Abolish the Public Bars

Government Will Also Be Asked

the prisoner is now cheerful. She has been transferred from the manual la-bor department of the prison to the

Amend the Anti-Trust Law.

Tasty and ec:nomical-Bow Park Cream Cheese.

Berlin, Dec. 16.—It is reported that Count Von Buelow, the Imperial Chan-cellor, will be elevated to the rank

of Prince by Emperor William after the successful completion of the com-

A LAST APPEAL.

ONE CENT

## Report of E SENATE PO n Canadian Cattle Startles Toronto Live Stock Dealers

False Telegram From Montreal Declares That English Ports Have Been Closed to Shipments From St. John and Halifax-Origin of Scare a Joke, it is Said.

odd sense of humor, sent a telegram to a cattle dealer in Toronto yesterday announcing that English ports had been closed against Canadian live stock and that no further shipments would be received via Halifax and St. John. Before Toronto dealers discovup here for export, and a considerable

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Accepted as True at First.

In view of the talk over trouble growing out of the embargo on shipments thru New England points the telegram was accepted as authentic. It, was addressed to Isaac Gruff of Elmira, a well-known stock dealer, who was on the local market yesterday. It was a large and commodious assembly the local market yesterday. It was a large and commodious assembly the local market yesterday. It was a large and commodious assembly the local market yesterday. It was a large and commodious assembly the local market yesterday. It was a large and commodious assembly the local market yesterday. It was a large and commodious assembly the local market yesterday. It was a large and commodious assembly the local market yesterday. It was a large and commodious assembly the local market yesterday. It was a large and commodious assembly the local market yesterday in the local damage was considerable, as there was a disposition among some of the local dealers to credit the evident that the circulated in circulated in circulated in the shipping to load of fine the local market yesterday. It was added to local dealers to credit the circulated in the shipping to local dealers accorded to the author of the message the proportions of a large and commodious assembly the local damage was considerable, as there was a disposition among some of the local dealers to credit the vident that the circulated in the circulated in the proportion of the local dealers to credit the vidence that the shipping to local dealers to credit the circulated in the proportion among some of the local dealers to credit the circulated in the proportion among the vidence that the shipping to local dealers to credit the circulated in the proportion among the vidence that the shipping to local dealers to credit the circulated in the proportion among the vidence that the shipping to local dealers accorded to the vidence that the s the local market yesterday. It was signed "Craig." This is the name of commission man at Montreal who andles some trans-shipments for To-

Dozens of telegrams were sent by the various firms, some to the government officials at Ottawa, others to Montreal people, asking for the source of their information, and still others cabled English houses for confirmation. Shipments were held back until further information could be secured. Had the telegram arrived before the 1700 head of cattle received yesterday had been disposed of the neat little joke would have cost the owners of the stock a considerable portion of the stock a considerable portion of the stock a considerable portion of the stock a consignment commanded.

The first ray of sunshine came in a wire to Mr. Levack from his Montreal factor, which read:

"No truth in report about port of St. John has been scheduled is absolutely unfounded. No such cable has been received from Lord Strathcona. In fact, no cable has reached us from Lord Strathcona for two days past."

St. John, Dec. 16—St. John is not closed. Cattle are arriving by the Intercolonial almost every day.

Three Cases Discovered on Board

Ship in New York

Ottawa, Dec. 16 .- (Special.) No truth whatever in report that Canadian ports are closed for shipment of cattle. If such action were taken by the British government this department would be at once advised. Have received no communication on the subject.

George F. O'Halloran, Deputy Minister of Agriculture. \*\*\*\*\*\*

First Ray of Sunshine.
As an evidence of the extent of the As an evidence of the extent of the tarbused in business circles this morning telegraphic communications necessary to correct the false impression, William Levack received in reply three wires from one big Montreal firm denouncing the report as untrue, and one from another commission man in that city. The first ray of sunshine came in a wire to Mr. Levack from his Montreal factor, which read:

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DEAL INVOLVES \$500,000.

Some Montreal men, possessed of an think the delegram of the control of the contr

The Toronto stock dealers are yet was really sent by some one in Mont real or was gotten up as a joke at this end. The information that the telegram was not intended seriously came out on the exchange thru the operators. This was the first infor-

operators. This was the first information that the local crowd received as to the joke. Just what purpose the representation was intended to serve is not yet determined.

From the following telegrams it is evident that the story was also being circulated in Montreal, but the best evidence that nothing was wrong with the shipping facilities is that a train load of fine stock left Toronto last night, after the report was denied, for the seacoast.

## OFFICIALLY DENIED

Montreal.Dec. 16 .- Much interest was

# Ottawa, Dec. 16.-One of the most

Watson and Todd, of Liverpool, well-known British buyers, have secured the 1903 cut of McLachlin Bros.' mill at Araprior. It will aggregate fully 40,000,000 feet, including white and red pine. The cash value of this cut will New York, Dec. 16.—Three cases of babonic plague are under treatment in the Swinburn Island Ropital, at Quarter and the Swinburn Island Ropital, at Quarter All will be health of the saws from the day the final operation of the Prince Line steamer Saxon Prince, which arrived from Durban, Swinburn Island Ropital, at Quarter All will be healthed and the were found to be lift with the most of the crew, three were found to be lift will be healthed of the saw from the day the final operation of the crew, three were found to be lift will be healthed of the saw from the day the final operation and the years of the control of the crew, three were found to be lift will be healthed of the saw from the day the final operation of the plague.

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Skipped Rom The statement is made that a number of Chinese have been brought into the United States in this way.

appeared about two weeks ago. The history of the cases made a complete chain of imfection from the time of the exposure of the first man at Durban to the time of arrival. The crew were ashore at Durban, and it is undoubtedly there that the disease was contracted. The first patient is convalescent, but The first patient is convaiescent, but the other two are still under treat-ment. All three men slept together in a small compartment. The total num-ber of the crew is 31. There are five We invite you to inspect a special consignment of holiday goods, to be sold by auction, consisting of exquisite ivory darvings (a really important collection), famous Cloisonne enamels and passengers on board, a woman and four children. Satsuma ware, Imari ware, bowls, pracques, dishes, jardinieres, etc., the renowned ware of which the "Crown Work of Disinfection.

The steamer will be sent to sea to discharge the water and sand ballast taken on board at Durban. She will then return to Quarantine, when the passengers and crew will be transferred to Hoffman Island, where they will be held for ten days for observation. The effects of all will be thoroly disinfected, and the steamer will be washed and disinfected in every part tion. The effects of all will be thoroly disinfected, and the steamer will be tweety part before being released. Dr. Doty says that there is no danger of a spread of the plague, as the whole matter is well in hand.

the plague, as the whole matter is well in hand.

"We have been at work for a long time," said Mr. Doty to-night, "in anticipation of the possible appearance of bubonic plague from South African ports. All steamers from those parts, since the reported presence of plague there, have been detained at Quarantine. The crews have been taken on board the disinfecting steamer, stripped, bathed and examined for symptoms of the plague, and their clothes and sleeping quarters have been disinfected. This course has been strictly pursued, and has at last resulted in It's a good time now to buy robes for cold weather—for sleighing weather. Dineen Company have a very pretty assertment of musk ox robes, \$60 to \$80; grey good, \$7 to \$10; Rocky bear, \$13.50 to \$25 besides all the other costly, comfortable or easy-wind things made in these lines. ly pursued, and has at last resulted in the detection of cases of the disease."

Geddes' picture store open evenings until ten. 431 Spadina.

Marguerites Arabellas, Japz. La Fortunas, selling our for 25c. Alive Bollard, 128 and 199 Yonge-street.

For the Man Who Smokes There are many things here suitable for a smoker. Briar and meerschaum pipes, companion sets from one to five pipes, in a case. Cigar cases, tobacco pouches, including a special antelope-covered pouch, with initial worked on.

That is one great duty coming to one organization. Conceive the aggregate business pany have a superb selection of natty pany have a superb selection of natty out how many chests of tea are repleasant some children's hours and protect them from the coming cold. pouches, in a case. Cigar cases, toracco pouches, including a special antelope-covered pouch, with initial worked onfor \$1.00. Humidors, for hoiding and keeping in moist condition boxes of cigars, and many useful things for a smoker. At A. Clubb & Sons, 49 King West

For Gauntlets a Good Present.

If you wish to establish yourself for-ever in the good graces of your best friend, give her a pair of neat Persian lamb gauntlets. Dineens have them from \$5.50 upwards—and they're good

much in the winter time. They are a bit warm for walking in, but when one is seated in a sleigh there is naught so warm as a coonskin coat. They

gift could not be conceived. Mr. Fair-weather says there coats are in great

There was considerable excitement at the Union Station a few days ago, when a passenger train on the Northern Division arrived on time. There is some talk of presenting the skilful Dilot with one of Fairweather's coonskin coats. These coats are the ideal thing for marking the results of the same than travel or drive. Edwards & Company, Chartered Accountants, 26 Wellington St. East.—Geo. Edwards, F C. A., A. H. Edwards. Free to All While They Last.

## site corner Y.M.C.A., 404 Yong Sanderson's Mountain Dew Scotch.

Call and receive a beautiful half-tone engraving of her late Majesty Queen Victoria, Toronto Art Co., op-

demand, and they keep all sizes and See Walter H. Blight, Medical Building Phone 2770 before placing your accident policy.

To-day is the hottest for this season of the year in nearly a century. Straw based on this time of the year. Let us help you base the year in nearly a century. Straw based on the year in nearly a century in the year in nearly a century. Straw based on the year in nearly a century in the year in nearly a century in the year in nearly a century. Straw based on the year in nearly a century in the year in

the Ottawa Valley mills, is reported. Gen. Botha Regrets That Boers in United States Try to Raise

er about our visit.
"I regret to see that so many of our

fellow-countrymen are already busy trying to raise funds in America. I wish to remark that no one there represents our people, nor is on any mission from our people or in any way connected with us and our mission."

## RUSSIA PRESSING CHINA. Wants to Establish Stations on

Manchurian Railway. China to assent to the establishment nowned ware of which the course of customs and postal services at the table ware, special English club tumblers: hammered bronze dinner gongs. railroad, these stations to be under inlaid with brass; a rare collection of curious objects from British India. in brass and pottery, antique arms, etc.; Robert Hart, chief, and customs. Sir of the Chinese maritime customs. Robert Hart, chief of the mari Sir the interest taken in Mrs. Maybrick customs, is opposing the scheme, and the chances for his success are thought to be favorable. An edict announces that the Chinese government proposes to acquire the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company, which is owned by Sheng, a protege of the late Li Hung Chang, and the estate of Li

Hung Chang. DAVIES PACKET TEA

New Departure in Selecting Tea for Their 22 Stores.

every good shopping locality within the eity. In the west, northwest, north. east and far east of Toronto their re tail organization is completed. A sys chain of 22 stores in close touch with the factory. Each store is complete within itself, yet all are single links of

of customers. The problem would be easier if the reader were in the whole-

To get tea-real good tea-and plenty of it for their thousands of customers, has been the study of the Davies Company. Their tea trade has become of some importance, and they have now installed a complete working plant now installed a complete working plant for packing tea. This has ocen placed under the supervision of Robert D. Ross, late of the Ross Tea Company, and well-known in the tea trade. He is giving his whole attention to the buying, sampling and packing of the finest tea. The object aimed at is to buy and sell for 25c per pound, tea of like quality to that which ordinarily sells at 40c per pound. A World man tried a sample of the tea put up in these packets bearing the Davies name. The tea was all that the name implies—of choicest, rarest quality. It has been placed in all their stores, and the Davies Company specially invite their oustomers to try a half-pound eir oustomers to try a half-pound

# Temperance Workers Cry

stock; F. Outram, Port Hope; Rev. Dr. Brethour, Niagara Falls; Mrs. May R. Thornley, London; Mrs. O. A. Rutherford, Toronto; Rev. C. Goodspeed, Rev. S. S. Bates, Rev. Dr. Chown, Rev. A. Carman, Rev. Dr. Amacdonald, George Spence, J. A. Austin and Secretary F. S. Spence.
While the committee was engaged in the preparation of its report the general meeting listened to five-minute addresses by Rev. Dr. Williamson, J. H., Hammon, Orillia; G. M. Elliott, Goderich; Rev. Dr. Courtice, C. L. Inglis, Rev. Dr. Courtice, C. L. Inglis, Rev. Dr. McKay, Woodstock; J. Young, Hamilton; Rev. J. C. Speers, Rev. Dr. Chown, A. Gand, Ottawa; Rev. Dr. Coolley, Milton; W. W. Buchanan, Rev. J. A. Macdonald, F. Daly, London; Principal Caven, Knox College; R. A. Carman.

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This resolution, moved by Rev. Dr.

Carman, seconded by Rev. Principal
Caven, represented the opinion of about 200 temperance workers who assembled yesterday in Knox Church
at the call of the executive of the De-

SHOOTING IN THE STREETS. excitement; shooting in the streets. Secretary of Interior with general police at legation. Serious trouble ex-

WANT IN AUSTRIA. Lack of Employment Sends Best Workmen Out of Country.

Montreal, Dec. 16.—The funeral of the late Principal MacVicar will take place on Thursday afternoon. Two services will be held, one in the David Morrice Hall of the Presbyterian College, at 2 o'clock, and another in the Crescent-street Presbyterian Church at 3 o'clock. The first will be for the family and intimate friends of the decased; the second will be of a more public character.

Montreal, Dec. 16.—Hon. J. I. Tarte, with end of Austria are leaving the country, a fact which economics greatly deplore because it assists the new world to compete with Europe. In emigrating Austrian workmen help the ruin of their own country. It is feared that the present conditions will prove worse before the end of the gwinter.

DOUKS TO MEET DOUK.

