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GIGANTIC AMERICAN RAILWAY TRUST

BUSINESS MOVING AT FAST PACE IN HOUSE OF COMMONS AT OTTAWA

The Striking Committee-Memb Canadian Soldiers Killed in Af.

the Striking Committee of the Select Canada will be introduced during the pres-Standing Committees was appointed as fol- ent session. [Applause.; lows: Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Mr Borden, Sir Mr. Fielding said the Go

itor-General's report would be ready by

en said the soldiers of Canada who aid down their lives in South Africa were for the time British soldiers, and it was Borden believes that in most, or very many,

valuable information about 'he duty paid Mr. Tarte gave a list of the occupants of

to Come Up-Superannuations and Allowances. ad away so much of the order paper that Hon. Mr. Fielding, answering a question Parlament keeps up this pace proroga- by Mr. Ingram, said: A measure with re-

ble under the Criminal Code.

and \$130,381 had been paid back. Mr. Sifton told Sir Charles H. Tupper that the jurisdiction of the Minister of the

emier of Australia, an invitation to the ler of Canada, personally. That is

FIGHTING CONTINUES IN AFRICA WITH LOSSES ON BOTH SIDES

Australians, Cape Police and Dragoons Captured After a Hot of Fight-Boers Raiding and Looting in Prince Albert Dis-

fight. In which three British and five Boers

eugage the Afrikanders in the peace move-

ners. We had one man wounded."

day night, going in the direction of Philips-town. The British are following.

London, Feb. .12 .- The Cape Town corres-

Cape Town, Feb. 12.-Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies.

dressed to Queen Victoria. "The Government has no intention." says

BUOYANT FEELING IN LONDON.

showing that the Boers are pretty nearly

sona grata with King Edward, whose wishes he went out of his way to oppose

The King of Portugal's departure last

Wholesale Thieving Detected.

by Sir Alfred in his reply to the Afrikander ing of war material for the Boers. London, Feb. 12.—"Sensational develop-ments are impending here," says the Piet-

Montreal Cotton Company Proposes to Make Large Additions to the Vallevfield Mill.

POWER GIVEN BY SHAREHOLDERS

To Increase the Capital From Two Million to Four Million Dollars-

GRAND TRUNK MAN KILLED.

instantly killed. Deceased was quite deaf and it is presumed did not hear the engine approaching from the rear.

Government Will Lose No Time in

Bye-Election.

Turkish Baths at Pember's, 75c. Smoke Perfection Mixture, Bollard.

arth, Jacques Grenier, Hon. J. K. Ward. R. Stevenson, S. H. Ewing and Samuel Bingham's Pharmacy, 100 Yonge-street. ed7 Turkish Baths at Pember's, 75c.

With Millions Behind It, Morgan's Octopus Could Easily Dominate Canadian Transportation and Turn the Whole Tide of Trade From Native Points to the Upbuilding of the Centres of United States Industry.



LET THE GOVERNMENT PURCHASE CONTROL OF C.P.R. AND G.T.R. LINES

That Will Rid Canada of Very Present and Threatening Transportation Evils.

Urgency His Reason.

upon the Stock Exchange.

The Government felt itself called upon yesterday to deny that General Sir Evelyn

CANADA SHOULD DO SOMETHING TO AVERT MONOPOLISTIC EVILS

Member for East York Names Stateownership as the Remedy Member for North Norfolk Considers Time Ripe for the House o Commons to Fully Consider the Question of

000 put on the stock market to-day would

Unsuccessful Candidate

for the Commons.

ARE UNITED FOR PROHIBITION

Nationalization of Railways.

McKINDSEY—On the 12th inst., at Milton, Out., the Hon. George Crawford McKind-sey, Senator, aged 72. Funeral Thursday, to Grace Church, at 9 a.m., and from there to Hamilton, via G.T.R., 10.45 a.m.

THE OPENING OF PARLIAMENT **WILL BE A BRILLIANT AFFAIR**

King Edward Has Sanctioned the Official Program for Thursday and the Ceremonies Will be the Grandest Seen on

AND AGAINST PRESENT SYSTEM

Representatives of Temperance From All Over the Province Met Yesterday Afternoon and Decided to Press Premier Ross to Follow Hugh John's Lead-

West York License Com Make a Transfer That Leaves Lambton Mills Thirsty.

Terento Junction. Feb. 12,-Lambton

idea is simply ridiculous. He is not only stone deaf, but he is not in the least persons water with the state of the least persons water with the least persons water wat **VOICED BY CANADIAN SENATORS**

Motion of Condolence Brought Forth Eloquent Remarks From Former Sheriff of Halton and Hon, David Mills and Sir M. Bowell—The Address

Passed--Tributes to Deceased Members.

Georgetown, Ont., Feb. 12.—William
Hoare, section foreman at the G.T.R. station here, was struck by an engine shuntspecific form.

Was fairly settled. The principles of tar
had died since last session, speaking in
the died since last sess first Minister one eminently fitted for als McKindsey.

was paramount, and need not consider the outlying dependencies. This led to the loss of great territories, and Empire-build-turn them into cash for you.

Many householders have some articles stored in the attic which they do not need. Townsend, the auctioneer, will turn them into cash for you.

The Hon. David Mills, Hon. R. W. Scott time of George II., when Great Britain ex- to the high qualities of the deceased.

Oxydonors at 135 King St. West.

A man's admitted to the magic circle of intentment who fills his pipe with "Clubb's

Try English Chop House Quick Lunch Oxydonor Cures Kidney Troubles

DECIDED ON THE TRANSFER.

Dominion Coal Company and the Dominion farmers it lactories are but and Iron and Steel Company held board meetings here to-day. The first dicd dictories here to-day. The first dicd dictories here to-day. The first dicd dictories are but and of the Onitario Agricultural College, and Mr. J. G. Hamilton, vice-president of the American Montreal, while the directors of the Dominion Company were engaged. boundy had the greatest system of Government.

To make that ever existed.

To which with a speed what was in his mind he would only repeat what had been alroady said. He spoke of her later Mojesty as a mother, wife and constitutional Queen, foreshad wing that king Ed.

To CURE THE GRIP IN TWO DAYS.

Laxative Bromo-Quinline removes the cause of the manual cannot be companying her illness, has disappeared.

The Hon. David Mills, Hon. R. W. Scott filed by his election as president of the absence of that possible majority is indeed by his election as president of the local Agricultural Association. His enterprise was indicated by efforts to promote the mining development of the Dominion.

The Senate rose at 5 o'clock.

Hockey to-night—Collingwood vs. St. Hockey to-night—Collingwood vs. St. Rink.

Montreal, Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Both the

death of Senator McKindsey, and the seri- and Mr. Waldle, for himself.

a resolution of condolence in reference to the death of Her Majesty the Queen. It was his duty to move this resolution at the close of the longest and most giorious reign in the annals of Eugl sh history, when she came to the throne the Constitution was fairly settled. The principles of tarbuse of high shear of high shear of high schools of the longest and most giorious reign in the annals of Eugl sh history, when she came to the throne the Constitution was fairly settled. The principles of tarbuse of high schools of the entered public life when quite a young man, advocating in politics strong Conservative principles. He was appointed deputy sheriff of that county in July, 1855, and sheriff of that county in June, 1882. He contested the county unsuccessfully for the House of Commons in the Conservative interest in the general elections of 1872, and again in the general elections of 1872, and again in the general elections of 1882. He was appointed deputy sheriff of that county in June, 1882. He contested the county unsuccessfully for the House of Commons in the Conservative interest in the general elections of 1872, and again in the general elections of 1882. He was appointed deputy sheriff of that county in June, 1882. He contested the county unsuccessfully for the House of the county in June, 1882. He contested the county in June, 1882. He contested the county in June, 1882 and the Public life when quite a young man, advocating in public life when quite a young man, advocating in public life when quite a young man, advocating in public life when quite a young man, advocating in public li

SENATOR M'KINDSEY OF MILTON

PASSES AWAY, AGED SEVENTY-TWO

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Remember to-night is Valentine's Eve. It's the slow undecided man who al-

ways gets left, It's the same way in everything; for example:

Look at the opportunity we give you to-day-18.00 overcoats for 13:65 and 10.00 suits for 8,50.1 Oak Hall Clothiers,

115 King Street East and 116 Yonge Street

BUSINESS MOVING

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All the rooms. The most interesting and amusing thing, he said, was this: "Room 33, which was occupied by Hon. Mr. Foster, is now occupied by Hon. Mr. Costigan, who comes from the same province." [Loud laughter]. Mr. Tarte said the same provisson was made as in 1806, a statement from which the Conservative members distance of the c

from which the Conservative members disserted.

Administration of the Yukon.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, in moving for orders of the House regarding administration of the Yukon, asked about the accuracy of the Pukon, asked about the accuracy of the report that Mr. Ogilvie's resignation had been accepted.

Mr. Sifton: In reply I would say that Mr. Ogilvie has not resigned. I have no information on the question.

Mr. Sifton's reply may have been accepted as a judicious use of words, as Sir Charles H. Tupper immediately wrote out a notice of the same question in a different form.

Wason-Breckenridge Nuptials.

A very stylish wedding took place this afternoon in Central Church. The contracting parties were Charles W. Wason Dickenson, M.L.A., president; J. Moodic, treasurety of the report that Mr. Ogilvie's resignation had been accepted.

