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THERE ARE OTHERS-OR THE THREE WISE MEN

OBSTINATE

PERSISTENCE OF AUSTRIA IN MOBILIZING ITS ARMY IS CAUSING GRAVE ALARM

With Quarrel Between Austria and Servia Settled, Europe Is Unable to Understand Why War Preparations Do Not Cease—Turkish Delegates Are Manifestly Seeking to Delay Ultimate Disarmament of Territory

LONDON, Dec. 24 .- (Can. Press.)-The Turkish delegates to peace conference, altho they realize that eventually they must



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accept the conditions laid down by the allies in order to bring about peace in southeastern Europe, and following their usuals course of procrastination and will take advantage of every diplomatic device to postpone the inevitable dismemberment of the territory which has been their armed camp for 500 years. Meanwhile, however, the allies are so confident that the outcome of the peace negotiations will be in line with their demands, that they already have agreed on the boundaries for an autonomous Albania. These boundaries will be submitted later to the ambassadorial conference, which has adjourned to early in the new year. The question looming sinister in the European sky is not when

Two Acres For the Erection of a Large

Plant.



Canadian Northern Railway Co. yesarge brass founlished at Leasid. by a Montrea.

firm. More than two acres of land secured for the erection of plant, the construction of which

Montreal Firm Has Secured Great Increase in Power Used HNU Cuts Rates, But Highly Satisfactory Balance Is Shown.

> Announcement GALT, Dec. 24.—(Special.)—The re-was made by the port of the Galt municipal light committee shows most gratifying success of the service. Operations began in June, 1911. There are about 1000

tem is in shape now to adequate-

be undertaken early next spring.

ly serve every building in town. The foundry will start in with the emresult of the first year's operations was such that the discount was increased. This saved the users in five months Regarding the placing of the Lea-de on the market. The World was \$2012, while another saving of over \$3000 was effected in the sale of lamps formed that in order to get all ar by the corporation, while fifty-two miles of wire were strung in the past done until Feb. 1. The announcement year and 550 street brackets installed, of the prices at which the land is to be sold will be made about the middle of January.

WE WISH YOU A MERRY (HRISTMAS!

DON'THINK WE CONCERN OURSELVES OVERMUCH NOW!

Public Men of Great Britain, United States and Canada Join in Cordial Ex-

sary of peace be-tween the United States and the Britoday for expres-sions of appreciation by many of the leading public men in Great Britain, the United States and Canada, thru

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Merry Christmas, Goodfellows.

And you will be glad to know that 2282 kiddies have been helped to a merrier Christmas thru your Goodfellowship. A few have been missed, there have been mistakes in addresses and so that he was the second of the Good Fellow will still try to take care of these. But it's made us all happier, hasn't it, being a good fellow. And we'll give whirl again next year.

JAFF: Is he no' th' obstinat' mon, John?

Rebuke Is Given to British Policy of Sending Troops to Tibet.



come to an agreement with her regarding Tibet has been delithe

treaty. It cites the Anglo-Tibetan agreement of 1908, under which Great Britain agreed not to interfere in the administration of Tibet nor annex ner territory, China undertaking to prevent other nations from doing the same. It points out that the agreement also provided that China the agreement of the complete the c the agreement also provided that China must police the trade routes in Tibet

and protect communications.

The note insists that China has properly regarded all her obligations. China has found it necessary, he says, te send large numbers of troops into Tibet to do police duty, but the Chinese Government sees no necessity for Great Eritain to send troops there from India. It explains that it is as much to the interest of China as of England to maintain the present status in Tibet. Regret is expressed in the note that the Indian government should close all the roads between China and Tibet by way of India, declaring that such an ect is rarely resorted to except between nations at war. It regrets Great Britain's threat not to recognize China saying that recognition would be mutually beneficial.

MEXICAN REBELS TAKE TOWNS.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 34—(Can. Press.)
—Minister of the Interior Herhandez tomight denied officially that the rebeis
had taken Casas Grandes and Ascension.
He said the government forces were removed from these places owing to the
necessity for the use of all available
troops in the campaign in the southern
and middle states.

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Christmas Presents -Family Prostrated.



tragedy of a triple several West To-ronto homes into John's road, strickure on Dundas st.

bout 9.30 last night, while doing her late shopping, died a few moments later in Yates' store. Her husband, later in Yates' store. Her husband, who is foreman at Abell's factory, on King street, became perfectly prostrate when he heard the news, and Mrs. W. J. Watsworth, jr., wife of the an only son, went into a similar condition upon learning the facts. Dr. R. R. Hopkins, who was called in, told The World last night that he believed the condition of both the father and daugh. condition of both the father and daughter-in-law was most precarious, altho PEKIN, Dec. 24.—(Can. Press.—
China's reply to the recent note of Great Britain, calling upon China to

> dor here. It is tion, the parents, son's family and the courteous in tone, son's wife's family, were making elabbut firmly de-clines to negotiate parental home on St. John's road. To-

SIXTY PASSENGERS

Steamer Turrialba Is Pounded by Heavy Seas, But Christmas Was Made Bearable For All on Board.

SANDY HOOK, N.J., Dec. 24,-(Can. Press.)-Aid came tonight to the steamer Turrialba, as she lay hard and fast aground on the Jersey Sands south of Barnegat, pounded by a sea still heavy, tho falling, and with more than sixty passengers on board, anxiously awaiting rescue. Summoned to the rescue by wireless the revenue cutter Seneca, afwireless the revenue cutter Seneca, af- not appear at its executive session. ter a run under forced draught from He wrote further that Attorney Buck-New York, reached the side of the United ner had made a false statement in Fruit Co. liner not long after nightfall saying, as alleged, that the commisprepared to give what assistance might sioner was hampering the committee

' CHRISTMAS TRAVEL BREAKS EVERY PREVIOUS RECORD; HALF A MILLION TRAVELERS

More Than a Hundred and Fifty Thousand People Passed Thru the Toronto Union Station Yesterday—Two Hundred Trains, With Extra Cars, Needed to Accommodate Passengers and Every Co ach Was Crowded.

That the Christmas business handled by the railways at the Union Station during the past few days had easily excelled the half million mark, as the statement made last night by J. J. Beck, station superintendent. The number of people passing thru the Union Station vesterday alone was well over a hundred and fifty thousand.



A station official said to The World that the most remarkable thing about the Christmas rush this year was the, fact that more than double the number of people from the west are spending Christmas in Ontario than has been the case in other years. All during the week the Canadian Pacific Railway Company have found it necessary to run their trains from Vancouver and Winnipeg in three sections, and the Grand Trunk Railway Company have done the same with their trains from Chicago. Two Hundred Trains.

Some idea of the immensity of the traffic done can be gathered from the fact that more than two hundred trains passed thru Toroneo before

midnight last night, and that practically oll of these had several cars added to them. About fifty of yesterday's trains were extras. In all, nearly half a hundred more trains were used to nandle the Christmas traffic from Toronto this Christmas, even than was the case last year, when all previous records also were broken. Almost every train yesterday was run in two sections, but even with this the case, many hundreds of travelers were forced to stand for lack of sufficient seating accommodation on the trains.

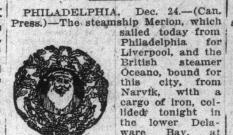
Great excitement was caused in the Canadian Express Com-

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CHRISTMASITIS Mrs. W. J. Watsworth Strick-en as She Was Buying

British Steamer Oceano Re- Happy Newyearitis Is Its Sisceives Serious Damage, While Merion Has to

Return to Port.



Liverpool, and the British steamer Oceano, bound for this city, from Narvik, with a cargo of iron, col-lidedy tonight in the lower Dela-ware Bay, at Cross Ledge Shoals, 75 miles

the dead woman, received the shocking of the Merion ran her nose in the sand yearitis."

blow upon returning from shopping down town, of finding his mother dead and both his wife and his father seriously affected by the affair.

The particularly sad feature of it is the fact that the Watsworth connections of the Merion ran her nose in the sand yearitis."

He declares that no one properly incoming the declares ously affected by the affair.

The particularly sad feature of it is the fact that the Watsworth connective Reedy Island shortly before midnight.

Commissioner's Refusal to Appear Doesn't Daunt New York Aldermen—Charged With Extortion.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(Can. Press.)

Developments today in the vice enuiry involved stories of police guilt

in accepting graft resulted in a decision by the alder-manic investigating committee to Commissi o n e r Waldo and record

committee Friday morning. Mr. Waldo earier had declared in letter to the committee that he would investigation. In reply to this, Mr. Buckner declared he made no statement that was not based on testimony brought out from witnesses. Another development was the arrest by Commissioner Waldo's orders of

Eugene Fox, a policeman. Fox was charged with extortion and held for a

ter Malady, But Victims of These Illnesses Need Not Worry.

mas" is a high-ly healthful disas a prohibitive against all the broken leg and ringworm. He decleared that it is exceedingly con-

with its sister malady "Happy Newquarantine, curb or dispel. He re-marked that its principal symptoms

are a bright and cheery smile, occasionally breaking out in hearty laughter, and is apt to be accompanied with acute outbursts of generosity and good cheer generally.

It is an affection of the heart, he says, and tends to the enlargement of the transport of transport of the transport of the transport of transport of transport of transport of transport of the transport of tr that organ and is calculated to abate the most severe cases of tight-fistedne's, and has been even known to dissipate, temporarily at least, the most chronic cases of the grouch. The M.O.H.; however, fears the usual epid mic of stemachache noticeable at this period of the year and declares that while this cannot be said to be so benevolent a disease as "Merry Ch'stmas," it is nevertheless, not among the most malignant of ills, and says that he cannot say that he would view with dismay the prospect of its becoming prevalent, for the season on'y, in the poorer districts of the city.

THE SEASON'S GREETINGS. A Merry Christmas and the heartiest congratulations of the season from Dineen's, corner Yonge and Temper-

This. however, he views as only the

remotest of dangers.

THE CASE OF THE WOMAN.

The Woman more than the Babe! The Mass was in the background.

And the woman is our great problem today. Two million women have been enfranch sed in he United States, and they seek to better things that men ignore or say must be. In England politicians, with the mob in the street, to get a voice in these questions, even more president there in the old land.

WITH ONLY THIS LAND OF OUR OWN, FOR - (HRISTMAS IS HAPPENING, MY OLD HOW) FROM HERE TO THE LAND OF THE LONE; AND - AWAY TO THE POLES -THERE'LL BE ONE OR TWO SOULS WHO'LL FOREGATHER IN SEASONAL MEETING -WITH MAKINGS AND MIXINGS OF PUDDINGS, AND FIXINGS AND _ EVER THAT HEART-BINDING GREETING . SURE! - WE WILL SEND OUT OUR MESSAGE, WORLD-WIDE -

AND - SURE! - IS OUR MESSAGE SINGERE, THE WISH THAT THE DAY OF THE YEAR SHALL PROVIDE ALL DWELLERS ON EARTH WITH GOOD CHEER! FOR WE WOULD THEY MIGHT KNOW THAT OUR LADY OF SNOW HAS A HEART WHICH IS HOPEFULLY BEATING -IN TUNE WITH ALL MEN, FOR THEIR HAPPINESS, WHEN SHE OFFERS HER (HRISTMAS-TIDE GEETING.

The Proverb Contest Department Will Be Closed Today. Open Again Tomorrow Morning

FIRST ORDER PLAYS HERE NEXT WEEK

Lewis Waller, Noted English Actor, Will Be at the Royal Alexandra.

CAN A HUSBAND "FIB"?

Montreal - Opera Company Produces Baron Erlanger's Opera, "Noel"-Good Bill at Shea's.

The appearance of Mr. Lewis Weiler in this city next week, at the Alexandra Theatre will in all probability prove one of the meat delightful dramatic events of the season, aside from the fact that the distinguished English actor has never previously appeared here. He has been pleased to select for this occasion the play which is world famous for its delightful wit and comedy. "A Marriage of Convenience." It was written by the elder Dumas, and adepted by Mr. Sydney Grundy, and made famous by Mr. Waller in England. During his appearance in this piece, at his own theatre in London,



Mr. Lewis Waller, the distinguished player, who makes his initial bow to Toronto at the Alexandra New Year's week in "A Marriage of Convenience."

he was twice commanded to appear before the late King, so that the play
comes here with the stamp of both
Sandringhem and Windsor Castle, Mr.
Waller brings his entire English company for the interpretation of the
plece. The seats for this engagement
are now on sale.

The Old Firm.

Mr. William Hawtrey the great

The Old Firm.

Mr. William Hawtrey, the great English character actor, supported by an all-English company, is the attraction booked for the Princess Theatre next week.

This will not be Mr. Hawtrey's first appearance in Toronto, as he appeared here last season in "Dear Old Billy." This play had a long and successful run in Chicago, so much so that Mr. A. G. Delamater at once secured Mr. Hawtrey for this, his second American tour. In "The ld Firm," his new play, Mr. Hawtrey, it is said, will be seen at his best. The play is brim full of funnin fact, there is not a dull moment from the rise to the fall of the curtain.

The authors, Harry and Edward Paulton, are well and favorably known to the public thru the immense success they made with "Erminie," "Niobe" and other comedies. Seats go on sale tomorrow.

DON'T LIE TO YOUR WIFE

Can a husband "fib" to his wife successfully? Many husbands don't think so. Usually when a husband does "fib" to his wife, the complications which result from his endeavors to straighten matters out to prevent uprisings in the household, are very huntorous. Campbell B. Casad. a New York Herald reporter, has gone ahead and written a farce, entitled "Don't Lie to Your Wife." in which all such complications are shown amid laughter that has no

No Back Pain,

No Nervousness,

No Waste of Tissue,

No need for you to be weak

Don't allow all the fresh young strength to go out of your life.

If you are losing the strength of youth and can see evidence, from day to day, that your physical-system is going to decay, you should, in common justice to your future happiness, take steps to check this.

check this.

Den't make the mistake of thinking that this can't be done. It can, and has been done in thousands of cases.

Don't deceive yourself into believing that it is natural for any person to thus exhaust his power.

Nature is appealing to you every moment to save yourself. The slight pains that you feel, the momentary spells of weakness, the periodical loss of memory, dulness of brain, drowsiness—all point to the necessity of curing yourself now. I have a positive cure for you in my

No Loss of Ambition.

