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WINTER EQUIPMENT FOR RAILWAYS IN WINTER.

The World has no wish to fix the responsibility for the terrible accident on the Grand Trunk on Friday night, whereby nearly thirty lives were lost and many others were injured.

Within the past fortnight or so eight or ten people have been killed by railway accidents in this province at level railway crossings.

Members of the City Council who attempt to impress public opinion at the eleventh hour of their term of office show a contempt for the public's power of discernment.

Light thrown recently on the action of the Ontario government authorities in authorizing American edited text books for use in the Public Schools of Ontario, shows how a gross injustice may be done to men of letters within the province.

There is an exceptional opportunity for purchasing New Year's gifts at low prices at the Hotel in the Wall City Store.

Washington, the Carolinas, New Orleans, Florida and all Southern winter resorts, including the famous Hot Springs of Arkansas, are quickly reached by the fast trains of the Grand Trunk Railway System.

California Winter Resorts. One-way-around-trip tourist tickets, good for 9 months, allowing choice of routes and stop-over privileges at principal points, may be obtained, together with full information, reservations, etc., at city office of Grand Trunk Railway System, northwest corner King and Yonge streets.

THE ROSS' "HELP" LEAVES



HEAD OF THE HOUSE: "My, my! This is too bad—without warning and just at a season when we needed her most."

TWELVE HUNDRED SIGNED PLEDGE

Remarkable Result Follows Appeal of Commissioner Booth. Twelve hundred and sixteen persons signed the total abstinence pledge in response to a fervent and eloquent appeal by Commissioner Booth at the Sunday afternoon meeting of the Canadian Temperance League in Massey Hall.

MARK THE DECEIVER. Members of the City Council who attempt to impress public opinion at the eleventh hour of their term of office show a contempt for the public's power of discernment.

GREENWOOD, S.C., Dec. 28.—W. K. Jay, a prominent young farmer of the Troy section of this county, was murdered yesterday in his own yard by a negro, Oliver Wideman, or his wife, both of whom lived on the place.

FRASER TO JUDGE SCOTT TERRORS. New York, Dec. 28.—The Westchester Scout Club has just announced the judges in the various events of the club's twenty-seventh annual picnic show, to be held at Madison Square Garden, beginning Feb. 11.

THE SUNNY SOUTH. Washington, the Carolinas, New Orleans, Florida and all Southern winter resorts, including the famous Hot Springs of Arkansas, are quickly reached by the fast trains of the Grand Trunk Railway System.

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JAMES GRACE DEAD. Branford, Dec. 27.—James Grace, an old and highly esteemed citizen of this place, passed away today at the advanced age of 82 years.

RUSSIA IN SERVIA. Visit of Count Lamsdorf May Have Serious Results. Sofia, Bulgaria, Dec. 28.—To Count Lamsdorf, the Russian Foreign Minister, who has arrived here on his way to Belgrade and Vienna, was given a luncheon today by Dr. Danoff, the Bulgarian Premier, at which Prince Ferdinand was present.

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Graniteware Sale

Our Graniteware Sale appeals to every prudent housewife within reach of this store. It affords her gainful chances for replenishing her collection of kitchen needs and housekeeping helps.

- 288 Graniteware Tea Pots; this size will hold about one-half dozen cups of tea; regular price 38c; sale price 29c, but for Tuesday on this lot our price will be 25c.

- 300 Lipped Preserving Kettles; a good size for general use; first quality of graniteware; regular price 68c; sale price 48c; but for Tuesday on this lot our price will be 35c.

- Wash Bowls. Size 28, regular 17c, sale price 15c. Size 30, regular 20c, sale price 18c. Size 32, regular 22c, sale price 20c.

- Rice Boilers. Size 62, regular 62c, sale price 45c. Size 63, regular 67c, sale price 55c. Size 64, regular 85c, sale price 70c.

- Pie Plates. 9-inch, regular 8c, sale price 7c. 10-inch, regular 9c, sale price 8c. 11-inch, regular 11c, sale price 10c.

- Windsor Sauce Pans. Size 12, regular 16c, sale price 14c. Size 14, regular 18c, sale price 17c. Size 16, regular 22c, sale price 19c.