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Mr. Kendall would know whether the Government have heard of discontent among the employes of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company on account of the em-ployment of alien labor under contract. Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper will again question the Government about Mr. Og'l-Mr. Lancaster will ask whether any representations by the Imperial Government or the Government of the United States have been made respecting a resolution of the United States Senate, suggesting a some 60 years ago. The instrument, of

to Collingwood.

Dr. Oronhyatekha and John A. McGillivray have a petition for a bill asking for a number of amendments to their Act of Incorporation, and the Act amending the

PIANOLA RECITAL. Four o'Clock This (Wednesday)

Pianola. 3. VerdiMiserere....II Trovatore
Acollan Orchestrelle.
4. (a) Jones. Selection. Six Little Wives
San Toy
(b) De Koven. Selection. Quiller Has
the Brain.... Foxy Quiller

Pianola.

6. Rossini. Stabat Mater. Inflammatus
Aeolian Orchestrelle.
7. Bowers Quo Vadis Waltzes
Pianola. GOD SAVE THE KING.

HENRY A. TAYLOR, DRAPER.

There was a hot fire at the residence of John H. Greer, 341 West Hannah-street, to-night. No person was in the house when the fire started, and the origin is a

The Public School sub-comm'ttee on inspection met vesterday afternoon and elect-Chariton made a long speech upon spection met yesterday afternoon and elect-esolution to limit the long-winded ed Trustee Levee chairman. A motion by Mr. Borden and Sir Wilfrid made short speeches and the resolution was withdrawn. Several additional reports were laid on the table.

Mr. McCormick desires to know the intention of the Government about an issue of scrip to the men who served in South Africa.

Trustee Douglas that the system of music taught in the schools consist of the staff notation, was carried. A recommendation was passed that maps of America, Europe, Asia and Africa be purchased and placed in the schools. To make this purchase railroad line."

Boers Near Cape Town.

Three lands in the system of music taught in the schools consist of the staff notation, was carried. A recommendation was passed that maps of America, Europe, Asia and Africa be purchased and placed in the schools commended to be placed in the estimates, and a request will be made that \$200 be set aside for the purchase of an uniber of books.

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Africa.

Mr. MacLaren has a question about the
dismissal of the caretaker of the Stratford
postoffice.

Mr. Roche (Marquette) has a question
about the postmaster at Strathclair. Man.

Mr. Clarke will ask how many members
of the last Parliament have been appointed
to office since 1900; also, were the departmental reports printed in the Government
establishment; also, how many unsuccessestablishment; also, how many unsuccess-

MADE SIXTY YEARS AGO.

Mother Was Made by Mr. T. A. Heintzman, Founder of the man & Co.

joint commission to report upon the conditions and uses of the waters adjacent to the boundary between Canada and the United States.

Petitions to Parliament.

T. H. Chryster, vice-president, and Charles J. R. Bethune, secretary, are the mames on the petition of the Brit'sh Yukon Railway Company for an Act to run a lime of railway from Fort, Selkirk to Dawson City.

Archibaid Campbell. S. F. McKinnon, Charles Rogers, Frederick Wald, J. R. McCall, A. T. Wood, J. H. Boyle, Robert C. Stewart, McDowell Thompson, John Millin, George Grenville Barnum, Percy R. Armcke, Frederick Krantz, George T. Piper, Peter B. Smith and John G. Keith are on the petition for an Act to construct and maintain a line or lines from Toronto to Collingwood.

Dr. Oronbartables.

Was owned by General Grant's mother, some of the strument, of course, is of the old-fashioned kind, but it is still in good condition, and its solid from polished. London, Feb. 12.—A special despatch from Shan Hai Kuan says the lines of computation of the Russian Garrison Threatened. London, Feb. 12.—A special despatch from Shan Hai Kuan says the lines of computation of the Russian Garrison Threatened. London, Feb. 12.—A special despatch from Shan Hai Kuan says the lines of computation of the Russian Garrison Threatened. London, Feb. 12.—A special despatch from Shan Hai Kuan says the lines of computation of the Russian Garrison Threatened. London, Feb. 12.—A special despatch from Shan Hai Kuan says the lines of computation of the Russian Garrison Threatened. London, Feb. 12.—A special despatch from Shan Hai Kuan says the lines of computation of the Russian Garrison Threatened. London, Feb. 12.—A special despatch from Shan Hai Kuan says the lines of the find but it still in good condition and its solid from the line of the lol firm of the Russian Garrison Threatened. London, Feb. 12.—A special despatch from Shan Hai Kuan says the lines of the line was still in the few the find on the still in the few the and the from the first of the find from the find on the find on

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Superanuation and Allowances.

A statement has been presented to the House of superannuations and retiring allowances up to December last.

In the Customs Department at Toronto, In the Customs Department at Toronto, In the Customs Department at the age of 70, with a superannuation allowance of 70, with a superannuation allowance of 10, public demonstrations.

Lord Roberts expressed the warmest personal interest in the corps' visit to London. The contingent will visit the Tower, the Mansion House, Buckingham Palace, etc., but in a much more private manner than the visit of the second special service battalion, who were here in November

W. J. RANDALL AT REST.

When such eminent musical authorities as Paderewski, Sauer and Rosenthal have not only endorsed, but have and use, Planclas, you most certainly owe it to yourse't to hear this instrument. Every day you delay the purchase of a Planola you are depriving yourself of a source of pleasure that might easily be yours. We extend you a most cordial invitation to attend the Recital in our warerooms this afterthe Recital in our warerooms this after-From the church, the funeral proceeded to St. James' Cemetery, where one of North Toronto's well-known residence was

George Moore, an old colored man, who stole a cap from M. Walter, North James-street, was allowed to go on deferred sentence this morning by the magistrate.

Andrew Bell, accused of stealing property belonging to P D. Crerar, will be tried on Thursday next

Minor Matters.

Ward's restaurant of Vork street open.

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There is in existence to-day a piano that the Boer refugees is heavy.

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Russian Garrison Threatened.
London, Feb. 12.—A special despatch from Shan Hai Kuan says the lines of compunication of the Russian garrisons at Kia Chau (Kin Chou?), and elsewhere, are threatened, and that they have urgently referred.

under date of Feb. 11. says that from Pao Ting Fu onwards, five of the chief places in the district lying within the German from London says: The transport Lake by one company each to protect the in

BLIZZARD ACROSS THE LINE. Reports from New York State show that

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bors Have Been Cured by Using

of Canada Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is the only recognized cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis and other throat and lung diseases. By its unusual merit as a thorough and far-reaching treatment it has acquired an enormous sale in Canada and the United States. Here is

REPORTS OF THE DEPARTMENTS CONDENSED FOR BUSY PEOPLE

Mr. Mulock, Sir Louis Davies, Mr. Sifton, Mr. Fielding, Mr. Mills, Mr. Tarte and Mr. Fisher Have Furnished the Members With Food for Talk.

Trees, Sirubs and Plants for the Adornment of the Home Illustrated by Limelight.

Hot Fire De MYSTERIOUS ORIGIN.

Hot Indian He Was Treated Unfairly and Resigns—Pretty Weading—Other Notes.

Hamilton, Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Che members of the Horticularus Society to night beard Dr. Saunders of the Experimental Farm, Ottawa, lecture on trees, shrubs and plants for the decremental for the derivative of the Lore was full of valuable information. The licture was full of valuable information and was not reflect than the was conducted by A. Ramachers, D. D. S. M. S. Social a Success.

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revenue exceeded by \$204.768 that of the corresponding period of last year.

Mr. Sifton reports that there is still some difficulty in getting the Doukhobors to conform with the requirements of the 21, and 289 under 16 years.

ercentage basis, shows the Church of Eng-

carning their Nythados on Canadan grading in between.

waters, using 5,506,760 fathoms of net, and having \$10,000,000 capital invested.

The value of Ontario fisheries is placed at \$1,590,000. A fishery exhibit will be made in Glasgow this year.

The total number of vessels on the register books of the Dominion is 6608, measuring 679,352 tonnage. The number of steamers is 1074, with 277,476 tonnage. The value of the total tonnage is placed at \$20,290,560. Last year 277 new vessels were built, having 21,008 tounage. This is an added value of \$349,410.

Mr. Sifton's Department.

In his report, the Minister of Interior to be a feasible one A further survey is seling carried on with a view of determining the cost and the technical features of the work. The route would connect with the Canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in that way would be a competitor of the Canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in that way would be a competitor of the Canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in that way would be a competitor of the Canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in that way would be a competitor of the Canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in that way would be a competitor of the Canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in that way would be a competitor of the Canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in that way would be a competitor of the Canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in that way would be a competitor of the Canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in the contract of the canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in the contract of the canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in the canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in the contract of the canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in the canadian Pacific at North Bay, and in the contract of the Minister of Public Works points out that a survey has been made of French River between Georgian Bay and the tonnage of freight 31,211,753. The grows carried during the contract and the tonnage of freight the tonnage of freight 31,211,753. The grows carried during the contract at the tonnage of freight 31,211,753. The grows carr

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the Imperial railroad administrative star, and had to be removed to a hospital ship in batches. Patients from Komatipoort are arriving daily. The hospital ship is now filled to its capacity. The mortality among the Boer refugees is heavy.

It also is specified that no cadet dismissive defor either of these causes shall be reliming to their likely of the wedding of the Princess of for the wedding of the Princess of Bourbon, and also that no such cadet shall ever be appointed to any office in the army, navy or marine corps. The provision requiring the Boer refugees is heavy.

England half a century ago will find "The Village Postmaster" entirely to their likely and also that no such cadet shall ever be appointed to any office in the army, navy or marine corps. The provision requiring the Boer refugees is heavy.

