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TEN PAGES-FRIDAY MORNING DECEMBER 16 1898-TEN PAGES

A D C; Mr Arthur Guise, Sir aly Edgar, Major-General HutMrs Hutton, Capt Bell, A D Mrs Hutton, Capt

sented Such a Scene.

NINETEENTH YEAR

Introduction to Toronto's Beauty,

a larger and more brilliant gathering, it is within its four walls. The Royal Canadian Mr and Mrs G Herrick Duggan, Comball designed to welcome Lord and Lady
Minto to Toronto. Glionna's Orchestra, in
the gallery, furnished spleudid music, though
some complained that the dances were all
too short. The Pavillon was embowered in
decorations; there was not a square inch of
space in the hall that had not been made
begutiful, and, although the ball did not open till 9 o'clock, at that hour it was a Misses Lucas, the Commodore R. St. L. only just begun. The most serious work is hard task to force ingress onto the floor. It | Yacht Club and Mrs Ross. of flowers filled the hall, the floor was a The Mall and Empire, the editor The Globe, faint, hearts. New occasions teach new swaying mass of this and other season's the editor The World, Mrs. A. E. Denison duties. To this nation and every nation beauties in silk and satin, jewels and ornaland escort (Saturday Night). the editor there come formative periods in its life ments, and a conspicuous element was the full dress of the yachtsmen and the glint and sparkle of the gallant soldiers. Strang-and sparkle of the gallant soldiers of the gallant soldiers. Strang-and sparkle of the gallant soldiers of the gallant soldiers of the gallant soldiers. Strang-and sparkle of the gallant soldiers of the gallant soldiers of the gallant soldiers of the gallant soldiers. Strang-and sparkle of the gallant soldiers ers remarked on the beauty of Toronto's women; to citizens it is no occasion for re- Wright), Rochester, N.Y.; ex-Commodore packed with the glittering, swaying human throng, the gallery was also full, of those who had danced and meant to dance again.

The Ball Opened at 9 p.m.

be immensely popular, if last night was a criterion. Mr. Albert Williams had everything perfect in the supper room, the menu being tasty and substantial. It might be remarked also that G. H. Mumm's Extra Dry was the wine selected by the committee, and the only wine used.

At 11 o'clock the vice-regal party was marshaled for supper and the rest of the huge throng availed themselves of the legion of 80 black-coated waiters, when and as

The affair was a huge success in every way: it seemed gazing at the numbers, that everyone who was not dead or entirely in-

capacitated was there. Outside Gerrard and Sherbourne-streets were black with car-riages, and ere the last waitz had been danced and the last dancer filed out many hours had fled.

The Decorations Fine. The merry dancers had, in the adornmen of the Pavilion, a setting worthy of a clus-ter of rubies. The galleries all around, touched as by some magic wand, had become lovely canopied loges, formed of pink drapery, intermingled with moss wreathing and pink roses. From these hung portieres of pink and green, and the daintiest of white lace curtains. Below the balcony rail of loges were temporary balconies banked up with palms, and faced with pink drapery, festooned with green moss, stud-

ded with pink roses. The Ceiling Transformed. The ceiling, with its centreplece of red

But the stage was the piece de resistance.

All Designer Ricarde-Seaver's art seemed Mrs. Drummond, a regal looking English clise in this gorgeous chamber, with red and white lights. On either side was the shinding array of silver trophies won by the R. C. Y. C., and in front the crest, with a steering wheel and four guns in the foreground, banked up with palms. And as for the club's guest, there was no doubt of his identity when, looking over the face of the stage, you noted the Elliott tartan over an illuminated shield, bearing the Mintomorgram and motto.

Arrangement of the Music.

Most effective was the arrangement for he music. The face of the gallery fronting the stage was bowed, in order to carre contains the formation of the same throats the stage was bowed, in order to carre contains the following selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the following selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the following selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the following selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the following selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the following selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the following selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the following selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the following selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the following selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the following selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the follow ing selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the follow ing selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the follow ing selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the follow ing selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the follow in selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the follow in selection according to choice, two bottoms hampers, containing the follow by ker and our bottes brandy. Scotch, Iris

ing the stage was bowed, in order to carry mounting tiers of palms, and screened be hind these was the orchestra. Shedding almost daylight rays upon the live green same. foliage was an electric crown, the face of it bearing a lifebuoy and crossed oars. Conspicuous all over the hall were rendezyous shields, inscribed with the names of

all the yachts of the R. C. Y. C. fleet. In the supper room, catered to by Caterer Williams, and filled with the same poetic brilliancy of color and light, were the Yacht Club's flags galore, blue and old gold bunting, chrysanthemums, ferns and

Guests of the Evening. The guests of the club for the evening the other, gave a chic finish. were: His Excellency the Governor-General

and the Countess of Minto, Lady Sybil Beauclerk, the Governor-General's secretary

C: the Adjutant-General and Mrs. Aylmer, the Quartermaster-General, Ottawa; His Honor the Lieut-Governor of Ontario and Pavilion Never Before Pre- Miss Mowat, Commander Law and Mrs Law Capt Mowat, A D C: Sir George and President Tells the People Lady Kirkpatrick, Lieut-Col Otter, D O C, and Mrs Otter, the Commandant R C D, the officer commanding Q O R and Mrs Royal Grenadiers and Mrs Macon, the officer R.C.Y.C. CARRY THE PALM commanding 48th Highlanders and Cosby, the officer commanding the G G B G and Mrs C Denison, the officer commanding No. 9 Field Battery, Toronto; Lieut-Coling No. 9 Field Battery, and mmanding 48th Highlanders and Mrs Lord and Lady Minto Receive Their Graveley, Lieut-Col Wilson, B Battery, and That Was Rewarded by the Acquisi-Battery, and Mrs and Miss Drury, King-

ston; Lieut-Col Holmes and Mrs Holmes London; Col Buchan and fadies, London the Commandant, R R C I and Mrs Vidal, St. John's, Que.; the Commandant R M C and Mrs Kitson, Kingston; Lieut-Col Montizambert, D O C, and Mrs Montizambert. the Ladies Unsurpassed - The Kingston; the Chief of Police, Toronto, and Mrs Grasett, the Premier of Ontario and Scene on the Floor During the Mrs Hardy, the Mayor of Toronto and Mrs Evening Was a Dream of Beauty Shaw, the Chief Justice of Ontario and Lady -Naval and Military Uniforms Burton, the Chancellor of Ontario and Mrs Added to the Effect - All Ar- Boyd, Chief Justice Armour, Sir W R Meredith and Lady Meredith, the Chancellor of rangements Were Carried Out Trinity College and Mrs Allan, the Vice-With Credit to the Committee in Chancellor of Toronto University and Mrs Mulock, the Right Rev. the Bishop of To-The Pavilion was a giltter last night with Vicar-General McCann, the President Argo gathering. Referring to the war with Spain, naut Rowing Cub and Mrs Gait, Mr and the President said: Mrs Charles Heath, Mr and Mrs Armstrong, modore and Mrs Mott, the Commodore Os-wego Yacht Club and Mrs Downey, the faithful and fearless response to the call

The Commodore, Kingston Yacht Club, and mind must be bent, and the impulses and Mrs. Richardson, the city Commodore, of partisanship subordinated to its faithful While still the floor was densely A. R. Boswell and Mrs. Boswell, ex-Commo-

The Ball Opened at 9 p.m.

Mrs. Jarvis. Commodore Jarvis and the Countess of

Rear-Commodore Gooderham and Mrs Hardy. E. B. Osler, M.P., and Mrs. Mason. Quartermaster-Gen. Foster and Mrs. Plum-

Attorney-General Hardy and Mrs. Gooder Vice-Commodore Plummer and Mis-

Mowat. Hon. Sec. Seaver and Mrs. Drummond. Colonel Otter and Lady Beaudere. Colonel Mason and Mrs. Osler. The Debutantes. The debutantes' set was dauced in the

reserved space beside the vice-regal set, by the following young ladies: Miss Biggar, in their way no less indispensable.

Difficulties Will Come.

Mrs. Hardy wore light blue brocade,

seline de-sole; jewelled shoulder strape, a white algrette in the pretty colffure, and an American beauty rose on the corsage, gave a finish to one of the smartest toilets of the

Miss Hendrie of Hamilton wore a very stunning frock of pale green sik, trimmed with insertion of lace in the unique design of large squares; a black bird polsed on one shoulder, garniture of holly berries on Mrs. Frederick Cox wore a feautiful gown



of Their Recent Success.

CALL OF CONSCIENCE

tion of New Domains to Rule.

The United Statesers, He Says, Will Show Themselves Worthy of the Great Trust Which Civilization Has Imposed Upon Them-It Was No Small Indemnity for the Cost of War-The United States, He Prophesies, Will Be Indivisible for Ever More.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 15.-In the Auditorium at Piedmont Park, this afternoon, the Presi-

The domains secured under the treaty.

The task is not fulfilled. Indeed, it is Commodore R H Y C and Mrs and the the Q.C.Y.C. and Mrs. Martin, the editor execution. This is the time for earnest not president of L.Y.R.A. (Mr. Wright and Mrs. ly and wisely is to be the mightiest test of ciples, but by meeting present opportunity and obligations, we shall show ourselves worthy of the great trust which c'vilization

gress, but of the people. An army whose valor we admire, and a navy whose achievements we applaud, were not assembled by His Excellency the Governor-General and draft or conscription, but from voluntary enlistment. The heroes came from civil as well as military life. Trained and untrained soldiers wrought our triumph.

Not a Selfish Truce.

The peace we have won is not a selfish truce of arms, but one whose conditions presage good to humanity. At Bunker Hall, liberty was at stake; at Gettysburg, the union was the issue; before Manila and Santiago, our armies fought, not

grand-daughter of Sir Oliver Mowat; Miss Clarkson, Miss Plets of Montreal, Miss Falconbridge, Miss Eva Delamere, Miss Edith Nordheimer, Miss Serol Nordheimer, Miss Jessie Waldie.

It Was a Dream.

Never have our citizens of Toronto seen such a gathering of beautiful women or anore magnificent toilets. The whole affair was a dream of pink and white beauty, never to be forgotten by those who viewed the scene.

Countess of Minto, a tail and graceful beauty, was very regal, and immensely admired in a superb toilet of white satin, en

Countess of Minto, a tail and green celectric lighting, shaped like an inverted dome, and the four other electroliers surrounding it, flashed like a pyramid of precious stones. When the eye became accustomed to the light, you caught sight of the corporation seal, and at the other end the club burgee.

The Platform.

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The Platform.

Countess of Minto, a tail and a superb tollet of white satin, end better prepared than ever before for wise and profitable developments in new directions. Even if the minds of some of our own people are still disturbed by perplexing and anxious doubts, in which all to fus have clean to the sentence of Corporation seal, and at the other club burgee.

The Platform.

But the stage was the piece de resistance.

Countess of Minto, a tail and search, and immensely adminestly adminestly and immensely and immensely and inverted dome, and the four other electroliers of lace applique, studded with pearls; the decolletage of her gown outlined with pearls; the decollet

flounced with real lace, with berthe of the same.

Mrs. Victor Cawthra was superbly gowned in white satin, with soft frills of mousseline de-soie: jowelled shoulder strange.

There is nothing nicer or more appropriate than a fancy box or basket of Bons and chocolates. By mail or express, George S. McConkey, 27 and 29 King-street west. Toronto.



A PATHETIC APPEAL.

LITTLE CANADIAN PUBLIC OPINION: "Father, dear father, come home with me now."

for their richness. The vice-regal party reached the hall about 10 o'clock and proceeded through a lane of dancers that completely filled the rest of the space, to the dais, where they were introduced to a number of Toronto's were introduced to a number of Toronto's representative citizens. The ball opened with much grandeur and a simposed upon us. For this result every American partiot will forever rejoice. It is no small indemnity for the cost of war. Spread-Eagle Talk. This Government has proved itself invinctible in the recent war, and out of it has come a nation which will remain indivisible for evermore. The victory we celebrate is not that of a ruler, a President, or a Control of the Man. The control of the ball opened with much grandeur and as imposed upon us. For this result every American patriot will forever rejoice. It is no small indemnity for the cost of war. Spread-Eagle Talk. The ball opened with much grandeur and a surface of the ball is no small indemnity for the cost of war. Spread-Eagle Talk. The control of the company's proved itself invinctible in the recent war, and out of it has come a nation which will remain indivisible for evermore. The victory we celebrate is not that of a ruler, a President, or a Control of the Company's people Not to Go Near Protes-

ager at 3 o'Clock.

Report That the Elder-Dempster stantial, But Was Deemed Strong Company Will Run a Passenger Service is Not Confirmed.

Montreal, Dec. 15 .- (Special.) -- To-morrow

Messrs. C. J. Townsend & Co. have some choice pieces of old furniture, brass and iron bedsteads, fire trons and exquisite French bronzes, fancy reception chairs, etc., to be sold by auction to-day at 2.30 p.m. Pember's Turkish and Vapor Baths, 127 and 179 Youge. Sath and bed \$1.00.

Yacht Club Ball. Toronto's heautiful women will be we represented and their escorts should a fail to supply "the one thing needful," bunch of Dunlop's roses.

Enough for Conviction.

Ste. Scholastique, Que., Dec. 15 .- The trial of Cordelia Viau, wife of Isidore

establish and uphold, and, I believe, never will. The giories of the war cannot be dimmed, but the result will be incomplete and unworthy of us unless supplemented by civil victories, harder possibly to win, in their way no less indispensable.

We will have our difficulties and our embarrassenate. They are inseparable from every great movement of reform, But warmed and grave the company had been entered and unworthy of us unless supplemented by civil corne.

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Their Genius of Civilization.

The frequency of the wisdom of the frequency of the standard produble developments in new directions and produble developments in

THREE SAVED, TWO DROWNED

Allan Liner Sarmatian Brings the News of the Loss of a Nova . Scotia Schooner.

er Sarmatian, Captain Johnston, which has er Sarmatian, Captain Johnston, which has arrived here from Portland, Me., rescued and brought to port three members of the crew of the Nova Scotian schooner Annie G., which sailed from Bridgeton, N.S., for New York, and was previously reported sighted, abandoned, on Dec. 4. The nen were taken off the wreck on Dec. 1. The captain and a seaman had been washed overboard and drowned previous to the rescue. Important to Ladies.