- Oilcloth Mats. The best quality, so useful for putting under stoves, in front of washstands, in vestibules or hallways.

- Suspenders. Our own manufacture. Strong and well made; suspenders that we can recommend for durability.

- Gloves, Hosiery. Winter weight qualities, at substantial reductions. Prices that should prove a forcible attraction on Tuesday morning.

- Norway Reefers. Warm, comfortable giving garments, manufactured to withstand the usage that healthy boys give to clothing.

- Fruit and Nuts. Don't wait until the last day to buy for New Year's. Come Tuesday and get what you want.

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FOUND TRIBE OF BLACK JEWS

London Man Professes to Have Made the Discovery in the Interior of Australia.

ACCOUNT IN JEWISH CHRONICLE. Narrative Must Be Believed to Want Confirmation, Says This Conservative Journal.

London, Dec. 28.—The Christmas season has not passed without furnishing a topic for Jews fascinated enough to occupy their minds during the holiday leisure. The current number of the Jewish Chronicle, the most influential organ of the race in England, publishes an amazing account by Sidney Klein of the discovery of a tribe of black Jews in the interior of Western Australia.

Klein is a London Jew who emigrated some years ago to Western Australia and engaged in the furniture business. From there he went to Coolgardie and afterward, with eleven others, explored the interior of the country as a government expedition, to report on its resources.

On his return Mr. Klein was offered several hundred pounds by a Christian missionary to conduct him to the spot, but in view of the many dangers he refused to undertake the task.

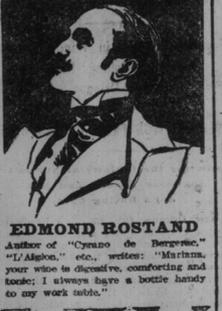
NEW COMPANIES INCORPORATED. Hon. J. M. Gibson Director of a New Power Company. Letters of incorporation have been granted to the following companies:

THE CROSSIN PLANO MANUFACTURING CO., LIMITED, of Toronto, capital \$50,000, provisional directors, Edward Crossin, Robert Clough, Le Vesconte and Robert Roswell Ganey.

THE EQUITABLE GAS CO., LIMITED, of Goderich, capital \$100,000, provisional directors, Lotius Edwin Daney, John William Craigie and John Proudfoot.

THE NORTH BAY GAS CO., LIMITED, of North Bay, capital \$45,000, provisional directors, J. W. Nay, J. A. Burgess and Jesse Bradford.

THE EASTERN AND WESTERN LAND CORPORATION, LIMITED, of Toronto, capital \$1,000,000, provisional directors, W. J. Hamby, John Watt, R. N. Sterling, C. D. Scott, J. T. Scott and E. Nash.



EDMUND ROSTAND. Author of "Cyrano de Bergerac," "Hippolyte," etc., writes: "My dear friend, I always have a bottle handy to my work table."



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If you are going away for a long or short time you will need a luggage carrier of some kind. We make all kinds and our guarantee goes with every article. You might as well save the middleman's profit and buy from the maker.

Trunks, \$1 to \$25. Suit Cases, \$1.75 to \$14. Club Bags, \$1 to \$15. And every other kind of luggage carrier known at market's prices.

EAST & CO., Cor. Yonge and Agnes Streets.

SALE OF LANDS FOR ARREARS OF TAXES. City of Toronto, County of York, to wit: Notice is hereby given that the list of lands now liable to be sold for arrears of assessments or taxes in the City of Toronto has been prepared and is being published in an advertisement in the "Ontario Gazette" upon the 1st, 8th, 15th and 22nd days of November, 1902.

PRELATES TOOK A DROP. Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 27.—While Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Ryan of Philadelphia and other leading churchmen were descending in an elevator at the Hotel Schenley to-night to meet about a hundred representative citizens, the cage suddenly gave way and the occupants started down at a rapid pace.

WITHOUT OPPOSITION. St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 27.—The Hon. Edward Morris, the newly appointed Minister of Justice in the Borden cabinet, was re-elected without opposition in to-day's by-election in St. John's City, which was rendered necessary by the acceptance of the portfolio of Justice. Mr. Morris is a strong advocate of reciprocity.