H. S. Mara's Estate.

Henry S. Mara, real estate and financial agent, of 10 Adelaide street, who lived at 10 Chestnut Park road, died without making a will, and his estate is now being administered in the courts by the legal firm of Thomson, Tilley & Johnston, Mr. Mara left an estate valued at \$487,000, chiefly made up of mortgages and real estate.

He left a widow and two daughters, Mrs. Louise S. McMurray of Toronto, and Mrs. Theodore Weihmayer of Stuttgart, Germany. gart. Germany.



KOLER, MORTON and HALL, with the Queens of Paris, at the Gayety,

next week. sical comedy of high degree, centaining mirth, melody, sensational dances, gorgeous costumes and beautiful scenery. This fun carnival is headed by those celebrated creators of laughter: Karry Koler, Al K. Hall and Harry K. Morton, ably assisted by Klara Hendrix, Rose Reading, Sig and Edythe Franz, Ada Avers, Pam Lawrence, Harry Tyler, Harry Evans, Ed. Travor and others, with a beauty chorus of thirty girls.

WEAK MEN HERE

This is the treatment that has restored thousands of people to the highest

standard of manhood and womanhood. It is adapted especially to this trouble, and never fails in its grand work.

No matter what alls you, there is a cure for you in Nature's Remedy—Electricity. The greatest cures on record have been performed by this famous Belt, and it is recognized to-day as the greatest remedial agent known to mankind. It cures every form of weakness, restores the fire and vigor of youth, cures all forms of Nervous Diseases. Kidney and Bladder Troubles. Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago, and many other complaints, after every other known system of medical treatment has failed.

Dr. McLaughlin:— Manor Farm, Danfield, Ont., Feb. 16, 1912.

Dear Sir,—I can safely say that I have not felt better for ten years than I do to-day. The Belt has done all you said it would, I must say you have acted very decent to me. The way you have taken an interest in my case after you got my money shows you a man among men, which a patient should appreciate very much. I have told the people here how honest you have been with my case, and they think the Belt is a great invention. I feel strong and well now, and I have not worn it a great deal either. I have had no backache since I wore it. I felt a difference the third or fourth time I wore it. I will do all I can by recommending your Belt to others.

Yours faithfully.

ROBERT C. OGILVIE.

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YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

Ward Seven

The death occurred yesterday afternoon of Mrs. M. Alderson, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Spicer, 87 MacMurray avenue. She was 80 years of age. The funeral takes place Thursday afternoon, from the above address, to St. George's Ceme-

place Thursday afternoon, from the above address, to St. George's Cametery.

It appears that the danger of rables in ward seven is not over yet. Yesterday morning a dog was noticed before the yellow promise one of the yellow promise of yellow promise yellow promise of yellow promise of

Toronto North

J. W. Brownlow sold his 252 fee of Yonge street frontage, together with his 9-roomed semi-detached brick house, just north of the Belt Line, to a Springfield syndicate for \$30,000. The Title and Trust Co. have sold a parcel of land with a frontage of 188 feet on Yonge street for \$150 per foot.

North Toronto Council No. 432, C.O. C.F., elected their officers for the ensuing Year last night as follows: Past suing year last night as follows: Past councillor, Friend John Cook; chief councillor, Friend Thomas A. Grover; vice-councillor, Friend H. J. Letsche; recorder, Friend Miss Fearl S. Letsche; assisting recorder, Friend J. S. Davis, assisting recorder, Friend J. S. Davis, sr.; treasurer, Friend John Mull; prelate, Friend Miss Louisa Letsche; marshal, Friend A. E. Peterman; warden, Friend Mrs. M. E. Letsche; guard, Friend Joseph Bain; sentry, Friend J. J. Still. Trustees—For three years, Friend J. M. Letsche; auditors, Friends J. S. Davis, sr., and A. W. Urmy; representatives to grand council, Friend presentatives to grand council, Friend J. M. Letsche; alternate, Friend A. E. Peterman; representatives to hospital cot board, Friends Pearl Letsche, J. M. Letsche and A. E. Peterman.

York Township

The contest in York Township assumes a lively fight for the positions of reeve, third deputy reeve and councillor. Thomas Griffith was elected by acclamation for the position of first deputy reeve and Fred H. Miller for second deputy reeve. Robert Barker of Todmorden and Geo. Syme, jr. of Mount Dennis, are fighting for the reeveship. John Buchanana of Elia, Charles J. Cary of Todmorden and W. H. Maton of Earlscourt entered on a three-cornered fight for third deputy reeve. Mark Maynard of Todmorden, Nelson A. Boylen of Weston, William M. Graham of Fairbank, are also en-gaged in a three-cornred fight for the position of councillors.

YORK MILLS

The annual Sunday school entertainment and Christmas tree of St. John's Anglican Sunday school will be given next Friday evening in the schoolroom. A special musical program will be rendered for these festivities.

Special Trains From Toronto. for Christmas and New Year's Holiday Traffic. The Grand Trunk Railway System will operate special trains from Toron-to, in connection with Christmas and New Year's holiday traffic, as follows: 7.55 a.m.—Dec. 26, for Aurora, New-market, Allandale, Barrie and inter-

mediate stations. 8.30 a.m.—Dec. 26 and 31, for Brampton, Georgetown, Guelph, Elora, Fergus and Palmerston.

1.30 p.m.—Dec. 26 and 31, for Whitby Junction, Oshawa, Bowmanville, New-castle, Newtonville, Port Hope, Cobourg, Grafton, Colborne, Brighton, Trenton and Belleville.

4.15 p.m.—Dec. 26 and 31, for Ham-diton, Brantford, Woodstock, Ingersoll and London. 5.00 p.m.—Dec. 31, for Agincourt, Markham, Stouffville, Uxbridge, Blackwater Junction, Lindsay and intermediate stations.
5.25 p.m.—Dec. 26, for Aurora, New-market, Bradford, Allandale and in-

termediate stations.

10.45 p.m.—Dec. 31, for Port Hope, Cobourg, Belleville, Napanee, Kingston, Brockville, Prescott and Montreal. Full particulars and tickets at city ticket office, northwest corner King and Yonge streets. Phone Main 4209.

Galt Appreciates Mayor.
GALT, Dec. 24.—(Special.)—The town council passed a resolution in eulogy of the administration of office by Mayor F. Stewart Scott, and voted him \$300 honorarium.

MAYOR GRAHAM RE-ELECTED

LONDON. Dec. 24.—(Can. Press.)—
Mayor C. M. R. Grham was tonight
declared elected by-acclamation for
a second term. Of the eleven nominated for the mayoralty, he was the
only one qualified, when City Clerk
Jaker closed his office tonight.

ELECTION CARDS

VOTE TO RE-ELEC ALDERMAN

YORK TOWNSHIP ELECTION Your Vote and Influence is respectfully solicited for

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Progressive and up-to-date administra-tion. Polling day on the 1st of January

York Township Election

Your Vote and Influence is respectfully

W. H. MATON

Third Deputy Reeve Prices: Nights, 25c to \$1.50; Mats., 25c to \$1.00. for 1913

air treatment for the whole Township. Polling day, Jan. 1st, 1913. ed?

Take Up Homesteads In Northern Egypt

Five-Acre Farms on Drained Marshes Are Being Settled-Kitchener Introduces Law.

Lord Kitchener has introduced homestead law in Egypt.

The statement is enough to make the The statement is enough to make the reader gasp, but the explanation is very simple. In Northern Egypt are large tracts of marsh lands, interspersed by shallow lakes. The Egyptian government has begun the work of draining these marshes and useless lakes; and Lord Kitchener has opened a part of the land so reclaimed for homestead entry.

Each homestead contains five acres. The feliah, or peasant, who takes a homestead must give a portion of his time the first three years in further

time the first three years in further reclamation work. After that, he pays

a moderate rent to the government for ten years, when the land becomes his for life. It may descend to his children, if government approves. It may not be mortgaged or sold without government consent.

A good many restrictions; but they are needed in dealing with Egyptian fellaheen. The Kitchener homestead edict is the most remarkable departure the Nile has witnessed for sixty centuries. centuries.

There have been plenty of enterpris-

ing Pharaohs who were ready to undertake any work that increased their revenues. But, in every case, the peasant was a mere tool, a laborer, a taxpayer, a creature who existed sole-ly for the use and pleasure of his lord the king. Kitchener is giving the peasant a chance. The statues of old Rameses would better be watched, lest they fall down in amazement at this unheard-of proceeding.

CLAY PRODUCTS WEALTH. Enormous Amounts Brick Tile an Pottery in United States.

The clay-working industries of th United States had in 1911 a production valued at \$162,236,181. according to the Valued at \$162.236,181. according to the United States Geological Survey, which has just issued a chart, compiled by Jefferson Middleton, showing the total output by states of all the different clay products. The total production of common brick was 8,-475,277,000, walued at \$49,885,262. Of this New Year contributed the largest this New Year contributed the largest amount, namely, 1.143.726.000, valued at \$5.918,286. Illinois was second in output, with 1.074,486.000, but the output, with 1,074,486,000, but the p oduct had the greater value of \$6,-126,911. No other state reached the billion mark, Pennsylvania coming third with 774,122,000 bricks. The chart gives the figures of production for other kinds of brick—vitrified brick, front brick, fire brick, etc.—as well as tawns cotts drain the general brick, front brick, fire brick, etc.—as well as terra cotta, drain tile, sewer pipe, stove lining and pottery products. The production of all kinds of bileks was more than 10,000,000,000.

In total production of clay products. Ohio leads the list, with a value of \$32,663,895. or one-fifth of the total for the United States: Pennsylvania is second, with \$20,270,033; New Jersey third, with \$18,176,228, and Illinois fourth, with \$18,333,011.

California, Oregon, Idaho, Washington and British Columbia grow a great part of the timber of North America. In all of these places there are fire wardens and fire rangers. Last year only one tree in 7000 was burned. It was a rainy summer, but here would have been much greater destruction but for constant watchfulness. At the age of 40 a man begins to

live and unlearn.



AMUSEMENTS.

ALEXANDRA Seats Bell' MATINEE TODAY Xmas and Sat., 50c to \$1.50. Thus and Fri., best seats, \$1.00; nights 50c to \$1.50. d dramatization "LITTLE leader" Dus Boyel WOMEN

NEXT MATS. ONLY WEEK WED., SAT.

MR. LEWIS WALLER

"A Marriage Of Convenience" SEATS ON SALE

PRINCESS ALL THIS WEEK. THURSDAY AND SATURDAY.

"THE ROSE MAID Prices: Evgs. and Sat. Mat., 50c to \$2;

Poday and Thursday Mats., 50c to \$1.50. HEXT WEEK - Mats. Wed and Sat.

WILLIAM NAWTREY and company of English players a whimsical comedy-drama "THE OLD FIRM"

'A Guid New Year Tae Ane an' A'. Grand Popular Concert

NEW YEAR'S NIGHT MASSEY HALL, WEDNESDAY By HAROLD JARVIS, tenor; JESSIE ALEXANDER, elocutionist; JEAN MITCHELL RUNTER, star violinist from Edinburgh; 48TH HIGHLANDERS' BAND, MALE CHORUS, etc., with MRS. W. C. WHITNEY at the piano.

Splendid Scottish Program Popular prices, 25c and 50c. All seats reserved. The plan opens Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at the Hall, and also at Nordheimer's Music Store, King St. East. almagement of Wm. Campbell. Phone N. 50.

BURLESOUF EVALUEVIELS BEN WELCH

BURLESQUERS Next Week-"QUEENS OF PARIS"

SHEA'S THEATRE

Matinee Daily, 25c; Evenings, 25c, 55c, 75c, Week of Dec. 23.

Henry E. Dixey; J. F. Kelly and Emma Pollock; Cortis and Florence; Walter Sayton Trio; Morgan, Bailey & Morgan; The Gypsy Queen; The Kinetograph; Boganny's Royal Lunatics.

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This school enjoys a widespread
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W. J. ELLIOTT, Principal. W. J. ELLIOTT, Principal.

LOOK!

Have a look for some valuable in-Prof. Mulveney's page advertisement tells how people feel when they have Tape Worms, also other Worms, and a account of the wonderful work his valuable remedy has done. Be sure and get next Sunday's World and find this page, and be sure and save it for future reference. This information is saving lives every day.

PROF. MULVENEY'S OFFICE 167 DUNDAS ST.

Markham Township Elections The campaign for the local option repeal yote is in full swing, and both sides are actively at work. Rev. Father Whitnew and W. B. Findlay, superintendent of the new isil, hald a good meeting last week at Thornhill, and Rev. Messrs, Maurer and Waugh of Union ville are working hard for temperance in their locality. The present council will nearly all seek re-election. Mr. H. A. Lunan will run for reeve, and Mr. Walter Scott will likely stand for deputy reeve.

The new men for councillors spoken of are Geo. Morrison, A. H. Crosby, Theodore Madill, J. A. Mitchell, R. A. Wilson, H. W. Harper, Thos. W. Underwood, W. C. Ormerod, J. Horner and A. Vanhorne. There will be a lively time in the township during the next two weeks.

The cast was a very fine one, enlisting the services of Beatrice La Palme, Evelyn Scotney, Ivonne Coursa, "Cendrillon" at Torento next Palma. The campaign for the local option re-

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FIVE THOUSAND CURLERS IN THE ONTARIO ASSOCIATION

Appearance of the Annual Is! a Reminder That the Season Market for this morning for the annual match, President v. Vice-President. The Is at Hand-Facts and Fig-

The 38th "Annual," the official hand- C. H. Orr R. N. Gray book of the Ontario Curling Association, made its appearance yesterday showing the great care taken by the new editor, Sandy Pearcy, who succeeds James Macfadden as secretary-treasurer.

The scope of curling in Ontario is best exemplified by the fact that the book requires 56 pages for a record of the 105

teurs and pros. Charlie (Clubb) Collins of Dundas is one of the best known exponents of the game for many years, while a new light is glimmering in Little London, viz., Mooney Gibson, the well-known backstop of the Pittsburg Pirates. According to the words of a former president—Alex. R. Goldle of Galt—while the main object of matches between clubs is to determine their relative skill in the game, it should ever be borne in mind that the ultimate object of curling is to develop a manly recreation, and to promote good-will, kindly feeling and honorable conduct among those who take part in it, and this sentiment should influence both the interpretation and the application of all rules.

Curling Today.