HIRED MAN CONFESSES.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 16.-Three London, Dec. 16.-Baroness De Doukhobors-Ivan and Simon Riebon Roques visited her daughter, Florence and Paul Planidy of the Canadian Maybrick, in Aylesbury Prison, to-day. West, have arrived here to meet a She found Mrs. Maybrick to be in delicate health, but cheerful. Owing to after 16 years' exile. by the Duchess of Bedford and others, Six o clock dinner at New Carlton Hotel

able to cope with the fuel situation, as affecting the poor, the City Council will ask the provincial legislature for power to borrow \$10,000, and, in Washington, Dec. 16.—Senator Quarles (Wisconsin) to-day introduced a bill for the amendment of the Anti-Trust Law, the purpose of which is to prevent trusts from forcing ruinous competition on rivals in the same line Smokers' presents, fine Brian Meerschaums, in cases Alive Bell 28 and 199 Yonge-street. the meantime, the aldermen will subscribe the amount and risk obtaining

Smokers' presents, fine Briars and Meerschaums, in cases. Alive Bollard 128 and 199 Yonge-street.

Ottawa, Dec. 16.-The temperance rown Attorney Ritchie against sev eral vote pluggers in connection with the referendum on the Liquor Act.

## \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* \$100,000 CHANGED HANDS ON CATTLE MARKET.

The cash transactions at the Toronto Stock Yards yesterday aggregated one hundred thousand dollars. This is in excess of the usual volume of trade, but it illustrates the extraordinary proportions which this branch of business has now assumed. There are three markets weekly in this city, and the largest number of animals are sold the latter part of the week. Therefore, the regular business at the local yards approaches three hundred thousand dollars weekly. While a part of this stock goes forward for export, a much larger proportion is slaughtered here. This money goes to the farmers and stock men of + Ontario principally, and is an important factor in commercial circles For instance, fancy Christmas cattle brought seven cents a pound at the yards yesterday. There were 1700 cattle, and they sold at from five and a half to six cents a pound, except the fancy, which reached This means \$85,000 was paid out for the cattle alone. Hogs brought six cents a pound, and the seven hundred netted ten thousand dollars. The sheep averaged three cents, and realized five thousand dollars, including the lambs in the shipments.

The shipments have increased nearly 25 per cent, within the year, and the price of live stock is more than one cent a pound higher on the hoof than a year ago. These figures indicate how rapidly the live stock industry in the province is growing, and what proportions the marketing of the animals has assumed in Toronto. Almost nightly stock trains, move east from Toronto with shipments of stock handled here for export. In fact, this city has become the hub around which great grocer, dropped dead in his store tonumbers of export cattle are handled.

tria has caused acute surreing among the poor and the unemployed, who are more numerous this year than for many years past. In the iron trade alone there are one hundred and forty thousand men without employment. Many factories are closed or are running on half time. The authorities fear an epidemic of typhus and far reaching famine.

Battle Creek, Mich., Dec. 16 .- John Bartlinger, or Utzler, as his name proves to be, the man who so brutally murdered Mrs. Robert Garrison, has confessed. He told where he had rold the gold watch, which was the only property he succeeded in stealing. It was sold to J. H. Belmont in this city

Windsor, Dec. 16.-William Campbell, who pleaded guilty to assaulting Attorney J. W. Hanna on Crawford-avenue, was this morning sentenced by Judge Horne to four months in the Central Prison at Toronto.

## SEARCHING FOR BODIES.

Quebec, Dec. 16.-Search is being nade for the bodies of Miss Lizzie Maurice Frigon is acclaimed as a hero. He rescued four women and children from the fire.

## SIR WILFRID IS IMPROVED. Montreal, Que., Dec. 16 .- J. A. Drouir

resident of the Liberal Reform Club, o-day received a letter from a personal friend, who is visiting Sir Wlifrid Laurier at Hot Springs, stating that the Premier desired to let his many friends in Montreal know that he felt greatly improved in health and would be in this city on Dec. 29.

## WITH TWO EXCEPTIONS.

Quebec, Que., Dec. 16.-Hon. S. N Parent stated this morning that the meeting would be held at the Parliament Buildings, and that all the Premiers with the exception of two would be in attendance.

## U.S. INVASION OF CANADA

Port Huron Engine and Thresher Co. of this city are organizing a company

Ottawa, Dec. 16.-W. R. Young,

## Try the Decanter at Thomas

## Arbitration Offer is Vague Castro Gave No Guarantee

Receives a Letter From Minister Blair That Makes Him Long for Opposition.

Montreal, Dec. 16 .- "If Sir Wilfrid Laurier were not head of the government, I would leave the Liberal party ment, I would leave the Liberal party and go into opposition." The city's chief magistrate, Mayor Coohrane, uttered the words slowly and with considerable feeling to day.

It was stated at the City Hall that the Mayor had just received a letter from Hon. Mr. Blair, which contained something which aroused His Worship's ire. It was reported a few days ago that in an altercation between Ald. Gallery and the Mayor, as to Mr. Blair's attitude on the coal situation, His Worship had uttered remarks about the Minister of Railways, which, to say the least, were not compliment. to say the least, were not compliment-ary. "What were the contents of the letter you received to-day from the Hon. Mr. Blair?" the Mayor was ask-

## SIXTEEN MEN DROWNED. fficers and Crew of Steamer Mar-

officers and crew of the British steam er Marlay are believed to have been drowned as a result of the foundering of their vessel. The Marlay left Liver-pool for Dublin, loaded with coal yesterday evening. She experienced heavy weather in mid-channel. A lifeboat was lowered, but it was washed away with one man in it.

The British steamer Marlay was built at Belfast in 1890. She was of 798 gross tons. She was owned by Tedcastle, McCormick and Company of

## IMPORTANT IF TRUE. Problem of Profitably Treating Lov

Rossland, B.C., Dec. 16.-The citiens banquet to Bernard Macdonald Washington, Dec. 16.-The following the evening Edmund B. Kirby announced that his company had solved the problem of profitably utilizing low grade ore, and that a mill would be built this winter. Later, when the mechanical process is worked out, a larger mill would be constructed, provided the two per cent. mineral tax that worked such hardship on low grade ores was withdrawn by that time.

## CATTLE QUARANTINE BROKEN,

Albany, N.Y., Dec. 16 .- A yoke o oven from the town of Otis, Berkshire severity of the weather thruout Aus-County, Mass., purchased by Randall tria has caused acute suffering among the poor and the unemployed. Hoxie of Ghent, Columbia County, the poor and the unemployed.

## RICHEST BABY ILL.

New York, Dec. 16.—John Nicholas Brown, the richest baby in the United States, is still to ill to be removed from the Waldorf-Astoria to the home of the ruin of their own country. It is feared that the present conditions will prove worse before the end of the winter.

The baby is nearly three now, and altho rated as being worth only \$10.000, will have \$30,000,000 when he

comes of age.

The golden infant has two nurses a valet and a trained kindergarten en-

Quebec, Dec. 16 .- A despatch from Frondines, County of Portneuf, says about 8 o'clock last night fire broke out in the house owned and ook pied by Louis Archambeault, chee manufacturer. The flames spread with such rapidity that nothing could be saved. The two-year-old son of Mr. Archambeault perished in the flames.

NATIONALISTS BACK IN HOUSE London, Dec. 16 .- In the House o

Commons to-day, John Redmond, the Irish leader, with the majority of his colleagues, who had absented them-selves for some time, resumed their attendance and voted with the Ministerialist majority against Sir Charles Dilke's motion to reject the House of Lords' amendment to the education bill.

very fine sample.

now booming. The first sugar was produced on Sunday morning, and is a

May Close Schools. Winnipeg, Dec. 16.-There is a pro bability that some of the schools will close at Brandon owing to fuel short-age. The electric light plant there is

## Comfort, service, quality. Clancey's six o'clock dinner. Try it.

John D. Gives Another Million. Chicago, Dec. 16.—Another contribu-ion of \$1,000,000 from John D. Rockefeller to the University of Chicago was announced to-day.

# \$250,000 to Buy Coal. New York, Dec. 16.—The Board of Aldermen to-day voted \$250,000 to buy coal for the poor of the city.

DEATHS.

RUMRAYH—At 145 Brunswick-avenue, on Monday. Dec. 15th, 1902, Henry Krumrayh, in his 55th year of age.

Funeral from above address Wednesday, 2 p.m., to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Pec. 16. At. Vaderland. New York. Nomadic. New York. Toronto. Boston Miramkchi. Boston. Corean. Glasgow. Sarmatlan. Glasgow. Sarmatlan. Glasgow. Tunisian. Liverpool. Tunisian. Moville. DEATHS.

KRUMRAYH—At 145 Brunswick-avenue, on
Monday. Dec. 15th, 1902, Henry KrumMiramichi....

## aded, But British Will Not Occupy Country. London, Dec. 16 .- Judging from statenents given out by the Foreign Office, the Venezuelan situation to-night does

Venezuela Ports Will Be Block.

suggestion has been made that Great Britain could eventually see its way to submitting its claims to arbitration and the Foreign Office points out that Venezuela's offer to arbitrate is extremely vague. President Castro, in the communica

tion in which he expressed his willingness to resort to arbitration, provides no guarantee that the rights of British subjects in Venezuela will be respected pending the award. The Foreign Office

quoting from the Foreign Office, "at the same time there is not the slightest inclination to let Venezuela go unpunished for her repeated insults and injuries. The offer to arbitrate comes very late. We are not seeking a quarref, but we must insure ourselves against a recurrence of the acts which led to the present situation."

The Foreign Office appears to be without official cognizance of the attitude of the Washington government, altho it is convinced unofficially that Washington is anxious that further hostilities be avoided. It is known that the Foreign Office has made inquiry as to whether the United States would be willing to guarantee the fulfilling of Venezuela's pledges, either at the immediate cessation of the present European action or pending the award of arbitrators.

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arbitrators.

This inquiry resulted in a direct negative from the United States. With the guarantee of the United States, the Foreign Office says arbitration in the Venezuelan matters would be an immediate probability, but, with only the word of a government hitherto unreliable, arbitration is difficult of accomplishing, even upon the points where international relations admit of such a method of settlement.

Replying to a question in the House of Commons to-day Under Foreign Secretary Cranborne said no attempt had been made by Great Britain to refer the dispute with Venezuela to arbitration.

Secretary, said that if the seizure of the Venezuelan gunboats did not pro-duce the desired effect further coer-cive measures would be employed. The matter had been considered in consul-tation with Grmany, and it had been

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For the act .....179,744 Against the act .... 92,483 

Ottawa, Dec. 16 .-- There is to be a neeting of the Railway Committee of the Privy Council on Friday morning, when the County Council of Frontenso will ask that the Grand Trunk be compelled to build a subway under its tracks across the Montreal-road, at Kingston Junction.

## FAKE INDIAN SCARE.

Ottawa, Dec. 16 .-- Both the Indian and Mounted Police Departments profess ignorance of the report wired to Seattle that an Indian tribe on the Yukon has taken to the warpath. The officials here

## W. W. B McINNES ELECTED. Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 15.—Hon. W. W. B. McInnes, Provincial Secretary, was elected to-day in North Nanaimo by 108 majority.

put the story down as a fake.



A LITTLE COLDER.

8 p.m.)-The weather to-day has been mild in nearly all parts of Canada. Rain feli Smokers' presents, silver tobacco jars and smokers' sets. Alive Bollard, 128 and 199 Yonge-street.

SUGAR ON SUNDAY.

Wiarton, Dec. 16.—The sugar factory was pronounced complete on Friday night, and was started running. It is now porming. The first sugar was now proposed and the Maritime Provinces. The temperature has risen above the freezing point in many portions of the Northwest Territories:

Kamloops, 12—18; Edmonton, 18—32; Prince Albert, 4—30; Qu'Appelle, 6 below—30; Winnings, 23—18; Port Arthur, 22—28; Parry Sound, 28—38; Toronto, 29—40; Ottawa, 12—38; Montreal, 8—38; Quebec, 2—28; Halifax, 10—40.

Probabilities

winds; partly fair and a little cold-Take a package home—Bow Park Georgian Bay—Fresh to strong westerly winds; a little colder; light local snow falls.

falls.
Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence-Wester-ly and northerly winds; mostly fair, be-coming a little colder; a few snow flurries. Lower St. Lawrence and Guif-Clearing and becoming colder, with northwesterly winds.

Maritime—Fresh to strong southwesterly to westerly winds: mild and showery.

Lake Superior—Fair and a little coider.

Manitoba—Fair and moderately cold.

Horses are too valuable nowadays to neglect. The pavements of modern days make easy pulling—and easy slipping. A fall will ruin a horse. Dunlop Ideal Horseshoe Pads meet the need for

horse protection. Every blacksmith can get them. STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

## OAK HALL LEADING CLOTHIERS

## In Our Holiday Attire

Everything in the house suggests Xmas-and today we think it worth your while to take a little jaunt to our store if for nothing else than to see the special window decorations and displays-inside the new pretty novelties in neckwear and other fine furnishings are just as attractively displayed and just as attractive in pricebut with all the holiday spirit and the gift-buying ideas we mustn't forget that we are clothiers first and make your clothing needs our first study and we do-

Stylish Suits and Overcoats 5.00-6.00-7 50-8.00-10.00 12.00-15.00 and up to 25.00

## CONSOLIDATED RURAL SCHOOLS MANY RESULTANT ADVANTAGES

System Well Adapted for Town

The World has repeatedly presented to its readers the merits of the consolidated rural school system, now maintained in a number of townships in the United States. We believe that this system is well adapted to the Province of Ontario, and there are townships in the limmediate neighborhood of Toconto where the experiment could be made if the Educational Department would facilitate it.

Prof. Robertson, the Dairy Commissioner at Ottawa, has recently been investigating this consolidated school system in the State of Ohio, and from his report we gather that he has been greatly impressed by it.

Prof. Robertson was accompanied by R. H. Cowley, Inspector of Schools for the County of Carleton, and Prof.
Lochead of the Ontario Agricultural College, and their findings are the result of observations made in Trumbull County, Ohio, where, in the matter of

system of rural education:

(1) It results in the attendance of a larger number of the children in the locality, particularly of those under the age of eight years and of those over fifteen years.

