DRURY WILL GO LIBERAL THINK LOCAL POLITICIANS

May Even Become Liberal Leader, Say Conservatives-Disaster of Farmers' Party Freely Predicted by Opponents-Labor Is Indifferent.

HOLD CAUCUS TODAY, SAYS STEVENSON

Hon. E. C. Drury, premier of Ontario, will soon take shelter beneath the broad and generous folds of the Liberal banner, while the U. F. O. will be practically eliminated as a

powerful factor in provincial politics. This is the consensus of opinion today wher wer local party chiefs and whips were discussing the latest development in the Morrison-Drury vendetta with the official pronouncement by United Farmer delegates in convention in Toronto yesterday, denouncing the premier's now-famous "broadening out" policy.

Long threatened, a serious split in the ranks of the U. F. O. is now inevitable, argued many local politicians this morning, chiefly in the Tory encampment, who see today the beginning of the end for the Farmertheir opinion, there is but one alternative for the "man from Crown Hill" -gather around him his faithful followers in the House and bolt to Liberal headquarters, where he will be assured, they assert, a hearty wel-

It is the belief among local Conservatives at this moment that E. C. Drury can be the new Liberal chieftain in the province of Ontario The laurels are to be his, only for the asking, opine the jubilant Tories, who foresee the utter defeat of the present government, and a trium-phant return of the old-line parties een's l'ark next year.

Labor Is Undisturbed.

The local Labor element, aligned with the party in power, seemed quite unruffled by the latest turn, and are quite content to view the entire affair as a domestic row that will bear no direct influence upon

however, that a caucus of the i n called for today at the capital.

He did not know offhand whether he would be in attendance however. There is plenty of time if I decide go," he assured. Asked what attitude Labor might

now assume, in view of the develop-ment among the U. F. O. chiefs, Dr. Evenson replied, "I don't know." "What would you suggest?" he was

"I don't know," replied the mem-"What would you do if you were fn a position similar to the premier?" he was furthered questioned. "I don't know," was the reply

"A Party Quarrel."

a formidable political factor in Ontario.

"I have attended many of the sessions of the house," Mr. Dennis explained, "and my own personal opinion is that Premier Drury's logical move, following yesterday's turn of events, would be for an alliance with the Liberal group across the floor of the house. He could take with him those of his colleagues who would be sure to cling to him if he should decide to go to the country on his decide to go to the country has seen the height of its is Magistrate A. H. M. Gray-don't attitude in regard to the juvenile country don't attitude in regard to the juvenile to more a to the next the last Federal election, declined to the notice and the last federal candidate and ideation of the last federal candidate and ideation of the last federal candidate and the last

The president of the Western On-

NEW GERMAN HORRORS CHARGED BY MICHELIN

Special Cable to The Advertiser.
Paris, Dec. 15.—Germany is planning, another war with a new and deadly poison gas that will penetrate any gas mask, and specially designed airplanes charged with liquids that will annihilate cities, Andre Michelin, speaking before gathering of political and industrial

arfare similar to that conjured up by lemenceau in the United States, declaring German factories are busy turning out implements of war, chief among which, outside of poisons, would be special torpedo-carrying planes.

Drury Is Welcome, Says Party Chief

The Liberals of Ontario would welcome the return of Hon. E. C. Drury to the fold. Drury to the fold.

In conversation with The Advertiser this afternoon over long-distance telephone from his home in Listowel, Hon. Wellington Hay, leader of the Liberal group in the provincial house, frankly intimated that Mr. Drury and his followers would be accorded a warm welcome should they elect to "bolt"

the U. F. O.

The provincial chieftain declined to commit himself too strongly upon the incipient breach in the nome, and was not fully conversan with all the details of the Toront:

tario Conservatives freely predicts as a natural sequence, the defeat of the U. F. O. at the next election, with the return to power of one of the

old-line parties.
"I have independent reports from scattered points throughout the province," he said, "giving every indication of this. There seems to be no end of dissatisfaction everywhere. My own opinion is that a return to the old order will be the best for the farmer himself as well as the province.
"We want to help the farmer, but

under prevailing conditions he is making it very difficult for us. The farmer, like the laboring man, must recognize that he must co-operate with the other classes. When he enters the political arena as a farmer only, we can't help him out. We all need sympathetic co-operation.

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Wants Old Regime.

It is his worship's opinion that the sex, introduced by the president, return to power of either one of the Arthur Ford.

The regular meeting next week old political bodies would only be for the best interests of the province as a whole. Like his associates, he would not be at all surprised if Pre-mier Drury should "bolt" the Farmer

movement.

"Class government has been a complete failure." asserted Mayor Wilson confidently. "The people have realized that the time has come for the old party divisions. Legislation by the present government at Toronto has always been to the disadvantage of the municipalities. A return of one or the other of the old groups will be the best for the province."

E. S. Little, ex-mayor of London Arthur Mould, member of the executive of the London branch of the Canadian Labor party, and unsuccessful candidate for the federal and probable Liberal candidate at the next Provincial election, is another made it bones at the last election, made it

canadian Labor party, and unsuccessful candidate for the federal house at the last election, made it quite clear that any "party roy" in the U. F. O. ranks did not affect the "well-defined status" of the Labor party and "should not become an issue before the general public." It was purely a party quarrel or difference he maintained.

"It will not affect the Labor movement in any event," Mr. Mould stated to The Advertiser, "no matter what the outcome of the quarrel between the two U. F. O. factions may be. The Labor platform is sufficiently broad to include everyone who chooses to adopt our policies We accept all who are ready and willing to join our forces.

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SEE PAGE 8 FOR U. F. O. CON-VENTION RESULTS.

In favor of my appointment. Of course you know my attitude.

"I have tried nearly 4,000 cases in police court this year. To be exact, 3,942 cases have been entered on the

FRENCH PREMIER CLAIMS
SITUATION MUCH BETTER

Paris, Dec. 15.—Premier Poincare told the chamber of deputies today that the general situation had recently grown better instead of worse and he expressed surprise at the feeling of fear and anxiety he had found when he returned from the London conference of premiers. He asserted he had followed faithfully the program he laid down for the government when he took office.

RELEASE THUNDER BAY.

Welland, Dec. 15. — The Canada Steamship Company steamer Thunder Bay is expected to be released from her position aground off Morgan's Point, near Port Colborne, today. She carries 90,000 bushels of grain. The tug Hector and lightering barges are working to release her this morning.

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KIWANIANS HEÁR

proving eminently satisfactory.

The club now holds two of the

present at the meeting—the Mayor-elect George Wenige, introduced in a cleverly humorous poem by Tom

Yull, and Warden Cousins of Middle-

gives way to the annual Christmas tree, to be held Wednesday evening

has thrown itself heart and soul in-

to making the evening memorab

It was announced also that the re

It was announced also that the report of the objective committee would be given by the chairman, Neil Stryker, at this meeting.

On the motion of Bev. Hay, the newly-elected president, an appeal for volunteers to provide a Christmas for three needy families in the district was retired.

for three needy families in the the trict, met with a ready response, and nine names were immediately listed

of their foster "dads" and the

for the youngsters.

POWELL MARTICHUK. who was shot in a running gun bat-tle with the police and after a stay in hospital appeared in police court this morning facing two charges. The Advertiser photographer shows him as he appeared on crutches this morning suffering from the police bullet

RUSSIAN REFUSES SPLENDID REPORTS TO ANSWER CHARGE

A year of splendid progress and Powell Martinchuk, Russian, reaccomplishment was summed up in fused to answer the first charge prethe reports of various committees ferred against him, that of having a submitted at the annual business revolver in his possession, in police meeting of the Kiwanis Club held at noon today in the Tecumseh House.

Athletic, finance, membership and attendance reports were read, all Gootson had been brought to court today. The other charge of the Kiwanis Club held at court today. The other charge of the second line, three shooting with intent to kill Motory, 2,200 tons, six of the second line, three cycle Officer Gavin Monahan was not read. The prisoner insisted on an interpreter being called. Morris tons, none of the second line, three of the first line built, 3,318 tons, none of the second line, three courts are constant and the court today.

court believed the case would occupy a few hours, the matter was ad-journed until Monday.

Martinchuk sat in the courtroom almost three hours waiting for his hearing. Apparently he was interested in the other cases on the docket for he listened attentively,

docket for he listened attentively, only distracting his attention from the various witnesses called, to flick bits of dust from his clothing.

The prisoner first ran foul of the police several weeks ago when officers answered a call to a house on Bathurst street. When the policemen enteried Martinchuk retreated by way of the rear entrance. When Sergt. Elmer Walsh and Constable Parker followed, it is alleged he fired on them and vaulted a fence. They continued the chase and were pursuing him along the L. and P. S. tracks. When Monahan, who was serving subpoenases in that locality, joined in the pursuit.

As he closed in on Martinchuk, the latter fired several shots, is the officer's statement. Monahan returned the fire, finally hitting the fugitive in the knee. Martinchuk pitched forward on his face. He was removed to the police station, and on orders from Dr. Ernest Williams, police physician, taken to Victoria Hospital.

Police succeeded in frustrating a plan to kidnap Martinchuk from his bed in a public ward. When the prisoner was transferred to a steel cage, he tried to strangle himself. Recently he was moved to the jail and made his first appearance in court this morning.

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RETURNS POINT TO WIN FOR QUEBEC LIQUOR ACT

Farnham, Que, Dec. 15.—Unofficial figures available this morning of the referendum held in Missisqoi County yesterday to determine whether the Scott prohibitory law shall remain ir force or whether the sale of liquor under the Quebec liquor act shall be allowed, indicate that the latter policy was indersed by the voters. parishes involved is 10,300, and the majority for the wet forces was ap-parently over 1,000.

ROBBERS GET \$20,000 FROM BANK MESSENGER

Philadelphia, Dec. 15.—Six men in an automobile today held up a bank messenger in Darby, a suburb, and robbed him of about \$20,000 after shooting him in the cheek. The messenger was taking cash for payrolls from the First National Bank of Darby to several industrial plants in Philadelpha.

ANDREW LAIDLAW DIES.
Special to The Advertiser.
Woodstock, Ont., Dec. 15.—Andrew Laidlaw, who for the past 25 years has been postmaster of the village of Drumbo, died at an early hour this morning, following an illness of two days' duration. He was 64 years of age, was seized with a paralytic stroke on Wednesday and became unconscious. He gradually sank, and died about 2 o'clock this morning. He is survived by a widow and two

U. S. Appalled at Table of Break Into Royal Bank at Relative Strengths in Cruiser Type.

GREAT BRITAIN IN LEAD

Propose That President Harding Negotiate International Agreement.

Washington, Dec. 15.-A tabulation obtained today in United States naval circles, showing the relative positions of the British United States and Japanese navies in cruiser and submarine strength, apparently shed light on the situation which led the house appropriation committee to propose that President Harding negotiate an international agreement to check competitive building in

Annual Business Meeting at Noon Today Is Cause For Congratulation.

TO ANSWER CHARGE

The figures credit Britain with 45 light cruisers of the first line built, building or projected, and aggregating 206,480 tons; the United States with 10 ships building, 75,000 tons, and Japan with 11 ships built and 21 building and projected, aggregating 191,450 tons. In addition the list shows Great Britain to have 13 light cruisers of the second line 69 206. cruisers of the second line, 69,230 tons. Neither the U.S. nor Japan is credited with any ships in this classi-

fication.

In fleet submarines Britain is

building program, none on the United States', and 38 on the Japanese.

Mount Forest and Steal Securities.

BLOW OPEN VAULT DOOR

Make Escape in Early Morn ing After Cutting Telegraph Lines.

Special to The Advertiser.

Mount Forest, Ont., Dec. 15 .- Entering the Royal Bank building here. after cutting the bars of a rear window, robbers last night escaped with the contents of eighteen safety deposit boxes, consisting for the most part registered bonds. Pending furtrer checking up the value of the bonds cannot be estimated, as the bank had no record of them.

Telephone cables in the town were cut by the robbers, as well as telegraph wires, both beyond the railway station and in town. There is every reason to believe that the raid the work of professional was burglars.

The hour of the robbery is placed credited with six of the first line, One of these, Harry Clarke, division families resident in the block had

And Others Call Him "Ouija" Though He Won't Say "Yes" or "No"

Here is something sprung on the new mayor by the Kiwanis Club a soon today. It speaks for itself.

"SAY IT WITH CORRECTNESS." The mayor for 1923, His office soon will claim, And so I think you'll all agree We ought to know his name.

You've heard him called George Wennijee, Some folks pronounce it so, Another says "'Tis Wenniggy,

I'd have you all to know.

Some people say he's Wennick,
"No, Wenninger," say a few—
Still others claim it's Weenije,
But they're wrong, 'twixt me and you. The mayor himself says, "I don't care

A shilling or a pfennig, Let people call me what they please, As long as they say Wenige."

ON REPARATIONS

German Industrial Leaders and Cuno Cabinet to Co-operate.

Special Cable to The Advertiser. Berlin, Dec. 15.-Industrial leaders of Germany planned today to cooperate with the members of the Cuno cabinet in working out a fresh reparations proposal. Hopeful of aid from outside in view of statements by Bonar Law, Lloyd George and Ramsay MacDonald, in the House of Commons yesterday, and taking some stock in current report of American intention to re-enter European affairs, Germans are anxious to settle with the Allies before the next reparations crisis falls due Jan. 15.

Former Chancellor Wirth, desirous of laying the German case before the of laying the German case perore the American people, much as Clemen-ceau did for France, said today: "I am still looking forward to making a lecturing trip in the United States. However, it is uncertain just when political circumstances will permit me

Wirth predicted a shake-up in Gerwirth predicted a shake-up in Germany's political situation, with a coalition, including Socialists, supplanting the Cuno government. He hinted that this would come in January, and that he himself might have a considerable role,

December contains a charming poem, "The River at Noo," by Miss Mary A. Kilbourne, a fourth-year student at Western University, whose literary worok is attracting attention.

CANADA NOTIFIED CATTLE BILL LAW

Britain Sends Official Notification — Anti-Embargo Measure Passes Final . Reading.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.-Official notification that the embargo bill had received third reading in the House of minister, Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King, this morning.

It is now possible, under the new act, to ship non-breeding animals Kee. from Canada to Great Britain and fatten them there. The entry of such OLD INNERKIP HOTEL

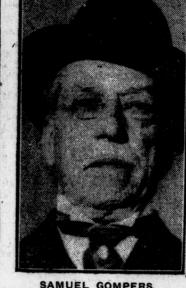
fatten them there. The entry of such animals is, of course, subject to regulations which have been laid down to prevent the carrying of disease to cattle there.

Breeding animals from Canada will not be permitted entry at the present time, however, as a provision of the bill was that these would not be entered until the bill had been tabled for three weeks in both houses.

houses.

In view of pirorogation taking place today, until February, breeding animals from Canada will not, it is understood be admitted until the provi-

AMBASSADOR HARVEY CALLED TO WASHINGTON



president of the American Federa-tion of Labor, who declares that or-ganized labor in the United States

WOMAN LOSES LIFE IN MONTREAL FIRE

Nine Families Escape Flames With Their Lives \$150 .-000 Damage Done.

Montreal, Dec. 14.-One woman

at between 2 and 3 o'clock this morn- which destroyed the Corinthian ing. Two citizens report having apartments, Bishop street, in the heard an explosion at about this hour. early hours of this morning. Nine court clerk, states that shortly before narrow escapes from the flames, shooting with mean and the control of the first new cycle Officer Gavin Monahan was not read. The prisoner insisted on an interpreter being called. Morris Gootson had been brought to court to act in this capacity, but as the case did not come on until the after-free case was adjourned till Mondoy. What do you say to this charge? the court asked Martin-fleet submarines, Great Britain is the case was adjourned till Mondoy. Only yes, you do," he was told. The marked by the control of the submarines, Great Britain is to the submarines, Great Britain is control. The marked positive proposed in the case was adjourned till Mondoy. Only yes, you do," he was told. The marked positive proposed in the case was adjourned till Mondoy. Only yes, you do," he was told. The marked positive proposed in the case was adjourned till Mondoy. Only yes, you do," he was told. The marked positive proposed in the case was adjourned till Mondoy. Only yes, you do," he was told. The marked positive proposed in the case was adjourned till Mondoy. Only yes, you do," he was told. The marked positive proposed in the case was adjourned till Mondoy. Only yes, you do," he was told. The marked positive proposed to the case was adjourned till Mondoy. Only yes, you do," he was told. The marked positive proposed to the case was adjourned till Mondoy. The marked positive proposed to the case was adjourned till Mondoy. The marked positive proposed to the case was adjourned till Mondoy. The marked positive proposed to the case was adjourned till Mondoy. The marked positive proposed to the case of the link three of the first new countries. The wind the case of the second line, three dots in the case did not come on until the after the case did not come on until the case was adjourned till Mondoy. The marked positive proposed to the case of the link three of the first new countries. The marked positive proposed to the case of the link three of the first new adjusted to the first new countries. The marked positive proposed to the deposit valid and the propo

had been broker into and a pinchbar and other tools stolen, and with these the iron bars at the erear of the bank were pried off and entrance gained.

Crown Attorney Kearns, Guelph, was notified between 8 and 9 o'clock was notified between 8 and 9 o'clock were rusned in taxis to every available steamer, according to refugees arriving here in increasing numbers.

Most of those coming to Italy are government officials, former ministers, generals and prefects who served under constantine. sweeping up the airshaft, which had Constantine. recently been metal lined. Apart-ments on the top floor were already

Four persons, members of the two families residing on the etop floor, were at their windows calling for help when the firemen arrived, and one woman tried to jump before the ladders could be erected. She was restrained, and with the others was carried down the ladders by the firemen.

men. So far as Mr. McGregor was aware all the occupants had escaped from the building.

the building.

Most of those leaving the building donned outer wraps over their night clothes. They were taken in taxicabs and sleighs to the Corona Hotel and the House of Friends.

A snowstorm raged during the progress of the fire.

MAY OPEN CHANNEL THROUGH ICE FIELDS

Seven Steamers Are Held Fast in Ice at Sand Island.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 15.— With seven steamers fast in the ice at Sand Island, six in difficulty above the locks, and three being held here, it appeared today that th ernment or the Lake Carriers' Association would be called upon to open None of the imprisoned steamer had asked aid early today, but with a continuance of cold weather in prospect it was not believed likely they could wait for the ice to move out with assurance of freeing them-selves. Each of the captains appeared reluctant to assume the task of breaking a channel for the fleet Lords was received by the prime at the risk to damage to his own minister. Rt. Hon. Mackengie King vessels. The ice-bound vessels at Sand Island were the Edw. Uhring, Riverton, Agnew, Denmark, G. N.

DESTROYED BY FIRE

Woodstock, Dec. 15.—One of the oldest landmarks in Oxford County, the, old hotel building at Innerkip village, was completely destroyed by village, was completely destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The place was used as a dwelling house by George Bennett and his family, and they were compelled to flee from the burning building in their night clothes. The building was erected in 1848, and for over 60 years was known to the travelers from the end of the province to the other as end of the province to the other the "Innerkip Hotel."

OLD ENGLISH, French and other traditional Christmas carols will be sung by a double quartet at the twillight organ recital in the First Methodist Church at 4:30 this afternoon. Mr. Jordan at the organ and Mrs. Charles Ivey in a violin obligato, will round out what promises to be a most interesting program.

Washington Authorities See Early Step of Far-Reaching Importance.

HARVEY RETURNS HOME

Summoned by Harding to. Confer on Plan for Intervention.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 15 .-- American intervention in the European

crisis is imminent. The United States shortly will take major step of far-reaching importance in the serious situation abroad, according to highly authoritative information received here to-

George Harvey, American ambassador to London, has been instructed by President Harding and Secretary Hughes to return to Washington for

consultation on the European crisis. HARVEY RETURNS DEC. 23. London, Dec. 15 .- Ambassador Har-

vey returns to Washington Dec. 23 Miss Eva McGinnis, a trained nurse, to advise and confer with President lost her life, and damage estimated Harding regarding possible American at over \$150,000 was done in a fire intervention in Europe.

which destroyed the Corinthian This was the understanding in London today following Harvey's announcement he had been called to

The American ambassador will sail on the Berengaria a week from to-morrow to report direct to the presi-dent at Washington upon the general reparations and economic situation. He will tell Mr. Harding of Anglo-French divergencies and confer on the subject of American intervention. based on the outcome of the premiers' conference, which is to be re-sumed at Paris Jan. 2.

FROM REVOLUTIONISTS Rôme, Dec. 15 .- Hundreds of persons suspected of sympathy with King Con-

Tales of horror are related by these refugees, who declare the revolutionary, government at Athens considers it crime to have sworn allegiance to the

\$46,000 TO HOSPITALS

Stratford, Dec. 15 .- By the will of the late William Scott, Egmondville. the town of Seaforth is left \$40,000 for the erection and maintenance of a hospital. Further sums of \$2,000 each are left to Clinton, Goderich

amounted to about \$90,000 WORLD WHEAT CONDITION

FAVORS THE PRODUCER Washington, Dec. 15.-The world according to department of commerce officials, who base their observations on reports from all parts of the globe. The world "balance sheet" on wheat stocks does not bear out the belief. t was said, that there will be a larger carry-over of stocks of wheat next July than there was in July of this year, while improving conditions abroad would seem to mean that purchases of wheat would increase.

THE WEATHER

Today—Moderate to fresh northerly to westerly winds, with local snow flurries. Saturday-Fresh to strong southy mostly fair and rather cold.

A shallow disturbance is centred this norning over the New England States and another has come in over Manitob high over the Middle Western States

has been fair, with somewhat high The highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:



Winnipeg. - 4 -10 Toronto ... Ottawa .. Montreal... Quebec ... F. Point..

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: The official temperatures for the 12 nours previous to 8 a.m. today wer

Secretary W. A. Tanner, wh this morning, laughed. "Wi

George Bond Admits Taking Stolen Property From Young Bandit.

SCORED BY MAGISTRATE

Brother-in-Law Promised to Help Youth, But Fails.

On his own evidence, George Bond, convicted of receiving stolen goods valued at \$32 from the boy. He was remanded a week for sentence. Bond entered a plea of not guilty.

Detective Thomas Bolton told of arresting Bond on the G. T. R. tracks the detective Fornier gave them to him. Detective Harry Down corroborated this, evidence, admitted he had broken

Held Goods For Board. "On four different occasions he broke into my house," said Bond. Each time he left stuff there. telephoned him, nad told him to take the stuff away. Later, I would not give it to him, because he owed me for board, and I thought that as a

householder I had a right to keep

into Bond's house and left the goods

the stuff until he paid me. cross-examination, admitted he had a strong suspicion the goods were stolen, as he knew the boy had not been working much. Only a month ago, when young court to stealing a shirt, Bo peared on his behalf, and promised Eighty Attend Annual Event Follow the court he would look after him. Later Fornier went to work on a farm in Westminster Township, and eft there because he stole 50 cents.

Admits Knowledge. Bond admitted he knew all this, but said that the two watches, a box of cigars, a cigar holder, a cigarette holder, and a quantity of cigarettes had been given to him by Fornier as

Christmas presents. Before finding him guilty, Magistrate Graydon scored Bond for con-niving in the thefts, after promising to take care of the boy and to lead

One watch found in his possession had been stolen from F. L. Waterhouse, Lambeth, and one George Middon, local butcher. goods had been taken from the

trunk at Bond's home was found a revolver, the property of the cashier at the London Loan and Savings Company, which Fornier admitted he stole when he broke into Christmas tree.

Cntario businessman, was sent for gift. trial on a charge of fraud. It alleged he drew a check on the sons Bank, and gave it to J. A. Mar-Hamilton, and when the lat-ter presented it for payment, there was not sufficient funds to cover it

To Stop a Cold in One Day



EVERYBODY'S "spying!" Why not you, too? Keep your eyes open for news and win two tickets for the Grand Theatre. It's news that is wanted: something you see, not a funny con-

tomorrow await "Tom," winner of to- was no child on board. The box contained a talking doll.—Nemo. day's item.

A young lady coming out of a local the boy bandit, who admitted six theatre carrying her Russian boots. Steps at the foot of Central avenue, robberies when he was arraigned in lt was quite all right, as she had on when one decided to slide down the

On the corner of Talbot and Dun- with a bump, much to his discomfort, das streets, a young farmer wearing but to his friend's amusement .- T. a large heavy overcoat and a cap with a wrist watch and another watch, which had been stolen by his ears. In one hand he had an ica his ears. In one hand he had an ice confectionery shop I saw a waitress Fornier in his possession. He told cream cone; in the other a bag of after serving a customer with coca

> apron. Noticing it she stopped to take it off, folded it up and put it under her coat; then hurried on as nothing had happened .-

A woman on a street car, who, with very large box was engineering her way through the car. When she got to the door she tipped the box over used it for a football .- HAL.

HURON AND ERIE STAFFS HOLD CHRISTMAS TREE

ing Theatre Party.

staffs of The Huron and Erie and The Canada Trust Company held their annual Christmas tree festival ast evening.

A theatre party at Loew's was the first order of entertainment. Three boxes having been reserved for the occasion. At ten o'clock the guests departed for the staff's club rooms at head office where a lunch was tive Company, Limited, a number of ling, in order that the mothers would with covers for eighty.

The distribution of gifts by Santa

hockey skates Old Santa Claus could have chosen

who came over one or more roofs erected alongside the gaily-decorated

measure of original humor with each gift. Every recipient was required to tire gathering and it is needless to in course of preparation:
say there were many mirth provoking Thorndale, December 20, at 2 p.m. say there were many mirth provoking

The staffs had been requested be- p.m fore hand to keep in mind, when pur-Tablets. The box bears the signature of E. W. Grove. (Be sure you get BROMO). 39c. Made in Canada.—Advt. institutions to cheer many kiddles pany Building, December 21, at 8 who might possibly be overlooked p.m. this Christmas by Santa Claus. There BROMO). 39c. Made in Canada.—Advt. institutions to cheer many kiddles

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Two young men going down the railing. He did so, but could not at the bottom. Down he went

Would you believe it! While stand cola, take the straw from the glass wash it and carry it very gingerly A young lady going east on King by her side and place it with the street, near Ridout street, who had evidently forgotten to take off her to see if she were observed.—D. W.

> A man in the act of killing a chicken seen so often in the Scotch schools." in his backyard while apparently standing on a slippery substance, swung the axe with great force, thereby chopping off the chicken's head, at the same time losing his bal-ance and sending the chicken flying in the air headless. The man's feet followed the bird, as though he had

the winter months. there was a splendid array of toys, picture books and puz-zles, which will gladden the hearts of school children." from another of Santa Claus' representatives on Christmas morning, the

WILL HOLD MEETINGS IN CHEESE DISTRICTS dergarten teacher,

happiest day of the year.

of an Ontario Farmers' Co-Operameetings will be held during the win- see their tree. with covers for eighty.

The distribution of gifts by Santa claus was looked forward to with the eagerness of a ten-year-old boy who expects to receive his first pair of the control of the fundamentals of organization and finance will be the main control of the main control of the fundamentals of organization and finance will be the main control of the distribution of gifts by Santa ter in the cheese factory districts, at which the fundamentals of organization and finance will be the main control of the main control of the distribution of gifts by Santa ter in the cheese factory districts, at which the fundamentals of organization and finance will be the main control of the distribution of gifts by Santa ter in the cheese factory districts, at which the fundamentals of organization and finance will be the main control of the distribution of gifts by Santa ter in the cheese factory districts, at which the fundamentals of organization and finance will be the main control of the distribution of gifts by Santa ter in the cheese factory districts, at which the fundamentals of organization and finance will be the main control of the distribution of gifts by Santa at which the fundamentals of organization and finance will be the main control of the distribution of gifts by Santa at which the fundamentals of organization and finance will be the main control of the cheese factory distribution of gifts by Santa at which the fundamentals of organization and gifts are control of the cheese factory distribution of gifts by Santa at which the fundamentals of organization and gifts by Santa at which the fundamentals of organization and gifts by Santa at which the fundamentals of organization and gifts by Santa at which the fundamentals of organization and gifts by Santa at which the fundamentals of organization and gifts by Santa at which the fundamentals of organization at which the fundamentals of organization at the cheese factory distribution at the cheese factory distribution at the cheese factory distribution at the che theme of discussion.

no better representative than George ciate professor of rural sociology at the president. A dainty supper was the O. A. C., will speak at these served during the evening the O. A. C., will speak at these served during the evening. amid a clamor of sleigh bells before meetings, and the sponsors of the sliding down an ingeniously con-structed fire-place, which had been of the well-known experts in this Mothers' Club Thursday evening Mr. Metcaffe distributed a good whom they hope will constitute the party, the gay decorations of the

Howlett's School, S. S. No. 4, Delchasing their gifts, that they would aware December 21, at 8 p.m. eventually be donated to charitable Gladstone Milk Products Com-

IS CHILDREN'S ALLY TO BOTHER BOARD

Scotch Exchange Teacher Threats of Investigation Leave Secret Royalist Tribunals Or-Tells Mothers' Club Her Trustees Undisturbed -Impressions of London. Claim All Business Open.

TAKE EIGHT IN SEVEN

Inspector Greer Explains New Grading Which Shortens Public School Course. tion business for the past five years according to the secretary.

Miss Clarke, one of the exchange eachers from Scotland, gave an interesting address at the meeting of the Tecumseh Avenue Mothers' Club, meetings, and if, as is often said held Thursday evening. In her address, she told of her impression of Canada. One of the first things she as an investigation of the busines noticed was the good effect prohibition had on the school children here. "I do not think," she said, "the Canadian children possess higher mentality than the Scotch children, but one does not see the little delicate children, who are hampered by drunkenness in the homes. They are

"The whole city is benefited by it, in my opinion," she continued. "I do not wish to speak slightingly of my own country, but I can see the great effect prohibition has on this coun-

Another thing which struck Miss Clark very forcibly was the friendly manner of the children. "It is a "It is a a mufflers and mits which will help to great pleasure for me to have the keep many little bodies warm during children come and talk to me in a frank, friendly way, and it is much easier to become acquainted with the children here than with our A discussion reyoungsters who receive them garding educational systems followed another of Santa Claus' represhe answered many questions, both from the mothers and teachers.

A program was given which was greatly enjoyed, including solos by which under act of parliament Miss Alma Grigg, and readings by become effective on January 1. Miss Bryce. Miss Brenton, the kin-In CHEESE DISTRICTS dergarten teacher, gave a short address, speaking chiefly of her work. She told of the great pride the small children had taken in dressing the Christmas tree in time for the meet-

next, for the clinic mothers

ABERDEEN MOTHERS' CLUB. The December meeting of Aberdeen

work, address the cheese makers, took the form of a merry Christmas backbone of the movement.

The following dates have been arkindergarten room emphasizing the atmosphere of good cheer. Mrs. W. open his or her present before the en- ranged so far, and there are others Bartlett presided, and a short pro gram included solos by M. Clifford Reid, and eadings by Nan Kalmar Dorchester Hall, December 20, 8 Tempting refreshments were served.

KNOLLWOOD PARK M. C.

The possibility for the average child of now taking the public school course in London in seven instead of eight years, through a change grading made since September, was clearly explained on Thursday evening to the members of the Knollwood Park Mothers' Club at the well attended December meeting, by Senior While the department regulations

have made provision for this, the eight-year system of grading has prevailed in London, as in a number of other places in Ontario, for several years.

"Since September," said Mr. Greer, we have been asking all the third and fourth grades, the children in the second book, to take the work in one year. If it is necessary for the children to take the course in eight instead of seven years, by the new system we have adopted, they will be enabled to have the extra year in higher grades. The experi-ment is being tried, he stated, with the idea of giving the pupils the greater advantage thus afforded.

Two other subjects were taken up by Mr. Greer in his address, some of the modified phases of the adolescent act and the greater stress being laid by the department of education on keeping Jack and Jill well, and developing them physically. Solos by Mrs. Cornell, choruses by

the school children, and a reading by Miss Leigh, added interest to the program. Mrs. J. Balch presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Short, and the business transaction included the voting of \$10 for Christmas welfare work.

POLICE CLERK OBTAINS TWO GEESE FOR ZOO

Through the efforts of John Moule. police court clerk, another handsome addition to the Springbank Zoo has been made possible. This is in the item; of three African gese, or rather, two geese and a gander. Mr. Moule has always taken great initerest in London's Zoo, and has been instrumental in obtaining several of the birds, and animals resident there since the inception of the

PROF. L. A. WOOD SPEAKS ON EUROPEAN CONDITION

Addresses Western "U" Political Science Club Last Night.

The History of Political Science The History of Political Science Club of Western University met at the home of Fred Landon, 76 Bruce street, last evening, when a most interesting talk on the present conditions in Europe was given by Prof. L. A. Wood of the department of economics. Prof. and Mrs. Wood visited England, France, Switzerland and Germany last summer, and the and Germany last summer, and the observations of Prof. Wood, as given at the meeting last night, threw a new light on questions that are prominent

The Historical and Political Club is one of the flourishing student and faculty organizations of Western, being now in its second year. Meetings are held monthly at the homes of the members and several out of the members, and several outstanding men have been guests of the club in the past two years.

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PERIL GERMANY

der Assassination of

Members of the board of education are not the least bit terrorized over the reported proposal of the London Real Estate Board to ask for an investigation of the board of educa-

In hatred of all republicans, with Why, our business is all open. All busi we hold meetings in private, the de-tails come up at the board meetings. "We have nothing to fear, as far of the board of education is con-cerned," he said

Other members of the board of

education were very much same opinion. From remarks several made, it is altogether unlikely that anything will be done by the board, at any rate, until the last regular session of the year, on Thursday than likely that the chief subject

the ex-kaiser.

Members of the organization who for discussion will center about the Trafalgar school, since Trustees Wright, Rowe and Udy are still determined in their stand that the proper site for the school is on the Dakin street property.

WILL NOT_CAUSE DELAY Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 15.-The telegraphic protests received from mer-chants in all sections of the Domin-ion against the application of the

stamp tax on receipts which have poured in on the prime minister during this week, will not, it is stated on high authority, have any effect in lelaying the application of the tax now on trial in Leipzig. which under act of parliament is to

Obituaries

farmer of London Township, passed During the business part of the away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Ferguson, lot 11, condecided to hold a tea Monday cession 11, London Township, yesterday, after a sudden attack of Professor R. D. Colquette, asso-inte professor of rural sociology at the meeting was presided over by Mrs. D. A. McKay, in the absence of Besides his wife, he leaves three daughters-Mrs. Charles Fer-Mrs. W. Marsnall, Mrs. Geo. IcRoberts—and one son, Bruce.

The funeral will be held Sunday rom the above address at 2 p.m.

better for one thing, the waistline oes not show through the lightcolored blouse for another, and camisole top also makes it possible to wear a jersey or open-work sweater without the accompanying under-

Republicans.

Berlin, Dec. 15. — "Death to all enemies of the Fatherland!" This is the watchword of a great subterranean movement now threatening

desires to see a kaiser once more upon the throne, secretly in league with Ludendorff and other former idols, there has grown up mysteriously a secret society full of sinister im-port, known as the "Consul" organization, whose purpose is to strike terror into the hearts of all who are politically opposed, and to remove by means of the bullet or the dagger all who actively strive against its re-Police Shadow Suspects.

government to destroy this organiza. tion. Copies are being sent broad-cast throughout the country to endeavor to get in touch with prominent members; the police are as-siduously shadowing all men of stand-

> authorities are being closely conaminations with the object of ob

taining the names of their leaders.

That this society is determined that its members mean what, they say, when they cry "death" to their enemies, is proved only too well by

The hidden hand of the has slain Herr Erzberger, Dr. Rath enau, and made a desperate attempt upon the life of Maximilian Harden. The slayers of Dr. Rathenau took their own lives when capture seemed imminent, but their accomplices are

leaders of the gang that this trial will leaders of the gang that this trial will suddenly, revealing a yawhing terrible revelations to light. As into which the helpless man was for the present telephone systems in evidence of the power of the "Con- pushed by his captors." evidence of the power of the "Consuls" and their desperation there is Leipsig. By order of the leaders of the gang.

it is alleged, poisoned candy was in the terrible embrace of the "Iron passed into the prison where the ac- Virgin" none could hope for escape cused men are now incarcerated. So great was the fear of the "higherups" that one of the men now underdeliberate attempt to seal the Unfortunately for such plans, medi-

cal assistance was immediately forthcoming and, before the poison had and it is expected that as vengeance ship. The interment services will be conducted by Rev. W. Hunter of Granton. for this cowardly attempt on the part those who used so terrible Germany has always been a fruit-

ful field for the activities of organ- held izations of a character similar to Separate skirts are quite generally eing made with the camisole bodies estead of outside belts. The skirt fits go to make up the German republic appear tales of mystery and terror out the history of the nations which appear tales of mystery and terror inculcated death."

Secret Courts Held. Again and again appears what is known as a "Vehingericht" or "Se cret Court of Justice"—a body of

men setting the law at defiance and constituting themselves as the arbiters of right and wrong.

There is something in the Teutonic make-up which delights in such things, in spying, in intrigue underground movements, and "Consul" gang, which today is giv-ing so much trouble to those who ing so much trouble to those who wish to heal the wounds of war and make peace within the country, is

Secret assassination has always been one of the weapons of these movements, and it is to one of these so-called "Courts of Justice" that there can be laid the invention of mines following fires and explosions, that terrible engine of death known as the "Iron Virgin." is a hope held out by the United How this devilish invention worked States Bureau of Mines, to lessen

is best told in describing the end of the horrors and losses of mine disthe unfortunate Frenchman Charles asters. Rohan, who fell foul of the "Vehmgericht" and suffered at its hands. Rohan was considered by this secret bureau with the co-operation of a society to be an enemy, and, as such, great electrical manufacturing con-his death was decreed. With but corn in an experimental mine at little difficulty he was taken prisoner by masked and armed men whilst

out riding, and was taken to the Castle of Velt, upon the banks of While these experiments he There he was taken before the far failed to develop any practical the Rhine. "Courts of Justice," sitting in the dark vaulted chamber, deep in the foundations of the building.

He saw no faces, for in the shadows, barely dispelled by the flickering torches, stood none but masked and cloaked men. Once he thought he recognized the voice of a man whom he thought a friend; for so widespread was the society that even audibility fell off rapidly as have fallen into the hands of the the highest in the land were sometimes found to be members.

The result of the trial was a fore
The result of the trial was a fore-

gone conclusion. Rohan was con-demned to death by "kissing the Iron Longer wave lengths are known to was led into a dungeon situ-sibly be found practically effective ated in one of the towers overhang- under certain conditions.

ing the Rhine, and there at the furing the Rhine, and there at the further end he saw a life-size statue, made of iron. His captors told him to approach, and, having bound his arms, led him towards the statue.

It to note tests conducted in the United States Bureau of Standards in dropping wireless antennae down deep, unused oil wells to underlying rock arms, led him towards the statue.

Pohon knew that his end was nigh, through the air. The results it is be and desiring not to prolong his lieved, may be the same as project agonies, boldly did as he was ordered. low on trial in Leipzig.

He approached the "Iron Virgin," strata.

It is feared by the still unknown and as he stood before it, it opened The suddenly, revealing a yawning cavity wireless system of communication

pushed by his captors.

Immediately the doors of the statue that a rock fall or explosion, by a secret mechanism, pierced the body of the prisoner. Enclosed within the terrible embrace of the "Iron

from death. Within a few slain, and his dead body was dropped going trial might betray them, that by the infamous members of the "Vehmgericht" through a trapdoo into the swirling waters of the Rhine beneath the walls of the

Though the day of the "Iron Virtime to work, antidotes were given, gin"-a relict of Inquisition timesis passed, the spirit which actuated strument of torture and death still ganization have formed themselves into "Courts of Justice" mock-trial upon those whom they consider enemies to their in-

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Washington, Dec. 15.-Radio com

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cern, in an experimental mine at

Bruceton, Penn., already have re-

While these experiments have so

method of using wireless waves for

underground communication, never-theless, says a publication of the

mines bureau, they indicate clearly

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BONAR LAW WANTS DEBTS CANCELLED

Favors Balfour Plan For Adjustment of Allied Liabilities.

PLEADS FOR GERMANY

Points Dark Picture of Eng land's Economic and Industrial Future.

London, Dec. 15.-Premier Bonar Law, in an important statement in the House of Commons yesterday, declared frankly for the policy of the Balfour note, which advocated an adjustment of inter-allied debts by an all-round cancellation, England, on her part surrendering her part of the reparations to be paid by Germany.

Thus Premier Bonar Law declared that the new government, despite its first statement that the Balfour note no longer existed, so far as the present government is concerned, feels impelled to the same policy as the previous government.

The remainder of Premier Law's address was clearly addressed to both France and the United States -to France, as a plea for moderation in dealing with Germany on the ground that that country is already allied debts.

Another important phase of his speech was the dark picture drawn of England's economic and industrial DOMINION'S TRADE future, should the much-hoped-for Improvement in trade not materialize Shows Utmost Anxiety.

The prime minister showed the ut-most anxiety that there should be no misunderstanding British feelings towards both France and the United States, and said that it was only England's difficult position he was making clear. England was bur-dened with very heavy taxation, which was a clog on industrial enterprise, resulting in terrible unemployment a problem that made it necessary first, that there should be no military occupation of German territory, which would still further handicap European trade without producing results in cash and second, compelled him frankly to face the fact that England was unable to pay the American debt if she received nothing from Europe.

Strong points in the speech were pay her way she should be expected to pay her debts while others who made no such sacrifices escaped, and the warning that a too sudden defia.

The warning that a too sudden defia. tion in Germany might produce there all the evils of unemployment from

In the subsequent debate, the most noteworthy contribution was by James Ramsay Macdonald, the Labor leader. Mr. Lloyd George also spoke, but confined himself to a brief expression of complete approval of Mr. Bonar Law's speech. Mr. Macdonald, on the other hand, gave a complete on the other h

Would Handle Germany Carefully. lower their expectations from Ger-many very substantially, declaring domestic goods exported from Canhat reparations were a curse both who paid and to those who

The opinion in the lobbies was that nusual unanimity would not be without influence on the adjourned conference to be held in Paris Jan. 2.

U.S. SOLDIERS GUARD WITNESS FOR STATE

Police Take Special Precautions At New Jersey Murder Trial.