According to custom play should start today thruout the province with the annual club matches, President v. Vice-President. In Toronto the weather is frequently like the present, and a post-ponement is necessary till New Year's or a later date. Often in mild winters this fixture is abandoned altogether.

However, at the different city clubs they were "slugging" up the stones last night, and it is expected that one shift will at least play at 9 o'clock this morning with a continuance of the games should colder weather develop.

Ned Hanlan's Old Rival, J. E. O'Rourke, Passes

Death of Well-Known Professional Sculler After Short Illness in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—John E. O'Rourke, the old professional carsman, of this city, and veteran of many a hard-fought contest with Ellis Ward, Edward Hanlan and the senior Ten Eyck, died at his home here yesterday, following a short illness.

at his hone here yesterday, following a short illness.

O'Rourke was one of the greatest sweep oarsmen that the Schuyikill ever produced, and he was as good a teacher as he was an oarsman. After he found that rowing was becoming a favorite sport among the younger clubmen of the city he became their instructor. Later he was associated with Ellis Ward until he left for the west to become an athletic instructor of one of the Pittsburg clubs. Retiring from athletics, he assumed a position with one of the large steel companies in the west, but was severely injured two years ago, and had to return to his old home in this city. He had gradually failed in health since that time, and died yesterday, aged sixty-three years.

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Handed Out.

The 38th "Annual," the official hand-ook of the Ontario Curling Association, add its appearance verterday showing a few factors.

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Vice-President.—

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THE GRANITES DRAW.

SPORTING NOTES

requires 56 pages for a record of the 105 affiliated clubs and these represent about 5000 curiers of the besom who are thus shown to be duly qualified to play in the blue ribbon competition of the winter, viz., the Ontario Tankard.

Array of Curiers.

This array or curiers is divided into sixteen groups of clubs who play off at feadquarters designated in the annual, the sixteen winners meeting in Toronto for the finish, all according to the knockout system, and one team of two rinks is left. Thus the O.C.A. engages in a rapid system of reduction, mostly in the month of February, when the five thousand curiers or every degree and style are cut down to a simple octet. Meaford turned the trick last winter, while the records show that the Toronto Granites won in 1909, 1910 and 1911, with the same eight men playing in the exact positions the three years.

The book shows that W. Ament of Seatorth with 47 is champion point player with Farry Sound and other Seaforth curiers hogging the other prominent positions right down to No. 12. In fact these two clubs with Kingston monopolize the competition according to the returns, except for three or four stray shooters.

The Toronto Granites won the most

BASEBALL GOSSIP

Of the Chicago Cubs of 1906, who established a record by winning 116 games in the National League, there remain only four players: Evers, Sheckard, Schulte and Reulbach.

The Pacific Coast League will furnish thirty weeks of baseball next year. The season will start on April 1 and will close on Oct. 26.

Connie Mack, manager and part owner of the Philadelphia Athletics, was 50 years old yesterday, and the anniversary was celebrated by a little dinner of the "surprise party" sort. It was informal, but none the less enthusiastic, and Cornelius actually made a speech.

which is quite plentiful in the waters of that country, while it is quite rare in other parts of the world. The fluid is spread on a piece of meat bait, and the effect of the application may be observed at once. Theluminosity increases as the bait is placed in the water, and the attention of the fish is attracted to it at once.

A blue grouse flew against the plate glass window of a hotel in Vancouver, the other day and killed itself. The glass of the window was shattered. It is suposed that the bird was misled water, and the attention of the fish is attracted to it at once.

Middleweight, 158 pounds. Commission weight, 175 pounds. Heavyweight, all over 175 pounds. Hotel Krausmann, Indies' and gentlemen's grill, with music. Imported German Beers, Plank Steak a Is Krausmann. Open till 12 p.m. Corner Church and King Streets, Terento.

Allan Cup Holders Lose Two Valuable Players — Winnipeg Team Promising.

The Winnipegs promise to put the strongest septette in the existence of the club on the ice. Jack Aldous, who starred two years ago with Victorias, has cast in his lot with the Pefs, and his playing at this early date marks him as a very valuable man. Two other fast men who will be seen on the line-up are Al Adamson, who played for Winnipeg Varsity for several years, and Billy Mc-Kenzie of Kenora. These men with Gannon in goal, Ollie Turnbull and Jack Ruttan on the defence, and either Bill Noble or Munroe on the forward line will make a pretty hard bunch to beat.

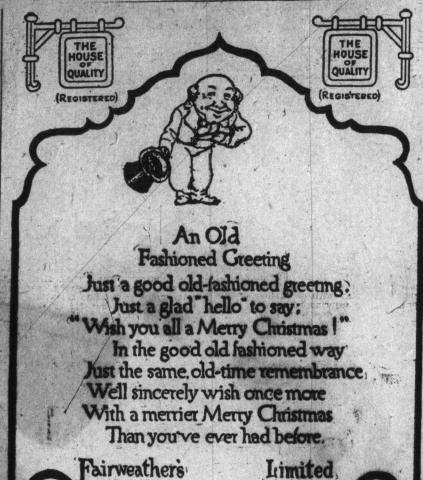
WINNIPEG, Dec. 25.-Providing the Winnipeg Victorias succeed in coming

to come back in 1914 and race for the cup again.

"It has been the wish of my life to win it." he said. "It looks now as if there would be such alterations in the racing rules as will permit me to build a yacht that can come over here and compete on a fair basis with your best yachts."

Luminous Fishbait.

The fishermen in some parts of Portugal make material increases in the amount of their catch by the use of luminous bait. This is done by a fluid secured from the body of a fish which is quite plentiful in the waters of that country, while it is quite rare



Montreal . Toronto . Winnipeg.

BOXING REFEREES INSIDE THE RING

Rules Promulgated in New York State to Start

The scale of weights adopted by commission are:
Paperweight, 108 pounds.
Bantamweight, 115 pounds.
Featherweight, 125 pounds.
Lightweight, 135 pounds.
Weiterweight, 145 pounds.
Middleweight, 158 pounds.
Commission weight, 175 pounds.
Heavyweight, all over 175 pounds.

PLAY TORONTOS AT THE ARENA TONIGHT

M'CARTY'S RISE

Otto Floto writest "Just after Paddy Ryan had defeated Joe Goss for the heavyweight championship of the world there came rumors of a coming champion from Boston. Not much attention was paid to them at first, but after the Roxbury Strong Boy had defeated everything in the fighting line the Hub boasted of, he began to look for higher nps' and found one in the same Joe Goss, who had just lost to Ryan. A match was ar-The property of the servery was calculated by a new of the furgine party and any within a year, and any within a year, and any within a year, and any of the furgine party and of the surprise party and the surp

him. Then came the battle at Jones Woods with Jimmy Elliott, and again the Roxbury Strong Boy' delivered the goods. From that time on his rise was rapid, every effort was crowned with victory until he met Jim Corbett at New Orleans in 1892.

"The other night at Los Angeles another youngster jumped into the spotlight in much the same fashion that John L. Sullivan was given prominence. Luther McCarty had met several good men, including Carl Morris, and defeated them. His fame began to spread, but there was something lacking to give him real standing—that something came to him when he defeated Jim Flynn.

"We now wonder whether McCarty will continue to creep to the top as Sullivan did, as Corbett did and as Jim Jeffries did. All had practically the same beginning. Corbett gained his stepping stone when he defeated Sullivan, and Jeffries rose when he downed Fitz at Coney Island.

"Of course, McCarty has not gotten as far along in his career or standing as the above men had when they leaped into the coveted throne chair, for there are two men that must be removed from his path. One is Al Palzer and the other is Bombardier Wells. The former may not prove as formidable as expected, but the latter is certainly some shucks. I say this knowing that Palzer defeated the Englishman in their New York meeting. However, I am certain Wells labored under a handicap of some sort at finat time, and a return engagement between Palzer and Wells would cause no surprise at all if the latter reversed conditions as well as the verdict.

BRINGING MIDLAND FOR AN EXHIBITION

T. R. & A. A. Trying to Ar- Joe McGinnity and Mike Lynch With Tacoma and of Year-Hockey News and Gossip.

T. R. and A. A. are trying to arrange o bring Midland here for any exhibition game on New Year's Eve. If satis- the Tacoma Club and will lead the Tig-

The following players were registered yesterday with the O. H. A.:
Orillia (junior)—Quinn Butterfield,
R. Lovering Jupp, Peter F. Thornton,
Lionel B. Hinds, Norman C. Cooke, Andrew H. Tudhope, Kenneth L. Macnab.
Wiarton (junior)—Thomas Nimmo,
W. Ashley, Harold B. Hay, George MacDonald, George Ferguson, Harvey
Kruetzwiser, W. Symon, Vernon Geib,
Newmarket (junior)—Harrison
Smith, William Epworth, Albert Epworth, Leslie Bogart, Verne Lepard,
Carl M. Brodde, Alex. McNabb, Norman
Blair.

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Toronto Canoe Club (junior)—Gordon
S. Murray, Rupert H. Laird, George C.
Warwick, Fred. S. Mills, William Robertson. Malcolm McKellar, Harry Meeking, Wallace Stroud.

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The desertion of Toronto hockey players for the Marktime Province League was not as strong as was expected. Those who went were: Kyle, Cross, Dursome, Carmichael and Landers. O'Sullivan went east too, but he is said to have only gone home on a visit. Walker and McGregor, the Port Arthur boys; McGiffin and Doherty, who were supposed to have gone, are still on the job.

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A meeting of the Boys' Union Hockey League, to draw up the schedule for the three divisions, will be held in the West End Y. M. C. A. (boys' department), College street and Dovercourt road, on Monday, Dec. 30, at 8 p.m. All teams must have representatives at this meeting as the schedule will be drawn up for the season. The junior division, under 185 lbs.; the intermediate division, under 185 vears of age. For any other particulars, phone College 601.

Merry Christmas! Are you going to the pro game tonight?

Midland juniors have notified the O.

Fred Waghorne will referee the T. C. USE OF CIGARET the Arena tomorrow night.

Kansas Agriculturalists Attend Functions in Dress Suit Regalia-Do Not Hate Motors.

Reports from Salina, Kan., where at the evening functions of the convention of the Farmers' Alliance all the farmers appeared in "dress suits," now threaten to do away forever with the generic caricature of the aged gentle-man with wispy whiskers standing in the middle of the road with a few chickens at his feet and shaking his fist as an automobile whizzes by, says The Washington Post. It used to be The Washington Post. It used to be very comforting to think of the hardworking farmer, the backbone of his country, rising in the morning at 4 o'clock and plowing the field until 5. It was always refreshing to consider his deadly hatred of automobilists and persons who changed their shirts three times a week. The farmer was about all we had left of primitive days. And now even our old conception of the farmer is being swept away.

It is not easy to picture the farmer as he is described in the reports from Salina. The dapper, well-proportioned dandles, with their waxed moustaches, high hats and white-bosomed evening (six months) to 384.635 in January 10 minutes to the present year.

dandies, with their waxed moustaches, high hats and white-bosomed evening clothes do not accord with the picture the country has always had in mind. Surely it cannot be possible that the stove in the country store is no longer used as a cuspidor! Surely it cannot be true that the feet that are placed on the soap box are now incased in patent leather instead of the old cowhide!

lif the change has actually taken place, as reported, we look forward to the day when the next farmer representative comes to Washington. He probably will bring his valet along, and it will make him very impattent when he learns that the house office building is without a Turkish bath and manicure girls.

One of the greatest curiosities to be found in Skowhegan is on the farm of Fred Hill, says The Kennebec (Me.) Journal, It is a maple tree, now 100 years old, and thru the middle of the butt are two cedar rails, the tree hav-

years old, and thru the middle of the butt are two cedar rails, the tree having grown completely around them. The tree is two and a half feet in diameter, and each rail sticks thru on either side, and has not decayed in the least. Old residents claim that they have been there 75 years. The other ends of the rails are partly grown into a big oak.

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NEW MANAGERS IN NORTHWESTERN LEAGU

Victoria.

Two Northwestern League clubs, and possibly a third, will have new managers at the head in the 1913 baseball campat Joe McGinnity has exercised his option on the Tacoma Club and will lead the Tiggame will be staged at the Arena.

All pro games at the Arena this year will start at 8.15, not 8.20, as has been advertised. This is according to the N. H. A constitution.

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DIGGING WORMS FOR BAIT FOR WINTER

Among the various winter occitions carried on along Engiashores there is, at the quaint I Village of Wells. on the Norfolk of at least one industry which is rate of an unusual nature, and which vides a number of families wit "winter's keep." This industry known as "worm digging," and ting the winter there are about the men engaged in the work.

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Germans smoke an average of cigarets a year.

Germany imported 1,372,800 pounds of cigarets in 1911, against only 1,075,140 pounds in 1910. Imports come

chiefly from Austria-Hungary.

About one-fifth as many cigarete
are exported as are imported. Exports go chiefly to Holland, Denmark.
Norway and Switzerland. DEATH RATE IN FRANCE DECLINES

Due to Steadily Improving Sant tary Methods-Birth Rate Still Shows Decrease.

The French ministry of labor but just published statistics showing the

This continued diminution of the deaths reflects credit on the steadily improving sanitary and disinfection methods which are being gradually brought into general practice thrust



119 YONGE STREET.

The Canadiens of Montreal (left to right, standing) -- Delinquet, Deuray, DeMaitre, Coudre, Noseworthy (trainer), Delaire. Sitting, are the regular team (left to right)—Smith, Lalonde, Vezina (goal), Laviolette, Dubois, Pitre,

TORONTOS READY

Opening Pro. Game to Be Played at the Arena Tonight-Speed Will Be Torontos' Feature.

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Manager Bruce Ridpath gave his Torontos their final prep for the opening of the N. H. A season yesterday morning, and they are fit and ready to do battle with Kennedy's speedy Canadiens at the Arena tonight.

Kennedy was an interested spectator when Riddy was giving the boys their last workout, and was a surprised man. "That is no weak team," said "George, "and they are liable to give anybody a beating."

Torontos will not rely on weight to

and they are liable to give anybody a beating."

Torontos will not rely on weight to win their games, but they have a young team that has speed and the combination game down perfect. Both the Wanderers and Canadiens failed to play the pass game on Saturday night and the local team will have a big advantage with their good three-man combination.

Ridpath has played N. H. A. hockey and knows just about every trick of the pro game. It is sare betting that he has drilled his squad in the fine points of the game, and when he is satisfied that his team will do they must be all right.