'ey was decided on in the face of the united

## UNLUCKY DAY FOR BULLOCK

Champion Sweepstake Steer of Canada Transformed Very Suddenly Into Christmas Beef.

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son, War Cry and Moabina and other horses is under suspicion. After questioning the boy, the stewards decided to suspend him, pending further investigation. They also suspended the filly. Moabina, and her owners, Hatfield and Camby. Scorpto was the only winning favorite. Weatner the: track heavy. Simmaraes First race, selling, % na.te-F.ora Levy, 94 (Wissard), 15 to 1, 1; (Marco, 90 (Fuller), 16 to 5, 2; Pirate, 107 (Scully), 5 to 1, 3. Time 1.38. Cologne II, War Cry, The Wigard, Enhance, Ravenspur and Prince Heman ariso ran.

Second race, % mile-Alice S., 105 (Munton), 15 to 1, 3. Time 1.03 4-5. Mathilae, Wilton, Sister Kate II., Honeybrook, Ardita, Lady Superior and Dr. McNaily a.soran.

Third race, selling, 1 mile-Dutch Garter, 96 (Phillips), 12 to 1, 1; Miss Shankey, 106 (Wainwright), 10 to 1, 2; Lassome, 101 (Hear), 4 to 1, 3. Time 1.52 4-5 Willard J., Star Gazer, Sack Ford, James J. Corbett, Kiss Quick and Maid of Enid also ran. Rowdy G. fell Fourth race, selling, % mile-Welcome Light, 105 (Phillips), 20 to 1, 1; Tom May-Light, 105 (Phillips), 20 to 1, 1; Tom May-Light and Levy, and Henley Stewards. son, War Cry and Moabina and other P. T. Powers Paid Six-Day Riders.

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There are at present three candidates for goal—Harris, Lash and Carruth—while Evans and Dr. Wright will comprise the rest of the defence, and, with W. G. Woods, Gilbert, Dillabough and Smith on the forward line, they will present a hard proposition.

Woodstock's Good Prospects. Woodstock's Good Prospects.
Woodstock, Dec. 15.—Woodstock will have ten sendors from which to choose her O. H. A. team, and the indications are that a strong septet will be formed. For the defence, Maitman, Hess, Ryder and Caister will no doubt qualify, and for the forward line there are McClurg, Yoang, McLellan, White, Eden and Pascoe, with a promising following of fast juniors.

M. R. Johnston Hockey Team.
At a large and enthusic tic meeting, held Thesday evening, the W. R. Johnston Co. Hockey Club organized for the season and elected the following officers: Hon. president, W. R. Johnston, sr.; hon. vice-president, Herbert Langlois; hon. secrelary, J. C. Black; hon. treasurer, W. R. Johnston, fr.; hon. patrons, Alf. Johnston, E. J. Watkins, J. W. Lawrence, W. H. Brasbie, J. C. O'Beirne, George Castle, J. A. Brady, James Shields, F. R. McKechnie, G. D. Montgomery, J. W. Smith, P. J. Paradis, C. B. Harrison; president, W. B. Terry; treasurer, J. P. Kinnear; secretary, H. W. Ireland; manager, Bert Short; captain, Jack Carmichael; delegates to league, B. Short and L. Carmichael.

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FIVE CHILDREN KILLED.

to bring news of health and strength to those who are weak and broken down he finds millions ready to listen. Such is my story. It is full of truth and overflowing with Fort Lee, N.J., Dec. 16.—By the explosion of an acetylene gas tank to-day, the residence of John Puglughi was demolished, his five children being instantly killed and his wife so seriously injured that her recovery is despaired This Electric Suspensory has done wonders for weak, impotent men. Being in itself nerve life, it is capable of replenishing the wasted vitality and stopping all evidences of any drain. I have letters from thousands of people. Some of them came to me as their last resort, almost giving up in despair of ever being a man again. Many will be only too willing to share this knowledge with you.

MAYOR OF BRANDON.

Brandon, Dec. 16.—There was an exciting contest for the Mayoralty here to-day, Dr. Fleming defeating Frederick Nation by 105 votes. Better Than Gold.

Better Than Gold.

Arthur James' own company will present "Better Than Gold" at Dingman's Hall Friday evening. The drama is of the comedy class and promises four acts of mirthful entertainment. The story is by the pen of Mr. George M. Baker, and is of a very wholesome character. It deals with the struggles of different parties to obtain a family estate, the proper will not being probated, as the result of a bungling lawyer's assistant. Around this circumstance is woven a pretty story, in which, above the sordid passions, is a fine flavor of young lovers, their tribulations and their final triumph. The stage setting is said to be good and the talent first-class. The heir is represented by Arthur James, the scapegrace by Thomas P. Weston, the proud heiress by Miss Lorna Doone, and among others in the cast are: Mis Elsie Ward, A. Harvey King, Harry Browne and Charles Edwards.

Four immense steamers are to be built by the Harriman Railroad interests to ply between Portland, Ore., and Oriental ports. They are to cost between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000 each.

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has come into possession of a collection of 68,000 Roman copper coins recently unearthed near a Servian village. The oldest of them belong in the time of Caracalla.

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At last the people in England are beginning to understand what Canada is and what she can do and will be. In the December number of The Nine. eenth Century Magazine is an article ranged The Weak Spot in the American Republic. The writer, whose name is given as J. Weston, points out that the population of the States given, as 76,000,000 4ncludes \$,803,535 negroes and 627,284 Chinese, Japanese, Incilans and Kanakas. Nor is this all—out of 76,000,000 described as Americans 10,460,850 are foreigners and 13,600,000 are born of foreign parents. These figures show that the United States are not homogeneous and only homogeneous peoples ever become great Moreover the native American does not reproduce his species. But what interests us in Canada more than this is what is contained in the concluding paragraphs of the paper, part of which we copy below. The whole article deserves most careful examination. It shows that our turn has come. The people of English writers and most English writers and most English writers and most English talkers, have been worshippers of the United States. They seemed not only to be ignorant of the fact that England had retained the largest part of the continent of North America, but they seemed to dislike even to be reminded of the fact. A few years ago souch a paper as Mr. Weston's would not have been allow-will be the fact that England had retained the largest part of the continent of North America, but they seemed to dislike even to be reminded of the fact. A few years ago souch a paper as Mr. Weston's would not have been allow-will be the fact that an electrical device can be secured. the population of the States given as 76,000,000 includes 8,803,535 negroes THE DEADLY RAILWAY CROSSING for themselves as business men, instead few years ago such a paper as Mr. with this question. There is no doubt this matter, or else of seeing that the Weston's would not have been allow-that an electrical device can be secured agents whom they employ are gentleed to appear in an English review, by the cailways for warning people of but those days have gone, we hope, the approach of trains at railway for ever. Canadians, who for the last crossings. Such devices are employed they represent, as well as their o thirty years, even since 1870, when in the United States, But if the people the Imperial garrisons were with- of Canada do not insist on having pire, can now say that the cause they tives in parliament call the attention out cost to somebody, either primarily to the dealer, or to the agent. In either report—in spite of official indifference report-in spite of official indifference, there is for some kind of reform in hotelkeeper philosophic cynicism and supercilious this direction, the farmers will continue end-one reason, in addition affectation of superiority-is triumphant to be mowed down by the railway com- many others, why he should demand, Another danger may arise—that of punies. Ten in one week is a pretty jealousy on the part of our neighbors good record for the Province of On-

The passages of Mr. Weston's article people of Canada. We do not know referred to above are quoted hereunder. that he has ever interfered in one of ers and to our sad-souled Jeremiahs:

There is still another factor in the problem of population, which is receiving some attention in Washington just now. That is the emigration of western farmers to British territory, which is an entirely

ew feature in the history of the Hence her anxiety at the stream of farmers moving towards the Canadian Northwest. In 1898 they numbered about 9000, in 1899 about 11,000, in 1900 about 15,000, in 1901 about 19,000, and by the end of the summer of the present year about 25,000. In themselves the figures are not striking, perhaps, but when they are considered in relation to other features in the uation they suggest the rise of Canada as a grain producing rival of the United States. For nearly fifty years the flow of emigration was southward, and Washington was congratulating itself on the gradual realization of its traditional policy, the including of British North America in the union. And there was no denying it was justified in holding that view. A country with boundless resources, a virgin soil and a sparse population, which becomes commercially depen-dent on a vigorous neighbor ailied to it in origin, blood and language, is almost bound to become politically dependent, particularly when the way is being opened by the most enterprising of its sons. From this fate Canada was saved only by her faith in the future. That is to say, she saw the danger and averted it by one of the most tre-mendous efforts ever made by a handful of people. Nevertheless, until the early nineties emIgration the Dominion's greatest problems. With a population of a few million souls scattered over half a continent she was being drained of her young men to the same extent as an old and densely populated country like England. In 1882, according to American official statistics, tho their correctness was denied with indignation at Ottawa, 70,219 Canadians settled in the United States. But when the

1890, however, she has prospered by leaps and bounds. Consequently her children find it to heir advantage to stay at home years of the last decade, there were 322 at the end of it; in 1900, the gures further fell to hundreds. So that the full import of American emigration to the Northwest is not anadian emigration to the United States has almost ceased. In other words the number of Amerians who seek homes under the the number of Canadians who seek homes under the Stars and Stripes. The loss to the United States is thus a double one. Those Americans who like to talk of the Dominion as a few acres of snow around the pole, see in the Ameri-can invasion of the Northwest a deep design of carrying the Ameri can flag to the frozen sea. The from Europe to the United States. European or Canadian, or of European or Canadian parentage, and become British in the Northwest

American census returns of 1890 were published, it was clear that

there was no need for exaggeration on the part of the Republic, so great was the influx of Canadians. There were 980,938 Americans citizens of British North American birth, and it was estimated that there were perfy

there were nearly as many more of danadian extraction. If was a danadian extraction. If was a intell revelation for the Dominjust as fast as the British become American in the Republic. What was sauce for the American goose is surely sauce for the Canadian

WEDNESDAY MORNING

It must be remembered that inducements to settle in the Northwest are many. It is practically a virgin country, its soil is rich and for a physical reason the climate is more endurable there than it is further south. The administration of law and justice compares favorably with that across the border, and none affirm it with greater emphasis than Americans. Finally Canada controls the quickest route to Europe and cheap and rapid transit is essential to the farmer's prosperity. For the first time in the history of the North American continent more grain was carried continent more grain was carried last year to Europe by way of the St. Lawrence than by way of the Erie Canal, and New York, and Erie Canal, and New Pools, and American experts have prophesied that in a very few years the Do-minion will outstrip the United States in the production of wheat. That sturdy well-to-do American That sturdy well-to-do American farmers would aid in its realization was, however, not anticipated. But so it is. Hence the legend on the arch erected by the Dominion government in London for the coronation was no idle boast. What the United States was to the nineteenth century, Canada will be to the twentieth,

jealousy on the part of our neighbors good record for the Province of Onat our success, but that danger Cana- tario. The Minister of Railways has a dians will face and overcome as we large staff, a big department, is paid have faced and overcome other dang- \$7000 a year salary, and holds his position expressly for the benefit of the We commend them to our own croak these accidents or bothered his head tions and what you say about the loabout it, or ever sent out one of his cal business of our railways. I hapabout it, or ever sent out one of his engineers to investigate and make a report upon it. The people have themselves to blame for the way in which they aire treated by the railways. Their own representatives in parliament the Ministers of Pailways too. ment, the Ministers of Railways, too, many of them, imagine that they are the servants of the railway corporations, rather than the guardians of the more for the siding. The very suggestion of the siding of the siding. tions, rather than the guardians of the people's interests. They accept honors at the hands of the people, and they accept salaries from the people, and yet the great bulk of them never open their mouth when a situation like the present arises. The World, as far as we know, is the only paper that has printed all the particulars concerning recent crossing accidents and directed more for the siding. The very suggestion that your correspondent makes that the company should build a section man's house at flag stations we also made to the company, and they have promised to consider it. Our experience has been that the C.P.R. and its officials have been most obliging and anxious to cultivate this local traffic, and to make reasonable provision for it. recent crossing accidents and directed public attention to the fact that ten people were killed in this province

within a week by the railways at rail- Operates on Little Sufferers Again way crossings. Perhaps some ministerialist organ will tell us what the Minister of Railways ought to do under the circumstances. And perhaps Hon.

Mr. Ross and his Attorney-General will

The Richard Medical College and Hospital Type Richard Medical College and Hospital Co Mr. Ross and his Attorney-General will tell the public what they are doing to protect the people. They pretend that

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING AND EX-

Now that Yuletide is near at hand, Christmas shoppers will facilitate matters for themselves and for the stores by doing their shopping early. Those the Reading Road made a statement to who purchase now will have a wider day, deprecating the course pursued by

before Christmas. Most people generally like to do so in order that their gifts may arrive at their destination on Christmas morning, and the result is a congestion of traffic in the postoffice and express company services. By the Empire Music Hall. The defence mailing or expressing their parcels a sought to prove insanity, but numerweek or so ahead of time, and mark- ous experts testified that the prisoner ing upon them in large letters, "not to be opened till Christmas," the public would greatly facilitate the hollow would greatly facilitate the holiday tion. traffic in the services in question, and by so doing the public would also minimize the danger of parcels going astray in the sush of Christmas business. This suggestion of sending gifts to their destination as soon as possible to their destination as soon as possible to the suggestion of sending gifts to their destination as soon as possible to the suggestion of sending gifts to their destination as soon as possible to the suggestion of sending gifts to their destination as soon as possible to the suggestion of sending gifts to their destination as soon as possible to the suggestion of sending gifts to their destination as soon as possible to the suggestion of sending gifts to the suggestion gifts gifts as suggestion gifts as suggestion gifts as suggestion gifts gifts as suggestion

The only objection to which the sug. and passed by a vote of 45 to 15. gestion is open is that the recipients of Christmas presents which arrive a week ahead of time may not possess sufficient self-restraint to obey the "do not open" instructions, and, having broken the parcel, may construe the early arrival of the gift as a hint from the sender that he would like something in return.