Mountholly, N. J., Dec. 15.-Hazel Brunen, daughter of "Honest John" Brunen, murdered circus man, came to, court today under guard of state troops. Other guards, heavily armed. were placed at vantage points in the

These precautions were taken as the result of threats made upon the young woman's life yesterday by her stepmother, Doris Brunen, and Harry C. Mohr, who are charged with the rime. During the girls' testimony Mohr leaped from his seat and attempted to attack her, while Mrs. Brunen shrieked, "If you don't shut up, I'll smack you dead." In a statement issued shortly be-

fore court opened today, Mrs. Bessie the accused man, described Charles M. Powell poor boob always under the influence of narcotics." Powell is the self-confessed slayer of Brunen and the state's star witness, who claims he was hired to kill Brunen by Mohr. Mrs. Mohr declared Brunen, whose "terrible temper and brutal arrogance made thousands of foes for himself in every circus lot in the

was killed by foes nd not murdered by Charles Howell, the state's witness, who testified to having killed Brunen at the instigaton of Mohr.
"I am sure Powell made his conession when he did not know what

he was saying, and was perhaps ter-rorized by third-degree methods," Mrs. Mohr declared. "My husband he was saying, and was perhaps ter-corized by third-degree methods." Mrs. Mohr declared. "My husband had to ask to be moved from his cell in the jail because Powell barks like in the jail because Powell barks like "It is possible that before he came

out from under the effects of drugs owell really believed he killed He was a man of little f character, even when not doped, and I remember many times when John Brunen, always a brutal bullied him beyond the point a normal would have stood. No Powell, at least unconsciously have liked to have killed frunen, and perhaps this wish ex-pressed itself in a confession while he was in a mentally deranged con-

FOR MARKETING. A bag of bright-colored oilcloth, lined with black oilcloth and trimmed with buds, birds or flowers, cut either from oilcloth or flannel, will



FUNERAL OF 14 KILL ED IN MEXICAN RIOT. The above picture shows the aftermath of a demo nstration of workmen and their sympathizers in Mexico City against the lack of water—crowds at the funeral of 14 workmen who were killed in the rioting in which some 250 participants were injured.

Indications Point To Irish Peace As Christmas Season Approaches

Dublin, Dec. 14.—Talk of peace between the factions in Ireland is inpublicant who sent out the press creasingly heard as Christmas time notifications for Sunday's meeting. The action taken by the new Senate of the Free State the new Senate of the Free State velops further, as the peace-lovers Tuesday in appointing a committee to work for the immediate cessation on the point which they fear will of hostilities had developed some indications that a considerable section of the republican party is willing to treat for peace, and that the rank here point out that peace between and file is moving in that direction.

The summoning of all the Sinn by the same difficulty, and was only Fein clubs in Dublin City and County obtained when the British waived on the verge of collapse; to the United States, a call for help and cooperation in settling the difficult problems of reparations and interare composed of both treaty sup- Irish government.

If sentiment in this direction dehere point out that peace between the British and the Irish was delayed

BIRDS FINDING SHOWS INCREASE

November Exports and Imports \$56.108.781 Greater Than Corresponding Month a Year Ago.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—(By Canadian Press).-Canada's import and export trade for the month of November this year was \$56,108,781 greater in value than for November, 1921. Figures issued this evening by the department grand total of Canadian trade for grating, probably from the north Atthe unfairness of the view that be-cause England had made sacrifice to pared with \$151,911,451 in November, November was \$208,020,232, as com-

> In the case of the former the inamounted to \$11,922,816.

month to the value of \$76,194,250, while in November, 1921, the value on the other hand, gave a complete elucidation of the policy of the Labor party. He maintained that the United States held the key, and was the only country able to give Great of imports was but \$64,271,434.

Exports of foreign merchandise during November this year were slightly over a million dollars in value, or about the same as in Nonets, thrushes, sand pipers and the decks.

When the figures for the eight juncos, fluttered around the He admitted that Germany pos-based enormous industrial possibili-es; yet she must be carefully han-pared with a similar period in 1921. dled, or she would follow Austria the increase in the grand total of cared for them, giving them warmth, both France and Italy would need to 778,790. This is largely due to a very of the smaller birds died from ex-

MRS. C. M'FARLANE DIES AT THAMESVILLE HOME

Respected Pioneer of District Passes
As Result of Accident.

Special to The Advertiser. Thamesville, Dec. 15.—The village has lost its oldest and most esteemed resident in the person of Mrs. Cath fully away at her home Wednesda night at 11 o'clock. About eight weeks ago Mrs. McFarlane had the misfortune to fall and fracture her shoulder, but since then has been resting easy, until pneumonia developed on Monday morning, which soon proved fatal.

Mrs. McFarlane was born in Stir. came to Canada with her father, the late James Ferguson, and family in 1854. The family first settled in Ridgetown, later coming to Thamesin 1860. She was married to Daniel McFarlane, and lived for a couple of years in Detroit, Michigan, returning to Thamesville in 1865. Her husband predeceased her in 1909. Deceased was a sister of the late

for many years. Chatham; Mrs. Helen McCrimmon, Mrs. Jas. Borland Mrs. John Mustard and Mrs. Arthur Way, all of Toronto, and James at home. Also eleven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren

The funeral service will be held at her residence Saturday afternoon, and will be conducted by the Rev. W. McLean of St. James Presbyterian Church, of which she was the oldest Interment will be made in Sherman Cemetery.

GOES TO ASSIST STEAMER, IS RAMMED AND SUNK

Boston, Dec. 15. - The British steamer Manchester Spinner, blown around on the westerly side of Long

The tug's crew scrambled to safety

STEAMER HAMONIC TIES UP FOR

SEASON.
Special to The Advertiser.
Sarnia, Dec. 14.—The steamer Hamonic of Northern Navigation Company docked shortly before noon today for the last pessenger best to

HAVEN AT SEA

Blown Out by Unfavorable Winds, They Are Landing on Ocean Liners.

Liverpool, Dec. 15 .- Thousands American land birds, blown out to only movie slang meaning the taksea by unfavorable winds, sought safety on the decks of the Cunard liner Scythia on her last trip from New York, and stayed on board until docked in Liverpool. of customs and excise show that the feathered travelers they were milantic states to the warm lands bor-

dering on the Caribbean. Now many of them again are free, but in England, thousands of miles from their destination, and those supposed to be wise in bird lore have not yet been able to give satisfactory crease in value totaled \$44,262,811, answers to the questions of interested which other countries are already while in the latter the increase passengers as to whether the birds Domestic goods were exported last month to the total value of \$130,-795,673, as compared with 86,533,- or join the robins and linnets of Engwould still endeavor to reach their summer haunts in the West Indies, 862 in November, 1921.

Merchandise was imported last ern France and Northern Africa. land in their winter flight to South-

The great flock, several thousand in number, settled on the Scythia's Three owls and a score of pigeons were easily captured. Old sea travelers say they never

have known birds to alight before in ANCIENT HOUSES FOUND ON ISLAND

Thought 'Dwellings of Prehistoric Copper

Miners. mains or homes believed to have tained short affidavits swearing that been used by prehistoric copper miners, have been found on Isle Royale, in Lake Superior, says William P. Ferguson, archaeologist, of Franklin, Pa.

"Mining was in progress there at least 1,000 years ago; how much longer we do not know," says Fer-"We found pine trees six feet in diameter growing on the ancient rock dumps. There is an ancient rock dumps. area two miles long and half a mile wide, over the whole of which we found remains of human habitations.

Robert Ferguson, who represented been dug for homes. They rai red East Kent in the Ontario Legislature from eight to ten feet deep and for many years.

She is survived by six daughters and one son, Mrs. (Dr.) Stewart of this place, Mrs. Frank Charteris, Chatham; Mrs. Helen McCrimmon, were protected by carefully instances, as several of the pits were 20 by 40 feet, and one, which have been a fort, was 20 by "These people mined in solid rock

the whole island over, but did not dig their shafts more than 20 or egg-shaped stones of great hard-ness, such as are found on the north shore of Lake Superior but not on Isle Royale."

ICE FORMING RAPIDLY BINDS SHIPS ON LAKES

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Dec. 14 .-With the calming down of the storm, nine vessels have passed through the American locks downbound since yesterday noon. Ice is forming quickly on the lake, and two vessels, the Grant Morden and the Home-smith, are stuck in the ice at Point It was believed that she sustained no serious damage.

The tug Juno, one of the fleet of five sent to assist the Manchester Spinner, was rammed and sunk by the army quarter-master steamer, General Thomas Jessup, a short distance from the stranded vessel.

The tug Juno, one of the fleet of Aux Pins, 6 miles above the Soo. The boats which passed through downbound are the J. S. Ashley, Edward Uhrig, Riverton, Shaughnessy, W. C. Agnew, Denmark, G. N. Wildstance from the stranded vessel.

WELLAND HYDRO AUDIT REVEALS DEFICIENCY the winter.

monic of Northern Navigation Company docked shortly before noon today for the last passenger boat trip of the season. The big ship had a stormy passage, and crossing Mud Lake had to pass through 10 miles of ice seven inches thick. In Lake Huron she encountered a very heavy snowstorm. After unloading a cargo of flour the Hamonic will tie up here for the winter.

Welalnd, Dec. 15.—An audit of the books of the Hydro Commission of this city was made public yesterday, and its publication has caused a sensation in municipal circles. It discloses an alleged deficiency in the account for appliances of \$7.287.97, and uncollected accounts of \$3.505. The audit of the books was made by W. H. Allaston last July, and his report was presented to the commission of this city was made public yesterday, and its publication has caused a sensation in municipal circles. It discloses an alleged deficiency in the account for appliances of \$7.287.97, and uncollected accounts of \$3.505. The audit of the books was made by W. H. Allaston last July, and his report was presented to the commission of this city was made public yesterday, and its publication has caused a sensation in municipal circles. It discloses an alleged deficiency in the account for appliances of \$7.287.97, and uncollected accounts of \$3.505. The audit of the books was made by W. H. Allaston last July, and his report was presented to the commission of this city was made public yesterday, and its publication has caused a sensation in municipal circles. It discloses an alleged deficiency in the account for appliances of \$7.287.97.

MAKE HOLLYWOOD

MODEL COMMUNITY

Chairman Will Hays to Work Wonders in Movie Town.

New York, Dec. 15 .- Before Christmas Will H. Hays hopes to have Hollywood well on its way toward becoming a model community. A model industrial community, it might be added, because nobody will deny that Hollywood is already a model ommunity in every other respect. Mr. Hays is himself speeding westvard toward the coast. He will arrive there in a day or so. New York talent—and what's more, Democratic

talent!—will help in the modelling of Holly city. Thomas G. Patten, New York's former Democratic postmaster and now Mr. Hays' aide-de-camp, has already sped west and is on the ground making stills for the prelim-inary survey. (It should be explained that "Still," as here used metaphorically, means a still picture, as op-posed to a motion picture.) When Mr. Hays arrives on the scene they will begin the shooting (and it should be here explained that "shooting" is ing of pictures).

That is, when the Big Boss of the ndustry gets there, action will start and Hollywood will begin to change construct the center of the motion picture industry to make it some-what like such model industrial towns as Gary, Indiana. Mr. Hays wants to do for the workers in the motion mobile plants at Detroit.

that seventy-five per cent of the men, women and Jacky Coogan who work in the pictures must live at Holly-

Chairman of the Republican National Committee. Mr Patten has long been well and favorably known in Tammany circles here, and, in fact, ther is considerable rejoicing in the Wigwam because of the splendid oppor tunity for larger service that has thus een accorded Tom Patten. He represented the 18th District previous years.

the House of Representatives from 1911 to 1917. Then he was made post master here and propably would still be holding that office if it had not en for the Harding landslide. Nothing was said about morals. The word "industrial" was stressed A "model industrial community" is what Hollywood is to be under the new scheme of things. As a matter of fact there was nothing much to say about morals, inasmuch as since the Taylor case only 864 screen stars Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 15.—The re- | have given out interviews that coneach and everyone of them recited fifteen minutes thereafter to a repose that remained unbroken shrill, paternal cry of the movie directors awakened each and all promptly at sun-up the next An Ideal Center. the next morning.

"We are going to make certain," declared Mr. Hays, "that everything possible shall be done by the dustry to make the activities of the picture business Angeles constitute an ideal industrial center, with the very best possible relationships within its own ranks, between the producers themselves between the producers and the employees, between the employees them-selves and between the coalesced inselves and between the coa dustry and the public, with the fulles use of all the approved and recog-nized best methods in industrial com-munity life, with the consequent best possible spirit 'Among the improvements we plan are recreation facilitles. community centers, dormitories matrons, cafeterias, and so on." The above expresses the whole scheme in a nutshell. Establishing cafeterias in Los Angeles does, of course, strike the casual observer as something like carrying coals to

REPORTS STEAMER FAST IN ICE IN SUPERIOR

Newcastle, but it is so vastly offset

by the dormitories and matrons that

everything seems bound to turn out

Sault Ste. Marle, Ont., Dec. 15 .-The steamer J. J. Barlum, upbound with coal for Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., is fast in the ice near Lime Island, ccording to wireless dispatches cicked up here. Tugs have been sent to the vessel's assistar ing her way through ice a foot thick in the upper St. Mary's River, down-bound. Mud Lake is completely frozen over and in some places drift ice has been packed to a depth of eight feet.
Only one lock remains onen here,
the remainder having been closed for

WEEK IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Dec. 15.—A further remand of one week was granted David Roy, former secretary of the Canadian Football Association, charged with the theft of funds from the association totalling \$4.127, when his case was called in the city police court today. His bail of \$10,000 was renewed for the week.

SARNIA CONSTABLE DENIES CHARGES

Police Officer Russell Oke To Fight Certain Allegations.

REFINERY HEAD RETIRES

William J. Gilchrist Soon To Complete 25 Years of Service.

Special to The Advertiser. Sarnia, Dec. 15 .- The Sarnia police nmission met yesterday afternoon for the purpose of investigating a charge against Police Constable Russell Oke of conduct unbecoming police officer. It is alleged in a charge preferred by Chief of Police W. J. Lannin that the constable was intoxicated on certain occasions in November while off duty. The charge has been laid by the police chief on the representations of certain citizens who will be called as witnesses. Constable Oke denies the charges and will be legally represented when the investigation is opened on Wednesday next. At the same meeting the police commission decided to refrain from purchasing an automobile at present from surplus funds, following the expressed dis-approval of the city council to such

a purchase.

It was announced this afternoon that William Gilchrist, superintendent of the Sarnia refinery of Imperial Oil since 1916, and a servant of the company for 39 years, including 25 years at the Sarnia plant, will retire at end of present year, in accordance with the superannuation provisions of the company, and will be succeeded by Charles B. Leaver at present superintendent of the Montreal Refinery and formerly on the staff of the 25 years ago, when the building of the oil refinery was about to commence. He was formerly with the Standard Oil at Olean, N. Y. He was appointed superintendent of the Sarnia plant in 1916, and at the present time is head of a staff of 1,200 employees of the company. He is extremely popular as a businessman and a citizens, and intends making his residence in Sarnia.

Western University Texas Tribes to Sue State for Berlin Papers Declare Object News Briefs

In order that members of the Canpicture industry what Henry Ford adian Officers' Training Corps may has done for the workers in his autoa special course in field tactics and In a statement issued before he map reading will be added to the left for the coast, Mr. Hays pointed syllabus commencing Thursday night. out that the task that lies before him This course will be open to those ed to the Texas Legislature at its and Mr. Patten and their corps of who served in the C. O. T. C. last experts promises to be comparatively year, and members who served overeasy because the motion picture is so seas, Captain G. Smith announced centralized. Seventy-five per cent of Thursday. It is being arranged by the motion pictures one sees are made military headquarters and will be at Hollywood. It naturally follows given one hour each week.

Final plans have been completed wood. So they are right where Will dance which will be held in the gymHays and Tom Patten want them for nasium of the new medical school by the Meds for their Christmas \$200,000,000. Friday night. This function is being staged under the auspices of Efficiency will be the watchword, Meds '25b and '26. The attendance of the richest oil-bearing sections the paper charges. It continues: Entirelity will be the watchward and the reconstruction of the Screen and the reconstruction of the Screen will be limited to 100 couples, and in the United States.

The claim to this vast tract is the Beigian, Polish and Czecho-Slovacity will be strictly by-partisan. The biographies of Mr. Hays and Mr. Patten indicate this adequately. Mr. affair, one member of each couple being required to be a graduate, being required to be a graduate. at Western.

In a letter to the student council Dean Fox of the College of Arts and John Forbes acting as commispoints out that contrary to the opinon held at Western, initiation of reshmen has not been banned. that only the present form of initiation has been put under ban," the letter states. "A careful perusal of the regulations will make the whole matter clear."

This explanation follows the action of the executive committee of Western, which a few weeks ago, banned forms of initiation of new students in which violence is introduced.

Historical talks have become quite popular with Meds '24, a member of the class presenting a paper on medical lore each day. Among the recent speakers are included Clare Sanborn, Wes Heard, W. Martin and F. Geddes. Mr. Heard reviewed the work of Dr. Alexis Carrel, a Frenchman who came to Canada five years after graduation, and added much to the knowledge of surgery. Mr. Ged des spoke on "Charles, author of the Manual of Surgery," now published in eight different languages, director of Barnardo Hon discoverer of the disease which

CALL TASCHEREAU

Quebec Premier and Leader of Opposition To Give Evidence.

Quebec, Dec. 15 .- (Canadian Press) -It is understood that Hon. L. A Taschereau, premier of the Province Quebec, and Arthur Sauve, leader of the opposition in the Quebec Legis-lative Assembly, will appear before the commission investigating the cir-cumstances surrounding the murder of Blanche Garneau in Quebec City two years ago. Another important witness will probably be J. C. Langlois, K.C., of Buckingham, Que. Conservative candidate in the recent by-election in Labelle County. Lawyers for the attorney-general' department have now concluded the presentation of their evidence, with the exception of the three above-mentioned witnesses. It is said that there are no less than eighty names mentioned as possible witnesses for the lawyers representing the public and independent interests, but so far only fifteen subpoenaes have been Mrs. Baribeau, the foster-mother

of Blanche Garneau, and police of-ficers who had been engaged on the case were the chief witnesses at this afternoon's session of the commis-

INCREASE MONTREAL GUARDS Montreal, Dec. 15.—A hundred policemen and a hundred firemen are to be added to the forces guarding Montreal, under plans in the 1923 budget, now before the city council.





NEW PRESIDENT CHOSEN. Col. J. Z. Frazer of Burford, Ontario (left), succeeds R. W. E. Burnaby (right) as president of the United Farmers' Co-operative Company of Ontario. Mr. Burnaby decided to retire as president because of business activities. Col. Frazer has been prominently identified with U. F. O. affairs of the most important issues of the

Finds Windham Men Not Guilty On Charge of Having Shot Horse sider Constantinople their sacred city they resent that its soil should

Special to The Advertiser. Simcoe, Dec. 15 .- After nine minutes' deliberation at the county court yesterday afternoon the jury in the Windham horse shooting case of Rex vs. Broughton and Arthur, returned a "not guilty" verdict. Judge Boles made a brief charge to the jury shortly after 2 o'clock, stating that the incriminating evidence given by police officials with regard to a conversation between the accused al. leged to have been overheard at the local jail had been materially explained by the defendants in such a way as would lead him to make an

acquittal were he alone trying the Practically no other connecting evidence had been brought to light.
When Foreman Reynolds announced the verdict a tense moment on their statement of silence prevailed followed by aon crown officials.

general expression of almost audible approval. His honor addressed the prisoners: "I am satisfied you are not guilty and there should be no his place of residence,

At the meeting of the sub-comstigma attached to your characters because of this unfortunate occur-The judge remarked, however, that there should be censure cast upon crown officers by the ver-

Mr. Brewster, K.C., of Brantford, counsel for Broughton, and H. P. Innes, K.C., counsel for Arthur, made eloquent pleas this morning on be-half of their clients, reviewing the

INDIANS CLAIM VAST OIL LAND

Possession of Tracts Worth \$200,000,000.

Houston, Texas, Dec. 15.-Formal dle section of Texas, will be present- Deutsche Tageszeitung here. next regular session in January, by ficial commissions and control commitattorneys for the Texas, Cherokee

and other kindred bands of Indians The huge tract of land involved is one of the richest portions of Texas, and is valued at more than

Heart of Oil Sector.

ly a century ago.

According to the bill which will regions, the French general commands

Treaty in 1836. On Feb. 23, 1836, Col. Sam Houston number of chiefs of the Indian tribes met at Col. Bowles village and drew "It should have been clearly stated up a treaty, which recognized and guaranteed the boundaries of this

huge tract upon which the Indians vere to rule. Then, after the bill had igned and the agreement had been effect a few years, the Texas Re public began to survey and locate the lands in violation of the act.
When the Indians protested this violation of the treaty, they were driven out of the territory by military forces of the repu military forces of republic. without compensation for lands, they claim. A suit for recovery of the lands

mentioned in the treaty of 1836 will be held up pending action by the Legislature on the claim of the In-

Successor to Republic. The suit will be based upon another agreement which the

pioneers made with the Indians while the State of Texas was still military authorities, the police, the gova part of Mexico. claim that when the Texans established a provisional lished a provisional government and threw off the yoke of Mexico, they made a pact with the Indian regarding the details of the army ortribes of Texas, decreeing that the Indians had a just claim to the TO GARNEAU PROBE

I lands they were then occupying and signed a pledge renewing the bond of fealty between the two of tinues:

The agents are paid according to the amount of information they obtain, the Deutsche Tageszeitung says, and continues:

The agents are paid according to the amount of information they obtain, the bond of fealty between the traces and establishing the right of the succession of the redmen to that tract of land. the redmen to that tract of land.

This was done, the Indians claim, of the information these agents send stations. Thousands of miles of the

Alabamas, and several smaller attempts to gain a foothold in the ex-The Indians claim they have the

STILL FIGHT BITTERLY TO WIN OVER RHODESIA

Texas.

Canadian Press Cable, via Reuter's, Cape Town, S. A., Dec. 15 .- J. Mc-Donald, a prominent member of the Rhodesia Union Association, in an interview yesterday, stated that the association intended to contest every seat at the next election in Rho He declared that fully two-fifths of the voters in the recent referendum on the question of Rhodesia en-tering the South African Union or assuming local responsible govern-ment, were in favor of Rhodesia enassuming local responsible ment, were in favor of Rhodesia en-tering the union. Notwithstanding the majority vote in favor of local responsible government, Mr. McDon-ald said, the unionists were growing

SNOW HEAVY IN NEW YORK New York, Dec. 15.—Snow fell heavily in New York City, starting in at 8:30 a.m., with no sign of a let-up

SAYS FRENCH SPIES INVADE GERMANY

Is Continued Oppression of New Public.

Berlin, Dec. 15-The French espionclaim for possession of over 1,500,000 age system overruns Germany, Eastern acres of land located in the Panhan- and Central Europe, according to the The system is assisted by French of-

> tees, and ferrets out the economic. political and military secrets of European nations—especially Germany—the Tageszeitung claims. "Well Known," Paper Says.
> "That the French have covered en

tire Germany with a widespread espionage system is well known," the newspaper asserts. The land is dotted with thriving in Germany is guided by a special division of the French general staff in Paris, student the existent Republic of Texas, near- sions in Germany-the French and Bel-

Members of the Literary Society be introduced, the American colon in Strassbourg, the French legation in the College of Arts will hold their ists of Texas at the end of a dis-'Christmas Lit" on Monday night. A astrous Indian war made overtures tary commission in Warsaw and Prague, surprise program is being prepared by to the various Indian tribes to form- the French high commission in Memel those in charge, and it is expected ulate an agreement to govern the re- and the French representation in Danthat the fun will surpass that of sides these there are information bureaus in neutral foreign countries in Basle, Amsterdam and Copenhagen. "These chief centres of French espionage naturally control the wide-flung military control commission member, Nollet, possesses this control of the separate under-commissions in the en- cheerlessly much of the time, ice and

Wiesbaden, Dusseldorf and Duisburg ed with so-called bureaus de reseignement. Each of these bureaus is under their services to the world would be trols a great number of male and female Object of the Spies. "The French espionage organization

its government the necessary material for upholding the arguments, for the impossibility of a French demobilization of the government in the co-operative scheme. They point out the valuable work of the international weather observation station on the lonely little tion and for the necessity of a strong defense power and also furnish the island of Jan Mayen, off the southeas: defense power and also furnish the control actions in Germany.
"It extends, accordingly, to all military, economic and political measures meteorological services, as well as to early and plans of Germany, and seeks above the Canadian and United States weather

military authorities, the police, the government bureaus, and with the political scientist and meteorologist, through whose efforts the Jan Mayen station was erected, has been in this country and Canada for some time in the interest of the proposed Baffin Bay statement. ganization of the republic." The agents are paid according to the The great value to this country of

Data Is False. the support of the Indian is forged and false. This system natu-

attempts to gain a foothold in the export trade. It strives to get, whenever posible, a deep view into important weather bureau can give only scant right to sue the State of Texas as a factory developments, and to learn successor to the old Republic of secret German methods."

DISMISS CONSTABLE

Hamilton, Dec. 15 .- Judge Snyder predicted for some days, because con dismissed J. W. Costello from the county police force for ill-using his reporting stations. Between two days, 17-year-old daughter. Complaints however, sudden showers swept down were made that he attempted to from the uncharted regions, freshened choke her, and an investigation was up the entire Atlantic seaboard and made by Chief Clark and Sheriff Middleton, who gave evidence re- brought an end to the drought. garding Costello's conduct.

WASHINGTON NAVAL PACT

aPris, Dec. 15.-The Washington naval agreements will be submitted to the French parliament for ratification immediately after the cham-Raiberti, minister of marine, in-formed the parliament today during notice posted at the canal offi discussion of the marine budget.

TURKEY DEMANDS PATRIARCH LEAVE

Claim Head of Greek Orthodox Church Must Leave Constantinople.

CHARGE INTERFERENCE

Curzon Expects Turkey Will Join the League of

Lausanne, Dec. 15 .- Although Turkey was conciliatory yesterday on the great question of accepting some form of supervision from without on the general treatment of the Christion populations inhabiting Turkey, she proved adamant in insisting upon of the most important issues of the Lausanne conference. Around it surge all the historical and religious differences between Christianity and Mohammedanism. As the Turks conserve as the permanent seat of the pontiff of the Greek Christian church; they maintain that Athens

At the meeting of the sub-com mission on the exchange of popula tions this afternoon the allied dele gates somewhat diffidently brought up the question of the Greek patriarch. Immediately the Ottoman representative arose and insisted that the patriarch must go, because he had been mixing in politics, to the detriment of the Ottoman state.

entire evidence and commenting on the previous good character of their clients. Several neighbors also gave clients. Several neighbors also gave would never agree to the deportation would never agree to the deportation. Crown Attorney W. E. Kelly, K.C., delivered a remarkable address to the jury, scoring counsel for defence authorized such a step. The meeting ment on their statements and their attacks by aon crown officials.

was somewhat hastily adjusted but another attempt to reach an agreement will be made in a day or

By announcing today her intention of joining the League of Nations as soon as peace is signed at Lausanne. Turkey virtually admitted that she would accept the League of Nations' "supervision over the Christion population in Turkey."

The powers have been advocating the appointment of a special international commission to exercise con trol over the status of the Greeks, Armenians and other Christians in Turkey, but are happy over Turkey's willingness to accept supervision by

the league. Today's developments, despite the Turks' impracticability on the ques-tion of the patriarch and exechange of populations, have created the impression that peace will really be signed at Lausanne. Lord Curzon said he expected Turkey would join in the League of Nations in a few weeks, which means the Lausanne agreement should be drafted and disposed of before the middle of January.

URGES WEATHER POST IN NORTH

posed on Baffin Bay

Shores. Washington, Dec. 15 .- An internationally-owned and operated wireless station and weather observation station on the Shores of Baffin Bay, to supply data for the world's weather services,

has been proposed, and steps are boing taken to insure its installation. Baffin Bay is pretty far north, as a lower organization. The inter-allied glance at a map of the top of our continent will show. Cold winds blow tire republic; the information bureaus snow hold sway over the land and sea of the French and Belgian high com- for a good portion of the year, and the life of those stationed there, cut off The occupied territories are also cover- from the world except by radio, would not be of the easiest; but the value of

inestimable, it is said. WIII Urge Scheme Officials of the United States weather bureau are enthusiastic over the promust give the French general staff and posal, and will urge the participation coast of Greenland, where reports are

and plans of Germany, and seeks above all things to get in touch with the bureaus.

Mr. V. Bjerkus Ekerold, a Norwegian through terest of the proposed Baffin Bay sta-

tribes in the hostilities with Mex-Besides the Cherokee Indians, other tribes that are party to the proposed suit are the Shawnees, Delawares, Choctaws, Kickapoos, Alabamas, and several smaller tribes.

The economic espionage of the control of the french foreign office. It seeks above all things information to hinder our attempts to gain a footbold in the control of the significance of the french foreign office. It seeks above all things information to hinder our attempts to gain a footbold in the control of the significance of the saging observation posts nor means of messaging observation posts nor means of messaging observation posts nor means of messaging observations, if any were made Consequently, officials said, much stretch of land is unobserved until it is right down upon us. For this reason, attempts to gain a footbold in the control of the saging observation posts nor means of messaging observations, if any were made consequently, officials said, much stretch of land is unobserved until it is right down upon us. For this reason, attempts to gain a footbold in the control of the saging observation posts nor means of messaging observations, if any were made control of the stretch of land is unobserved until it is right down upon us.

> Showers Swept Down. A recent example of this sudden and unforeseen change occurred in a series

of showers that ended the long coun try-wide FOR ILL-USING GIRL country during August, September and early October. Continued dryness was the Southern States, quenched destructive forest fires in Canada, and

If there were more stations further north, it was said, the change could FRENCH HOUSE TO RATIFY actual arrival, instead of about two days or less, and the farmers to whom weather conditions are important could have had longer warning to prepare.

CEASE OPERATIONS DEC. 18. Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 15.— Preparations are being made at the ber reconvenes early in January, M. Raiberti, minister of marine, inM. Albert Thomas, Distinguished Frenchman, and Chief of World's Labor Bureau, Says That The Advertiser's Suggestion "Is Interesting."

(Special to The Advertiser by a Staff Correspondent.)

Ottawa, Dec. 14-M. Albert Thomas director of the International Labor Bureau of the League of Nations, has arrived in Canada for a brief visit: Owing to unforeseen circumstances it will be shorter than was originally contemplated, and he will be only a week on Canadian soil.

Tomorrow morning he goes from Ottawa to Montreal, and thence to Quebec. From Quebec he will proceed to Toronto, where he will arrive next Monday. Today, speaking partly in English and partly in the local branch of the League of

ernor-general at Rideau Hall. Before he entered the service of the League of Nations, M. Thomas played for a M. Thomas? decade a very active part in French supported the war from the start, and director in chief of the Internation after a period spent as a sub-minis- Labor Bureau of the League of Nater, he became minister of munitions | tions, and it is my duty to develop in 1916, and held this office in various

He also went on a mission to Russia during the war. When Clemenceau came to power, M. Thomas ceased to hold any office, but apart from the "Tiger," he emerged from the outside world as any French politician. Of late years many of the leaders of British labor have been prone to suspect him as a tool of the capitalist class, and with the

Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills The Great **Liver Regulators**

The duty of the liver is to prepare and secrete bile and serve as a filter and recommendations deal with matto the blood, cleansing it of all im-

purities and poisons. Therefore, when the liver is inactive and failing to secrete bile in sufficient quantity constipation and other liver troubles soon follow.

Mrs. H. D. Hutchinson, Peterborough, Ont., writes: "I have been using your Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills and they have done me a lot of

My liver bothered me a great deal, are difficulties to be straightened out.

I was drowsy and tired all the time and explanations to be made which and didn't feel like doing anything, can best be done by word of mouth."

let alone my housework. I tried everything, but your Pills seemed to everything, but your Pills seemed to everything, but your Pills seemed to everything. do the work far better than any-might call your clients?" said The thing I had ever taken."

extreme Socialist parties everywhere his name has become anathema, but there is nothing in his record to sistify the charge that he has been traiter to the working classes. "Beaver!"

M. Thomas is a short, stocky man n his early forties. He looks the picture of energy and health, within his coal black hair and beard, which latter would make him a very useful asset for the new game of "Beaver." There is not a trace of gray. It is only a few years since he began to learn English, but he partly in English and partly in now speaks as fluently as the aver-French, he addressed a joint meeting age French-Canadian member of our of the Ottawa Canadian Club and Federal House, and is not averse to deluged with invitations to make using it for the communication of his Nations Union and gave a large and views and ideas. Being an old four-Nations Union and gave a large and views and ideas. Daily consented to of the league. I shall have no offi-interested audience a brief account nalist himself he gladly consented to of the league. I shall have no offiat the hands of an Advertiser repreagnirations cherished for its future. sentative in his room at the Chateau

> "What," asked The Advertiser "is the main purpose of your visit here,

"I come to Canada under exactly party, he was the friend and disciple same objects in view as I have jourrelations with the countries who adhere to the league and support that bureau. Canada is the solitary nember of the league on the North American continent, and, therefore her presence in the league has a special value, which wins her special onsideration.

"Have you," said The Advertiser representations or requests to make of our government?"

Makes No Requests. "I make no representations or requests," came the reply at once. "It is not my business. The representaives of the various countries who meet under the aegis of the league enter into draft conventions and make ecommendations about policies, but these may or may not be ratified by their legislative principals. Each country is left free to do as it sees fit, ratify or not. Of course there is no need to tell you about the special problems which surround ratification by Canada. You are a federative state, and many of our conventions ters which are within the sphere of provincial control, and must be ratified by provincial legislature."

"Then your mission could scarcely he described as official in character?" "Well, I would not say that. It is part of my business as director to cquire and possess as wide a know!labor conditions prevailing in every country of the world. In our efforts humanize industrial relations there

representatives of governments and tened off to meet his hosts.

Every Shoe you wear

can find its shape in

Dominion

Rubbers

DOMINION Rubbers are for everybody-men, women and

children-everywhere in Canada-from coast to coast.

Because of their superior wearing qualities and their comfortable fit, DOMINION Rubbers are in increasing demand throughout the Dominion.

And the huge sale of DOMINION Rubbers enables the

Dominion Rubber System to provide styles, shapes and

Your dealer likes to fit your shoes with DOMINION Rubbers because he knows you will be well pleased with the wear DOMINION Rubbers will give you.

bodies of employers and workers. We have profited by their knowledge and ability, but now I want to meet some ability, but now I want to meet some of the people whom they represent and to whom they must account for their actions, at Geneva. We can do a lot by correspondence, but if one knows personally the writer of a letter, its weight is invariably increased. I always find it much easier to work with people with whom I have dined and exchange points of view across a table, than with complete strangers, however, able and agreeable they may be.

"I have already many friends in Canada, but I hope to increase them rapidly."

"You find, I hope, keen appreciation of the work done by your bu-reau?" asked The Advertiser.

Only Beginning.

"On every side," said the director.

"And yet we are only beginning our

real work. Every month we are increasing our scope and efficiency. "You are going to the United States after you leave Canada. Do you propose to make any speeches there to educate the American people about the league?" asked The Advertiser.

speeches. I shall accept a few, as the United States is not a member ministration, but I have arranged an interview with the American minister of labor at Washington, which

expect to find profitable.
"I want to inspect the admirable administration system of his department, especially the wonderful stapolitics. A member of the Socialist the same conditions and with the tistical branch. I also want to get in touch with the universities, and of the celebrated Jean Jaures, but he neyed through most of Europe. I am with the public organizations who are interested in industrial proble I want to acquire in the short time at my disposal a great deal of information about wages, industrial conditions, schemes of social welfare work and other kindred matters in the United States. I want to see at fairs by a study of the Fascisti shall, "The Snowshoe Trail," has to do with their labor problems."

Short, stories in the main deal of with the experiences of a beauti-

tening to a series of speeches from my old friend and political enemy, Clemenceau, and if another Frenchman were to come along and offer them more advice they might become suspicious and annoyed. I am here in North America to investigate, not ception on the part of the staff, as well as the exceptional talent of the

"A final question, M. Thomas," said The Advertiser. "Not exactly meeting in Ottawa, where every facility, including a bilingual clerical staff could be provided, it might have a very valuable effect in edu-cation of the American people to the real value of the league. Would you favor the idea of such a meeting

"The suggestion," said M. Thomas, "is novel to me, and most interest-ing. But it is not for me to offer edge as possible of the industrial and my opinion about it nor undertake to urge it upon the league. Firstly, your government would have to give to harmonize industrial policy and the invitation, and then the delegates of the countries adhering to the league would have to consider the project. The decision would be in their hands. I am an official, and have nothing to do with such arrangements. But the suggestion is ery interesting

At this point Mr. Tom Moore, who Price 25c a vial at all dealers or "Precisely," said M. Thomas was acting as timekeeper, intervened to intimate that the audience was The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, from Canada and other countries.

CHRISTMAS REVIEW "SNOWSHOE TRAIL" IS L. C. I. TRIUMPH AT GRAND THEATRE

Special Number of School Paper Reaches New Standard of Perfection.

COMPLETE IN DETAILS

Deals With Many Subjects From Street Cars to Fascisti.

To the lot of one who has had t do with the publication of a school magazine, and who remembers the early days of the London Collegiate aper, falls a full realization of the triumph achieved by the students of 1922, in their Christmas number of the L. C. I. Review.

The completeness of this publication is its most surprising feature. The aim of bringing the paper up magazine standards has been fully complished, and both editorial, usiness and advertising staffs have attained a uniform standard of merit, which reflects the greatest credit

upon the student body. ear upon the most timely subjects. Articles embrace the field of muncipal life, with an intelligent grasp of the street railway problem (cleverly tackled as the equation with too many unknowns), and dip into the Florine, a plano accordionist, are all vast expanse of international af-

Proudly claiming the honor of being the first school paper to use half tone illustrations, the L. C. I. Review has this year set a high standard with its art and photo-

The number of ads is sometimes germane to your mission. It has been suggested that if the assembly of the league of nations were to hold view have rounded up an amazing number of advertisen publication, a good sign also of their business acume The magazine is a credit to the staff, the school, and the city.

> Give Names of Staff. The following are the staff: Editor George McCracken; assistant editor, Marion Stark: editorial board, Helen gett and Frank Boss; editor school news, Evans Davis; editors Jest Jests, Jean McIntosh and Leigh Taylor; editor Boys Sports, Wes: Morris; editor Girls' Sports, Marion Drew; editors Radio, Frank Patterson and Ted McCullough; editor exchange, James McKenna; art editor, Donald Routledge.

In the business department the ng business manager, W. R. Urlin; business manager, Chas. Foulkes; advertising manager, Isaac Siskind; circulation manager, C. K. Bluett; agents, Anne McGregor, Kitty Beltz, W. Johnston, A. Gillespie, K. King, H. Davis, N. Campbell, W. Kernoban K. Ross and T. Hart. han, K. Ross and T. Hart.

BISHOP WILL BLESS NEW CITY CHURCH

Solemn Services Will Be Held at St. Patrick's Church Sunday.

The solemn blessing of St. Patrick's Church, Dundas street east, will take place Sunday next. His Lordship Bishop Fallon will officiate at the services, which will be held immediately before the solemn high mass at 10:30. The bishop will also preach at this mass, which will be sung by Very Rev. A. T. Coughlin, provincial of the Toronto Province of the Redemptorist Fathers.

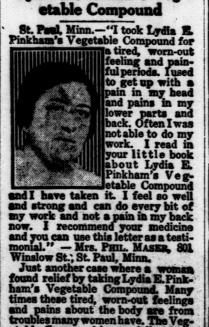
The original St. Patrick's Church

was built some years ago, but the Catholic population of that part of the city has so increased of late that it has been found imperative to greatly enlarge the edifice to accommodate the growing congregation.

tion.

The evening services at 7 p.m. will also be of a solemn nature, and will be conducted by Rev. Father J. Mc-Phail, Redemptorist missionary, of Toronto, who was the nastor of St. Patrick's when the parish was first started in the east end.

Made Strong and Well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Stirring Picture of North and Splendid Vaudeville Holds Many Attractions.

A. bill offering excellence and ariety attracted a large audience t the Grand Theatre last night. Jane Novak, the popular young screen star, in one of her best reeases, "The Snowshoe Trail," proved success in a thrilling and enjoyable drama of the north country, and the vaudeville features shown in conjunction with the film left nothing

punction with the him left nothing to be desired.

Paul, Hepner and company presented an act full of exceptional interest. Hepner, Edward Reader, Tom Curran and Irving Arnold are the personnel of an excellent quarter.

However, they do not present themselves as a quartet. Instead the four men present in song the story of four pals, who are joined again after a period of years. One has become an artist, another a doctor, the third a broker, and the fourth a minister. The act is prettily staged, well sung, and there is just a touch of centivent along with the human. of sentiment along with the humor. Lee Hing Chan, the Chinese men pon the student body.

Editorials Clever.

Editorials are cleverly written, and ear upon the most timely subjects. clever cartoons within the space of a few seconds. It is both an amaz-ing and an entertaining performance. Rice and Francis, a clever pair of entertainers; Collins and Madell, two amusing black-face comedians, and

fairs by a study of the Fascott ful society girl who goes adventuring in the Advertiser, "to make any appeal to the American people?"

No American Appeal.

"Indeed not, most certainly not."

The United States. I want to see at fairs by a study of the Fascott ful society girl who goes adventuring in the frozen places of the north in search of her fiance. Her struggles in blizzards and against the other hardships of the snow-bound region, develop several thrilling episodes which are calculated to hold the spectator spellbound—or very the spectator spellboun close to it.

Miss Novak, always superb in outgraphs. Art lay-outs are most eifectively arranged, and illustrations
throughout show keen artistic conception on the part of the staff, as
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ception on the part of the staff, as
continual talent of the
continual heights that bring into effect
conceptional talent of the door characterizations, surpasses herself in this picture. Of unusual beauty and appeal, she is fascinat-Completing the program are Har-old Lloyd, in "The Marathon," and a

WOULD RELIEVE FAMINE, Washington, Dec. 15.—Appropriation of \$70,000,000 for relieving famine con-ditions in Germany and Austria was proposed in a resolution introduced yesproposed in a resolution introduction (Re-terday by Representative Newton (Re-publican, Missouri).

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL \$12,885,900 Toronto, Dec. 15.—Authorized capital of \$12,885,900 is represented by comported to the Monetary Times during of British Columbia, under a bill the week ended Dec. 9, compared with passed the legislature yesterday. \$10,582,000 the previous week.

e drafted for jury duty in the Provin

LEATHER GOODS GIFTS THAT LAST



Club Bags

Bag, three-piece style, leather lined, sewed-in frame, lift catches, 18 and \$22.00 20 inches

Black or Brown Cowhide Bag, five-piece style, leather lined, sewed-in frame, lift catch, 18 inches \$15.00 Black Walrus Grain Bag, leather lined, sewed-in frame, lift catch, 18 and 20 inches \$10.00

Black Walrus Grain Bag, leather lined, lift catches 18 ins., \$7.00 20 ins., \$8.00 Club Bags Initialed Free of

Club Bag **Special**

FOR CHRISTMAS

An 18-Inch Leather Bag leather lined. leather lined, double handle.... \$5.75

Military Brushes \$3.50 to \$10 Shav'g Brushes \$1.25 to \$2.50 Sewing Sets\$2.25 Clothes Brushes

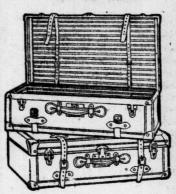
> Dressing Rolls Pullman Slippers

Bridge Sets, Wallets

Why not give a Boston or Overnight Bag, black or brown, 13, 14, 15 inches,

Boston Bag

\$1.50 to \$10.00 Dolls' Trunks . . \$2.00, \$2.50 Suit Cases, leather, \$8 to \$35 Music Cases, \$1.50 to \$10.00 Keytainers 40c to \$2.50 Wardrobe **Trunks**



The most acceptable article for either lady or gentleman\$25.00 up

Purses

All the latest styles in Purses and Hand Bags, black, brown and gray,

75c ** \$30.00

J. DARCH & SONS

Collar Bags . . \$1.00 to \$7.00

London's Largest Leather Goods Store

FOUR DOORS NORTH OF KING STREET.