ROW AT LIBERAL MEETING. The Machine is Not in First-Class Order Yet at Winnipeg-The Railway Gossip, Winnipeg, Feb. 12.-(Special.)-The usual

row took place at the Liberal Association meeting last evening. One member, a Doejecting J. Callaway from the meeting because he had spoken out plainly on certain occasions. Callaway dared any one to attempt to eject him. Several speakers protested against the machine rule of the association. minion Government employe, suggested

night.

When seen to-day, Hon. Mr. Rogers said that, as far as he knew, there was no hitch in the railway negotiations as reported, and the Government program would be carried out. Mr. Rogers says: "The report that I was going east immediately is entirely wrong. I will be at the banquet Thursday night in all probability."

raigia.

"If I did leave off coffee for one hour beyond the usual time in the morning, I had the most excruciating headache for the rest of the day, but I made the change from coffee to Postum without the slightest in convenience, by first having the Postum prepared with a little coffee mixed in it, then the next day a little less and the next day a little less, until in less than a month I was having the Postum S mon Pure.

HE IS NOT ACCEPTABLE. ritish Government Will Not Receive the Obscure Official From China.

China, has informed the Chinese authorities that the British Government declines to accept an obscure official like Chang Po Hsi, the literary chancellor, as special envoy to carry condolence to London on the death of Queen Victoria."

SMALLPOX IS PREVALENT.

The Ontario Health Board, which addition to my diet of a nourishing, healthgiving, liquid food, Postum.

"I can give the names of many persons who have been benefited by the change from coffee to Postum, and am never tired of maling converts.

the opinion of Toronto people who have supper and debate on Metric System. Mr. Donald Graham, 45 Callendar-street, Mr. Barber of age The Ontario Health Board, which ad-

FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER. Canadian Named St. Cyr Said to

well-known Canadian family, had been found guilty at Dawson of the nurder of H. Davis, and sentenced to the gallows.

An appeal will be taken.

Her Ninety-Fourth Birthday. Mrs. Garton, 149 St. Clarens-avenue, cele-brated her 94th birthday Monday, Feb. 11. Grandchildren and many great-grandchildren were present. Mrs. Garton was born in this country, near Thornbill.

THEY LEFT.

Vamoosed, Cleared Out and Quit. tempt to eject him. Several speakers protested against the machine rule of the association.

All the Cabinet Ministers expect to be present at the banquet to be given to Hon.

J. A. Davidson at Neepawa on Thursday night.

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month I was having the Potsum S mon Pure, and the cook got so she could make it so strong and deliclous that I enjoyed my Postum better than I had ever enjoyed the old-fashioned coffee that had been undermining my health and rendering life a burden.

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and London, Feb. 12.—Dr. Morrison, wiring to The Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says: symptoms disappeared. A feeling of translation of the Times from Pekin yesterday, says

The Manufacturers Life Insurance Company has established a special agency department for the insurance of women. "Ye Lady Opinions" and " Our Plans" will tell all about it.

Head Office : Jordan and Melinda Streets,

Toronto.

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************************** It will be the first appearance of the far our Klaw and Erlanger Opera Compahere. De Koven and Smith have construed an opera that is highly pleasing on melodic side and entertainging in its librito. "Foxy Quiller" was a character "The Highwayman," Composer and librits have taken and developed him into teentral figure of a three-act opera, in which he shines refulgent as a detective of colesal mind and superhuman acumen, a blesque of Sherlock Holmes. Indeed ma of the speeches put in his mouth are treesties of passages in the detective stor of Conan Doyle and others. Mr. Jeros Sykes, is an unctuous comedian, who is

GIRL TAKEN FROM CONVENT
HAZING TO BE SUPPRESSED

Mr. De Koven has lately given us. He shows a conscious effort to adhere to the vienness echool, and melodies are introduced with an unsparing hand. The traditional opening chorus becomes a drinking song, and it is followed by a solo with chorus celebrating the shipbuilder's trade. The waitz rhythm, however, is most frequently heard, but there is a pretty serenade with only mandolim and guitar accompaniment in the second act, and an exe ptionally pretty ballad, the song of the peddler, is sung by Mr. Sykes in the second act without accompaniment and assisted by the chorus, installing from and crickets. In the third the chorus give an exhibition of Italian settings are gorgeous and beautiful. The costumes are lavish and a dream of color contrasts. Several of the groupings at

and merchants are implicated. Several arrests have already been made along the railroad line."

Boers Near Cape Colony Border.
Cape Town. Feb. 12.—Large bodies of republicans have been seen near Donker-poort station, north of Norval's Pont. Short was induced, under pressure exchanged. The British have occupited Fixburg with little opposition, and have released the prisoners who were in the fail.

MADRID A STORM CENTRE.

Madrid, Feb. 12.—Whispered rumors, which are not supported by tangible facts, say deaths of prominent British subjects

Many deaths of prominent British subject

"The Indian" seems to sait the taste of the patrons of the Princess, and, as a result, the stirring play is drawing spicendidly. The production, as far as the stage setting is concerned, and the acting of setting is concerned, and the acting of the various players, is all that could be desired. Jack Webster really distinguishes himself in the dual role of Rex Sterling and Redfeater, the Indian brave, and De, Witt Jennings gives a splendid portrayal of War Eagle, chief of the Ogahallas. Robert Evans' best friends would hardly recog-nize him in the makeup of the western arout but the part is a good one, and son to the Gallows.

Scattle, Wash., Feb.12.—The steamer Dolphin has arrived from Alaska with news that George T. St. Cyr. a member of a well-known Canadian family, had been found guilty at Dawson of the nurder of H. Davis, and sentenced to the gallows. An appeal will be taken.

Her Ninety-Fourth Birthday.

Mrs. Garton, 149 St. Clarens-avenue, celebrated her 94th birthday Monday, Feb. 11.

Arrangements are complete for the annual benefit of the Theatrical Benefit Association, which takes place at the Princess Theatre on Friday afternoon, A strong program has been arranged, and the lovely sofa cushions, which will be the souvenir this year, are ready to be delivered to every purchaser of a reserved seat. The T.M.A. benefit performance always draws the biggest crowd of the year, and an entertainment of exceptional merit has been arranged for thisoccasion.

REMARKABLE TELEGRAPHY. Marconi System Conveyed Messages

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"Your story of Friday night's hockey match begins: "The wisdom of matching the best teams of professional hockey players," or something to that effect. Kindly correct that. These inter-city games are between teams from the Amateur Hockey League of America, and that is one reason why the game is popular. The game may mare a semi-professional tendency in New York in the matter of inducing crack Canadians to immigcate but in Philadelphia it is different. I certainly object to being called a professional myself, and it is hard on a team made up of men who are spend.

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Second race, mile, selling—Scorpolette, 106 (Cohurn), even and 1 to 2, 1; Dr. Carrick, 106 (Gormley), 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, 2; Georgia Gardner, 106 (Walsh), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.52. Woodstick, Jack Doyle, Anna Coons, Zack Phetys, Phosphorus, Mattie Bain'and Duke of Bohemia aiso ran.

Third race, 1½ miles, seiling—Greyforge, 103 (Wonderly), 3 to 5 and out, 1; Chorus Roy, 112 (Dupee), 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, 2; King "Ikwood, 101 (Cochran), 8 to 1, 3. Time 15. Lida S., Zonne, Jim Conway, Denuy 2019, Helen, Paxton and Mizzoura also ran. Your Highest

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\$4.50 to \$7.50 Reefers for Two Dollars and Ninety-five Cents. Seventy-nine of the purchase of large was effected by the purchase of large blocks of Southern Pacific stock by Mr. E. these Reefers will be ready at that price on H. Harriman, chairman of the Union Pacific stock by Mr. E. the gutlook for a satisfactory solution of our sewage problem is not very promising. Thursday morning.

Norway Reefers, with deep storm collar, tab for throat. The cloth in this line is an Oxford grey nap cloth, silk cord edges. Fancy Kersey Cloth Reefers, colors cardinal

Two lots make up this assortment, viz.:

fawn and brown, double-breasted styles, with velvet collars and choice Italian cloth linings. These Recters range in sizes from 20 to 27interest in the C.P.R., whose yearly businers in the chest, and while they last on Thursday

arother syndicate to purchase a controlling interest in the C.P.R., whose yearly business is less than one-half that of the Southness that the best water supply of any city on day afternoon. The attendance of members on both sides of the House was, however, their price will be \$2.95 each.