There can be a difference of opinion on most subjects, but there is only one opinion as to the reliability of Mother Graves Worm Exterminator. It is safe, sure and effectual.

"BARROOM TREATING."

Editor World: Permit me to say that am quite in accord with the very ppropriate suggestion of a corresponlent in one of Saturday's papers in reference to the habit of hotel and tavern liquor treating. During a tolerably long lifetime, I have necessarily spent a good deal of my time among our city and country hotels, and my experience is that the liquor dealers themselves, or their agents, which amounts to the same thing, are mainly, if not entirely, responsible for the initiation and perpetuation of this highly nefarious practice. I have observed that it is an extremely common custom among these gentlemen, on conclusion of their usual business visits to their hotel customers, to make their way to the bar-room and address the attendant crowd with the usual invitation: "Now, boys, what are you all going to take?" and I am informed that it is not infrequently the case that many of the very same crowd receive the same invitation from the spent a good deal of my time among receive the same invitation from the same individual at the bar of the next nearest customer whom he may visit, so eager are his beneficiaries to test the evidence of his liberality and good-fellowship. Now, sir, what I desire to impress

upon the liquor dealers themselves, as well as upon the agents who represent them, is that they should at once and forever put an end to this iniquitous practice, and set up a higher standard

men, rather, who have sufficient regard

Foronto, Dec. 16, 1902. FLAG STATIONS AND LOCAL TRAFFIC.

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protect the people. They pretend that the jurisdiction is at Ottawa, but to our mind they have a perfect right to ascertain all the facts and to step in and protest and to call the attention of the Minister of Railways to the situation. If they are not there for that purpose, will they please tell us what they draw their salaries for?

BALR HEARD AGAIN. Finds Fault With Independent Coal

Operators' Forcing Prices.

New York, Dec. 16.-President Baer o

who purchase now will have a wider range of goods to select from than those who leave it off till a day or two before Christmas, and, moreover, by so doing they will avoid the pre-Christmas shop crushes. And, again, by buying now customers will help to relieve the strain which the army of holiday purchasers will later put upon the store-keepers and their tired clerks.

And there is another suggestion which The World would like to make, and that is that persons intending to send Christmas presents by post or express should not hold them over until the day before Christmas. Most people gener-

Convicted of Murder.

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Robes; collar attached pocket; double-stitched se

Men's Fine Neckwear; in all the leading shapes; the made-up line come with shield or band;



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Other Southern States,

Louisville, Ky, Dec. 16.—A general rain which has prevailed over Kentucky, Arkansas and Tennessee since Saturday ceased to-day. Kentucky streams are all out of their banks, and in many localities lising rapidly. Extensive damage is reported, with the loss of one life. Along the Ohio, the losses are heaviest. Three lives were lost in the bottoms north of Memphis, Tenn. A levee used as a road way broke as three farmers were passing in a wagon. They were swept away, and the bottoms are flooded for mics.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Sensational news comes from Bulgaria. Michael Stavreft, alias Michael Halju, the assassion of Stepan Stambuloff, has confessed his guilt, and has declared that M. Ludskanoff, the present Minister of the Interior of Bu garia, employed him to commit the erime. Stambuloff was the greatest man Bulgaria has ever produced, and for 16 years was Prime Minister of the government. He was cruel, tyrannical and vindictive. His methods were often such as could not be approved but he was honest, patriotic and unselfish in his devotion to his country and his people, and was murdered by his political enemies. Until Stambuloff died Russia had little influence in Bulgaria. Since his assassination it has controlled the government in every respect, The Russian agent at Sophia, Mr. Bakhmeteff, who has an American wife, is more powerful than the King.

CHILDREN WORK AT NIGHT

mission Says It Should Be

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Stand for the Miners-

Chairman Gray opened the proceedings by saying that the commissioners were the other dark as night. Yet they have mpressed with the spectacle of the one soul, and the bond of lov little girls who were before the com- tween them is as strong as death. The mission yesterday and testified that heroine is allowed to love them both, they worked all night. He said the asunder in some admirable scenes of people of the community and citizens warring and exalted passion. A scenic

that the miner's ton, which runs from 2700 to 3200 pounds, was fixed years ago, so the employer could get out of the ton 2240 pounds of pure coal above the size of pea, and all below that was waste. This waste is now being utilized. Regarding the prices of coal, Mr. Haddock said the middleman to New York the powing \$11 and \$12. New York is paying \$11 and \$12 a

Judge Gray : "Do they pay the opeyators that price?"
"Possibly," replied the witness.
Mr. Haddock said the Lackawanna Mr. Haddock said the Lackawanna Company wanted to regulate the tonnage of his company some years ago. He opposed the proposition for a year and a half and finally obtained the right to mine and ship coal as he pleased. Mr. Haddock said he believed in the combination of capital and of labor. He looked upon the organization of labor as a necessity, and he had no objection to dealing with labor unions if properly conducted. He believed the mine workers, because of the good market for coal, were justified in asking for an increase in wages. asking for an increase in wages.
On cross-examination, Mr. Haddock said he did not know of any operator who is cherging prices above the schedule list.

line. Usually death is ascribed to "a complication of diseases," and probably this is as convenient a term as any jo explain what is popularly considered the reason for the final collapse.

The death is usually peaceful, as in the case of Mrs. Grant, the ordinary pains and suffering being gradually quieted by the approach of the final sleep. Thus kind Nature often gives her anodyne with her good night.

The Newell Bible Class.

The Newell Bible class was largely attended last night. There was not a vacant seat, and 400 people occupied the platform. "The Purpose of the Law" was the subject, in the Book of Exodus. This further treats of the tribulations of the Hebrews. Over 600 meals were served in the evening. The enthusiasm of the big union Bible class continues, most of the ministers of the class work is expected to be a revival in the different churches. Many conversions usually follow the work of Mr. Newell in the different cities.

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Col. J. M. Wood, manager of Powers' opera. House, Grand Rapids. blames Mascagni's wife as the cause of his tribulations. The night the great maestro was to appear at his theatre he secured \$800 advance money from the colonel on the plea that he feared the receipts might be attached. Then when the curtain was about to go up he would not appear, and only threats of imprisonment brought about a personal recommendation of pain is saved.

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Judge Gray of the Coal Strike Com-

his, "The Prophecy," has just been produced with considerable eclat at the Fulham Theatre, London. It is a story Coal Strike Commission met sto-day an eclipse, and share mystically between them one soul, composed of light

people of the community and citizens of the commonwealth should not let the incident pass without taking some steps to have the legislature of Pennsylvania seriously consider the enactment of a law that would forbid the employment of children at night. At the suggestion of the commission the statement of the wages of the fathers of two of the girls was presented. One earned more than \$1000 last year, and the other over \$900.

The miners sprung another surprise by presenting an individual operator on the witness stand against the operators. He was John C. Haddock of Wilkes-Barre, president of the Plymouth Coal Company. Mr. Haddock said he had been in the coal business 35 years. His company went into the hands of receivers on March 14, and Nov. 14 trustees took it. He explained that the miner's ton, which runs from 2700 to 3200 pounds, was fixed years ago, so the employer could get out

EATING CHEMICALS.

U.S. Agricultural Department Ex-Washington, Dec. 16 .- About a dozen young men to-day began boarding on a diet furnished by the Agricultural Department and designed to test the effect of food adulterants. It was the first av of the actual inclusion of borax and other preservatives in the meats

day of the actual inclusion of borax and other preservatives in the meats which are to be furnished to the young men for a long period under the direction of Prof. Wiley, the chief chemists of the department. He believes that the results will show the harmlessness of preservatives, whose presence in exports from the United States has led to exclusion of such food products in a number of instances. The young men have been taking their meals for two weeks under Dr. Wiley's direction, but until to-day no adulterants were used in the food. The object was to put them in the best possible physical condition before beginning the actual feeding of the preservatives.

DEATH OF MRS. U.S. GRANT.

New York Herald: The death of Mrs. Ulysses S. Grant followed the natural breakdown of advanced years, It was the question of three score years and ten against the possibility of extreme old age. Under the former circumstances there is a progressive degenerative change of vital tissues, with a corresponding lack of resistance to comparatively trivial affections. A slight cold ending in an affack of bronchitis turned the scale against the patient's chances. It is reported that there were kidney and heart complications of long standing which were in themselves the more immediate causes of death.

Senile decay shows itself in the thickened, rigid and brittle arteries and in the hardening and shrinking of the vital organs. The heart and kidneys are usually the first to show these changes and work together in lowering the general tone of the system. The bronchial tubes, no longer able to dispose of slight colds, become also thickened and permanently damaged. The troiblessome asthmatic cough of the agod is thus explained. By and by there is a sight exposure and a fresh cold, and then the crippled and complex vital machinery breaks down along its whole line. Usually death is ascribed to "a complication of diseases," and probably this is as convenient a term as any to explain what is popularly considered.

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Florida Orange Crop. Jacksonville, Fia., Dec. 16.—Latest estimates are that the Fiorida orange crop is about one-half gone out of the State. The total crop will be fully 900,000 boxes, being augmented about 250,000 boxes by the large size of the

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Oranges run from 80 to 150 per box,
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Shantung, Pongee and Raw Silks, in oyster grey, old rose, ox-blood, marine, reseda, sage, bisque, browns. on this charge, and it is understood that he intends to piead guity. Stuart may be used as a crown witness against at. and Mrs. Raymond. The coupie will be defended by E. F. B. Johnston, K.C., and T. C. Robinette, K.C.

Cases in County Court.

Judge Morgan presided over the County
Court on Thesday. The suit of Ley v.
Kiejser, an action on a note, tried on Monday, was adjourned for argument. The
arxt suit was one brougat by D. Gojdstein
against Bachrack & Co., on a 30 days note
for \$471.91. It was aiso adjourned for
argument. Walter C. Fowell, boot and
sloe dealer, is suing W. J. Sheppard, jewler. of Toronto Junction, for an undivided
two-third interest in lot 15 of Toronto
Junction and a one-third interest in lot
114. This case was not concluded.

A Receiver Appointed.

Geogre Andrew was on Tuesday appoint-

George Andrew was on Tuesday appointed a receiver to administer the estate of Andrew & Howarth private bankers of Onkville. Howarth was treasurer of the town, and had collected taxes to the extent of \$9000, which he had not accounted for. It turned out that he had deposited the money in the Oncarjo Bank, and, when his suicide revealed the fact that he was in difficulties the bank took over the encent as part payment for an indebtedness due them. Mr. Andrew since that time has wiped out the debts of the firm, which amount to about \$35,000, but which re partly covered by assets amounting to 15,000. It is said that on the day Howrth committed suicide a note of the town or \$4000 was due, and the fact that and no funds to meet it undoubtedly had omething to do with his tash act. The court sanctioned the sale of three res of Guelph property to Sir William accounted for the Macdonald Training

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Fashionable Burial of a Dog. New York Dec. 16.—A little spaniel of high degree, known as "Dickie," and owned by Mrs. Martha Scott Crane of fashionable burial. Its body is finely ribboned in a costly box, and will be buried in a cemetery at Long Island. The children in the neighborhood are all to follow his remains to their last resting-place. "Dicke' was a great faorite among the children who mourned sadly when they learned that he had fallen the victim of a collision with a will warm."

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School there. It is part of the James Keough estate, and the three acres brought the price of \$19,000. The widow and an infant have an interest, and the cours's consent was necessary.

The suit of Henry Totten against the Nickel Copper Co. was again adjourned till to-morrow.

The action of Langstaff v. Langstaff is set down for trial in Single Court at 10 a.m. to-day. Estates in Surrogate Court.

Papers asking probate for the will of James Adam Wenley, a late treasurer of the Bank of Scotland, with residence in Edinburgh, filed in the Surrogate Court, show the deceased to have held mortgages on Ontarlo lands amounting to \$31.500.

Dr. Inglis Lough, who died in October Dr. Inglis Lough, who died in October 183t, left an estate worth \$9596.13. The widow is given the income from the estate. Each of the children is to have 1-7 after the mothers' death.

Police Court, Record

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Percy Hodson was remanded by Magistrate Denison on Tuesday till to-day on two charges of fraud. On Dec. 11 he is alleged to have sold a bag of potatoes to 0. McNeish. 28 Sorauren-avenue, for \$1.

The McNeish family expected that they had made a bargen until they emptied the potatoes on the floor and a peck of carrots was revealed. Carrots are cheaper than potatoes on the market. The second charge of fraud is of attempting to sell Mrs. McBeth. 93 Macdonnel-avenue, a similar bag. Laura Carr of Sherbourne-street pleaded guilty to stealing a coat from Annie Pethick. She was remanded for sentence.

No Imaginary Line. Editor World: Your cantoon in to-lay's issue is a splendid one, and I would beg to remark that a little point

Prospective Candidates. which struck me in this connection s this: Speeches have recently been nade on the other side of the line, in thich it was said: "It was only an which it was said: "It was only an imaginary line that separated us" (of course, the phrase is as old as the bills but when it comes to speechifying about the Alaska line, they are very positive no "maginary" line exists. The line is as they have laid it down-continuely so.

Barrie, Dec. 15, 1902. RETIRED CLERGYMAN DEAD. Rev. William Meikle Passes Away at Age of 86.

Rev. William Meikle, a retired Presbyterian minister, died on Tuesday at his home, 38 Robert-street. Deceased was born in Ayr, Scotland, 86 years was born in Ayr, Scotland, 80 years ago, and was ordained in 1848. His first charge was Anstruther, Scotland, where he remained till he moved to Mobile, Ala. Coming to Canada he assumed charge of the Presbyterian Church in Oakville, of which congregation he was the pastor for 23 years. He retired 13 years ago, and had ince lived in Toronto. Rev. Mr. Meikle is survived by two sons—Dr. Meikle, attached to the British navy, and W. B. Meikle of Omaha. The funeral will take place to-morrow to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

No Vandalism.