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Linen Damask Table Cloths.

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King Street—opposite the Post-Office.

WOULD MARRY PRINCESS.

That is Professor Giron's Ambition—Still at Geneva.

Berlin, Dec. 28.—It is stated that the Italian police have been ordered to watch the movements of the Crown Princess of Saxony, and, if she should attempt to enter Italy, to arrest and keep her under observation. The reason for this is that any child born to her in the next few months will be recognized officially as a member of the court of Saxony.

London, Dec. 28.—A Geneva despatch to the Central News says Prof. Giron wishes to marry the Crown Princess of Saxony in order to make her position regular. The princess and M. Giron intend to remain in Geneva until the announcement of the princess, which will probably take place in May.

Both Wrestlers Hurt.

Milton, Dec. 28.—While attending a wrestling at Mr. McCowan's, Esq., Milton, got wrestling in the snow, and in the struggle for supremacy fell thru the loose flooring on to the next floor, crushing thru that and down to the next floor, about 20 feet in all, the result being that both were badly injured and shaken up. Fleming's hip being severely injured and the muscles torn.

If attacked with cholera or summer complaint any kind of food for a hot day, Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial and use it according to directions. It acts with wonderful rapidity in subduing that dreadful disease that weakens the strongest man and that quickly and permanently delicate. Those who have used this cholera medicine say it is the best and never fails to effect a thorough cure.

"The Moonlight Maids" are said to furnish excellent entertainment, and the Star Theatre will have the crowds. The show serves to introduce a lot of vaudeville acts, among them being Richard W. Craig and Walter Ardell in a skit called "Ye Got Another Job." They are really funny, and talented musicians as well. Others are Fry, Allen and Evans, in a skit called "A Simple Lesson." Tommie Hamilton, Williams and Adams, who sing and dance; and the Walker Sisters.

"Atmosphere is the magnetism of the stage manager who has an air of breathes into a production," says David Belasco.

Professional courtesy usually consists in saying: "Yes, so-and-so is a very good actor; but—"

James H. Stoddard, the veteran actor, who has been appearing all before him in "The West in the Bonnie Briar Bush," will appear at the Grand Circuit the week of January 15.

Next week at the Princess Theatre Henry Miller will appear in his new play, "Richard Harding Davis comedy." It was given for the first time on Christmas Day in Rochester, and The Dramatic and Chronicle said: "In sum, 'The Taming of Helen' is quite the most enjoyable of all the new comedy offerings of this season, original or adapted, that have been heard in Rochester. Most of the quality that goes to make a good, sound, lasting comedy, with many of the qualities that go to make a great popular success, is present. Its audience last evening was unmistakably delighted with it."

Meaford, Dec. 27.—The annual reunion of the Meaford High School Old Boys' Association was held at the Meaford High School last evening, was a splendid success, giving the Managing Committee a further encouragement to further the interests of this new organization. A very large number of the old boys and girls were present from all parts of the province. Addressed were delivered by Dr. Moore of Clarkburg and Mack Eastman of this town. The remainder of the program consisted of games, songs, recitations and instrumental duets by graduates of the school. Music was admirably rendered by the Meaford orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. Pierce. Much appreciated lunch was served down stairs. The assembly broke up in the wee hours, all expressing their appreciation of the event.

Impressed the Motto.
Syracuse, N.Y., Dec. 28.—Hugh Armstrong was fined in the police court yesterday for hitting his sister with a framed motto which read "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men." Armstrong's sister Mary, and Mrs. Mary McCarthy were in court covered with blood.

Six Men Drowned.
Greenock, Scotland, Dec. 28.—During the trial trip of a steamer, the boiler burst, blowing out the side of the vessel. Most of the crew were blown overboard and six men were drowned. The others were saved.

There are a number of varieties of corn. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove any of them. Call on your druggist, and get a bottle at once.

Every Woman Should Know.

That Prof. W. Hodgson Ellis, Official Analyst for the Dominion Government, has recently made a number of analyses of soaps, and reports that "Sunlight Soap contains that high percentage of oils and fats necessary to a good laundry soap."