Men's Black Suits

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nited States is that of the Southern Pafic and Union Pacific systems. The capital stock of the former is \$197,000,000, and its gross earnings are \$64,000,000 a year. The capital of the Union Pacific is \$95,-000,000 common stock and \$99,000,000 preferred. The gross earnings are \$40,000.000. the magnitude of the deal may be gauged. by a comparison of either of the lines with the C.P.R., whose capital stock is \$65,000,000 common. and \$80,000,000 preferred. The C.P.R.'s gross earnings are \$30,000,000. The idation of the two United States lines cific Railroad Company, acting for himself And yet the question is an urgent one. Toand a syndicate of bankers and capitalists identified with that property. The blocks of stock so purchased, with the holdings the Union Pacific already possessed, gave them the piping of our water from Lake Simcoe a control of the Southern Pacific system. and the extension of our sewers across the

If a syndicate of United States railway capitalists can buy the control of a system tario. It is possible we may yet have to like that of the Southern Pacific, with an much easier would it be for the same or construct a pipe line from Lake Sincoe. the other day we read the details of the beauty. great steel combination, in which nearly one billion of capital is centralized. United States capitalists could play ducks and drakes with Canada's leading railway and The Statement of this Company, which low tone of voice, and was not followed industrial enterprises if they took a notion is the first one to make its appearance in without some difficulty.

danger of this concentration of enormous capital in the hands of a few individuals. In an article to The New York Journal of Sunday last Lord Rosebery referred to this danger in the following language:

"There is one feature of the American competition which seems to me especially formidable. We are daily reminded of the glgantic fortunes which are accumulated in America, fortunes to which nothing in this country bears any relation whatever, and which in themselves constitute an enormous commercial force. The Americans individual fortunes, but use them, by combination in trusts, to make a capital and a power which, wielded as it is by one or two minds, is almost irresistible, and that, as it seems to me, if concentrated upon direct that the assets increased warfare, is a danger which we cannot give an an analyze of the seemst of the statements that the assets increased warfare, is a danger which we cannot give an an analyze of the statements that the assets increased warfare, is a danger which we cannot give an an analyze of the statements of the discouraging one, The Impurations for new as strated as State one was a great woman and a great sovereign. A sovereign without it represents overeign as great woman and a great sovereign. A sovereign as great woman and a great sovereign. A sovereign as great woman and a great sovereign as covereign. A sovereign as great vomen and a great sovereign as covereign. A sovereign as great vomen and a great sovereign as covereign. A sovereign as great vomen and a great sovereign and a great sovereign. A sovereign and a great sovereign as covereign. A sovereign and a great sovereign and a great sovereign and a great sovereign. A sovereign and a great sovereign and a great sovereign and a great sovereign. A sovereign and a great woman and a great sovereign and a great sovereign and a great sovereign. A sovereign and a great sovereign and a great sovereign and a great sovereign. A sovereign and a great sovereign and several sovereign and several sovereign and several sovereign an

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cable for the present. According to Mr. cable for the present. According to Mr. Rust, the next best solution of our sewage Siege

problem is to build a trunk sewer and discharge the sewage five or six miles out into the lake, at a point east of Victoria Park.

This proposition may be the best practical solution of the problem, but it is still far from satisfactory. With the mouth of the No. 21. Stateroom Trunk, canvass-covered, iron-bound and mounted, regulation depth:

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This proposition may be the best practical solution of the problem, but it is still far from satisfactory. With the mouth of the sewer only five or six miles distant from the intake of the water supply there is bound to be more or less contamination or the latter at certain periods, when the wind is favorable. There will be no more certainty of our water under the proposed system than there is to-day, when the sewage is dumped into the bay.

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adopt this plan. It would be expensive to ern Pacific? The absorption of the Cauadian Pacific Railway by the magnates of and pure, and the city itself, with an un-Wall-street wou'd be a matter of little mo- limited supply of water, for street clean- spect the sitting was in keeping with the ment, compared with some of the enormous ling, lawns and gardens, would become cetedeals that have recently taken place. Only brated for its cleanliness, healthiness and condolence to His Majesty King Edward VII., and of congratulation upon his acces sion to the throne. The Premier, apparent IMPERIAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMly impressed by the solemn nature of the
PANY OF CANADA.

that way. It is in the light of the gigantic the daily press this year, shows, as the In offering a few observations, he and, it consolidations now going on in the United directors state, that another thoroughly saturate the point raised yesterday by the member for East York becomes importing the history of the company. ant to the people of this country. The Notwithstanding the fact that the year Queen the whole of the natural fives of people of Great Britain are alive to the of 1500 has to many life insurance under- most of us and it was natural to think of danger of this concentration of enormous, writers been a discouraging one, The lm- her as Queen, as of our own existence

the King!"
The motion, as contained in the following resolution, was read by the Speaker the members standing, and unanimously adopted.

was assented to in Her Majesty's name, and, if this Province is governed, as we believe it is, according to the best precedents of the British constitution, and thus enjoys the inestimable advantages of responsible government, it is owing largely to the far-sighted and beneficent legislation enacted by the Lords and Commons of the United Kingdom, and to which her late Majesty gave her gracious assent.

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Your Majesty will, we sincerely trust, accept our assurance that we consider it a great privilege to have lived under your gracious mother's beneficent reign, and, therefore, feeling the more keenly the greatness of your bereavement, we the more earnestly pray Almighty God that He may send Your Majesty comfort in your affliction. We trust, even in the hour of your deepest sorrow, Your Majesty- will derive some consolation from the knowledge that you have the deepest sympathy of, your loyal and dutful subjects in this Province. And, altho we feel that it is hard for Your Majesty to turn away your thoughts from the deep sorrow which has come to you, you will, we trust, nevertheless, permit us to convey to you the joy and satisfaction which is felt in this Province upon Your Majesty's accession to the throne of your ancestors. Permit us also to assure Your Majesty of our devoted loyalty to your person and your throne, and to express our fervent hope that Your Majesty's pelgn will be marked by a desire to preserve peace, to ameliorate suffering—and to promote the general happlness and prosperity of your people.

On motion of the same mover and seconder, the resolution was ordered to be transmitted to His Majesty thru the usual channels.

Committees Endorsed.

ricultural implements and machinery, Chicago, are thinking seriously of establishing branch works in Canada. They have openly stated that the duty they pay annually on the machines and implements sold by them thruout the Dominion would be sufficient to capitalize a factory in this country. Woodstock has been in comment cation with the McCormick peop'e with ref-erence to their intention, and the present position of affairs in connection therewith is very satisfactory. Windsor and Toronto

Watertown, N. Y., Feb. 12.—The remains of Congressman A. D. Shaw, formerly U. St Consul at Toronto, who died in Washington Sunday, agrived in this city this morning. The funeral will be held to morrow.

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BROOM WINS OUT. An Interesting Case, in Which the

Possession of a Toronto Junetion Store is Involved. Toronto Junction, Feb. 11.-A suit been concluded, in the decision given in been concluded, in the decision given meaning the farmers' Loan Company v. James Broom. Mr. Broom has been in possession of a store on Dundas-street, owned by the Farmers' Loan Company, since June, 1839. He has paid no rent and has paid no purchase money. He is still living there and will-continue to do so for many weeks, probably months to come, at the same free rental. The liquidators of the Farmers' Loan Company have been trying to get him out since last November, but they have failed, and failed completely. What is more astonishing is the fact that Mr. Broom is not a lawyer, and yee by astuteness and clever arguing of his own cases before the bar he has nonplussed one of the greatest legal firms in the city of Toronto, comes out of litigation extending over three months without any costs and still holds the property. In 1899, the Farmers' Loan Company gave Mr. Broom possession of the store on the strength of an offer of purchase. Nine months afterwards they refused to accept his offer. It was agreed that if the company did not accept Mr. Broom's offer, that they would lease the place to him at so much per month, he being allowed the cost of any r-pairs or improvements made in the meantime, as advance payement on the lease. The company went into liquidation, and the liquidators tried to get possession on Jam. 22 before Master Winchester. After many adjournments and arguments, decision was given in favor of the Farmers' Loan Company, and an order was given for immediate possession of the property Mr. Broom

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Commission Welcomed.

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Since man began to eat, his stomach has been a source of trouble.
Often he eats what he should not, and how he should not.
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They are composed of the very best digestive and curative agents known to medical science.

Chancellor Boyd and Mr. Justice Street, Sitting at Southampton,

Unfortunate Should Know President Smith of the Company De-

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going to take the matter up.

agreed that this is a private matter, I don't think we'll take it up.

Mr. Shaw: But this is a public matter. It is a grave charge against an official of the city in the person of the Assess
"At last I heard of B.B.B. and

ment Commissioner.

The Mayor: No charge has been made.
At this juneture Mr. E. F. B. Johnston addressed the board, informing them that he appeared for Mr. Thomas Broomhall, a ratepayer, who was also asking for an investigation.

investigation.

Aid. Frame moved that Mr. Johnston be heard.

Ald. Hubbard said he had no objection to hearing Mr. Johnston, but he did not see what good it would do.

Then Ald. Lamb commenced throwing bouquets at the Assessment Commissioner. He was confident that Mr. Fleming was innocent of everything, and they had, he was sure, every confidence in his integrity. He could not for the life of him understand what was behind this whole question of an investigation, but it must be something very terrible, because such an eminent lawyer as E. F. B. Johnston was mixed up with it. Aid. Lamb moved that Mr. Fleming be asked to make a statement setting forth his side of the case.

Mr. Shaw told the board that he was prepared to bring witnesses to prove that the Assessment Commissioner had can yeared to bring witnesses to prove that the Assessment Commissioner had can yeared to bring witnesses to prove that the Assessment Commissioner had can yeared to bring witnesses to prove that the Assessment Commissioner had can yeared to bring witnesses to prove that the Assessment Commissioner had can yeared to bring witnesses to prove that the Assessment Commissioner had can yeared to bring witnesses to prove that the Assessment Commissioner had can yeared to bring witnesses to prove that the Assessment Commissioner had can yeared to bring witnesses to prove that the Assessment Commissioner had can yeared to bring witnesses to prove that the Assessment Commissioner had can year the controllers in a letter from Messrs. Master, Warren, Starr and Spence.

Ald. Shubbard said he had no objection of the did not the price to be offered to the Consumers' Gas Co. for the provence of the works and other property of the company.

The matter was referred to the City Solicitor to report as to how matters stood. He will also be asked to give his opinion on the legality of offering a price in advance of the opinion of the ratepayers.

The claim of Prof. WPmott for the repayment of taxes alleged to have been paid twice in mistake, on lot 102, on

It will come up with the estimates.