There has been a big demand for tickets and a record crowd will be on hand to see the opening pro game.

Jack Marshall of Montreal will reserve, Lou Marsh of Toronto will be the judge of play, while the goal umplies will be Charlie Querrie and Arthur Anglin.

J. D. Bailey will be the official timer,

The boliday season is on, but it doesn't make any difference with the hockey players. Several of the clubs had full turnouts at the practices last night and some useful work was the order.

St. Michaels had a dozen juniors out and they went at it hard for an hour. Rusty Bell had a big squad of Varsity candidates for the junior team working and they all showed something. T. R. and A. A. had their full team out along with two or three other good men and indulged in an hour's good practice.

Bob Wilson chased his juniors out again and was undecided after the work just who would represent Toronto Cauce Club for their game with Park-dale fomorrow night.

McGall will play in Haileybury after the game in Toronto on Friday night, leaving on the 10,20 train. The St. Michael's game will start at 8,15.

Michael's game in Toronto on Friday night, leaving on the 10.20 train. The St. Michael's game will start at 8.75.

The long hands of the law have reached out and Sprague Cleghorne, the Wanderer player, and "Newsy" Lalonde of the Canadiens will discover that it toests something to start a ruction either in the sporting arens or the publid highway. Vesterday morning summoneses were issued for the appearance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of both Montreal men at the police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of police court next Friday. Cleghorne is charged with committing an aggravariance of police



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SIXTH RACE—Ben Uncas, Minnolette,
Silver Grain.

Today's Entries

JUAREZ, Dec. 24.—Entries for tomor-

PARKER AND HIS SOCCER FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION

Stormy Petrel Recounts His against professional teams from the old country, which prevents us from testing our skill in international matches, for

Ideas in the Far West—

He Cites His Ancient Enemy, the A. A. U. of C.

VICTORIA. B.C., Dec. 22—G. A. Parker, a prominent Association football promoter, and one of the Amateur Athletic Union's greatest enemies, was in town yesterday. He has just completed a tour of Canada in the interests of an English paper.

Mr. Parker has gained prominence in Canadian sport circles of late years thrushis connection with the Feople's Shield competitions for the soccer championship of Canada. It has been in a measure owing to his efforts that these conetsts have been held, and in the course of talk with The Colonist yesterday he gave out the interesting information that the games would probably be held in Vancouver next year. Fort William are the holders of the shield, having won it in Winnipeg last year, and Mr. Parker believes he can induce them to agree to come to Vancouver to defend it.

The reason for the bad feeling between Mr. Parker and the A.A.U. Is that he has always been an advocate of less strict rules affecting professionalism than those imposed by the A.A.U. Is that he has always been an advocate of less strict rules affecting professionalism than those imposed by the A.A.U. In Mr. Parker's opinion there is no reason why a football player should not play with or against a professional, it is Mr. Parker's contention.

"Our chief complaint against the A. A. U. conled and would soon be no bar at all. It is not improbable that Mr. Parker will take up his residence on the coast. He is improbable that Mr. Parker will take up his residence on the coast. He is improbable that Mr. Parker will take up his residence on the coast. He is improbable that Mr. Parker will take up his residence on the coast. He is improbable that Mr. Parker will be in visited the professional, it is Mr. Parker's to the football in vancouver and may decide to take the professional, it is Mr. Parker's to the football provided the professional, it is Mr. Parker's the football provided the professional, it is Mr. Parker's the football provided the fo

GEO. GOULDING'S WALKING CROWN MAY FALL TO YOUTHFUL DANE

BOWLERS ROLL

In the opinion of George Goulding there is a walker in Denmark who, sooner or later, will succeed him as the world's champion heel and toe artist. His name is V. E. Gylke, who competed in the 10,000 metres walk event at the Olympic games and made a surprisingly fine showing.

The Dane is a natural walker, according to Goulding, Others well versed in this particular branch of athletics who saw him at Stockholm, claim he is a second edition of the great Canadian. His style is smooth and finished.

Goulding was watching Gylke in the second heat and turning to some friends remarked:

"I expect this fellow to give me a fight."

me. Look at that stride; isn't it great."

Gylke met with stiffer competition than he expected, and had to be content with fourth position in his trial.

Tired and fatigued Gylke started in the final with no idea of going the route. The heat was intense. For the first two miles he gave Goulding at ough fight, and for once the Canadian felt as the heimit in order to win. The Dane was timed under 7 minutes for the first mile. In the last mile Gylke cracked, and webb, an Englishman, passed him. Up to that time Webb feared he might have to take a worse licking than he received from Goulding.

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Baseball Go

Gylke is a youngster compared to some of the modern walkers.

Connie Mack is out with a boost for the old-time players. Mack says:

"There was much better batting done by the players of 20 years ago than by the modern stars, but a great deal of it was due to the fact that the catcher used to stay back until two strikes had been called unless there were men on the bases. With the catcher back, such speed boys as Tom Brown, for example, practiced dropping the ball in front of the plate, or only a couple of feet inside the diamond. That sort of a bunt, of course, could not be fielded by either the pitch-New Open at

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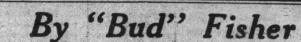
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Subscribers are requested to advise us promptly of any irregularity or delay in delivery of The World. WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 25, 1912

DEPENDING ON THE ADULLA-MITES.

Ex-Ald. Thomas Davies has decided to run. He is counting on a large vote, of Cataract Corporation interests. He made up of various elements supposed professes that now hydro-electric has to be hostile to Mayor Hocken. His been adopted in Hamilton he will do friends, as every man's friends do al- all in his power to advance its intermost when he sets out on a new enterprise that is to cost them nothing, have the leopard change his spots on such encouraged him. The sanguine spirit short notice? And what power to bewhich leads a man to take such a step friend the hydro-electric system does at all naturary gives the situation a any ally of the Cataract interests posrose-colored hue which others do not sess? It is pleasant, of course, if Mr. perceive. If mere opposition to Mayor Allan has really experienced a change Hocken had looked possible, or even of heart, but even St. Paul, after his feasible, several other candidates would sudden conversion, was sent to Arabia.

upon the public interest, and is not trie commissioners of Hamilton. without good grounds for the policies he puts forward.

LABOR IN CIVIC POLITICS. his great strength?" is the subject of notable action was his interference whose last issue is devoted largely to in a tight place with the Boston exlocal civic campaign issues. Everyone perts, whose services would have been knows in a general way that if labor neither a boon nor a blessing to Toso many influences are at work to di- siderable magnitude which is due to

men stuck together they could do sary, fronts. What the city escaped in the interest of the same and service and services and self-affines constitutions of each of the country influences are at work to divert the services the party managers and self-affines are at works to divert the services of a labor revolts of a labor revolt in any party, and the forces of green and self-affiness are so strong in human nature that men in all parties in any party, and the forces of green and self-affiness are so strong in human nature that men in all parties in any party, and the forces of green and self-affiness are so strong in human nature that men in all parties of public service unfold them. The present and self-affiness are so strong in human nature that men in all parties of public service unfold them. The present and self-affiness are so strong in the service with the services of the ser

day. The perfection of their principles will not entirely nullify the imcandidates. But neither should the imperfections of the candidates blind anyone to the perfections of the labor policy. In no other party is the imperfection of the candidate allowed to weigh as much as a grain of sand ourrent loans and discounts total over against the party. The Industrial Banner has been freely distributed this week, and citizens would do well to read over the platform of the party isfactory to its shareholders. which is slowly, but surely, coming to the front. In a generation, perhaps less, one or other of the old parties will have disappeared, one merged in the read Mr. Maclean's speech to his conother, and the "giant" will have begun to use his strength. Now is the time for people to say whether he shall use it tyrannously or learn by experience to use it practically and benevolently

Mr. James Simpson is the labor candidate for the board of control. The worst charge anyone can bring against "Jimmie" is that he has been successful. In the other parties this is a virtue. Some labor men seem to regard it as a vice.

SIR JAMES AND TAX REFORM. Sir James Whitney has underaken to squelch The Ottawa Citizen. In some cases the squelching policy is desirable and perhaps commendable. But we do not like to see Sir James starting out to attempt to squelch any representative of the most widely-spread demand for reform in Ontario today.

It is true that Sir James denies that there is any local demand for reform. But let him attend any board of trade. meeting in any city or the meeting of the associated boards and he must admit that the denial strains the facts.

We will go further, and perhaps plain speaking is sometimes of advantage. Sir James does not hesitate to speak plainly himself. At all events, it is said, behind his back, that were he dead or defeated, his own ministers

would be the first to bring in tax re-

Mr. Rowell has not had the nous to identify his party with the demand, and Hon. A. G. MacKay never was renuinely progressive. So it still reains to the Conservative party to make tax reform a triumphant issue. And we would like to see Sir James naking the issue on the grounds he has himself pointed out as existing in the act.

The people want equitable taxation They are not getting it. Sir James can give it to them. Whether he does it in one way or another is of less consequence than that the people get the reform they ask.

HAMILTON MAYORALTY.

Several interests in Hamilton are uniting on various pretexts to oppose Ald. Balley in his candidature for the mayoralty with their support of Controller Allan. Mr Allan has been a consistent opponent and declared enemy of hydro-electric power all thru his public career, and a warm friend and supporter, as he still continues to be. ests and make it a success, but can

be treading where Mr. Davies rushed in for three years before he was entrust-While we anticipate the election of Allan had better spend a few years in ed with control of his new cause. Mr. Mayor Hocken by a large majority, boosting hydro-electric in a general. nevertheless we have much sympathy way before he asks to be given a powith Mr. Davies, who is at least intent sition as one of the three hydro-elec-

A VALUABLE SERVICE. Controller Maguire has done some valuable service for the city in con-"When will the labor giant realize nection with the civic railway. One the cartoon in The Industrial Banner, when the city was about to be landed men stuck together they could do any- ronto. What the city escaped in this thing they pleased at the elections. But instance constitutes a debt of con-

whole statement should be very sat-

ROBUST CANADIANISM.

Editor World: Every Canadian can stituents on the naval question with intense satisfaction. It is with a feeling of resentment one reads, or listens. to many speeches on this question, for not only is the honor of Great Britain not only is the honor of Great Britain degraded by maudlin appeals to her need for our help, but Canadian self-reliance is menaced. Britain is absolutely independent of any aid from her colonies in regard to self-defence. Talk of \$35,000,000 saving the empire when the working men of Great Britain have some \$3,000,000,000 invested in savings banks and co-operative enin savings banks and co-operative en-terprises! The working men of Great Britain could easily hand out one-

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-1300,000,000, or ten times conds is offering. Any man Great Britain is depending onles is grossly ignorant of

the medium of The Belfast Tele Earl Grey, former governor-general of Canada, wrote:

worthy celebration of the event two
years hence."

The Earl of Meath wrote:

"War between the two great
branches of the Anglo-Saxon race let
us firmly believe to be an impossibility in the future. Such a belief will go far to make it impossible."
Friendship Unbroken.

Secretary of State Philander Knox of the United States wrote: "This anniversary serves to remind us not of the termination of a great us not of the termination of a great struggle, but of the subsequent passing of almost a century of peace and goodwill. In this long era of unbroken friendship we English-speaking cousins have realized and benefited from our kinship. Neighborly intercourse and trade have developed and grown to colossal proportions."

Hon. Mr. Burrell Joins.

Hon. Martin H. Burrell, Canadian minister for agriculture, wrote:

minister for agriculture, wrote:
"If to commemorate special days is a good thing in general, it is especially pleasant to think of the comm moration of a day which happily has led to a century of peace between countries so intimately associated by ties of blood, race and language,"

President Mackenzie of Dalhousie

President Mackenzie of Dalhousie University, Halifax, N.S., wrote:

"Canada may well rejoice that she has been fortunate enough to spend her period of national youth free from the stunting influences of war. She joins the United States and the motheriand in celebration of the 98th anniversary of the signing of the Treaty of Ghent, which has meant so much not only for Canada, the empire and the United States, but also for the progress of civilization."

progress of civilization."
Chancellor McCrimmon of McMaster University. Toronto. wrote: "Ninety-eight years of peace and godwill thruout the Anglo-Saxon world. May the angel of peace continue to guide the statesmen of the Bri ish Empire and of the United Sates." S ates.

Sentiments largely similar were expressed by G. W. Wickersham, attor-rey-general of the United States; Charles W. Fairbanks, former vice-president of the United States; and Governor Harmon of Ohlo, and others.

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THREATEN STRIKE

Big Tie-Up Is Threatened in New York Involving Two Hundred Thousand Men.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24 .- (Can. Press.) Representatives of 200,000 garment

British Aviator Killed
LONDON, Dec. 24.—(Can. Press.)—
Edward Petre, a well-known English alrman, was killed near Redcar, while undertaking a flight from the Brooklands aerodrome to Edinburgh with the intention of covering the distance without stopping. His monoplane ran

SIR RICHARD HELD MANY SECURITIES

Property Subject to Succession Duties Will Not Exceed \$80,000—Balances on

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OTTAWA. Dec. 24.—The last will and testament of the late Sir Richard Cartwright was admitted to probate in the Carleton Surrogate Court by Judge Gunn here. The total assets are placed at \$228,392.80, while liabilities are stated to be at least \$155,000. No details of the latter are given.

They will contain the following declaration by affidavit:

"The debts of the said deceased and incumbrances against his estate will

incumbrances against his estate will amount to at least \$155,000, and after deducting the same the gross value of the property subject to succession duty will not be in excess of \$80,000.

Summary of Assets.

The summary of the assets is as follows:

A number of balances with brokerage firms on stocks traded in on margin are shown. They include, 100 shares C.P.R., 400 shares Rio, Light Heat and Power Co., 100 shares Soo Railway, 400 shares Porto Rico Railway, 100 shares Canadian Car Co., 150 shares Maple Leaf Milling. There were also a number of mining shares of no market value.

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ald government, in 1865. Mr. and Mrs. Bowlay are still hale and hearty and have their guests for Christmas their son-in-law and niece, Hon. George Perley and Miss Perley, of Ottawa

of Canada. wrote:

"The hundred years' peace has been of untold value to the political and second development allke of Great Britain, the United States and the Canadian Dominion. We hope to have a worthy celebration of the event two years hence."