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Ladies who contemplate buying a present for their gentlemen friends would do well to read the announcement of Messrs. A. Clubb & Sons, the King-street tobacconists, in an inside page. Their stock embraces everything that is good in the smoking line, and buying direct as they do from the makers will enable them to sell fine goods at very low rates. You will be well repaid by visiting either of their two Kingstreet west stores.

Pember's Turkish Baths, 129 Yonge-street

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 15.—Alex L. Mc-Donald and Andrew Malcolm, two miners, have been killed in a snow silde at the Silver Queen Mining Company's place on Snow Creek, back of Burton City, Koo-tenay.

For toys and fancy goods go to the Baznar, 146 Yonge St. For Railroads in Indo-China.

Paris, Dec. 15.—The Chamber of Deputles to-day almost unanimously adopted a bill loaning 200,000,000 fanes for the construction of railroads in Indo-China, guaranteed by the Government of Indo-China. Like a bunch of roses-Taylor's "Wild

Mr. Watson will be at Grand's Repositors, Bank Comme ce Balloing, Toronto.

A rose garden condensed—Taylor's "Wild lose,"

Mr. Watson will be at Grand's Repositors, 57 Adelaide-street west, Toronto, on Saturday, next from ten to four o'clock, to buy draught horses, weighing 1400 pounds All druggists refund the money if it fails or over. Four eo eight years.

tants at Ponce.

The Evidence Was Purely Circum- If the Action of the Priests is Per-Military Will End It.

priests at Ponce have issued a proclama-Montreal, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—To-morrow will be an interesting day for the telegraphers and the Grand Trunk. General Manager Hays will be back in the morning and an interview with the committee has been in progress for tion directing their people not to go near Poissent a process at Ponce have issued a process at Ponce have issued a process. The pody had been that a similar profession to directing their people not to go near Professions, nor to receive presents from them, and forbidding them to enter the houses of Protestants. The priests defined a procession of the procession of t They contended for the freedom of the graphers and the Grand Trunk, General some days, concluded to-night, the jury Protestants, nor to receive presents from They contended for the freedom of the graphers and the Grand Trunk. General finding the woman guilty of the murder of them, and forbidding them to enter the Manager Hays will be back in the morning and an interview with the committee has states has never failed to lend a hand to grapher and an interview with the committee has and an interview with the committee has the committee has been and an interview with the committee has and an interview with the committee has the committee has been and an interview with the committee has and an interview with the committee has been and an interview with the committee has and an interview with the committee has a state of the committee has a state of the murder of them, and forbidding them to enter the houses of Protestants. The priests described and an interview with the committee has a state of the commi

Pence to inform the priests that they must and the Countess of Minto will hold a re-

her concerts:

"The 'Gerhard Heintzman,' which we used is excellent. I loved its fine quality of tone and I may add that my pianist, Hubert de Blank, has also expressed his entire satisfaction and admiration of it."

Did you ever try the top Barrel?

Armeda Tea has the Flavor.

There is nothing so pleasing, useful and appropriate as a George S. Parker jointless fountain pen. We have a large assortment. Blight Bros., 81 Yonge-street.

The Sleigh Robe Sale at Dineens'.

The greatest sleigh-robe sale ever experienced in any single week since Dineens' fur business was established, 36 years ago. This week has been a record breaker. More Plack Mountain Bear robes sold than any others, The next favorites are Wolverine and Musk Ox, at Dineens'.

GRANT-At his late residence, 9 Peter-

Suitable Xmas Gift—Taylor's "Wild Smoke Union Blue Label Cigars,

ONE CENT

HOCKEY PUCKS

THE TORONTO RUBBER CO., LIMITED 185 Yonge-St. (Opposite Eaton's).

Treaty Delineating the Niger Country Not Signed

AND IT MUST BE REVISED

Where French Forces Used to Be There Are Now British Garrisons.

It is Relieved Will Greatly Inin France Which Flamed Up So Fashoda Incident - French De-Strengthened.

London, Dec. 15 .- The time for ratifying the Anglo-French Niger treaty expired yesterday without any action having been taken by the British Government to confirm the terms of the treaty arranged by the Ambassadors of the two countries. This leaves the disputes and rival claims of England and France to territories and rights along the River Niger in a more unsettled state than before. It not only leaves in critical condition the affairs in West Africa, but has an important bearing upon the disputed regions in other parts of the continent where the two countries have conflicted.

Sir Edmund Monson, the British Ambassndor at Paris, has been instructed by Lord Saiisbury to inform M. Delcasse, French Minister of Foreign Affairs, that if the treaty is to be brought up again in two trading stations on the River Niger must be omitted before England can consent to negotiate in the matter.

When the treaty was supposed to have been concluded, a few months ago, the French withdrew their garrisons at Boussa and Illo, on the river. British forces have now occupied these places. This action sify the feeling of hostility in France which flamed up so dangerously at the time of the Fashoda incident.

Lord Salisbury's policy in dealing with In this he has apparently the unanimous acking of the English people.

ston composed of high naval and military Proclamations Issued Directing the officers has been appointed to visit the Special Committee of the Company's Mrs. Poirier Again Found Guilty of Onerators to Interview the Man.

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Onerators to Interview the Man. strong fortifications at all the ports along

TO BE HANGED TENTH OF MARCH NOTIFIED THAT THIS MUST STOP IS JACK THE RIPPER IN BELGIUM ?

Women Murdered and Their Bodies Mutilated in the Same Manner

-The Police Think So. Brussels Dec. 15 .- Madame Grunn, a wellknown demi-monde, was choked and stab-

THEIR EXCELLENCIES' RECEPTION

ception at Government House this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Why should style cost anything? It's just the quality and the workmanship that you pay for when you buy an Alaska Seal or Persian Lamb garment at Dineens—and you are sure of style—at Dineens. The question of what to get as a suitable and sensible Christmas gift for a girl, or a boy, might be solved at Dineens'-in Dineens' Christmas display of fur wear for

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Ont., Dec. 15.—(11 p.m.)—There is a decrease in pres-15.—(11 p.m.)—There is a decrease in pressure taking place over the Northwest and increase over Eastern Canada; elsewhere there is little change. Decidedly higher temperatures have set in over the Northwest, whilst it continues mild on the Pacific Coast, and the general outlook in the lake and eastern districts is for rising temperature.

Mindmum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 18—3; Qu'Appelle, 10—28; Winnibeg. 2 below—18; Port Arthur, 10—24; Parry Sound, 12—28; Toronto, 12—25; Ottawa, 2—4; Montreal, 2 below—2; Quebec, 16 below—2 below: Hailfax, 6—22, Probabilities.

Lower Lakes — South to West

Lower Lakes - South to west winds; fair and milder. winds; fair and milder.

Georgian Bay—South to west winds; fair and milder; light local snow falls.

Ottawa Valley—Mostly fair, with southeast to southwest winds; rising temperatures; light local snow falls or flurries.

Upper and Lower St. Lawrence—Mostly fair, with southeast to southwest winds; rising temperatures; light local snow falls or flurries.

Gulf—Bine and cold to-day; rising temperatures to-morrow.

Lake Superior—South to west winds; fair, higher temperatures; light local snow falls.

Manitoba—Fair and comparatively faild, with westerly winds.

GRANT—At his late residence, 9 Peterstreet, on Dec. 15, 1898, Alexander Grant,
barrister-at-law, Registrar Court of Appeal, in his 86th year.

Funeral private.

Steamship Movements.

Dec. At From
Britannic. Queenstown New York
Moravia. New York Genoa
Lahn. Bremen New York
Belgenland. Liverpool Philadelphia
Brasella. Baltimore Hamburg
Germanic. New York Liverpool

IT'S GOOD IF IT COMES FROM OAK HALL

A Perfect Fit

depends upon the cutting first. We look well after that, We pay especial attention to the cutting of our clothing. It is intelligent attention. We have the best cutters in the land and they are kept busy.

That is why our OVERCOATS fit so well and why we have so many broken sizes. The best selling lines naturally go first and the result is an accumulation of odd coats. These will probably all be gone by Saturday

While they last-and all sizes from 34 to 44 are represented now-you may have

12.00 Overcoats for 8.50 7.00 to 10.00 Overcoats for 5.50 7.00 to 10.00 Ulsters for 5.50

A Fancy Vest Chance For Christmas Presents

On Saturday you may have your choice of our entire fancy vest stock for 2.00. The regular values are mostly 3.00 and 3.50 and a few at 2.50. The materials are English Fancy Worsteds, Twills and Corduroys, many of them interlined with fibre chamois. Sizes are 34 to 44.

to the Crow's Nest Pass

Railway Jaunters.

SEASONABLE SUGGESTIONS.

After the Splendid Entertainment, Van Ho "Canada Past and Present" Given in Hamilton.

IS ELLSBURY A CHUM OF BOYD?

Cases on Trial in the County Court

—A Hamilton Man Who is Doing Well in Chicago.

Hamilton, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—The committee which conducted the entertainment "Canada Past and Present" met this afternoon. The treasurer, F. R. Close, presented a report, showing the receipts to be \$2400 and the expenses \$1700. The surplus goes to the Y.M.C.A.

At the County Court.

The County Court cases for the December Sessions are almost concluded. In the action of Spalding v. Burke for \$200 for the price of a barrel of whiskey and damages, the jury brought in a verdict for \$109.45 and costs. John Richardson of Halton sued Dr. Husband, city, for \$200 damages for illegally setzing his horse and buggy when executing a mortgage warrant on the chattels of his dather, William Richardson, The jury gave plaintiff \$175 damages and costs.

This afternoon the suit of Leaver v. Baxter was heard. Miss Leaver claimed \$200 damages for injuries alleged to have been caused last January by Dr. D. T. Baxter, dentist, fracturing her jaw through pulling a tooth. The case was of great interest to the dental profession, as a victory for plaintiff meant the defending of many similar actions.

May Be Boyd's Chum.

Bastedo & Co.'s Special Induces ments to Christmas Buyers.

The firm of D. H. Bastedo & Co., 77 Kingstreet east, which has for many jears been recognized as one of the leading fur houses in the city, has, in anticipation of the great rush which will take place this season, secured a specially fine and selected stoke of furs, which are offered at a saving of fully 25 per cent. The stock is a comprehensive one and includes, besides many other things, gents' otter sets, which has for many in hecognized as one of the leading fur houses in the city, has, in anticipation of the great rush which will take place this season, secured a specially fine and selected stokes of cent. The stock is a comprehensive one and includes, besides many other things, gents' otter sets, which will have held will have been a severally fine and selected stokes in th

Barton Township Council met this after-tion and extended the time for the comple-ion of the Hamilton, Chedoke and Ancaster

Alfred Bourque, foreman of the burnishing department of the Meriden Britannia Works, died this morning from pneumonia. The first concert of the season will be given by Anderson's celebrated band at the Thistie Rink, Robinson-street, to-morrow (Friday) evening. Excellent skating. The propeller Tilley, laden with coal, left the Beach piers with her sides sheathed with steel plates, to cut her way through the loc and reach McIlwraith's wharf. The propeller reached the city this afternoon.

La Dilettante Opera Company repeated its excellent production of "The Mandarin," at the Grand Opera House to-night.

The funeral of the late C. E. Moore, who died suddenly at Ottawa, took place this afternoon.

A meeting of supporters in Ward 7 of John H. Tilden, candidate for Mayor, was held and ward organization was complet-

ed.

An old frame dwelling occupied by Terence Scott, a notorious colored man, on Jones-street, was destroyed by dre late tonight. Scott says the fire originated in the building next door. There was no insur-

ITALY IN GOOD SHAPE.

The Woodbine Cricket Club will give a concert to-night in Kew Beach fire heal. An excellent program has been arranged, and a big attendance is promised. The Last Traces of Misunderstanding With France Have Now Disappeared.

Rome, Dec. 15 .- During the debate on the Only those who have had experience can tell the torture corns cause. Pain with your boots on, pain with them off—pain night and day; but relief is sure to those who use Holloway's Corn Cure. budget in the Italian Chamber of Deputies to-day, Admiral Canevaro, Minister of Foreign Affairs, referring to Italy's foreign relations, said there had been no change of policy with regard to alliances, and that the relations of Italy with other nations had never been so friendly as at the present time. "The Government is particularly gratified." he declared, "at the conclusion of the Franco-Italian treaty, which makes us confident of the ability of Italy to dispet the last traces of misunderstandings with France and to establish mutual cordiality and friendship." SPECIALTY-GENTLEMEN'S EVENING DRESS

DRAPER.

tion of the kind on the road. It is claimed that—Mr. Martin has spent over \$10,000 on his production of this famous oid play. The presenting company numbers aimost sixty people, including Milt Barlow, the popular minstrel, as Uncle Tom.

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Princess Theatre.

The entrance to the Princess Theatre is well as the part of the princess the princes and Mrs. Torrington — Gold Braclet to Miss Symons.

Last night the leggest and/ence of this rew members with the company next Monday, in clinitet's or calculated the doors "No more tickets for author has ever written. Mr. Wright Hundred and the sever has an entire to the part of the princes. The sever has an elever leading man, as he is reported, will make a better impression here, then any leading man yet seen at the Princes. The last cartainly the most attractive of the walls.

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SOME CLOSE TENPIN GAMES

Athenaeum Defeats the Body Guards

Highlanders-

South Ontario Association Decides

on the Innovation—Senior and Junior Schedule.

St. Catharines, Dec. 15.—The Executive Committee of the South Ontario Hockey Association met at the Grand Central Hotel here this afternoon, There were present: President, T. A. Simpson, Beamsville; 1st Vice-President, C. J. Doran, Niagara Falls; 2nd Vice-President, F. D. Woodworth Welland; Sec.-Treas., F. P. Walsh, Niagara Falls; A. P. Bogardus, St. Catharines, and Mr. J. McMurchy, Dundas, Dundas was admitted to the association, but the application of Dunnville was rejected.