OPEN SATURDAY NIGHTS TILL CHRISTMAS.



COWAN'S-

The Christmas Store

Gifts for all; gifts that are different and lasting. Make your purchases now and have your choice of a stock that is second to none in Western Ontario.



VELOCIPEDES Every child takes delight out of one of our Velocipedes; sizes for all ages, steel and rubber-tired wheels

\$4.25, \$4.75, \$5, \$16, \$20 ALUMINUM HOT WATER BOTTLES.



Always hot \$4.00 each

SKATES

Agents for the ever-famous C. C. M. Automobile Skates. All models ... \$1 to \$6 pair

HAND SLEIGHS. What is Christmas for the children without a sleigh? All styles and sizes 55c to \$3.50 each

BLACKBOARDS. A suitable gift for the growing child; large size, on stand \$2.75 Plain \$2.00

KIDDIE KARS. For the younger ones \$3.50, \$4.25, \$5 each

Gifts for the Children. BUSTER BROWN WAGONS. Make the children happy at Christmas; heavy steel-rimmed wheels, oak body, three sizes. No. 1 \$5.00 No. 2 No. 3 \$7.00

HURON COASTER WAGONS. Steel-rimmed wooden wheels, heavy oak body. No.1—\$4.50 No. 2—\$5.25

CHILDREN'S AUTOS.



Christmas with one of our upto-date Child's Autos, windshield, stop sign, headlights, Klaxton, etc. \$9, \$11, \$13, \$16 each

MECCANO. An Educational Toy. Any one can learn and be interested in Meccano. . Sets . .. \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3, \$5.75 up



plete outfit of high-grade, lasting tools .. \$3 and \$4 set

SPECIAL. Nut Sets, including six picks and one pair crackers, 40c set CASSEROLES.

Silver-plated casing earthern-ware, lining brown and green, round \$4.50, \$5.00 Oval \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00 Pyrex lining \$7.50, \$11, \$12



CARVING SETS. Fine English steel, stag and bone-handled Carving Sets; 3-piece set in plush-lined cases ... \$3, \$4, \$4.50, \$6 to \$20 set 2-piece set, \$3, \$3.50, \$5.50 set

WASHING MACHINES. Nothing more saving or useful for the home than an Electric Washing Machine; saves time, labor and money; Beatty Bros.' "Time Saver" Machine

Universal Machine \$160 FIREPLACE FIXTURES. Complete stock of brass tongs, brushes, shovels, poker and

stand \$9, \$12, \$13, \$20

..... \$115

Fireplace Screens \$5.75 FOOD CHOPPERS. The home is incomplete without a Food Chopper; home No. 2 \$2.50

DOUBLE BOILERS. Special sale of aluminum Double Boilers ... \$1.59 each



Rogers' and Community Plate Silver, in 26 to 62 pieces, plush-lined cases, \$13 to \$125

Gifts for the Home. Gifts for Sister and Mother.

Equator, round \$3.75 Equator, square \$3.50 Equator, long \$6.00 CANDLESTICKS. Heavy brass Candlesticks, im-

ported direct from England \$2.25 to \$6.50 pair SILVERWARE. Rogers' 1881 Silver makes an appropriate gift. Cold Meat Forks \$1.00 Gravy Ladles \$1.15 Butter Knives 75c Sugar Shells 65c Pearl-handle Butter Knives

VACUUM CLEANERS.

Pearl-Handle Pickle Forks .



The ideal gift for mother 'Ohio'' Vacuum Cleaner,

BREAD MIXERS. Saves mother hard work. 3-loaf size \$4.50

BREAD TRAYS. Rogers' Silver Bread Trays, the always useful gift \$3.50, \$4, \$6, \$7

COWAN HARDWARE LI

125-127 DUNDAS STREET.

PHONE 3461-3462,

sizes to fit every shoe.

Be sure to ask for DOMINION Rubbers --- not merely "a pair of rubbers".

LONE BANDIT GETS \$5,000 FROM BANK

Masked Robber Terrorizes Ford Employees At Highland Park Plant.

DRUGGIST ROUTS THIEF

Detroit Merchant Throws Sulphuric Acid in Face of Hold-Up Man.

Special to The Advertiser. Windsor, Dec. 15 .- Fifteen terror ized employees in the Ford Industrial Bank at the Highland Park plant, Detroit, stood helpless while a masked robber, armed with a sawed off double-barreled shotgun, looted the cashier's cage of \$5,000 yesterday Timing his exit'to coincide with the the robber grabbed several stacks of bills of high denomination, dropped his mask and gun in the bank and lost to his pursuers in the mass of workers who were leaving the

While the guard employed to pro-tect the Ford Bank, which is on the second floor at the Highland Park plant, stood near the door a man masked with a blue handkerchief, leveled a shotgun at the cage and ordered the employees to stick up

their hands. To prove that he meant business, he fired one of the barrels. The charge just grazed a timekeeper's head. Stacks of currency were within easy reach of the intruder, and he quickly grabbed the nearest pile with one hand holding his gun at his shoulder with the other.

The bank is maintained for the convenience of Ford employees only. Considered inaccessible to outtiders, no special precautions were used to protect the institution. According to the Highland Park police, the robbery was engineered by someone familiar with the inner workings of the plant. No explana-



WEGNER

The Man Who Makes Your Dollar Do Double Duty Two big stocks of Men's Wear in one on sale under one roof at

Opp. Market, Near King. Look for The Heart of London Sign over the Door before you

CHRISTMAS TIES. EXTRA SPECIAL-5 gross Four-in-Hand Ties. Values in this lot 50c to \$1.00, 3 for
5½ dozen Full Shaped Knitted
Silk Ties, in heather and lovat
shades. Values \$1.75 to
\$2.50, for, each
150 dozen Four-in-Hand Ties,
reduced to

50c, 75c, 95c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 SILK MUFFLERS.

\$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95 COMBED WOOL MUFFLERS. \$1.63, \$1.69, \$2.25, \$2.50 KNITTED SILK

MUFFLERS. Plain and fancy \$3.95

BRACES. 20 dozen, 75c, for.....50c 10 dozen, \$1.00, for ..75c FINE SHIRTS. Your choice of all Shirts from Canada's best makers. Regular values up to \$3.50, special \$1.95

SWEATER COATS We are now overstocked in this ne. All prices reduced at \$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.95 up \$7.95

MITTS AND GLOVES In Mitts and Gloves we lead with the largest stock in Western Ontario, including the famous Carhartt line. All reduced in

25c .. \$4.95 MEN'S CAPS 50 dozen Men's Caps, all the

\$1.95 and \$2.25 900 PANTS

At less than factory prices \$2.98, \$3.50, \$3.98, \$4.50, \$4.98, \$5.95, \$6.95, \$7.90. YOU SAVE 25c ON EVERY PAIR OF OVERALLS BOUGHT HERE

Cróthing Company

mous for Their Little Prices. 371 TALBOT STREET. posite Market, Near King St. tion as to how a man could carry a shotgun unnoticed into the factory and escape before an alarm could be given has been offered.

No Description of Man.

The only clues to the robber are

his army overcoat and the shotgun which he dropped. The employees in the bank were not able to give he police a description of the man.

Just two hours later Fred F. Platz, a druggist on Fifth avenue, routed two hold-up men by hurling the con-tents of a bottle of sulphuric acid into the face of one of the them while the other fired twice, the bullets imbedding in a wall a few inches behind the druggist's head.

Essex Utilities Confident That Plan Will Receive the Support of Ratepayers.

Special to The Advertiser.

Windsor, Dec. 15.-If ratepayers of Sandwich, Ford and Riverside indorse the plan of Essex Utilities Commission to build a filtration plant that will have sufficient capacity to serve all border municipalities, construction work will start at once in order that the winter unemployment situation may be relieved. Officials of the commission today expressed confidence that the plan will be given unanimous indorsation of all the in-terested municipalities. Windsor and Walkerville, which will assume the largest proportion of the cost, al-ready have passed bylaws authorizing debenture issues for their apportion-

Ratepayers of Riverside will vote first Monday in January on two methods of obtaining water. One bylaw proposes to purchase a half interest in the Eau Claire water-works at a cost of \$33,000, and the other is the Essex Commission's project. The last named will save the municipality at least \$10,000, com-B pared to the Eau Claire scheme, town

officials assert.

How the business of Walkerville section of Niagara Power System has grown since 1914, when first meeting of local commission was held, is shown by a statement issued today by Manager H. J. McHenry. At the end of 1915 the commission had 1,426 customers, who brought in annual revenue of \$64,981. Operating ex-penses totaled \$59,339.78, and merchandise valued at \$982.28 was sold. The consumers now number 3,650, the revenue is \$205,841, expenses total \$177,593.22, and \$119,059.82 worth of merchandise was sold in the last year.

CHAMPIONS IMPRESS VISITORS AT SHOW

Gaily-Decorated Guelph Prize-Winners Command Ovation in Final March.

Special to The Advertiser.

Guelph, Dec. 15 .- To the strains of orchestral music and with a crowded arena looking on, a grand parade of prize-winning animals of all classes in the show ring brought to a close the 39th Provincial Winter Fair at 10 o'clock last night.

It was a fitting ending to a great show, and the immense audience cheered to the echo the gaily-ribed and magnificent specia livestock as they trotted, strutted or waddled over the tanbark, according to their method of transportation. First came the chesty little prizewinning hackney ponies, accompanied by the rugged little Welsh and Shetlands. Then followed the flashy hackney stallions and mares, the smooth and trim-looking standard-breds, thoroughbreds, huge Belgians and Percherons, massive Clydesdales, and, bringing up the rear, the won-derful exhibit of beef cattle, with the champion steers making their last public appearance before going to the public appearance before going to the block, and accompanied by the best in the dairy classes. Each of the champions was personally introduced to the big crowd by Ringmaster McCalum, and each in turn received the plaudits of the interested spectators.

Makes Last Appearance.

There was a note of sadness inter-jected into the final night's proceedings however, when that grand hackney stallion, Warwick Model, hero of the show ring for nearly a decade, made his appearance in the ring. Announcement was made that Warwick Model, who is now 20 years of age, and who was imported from England by W. O. Sowerby of Guelph, and has been a noted member of the Crow & Murray Toronto stable for the last four years, was making his last public appearance in the show

ring.
The wonderful stallion has been first and champion in scores of exhibitions on the continent, and his owners have now decided to retire, him. Despite his age, Warwick Model looked superb tonight, and pranced around the ring like a fouryear-old. As he was led out of the ring after being cheered for several minutes, he took a farewell look at the crowd, apparently realizing that he was going out of a ring for the last time, where he has been a pop-ular favorite for several years. War-wick Model will be sadly missed at

the Guelph show.

Previous to the parade the championships and grand championship in the Clydesdale classes were made, and, as usual, these features of the fair were keenly watched.

MITCHELL MAN KILLED BY FLYING ENGINE BELT

Special to The Advertiser. New Hamburg, Ont. Dec. 15.—Albert Pierce, 48, of Mitchell, was instantly killed at 11 o'clock this morning, when he was struck by a flying belt from a gasoline etngine, while he belt from a gasoline etngine, while he was working on a new bridge at Phillipsburg, one mile from here.

Pierce was employed by Hill Bros., contractors, of Mitchell. He is a widower and has been residing with his sister, Mrs. Madel of Mitchell. A coroner was called and decided an inquest was unnecessary.

SHIPS 189 BLACK FOXES FROM P. E. I. TO AMERICA

Sarnia, Dec. 15 .- Thursday after-Sarnia, Dec. 15.—Thursday afternoon a shipment of 189 silver black
foxes passed through Sarnia consigned to points in the United States
including Flint, Petosky, Bitely,
Traverse City, and Big Rapids in
Michigan, and also to several points
in Wisconsin. The shipper is John
A. Lea of Summerside, Prince Edward Island, and the animals are
valued at \$48,000. In 1913 and 1914
the value of these animals would
have been several hundred thousand
dollars.

Wool Blankets

6½ lbs. On the Club Plan \$1 down and \$1 weekly.

Ibex Blankets \$3.95

Guaranteed first quality, full 12-4 size, white only. Club Plan 50e down and 50e weekly.

Comforters \$3.95

A good-sized Comforter, sell-Club Plan 50c down and 50e rough usage. weekly.

Bedspreads \$3.50

White, size 60x84. Special Woven from real reed, ivory and 50c week.

Boys' Wagons \$4.95

Size 60x80 inches, weight Buster Brown Wagons, roller bearing; regular \$7

Children's Rocker \$3.95

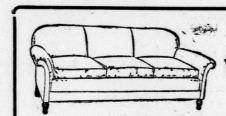
A regular \$4.50 Rocker. woven from Japanese seagrass, for hard wear and real comfort this rocker can't be

Rail Sleighs

ing regularly at \$4.50; on the Regular \$2.50; built to stand

Reed Doll Carriage \$4.95

Club Plan terms 50c down enamel finish, rubber tires; regular price \$5.95



Two Worth-While Gifts

Two only Chesterfields, upholstered in an A1 grade tapestry, both are webb construction, and have loose Marshall cushions. Either will make an ideal gift; also they are specially priced:

Regular, \$105 SPECIAL, \$75 Regular, \$120 SPECIAL, \$84

Five Extra Special Values



Crokinole **Boards** \$2.49

A game everybody enjoys complete with one dozen men; regular \$3.95

Electric Irons \$3.95

Fully guaranteed for 1 year, complete with plug and six feet of cord; regular \$6

> Doll **Carriages** \$3.95

Talking Dolls \$2.25

Black wood bodies, with A regular \$3.00 Doll, fully black collapsible leatherette dressed, with real hair wig, hoods, rubber-tired; regular unbreakable. "It says Mam-

A Big Special in Cut Glass

Two hundred pieces of beautiful Cut Glass, in several handsome designs, every piece in perfect condition. There are no seconds amongst them. You'll find included at this price:-

Sugar Shakers, Salt Shakers, Vases (various sizes and shapes), Comports, Ash Trays, Butter Plates, Cream and Sugar Sets, Spoon Trays, Butter Tubs, Handled Nappies, Tea Strainers with nickel-plated tops, etc., etc.

If you're stuck for a gift suggestion, see our window and main floor displays. Gift suggestions for the home, see our furnished bungalow.

Why Not Make it a **Cedar Chest?**

It makes a most acceptable gift and costs little.

Here's one made from selected Tennessee red cedar, size 24" x 36", copper trimmed an mounted on castors, for

Buy it on the Club Plan-\$1.00 Down and \$1.00 Weekly.



Smokers for the Men

Mahogany Smoker Stands, with glass ash tray; regular \$2.75. Special Mahogany Ash Receivers, with heavy glass lining; regular \$1.50. Special Glass Ash Receiver; regular

98c. Special

You'll Find Our Window Displays **Full of Gift Suggestions**

CHRISTMAS

will be enjoyed the more with music in the home.

The Sonophone

is a musical instrument of the highest grade, plays any make of record. It's so easy

to purchase this instrument, especially on our club plan. \$1.00 down will deliver it to your home. \$1.00 weekly takes care of the balance.

Two Popular Gift Suggestions



Mahogany finished Nut Bowls. complete with six picks and pair of crackers. Reg. \$2.25; special, \$1.60

Mahogany Fruit Bowls, complete with assortment of wax fruit. It's something new in a Christmas gift. Regular \$13.75. \$8.95 Special

For Home Gift Suggestions See Our Furnished Bungalow



China Always Makes a Most Acceptable Gift

Odd China Cups and Saucers, reg. 30c, special 20c 7-piece Fruit Sets (1 bowl and 6 nappies), reg. \$1.75. Blue Willows 21-piece Tea Set, reg. \$3.75, special, \$2.49 21-piece China Tea Set reg. \$6.95, special \$3.95 Beautiful 97-piece Dinner Set, Monmouth design, imported English semi-porcelain, a thoughtful gift for mother

Club Terms-\$2.00 down and \$2.00 weekly.

Gifts for the Home

That Can Be Purchased On Our Club Plan

Walnut Finished Dressers

That will give a joyous appearance to your bedroom; 36inch case, fitted with three drawers and plate mirror

Special Club Terms-\$2.00 down and \$2.00 weekly.

Brass Bed

A beautiful bed, in all sizes, ribbon polet finish

Special Club Terms-95c down and \$1.00 weekly.

Divanettes

Quarter-cut oak frames, fumed or golden finish, imitation leather, upholstered backs and seats, Kroehler

Special Club Terms-\$5 down and \$2 weekly.

Axminster Mats

A late shipment from England, beautiful floral effects, size 27 ins. x 57 ins., fringed edges.

At Special Club Terms-\$5 down and \$2 weekly,

Six Buffets, priced regularly at \$67, \$69 and \$71. Three in fumed and three in golden finish.

Special Club Terms—\$5.00 down and \$2.00 weekly.

You'll Find Bargains in the

From Now Until Christmas

Mixed Nuts, all new goods, 2 lbs. for 37c Cluster Raisins 29c Seeded Raisins 18c Seedless Raisins 18c Mixed Peel (Wagstaffe) lb. 33c Wethey's Mincemeat, lb. 17c Pure Honey, 5 lbs.... 69c Banquet Tea, lb. 49c Nectar Coffee, lb. ... 55c Dalton's French Drip Coffee 65c Marmalade, 4-lb. glass jars 59c Stuart's 1-lb. Marmalade W 25c Pure Jam, 4-lb. pail, 89c (Raspberry, Strawberry) Cream and Pimento Cheese, 2 for 25c Campbell's Soups, 2 for 25c Cascade Salmon, 9c, 13c

Tomatoes 15c Corn, 3 for 25c Peas 14c Pork and Beans, 2 for 25c Excelsior Dates, 2 for 25c Cream of Wheat 25c Quaker Oats 27c Washing Soda, 21/2 lbs., 9c Sani-Flush 26c Old Dutch 11c Babbits 6c Rinso 8c Handy Ammonia 7c Lux, 2 for 19c Pearline 7c Silvergloss Starch .. 11c Castile Soap, 8 for .. 25c Gillett's Lye 14c Comfort, Surprise, P & G, Gold and Sunlight Soaps, 6 for 39c

Sockeye Salmon, 25c, 35c

Lobster 49c

Pineapple 28c

Pears 18c

Peaches 25c

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The Controversy Is On. Lloyd George is no longer premier

of Britain, but he is shaking Europe through the English, American and Canadian press.

Premier Poincare of France has taken a hand in the debate, and his George himself.

says: "It is unfortunate that in this no person to be allowed to stand. erisis, when the French patience is being so cruelly tried by Germany's land and America which is regarded in France as an imputation upon the . . The realities are that if

France will be ruined." misfortune that the article by the late prime minister should have had and members of the finance comthe effect of drawing from M. Poincare an emphatic denial of the existence of a desire in any party of his comed this declaration of M. Poin-

care, which should greatly facilitate members agreeing with the mayor the discussions still proceeding." The statement of M. Poincare. premier of France, is quite ex- 1 if nothing else develops in the plicit: "Lloyd George says there is meanwhile to halt it. The busmen the Rhine: This party never ex- Hamilton, when the bus owners won isted except in Lloyd George's im- under similar circumstances. There never was a

French domination." The French premier goes farther, night next. and says the Lausanne conference has proven that it is possible for committee, are quite frank in their

Then, is this publicity good or council. turn the key in the door and tell the ered at length.

bulletin boards for results. It has already had the result of difference of opinion among the her movements or the eyes of the be making the leaders of nations have municipal authorities of the prov- holders." The business department recourse to the open in a public ince as to the meaning of that clause is sure to look upon this as rank declaration of national aims, as well of the municipal act which deals free advertising. as forcing them to announce the with the granting of licenses to geographical boundaries of their motor busses. territorial ambitions.

there ever was a time when state of Hamilton threw out similar legisaffairs were given the publicity they lation passed by the police commisare receiving today. The premier of sion of that city, terming it "prohibi-France comes out openly and states tive tariff," and nothing short of there is no party in his country "class legislation." the Rhine. That has been said in don to have all the points of legality other.

effect of making the nations of with a matter of which they are not Europe stand up in turn and pub- masters. licly declare their purpose, he will A touch of finality, based on legal have done a great day's work, and and municipal knowledge, would the press will have moved up in its head off a lot of useless agitation and station and established itself as an possible litigation. agency that can bring out in the open things that were formerly decided behind closed doors

Clemenceau and Dreyfus.

The visit of Clemenceau to Dreyfus, one that stirred not only our forests or prairies ever did, France but the whole world in 1894. For dramatic intensity and human cases have ever presented greater possibilities

Dreyfus, it will be remembered, lake. was arrested while a member of the French general staff and charged many. He was sentenced to public papers. If he can't make the Ger-Island. He was paraded, handcuffed, publishers come across. before his former comrades with the insignia of his rank, and a fellowofficer pronounced the doom: "Dreyfus, you are unworthy to wear the his boots on. He certainly could die French uniform." Then he was led happy, as there was nothing else away with the mob trying to attack him. The tears streamed down his face, but he walked with his head up and cried, "I am innocent, 'Vive la need an influx of population "to take

France. able performance of Georges Clemenceau, who discovered some time later | in. that the judges had based their decision upon the scrutiny of a document which they did not permit either Dreyfus or his lawyers to ex- was framed up. Jack Dempsey amine. Clemenceau saw the injustice of the situation, and for three whole years, with the exception of as a tin whistle. one publication day, he hammered away in his newspaper, calling for justice for Dreyfus. He followed ments tirelessly through a maze of departments, fought with officials

doubt and suspicion about Esterhazy, measure becomes operative. The

one of the principal winesses against Condon Advertiger Dreyfus, and succeeded in branding him as a rascal. Esterhazy further confirmed this opinion a short time after by disappearing. When last heard of he was in London earning a scant living by teaching French. At last the walls of the general staff and the French bureaucracy were battered down, a new trial was granted Dreyfus, and his innocence

was established. Georges Clemenceau has lived a long time, and he has camped on most of the mountain tops of human achievement.

Acting Before Knowing.

Several weeks ago the city council decided that the busses should be assessed \$100 a year. The police commission was notified to that

Three days before the election a reply comes with a vigor that is special meeting of the commission unite up to the standard set by Lloyd was held, and it was decided to assess the bus operators \$10 a seat, The London Daily Mail, comment- and allow the busses to carry only ing on the Lloyd George article, such passengers as could be seated;

When this Information became public a couple of days ago the bus bad faith, an article by Lloyd George owners held mass meetings protestshould have been published in Eng- ing the suddenness of the act. They now ask for the suspension of the bylaw until January, when they say French nation of greedy militarism. they will be in a position to present their case to the police commissionguilty Germany is let off, injured ers or city councillors, talk the matter over, enter into an agreement The London Times, on this subject, with the city, and agree to the city's

says: "It has not been altogether a directions as to routes, fares, etc. This was denied by Mayor Wilson

mittee Wednesday night. The finance committee also de cided to file a communication from countrymen to perpetuate their hold the city solicitor, together with a upon the Rhine. We heartily wel- copy of the bylaw fust passed by the commission, the majority of the

that no further action was necessary. The fee becomes effective January an important party in France intimate that they will test the case anxious to annex the left bank of in the high courts, as was done in

While the majority of the finance French government, minister, sena- committee voted to drop the questor or deputy to have a plan so un- tion, it is problematical what the outreasonable, nor willing to compel the come would be if the subject were to German population to undergo be introduced for discussion at the

last meeting of the council Monday

Aldermen, not members of the England and France to come to a claim that the mayor is wrong when satisfactory agreement on Near East he says that the police commission can fix the fee, and not the city

bad? It is having the effect of There are other councillors who like that the ordinary crowd might making diplomats come out in the also maintain that the action by the as well stand back until the procesopen, and that is where all right- police commission should be sus- sion passes. thinking people want to keep them. pended and the entire problem re-The world paid in blood and treasure ferred to 1923, when all the transthe price of allowing diplomacy to portation problems will be consid-

clerk both state that there is a sharp least possible impediment either to

Only one case has been in the Go back a few years and find if courts recently, when Judge Snider

wanting to annex the left bank of It would be much better for Lonsuch a way that Germany can hear well ironed out before a move of it, and it is well that Germany and this nature is made. This business France should understand each of passing bylaws from commission to council, with the accompanying The statements of Lloyd George discussion as to which body has the are pointed, and they are given with right to deal with the matter, can a tone of authority that compels at- lead to only one conclusion, viz., that tention. If his writings have the the civic authorities are dealing

Note and Comment. Days and purses both get shorter

as Christmas approaches. If all those German marks get on

America recalls the case of Alfred fire it will be worse than anything

There's enough steam and energy pathos, plot and counter-plot few worked up in Toronto civic campaign this year to move Toronto Island a mile farther out into the

Clemenceau got \$25,000 for articles with selling military secrets to Ger- he wrote for Canadian and U. S. degradation and exile on Devil's mans pay, he knows how to make the

> The prize steer at Toronto Winter Fair sold for 80 cents a pound with worth while to live for.

the bacon business in the first place. Carried out. A quick route has been Before 1880 it was a grain-growing country, but in the eighties the surnow reaching England in ten days. The Winnipeg Free Press says we Before 1880 it was a grain-growing country, but in the eighties the surplus corn of United States reached Europe and flattened out prices to such an extent that Denmark, with its comparatively poor soil, was out of the running.

It was soon seen that the bybutter production, skima share of the crushing burden of The sequel comes in the remark- taxation." Now, paint that on a big sign and watch the crowd come its co

Siki and Carpentier fought in Paris, and Siki now claims the fight doesn't fight any real battles, so he keeps his name and reputation clean

tants, 83 hogs, Belgium 20, England 8. France 11, Germany 33 and Russia 10.

Right from the start the Danes started to study the British market and breed their stock accordingly. A harbor was built at Esbjerg with the sole idea of quick shipment to Britain. In the year 1894 X-Da isl bacon was 63 per cent of the total English consumption.

The idea of co-operation has gained a very strong footing with the Danish producers. Denmark wisely draws in corn and oil cake from sections of the globe where it can be bought to advantage, uses what can be prodeluged with protests over the provision calling for stamps on receipts, which becomes operative the first of was 53 per cent of the total English and lawyers, and was cordially hated the year. This can hardly be taken as approval of the measure. Mer-At the end of three years Clemen- | chants do not view with appreciation ceau had thrown an atmosphere of the approach of the time when this

EVERYDAY MOVIES



What's the matter? Ain't he well?" "Oh, just pullin' that good boy stuff before Christmas."

believe businessmen generally would operation than have to attend to the

Charles M. Schwab, millionaire steel man, paid 10 cents for a raffle ticket, and when it was all over Schwab was presented with a Guernsey bull worth \$1.000. When they persist in pelting wealth at a man

The Los Angeles Times says Isa dora Duncan has shocked Boston people of the nations to watch the The city solicitor and the city which seemed designed to offer the

> R. J. Fleming is candidate for mayor of Toronto. In the minds of certain Toronto people, especially the Globe and Telegram, he has at once previous occasion, and rendered ex- barely 4.000 population.

revenue of the country is increasing, cellent service. He was at one time and the National Railways are mak- mentioned as a possible leader for ing a much better showing than at the Liberal party in Ontario. Those the time the tax was proposed. We Toronto papers that are shouting against him so hard should rememmuch rather see a turnover tax in ber that a year ago they sent their perpetual mayor, Thomas Church, to sticking of a stamp on every receipt Ottawa, and they should also bear in mind the fact that when he arrived in the larger arena he did not make much of a showing. In ability your Thomas Church.

> When redistribution takes place in the Dominion it will be found that Saskatchewan moves to third place. The new house will be elected the following hasis:

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	Quebec	65	65
1	Nova Scotia	16	14
5	New Brunswick.	11	11
9	P. E. Island.	4	4
0	Ontario	. 82	81
-	Manitoba	15	17
t	Saskatchewan	16	21
2	Alberta	12	16
	British Columbia.	13	14
	Yukon	1	1
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Total 285 This will give the Canadian West 69 seats, a gain of 12, although it is become a dangerous man instead of doubtful if the Yukon can retain a a good citizen. He was mayor on a seat at the present time, having THE BACON TRADE IN BRITAIN

The shaded portion of this

man shows how Denmark looks

It is interesting to note that Cana-

Manchester Guardian remarked in a recent issue: . . . Canadian bacon is forging ahead. The market

actually fried in the warehouse revealed a flavor which was equal to the very best Danish. Yet it is 3d to 4d per pound cheaper than Danish. It is to be hoped that this enterpris-

THE Map above shows Denmark duced at home, and in this way has set in the province of Ontario. built a national industry which is the mainstay of Denmark's wealth.

the basis of a hog industry. By 1914
Denmark had, per hundred of inhabitants, 88 hogs, Belgium 20, England

to 4d per pound cheaper than Danish.

It is to be hoped that this enterprising Canadian experiment will be suc-

It is equal to about 20 Ontario coun-

bacon requirements, while less than 12 per cent went from the entire

and home-grown grains, would form

Dominion of Canada.

Your Health

T YOU SHOULD SEEK WHEN TROUBLED BY LUMBAGO. By Royal S. Copeland, M.D.

missioner of Health, New York Senator-Elect from New York

and action, R. J. Fleming could de- MUSCULAR rheumatism is hable to attack any of the muscles of the human body. In the small of



the back, between the hip bones and the ribs, is a mass of muscl rheumatism attacks this group we call it "lum-Everybody knows

rheumatism acts. It is exactly the same when it takes the form of lumbago. Exposure to wet or cold may produce it. An injury from a fall or a blow, straining the back from lifting or unusual exercise, sudden chilling when perspiring, or a prolonged draft the trouble.

The attack may come on suddenly and be so severe that the natient can hardly turn himself in his bed. Lumbago is not usually associated

with fever or constitutional symptoms. The local symptoms subside in a few days. Recurrences, however, are exceedingly common. The victim of one attack of lumbago may be obliged to suffer a good many other attacks.

You have not gone to the bottom of your study of lumbago unless you give attention to your general condition. It is considered nowadays that some sort of infection is respon sible for most cases of rheumatism The teeth must be examined by a

competent dentist. If there is suspicion of trouble at the roots they should be X-rayed. If pyorrhoea is present it must receive attention. The tonsils sometimes contain centers of infection. This theory of -called "focal infection" has been over-emphasized in some quarters, but its importance is being overlooked by many. On this account the tonsils and nasal sinuses should be inspected by some one competent to pass judgment on their condition.

Intestinal indigestion, or sluggish for the absorption of toxic stances, and the onset of the lum-No treatment is complete bago. No treatment is complete less difficulty here is corrected. The kidneys and skin must be active. Imperfect elimination by these organs may be responsible for the

I speak of all these causes to enwhen fitted into part of Ontario. It is equal to about 20
of our counties, and yet is able
to dominate with its produce
the British market at higher
prices than we can command.

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you chance to able able you, if you chance to suffer, to hot as you can bear. Change this every few minutes, keeping up the treatment 15 minutes out of every

two hours. ties. Yet this country this year shipped 40 per cent of England's bacon requirements, while less than bacon requirements are the bacon requirements. been successfully employed.

The patient should be in bed during ominion of Canada.

Cannot meet the demand for it. A

Denmark was almost forced into most interesting experiment is being the acute attack. A few days of quiet and hot compresses will usually end the trouble, for the time at least. Re-

moval of the underlying cause will.

bring about a permanent cure.

Answers to Health Questions.

R. D. C. Q.—Some time ago I sprained my thumb, and the joint is still swollen. Will you kindly tell me too! what to do for this swelling? A .- First, make sure it is a sprain and not a dislocation. Apply hot fomentations to your thumb and then paint it with todine, daily.

E. M. H. Q.—Some time ago I was advised that I was suffering from hysician for information concerning

physician for information concerning the two operations being performed at once. No one can say positively what length of time will be required for recovery from an operation.

A. A. Q.—My brother has a sore spot on his palate. His doctor does not think it is serious, and only told him that he needed a vacation. Do

As the road uncurled before her she seemed to see those two figures the slender, pretty girl and David

walking together.
Suppose she went back and met them—the girl might be someone in the village wrom David had met, or she might be a cousin. David had no cousins.

away in the green twilight.

She wondered what they would do -take Steve Brogan's taxicab perhaps, but they certainly would not have the effrontery to come to the Woodland's. Having come to this conclusion, Jane glanced behind her and saw them walking along the path behind her. The girl wore gray

ing pair.

The truth must be confessed at last.

it hurt her to see him pay any at-

fild, fro Jane filled his world com-

she drew back behind a pillar. Tempt

slipped around the station building,

jumped into her car and whisked

Jane Woodland was of a very ealous nature. She loved David, and

The Daily Story

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

and Jane and Joy rode together.

witching face.

silk stocking and gray suede shippers. The slippers must have been very uncomfortable to walk in. Jane thought of that as the car slipped along the pleasant road. Then she turned the corner that led home. As she turned the corner she glanced over her shoulder and saw David putting the girl into a taxicab. He jumped in beside her and they rode rapidly away in the opposite direction.

Jane did not eat much dinner that night; she parried the explanations of her family and listened for the telephone bell. David would ring her up. He usually did so after one of their quarrels. She rather hoped he

It was 10 o'clock when the tele "Jane?" came David's voice.

"Jane is speaking," she responded, "I must apologize; I came on the six-ten, but did not see you, dear." "I was there-I saw you-but were so absorbed," embroidered Jane. "Jane Woodland!" he breathed sharply. "Well, you were busily engaged,

were you not?" "Yes, in a way. My grandmother came down with me and I was going to ask you to drop her off at my Aunt Agatha's. Didn't you see? So we walked along the road until a taxicab picked us up." "Your grandmother?" repeated

Jane incredulously. "Your grand-mother!" she added in scornful disbelief. "Yes. Now, Jane that I have explained this, you can see your mis-

take, can't you?" "I don't know what you mean about my mistake," Mr. Perry," she said in her coldest tone.
"Has it reached the Mr. Perry stage?" he asked furiously. "What is

"For me to return your ring, which I shall do in the morning," said Jane with her eyes full of tears, which, of course, David could not see, "Very well," he answered, and

rang off. The next day being Sunday, Jane went to church and had the pleasure of seeing David sitting in his Greataunt Agatha's pew with the strange girl beside him. Jane saw that David was very attentive to the slim young thing in black, and a grim despair seized her.

She wondered if it occurred to David that they-David and Janehad planned to be married in this very church in September. Why, they had decided upon the floral decorations, the ushers, the guests, the music—everything had been carefully thought out. What happy times they had had too.

Slowly the congregation dispersed.
In the porch the Woodlands lingered

greet their friends. Jane would ve hurried on to avoid David, but her mother pulled her back.

"Jane, my dear, I want to introduce you to Mrs. Churchill, David's grand mother. Susan this is my youngest daughter," murmured Mrs. Woodland with justifiable pride.
"Delighted my dear.

told me about you. Where is the boy brought me to church in that it stored at Agatha's. I refused to return in it. Take your little Jane home, Davy, and I'll go back with the old folks. Agatha will come Jane stared openly at the absure

little figure tricked out in its girlis you think this is something serious A.—Because I have not given your brother a personal examination, I cannot say just what his condition is. However, if the area around the advised that I was suffering from tumor and gall-stones, for which operations were necessary. Will you kindly tell me whether these two operations can be performed at the same time and how long it will take A SUBSCRIBER. Q.—Will you nlease tell me what hyperthyroidism to recover?

A.—You must consult your own is, whether it is tubercular and caused by asthma, and whether it can be cured?

A.—This condition is over-activity

of the thyroid gland and is not tu-bercular. Asthma would not cause this trouble. With proper treatment, hyperthyroidism can be cured. Copyright, 1922, by Newspaper

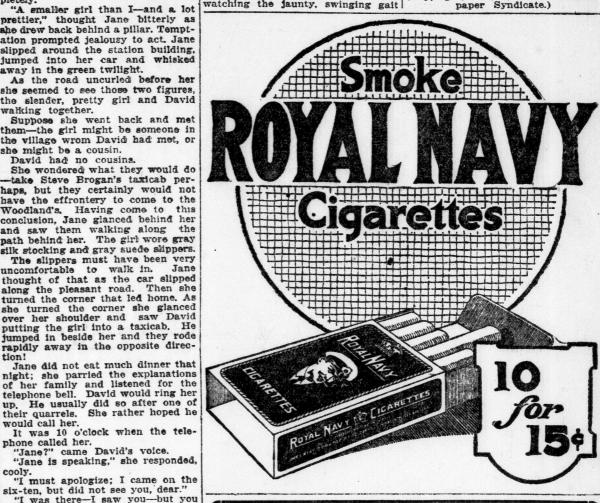


about the mad ride. Jane likes the little car; eh, Jane?

But Jane's shamed eyes were watching the jaunty, swinging gait

clothes. Behind the face veil simpered a sweet, lined face and graying hair. How pitiful it was to cling so firmly to passing youth!

"Well, good-bye, granny. Sorry Well, good-bye, granny. Sorry Sor isly, and this time she believed it. (Copyright, 1922, by McClure News-



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have no expectancy of life, and who have dependents who are entitled to become beneficiaries under the contract as provided under the Act, shall be insurable under the Returned Soldiers' Insurance Act, up to, and inclusive of 1st JANUARY, 1923."

donable disability who are so seriously ill that they

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ford, and who is now its representa-tive on the Essex Utilities Commis-sion. Montreull is opposed to the mayor's principles of municipal gov-ernment, he said in announcing his candidature.

CHRISTMAS WRAPPING. A "poinsettia" bag of red crepe paper will make an effective holiday wrapping for the fruit cake, the candy box or the other gift which tory of the municipality it is said.

The mayor's opponent will be cause of its roundness, is difficult charles J. Montreuil, first mayor of to tie.



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PHONE 187.

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389-393 TALBOT ST. OPPOSITE MARKET.

Oxford County Co-operative Company Arrange Meetings To Interest Factory Patrons.

Special to The Advertiser.

Nissouri, have already declared themselves as candidates for the wardenship of Oxford for 1923.

Reeve Hollier has already been returned by acclamation for Tillsonburg, while it is expected that with the advent of an additional member from East Nissouri, Mr. Smith will be allowed to return by acclamation. Messrs. Cunningham of Blenheim, Bean of West Zorra and Isaac Holland of Dereham, would be candidates for the wardenship, but they have all decided to stand aside and leave the fight between Messrs. Hollier and Smith.

ST. MARYS CITIZEN,

T. J. STILLMAN, DIE

Passing of Prominent Bus nessman Marks Third Recent Death in Family.

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Marys, Dec. 14.—Mr. T. J. Sti

Passing of Prominent Busi-

St. Marys, Dec. 14.—Mr. T. J. Still-ian, promisent St. Mary's business-Woodstock, Dec. 15.—The co-operative plan of disposing of cheese is being thoroughly discussed in Oxford county at present. Nightly meetings are being held in the different cheese factory districts throughout the county, at which representatives of the Ontario department of agriculture are speakers. There are 28 cheese factories in Oxford county and representatives of the co-operative company expect to get them all definitely interested in the venture within a very few weeks.

Although the personnel of the Oxford county and county council for 1923 is not yet known, still two members of the county of 1922, Reeve Hollier of Till-

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BABIES' WHITE WOOL JACKETS, knitted, well made, just the thing for baby on Christmas Day 75c, \$2.25 BABIES' PULLOVERS, knitted in white wool,

some with feet and some knee length, \$1.00, \$2.25

Huck Towels-

Colored Hemstitched Huck Towels, in a host of dainty floral designs; colors of rose, maize, yellow, mauve and blue; the very latest in novelty gift towels for Christmas. Priced at

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A Toweling Special—

A few pieces of brown Linen Toweling, of Irish

Face Cloths—

To clear, one lot of Face Cloths, made of good borders. At 5 for 25c

Fancy Shirting—

We have just received a very complete range of Fancy Stripe Shirtings; 32 inches wide: 20 different patterns. The best shirting

HALF PRICE!

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LADIES', MISSES AND CHIL-

This is the greatest showing, the largest range of colors and sizes, both in brush wool and Jaeger knit, we have ever offered at such very low

For every member of the family. PRICED

40c' 50c' 75c' 98c' \$1.25 \$1.50 \$2.25 up \$3.95

Comfortables-

Heavy Cotton Eiderdown Bed Covers, in beautiful Indian design many suitable for bath robes, auto rugs, etc.; a very useful Christmas gift.

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Cold Weather Underskirts-

Ladies' and Misses 'All Pure Wool Underskirts; in brown only. At A full range of Good, Warm, Fleece-lined

French Grained Ivory for Christmas—

Special sale of Brushes, Mirrors, Trays, Clocks, Jewel Cases, Manicure Sets, marked at special prices for this Christmas sale.

Christmas Hosiery—The Gift That Pleases Every Girl or Woman-

LADIES' GLOVE SILK HOSE, with point heel, extra wide cuffs, top guaranteed not to

\$3.50 and \$3.75 HAND-EMBROIDERED PURE

SILK HOSE. Per pair CHILDREN'S SILK SOCKS, in almost every shade, all sizes.

Per pair LADIES' ALL-WOOL CASH-MERE HOSE, in wide and narrow

rib; all the latest shades-\$1.35,\$1.49 MEN'S CASHMERE SOCKS.

MEN'S SOCKS, silk and wool and pure silk. \$1.00 and \$1.50

Ladies' Gloves—

KAYSER SILK GLOVES, in mastic and navy, double tipped, with frilled gauntlet cuff. \$2.75
The Christmas gift, pair..... strap wrist. Pair \$4.50

BEAVER SUEDE GLOVE, with embroidered points, strap gauntlet

BRUSHED WOOL GAUNTLET GLOVES \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00

Little Girls' Handbags—

In silk and leather, with strap and pretty braided handles, fitted with dainty mirror.

35c, 50c, 85c, \$1.00 Handkerchiefs-The Special Christmas Gift—

Ladies' and Children's Handkerchiefs, & larger and better assortment than ever in plain lawn, linen cambric, lace-embroidered and handdrawn; neatly packed in fancy boxes.

25c, 35c, 50c \$\frac{13}{10}\$ \$2.50

Sleeping Dolls

get the little ones want a real doll, one with curly



dolls that have been shown in years. 35c, 50c, \$1.00 to

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U.F.O. REFUSES "BROADENING OUT" **BUT DRURY STICKS TO HIS GUNS**

United Farmers' movement, and the fact that it had placed its representa-

tives in power in four provinces and

in the federal house.

nade them the second largest group

"Now, what in the name of con-science do these men want to enter nto any compromise for?" he asked.