How a liman, was killed near Redcar, while a light from the Brooklands aerodrome to Edinburgh with the intention of covering the distance without stopping. His monoplane ran into a heavy gale on the way and his machine was dashed to earth, the motor falling on the aviator and kill-ing him instantly.

How. George Perley AT Berlin

Heckey Player Summened.

When he next appears in Toronto S. of Cleghorn will be summoned to the police court to answer a charge of astations, having precived his appointment from the Sanfield-MacDon-ing him instantly.

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the Nationals and Wanderers. The city detectives decided to issue the summons yesterday.

Mulcted for Customs Duties. SARNIA, Dec. 24 .- (Special) -As a esult of a wide awake American customs officer, a number of American ladies are mourning that they had to pay a big duty bill. The ladies bought goods in Sarnia and took them thru.
offering the officer the usual three cents
paid on ten cent articles. He investigated the bundles and found articles
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BRAZILIAN WILL EARN ITS DIVIDEND

If Earnings Continue to Increase, Next Year Will See Profits Raised to That Level.

If Brazilian earnings continue to show the same rate of increase as in October, surplus earnings in 1913 should exceed \$6,350,000, not taking into account the interest on the recently issued \$1,800,000 of Sao Paule Slectric Bonds, which will presumably be paid out of capital until the plant is in operation, say McQuaig Bros. and Co. In this event on the above basis the earning power of the company next year should approximate 6 per cent. on the stock, so that the company will apparently be able to pay the present dividend rate without rerse to its accumulated surplus While some doubts have been expressed as to the company's ability to maintain the 6 per cent. dividend, it is not likely that the directors would have inaugurated dividends on this basis unless they were tolerably sure of being able to maintain them.

At the end of 1911 the Rio and Sao Paulo Companies had a combined surplus of almost \$6,900,000, and even if the dividend was not quite earned in 1913 there would be no great harm in dipping into this reserve to supply y, as judging from past results there will be a steady yearly growth in Brazilian earnings, so that it is reasonable to expect that in 1914 the earnings will show a good margin over dividend requirements, particularly as by that time the Sao Paulo

Electric should begin to pay its way. RAILWAY MAY SELL STEAMERS. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 24 .- (Can. Press.—Unless the Interstate Com-nerce Commission authorizes the holding of the steamboat properties of the New York, New Haven, and Hartford Railroad Company every steamboat line now controlled by the railroad will be sold probably within the company according to the control of t

the coming year, according to a state-ment today by President Mellen. ENQUIRY BY CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24. - (Can. Press.)—The question of the attitude of the house regarding a congressional

GLAD DAY IN WINDY CITY

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chicago, Dec. 24.—(Can. Press.)—No dependent person in Chicago need be without turkey this Christmas. Plans by the city and by charitable organizations are so extensive that there is more like. are so extensive that there is more likelihood that roast turkeys will go uneaten than that any person will need go without food. Music will be provided in hos-

CHRISTMAS TOYS IN PRISON

YONKERS, N.Y., Dec. 24.-(Can. s.)-Altho in the City Prison here, ley Cantrell, a nine-year-old Brookor him was tonight decorated and trim-ned by Lieut, John Cahill and the mat-ons of the prison in the squad room at is of the prison in the squad room at adquarters. A soldier suit has been rehased, and he will also be given a d, a train of cars with a real track, rs, candy and other suitable presents ovided for the lad by a subscription tong the police officers of the precinct. Little Ashley was arrested on Thanksting Day with his father while he was Little Ashley was arrested on Thanks-giving Day with his father while he was in the act of robbing a public school.

NEGROES INVADE SOCIETY RESORTS re to be the subjects of opera-a syndicate of Chicago negroes the name of the "Lincoln Athletic under the name of the "Lincoln Athletical Social Club." This was brought out oday by statements made by those increased in the sale of hie Lake Geneva, Via., property which, it was reported ack Johnson, puglist, had purchased as present for Lucille Cameron Johnson, white wife.

"PEN" GUARDS SUSPENDED.

lite a sensation was caused at the altentiary over the suspension of we guards for being drunk. An indigation is to be held, as if is althere were four under the inwo were caught.

ANOTHER COCAINE VICTIM. PARIS. Dec. 24.—(Can. Press.)—The ode are investigating another drug tacky. It is that of a young woman med fyonne Flock, who was found today in her room from cocains assumed. The woman came to Paris a months are from Reast.

JOHN CATTO & SON THE WEATHER

ORDINAVATORY, TORONTO, Dec. 24.—(8 p.m.)—The disturbance which was over the Southern States yesterday has moved rapidly northeastward, giving a heavy snowstorm early today in the Middle Atlantic States and tonight in the maritime provinces. Mild weather has continued thruowt the western provinces.

vinces. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 40-below-32 below: Prince Rupert, 32-34; Victoria, 36-42; Vancouver, 34-40; Edmonton, 20-30; Battleford, 10-38; Frince Albert, 10-24; Calgary, 22-30; Moose Jaw, 10-29; Winnipes, 18-24; Port Arthur, 4-16; Parry Sound, 20-32; London, 44-32; Toronto, 26-32; Kingston, 28-32; Ottawa, 14-20; Montreal, 10-18; Quebed, 4-16; St. John, 10-18; Hallfax, 6-22.

Ottawa Valley, Upper St. Lawrence, Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Fair and moderately cold.
Maritime — Northerly to westerly winds; clearing and moderately cold. Superior—Fair and moderately cold. Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—Fine and comparatively mild.

BAROMETER 29.46 5 W. Mean of day, 29; difference from average, 5 above; highest, 32; lowest, 26.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS Lapland.....London M. Washington.London Lake Erie...

Street Car Delays.

Tuesday, Dec. 24, 1912
1.10 p.m.—Load of coal on track, Scott street loop; 5 minutes' delay to all cars on

1.15 p.m.—Load of coal on track, Wellington and Yonge; 5 minutes' delay to all cars on Yonge street.
2.25 p.m.—Load of scaffolding on track, King and Bay; 7 minutes' delay to Parliament cars. Bay: 7 minutes' delay to Parliament cars. 10.42 a.m.—Wilson and King, dray stuck on track; 10 min-utes delay to King cars.

BRUNT-At Toronto, on Dec. 24, 1912, William Brunt, beloved husband of Esther Lackey, in his 51st year.

Funeral from his late residence 20 Balmuto street, on Thursday, Dec. 26, at 2.30 p.m. HURD-At her home, 050 Wheeler avenue, on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 24, Mary Jane Hurd, in her 59th year.

Funeral Friday, Dec. 27, at 2 p.m. -On Dec. 24, 1912, at her son's residence, 15 Amelia street. Catharine, widow of the late John

Thursday, Dec. 26, at 8.30, to Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Sherbourne street, thence to Mount Hope Ceme-

McLEAN-At Lot 27, Concession 7, Vaughan, on Sunday, Dec. 22, 4912, Mary Isabella, second daughter of Mrs. Flora McLean.

Funeral will take place from the residence of her mother, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in St. Paul's Church Cemetery,

Harper, Customs Broker, McKinnon Building, 10 Jordan St., Toronto. ed NEW HIGH RECORD IN **OUTPUT OF PIG IRON**

The mining market yesterday conenquiry into the affairs of the New tinued to show remarkable buoyancy, York, New Haven and Hartford and Grand Trunk officers and its practicability now that the matter has trached an indictment stage will be discussed at a meeting of the committee on rules the first week of January. ed in response to the buying plainly evidenced the sustained nature of the demand. The exchange adjourned over the holiday at noon, at which time

It was in the bigger Cobalt securi-ties that the greatest action for the out food. Music will be provided in hospitals, asylums and jails, as usual.

The exclusive social clubs of the wealthy are planning children's parties and
Christmas trees for almost every day between now and New Year's Day.

day occurred.

La Rose, which had advanced 20 points
the preceding day, to Nipissing. These
shares were bid up rapidly, and the
boom was not abated until the stock
had reached \$9.10, a gain of 55 points
for the session, and a new high record day occurred. Interest shifted from La Rose, which had advanced 20 points for the session, and a new high record for the present year. This price was attained on Toronto Stock Exchange, the shares holding somewhat lower in the mining market. Anticipations of an increase in the dividend for the

stmas. A Christmas tree bought current quarter were responsible for Prices Move Up Rapidly,
While Nipissing was moving up so
rapidly, the filling of a few buying orders for Coniagas carried that issue up to a like extent. The price at its high for the day stood at \$8, a gain of 50 points, and also a new high record for the year. Peterson Lake, Chambers and City of Cobalt in the lessen stocks were all in demand with lesser stocks, were all in demand, with Peterson selling above 20 for the first time this year, and Chambers at a point advance to 24 3-4. La Rose sold

in the neighborhood of \$3.

In the Porcupine list the continued strength of Pearl Lake was the feature of the day. This issue moved up another full point to 27, making a net gain of three points a share in two days, and closed with the demand still in evidence. It is hinted that an announcement will soon be made which will explain the advance, meanwhile it is freely predicted that the stock is due for much higher levels. Hollinger sold at \$15.60 on the curb, thus maintaining at practically unchanged

NEW HARBOR COMMISSIONER

OTTAWA, Dec. 24.-(Special.)-At to-Farquhar Robertson, head of the big coal firm bearing his name, and Lieut.-Coi. Labelle, general manager of the St. Lawrence Flour Mills, are the other members. The appointment sees into effect with the new year. All three men are prominently identified with the commercial and industrial life of Montreal.

Adieu! 'till Friday Morning

Oh! the luxury of turning over in bed in the early dawn of a Winter's morning, after several weeks of strenuous, but successful work, feeling that one has "a day off," just to follow his own "sweet will."

The Christmas campaign is over, and well over so far as we are concerned. The results have far exceeded our most sanguine expectations. When we read the last chapter of the story of our Christmas trade, as reeled off by our adding machines Tuesday night, we simply said: "Whew! where did it all come from?"

We appreciate very highly the increasing confidence manifested by our patrons from year to year, and rejoice, not only for our own sakes, but because ours being almost entirely a business of luxuries, may easily be taken as an indication of the general prosperity of our

Just to allow our loyal and enthusiastic staff-Salesmen, Offices, Mail Order, Jewelers, Engravers, Watch Makers, Opticians, Plate Printers, Die Cutters, Wrappers, Checkers, Drivers, Floor Boys, everybody about the place—another taste of this luxurious feeling of an extra "day off," we have decided to close our store on Christmas Day and the day following (known in "Merrie Eng-land" as "Boxing Day), morning-everybody in good humor, thoroughly rested, and ready for all the business with which you may

Until Friday morning, therefore, "au revoir."

Ryrie Bros 134-138 Yonge St.

TORONTO

C. N. R. EARNINGS SHOW BIG INCREASE

Road Is Piling Up Big Gains in Net Receipts-Mileage in Operation Grows Rapidly.

Canadian Northern earnings continue to show a marked increase, the gross for last week evidencing a gain of \$37,700, while from July 1 to date the gain was \$1,796,400,

Gross earn. .\$10,107,900 \$8,503,300 \$1,604,600 Expenses ... 7,255,900 6.062,000 1,173,900 Net earn. ... \$2872,000 2,441,300 490,700 The mileage in operation has increased, from \$731 in November, 1911, to 4297 last month.

FITZ HERBERT IS RETIRED

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Mr. Charles Kohler said Yesterday that he has decided to send to the stud his horse Fitz Herbert, who is now in France, and, among others, Mr. T. P. Thorne, an American, who has been very successful in breeding winners there, will send two of his best imares to the son of Ethelbert. It will be recalled that Fitz Herbert, who won the Suburban of 1900, was sold by S. C. Hildreth to John E. Madden in 1910 for 240,000, but repurchased at an advance, and about a year ago was one of the extensive string purchased by Mr. Kohler from Hildreth and sent to France. Fitz Herbert has never been raced in that country, is sound enough to be breezed in work, but because of the restrictive conditions of nearly all the races in France there has been no opportunity to run him.

Mr. Kohler has just purchased from Mr. James Keene the eight-year-old howse Superman, by Comamnde, out of Anomaly, by Bend d'Or, and, with the stallions Charles Edward and Master Robert he will be kept at his owner's Ramape stud. In New Jersey, where there are about thirty mares, including two just bought by Mr. Kohler from William Lakeland. These mares are Query, half-sister to Electioner, and Elegant, by Orme, out of Kallush. Superman was a stable companion of Peter Pan, was of the same, age, and in 1907 won the Brooklyn Handideap and other races.

MCNERDAL Rearnings.

SIX CANDIDATES HAVE DROPPED OUT

They Failed to Declare Themselves Within the Thirtythree Hour Limit.

DAVIES "STANDS PAT"

Labor Men Complain About Equity of Qualification and Want a Change.

Just six candidates of the would-be aldermen who allowed their names to go on the nomination papers for election in the various wards, failed to put in an appearance at the city hall by nine o'clock last night, therefore, City Clerk Littlejohn declared them out of the running.

In ward one, Ald. Zeph. Hilton, who has represented the ward for some time, failed to make his declaration. "I would like to have run." said he. "but my business partner cannot be expected to run our business." He appreciates the honor previously conferred upon him, and particularly kopes to see Ald. Robbins re-elected. The other psuedo alderman who did not materialize, in so far as nomination is concerned, is Thomas Charles and J. Bathgate.

Dr. Walter Frazer Bryans will not be in the list of "also raps." to say the least, in ward two, on Jan. 1 next. Neither he, nor his backers, J. F. M. Stewart and Charles A. McArthur visited the city clerk within the 33 hour limit.

Five for Three.

There will Cost Quarter Million and Present Building Used For Inland Revenue.

Used For Inland Revenue.

BERLIN, Ont. Dec. 24.—(Special.)—A fine Christmas gift was received by the city today, the announcement being made by W. G. Weichel, M.P., that the Dominion Government would give Berlin a \$250,000 postoffice building and the present federal building would be used for customs, inland revenue and excise only. Several options have been taken and \$50,000 will be set aside for a site in the current budget. The new building will be situated in the east ward.

CONTRACT IS VOID.

H. Lucas & Sons Lose Work and Also May Lose Deposit.

The board of education held a special meeting Tuesday afternoon, and decided that an May Lose Deposit.

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to do things."

The eleven candidates for board of control have all the necessary qualifications for the position of controller, and have so declared themselves. Their names will come before the electors in due course.

A LITTLE NINE-YEAR-OLD.