What every woman does not know is that in common soaps she frequently pays for adulteration at the price of oils and fats. Try Sunlight Soap—Octagon Bar—next wash day, and you will see that Prof. Ellis is right. He should know. 20c.

SCOLDING LED TO SUICIDE

Mattie Gauge, Whose Widowed Mother Lives in St. Catharines, Hangs Herself in Buffalo.

Buffalo, Dec. 28.—Angry because she was reprimanded by her employer, Mattie Gauge, 15 years old, hung herself to a gas pipe in the basement of the apartment house at No. 212 Maryland-street late yesterday afternoon. Her body was discovered by the janitor of the building at 6 o'clock. His notified the police. Later Medical Examiner Daner was called and had the body removed to the morgue.

The dead girl was one of eleven children, and up to the time of the opening of the Pan-American Exposition lived with her mother at No. 170 Church-street, St. Catharines. She then came to Buffalo and secured employment as a servant with Mr. R. Feetham in the Maryland-street apartment house.

Cross After Scoldings.
Last night Mr. Feetham told the police the girl had been inclined to be unruly, and he had occasion to reprimand her frequently. After the scoldings she had always been in a bad humor, and several times Mr. Feetham had threatened to let her go.

At noon yesterday she came home from work for her dinner. His wife is making a visit out of the city, and the girl was supposed to prepare the meal. Being alone in the house, she had neglected it, and when Mr. Feetham arrived he found her out in the street, throwing snowballs with a crowd of boys. She had on Mr. Feetham's ulster, and when she saw him coming she dashed into the house. Mr. Feetham had neglected her work he reprimanded her severely. She threatened to send her back to her parents in St. Catharines, and at this point she began to cry, saying that he would never do that.

Then the girl prepared his lunch for him, and about an hour later Mr. Feetham returned to his work. Shortly after 4 o'clock a woman who lives on the same floor of the apartment house saw the girl going into the basement. As her duties frequently took her to that portion of the building, no attention was paid to her.

Strangled to Death.
Nothing more was seen of the girl until just about 6 o'clock, when Zani to George P. Pales visited the basement and found her hanging to one of the gas pipes along the ceiling. She had fastened one end of a clothes-line about her neck and then secured on a small soap box, having standing on the gas pipe. Then she had kicked the box away and slowly strangled to death.

Pales at once notified the desk sergeant on duty at the Niagara-street police station, and Patrolman Chilcott was sent to the house. After he got the body down it was sent to the morgue at the direction of Medical Examiner Daner.

The dead girl's mother is Mr. Feetham's mother. She lives in St. Catharines, Ont.

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F. W. Wade, M.P. of Annapolis, N.S.

Montreal, Dec. 28.—"I believe that within ten years the provincial revenue from the mines output of Nova Scotia will reach a round million dollars," was the optimistic statement made today by F. W. Wade, M.P. for Annapolis County, and a recognized authority in railway matters. Mr. Wade expects to see another railway from the west enter Halifax at a very early date and that 400 miles of new road will be under construction in his province next year. The member for Annapolis, who belongs to the Liberal party, is opposed to extend the Government railway system to the Northwest and Pacific Ocean.

Responsible

We cannot be for the health and song of birds fed food thrown together by those not understanding them. But we will be responsible when directions on "Cottam Seed" and "Book on Birds" are carefully followed. Beware of injurious imitations. Be sure "Bart Cottam Co., London" is on label. Contents put up under six patients, sold separately: Bird seed, 10c; perch-holder (containing bird bread), 5c; seed, 10c. With 1 lb. packets Cottam seed this 25c worth is sold for 10c. Three times the value of any other bird food. Sold everywhere. Read Cottam Bird Book (96 pages, illustrated), price 25c. To users of Cottam seed a copy with reply stitching will be sent postpaid for 12c.

Charged With Murder.
Tomb's River, N.H., Dec. 27.—George Bennett of Tuckeron was arrested tonight charged with the murder of Mrs. Mary Darby, aged 60 years. Mrs. Darby was choked to death in her home on Christmas Day. The police say they found in Bennett's possession the key to Mrs. Darby's home and some other articles belonging to the woman.