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The final arrangement of the goal nets was settled, the Executive deciding to use the plans drawn up by Mr. Bogardus, that of doing away with the poles and substituting the nets. They also decided to continue the junior series. Then followed the scheduling of the games to be played, which required a lot of discussion, and it was 8 p. m. before the following senior and junior schedule was ready:

Jan. 6-St. Catharines at Welland, Dundas at Beamsville, Niagara Falls at Niagara at St. Catharines, Beamsville at Niagara Falls, Jan. 20-Welland at Beamsville, Niagara Falls, Jan. 20-Welland at Beamsville, Niagara Falls, Jan. 27-Dundas at Niagara Falls, Niagara at Welland, Beamsville at St. Catharines at Niagara, Jan. 30-St. Catharines at Niagara, Feb. 3-Niagara at Beamsville, Niagara Falls at Welland.

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Feb. 10-Welland at Miagara Falls.

Falls at St. Catharines, Beamsville at Dundas.
Feb. 20—Welland at Niagara Falls.
Feb. 24—Niagara at Niagara Falls.
Feb. 24—Niagara at Niagara Falls, Beamsville at Welland.
March 1—St. Catharines at Dundas.
—Junior series—
Jan. 6—Niagara Falls at Welland, St. Catharines at Niagara.
Jan. 13—St. Catharines at Welland, Niagara at Niagara Falls.
Jan. 20—Niagara Falls.
Jan. 27—Welland at Niagara, St. Catharines at Niagara Falls.
Feb. 3—Welland at Niagara Falls, Niagara at St. Catharines.
Feb. 10—Niagara Falls at Niagara, Welland at St. Catharines.

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cation received by The Berlin Borsen Zelng from a Parliamentary source, the Em peror recently, upon the occasion of his receiving the officers of the Reichstag, remarked that there had been many changes affecting the relations of the great powers, Within the past few weeks, he said, it has become manifest that the antagonisms felt more than formerly, and under given circumstances account had to be taken of these antagonisms, which might result in

achieved by the vigorous English policy at Fashoda, but said it must be admitted that to was not certain the Anglo-French differences had been completely adjusted.

Referring to the Anglo-Geramn colonial treaty, the Emperor said the arrangement was accomplished owing to the friendly and accommodating spirit shown on both sides, and Germany might expect to gain advantages thereby. Owing to the turn of the international situation, the Kaiser add-Germany was in a position to apply

THE OPPOSITION LOSS IN BAGOT.

Rural Parishes Gave Good Conservative Majorities, But the Small Towns Were Liberal.

Montreal, Dec. 15 .- (Special.) - Apart from whoop-up of La Patrie, there is very the whoop-up of La Patrie, there is very little comment on the result of yesterday's polling in Bagot, where the Opposition lost a county which they had held in Federal politics since Confederation. It should be said, however, that seven of the exclusively rural parishes gave good Conservative majorities and that it was small towns like Acton and St. Dominique that piled up the Liberal vote. It was here that Mr. Tarte's human devices came into play, although the Minister of Public Works gives the credit to Mr. Bernier, M. P. for St. Hyacinthe. It is said that the last-named was promised as Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere's successor if he would win the county for the Government.

A ROYAL HYPOCHONDRIAC

The Emperor of China is Not Physically III, But Only a Victim of Abnormal Melancholia.

London, Dec. 15.—The report of Dr. Dethere of the French Legation in Pekin, and who has been in consultation with the native physicians treating the Emperor of China, has just been received here. He says he was unable to make a complete examination of his royal patient, but his diagnosis show no distinct disease. The young Emperor is simply anaemic, with fits of depression and lassitude. His real allment, if such it may be called, is abnormal melancholia.

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Some Influential Members Wish No Heed to Be Given to Sir William Harcourt's Resignation.

London, Dec. 15 .- The members of the Reform and National Liberal Clubs are busy discussing the matter of the withdrawal of Sir William Vernon Harcourt from the leadership of the Laberal party in the House of Commons. A majority of them are of but several of the more influential members are in favor of giving no heed to his letter of resignation. The National Liberal Federation is regarded as working in the inter owing to This Good Turn, Germany ests of Lord Rosebery's return to the leadership of the party, with former Home Secretary Asquith as the leader of the LAb-

> HAVANA'S STREET CAR LINE. Half the Stock Taken by a New York Company-Montreal

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of the stockholders of the Ferro Carril Urbano yesterday the sale of the entire stock, mting to \$1,600,000, was authorized at George W. Young, president of the United States Mortgage and Trust Company; with the exception of four men, are fuir senator Smith of New Jersey; Percival Farquhar, F. S. Pierson, Col. G. B. M. Harvey and Hanson Bros. of Montreal. The other was taken by Ruffe & Sons, and The other was taken by Ruffe & Sons, and T. W. Todd, bankers of London. Captain-General Castellanos has issued an order stopping work on the railway concessions without prejudice to the rights of any of the parties interested, until the Americans take control here. This prevents the American Indies Company from beginning the construction under a disputed concession.

WARRANT FOR ESTERHAZY.

Prince Victor Napoleon Hobnob bing With Anti-Revisionists. London, Dec. 16.-The Paris correspo dent of The Daily Chronicle says: "A warrant was issued to-day (Thursday) for the arrest of Count Ferdinand Walsin Ester-

"It is asserted that Prince Victor Napoadherent in Avenue Hoche from Wednesday to Sunday last, and that while there he had conferences with General Mercier, Minister of War in the Cabinet under which Dreyfus was condemned, and M. Paul De Roulede, the anti-revisionist."

Is Dreyfus on the Way? London, Dec. 16.—The Paris correspondent of The Daily News says it is believed that Dreyfus is now on his way to France

SIX PERSONS KILLED.

Disastrous Railway Wreck Caused by Cattle on the Track. Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 15.—A passenger train on the Florida Central and Peninsular Raliroad. was wrecked this evening near Madison by a collision with cattle on the track, Six persons were killed, as follows: E. H. Chandler, engineer; James Evans, fireman; John T. Sullivan of St. Augustine, attached to the army; Rev. S. H. Coleman (colored), preacher, of Jacksonville; John A. Rhoades of Pensacola (colored), and Alfred Austin (colored)

Burmeister's Recital Tickets. The sale of seats for Burmelster's plano recital, to be given in Association Hall next Tuesday evening, begins at Heintzman & Co.'s warerooms this morning. The music-loving folks onitting to attend this distinguished artist's recital will no doubt miss one of the genuine musical treats of the year, as Burmelster is undoubtedly a planist worth hearing. Those wishing to attend their seats early, many seats having been booked by subscription.

Malay Sailors Gave a Remarkable of pale blue brocade, with front of white Exhibition of Orientalism at the and looked charming. Port of Philadelphia.

HEATHEN RITES ON BRITISH SHIP.

A Lamb Slaughtered, Its Heart Cut Out and Thrown Overboard-The Priest Was the Butcher

Philadelphia, Dec. 15.-On the dock of a British steamer—the City of Dublin—and eneath the shadow of the Union Jack, which waved in the breeze from her mizzen mast, there were enacted on Sunday ceremonies the most strange and weird

ever witnessed in this port. Had the crew been Americans Englishnen or of any other civilized nationality the strange proceedings would have ren-92. Half of the amount was taken by Mr. dered the participants fit candidates for a

The City of Dublin came up the river on Saturday afternoon, and dropped anchor in the stream of Spreckels' Refinery. She was boarded late that day by the inspector. Everything was all right about the manifests, and Captain Rae was told that he could tie up to Pier 61 when he was ready. "I won't be able to go into berth tonight," he replied. "There will be a high old time on board the vessel before she reaches the pier unless I am greatly mistaken."

Miss Clara Wright (Port Huron) was a wint of the verning. Priest and Butcher.

Taken."
Yesterday morning there was quite a respectable crowd gathered on the quarterdeck of the City of Dublin.

"According to the dictates of their reporter, "they are about to celebrate their arrival in port by a ceremony which is probably the most remarkable you have ever heard of."

The crew assembled forward. A circle

arrival in port by a ceremony which is probably the most remarkable you have ever heard of."

The crew assembled forward. A circle was formed, in the centre of which appeared a weird figure. He was the priest, a character whose absence has never yet been noticed from a gathering of these singular people.

"They brought him all the way over at their own expense," said Captain Rae," "and he had an easy berth. Unless I am in error, he will now play the part of a butcher."

A Bloody Sacrifice.

A dramatic scene was then enacted. The bleating of a sheep was heard, and two swarthy Lascars broke into a curious chant or recitative, while the priest threw the struggling animal to the deck, placing in from the body.

The crowd of devotees then prostrated themselves on the deck and were sprinkled with blood from the dripping morsels which incredible swiftness tore the organ from the body.

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The crowd of devotees then prostrated themselves on the deck and were sprinkled with blood from the dripping morsels which head and hurded it into the water. The body of the sheep then followed suit.

About haif an hour afterwards, when the decks of the City of Dublin were cleared from all evidences of the sacrifice, the participants sat down to the first meal they had eaten since entering the Capes 48 hours before.

The Shadow of a Christian.

before.
The Shadow of a Christian. The evening sunlight was streaming through a porthole when Captain Rae and a reporter entered the forecastle to observe

Continued From Page 1.

Mrs. Le Grande Reed was in pink silk

Mrs. James Craig, in a creation of black and white, with touches of torquoise velvet.

Mrs Frank Mackelcan of Hamilton was considered the most regal looking beauty of the ball, wearing ivory broade, the train starred here and there with full-blown yellow roses. Her bouquet was of violets. Mrs J E Elliott was very pretty in black satin, with jet trimmings.

Mrs E Strachan Cox wore yellow brocade with rose velvet trimmings and pink roses

Miss Evelyn Cox was in pink brocade, the Spanish flounce and decolletage outlined with pink roses—a lovely dress. Mrs Leverich wore pink silk, velled with white mousseline de soie, trimmed with an odd design in bands of black chantilly lace.

Ornaments, pearls and diamonds.

Mrs Willie Lee, one of the recent brides, wore pink brocade, with front of accordion-

Miss Adelaide Wadsworth, white sill

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> CHRISTMAS GIFTS For Men and Boys

Special List for To-Day Men's \$10.00 Overcoats for \$5.00

40 COATS-Manufactured from Imported Beaver Cloth and Rough Cheviot, double and single-breasted style, silk velvet collar, lined with heavy tweed, Italian cloth or fancy worsted, silk stitched throughout, regularly sold at \$5.00 10.00 and 12.00, special for to-day

Men's \$12 Overcoats for 6.50 27 COATS-Manufactured from Fine Fur Beaver Cloth, in black and brown, cut double-breasted style, fancy tweed lin-

ing, silk velvet collar, Buffalo horn buttons, stylishly tailored, regularly sold at \$12, 6.50 special for Friday

Manufactured from Chinchilla and Montagnac Beaver, in black and blue, lined with fancy tweed, silk velvet collar, chamois pockets cut double breasted, equal to high price custom work, regularly sold at \$12.75, 7.50 special for to-day

Men's \$12.75 Overcoats for 7.50

Men's \$10.00 Overcoats for 7.99 Manufactured from blue and black English pilot beaver cloth, cut single and double breasted style, lined with heavy fancy tweed, silk velvet collar, silk stitched throughout, finest 7.99 workmanship, reg. sold at \$10, 7.99

special for to-day

"A BEAUTY" Men's \$15.00 Overcoats for 10.00

Manufactured from finest imported Venetian finished beaver cloth, cut single and double breasted style, lined with all-wool fancy worsted, silk velvet collar, handpadded shoulder, fine mohair sleeve lining, chamois pockets, reg. sold at \$15.00, 10.00

special for to-day Men's \$7.50 Heavy Frieze Reefers for 4.50 Heavy tweed lining, deep storm collar, silkstitched, 5 pockets, regularly sold at \$7.50, special for to-



YOUTHS' DRESSY OVERCOATS, manufactured from fine English beaver, in black or blue, cut in the latest fly front style, with silk velvet collar, lined with heavy fancy plaid tweed, best of workmanship, regularly sold at \$7, special for 4.95

YOUTHS' LONG TROUSER SUITS, manufactured from pure all-wool twe in natty patterns, also fast dye, black Albert twill, well tailored and perfect fitting, regularly sold at \$7, \$4.95

Smoking Coats and Lounging Gowns

A most acceptable gift for the men folks, whether they smoke or not. The productions of the most fashionable English and Parisian manufacturers.

ALL-WOOL TRICOT JACKETS, lapels and pockets trimmed with quilted satin; these handsome coats come in wine, dark green, brown and navy blue, with handsome plain lining, all sizes. JACKETS OF PLAID FACED WOOL, exterior in plain dark colors, with pockets and lapels of fancy plaids, inside of coat of handsome two-toned plaid; these jackets are trimmed with satin or silk cord binding.

MEN'S LOUNGING ROBES, we have Wool Robes, extra long, in plaids and plain colors, with silk girdle, a varied and attractive line to choose from. Prices ranging from

\$20.00 DOWN TO \$6.00 Men's Furnishings

The largest variety in Canada-full of Xmas novelties-

JAMIESON The Rounded Corner, Yonge and Queen 然本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本本

TRIED TO SHUNT HARLTON

From Bathurst-Street School -Lively Meeting at the School Board.

Ward 5 put up a big fight at the School Board last night to defeat the motion to shunt Principal W. H. Harlton from Bathurst-street school, as a preliminary to his dismissal, and succeded in getting the question referred back to the committee. There were a number of comical incidents brought up during the struggle. Trustee Godfrey showed that Principal Harlton, to keep himself in power, wrote out a petition on the blackboard, and, making everyone of his pupils copy it, sent them out tramping for signatures, School Inspectors J. L. Hughes and Chapman recommended the dismissal on the ground that, although Mr. Harlton was a good teacher, his influence was weak, but School Trustees Scott and Hodgson made so eloquent a fight in the schoolmaster's behalf, that the execution hung fire.

TO EXPEL COUNT TOLSTOI.

Russian Authorities Believe the

Handed Over to Lord Charles Beresford by China. Vancouver, Dec. 15,—Chinese papers re-ceived by the Empress of India declare that 2000 men are to be handed over to Lord Charles Beresford to organize as a nucleus of the Chinese disciplined army of

8 p. m.
"The Evil Eye" at the Grand, 8.
"The Gilded Fool" at Toronto, 8.
"The Fatal Card," at the Princess, 2

RYE WHISKEY. Social Disturbances Are Due
to His Teachings.

Vienna, Dec. 15.—The Tageblatt hears
that Count Tolstoi, the noyellst, is shortly
to be expelled from Russia, because of social disturbances which have been attributed to his teaching.