Oitawa. Dec. 16.—The Mayor of Niagar. ago , and was ordained in 1848. His ment

Oitawa, Dec. 16.—The Mayor of Niagara has telegraphed Col. Macdonald, Superla-tendent of Military Stores, that the reports of vandailsm at old Niagara Fort by the part in the coming tournament which is to



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his friends, with a view to his re-eleccards of C. C. Robinson are scattered broadcast thruout the city, and the Mayoralty campaign is now on in earnest. Both candidates are expecting another competitor.

Controller Crane does not want to be an eldermouther any more and he has

be an alderman any more, and he has announced his intention of quitting the municipal arena. He has frequently remarked that to satisfy constituents a lot of attention is required on the part of a representative of the people, and it is hard to suit everybody. Ald.

Oitawa, Dec. 16.—The Mayor of Niagara has telegraphed Col. Macdonald. Superintendent of Military Stores, that the reports of vandalism at old Niagara Fort by the removal of earth and stones are without foundation.

Bond Issue of \$45,000,000.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—Judge Elbert H. Garry, chairman of the United States Steal Corporation, announced to-day the perchase of the Union and Sharon plants of the Union Steel Company, near Pittsburg. The Paris tourney is scheduled to begin Jan. 8. There are seven entries—two Americans, one Canadian, three Frenchmen and one Spaniard. The 'American entries are Schaefer and Slosson. The Canadian is George Sutton. The Frenchmen entries are Schaefer and Slosson. The Canadian is George Sutton. The Frenchmen entries are Schaefer and Gibelin, Marva is the Spanish player. Schaefer and Sutton are already in Paris. Slosson is expected to leave New York in a week or two.

It is the great prosperity of the billiardists in Paris, by the way, that is causing the dulness of the local game from the professional standpoint. The academies have been rapidly increasing of late, from one, to two, to three, and now three are fve. Before long, as a prominent billiardist said yesterday, there will be seven. And then will come the blow-up. Somebody will get sore and all the academies will be closed. Then some of the experts will be coming back to the States.

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Preacher Shares His Son's Cell.
Chicago, Dec. 16.—While his father, a Methodist minister of the Rock River Conference, was preaching Sunday before a congregation at the Ravenswood Methodist Church, Homer Randolph, 17 years old, was sitting in a cell at the Evanston police station, accused of participating in a bold burglary. Last evening ,after failing to get bail, the father insisted on sharing his son's imprisonment, and passed the night in the cell with him. During the night the son confessed his share in the burglary.

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Liverpool for the centre of its dust not Southampton, as was reported. The combine will await the decision as to the details of the new fast Cunard liners before it orders its new fast boats.

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ESTATE NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS The Creditors of John Pirritte, 'ate of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, some tame of the Village of Port Dalhousie, in the County of Lincoln, Deputy Collector of Tolls, who died on or about the 22nd day of July, 1902, are hereby notified to send in their claims to Charles Forsyth of the Village of Weston, millwright, one of the executors of the last will and testiment and codicil of the said deceased, on or before the ninth day of January. 1903, after which date the executors of the said will will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which they may then have notice.

Dated at Toronto, this 8th day of De-ember, 1902. LAIDLAW. KAPPELE & BICKNELL,

McItors for Charles Forsyth and John K. Forsyth, Executors of the Estate of John Pirritte, Deceased. IN THE ESTATE OF JANET GILES late of the Township of Scarboro in the County of York, Deceased.

In the County o? York, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 129, Section 38, Revised Statutes of Ontario, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said Janet G les, who died on or about the 14th day of August, 1902, at the said Township of Scarboro, are required to deliver to the National Trust Company, Ilmited, No. 22 Kingstreet East, Toronto, Administrators, with the will annexed, of the said estate, on or before the 20th day of January, 1903, their names, addresses and descriptions, and full particulars of the said claims and securities (if any) held by them, duly verified. And after the said 20th day of January, 1903, the Administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said Administrators will not be responsible for the assets of the said estate, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not then have

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House of Industry Board.

At the monthly meeting of the House of Industry Board pseudonthy board of the superintendent reported that there were at present 142 inmates in the House, 107 men and 35 women. The institution has helped 389 families by distributing 38 tons of coal. 100 bushels of rice and oatmeal, 340 pounds of sugar, 85 pounds of tea and 600 loaves of bread during the past month. The board of this institution has arranged to get 150 tons of Welsh coal from the city, to be distributed among the poor. The House of Industry placed an order with William McGill, but he has been unable to fill it, owing to the railroads confiscating some of his soft coal. Mr.

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By order of the Board.