Presentation to Employees.
East & Co. on Saturday presented every employe in both the store and manufacturing department with a handsome mounted umbrella as a token of appreciation of the efforts put forth by the employes during the past year.

Was Very Weak and Nervous.

Heart Palpitated—
Would Get Dizzy Spells—
Many Canadian Women Troubled in this Way—
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If so, You Can Be Cured!

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SS. Minneapolis.....Jan. 31
SS. Minnehaha.....Feb. 7

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16 King-street West, Toronto, their Solicitors herein.

NOTICE

To hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada at its next session for an act to incorporate the Dominion Institute of American-United Engineering, with all necessary rights and powers.

Mills, Halsey, Anderson & Halsey,
Solicitors for Applicants.
Toronto, 15th Nov., 1902.

Closed for Four Days

We purpose closing our store from Wednesday evening next until Monday morning, January 5, 1903, thus affording our entire staff four days of solid rest.

The Christmas trade just closed has been about 25% larger than that of any previous year and this has been in a large measure due to the hearty interest and support of those associated with us.

The special character of our business renders it utterly impossible to procure temporary assistants of experience as in many other lines of trade, and this entails a very severe strain upon all concerned, even thirty-six hours of continuous labor cheerfully rendered to save disappointment to our patrons has not been an unknown thing to some members of our staff.

We therefore bespeak your forbearance and consideration whilst we stop all business upon New Year's and the two following days, that is, Thursday, Friday and Saturday next.

RYRIE BROS.,
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REGISTER BOOK MUTILATED.

Coroner's Jury Investigating a Railway Wreck is Checkmated.

Trinidad, Oct. 28.—The coroner's jury investigating the cause of the collision near here Wednesday evening, has examined ten witnesses, including Conductor Brownson of the extra and Conductor Hartman of the regular train.

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Eight Lives Lost in Snow Sleeping Miners Overcome

Molly Gibson Bunk-House Razed to the Ground in an Instant by a Slide at Nelson, B.C., on Christmas Night.

Nelson, B.C., Dec. 28.—One of the most destructive snowslides that have occurred in the Kootenay took place Christmas night, resulting in the razing of the Molly Gibson bunk-house, and the death of eight men, and the maiming of several others, and probably the death of several others, and the maiming of several others, and probably the death of several others...

Men Missing. The men who were in the bunk-house and have not yet been accounted for, are possibly some of them alive, as given by one of the survivors who reached the landing Friday...

Stamping Out Disease. Up to the present 1300 head of cattle have been slaughtered in Boston, Mass., Dec. 28.—Dr. D. E. Salmon, chief of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, has issued a statement regarding the prosecution of the work of exterminating the foot and mouth disease, and especially in answer to the efforts of certain persons who have systematically tried to work up a sentiment against the killing of the herds affected.

How to Drink Milk. Why It Disagrees with Some People. When one needs a reviving stimulant after exhaustion nothing can rival the effect of hot milk sloped slowly down the throat...

One Corner Left. The only corner left of the upstairs, so far as the bunkhouse at the upper corner, next to the office, he was in a lower-corner bunk in the upper bank, and McGinnis in the next one to Johnston.

Down the Hill. He helped Johnston and McGinnis out and John Bell, the foreman, also showed up. He and Bell then made their way down the hillside, hoping to escape some of the falling snow...

Without Clothes. Here they made a fire and got back to the office for some blankets to make as cozy a bed for him as possible, and to warm him, as in common with all who had been carried down the hill he was practically without clothes, the snow having ripped the thin night clothes and underwear from the bodies.

FOR BILIOUS AND NERVOUS DISORDERS Sick Headache and Constipation, TAKE

BECKHAM'S PILLS taken as directed, will quickly restore females to complete health. They promptly remove any obstruction or irregularity of the system. Sold by all Druggists in Canada and U. S. A. In boxes, 25 cents.

THE MAYORALTY. One Business Man Against Three Lawyers.

Three lawyers, one business man! These are calculated to be the starters in the race for municipal honors, the entries for which close at 11 o'clock today.