TO ORGANIZE AN ARMY

It is Said 2000 Men Have Been
Handed Over to Lord Charles

FINE 5-YEAR-OLD

CARLISTS LOSING GROUND Spanish Government Now Becoming

More Aggressive, and Want to Locate the Pretender. nucleus of the Chinese disciplined army of the future.

Hong Kong papers declare that reports published of the existence of a secret treaty between the Russian and Chinese Governments are perfectly true.

It is stated that a large force under Russian officers is ordered to Shahlaikman.

A Needle in Her Hand.

Mrs. Joseph Dunn of 170 Berkeley-street

Locate the Pretender.

Rome, Dec. 15.—The Carlist movement it Spain is evidently beginning to lose ground. As a result the Spanish Government has become more aggressive. It is now endeavoring to locate Dun Carlos, who has slid out of view since his reported appearance in Europe. Spain has asked the Italian Government to prove its friendship by watching for Don Carlos in Italy.

The following officers were elected last evening by L. O. L. No. 215.

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L.O.L., 711 At Home, St. George's House D. M.

A water pipe burst at 204 Sackville-street L.O.L., 711 At Home, St. George's Hall, S. Orange Banquet at the Gladstone House, 8 D. m. "The Evil Eye" at the Grand, 8. "The Evil Eye" at the Grand, 8. "The Fatal Card." at the Princess. 2

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The New Bijou's good show, 2 and 8.

The Minister of Customs will visit Toronto on Monday.

Business

Some Difficulties ment, and Some crimination A

Among the branches portance of which the scarcely yet awake, i ticularly apple growin confined to a limited hiore favored and pears can be grow but the demand for and there are many cumstanced than we a sure this is also true the apple it is differ peculiarly adapted for soil suits it to perfec mand, if not unlimited far indeed from bein

In the Britis tish markets: at the dian farmers are en to much of the credit average farmer apple cident merely, not a business of the farm. tivated at all, is worl hazard, rule-of-thumb picking, packing and n is in keeping with th prchard. If, then, C not been because of dian farmer, but almo in spite of him. Th shippers have steppe care and judgment la farmers neglected to In the App

called upon W. H. P

magnitude of the busi one firm. Though extensive firm engage one of a number of th Having in mind the fall to the effect tha the North American this year by somethi barrels, The World tonished to learn tha over the whole contin shortage was entirely the Canadian crop b than last year. In may be said to be co Illinois and Missouri had an abnormally a short crop this y keep a very close "ta ply, and from what ' evident that they cou to do so just how n dian province, and h and ordinary storage their confidence as however, or rather mise that The World it was told. This Year's

which it has colle and expense for th members, the promis Still, though the fig in store at the var given, it is no violati that the aggregate, we of shipments to dai ment already made can shipment this very much short of will be up to the aments since 1880. The week ending from the ports of Boston, Hallfax were \$37,620 to 571,397 up to the The advices which from the English othat though the recluding Canadian) a fairly liberal scale too heavy," the "de at well-sustained raone of these report cellent stock, King tractive, indeed, at eties are showing some instances when ing in color and app The Necessar Some of our farm that the aggregate,

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Some of our farm ways of thinking ac the "middleman" as evil, even speaking ments of inspiration ments of inspiration ment as an expensive overburdened farmed headed commercial support. Even the would be forced to buyer and shipper of a middleman whom not do without. If of grangers should gifted with ordinar dicted to truthfulm would have to adm variety of middlem the fruit growers a for a crop which, pay for the raising.

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CANADA'S FOREIGN APPLE TRADE LONGS TO START FOR GANAAN

A Business of Great and Ever - Growing

Importance.

Note that the control of the

Business Now a System.

Messrs. Peterson—and they are but one firm of a number—have reduced the business of handling and shipping appies to a system. As conducted by them the business ensures the getting of the apple crop to the European markets in the best possible condition and at the times when it will command the best prices. As already stated, they keep a close watch upon the supply of apples and can tell within a few barrels how many apples have been and will be shipped from any given port in the United States and Canada. Besides this they can tell with equal exactness how many apples are on hand and what will be the probable demand in any given European market. Thus glutting of the foreign markets is avoided and with this enormous element of loss eliminated or greatly minimized the buyer can and does go into the business of buying with greater confidence and is able to pay very much better prices to the farmer than he otherwise could. Even that most ultra of grangers already alluded to could hardly fail to appreciate the advantage to the farmers of all this.

Good Returns Can Be tot.

Good Returns Can Be Got. It has been said that too many farmers go

Lamb Moves to Take Possession of

owe their condition to imperfect indigestion.

When nearly every persons you meet is afflicted with weak digestion, it is not surprising that nearly every secret patent medicine on the market claims to be a cure for dyspepsia, as well as a score of other troubles, when in fact, as Dr. Werthier says, there is but one genuine dyspepsia cure which is perfectly safe and reliable, and moreover, this remedy is not a patent medicine, but it is a scientific combination of pure pepsin (free from animal matter), vegetable essences, fruit salts and bismuth. It is sold by druggists under name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. No extravagant claims are made for them, but for indigestion or any stomach trouble struct's Dyspepsia Tablets are far ahead of any remedy yet discovered. They act on the food caten, no dieting is necessary, simply eat all the wholesseme food you want and these tablets will digest it. A cure results, because all the stomach needs is a rest, which Staart's Dyspepsia Tablets give by doing the work of digestion.

Druggists sell these tablets at 50c per package. Circulars and testimonials for free by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Micb

In a final report for the year, the E: gineer is very optimistic. He says in par-

per package. Circulars and testimonials sent free by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Micb



Overcoats—"Tiger Brand" for men-22.50, 19.00, 18.00, 16.00,

Suits—"Tiger Brand" for men—gentlemanly Oxford grey Scotch goods—in single and double breasted styles—18.00

Is It a Bluff?

A prominent Liberal from South Ontario said yesterday that in all likelihood a cross-

Woodgreen Tabernacle.

NEWSPAPER RUMORS UNTRUE.

Lieut.-Governor Patterson Says He Did Not Say He Differed From

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 15.—The following letter is published by the Winnipeg even-

letter is published by the winnipeg evening papers to-night:

Sir,—Having brought to the Lieut.Governor's notice the succession of newspaper rumors and telegrams affecting him, he has instructed me, departing from his usual custom in this one instance, to contradict them as being untrue, unauthorized and uninspired by those around him who might be in a position to speak for him, I have further to say that the press comments on some remarks made by his honor at a recent public dinner at Toronto seem to imply that the Lieut.-Governor differed in opinion from Sir Charles Tupper upon questions arising out of incidents connected with retirement of late Government from office. Nothing could be further from his thoughts. Subject was not even in his mind. No allusion to, and still less any criticism of Sir Charles was intended. The Lieutenant-Governor is quite aware of impropriety of one in his official position taking part in discussion of political questions which are live issues between the parties. (Signed) Charles Patterson, Private Secretary.

GOVERNMENT OF RUINED CUBA.

Major - General Ludlow Charged With the Exercise of All Civil

Washington, D.C., Dec. 15.-The War Department to-day publishes the formal order providing for the military government of Cuba. The notable feature of the order is Belleville Brieflets.

Belleville, Ont., Dec. 15.—Aid. Denmark is a candidate for the Mayoralty.

A requisition is in circulation asking Mayor Johnson to offer for re-election.

A carload of turkeys was shipped to-day to the Old Country.

Daniel Gunyou of Madoc has been acquitted in the sessions of the charge of larceny.

that Major-General Ludlow, who is designated as military Governor of Havana City, while nominally subordinate to the division commander. General Brooke, is apparently charged to exercise all the civil functions in that place under the direct authority of the President. General Lee's structions appear to be limited to those of a strictly military character, although it is said at the War Department, he may be eventually charged with all the duties, civil as well as military, of the Governor of a province. that Major-General Ludlow, who is desig-

was injured at Murray Hill, has been send home, but is still under medical care.

Dominion Police Ask More Pay.
Ottawa, Dec. 15.—The Dominion Police are petitioning for an increase in pay. At present a constable receives \$1.25 a day for three months; from that time to three years his pay is \$1.50 per diem, and after three years \$1.65. He has to serve 22 years to get a superannuation allowance of one year's pay. The men are picked men, many of them often being detailed for detective service.

S. Ackerman, commercial traveler, Belleville, writes: "Some years ago I used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for Indammatory Rheumatism, and three bottles effected a complete cure. I was the whole of one summer unable to move without crutches, and every movement caused excruciating ains. I am now out on the road and exposed to all kinds of weather but have never been troubled with Rheumatism since. I, however, keep a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Oil on hand, and I always recommend it to others as it did so much for me,"

traffic manager of the Seattle and Yukon said yesterday that in all likelihood a crosspetition would be entered against Charles
Calder. who opposed Hon. John Dryden's
last election. Among Mr. Calder's friends
this is considered a "bluff."

All the new gold field, Tooya, which has been discovered, will rival Klondike. It can be reached by the Stikine River, and although located in a mountainous district a road can be built from Glenora.

A well-attended sacred concert was held in Woodgreen Methodist Tabernacle last hight. Mr. Harold Jarvis, Dr. A. H. Haris, Herr Paul Hahn, Miss Lola Ronan and Miss Ethel Webb took part. W. J. Harris eted as organist and a choir of 40 voices and pleasantly, under the direction of H. would be given the liquidator on Jan 9 to put in further evidence.

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HOLIDAY BOOKS.

Sunday Annual for 1899, Chatterbox, new, Young Canada, large book for boys

Both Sides of the Border, Under Wellington Com-mand, Aboukir and Acre _3 new books by G. A. Henty, reg. 1.50, for 1.00 eal

75c | Picturesque Canada, extra large volume, regular 6.00, for

2000 Toy Books, regular 15 and 20c, for An American in King Arthur's Court, by Mark

Special Xmas Sale In the Basement

500 Silk Waist Lengths

Suitable for Presents.

Lengths centain 3 1-2, 4, 4 1-2 and 5 yards of choice new silks-all marked at about one-half the regular prices.

Prices range from 1.50 to 3.50 per length.

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Is a large first-class commercial school.

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Write for new prospectus, free, edx7

UPPER CANADA COLLEGE. The winter term begins on WEDNES-DAY, JAN. 11. House boys come into resi-dence on the evening of that day. Olasses begin on Thursday, Jan. 12, at 11 o'clock

a.m. As there are but few vacancies for the new term only a limited number of applications can be accepted.

Applications for the Easter and Autumn terms of 1899 should also be made at as early a date as possible.

25 G. R. PARKIN, Principal. December, 1898.

GRAIN BLOCKADE AT BUFFALO.

Eighty Large Steamers Waiting to Be Unloaded Are Frozen in-The Elevators Full.

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 15.-The grain blockade at this port continues and is unprecedented. At noon to-day fully 80 large steamers were in the river waiting to be unloaded or frozen in. They carry about 9,000, 000 bushels of grain, while in the different clevators 7,000,000 bushels are at present stored. This total of 16,000,000 bushels of stored. This total of 16,000,000 bushels of grain affoat and temporarily in store is a record-breaker of the first dimension. Ice is forming too rapidly to permit any of the boats attempting another trip up the lakes, consequently this great fleet of grain carriers will be doreed to winter in this port. The railroads are greatly hampered in their efforts to get the grain to the seaboard by the continued snow blockades.

LOST SLEEP OVER IT,

But Failed to Agree-The Jury in the Mining Case at the County Court Discharged.

In the County Court yesterday afternoon the action of John Macdonald v. J. D.

ed, but was not concluded at adjournment.

The jury in the action of George Towner v. Hiawatha Gold Mining Company and McPhilips failed to agree and the action will have to be tried again. When the foreman stood up to give the result of the jury's deliberations, he said: "Judge, we have been losing sleep over this case and we can't come to an agreement."

"Well, I haven't been losing any sleep over it," retorted the judge, "and if you calnot agree you are discharged."

The transfer books will be closed from the list to the 3ist December, inclusive.

By order of the Board,

40555 GEO. H. SMITH, Sec. Graham, to recover \$200 on a promissory

New York, Dec. 15.—The Commercial Advertiser's financial cable from London says: The markets were quiet and good to-day. Americans were heavy till the middle of the day, when there was a sudden spurt in them on ranged buying from the Continent and provinces. New York sold, causing a relapse. A final rally carried prices half a point above the worst. Money was hard and there was big borowing at the bank. There was less demand for gold at 77%s.

The Winding-Up Court.

The Massachusetts Benefit Life was again in court yesterday. Mrs. Isabelia Curry of Crangeville was three years out on her ige. She claims \$1000. Mrs. Lucy Platt Niagara Central Railway at Osgoode Hall yesterday were given till 27th inst. to make up their purchase money, provided udgment was reserved. Both were disability claims The Winding-Up Court.

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Skin Disegses, PRIVATE DISEASES-and Dis-

esses of a Private Nature, as Impotency, Sterility, Varicocele, Nervous Debility, etc., (the result of youthful folly and excess). Gleet and Stricture of long standing. DISEASES OF WOMEN-Painful

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The Real Estate Loan Company of Canada, Limited.

DIVIDEND NO. 24.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of four per cent. per annum had been declared for the current half-year, ending Dec. 31, and that the same will be payable on and after Monday, Jan. 2, 1898. The transfer books will be closed from 20th to 31st December, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

B. MORTON, Manager.

Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Co.

At the general meeting of Lodge Lichnetd, held in Forum Hail, the following ofnetd, held in Forum Hail, the following ofneers were elected for 1899: Worthy President, Bro. Postle: Vice-President, Bro.
Batten; Worthy Chaplain, Bro. Robinson;
Treasurer, Bro. Joel; Secretary, Bro. Henker; 1st Guide, Bro. J R Hancock; 2nd
Guide, Bro. Bariball; 2rd Guide, Bro. Lydiatt; 4th Guide, Bro. Banks; 5th Guide,
Bro. Smithson, 6th Guide, Bro. Morrison;
Inside Guard, Bro. Marshall; Outside
Guard, Bro. Phipps; Surgeon, Bro. Dr.
Ptekering; Auditors, Bro. Barriball, Bro.
White, Bro. Phipps; Trustees, Bro. J. Q.
Hedley and Bro. F. Robinson; Grand Lodge
Delegate, Bro. J. B. Ziancock.