These Troublesome, Disfiguring Blemishes can be Removed by the all Powerful Blood Purifying Burdock Blood Bitters.

The nasty little pimples that come on the face and other parts of the body are simply indications that the blood is out of order and requires purifying.

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ers to you that you need a course of treatment with Burdock Blood Bit-When B.B.B. makes your blood

pure then the pimples will vanish and your skin become soft and clear. Here is evidence worth considering:
Mrs. Merrice Ketch, Bristol,
Carleton Co., N.B., writes: "I take great pleasure in recommending Burdock Blood Bitters to every for years that I would break out with them at times on my face and

thought I would try it.
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Master, Warren, Starr and Spence.

More information was seked before a decision would be given.

Gas Company's Suggestion.

Dr. Larratt W. Smith, president Consumers' Gas Co., wrote to the Mayor in reference to the audit of the Consumers' Gas Co.'s books. The letter was as follows:

My attention has been called fecently to some notices in the press, commenting upon the city auditor's last annual report on the Gas Co.

As very erroneous opinions regarding this company have been disseminated by the press, arising from a very imperfect understanding of the case—which opinions have to some extent influenced the members of the City Coancil—I take the liberty of addressing you to make some explanations in regard to such of Mr. Douglas' statements as I have seen. this morning: \$6.90, for \$4.50. Ladies' Winter Suits, \$10.00, for \$5.85. \$15.00, for \$8.90.

to such of Mr. Douglas' statements as I have seen.

The ninth section of the act of 1887 defines the right of the city auditor to be present at the annual audit, which is made at the end of each year. Had the act contemplated any other audit, the word "perennial" would have been employed, in which case no two weeks' notice, as required by the ninth section, would have been necessary. Mr. Douglas was engaged for over three months daily in his work, and 1 am bound to say that he made the most thoro audit daily in his work, and 1 am bound to say that he made the most thoro audit of any of the auditors ever sent by the city, and he was afforded every facility he required.

Mr. Douglas has called attention to the fact that the company's reserve is not as near to the limit authorized by law as it has been in a former year. The reason that the reserve has never reached its maximum, as authorized by the act of 1887, is that the directors have yountarily reduced the price of

the act of 1887, is that the directors have voluntarily reduced the price of gas, as they have felt warranted, from time to time, thus preventing the accumulation of profits which would otherwise have gone to increase the amount of the reserve. In 1887 the price of gas to ordinary consumers was \$1.25 met per thousand cubic feet, which is a lower price than that charged by any other commany in Canada or the United price than that charged by any other company in Canada or the United States, where the conditions are similar. As each 5 cents reduction per thousand upon the quantity of gas sold during last year amounts to about \$35,000, the effect of the large reductions made by the company since 1887, in preventing accumulations of profits, which would be transferable to the reserved and becomes at once amparent. The venting accumulations of profits. which would be transferable to the reserve fund, becomes at once apparent. The net addition to the reserve fund between the time of the passing of the act of 1887 and the 30th September last has amounted to \$349,997.86. The amount paid into the company by the shareholders, as premium on stock sold at public auction since the passing of the act, has amounted to \$538,349.10, so that the entire amount added to the reserve fund since 1887 has come out of the pockets of the stockholders, and not out of the earnings of the company. The act of 1887 requires 5 per cent. of the value of the plant and buildings in use by the company during the preceding year to be credited each year to the plant and buildings renewal fund. As Mr. Douglas has pointed out, "the amount which the company would have appropriated for renewals is short by \$345,023.23 of the amount authorized by law."

company can be arrived at, which will do away with the costly ittigation which has been going on from year to year, and appears likely to continue, it might be possible for the directors to make a further reduction in the

ish you with any information which you may desire, as they have nothing to conceal, and they will be happy, at any time, to accompany you and any other members of the corporation on a visit to the gas works, which would afford you and thom, a better opportunity of

A Pile Remedy Which Really Cares.

Mr. D. F. Collins of Garnett says: "I commenced using the Pyramid Pile Cure at a time when my case was bad. I thought nothing could cure it, but before I had used a 50-cent package I began to feel much better, and now I can honestly say I am entirely cured. It is the quickest and surest remedy I have ever tried or heard of."

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back. I tried all sorts of remedies, YOU WILL BE CONVINCED THAT THEY ARE SUPERIOR TO ALL OTHERS.

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Among the many things that have been at a week already. The snowdrap is really a February flower, its life story is really a February flower, its life story is really a February flower, its life story is really a February flower. Its life story is really a February flower, its life story is really a February flower. Its life story is really a February flower, its life story is really a February flower. Its life story is really a February flower cared to go into that as they have the collection and story in the case of the more shown or child. The showdrap are story or children in the case of the more shown or children in the final keeps a quantity of reserves and the really in the year, but the final keeps a quantity of reserves and their leyalty a touch of gallantry. But it was upon her female subjects that the influence of the Queen was most potent and beneficial. There was not a woman in the Empire, from the humblest works, in girl in a Lancashire mill, to the ingular princess or the English duchess, who did not derive an accession of diguity from the fact that the ruler of these vast realing was also a woman. There was not a known as the stance, there is the lesser celandine, that grown as woman in the fact that the ruler of these vast realing was also a woman. There was not a known as a large and story in control and the real present were A. B. Aylesworth, and the ruler of these vast prove that in nanceent was linearly and muter from the fact that the ruler of these vast realing was also a woman. There was not a known as a large and story and the present in stance, the still be found that the whole were the stance that the plant keeps a quantity of reserve succeed the cease of the Equality of Votes Ascertained on Scruting.

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Earliest of all the common flowers to bloom here is the snowdrop, writes an English correspondent, who, like Wordsvorth's Lucy, dwells "among the untraded on ways," and, oblivious of the rush and rear of city life, gives up the days to the stidy of nature. "So far, the snowdrop has not yet appeared in blossom in many places outside the gardens and lawns in that it is just as well to lay in a stock of them when they can be found. The soft peau de soie, in the different shadings, the taffeta, the soft-finished and brocaded patterns, and the very bandsome gros-grain ribbons, with embossed figures to gold or silver, or velvet flowers, add greatly to the appearance of any gown. It was towards the end of the summer last year that sashes with fringed ends were used to trim so many of the silk.

BIG DEMAND FOR SUGARS.

And There Are Indications That the Prices of Sweet Things Will Be Advanced. New York, Feb. 12.-The wholesale grocery trade has received a notice from the American Sugar Refining Company, stat-How She Cured Him With a Secret ing that the privilege of delayed shipments ing that the privilege of delayed shipments has been withdrawn, and that from this date orders will be accepted for trompt shipment only. In effect it is said this nullifies the 30-day guarantee on prices. The demand for refined sugars is heavier than during the corresponding period last year, and according to trade reports nearly all of the raw sugar brought to this port last week was sold before it was landed. It has also been announced that the independent refiners, including Arbuckle Bros., have withdrawn their guarantees.

TARIES HAVE BEEN TURNED.

Silk Weavers at Scranton, Who Went Out on Strike, Find Themselves Locked Out. Scranton, Pa. Feb. 12.-The strike of the 4000 silk workers in Scranton has resolved itself into a lockout. The mill owners and managers to-day declared they will not re-

open their mills until the girls are willing

clares That the Auditor's Report Does Not Justify It.

The Mayor: We have such a lot of pub-

It is now officially stated that Major it is now officially stated that Major Meade of the Shropshire Regiment, will be Meade of the Shropshire Regiment, will be resolution passed in Council on Feb. 6, inthe new commandant of the R.M.C., Kingstructing the Board of Control to prepare

places outside the gardens and lawns in the South of England or North; but, in sheltered Devonshire coombes, it has been merely put aside until the proper time of the year to wear them returns.

SHE DATIENTIAN Regarding the Cure of William McKay, Baggageman, G. T. R.

SOLEMN DECLARATIONS TALK FOR US.

For the last twelve years I have been more or less afraid of my

lungs, owing to the fact that my first wife, stepson and daughter died of consumption. Early in the summer of 1900 I developed a cough which gave me great uneasiness. The cough steadily grew worse. The doctor advised me to lay up.

I got up on the 13th of October and had a relapse. I called in another physician and he found my temperature to be 102 2-5 degrees. He told my wife that my lungs were affected. I steadily

I had night sweats regularly. No one was allowed to see me. My child had been sent to Toronto, as the doctor told my wife that the slightest disturbance might take me off at any time. On the 10th of November the doctor cut off four of my medicines. Creosote was one of the two preparations that he kept on

siving mo, and he negarded my case so hopeless that he told my wife to give me surptime! I woulded to set, as it did not matter.

On my wife a bottle of Powley's Liquified Ozone, and the analysis of taking the Ozone on November 14th and left of taking the obector's medicines altogether. The first does seemed to be what my system craved for, and in four days my control deports to provide the powley to the composition of the control may be control to the control may be control to the giving me, and he regarded my case so hopeless that he told my wife

4 Doors North of Albert. establish a memorial museum, and he had suggested to him that the old Court House would perhaps do as temporary quarters. The Premier had primised to consider it, and, in view of this, the Mayor thought the possibility of the museum being located there should be kept in sight before anything was done. The board recommended that the caretakers of the Public Schools be given \$1.50, and not \$2, as asked for, in lieu of extra work necessitated by using the schools as polling booths.

Fire and Light Committee.

At the Fire and Light Committee yes-

work necessitated by using the schools as polling booths.

Fire and Light Committee.