Opposed by Violators. Standing in opposition to this legal trio is a gentleman, in the person of Ald. Lamb, than whom none has contributed more generously in time and money to the relief of the city.

Mayor Warns Up. The Mayor spoke with some warmth. There were, he noticed, a few gentlemen in the hall—he didn't know whether they were voters or not.

What Might Be Expected. Mayor Howland has doubtless realized by this time that the citizens of Toronto are not going to give him a third term, and in view of this it would be unbecomingly grace from him, if he were to make any such proposal.

Support From Many Sources. Ald. Lamb on Saturday and yesterday received a great many letters from prominent citizens of the city expressing their gratification at his having offered himself for the office of mayor.

CAMPAIGN OVER THE DON. Mayor Howland Addresses Electors of Ward One.

Mayor Howland carried his campaign into Ward One Saturday night when four or five hundred people listened to him and several of his workers in Dingman's Hall.

A Noble Act. There is one act in the municipal career of Ald. Lamb that has established him once and for all the true friend of the workman.

be given every praise for, and that was the position he took in connection with the coal situation. Before he communicated with Wales the dealers of the city were charging \$29 a ton for coal, but the price soon dropped when the Welsh coal was brought to the city.

Broken Up Asphalt Trust. Mr. Arnoldi made a rather startling statement during his speech. He said that Mayor Howland had broken up the asphalt trust in the city and the asphalt trust was the Construction Co. of Ontario, a corporation of Ward One.

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CIVIC OWNERSHIP. Strathroy, Dec. 27.—The bylaw for municipal ownership of the electric light plant and the projected water-works system was carried by a majority of 288 today.

A Golden Wedding. A very enjoyable time was spent on Christmas evening at 55 Bloor-street, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vallant, in celebrating the golden wedding. A number of their friends and friends were present with the anniversary party.

Lawyer Walbridge Dead. Belleville, Dec. 28.—Frank Walbridge, for many years one of the leading lawyers of this city, died this morning in his 84th year, the cause of death being heart failure.

Gratuity Paid. Kingston, Dec. 28.—In November, 1901, Frederick Charles Hooper of the 2nd Imperial Light Horse was killed at Vlaschat, South Africa.

Provincial Appointments. The following provincial appointments have been gazetted: Howard Barnes of Rainy River, to be clerk of Fifth Division Court of Rainy River.

FREE. We want every sufferer with Kidney or Liver trouble to test Dr. Cowan's Pills. No. 501, for the Kidneys and Liver.

"I Guess Not."

"Now, what kind of a fit do you call that?" "Oh, well, it doesn't matter, a rubber is a rubber, and all it is intended for is to keep your feet dry."

"Well, I guess not; I've had those rubbers that keep the feet dry, and pinch my feet and rub my shoes, and flip flop every time I step, and wear out and let my feet get wet. Only 78 cents, huh, and they are dear at that."

"No, thanks, I'll get a pair of 'Slaters Shoe Rubbers' that fit, that wear and are comfortable. They are worth the dollar every time, and I'd rather have them than your 78-cent ones, good day."

"Slaters Shoe Rubbers" are branded on the soles with makers' name and price. THE SLATER SHOE STORES: 80 KING STREET WEST, 117 YONGE STREET, 528 QUEEN STREET WEST.

A Highlander Cured of Epilepsy

Belleville, Dec. 27.—A Christmas Eve frolic, which resulted fatally, is reported in this city. It took place at Queensboro, in the northern portion of Hastings County, at the close of a Sunday school entertainment.

KILLED 300 CHILDREN. Horrible Baby Farming Discovered in the Orient. Victoria, B.C., Dec. 28.—Correspondence received from Yokohama by the steamer Tartar to-night includes details of a horrible baby-farming conspiracy in Osaka.

MARRIED A CORPSE. Victoria, Dec. 28.—The Japan Times has an account of how Japanese of Kochi was married to a corpse. His bride, the daughter of Kintarou, was committed suicide on the eve of her marriage.