GEO. H. SMITH,

Toronto, November 20th, 1902.					
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		Wabash, pret 50	374 73% 7274	School Vacation Certificate, signed by the	Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter, 85	ewt.; two loads from William Rooney, 1220 lbs. each, at \$5 cwt., less \$15 on the lot.	with the surplus care and attention bestowed on the child, to let the child do more for itself, have more freedom.	Col. Mutrie Sees Hon. Dr. Border	Orders executed in New York, Montreal and Toronto. Members of the Standard Stock and Mining Exceptane. Private wire to New York TEL. M. 629. 135 75 YONGH ST.
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ITED	brokers, Traders' Bank Building (Tel. 1091). to-day report closing exchange rates as fol-	do., pref 97% 1 Can. Pacific 126 1:	98¼ 97½ 98 125¾ 126	at single mate until Dec. 31st, and valid returning until Jan. 19th, 1903.  The Grand Trunk offers excellent service.	low, etc.: Hides. No. 1 steers, inspected\$0 09	Dunn Bros. bought three loads choice ex-	children. Foods and medicines are only temporary helps for child weak-	Ottawa, Dec. 16LieutCol. John Mutri is in the city to-day, and interviewed th	PELLATT & PELLATT
THE REAL PROPERTY.	Between Banks	Col. & Southern 2072	116 40 41%	East, West, North and South, and a quick	Hides, No. 2 steers, inspected	cwt.; one load, 1275 lbs. each, at \$5.55, and one load, 1300 lbs. each, at \$5.50 cwt.	Emulsion of cold-liver oil, or the	Minister of Militia on a matter of local	PELLATT & PELLATT  HENRY MILL PELLATT. NORMAN MAGRAE  STOCK BROKERS,
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S.	Cable Trans 9 946 958 97-8 to 10  Rates in New York	Mex. Central 2178	194 10134 102	office, northwest corner King and Tonge	Sheepskins	Christmas cattle at \$5 to \$5.50 cwt. James Armstrong bought 13 milch cows	end can take care of "hot house child- ren" if fond parents will only give	companies. It is said that the 30th Rifle is the only regiment in Ontario of 10 com	36 King Street East. Correspondents in Montreal, New York, Chicago, Edinburgh and London, England. 135
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	Price of Silver.	St. L. & S. W., pf. 58	59¼ 57¾ 59¼ 39 38 38⅓	every point in Canada. Fast trains, com-	J. G. Beaty (McIntyre & Marshall), 21	cwt.; 35 sheep at \$3.121/2 cwt., and three	dently determined to keep in touch with	would be taken seriously to heart by the	MANNING CHAMBERS, CITY HALL SQUARE,
	Bar silver in London, 221/1 per ounce. Bar silver in New York, 48%c per ounce.	St. L. & S. W.,pr. 38 Texas Pacific 38 Union Pacific 96½ do., pref 91 103% 1	91 91 91	and cafe cars. Round trip tickets will be					
eer	Mexican dollars, 37½c.	do., 4's 103% 1 Coalers—	04% 108% 103%	and cafe cars. Round trip tickets with a sold at single first-class fare, going Dec. 24th and 25th, returning until Dec. 26th. Also at single fare and one-third, going the inclusive: returning, treturning.		ket, 2420 lbs., at \$5 cwt. This animal was bred and fed by P. Robertson, Shakes-	if they elected him he would, after each session of parliament, give to them a review of the work of the session. Last year Mr. Blain spoke at a number of places in the county.	grants the men of the regiment 25 cents day when they turn out to camp, and all	O TOTAL STATE OF THE STATE OF T
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	Ask. Bid. Ask. Bid.	do prof 93	9614 95 96	good unti! Jan. 5th, 1905. For students rates and further particulars, see adver- tisement in another column, or apply at City Office, northwest corner King and	May 43% 43% 43% 43% 43%	150 to 1150 ibs. each, at \$1.25 to \$5.25 chill	'it is holding a series of meetings at	of 30 men from	
	Montreal   132   130½ . 1305   1307   1305   1307	Norfolk & West 69 Ont & West 2714	39% 6816 69 28% 271/4 271/5	Yonge-streets.	Oats— 33 33½ 32¾ 32½	averaging \$5 each.  D. McDouald, Wingham, sold 10 butchers'	the present time, which are being the present time, which are being largely attended. To day he will speak at Erindale, Toronto Township, and at Erindale, Toronto Township, and at Castlemore, To-	day from the date of their departure un- the 30th June, ensuing. Probably no oth	LIVE STOCK SALESMEN.
Than	Merchants 255 252 255 2527 Merchants 161½ 160½ 161½ 160½ 161½ 160½	Penn. Central 1521/2 1 6 Reading 577/8	541/4 152 152/4 571/4 571/4	Officers of L.O.L. 142.	July 31% 31% 31% 31% 31%	heifers, 996 lbs. each, at \$4.50 cwt., less \$3 on the lot: six fat cows. 1100 lbs. each,	at Erindale, Toronto Township, and on Monday, Dec. 22, at Castlemore, To-		sold on Commission. Prompt, careful
<sup>7</sup> 6	Imperial 238 237½ Dominion 242 239¾ 243 2413	do., 1st pref 85 54 54	541/4 54 541/8	The following officers of L.O.E. W. 142 were elected Monday night: W.	May15 72 15 80 15 62 15 65	R. J. Collins bought 12 cattle, 1180 lbs.	manta Gore Township. The electric,	C. C. Sames, Departs	sold on Commission. Prompt, careful and personal attention given to consignments of stock. Correspondence solicited. Office 95 Wellington-Avenue, Toron to. Reference Dominion Bank.
0	Hamilton 231 230 233 229 Standard 245 245	Amal. Copper 551/2	56% 55% 55%	M., B. R. Eaton; D. M., C. E. Coulter, chaplain, C. Prentice; R. S., T. Snedden; F. S., S. Hornelbow; treasurer,	May 922 922 912 912 Ribs— 927 830 830	ers, 1250 lbs. each, at \$5.25 cwt.; and 16 butchers', 980 lbs. each, at \$4.25 cwt.; 10	Death of Mrs. Platten,	an opinion as to whether the Fa	to. Reference Dominion Bank.
	Ottawa 225 218 226 2191	6 Am. C. O 40%	411/4 403/4 41	den: F. S., S. Hornellow, treasurer,	May	cattle, 1100 lbs. each, at \$4 cwt., and five	There passed away yesterday at the	the time that Toronto should had made an appeal for it was when	at a CTEVENC C CO
IR to	Brit, America 97 97 West, Assurance 100 97 100 973	Brook. R. T 61% Car Foundry 33	61% 61% 61% 33¼ 32% 33¼	lecturer, Robert Bell; committee, C.	New York Grain and Produce.  New York, Dec. 16.—Flour—Receipts, 19.  (25 barrels; sales, 3850 packages, Quiet and lower, Buckwheat flour	ewt., and several fat cows at \$4 cwt.	Bender, Mrs. Marie Platten, relict of	was first located at Guelph. The go	B. J. STEVENS & CO., LIVE STOCK COMMISSION SALESMEN.  Consignments of Cattle, Sheep and Hoga are solicited. Careful and personal attention will be given. Quick sales and pomp returns will
2	Imperial Life 150 150 National Trust 141 138 139	Con. Gas 208 1 Int. Paper 1634	1634 1614 1654	dan, C. E. Phillips; representative to	625 barrels; sales, 3850 packages. Quiet and irregular, but no lower. Buckwheat flour	butchers' cattle for Montreal marke, at \$-	Perry. The remains will be taken to	buildings, and it seemed unreasonal	LIVE STOCK COMMISSION SALESMEN.
73	Con. Gas 212 212	Lead	26 25 25 1134 11 1124	county committee; I. T., J. McCarthy; cian, Dr. Parry; I. T., J. WcCarthy;	steady, \$2.30 to \$2.35, spot and to arrive. Wheat-Receipts, 138,450 bushels; sales,	W. H. Dean bought eight loads exporentile, 1150 to 1300 lbs. each, at \$4.75 to	Platten was the mother of Mrs. S. J.	removed to Toronto unless some u	Consignments of Cattle, Siece and Foundation will solicited. Careful and personal attention will be given. Quick sales and p omp returns will be given.
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Than	C. P. R. Stock 1251/4 1251/4 1261/4 1261	Met. Traction 136%	1381/4 1367/4 1367/4	A Magic File constantly grappling, but	78 7-18c. the state 55c to 56c c.l.f. New	choice Christmas cattle, 1060 lbs. each, a	t Ene Ranway, New 1	no equal for destroying worms in childr	WESTERN CATTLE MARKET.
9 ~	Tor. Elec. Light 153 153 do. pref	People's Gas 9934 Republic Steel 1814	100% 90% 10014	cannit exterminate. Should, and to an appearance vanquished in one, it makes appearance in another direction. In its appearance in apparatus is as delicate	Rve—Qulet:; state. 55c to 56c, c.l.f., New York: No. 2 western, 591/c. f.o.b., afloat.	\$5.40 cwt.; and eight fat cattle, 1110 lbs. each, at \$5.25 cwt.; 12 cattle, 1020 bs.each	Will Not Run Again.  It is reported that E. C. Carpenter.	when purchasing.	branch, and Citizens' Bank of Buffalo, N.Y. 359
3	do. new Can. Gen. Electric. 205 198 205 198	00., 17101.	2014 211/ 2114	many the digestive approach or scientific	000 bushers, soid the and the engine	at \$5 cwt, and 45 mixed cows and leater at \$3.35 to \$4 cwt.	Will Not Run Again. It is reported that E. C. Carpenter, the defeated Liberal candidate for North Norfolk, will not again contest the seat.	The Time A	- Ruy Stocks
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VIII 🗳	Bell Telephone	Money	total males 661.	will make a variation. With a such side of the stomach ensue from the disorders of the stomach ensue much suffermost trivial causes and cause much suffering. To these, Parmelee's Vegetable Pills of the suffering and sure.	receipts. better weather and the caster cables. May 484/c to 48 7-16c. Onts—Receipts 84,000 bushe's: easier with corn: track, white, 371/c to 43c. Sugar—Raw nominal: fair relining, 3 7-16c; molas es centrifugal, 96 text. 3 15-1/c; molas es centrifugal, 96 respined quiet: crushed,	ket, at \$6 cwt. Wilson, Maybee & Murby, live stock con	Kellogg's Dysentery Cordia	any further reaction. We execute ord	ers in all stocks listed on New York Stock
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7.	Tor. Railway, xd 1121/2 1101/2 110		15. Dec. 16.	Election Appeals Filed.	Coffee Quiet: No. 7 Rio, 54c. Molasses- Firm; New Orleans. 30c to 40c.	Nmas butchers' helfers, 1100 lbs. each, a	at suffering from the effects of indiscretion in eating unripe fruit, eucumbers, etc. I	each for buying or selling. Correspond	ers in all stocks listed on New York Stock gin. We carry C.P.R., Union, Southern and we per cent. margin. Commission one-eighth lence invited.  ACUIRE. 69 VICTORIA STREET Phone Main 3362
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O. ERS	Twin City 113¼ 112¾ 113¾ 113 Winnipeg St. Ry 165 165 Sao Paulo 89 88¼ 90 86	Consols, money	92¾ 92 11-16 80% 82%	tives filed a cross appeal in the South Oxford election case.	New York, Dec. 16.—Butter—Steady; re-	cows, 1000 lbs. each, at \$3.30 cwt.; sever small bunches of butchers', \$4.25 to \$4.6	inedicine convenient,	Members N.Y. Con	foliated byook alkohanso.
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NATIONAL TRUST CO.	WEAKNESS AT THE CLOSE	mmon to choice, 22c to 20c.  theese-Receipts, 2866 packages; market m; state, full cream, fancy, small, color- mer	cwt.; and shipped one load to Colling- od.  Thaley & McDonald, commission sales- sod; 18 exporters, 1320 lbs. each, at 10; 10 butchers', 1000 lbs. each, at \$5.25;	Money to Loan  At Low Rate of Interest	A. E. AMES & CO.
22 Kins St. East, Toronto.  CAPITAL (fully Paid) \$1,000,000  RESERVE - 280.000  Transacts a General Trust  Business.	At New York Tuesday Was Due to Pressure on the Venezuelan	te make, 13c to 134c; large colored, pt. 134c; large but ers pt. 134c; large to 124c; large tribute to 134c; large tribute to 134c; large tribute to 134c; large tribute to 134c; large tribute tribut	chers', 1045 lbs. each, at \$3.90; 29 butch- ', 1055 lbs. cach, at \$4.50; 4 butchers', 'lbs. each, at 4c; 22 butchers', 950 lbs. h, at 4c; 22 butchers', 1020 lbs. each, at 374; 25 butchers', 950 lbs. each, at \$4.70; butchers', 1085 lbs. each, at \$3.87½; 22 cherses', 1085 lbs. each, at \$4.35; 1 bull.	on City, Suburban or Farm Property  For full particulars apply to  A. M. Gampbell	A. E. AMES E. D. FRASER A. E. WALLACE H. R. TUDEGPE
ACTS AS EXECUTOR, ADMINISTRATOR, GUARDIAN, LIQUIDATOR AND ASSIGNEE. Solicitors retained to do all legal work in connection with business they bring to the Company.  DIRECTORS, J. W. FLAVELLE, President. Z. A. LASH, K.C., [Vice-Presidents. E. R. WOOD, ] Hon, Justice Mac. Wm. Mackenzie, Mahon. C. D. Massey.	LOCAL ACTIVE STOCKS HIGHER  But the Close Was Ensy—Quota- tions, Notes and	ce to 21½c.  Liverpool Grain and Produce. Liverpool, Dec. 16.—Wheat—Spot No. 2 d western winter firm, 6s 11½d; No. 1 al., dull, 6s 7d. Futures quiet: Dec. 6s 1½d, March 6s 1½d, May 6s 1½d. Corn— pot quiet; American mixed, new. 5s 2d; merican mixed, old, 5s 4d. Futures wheth Lon 4c 6%4 March 4s 3d. Hans— wheth Lon 4c 6%4 March 4s 3d. Hans— wheth Lon 4c 6%4 March 4s 3d.	90 lbs., at \$4.25; 2 buas, 1555 lbs. cach, \$4.12\(\frac{1}{2}\); 1 mich cow, at \$47; 28 lambs, \$4.37\(\frac{1}{2}\); 98 lambs, at \$4.25; 27 sheep, at 25. seven loads of export cattle were shipd out to \$t\$, John for the steamship Lake lamplain, which was said to have been arantined on account of smallpox. Jeorge Brown, wholesale bucener, Colegwood, was on the market.	OIL—SMELTER—MINES  Butchart & Watson CONFEDERATION LIFE BUILDING, YONGE AND RICHMOND STREETS BRANCH MANAGERS Toronto, Detroit, Winnipeg  Douglas, Lacey & Co.	INVESTMENT SECURITIES  Four per cent. Interest allowed on deposits. Government and Municipal Bonds Bought and Sold.
Hon. Justice Brit- E. W. Cox. ton, Hon. Geo. A. Cox, H. B. Walker, Geo. H. Watson, H. Markland K.C. Elias Rogers, H. S. Holt. Robert Kilgour, A. E. Kemp, M.P. F. W. Gates, Alex. Brace, K.C. W. T. WHITE, Manager.	Tuesday Evening, Dec. 16.  Liverpool wheat futures closed 1/2d to 9/3d lower to-day than Monday, and corn intures 3/3d higher to 9/3d lower.  At Paris, waeat and four futures closed 10 centimes higher.  At Cricago, May wheat closed 1/2c relow Monday, May corn 1/2c lower, and May oats 3/3c lower.	Allow—Prime etty steady, 28s 3d. Cotton- and Oil—Hull refined, spot, easy, 21s 7½d.  LOCAL LIVE STOCK.  The run of live stock at the Cattle Mar- et was large—102 carloads, comprising 1721 attle, 700 hors, 1184 sheep and lambs and	New York Live Stock.  New York, Dec. 16.—Beeves—Receipts, 4 maining consigned direct. Buls, \$3.30; y cows, \$2.50. Exports, 710 beeves, 1482 eep, 4080 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 559. Veals steady; oth-calves show, and westerns easier. Veals, to \$9; barnyard calves, \$3.50 to \$4; esterns, \$4.12½ to \$4.25.	Stocks paying 8% to 12%. Original investments secured and guaranteed.  W. G. JAFFRAY.  D. S. CASSELS (Member Toronto Stock Exchange.)  JAFFRAY & CASSELS  STOCK PROKERS.  Orders promptly executed on all leading exchanges.	OSLER & HAMMOND StockBrokers and Financial Agents SEKING St. West. Toronto.
naconda 4¼ 5% hesapeake & Ohio 45¼ 46 t. Paul 172½ 174 h. R. G. 36% 57¼ do., pref. 23% 23½ 23½ 129% 129% 129% 129% 129% 129% 129% 129%	George H. Phillips, Calcago, wires J. L. Mitchell & Co.: Local crowd pounding market in wheat and corn, but are short e now, and the market is in shape for sharp rally.  Liverpool receipts of wheat during the past three days, 277,000 centals, including 102,000 American.  Receipts of American corn during the past two days, 57,000 centals. London—Close—Wheat on passage, buyers indifferent operators. Parceds No. 1 Nor.	The quality of fat cattle was good, gen- rally speaking, many choice loads of Xmas at the being brought forward.  Trade was good, nearly everything being old out early in the day.  Prices, as will be seen by the many sales, we have given, were firm at Friday's qua- ations for the best Xmas cattle and ex- corters, while the medium butch rs' cat- le were a little casier.	eady; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4; cans, \$2; and \$5, ito \$6.25.  Hogs—Receipts, 3016; firmer; state and ennsylvania hogs, \$0.50; western do', .25.  East Buffalo Live Stock.  East Buffalo Dec. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, .250 head; slow; unchanged. Veals steady;, \$8.75 to \$9.25; common to good, \$5.50 bs.85.  Hogs—Receipts, .8500 head; active; 10c, activ	JOHN STARK ND CO.  MEMBERS OF TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE  STOCKS BOUGHT NO SOLD  ON THE TORONTO, MONTREAL, NEW YORK  AND LONDON STOCK EXCHANGES.	Dealers in Debentures, Stocks on London, Eng., New York Montreal and Toronto Exchange bought and soid on commission.  E. B. OSLER. H. C. HAMMOND.  R. A. SMITH. H. C. HAMMOND.  F. G. OSLER.  (Member Toronto Stock Exchange)  STOCK BROKER  Dealer in Stocks and Bonds on London  Fing New York, Boston and
Kansas & Texas         23¼         24¼           New York Central         153½         154           Norfolk & Western         69¾         70¼           Go., pref.         94         94           cennsylvania         78         78           Ontario & Western         27¼         28           Southern Pacific         58¾         60%           Southern Rallway         29%         31           do. pref.         93½         93½           United States Steel         31½         32%           do. pref.         92½         93           United States Steel         31½         32%           do. pref.         82½         26           Wabash         40½         40½           40½         40½         40½	Paris—Close—Wheat, tone steady; Dec. 20f 95c, May and Aug. 21f 50c. Flour, tone steady; Dec. 28f 55c, May and Aug. 28f 50c.  Leading Wheat Markets  Following are the closing quotations at important wheat centres to-day;  New York 83¼ 81½ 78% Chicago 74½ 77½ 74  Toledo 773% 81½ 1000 1000 1000 1000 1000 1000 1000	The highest price quoted for a single teer was obtained by George Beall for a sileyear-old steer, bred and fed by George Stocher of Blackwater, Ont. This animal veighed 1870 pounds, and was admired by \$40 til the dealers, and pronounced the best on the market. It will be remembered that Mr. Tocher sent in the best cattle last Easter.  Mr. Beall sold one of the finest loads of \$10 kmas cuttle brought on the market to-day; they averaged 1170 lbs, each, and sold at \$10 km averaged 1170 lbs, each, and sold at \$10 km averaged 1170 lbs, each, and sold at \$10 km averaged 1170 lbs, each, and sold at \$10 km averaged 1170 lbs, each, and sold at \$10 km averaged 1170 lbs, each, and sold at \$10 km averaged 1170 lbs, each, and sold at \$10 km averaged 1170 lbs, each, and sold at \$10 km averaged 1170 lbs, each, and sold at \$10 km averaged 1170 lbs, each, and sold at \$10 km averaged 1170 lbs.	Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,000 head, heep firm; lambs 10c higher; top lambs, 500 to \$6; cuils to good, \$4.25 to \$5.80; carlings, \$4.25 to \$4.75; ewes, \$4.25 to \$4.50; sheep, top, mixed, \$3.75 to \$4; cuils o good, \$1.75 to \$5.65.  **Chicago Live Stock.**  Chicago, Dec. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 4500 low: steady; good to prime steers, \$5.45 to \$6.50; poor to medium, \$3 to \$5.25 to \$6.50; poor to medium, \$3 to \$5.25 to \$4.50; cekers and feeders, \$2 to \$4.50; cows.	Call Options  ADVANTAGES EXPLAINED.  Detailed Pamphlet on Application.  PARKER & CO.,  61 Victoria St. Toronto. ed	Eng., New York, Boston and Montreal Exchanges,  20 KING STREET EAST TORONTO.  EMILIUS JARVIS & CO.  EMILIUS JARVIS & CO.  EMILIUS JARVIS. EDWARD CRONYN. JOHN B, KILGOUR, C. E. A. GOLDMAN. Member Toronto Stock Exchange.  19-21 King Street West, Toronto.  STOCK and BOND BROKERS
do. pref. 281/2 291/4 do., 1st pref. 43 431/2 do., 2nd pref. 87 37%  tandard Stock & Mining Exchar Dec. 15. Dec. 1 Last Quo. Last Q Ask. Bid. Ask. 1 3randon & G C 5 5 5 5 5 6 8 91/2	GRAIN AND PRODUCE.  Fiour—Oglivie's Hungarian, \$4.20; Oglivie's Glenora Patent, \$3.90; Oglivie's Royal Bakers', \$3.80, car lots, bags included, delivered on track, Toronto and equal points; Mauitoba bran, sacked, \$18 per ton; shorts, sacked, \$20 per ton.  Wheat—Millers are offering 69c for and white outside; goose, 64c;	ored by Leonard Burnett of Greenbank, no. Ont., which weighed 1430 lbs. and one steer, fed by William Tocher of Sunder and, Ont., which weighed 1540 lbs. These all were bought by the Harris Abattor Company.  McDougall, Brandon & Austin of Fencion healts sold one extra choice 3-year-old theifer, 1700 lbs., at \$7 per cwt., which was the highest quotation given for a single heifer; also eight Gal oway grades, 2 years selecter; also eight Gal oway grades, 2 years	ers. \$1.25 to \$2.40; bills, \$1.25 to \$4.50.  14 yes, \$3.75 to \$7.25; Texas-fed steers  3.75 to \$4.50.  15 Hogs-Receipts, 25,000; tomorrow, 40,000  45 to yer, 5000; 5c to 10c higher; mixed and  16 utchers, \$5.90 to \$6.35; good to choice  16 cexy, \$6.40 to \$6.60; rough, heavy, \$5.36  16 56.35; light, \$5.70 to \$6.15; bulk of sales  16 10 to \$6.35.  16 10 to \$6.35.  17 10 to \$6.25 to \$6.25; for \$6.25 to \$6.25; for \$6.25 to \$6.25; for \$6.25 to \$6.25; for \$6.25 to	(Subscribed at a premium of 100 p.c.)  A. E. Ames, F. W. Baillie,  President, General Manager.	DEBENTURES  Municipal, Government and High-class Industrials. Call or write for particulars.  G. A. STIMSON & CO., 24 King St. W., Toronto, Ont. 3
Zariboo Hydraulic 75	in transit; No. 1 Northern, 81½c.  Barley—No. 3 extra sold at 45c to 46c, north and west, and No. 3 at 42c to 43c.  Oats—New oats are quoted at 30c west and 31c east, and 33c at Toronto.  Peas—Sold for milling purposes at 75c west.	Very few feeders or stockers were offered, and prices for these were nominal.  Deliveries of mileh cows and spr ngers amounted to 30, all told. Prices ranged N from \$35 to \$57 each.  About 30 veal calves at \$2 to \$10 each for the buck. A few extra quality, weighing 150 to 200 lbs. each, sold as high as \$6 per cwt.	FOR PALMA TROPHY.  Sext Shooting Takes Place at Bis ley, July 11, 1903.  Ottawa, Dec. 16.—The Milita Depart has received notification from the council of the National Rifle Association	SAVINGS DEPART- MENT	The J. F. McLaughlin Co., Limited  Brokers, Promoters and Financial Agents.  Canadian Investments. Joint Stock Companies Organized.  TEMPLE BUILDING, TORONTO, CANADA  HENRY S. MARA ALBERT W. TAYLOR
forming Glory 3 2 3 3 3 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Corn—Canadian, 67c for old and 54c for new, on track at Toronto.  Bran—City mills sell bran at \$14.50, and shorts at \$16.50, car lots, f.o.b., Toronto, in bags.  Oatmeal—At \$4 in bags, and \$4.10 in barrels, car lots, on track, Toronto; local local local 25c higher.	large, and pines for sheep were bush twhile lambs were higher.  Deliveries of hogs were not large—about to 1000. Prices were unchanged, Selects sold at \$6, and lights and fats at \$5.75 per cwt.  Exporters—Choice loads of exporters sold at \$5.25 to \$5.50; med.um exporters at \$4.50	the British team at Ottawa Sept. 13 last in compection with teams from the Unite states and Canada, will be shot for a fisier on Saturday, July 11, 1903. The general conditions for the match are as fo lows: Each team must consist of eight men; the rifie used is to be the national arm of the country the team represents.	7 and 9 King St. East. GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED	Mara & Taylor  Toronto Stock Exchange.  STOCK BROKERS, 5 TORONYO ST.  Orders promptly executed on the Toronto, Montreal and New York Exchangez.  THOMPSON & HERON  16 King St. W. Phones M 981-4484  NEW YORK STOCKS
Winnipeg 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	Toronto Sugar Market.  St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granu atcd, \$3.88, and No. 1 yellow.  \$3.23. These prices are for delivery here: car lots, 5c less.  ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.  Owing to the rainstorm there was very	8018 at \$3.55 per cvt.  Butchers' Cattle—Loads of medium butchers' \$3.50 to \$3.80; loads of good butchers sold at \$3.85 to \$4.25; common butchers' cows at \$2.75 to \$3 per cvt. and rough inferior, \$2.50 to \$2.80; cauners at \$2 to \$2.25.  Exporters and Butchers, mixed—Load of prixed butchers' and exporters sold at \$4 to \$4.50.  Feeders—Feeders, 1000 to 1100 lbs. each, Feeders—Feeders, 1000 to 1100 lbs. each,	without artificial rest, may be employed members of the various teams participa ing must be native-born ctizens and residents of the countries they respectively represent, except in the case of the team representing provinces or territories of government, in which case a reddence the province will be sufficient, provided the member is a native-born subject of the parent country. The National Rifle Association of the parent country.	THE COLONIAL INVESTMENT & LOAN COMPANY HALF-YEARLY DIVIDEND.	Private Wires. Prompt Service.  WM A. BEAN. RICHARD B. HOLDEN  J.R. Heintz, Buffalo, N.Y., correspondent  SIOCKS, BONDS. GRAIN AND PROVISIONS  Private wires. 48 Victoria St., Toronto  Telephone 4352.
Dem. Coal, com. 1274 1215 1200 Dom. I. & S., com. 551/2 55 57 do., pref. 97 N. S. Steel, com. 100 95 1994/2 do., pref 1994 do., pref 1995 1994/2 Rich. & Ont. 91 90 92 Can. Gen. Elec. 200 198 Sales: Black Taff, 1360 at 84; Rep. 1000 at 64; White Bear, 2500 at 124, 1000 at 64; White Bear, 2500 at	12514 each of red and white wheat.  Wheat—One load of white andsone of red  1224, sold at 70c per bushel.  19574 Grain—  Wheat, red. bush	Stockers—Stockers, 53.75 to \$4 per cwt. Stockers—Stockers, 500 to 700 lbs. each, of good quality, are worth \$3 to \$3.25 per cwt.; off colors and poor quality of the same weight are worth \$2.25 to \$3 per cwt. Mich Cows—Milch cows and springers sold at \$35 to \$57 each. Calves—Calves sold at \$3 to \$10 each, or from \$3.75 to \$5.50 per cwt.	ties as possible will take pair in the mach and say they will be happy to place lon range accommodation at Bisley at the diposal of the competing trams before timatch for practice. They will also do the best to forward all arrangements for the convenience and comfort.  MID-WINIER FAIR.	Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three per cent. (3 per cent.) on the Permanent Preference Stock of this Company has been declared for the half-year ending Dec. 31st, 1992, and that a dividend of three per cent. (3 per cent.) upon the Ordinary Permanent Stock of the Company has been declared for the half-year ending Dec. 31st, 1992, and that the same will be payable on cent.	MCINTYRE & MARSHALL
126, 100 at 125/4, 10 at 04/2 261/4: Lake Sup., 15 at 04/2, 10 at 04/2 New York, Dec. 16.—Cotton—Fugened steady; Jan., 8.48:; Feb., 3.36:; April, 8.36: May, 8.10, 8.38:; July, 8.42c; Aug., 8.25c; 3.6fered, 8.03c. Ootton futures closed steady; M. S. Ste: Jan., 8.54c; Feb., 8.28c; M. S. Ste: Jan., 8.54c; Feb., 8.28c; M. S. Ste: Jan., 8.54c; Feb., 8.28c; M. S. Ste: Steel, 8.24c; S. Steel, S. S. Steel, S. S. Steel, S. S. S. Steel, S.	Seeds	Hogs.—Best select bacon nogs. not less tann 160 lbs. for more than 200 lbs. each off cars, sold at \$6 per cwt. lights at \$5.75; sows. \$4.50 to \$5 per cwt., and since \$2 per cwt. William Levack bought 300 fat cattle, the bulk of which were mixed loads of butchers' and exporters. Mr. Levack bought heavily of Christmas cattle, a large number of the standard of the st	Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Ag culture, was asked by The World of Tuesday if any steps were likely be taken with a view to removing the inid-winter Fair at Guelph to Torond He replied that no such thing we winder consideration. Some years as	of January Next.  The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 15th to the 31st of December, inclusive.  By order of the Board.  A. J. JACKSON, General Manager.  Dated Toronto, 28th November, 1902. 136	Represented in Tolonto Sy.
8,34c; July, 8,35c, Age. 7 93c. Cotton—Spot closed quiet, 5 points his Middling uplands, 8,70c; do., Gulf, 8 sales, 500 bales.  Price of Otl.  Pittsburg, Dec. 16.—Oil opened and cat \$1.51.	Sept.   Straw, sheaf   11   12   12   13   14   15   15   15   15   16   15   16   16	the best retail butchers in the city, as elsewhere.  Corbett & Henderson sold one load of butchers' cattle, 980 lbs. each, at \$3,75 cwt.; 12 export cows, 1200 lbs. each, at \$4 cwt., and bought six export bulls, 1700 lbs. each, at \$4.60 to \$4.75 cwt.  John Halliday, Aurora, brought in two very good loads of exporters, 1263 lbs. each, John Scott, Listowel, sold one load of	City of Guelph to hold the Fair the for a certain number of years, pr viding the city would erect a builing. It will be several years yet if fore this agreement expires, and util it does it would be premature discuss the advisability of removithe Fair to Toronto or any oth place.	MAKING  YOUR WILL.  Now is the time to make your will,	J. G. BEATY, Manager,  21 MELINDA ST. Branch Office: Board of Trade Building Rotunda.
We wish to call the attention of the lic to the free exhibition of the proof New Ontario, opened to-day at 3 East. Not only are the products of the shown, but a grand collection of phillustrating the country they wish to They will show you how great the rettlers, lumbermen, mining camps, extion companies, pulp companies, fishin mineral companies, has been to New Larlo, and will show you how to buy	Solution   Solution	mixed butchers' and exporters, 1230 lbs. each, at \$4.40 cwt. Williams & Hall sold one load of mixed butchers' and cows and helfers at \$4.25 cwt. and one load of choice exporters, 1250 lbs. each, at \$5.30 cwt., and four milch cows at \$37 each. William McClelland bought five loads of butchers, 1060 lbs. each, at \$4.50 to \$5 per cwt. T. Halligan bought two loads of mixed butchers eattle at \$3.50 to \$4.50 cwt.	Asked who was head of the MI Winter Fair, Mr. Dryden said he su posed the Agricultural Departme was. The various live stock assoctions of the province and the Farme Institutes were the bodies that contibuted to it.  Hot House Plants.  Refinement in matters of social lives were the province and the Farme Institutes were the bodies that contibuted to it.	faculties. Don't delay this important duty until too late.  We will give you if you send your address or call at the office WILL FORMS, which will make the duty a very simple one.  The Trusts and Guarantes	STOCKS AND
that carries land security with it.  New Ontario Town Site Syndicate may very good offer to the investing publication of the second offer to the investing for pectus to their broker, H. J. Dale, 3 street East, but let all Toronto people it a point to call. This looks like a profitable investment for a Christma sent to some of your family.  W. R. Grundy & Co.  New York promoters of Can	Spring laims, desage   15   7   50   8   60	Alex Levack bought 30 cattle at \$4.02/9	proceeds hand in hand with refinement other lines as civilization advance. From the standpoint of the physical and of the anthropologist, it is a quation whether the physical side of makind is improving or degeneration. The method of bringing up childrespecially in the families of the way of the control of the control of the way of the control of the co	Company, Limited  Capital Subscribed \$2,000,000  Capital Paid Up 600,000  Office and Safe Deposit Vaults	(Members of Toronto Stock Exchange). 9 TOF.ONTO STREHT.