"Oh, but we are told there are nany in other walks of life who hold

the same ideals and who would like

porting principles if they believe in

That farmers, he continued, were

not seeking class legislation, but even if they were what would be wrong in

been legislation in the interest of

of the population.

He contended that no political

movement such as the United Farm-

alliance with the British Liberals.
A. R. Ascough, U.F.O. director for

Kenora, declared that the U.F.O. political movement was democratic.

Morrison, or any one else that has been boosted into prominence by the

The convention adopted without

discussion Harold Currie's resolution demanding the repeal of last year's

enactment by the provincial govern-ment, capitalizing motor license fees,

Bath Robe

Bargains

edges and pockets.

and colors.

\$5.95 BATHROBES WORTH \$7.50.

Heavy well-made Robes, with

heavy girdle; attractive patterns

\$9.48 GOWNS, ROBES WORTH \$12.00.

Extra heavy cloths, made with shawl collars, silk cord-bound

\$12.48 GOWNS, ROBES WORTH \$16.50.

High-class Terry Cloths; exclu-

sive patterns and colors; shawl

collar models; silk-bound edges.

should not be here today."

he maintained there had

to join with us. Now, in the name of commonsense, who is going to pre-

What better can they hope for?
Not Seek Class Legislation.

Overwhelming Vote for Morrison in Afternoon Convention Is Followed by Drury's Reiteration of Policy at Night-Drury Critic Is Vice-President.

AMOS IS PRESIDENT BY ACCLAMATION

Special to The Advertiser.

Toronto, Dec. 15.—The first gallery of others. Alberta stands strongly on class consciousness, he said, and so long as H. W. Woods remained at the head of the United Farmers contest between Premier Drury and of Alberta this attitude would be Secretary Morrison, each of whom hoped his suggestion to the U. F. O. He referred to the growth of the convention would be transformed into an auto-suggestion as to how the next provincial election can be won, without sacrificing the predom-inance of the former government.

There was no contest, but a temperamental calm. The premier spoke for 70 minutes. Mr. Morrison once flitted onto the platform, but he propounded no views. Neither did he lead the cheers that greeted Mr.

The heralded showdown was un necessary, for in the afternoon the convention passed a resolution which was reckoned to have disposed of controversial broadening out. The The ideals? What is to prevent a doctor style or lawyer or anyone else from sup-U. F. O. anathematizes old-style politics and all its works, but it has its inevitable share of secret diplomacy, and can pass as many big resolutions with as little discussion as any old-style party organization

The convention decided that in political activity there must be constituency autonomy; that there shall be no distinctive party with a critical headquarters, and that the U. F. O. policies be the basis of all popular appeal—that, in short, nothing new must be attempted. The effect of this, of course, is that the Drury effort to secure a provincial progressive convention of unbounded by the conven rural representatives, in prospect of next year's election, has been squelched. The U. F. O. will allow you to support candidates, but not to help build a platform. "Stand here!" is to be the slogan.

Election is Certain.

"But the election is sure as taxes, and Premier Drury can't expound the virtue of his administration without tural support, in face of the apparent victory be called a new challenge. He spoke as he has frequently spoken to U. F. O. picnics, vindicatory of the government's record in education, with trebled grants to rural schools. In establishing rural credits; in promoting the abolition of the British embargo on Canada cattle; in road building, which has brought more help to counties than counties has given the province; in refraining from guaranteeing hydro radials that would compete against existing publicly-owned railways; in reorganizing forest administration, and in retaining for Ontario finance an unexcelled standing in the international money market.

Peril Is Concealed. On these things the premier discoursed with his wonted clarity and ease. A stranger would never suspect that anything perilous was be-hind his allusion to the future. His exposition was warmly received by a goodly section of the delegates, but

not exactly with resounding acclaim. The U. F. O. organization, he said, must be kept as distinct and as class conscious as any trade union for the the political problem is bigger than an organization that can only em-barrass 41 per cent of the population The government, he thinks, deserves a continuance of office.

"We must seek support of those like minded with us, in other words, ourselves form a nucleus where those who believe as we do may find a standard to rally around, and pin their faith to a policy of obtaining conditions wherein the rural population will maintain and increase self. We shall then go out and appeal to people like minded with ourselves. I don't care who or where they are."

Canadian Press.

Toronto, Dec. 15. — The United Farmers of Ontario favor the maintenance of their present system of organization for political purposes and the maintenance of the policy of "constituency autonomy," and they are opposed to "the transformation of the farmers' movement into a new political party."

On these questions the organization

through its delegates attending the annual convention in session at Mas-sey Hall here this afternoon made its official pronouncement, and the pronouncement was overwhelmingly in favor of the resolution of which the foregoing is the substance. A stand-ing vote found at least 90 per cent of the delegates on their feet in sup-

of the delegates on their feet in support of the resolution.

There had been some feeling that a decision would be reserved until the evening session after the delegates had listened to the addresses of Premier Drury, who supports the "broadening out" plan, and Secretary J. J. Morrison of the U. F. O., who has been its chief opponent.

Some of those present voiced the opinion that this course should be followed, but the meeting voted almost unanimously in support of the

most unanimously in support of the attitude taken by President Amos, Secretary Morrison and a number of other speakers, that the question was one which the delegates alone should decide uninfluenced by the speeches of the propagandists of either plan. Mr. Morrison stated simply: "It is for you to find the solution.

Resolution Is Adopted. "Mr. Drury cannot find it; I cannot find it, and you must find it before you go home. If you don't your institution is going to die a slow death. It would be better to kill it quickly toxight"

This was followed by the adoption of the resolution moved by F. H. Sangster of Stouffville, it read as follows:

"Whereas, the annual convention of the U. F. O., with its affiliated bodies, controls the policy of the association,

and,
"Whereas, the question of policy in relation to the political activities of the organization has been a subject of considerable discussion and anx-

of considerable discussion and anxiety within the association, and,
"Whereas, it therefore seems desirable that this convention should declare itself on the question of organization for political action,
"Now, therefore, be it resolved: (1)
That no change be made in the form of organization for political purposes; (2) that this convention reaffirm its adherence to the policy of constituency autonomy; (3) that this convention is opposed to the transfermation of the farmers' movement into a new political party."

In introducing the resolution, Dr. Sangster declared that class consciousness was the strength of the

sciousness was the strength of the U. F. O. organization. To him class sciousness meant a development self-respect, not an attempt to

CHILDREN TO SHOW | SELECT FIVE BOYS DOGS AT EXHIBITION

pany Tonight—150 Entries Expected.

With dogs bred by children as a special feature in each breed, the first of the winter's exhibitions by the London Canine Association opens this evening at 8 o'clock in the show-rooms of the Durant Car and Motor Sales Company, King street.
At least 150 are expected to be on exhibit, representing St. Thomas, Kitchener and Chatham, as well as

A second special feature will be the classes for pupples under six months. classes for pupples under six months.
All judging is expected to be completed by 9:30 or 10 tonight.
Judges are: Foxterriers, Fred Simmons; all Toys and Bostons, Wes.
Lane; collies, W. Erskine; Bulldogs,
Mr. Smith; other Terriers, W. H.
Short

Under the convenership of Fred Simmons, the following members comprise the show committee: W. Erskine, Vincent Perry, Jack Lunan, Art Ings and Dr. Hoskins. W. H. Short is the president of the

TRAVEL STORMY ROADS TO ATTEND HERRIN TRIAL

Marion, Ill., Dec. 15.—Over storm-swept roads, axle-deep with mud in places, men, women and children journeyed today in automobiles of every description, horse-drawn vehicles of ancient vintage, and even cilicilistic cles of ancient vintage, and civilians on County of the williams on County Seven Trail Rangers groups held the courthouse, to attend the trial of the five men charged with murder in the connection with the Herrin riot.

Seven Trail Rangers groups held their weekly meeting in the Y. M. The devotional address was C. A. The devotional address was connection with the Herrin riot. Burnaby, at this afternoon's session More than 500 persons crowded of the convention. Mr. Amos was into the courtroom, and several hundred more were refused admission. because every available inch of standing room was taken. Among Mr. Isaac is donating a shield and the spectators were scores of wo-

The contest was regarded as one principally between Mr. McDonald, leader of the "broadening-out" forces in the fight last September for control of the Farmers' Sun, while Mr. Cur-

rear. Further, men's occupations are frequently fraught with danger, and it is well known that women on the

the west the men, of course, are in the majority.

Advice to maidens, go west.

London hasn't enough eligible males o go round. For those who are amplifious to languish in matimanial in the ma



PREMIER DRURY.

whose "broadening-out" proposal was turned down by the U. F. O. conven-

grounds, the banning of obscene lit the formation by the executive of a committee to develop provincial U. F. O. athletic associa tion, steps by the Ontario government to stamp out the drug traffic, and better medical inspection facilities in connection with rural schools.

Vice-President W. A. Amos of
Palmerston was promoted to the other classes for the last 40 years and the farmers constituted over half Palmerston was promoted to the presidency, succeeding R. W. E.

chosen by acclamation, eight others Great interest surrounded the expected contest for the vice-presidency.

of the British Labor Party in the recent election after it had refused an alliance with the British Liberals.

A large number was nominated but all but four, S. J. McDonald of Stormont; Harold Currie of Strathroy, Middlesex County, director; Bruce McNiven, Victoria County, and J. J. Wilson, Carleton County, withdre Among them was Miss Agnes Mac-The leaders of the old political parties, he claimed, dictated the policies. "I am not in favor of Mr. Drury or Mr. The contribution of the policies."

displaying the need to prepare for it. U. F. O., telling us what we should this speech has nothing new, unless a concluding reaffirmation of the necessity for securing non-agriculation of the U. F. O., then you opinion opini rie is a pronounced opponent and critic of Premier Drury. Currie as Vice-President.

Mr. Currie was elected on the first President Amos pointed out an unusual coincidence in that both presment, capitalizing motor license fees, ident and vice-presidents of the U.F. and authorizing the borrowing of O. and U.F. W. O. were of the same hundred or so. \$25,000,000 for road building.

Another part of the resolution called for the restriction of the exident of the U. F. W. O. name. Mrs. J. S. Amos is president,

penditure in any one year on roads to the revenue from motor license The convention referred to a special committee a resolution, urging that fees in that year.

In support of the resolution, Mr. Latin be made a compulsory subject for public school teachers' certificate, Currie took the stand that the pres- in view of the fact that this subject ent rate of expenditure placed a too heavy burden on the taxpayers of the University, O. A. C. (full course) and municipalities, which had to contribute 20 per cent.

Amos Chosen President. veterinary college, which many rural children desired to attend.

This special committee was named Other resolutions asked for the re-peal of the law allowing municipali-courses which were felt to be not to consider the public and high school ties to adopt daylight saving, proper best adapted to the needs of rural supervision of rural school play-children.

Opens at Durant Motor Com- London Tuxis Groups and Council Hold Election at Y. M. C. A.

ACQUIT ANOTHER MINER

CHARGED WITH MURDER

(Canadian Press Cable.)

Johannesburg, South Africa, Dec

15.--Another of the ten men on trial

tion with the attack on Brakpan

mine last spring during the revolt

The Boys' Council for the Tuxis and Trail Ranger groups in the city here on charges of murder in connecmet in the Y. M. C. A., with Mayor Claude Gunther in the chair. The thine last spring during the revolt topic of real importance was the counting of the ballots for the five boys who were running for the chair. The mine last spring during the revolt returning to the United States alture of the cargo's owner in New most immediately for a short visit. York either to get water and food to the ballots for the five evidence against him.

Two of the ten were acquitted on about his wife's health. Provincial Boys' Parliament, to be held in Toronto during Christmas

week.
The five boys are: Claude Gunther, Knox Church Ahmeeks; Phil Eurton, St. James' Church Pirates; Harvey Wilson and Roy Allen, from the Colborne Street Comex, and Harvey Austin, Amitys (Weeners), Talbot Street Baptist.

The voting ran as follows: Claude Gunther, 104; Phil Burton, 83; Har-

vey Wilson, 62; Roy Allin and Harvey Austin, 33 each. Along with the two successful candidates will go Milt Walker, the choice of the London Boys' Work Board. Milt has had more experi-ence in C. S. E. T. work and more training in it than any other boy in London, and it is expected that he will be elected as either leader of the government, or leader of the op-

position.

These boys are to be entertained by the Toronto Municipal Council, by the Rotary Club and by the lieutenant-governor. They will hold their session in the parliament building. given by Mr. Stanley Howard, his subject being, "Counting the Cost," based on the life of David. Mr. J. Isaacs was a welcome guest.

silver cup for competition among the Trail Rangers in swimming. One leaders have stressed their desire to their arms or tugging at their skirts.

Trail Rangers in swimming. One their arms or tugging at their skirts.

London Has More Girls Than Men; Question Is What To Do With Them

ample vindication by population re-great. All European countries have ports issued for London. ports issued for London.

For the first time in history, approximate figures show that the ladies are more numerous than the lates are more numerous than the lates are more numerous than the lates are latest than the latest men in this city. The preponderance claim that there are 102 males born

Of approximately 30,500 men, London has 30,700 women to match. In the well allower than men. the west the men, of course, are in the majority.

bitious to languish in matrimonial sessor. They are therefore listed as shackles this is a terrible predicament. There are several causes, and The Greek population has doubled

men in the late war. Again, hundreds of soldiers returned with English and French brides; and still again Scotch, French and Italian, third, the urge to go west has depopulated fourth and fifth, respectively.

male population.

one contributes to the situation as much as another.

First, the city lost many fine young Nippon, now there are two. English

The groups dispersed to their own rooms, where they took up their own Wednesday on the same grounds. In the cases of 400 men awaiting trial on charges of high treason and MILLION DOLLARS IN RUM IS DUMPED IN OCEAN sedition, the attorney-general has offered to remit the most of them to the magistrate's court for hearing, instead of having the men tried by the special court, as in the more serious cases. In this event, sedition would be the only charge laid against educational program, coming again together at 8 o'clock for their gym

HARVEY RETURNS TO U. S.

New York, Dec. 15.-Part of a liquor cargo, valued at \$1,700,000 at bootleg prices, has been aumped into the ocean off Freeport, Long would be the only charge laid against Island, according to a report received It is expected that this offer will be accepted, and the work of the special court thus shortened.

Thursday by Frank J. Hale and James B. Kerrigan, chief intelligence officers for the prohibition enforce-

ment department.
The whiskey brought here from the Bahamas, was thrown overboard London, Dec. 15.—United States Tuesday when members of the rum Ambassador Col. George Harvey is runners' crew were angered at fail-



Christmas Suggestions

To make your shopping easy we have grouped a few of the numerous dainty gift suggestions under different headings. We have many more on display, all of them equally

FOR N	MOTHER
WOOL SWEATER	\$3.95 to \$6.95
PURE LINEN &	4.98 to \$12.50
TABLE CLOTH,	4.30 to \$12.30
HOSE	69c to \$1.50
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BEDSPREADS	69c to \$1.50 \$2.98 to \$15
Carbitiana	\$1.50 to \$5.00
HOUSE	\$1.50 to \$5.00 \$1.98 to \$2.98 \$3.75 to \$12 \$1.50 to \$4.50
LINEN NAPKINS	#1.00 to #4.00
dozen	\$3.15 to \$12
WOOL	\$1 50 \$4 50
DRESS MATERIAL	4, 5 yards 61000
Duchess Satin for .	\$1.50 to \$4.50 to \$4.50 to \$4.50 to \$10.00 to \$3.00 to \$3.50 \$3.50 \$2.48 to \$5.00 \$1.50 to \$4.00
PAIR OF TOWELS	75c . \$3.00
LINEN CENTRE-	75. 62 50
PIECE	10C to \$3.00
BAG	\$2.48 _{to} \$5.00
PAIR OF	¢1 50 ¢5 00
GLOVES	\$1.00 to \$0.00
VEST	\$1.98 to \$4.00
SILK	\$1.69 to \$4.50
WINTER	41.00 to 47.00
COAT	\$24.50 up
UNDERSKIRT	\$24.50 up \$1.49 to \$4.95 (ES, silk and \$3.95)
DRESSING SACOL	IES, silk and to AF
eiderdown	33.95

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	FOR	SWE	ETH	IEA	RT
	SILK HOSE and colors	, black	\$1.00	10 S	3.5
	PULL- OVERS	\$1	98.	\$1	0.00
	HAND- BAGS		2 98	\$	5.0
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	(Boxed)	•	000		2.0

\$2.98 to \$12.00 LONG SILK GLOVES, \$2 to \$2.50 BOUDOIR CAP (nicely boxed) \$1, \$1.65, \$2 BOUDOIR CAP UMBRELLA, WITH PURE SILK CHIEFS, three in a box \$1.50 SILK HOSE, WITH CLOCKS, PAIR, \$1.59, \$2.25, \$2.75

FOR SISTER \$1.25 to \$2.50 GAUNTLETS \$15.50 ... BUODOIR BUODOIR **50c, 65c, 75c** GEORGETTE HANDKER-10c to \$2.00 COLLARS 50c to \$2.00 FUR-COLLAR COATS \$19.50 up MATERIAL FOR SKIRT, IN PLAID DESIGN SATINETTE BLOOMERS \$1.49 up FUR NECK-PIECE SILK CREPE **\$1.98** to **\$2.98** GIRLS' ALL-WOOL SERGE BLOOMERS HAIR NETS, 1/2 DOZEN IN FOLDER WOOL HOSE, 69c, 98c \$1.50 MATERIAL FOR BLOUSE, 1½ \$3.00 YARDS CREPE DE CHINE ...

FOR BABY WOOLEN WOOLEN BOOTEES 29cto 75c WOOLEN LEGGINGS \$1.39 to \$2.75 OVERS 98c to \$2.75 WOOLEN WOOLEN COATS \$1.39 to \$4.00 MITTS 29c to 75c CARRIAGE WOOL CASHMERE HOSE, SILK HOSE, white, sky, pink, \$1.50and \$1.75 BABIES' 25cto 75c, \$1.00

50cand 75c R. J. YOUNG & CO.

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Just the coats you've been looking for. Wonderfully tailored from those fine pure wool British fabrics—soft cosy cloths that spell solid comfort at a glance.

Most attractive models in raglan and set-in sleeve styles, with three-piece belts; silk and polo quarter linings; richly colored plaid and rug backs. Many with leather buttons. New lovat shades, greens, browns, grays and tans; the season's most wanted colors. Regular prices \$39, \$42 and \$45.

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Splendid styled Coats that you'll like at a glance. Raglan and set-in styles, allaround belt models in attractive colors and shades, in lovats, grays, browns, etc. Genuine values to \$35.

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Solid Wool Tweeds in smart browns, grays and greens. Many with fancy rug back and satin yoke linings. Belters, Ulsters and Ulsterettes, all well-tailored and trimmed. Genuine values up to \$29.

Boys' Fine Pure Wool Belted Overcoats at - -

Worth a lot more money. These splendid Coats for boys from 9 to 16 years. Fine wool cloths, smartly made up in all-around belt style; nice dark browns and bronze shades; some with attractive overchecks.

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Boys' Pure Wool Men's Pure Wool Young Men's Pure Boys' Shawl Collar Sweaters and Pull- Sweater Coats, Wool V-Neck Sweat- V-Neck Pullovers, overs, \$3.75, \$4.25, \$4.50 \$5.98, \$6.75, \$8.50 ers, \$5.00. \$1.98, \$2.25

LONDON—R. J. YOUNG & CO.—LONDON EAST

Berlin, Dec. 15-A famous document

iblished for the first time in "Bilder

us der letzten Kaiserzeit," the new

clume of memoirs from the pen of

otto Hammann, for many years head of the press department of the German foreign office. It is a telegraphic report to the Chancellor Bulow by the kaiser on the conversation on the naval question which the latter had just had with

Sir Charles Hardings on the occasion of King Edward's visit to Kronberg

ALD. MYERS ENTERS MAYORALTY RACE

Three-Cornered Municipal Fight Will Be Waged in Classic City.

SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS

Treasurer of Stratford Bible Organization Reports Flourishing Condition.

Special to The Advertiser.

Stratford, Dec. 15 .- "After giving the matter serious consideration, and feeling that my experience in the city council qualifies me, if elected for the duties of mayor. I have decided to enter the mayoralty race at the municipal elections in January.' Ald. C. R. Myers stated today. Ald Myers' announcement makes the three-cornerned fight which was predicted some time ago a reality. Ald. G. W. Waugh and Ald. Tom Brown having previously announced their candidature.

W. J. Blakestone is the new presi dent of the Stratford Bible Society Other officers elected at the annual meeting are: Secretary-treasurer, W. R. Bradshaw; vice-presidents, city clergy; supervisors, Avon Ward. John Myers; Falstaff, Dr. J. W. Emery; Romeo, Colin'Campbell; Shakespeare, W. J. Blakestone; Hamlet, Charles Moore; business section, F. H. Thompson, K.C., and rural disrict, Dr. Martin.

The treasurer reported contributions of \$705.96. A swine judging team from Perth County will leave Monday morning for Toronto to participate in the judging competition held in connection with the educational course in

The competition will be held Tues-day. The following boys from Perth County will participate: Leslie Gourlay, St. Marys; Earl Tyler, St. Pauls; Ed Stacey, St. Marys; Nelson Cowan, Atwood; Thomas Ballantyne, Stratford; Bert Stacey, St. Marys; John Binning, Listowel; Melville Alexan-der, Listowel, and John Stevenson,

A team of horses and a scraper from the board of works department went through the ice on the river this afternoon while clearing the ice this afternoon while clearing the toff of the skaters. Fortunately they were close to shore at the time. The water is about four or five feet deep water is about four or five feet deep ton, is a son of the late Dr. Ruttan

at that spot.

The horses were rescued, but the scraper is still in the water.



NEW CITIZENS OF THE DOMINION. The above picture shows immigrants at the Canadian Red Cross nursery at Quebec, where newcomes the steamers are looked after. Thousands of Europeans are coming to Canada to make their homes.

Lake Freighters Battle With Ice In Efforts To Bring Down Wheat

ounded by a frozen net the Soo is witnessing what will be the fiercest struggle to bring down the wheat from the granaries of the west to the seaboard, in the history of lake naviation. Above and below the Soo lies an immense ice field of varying thickness. In Mud Lake several steamers have been stuck and the Cayuga still is tightly held.

majority plan to live in the western provinces

The Shaugnessy, which arrived last being reported a foot thick.

NEW LENNOX SHERIFF MEMBER OF U. F. O.

Kingston, Dec. 15. - Charles W. Vandervoort, appointed sheriff for the Counties of Lennox and Addington, is a farmer and resides in the Township of Ernesttown, near Napanee. For some years he was a prominent Liberal, but on the formation of the United Farmers he joined that body.

The new sheriff will take over his converse and a sector law of the country and a sector law of the country

Bay, which was driven on the rocks off Morgan's Point early yesterday the superannuation list.
G. F. Ruttan, K.C., who has re

Sault Ste. Marie, Dec. 15 .- Sur- | evening and locked through about evening and locked through about midnight, went on down the river, it being a clear night. She was able, however, only to get a few miles below Moon Island by daybreak.

Several other steamers passing through the locks during the night, started down the river at 7 o'clock this morning escorted by tugs. Above the Soo the situation is equally as heavy. Ice extends to above Point Aux Pins, at some points

> he has practiced his profession in Napanee. For years he has taken an active interest in the Anglican Church, and is a member of the Ontario Synod. He had always been a prominent Conservative.

The new sheriff will take over his new duties immediately, and George B. Hawley, who has filled that posimorning in a storm, the prediction was made by local officers of the

direction of the wind does not change materially.

MAKE SLIGHT REDUCTION IN TRANS-ATLANTIC RATES

Atlantic shipping conference has, by the process of regarding certain ment has as vet been made, concerning the all-round cut that was hinted

Cunard Line, the reductions referred to above, range from \$2.50 to \$13.50.

OVERTIME WIN GIVES METS BIGGER LEAD

Seattle, Dec. 15 .- The Seattle Mets increased their lead in the Pacific Coast Canada Sheamships Company, ownon, is a son of the late Dr. Ruttan of Napanee.

Since he was admitted to the bar since he was admitte

the courage of his convictions, that finished the matter. CUT IN GERMAN

British Statesmen's Pre-War

Efforts Bared in Former The great Economy Foe's Memoirs.

in a few minutes.

OXO brings economy into the home, lightens the work of cooking and creates improved health and well-being.

Castle in August, 1908.

This was one of several serious attempts made by English statesmen during the decade immediately preduring the decade immediately pre-ceding the war to persuade Germany to modifs a naval policy which con-fronted Britain with the alternative of grave danger or ruinous expense. As iven in the appendix to Hammann's ook, the imperial telegram plunges eadlong into the burning topic. It

opens as follows:
"After dinner Sir Charles Hardinge spoke to me about our military arrangements, and after a short conversation on Fifteen members of the crew are spoke to me about our military arrangestill aboard and are in no danger.

If the ship is successfully refloated she will be taken to Port Colborne for repairs. She is loaded with sion' with which the building of our fleet. filled all circles in England. To my astonished question, 'Why, since it was legally restricted, and the law had been d eleven years ago?' he replied 'Because it was always concentrated at home.' I rejoined that we needed our Montreal. Dec. 15.—The North growth of our trade."

Only a few weeks later the prince wrote to Hammann asking if something could not be done "unostentatiously" to trans-Atlantic liners, effected a slight draw public attention to an article in reduction in saloon and cabin rates which Admiral Galster urged that, inbetween Canada, the United States stead of building so many battleships, and Great Britain, but no announce-ment has as yet been made, concern-ment has as yet been made, concernfensize type.
On Christmas Day, 1908, Bulow wrot

In this connection, shipping officials to Tirpitz a long letter (printed textually in Hammann's book), cautiously ingquiring whether both naval and political considerations did not intitle to the political considerations did not intitle to the political cona general cut in passenger rates is siderations did not justify the serious not expected. In the case of the gram." The chancellor pointed out the probability that, in the event of war, the German battle fleet "would be kept blockaded in our ports," would "do the enemy no damage," and consequently "would not bring about a favorable issue" of the conflict. Admiral Tirpitz answered the chancellor's pleas point for point, and clinched the argument by announcing that a retardation in the carrying out of the building program would bring with it his resigna-

Prince Bulow, like his successor, lacked

VANCOUVER RE-ELECTS MAYOR
Vancouver, Dec. 15.—Mayor Tisdall
was re-elected mayor of this city for
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children, is more common in boys than in girls. Incontinence or bed-wetting has been considered incurable when it persists beyond maturity. Incentinence of urine is more common in women than in men. Constant or very frequent urination, day or night, indicates some abnormal

Enuresis may be caused by paralysis, the secretion of a large amount of urine, as in diabetes, calculus (gravel) cystitis, irritation, worms, unduly sound sleep, dreams or gastric disturbances.

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Mrs. W., Milwaukee, Wis.: Age 44 years, had never had a full night's sleep, having to get up four to eight times a night. Visited Hot Springs, mud baths, sanitatiums and was operated on twice in two different hospitals without benefit. Six weeks of ENURESOL cured her completely, three years ago and has had no return of the troublesome nuisance.

F. J., Minnesota, 75 years old, is no less interesting. For over 25 years F. J. suffered with incontinence of urine, day and night. As he grew older the trouble increased, having to pass water every half hour or oftener. Had a stroke of paralysis which increased the trouble to such ottener. Had a stroke of paralysis which increased the trouble to such an extent that only a few drops of bloody urine could be voided with intense pain, causing surgeons to suspect cancer of the bladder. Being placed on ENURESOL at the dose of two tablets every two hours with a glass of cool water or milk, the tenesmus disappeared in twelve hours and had a good restful sleep the next night, and fully recovered perfect health in the next three months. Mr. F. J. is now 85 years old and at last report was still alive and well.

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DREAM OF SANTA. FORGET THEIR PAIN

Child Patients in Hospital Intrust Letters To Lady Santa Claus of L. O. D. E.

The sick little people down at the hospital are counting the hours until the coming of Santa Claus. They believe in the good old saint with all the strength of heart, soul and might. With Christmas so near, they can even forget pain, weariness, the still-made a charming nicture wearing made a charming nicture wearing.

with Christmas so near, they can even forget pain, wearlness, the stillness imposed by tortured backs and twisted little limbs.

And Christmas is to mean even more than just the distant ringing of lingling bells, the tap, tap of reinleers' feet, a "whish" as Santa slides down the chimney with his pack, and skates lightly over the polished floors. There's going to be a great big. littering, gift-laden Christmas treeliust as they did last year, the members of the Campbell Becher Chapter, I. O. D. E., are helping out Santa with the project. This time they are loing so at the request of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E.

Counting Noses.

Thursday, Mrs. F. J. Greenaway aid a visit to the sick children's department of Victoria Hospital, along with members of her committee. As hey passed through the children's ward bright eyes watched them aggerly, and the whisper went around hat Lady Santa Claus was counting noses in order to go back to the most wonderful toyshop in the universe independent of the church. The trio of attendants of welvet hats with chin straps, and is streamers falling to the hem of their streams shalling to the hem of their streams shaldes bouffant skirts, and tiny to basques, bo

wonderful toyshop in the universe and report to Mr. Santa Claus. Many letter was pressed into a motherly hand as the ambassadors of Santa

passed by.

One small boy wanted a list "as ong as from here to next Christmas," is one visitor expressed it. And because he has been a very sick boy "he s going to get everything on that ist, bless his little heart," so a paricular relative of Santa's said.
In order to held the I. O. D. E. to nake Christmas a wonderful time in he lives of the small nationts of the Sick Children's Hospital, the following individuals and orgnaizations

have already given donations: Harriet A. Boomer Chapter, I. O. D. E., \$1; Loch Lomond Chapter, \$2; Campbell Becher Chapter, \$10; Mrs. Ronald Harris, \$5; Nicholas Wilson Chapter, \$1; Trinity Chapter, O. E. S., \$9.50; Mrs. W. E. Manness, white sweater coat; Mrs. C. B. King, \$1; Mrs. Guymer, oranges and decorations; Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., \$15; 7th Regiment Chapter, \$3; Overseas Chapter, \$2; Daughters of Zion, 10; Abigail Becker Chapter I. O. D. E., \$5; Sir John Carling Chapter, \$2; Senator Coffey Chapter, \$2; Nightingale Club, \$3; Princess Pa-ricia Chapter, I. O. D. E., \$10.

GROVE BAZAAR BRINGS \$109.

The bazaar, held recently under the suspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of he Grove Methodist Church, was very successful. The schoolroom presented an attractive and busy icene, with booths gayly decorated. in the evening a delightful program was presented. The proceeds of the affair amounted to \$109.93.



So attractive and neat-looking is and finished with a large silk tassel to match the enamel. It hangs from a silk cord.

AFFECT MANNISH GOWN.
New York, Dec. 14.—Very mannish dressing gowns are displayed by a fifth avenue shop today. They have wide, straight sleeves, ending in a satin cuff, two little pockets, and a long shawl collar of satin. One of the small material with % yard and 36-inch material with % yard

Silver enamel, with bright colors, and finished with a large silk tassel to match the enamel. It hangs from a silk cord.

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ards 36-inch material with % yard New York, Dec. 14.—One of the novel bandeaux seen at the opera this week was of cerise velvet, merely a soft band, crushed around the head. On the upper edge were sewn close together, the tiniest ostrich tips, in shades of pink, deepening to crimson, and in shades of blue from sky to navy. contrasting. Price tamps or coin (coin preferred.)

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Lovely Christmas bouquets may be ddress orders to Pattern Departit, The Advertiser London, Ont.

made of evergreen sprays, pine cones of her daughter, Miss Helen Woolley, whose marriage takes place next basket of twigs, lined with moss, week. makes an appropriate holder for the bouquet.

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Winsome Young London Girl Married To Minnesota Doctor

She carried a shower bouquet

Children

The Child Who "Tells Stories."

it is a mistake to punish him for

ying. He has an imagination which

should be guided in the right direc-

tion. Say to him, "So you saw a

guish between fact and fancy, but

do not stunt the fancy. (Copyright, 1922, Associated Editors.)

Fashions by Wire

WEAR MUSLIN TO BALL.

THAT EXTRAVAGANT PUFF!

PUT CIGARETTES IN BARREL.

make-believe lion, did you?" Distin

A pretty winter wedding took place
Thursday afternoon at the First
Congregational Church, when Janet
Hildegarde, daughter of Rev. Frederick Arthur Steven and Mrs. Steven,
was married to Dr. Hans Olding
Foucar, son of Rev. Harry Ernest
Foucar of Rochester, Minn. The
chancel was decked with palms and
ferns and clusters of white 'mums.
Graceful bows of white tulle marked
the guest pews. Promptly at 4

Winston Harrison, Fred Horton of
Detroit, Richard Smith and Eric Steven of Detroit. Dr. McCorney of
Rochester, Minn., acted as best man.
Following the ceremony a reception
was held at the home of the bride's
parents in Princess avenue. The
house was decorated throughout with
palms and ferns and yellow 'mums.
Mrs. Steven received with Dr. and
Mrs. Foucar, wearing a gown of black
drape d'amour, with a black hat and drape d'amour, with a black hat and a corsage of orchids and violets. A a corsage of orchids and violets. A buffet supper was served, and the bride's table was adorned with roses. Girl Friends Assist.

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Four young girls assisted in serving, Miss Kitty Mundy, wearing goblin blue velvet and a black hat, Miss Madeline Roddick, in navy blue canton crepe, with hat to match, and Misses Florence and Mary McDonach, the latter in jade green trimagh, the latter in jade green trim-med with ermine fur. Miss Florence was gowned in silver gray velvet, trimmed with American Beauty

was gowned in silver gray vervet, trimmed with American Beauty shade. They wore corsage bouquets of American Beauty roses.

Dr. and Mrs. Foucar left on a honeymoon which will be spent in eastern cities. They will reside in Rochester, Minn., where Dr. Foucar is connected with the Mayo Clinic. The bride traveled in a smart suit of dark brown velour, with a large brown hat trimmed with ostrich tips, and a fox fur. The guests numbered over fifty, including many from out of town: Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tapscott of Toronto, Mr. Ernest Steven, a brother of the bride, of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Macklin of Kitchener, Miss Katharine Kemp of Stratford, and Mrs. Stratford, of Ophelia roses and lily of the val-ey. Rev. Matthew Kelly performed the ceremony, and the ushers were land, an aunt of the bride.

Mothers and Their

Princess avenue, will spend the week-end in Detroit, with Mr. and Mrs. E. Howitt, formerly of London.

The music is to be a very special feature of the dance which Forest City Chapter, O. E. S., is holding in the Masonic Temple Friday evening, Dec. 15, in aid of the building fund of the Order of the Eastern Star.

A merry evening was spent on Wednesday by the members of the Night-ingale Club, as guests of Miss Irene ingale Club, as guests of Miss Irene Challoner, in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. A. McArthur, Wortley road. Progressive euchre was followed by a "Christmas grab," each guest having brought a present, and receiving one in exchange. After the delicious supper exchange. After the delicious supper served by the hostess, announcement was made that the euchre prize would go to Miss Agnes Menzies, a holiday week bride-elect. She was presented, in consequence, with a beautiful shower bouquet of handkerchiefs of many hues, made up in the form of roses. When a child comes home and tells about seeing a "big lion and a bear" in the neighbor's backyard,

Sir Adam Beck is giving a dance for his daughter, Miss Marion, at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto, on Jan. 10.

Mrs. A. J. Hickey and son Delbert of Windsor, will be holiday visitors in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rider, 490 English street.

A happy event of Wednesday evening was the high tea given by the Mothers' Club of Lorne avenue school in honor of the principal and teachers. Mrs. W. the table, with covers for forty, was laid, under the convenership of Mrs. Clist. A color scheme of sunshiny yeilow in decoration was given expression in vases of golden chrysanthemums placed down the entire length of the council. An invitation was extended to the (Copyright.)
Paris, Dec. 14.—Rooster muffs are the very newest idea to fascinate the Parisienne, and it must be admitted that a rather larger, straggly muff of these burnished coq feathers—long and shining—is remarkably attracplaced down the entire length of the table. Music was provided as a delightful accompaniment to the hum of conversation and laughter by the music hor nurshes and music fields a social evening with cards, at her home, 7 Guelph street, on Thursday evening. Usually there is a coq hat to match box purchased with funds raised through a paper collection held by the pupils of the school. A short address CHERRY AND VIOLET HOBNOB. Paris, Dec. 14.—Cherry and violet are two shades coming into increasing prominence today. They are often used together, a violet gown having cherry embroidery or a cherry hat being trimmed with violet ribbons. Some of the latest lingerie has a layer of cherry beneath violet georage in a didition to the unfailing support and co-operation of the mothers' club.

Regretful reference was made to the

Regretful reference was made to the absence of Miss McCallum, of the staff, through illness, the hostesses at the close sending to her the flowers which had decorated the table. The guests were: Principal Opper and Mrs. Opper, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Shaw. Mrs. Combac. London, Dec. 14.—Perversely enough, muslin is used for some of the swankiest winter evening gowns at present. It is a very soft quality of muslin, almost like mousseline de soie, and it is extensively draped with silk sash and panels. Tur-Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Shaw, Mrs. Coombes and Misses Blair, Hoffman, Kerr, M. Nicol, E. Spence, Grieve, Carson, Lanmuslin is a favorite material easter, Angus, E. Johnston.

London, Dec. 14.—Ball rooms will have to be enlarged if the taffeta have to be enlarged if the taffeta of Mrs. J. B. Wright, has returned to her home in Chatham. Miss Aileen Turner, who has spent

crease their size. At present these puffs have grown from cabbage size to small couch cushion proportions. They are beginning to be seen on afternoon frocks also. Mrs. C. E. Ellis has arrived in Van-couver, where she will spend the winter.

Miss Lorna MacGillivray is enter-

taining a theatre party at the Ma-jestic Saturday evening for the clos-ing performance of "Thirty Days." New York, Dec. 14.—The woman who keeps up with the styles today is carrying her cigarettes around in a barrel. The barrel is of gold or silver enamel, with bright colors, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wadsworth, 814 Hamilton road, leave for Los

In compliment of Miss Helen Woolley, a bride-elect of next week, Mrs. Basil Woolley gave a kitchen shower at her home on Stanley street, Wed-nesday evening. The gifts were arranged on a wagon, which was drawn by Miss Woolley's little nephews, Tom and Jack Woolley. Miss Winona Bryden also entertained recently in oner of Miss Woolley.

Mrs. Thomas Woolley is giving a trousseau tea at her home on Rich-mond street north, Saturday, in honor

Mrs. J. C. Duffield and Miss Louise duffield are spending a few days in

Mrs. J. P. Walsh, St. Andrew's Gardens, Toronto, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. St. Clair McEvenue,

Colonel F. King of Toronto, will spend Christmas with his son, Gen. W. B. G. King and Hon. Mrs. Shuttleworth King, at Wolseley Barracks,

ADDRESSES BRICK ST. W. M. S. ADDRESSES BRICK ST. W. M. S. Mrs. W. L. Armitage gave an interesting address on the "Work of Young People" at the monthly meeting of the W. M. S. of Brick Street Church, held recently at the home of Mrs. A. Dawson, Pipe Line road. Solos by Mrs. Burrows of London, were greatly enjoyed. Afternoon tea was served, and the meeting, which was presided over by Mrs. J. Bouk, was closed by Rev. W. Leslie Armitage.

3T. THOMAS ARTISTS PLEASE MUSIC CLUB

Singer and Pianist Composer Appear At First Afternoon Recital of Season.

Two talented members of the St. Thomas Woman's Music Club, Mrs. Frances Lawson Reade, contralto and Miss Bessie Kerr, pianist-com poser, were very special attractions at the first afternoon recital of the season in the Normal school audi-torium. In addition, Mrs. Charles A. Wilson, 'cellist, a récent acquisition to local musical circles, made her first appearance, and Miss Ulah B. Kennedy, soprano, delighted with a ranged the program, acting as ac-

ompanist.

Admirably suited to the clear, bleasing and flexible voice of Miss Kennedy was her selection, the florid "Variations," by Proch.

Though suffering from a severe cold, Mrs. Lawson Reade would not disappoint the number who had looked forward with pleasure to hear-

ing her. She sang a part of her group which made the least severe demands which made the least severe demands upon her, "Star" (Rogers) and "Down Here" (Bralie), revealing a voice of velvety, rich and appealing quality, the meagre taste afforded of her artistry creating a keen appetite for more on the part of those who lis-tened. She played her own accom-naniments. A good command of technique and

musical, sustained tone are the valuable assets of Mrs. Charles A. Wilson, whose 'cello solo, "Voice of Love" (Schumann), was given a pléasing interpretation. A "'Cellologue," by Galloway, "O Heart of Mine," added a touch of noveity.

Both clever and original were the compositions of her our which Mise. compositions of her own which Miss Bessie Kerr played, in the new mode but much more coherent and musica but much more coherent and musical than a great deal that is heard from quite well-known writers on programs of the day. These included the transcription of a Wood "Regret," haunting and poignant; an Etude in E major, a study in sevenths, and a "Legende" of character and distinction. Miss Kerr plays, moreover, with technical finish and good style. good style.

Limiting the program to an hour or a few minutes more, as is the purpose for fortnightly recitals this sea-son, was very much appreciated by the members of the audience with other engagements or home duties before them. The shorter program, of sustained quality, is the standard set by the program committ

SAYS TO CANDIDATES "GLAD YOU ARE ELECTED"

Women's Labor Party Appreciates Good Fight Made by Former Treasurer.

Mrs. Etta Palmby, last year's treasurer of the London Women's Labor Party, and a candidate of the organization for the board of educa-tion in the recent municipal elections was warmly congratulated by the members at the meeting held Wednesday evening in the Labor Temple on the excellent run she had made,

even if she failed to be elected. Ten days after the civic elections still furnished a text for lively dis Rider, president, graciously greeted the guests in the kindergarten room, where

> Dec. 21. At the close of the program a chat was enjoyed over delicious

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IMMIGRANTS AS NATION BUILDERS. paper on "Immigrants as Nation

Builders," presented by Norman Mc-Leod, was an awakening feature of a treat for everyone of apples and sing. ome-made candy.

half-hour, providing for it a guessing contest. Miss Viola Sanders and Mrs. Philip McDonald captured the

TELLING CHRISTMAS STORIES. Members of both the men's and girls' Canadian Clubs are sharing in giris Canadian Clubs are snaring in the treat of hearing Dickens' Christ-mas stories inimitably told on Fri-day evening by Mr. F. W. Hayden of Toronto, thanks to the invitation exthe meeting held this week of Knox Church, Embro, Y. P. S. Others taking part in the program were Miss Olive Innes, Miss Verna Law, Misses Helen Lane, Margaret Sanders. An Club, under whose auspices he appears. The event takes place in the Central Collegiate auditorium at 8 contest was given by

I. O. D. E. REMEMBERS. IS WOMAN TRUSTEE NEEDED?

"Woman as a school trustee, do we need her?" was the theme of an interesting address given by Mrs. Walter Ross at the December meeting of Embro Women's Institute, held in Knok Church. Short addresses were also given by Miss Helen Rose, Rev. W. P. Lane and Mr. Hall. Reeve (Dr.) H. B. Atkinson spoke on the possibility of establishing continuation schools in the community. The For Your Christmas Words of Love-

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TRIUMPHS OF M. JONOUELLE

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It was evening and a group of men were seated on the porch of the Executive Mansion listening to

CHAUVANNES, the explorer who

Then Jonquelle told how Chau-vannes had gone into the Congo with three worthless white men, had found three worthless white men, had found three and a number of its companions, the precious emeralds and had then ture and a number of its companions, tures about. The emeralds are in although the man Leture, who was the one closest to the camp, and they every reader to doubt his sanity—particularly when he wrote of the greature which entered his tent—that strange creature which he alone could see.