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master's jewel.

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T. EATON CO.

TORONTO, Dec. 16, 1898.

Shop Early If you can at all fore noon, and as soon after eight o'clock as possible. You'll experience much greater comfort and satisfaction, and thus pet bags are being packed for home. Americans now wish to purchase, if they avoid the excessive crowds of the afternoon. And remember, we close every day-Saturdays included-at six o'clock.

Sensible Xmas Gifts Former

No trouble in deciding what to get for a gentleman if



you visit our Men's Furnishing Depart- own way, build up our own industries, number of men that have been usually ment and look through the magnificent use the raw products (now exported) at home and make ourselves independent of raridly increasing. Nickel steel is to be stock displayed in that section. Nearly everyone. everything that will please careful and to say. But it jars the record of Sir being utilized by the European powers fashionable dressers finds showing there. Wilfrid and the other leaders. They for the same purpose. Although the Handsome, stylish and dainty articles us the market of 65 millions, our natural are being operated, the fact still remains for men's attire in ample variety, with market. They promised by sunny ways that Canada possesses what is virtually to get from Washington what Macenough diversity in the prices as to sat- dozald and Tupper failed to get. And ever there was a time when the Governisfy every comer. The following list yet Sir Wilfrid is coming home empty- ment should act with promptness and de-

conveys a slight idea of the way values run:

Men's Fine Neckwear. Men's Fine Silk and Satin Neckwear, four-in-hands, knots, bows and puffs, newest shapes, satin lined, choice broches, stripes, plaids and neat

Men's Fine Silk and Satin Neckwear, in the latest large puff and flowing end shapes, satin lined, newest designs and colorings, in plaids, stripes

Men's Fine Silk Neckwear, in large flow-........

Men's Dress Shirt Bosom Protectors in black silk and satin, with fancy stripe silk, shot silk and white satin quilted linings, collar protec- 1.00 tors attached

Shirts and Collars.

Men's Evening Dress Shirts, best Austrian make, open front, linen bosom and cuffs or wristbands, hand button holes, reinforced front, continuous

blue, pink and maroon, 75c

Don't wait until the best things have been picked over. Come now, while most of the assortments are complete. Come in the morning, when you can choose with more leisure and comfort.

Clothing Specials For... Saturday

On Saturday morning at eight o'clock these six lines of clothing will be placed on sale at these special prices:

Men's Overcoats—Fine imported English beaver cloths, blue, black, brown and fawn shades, in single and double breasted styles, ton do the fiddling. Mr. Bertram spoke get the representatives in the Legisla-

Men's Pants-Pure all wool West of England tweeds, good heavy

Men's Waterproof Coats-Imported English make, all wool and ascertain where he was at.

Youths' Pea Jackets or Reefers-In navy blue and black

Boys' Fauntleroy or Brownie Suits-All wool navy English separate vest, good linings throughout, sizes 21 to 25, regular price \$5.00, for....

Boys' 2-Piece Suits-Short pants, single and double breasted, all wool Scotch tweeds, dark brown colors, neat small patterns, plain and pleated coats, Italian cloth linings, sizes 23 to 27, regular price \$4.00 to \$4.50, for

This store opens regularly at 8 a.m. and closes at 6 p.m.

"T. EATON CO.

190 YONGE ST., TORONTO. Canadians. On Tuesday last The

Lord and Lady Minto had a busy day yesterday.

Early in the afternoon Their Excellencies received a large deputation from the Methodist church at the Queen's Hotel, when Rev. Dr. Carman superintendent, and Rev. Dr. Ross, secretary of the conference, presented His Excellency with an illuminated address, beautifully bound in morocco, expressing the loyalty of Methodists to British institutions. His Excellency replied briefly. Among those composing he deputation were: Senator Aikins, Senator Cox, Senator Sanford, Hon, E. J. Davis, Provincial Secretary; J. W. St. John ex-M.L.A.; George F. Marter, M.L.A., H. Cook, ex-M.P., ex-Mayor Kennedy Ald. Score, J. J. Maclaren, Q.O., Warden Glimour. Emerson Coatsworth, ex-M.P., Chester D. Mas-

THE TORONTO WORLD ONE CENT MORNING PAPER. No. 83 YONGE-STREET. Toronto.

ing last night was for the express pur- and the other Liberal leaders for this hudo so, come be- Wilfrid and his fellow commoners to leaders in a movement whose object was There will be no treaty in the bag- cannot get the whole of it, at least a for which let us all thank a Merciful portion of the Dominion?

But Mr. Bertram is not going to worry about the result: if a treaty is got In spite of the anti-Canadian policy of

of existence; that there was no sub-Men's Fine Underwear, stantial difference between the two rarties on the fiscal policy-at the most

facings, sizes 13 1-2 to 18-in.

1.00

Men's Fine Natural Wool Night-robes, collar and pocket, closed cuffs, pearl in long, all sizes have points, depths 2 1-4, 2 1-2 and 2 3-4 inch, all sizes, 18c each or 50

Men's Liberal Policy of the Liberal party was to wipe the National Policy off the face of the earth." We respect Mr. Frankland for his homestry; we detest Mr. Bertined, factions. There is very little sense in this prejudice against state institutions, but that it is strogly implanted in the public mind there is no denying. It is spring buckles, in black, white satin lined, fancy ram's low-down casuistry. A Scotchinch, all sizes, 18c each or 50

Men's Fine Natural Wool Night-robes, collar and pocket, closed cuffs, pearl in long, all sized bodies, 60- 12.00

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At the Ottawa Convention (1893).—

Hon. Wilfrid Laurier [leader]: Our first duty is to arouse the people to a sense of their immediate danger, and the immediate danger is the tariff which oppresses Canada. * * The N. P. has been found to be a fraud and a failure. * * The Government [Conservative] tells us that the principle of the N. P. they are going to maintain and we answer to the Government that the principle of the N. P. is victous and must be taken off—not only the branches. We shall never rest until we have wiped away from our system that fraud and robbery [the N. P.] under which Canadians suffer. Their [Conservatives] ideal is protection, our ideal is free trade.

Sir Richard Cartwright: I have always held that in Canada protection was not only a crime, but a blunder. * * I believe, sir, that tariff reform is a good thing, but that no rapid development and recovery can be looked for unless in some form and shape you also obtain access to the markets of the United States.

CHARGE THIS TO THE LIBERALS. In some way or other the Americans have got a poor impression about us Buffalo Express, in the most cold-blood-Sey, W. E. H. Massey, E. Gurney, W. J. Gage, Chamcellor Burwash, and Rev. Dr. Lord and Lady Minto had a busy day yesterday.

Early in the afternoon Their Excellencies received a large deputation from the Methodist church at the Queen's Hotel, when Rev. Dr. Carman, superintendent, and Rev. Dr. Ross, secretary of the conference, presented His Excellency with an illuminated address, beautifully bound in morocco, expressing the loyalty of Methodists to British (Columbia and the Northwest for the Philippines. The Americans, it appears, wish to expand, but they prefer to extend this Excellency with an illuminated address, beautifully bound in morocco, expressing the loyalty of Methodists to British Columbia and the Northwest for the Philippines. The Americans, it appears, wish to expand, but they prefer to the Hunt Club for luncheon.

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spect that is due it, we would not now be exposed to these insults from the United States press. For this proposal to sacrifice half our heritage for a few A CASUIST WITH A BURR.

pa'try trade concessions is nothing short

of an insult. We have to thank Sir On First Mortgage! World foretold two days ago: his meet- Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Richard Cartwright pase of laying down cushions for Sir miliation. Ten years ago they were the fall on, having failed in their Washing- the transfer of the whole country to the ton mission. The jig is up and the car- United States. Can we wonder that the

THE NICKEL INDUSTRY.

it will be a good one for Canada, for the Provincial and Federal Govern he has every confidence in our com- ments, the nickel industry of the Sudmissioners; if a treaty is not brought bury district is on the boom. Over one home it is because a good one could not thousand men are employed by the be got by these commissioners in whom Canadian Copper Company, which posget a treaty, why we'll go on in our of ore per day. This is double the used by the Americans in the construc-All of which is easy for Mr. Bertram tion of their new warships, and it is also handed. Nay, more, there is a suspicion cision it is just now in regard to the diers at Manila are dying in hospitals for handed. Nay, more, there is a suspicion cision it is just now in regard to the in the minds of many that he and his nickel industry. The first business that Schaeffer, a Red Cross nurse, who went Men's Fine Suspenders. associates went so far as to oner our on his arrival from Washington is the imposition of an export duty on nickel "They say the Government allows 50 associates went so far as to offer our Sir Wilfrid Laurier should undertake from here to Manila in September and has Men's Fine Satin Suspenders, best embroidered silk ends, kid stayed back, fancy buckles, in black, white, gold, pale blue, pink and maroon, 1.50

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Lit was out and out protection, Canada On the subject of our fiscal policy, Mr. matte, as has been provided for by act cents a day for each patient. You can save Bertram made a protectionist speech. of Parliament. The imposition of this dozens of lives on five cents a day,

BENEFACTION. Lord Strathcona, who has given with a man who says the thing which is the philanthropist's benefactions. The there is such i spoon when supping with the de'il. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is also a casuist, but of another kind, and the casuist with the burr in his tongue quoted the casuist with the honey on his tongue to instiwith the honey on his tongue to justiagoinst the endowment of state instify himself. He read a letter of Laurier's tutions by private individuals can be to show that Liberals were not in for supported by no reasonable argument. free trade. What does that prove, if On the contrary, money bequeathed to you know that Laurier has declared such institutions as University College of Bowmanville is doing a rushing business equally as often that he wanted free would accomplish much better results these days, or rather these days and trade as they have it in England! It's than if left to sectarian and smaller con-nights, for the hours of daylight are ala two-faced man calling a two-faced cerns. It is not true that the Pro- together too few for the work to be done, leader of a two-faced party to testify vincial University does not require funds and the factory is kept running till 9

ing the Street Railway Company, are escaping their fair share of taxes. If to taxation at all, it should be assessed at its value as a going concern and not as so much server has been decided. concern and not as so much scrap, as has been decided. It is evidently a case where the City Council should apply for an amendment to the act to remove the ambiguity that is occasioned by the provision that the plant must be assessed by wards instead of as a whole.

WOULD MULOCK TAKE IT?

A Rumor That the Postmaster-General May Succeed Strathcona as High Commissioner.

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SOCIALISTS WANT REOGNITION

At the American Federation of Lab ro-An Ultimatum to Gompers is Their Purpose.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 15 .- The delegate representing the Socialist' element in the American Federation of Labor were in secret conference until nearly 1 o'clock this

York Township Council. year of the council was held at the Town Hall, Egilnton, yesterday. The members were all present, Reeve Duncan presiding. Mr. Richard Tew, owner of property on Bimer-ayenue, had been promised some consideration in the matter of a sidewalk for that street for some time past, but no work has yet been inaugurated. He wrote yesterday, reminding the council of their obligation. Deputy Reeve Sylvester supported the application, but as nothing of the kind can be performed at this time of the year, the walk will have to wait till spring. Solicitor Bull notified the board of the satisfactory termination of the long-drawn out suit of the defunct Toronto and Richmond Hill Street Railway, and on his suggestion a copy of the judgment just delivered will be procured and placed among the municipal archives.

ered will be brocured and piaced among the municipal archives.

The reeve, in answer to an enquiry, stated that he had endeavored to find what amount was due the township from magistrates' fines, and which had erroneously gone into the coffers of the county. It had been difficult to obtain particulars and High Constable Jones had consented to assist in the discovery. In connection with this matter Mr. Miller urged upon the countities the necessity of stubbornly opposing any lexislation giving Police Magistrate Ellis complete jurisdiction over the southern portion of the county. The point was considered well taken, and action will be taken should the move be made.

The revision of the treasurer's annual statement was gone through in detail and occupied some hours. The figures were as usual slightly intricate, but after balancing up, the council convinced themselves that the municipality was better off by \$3000 than it was a year ago, while \$4000 had been spent on the roads more than in the previous year.

Sir W. R. Meredith communicated with

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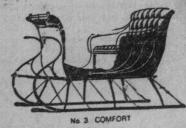
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account of his stewardship. Mr. Bertram is a host of himself, but he had fortifying him a member of the Ontario Government. Hon, G. W. Ross, and the Postmaster-General of Canada. Hon, William Mulock, None of the speakers, however, told any political secrets, and for the early part of the meeting the proceedings took the nature of a jubilation over the recent elections. Hon, G. W. Ross presided and present were many of the members of the Liberal associations of the city amongst whom were: Elas Rogers. Ald Burns, R J. Fleming, Dr. E. H. Adams, S. H. Janes, William McCabe, Stapleton Caldecott, D. E. Thomson, W. B. Rogers.

The Minister of Education.

Hon, G. W. Ross led off with exuitation over the results of the previous day's elections. He hoped the good luck would continue, and that when the provincial difficulties were settled they might be able to help the Government at Ottawa. Then the Minister became complimentary to Mr. Bertram, who had begun well and wording affairs, and particularly trade questions, eminently fitted him to represent a large industrial constituency like Center Toronto, A. glance at the great events that had transpired since the Liberal Sasumed power at Ottawa led the chairman up to the statement of Canada to the Empire and the interests of the British Empire have in creased one thousand times. Of course, the Minister praised the Liberal Governments and their doings, and was eloquent on the Anglo-Saxon alliance and its possibilities. He referred to previous, and, for the smost part fruitiess, efforts to remove causes of the country more prosperity of Canada. The third states and their doings, and was eloquent on the Anglo-Saxon alliance and its possibilities. He referred to previous, and for the smost part fruitiess, efforts to remove causes of the country more prosperity of Canada. The transpired have a constituent of the control of the country more prosperity of Canada. Th



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if we could get it, but the call for redprocity is not now so urgent as it was
fifteen or wenty years ago." This was owing to the opening of other avenues of trade,
on which the chairman forthwith dilated.
Unless, said he, we get a thoroughly satisfactory reciprocity treaty with the United
States, our trade relations with Great Britain may be disturbed, in which case we
had better have no treaty at all. Thea,
amid cheers, Mr. Ross said: "I believe that
a satisfactory reciprocity treaty will be
established." He would prefer the development of trade in the seaport towns of Canada to the building up of American ports.