Imbued With the Christmas Spirit-She Sends Christmas Greetings to the Siok Children in the Con-sumptive Hospitals—A Cute Child-Like Letter.

ture makes the whole world kin. This is the case with the little folks, perhaps, as much as with the older ones. Here is a very human letter received by the secretary of the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives. The writer is a little girl of Lisgar, Que. She had seen a picture of a little nine-year-old girl in The Door of Hope, the magazine of the Muskoka Free Hospi-ial for Consumptives, and asked her mother for a dollar to send as a con-tribution. "Next year," she says, "Fil

age, and in 1907 won the Brooklyn Handicap and other races.

C. P. R. Earnings.

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—(Special.)—
C. P. R. earnings for week ended Dec.
21. \$2,865,000; same week last year,
\$2,528,000.

A Progressive Candidate.

Among the new candidates for the 1913 council, H. H. Ball stands out prominently. His work in North Toronto against the Metropolitan Railways attempt to get a further monopoly entitles him to a position in the city council. But he has also progressive views which mean improved civic government, and he has the idea that the high cost of living must be met by higher rates of wages until other remedies can be found.

BERLIN WILL HAVE FINE POSTOFFICE

New Structure Will Cost Quarter

The for Three.

There will only be two disappointed gentlemen in ward three on the night of election day now that G. J. Ramsden, gentleman, of 45 Yorkville avenue, who was proposed by W. C. Miller and D. J. Bannerman, has not declared himself.

Duncan Joseph McDougald, a stock broker, living at 45c Brunswick avenue, proposed by T. J. Lash and Dr. C. Day Clark, had aspirations for aldermanic honors in ward tour, but changed his mind, and didn't make his declaration.

Labor Complains.

The board of Cial meeting Tuesday afternoon, and decided that as Messrs. H. Lucas & Sons had declined to enter into contract for masonry work for the new school building on Kele street, awarded to them at a meeting held Dec. 5, the contract would be awarded to Messrs. Teagle & Son, for \$38,800, theirs being the next lowest tender. Chairman Dr. Conboy and Trustees Brown, Hartney, Noble, Ellis, Hodgson, Smith, McTaggart and Jackson were present.

CHRISTMAS TRAVEL BREAKS **EVERY PREVIOUS RECORD**

Continued From Page 1.

pany's sheds at the station by the escape of a crateful of game poultry. The birds alighted on the trains on one side of the shed and on street cars and cabs on the street side of the building. The greatest difficulty was experienced in an attempt to round them up, at least a score of baggage men and freight handlers joining in the chase for the escaping poultry. The scene was watched by many amused spectators.

Borrowed Cars Used.

A significant feature of the Toronto traffic is that the railways here had in use several hundred cars from American roads, borrowed to meet the extra requirements of the holiday rush. "It goes to show that the Canadian railways have not anything like the number of cars that they should have," said a railway official in discussing the

PERSISTENCE OF AUSTRIA IN MOBILIZING ITS ARMY IS CAUSING GRAVE ALARM

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peace will be signed by the belligerents, but why, in view of the settlement of the cause of the quarrel between Austria and Servia, Austria does not demobilize.

Anxiety is Keen.

The European chancelleries are watching with the keenest anxiety for some signs of demobilization of the Austrian forces. With the settlement of the incident arising from the complaint of illtreatment by the Austrian consul at Prispend, and the announcement by the ambassadorial conference that it favored autonomy for Albania, and a commercial port on the Adriatic for Servia, every reason for the Austrian mobilization apparently was ended. The failure of that country to demobilize coincides with the announcement from St. Petersburg yesterday of the enforcement of a drastic censorship on news concerning military affairs in Russia.

Russia Well Prepared. The mobilizations by Russia and Austria have been quite different, Russia having cafled to the colors relatively more men than Austria, and also used a different method in gathering them together. Early in November a draft of 300,000 Russians was due to finish their military training. At the last moment, however, they received orders to remain with the colors. These orders still are in force and give Russia a margin of 300,000 veterans. Austria's mob-

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But Will Be Open Again Early Tomorrow Morning And Remain Open

Tuesday, 6 P.M., Dec. 31st

A MERRY XMAS TO EVERYONE

Woman's Realm---the Household; Fashions and Society

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will receive at Government House, College street, from 4 to 6 o'clock on New

The Right Hon. R. L. Borden and Mrs. Borden have left to sepnd two weeks at Virginia Hot Springs.

Mr. George Beardmore is giving a small dinner-dance this evening.

The Toronto Skating Club will meet at the Arena Gardens at 2.30 this after-

Miss Helen Stevenson has returned from Washington, D.C., to spend Christmas with her parents.

A party from Government House attended the Royal Alexandra on Monday evening.

Mr. Lindsey Drummond, R.M.C., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Drummond.

The marriage of Miss Mabel White to Mr. Marshall P. Stanbury will take place quietly this afternoon, at the residence of her parents.

A few of those at the Skating Clublast night were: Mr. and Mrs. George
Cassels, Mr. and Mrs. Stikeman, Mrs.
W. H. Burns, Miss Gladys Edwards,
Mr. Gibson, Mr. Lexie Martin, Mr. A.
Burrowes, Mr. Baptist Johnson, Mr.
Ernest Kortwright, Miss Jessie Johnston, Miss Maud Boyd, Miss Chelsea
Cassels, Miss Florence Kerr, Mr. Stanley Kerr, Miss Cross, Mr. Christie
Clarke, Miss Dorel Walker, Miss Doris
Reid, Mr. Archie Macdonald, Mr. Burgess, Miss Florence Russell, Capt.
Kingsford, Miss Burrowes, Mr. Arthur
Kirkpafrick, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Clement Peler, Mr. E. Van Koughnet,
Miss Elaine Machray, Mr. Furze, Mr.
Gus Lefroy, Mr. Foster, Mr. and Miss
Lockhart Gordon.

Lady Mann and Sir Donald Mann will spend most of the winter in the

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Magee have at-rived from Montreal to spend Christ-mas with Mr. Justice and Mrs. Ma-

Mr. Arthur Mills of McGillahas gone holidays with his parents. Bishop and Mrs. Lennox Mils at Bishopscourt.

Mrs Victor Armstrong and Miss Leonie Armstrong are spending maceutical Board of New South Christmas with the former's uncle and aunt, Sir Richard and Lady Martin, at Overhury Court, Tewkesbury, Eng-

Overhury Court. Tewkesbury, England.

Mr. Dauglas A. Paterson, who is with the "Little Women" company at the Royal Alexandra for Christmas any one of the familiar poisons is week, and Mrs. Paterson, are the used this acts as a strong suggestion guests of Mrs. Saxon F. Shenstone, on persons who are depressed or for Wychwood Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nicholls of poison if it is easy for them to obtain Sydney, N.S., are the guests of Mr. it. Frederic Nicholls in St. George street.

Miss Isobel and Miss Beatrice Ang-lin, who are attending school in Mon-treal, have left to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. Jusdepression would pass without suicide only that the means for ending life are thus suggested as so ready to hand. Physicians are agreed on the tice and Mrs. Anglin in Ottawa.

Certain substances which may be bought without trouble are thus fre-quently employed. Often the state of

Some of Napoleon's Monuments. When Napoleon was at St. Helena, a companion asked him one day about

bourg; the harbor works of Venice; the great roads from Antwerp to Am-sterdam; from Mainz to Metz; from

roads from the Pyrenees to the Alps, from Parma to Spezzia, from Savona

to Piedmont; the bridges of Jena, Austerlitz, of Sevres; the canal from

the Rhine to the Rhone: the canal that joins the Scheldt and the Somme—"

building of waterways and roads as his lasting monuments.

Waterways and roads wouldn't be

bad for the present generation to leave

be keenly alive to your own advan-tage. Carelessness at this time may

And so he goes on, recounting the

Mrs. Stanfield Ivey, Montreal, is in Toronto, the guest of Mrs. Bruce Smith.

nounces the engagement of her eldest daughter, Edith Edna, to Mr. James Joyce of Cranbrook, B.C.

Mrs. Armitage of Unionville -an-

Miss Jean and Miss Nora White or spending a few weeks in London, Ontario.

Mr. Basil O'Neill of the western inare spending a few weeks in London, Ontario.

Mr. Basil O'Neill of the western in-spection department of the Dominion Bank, will spend Christmas and New Year with his mother and brother at 79 Yorkville avenue.

Why Not Spend the Winter in California?

Attractive rates will be quoted by variable routes, affording finest scenery. The Los Angeles Limited, leaving Chicago daily 10.16 p.m. for Southern California, the San Francisco Over-California, the Satistical California, the Satistical California, the Satistical California, less than three days en route, provide the best of everything in railway travel. The China and Japan Mail leaves Chicago daily 10.45 p.m. for San Francisco and Los Angeles. Illustrated literature on application to B. H. Bennett, General Agent, Chicago and Northwestern Railway, 46 Yonge street, Toronto, Ont. 36tf



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consorate coat. The wide collar revers are fashloned of two rows of fur and a single row edges the circular cut-away basque; the long sleeves, slightly rucked over a piping-cord, are also finished with this always-becoming form of trimming. Soft satin ribbon encircles the high waist and falls in two deep loops at the side. It should be noticed that the buttons are attached to the front of the narrow skirt by means of tiny silk cords.

AUGHTER A GREAT BEAUTY

MAKER' SAYS MILF DECIVE

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Bordeaux to Bayonne; the passes of the Simplon, of Mont Cenis, of Mount Genevre, of the Corniche, that gave four openings thru the Alps: The

Portuguese Beauty, Friend of Ex-King Manuel, Tells How She Retains Her Good Looks by Keeping Merry-Her Teeth Are More Precious Than Her Pearls - Eschews Cosmetics.

Keep yourself steadily at work, and at them, too. tage. Carelessness at this time may cause disaster, while cleverness will bring you great success.

These born today will be well advan"Yes, laughter is a great beautifier.
It is the opposite of tears, those tears which wade the eves so while be a second to the second tears. Those born today will have serious makes them brilliant. Being sorrowful natures, religiously inclined, and will wrinkles the forehead, while smiles natures, religiously inclined, and will have little interest in the accumulation of money. With some object which seems to them worthy, they are drooped before with painful thoughts, tireless workers and are capable of accomplishing much. Their early education should be broad, lest they become superstitious and fanatic.

When they rouge their lips also apply and laugh without making wrinkles, when they rouge to their gums and this makes the teeth shine brightly so that they are not unwilling to smile in and out of season.

"You may be one of the people who thinks that laughter makes crow's feet which is how lots af people do who observed in the accumulation of money. With some object to the frivolity of laughter."

Galt Growing Fast.

GALT, Dec. 24.—(Special.)—For this year, up to date, building permits issued in Galt amounted to \$505,000. It such that fund the play and thinking of her own troubles and worries, that face to me, no matter how beautiful the features, is not other women how to be pretty. other women how to be pretty.

"Now that I sit so seriously with paper and ink and my pen in hand, pulling my curls to make myself think, I look into the mirror that hangs above the desk, and it is not the little Gaby that I see, but a person, oh! so very serious, with wrinkled brow and tightly pressed lips.

ter how beautiful the features, is not pretty. I have often noticed that people who have good teeth laught a great deal more than those who haven't. At least they laugh more frankly, more cordially, so it is necessary to consult with the dentist frequently and make your teeth as beautiful as possible in order that you may show them without are lives that are destroyed, the lives that are lost.

"The teeth look white by comparison with red gums and red lips. These, of is 746 feet high. ccurse, are a sign of good health, and while we are young, we should not be forced to draw upon the aid of cosint is not necessary to screw the face up
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CHRISTMAS DAY

Shines high and bright a guiding star; And peace and love, good-will on earth, Are born with every baby's birth. On Christmas Day the boundaries

of earth and heaven touch, and the love of God and the love of man inter-

And having its dawn and brightness in the face of a little child it consecrates our love for children, and makes us strive to five them happiness. For the day is a child festival, the birthday of a child. And so we hang our homes with

greens and Christmas decorations; and we beautify the Christmas tree-the tree whose top points to heaven, and whose branches stretch out in all directions to symbolize fraternity and hospitality.

hospitality.

It is well and right that we should keep up the good old custom of hanging up the children's stockings at the fireplace, it is good that there should be gifts for the little ones. Did not the Wise Men travel long roads to offer gifts at the manger-cradle of Bethlehem? But let the gifts be few and simple, and aid in keeping the children in accord with the Christmas spirit, which is kindliness, consideration and concern for others.

A simpler Christmas would give us time to remember those in pain, poverty or loneliness. For Christmas does not mean joy everywhere. There are those who suffer physical pain, there are many who feel keenly the pinch of poverty, and there are some who dread the loneliness of today as the loneliest of all days.

all days.

Just a thought for these others, just a

Just a thought for these others, just a little effort towards lifting the particular sorrow will make the children's Christmas Day as happy as it is intended to be.

All the beautiful wonders and symbols should make us glad of this day. Glad in the true spirit of the life that was given to the world on that first

that patriotic event because in the early days of the republic other means for the working off of youthful spirits had not been devised. Small cannon were common enough, in many rural monopoly.

If he takes the trouble to investigate, the average consumer will discover that the coal railroads controlling the supply of anthracite have agreed among themselves on uniformly high

The indifference to danger which was characteristic then still persists, and meantime the incient cannon have been succeeded by innumerable inventions which may deservedly be called infernal. The toy pistol, which is very much in evidence this year as Christmas approaches, seems to be about the worst of the lot, but there are others nearly as bad in their capacity for working injury to young America, and a menace besides to property. If this passion for fireworks manifested itself simply on Christmas Day or during Christmas week it would be bad enough, but it begins to show itself weeks in advance of the holidays and it lasts until the supply of explosives is exhausted. Tens of

"But, you are not pretty at all!" I say to my image, and laugh to think that she should be advising others, and straightway the little Gaby in the glass laughs back at me, and I think, 'well, you are passable,' and I have found out one of the secrets of beauty at least. To be pretty you must be merry. I did not know that before myself, because I laugh a great deal naturally and was always giggling at school and getting punished for it, tho that never late according to the punishments were absurd and I laughed the services of 100,000 to the services of 100,000 to the punishments were absurd and I laughed the services of 100,000 to the

BAKING POWDER ABSOLUTELY PURE

Cooking is a matter which concerns the whole family, and under modern methods and conveniences it is made so attractive the whole family is becoming interested, if not taking part in it.

