for a standard of weights

and measures on the market, and also for the protection of edibles exposed for sale in front of stores, etc. A communication was received from Mr. John Diprose, president of the Retail Grocers' Association, stating that the grocers were not opposed to the bylaw, but were willing at all times to co-operate in any way that would in

sure a pure food supply. There was no discussion on the quesion of the bylaw, the committee being unanimous on the subject.

Cost of Street Lighting. The report of Mr. Harry Angus, To-

ronto, on the cost of street lighting, was presented, and sent on to the cit; council, later to be discussed before the hydro-electric commission. Ald. Richter considered the report briefly. He stated that in his own report on the same question he had come to the conclusion that \$18,000 was fair price for the service rendered the city. Mr. Angus had figured out that the exact amount that should be paid by the city was \$18,450, but to be generous he had recommended that \$19,000 be paid for lighting the city. Ald Richter declared that his report and that of Mr. Angus were substantially the same. He had not allowed so much for line loss as the Toronto expert. He had figured the horsepower used as 247, while Mr. Angus had made it 250 Some minor differences would account for the small difference in the figures of the two reports. Mr. Gabey's figures were \$12,000 higher than Ald. Richter's and \$11,000 higher than Mr. Angus

estimates. The Difference. "How do you account for the fact that Mr. Gabey's figures are so much higher than either yours or Mr. An gus'?" asked Ald. Murphy.

"The difference is made up in various ways," answered Ald. Richter.
"Take the question of interest and sinking fund, for instance. Mr. Gabey in his report, charges street lighting with \$7,000 in round figures. Mr. Angus assesses us \$4,000, a difference of \$3,-000. In my judgment Mr. Angus is right, while Mr. Gabey is entirely wrong. There are other items of a similar nature, which will readily account for the difference.'

To Consider Report. Ald. Richter further stated that the report would have to come before the hydro-electric commission and as the members had not studied it, a motion referring it to the council might be passed. In the meantime, the aldermen could consider the report, and discuss it on Monday night if it were thought necessary. This suggestion was

The bylaw proposed by Ald. Spittal to prevent merchants and other storing waste paper and other inflammable material in cellars, was discussed, but was later referred to Ald. Moore and Ald. Murphy to properly amend. The present building bylaw, with a 'few amendments, would properly cover Ald. Spittal's intentions, and these changes will be made. General Manager Glaubitz and City

Engineer Brazier reported that they

had gone into the question of the cost of street watering, and had come to the conclusion that the city was entitled to a rebate of \$872, not \$1,000, as claimed by the council. This amount

was accepted in settlement.

Bridges and Crossings Dark.

City Engineer Brazier reported that the bridges and railway crossings were not efficiently lighted. The railways will be asked to improve the lighting of will be asked to improve the lighting of the crossings, and Mr. Brazier will install two extra lights on all bridges.

Mr. L. H. Martyn was awarded the contract for repairs to the Covent Gar-

den market-house, the price being THE SKATING RINKS WILL SOON BE READY

Playgrounds Report for Month November.

At the meeting of the Playgrounds' association, held in the vestry of the First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening, supervisor of playgrounds, Mr. T. Taylor, presented his report for he month of November.

The playgrounds were opened 21 days uring the month. The attendance was s follows: Chesley avenue school, 4,098; Victoria school, 4,544; St. George's school, 6,597; total, 15,239. The average laily attendance on all grounds was 274. During the month, 291 games were played, among them being 77 games of pasketball, 83 games of football, 17 of volley ball, 24 of baseball, 15 of Rugby, and 74 of quoits.

On Nov. 30, a football tournament was held at Queen's Park, which produced a

lot of interest, not only among the teams themselves but among their supporters. Four teams entered, the honors going to Victoria school by a score of 2 to 1.

The skating rinks are being constructed, and will be ready in a short time. The supervisor was pleased to note that the playgrounds are increasing in popularity, there being a decided increase during the past three or four months. No accidents were reported. Minor matters of business were dis-

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