The Postmaster-General Speaks.

Hon, William Mulock, greeted with the
usual cheers, entered on a defence of the
Laurier Government, and, referring to the
recent elections, said they were the best
answer to the Conservative critics. "We,"
said he, "of the old school, the true school,
the living, moving school of Liberalism, today have occasion to rejoice as we never
had before. Referring to the Commissioners at Washington, he said they were Imperial officers, under the direct mandate
of the Queen, and not mere delegates from
Canada. As he understood Canadian sentiment, it was this: That, whilst desirous of
securing the best terms possible, they
would forfelt nothing, but warn their neighbors to the south that in the past Canadians had stood alone, and were still able
to do so apart from the United States,
[Cheers.] Whether it were Canada's destiny to have closer commercial relations
with the United States, or not, they had
an open door with Great Britain. Hence
Canada was not dependent on the United
States, but relled on the progressive spirit,
business enterprise and sterling manhood
of her sons. Then Mr. Mulock launched on
his favorite topic-increased markets, and
improved transportation facilities for the
products of Canada's fields, forests, mines
and fisheries. In conclusion, he complimented Mr. Bertram on his position as a commercial man, a large employer of labor

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CANADIANS WON'T PAY ANYTHING When He Comes Back.

CANADIANS WON'T PAY ANYTHING For Co-Operation With the United States if This is the Only Possible Basis for a Treaty.

St. George's Hail was filled last night with enthusiastic supporters of Mr. George H. Bertram M. P. for Centre Toronto, who, following the British custom, called the electors together to hear him give an account of his stewardship. Mr. Bertram is a host of himself, but he had fortifying him a member of the Ontario Government, Hon. G. W. Ross, and the Postmaster-General of Canada, Hon. William Mulock. None of the speakers, however, toldiand in the compilment-ary chorus, should be first he contract.

Centre Toronto's Member.

Mr. Bertram, having been musically assured that he was a folly cood fellow, lost to the member of the People would not be a slavish supporter of any net of corruption a year ago against his party and its leaders and in this connection read extracts from the report of the Drummond Countles Rail-way investigations of corruption a year ago against his party and its leaders and in the country of the Drummond Countles Rail-way investigations and respect to the Drummond Countles Rail-way investigations. We for corruption a year ago against his party and its leaders and in the country and its leaders and in this connection read extracts from the report of the Drummond Countles Rail-way investigations. Wr. Bertram was a call in the country and its leaders and in the country is all fange of corruption about he country is all fange of corruption about he country is all fange of corruption and the country and its leaders and in the country and its leaders and in the country is all fange of corruption a

Prospects Extremely Doubtful.

Then Mr. Bertram pointed out that there was no occasion for the cry "Come home"—that time must be given for the consideration and sanction of Senate and Congress. The Canadian commissioners must strive to bring the business to a successful issue, but not ask any favors from the Americaus. "We have," said he, most emphatically, "no favors to ask of anyone. [Applause,] We are looking for equity and fair dealing, and if we cannot get these we do not want anything. If we get a treaty—good; if not, we are not crying. Canada never was more independent than now, and she can find new avenues for her trade.

"This," said Mr. Bertram, "Is the reason I am not concerning myself much whether we should have a treaty with the United States or not. The prospects are extremely doubtful, but the attitude and ability of our Canadian commissioners is not doubtful."

In the remainder of his able address Mr. Bertram justified the increased expenditure of the Government for opening up the counter, and for improved transportation facilities; most emphatically advocated the abolition of the Canadian Senate, which he termed as being in great part a hospital for political cripples; espoused the James Bay and other northern railways; commended the proposed erection of a large new hotel, and hoped that capitalists would invest in anything to promote the prosperity of Toronto. Prospects Extremely Doubtful.

To-Day at 2 p.m. Rev. Mr. McLachlin arrived in the city last night, and will be present to press the charges against Rev. Mr. Jenanyan. The editor of The Westminster made the significant remark yesterday that the committee would not need to telegraph him to be present. The meeting promises to be of more than passing interest.

To Regulate Railway Charges. Topeka, Kan., Dec. 15.—The proclamation calling an extra session of the Kansas Legislature to pass "suitable legislation for the regulation of railroad charges," was issued to-day by Governor Leedy.

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A dollar will Real Kid scarcely buy Dollar Gloves. more neat and worthy a gift-for there is character, beauty and comfort in "Elite" Kid Gloves. Not equalled elsewhere at less than a dollar and a quarter :-

Real French Kid, a domes, silk embroidered backs, reds, blue, green, brown or black, every pair guaranteed, also in white 1.00 and poarl grey.

Ladies' Extra Fine French Kid Gloves, "La Reine," 2 domes, 3 strand slik embroidered, tans, reds, greens, blue or black, fit and wear guaranteed, also in white, pearl and primpose to black, fit and wear guaranteed, also in white, pearl and primpose to be a supported, handsome embroidery, large pearl clasps, in green, violet, rose, light green, pink, pearl grey 1.65 and primrose.

240 Pairs Children's Ringwood Gloves, manufacturers' samples, regular 12½c and 15c a pair, Satur.

Attractions in Have you Perfumes and seen our Toilet Articles. display of perfumes? Probably the best ever made in Toronto - extra store space given to the showing. Attractions in toilet articles, too: Grossmith's "Betrothal Bouquet," 2ounce, bottle, in very pretty .75
Taylor's Moss Rose, in handsome decorated box, regular \$1, 80 Rojer & Gallett's, 1 ounce fancy bottle, of any odor, regular 75c, 50

White Metal Fancy Puff Boxes, with hand-painted decorations, were 30 Ebony Hair Brushes, that were made to sell for \$4 to \$5, 50

Sterling Silver Initials, elegantly mounted, extra 1.00

Dupont's Ebony Bonnet Brushes, 1.25

"Something in China for My Xmas Box, Please."

Almost every lady is saying so this year. Two sample items from our china display, one useful, the other ornamental, are fair indications of what you can buy Saturday :-

6 only 101-piece Fine Imported China Dinner Sets, Primrose and Lily decorations, never sold less than 12.00 29 Mantel Ornaments, mostly vases, including Doulton, Japanese and Royal Chelsea, the price we ask is not a fraction of their value, 1.50

Lamps.

20 Combination Collar and Cuff Boxes, round shape, leatherette and celluloid, asserted sizes and colors, Sat. 1.00 12 Celluloid Shaving Cases, high designs, tinted, embossed and picture decorations and satin linings, these make useful and handsome presents for gentlemen, each. 4.50

STORE OPEN SATURDAY NIGHT.

Handsome Novelty Capes. On Saturday we'll put on sale in the Mantle Section twelve handsome novelty Capes, exclusive goods, direct importations from Paris and Berlin. The line is among the finest ever shown in Canada, and gives an opportunity for a Christmas selection seldom offered. Prices have been cut exactly in half for the one day-Saturday. Every garment is perfect and new this season :-

only Ladies' Plush Cape, handsomely braided with silk and mohair braid, silk lining, our price was \$32.50. Saturday 16.25 Ladies' Rich Cloth Cape, silk applique, in pretty patterns, embroidered with silk around pattern, 2-inch band of Sable fur around collar, down fronts and around bottom, our price was \$60.00. Saturday.... 30.00

Handsome Chairs for Xmas



There is a charm in Exclusiveness. In knowing you can purchase for yourself or for presentation something not seen in every store window. Anticipating the desires of our customers who wish to secure something unique, handsome and exclusive, we have prepared some special designs for Christmas selling which cannot be purchased elsewhere in Toronto. Among others :-

A Very Handsome Rocker and Chair to match, in old Flemish oak, handcarved, exquisite design, with a very dainty French tapestry picture panel back and seat. Exactly as shown in cut, each..... 7.50

See Them in Windows Friday.

Men's Saturday Boot Special

216 Pairs of Men's Lace Boots, made of Harvard calf, in tan, chocolate, nut brown, russet, black box calf and dongola, in coin, bulldog and Waldorf toes, Goodyear welt, sewn soles, all new seasonable goods, in winter weights, size 6 to 10, regular \$3.50 and \$4 goods. Saturday \$2.50

Women's Saturday Boot Special.

315 Pairs of Women's Fine Dongola Button and Lace Boots, patent leather tips, fair stitch, extension soles, coin and pointed toes, regular price \$1.50

Xmas Presents The Hosi- Dress Lengths for Xmas. In Hosiery. ery stocks include a wide range of goods well suited for Xmas presentsfine goods, and pretty. Three items out of many:-

value at soc, or 3 for

Ladles' Indiana Cashmere Hose, dcuble
sole, heel and toe, made of the very
finest imported yarn, all full fashioned, also extra heavy winter weights,
in plain or ribb, made of best 4thread cashmere yarn, at 60c, 1.70

Art Needlework.

Colored and White Linen Laundry Bags, large size, regular 40c and 50c, 25

Handsome Sofa Cushions On sale at the art muslin section, ground floor, a large assortment of Sofa Cushions, covered with art tapestries, art satins, etc., with silk or satin ruffle to match, most of these have a fine down cushion inside, you can easily make a choice now, 3.75

Fancy Ribbons.

Last Saturday taught Specials. us that another enlargement of the Toy Department was necessary. We've made it. Cut Flowers are now on First Floor, and the biggest value Toys in Canada take their space on the





FIREMEN'S HATS.

SMALL DRESSED DOLLS. These Dolls are "quality" rather than "quantity." 6 to 8 in. high, dressed in fancy colored costumes, regular 20c, Saturday, 2 for 25 100 Jointed Body Dolls, 14-in. tall, body and limbs painted natural color, basque head and colored musiln slip, curly hair, regular price 30c, Satur. 20

Christmas Groceries. Pirst Quality of Christmas 25
Cake, per lb. 25
Home-made Tea Buns, per 10
Kelly & Ross' Assorted Soup, 20
Shelled Almonds, per lb. 25 Grape Fruit Catsup, per bottle.

Millinery Bargain. On Saturday morning we will offer 15 only Paris and New York Models. These are all genuine pattern hats, not one of them costing less than \$15, some as high as \$25, Saturday

Ladies' Umbrellas.

Walking Sticks.

Calendars, These are Xmas Cards conveniently and Booklets. located on first floor, east side of light well. The item named is one of hundreds that will interest you :-CALENDARS.

Pretty Calendars of all shapes and sizes, Folding Calendars, with floral decoration, the Beautiful Year, the Psaim of Life, the Sports, Polly at Home, Drop Calendars, in new and pretty designs, such as Pansies for Thoughts, Holy Memories, Woodland Violets, with a choice assortment of 35 others, all one price

Onyx Perhaps you had put Tables. them out of your thought because of the usual price. We bought these so that they will cost you half price:-

Books-Give Books.

"Lansdowne Edition" of Poets, in padded lenther binding, good clear type, on fine paper, contains:—Longfellow, Shakespears, E. B. Browning, Scott, Moore, Burns, Shelley, Byron, Milton, Wordsworth. extra 1.00

Hardware.

Unclaimed Raggage Sold.

A sale of unclaimed baggage was held at Charles M. Henderson & Co.'s salesrooms yesterday morning. There was a big crowd and bidding was brisk. There were 700 pleces of baggage, 500 umbrellas and a pounce last night in St. James'-square variety of nondescript articles. One man bought a grip that contained two greasy pillows. An actress' outfit fell to a young man for \$3.50. Ten dollars bought a sample Sporting Goods for Xmas.

Prof. Shields a Convert.

New York, Dec. 15.—Prof. Charles W.
Shields, D. D., Liz. D., of Princeton University, and until last spring prominent in the Presbyterian denomination, entered the Protestant Episcopal ministry yesterday, having been previously confirmed.

Departed This Life.

Mrs. Jennie Martin, wife of Mr. Aive Martin, aged 32 years, died on Thursday Dec. 8, at Nantyr. She was the daughter of the eighth concession of Innisfil. She was a woman of exemplary character and highly respected.

Persiatic Plant Food restores drooping, weakly plants,

Stella Music Boxes MINES AND MINING STOCKS



Sweetness, Harmony and Volume of Tone

and have smooth, metallic tune sheets playing

-No Pins or Projections to Break Off.
-Call and Hear Them. Get Prices. -Write for Catalogue.

Gourlay, Winter & Leeming,

188 Yonge Street, Toronto. Within this century an illustrious ancestor of Your Excellency held the exaited position of First Lord of the Admiralty, and while he occupied the position he manifested such a keen and kindly interest in the explorations that were being made for the Hudson Bay Company, that, as a mark of appreciation therefor, and for the aid and encouragement given by him to that enterprise, an inset and two islands of the British possessions in that region still bear the name of Minto. Nor is Your Excellency a stranger in Canada. We find that from 1885 to 1886 you held the important position of Military Secretary to the them Governor-General of Canada, the duties of which offige you discharged with dignity and efficiency, while in 1885 you assisted in the suppression of an insurrection which had broken out in our Northwest Territories.

We congratulate Your Excellency on your appointment as the representative of the Crown in our midst, and we trest that during your administration the realization of the great scheme of Confederation, by the entire consolidation of the Dominion, may be happily and wisely fulfilled, and that the importance of this Dominion to the Empire may be fully recognized and acknowledged by our having representation in the great council of the nation, the Imperial Farhament.

We conclude with the earnest prayer that the Countess of Minto and Your Excellency may enjoy the fullest blessings of health and happiness during your residence in Canada.

City Hall, Toronto, Dec. 14, 1808.

His Excellency's Pointed Reply.

His Excellency, when the appliause nadded away, replied with considerable point-

To Lord and Lady Minto at the New City Hall Was of the Most Cordial Character.

HIS EXCELLENCY'S BRIEF REPLY.

Crowds of Citizens Attended the Informal Reception Following Presentation of the Address.

for anything, Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Minto bid fair to rival any and all essors in popularity with Canada's 'classes," such as she has. But the "masses" make Canada, and the masses who thronged, with curiosity beaming out of their eyes, to scrutinize at the gala civic eception at the new City Hall yesterday went away to enthuse. Lord Minto, in speech, a brief speech. Its brevity, like the on, the dignity, the subdued bonhom nie of the speaker bespoke a man in touch with his less exalted fellow-beings. It loyalty to our beloved Queen and Empress.

As you are aware, Mr. Mayor, though this is my first official visit, it is not the first time I have had the pleasure of seeing your beautiful city, and I much regret that on this occasion I am unable to pay you a longer visit.