Go On With the Story.

although the man Leturc, who was him, seems never to have observed it.

"He was also able to discover, although the does not give all the details of that discovery in the journal that these creatures lived understands of the three men with him.

could see. Go On With the Story.

night, his eyes usually closed. He does not know how he happened to open them. It was precisely 17 journal that led Your Excellency, and minutes to 3, by the watch which he

He opened his eyes precisely at the moment when the creature entit.

"You know how the journal goe "You know how the journal goe the minute details that He opened his eyes precisely at tion of events seemed to establish

tures were hardly distinguishable. him.
The thing seemed to lack features. "Ti animals with which the human race and th of some hard, red substance, Chau-vannes said—frozen and polished the return of Dix and the Finn, the

moment visible to him: then it disthat it disappeared merely by turning about. He was unable to see it in the underground habitat of these

again, although the doorway where it entered was clear in the moonlight, and there was only the grass floor them in detail for their courage, their

Monsieur Jonquelle stopped her Executive Mansion listening to

in his narrative, like one who would

in his narrative, like one who would

wish a hearer to grasp the whole

conception of the story before he went

conception of the story on. But he did not seek a comment, is impending and certain. He begs

CHAUVANNES, the explorer who was killed in Africa, and who left the record that caused everyone to believe he was mad.

"But he was not mad," exclaimed Jonquelle, turning to the chief Executive.

Then Jonquelle told how Chauvannes, and which, finally, brought him to the conclusions at which he was not mad, and which, finally, brought him to the conclusions at which he was able.

nal, that these creatures lived under- him. CHAPTER III

Ground, and that one of their underground cities was very close to the the two men had departed and camp. He had, in fact, by some sinister hazard, put down his camp sleeping Leture, that Chauvannes almost at the doorway of the undersaw this creature. He says it was ground habitat of these extraordinary about 3 o'clock in the morning. He beings—if one could call a creature had been awake through the entire of this character a being in our sense night, his eyes usually closed. He "Now, these are among the dis-Chauvannes was mad. The culmina

out disturbing the flap and without on, giving the minute details that making any sound whatever.

"Chauvannes says that he saw it week that he was alone with Leturc distinctly. It paused for a moment while the American beachcomber after it had entered, remaining for some seconds quite motionless. He says that in proportion to the other parts of the creature's body, the head clusion that the seven great emeralds, was enormous. It was cubical in which he carried sewed up in the contour. The outline was perfectly lining of his waistcoat, were the clear, but what we would call fea- things that set these creatures on

"The emeralds are in the Louvre That was one of the distinguishing horrors of it—a head big in proportion to its body, cubical in outline larger and purer than any other and lacking features! The chest and known emerald. They are cut in a and lacking features: The crest and known emerald. They are cut in a manner of which we have no knowl- the creature by its own proportions. The limbs were long, narrow and covered with a hieroglyphic vriting the covered with a hieroglyphic vritin jointed. The whole creature was of that antedates any language that we a repulsive, reddish color, and with-know, and which, so far, has baffled was mad." out any of the usual covering of every effort to translate.

animals with which the human race "At any rate, although the French-

flesh, after the skin had been re-moved, was the idea he got. "Chauvannes wrote it down in demoved, was the idea he got.
"The creature remained only a tail in the journal.

isible to him; then it dis-It seemed to Chauvannes out any trace of doubt: the emeralds

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creatures! And the opening to this habitat was close beside the very place of the camp. CRANBERRY TARTS

"It was hardly any wonder that the men with him considered him mad, especially when one reads the closing pages of the journal. He takes, By BERTHA E SHAPLEIGH, of Columbia University. INE individual tins or patty pans with a good pie crust; fill with in writing, an elaborate and tende cranberry filling, and over the top place narrow pieces of crust lattice fashion. Bake in a fairly hot oven until the crust is cooked and slightly browned. Or do not put strips of crust on top, but wher the tarts are served, place a spoonful of sweetened, flavored and beaten cream on top of each tart. unfailing kindness to him and their devotion to the expedition. No man CRANBERRY FILLING. ions. He points out that his death

Boil together for five minutes 1 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons corn starch and ½ cup water. Add ¼ cup molasses, ¼ teaspoon salt, and 2 cup-cranberries. Cook 15 minutes; then stir in 1 tablespoon butter.

return. This was established by the fragmentary confession of the Apache Leture, shortly before he was executed."

Monsieur Jonquelle stopped.

As for Prickly Porky, after the first shock of surprise and fright when Old Man Coyote had so understand the way of the property of the proper

Monsieur Jonquelle stopped.

"I maintain, Excellency, that this whole journal is the finest example of code writing that was ever undertaken in the world." He paused. And his voice took on

was mad clear through, as the say-ing is. With all his little spear standing on end he shuffled along Paddy's dam to the end, all the time

He paused. And his voice took on a note of profound courtesy.

"You know, Excellency, what the creature was that Chauvannes described, and where the emeralds were hidden?"

Again the big voice boomed.

"Surely," it cried. "Our conception of a thing depends on the manner in which it is described and the mental state which has been prepared to receive that description. It was the ant! The red ant! And the emeralds were concealed in the antheap nearest to the point where the camp was located."

THE END.

standing on end he shuffled along growing and grunting. He didn't see anything funny in what had happened. No, sir, he didn't see a thing funny in it.

But Paddy, who had seen it all, did. To them it was the funniest thing they had seen in a long time. The idea was seen in a long time. The idea Man Coyote, clever, sly Old Man Coyote, should have mistaken Prickly Porky for one of them and actually jumped on him was to them the best joke ever. All the rest of that night as they worked they kept chuckling. And how they did work!

They had no fear of being disturbed again that night. As a matter of fact, they were left quite alone, not only that freezing over of the ponds put



PADDY AND MRS. PADDY ARE LEFT IN PEACE.

By Thornton W. Burgess. Your time in worry do not spend; The worst of things must have an

THE MEN WERE CONVINCED for a Beaver dinner. Yes, sir, he had so. In all the Green Forest thele was no one so upset and miserable were, of course, convinced that he was mad."

There came a sudden vigor into pain of having several of the little

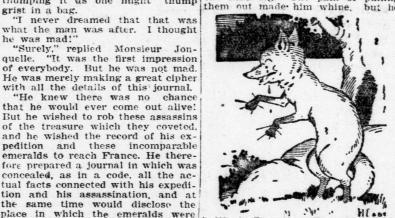
Monsieur Jonquelle's voice.

"But he was not mad! Don't you pine driven into one leg, not to mensee. Excellency, that the whole narhis mistake and the shock of the cold water when he had jumped into the pond of Paddy the Beaver. Fortunately Old Man Covote can

The voice beyond Monsieur Jonquelle, in the darkness of the portico, boomed in a sudden big expletive. There was the sound of a doubled fist crashed into the palm of a hand.

"Wonderful" he cried. "It's clever beyond words. Good God Think of the man in that deadly position working out a clever thing like that. He knew what was going to happen to him. He knew it as soon as he picked.

"Fortunately Old Man Coyote can they sick of have they just forgotten swim. He doesn't like to, but he can when he has to. So he paddled for shore as fast as he could make his legs, go. When he reached the shore he stopped only long enough to shake as much of the water out of his coat as he could, and then or troe away. He didn't just run or troe away. He didn't just run or troe away. He didn't just run or troe away. But sneaked away. You see besides being wet, cold and sore he was ashamed of having made such a dreadful mis-



the Beaver Again.

assassins to that justice which they deserved. He foresaw that Dix and the Finn would assume that Leturc had stolen the emeralds. He knew that the Apache Frenchman was shrewder than these two, that he would realize their suspicion and that he would forestall it by their murder—a thing we know immediately happened after the assassination of Chauvannes on the morning of their troubles. And he kept saying over the straight for home. Somehow he had lost his appetite. As he limped along the was filled with bitter, angry thoughts toward Prickly Porky. He blamed Prickly Porky for all his she will write first. Am mailing troubles. And he kept saying over riddles and recitations, which were the Finn would assume that Leturc

Cynthia Greys BOX Who Will Exchange? Dear Miss Grey,-Here comes another one into your wonderful Mail-Box. Where have all the old Mailbox readers and writers gone? Are

they sick or have they just forgotten to write?
Have any of the Mail-Box friends

him. He knew it as soon as he picked having made such a dreadful mis-up those jewels under the overturned take, for you know he is usually very stones on the Congo. He knew he smart and clever. So with head and

for Thanksgi-ing. I wrote you in May and sent \$1 for the cause. It was just a year after losing our darling I wrote, thanking all the Boxites for their expressed sympathy. As I never saw anything of it I expect it fell by the wayside. It does reach London without losing my \$1. However, here's hoping better luck his time. Please find \$1 for cot. fours in love for the kiddies.

SLOW AUNT KATE. I remember quite distinctly receiving your letter last spring, Aunt Kate. Are you sure it did not appear in the Mail-Box? Your dollar eached its destination any way, and that was what really counted, wasn't it? I am so pleased to hear from you again, as I often wondered where ou had gone. Many thanks for the nclosed Thanksgiving mite.

Dear Miss Grey,-May I join your riddles and recitations, which were sent in by A Lover of Flowers. We are having a Christmas entertain-ment and would like the recitations. inclosing mite for sick children's hospital. I will sign myself,

SWEET LUANA. The riddles and recitations you are asking for are not in the Mail-Box just at present. Thank you for the inclosed hospital mite. Of course you are welcome in the Mail-Box corner, Sweet Luana. If A Lovercof Flowers sees your letter I am sure

It's An III Wind -

Dear Miss Grey,-Here's just note from what was, but now is not -a music club, composed of mainly four school girls. Please drop, quite unnoticed, into the growing bank of the Sick Children's Hospital the fees of this club. For the meetings we chose the works of certain of the music master and papers were read, and of course there were also de lightful refreshments served at the close. Wishing the Mail-Box sucwe shall sign. FOUR CHUMS.

What a lovely idea, Four Chums hope your club will revive. But why don't you try and increase your membership? It was good of you to send your money to the War Memorial Hospital through our fund and we appreciate it very much. The generous mite will give our fund quite a boost. Let us know if you are still holding meetings of your club.

Husks Corn, Too.

Dear Miss Grey, — I see where Mickey wants three or four silk flags, for which she promises to send you 25 cents towards the hospital fund I am. therefore, inclosing a letter, plus flags, for her, which I hope you will forward. Mrs. Mary also is asking for strawberry plants. She can have some from me if she will only send me her address; mine is with Miss Grey, Mrs. Mary, and would you want them sent now or in the spring And how many? I would like to send in some of my pet recipes for Calamity Anne, but I am dreadfully busy

or her to wait till the spring, don't at think so? Many thanks for the ospital mite. It was good of you write to us when you are so busy nd your fingers are so sore.

Never Mind Me.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am going to y again. My two last letters I yer saw in print. I looked every y. In the last one I sent 25 cents r S. C. H., but I know you got that; I also sent a letter for Esme to be nt on, and although I did not get ne coat, I received a lovely letter

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nt on, and although I did not get lee coat, I received a lovely letter om her, so I do not despair of geting one yet. What a lot of needy less there are! I wish I could help nem, as I would far rather give than leg. But we have been up against it, or bad luck, I mean, the last few lears. But instead of repining, I just leading in such a generous mite for our hospital fund when you are in need yourself. I must keep you busy taking care of twenty turkeys: but think of the when you are in need yourself. I money they will be looking for you soon again, Turkey Raiser.



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The voice beyond Monsieur Jon-

He was merely making a great cipher with all the details of this journal.

"He knew there was no chance

that he would ever come out alive!

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of the treasure which they coveted, and he wished the record of his ex-

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fore prepared a journal in which was ncealed, as in a code, all the ac-

ual facts connected with his expedi-

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ion and his assassination, and at the same time would disclose the

cipher? Don't you see what the mar

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just now. I must go to husk corn in a few minutes, and my hands are so bruised and stiff, I can hardly write. You will excuse me for this

time, won't you, Miss Grey? Yours as Bi I found the flags for Mickey, but did not see any letter. I guess you changed your mind, did you? If Mrs. Mary wishes to write to you re straw-



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The lecturer illustrated by means of a most interesting set of slides, all the various processes by which this rudimentary animal lives, and moves, and how it reacts to various stimulants. Composed of a single cell, filled with protoplasm, it is almost a liquid jelly, and it moves along by putting out false feet into which the fluid body runs, and by repeating this process indefinitely, the Amoeba success indefinitely, the Amoeba succeeds in traveling.

As to its ability to move in a given

direction, diagrams were shown of the movements made by these tiny beings in their effort to avoid certain unpleasant chemicals placed near them, and their equally vigorous aton Pasteur and other investigators tempts to gather together in any area that was attractive to them.

nicroscope.

Down at the foot of the ladder of finite process, in fact the Amoeba is the rearest thing to everlasting life that we have so far discovered, Prot. Robertson saying that it was almost immortal, and that the original ancestors of the Amoeba of today

were probably still alive.

At the conclusion of the lecture proper, the audience were invited to proceed to the laboratory, where microscopes and slides had been ar-

ranged.

This proved an exceedingly interesting part of the program, the sight of the living object bringing home to everyone the theories and facts that the lecturer had just described.

BANQUET TAKES THEM BACK TO HAPPY COLLEGE DAYS

Alma Daughters Hold Christmas Party to Honor Miss Wylie, Bride-Elect Member.

A Christmas banquet in honor of a popular member, Miss Velma Wylie, who is to be a bride early in 1923, was the delightful form taken by the chapter, Alma Daughters, on Thursday evening. The Blue Dragon tearooms were chosen as the scene of rooms were chosen as the scene of the party, the table gaily adorned with clusters of vivid red carnations and red candles which shed a cheery and red candles which shed a cheery glow. The college colors, red and blue, tied the place cards, on each of which was painted a basket of pansies, the college flower. As guest of honor, Miss Wylie was seated to the right of the president, Miss Stella Venning.

Venning.

Following a humorous sketch, "Advice to Brides," given by Miss Doris Tanner, the bride-to-be was presented with an appropriate gift from the chapter by Miss Gertrude Morgan. Several of the Alma Daughters gave reminiscences of interest to all, others telling of work in which they have been particularly engaged, nar-rating experienced grave and gay. Mrs. A. A. Campbell recalled the early days of the Alma Daughters in London, when she was the first president. Mrs. A. T. Edwards related incidents in connection with her work as convener of the civic committee to aid the fire sufferers in Northern Ontario. Miss May Bradshaw spoke on art, Miss Margaret Coleman on music. Mrs. LeTouzel recited clever

music. Mrs. LeTouzel recited clever little poems of her own, and Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. W. G. R. Bartram gave readings. Mrs. F. W. Hughes proposed a popular toast to the capable president, Miss Stella Venning. Covers were laid for 29, and those present were Miss Wylie, Miss Venning, Mrs. LeTouzel, Mrs. F. W. Hughes, Mrs. A. T. Edwards, Mrs. A. A. Campbell, Mrs. G. L. Macdonald, Mrs. T. H. Haskett, Mrs. A. Robertson, Mrs. W. L. Hawke, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. W. Courtis, Mrs. Eade, Mrs. Joseph Smith, Mrs. W. F. Marshall, Mrs. A. E. Bartram, Mrs. J. Dyer, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. A. Wyatt, Mrs. A. Luton, Misses Ethel M. Lewis Marsent Bartram, Mrs. J. Dyer, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. A. Wyatt, Mrs. A. Luton, Misses Ethel M. Lewis, Margaret Coleman, Doris Tanner, Minnie Hawkins, Gertrude Morgan, May Bradshaw, Wanza Jones-Walker.

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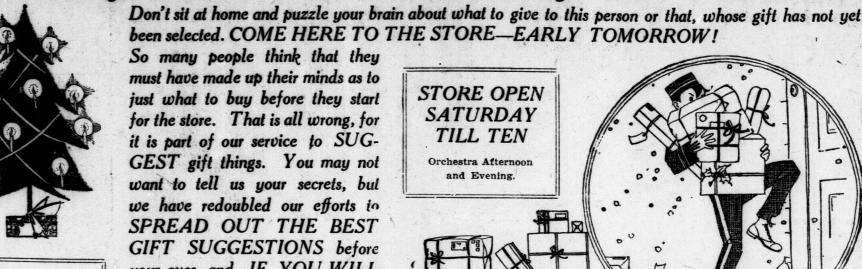
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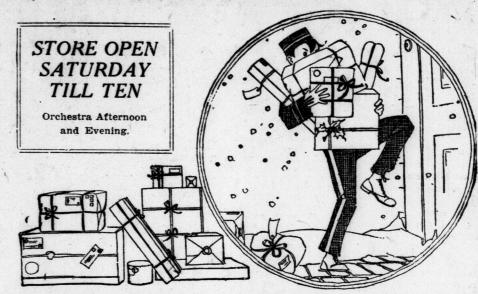
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Sale of Pullover Sweaters, \$1.79

Ten dozen Ladies' and Misses' All-Wool Pullover Sweaters, with long sleeves, with or without collars, in a lovely assortment of pretty colors. Sizes 36 to 42. One of these would make a very acceptable Christmas gift. Special Saturday

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Your Christmas Candy

Fancy shaped boxes, with choice Chocolates, ranging at \$1.50. \$2. \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3 and \$3.50 Beautiful plain boxes, with choice chocolates, ranging from

...... 25c to \$3 00 Christmas Crackers, full of fun to complete the Christmas dinner, a dozen in a box, at 35c. 50c. 65c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.35 and \$2.25 Christmas Stockings for kiddies, with lots of good toy and games, at 10c, 15c, 25c, 40c, 65c, and \$1.00 each.

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Choice Chocolates, Nut, Fruit, Cream and Caramel centers, at Choice Mixtures from 25c to 40c pound

Bathrobe Velours, 39c Yard

Final clearing of these lighter weight goods. They are cosy, reversible, and n lots of nice colorings and quite new patterns. Still time to make up for Christmas. All at special price ... 39c

A Delightful and Useful Gift Is a Pair of Our Fine All-Wool Blankets

A shipment of new All-Wool Blankets just opened, and a soft yet lofty blanket, that will look very inviting for cold nights. They are all generous sizes in both width and length, and exceptional value for the money. Pure All-Wool Blankets, 68x88 inches

Larger size, 72x90 inches. \$10.50 pair Super quality All-Wool Blankets, 64x84 inches. Colors of pink and white, also blue and white \$12.00 pair Colored Blankets, large size 72x84 inches, in both cardinal and camel shade \$14.00 pair

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Roast Chicken Dinner Saturday 65c

Oxtail Soup. Roast Spring Chicken, Giblet Sauce. Boiled or Mashed Potatoes. Creamed Corn. Bread Rolls.

Pudding, Pie or Ice Cream Tea, Coffee or Milk. Restaurant-Fourth Floor. 11:30 to 2 p.m. Special Hot Supper 5:30 to 7:30

Bathrobe Blankets,

A shipment from Ireland just in time

for Saturday's selling, including

some rare values in Damask and

Embroidered Tray Covers, in oval

and oblong, also Centers, Doilies,

etc. Ask to see the new hemstitched

effect shown in all sizes. These are

most attractive and very moderately

For Vanity Dresser Sets, in ovals.

These new hemstitched check effects

are extremely effective, lovely fine

Irish linen, in size 8x12, 10x14, 14x20,

at 50c, 65c, \$1.10 each 6, 10, 12-inch Rounds. Priced at....

..... 25c, 50c, 65c each

Oval End Pieces, size 18x27; also Center, 20-inch, at \$1.85, \$1.50 each

\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.95, \$2.25, \$2.50

Embroidered Linen Trays, 16x24, 18x27 Priced at.....\$1.65, \$1.85 each Embroidered Linen Doilies, 35c, 75c

Embroidered 20-Inch Centers. Spe-

Irish Hand-Embroidered Pillowslips

4 designs, H.S.98c each Irish Hand Embroidered Initialed

Cases. Another shipment just to

special in Bath Towels, large size, in

cord weave, with Ottoman border,

an attractive towel of superior qual-

ity, two-ply yarn, that is both prac-

tical and pretty. 25 dozen, Saturday

sortment of pretty numbers in pink,

blue, lavender and gold borders,

75c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$2.65 each

Damask Tray Covers ...

A delayed shipment offered to Saturday shoppers at a remarkably low price. These blankets should have been here a month ago, consequently with just a week till Christmas we offer at above special price. Beautiful quality Esmond Blankets, 72x90 ins, in size, with cord frogs and tassel to go with each, nicely boxed in individual boxes for gifts, or quite easy to make up quickly if you want the garment complete, very little cutting or sewing, Designer Patterns and Belrobe method show you how. Either for men's or women's wear. Nice

Special Pricing in the Basement.

Individual Copper, Nickel-Plated Tea and Coffee Pots. Special\$1.19 Universal, Copper, Nickel-plated and Aluminum Percolators, half price \$3.75, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50 Round Aluminum Roasters.....\$1.49 Six-Cup Aluminum Percolators, \$1.49 Extra Special Aluminum Teapots, \$1.49 Copper Nickel-Plated Tea and Coffee Pots \$1.49 Clearing Electric Irons and Toasters \$3.98 Nut Cracks 20c Nut Crack Sets, consisting of cracks and six picks 40c Copper, Brass, Copper Nickel-Plated

BUY HIS GIFT FROM THE MEN'S SHOP

Your Christmas Gifts may be selected at the Men's Shop with the assurance that they will be welcomed heartily, for men have confidence in everything that comes from here. This is their Store, where they themselves would buy.

SALE OF BATHROBES, \$8.95



A special group of soft fleecy Bathrobes collars, girdle, cordbound, in beautiful Special, \$8.95

Wool Taffeta and Silk Pyjamas, \$6.50 to \$10.

Beautiful imported Silk Pyjamas or Wool Taffetas, in plain · shades, figured or striped. Many of these are from Welsh Margetson, famous English makers.

Gift Suggestions

Interwoven Silk Hose, medium weight \$1.25 pair Interwoven Silk Hose, heavy weight \$2.25 pair Hickok Belts and Buckles (initialed) \$1.00 up. Silk Knitted Scarfs \$1.50 to \$15.00

Handkerchiefs, Colored Border and Initial, 35c, 3 for \$1.00

OVERCOATS \$35

Great Coats, ulsters, plaid backs, Chesterfields, rich patterns, the choicest woolens, tailoring that is superfine. One of these coats would make Dad proud on Xmas morning. Be sure and see these tomorrow.

INTEREST CENTERS AROUND THESE \$35 SUITS

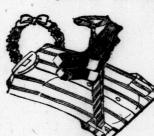
Thirty-five dollars is not a good name for them, because thirty-five dollars is only what you pay for them. In style, in the beauty of the woolens and in the lasting quality of the tailoring you are getting much more than that.

Handkerchiefs, 20c, 3 for 50c Fine Linen Lawn Large Size Handkerchiefs, 1/4-inch

LINEN

%-Inch or 1/2-Inch Hemstitched, fine, 45c, 3 for \$1.25 14-Inch or 1/2-Inch Hemstitched, excellent quality, 50c

English Broadcloth Shirts, With Collar to Match, \$5.00



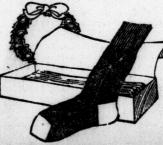
White, Blue, Sand (Silk Poplin) Broadcloth Shirts, beautiful in quality and appearance and splendid wearing. A very popular Shirt for men, \$5.00

Neckwear, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 Hundreds of beautiful new Silk Ties in stripes or figured patterns-Ties that men will truly appreciate; excellent values at these prices 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50

OTHERS TO \$3.50. HOSIERY

Appreciated by every man. Lovat Cashmere plain 850 Heather Ribbed 8Es Silk and Wool Ribbed (interwoven) .. \$1.50 Black Cashmere, with clox....55c Art Fibre Silk

and Wool ... 75c



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HOLD ANNUAL FIELD MEET

EUROPEAN AVIATORS USE RADIO

TO ORDER NECESSARY SUPPLIES

IN ADVANCE OF LANDING

TWO LARGE

ARE AND ARES

FOR A UNGRY

DIBS AND DABS

DEATH OF WORKING GIRL THREATENS GOVERNMENT

Mysterious Murder of Blanche Garneau, Through Publicity Launched by Editor of the Axe, Has Grown Into a Political Issue.

CONSERVATIVE QUEBEC IS AT WORK

While the Conservatives emphasis this one aspect, a Nationalist seizes

Armand Lavergne, young, fiery, clever, became counsel for Roberts, and appeared before the royal com-

mission which was formed to clear the government of all the deliberate

withdrawals of investigation. He

daily declares that he will show that

throughout the case the governmen

Lavergne Interviewed.

The Advertiser's representative in-

"Bah," replied he, and his aristo-

nity of the house in his article.

coom and declares:

Thus, while Sauve states in a session of the legislature that the gov-

ernment has made a blunder, Lavergne stands in a crowded court-

"I will prove, and I believe I have

s guilty of murder, but I do say hat he is at the head of a depart-

Followed by Public.

They burst into laughter while

and clear their names, which co

ment which is guilty of negligence

had never done its duty.

the Garneau case in general.

Special to The Advertiser. Quebec, Dec. 14.-The death of a young working girl in 1920 threatens the life of Quebec's government

in 1922. The mysterious murder of Blanche Garneau has grown to such proportions in two and a half years that it has become a political issue. Quebec believes that the central factor in the general elections which are expected next March will be the Garneau case. And it will be the Garneau case in all its phases, which are many and

Under M. Sauve, the opposition to the Taschereau government are impassioning one particular element, the Roberts bill. On October 27 John Roberts, editor of the Axe, pubparticular element. lished an article in which he brought rent throughout Quebec for two years-that sons of members of the legislature were implicated in the rder of Blanche Garneau on July government had not instituted a

thorough search for the perpetrators immediately. Two Charges Laid. Two charges, one of seditious libel, which later became a libel suit, and one of "violating the dignity and honor of the legislature," were laid against Roberts. On Oct. 2 he appeared before the bar of the house, but refused to give the names of the men whom his article suggested, and The government believed themselves

confronted with an unprecedented situation and so acted without pre-Premier Taschereau introduced a bill to throw Roberts into prison for a year, and though opposed by the five members of the opposition it eventually passed a third reading and awaits the lieutenant-governor's

From November 2, Roberts has been held in detention in a secret chamber in the parliament buildings. until he apologizes or until the lieutenant-governor signs the bill or un-til the house has concluded its ses-End of Government.

signature.

And this is what M. Sauve and his

few followers hold up to the public as the culmination of the government. They say this is a preposterous piece of legislation and this is why the Taschereau government should be swept from power. Sauve and his men believe that, even if the Liberals are not dethroned, people will see that this was a poor example of Liberal legislation. It is the evident opinion of the Conservatives in the house that there will be more strength for them next

strongest plank for the next election and 71 Liberal members, Lavergne if a young girl had not been rakes the government before an strangled to death while going home ever-changing audience during every

Ex-Service Men Suffer From Economic Conditions, Says G. A. Boynton.

SUGGESTS \$10,000 GRANT

Government Committee Advises Immediate Action

to Aid Countrymen. G. A. Boynton, a returned man, lately back in the city from Old London, is authority for the stateerviewed Lavergne last evening and ment that there are in London, Engasked if the murderer of the young land, just now at least two thousand girl had swept him into a political Canadian ex-service men, who by reason of the serious economic concratic moustache bristled over thick ditions prevailing, are unable to get work and are in consequence in a

state bordering on destitution. tics, I who am the last of the Na-Money has been granted periodical-But though he would not consider ly to relieve this situation, which has aiding the Conservatives, he would not deny that he was working for at the time been sufficient, he says, the downfall of the government.

Before the royal commission, he sum is required if these men are to But as things are, a much greater was allowed to cross-examine every have enough to eat and a place to witness, in order that he might show that Roberts did not violate the dig-

A report has just been issued by the special committee appointed by the Dominion parliament on March 30 of this year, to deal with this matter of Canadian soldiers and their dependents, who are stranded in England. This report states in

proved, that the government has not done its duty in this case. I do not pretend to say that Mr. Taschereau part: "At the end of the war there were 20,000 Canadian soldiers, who elected onnection with the murder. And if to take their discharge in England. the murderer of Blanche Garneau As long as the conditions of emhas not been found it is because of a rotten system."

As long as the continuous of embassion and the system of the system. were able to earn a living, but just as soon as the imperial troops were The declarations are followed by discharged in large numbers, work the morbid interest of citizens from became increasingly difficult to get all parts of Quebec, people who have And while these men had no legal votes. The crowds grow each day. votes. The crowds grow each day. They mill to get into the courtroom. it was thought advisable, on com passionate grounds, to grant some

Lavergne picks apart the govern-ment with barbed jokes. measure of relief. "This was done by several grants They solemnly watch members of of money, and offers of reduced fares he legislature and their sons appear And things were tided over for the time being. Each grant, with the crime, were smirched. They hear unmoved that the government was gradually exhausted, and at the present time there is undoubtedly a need for aid."

had called into service special detec This committee advises that a fur-But Armand Lavergne rises bend ther sum of ten thousand dollars be n a half bow, and speaks to all:
"That the detectives should have granted immediately for relief purdone more than to spend the time on poses, and it only remains for partelephone between here and liament to give its sanction to this Montreal congratulating each other."

And excited cries of "Sit down!" recommendation to put it into effect The House resumes its sittings in come from the grey-haired court constable, Doolittle, to quell the urge the early consideration of their report.

the Garneau case in a few of the legislature's sessions and his words fall on the ears of his four conferes AFTER BUNGLING HANGING

Hangman Who Executed Benny Swim Replies to Charges by Letters. St. John, N. B., Dec. 15 .- M. A.

body down after the first hanging as the Ruhr occupation, but in ger was alleged by witnesses at an ingovernment.

wire which was read at the investi-

perial wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, was seriously injured in an automobile accident here, it was reported

Previous to this time the work which will be accomplished by the new organization should it become a pole, it was said.

Thursday.
Clarke sideswiped a street car and then plunged into a telephone pole, it was said.

IS ENDED BY THE POLICE

Keeping Up With the Jones.

and were subdued only after shotgun squads had been dispatched from the central police station. The I. W. W. men hoisted red flags over their tank cells and beat on cell doors until the police arrived.

this to form a nucleus for subsequent expansion if found advisable. The force was started a year ago with guilty when arraigned, declaring she had been "framed" by her husband or resigned after serving a year.

MOTHER AND SMALL SON ARE STABBED TO DEATH

(Canadian Press.) New York, Dec. 15 .- Mrs. Anna Catolda and her 9-year-old son Fred were stabbed to death and their home on Coney Island set on fire early today, in an effort to hide the crime, the police reported.

The police sent out a general alarm for Adam Catolda, husband of the siain woman. A blood-stained stil-etto was found near the bodies, and many burned matches were scat-tered over the floor.

GOVERNMENT INSTRUCTOR ILLUSTRATES ATHLETICS

Walter Knox Gives Exhibition Be-fore Pupils of Melbourne and

Special to The Advertiser.

Delaware, Dec. 15.—On Thursday six of the continuation school boys were entertained by the Melbourne tario, and took the place on tonight's Continuation School. Walter Knox. program which had been assigned to the government demonstrator of athletics, gave an instructive exhibition of the correct way of performing the various physical feats. A most enjoyable banquet was served and a screen revealing some of the mechanism of moving pictures was

Services were held in the Methodist Church on Monday evening. The weather prevented many from attending. An outstanding feature of the service was the splendid address given by Mr. Sinha, a native of India, also a delegate to the recent prohibition convention held in Toronto. Mr. Bailey, also of Toron-to, gave an address. Ruthven Machald, the noted singer, gave two selections during the evening.

Miss Lyda Hopper of Alma College, will arrive home on Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Rev. A. E. Hopper and

Mrs. Hopper. The Ladies Guild of Christ Church held their December meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Auld. The ladies engaged in quilting. Neces: sary arrangements were completed for Thursday evening, when the Cheerio Club from Lambeth will pre-sent their new comedy, "Safety First," under the auspices of the guild. Lunch was served.

NEGOTIATING TO LIMIT FLECT OF SMALL SHIPS

Washington, Dec. 15.-United States President Harding, according negotiating with the big powers relative to limiting the construction of warships under 10,000 tons, which he is requested to do under a provision of the naval supply bill.

ONTARIO ADVANCES

BY HARRY MOYER

OTTAWA MOTORIST FINED \$200

BOTTLE OF LIQUOR

RUMMY RHYMES

A MOTHER'S LOVE IS TAME

BESIDE TH' LOVE HE FEELS FOR HER

IN FACT HE THINKS SO MUCH OF HER

HE WANTS TO CHANGE HER NAME!

FOR CARRYING PASSENGER WITH

ANYONE'S WELCOME

THEY'RE NOT OVER-BURDENED WITH CROCKS!

OA LIFT IN MY CAR LADY - PROVIDIN'

Canadian Receives Rousing Welcome at Co-operative Marketing Gathering.

FASTER THAN STATES

Special to The Advertiser. Washington, Dec. 14.-Five hundred experts in co-operative commodity marketing, representing associations from Maine to Texas and from Florida to the Pacific coast, dress them on the subject of Canadian co-operative marketing at the Willard Hotel tonight.

Professor Reynolds is attending the national conference of the farmers' co-operative marketing associations as the representative of On-Hon. Manning Doherty, Ontario minister of agriculture, who found himself at the last minute unable to

Commend Movement. Addresses commending the move-ment were made by the leaders of the old line farmers' associations, and then President Reynolds was made in Canada. He was introduced to the assembly as coming from a province which had shown a more progressive spirit in dealing with the perative movement than had any state of the American union.

He told of the efforts now going on to form a province-wide co-operative marketing association for dairy products. He also spoke of the suc-cess attained in the co-operative movement for marketing apples and other fruits in Ontario, and told with pardonable pride of the part he had taken in organizing the nation-wide organization for marketing Canadian

"People in Canada are like people everywhere else in fancying that the imported article is always better than domestic, but we are convinc-ing them that the finer suitings can be made from Canadian wool."

SHELL SHOCK LIKENED TO KNOCKOUT PUNCH

Paris, Dec. 15.—The medical re-emblance between shell shock and the knockout blow in boxing was disussed by Dr. Louis Livet before the Academy of Medicine Thursday. Di Livet declared the sequence of sensaions left in each case as exactly similar, asserting that loss of memory followed return to consciousness. He concluded that both phenomena were

estimated by the Monetary Times a

CAUGHT IN THE PROPELLER, YOU POOR FIGH!

Bill Lifting Thirty-Year Cattle Embargo Receives Royal

SIX-DAY QUARANTINE Diseased Cattle To Be Excluded After Examination

at Port. Canadian Press Cable. the embargo on Canadian cattle has Paris today. been read a third time in the House

The passing of the bill by the Brit- British parliaments, the Morning Post's cattle embargo removes a grievance of to be a broad outline of it. long standing on the part of Canadian cattle shippers. The embargo had as to commercial travelers' samples, to keep out store cattle from the Do- be followed.

minion when there was fear of diseased animals from Canada entering Great Britain. A campaign, more or less desultory, regarded as a serious matter by Canada. Canadians. At the imperial conference in London in 1917, a pledge, or what was regarded by Canadians as tions under which French products will pledge, was given by the then min- be admitted into Canada a pledge, was given by the then min-ister of agriculture for the United Kingdom, that the ban would be Kingdom, that the ban would be which in many cases will give taken off. Since then, however, the reduction on import duties of from 10 question of whether a pledge had to 15 per cent. een really given has been much debated, though the leading British newspapers and statesmen accepted the words spoken by the minister of

ing a pledge. In the last parliament, when Lloyd George was premier of Great Britain, resolutions were passed in the House of Commons and House of Lords in favor of lifting the embargo. The passage of the bill through the present parliament has been in fulfillment of these resolutions.

agriculture at the time as constitut-

In connection with the removal of the ban on Canadian cattle, which, it is understood, will apply to cattle from all the other dominions, as well gave a rousing welcome to President as Canada, regulations will go into Indian Islands. Canada will also benefit feffect to insure that no diseased cattle may enter Great Britain. One foodstuffs consigned to French colonies of these is that imported store cattle must be detained at the point of debarkation for six days—practically a what the Canadian negotiators have must be detained at the point of debarkation for six days—practically a six-day quarantine. This applies also to cattle from Ireland, though the Irish members of the House of Commons and the governor-general of the mons and the governor-general of the Mealy. Dro-

THE MAYOR-ELECT DENIES SESSION OF STRIKING BODY

Admits Talking Over Bigger Issues Informally on Street.

Notwithstanding reports to the contrary in the Toronto morning papers, Mayor-elect George Wenige did not stage a meeting of the 1923 "striking" committee of the city council, at his residence Thursday night.

The capital journals state that he did, but Mr. Wenige states that he of Nations would impart new vigor didn't. "I did happen to meet a couple of them on the street," he explains, "and we went in nearby and talked over the bigger issues informally. I would not call it a meet-

The mayor-elect gives assurance however, that a general informal meeting of the new councillors, postponed from this week, will be held early next week. "I will call it for the first evening that I can get the majority of them together," he says.

DIES SUDDENLY IN WEST

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 15.-Albert J Dawson, registrar of titles, Edmon-Dawson, registrar of titles, Edmon-ton, and owner of Dawson Mine, passed away suddenly Thursday at western as that of any of the Europassed away suddenly Thursday at Edmonton, from after-effects of an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Dawson was one of Edmonton's pioneer

taold Amundsen, head of a polar expedition that left Seattle in June, arrived here late yesterday by dog team. Captain Amundsen came from Wall-wright, near Poinnt Barrow, where he is wintering with the plane is which he hopes in the spring to ity over the North Pole.

FAMED HELL'S HALF ACRE LOCATED BY HOUSE BILL

Washington, Dec. 15 .- Hell's Half

given to Natrona County for park purposes, under a bill introduced by Representative Mondell, Republican leader, who hails from that state.

SNOW COVERS N. Y. STATE. Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 15.-Western New York is covered with a

New Treaty Signed Today Gives Special Privileges

in Colonies.

REPUBLIC ALSO Dominion Will Now Be Placed on Equal Footing With

United States. London, Dec. 15 .- The Franco-Cana-

London, Dec. 15.-The bill to lift dian commercial treaty was signed in While the exact nature of the agree of Lords and has received the royal ment is not yet ascertainable, and probably will be kept dark until the agreement is laid before the French and

sh parliament to lift the Canadian Paris correspondent gives what purports He says that so far the regulations

been in force for about 30 years. It company laws and the treatment of was instituted under the diseases of the respective nationals are concerned. animals act by the British Parliament the most favored nation treatment will The work of the negotiators of the

new commercial treaty between Canada and France-the Canadian negotiators has been carried on for years by finance of the Dominion, and Hon. being Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of Canadian statesmen with the object Ernest Lapointe, minister of marine and of having the ban removed, and the fisheries—has been rendered difficult stigma attaching to the embargo was owing to complicated customs rules in The new agreement includes an ap-

pended list setting forth special con France will be afforded a better

outlet for her wines, automobiles laces, feathers and other de luxe mer-Canadian exports to France will be

admitted on a notably better basis than that formerly prevailing. One hundred and twenty-eight are accorded the French imum tariff, 326 are given the intermediate tariff. These intermediate tariff articles are allowed to enter France on the same basis as exports American commercial agreement

In return for this, a large number of Canadian products are to be given the benefit of the French minimu

is understood they have been suc-

TURKEY IN LEAGUE MAY MEAN PEACE

European Diplomats Believe Member From Orient Would Be Significant.

Lausanne, Dec. 15 .- European dipomats gathered here believe that the admission of Turkey to the League a and a new meaning to that organization. From the beginning of the Near East conference, the Turkish leaders have stressed their desire to westernize their country; and European statesmen who have faith in the league as a substantial machine contributing effectively to world peace are convinced that whole-hearted co-operation by Turkey in the league's affairs would prove an important step in the maintenance of a genera

FORMER SARNIA RESIDENT The thoroughly Occidental aspect of the majority of the Turkish delegates has impressed everyone atending the conference. Some mem-bers of the delegation remain loya to the fez, but generally speaking, the pean diplomats. Several Turkish delegates are here with their wives, who are fashionably gowned in the latest Parisian modes, and are the centre of interest at the afternoon teas in the Lausanne hotels.

AMUNDSEN VISITS HOME,
TRAVELING BY DOG TRAIN

TRAVELING BY DOG TRAIN

TURKEY first of all wants complete control of the course of their chat that the course of their chat the course of the course Nome, Alaska, Dec. 15.—Captain tory, and that secondly she seeks western culture. In short, Turkey desires to become a real member of desires to become a real member of the seeks western culture. the comity of nations. If she joins the league, which step Ismet Pasha said yesterday she would seek to take if peace was signed here, Tur-key can walk into Europe by the front door and make herself at home.

LOADED WITH WHISKEY, GETS BADLY STRAINED

Sydney, N. S., Dec. 15.-Because Washington, Dec. 15.—Hell's Half Acre was located Thursday, and located officially.

It is in Wyoming, and would be Captain Nelson, with 4,000 cases of given to Natrona County for the captain Nelson, with 4,000 cases of the captain Nelson. Scotch whiskey aboard, left Lewis-burg yesterday for North Sydney, where the necessary attention will be

U. S. CONSUL RECOVERS. Valetta, Malta, Dec. 15.—Mason Mitchell of New York, United States consul on this island, who was shot mantle of snow. Lake travel from the port of Rochester is virtually at pletely recovered from the effects of a standstill, with the exception of the the slight flesh wound in his left, Buffalo, Rochester, and Pittsburg side, and is resuming his duties. Mr. Railway's car ferry trips to Cobourg, Mitchell's assailant has been com-

KING PROROGUES HOUSE OF COMMONS

tation of Europe. London, Dec. 15 .- King George, in his speech for the prorogation of parliament today, stressed the need for the economic rehabilitation of Europe, asserting the task of restoring conditions

that would be favorable to economic stability was causing deep concern, and could only be overcome by co-The question of unemployment which stated that the government would do

tions against which the Laborites have terday. The King expressed the hone that the Lausanne conference would soon be able to solve the problems affecting peace

Parliament was prorogued today until Feb. 13. The program for the adjournment went through without a hitch, despite the widely-heralded efforts of a of Commons until a remedy was found for the unemployment situation.