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PAPER ON STELLAR MOTIONS. Developments of Methods of Observation Traced by A. F. Miller.

The fortnightly meeting of the Astronomical Society was held in the when A. F. Miller read a paper, the first of a series, on "Stellar Motions." Mr. Miller traced the developments of methods of observation of stellar movements and the instruments used from earlier times to the delicate and accurate appliances now used by scientific observers. He gave reasons for concluding that we are probably indebted for the earliest star catalogues to the efforts of the Egyptian and Greek astronomers. The ingenious means devised by the Greeks for making angular measurements and the profound mathematical skill, which they brought to bear upon their investigabrought to bear upon their investiga-tions were referred to. Some of the more remarkable binary systems were described and the speaker showed how in some cases the orbits of these strange bodies had been graphically de-

A letter was read from Prof. Edward C. Pickering, director of Harvard Coilege Observatory, stating that Comet Temple last night, when a first-class son. In the re-count, the ballots this polling sub-division passed to program was provided by the members.

So many reports of the Kocian concert at Massey Hall speak in such glowing terms of Miss Julia Geyer's wonderful piano playing, that it is only fair that the public should know part of the secret of her success. She had to have an instrument which in part of the secret of her success. She had to have an instrument which in itself had the power of transforming the highest class of technical ability into music, and clothe it with the expression demanded by the artist. Such instruments are rare. Miss Geyer, after testing and experimenting, found the Weber Piano, of New York, the only one which gave perfect satisfaction. The Weber Piano is sold in tion. The Weber Plano is sold in Canada by the R. S. Williams and Sons Company, Limited, 143 Yonge-

other, the other evening in their study. "Why," said Harry, "I am thinking of one of the comic songs I heard over at "Doc's" the other night. He's set one of those Edison phonographs. get one of those Edison phonographs, and when I think of one particular comic song, and the way those fellows sang it, it tickles me to death."
"Where did he get his funny phonograph?" "Oh, he got it at Williams', 143 Yonge-street: they're the Canadian

## WILL TAKE CLARKE BACK. Lendon Detective Here for Dishon-

Detective-Sergeant Shayler of the Metropolitan Police, London, England, is in the city, and is stopping at the A big shipment opened up yesterday, including is in the city, and is stopping at the Queen's Hotel. Sergeant Shayler is one of the officers attached to the General Postoffice Department, and came here for William C. Clarke, now in jail here on a charge of stealing a registered letter containing £30, which passed thru his hands in the capacity of th

ed thru his hands in the capacity of assistant head postmaster at one of the branches in London, England. Clarke, shortly after his arrival in this city, was arrested for being drunk, and at No. 1 Station admitted trat he was wanted in England. Magistrate Denison thought Clarke's story was part of a clever scheme to get a free passage home, and discharged him. On Nov. 21, when Col. Percy Sherwood, chief of the Dominion Police, came here from Ottawa, to attend the Italian counterfeiter's trial, he brought with him a warrant he had received from England calling for the arrest of Clarke. Detective Davis located the man on Richmond-street, and since the devices to show by way of proof the directions are over, the Premier asks what has Mr. Whitney to show by way of proof the directions are over, the Premier asks what has Mr. Whitney to show by way of proof on Monday for England with his man.

> PUT ON A STORE SKIRT. Mary Hesterman's Room.

Mary Hefferman, a young woman, is Canadian Institute Tuesday night, under arrest, charged with stealing a when A. F. Miller read a paper, the skirt from the store of John Catto &

LOOKED ON THE OLD SCENES.

the planet Mercury, being nearer to the sun than Mercury was at that time and consequently Mercury's attractive influence would tend to disturb the comet's course and throw it further from the sun and outside of the solar system.