At the Fire and Light Committee yesterday afternoon, the Lansdowne-avenue crossing question came up. The Assessment Commissioner wrote, informing the committee that the option on the Ardagh property, which is about 3% acres in extent, would expire on March 1, and it would not be extended for the same price—\$10,500. The owner, however, would give a two months' extension, but in that event, wanted \$15,000.

After discussing the question at, some length, it was recommended that a subway be constructed. Nothing was done regarding the option or the cost of constructing a plant for the bacterial treatment of the city's sewage would be about \$20,000 per acre, or \$1,500.

TRANK A. ANGLIN, 34 Victopia-street, Tronto, Administrator (with the will annexed) of the estate would be about \$20,000 per acre, or \$1,500.

Big Fire at Decatur, Ill.

QUICK AND SURE.

Pile Remedy Which Really Cares.

National Gospel Campaign.

Rev. Dr. Henderson of Brooklyn, who is connected with the National Gospel campaign, delivered an interesting address on the progress of the movement at a meeting yesterday afternoon of the General Ministerial Association in the Y.M.C.A. The speaker told of the necessary steps to take for a thoro organization and dwelt at some length on the success which the movement is meeting with in the United States. The following Nominating Committee was chosen to appoint an Executive Committee to further the work in Toronto; Revs Dr. Chown, Dr. McTavish, J. A. Turnbull T. B. Hyde, J. Gibson, F. C. C. Heathcott, Messrs James Acton, Thomas Yellow-lees, T. J. Wilkie, E. O'Brien and T. Garside.

The Executive Committee will report at the meeting of the Ministerial Association to be held next Monday morning in the Y.M.C.A. law."

As regards the probability of any further decrease in the price of gas in the near future, I may say that it has always been the policy of this company to reduce the price whenever the circumstances warranted it, and if any understanding between the city and the company can be arrived at, which will

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 12.—Fire to-day destroyed the wholesale grocery of the Mueller, Platt & Whelan Co. It is thought the loss will amount to nearly \$100,000; insurance unknown. rice of gas.

It is contrary to the interests of both the consumers and the company that the existing state of affairs between the company and the corpora-tion should continue, and the directors hope that, during your tenure of office, something may be done to put an end to this continued friction.

The directors will be pleased to furn-

Office and Safe Deposit Vaults 14 King St. W., Toronto. President-Hon. J. R. STRATTON, Manager-T. P. COFFEE. 136



Imperial Life

Assurance Company

of Canada.

The Annual General Meeting of the Company was held at its Head Office, in Toronto, on February 6th, 1901. Among those present were: Hon. Sir Mackenzie Bowell, William McKenzie, Dr. F. R. Eccles (London), Hugh N. Baird, Charles McGill, F. G. Cox, A. E. Ames, S. J. Moore, David Smith, Hon. S. Casey Wood, E. T. Malone, K.C., David Moyle, Dr. John L. Davison, G. R. Hamilton (London),

G. I. Riddell, George Weston, E. R. Wood, T. Bradshaw.
The Annual Report and Financial Statements were submitted, as follows: The Directors have pleasure in submitting their report upon the business for the year which ended December 31st, 1900.

1. NEW BUSINESS.—During the year 1423 applications for \$3,847,000 of assurance were received; of these 1320 for \$3,107,000 were accepted, and policies granted, yielding a new annual premium income of \$121,403.05; the balance, 103 for \$740,000,

 TOTAL BUSINESS.—The total amount of assurance in force on December S1st, 1900, was \$9,226,350—an increase of \$2,083,725 in the year.
 INCOME.—The income from premiums amounted to \$319,860.30, and from interest to \$36,272.74, making the total income \$356,133.04. The income from annual

premiums (exclusive of single payment premiums and purchase money for annuities) amounted to \$314,410.30, an increase of \$98,582.88 over that of the preceding year. 4. ASSETS.—The assets amounted to \$1,102,092.24, an increase during the year 5. CLAIMS.—The net amount of policies becoming claims by death was \$35,

803.04. The increase in the amount pa'd to policyholders and annultants over that disbursed in 1899 was \$26,539.14. The death claims were again considerably less than the amount expected, although the Company's estimate was based upon the Select Life Tables deduced from the Institute of Actuaries' (Hm.) Experience, which takes into account the recent selection of assured lives. 6. RESERVES.—In computing the reserves to be retained to meet liabilities under assurance and annuity contracts, the conservative interest rate of 3½ per cent, was assumed, although a much higher rate than this was earned by the Com-

pany. In conjunction with the 3½ per cent. Interest rate, the Institute of Actuaries' (Healthy Males) Table of Mortality was employed for assurances, and for annuities the latest Mortality Table of the British Government Annuitants. In addition to the latest Mortality Table of the British Government Annultants. In addition to the strong reserve thus brought out, a special reserve was made for suspended or deferred mortality, and a further special reserve for the immediate payment of death) claims. The Reserve Fund amounted to \$507,488, an increase in the year of \$156,376.

7. CONCLUSION.—The report of the Auditors is appended to the Balance Sheet.

The Directors desire to place on record their sincere appreciation of the assistance rendered by the loyal and efficient Agency Staff in adding another thoroughly

year's business to the history of the Company. The satisfactory nat-

re of the year's business is attested by the following:	Increase in the Year.
Total assets	
Reserves for policies and annuities	597.488 35 per cent.
Reserves for poncies and annualies	
Annual premium income	36.273 32 per cent.
Interest income	30.199 23 per cent.
Net surplus over all liabilities	9.226.350 29 per cent.
Total insurance in force	480 199 61
Gross surplus for the security of policyholders.	107 000 were accepted and
Applications for new assurances \$3,947,000, of which \$3, \$740,000 declined or uncompleted.	
	O. MOWAT,
r. BRADSHAW,	President.

ABSTRACT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENT

To Net Assurance and Annuity Premiums, Interest, Dividends, etc	857,248.94 295,156.14	By Balance Net Ledger Assets 1,007,017.15
\$1	,152,405.08	\$1,152,405.08
By First Mortgages on Real Estate, By Government Stock and Municipal Debentures By other Stocks and Debentures. By Loans on Bonds and Debentures By Loans on Policies and Policies Purchased By Cash at Banks By Cash at Head Office and other Offices	394,703.62 223,962 13 226,776 59 30,000 00 4,766 28 119,244 90 7,563 63	Reserves (3½ per ceut.) on assurances and annuities, including Special Reserves (1) for immediate payment of Death Claims, and (2) for suspended mortality
Net Ledger Assets\$1	,007 017 15	· X
By Net Quarterly and Semi- Annual Premiums not yet due and Premiums in course of transit (full reserve there- on included in liabilities) \$ By Accrued Interest on invest- ments, etc.	75,314 83 19,760 26	Tation when the spending

We have examined the above Statements of Receipts and Disbursements and of Assets and Liabilities, with the books and vouchers of the Company, and certify the same to be correct. We have also examined each of the securities of the Company, and the evidences of the Dominion Government Deposit and the Cash and Bank Balances, and find the same correct and in accordance with the above Statements. A running audit has been maintained during the year, and we certify that the books are

F. G. COX, Managing Director

H. VIGEON, Auditors, Toronto, January 29th, 1901.

Sir Oliver Mowat, President of the company, having to attend the opening of the Ontario Legislature, his address was read as follows:

\$1,102,092 34

T. BRADSHAW, Actuary.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

I regret that I find myself at almost the last moment unable to attend the annual meeting of the Company. Had I been present I should have taken opportunity of saying a few things regarding the history and progress of the Company, such as the following, which do not appear in the same form in the report or statement to be laid before the meeting. The new applications considered during the year were 1423, and amounted

the aggregate to the large sum of \$3,847,000. This is the largest amount of applications we received in any year of the Com ce, excepting one. That one was the year 1899, which was an exceptional year for all Canadian companies, as it was known that in the following year the premium rates were to be increased by all of our life insurance companies, to enable them to comply with the amendment made to the Insurance Act by the Dosuch amendment requiring that in computing or estimating the reserve to be held in order to cover its liability to policy-holders, every insurance company should compute interest at 31/2 per cent. per annum from and after the first of January, 1900. A rise in premfum rates after 1899 was expected, and in consequence there was an unusual demand for life insurance in that year, before the new

The Imperial Life had always maintained its reserves upon the basis of 31/2 per ent interest, and it was not therefore necessary for the Company to increase its premiums in the same proportion as other life insurance companies

has been a steady yearly progress made by the Imperial in this important item, as

			Total Insurance in Force.		
On	Dec.	31st.	1897	\$1,185,725	
			1898	4,169,125	
On	Dec.	31st,	1899	7,142,625	
On	Dec.	31st	1900	9,226,350	

So as to premiums received, the Imperial's premium income for the year 1900 amounts to the large sum of \$321,174, and the income from this source in the previous ear was \$317,752.82. This increase appears small as compared with that of other years; but our premium income in 1809 was augmented by the receipt of one unusually large single premium, namely, of no less than \$100,000. It will afford a more satisfactory index of our income from premiums to give you a statement of the Revenue from the Imperial's ordinary annual premiums—the premiums paid annually, and expected to be paid in each year in the future.