George Lansbery, as the transfer of the unemployment situation.

George Lansbery, as the leader of these Labor "die-hards," attempted to block the proceedings, but the move proved a weak one. It resulted merely the opponents to the prorogation being so completely bowled over by a learned and humorously delivered ruling by the speaker, that Mr. Lansbery edily submitted, and even thanked the speaker for the manner in which the latter had dealt with the point.

THINK DERANGED WOMAN SENT POISONED CANDIES

Special Cable to The Advertiser. London, Dec. 15.—British officials to-day minimized the reported attempt to assassinate W. C. Bridgeman, home secretary, by means of poisoned chocolates sent him through the mans. It is believed a deranged woman, the same who sent Gen. Horwood of Scotland Yards poisoned condy several weeks ago, is responsible for the act. Horwood was rendered critically ill.

YNAMITE CAPS EXPLODE AS MAN CLEANS BOOTS

Montreal, Dec. 15 .- When Anthony Montreal, Dec. 15.—When Anthony Caille began to scrape his boots on a box containing dynamite caps, at the corner of Jaques Hertel street and Monk Boulevard here yesterday, he and his fellow workmen, J. Dals were injured in the explosion which followed. Caille suffered severe cuts and bruises, and Dals had his back injured slightly. They were taken to the Western Hospital.

NATIONAL GROUP

Councils Together. Saskatoon, Sask., Dec. 15 .- The body to extend throughout the Do-

has given rise to so much heated de-bate in the House of Commons, re-such a body, was decided upon by the ceived special consideration. The King Saskatchewan provincial committee all in its power to alleviate the condi-

> A committee of five men was appointed to meet similar committees appointed from the other provinces, and to co-operate with them in the bringing about of a national progres-

Los Angeles, Dec. 15.-Twenty-five Industrial Workers of the World rioted in the east side jail Thursday and were subdued only after shotgu

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formation of a national progressive minion with a program of education to progressive principles, and to serve as a co-relating organization operation among the nations primarily for the several councils of the party, was unanimously approved and steps to take place. outlined towards the realization of

BIG I. W. W. PRISON RIOT

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He also denied that he had sent a gation, protesting against the inquiry.

Doyle wrote that he was in the office of the sheriff when Swim's body was cut down. In connection with the telegram, he says that he was not notified that the inquiry was

FORMER KLAN CHIEF HURT IN AUTO CRASH

He was thrown through the windshield and badly cut and bruised.

EIGHTY OF LONDON'S **100 POLICEWOMEN GONE**

London, Dec. 15 .- The home office announced Thursday its decision to retain 20 police women permanently. this to form a nucleus for subsequent

HELP!

HELP!

HOLY MACKEREL! I

CAN'T HOLD IT, I'VE

GOT A WHALE!

BRITISH LEADERS UNITE IN POLICY Bonar Law Answers Labor's Questions and Satisfies All Parties. By HENRY SOMERVILLE.

Special Cable to The Advertiser. Copyright. London, Dec. 15.-Reparations debate n the House of Commons yesterday was pened by Sir John Simon, who put to Bonar Law the questions agreed upon by Lloyd George and Ramsay Macdonald. Bonar Law's answers gave satisfaction to all the party leaders, so it may be said that a united British front

on the reparations question has been This fact can hardly fail to impress Poincare, who is expected to announce the French policy today.

Bonar Law's statement was straightforward and definite as the nature of the subject permits. whether the government favored the St. John, N. B., Dec. 15.—M. A. Doyle of Montreal, who officiated ta the hanging of Bennie Swim in Woodstock, N. B., during which it German mines and forests, or occupa-

quiry held by order of the provincial that they could not sanction punitive

from Germany, but might result in get-Sir John Simon's second question was "What would the government do if the French acted independently." Bonar Law answered this merely by

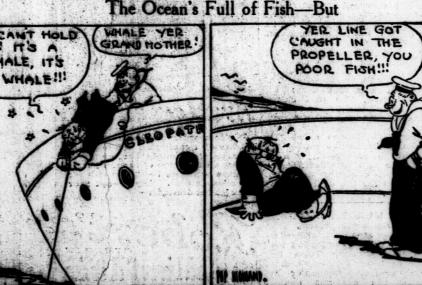
saying that the British and French governments would see the need of coming to a common decision. Simon's third question was whether British policy regarding allied debts was conditional upon an agreement be-tween the Allies on reparations and

guarantees Bonar Law answered in the affirma-Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 15.—Edward afford to remit debts due unless Britain Young Clarke, former acting im- gets compensation in the shape of a satisfactory settlement that will assist and not hinder Europe's economic re-covery, on which British trade depends.

TO KILL HER HUSBAND

Canadian Press. Detroit, Dec. 15 .- Mrs. Ney B Ford was slated for a preliminary examination today on a charge of having plotted to kill her estranged husband, a wealthy Wayne County farmer. An offer of \$20,000 was made to a dtective who posed as a gunman, for the slaying of Ford, it several months with the question of

I CANT HOLD WHALE, IT'S WHOLE!!!



GALT MAN OWNER

Son Wins Ribbon at Guelph.

DECISION IS POPULAR

University of Alberta Is Awarded Prince of Wales

cattle winners at the winter fair, the purple ribbon denoting the fact that It was the grand champion steer of the show, was pinned on Enticer, a champion at Chicago and first in her blue roan animal shown by John Brown & Sons, Galt, after Capt. T.

Enticer, a 22-months-old steer. had all the necessary qualifications for a champion, and the verdict was a popular one with the large number of breeders and spectators present for the judging, and when the decision was made the animal was closely examined by a score or more of experts, and Mr. Brown was showered

with congratulations. winter fair champion was first in his class, was grade champion and was finally made grand champion. The animal was also grade champion at the Royal Fair, Toronto. He is a son of the noted sire, E. P. Kisand is an Angus-Shorthorn cross. The reserve championship was given to Black Monarch, a black 2year-old Angus steer, shown by John Kopas & Sons, Elora.

reserve champion was perhaps the better steer from the standpoint of conformation, but did not have the finish that placed the purple ribbon

Judging in the ring this morning, which finally led up to the grand championship, was confined to the grades and crosses of the beef cattle ection, and again well-filled classes of high quality animals were shown. The awards were:

University of Alberta; 3, Spark Plug, Steer, junior calf-1, Black Hero,

Pat. Henderson & Sons. John Kopas & Sons; 2, Comet, J. Brown & Sons; 3, Shorty, G. Henderson, Guelph. Heifer calf—1, Spot, W & G. Whitelaw, Elora; 2, Blue Bell, G.

Many people when they contract a

cold do not pay any attention to it, Harris Abattoir of Toronto purchased thinking perhaps it will pass away of the William Davies Company and itself in a day of two. This is a Arnold Bros. of Toronto. The sale great mistake, for before they know started rather slowly, but gradually it, it has become settled on the lungs. increased in interest and in brisk-Never neglect the first symptoms; ness of bidding. get a bottle of

Norway Pine Syrup and see how quickly your cold will

Dr. Wood's

disappear.

colds in our family, and I didn't know what to do. Some friends told me to weight as a calf was 870 pounds. try Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, so I went and got a couple of bottles, and in a short while our colds were all gone. Now we always keep a botall gone. Now we always keep a bot-the Canada Bread Company, suf-tle on hand in case one of us might fered such serious injuries yesterday

catch a cold.".
"Dr. Wood's" is 35c and 60c a bottle; put up only by The T. Milburn that he died half an hour after being Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont .- Advt. admitted to Grace Hospital.

Henderson & Sons; 3, Weston Girl, T. F. Stobbard, Weston.
Inter-county baby beef contest—
1, Black Hero, J. Kopas & Sons; 2 and 3, shown by C. J. Shore. Glan-

Animal Shown by Brown and University of Alberta; 3, J. Lerch & Boss Leaves Glass Eye to Two-Year-Old Stallion of J. Finished cattle (five steers shown)—1, University of Alberta; 2, G. Henderson & Sons; 3, A. L. Cur-

rah, Bright.

Prince of Wales prize—1, University of Alberta, with two pure-bred and one grade steer. As the Prince of Wales is an Alberta rancher, it is fitting that his special prize should go to animals bred in that province.

Special Prize.

Special to The Advertiser.
Guelph, Dec. 14.—Declared champion of all champions among the beef pion of all champions among the beef fore seen at this fair.

Some very nice classes of Clydesdale mares were shown in the arena this afternoon. Most of the entries were right up to standard in quality, especially the foals, which were about as fine all through as ever before seen at this fair. fore seen at this fair.

The awards were:
Mare foaled in 1919—1, Mary Field

Queen, a mare which was reserve class at the Royal Fair, shown by W. F. Batty, Brooklin; 2, Bessie Belle, Hugh Doherty, Scarboro Junction; 3, Besty, Taughtton, H. Langer, No. Betty Touchstone, H. Lennox, New-E. Robson of London had spent considerable time in looking over the ton,

Markham, E. T. Stephens, Richmond Hill; 2, Jess, A. Hislop, Brussels; 3, Lady Rye, W. F. Batty. Mare foaled in 1922—1, Ideal Lady leaders in the various sections of the heavy cattle in the arena this morn-Footprint, a horse that also won out n her class at the Royal Fair, shown

by R. Ruff & Son, Myrtle; 2, Miss Gregor, E. T. Stephens; 3, Bonnie Jean, R. Duff & Son. Three Clydesdales, get of one size -1, A. Hewson, Malton; 2, R. Duff & Son: 3, E. T. Stephens

Poultry Buyers Numerous. The dressed poultry department of the fair was a busy place this morning, when the fine display of dressed birds was auctioned off.

Included in the sale were 4,129 pounds of chickens, which sold for \$1,414.79, an average price of 34 cents per pound; 836 pounds of turkey, which brought \$414.05, an average of 49½ cents; 8.991 pounds of ducks, \$275.31, an average of 30 cents, and 695 pounds of goose, \$205.10, an aver-

Finish Superior.

Enticer won chiefly on his excellent finish. He was very thickly fleshed and carried it smoothly. The reserve champion was perhaps the ure was 27 cents. The highest price of turkey was 53 cents, with 47 cents at the low mark. Ducks ranged from 20 to 35 cents, and geese from 25c to 32½ cents. The eggs disposed of brought from 70 to 75 cents per dozen, while guinea fowl sold from \$1.25 to \$1.50.

Auction Results Satisfactory. The sale of dressed hog and sheep carcasses, handled admirably by James McDonald of Guelph, was generally satisfactory. The groups of four bacon hogs sold at a fair, healthy price, with an average of 15 Steer, senior yearling—1, Improver, John Brown & Sons; 2, Teddy, J. Lerch & Sons, Preston; 3, Scottie, D. Saunders & Sons, Arthur. Steer, junior yearling—1, Enticer, J. Brown & Sons; 2, U. A. Victor, J. Brown & Sons; 2, V. A. Victor, J. Brown & Sons; 3, Sons; 4, Sons; 5, Sons; 6, Sons; 7, Sons; 8, Sons; 8, Sons; 9, Sons; 1, Sons; 1 group, which contained the carcass that was selected as the best carcass at the show, sold at 16 cents. The Steer, senior calf-1, Buster, W. A. single hog carcasses brought an aver-Black, Caledon; 2, Optimistic Andy, age of 16 cents, with 17 cents the J. P. Henderson & Sons, Guelph; 3, high price, and 15 cents the low. The first prize single carcass sold at 16 cents, which was lower than the top price of this section of the sale. In all 124 hog carcasses were sold.

In sheep carcasses, of which 150 were sold, the groups of five wether lambs sold as high as 30 cents and as low as 20 cents. The single carasses in the pure-bred lambs sections averaged around 23 cents, with 31 cents the top and 16 cents the owest. The single grade lamb car-casses averaged about 22 cents, with 29 cents the highest and 18 cents the

lowest. There was a fair to good crowd, and bidding was brisk.

Cattle Prices Fair. "Did you ever notice that if one of largely attended and resulted in fair

> The top price was \$20 per cwt., secured on Black Monarch, the reserve grand champion steer of the show, sold by John Kopas & Sons, Elora, and bought by the Harris Abattoir. His weight was 1,210

Arnold Bros., Toronto.

The next price at today's sale was Mrs. A. Coghlan, Magnolia, Alta., \$17.25, secured for Beauty's Pride. writes: "Last winter we all had bad the champion Aberdeen-Angus heifer, Mr. Clark of Goderich. Her

ACCIDENT PROVES FATAL. Toronto, Dec. 15.—Reginald Madge-wick of Mount Dennis, a driver for afternoon when the truck he was driving was struck by a Grand Trunk Railway Chicago train near the city



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BUILDING WORK

Watch While He's Away; Its "View" Blocked.

Berlin, Dec. 15 .- East African superstition and ingenuity are illustrated amusingly in an incident related by the German colonel, Dr. E. Nigmann, in his memoirs of the days when he was in charge of colonial world.

One of the most reliable aids, he says, was a native lieutenant-colonel who had lost an eye during one of the local expeditions, and wore a glass one in its place. This officer was assigned to superintend erection of a postoffice in a rural district. The inhabitants had long been delinquent in tax payments, and consequently each male adult was required to horse, on, Robinson.

Mare foaled in 1920—1, Rosalee of meet his civic obligations by putting in a week's labor on the new govern-

ment building.
One day while the native laborers were industriously at work under his viligant watch the lieutenantcolonel was temporarily called away. On leaving the building he took out walls, and announced to the workers: "Look here, my men. I must go now, walls, and announced to the workers:
"Look here, my men. I must go now, but I am leaving my eye to keep tab on you and to see that you keep working while I am away." It was with considerable self-satisfaction with considerable self-satisfaction that he returned to find his gang hard

Next day the lieutenant-colonel had another summons to leave his post. Again he placed the glass eye in charge and left. Returning, he no-

"STRANGLER" LEWIS RETAINS HIS TITLE

Three Falls.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 15. -St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 15. — Ed"Strangler" Lewis retained his title
as heavyweight wrestling champion
of the world by defeating Stanislaus
Zbyszko, two out of three falls, here
tonight. By the victory Lewis won
tonight. By the victory Lewis won
tonight. The Plakerd
The Styszko, two out of three falls, here tonight. By the victory Lewis won permanent possession of the Rickard belt, as he has been victorious in three contests in which the trophy was at stake. Zbyszko won the first fall with a

flying mare, after 41 minutes and 15 seconds of wrestling. Zbyszko suffered a dislocation of the hight shoulder in the tussle, but

his handlers and physicians snapped

Crops and Machinery.

Special to The Advertiser. Simcoe, Dec. 15 .- A spectacular fire occurred at 8 o'clock yesterday morning on the farm owned by Drs. Chas. Eaid and William Burt of Simcoe, and tenanted by Edward Wilson, near the Bowlby L. E. and N. station, Wood-house. The huge barn on the premises caught fire from some mysterious source and the building and entire pounds. The grand champion steer, contents were completely destroyed Enticer, incidentally, was sold prior to this show for \$25.25 a cwt to straw and grain crops, and farm ma-Seven head of cattle, oats, hay, binders, plows, wagons, disc and rigs were lost in the blaze. Little insurance was carried by the wners and the loss will be very

The Simcoe brigade was called to the home of Fred T. Brook, Norfolk street, Wednesday at midnight, but the threatened conflagration had been extinguished before their arrival by the prompt action of a maid, who ing alone in the house at the time had sent in the alarm. The blaze originated from the gas logs in the living-room fireplace.

The gas was left on, and increased pressure about 12 o'clock caused the flames to leap up, burning the man-tel, scorching the walls, and ruining several portraits. The damage is estimated at about \$200.

COMPANY EXONERATED IN EMPLOYEE'S DEATH

Special to The Advertiser. Durham, Dec. 15.—The inquest held of James Agnew, who succumbed in the hospital last week, after severe injuries at the Russell stone crushing plant, proved futile as to placing

any blame on the company.

When his accident occurred other workmen were near him and he had been removing ice with a shovel off a conveyor belt. The pulley on which it revolved went at a slow rate of speed, and it is thought Agnew had taken a short hold of his shovel and possibly been laning over the belt, when it caught against the pulley, and he endeavored to hold the shovel, thus drawing him in. Some of his ribs were fractured and pierced the lungs. The deceased overcame the shock of the accident and might have

shock of the accident and might have recovered had not pneumonia set in, which, in his weakened condition, quickly proved fatal.

After hearing all evidence the jury decided that the Russell company was freed from any liability or blame in connection with the fatality. The jury's predict reads as follows:

jury's verdict reads as follows:
"We, the jury, find that James
Agnew came to his death as a resulof injuries received by being caugh between the conveyor belt and pulle at the John E. Russell Company plant while attending to his regula duties. He died as a result of these injuries. We also agree that the John E. Russell Company was in n way to blame for the death of sai

DISCHARGE MURDER SUSPECT Johannesburg, South Africa, De 5.—Two of ten men on trial here c charges of murder in connection wit the attack on Brakpan mine las March have been discharged from custody, as the crown prosecutor has not pressed the evidence against

CLYDESDALE HONORS AWARDED KRISPNA

Torrance, Markham, Made Champion of Guelph Champions.

Guelph, Dec. 15.—The three contestants for the Clydesdale championship were Royal Master, winner in the aged stallion class here and third at the royal fair, owned by R. Ness & Son, Howick, Que.; Krispna, administration in that part of the who won the two-year-old class here and was first in his class and reserve champion at the royal, and second at Chicago, owned by James Torrance, Markham, with the third of the three being Sandy Boy, first in the yearling class, exhibited by

George Dale & Son, Clinton. Judge Gardhouse, after a careful study of the three fine specimens, awarded the palm to Krispna, who is regarded as one of the best bred horses that ever came out of Scot-land. Krispna is a beautiful quality horse, with the best of feet, hard, broad bone, silky hair, and a perfect mover. His win was decidedly pop-

For the Canadian-bred Clydesdale championship two class winners, March Past, who was awarded pre-mier honors in the aged class, owned colonel was temporarily called away. On leaving the building he took out the glass eye, placed it on one of the walls and appropried to the workers. Imported Mare Wins.

win brought Krispna and March Past together to decide the grand championship of the Clydes-dale stallions, and the premier honors were bestowed on Krispna. Besides winning the grand champion-ship, Krispna won the Canadian sides winning the grand champion-tions were at a standstill and all of his dusky help snoring peacefully. Upon looking for his "foreman" eye, he found it carefully covered with an and Ireland silver medal.
Championship Mare.

Before the champion Clydesdale mare was chosen, Judge Gardhouse had to examine closely a quartet of class winners. They were Marjory Daw, Ben Rothwell, Ottawa, first prize brood mare: Gleniffer Belle Graham Bros., Claremont, first prize geld mare; Mary Field Queen, W. Defeats Stanislaus Zbyszko
by Taking Two Out of
Three Falls.

The defeats Mary, Brooklin, first prize threeyear-old mare, and Rosalee of
Markham, E. T. Stephens, Richmond
Hill, first prize two-year-olds mare.
The championship finally went to Mary Field Queen, who was also first prize winner in her class at the Royal and reserve champion at

tain and Ireland silver medal.
Gleniffer Belle was made reserv champion. This mare was champion at the Canadian National and Cham Lewis gained the second fall with pion at the Royal. She has great a headlock, after 24 minutes and 20 size and substance, moves well and was shown in good bloom.

Judging Teams Puzzles.

Six flashy-looking teams in harness

paraded in the evening for opening number on the program. They were Canadian-bred draught horse, geld-ings or mares, and the entire 12 were it back into place and he went back typical of the best Canada produces in draught horses. Robt. Graham, Toronto, and John Gardhouse, Weston, spent half an hour on the lot before deciding the placings. The awards were: 1, Prince Arthur and the family contracts a cold it generally runs to all the other members?"

Many people when they contract a

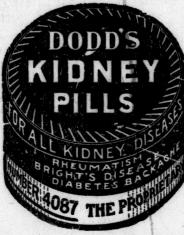
Could five the family contracts a cold it genauctioneers were Robert Amos of
Guelph and L. E. Franklin of Tofive the five t Mack. David McIntosh. Embro: Prince and Knight, Cookville Shale Brick Company; 5, Roy and Tom, A. Sinclair, Kippen; 6, Timothy and Haddy, W. J. Ryan, Orillia.

IQUOR PROFITS USED FOR INCURABLES' HOME

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 15.-Establish ables has been adopted as a government policy, and a bill to that end was introduced yesterday by Hon. J. D. MacLean. A sum from the chinery of all descriptions, including liquor profits will be extracted to capitalize purchase of a building for about \$70,000, the minister explained Unless there is a quick change of front, the hope of British Columbia government taking legislative action this session, directly to assist the establishment of an iron and steel industry in the province can be dismissed. Premier Oliver is reported to have moved in a government caucus here yesterday to abandon the matter so far as this session is con-

CLAIMED IT WAS WATER, IT PROVED TO BE BOOZE

Special to The Advertiser.
Windsor, Dec. 15.—When Paul
Kaniski, 1216 Langlois avenue, was charged a week ago in police court with having moonshine whiskey in a jug police found at his home, he told the court it was water. The government analysis showed the contents to be 75 per cent alcohol. A \$200 by Coroner Dr. Hutton on the death fine was imposed today, which Kaniski "thinks" he will be able to



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HAMILTON POWER SUPPLY the floodings of the power house and the soaking of generators and fee Hamilton, Dec. 15.—When a large down until repairs are made. Street of the car lines, etc., were tied up here is seven-foot penstocks at the Dominion over an hour, but the auxiliary h Power and Transmission Company's had power restored by 11 o'clock this morning the entire Cataract one of the greatest in some time.

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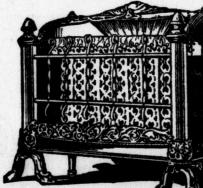
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anized Pail. Sale pr Christmas Crackers aglish make, containing Horse on wheels, about 8 inches high and nicely painted. hats, caps and bonnets. doz. in fanc 75c ox, per dozen. Special 15-inch 49c dressed doll

\$1.49 Gift Stationer 99c

\$2.49 4 Packages Lux and 1 cake Palmolive Soap Special for ups and Saucer 5 cups and 5 saucers for 99c 44c

DOLL CARRIAGES. All-steel and black enameled, leatherette back and seat, over 12 inches long, with beautifully dressed doll, with picture hat, curly hair, doll, with picture sleeping eyes, shoes and stockings. Extra special for this sale \$1.49

Laundry Sets Sherbet Glasses. Every little girl

ASK SUSPENSION OF M. P.'S SALARIES

British Conservative Members Suggest Plan To Control Unruly Labor Element in House.

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London, Dec. 15.-Some Tory members suggest that the Commons pass a sessional order, depriving suspended members of their salaries during the period of suspension. It is thought that this ingenious device DAUGHERTY CASE PAPERS will deter the unruly Labor element from defying the speaker and incurring suspension.

Labor members, however, assert that it was Tory members who started the uproar yesterday. Jack Jones says "They howled first and we howled back."

Anyhow, the whole scene lasted only ten minutes, and the great majority of Labor members sat silent.
The Times says "Most of the abor members who took part in the lemonstrations during the last two ittings are new to the house. When hey have settled down they will ealize that their leaders, who gave o countenance to excited outburst hose the wiser path. But it would be absurd to take a tragic view of the tactics of the malcontents."

LACHINE TRANSPORTATION **GREATEST IN ALL HISTORY**

Montreal, Dec. 15 .- The Lachine were unable to find them." canal, which officially ended the canal, which officially ended the busiest year in its history yesterday, "and we will insist that they be carried 87,731,212 bushels of grain, as compared with 65,542,861 in 1921, which was the best previous year. Passengers carried totaled 69,392, as against 52,078 last year. Cargo tonnage was 4,360,328, as against 3,671, 191, and the ship tonnage operated 4.786,543, as compared with

CODFISH EXPORTS TO CUBA. The danger of the return of the

Cuban codfish market to Norwegian firms, through the failure of Canadian fishermen to meet Cuban re quirements, is pointed out in a recent report. Writing from Havana, lanadian Trade Commissioner G. R. Stevens states that latest available statistics show a falling off of a naural market which came to Canalians as a war legacy, and says that present indications the Canaian share of the codfish trade of the northern half of Cuba will soon as negligible as it was prior to There are only two influnces favoring Norwegian fish, and only one of these is important. The esser advantage of the Scandinavian ish lies in the willingness of some Norwegian exporters to forward fish pon consignment. The Canadian hippers have been trying to make uban importers buy block nape fish, and the Cuban importers will not nape, which is furnished by the Scandinavians, is on the market.

ARTIST PUPILS DELIGHT IN THURSDAY RECITAL

delightful event for the lucky given Thursday evening in the London Institute of Musical Art by Leona Kirkwood, artist pupil of Miss Thomas, assisted by Carmen Learn, artist pupil of Mr. A. D. Jordan, Miss Kirkwood's varied program included "The Ballad of Crossing th Brook" (Charles G. D. Roberts), "Miss Cornelia Makes a Call" (L. M. Mont-gomery), "The Tell Tale" (Isabel Ec-clestone Mackay), "Tony Kytes, the Arch Deceiver" (Thomas Hardy), and everal impersonations of chara Marjorie Pickthall).

Wood Carver's Wife' Mr. Learn contributed an aria from Il Trovatore, "Beloved, It Is Morn," and "Song of the Open."

DISAPPEAR WHEN WANTED

Washington, Dec. 15 .- Secret files wanted by the prosecution in the Daughtery impeachment proceedings have mysteriously disappeared from have mysteriously disappeared from ment until the people had expressed the department of justice, it develop- an opinion against it and had exed in the hearings before the house judiciary committee. The missing papers contained charges made by A. P. MacAuley, of New York and Toronto, against Wm. J. Burns, chief of the secret service. They were sent to Daugherty in 1921 in an attempt to keep him from appointing Burns. When a demand for the files was renewed today by counsel for representative Keller, author of the im-peachment resolution, Attorney Howland, representing Daugherty, stated the documents had disappeared. He had previously admitted the evicte said he would produce them. "A thorough search was made for the papers," Howland said, "But we

brought in. I. W. W. PRISONERS RIOT

"Well, there were such files," de-

IN LOS ANGELES JAIL Los Angeles, Dec. 15.—Twenty-five Industrial Workers of the World rioted in the east side jail today and were subdued only after shotgun squads had been dispatched from the central police station. The L. W. W. men hung red flags over their tank cells and beat upon cell doors until the police arrived

JAPANESE WHEAT TRADE. On account of the good crop of rice this year, as well as for other reasons, it looks at present as if there would not be the same demand for Canadian not be the same demand for Canadian wheat as was the case last season. This year the local yield of wheat is good, while the Manchurlan crop is said to be much better than was at first thought would be the case. Last year supplies at home and in Manchurla were almost unobtainable, with the result that importers bought Canadian hard wheat as a substitute for the Manchurlan. If no difficulties appear in connection with the transportation of the Manchurlan product to Japan this year, it will not be necessary to purchase the higher-priced article from Canada. The millers are doing everything possible to have the import duty thing possible to have the import dut on wheat taken off, and if the duty of the third of the duty of th

TEMPERANCE PLANK

Ontario Liberals Reply To Question Submitted by Moderation League.

interest for the Ontario Liberals, according to a pronouncement which members sent yesterday from a cau-cus at the Parliament Buildings to the Moderation League. The Liberals had been asked by the moderationists to state their views on the matter. The answer which the Liberals drafted stated that so far as they were concerned, the temperance question was outside the realm of party politics and existed only as an isolated question to be settled by referendum. The law in the matter exendum. The law in the matter existed at least nominally as the will still.

punged it from the statute books. It could not, therefore, the letter concluded, enter as a plank in any party platform. Another question which the caucus debated at length was that of proportional representation. No definite opinion could be formulated by the informal conference, so that the mat-ter was placed in the hands of a comder a report in the near future.

of the people, and any government would have to undertake its enforce-

ESTEEMED RESIDENT DIES IN WARDSVILLE

Special to The Advertiser. Wardsville, Dec. 15 .- Mrs. Atkin-

son, widow of the late Wm. Atkinson, died at her home on Tuesday night after an illness of several years. Before her marriage she was Miss Gage, her parents living near Florence. She has two sons, William A. at home, and Rev. Geo. Atkinson of by the coastguard. Morningside: also three daughters. Miss Atkinson and Miss Margaret at home, and Mrs. Will Jackson of St.

Mrs. Atkinson bore her long illness with a cheerful spirit, and will be much missed by her family and a host of friends. The funeral was held on Thursday.

R. HERON BREAKS LEG WHEN LEAVING HOSPITAL

After being confined to bed in Vic-toria Hospital for eleven weeks following a fractured leg, as the result of a fall downstairs, Robert Heron, aged 65 years, was allowed to get up this week, only to stumble in the hospital ward Wednesday and suffer a second fracture of the same leg. second fracture of the same leg.

Heron was an inmate of the Aged People's Home at the time of the ini-tial fracture, and was about to be received the injuries Tuesday. Owing to his advanced age his condition is regarded as critical.

STEAMER ARRIVALS. Glasgow, Dec. 14.-Assyria, New

BREITHAUPT FAVORITE FOR KITCHENER MAYOR

Kitchener, Dec. 15 .- Considerable interest is being manifested in the forthcoming municipal elections. Ald L. O. Breithaupt, this year's finance chairman, looms up large as a mayoralty candidate, with chances mounting toward 100 per

Toronto, Dec. 15.—The temperance question as a party issue holds no interest for the Ontario Liberals, according to the O Exton of the T. and L. council leading the way.

BELOW ZERO WEATHER DELAYS LAKES SHIPPING

Fort William, Dec. 15.-With midwinter conditions ruling, and the thermometer registering around 20 degrees below zero, the twin ports find navigation practically at a stand-

Navigation in the Kam River is in-

reasingly difficult. No new reports have been received from the McKinstry, stormbound at Jackfish. She made one attempt to days ago, but was forced back to her rage by high seas. No news of ships in distress, however, has been received by wireless here. Ice and vapors are the chief troubles now.

DEFER ATTEMPT TO SAVE MAPLEHURST TILL SPRING

Houghton, Dec. 15. - The Reid steamer Maplehurst at Portage Lake ship canal, has abandoned its efforts until spring. An examination by a diver disclosed that the hull had broken in two. Most of the coal cargo of 1,800 tons had been washed out, but 178 tons were reclaimed from

The Manlehurst foundered Thanks giving night with a loss of 11 men, nine of her crew having been rescued

A. MARTIN, FORD, KILLED BY ELEVATOR IN DETROIT

Detroit, Dec. 15.-Crushed in the elevator shaft of the Joyce Manu-facturing Company on Jefferson avenue. Alexander Martin, 26 years instantly killed yesterday afternoon. Martin, according to eyewitnesses of the affair, attempted to board the elevator as it was passing the second crushed between the wall and the

FOR CHRISTMAS

Here's a mixed chorus that will prove a delight: "The Hallelujah Chorus." Order it for Christmas—a 12-inch Victor tial fracture, and was about to be 12-inch Victor record, \$1.50. Ger-returned to this institution when he hard Heintzman & Co., 222 Dundas street

Rome, Dec. 15.—Archbishop Pietro Fumasoni-Biondi has been appointed

U. S. APOSTOLIC DELEGATE.

SWEDISH BOOST

Government Offers Prizes For Good Homes-Middlemen Attacked.

Gothenburg, Sweden, Dec. 15. Sweden is making a determined effort to stimulate the deep sea fishing industry of the west coast, and at the same time to increase the na- DECLARES SUBSIDY BILL tional consumption of fish throughout the country. The state and local authorities are helping and encouraging fishermen in the purchasing of new boats and fishing tackle, and they are constructing un-to-date fishing

The government fisheries board extending its research work on campaign to stimulate the public demand for fish as a more important part of the daily fare has been inaugurated, and certain newspapers are calling attention to the exploitation of fishermen by the middlemen. An interesting feature of this drive is the revival by the government of a custom nearly 100 years old. of granting prizes to the mackerel ermen of the west coast for the best ackerel caught, sorted and packed for export.

Swedish fishermen take pride in their profession and they have long been grumbling over the fact that tennial W. M. S., held yesterday afshipped to America through middle- inspiring form.

province, Oscar von Sydow; Swedish counsel-general York, Olof H. Lamm, and others. The system of government inspection has een perfected, inspectors being de tailed to the several points whe mackerel is packed for the American market. These men will see to it that mackerel of the highest grade only

BROADCASTING RECORD MADE BY TORONTONIAN

The world's long distance record of Toronto, at present of Wilkesbarre, Pa., who is well-known by many of the music-loving folk of London.

The former record was 2 400 miles but this noted Scottish singer was clearly heard at 2,750 miles. Mrs. Thirde is returning to Canada in the near future, after a successful year of concert work in many of the leading American cities.

STEAMER SAILINGS. New York.

succeed Mgr. Giovanni Bonzano, who was raised to the cardinalate in the last consistory.

London, Dec. 15.—(Canadian Press trousers of brown velveteen, while the jacket is of light plaid velour. Dyed squirrel trims the cells. Reversing the usual procedure, an Antwerp, Dec. 11.—Finland, New was raised to the cardinalate in the Dyed squirrel trims the collar and the House of Lords today without

DENY CABINET MINISTER | 14 DIE IN TRAIN WRECK WILL GO TO WASHINGTON

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—(Canadian Press) -Asked this evening regarding a umor that a prominent member of the cabinet would shortly be appointed as Canadian minister plenipotentiary at Washington, Premier W. L. Mackenzie King remarked that the government had no intention of parting with any of its ministers. regard to the Washington Post, he

WILL NOT REACH VOTE

Washington, Dec. 15 .- (Canadian Press.)-According to one of the foremost of the administration senators today, the ship subsidy bill is "dead." He said it would be impossible to force it to a vote before this session ends, and that whenever agricultural credits legislation was brought up the subsidy bill would be laid aside. He said actual discussion of the bill would doubtless run on for weeks, but he says no hope of passing it is held.

News From City Churches

CENTENNIAL W. M. S. The Christmas meeting of the Cen-

Wrecking Company, which attempted to salvage the wreck of the Canadian inferior grades has been mixed in and Childhood of Jesus," was given with these shipments.

In order to eliminate this cause of of the certificate of life membership complaint, and to assure better was given to Mrs. Francis, an quality and direct shipment with the virtual elimination of middlemen's profits, a co-operative asso-ciation has been formed and backed by the governor of the Gothenburg under the convenership of Mrs. Lancaster.

CAPE BRETON WINDSTORM TANGLES ELECTRIC WIRES

Sydney, N. S. Dec. 14 .- Almost be fore they had time to fully recover from the effects of the big snowstorm which swept the island on November 21. Cape Breton public utilities got another severe setback vesterday in the shape of a 40-mile which tangled hundreds of wires and left portions of the district with-

CONCLUDE BUTLER HEARINGS. Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.-Hearings on the nomination of Pierce Butler, St. Paul attorney, to be an associate justice of the supreme court, were concluded late yesterday by a senate judiciary sub-committee. Southampton, Dec. 14-Zeeland, which then voted unanimously recommend Mr. Butler's confirma-

PASSES COMMITTEE STAGE.

IN TEXAS ON S. P. ROAD

Houston, Texas, Dec. 15. - A recheck this morning by railroad investigators placed the toll of last night's Southern Pacific wreck at Humble, 17 miles from here, at fourteen, of whom four were white. Three of the dead white men have been identified.

Of the injured, seventeen were still receiving medical attention at hospitals here. The majority are negroes. All were victims of scalding by escaping steam.

SIMCOE BURGLAR NABBED AFTER 3 YEARS' LIBERTY

Special to The Advertiser. Windsor, Dec. 15 .- After being free for three years, William Flock, 32. sentenced from Simcoe in 1919 for burglary, but who managed to escape from his guards while en route to Kingston Penitentiary, was arrested here late Wednesday night. Today he was brought here and turned over to provincial authorities, who will convoy him to Kingston to serve out

REPORT PROVINCIAL SURPLUS Toronto, Dec. 15. — Announcement that it was prepared shortly to report a favorable surplus for the year just ended was made yesterday at the parternoon, took a most interesting and liament buildings on behalf of the

Great For Bad Coughs and Colds

Make Your Own Medicine and Have the Best There Is.

You'll Say It's Good When All Mucus Disappears and Clean, Healthy Membrane Is Your Reward

Here is an inexpensive home-made remedy that you can't beat and one that will quickly bring up that phlegm stop the snuffling, relieve the clogged nostrils, make breathing easy and cause stubborn colds and persistent coughs to vacate—many times over night.
Try it right away if you suffer from Catairh, Chest Colds or any irritating nose or throat troubles and you'll be glad you ran across this little bit of

advice.

Get from any druggist one ounce of Parmint (double strength) add to it a little sugar and enough water to make one half pint. You can make it in two minutes and when it is mixed you can pride yourself on having a medicine that acts directly on the membrane of the nose and throat and acts so effectively that all phlegm, all tickling and information eneedly disappears—Advi flammation speedily disappears.-Advt.

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FIREPROOF. AMERICAN PLAN ON THE OCEAN FRONT Family Hotel Renowned for its Modern Comforts Hot and Cold Water Baths

OWNERSHIP MANAGEMENT



A TELEGRAM— From HOBBERLIN'S

Sell Suits and Overcoats up to Saturday night and we will guarantee delivery of all garments by Xmas.

"Think of it"-Five days' delivery right in the heart of heavy Christmas buying! But it is just such service and good work by Hobberlin's that has allowed Orth's store to build such a goodwill-toward-men feeling in London and vicinity.

"Why not bring him in" Saturday and help him select a True Blue Serge Suit, custom-tailored the Hobberlin way, and know you have given him the gift of gifts for men? "The

And If Goodness In Overcoats Counts Let \$37.50 It Be a Hobberlin Tailored Overcoat At -

"The fit," good folks, is so much to be remembered, as the Xmas spirit of the giving of it, that no others will do but a Hobberlin, particularly to the fellows that have worn Hobberlin Clothes. Ask the man that wears one. We'll take our chances if you will buy a Hobberlin or not when he says "Yes" or "No." See the fine styles and materials.

OVERCOATS FOR HIM Are Big Gifts To Give

BUT they are not too big for a mother or father to give to son

or for the family to give to dear old dad. AND when Overcoats are called for on your list, there cannot

be better than the Orth Shop is showing, BECAUSE we buy good coats, meaning coats built for warmth, good style, better tailoring and higher grade materials. With the lowest possible overhead profits in London, we can sell for

Here Are Three Fine Groups

At \$14.95 Really coats that hold up to \$35.00 in a great many cases. Broken sizes. At \$29.50 The regular \$37.50 and \$45.00 coats, made with three-piece belt and roomy, swagger

The regular \$37.50 and \$45.00

At \$39.50 You take the pick of the house. Natty coats that sold up to \$55.00.





House Coats and Dressing Gowns

Just what you want, nice House Coats or Dressing Gowns, you'll no doubt find at Orth's, because we have selected the finest that are made in the world consistent with proper prices.

OUR JACKETS \$7.95 to \$15.00 OUR ROBES\$4.95 to \$19.50

SOCKS

Christmas." 1.000 pairs Pure Silk Socks,

Silks for gifts! Well, who woldn't buy silk socks at 2 pairs for \$1.00 if summer only came once every two years? Here is a real Orth treat, so we want hundreds of our customers our-to-be customers to get in on this We must limit them to 1/2 dozen pairs to any customer, as no dealers can be supplied here, Just think! All shades, also the new silk brogues in the lot. Really a guaranteed maker's goods that sell at \$1.25 to \$1.50 pair. And some are samples, overmakes, and some are slightly imperfect, at 2 pairs for \$1.00



Pure all-wool Cashmere and Heavy Brogue English Socks, at 59c pair; 2 pairs for \$1.00 Men, and particularly the women buy-ers, will say what is the matter with them. We want to tell you if there is

a flaw or second in this lot you can have them free. These are Orth's Christmas treat. You cannot miss. We will box them in gift boxes if desired. Values, regularly, \$1.00 pair, at 59c; 2 pairs for \$1.00

If Men's Gift Ties

are bought at Orth's treat prices there will be glad hearts and no strain on the purse these days when there are so many gifts to buy.

We buy thousands of ties, knowing that if we sell them to you at real, old-time prices, taking a very small profit yet saving you from 50c to 75c on every tie, why we are doing you good favors, and making the Christmas spirit go farther, as you can buy a gift for some one else with the money you save on his ties. Now look at these prices:

At 59c, 2 for \$1.00 The very same ties you would pay 75c and \$1.00 for elsewhere

At 79c; 2 for \$1.50 you buy real \$1.00 and \$1.25 Ties at Orth's. To prove this compare before you buy. At \$1.00 you buy good \$1.50 Silk and Silk-Knitted Ties. When customers are buying from 6 to 12 Ties they must be real, so

why pay more when we sell them for \$1.00 each? At \$1.48 you buy the best Silk Ties made. Yes, folks, Orth's highest-priced Tie in the store is \$1.48, because then you know that we are saving you from 50c to 75c on each Tie. You can compare these with the finest Italian and Swiss silks in other stores, then you'll be the sole judge if you buy your Ties at a saving of 50c to 75c on every Tie.

All Ties boxed individually free of charge.

Dundas At Clarence Street WHERE THE MEN'S GIFTS ARE BOUGHT."

MUFFLERS ARE REALLY SPLENDID GIFTS FOR HIM AND HER

We were fortunate enough to procure a fine lot of Club and Roman Stripe Mufflers at a big saving as a last-minute replenishment for our stock. These go on sale Saturday, at \$3.95 Wool Mufflers \$1.50 to \$5.00 Knitted Heathers, at \$1.95 to \$5.50 Pure silk with fringes, values to \$7.50,



for \$1.95 The Home of Fine Gift Shirts A Pure All-Silk \$8.50 Shirt, boxed individually.

See this fine showing if a real Silk Shirt is on your list The Orth Christmas Treat Shirt Special, These are Tooke and Star makes. Values up to \$3.00.

Then the finest \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shirts, at, each Here are Forsyth, Tooke, Arrow and Star makes. Why pay more when Orth seels them for \$2.88?

A Gift of Gloves -From Orth's Saturday we offer lined Cape Gloves, at Here is real value, so see this lot. As they come in all sizes you will have no difficulty in choosing, at \$1.48 pair Fine Cape and Suede Gloves, \$1.95 Shades of gray, brown and sable, also tan,

Select Buck Gloves, at



Big Squad of O.H.A. Players LANDIS REFUSES Turn Out For First Workout

Gillies, Burgess and Hynd Among Vets Seen and Some New Material Turns Up—Mob of Juniors Will Give Coach.

for all that there was a much better will have to battle with for other positurnout than is usually the case with tions. such affairs in London, and the juniors, all sizes and condition, but all under 20, were out in full force, as expected. Art Gillies, Johnnie Burgess, Hynds,

among the old-timers, and some unexpected but welcome newcomers comprised the intermediate section, which on the agreement between the L. A. didn't go in for much work. Both coaches were unavoidably out of town an unfortunate circumstance, considering it was the first workout called. Hindmarsh and George, former

Exeter players, are residing in London, and as this is the nearest O. H. A. olub to Lucan, it is expected there will be little difficulty in getting their certificates Hindmarsh is a defence man, and is big and fast. He'll be a real acquisition to the big team. Two Ex-Green Shirts.