Miss Julia Geyer's Piano.
So many reports of the Kocian concert at Massey Hall speak in such such such as the presentation being made by Chair
program was provided by the members. Stereoption views of county scenery and a descriptive lecture were given by David Oreighton. Vocal and musical selections were given by W. J. A. Carnahan, A. H. Walden, Harry Ranks, Chas. Musgrave and Tom Hughes, after which supper was served. A pleasant feature of the evening was the presentation to Secretary C. W. Chadwick of a handsome quarter-cut oak chair, the presentation being made by Chair
this Julia S without his discovering fundy other mark upon them than the ordinary cross. Mr. Watson, counsel for Mr. MacKay, or examining them for Boyd with a distinct cross opposite his name and a small, obscure cross opposite MacKay's name in addition, and Mr. DuVernet, counsel for Mr. Boyd, found two others similarly marked. On completing the examination, the presentation being made by Chair-

Treat for the Indigent.

It Tickled Him for Days.
"What the dickens are you laughing bt. Harry," said one student to an-

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Lapeer, Mich., Dec. 16.—John Best, age! 28, single, a man of disordered mind, during last night, arose from his oed and ran amnek then the house, cutting Jasper Clegg's head nearly off with a razor, dangerously wounding his own mother, wounding his sister, and finished by shooting himself to death.

Blondin Convicted.

Boston, Dec. 16.—Murder in the second degree was the verdict returned to-night against J. Wilfred Bloudin, who for more than two weeks has been on trial charged with wife murder. The jury was out almost six hours. Blondin showed keen dishimself to death.

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man on Richmond-street, and since that time Clarke has been awaiting the arrival of Detective-Sergeant Shayler.

The officer intends to sail from Halifax

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The officer intends to sail from Halifax practices. The answer he gives himself: Not a single case of corrupt practices, not a single susp cion of any irregularity, except in one case, and Missing Garment Was Found in Miss that was only a suspicion, declared by a judge of the Court of Appeal to be

Where were the personators that Mr Whitney conjured up? We have not

any of the ballots, and they were accordingly counted for the respective candidates. When the full returns were received for the riding and the vote Grey Old Boys Given a Stereopticon
Treat by Mr. Creighton.

An enjoyable evening was spent by
the Grey County Old Boys' at the
Grey County Old Boys' at the tion, the county judge reported Mr. MacKay elected with a majority of five.

Then, referring to the election trial in that constituency, the Premier argues that the evidence of wrong-foling was not pressed, and, therefore, the Conservatives were not in a position to see that the evidence of the premier holds made. In the re-counts 62,995 ballots where scrutinized, and the Premier holds that Mr. Whitney should have Leen able to find some evidence of crooked work, fit any existed.

Of the members who lost their seats, Mr. Ross says the Conservative candidate work for any existed.

Of the members who lost their seats, Mr. Ross says the Conservative candidate in North Perth was unswated, because it was found that one Fraser and voted for another man of the sains mane, and that a tendered ballot which would not have been counted by the D.R.O. contained. a good vote for the Liberal candidate, misking the vote at lie; that in North Norfolk it was shown that five voters had received transportation to two for the Conservative candidate; that in Rosst Middle-sex the judges have not yet reported; that in North Grey the Liberal amended to Meaford to Owen Sound.

The Premier discusses the evidence taken in the election courts, showing that Compete the seating of the transportation of voters from Magnatic to the fund of the vote for the Conservative candidates, apply part of the menus to the contribution of the saint of the contribution of the saint of the saint of the propers of the contribution of the saint of t

apply part of the money to their own use? What was done with the unaccounted for balance? are some of the things he wants to know.

Affairs of the Province Some attention is given by Mr. Ross to the affairs of the province, of the development in New Ontario by the Clergue syndicate, of the Temiscaming Railway, of mining development, of the nulpwood industry, of the sugar beet ndustry, agriculture and education. Discussing the defalcations in the Treaury Department, Mr. Ross says the hortage will be over \$25,000 and nder \$28,000, althouthe actual loss

A paragraph in the manifesto is de-ded to the referendum. After giving the latest returns of the vote, he says: But while the vote polled was not sufficient to put the Liquor Act into operation, it is an expression of opinion on the question of prohibition which must be exceedingly gratifying to all concerned in the temperance movement and it will be the duty of the legisla and it will be the duty of the legisla-ture to consider the significance of this vote in future legislation. What that legislation should be can only be set-tled by a careful interchange of opin-ion between the members of the legis-lature and those who have given time and study to the operation of the liquor laws of Canada and other countries.

Ontario Conservatives Meet. Tuesday afternoon. Representatives from nearly every riding in the province were present. The business of the meeting related to organization for the meeting related to organization for the coming bye-elections or general elections, as the case might be. The meeting was an enthusiastic one, and confidence of ultimate success was expressed on all sides. Delegates from North Norfolk confirmed the rumor that E. C. Unipenter, the defeated Liberal condidate at the last elections, would not again contest the seat. would not again contest the seat

Continues to Improve. Dr. L. L. Palmer, who has been suf-ering from blood-poisoning for several rogress at Grace Hospital. On Tues-ay he was able to walk about the ospital for the first time since he is taken ill. His recovery is consi-red remarkable.

Something specially good is promised at he Grand next week, when Walter E. Jerkins will be seen in Carroll Fleming's ramatization of Mary E. Wilkins' story, Jerome, the Poor Man." The supporting company has been selected with great are, and the scenic features are elaborate. At the Toronto "Searchlights of a Great ity, portraying life in New York, will be the attraction for Christmas week,

diss Helena Frederick, Kate Condon, selia Fields and Edna Burd, sustain the neipal feminine roles of "The Emerald a," the last opera of Sir Arthur Sulli, which Comedian Jefferson De Ansand his opera company are to sent here next week at the Princess arte. Miss Frederick is the prima ha, Miss Condon the character ingenue, a Fields the contraits and Miss Burd comedienne of the cast.

Pleasant as syrup; nothing equals it as worm medicine; the name is Mother traves' Worm Exterminator. The great-st worm destroyer of the age.

DR. W. H. GRAHAM Late of 198 King St. West

Portion of the C.ty Bordering on Toronto Junction Building Up Very Rapidly.

SHOULD HAVE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Officers of Tent Edward and Home Circle No. 38.

Toronto Junction, Dec. 16 .- That part of the city bordering on Toronto Junction and within easy access of the Canada Foundry Works is building up very rapidly. Streets laid out in the boom days and sewered, which had not a house on them until recently, now have as many as twenty to thirty substantial dwellings. The nearest fire and police station to this district is Brockton, and when a fire breaks out the Junction brigade invariably has the fire out before the Brockton brigade arrives. It is stated that, in view of the growth of this section, the city contemplates placing a new fire hall and police station on Royce-avenue.

The annual commencement of the 'To ronto Junction Collegiate Institute will be held in the auditorium of the school to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Hon. Mr. Harcourt, who was announced to be the speaker of the evening, will not be present.

Tent Edward VII, No. 259, will work under the following officers for 1903: Past commander, G. A. Lloyd; commander, G. B. Merritt; lieutenant com mander, William G. Bond; financier David Armitage; record keeper, James Glenn; chaplair, James Iveson; sergeant, Thomas Watson; master-a-arms, williams watson; master guard, E. Giles; second master guard, E. Giles; second master guard, A. Dennis; sentinel, E. Iveson; picket, W. Bell. Home Circle, No. 38, met in Thomps on Hall to-night and elected the following officers for the coming year: Past leader, E. Williams; leader, J. Digby; vice-leader, G. Reid; recording secretary, M. Roseyear; treasurer, Sister J. Rosevear; chaplain, J. Cordingly; marshall, Sister H. Pritchard; financial secretary, M. Roseyear; treasurer, Sister J. Rosevear; chaplain, J. Cordingly; marshall, Sister F. Digby; warden, Isaac Francis; inner guard, Sister A. M. Williams; sentinel, George Frost; medical examiner, Dr. Mavety.

At the Police Court this morning, Bert Waterhouse appeared to answer for his brother, Wesley, who was charged by P. C. Harper with stealing wood from James Dennis; also with assault on Edward Mortimer. Wesley, it was stated, had gone to Owen Sound, and the Magistrate adjourned the case for a week to see if this statement was correct.

The remains of Miss M. J. Shuttle-William Knox; first master guard, E.

HORSE THIEF SENTENCED.

Given Three Years in Kingston at a weak to be to see the second was correct.

The remains of Miss M. J. Shuttle-worth of 125 East Dundas-street were interred at Riverside Cemetery this afternoon.

It is of a SPECIAL BREW for HOLIDAY TRADE and in splendid condition. We would ask our customers to send in their Christmas orders as soon as possible. Ale to the government will be comparatively insignificant, as the department holds assignments of insurance policies amounting to \$20,000, and a policy from a guarantee company amounting to \$5000.

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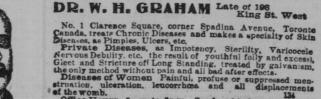
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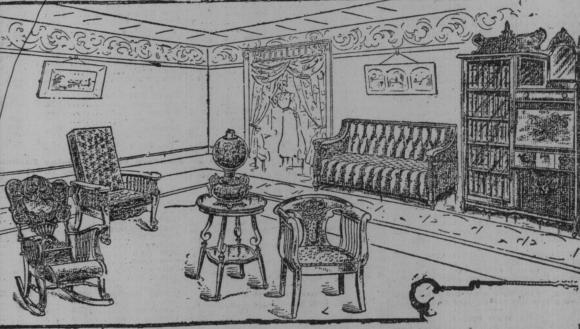
For some years it has been our custom at this season to keep open evenings for the convenience of many people who are unable to visit the store during the day. The position of this business in relation to the public as a convenience to shoppers is such that extra hours are a necessity at this time of the year. Until the beginning of the present month this store has been closed daily at 5.30 since early summer and immediately after the holldays we purpose resuming the early time table. Salespeople are given additional remuneration for the extra hours, whilst those who do not feel able are relieved entirely of this class of work.

## THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY OF THIS WEEK and MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY OF NEXT WEEK

the store will therefore be open till 10 o'clock each evening for the convenience of those who are unable to shop during the day. Whenever possible please shop between 8 and 6-the earlier in the day the better.

## The Home=Maker's Present.

Saving Prices in the Great Furniture Store.



Look over this list, you who would make the home birds a useful present. A mine of suggestion in this list alone. At the store itself you find ideas multiplied a hundredfold. We have cut into regular values in the following cases, and done so in no half-hearted way. 'Christmas furniture-giving made easy-the great homemaking department shares in the giving. See:

36 Parlor Tables, in solid quarter-cut oak, golden finish, and curly birch-mahogany finish, polished, assorted patterns and sizes, regular price 3 2 5 up to \$6.00, Thursday ..... 3.85 20 only Gentlemen's Rattan Rocking Chairs, large sizes heavy continuous roll edge, shaped

44 Odd Parlor Pieces, in mahogany finished frames, neatly carved and polished, with silk tapestry upholstered spring seats, Roman chairs, arm chairs and reception chairs, prices up to 5 90

Music Cabinets, in mahogany finish and quarter-

Hanging Hall Mirrors, in quarter-cut oak, golden polish finish, fitted with large oval shaped British bevel plate mirror, 4 double brass hat and coat hooks, regular price \$14.50, on sale 10.00

## Christmas Slippers, 99c. Both Men's and Women's.

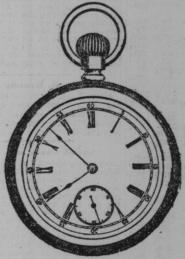
Broken sizes are responsible for this oppor tunity. One of the most popular of all Christmas presents, too. 2 to and 1.50 slippers.

In Ladies' Red Kid Strap Slippers, with bow and ornament, with light American hand-turn soles, regular \$2.50 goods; but Thursday's bargain cuts the price in more than half, sizes 2 1-2 to 7, but not all the half sizes, Thursday per

Men's Evening Slippers, in the Everett cut, in chocolate, black and red leathers, regular \$1.50 per pair, size 7 only, on Thursday, per pair, size t only, on Thursday, 99

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20 only Men's Fine Imported Brocaded Silk Smoking Jackets, black and cardinal, black and orange and blue and black colorings, rich Paisley and neat brocade patterns, frog fasteners, pockets edges and cuffs handsomely trimmed with silk cord, and lined with heavy black satin, sizes 36-

## Men's Sample 1.25 Shirts, 39c.

300 Men's Sample Shirts, in neat blue, ox-blood and a few black and white stripes, in cambric, zephyr and Oxford shirting, some with detached cuffs, and some with 2 collars, sizes 14 to 16 1.2, See Yonge Street Window.

## New Water Colors. 10.00 to 25.00 Originals. W. St. Thomas Smith has sent as six of his

latest pictures-smaller sized landscapes in decorative frames. Lovely little pictures for Christmas purposes. Come and see them and the other pretty things in the art gallery.

## Picture Framing Opportunity.

1300 feet of 3 1-2-inch Oak Finished Picture Frame Moulding, in neat design and fine finish, regular 15c, on sale Thursday, per 

800 feet of 1 inch Black and Gold, and Gilt with Burnished Line Picture Frame Moulding, regular 10c, on sale Thursday per

## Late Toys at Sacrifice Prices.

Unfortunately for us one shipment of Toys got side-tracked and have only just reached us. It's too late to put them into our regular stock, and we have decided to group them into bargain lots, together with many odd lines and small lots of staple toys at these-give away prices:

AT FIVE CENTS THESE 10c AND 15c TOYS. Toy cruiser boats, building blocks, paint boxes, jack in the box, crockery toys, china banks,

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AT FIFTEEN CENTS. day. If you want one, come early, 8 o'clock is none too soon: Mechanical Toys-Engines, Street \$1.50 and \$2.00 Dolls for \$1.00.

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Dolls, every one a beauty, the best
Dolls and Basket.

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Doll Swings, Soldier Suits on Cards, breastplate, sword and gun), Mechanical Tin Toys, Toy Tin Trains in boxes, engine and six cars.

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