I thank you for the allusions to the public services of my family, and for the kind'y refrerence you made to the appointment I held in Canada some ifficen years ago. I hope that during my term of office here Canada may continue to grow in strength and prosperity, and that she may still further contribute to the strength of the Empire, of which we are all so proud.

I must express to you, on behalf of Her Excellency Lady Minto, her heartfelt thanks for the welcome you have extended to her, and can assure you we both are looking forward much to the period of our residence amongst you in Canada.

Those Who Stood Near. tempted like as we." He showed the military instinct in his brevity and precision like a colonel of a Toronto regiment.

The Lady of Rideau Hall. As for the lady who will share with him the glamored responsibilities of tributary royalty-well, one's first impressions might tend to an excess of eulogy. In height and build moulded proportionately with receives does not convey patronage with it. Refinement speaks from her kindly tace. Her every move is grace itself. Her beauty is that of maturity, and showed that at one time cometiness must have entered into the young peer's calculations.

The Scene as They Arrive.

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Such were the impressions which must are become implanted on the minds of the host of causens which waited exceptably in the tolerably presentable conders of the big new pile to pass opinion in Lord Sallsbury's emissaries to Canada. They included the guests upstairs. There was a small gathering on the stair large must had been cut by board fencing, and these, of course, had precedence, wath had been cut by board fencing, and Through the furry, feathery multitude a swath had been cut by board fencing; and a cordou of podee up the main front steps, along the main entrance and up to the mirst landing in the completed startway. Here, on the spot which had seen the farewell to Aberdeen, the city's Chief Magistrate welcomen for it Minto. By accident or design the festoons were of orange and blue. They swung athwart the wail and palms adorned the lauding. Presently the genes marched up the afore-mentioned channel between opposing crowds to the strains of the National Anthem from the Nati

The Civic Address.

The Mayor stepped forward, introduced the vice-regal pair amid applause and read the following memorial:

To His Excellency the Right Honorable the Harl of Minto, Governor-General of Canada.

We, the Mayor and corporation of the City of Toronto, on behalf of our fellow-citizens, avail ourselves of the opportunity afforded by the presence of Your Excellency in this city, on this, the first occasion of your visit in your vice-regal capacity to the capital of Ontarlo, to express to you our devoted loyalty to the person and Crown of our beloved sovereign the Queen, and to tender to you a cordial welcome as her representative in this Dominion.

A century has elapsed since the site of Toronto was selected by Sir John Simcoe, the first Governor of Upper Canada, and we trust Your Excellency will have an opportunity of observing the result of the continuous and marvelous efforts that have been made by the citizens of Toronto to erect, on the foundation laid by Governor Simcoe in 1793, a city thoroughly British in its institutions, evincing an unabated in 1793, a city thoroughly British in its institutions, evincing an unabated attachment to the Constitution of Great Britain, under which so many advantages are enjoyed, and to the national traditions, which are our proud heritage.

ALCOHOLD ! hacking coughs

Are wearing on the system. The constant coughing disturbs rest and keeps the lungs and bronchial tubes in an irritated and inflamed condition. Don't neglect the hacking cough. Get rid of it with a few doses of

DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP,

-the most prompt, pleasant and

perfect cough remedy known. Miss M. Bradshaw, of Wesleyville, bears this out when she says: "My brother was troubled with a very bad hacking cough, but after using three bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup he was completely

Norway Pine



Description of Knob Hill and Old

self on the single any maining properties in Canada have been so may be men installed and heartly mineralized. Contained on both in the development of these properties and the rapid increase in the value of the stock would seem to amply justify all that is said about them. The contained on both in the development of the special contained on both in the development of the special contained on both in the development of the special contained on both in the development of the special contained on both in the development of the special contained on the special containe

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werkome you have extended to me, on
behaft of the corporation and citizens
of Toronto, and for your expressions of
loyalty to our beloved Queen and Empress. ter being in White Camp, B.C., six miles from Greenwood.

Stock to the amount of 1,200,000 shares was offered, and the demand was so great that no less than 2,170,000 shares were at once subscribed. The officers of the Smelting Company are Messrs. S. H. C. Miner, Granby, president; J. P. Graves, vice president; C. E. Gault, Montreal, secretary; G. W. Wooster, Spokaue, treasurer, with Messrs. A. T. Gault of Montreal and William Farwell of Sherbrooke constituting the directors. They will construct in the Boundary country a 400-ton smelting plant during the coming season.

Prominent Mining Men.

Inspecting the Line.
Mr. A. R. Macdonald, The World's special correspondent at Rossland, is taking a trip over the Crow's Nest Ranway.

Charles Miller at Leeside Last May

-Charges of Misappropriation of Money and of Embezzlement.

Charles Lee of Leeside, York Township,

was tried vesterday in the Sessions on a

Golden Cache.

Is last, when Lee found Miller trespassing on his property. At the preliminary in vestigation Magistrates Frankland and Evâns reduced the charge to one of common assault and fined Lee \$10 and costs or 30 days. The Crown authorities afterwards thought the the "J.P.'s" had no power to deal with the matter, and Lee was brought up yesterday in the Sessial development of the Carloo claims at Camp McKinney, B.C., nas proved the existence of a continuously stems reduces itself to supplying natives boo claims at Camp McKinney, B.C., nas proved the existence of a continuously stems reduces itself to supplying natives boo claims at Camp McKinney, B.C., nas proved the existence of a continuously stems reduces itself to supplying natives with appropriating moneys. The prisoner was remanded until Jan. 7 in order that a material witness may be located.

Alex E. Macdonald was arraigned on a charge of embezzlement from his former employer, Archibald Campbell of Torontog Junction. The accused will be tried before Judge McDongall next Wednesday.

"Terrapin" at the "Bodega."

Mr. W. G. Phyall of the "Bo

received a large consignation of the coast of Florida and is serving them in soup daily to his patrons. The terrapin, which came by the Canadian Express Company, arrived in first-class condition and can be seen all alive and kicking in the dining room of the "Bodega." The McKinney Reef Gold Mining Company, Limited, non-personal hability, is being incorporated under the laws of British Columbia to acquire these claims under the bond. The authorized capital stock is \$150,000, divided into 600,000 shares of 25c each. The whole capital of the company capital of the company that the second control of the company capital stock is \$150,000, divided into 600,000 shares of 25c each. The whole capital of the company capital stock is \$150,000, divided into 600,000 shares of 25c each. The New International Park.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 15.—The report of Commissioner Babcock of the Fisheries, Game and Forest Commission, presented to day, shows that the commission has expended to date \$21,400 for the purchase of land in and along the St. Lawrence River, for the international park which this state and Canada are establishing.

A Magic Pill,—Dyspepsia is a foe with which men are constantly grappling but cannot exterminate. Subdued, and to all appearances vanquished in one, it makes its appearances vanquished in one, it makes its appearance in another direction. In many the digestive apparatus is as delicate as the mechanism of a watch or scientific instrument in which even a breath of air will make a variation. With such persons disorders of the stomach ensue from the most trivial causes and cause much suffering. To these Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are recommended as mild and sure. ed

The New Swiss President.

Berne Switzerland, Dec. 15.—The Federal Assembly has elected M. Mueller of Berne, who was vice-president for 1896, to be President of the Swiss confederation. M. Hauser of Zurich was elected vice-president. The authorized capital stock is \$150,000, divided into 600,000 shares of 25c each. The whole capital of the company will be available for acquiring the two claims in question, for necessary expenses and for development and equipment. This looks like a good opportunity to investors to oscure an interest on the ground floor in a Camp McKinney property, on which in a Camp McKinney property, on which is a good opportunity to investors and for development and equipment. This looks like a good opportunity to investors to each the extendition in a Camp McKinney property, on which the expenditure of a small sum for development and equipment. This looks like a good opportunity to investors to oscure an interest on the ground floor in a Camp McKinney property, on which are expenditure of a small sum for development must produce splendid results. The company is named McKinney level. The claims conta

ture in this company is the fact that the permanent organization by election of officers will not be completed until after the stock books have been closed. Those who subscribe for the stock now will therefore have a voice in the choice of the executive officers of the company and in deciding the lines upon which the company's operations are to be carried out.

Development in Lake-of-the-Woods Michipicoton and Hastings Co. The Believille Sun reports Dr. Easton of Brockville as speaking in enthusiastic terms of the Sovereign mine near Malone in Hastings County, in which he is interested. He stated that the ore runs \$200 and over to the ton and that the ten stamp mill on the property would soon be in operation.

Inasmuch as a great deal of attention is now being directed to the boundary country in British Columbia the following from The World's Montreal correspondent regarding Old Ironsides, Knob Hill and other Greenwood Camp properties will prove of interest:

It has been a long time since any mining projecties in Canada have been so much taiked of in this city than the Old Ironsides and the Knob Hill, and the results obtained on both in the cold interest:

Spread With Free Gold.

Mr. T. A. Kiteley, who, as stated in yesterday's World, has just returned from Michaplecton, where he has been opening in the properties of the Superior Gold and Copper Company, brought back with him some fine specimens of quartz, carrying visible free gold. One large piece of rock, which he says he took from the bottom of a ten foot pit on the Rosalind has been proven to be well maintained and heavily mineralized.

Mining Exchange.				
Closing quotations yesterday were:				
Decca 25	23			
Foley				
Hammond Reef 171/2				
Olive 92	90			
Saw Bill 50				
Saw Bill	71/4			
Cariboo	1.20			
Minnehaha 22	18			
Smuggler 181/2	16%			
Winchester 12				
Cld Ironsides	75			
Golden Cache 6				
Athabasca 45	41			
Dundee 36	30			
Dardanelles 11				
Noble Five 18	15			
Reco 1.50 Van Anda 6				
Van Anda 6	41/4			
Blg Three 151/2	14			
Commander 121/2	::			
Deer Park 20 Evening Star 5	19			
Evening Star 5	41/2			
Giant 6				
Good Hope 31/2				
Grand Prize 4	••			
Homestake 10	***			
Iron Colt 91/2	81/2			
Iron Mask 84	80 1 48 f			
Jumbo 54 Keystone 11	20			
Keystone 11 Montreal Geld Fields 17	16			
Monte Cristo Con 101/2	91/4			
Monte Cristo Con 10½ Northern Belle 3½	**74			
Novelty 4	314			
Novelty 4 R. E. Lee5	974			
R. E. Lee 61/2	**			
St. Paul 6½ Silver Bell Con.	51/2			
St Elmo	3			
St. Elmo 5	331/2			
Virginia 40	51/2			
Virginia 40 Victory-Triumph 9 War Eagle Con 2.94	2.90			
White Boar	2.00			
White Bear	434			
Canadian G. F. S 71/2	6			
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Sales reported: Minnehaha, 1000, 2000, 2250 at 19½; Novelty, 500, 1000 at 4; Smuggler, 1300 at 16¾, 250, 500 at 18, 760 at 18½, 1000, 2000 at 19½, 1500 at 20; Canadian G. F. S., 1000 at 6½; Noble Five, 2000 at 15½; Athabasca, 1000 at 41½; White Bear, 5000 at 6½; Dardanelles, 1500 at 10¾; Monte Cristo Con., 2000 at 10, 500 at 9¾; Silver Bell Con., 500 at 5½; Superior G. & C. Co., 1000, 1000 at 7.

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Suckling & Co.

Closing Trade Sale TUESDAY, DEC. 20

In consequence of the holidays and to give buyers time to receive their purchases for the holiday trade, we will hold our sale on

TUESDAY.

Friezes, 6/4 Wool Tweeds, 3/4 do, Fine Frieze Ulsters, Reefers, Pea Coats in Men's, Youths', Boys' and Child's; Beaver, Melton and Nap do, Men's Fine Worsted Suits. Tweed do, Shirts and Drawers, Scotch Knit Fleece Lined Gloves, Mitts Gauntlets, Lumbermen's Sox, Dry-

along Spadina-avenue 64 feet, more or less, to the southeast angle of said lot, and having a uniform depth of 140 feet, more or less, to a lane running northerly to 8t. Patrick-street, upon which said lands are erected dwellings known as street numbers 276 and 278 Spadina-avenue, each having about an equal frontage, Each house will be offered for sale separately.

SECONDIAY—Parts of lots numbers 21 and 22, as laid down upon said plan D 10, commencing at a point distant 26 feet southerly from the south limit of said lot 22, and 150 feet west from Spadina-avenue, thence westerly parallel to the said south limit of said lot 46 feet, thence northerly parallel to Spadina-avenue 60 feet, thence easterly parallel to the south limit of said lot 46 feet, thence southerly parallel to Spadina-avenue 60 feet, to the place of begnining. Together with such rights of way over a 10 foot lane, running southerly from St. Patrick-street, along the east limit of said lands as are possessed by the executors of the late Isabella Esson.

The said lands will be sold in three parcels, viz., the said two dwellings separately, and the said vacant land.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent, of the purchase money to be paid to the vendors' solicitors at the time of sale, and the balance to be paid into Court to the credit of this action, within 30 days thereafter, without interest.

Each parcel will be offered subject to a

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Messrs, WILLIAM MORT MER CLARK & GRAY, 99 Freehold Building, Toronto, Vendors' Solicitors.

ESTATE NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS-IN THE matter of the estate of William Edward Boustead, late of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, instructor, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of R.S.O., 1897, chapter 129, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of William Edward Boustead, late of the city of Toronto, instructor, deceased, who died on or about the fourth of May, 1897, at the city of Toronto, in the County of York, are required on or before the 20th day of January, 1899, to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned executrix of the last will and testament of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions and a statement of their respective claims and the particulars and proofs thereof, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by the nature of the securities, if any, held by

THE CZAR HAS HIS OWN MOTIVES.

He Places the Russian Occupation of Port Arthur on High Moral Grounds.

London, Dec. 15.—Mr. William T. Stead, writing with reference to his recent visit to the Czar, says His Majesty is entirely proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then shall have had notice, and the said executrix will not be liable for the said executrix will not only the said execution whose claims or claim she shall not then have had notice.

Isabella Jane Boustead, Executrix of the last will and testament of William Edward Boustead, deceased.

EDGAR & MALONE, her Solicitors.
Dated at Toronto this 8th day of December, 1898.