Two former Paris players turned up too, and they'll be on hand again Tuesday night to workout. They are both names of the players on both squads eligible, it is understood.

There's a regular mob of the youngsters, and Hi Ferguson is in for a neadache when he tries to untangle them into one team. There's enough juniors—and all good material—in sight to make three teams, and some left over to carry the sticks. Now that the goalkeepers lay down, London could pile junior goalkeepers in layers, and right now there are three experienced youngsters to stage a battle for the ob of goal-tending. Tupholme, Tozer



16 reause et is better. he will eventually own The New Improved Gillette. He, or someone else will buy it. this Christmas



Is there such a demand for King Clothing?

Because

Over John Graham & Co. Gibbons is a slight favorite among 157 Dundas St. yv Phone 741J close followers of boxing here.

They didn't have to call out the and Clift are the trio. Pete McGeoch, police "preserves" to handle the hockey Milne, Wilcox and Westman are a few andidates at the "Y" last night, but, other youngsters that the new kids

> All this bunch, intermediates and juniors, will probably get an ice practice at the Coves Saturday, if the weather holds, before their next indoor workout. The ink was no sooner dry A. A. and Whit Lancaster respecting alterations to the rink than the rotund proprietor started into ice-making. By the first of the week he may have a good sheet, and the teams can get right down to work.

> Work will be commenced at once on the rink, and then the squads may have to work out with a breeze blowing in from the torn-down walls at the one side and rear, but it is Lancaster's intention to keep making ice while the ontractors make alterations to the venerable riverside structure.

A meeting tonight of the L. A. A. A. hockey committee will go over the and get down to hard figuring.

PORT HOTS

All the complicated plays in sport are not confined to the diamone and grid-iron—golf has its share.
In a recent match played at the Willowick Club of Cleveland, Harry



wotes. Phil Burton, also of the local municipal council, representing the Pirate group of New St. James Prespite and the Pirate group of New St. James Prespite and the Pirate group of New St. James Prespite and the Pirate group of New St. James Prespite and the Pirate group of New St. James Prespite and the Pirate group of New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of New St. James Prespite and the Pirate group of New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans begin to grow excited over the prospection of a fight at the Polo Grounds in New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of the New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of Colorne begin to grow excited over the prospection of the New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of the New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of the New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of the New York Dec. 14.—Lest the fans municipal council, representing the pirate group of Colorne street Methodist, were tied with 33 the pirate group of Colorne street Methodist, were tied with 32 the pirate group of Colorne street Methodist, were tied with 32 the pirate group of Colorne street Methodist, were tied with 32 the pirate group of Colorne street Methodist, were tied with 32 the pirate grou

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they are made of all-wool materials, nand tailored, all the newest models in Suits and Overcoats. Come upstairs and save money.

PERCY Q. KING
Over John Graham & Co.

GIBBONS-MISKE BATTLE.
St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 14.—Only enough training to keep on edge for tomorrow's bout was today's program for both Tom Gibbons and Billy Miske, St. Paul heavyweights, who are scheduled to box ten rounds to an official decision. In four previous bouts with Miske Gibbons lost on a foul, won two popular decisions, and the other generally was declared a draw.

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The Christmas

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

TO LET KERR IN

Chicago Deal With Collins Going To Yanks Therefore Off.

\$175,000 FOR

Rumor Credits Offer. But Player Not Named by Dunn As Up For Sale.

New York, Dec. 14. - Major league club owners closed their 1923 conference

club owners closed their 1923 conference today. Three deals involving acquisition of highly touted league stars were the net results of practically continuous bartering efforts. No inter-league deals figured in the limelight.

Outstanding today was the intimation by officials of both New York and Chicago American League clubs that the deal by which the Yankees sought to acquire Eddie Coilins, star second baseman of the White Sox, had practically fallen through. It was learned definitely. fallen through. It was learned defin however, that Dick Kerr, White southpaw, who is under suspension southpaw, who is under suspension for failure to report last year and playing with ineligibles, must remain another year before obtaining reinstatement.

Meanwhile reports circulated that the Yankees, as an alternative, or possibly an adjunct to a Chicago deal, had offered the unprecedented sum of \$175,000 for Shortstop Joe Boley of the Baltimore International League club, Manager Miller Huggins of the Yankees denied any deal for Boley.

Jack Dunn, Baltimore owner, who is understood to have agreed to sell two or more of his stars to equalize playing strength among International League clubs, intimated that the choice of players from whom two would be disposed of rested among Merwin Jacobson, outfielder; Jim McAvoy, catcher, and Max Bishop, second baseman.

THREE LONDONERS WILL GO TO BOYS' PARLIAMENT

Milton Walker, Claude Gunther and Phil Burton Are Three Boys

Milton Walker, Claude Gunther and Phil Burton were elected to represent London at the Boys' Parliament to be aeld in Toronto, Dec. 27, 28 and 29.
Milt Walker, appointed by the local boys' work board; Claude Gunther and Phil Burton, being elected by the Tuxis boys of the city. boys of the city.
Claude Gunther, acting mayor of the Claude Gunther, acting mayor of the Boys' Municipal Council, representative of the Ahmeek group of Knox Presbyterian Church, headed the poll, with 104 votes. Phil Burton, also of the local municipal council, representing the Pirate group of New St. James' Presbyterian, was a close second with 83 votes.

a thing as a ball settling in the pocket of the sweater of the player doing the driving.

Emory "Topper" Rigney is the only recruit of the spring of 1922 who earned a regular job on the infield or outfield of an American League team last season.

Rigney, reporting to Manager Ty Cobb of the Detroit team last spring, started the season at shortstop and played every game of the season.

To make the record of this recruit the more remarkable, Rigney batted 300.

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St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 14.—Only enough

JESS CAN'T FIGHT Kitchener Kids IN NEW YORK STATE

Commission's Rule Touches On "Advanced Age" Carl Morris To Hobble Monday.

Special to The Advertiser and Copy-right. New York, Dec. 14.-Lest the fans

finitely covered in the book.

Playing out of a sand trap, Moore, who is a left-handed golfer, drove the ball into the nearby bunker. Striking the bunker, the ball took a reverse the ball into the nearby bunker. Striking the bunker, the ball took a reverse the book and settled into the right pocket of the sweater which Moore was wearing, the weather being a triffectool.

The match was for blood, and Moore's opponent insisted that the ball must be played from where it lies. Moore, of course, insisted such a thing was impossible. His opponent good-naturedly insisted there was nothing to prevent him from removing his sweater, placing it on the ground, and driving the ball out of the pocket. The contest was halted, while Dekk White, the club professional, was summoted. He ruled that Moore had the right to drop the ball back and take a stroke penalty because of an unplayable lie.

Unquestionably the play is without precedent, None of the Cleveland professionals said they ever heard of such a thing as a ball settling in the pocket of the sweater of the player doing the driving.

Harvey Austin, of the Amity (Weeners) 27 (closed Allin of the Comex group of Colborne Street Methodist, were tied with 32 vanced age."

The final results after all returns have been made are as follows: Milt. Weeners 23 (close) and Muldoon, who made this rule, is likely to be retained as head of The final results after all returns the body was a file. The final results after all returns have been made are as follows: Milt. Weeners 23 (close) and Muldoon isn't the sort of man who go pointed by the Boys' Work Board. Close Presbyterian Pirates, 83; Harsing Presbyterian Pirates,

Speaking of old men, whom do you think has just been dragged out of home for the aged battlers, "Carl Morris," no less. He has been matched to meet the plastered plasterer Fred Fulton of Minnesota. The outrage is being perpetrated by the promoters of Tulsa, Okla., the obsequies set for next Monday night. Tulsa may have much to speak of the server for to answer for. But if she attains the years of Lon-

Meteors, Askin Street Methodist.
Comex, Colborne Street Methodist.
Zetoes, Ridout Street Methodist.
Swastikas, First Methodist.
Sinewas, First Presbyterian.
Ahmeeks, Knox Presbyterian.
Pirates, New St. James' Presbyterian.
Olymphians, St. Andrew's Presbyterian.
Arrows, St. Andrew's Presbyterian.
Comets, St. James' Anglican.
Returns from the following groups have not been received:
Nikators, intermediates, Dundas Center.
Hawks, Askin Street Methodist.
Invincible and Live Wires, Wellington
Street Methodist.
Aces, King Street Presbyterian.
Kumbaks, New St. James' Presbyterian.
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SCENE FOR THE WOMEN'S CLUB CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT =

Jack Dunn To Beat Argos, Too

Toronto, Dec. 14.—Kitchener defeated Argonauts, 5 to 3, in a junior S. P. A. hockey game, and to Werner Schnarr, the clever centre player, goes a big share of the credit for the victory. Schnarr, who played a big part in the victory of the Kitchener seniors last night, went the entire sixty minutes in the junior fixture and scored four goals. Bowsfield was the scullers' best player, but Fred Staines and Howe on their defence were weak in clearing, and their slowness in the getting the puck away from the getting the puck away from their own nets was responsible for two of the winners' goals.

his (Krug's) normal weight, Walker's manager has gone ahead and induced Johnny Griffith to stand up against the champion at Akron, Ohio, on Jan. 1. That certainly is picking off the set-ups. Rumor says, however, that if Walker gets Krug he will take on real trouble in the form of Bogash, Johnny Wilson and Days Shade all before the spring and Dave Shade, all before the spring blossoms burst forth.

PACIFIC COAST STAR GOES TO PHILADELPHIA

Quaker City Spending Wildly To Get Players For Both Teams.

Special to The Advertiser. New York Dec. 14.—Two more Pacific Coast League phenoms grad-The Philadelphia Nationals for the first time in ages spent some money in acquiring Sands, a young shortstop, from Salt Lake City team. The reported price was \$40,000, on top of Connie Mack's alleged investment

of \$75,000 in Sammy Hale.

The Pittsburg Pirates gave \$7,500 and two players to the Sacramento club for Kuntz, a young pitcher.

While both parties maintain that they are still negotiating, it was learned today that the Eddie Collins deal between the Yanks nad the White Sox is off, and that the Yankees are trying to pry Jimmy Dykes away from the Athletics. Tris Speaker and the Cleveland crowd been busy at the meeting, and a deal is expected to be announced today.

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HEH-HEH = HAVE A

HOLES! = BE-WAH!

HAVE A DEADLY

HANDKERCHIEF THAT

WILL BLOW YOU

BOTH TO

DOUBLE BILL TONIGHT boxes.

In tonight's games in the "Y" House Easketball League, Junior Business, men meet the Young Men. In the sec-ond game Elks and Rugby will do battle ond game Elks and Rugby will do battle. Y.M.C.A. junior team play at Strath-roy tonight against Strathroy Col-legiate. A return game will be played in London early in the new year. BY AHREN.

These are the gentlemen who are doing their little best to popularize the game of basketban in Ontario, and that they are succeeding very well is indicated by the great interest taken in this sport this winter. In the group above are: Top row, left to right—W. L. McKinnon, president, T. and D. League; T. Branston, coach, west end senior and former star of the famous Hamilton Tigers; T. Stafford, west end "Y," chairman board of referees. Bottom row-E. R. Buscombe, chief referee; S. Rogers, secretary-treasurer, T. and D.: R. W. Hooper,

Keep Boley Star

Baltimore, Dec. 14.-Joe Boley, star shortstop of the International League, for whose services several major league clubs have been dickering, has signed a contract continuing with the Baltimore International League Club for another year, it was announced today. His salary, it was said, will be \$6,000.

SOMERVILLE CAGERS

Somerville's basketballers defeated a eam of teachers from the Collegiate by

the score of 20 to 9.

The game was fast throughout, and provided many exciting moments.

The score at half time was 8 to 1 for Somervilles.

The line-up for Somervilles: Snowden, D., 6; Kennedy, C., 6; Thorne, F., 8; Campbell, D., 0; Finlayson, F., 0; Farris, spare, 0.

man; McGeoch; Barrett, formerly of don Alert juniors, besides their hard-Tillsonburg, and a rattling good little luck regulars of other seasons. disc thrower; Cooney and Mays, as out-The other teams will have something side men; Kenny, a try-out to be with to say in the argument this winter, the intermediates this year; McCallum, too, but they haven't had anything to s former Glencoe boy; McNell, an Em- say up to date.

Mfrs. League Teams Show

Sprightly Array of Talent

Managers All Sitting Tight and Pretty With Nice Con-

tracts Tucked Away Out of Sight-Perrins Come

Out in Open With Their Lineup.

Unusually there's a mad scramble than a hookey team. Gord. Chantler, mongst the Manufacturers League manager, has a right to tear off a

geography lesson on Western Ontario best seasons, without a doubt.

mongst the Manufacturers League

teams about this stage of the season

for players, but this year everyone is

sitting tight and pretty. Some of the

managers are adopting this pose on

good grounds-a survey of players they

have coralled in goes a long way to

proving—and some of the teams could

just about travel O. H. A. as well as

fully-baked outfit with which to take

to the ice. Check over this line-up,

and then weep for some of the other

teams: Lougheed, O. H. A. defence

bro product. It reads more like a

Referee

OVER LINE.

TAKEN OUT.

Girl Hockeyists BASKET Meet Tonight The Girls' Hockey Club will meet at 8 o'clock at the "Y" to select a dele gate to the organization meeting

Manufacturers' hockey faces one of its

This is just one of the teams outlined

McClarvs will be back as strong as

ever, though they've lost Jack Murray.

Grand Trunk A. A. A. team is an-

cast an eye at. They've got Hindmarsh

and George, former Exeter stars, as

regulars, and Art Gillies and Johnny

Burgess, intermediate C. H. A. cer

Bell Telephone is listening in, too They'll have Jimmy Milne and "Ginger"

Grainger, fast defence man of the Lon

tainties, as their outsiders.

other collection the fans will need to

the Ladies' Ontario Hockey Associ ation in Toronto tomorrow. There will be some other matters u for discussion affecting the future of the club, and plans will be made to get the girl candidates out on the ice as

soon as possible. Already some of the candidates have been out at the Coves, which was the Meoca last night for a big crowd of Is a player out of bounds if one foot is over the line but the rest of his body inside the court?

Coach Legg already has a good line on the material available, and wil A player is out of bounds when any part of his body touches the boundary line or the floor outside the boundary

VOLLEYBALLERS EXPECT TO GET ALL KNOTTED UP

If a player is taken out of the game can he again be sent back into the line-WIN GAME 20 TO 4

Can he again be sent back into the lineup?

If a player has left the game except
for disqualification for four personal
fouls or for other disqualifications, he
may re-enter the game once.

In the Businessmen's Volleyball
League, the Rotary Spokes won over
the First Methodists. By winning this
game they are the with the Kiwanians,
each team having won three and lost The Y. M. C. A. team meets the Rotary Hubs tonight, and should the Y. M. C. A. win, they will also be tile with the Rotary Spokes and Kiwanians

H. A. hockey squad held their fir

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FORM L. AND O. CAGE **BODY TONIGHT**

Teams Are Warned To Send in Entries So Early Start May Be Made.

Formation of a London and District Basketball Association will take place at the "Y" at & o'clock tonight Juvenile unior and intermediate or senior as hey elect to rate the latter, will be the three series run for a start.

The idea should go over big. It offers the ordinary chances to any teams and The idea should go over big. It offers the ordinary chances to any teams and a good deal more competition to basket-ball players generally. Those who favor the idea will even concede the association may not be anything this year but "city league" in a disguise. They domaintain, however, that it has bigger ambitions than the old city leagues used to have, and that a start has to be made somewhere. somewhere.
The juvenile age limit will be under 18; the junior under 20 years.

Garrison Athletic

Notes

The executive committee will meet in the lecture room of the armories at 8 p.m. sharp on Tuesday, Dec. 19. Many matters of importance, especially in connection with the boxing tournament on Dec. 29, will be discussed, and every member is urged to attend.

The rink at Wolseley Barracks now has a good sheet of ice. Units desiring of entering hockey teams should comof entering hockey teams should communicate with the secretary, Staff-Sergt, Rutherford, Wolseley Barracks, as practice hours can soon be arranged if the cold spell continues.

INDOOR STANDING.

The W. O. R. 2 0 The R. C. R. 2 0 Westminster Hospital 1 0 1st Hussars 1 1 Headquarters 1 1 12th Battery 1 1 C. A.S. C. 0 1 Machine Guus 0 2	story of blood that fold; of the "und dog" that made grim gameness su mount physical obstacles. Sold For a Cigaret. Although her mother, "Oakla Dandy," had produced a long line speedy steppers, "Honey" had seem in puppyhood to be the least preposessing.
Monday's games — 12th Battery vs. Machine Guns; Westminster Hospital vs. C. O. T. C.	THISTLE EUCHRE COMES

BRITISH RUGGER

London, Dec. 14.—(Canadian Press Cable.)—The following rugby football games were played today: Liverpool 0, Oxford Univ. 13. Manchester 8, Cambridge Univ. 9. County Championships.

11, Eastern Countles 0.

East Midlands 9, Leicestershire 10.



TO CLOSE WITH TONIGHT

Friday evening will see the close of

he Thistle Club euchre, and averages

are close. Dec. 22 is Turkey Night, and already most of the space available is

prizes will be presented that evening. High averages-G. R. Hunter 89.5, W.

MAJORS SET JUNE 15 AS TRADE LIMIT

After That Only Minors May Be Bought To Strengthen.

PLAYER LIMIT

Motion To Increase Roster To 50 Is Lost-Optioned Players Increase.

for the flags begun.

There was no discussion of the suggested return to nine games in place of the present seven in the world's gested, and no agreement was reached between the two leagues to open upon the same day next season. As the situation stands at present, the National League is down to begin the 1923 play on Tuesday, April 18.

Lychtenhelm 112, Dumbfounder 112, League is down to begin the 1923 play on Tuesday, April 17, and the American League on Wednesday, April 18.

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Cockroach 114.

Fourth race, allowance, LaBarr, 3 years and up, one mile and a sixteenth — Plucky 103, Fannie Bean 103, Fantoche 112, Attaboy II. 106, Winnewood 112, Richelieu 106.

Fifth race, 2 years, allowance 1107.

The so-called barnstorming situation, which resulted in the suspension of "Babe" Ruth and other players early last season, was remedied by the adoption of a rule that no player shall participate in exhibition games after Oct.

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Blue Bird, even, 3. Time, 1:14 2-5. Go, Josephine C., Flying Devil, Sam McBride, Belle of Blue Ridge, Ghost and Ormont also ran.

Fourth, all ages, 6 furlongs: Marvin May, 8 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 5, won; Auntie May, even, 2 to 5, 2nd; Sir Thomas Kean, 4 to 5, 3rd. Time, 1:14. Wood Trap, James F. O'Hara and Tippity Witchet also ran.

Fifth race, claiming, 3 years, 11-16 miles—Ashlin 98, Grace Foster 98, Chatauguay 103, xLittle Patsy 101, won; Attorney, even, 1 to 3, second; On High, 8 to 5, third. Time 1:49 3-5, Merchant, Dark Horse, The Desert and King John ran.

Sixth race, mile and three-sixteenths

103, Fantoche 112, Attaboy II. 106,
Winnewood 112, Richelieu 106.

Fifth race, 2 years, allowances, mile—Put and Take 102, Lady Inez 102, Calcutta 109, Sweephawk 102, Stump Jr. 105, Lady Mira 102, Irish Pat 105.

Sixth race, claiming, 3 years, 11-16 miles—Ashlin 98, Grace Foster 98, Chatauguay 103, xLittle Patsy 101, xFuten 107, xMiracle Man 101, xBravo 107, Vanity Dreseer 107, xHysteria 102, Radical 108, xBuxom 102, xHickory 107, Deep Sinker 106.

Weather cloudy: track slow.

'ZONES" WILL NOT BOTHER BAMBINO

His Drives Reach Over Three Hundred Feet When He's Right.

BY HENRY L. FARRELL.

Enquirer, Bob Glles, Dairyman, Wakes field ran.

Sixth race, mile and 50 yards—North Sea, \$4.50, \$3.20, \$2.50, won: Tamper, \$5.53.0, \$8.20, won: Tamper, \$5.53.0, \$8.20, won: Tamper, \$5.50, \$3.30, \$8.00nd; Cheronian, \$3.6, third, Time 1.44 2-5. Rog, Huen and Bond ran.

TIA JUANA ENTRES.

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First race, 5 furlongs—Merry Lass, \$1.580, \$8.3, \$3.40, won: Baisey, \$3.40, \$2.20, second; Prof. Billy Joe, Hunter's Point and Phyllis K. ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Ternette, \$14, \$4.50, \$3.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8.50, \$8

Jefferson Park entries for tomorrow:

First race, claiming, 3 years and up, maidens, mile—xWylie 108, xVella K. 105, xStraight Shot 105, Maggie Murphy 110, Forestierre 110, Anzena 113, Ula 110.

Second race, claiming, 3 years and up, 6 furlongs—Harvesy Smarr 115, xAnticipate 110, Helen Atkin 112, Edna D. 107, xCornstalk 107, xAlva 107, xLancelot 110, Doris 109, Louis

New York, Dec. 14.—The state athletic commission has announced that it will not interfere with world's bantamweight championship bout to be held between Joe Lynch, present title-holder, and Midget Smith, here, Dec. 22. Doubt had been expressed in boxing circles that the match would be sanctioned by the New York commission in view of the fact that Smith is under suspension by the New Jersey State Athletic Commission.

The line-ups:

Newell (8).

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Newell (6). L. F. Murray (8)

Newell (6). L. F. Back (2)

Mcrris (2). R. D. Brown Woods.

Second Game.

All-Stars (18).

Eskimos (15).

Newell (6). R. D. Lawrence (4)

Worrs (18).

Werris (2). R. D. Brown world in boxing circles that the match would be sanctioned by the New Jorks on in view of the fact that Smith is under suspension by the New Jersey State Athletic Commission.

LORD WOOLAVINGTON IS
LEADING "FLAT" WINNER

London, Dec. Z.—(Canadian Press, by Mall.)—Complete figures for the flat racing season, which closed last week, are now available and show Lord Woolavington as heading the list of winning owners, the nine horses racing under his colors winning 21 races for a total value of \$160,450. Lord Woolavington a year ago. The earnings of the Derby winner in Captain Cuttle, and his 2-year-old colt Town Guard is generally credited as being the best of his year. Lord berby occupies second place in the list, and his 2-year-old colt Town Guard is generally credited as being the best of his year. Lord berby occupies second place in the list, with winnings of \$153,165 by his 19 horses in the 41 races which they won. His Majesty the King met with more in Captain Cuttle, and his 2-year-old than double that of last year.

MAY BUY NEWARK CLUB. Newark, N. J. Dec. 14.—Negotiations for the purchase of the Newark Interesting the past season than he did in 1921, his colors being carried to victory on ten occasions this year, compared to victory on ten occasions this year.

OTHER SPORT ON PAGE 8.



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1918	Touring	115
1920	Touring, shocks, visor, accelerator	335
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1919	Runabout, light delivery	95
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HAVANA ENTRIES. First race, maiden, 2 years, 5½ furlongs—Putting Green 108, Pandine

112, Conundrum 112, Turbulent 112, Wida 115, Virulilla 111, Gray Bonnet

112, Happy Moments 112, Eastern

Second race, 3 years and up, claim-

Star 112, Billy Bern 115.

for. The season's bowling

Micou and Carnarvon ran.

furlongs-Admirer, 6 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 5. 1; Marjorie Wood, 5 to 2, even, 2; Blue Bird, even, 3. Time, 1:142-5.

chant, Dark Horse, The Desert and King John ran.
Sixth race, mile and three-sixteenths—Light Wine, 5 to 2, even, 1 to 2, won; Secretary, even, 1 to 2, second; Johnny Overton, even, third. Time 2:03. Pit, Lucy Kate, Toss Up, Little Ed, Dadja, Warlike, Viva Cuba, Satana and Moody ran.

HAVANA RESULTS.

First race, 5½ furlongs, 3-year-olds and up—Luimeme, \$18.50, \$6.50, \$4.30, won; Bobbed Hair, \$4.30, \$3.60, secwon; Bobbed Hair, \$4.50, \$5.50, second; Old Pop, \$35.60, third. Time, 1:08 2-5. Miss Caltha, Dr. D., Machine Gunner, Clark M., Big Son, Twenty-Seven, and Pittsburg also Second race, 3 years and up, claim-form, 5½ furlongs—Mooresque 104, XTimothy J. Hogan 105, Ruth Wehle 109 Juanita III. 111, Scarpia II. 112, XTwo Eyes 104, Puff Ball 107, Hat-

Second race, 3 years and up, 51/2 furlongs—Carrie Moore, \$5.10, \$3.10, \$2.60, 1; Valentine d'Or, \$5.50, \$3.60, 2; Black Top, \$3.60, 3 Time, 1:07. Chevalier, Harry Glover, Endman and Cavalier also ran.
Third race, 2 years, claiming, 6

furlongs-Margaret Ware, \$14.70, \$3.50, \$2.80, 1; Wawona, \$2.50, \$2.30,

rack 110, xBloomington 112, Luimeme 112.

Third race, 3 years and up, claiming, 5½ furlongs—Flycast 99, xCol.
Murphy 109, Equator 110, Helio Cross 114, xHarmonique 105, Arrah Go On 110, War Map 112, Mark Denunzio 117.

Fourth race, 3 years and up, claiming, 6 furlongs—Fincastle 102, xBud-live serior and the provided serior with the serior and the full of the fans toward the theft of Ruth's stuff by the ordinary litters. In joint session with the Nafurlongs—Margaret Ware, \$14.70, \$3.50, \$2.30, 1; Wawona, \$2.50, \$2.30, 2; Armedee, \$3.10, 3. Time, 1:131-5. Veneno, Illusionist and Valmond also ran.

Fourth race, 3 years and up, claiming, one mile and 50 yards—Keltoi, 5.30, \$2.70, \$2.40, first; Jap Muma, \$2.80, \$2.50, second; Miss Dixie, \$4, third. Time 1:45. Lost Fortune, Berretta and Sporting Chance also ran.

Fifth race, one mile—Golden Chance, \$3.40, third. Time 1:40, 3-5. Byrnlimah, The £3.20, \$10.60, second: Mallowmot, \$3.40, third. Time 1:40, 3-5. Byrnlimah, The £10, and \$10.20, and \$2.80, \$10.60, second: Mallowmot, \$3.40, third. Time 1:40, 3-5. Byrnlimah, The £10, and \$10.20, and \$10.20 Fourth race, 3 years and up, claiming, 6 furlongs—Fincastle 102, xBuddie Kean 105, Brocklesby 109, Quaker 112, Salvo 104, Haman 107, Chief

114. Bowsprit 97. Nizam 114. Dominator 111, Norford's Honey 97. Ill. Dominator 111, Norford's Honey 97. Krippen 114.

Fifth race, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards — xRhymer 108. Count Boris 115. Conichon 115. xDoral 107. xW. G. McClintock 107. xYermak 110. XDouble Van 110.

Sixth race, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one mile — My Rose 102, xChristie up, one mile — My Rose 102, xChristie and 110. Seventh race, claiming, 5 fyrlongs, 3-year-olds and up—Corn Cutter 96. King-olds a



HEAVY DEMAND FOR STUDEBAKER STOCK

Opening Quotations on the Foreign Exchange Show Strength at New York.

> Special to The Advertiser. By STUART P. WEST.

New York, N. Y., Dec. 15 .- The action of the stock market at the opening today continued rather mixed Recent favorites such as Studebaker, Baldwin and one or two others were Am. Sumatra ... 29½ 30 29½ 29 heavy while the steels and the Amer- Am. International 28% 28% 28% 28% ican oils were higher. There was Agr. Chemical ... 30% 31 further selling of the Pan-American Am. Locomotive. 1221/2 124% 1221/2 124% which carried the A Stock down be- Am. Sugar 751/4 751/4 74% 74% low its low prices of Thursday. There Am. Smelters ... 55% 58% 55% 58% did not seem to be any reason for the Crucible steel was strong on a further move against the short interests.

The rails were bouyed up by con-firmation of a report that Van Sweringen interests of Cleveland were af-The stock of this road had an over-

night jump of about three points. The rest of the rails, led by Reading, also The first quotations on foreign exchange were steady with special strenth manifest in markets.

Financial Briefs

Peoples Gas of Chicago declared \$6 annual dividend on the common stock, against \$5 previously paid.
Continental Can new stock, "when issued," has been listed on the New York curb, of no par value. The first sale today was at 42%.
Prairie Oil and Gas declared a \$2 dividend on the new stock.
John D. Rockefeller, testifying at Washington, declared that he does not own any Standard Oil of New Jersey.
Spot copper sold in New York yesterday at 14%c.
There was no stock dividend declared on National Lead at yesterday's meeting.

shorts for Pan Petroleum yesterday. Shorts were covering in Steel, and the pool is Cosden was very active on the ng side.

ie president of Producers and Res denies his company will absorb

the Texas and Pacific Oil Company and Barnsdall.

Car loading for the wast Car loading for the week ending Dec. 2 in the United States totaled 845,000, a decrease of 110,000 from the The Bank of England rate remains

unchanged at 3 per cent.

President Willard of the Baltimore and Ohio declares the surplus for the load will be less for 1922.

November production of motor vehicles in the United States approxivehicles in the United States approxi-mated 232,000, or within 5 per cent of October and twice the volume of November, 1921, acording to National Auto Chamber of Commerce. The total output for the éleven months of this year exceeded 2,344,000, compared with the previous record for the full year's production in 1920 of 2,205,000.

Bach & Co.-We would buy stocks on all recessions.

Block Maloney — Look for higher prices for good stocks.

Clark Childs—Money is easy and business good. Stocks should continue

Clement Curtiss-Any decline will be

reased £1,00,000, notes reserve decreased £96,000; government securities increased £12,965,000. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liabilities this week is 18,20 per cent; last week it was 19.58 per cent.

Rate of discount, 3 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE

VICTORY BOND PRICES.

Wood, Gundy & Co. furnish the fol-lowing prices and yields on Victory Victory Bonds.

1937—105.15 to 195.30. 5.03 5½ p.c. Renewal Bonds. 1927—200.50 to 100.60. 5.38 1932—190.50 to 100.65. 5.42 5 p.m. War Loan. 1025—98.90 to 99.05. 5.30 1931—98.70 to 98.90. 5.13 1937—100.15 to 100.25. 4.96 1937-105.15 to 195.30

Great Northern Power Company Limited

Bonds

Annual net earnings from the first unit of 2150 H.P. which is expected to be in operation early in 1923, are estimated at \$100,000 against bond interest of \$59,500.

Annual net earnings of first lant of 6500 H.P. estimated at \$275,000 or over four and a showing about 12% earned on Common Stock.

A steady market is assured in the rich mining district north of the Cobalt area. Contracts with responsible mines have already been signed for 1500

Write for further details as to price and bonus common stock

NESBITT, THOMSON and Company, Limited Royal Bank Building, London, Ont.

How the Stocks Closed at Noon

(See Night Extra or Night Fi nal for Quotations at the Three o'Clock Close.)

New York

(Reported to the Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum Co., Limited). New York, Dec. 15, 1922. Open High Low Close Am. Can. 72% 73 72% 7314 Allis-Chalmers .. 44% 44% 44% Allied Chemical .. 781/8 791/4 781/8 791/8

Am. Car Fdy. ...184½ 184½ 184½ 194½ Am. H. & L. pfd. 62% 63 62% 63 Am. Steel Fdy. .. 38 Am. Tel. & Tel. .. 125 125 134% 125 Am. Wool 94% 94% 94% 194%

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Atchison 101½ 101¼ 101½ 101½
Anaconda 49 50% 49 50½
Balti & Ohio 42% 42% 41% 42
B. Rapid Transit. 15 15 14½ 14%
Baldwin 126½ 127% 126½ 127%
Bethlehem 'B'' 63¼ 63% 63½ 63½
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Ches. & Ohio 67% 71% 69% 71
Comp. Tab. 71¼ 71¼ 71¼ 71¼
Con. Gas 120% 121% 120% 126½
Chandler Meter 64 64 63% 63%
Con-Cola 75½ 75½ 75½ 75½
Contral Leather 34% 34½ 34¾ 34% 34%
Corn Products 130½ 131% 130½ 131
Col. F. & I 25¼ 25½ 25½ 25½
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General Asphalt 47% 47% 45% 45%
General Motors 13% 13% 13% 13%
Imperial Oils 112½ 114 112½ 114
Int. Petroleum 21 21 20% 20%
Int. Paper 53 53½ 53% 53%

| Great Northern | 80% | 80% | 80% | 80% | 80% | 100 | Holly | 1210 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 1195 | 11

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LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

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London, Dec. 15.—Following is the New York equivalent of today's prices: British 5 per cent loan. 99% Consols, for money . 56 Canadian Pacific Railway . 144%

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BANK CLEARINGS

BAR SILVER

New York, Dec. 15.—Foreign bar silver, 62%c per ounce.

NEW YORK CURB

rie Railway do, 1st pfd. trand Trunk Railway

Missouri, Kansas & Texas
New York Central
Norfolk & Western
Ontario & Western
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STOCK MARKET OPINIONS.

to advance.

Harris Winthrop—Underlying strength is evident in several groups.

Jones, Easton, McCallum—The stock market will readily respond to any improvement in business, and because of the increase in short commitments at this time.

urely technical, and will make a buy-ng place.

Hulburd Warren—A local expert's Warren_A local expert's stament regarding the world's shortage of wheat is one of the bullish factors. Lamson Bros.—Buy all grains on moderate declines.

Jones, Easton, McCallum—To those the July delivery, which presents bet-ter opportunities for the buyer.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

London, Dec. 14.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve decreased £98,000; cir. reserve decreased £35,000; bullion decreased £321; other securities increased £222,000; other deposits decreased £11,782,000; public deposits decreased £1,030,000; notes reserve de-

New York Dec. 15 -Sterling ex change irregular. Demand rates, (in cents), Great Britain, 4.63%; France, 7.28; Italy, 5.03; Germany, .0141. Canadian dollar % of 1 per cent

terboro ngston 667.231 rgston 850,036 rt William 850,036 rinnipeg 66,162,317 Reported by 22110 2:40 p.m. Friday, Dec. 15. randonedicine Hat Vancouver Victoria . 1,798,151 Bank of England rate: 3 per cent New Westminster . 452,353 Lethbridge . 644,705 Saskatoon . 1,676,802 BRADSTREET'S REPORT

7% First Mortgage

DUE 1937

> EXCHANGE RATES Montreal, Dec. 14.—Sterling exchange rates were quoted here today: Demand, \$4,6661; cables, \$4.6686.

New York, Dec. 14.—Sterling exchange irregular, at \$4.619-16 for 60-day bills and \$4.63% for demand, Mexican dollars—48½c.
Canadian dollars—18½c.
Canadian dollars—Today, 99 9-16c; yesterday, 99 7-16c; week ago, 99 63-64c.

New York, Dec. 14.—(By Cana prominent international prominent internati New York, Dec. 14.—Sterling exchange firm: demand rates: Great Britain, \$4.64%; France, 7.18½; Italy, 5.03; Germany, .0132.

New York, Dec. 14.—(By Canadian Press.) — A prominent international banker, explaining the rise in sterling, is quoted today as saying: "Sterling is going to par. It should go there, because the pound is worth par now. English business may be more or less in the doldrums at present, but it is improving gradually, and has made rapid strides all through the year.

"Sterling is going to par because England has her house in order. Temporary setbacks will prove negligible. The main trend cannot be turned aside." CLOSE STOCK EXCHANGE DEC. 23.

New York, Dec. 14.—Announcement
was made today that the New York
Stock Exchange would be closed all
day on Saturday, Dec. 23.

Montreal Toronto TORONTO STOCK SALES.
les. High. Low.
5 A. Sugar, pfd. ... 42
330 Abitibl Power ... 68¼ 67½
85 Barcelona ... 12% 12 Furnished by McDougall & Cowans Toronto.

Sales Open High Low Close
1286 Abitibi ... 68 68 674 68
110 Asbestos ... 664 664 66 66
578 Bell Rights.230 230 225 230
142 Bell Tel. ... 114 114 114
75 B.E. Steel ... 9 9 9
9 Brazilian ... 434 434 434 434
175 Breweries ... 484 484 484
1345 Brompton ... 37% 38 374 37%
300 Cement ... 79 794 79 79%
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65 do, pfd. 95 ...
5 Canada Car 26½ ...
25 Canada Cement 78% ...
20 C. S. L. pfd. 55½ ...
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25 C. P. R. 143½ 143
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15 Laurentide .95½ 95½ 95½
95 Mackay ...114½ 114½ 114½
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10 Ottawa Pow. 103½ 104 103 1
10 Ottawa Pow. 103½ 90½ 90½
40 Penmans ... 93 93 93
145 Price Bros... 45 45 45
46 Que. Power. 22½ 22½ 22½
105 Riordon ... 5½ 5½ 5½
15 St. Law. F. 78 78
100 St. Maur. P. 89½ 89½ 89½
20 Shawin. ... 113 113½ 113
215 Smelters ... 24% 25 24% 143 143 145 147 24% 25 100 St. Maur. F. 3572 20 Shawin. 113 1 215 Smelters 2473 335 Spanish 97 1555 Steel of C. 6774 150 Wayag. 6014 530 Winn. Ry. 32 50 Twin City. 58 Profestred. Banks— 11 Royal200½ 200½ 200½ 200½

Bonds— \$1300 Victory, 1923 ...100.20 100.00 100.20 9750 do, 1933 ...103.85 102.85 103.25 55000 do, 1934100.70 100.65 100.75 Unlisted—

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FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Teronto, Dec. 14. — The following cominal quotations are furnished by the foreign exchange department of the Bank of Montreal, Toronto, as at

Reported by Glazebrook & Cronyn,

London.-Reports to Bradstreet's

export business continuing to show the greatest life, the domestic lines still being rather quiet. There is a feeling that sales will be large this coming year. Manufacturers are beginning to prepare

for their requirements by buying supplies of raw materials. Wholesale trade

plies of raw materials. Wholesale tradi-is still quiet, but retail trade is mor-active owing to the Christmas buying o specialties and Christmas groceries, an-the usual holiday supplies. Collection as yet are not much better than fair.

WILL SOON REACH PAR

Buyers. Sellers. Count.

19.30 Eeiginii 05045 19.30 Italy 05045 19.30 Switzerland 1903 40.20 Holland 4013 19.30 Spain 1579 23.80 Germany 00131 2693

Dominion 1927 ... 100.60 1932 100.80 100.65

An effort was made by the examiner o base proof on this figure that the standard Oil Company "controls the to ease proof on this figure that the Standard Oil Company "controls the law of supply and demand" by having cornered a large portion of the gasoline supply of the nation.

Teagle said that on Dec. 5 his corporation—not counting any of its numerous subsidiaries—had in storage 2,243,956 barrels, containing 50 gallons each, of gasoline. He said that was approximately the normal amount carried in storage. UNIQUE PLAN PROPOSED

New York, Dec. 14.-Money on cal

steady, 4 per cent, Time loans steady; 60 days, 4% to 5 per cent; 90 days, 4% to 5; 6 months, 4% to 5; prime mercantile paper, 4%.

GOLD AND SILVER

London, Dec. 14.—Bar gold, per oz.

New York, Dec. 14. — Bar silve foreign, per oz., 63½c.

TO BUILD UP COMMERCE Chicago, Dec. 15 .- Printing of foreign gold standard currency as a meanjs of building up foreign commerce was proposed by George R. Meyercord, presiposed by George R. Meyercord, presi3314 dent of the American manufacturers
Foreign Credit Underwriters, at the an100 mual meeting of the Illinois Manufac173 turers' Association here yesterday.
174 Mr. Meyercord said the plan was ap175 plicable to all foreign countries with a
176 gold standard and with depreciated
177 currencies.

Special to The Advertiser.

STEEL.

Pittsburg, Dec. 14.—A larger tonnage
of pig iron is selling. Price concessions
are tempting buyers. Bessemer is off is
250 cents at \$28 valley, and basic \$1 at
251. valley. Small lots of foundry are
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253 part of the Advertiser.

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War Loan
1925 ... 99
1931 99.00 98.70
1937 100.30 100.20
Victory
1923 ... 100.00
1925 101.50 101.25
1934 100.70 100.65
1937 105.30 105.20
Dominion
1927 ... 100.60
1932 100.80 100.65

DIVIDEND DECLARED. A dividend of 1½ per cent has been declared on the preferred stock of the Southern Canada Power Company, Limited, for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1922, payable Jan. 15, 1923, to holders of stock record Dec. 31, 1922.

BANK OF FRANCE WEEKLY Paris, Dec. 14.—The weekly statemen of the Bank of Commerce shows th of the Bank of Commerce shows the following changes:
Gold in hand, increased, 126,000 francs silver in hand, increased, 195,000 francs notes in circulation, decreased, 313,932,000 francs; treasury deposits, decreased, 11,178,000; general denosits, increased 11,178,000; general deposits, increased 5.661,000 francs: bills discounted in-creased, 2,071,000 francs; advances in-creased, 39,303,000 francs. The state repaid the bank 300,000,000

MOSCOW IN THROES OF BUILDING BOOM

363,110
4.468.701
N. Y. funds ... 11-32pm. 13-32pm. ...
Mont. funds ... par par ½-½
389.042
Cables trans. ... 4.65.50
4.66
Ster. demand ... 4.65.25
4.65.75
Ster. in New York: Demand,
1.798,151
4.633½; cables, 4.64
Bauk of England rate: 3 per cent. Efforts to Meet Demand for Store Space and INDICATES ACTIVITY

say that there is a more lively atmo- is passing through a building boom sphere in business circles this week more active than anything of the than there has been, and this is at- kind the white-walled city has ex-Real estate improvement has been virtually at a standstill since early in the world war, and after the revolution, which eventually brought the seat of government back to the ancient capital, Moscow became one of the most crowded cities on the face of the earth.

This fall, however, under the

Soviet's new economic policy, which permits private enterprise, including eases on property and buildings for 49 years, the rush to gain concessions by local investors began, with German, French and other foreigners also clamoring for privileges.
The government itself also has improved many buildings. Hundreds of business houses, as

well as fine old homes, were so badly damaged during the revolution that it was necessary to rebuild them. Walls of scores of other buildings, ruined by fire, are still standing in various parts of the city, but provision has been made for remodeling most of these next spring. Store space is in great demand, due to the stimulus given by the

resumption of free trade, and numerous one-story affairs have been put up in the shopping districts. They resemble the stores erected in a boom town in the United States. Small wooden shacks for the retail selling fo books, fruit, clothing and various necessities, have been built temporarily here and there throughout the city, but these will be pushed aside with the resumption of trade through the ordinary channels,

in November in Excess of Previous Returns.