"These biscuits are delicious; this cake is excellent," says the father. "I made them," says the daughter, and both father and daughter beam with pleasure.

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HIGH PRICE OF COAL. Railway Monopoly in States Cause of Great Increases.

Glad in the true spirit of the life that was given to the world on that first Christmas, a life of simplicity in itself, and of love and consideration for others.

THE SOUTH HAS

A NEW PERIL

Passion For Explosives Expresses liself Around Christmas Time in Southern States.

Says The Charleston News and Courier: We do not know just when the custom of celebrating the Christmas season with fireworks was introduced into the south. Probably it followed the discontinuance of the habit of observing the Fourth of July in this manner, and the use of explosives was doubtless suggested in connection with that patriotic event because in the early days of the republic other means

the average consumer will insist upo some measure of relief from long-es-tablished extortion. If the courts, as

Volta's Electrical Apparatus.

In a little old curiosity shop in a back street of a small Italian town, Sir Henry Norman. M.P., recently came across a collection of electrical apparatus constructed by Volta, the Italian pioneer in electrical experiments. According to The London Times, which reports the discovery, the unde of the grandfather of the present owner of the collection was Volta's cook and body servant for thirty years. On the death of the scientist, he left much of his experimental apparatus with his body servant, and they have since passed down from generation to generation. The collection comprises a cupboard full of old apparatus, a number of books, portraits, papers and letters, and some personal and domestic articles. Sir Henry Norman suggests that the collection be purchased and presented to the Royal Institution to remain alongside Faraday's original apparatus.

New Deutsches Museum of Munich. The Industrial Museum of Munich which is one of the most important institutions of the kind in Germany, is taking measures to increase the efficiency of the establishment, and especially to add the industrial collections in the way of models or specimens. To this end it decided to send a commission to the United States in order to examine the industrial field and visit the museums. The collections are at present installed in temperary quarters, but a handsome building is under construction for the purpose, and it will be inaugurated in 1915.

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AUGHT AFTER A CHASE

Constable Thompson Deserves Credit For Clever Capture of Charles Calladine Alias Frank Williams.

After hurling a flat iron thru the window of Grossman's jewelry store, 3141-2 Yonge street, about 6 o'clock yesterday morning, a bold robber attempted to clear the show window of valuables and would have succeeded had it not been for the prompt action of Constable Thompson (314.)

The officer was patrolling his beat with Patrol Sergeant Brown, when he noticed Constable MacDermott signaling him from a Yonge street car. While he was trying to interpret the signs, Herbert Saunders, 33 Hayter street, rushed up and explained that a man was robbing a store farther down the street.

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Benevolence of Christmas Season Is Reflected in Growing List of Subscriptions For Fund.

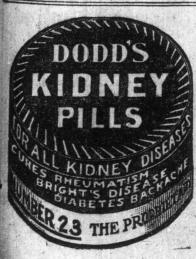
The benevolence of the Christmas eason is reflected in the growing list subscriptions to the King Edward ought to be in Washington." Memorial Fund for Consumptives.
Yesterday the following amounts were announced by the trustees of the National Sanitarium Association, making \$5700 for the day: A. R. Denison, \$2500; W. S. Dinnick, \$1000; John C. Green & Co., \$500; Lewndes Co., \$500; J. D. Ivey, \$500; Gerard B. Strathy, \$250; H. H. Hudson, \$250; W. D. Ross, \$100; W. H. Becker, \$100. R. Mulholland, whose contribution of \$5000, announced last week, supplements his gift of ed last week, supplements his gift of one of the first buildings at the Torento Free Hospital for Consumptives, is a Torontonian, and not, as erroneously stated, a resident of Port Hope.

PLANS FOR WORKS MUST BE PASSED

Ontario Railway Board Must Give Sanction to Waterworks and Extension Plans Before Third Reading.

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Boston's Civic Christmas Tree.

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—(Can. Press.)—A giant Christmas tree, all ablaze with red and blue lights, cast its glow over Boston Common and to the neighboring busy streets tonight, while a band discoursed music and variety singing societies caroled old-time Christmas melodies.

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At Osgoode Hall ANNOUNCEMENTS.

December 24, 1912.

Motions set down for single court for Thu sday, 26th inst., at 10 a.m.:

1. Winchell v. Frank.

2. Loveland v. McNairnay.

During Christmas vacation the master in chambers will sit at 10.30 a.m. sharp on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Empeal to either party. Riddell, J. thinks appeal should be dismissed with costs.

The rate of the entire cruise is \$639.10, exc use of maintenance between arrival time in Engiand and departure of the "Empress of Assia," sailing from Southambton May 27, 1913.

A similar cruise will be made by the direct committenance of the "Empress of Assia," sailing from Southambton May 27, 1913.

Get particulars from Canadian Pacific agent, or write M. G. Murphy, D. P. A., C. P. R. Ilway. Toronto.

Beston's Big Drydock.

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—(Can. Press.)—Three million dollars were appropriated to summary the summary of the construction at South Boston of one of the largest drydocks in North America. The drydock will accommodate a ship 1000 feet in length and 120 feet in breadth.

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FARMS FOR SALE.

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REFORM IN TAXLS

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A NY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male ever 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Dutes.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within ul : miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 30 acres, selely owned and occupled by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

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Bylaw to Provide for the Establish ment of a Public Library in the Vil lage of Mimica.

WHEREAS thirty electors have petitioned the council of the said Village of Mimico praying for the establishment of a Public Library under "The Public Libraries Act."

Therefore the Council of the Corporation of the Village of Mimico enacts as follows:

1. That in case the assent of the electors is given to this bylaw, a public library be established in this municipality in accordance with the provisions of "The Public Libraries Act."

2. That the votes of the electors shall be taken on this bylaw on Monday, the 6th day of January, 1913, being the day of the annual election for the municipal council, and the polis shall be held at the same hour on the same day, at the same place or places, and by the same deputy returning officers as for the said municipal election.

3. That on the 4th day of January, 1913, at the Public School on Church street, in the said Village of Mimico, at 12 o'clock noon, the reeve will attend to appoint in writing, signed by him, two persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes by the clerk, and one person to attend at each poling place on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of promoting the passing of this bylaw, and a like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of opposing the passing of this bylaw, and a like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of opposing the passing of this bylaw. 4. The clerk shall attend at the said Public School, Mimico, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, on the 5th day of January, 1913, to sum up the number of votes respectively for and against the said by-law

Reeve. The above is a true copy of a proposed bylaw which will be taken into consideration by the Council of the Village of Mimico after one month from the eighteenth day of December, 1912, being the date of the first publication thereof, and the polls for taking the votes of the electors will be held at the hour, day and places named in the bylaw.

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A. DODS, Clerk.



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PERSONAL. DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP— Messrs. Stanley and Sewell, contrac-tors, beg to announce the dissolution of partnership by mutual consent on and after Dec. 30th, 1912. Mail accounts to Robt. Stanley, 181 Quebec avenue.

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RICHARD G KIRBY, carpenter, con CUSTOMS BROKER G. McCRIMMON, 122 Wellington

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Stock Markets Quiet --- Nipissing Leads the Mining Issues

DECEMBER DEBENTURE **CIRCULAR**

Present market conditions make it possible for investors to obtain the most favored Canadian Municipal Debentures at lower prices than have prevailed since 1907.

easy today. Operators on the stock exchange were principally occupied with the mining carryover and holiday festivities, and the markets were quiet and featureless. Grand Trunk shares were only slightly affected by the indictment of President Edson J. Chamberlin and Alfred W. Smithers, chairman of the board of directors of the Grand Trunk System Grand Trunk System

American securities opened steady.
Trading was quiet during the forenoon, but the list advanced from 1-4
to a point under the lead of Canadian
Pacific. Prices moved within narrow
limits during the rest of the session,
and the market closed dull but steady.

C. P. R. SPONSORS DIDN'T MAKE MONEY

C.P.R. employes, pointed out that none of the men identified with the organization and construction of the C.P.R. had made any fortunes out of it. He also remarked that Lord Mount Stephen, who had risked more than anybody else in connection with the construction of this line, sold all his stock when he retired from the company in 1885 at around 55. That nobleman's connection with the company had proved a distinct financial loss. Lord Strathcona had retained his original 5000 shares and, of course, by participating in new issues, has benefited handsomely, but with that one exception not a single man connected

amount of money from his financial connection with the com-STRUCK RICH ORE

The Bailey property in Cobalt is rapidly making a name for itself, and from all present indications will be heard from in the very near future. be Last week, so it is reported, an excel-lent strike was made at the fourth level, and it is understood that some phenomenally rich ore is being taken The company will ship another car of ore within the next few days.

TORONTO MARKET IN APATHETIC MOOD

Speculative Enthusiasm and Only Small Price

ciaration of a small bonus for the current quarter.

General Electric moved up again to 114, and Spanish River, both the common and preferred, gained a point for the day. Maple Leaf preferred at 37 1-2 stood at its highest level since the price at the opening of the month. Bell Telephone maintained its recent advance, with little stock offering at the higher quotations. In the mines Nipissing, Coniagas and La Rose were all buoyant and higher.

Shareholders of the United Cobalt Exploration Co., a highly strung organization promoted in New York by Grant Hugh Browne several years ago, and which from its inception never amounted to anything, have received certified cheques for 50 cents on the dollar of the amount of their original subscription. The Equitable Trust Co.

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy Disposes of Fancy Tales of Fabulous Fortunes of the Insiders.

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, reviewing the history of and it is likely that at the rest annual state of the history of and it is likely that at the rest annual state of the history of and it is likely that at the rest annual state of the history of and it is likely that at the rest annual state of the history of and it is likely that at the rest annual state of the history of and it is likely that at the rest annual state of the history of and it is likely that at the rest annual state of the history of and it is likely that at the rest annual state of the history of and it is likely that at the rest annual state of the history of and it is likely that at the rest annual state of the history of annual state of the history Shaughnessy, reviewing the history of and it is likely that at the next annual the C.P.R. at the annual banquet of the meeting there will be several changes in the personnel of the present board.

HIGHER PRICES SOON FOR COPPER METAL

Chas. Head & Co. to J. E. Osborne Today's market has been a typical holiday one, with transactions up to 2 p. m. only 83,000 snare.. The local tractions were the leaders in point of strength. The coppers hold steady, tho dull, and with the settlement of the war scare abroad and the return of confidence there, copper metal will be in great demand and its price maintained, if not advanced. Closing was with the C.P.R. has made even a readull the steady to strong. Money loan ed at 8 per cent. on call. The outlook would seem to favor buying on all favorable opportunities.

HIGHER MONEY RATES IN NEW YORK MARKET

AT BAILEY PROPERTY Erickson Perkins & Co. had the following: The little spurt in call money rates was without effect on prices. Previous advances in money have apparently discounted the probable stock market changes. Money will remain fairly snug until after the end of the year, but this will not deter people from operations in stocks. Advices

THE STANDARD BANK

of CANADA

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND NOTICE No. 89.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of Thirteen Per Cent. per annum upon the capital stock of this Bank has been declared for the quarter ending 31st January, 1913, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office in this city and at its Branches on and after Saturday, the 1st day of February, 1913, to shareholders of record of 21st January, 1913.

The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Head Office of the Bank in Toronto on Wednesday, the 19th day of February next, at

GEO, P. SCHOLFIELD. General Manager. Toronto, 18th December, 1912.

CANNERS ROSE TO NEW HIGH RECORD

Holiday Dulness Restricts the That Was Leading Feature of Big Cobalt Stocks Move in a a Dull Session in Montreal -Specialties Were

Changes Are Evon.

THE UNDERTONE IS FIRM

Several of the Specialties Improve Their Position—Brail and Antique The Changes In the Special Improvement of the Specialties Improvement of the Specialties Improvement of the Theorem to a new luth record price the special price the special price in the Indige at the State Indige of the Specialties Improvement of the Theorem to a new luth record price in the Indige at the State Indige of the State Indige of

the higher quotations. In the mines Niples ng. Coniagas and La Rose were all buoyant and higher.

FURNESS INTERESTS
IN CONTROL OF R. & O.

Are Associated With Inland Navigation Crowd—Changes in Board Likely.

It new seems certain that the control of the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co. has passed from the hands of these who formerly controlled the original company to the hands of the Furness-Withy little esits, say arculating Bros. & Co.. This change would likely have taken place some time ago but the matter after the original stock in the matter or the basis of the properties of the Equitable Trust Co. and some genius several months ago discovered the fact that there would be no issue of stock put out unless \$2.

The united Cobalt Co. was actually legally involved for having allowed the stock to go out at all.

Attorneys having taken the matter on the basis of 50 cents on the dollar.

The United Cobalt Co. was organized in 1906 by Browne to take up a lot of options of mining

any consequence was ever attempted in the matter after the original stock allotment

NOT HIGH IN PRICE

Money continues too tight to permi of any large increase in speculation, and little improvement in this respect is looked for before the middle of January. Most of the recent trading has been of an investment or professional character, as brokers are not able to crease their marginal accounts on ecount of the difficulty in financing, and as a result movements have been sudden and spasmodic. The general sentiment is good, and prices are not generally considered to be high, but the most hopeful do not look for any general advance before the turn of the year.—McQuag Bros. & Co.

CANADIAN MARCONI DROPS DOWN FURTHER

A sale of Canadian Marconi was made on the curb this week at \$4, the lowest price recorded on the shares before the big boom last spring, when in the general flutter in wireless stocks they were carried above ten dollars. The most remarkable feature of the whole movement is the fact that there has been so small a volume of the shares liquidated at the higher prices. If they were distributed as widely as the insiders would have one such big profits were within reach.

MINING STOCKS MEET WITH PUBLIC FAVOR

Public interest in the Cobalt and Porcupine stocks, and more particularly in the former, is increasing from day to day, and from all present indications the market is in for a big revival of interest. There is no idea that a "boom" is in prospect; such is neither expected nor even desired. that a boom is in prospect; such is neither expected nor even desired. Nevertheless, the fact remains that the technical position is remarkably sound, and on this account those who take on securities of demonstrated merit will in all likelihood find fair profits within their reach at no distant date. It looks as the the next few months would witness an active specu-lative movement, with prices definite-ly on the upgrade.

CONSOLS IN LONDON.