LORD CURZON STARTS FOR INDIA.

accompanied by His Friends, He Leaves for Marseilles to Join Lady Curzon.

London, Dec. 15 .- Lord Curzon of Kedleston, the new viceroy of India started this morning for Marseilles, overland, to join SIR SANDFORD FLEMING, C.E., K.C.

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Thou Shalt Not Shoot.

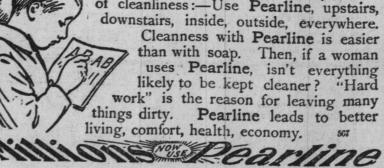
Among the game that cannot now be taken are partridge, quail, pheasants, grouse and other birds.

Who Was to Blame?

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The Before Judge Morgan yesterday Messrs.
J. F. Brown & Co. sued the Toronto and Mimico Electric Railway Co. for \$200 damages. The plaintiffs claimed that on the 3rd of October last one of the electric cars crashed into their wagon, which was recassing the Lake Shore track near Swansen, breaking the vehicle to pieces and intuiting the horse. The defendants say that the accident was due to the earelessness of Brown's driver. The verdict will be given this morning.

The "A, B, Ab," of cleanliness:-Use Pearline, upstairs,



BUY DUNDEE

We can also quote close figures on

Commander, Faitmont, White Bear, Sarah Lee,

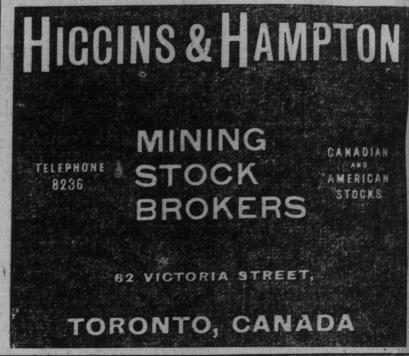
St. Elmo, Dundee, Victory-Triumph. Monte Christo.

PARKER & CO., Stock and Share Brokers,
Members Toronto Mining Exchange.

VICTORIA ST., TORONTO.

DUNDEE MINE

E. Cartly Parker, Mining Broker, 12 Adelaide St. E.



FAIRMONT G. M. CO., YMIR, B.C.

averaged \$28.50 per ton, picked samples \$41.00. Further particulars on appli E. CARTLY PARKER, Mining Broker, 12 Adelaide St. E., Toronto.

Gold - Copper Proposition

MONARCHS—At 7c, is one of the best purchases on the market to-day, Property is situated at HALL SIDING, near YMTR, in the Nelson Division of West Kootenay, B.C. Assays have run from 5 per cent, to 19 per cent, in copper and from a trace to \$10 in gold. Last report to hand stated that the shaft was down 65 feet and that the outlook was most encouraging. Fur-

E. CARTLY PARKER, Mining Broker, 12 Adelaide St. E., Toronto,

GOLDEN

The unparalleled success of Western Ontario gold mines is being evidenced by the increasing demand for stock in the Seine River and Lake of the Woods District mining companies. Golden Star will soon double in price, as there is but a limited amount on the market. Parties desirous of investing in this should do so at once.

Alice A. and J.O. 41 stocks are in active demand. Both these mines are near the Golden Star property. Apply

J. W. CHEESEWORTH,

The Canadian Mining Bureau, 75 Can. Lite Building. Toronto.

A PROPERTY NEAR THE SULTANA Which we have for sale, shows much richer than that great property did at the surface, and the price is a mere bagatelle.

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The Chicago estimate of the world's shipments of wheat last week was 8,301,000 bushels.

The Chicago Daily Bulletin reports a shipment of 75,000 bushels No. 2 red wheat from Chicago to St. Louis. This is a very unusual feature of the trade, and cortesponds with the fact recently mentioned in The World that St. Louis militers found that No. 2 Kansas was unfitted for their trade. Germany cables to Chicago: "Impossible to send you wheat orders. Russia offering more cheaply."

Foreign Crop Conditions.

Foreign Cro Russia is reported to be offering when a more freely.

Argentine advices continue contradictors. Broomhall's correspondent cables: "Weather clearing and more favorable."

A New York firm has a private cable: "The weather situation critical." The London Statist reports an estimate of 1, 800,000 tons for export, but is not disposed to attach much importance to any estimates made before January.

" good 3 35
" common 2 90
" inferior 2 75
Milch cows, each 30 00
Calves, each 3 25
Bucks, per cwt. 2 50
Spring lambs, each 2 75
Hogs 160 to 200 lbs, each 4 15
" light fats 4 00
" sows 3 00

British Markets

spring, 6s; corn, 3s 9½d; peas, 5s 10d; pork, 50s; lard, 28s; tallow, 20s 3d; bacon, heavy, 1.c., 28s; light, 27s; short cut, 29s; cheese, white, 47s 6d; colored, 48s.
Liverpool—Open—Spot wheat steady. Futures dull at 5s 9½d for May. Malze quiet at 3s 9½d for spot. Futures quiet at 3s 9½d for Dec., and 3s 7½d for March. Flour, 19s.
London—Open—Wheat, off coast, near due. On passage, easier, but in some request. English country markets quiet. Malze, off coast, near due. On passage, quiet and steady. Mixed American, suil grade, steam, Dec. 18s 3d; do., steam, Feb., 17s 10½d. Parcels yellow La Plata, Jan, and Feb., 17s 44d, Australian wheat, Dec. and Jan, 27s 6d.

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"heavy fats 400 Chicago Markets.

Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

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INSANE GIRL'S STORY IS SAD.

Inspector DeBarry Has Made Ar-

Buffalo, Dec. 15.—Miss Lizzie Donovan, the inenne young woman brought to Buffalo on Friday from Gueiph, Ont., and left at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Bir-mingham of 600 East Eagle-street, will be returned to Canada. The authorities here elleving that her being brought to Buffalo was a violation of the immigration law, she was handed over to Inspector DeBarry, turn Miss Donovan to Canada to-morrow.

Lizzle Donovan's story is a pathetic one. A bright and promising girl, she was stricken long ago with an incurable mental malady, and has spent most of her time since within the dreary wails of asylums for the insane. A year ago, it is said, she escaped from the asylum at Hamilton, Ont., and wandered about from one Canadian town to another until her arrest at Guelph last week. On Friday afternoon she was left on the door step of her sister's home in this city, by a man supposed to come from Canada, who said he had been directed to deliver the young woman to her. turn Miss Donovan to Canada to-morrow.

The following new books have been re-ceived at the Public Library: Milne, Sels-mology: Darwin, The Tides, and Kindred Parcels yellow La Plata, and Feb., 17s 44d. Australian wheat, Dec. and Jan., 27s 6d.

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Paris—Open—Wheat, 20f 30c for Dec. and 20f 75c for Jan. and April. Flour, 45f 5c for Dec. and 45f 50c for Jan. and April. Flour, 45f 5c for Dec. and 45f 50c for Jan. and April. Flour, 45f 5c for Dec. and 45f 50c for Jan. and April. Flour, 45f 5c for Dec. and 45f 50c for Jan. and April. Flour, 45f 5c for Dec. and 45f 50c for Jan. and April. Flour, 45f 5c for Dec. and 45f 50c for Jan. and April. Flour, 45f 5c for Dec. and 45f 50c for Jan. and April. Flour, 45f 5c for Dec. and 45f 50c for Jan. and April. Flour, 45f 5c for Dec. and 35 6d for May. Spot malze quiet at 38 6d for

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Herr Bebel Attacks the Emperor's Acts and Home Politics in the Reichstag.

CLAIMS SOCIALISM IS GROWING.

Secret Police Orders Not Issued for the Arrest of Leaders in Case of an Uprising.

Berlin, Dec. 15 .- During the debate on the estimates in the Reichstag to-day Herr Bebel, the Socialist leader, criticized Emperor William's acts and home politics, saying it

Claims Socialism is Growing.

Herr Bebel then denounced the anti-Socialistic police measures and referred to
secret wolke orders, said to have been issued by Generals Bromsort Von Schellendorf and Von Halnake for the arrest of Socialist leaders in the event, seemingly, of
revolutionary disturbances. He said such
measures did not arrest the growth of Socialism which fundamentally differed from
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The Police Orders Denied.

The Minister of War, General Von Goseter, replied, declaring that the orders mentioned by Herr Bebel did not exist.

The Secretary of State for the Interior, count Presidencerake is trionistic to the social dealerment of the social delaconcrapic state of the future and the boyalty of the Centrical leader, emphasized the loyalty of the Centrical leader, emphas

The story continues: "The deal will affect seven companies now controlled by the Pennsylvania Globe Gas Light Company, the controlling stock of which is owned by United Gas Improvement interests and the Kitson Incandescent Light and Gas Company of this city. The deal provides for a capitalization of \$12,000,000, and it is proposed that it shall go into effect Jan. 1, 1899. The companies involved are the following companies controlled by the Pennsylvania Globe and Gas Light Company of Chicago; The New York and New Jersey Globe and Gas Light Company of New York; The Chicago Globe and Gas Light Company of Chicago; The Canton Globe and Gas Company of Chicago; The Canton Globe and Gas Company of Chicago; The Canton Globe and Gas Company of Canton, Ohio; The Pennsylvania Globe and Gas Light Company and two other companies not yet named and also the Kitson Incandescent Gas Light Company."

DYING OF HUNGER IN MADRID.

London, Dec. 15.—Despatches from Madrid assert that thousands of soldiers who bave returned from Cuba are suffering terribly. Many are dying of hunger in the streets of Madrid. The Government owes the men millions in back pay, but cannot find the money to give them.

Money Market.

On the local market call loans are at 4½ to 5 per cent. In New York call loans to being 2½ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is 4 per cent., and the open market rate is 3½ to 4 per cent. Returned Soldiers From Cuba Can-

In the Surrogate Court.

The fatal fire at 63½ King-street west on Dec. 7 was recalled yesterday in the Surrogate Court, when the will of Miss Kate Barber, one of the victims, was entered for probate. She had \$1625 in life insurance, \$75 in outstanding debts and \$50 in household goods. She gave to Bertha Grady and Ada Sandel, young women in her employ each \$200 and the balance will be divided among her three sisters. Bærrister James R koaf is named as executor. The late Elizabeth Aggett of Toronto Junction left an estate of \$5340, of which \$4800 is in real estate. The legatees are W. G. D. Aggett, a grandson, and Mrs. Harriet Aggett, daughter-in-law of the deceased.

ceased.

Caroline Mills, a widow, died intestate last month. Mrs. W. H. Hall, her daughter, petitioned for administration of the estate, which consists of a \$700 property on Hamilton-street and personalty \$226. Given a New Trial.

A new trial has been granted to James Coleman of Melancthon Township, Dufferin County. He was convicted of perjury at Brampton, before Judge McGibbon and a jury. The grounds urged for a new trial were: That he had not been properly sworn when the alleged perjury was uttered, and that Judge McGibbon had made comments on Coleman's evidence. The trial was granted on the latter ground.

North Waterloo Again. Reasons for appeal in the North Waterloo election case in which Dr. Lackier asks to have the judgment unseating him set aside, have been filed. It is claimed that the drinking done was but the customary social glass. The appeal will be heard during the second week of January.

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AT OSGOODE HALL.

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Judges' Chambers at 10 a.m.

Many Wall Street Issues Moved Up Again Yesterday,

Though Others Eased Off - Omaha, N. P., N. Y. C., Canada Southern and Atchison Higher-Canadian Stocks Remain Firm and Steady -Notes of the Day.

William's acts and home politics, saying it was a pity the revenues of the German Empire were swallowed up by the army, the navy and the colonies, and that he understood there was an intention in influential quarters to introduce a still larger naval program. Herr Bebel referred to the expulsions from Prussia, contrasting them with the coordilatory utterances of Emperor Miliam in the Church of the Redeemer of Jerusalem. Herr Bebel then proceeded to criticize the Imperial remarks, amid considerable uproar and cries of "Shame!" Empire in both London and New York to-day, but the strength of the security markets was little affected and American rails in London closed generally unchanged to 1½ points higher than yesterday. However. Consons advanced 1.16.

Wall-street was irregular, but, on the whole, speculators who expected reactions from recent advances were disappointed. Sugar, including the dividend of 3 per cent., closed 1½ points higher than yesterday. Other net gaans for the day at the close were: Tobacco ¼, Atchison common ½. B. & O. %, Canada Soutnern 2½, N. Y. C. 2%, Omana 2%. Net losses for the day were: N. Y. Gas 1½, Jersey Central 1, Pullman 1%, and Federal Steel 1. Northern Pacifics were strong and Grangers inclined to be easy.

Unilisted Mining Stocks held steady today and Big Three.

Canadian stocks held steady to-day, and closed, as a rule, firm at about yesterday's final figures. Western Assurance sold up to 175 and Northwest Land pr. up to 55%. In Paris 3 per cent. rentes were at 1021 8236c. | Ask | Bid | Bid

business, now in the hands of private companies, all over the United States, east of the Mississippi River."

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Foreign Exchange. Aemilius Jarvis & Co., 23 King-street west, Toronto, stock and exchange brokers, report local rates to-day as follows: -Counter- -Bet. Banks-N.Y. Funds. 1% to ... 1.32 pre to 1.16 pre stg. 60 days 8% to ... 8 7.16 to 8½ do. demand. 19½ to ... 9 1.32 to 9 1.16

-Rates in New York .-Posted. Actual.

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Silk Workers on Strike. Krefeld, Germany, Dec. 15.—About 15,000 silk workers in the Rhine Province have cone on strike. The trouble began in the factory of Englader and Company and spread to all the silk manufactories. The authorities are investigating and will endeavor to settle the difficulty.

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Infant Found Dead in Bed.

The infant son of William McLeod, who lives at 30 Essex-street, was found dead in bed yesterday morning by his parents. The child was put to bed the night before, and was seemingly in the best of health, so the parents say. Dr. Fred Stair was called in, and refused to issue a death certificate until the authorities, were notified, owing to the body bearing a bruise upon the left temple and evidences that the child had not been properly nourished. The body was removed to Harry Ellis' undertaking establishment on College-street, where Dr. Stair conducted a post mortem, and found that death was caused by taxaemia, Mr. McLeod is employed as a laborer at the new Court House. The remains of the child will be interred to-day from its late home. Infant Found Dead in Bed. ing shares. 'Phone 8237.

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