Income From Annual Premiums. In 1898 was 117.887 96 In 1899 was 215.827 42 In 1900 was 315.724 00

This record, it will be observed, has steadily increased every year. In addition to the income from annual premiums, the company has received \$162,350.25 for the purchase money of annuities and for single premiums, of which the \$100,000 already men-

The advantage of securing a stated annual income throughout life by one payment for the purchase of an annuity from a thoroughly reliable source is gradually growing to be recognized in this country, as in Great Britain. There the Government has gone into the business, and the present large number of Government annultants is dence that the advantages to be secured under this form of investment have become appreciated. Compared with other investments, the annuity bond of such a Life Company as the Imperial Life secures:

1. A definite income to the annuitant. 2. An unchangeable income-not varying, as, for example, does the income from

3. An income which can always be relied on for being paid punctually on fixed

dates—yearly, half-yearly, quarterly or monthly, as may be desired.

Turning now to the income which the Company has from investments, it will be found that, like the Company's premium income, there has been a marked increase made for each of the undermentioned periods.

Income From Interest. 1897 \$10,987 34 1898 12,464 11 1899 27,406 12 1900 36,272 74

In investing the Company's funds the Directors have kept in view the following 1. The absolute security of the capital invested.

2. The obtaining of the highest rate of interest obtainable consistent with the absolute security of the capital invested. 3. The preference of securities having a considerable number of year before maturity. This is desirable in view of the fact that many of the contracts of life insurance entered into run for 30, 40 or 50 years, and it is therefore desirable that a goodly proportion of a Life Company's investments shall have a considerable time to run before maturity, and shall not be affected by a fall in the general rate

of interest in the meantime. Taking together the income from annual premiums and from interest, we have the

Income From Annual Premiums and Interest Together. 1897 \$ 43,387 24

The Imperial's accumulated funds or assets have also increased year by year, antil to-day they are more than one hundred thousand dollars beyond the one million lollars mark, which it is the aim of new insurance companies to reach at the earliest

The assets embrace Government and municipal securities, and first mortgages on freehold properties, etc. Every investment of the Company has been carefully selected, and there is not to-day a single security which gives to the Directors and Officers the slightest anxiety. The following is a summary of the total assets at the end of each of the years named: The Company's Assets.

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On the whole, it is obvious that the progress and stability of the Company, the security it affords to its policy-holders, and the public confidence in the Company—which was satisfactory from the beginning and has been growing every year since—are all that can be desired by the shareholders and policyholders, the Directors of the

ompany and alla others interested in the Company's affairs. In moving the adoption of the report, Mr. A. E. Ames, 1st Vice-President of the

The review of the Company's history by the President is so, complete that it aves me very little to say concerning the general results accomplished. I desire, owever, to refer to the character of the Imperial's assets, which now amount to \$1,-One of the Important branches in connection with the conduct of a life insurance company is that dealing with the investment of its funds, and to this department

of the work your Directors have given careful consideration. It may not be generally known how rapidly the accumulated funds of our Canadian life insurance companies have increased. This is indicated in the following table:

At the close of the year 1879: \$ 5,303,222

... 1884 10,073,078

... 1889 18,735,213

... 1894 32,444,87

... 1899 58,755,207 The life companies now derive their powers of investment from the amended Insurance Act, which specifies and limits the classes of securities in which they may invest. Before the passing of this amended Act the charters of several of our companies were unduly restrictive, but now the enlarged investment powers have placed all life companies on the same level, and have opened up new and profitable, while

equally safe, fields for investment. First Mortgages on Real Estate.-At the close of 1809 this asset stood at \$298, 367.95, while at the close of 1900 it amounted to \$397,703.62, an increase of \$126,-335.67 for the year. The Company has taken advantage of the excellent conditions prevailing in well-settled and carefully cultivated districts in localities where values are well established, for the loaning of its funds upon conservative valuations at renerative rates of interest. The average rate of interest at which our funds were so invested during 1900 was 6.18 per cent, and although the crop conditions in Manitoba were somewhat unfavorable, it is gratifying to be able to report that over 76 per cent. of the interest due under mortgages held by the Imperial Life was paid, while a considerable portion of the balance has been met since the Company's books

Government and Municipal Securities.-The Imperial has \$223,962.13, or 22.22 per ent, of its invested assets invested in these securi The general character of a life insurance company's financial statement is not

isually gauged by the amount invested under this heading. So far as security is cerned, it is obvious that there is no better class of assets. Bonds, Debentures and Stocks.-These securities comprise \$430,049.97 of debentures and \$50,688.75 of stock. All have been carefully selected and yield an aver-

Policies Purchased and Loaned On, and Cash on Hand and on Deposit.-Under this head I have grouped the balance of the net ledger assets, \$131,574.81, or 13.07 per cent. of the whole. The absolute security of the asset is apparent from its character, and the average rate of interest earned in respect thereof was 5 per cent. The Outstanding and Deferred Premiums, etc., are, of course, fully secured by

It is a significant fact that the interest receipts from lavestments since the comencement of the Company have exceeded all the claims arising from death by \$27,-

You will, perhaps have noticed that in the report of the Board of Directors, which is new in your hands, no reference appears to the position occupied by the Imperial Life Assurance Company in comparison with the position of other life assurance companies. In my remarks made, I think, at the annual meeting two years ago, I stated that in order to place the affairs of this Company before you in such a ner as really to inform you of its position, it seemed necessary at that stage to with the figures of other companies. Your Company has now, however, considerable record of its own—a record which, from the present inherent position of the Company, and entirely independent of comparison with other companies, has fulfilled the plans and expectations of those of us who had to do with the Company from its foundation. This record has covered most important developments in the Company's business and will furnish a sufficient basis for comparison for the busis of the Company in succeeding years. I ask your pardon for spending a little time upon this feature, because after consultation with the Directors and officers of the Company, I am able Company to state that for the present and future, so far as the present officers of the Company may be influential in its affairs, in the future, the policy of the Imperial Life Assurance Company will be to continue to build up the strength of its ownopaskida without spending any time in trying to depreciate the ion of other life assurance companies. There has come during recent years a roved relation between, I think I may say, all managers of life assurompanies in Canada over that which prevailed earlier. Having regard to the busiess of life assurance being one of the most dignified and important of all businesses, it is greatly to be hoped that the attitude towards each other of the various assurance companies will steadily become more cordial. Anything short of this which has prevailed has, apparently, arisen from fierce competition and non-recognition of the fact that every canvasser for business for any standard life assurance ompany is a canvasser for business for all standard life assurance companies. I am not advocating the immediate commencement of the millennium, and am aware that in connection with all corporations competition will inevitably make those interested in any one corporation, in trying to close business, exaggerate to some extent the position of their own institution, and, if not depreciate, at all events, point ou faithfully the weaker points of other institutions, while not parading anything vulnerable in their own position. Institutions, however, such as banks, trust companies, lean companies, railroads and other commercial corporation rarely refer in their ications, reports or advertisements to the relative position of other concerns the same class of business, and the reasons why life assurance companies have in this respect put themselves in a separate class are more apparent than they are conlusive or sufficient. Now, this is, I fear, somewhat in the nature of a lecture, and nay seem entirely unfitting from one who has spent few years in the life assurance mared with the many years which have been spent by others; but I am willing to suffer criticism if what has been said will exercise any influence what ever in abating a condition which is generally acknowledged to be regrettable. The mperial Life Assurance Company, confident in the strength of its own position, ass to fear that this policy on its part will be regarded as a policy dictated by apprehension of suffering in comparison with other companies in any one particular. This Company simply intends that the weight of its influence shall be exerted toward the maintenance in Canada of a reasonably high standard of insurance ethics."

In seconding the resolution for the adoption of the report, Mr. F. G. Cox, Managing Director, said : The question is not infrequently asked, what are the principal reasons to be assigned for the Imperial's success? If I may be permitted at this time, I would like to refer to a few of the chief reasons which, I think, have gone a long way to make the

Imperial Life the success which it is, and first I would state that its plans of insurance have been made as sound as actuarial science can make them, and specially adaptable to the necessities of the insuring public. Not only have all the approved ordinary plans of insurance been adopted, but also plans having special merit for those in special circumstances:

As a second contributing feature, I would mention the form of policy contract nov use by this office. It is, I think, without a single exception, and considered in its as explicit in its terms, as free from ambiguity, and unnecessary restricentirety, as explicit in its terms, as free from amolguity, and unnecessary restric-tions to the assured, and as liberal in its terms as any policy of life insurance, ac-cording to our present light, can properly be. Our policy is one of the strongest canvassing documents which our agents possess.

The third feature, which has materially assisted to bring the Imperial's success, is

unquestionable financial strength. Its assets have not only been carefully and onservatively chosen, but they comprise a variety of securities, which is an imporin respect of the investment of large funds, such as come into th hands of Life Insurance Companies; but, not only have these funds been wisely and conservatively invested, but they have been placed in securities of a high order, yield ing a remunerative rate of interest. The provisions of the amended Insurance Act have not only enlarged the investment powers of life insurance companies, but have, at the same time, very wisely restricted the investment of their funds to classes of ccurities to which no exception can be taken by the most critical. No real estate has ever come into the Company's hands, either by purchase or by foreclosure. But the financial strength of the Company is not only evidenced by the care of its invested funds, but by the security which it affords to its policyholders. Over and above every known liability, on the most conservative actuarial basis of valuation known in Can-

ada, the Imperial holds a security for its policyholders of no less than \$489,199.61. The fourth cause which, undoubtedly, has contributed to the marked success of he Imperial Life, is the prompt and satisfactory manner in which the Company has at all times paid its claims under its contracts, and the according to its policyholders and to the representatives of its deceased policyholders every consideration in con nection with their contracts.

In conclusion, it is confidently believed that there is nothing in life insurance but what the Imperial Life can grant, on terms of thorough satisfaction to those who intrust their money to it.