NEW HIGH RECORDS IN MINING MARKET

Blaze of Glory - Nipissing and Coniagas Go

firm tone without displaying any Porcupine Issues Are Making Local Group Showed Only

HOLIDAY SPURT IN **NEW YORK MARKET**

Trading Was Almost at a Standstill, Bulls and Bears Joining in Brisk Snow-

PEARL LAKE UP AGAIN BUYING OF TRACTIONS

ball Battle.

Signs of Life-Short Selling on Small Scale In-

THE NORTHERN CROWN BANK

The Seventh Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Northern Crown Bank was held at the Banking House, Winnipeg, on Wednesday, 18th December, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon, when the following report was submitted by the Directors:

Statement of the Result of the Business of the Bank for the Eleven Months Ended 30th November, 1912.

The Balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account on the 31st

Appropriated as follows: Dividend No. 11 at 6 per cent. per annum, payable Written off Bank Premises and Office Furniture

Balance carried forward at Credit of Profit and Loss Account. .\$181,672.54 GENERAL STATEMENT 30th November, 1912.

LIABILITIES. Capital Stock (paid up) \$ 2,677,996.21 Unclaimed Dividends 493.25 72,648.98 Half-Yearly Dividend, payable 2nd Dec., 1912 554,814.77

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Gold and Silver Coin Current Government Demand Notes Deposit with Dominion Government required by Act of Parliament for security of General Bank Note Circulation\$ believe, the shareholders must have hung on very tenaciously, even when Due by Agents and other Banks in Canada... Due by Agents and other Banks elsewhere than in Canada and the United Kingdom

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THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

Rest, \$12,500,000

Drafts on Foreign Countries

Every branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce is equipped to issue on application drafts on the principal cities and towns of the world, drawn in the currency of the country in which the drafts are payable. This Bank has unexcelled facilities for handling every description of banking business throughout the world.

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Members Standard Stock and Mining Exchange.

day. The rise was regarded as a natural development at this time, with final preparations for the year end financing, but a few days off. The year end dividend and interest disbursements which must be arranged, are placed in the neighborhood of \$250,000,000.

SILVER PRICES

MONEY MARKET.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Montreal f'ds. par. par. ½ to ½
Ster., 60 days. \$5-16 \$94 \$94 \$34
Ster., demand. 9 9-32 9 5-16 9 9-16 9 11-16
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—Rates in New York.—
Actual. Posted.
Sterling, 60 days sight... 481, 25 483½
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6 Per Cent Investments

Six per cent. bonds, secured by first mortgage and safe-guarded in every possible way by thorough investigation of assets, earnings and manage-ment of the issuing Companies, are the most attractive of all investments. List of selected bonds on re-

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DOMINION BOND COMPANY, LIMITED

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OTISSE-CURRIE CONSOLIDATED SILVER MINES LIMITED

Offers will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of the 16th day of December, 1912, for the purchase of Mining Reserve No. 752, on Silver Lake, Township of Mickle, containing 33.45 acres, more or less, which laim was formerly operated by the claim was formerly operated by the above Company near Elk Lake. Ontari E. R. C. CLARKSON & SONS,

33 Scott Street, Toronto. ... 36

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Neill, Beatty & Co

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> DIVIDEND NOTICES Dividend Notice

THE STANDARD LOAN COMPANY Notice is hereby given that a civilend of three per cent for the here ear ending 31st December, 1913, being year ending 31st December, 1912, being at the rate of six per cent, per annum upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Company, has been declared, and will be payable on and after the second day of January, 1913, to shareholder of record at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1912.

By order of the board.

W. S. DINNICK,

Vice-President and Manager.

Toronto, December 20th, 1912.

THE UNION TRUST **COMPANY**, Limited

DIVIDEND NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a vidend of 2 1-2 per cent. be-

TEN PER CENT. per annum, upon the Paid-up.
Capital Stock of this Company
has been declared for the quarter ending 31st December, 1818,
and the same will be payable at
the office of the Company,
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THE STOCK MARKETS

TORONTO STOCKS

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Cobalts—

Bailey 674 7 674 7 8,000

Beaver 4214 4214 4214 4214 1,500

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City of Cob. 34 1,000

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Hargraves 6 100

La Rose 295 200

McKin Dar. 194 100

Nipissing 870 908 870 900 360

Pet. Lake 1914 2034 1914 2014 26,000

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Porcupines—

Dome Lake 1614 500

Dome Ex. 7 2,000

Imperial 254 4,000 2121/2 161 151 190 1521/4 200 178

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Pearl Lake 26
Swastika 10
Miscellaneous—
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MONTREAL STOCKS

THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF AN EXECUTOR ===

are too onerous to be imposed upon a friend. Your executor should have experience with securities similar to those comprised in your estate, and with the making of investments in general.

This company has the requisite experience and is legally authorized to act as executor. We invite investigation of our facilities and financial responsibility.

NARROW MOVEMENT IN GRAIN MARKET

Downward Tendency Prevail ed Despite Efforts to Raise Wheat Quotations-Corn and Oats Weaker.

felicitations of the season rather than news.

Selling of December corn, which closed with a loss of 5-8c to 3-4c, was the feature of trade in corn. Most of it went to cash houses, while May, at concessions in price, was taken by commission houses. Trade was dull.

There was a rumor in the oats pit, and the rumor was authoritatively denied, that a transaction involving 250,000 hushels of oats, had been privately settled. This, and the decline in corn and slowness in the cook market, depressed prices on a dull market.

Trade in provisions was stagnant and fluctuations very narorw. The close was irregular.

Northwest Receipts.

Receipts of wheat at nurthwest points with usual comparisons, follow:

Week, Year
Yester, ago, ago.
Chicago 58 22
Duluth 514 273 118
Minneapolis 654 391 517
Winnipeg 568 607 494

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ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 500 bushels of grain, and 16 loads of hay.

Prices for both hay and grain were unchanged.

Grain—

Wheat, new, bushel... \$0 93 to \$0 :7 Wheat, goose, bushel... \$0 90 0 92 Rye, bushel... \$0 65 ...

Rarley, bushel... \$0 40 0 41 Barley, bushel... \$0 65 0 .72 Peas, bushel... \$0 65 0 .72 Peas, bushel... \$0 50 ...

Buckwheat, bushel... \$0 50 ...

Peas, bushel ... 1 00

Buckwheat, bushel ... 0 50

Seeds—

Alsike, No. 1, bushel. 11 50 to \$12 00

Alsike, No. 2, bushel ... 10 50 11 00

Timothy, No. 1, bushel. 19 50 11 00

Timothy, No. 2, bushel ... 125 1 60

Hay and Straw—

Hay, new, per ton ... \$17 00 to \$18 00

Hay, mixed ... 14 00 16 00

Straw, bundled, ton. 17 50

Veretables—

Potatoes, per bag ... \$1 00 to \$1 15

Apples, per basket ... 0 15 0 25

Apples, per bag ... 0 15 0 25

Apples, per bag ... 0 15 0 25

Apples, per bag ... 0 75

Carrots, per bag ... 0 75

Carrots, per bag ... 0 75

Carrots, per bag ... 0 75

Turnips, per bag ... 0 40

Parsnips, per bag ... 0 40

Parsnips, per bag ... 0 50

Dairy Produce—

Butter, farmers' dairy \$0 30 to \$0 35

Eggs, per dozen ... 0 50 0 60

Poultry, Retail—

Turkeys dressed, lb ... \$0 25 to \$0 30

Spring chickens, lb ... 0 17 0 20

Spring ducks, lb ... 0 17 0 20

Frowl, per lb ... 0 17 0 20

Fresh Meats—

Beef, forequarters, cwt. \$7 50 to \$8 50

Reef, hindquarters, cwt. 10 50

Beef, choice sides, awt. 10 25

Beef, medium, cwt ... 9 06 10 00

Beef, common, cwt ... 5 00 7 50

Mutton, cwt ... 8 00 9 50

Veals, common, cwt ... 7 00 2 50

Veals, prime, cwt ... 10 00 13 00

Dressed hogs, cwt ... 11 25 11 75

Spring lambs, lb ... 0 13 0 13½

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

Hides and Skins.

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front Street, Dealers in Wool, Yarns, Hides, Calfskins and Sheepskins, Raw Furs, Tallow, etc.:

—Hides—
No. 1 inspected steers and cows \$0 15 to \$... No. 2 inspected steers and No. 2 inspected steers and cows ... 0 14

No. 3 inspected steers, ... 0 13

Country hides, cured ... 0 12 0 13

Country hides, green ... 0 10½ 0 11½

Calfskins, per lb ... 0 14 0 15

Lambskins ... 1 100 1 25

Horsehides, No. 1 3 50

Tallow, No. 1, per lb ... 0 05½ 0 06½

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C.W., 41%c; No. FOREIGN CROPS IN 8 C.W., 40c, lake ports. Ontario wheat—New, 90c to 91c, out-side.) Inferior grades down to 70c. Rye-No. 2, 75c to 76c per bushel, out-

Chicago Markets Open. High. Low. Close. Close.

MONTREAL GRAIN PRODUCE.

Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 63½c to 70c.

Oats—Canadian western, No 2, 43c to 431½c; extra No. 1 feed, 42½c to 43c; No. 2 local white, 41c; No. 3 local white, 40c; No. 4 local white, 39c.

Barley—Manitoba feed, 61c to 62c; malting, 76c to 78c.

Barley—Maliting, 76c o 78c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 57c to 60c.

Flour—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.40; seconds, \$4.90; strong bakers', \$4.70; winter patents, choice, \$5.35; straight rollers, \$4.95 to \$5; do., bags. \$2.20.

Rolled oats—Barrels, \$4.90; bags, 90 lbs., \$2.20.

Cheese—Pinest westerns, 13c to 13½c; finest easterns, 12½c to 12¾c.

Butter—Choicest creamery, 30½c to 30½c; seconds, 27c to 28c.

Eggs—Fresh, 55c, to 60c; selected, 31c to 32c; No. 2 stock, 21c to 22c.

Potatoes—Per bag, car lots 5c to 40c.

Dressed horse—Abattoir kiled, \$12.50 to \$12.25.

Pork—Heavy Canada short out mess.

Barrels, 35 to 45 pieces, \$23; Canada short cut mess.

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Phone Park 134.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 21.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 Manitoba, 7s 7d; No. 2 Manitoba, 7s 5d; No. 3 Manitoba, 7s 3d; futures steady; December, 7s 4½d; March, 7s 3½d; May, 7s 2½d; Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed,old, 6s 2d; futures firm; January, 5s ½d; February, 4s 10d.

Flour—Winter patents, 29s 6d.

Hops in London (Pacific Coast), £4 15s to £6. Hops in London (Pacific Coast), f4 19s to f6.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 70s., Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 tto 30 lbs., 60s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs., 65s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 63s 6d; long clear middles, llght, 28 to 34 lbs., 67s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 61s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., 61s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., 64s.

Lard—Prime western in tierces, 53s; American refined, 54s.

Cheese—Canadian finest white, 62s 6d; colored, 63s 4d.

Turpentin Line city, 31s 9d.

Turpentin Line city, 31s. Rosin—Common, 15s 4d.

Petroleum—Refined, 9d.

Linseed oil, 28s.

Duluth Grain Market
DULUTH, Dec. 24.—Close Wheat—No.
hard, 84%c; No. 1 northern, 83%c; No. 2
northern, 81%c; July, 87%c, nominal; Dember, 82%c asked; May, 88%c.

FAIR CONDITION

Peas No. 2 \$1 to \$1.10, nominal, per Drier Weather Is Required in Europe, But on the Whole Prospects Are Favorable.

> for foreign wheat the past week.
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> France.—The crop outlook is less favorable owing to continued wet weather, which has caused much vermin and weeds. Offerings of native wheat are on weeds. Offerings of native wheat are on a moderate scale, this country still buying foreign wheat.
> Russia.—In the south the weather is mild, elsewhere wintry. Arrivals at the ports light.
> Roumania.—Some advices report port stocks as being very heavy, others light, I am trying to ascertain the truth. The weather is fine and cold.
> Italy.—The crop outlook is favorable. The north is buying from the south, where arrivals are very heavy.
> India—Crop prospects are being maintained.
> North Africa and Hungary.—There are some complaints heard regarding the condition of the seedings.
> Australia.—According to a private report based on the official estimate the surplus of this year's wheat crop will amount to 44,000,000 bushels.
> Argentine.—Our agent cabled last night that the weather was sultry with showers predicted. Today the weather is unsettled.

Buffalo Live Stock.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 24.—Cattle—Receipts 150: active and steady.

Veale—Receipts 75; active and steady at \$4 to \$11.50. at \$4 to \$11.50.

Hogs—Receipts 5000; fairly active; pigs, 10c to 15c highet; others, steady; heavy, mixed and yorkers, \$7.60 to \$7.65; pigs, \$7.65 to \$7.85; roughs, \$6.75 to \$6.90; stags, \$5.50 to \$6.25; dairies, \$7.40 to \$7.65.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 1200; active; lambs, 25c higher; yearlings, 50c higher; others, steady; lambs, \$4.50 to \$8.90; yearlings, \$4 to \$7.50; a few \$7.70.

August and September, and November, 6.38d.
Spot in fair demand; prices higher.
American middling, fair, 7.87d; good middling, 7.33d; middling, 7.13d; low middling, 6.95d; good ordinary, 6.49d; ordinary, 6.01d.

Chicage Live Stock.

CHICAGO. Dec. 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 5500: market steady. Beeves, \$5.60 to \$3.50; Texas steers, \$4.50 to \$5.75; western steers, \$5.75 to \$7.60; stockers and feeders, \$4.25 to \$7.50; calves, \$4.50 to \$10.

Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; market steady; light, \$7 to \$7.40; mixed, \$7.05 to \$7.52½; heavy, \$7.05 to \$7.50; rough, \$7.05 to \$7.52½; heavy, \$7.05 to \$7.50; waxern, \$6.25 to \$5.40; yearlings, \$5.75 to \$7.45.

Lambs, native, \$6 to \$8.65; western, \$6.25 to \$8.65.

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Keeping Pace With The Season

(In the Mantle Section.)

Among the dresses and wraps being offered Thursday there is nothing but the newest and nicest of garments. The reason is not far to seek, for we have to keep our buyers very busy to supply the demand for one-piece dresses and coats. In spite of the demand, however, we have been able to secure very exceptional values for Thursday to sell at remarkably low prices.

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