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Persons wanting Electric and Combination Fixtures should call and inspect the display in the art show-rooms of the TORONTO ELECTRIC LIGHT CO., Limited. Many new and artistic designs are there shown and the prices are low.

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CANADIAN PRICES SEE ADVANCES.

Domestic Steel Still a Mystery—C.P.R. a Feature of the Week—Quotations.

World Office, Saturday Evening, Dec. 27.

The large increase in values on Wall Street during the past few days has caused a corresponding advance in Canadian prices. The market is now showing a decided upward tendency. The fact that prices are advancing again is a sign of a money market which is becoming more liberal. The public traders are more active than they have been for some time. The market is now showing a decided upward tendency. The fact that prices are advancing again is a sign of a money market which is becoming more liberal. The public traders are more active than they have been for some time.

RAILWAY RATES.

Third week of December. The rate on the Toronto and Niagara Falls route is \$1.12, a decrease of \$0.01. The rate on the Toronto and Hamilton route is \$1.12, a decrease of \$0.01. The rate on the Toronto and London route is \$1.12, a decrease of \$0.01.

Money Markets.

The Bank of England discount rate is 4 per cent. The rate on the Toronto and Hamilton route is \$1.12, a decrease of \$0.01. The rate on the Toronto and London route is \$1.12, a decrease of \$0.01.

Foreign Exchange.

Bar silver in New York, 48¢ per ounce. Bar silver in London, 22.5¢ per ounce. Mexican dollars, 28¢.

Montreal Stocks.

Montreal, Dec. 27—Closing quotations. C.P.R. 131 1/2, 131 1/2. Canadian National 114 1/2, 114 1/2. Montreal Railway 27 1/2, 27 1/2. Montreal Street Railway 10, 10. Montreal Tramway 10, 10.

Price of Silver.

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London Stocks.

London, Dec. 27—Closing quotations. Consols, account 122 1/2, 122 1/2. Bank of England 4 1/2, 4 1/2. Anglo-Bank 10 1/2, 10 1/2.

Price of Oil.

Pittsburg, Dec. 27—Oil opened and closed at 13 1/2. W. R. Grady & Co. New York promoters of Canadian Industrial companies organized, chartered capital raised, \$1,000,000.

Weekly Bank Statement.

New York, Dec. 27—The statement of averages of the banks for the week shows: Loans, decreased \$1,300,000. Deposits, increased \$1,300,000. Circulation, increased \$1,300,000. Reserves, decreased \$1,300,000. Surplus, decreased \$1,300,000.

Toronto Stocks.

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GRAIN MARKETS STILL DULL

Business Divided and Prices Practically at a Standstill on Saturday.

BRITISH MARKETS OPEN MONDAY

Indian Wheat Shipments—General Comment.

World Office, Saturday Evening, Dec. 27. British grain exchanges will open again Monday.

New York Grain and Produce.

New York, Dec. 27—Four—Receipts, 223,000 bushels. Wheat, 100,000 bushels. Corn, 100,000 bushels. Oats, 100,000 bushels.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing quotations at the principal wheat markets: Chicago, 1 1/2. Minneapolis, 1 1/2. St. Louis, 1 1/2.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Flour—Ogilvie's Hungarian, \$4.20. Ogilvie's No. 1, \$4.20. Ogilvie's No. 2, \$4.20.

New York Stocks.

A. J. Wright & Co., Canada Life Building, report the following fluctuations in New York stocks today.

Open High, Low, Close.

Trunk Lines and Grange, 100 1/2. Erie, 100 1/2. Great Northern, 100 1/2.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 1450 bushels of grain, 250 bushels of hay, 100 bushels of straw.

East Buffalo Live Cattle.

East Buffalo, Dec. 27—Cattle—Receipts, 1200 head. Market steady. Choice steers, \$12.00.

Chicago Live Cattle.

Chicago, Dec. 27—Cattle—Receipts, 700 head. Market steady. Choice steers, \$12.00.

Free Breakfast.

The free breakfast at the Yonge Street Mission yesterday morning commenced the usual series of Sunday morning free breakfasts.

British Cattle Markets.

London, Dec. 27—Live cattle steady at 12 1/2 to 13 1/2 per pound for American stock.

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