In moving a resolution of thanks to the District Managers, Agents and Medical Examiners of the Company, Hon. Sir Mackenzie Bowell said : There is no branch of business in the country which has so rapidly stantially expanded during the past 25 years as that of life insurance; and I think I can further state that I do not know of any other business in the same period of time

which has been of greater commercial and financial advantage to our people than this same business of life insurance. In 1875 the entire amount of life insurance transacted by all Life Companies in Canada was \$15,074,258, or less than five times the amount transacted by the Im perial last year. In 1899 the amount of insurance transacted was no less than \$67 400,733, which was distributed amongst the Canadian. British and United States Com-

panies, as follows: Canadian Canadians in 1875 were \$85,009,266, while at the close of 1899 these figures had been to \$404.170.673, distributed as follows:

During the same period-1875-1899-I find that the total amount paid by our Canatian Life Insurance Companies under their policies, by way of death claims, endowments, profits, etc., amounted to the large sum of \$39,358,867, and that the total amount of assets held in hand by our Canadian Companies at the close of 1899 meet their future obligations, was \$53,755,206.87. These remarkable accomplishments have to a very marked extent been the

of the untiring and persevering efforts of the life insutance men, and to them, there-

fore, we owe much.

That the agents of the Imperial Life have worked faithfully and to good purpose. That the agents of the Imperial Life have worked faithfully and to good purpose during the past year is abundantly borne out by the fact that the new applications received by the Company amounted to no less than \$3,847,000—that they must have had many disappointments throughout the year is evidenced by the large amount-\$740,000, or nearly 20 per cent.—of applications declined or uncompleted, out of the \$3,847,000 received. This large volume of business received must mean, in view of the keen competation in life insurance to-day, a very efficient, capable, intelligent and energetic Agency Staff. The Company has now established agencies in all the principal centres of the Provinces and Territories, and is gradually perfecting its system of Local Agencies in the smaller places.

The Hon, Elizier Wright, one of the best authorities in his day on life ins said: "Among the honorable workers in the civilized world, to whom the public as well as the assured will die indebted, we give faithful and successful life assurance agents a high place." These words are none the less true to-day than they were

I do not know that any Company has a more loyal and efficient agency corps than the Imperial Life; and I do not know of any business which demands to such an extent from those engaged in it, those business qualities which are always so essential to-success. The plans and policy contracts of Life Insurance are so varied that it is difficult for the every-day man of affairs to grasp their significance in their entirety; and, therefore, it falls upon the Life Insurance Agent to explain and elucidate them.

Every Life Insurance Agent, therefore to a marked extent, occupies a position of Every Life Insurance Agent, therefore, to a marked extent, occupies a position of trust—a trust to give the best of his knowledge, counsel and advice to those whom he solicits, and a trust to do full justice to the Company by representing it faithfully

and well and to the best of his ability. There is a condition of permanency peculiar to the Imperial's field staff, which is very gratifying to the Directors.

For a life insurance representative to succeed he must have faith in the Company represents. That the agents of the Imperial have this to an unlimited extent i lenced by their continued loyal devotion to its interests. I do not know that any greater guarantee of success th Life Insurance work can be secured other than through permanency of connection with a sound, progressive and prosperous Company like the Imperial, and to those who now form part of our organization, I say, persevere in and prosecute with all your vigor and power the good work which you have engaged in.

In seconding the resolution, Hon. S. C. Wood made the following remarks: After the lengthy and interesting address which was read from the President the able re-narks of the Vice-President, the valuable statement made by our Manager, and the comprehensive speech delivered by the gentleman making this motion, I think I shall be relieved from making any lengthy remarks. I will consult your wishes and my own, and what I have to say shall be confined strictly to the motion.

There are, amongst the many other in crests involved in life assurance, three portant matters in coanection with life insurance which are of vital interest. The first is: Has sufficient care and caution been exercised in issuing the policies of this Company? The second: Has the business of this Company been vigorously and efficiently prosecuted? The third: Have the fivestments of this Company been carefully and cautiously made? Those are three points which are naturally present to

the policyholder when he is reviewing each annual statement.

Now, as regards the issuing of policies, the medical examiner makes his report. That report is revised by our chief medical referee, Dr. Davison, from a medical standpoint, and carefully considered by the Manager and Actuary from an insurance

Now, as a proof that proper care and intelligence and caution have been used in issuing these policies is evidenced by the fact that the death rate is lower than the minimum mortality rate according to the best known standards in Canada. This indicates that in the appointment of our medical examiners throughout the country proper caution has been used and that they have done their duty. It also evidences this fact, that we were very fortunate indeed in the appointment of our head medical referee, because, after all, a great deal depends upon whether he approves or sapproves of any report afterwards brought before the officers of the Company.

The next question that comes up is: Has the business of the Company been

eroughly prosecuted? Has it been done in a businessike way? Has there been sufficient energy used? It is not necessary to go into figures with reference to that, but I would simply call your attention to the Report, which shows a very large increase in every department. That brings forward the fact that our Vice-Presidents, our Manager and our Actuary have prosecuted the business of this Company thoroughly, that they have left nothing undone that could reasonably be expected

This affects another branch under that resolution. It does not stop at our Vice-Presidents, who certainly have done their duty, nor our Manager and Actuary, whose work has been most sufficiency; it does not stop there, but it shows you that in the selection of our agents all over the country the Executive have used proper discretion, that they have chosen good men, that it would be impossible to have obtained as large an amount of pusiness if they had not selected in the first place good men, and, in the next place, if those men had not done their duty thor-

we come, lastly, to the question of investment, which is one of great consence. We all know that in the history of all companies, as in the history of individuals, in making investments a certain amount of loss is not infrequently incurred, and that great care and caution is required.

The Imperial Life has had the advantage of starting to invest in the Province of Manitoba when values had been well ascertained and the character of localities well known. As a proof I may state in passing, that they oba, and they have as loaning agent and as valuator two gentlemen of some 20 or 25 years' experience in Manitoba, who are thoroughly acquainted with every locality, who know the history and the prospects recent and future of each district, and who are able to pass intelligently upon the loans before they come down here and are carried into effect. Now, the company has made its investments in Manitoba, and, speak of this advisedly, in the best sections. I do not know of a single loan made in a doubtful section in that province. It is known to all of you that the resuit of the crop in that part of Canada was most disappointing, and it was expected by all who had investments there that there would be a falling off in the payment of interest. But when you learn that the small sum of \$4298 is the amount in arrear in the whole of our mortgage investments-less than one per cent. of the total mortgage investments made-you will agree with me that it is a most satisfactory proof that the investments in Manitoba have been intelligently, cautiously and

I have very much pleasure in seconding the resolution which expresses confidence ali the representatives of this institution.

The above resolution was unanimously adopted, and suitable replies were made by the Chief Medical Referee, Dr. John L. Davison, and by Messrs, George R. Hamilton and George I. Riddell, agents of the Company.

Messrs, E. T. Malone, K.C., and David Smith, having been appointed ser ported the following gentlemen as elected as Directors for the ensuing year: Hon. Sir Oliver Mowat, P.C., G.C.M.G.; A. E. Ames; Hon. Sir Mackenzle Bowell, P.C., K.C.M.G.; Hon. William Harty, M.L.A., Kingston; Hon. S. C. Wood; Thomas J. Drummond, Montreal; J. J. Kenny, Chester D. Massey, Samuel J. Moore, Charles McGill, Hugh N. Baird; F. R. Eccles, M.D., F.R.C.S., London; George B. Reeve, Montreal; A. E. Kemp, M.P.; William McKenzie, Warren Y. Soper, Ottawa;

At a subsequent meeting of Directors Hon Sir Oliver Mowat was re-elected Presient and Messrs, A. E. Ames and T. Bradshaw 1st and 2nd Vice-Presidents, resp



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Forget's London cable to-day quoted: G.T.

B. first pref., 90½; second, 65; third, 22½;
Anaconda, 9 7-16.

Montreal Street Railway earnings on
Monday, \$4833.54, a decrease of \$129.04; on
St.nday, \$3773.54, a decrease of \$36.78. The earnings of the London Street Rallway Company for the week ending Feb. 0, 1901, amount to \$2004, being an increase of \$208, or 10 per cent. over those of the same period of last year. Toronto Railway earnings the week end-ed Feb. 10 totalled \$26,700.11, an increase of \$558.90 over the same week of 1900.

Montreal Railway earnings, \$31,492.43, an increase of \$931.89.

Halifax Tram. is lower, at 90, on news that the city will erect its own lighting 2 plant. The sum paid the company annually by the city for street lighting has been about \$20,000.

Mr. H. S. Mara has been elected a member of the Toronto Stock Exchange, making the number 38.

Hudson Bay in London was quoted at £22½ on Jan. 31. Montreal 4 per cent. bonds are 1 higher at 108 in London. Canbonds are 1 higher at 108 in London. Candan 3 per cents. are 100 and 2½ per cents. 31.

According to the annual report of the Richelleu & Ontario Navigation Company for the year ending Dec. 31, 1900, the gross receipts were, for 1900, 5001-531. 60, for 1800, \$22.906, for 1800, \$24.066. Net profit for 1900, \$129.322.96, for 1800, 128.730.07.

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Antwerp—Spot wheat steady; No. 2 red winter, 16¾f.
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Bulls—Heavy export bulls sold at \$3.85 to \$4.25 per cwt. while light export bulls sold at \$3.40 to \$3.60.

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J. S. Larke, Canadian Commissioner to Australia, be given leave of absence to permit him to return to Canada to secure information on the present trade condition.

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