Montreal, Dec. 15.-The weakness in Winnipeg Rails this forenoon is causing considerable comment, and ocal interest close to the company's activities cannot account for the selling, and attribute it to short interest. It is stated that earnings of the month of November are better than

any previous ones. There appears to be a general belief that Winnipeg Railway's franchise is about to expire. As a matter however, is to be taken in January to indicate the willingness of the people to continue for ten years more, to enable it to finance some improvements. The trouble is not at the moment whether the franchise shall be extended or not, but whether property be able to ballot on the question.

In the former case a two-thirds majority is needed, in the latter only a bare majority. Reports emamating of the latter of the week.

Next week is the real poultry weel This is the time when the demand for gobbler and rooster is strongest, thour and the large retailers are already to the large retailers are already the strongest thour strongest the large retailers are already the strongest the strongest thour strongest the large retailers are already the strongest the strongest the large retailers are already the strongest the large retailers are already the strongest the strongest the strongest the large retailers are already the strongest the stro of fact, it is good until 1927. A vote,

which the company manufactures will be in demand.

PRICES ASCENDING ON TORONTO MART

Barcelona Continues at Head of List. But Range Is Narrowing.

STANDARD OIL GIVES

GAS SUPPLY FIGURES

Washington, Dec. 14.—The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey had more than 100,000,000 gallons of gasoline in storage last week in only five of its refinerles, but it has no monopoly of the oil market, W. C. Teagle, president of the corporation, testified under examination by the Senate committee investigating gas prices today.

An effort was made by the examiner to base proof on this figure that the Standard Oil Company "controls the Montreal Dec. 15.—A brisk demand for Abitibit and Steel of Canada developed on the local stock exchange this morning, and carried prices in these stocks to higher levels, the former advancing to 63½, a gain of %, and the latter to 67, 1½ points gain. Barcelona continues to head the sales column, but the range of prices is narrowing, this morning's transactions being made between 12 and 12½, with Bread unchanged at 55. An odd lot of City Dairy caused a 2-point advance to 147, while Mackay on light trading advanced % to 114%. Winnipeg Railway was very erratic, early declining 1½ to 31, and then jumping to 33½ on small lot trading.

Montreal, Dec. 15.—This morning's session on the local stock exchange was featured by further buoyancy and strength on the part of principal issues, Steel of Canada, on account of the dividend declaration, being again the most prominent. It closed at 67 for a further advance of 1½ points. The papers continued to display The papers continued to display strength. Abltibi closed 4 higher at 68. Brompton unchanged at 37%. Lau-rentide unchanged at 35½c. Spanish River common unchanged at 95½c. Spanish Wayagamack ¼ up at 60%. Other leaders were steady.

Commodity News

one-red at \$25. While places, also be says are generally quoted at \$2, desirable orders could be placed a shade lower. The tendency is towards lower prices. Heavy melting scrap is quoted around \$20.50. Demand is irregular,

SUGAR.
Galveston, Dec. 14.—For the first time since the war, importation of beet sugar seed from Holland, Germany and other European countries has been sumed. The first cargo has just reached

St. Paul, Dec. 14.—St. Paul fur manufacturers and wholesalers report a good volume of orders for immediate delivery and bookings for spring have Philadelphia, Dec. 14. — Scarcity of coal has resulted in an extraordinary demand for gas ranges and gas heating apparatus. Artificial gas is supplied here at \$1 a thousand cubic feet.

RICE. New Orleans, Dec. 14.—The Louisiana rice growers have secured a loan of \$500,000 to aid them in marketing their

FRUIT.
Fort Worth, Dec. 14.—The first of the ew strawberry crop of the southwest s just reaching the market. This breaks

RADIO.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 14. — Dealers in radio equipment today are doing a tremendous business in their specialty for the Christmas trade. Buying has seen stimulated as a result of the radio

METALS AND OILS London, Dec. 14.—Copper steady. Electrolytic—Spot and nearby futures,

Helti/4c.
Tin—Firm; spot and nearby futures, \$37.50@37.75; futures, \$37.75@88.
Iron—Steady; prices unchanged.
Lead—Steady; spot, \$7.10; futures, Zinc-Quiet: East St. Louis, spot and earby delivery, \$7.15. Antimony-Spot, \$6.37@6.62.

London, Dec. 14.—Standard copper, spot. £62 17s 6d; futures, £63 12s 6d. Hlectrolytic—Spot, £69 5s.
Tin—Spot, £176 17s 6d; futures, £178.
Lead—Spot, £26; futures, £25 5s.
Zinc—Spot, £37 7s 6d; futures, £34

58.
Linseed oil—38s 9d.
Sperm oil—£28.
Petroleum—American refined, 1s 1d;
spirits, 1s 2d.
Turpentine—Spirits, 98s 4d.
Rosin—American strained, 15s; type Tallow-Australian, 42s 6d. Liverpool, Dec. 15.—Turpentine spirits, 6s; kerosene No. 1, 1s 1d; kerosene No.

2, 1s 1d. Rosin, common, 15s. WILL BENEFIT BY TREATY. The new commercial treaty between France and Canada will have a beneficial effect on the Massey-Harris plant in Brantford, which is now working on a French order The new arrangement will eliminate the 15 per cent handicap as compared with United States manufacturers, under which Canadian plants have been laboring. It is expected to strengthen export trade in farm machinery and implements.

Everything the Farmer Trades In

Winnipeg Railway Earnings LIGHT OFFERINGS MAKE DULL MARKET

Steady Demand for Butter and Eggs, But Other Lines Quiet.

The market today being Friday was quiet; there were few offerings and few buyers. About a dozen loads of hay vere sold from \$12 to \$13.50 per ton,

tone and with equipment orders for the railroads in sight, certain parts which the company manufactures will he in demand.

Barley, per cwt......\$1 00 to \$1 05 Coats, per cwt.....\$1 00 to \$1 05 Coats, per cwt......\$1 00 to \$1 05 Coats, per cwt.....\$1 00 to \$1 05 Coats, per cwt......\$1 00 to \$1 0 42 to 40 to 10 to

do, per

Honey, Wholesale.

Honey, 5-lb pails... 75 t
do, strained, lb.... 17 to
do comb, lb.... 25 to Honey, Retail. Honey, 5-lb pails....
do, strained, lb....
do, comb, lb..... Dairy Products, Butter, creamery, lb...
do dairy, lb......
do, crocks, lb..... do, crocks, lb..... Eggs, new-laid doz.. Butter, creamery, lb...
do, dairy, lb.....
do erocks, lb..... Eggs, fresh, basket.

do, crate, doz..... Poultry, Dressed, Retail. Poultry, Dresset
Chickens, old, per lb.
do, spring, per lb.
Ducks, per lb.
Geese, per lb.
Turkeys, per lb.....

42 to Poultry, Alive, Wholesale,

ucks, spring, over Geese, over 10 lbs. Turkeys, hens, over 9
lbs each.......
do, young gobblers,
over 10 lbs.....
do, old gobblers... Live Stock.
Hogs, selects, cwt....10 00
Pigs, small, pair....10 00
Sows, fat, cwt.....9 00

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Cow hides, No. 1...
do, No. 2...
Calf skins, No. 1...
do, No. 2...
Horse hides, each... 2
kip, No. 1, per lb...
do No. 2...
Lamb skins each... Lamb skins, each.... Wool, Unwashed.
Wool, coarse, lb..... 12 do, medium, lb.... 15 do, fine. lb...... 18

Montreal, Dec. 14.—The baled hay market was very quiet. No. 2, per ton, parlots, \$16@17.

Toronto, Dec. 13.—Hay, No. 2. on, \$15; mixed, per ton, \$13.50@15. Clover—Per ton, \$13.50@15. Straw—Carlots, per ton, \$9.50. New York, Dec. 14.—Hay firm; No. 1, \$26@27; No. 2, \$24@26; No. 3, \$22@24; shipping, \$13@21.

COTTON New York, Dec. 14.—Cotton futures closed fairly steady. Closing bids: Dec., 25.51c; Jan., 25.57c; March, 25.78c; May, 25.87c; July, 25.61c.

otton closed steady. Middling Liverpool, Dec. 14. — Cotton, spot, quiet; prices steady. American middling, fair, 15.20d; good middling. 14.65d; middling, 14.56d; fully middling, 14.60d; low middling, 14.30d; good ordinary, 13.70d; ordinary, 13.40d.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, including 3,700 American. The receipts were 6,000 bales, including 3,000 American.

Futures closed firm. COFFEE

New York, Dec. 14.—Coffee futures closed today showing net advances of 7 to 16 points. Sales were estimated at about 45,000 haga. Close: Dec., 9.95; Jan., 9.87; March, 9.71; May, 9.36; July, 9.00; Sept., 8.53.

Contracts for deliverles next December were quoted at 8.20.

Spot coffee steady.

Grain

WINNIPEG. Winnipes, Dec. 15.—Futures opened: Wheat—Dec., 1/2c to 1/3c lower at \$1 101/4 @1 09%; May unchanged to %c lower at \$1 13% @1 13; July, 16c to %c lower

at \$1 12@1 12%. Oats—Dec., %c lower at 45%; May, %c lower at 45%c.

Barley—Dec. unchanged at 54%c;
May, %c lower at 59c.
Flax—Dec., 1½c lower at \$2 11½;
May, 1½c to 2c lower at \$2 11@2 11½.

Rye—Dec., %c lower at \$2%c.

WINNIPEG GRAIN FUTURES. which was a little easier than it has been during the last day or two.
Only one load of straw was on the market, rather a dampish load at that. It brought \$9.50 per ton.

Wheat maintained a fairly good price at \$1.15 per bushel, and oats went from \$1.20 to \$1.25 per cwt., or about 41 cents per bushel.

The domestic side of the local market was also quiet, but retained a steady lemand. First quality butter was worth

Chicago, Dec. 15 .- Wheat tended downward in price today during the chiefly for the baby beef class, and apparent indifference which the Liverpool market displayed regarding the quotations here yesterday. Besides which, it was contended that both Argentina and Canada were underselling the United States abroad. On the other hand, domestic milers were reported to be doing business on a large scale, and there was hopeful gossip current as to early dealings, being affected by for handy weight butcher steers and was hopeful gossip current as to extra choice loads of heavy steers progress looked for in regard to export financing plans at Washington. The opening, which ranged from he class prices ran from 6c to 6½c. The opening, which ranged from he class prices ran from 6c to 6½c. Choice fat cows sold fairly well to higher astheric materials. rate further setback.

wheat. After opening 1/8c to 3/4c low-Oats started %c to %c off, and later showed but little power to CHICAGO GRAIN FUTURES.

Reported for The Advertiser by Jones,
Easton, McCallum Company.
Chicago, Dec. 15.
Wheat— Open High Low Close
Dec. \$1 24½ 1 25½ 1 23¼ 1 23%
May ... 1 23½ 1 24 1 22% 1 22%
July ... 1 14½ 1 14% 1 13½ 1 13¾
Corn—
Dec. 55 75 75% 74 74% 73½ 74 45% 46½ 42% TORONTO. Toronto, Dec. 14.—Quotations on the Board of Trade here today are as fol-

ows: Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 northern, American Corn-No. 2 yellow, 90c; No. American Corn—No. 2 yellow, \$7c. Ontario Wheat—No. 2 white, \$1@42c. Ontario Wheat—No. 2 winter, \$1 10@12; No. 3 winter, \$107@109. Barley—Malting, 60@62c. Buckwheat—No. 2, 77@79c. Rye—No. 2, 83@85c. MONTREAL.

Montreal. Dec. 14. — There was no hange in spot prices on the local grain market today, but the tone of the narket today, but the tone of the narket was very firm. Corn—American, No. 2 yellow, 92@ Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 64@ 55c: do., No. 3, 59@60c; extra No. 1 feed, 57@58c; No. 2 local white, 55@56c

MINNEAPOLIS.
Minneapolis, Dec. 14.—Grain quotations—Close:
Wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.24%@
1.31% a bushel; Dec., \$1.23%; May,
\$1.22%; July, \$1.19%.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, 68@68%c.
Oats—No. 3 white, 41@434c.
Flax—No. 1, \$2.70½@2.72½. ions—Close: Wheat—No.

LIVERPOOL Liverpool, Dec. 15.—Corn-American mixed, 7s &d.

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uld seem that such orders might well would seem that such orders might well be filled by the Maritime Provinces.

Toronto—Jobbing, specials 80c, extras 75c, pullet extras 55c, storage extras 44@45c, firsts 38@39c, seconds 35c.

Montreal—Specials 75@85c, storage extras 45@47c, firsts 40@41c, seconds 36c. Dressed turkeys jobbing 45@48c, chickens 28@30c, ducks 30@32c, geese 23@25c.

23@25c.
Winnipeg—Unchanged; poultry weak.
Quotations, dressed, delivered: Chickens
15@22c, fowl 12@19c, cocks 11c, ducks
and geese 21c, turkeys 25c. Receipts and geese 21c, turkeys 2sc. Receipts reported heavy.

Saskatoon—Poultry markets weak. Dressed, delivered: Chickens 10@18c; fowl 7@12c, cocks 7c, ducks 14c, geese 12c, turkeys 17@23c.

Calgary—Car of British Columbia pullet firsts reported selling at this market: Pullets, \$15 a case; firsts, \$16 a case;

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a case.

British Columbia—Unchanged.

Chicago—Fresh higher, 54@55c; refrigerators lower, 28½c.

New York—Fresh higher; firsts 57@59c; hennery, 67@68c; refrigerators unchanged.

SUGAR

New York, Dec. 14.—The early raw sugar market today was quiet, and prices were nominal, at 4c, cost and freight, for spot Cubas, equal to 5.78c r centrifugal.
There was a further selling pressure raw sugar futures, owing to more raw sugar futures, owing to more peral offerings of new crop Cubas, and prices at midday showed declines 2 to 4 points.

The demand for refined sugar con-The demand for refined sugar con-inued light, and prices were held un-hanged, at \$7.10 for fine granulated. lugar from second hands was available

Refined sugar futures were nominal FLOUR

Montreal. Dec. 14.—Domestic demand for millfeed was fairly good, and a fair business was done. The demand for rolled oats was firm.
Flour—Man. spring wheat patents, firsts, \$7.10; seconds, \$6.60; strong bakers, \$6.50; winter patents, choice, \$6.50 6.50. Rolled oats—Bag, 90 lbs., \$3.30@3.40. Bran—Per ton, \$24 Shorts—Per ton, \$26.

Toronto, Dec. 13.—Flour quotations: Manitoba Elour—First patents, \$7 10; second patents, \$6 60.
Ontario Flour—Ninety per cent patents, Montreal, \$5 10@5 20; do, Toronto, \$5 05@5 10; do, bulk, seaboard, \$4 90@5 ronto, \$5.05@5.10; do, bulk, seaboard, \$4.90@5. Good feed flour, per bag, \$2. Millfeed—Bran. per ton, \$24; shorts, per ton, \$26; middlings, per ton, \$28.50.

Minneapolis, Dec. 14. — Flour, higher; family patents, \$6.80@7. barrel; shipments, 57,648 barrels. Bran—\$23@23.50 a ton.

PROVISIONS Chicago, Dec. 15 .- Firmness of hog

values gave a little strength to pro visions.

Liverpool, Dec. 15.—Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 38s. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 22 to 36 lbs., 91s. Canadian Wiltshires, 50 to 75 lbs., 95s; shoulders square, 12 to 16 lbs., 96s.

Lard, prime western in tierces, 66s 6d; American, refined, pails, 28 lbs., 73s 6d. Cheese, Canadian, finest white, 122s; colored, 122s.

CATTLE OFFERINGS EXCEED DEMAND

Heavy Toronto Receipts Cause Buyers to Discriminate in

Christmas Selections. Special to The Advertiser. Toronto, Dec. 15 .- A very unsatis-

actory finish marked the close of the week's markets. Opening on Monday with a heavy run of close upon 8,000 cattle, offering for the Christmas trade, business looked non too premising for the shippers. With plenty to choose from, buy ers took their own time, and transactions for the first hour or so were low. As business began to move it

was found that the demand was

r setback.
oats were easier with continued so all the week. Many r opening 1/2c to 3/2c low-cattle were left over from Monday in Common cattle opened draggy and market, and with large receipts on the two following days, the market became badly congested, and by the end of the week business had got down to almost zero, and a large number of cattle still unsold. With the market overloaded, and packers apparently well supplied for the usual Christmas trade, it would seem fairly obvious that requirements will be compartively small for next week and that shippers and drovers should govern themselves accordingly. Calves opened strong in the early

part of the week, but weakened a Lambs, choice, held fairly steady, but heavy lambs are decidedly not wanted. Yearlings steady.
Hogs declined during the week closing in Thursday's market steady at \$9.25 f.o.b., and \$10 fed and wat-

to \$7 50. to 6 75 to 7 00 to 6 00 to 5 50 to 4 50 Canners and cutters... 2 00 Feeding steers, good... 5 00 do, common ... 2 50 to 3 06
Calves, choice ... 11 00 to 12 00
Milch cows, each ... 50 00 to 90 00
Springers, each ... 70 00 to 50
do, heavy ... 4 50
do, yearlings ... 70 00 to 50
do, heavy ... 12 00 to 12 25
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do, heavy ... 10 00 to 10 00
do, fo b. ... 9 25
do, to farmers ... 9 00 to 3 00

CHICAGO Ottawa, Dec. 14.—A report has been received regarding the car of British Columbia firsts eggs that arrived in Toronto two or three days ago. They cost 72c delivered. The freight charges from Vancouver to Toronto were about 9c a dozen. The eggs gave entire satisfaction, one important feature being western grasser their uniformity.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Cattle receipts 15,000; beef steers and yearlings unevenly weak to 25c lower, mostly 15@ 25c off, better grades reflecting westly in feature beef steers \$11.25; bulk native beef steers \$8.8.75; late supply western grasser their uniformity. Chicago, Dec. 14. - Cattle receipts United States eggs continue to arrive kinds mostly in feeder class; she stock slow, steady to weak; in-between grade freely. It is reported that one order glow, steady to weak; in-between grade for dressed turkeys have been filled by beef cows lower in spots; other classes a Toronto firm for Newfoundland. It generally steady; bulk desirable veal calves \$9.25@9.75; bulk desirable bologna Hog receipts 55,000; closed weak, 15 @20c lower; bulk 225 to 260 pound butchers \$8@8.05, few \$8.10 early; bulk

butchers \$8@8.05, IeW so.10 call, 150 to 200 pound average \$8.05@8.15; few \$8.15; packing sows \$7.25@7.75; desirable pigs around \$8. Holdover liberal at noon.

Sheep receipts 17,000; choice fat lamb Sheep receipts 17,000; choice fat lamisteady to weak; in-between grads weak to 15c lower, top \$15.50 to packer; bulk fat wooled lambs \$14.85@15.4; desirable 30-pound fed yearling wethes \$12.25; feeders fully steady, about 70 strong; feeding lambs \$14.65; shep around steady; fat ewes \$5@6; ligher weights up to \$7.75; one load 115-pound aged wethers \$7.75.

EAST BUFFALO.
East Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 15.—Catte—Receipts, 550; common slow.
Calves—Receipts, 1,200; active, 50c higher, 45@12 50.
Hogs—Receipts, 9,600; 10@25c lower: heavy. \$8 50; mixed. \$8 50@8 60; yorkers, \$8 65@8 75; light yorkers and bigs, \$8 75; roughs, \$7 25; stags, \$4 50@550.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,000; wothers 25c higher; lambs, \$@16; yearlings, \$6@13 50; wethers, \$3@3 75; ewes, \$2@7 75; mixed sheep, \$7 50@8.

LINSEED Duluth, Dec. 14. — Linseed: Dec., \$2.72½ asked; Jan., \$2.63 asked; May, \$2.45½ bid; July, \$2.43 asked. London, Dec. 14.—Close: Linseed—Calcutta, £20 103.

CHEESE

Montreal, Dec. 14. - Cheese, fine eastern, 191/2@20c. New York, Dec. 14.—Cheese receipts 2,135 boxes.

BUTTER AND EQ Montreal Dec. 14.—A condemand prevailed in the by A firm feeling prevailed prices fully maintained Butter—Choicest cref

Eggs-Fresh, 45@4 No. 1 stock, 35@36c. New York, Dec. receipts 7.748 tubs. Chicago, Dec. changed. Eggs higher. Re

first, 51c to 55c; to 50c; miscellan frigerator extras frigerator first,

Chicago, oushel, \$160

Montreal, De potatoes was

After That Only Minors May Be Bought To Strengthen.

Motion To Increase Roster To

50 Is Lost—Optioned

Players Increase.

New York, Dec. 14.—Major league baseball magnates in joint session to-day jammed the brakes on late season sales and deals and thus checked at least for a time, the outcry against the "buying of pennants." This was accomplished by the passing of a rule which prevents the transferring of players from one club to another in the major leagues without waiver process after June 15. Heretofore such deals were possible up to Aug. 1. Under the new regulation the manager of a team which by June 15 is not a strong pennant contender cannot increase the playing strength of his club except by purchase of players from the minor leagues.

PLAYER LIMIT

'orm L. and D. Cagers & No Trades After June 15 FORM L. AND O. CAGE

BODY TONIGHT Teams Are Warned To Send in Entries So Early Start May Be Made.

Formation of a London and District at the "Y" at 8 o'clock tonight. Juvenile. unior and intermediate or senior as hey elect to rate the latter, will be the three series run for a start.

The idea should go over big. It offers the ordinary chances to any teams and a good deal more competition to basket-ball players generally. Those who favor the idea will even concede the association may not be anything this year but "city league" in a disguise. They do maintain, however, that it has bigger arrivitious than the old city leagues used ambitions than the old city leagues used to have, and that a start has to be made

The juvenile age limit will be under ; the junior under 20 years.

Garrison Athletic Notes

The executive committee will meet in the lecture room of the armories at 8 p.m. sharp on Tuesday, Dec. 19. Many matters of importance, especially in connection with the boxing tournament on Dec. 29, will be discussed, and every member is urged to attend.

The rink at Wolseley Barracks now has a good sheet of ice. Units desiring of entering bockey teams should com-

of entering hockey teams should communicate with the secretary, Staff-Sergt, Rutherford, Wolseley Barracks, as practice hours can soon be arranged if the cold spell continues.

INDOOR STANDING.	
Unit.	W. I.
The W. O. R	2
The R. C. R	2
Westminster Hospital	1
1st Hussars	
Headquarters	1
12th Battery	1
C. A. S. C	0
Machine Guns	0
C. O. T. C	
Monday's games - 12th Ba	
Machine Guns; Westminster	
es C O TIC	

BRITISH RUGGER

London, Dec. 14.—(Canadian Press Cable.)—The following rugby football games, were played today:
Liverpool 0, Oxford Univ. 13.
Manchester 8, Cambridge Univ. 9.
County Championships.
At Blackheath—
Kent 11.

ent 11, Eastern Countles 0. Bedford— East Midlands 9, Leicestershire 10.

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1920 Touring, shocks, visor, accelerator 335

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 1919 Delivery, closed body
 165

 1918 Touring, McLaughlin Light Six
 250

 1920 Truck, stake body, closed cab 400 CASH OR TERMS.

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PHONE 1840-1841.

First race, 5½ furlongs, 3-year-olds and up—Luimeme, \$18.50, \$6.50, \$4.30. Star 112, Billy Bern 115, won; Bobbed Hair, \$4.30, \$3.60, second; Old Pop, \$35.60, third. Time, 1:08 2-5. Miss Caltha, Dr. D., Machine Gunner, Clark M., Big Son, Twenty-Seven, and Pittsburg also Tan.

1:52 3-5. Cavalcadour II., Kenward and Midia also ran.

Sixth, 6 furlongs: Count Boris, \$10, \$6.40, \$4.40, won; Double Eye, \$12.80, \$6.80, 2nd; Horace Lerch, \$8.40, 3rd. Time, 1:18. Neg, Eye Bright, Redman, George Muehlebach also ran.

Seventh, 5½ furlongs: Toombeola, \$8.40, \$2.80, \$2.60, won; Romulus, \$3.60, \$2.80, 2nd; Loch Leven, \$3.40, 3rd. Time, 1:10 3-5. She Devid, Cabin Creek, North Tower, Plow Steel, Doctor Tubbs and Controit also ran.

Fourth race, allowance, LaBarr, 3 years and up, one mile and a sixteenth — Plucky 103, Fannie Bean 103, Fantoche 112, Attaboy II. 106, Winnewood 112, Richelieu 106.

with the talso ran.

Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth-Belgian Queen, 6 to 1, 2 to 1, 4 to 5, won; Attrib.

Belgian Queen, 6 to 1, 2 to 1, 4 to 5, third. Time 1:49 3-5. Merchant, Dark florse, The Desert and King John ran.

Sixth race, mile and three-sixteenths

Light Wine, 5 to 2, even, 1 to 2, second; Johnny Overton, even, third. Time 2:03. Pit, Lucy Kate, Toss Up, Little Ed, Dadja, Warlike, Viva Cuba, Satana and Moody ran.

HAVANA RESULT:

Winnewood 112, Attaboy II. 106, Fifth race, 2 years, allowances, mile—Put and Take 102, Lady Inez in the compension to umpires in the world series was changed from a percentage of the players share to a flat sum of \$2,000 each per series.

Stump Jr. 105, Lady Mira 102, Irish Pat 105.

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Sixth race, claiming, 3 years, 11-16 miles—Ashlin 98, Grace Foster 98, Chatauguay 103, XLittle Patsy 101, XBravo 107, XMiracle Man 101, XBravo 107, Vanity Dresser 107, XHysteria 102, Radical 108, XBuxom 102, XHickory 107, Deep Sinker 106.

Weather cloudy; track slow. XApprentice allowance claimed.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

First race, malden, 2 years, 5½ furlongs—Putting Green 108, Par 31.

**Converting for each of the players shall par-tock. 31.

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Second race. 3 years and up, claiming, 5½ furlongs—Mooresque 104, xTimothy J. Hogan 105, Ruth Wehle 109 Juanita III. 111, Scarpia II. 112 xTwo Eyes 104, Puff Ball 107, Hatrack 110, xBloomington 112, Lui-

WILL NOT INTERFERE IN LYNCH-SMITH SCRAP

JEFFERSON PARK ENTRIES.

Jefferson Park entries for tomorrow:

First race, claiming, 3 years and up, maidens, mile—xWylie 108, xVella K. 105, xStraight Shot 105, Maggie Murphy 110, Forestierre 110, Anzena 113, Ula 110.

Second race, claiming, 3 years and up, 6 furlongs—Harvesy Smarr 115, xAnticipate 110, Helen Atkin 112, Edna D. 107, xCornstalk 107, xAlva 107, xLancelot 110, Dorfs 109, Louis

AS TRADE LIMIT

LORD WOOLAVINGTON IS
LEADING "FLAT" WINNER

London, Dec. Z.—(Canadian Press, by Mail.)—Complete figures for the flat racing season, which closed last week, are now available and show Lord Woolavington as heading the list of winning owners, the nine horses racing under his colors winning 21 races for a total value of \$160,450. Lord Woolavington a year ago. The earnings of the royal



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HAVANA RESULTS.

ran.
Second race, 3 years and up. 5½
furlongs—Carrie Moore, \$5.10, \$3.10,
\$2.60, 1; Valentine d'Or, \$5.50, \$3.60,
2; Black Top, \$3.60, 3 Time, 1:07.

chine Gunner, Clark M., Big Son, Twenty-Seven, and Pittsburg also are the conde race, 3 years and up, 54, furiongs—Garrie Moore, 55.06, 35.06, 10, 32.60, 1: Valentine d'Or, \$5.50, 33.60, 2: Black Top, \$3.60, 3 Time, 1:07. Chevaller, Harry Glover, Endman and Cavaller also ran.

The condens of the condens o III, Dominator III, Norford's Honey 97, Krippen II4.

Fifth race, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards — xRhymer 108, Count Boris II5, Conichon II5, xDora 107, xW. G. McClintock 107, xYermak 110, xDouble Van II0.

Sixth race, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, one mile — My Rose 102, xChristie Holters 104, xDissolute 105, xVic II5, xArgonne Forest 107, xMollie Barnes II0.

Seventh race, claiming, 5 fyrlongs, 3-year-olds and up—Corn Cutter 96, Kinglike II0, xCoca Cola 107, xChief Barthell 102, xEthel Brown 101, Dr. Johnson III, xSam Reh 107, xBill Blackwell 104.

HIL'S Team Beat

Newell's At C. C. I.

Two semi-final games were played at the Collegiate gym this afternoon. Hill's team met Newell's team in the consolation series, and the former conquered, 14—8. The game was fast and well played. Murray, Hill and Back were the pick for the one side, while Newell and Morris did the scoring for the other side.

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His Drives Reach Over Three

Hundred Feet When He's

BY HENRY L. FARRELL.

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The line-ups:
First Game.

MISERY AND DEATH | JAPANESE SHUN IN GEM'S WAKE

Famous Orlov Diamond, Stolen From Temple, Brings Woe to Various Owners.

It is an admitted fact that certain world-famous gems have brought to in Japan against militarism is going their possessors failure, disaster and to the extreme, so much so that the death, and one of the most famous of army is put on the defensive. The

from the temple by a Frenchman, who was an escaped convict. He fled with it to the Indian border, and lay there awaiting a chance to get into Persia. Time after time he was an escaped convict. He fled with it to the Indian border, and lay there awaiting a chance to get into Persia. Time after time he was on the resistant of the same and the was on the point of being captured,

Persian princes. While he was negotiating for its sale he was scared by the discovery that the news of the Another feature of the anti-mili-

had begun and in terror of the law tories on land and sea, with requests that these tributes to militarism be anyone found with stolen property—sold it secretly to an Armenian merchant named Shafras, reputed to be one of the wealthiest diamond brokers in Persia

For many months Shafras remained quiet about his diamond. Finally he sold his business and started out on his long journey disguised as a merchant.

left calf and there embedded the stone, afterward sewing up the cut

the was unaware that by this that been fairly accurately traced. The Jew Stein had been questioned under were quickly afterwards did to the Merrimac. However, when the Japanese came home they brought a few torture by the authorities, and he had told them not only how he had obtained the diamond, but also where he had sold it—namely, to an Armenian merchant whose name he

did not know. Shafras, of course, was ignorant of this incident, and when he reached the frontier and was questioned as to who he was and whither he was bound, he boldly replied that he was an Armenian merchant, and that he was bound for Russia to meet rela-

were aroused. They arrested Shafras and cast him into prison. He was searched but no diamond was found. Shafras was released, but the money he had had in his purse was not returned.

was not returned.
Reduced by these straits, he at length entered the town of Orenberg, where he encountered a small colony of Armenians. To them he appealed for help, stating that he was on his length entered the town of Orenberg, wonderful in confection and nearly as expensive as the hats with which they are to be worn.

That there is nothing so charming the smith that he had been the smith they are to be worn.

That there is nothing so charming the smith that he had been the smith the smit way north, and that he had been robbed. They made a collection for him, and presented him with suf-

his journey to St. Petersburg (as Petrograd was then named).

It so happened that when Shafras surrived Catherine the Great—that brilliant and extravagant woman—was in the capital. No time was lost by Shafras seeking an audience of her, and, though at first refused formattance, he at last gained the l royal interest and confided that he had great possessions to sell.

Shafras then took a knife from his drdle and, reopening his wound, rew out the diamond and held it before the surprised empress de her crowd of courtiers. "I have come," he said, "to offer ou the greatest diamond in the orld. No other is like it. None is

pure, so flawless, so magnificent. give you the first offer of becoming Shafras was asked what he wanted

it. He replied that he wanted that was then the equivalent to \$200, "Do you know that I could keep the diamond and have you thrust into a Siberian prison?" cried Cath-

"I know it," replied Shafras, "but tou are too good and too beautiful to take advantage of a poor man." It must be granted that the reply Bishop of London Raises a proved Shafras was something of a courtier.

He was disappointed, nevertheless, at the reception he had received, for he had counted on Catherine buying the beautiful stone. Shafras, who well knew the value and marketable properties of the stone, began another long journey-this time to Amster-

He had reached the Dutch city and of diamond merchants when he was stopped in the street by the servant of an important person with the request that he would assert that he was a state of the would assert that he was a state of the would assert that he was a state of the would be with the way of congregations of the would be well as the would be with the way of the would be with the way of the would be with the way of the wa quest that he would accompany the servant to a certain house. Shafras was led to a large house of

palatial aspect and was there ushered into a room where sat Count Orlov, the lover of Catherine, and one of the most wealthy men in Europe. Shafras had raised his price, but

he got terms from the count which he would have obtained from nobody He received on the spot the sum of

5352,500 down, and it was arranged that he should travel back to Russia with the count. He was there to re-ceive an annuity of 2,000 roubles and

a patent of nobility.

It was in this way that the famous diamond received its name—Orlov.
When the pair arrived back in
Russia the count made no attempt to retreat from his bargain. He assisted Shafras to take out his patent of

nobility and advised him to change his name to that of Lazarev. After this had been satisfactorily arranged there came from India a prince, who, thus traveling through Russia, happened to be shown the diamond. He at once identified the stone and related the strange story that there was a curse on it, and that it had been decreed that the dynasty which accepted it as a royal decoration would fall in blood and treachery.

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Newest Swing of Popular Opinion.

Tokio, Dec. 15 .- The popular swing such gems is the great Orlov diaAond,

The Orlov diamond adorned the imperial sceptre of Russia. It was conduct that there can be no comments, is as to just what has become

those who bear arms.
Is Great Comedown.
This is a decided reversal of what was on the point of being captured, but after many privations he managed at last to enter Persia with his prize, and at length—at Basrah—a Jew named Stein offered the exconvict \$5,000 for the stone, and became its owner. The first thing the Frenchman did their profession are finding it diffiwas to leave the country and return home. Stein, however, held on to the diamond, believing he could sell it in the bazaars or perhaps to one of the Pagesian princes of the return the fact that the average officer is not well paid may

Another feature of the anti-militheft had been sent through from India to the shah, and that the Persian authorities were issuing a reward for the capture of the thief.

Stein broke off the negotiations he ments commemorating Japanese victories.

to make way for a street car track. while a few years ago the track builders would have very humbly built around the statue, saluting it as they did so.

Criticize Ear Tomb.

uised as a merchant.

Shafras cut a deep wound in his off calf and there embedded the tone, afterward sewing up the cut stone, afterward sewing up the cut with silver thread. He pretended that he had been wounded by falling on a sword, and he rested in an inn unfil the wound was so far healed that the thread could not be drawn out.

He was unaware that by this time the diamond's movements had been fairly accurately traced.

The Jew

BACK IN PARI

as Expensive as Hats They're. Worn With.

Paris, Dec. 15 .- Veils are makin

tident money to enable him to make to use or even an elaborate picture his Journey to St. Petersburg (as hat, from under which can be seen H.

WOULD CLOSE ALL

Stormy Protest-49 Edi-

erable number of churches, some of them very old and famous, will be closed forthwith and their dwindling congregations instructed to worship elsewhere. In the city of London that small section in the very heart of the metropolis, which is governed by the lord mayor and the aldermen, the oldest part of London as a whole and the site of St. Paul's Cathedral

Raises Storm of Protest.
Of course, it has raised a deafening storm, but the plucky old bishop with the pink face, the cultured voice and the fearless heart will care no more for this than he has cared for other storms-such, for instance, as three celebrated and very powerfu and very dignified profiteers of high degree sitting in his congregation during the war, and preached es-pecially for their benefit, almost drivhis listeners two women of high posi-tion in society, but heroines of un-

hath joined together . . . "
"No one," said he, as he fired this most recent bombshell, which will close many old, celebrated churches, "can defend the retention of 49 edifices in the city where Sunday ser-vices are attended only by hands-

full. It is ridiculous."
Shock to Tradition. It was an immense shock to British tradition and a greater one to the small army of clergy and attendants, who for years have been fussily busy

paid to attend on them. This is the fact that up till now they have stripped from the regalia by Lenine and now lies in Moscow, the ancient capital of Bolshevik Russia.

In its rough state it was originally the eye of an idol in a temple at Trichinopoli, in India. It was stolen from the temple by a Frenchman.



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The suspicions of the authorities Wonderful Creations Nearly

EMPTY CHURCHES

fices May Be Shut.

London, Dec. 15. — The bravest churchman England has seen in many years is the venerable and revered Bishop of London, who recently has shown new and rather startling heroism by declaring it unreasonable to

year's Sundays.

The result will be that a considthis order will be most importantly

felt. ing them, red-faced and infuriated, from the pews, or that which blew great guns when he witnessed among savory cases and forthwith dropped the text which he had chosen and thundered forth another: "What God

pews in the ancient and almost de-serted sanctuaries.

But, in plain fact, the expense of keeping many of these churches open has long been a burden on the treas-ury. It is a tradition of one of them

Military in Great Disfavor in one a single attendant at services and was visited on week days only by American tourists interested in it because it plays a part in one of Dickens' novels. Yet it always has been fully staffed.

And another curious detail has come out with regard to these churches, deserted by all save those



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the lightweights, and are now well up

Standing.

| Won. | 17 | Flappers | 12 | Lightweights | 10 | Huskies | 9 | Elms- | Miss Colquhoun | 134 | 116 | 9 | Miss McLeish | 108 | 142 | 8 | Miss Dunlop | 95 | 93 | 136 |

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Miss Cornelius's crew of Huskies took three games from the Flappers. Miss E. Walton was high with 173, and a total of 409. The Elms won three from

These beautiful veils and the man-
ner in which the putting of one on
a hat changes the creation is truly
remarkable. There is a tendency to
ornament the veil with flowers deli-
cately embroidered in the fine tex-
ture, which gives a pretty effect.
Rhododendrons, roses and other
flowers are in profusion in the lower
part of the veil, which may be worn
either at the front or at the back
of the hat. Another pretty veil is
all in black with several white flow-
ers relieving the somber note, while
in other veils more startling designs
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per 15c	per 180
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SMYTH MONUMENT WORKS.

BORN, MARRIED, DIED

ENGAGEMENTS.

DIED.

OSBORNE—James Osborn, dearly be-loved husband of Annie Osborn, aged 34 years, suddenly at Carlisle, on Dec. 14, 1922.

RUSSELL—At the family residence, 912 William St., on Thursday, Dec. 14, 1922, Robert Russell, aged 87 years. Funeral private from the above ad-

Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

IN MEMORIAM.

Funeral from his late residence Carlisle), on Saturday, Dec. 16, 1922, tt 10 o'clock. Interment at Wood-

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land Cemetery.

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taining small sum of money and re-turn ticket to Ingersoll. Reward, 104

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In the meantime different local organizations have contributed funds for the relief of the more immediate needs of the homeless wanderers, who are hoping something will turn up so that they may continue their voyage to Hong Kong, Manila or some other warmer and more hospitable port.

NATIONAL MEMORIAL TO "TEDDY" IS PLANNED

Washington, Dec. 15.—A national memorial to President Roosevelt was discussed here on Thursday at a meeting of the Roosevelt Memorial Association, of which Elihu Root is chairman. Several forms of memorials were considered, but a decision was postponed to a later meeting to be called by Mr. Root.

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COURT UNLESS I RETRACT IT THROUGH THE PAILY PRESS-WOULD YOU DO



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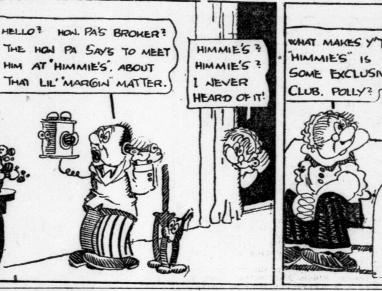




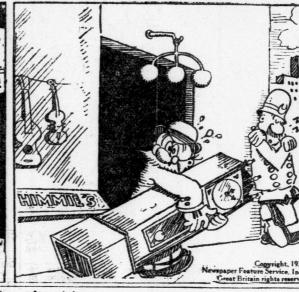
POLLY AND HER PALS

Time is Money, Oh, My, Yes.

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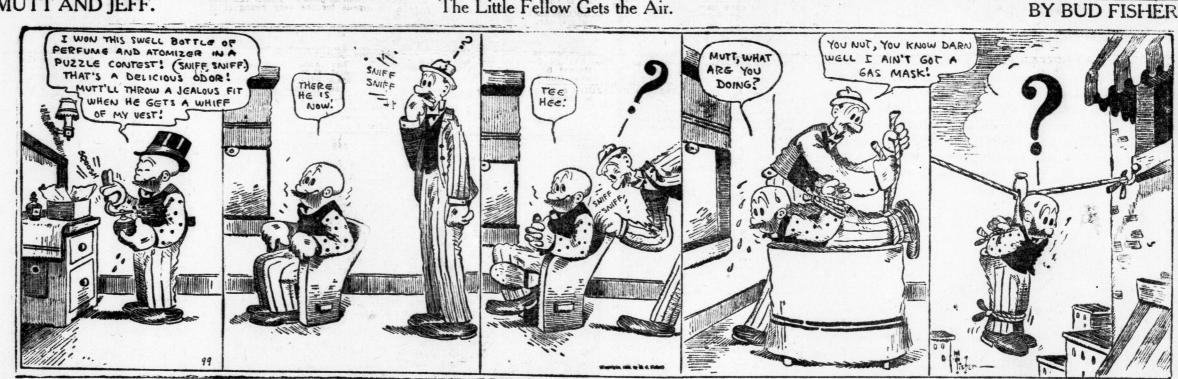






MUTT AND JEFF.

The Little Fellow Gets the Air.



TOOTS AND CASPER

Casper Gums Things Up a Bit, It Appears.

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W. WANTS SO
I COULD GIVE HER OH - UH - BY THE WAY -TOLD HIM TO 11 4 !! 4 !! - WOW NOW IF YOU WELL- !!-? ONE OF THE BOYS AT THE OFFICE ASKED ME ASK YOU - AS SHE'S RE HER -A A COUPE -! --I THINK A ABOUT THE SAME AGE AND WOULD LIKE ABOUT THE SAME WHAT WOULD MAN' I WAS THINKIN NICE LITTLE WHAT I THOUGHT'D
BE A NICE GIFT FOR
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William Jennings Bryan speaking at the laying of the cornerstone of the Scottish Rite Masonic Cathedral



Gladys Burns of Illinois, secretary to the woman member of the U. S. congress, Mrs. Huck.



Twenty people were killed and scores injured in Mexico City when mounted police fired into a group of workingmen who had gathered before the city hall to protest against lack of water. Photo shows autos leading funeral procession of the victims.



Mrs. MaeBlenn Ford (right) is under arrest in Detroit charged with offering \$20,000 for a gunman to kill her husband, Ney J. Ford (left), of Dearborn, who says he is a relative of Henry Ford. Mrs. Ford, according to the police, attempted to hire a in Toledo who refused to do the job, but recommended a friend in Detroit known as "Eddie the Gun." Edward Kunath, lieutenant of detectives, posed as the gunman and says he made arrangements to kill Mr. Ford. Three detectives listened in on the conversation.



Jimmy Murphy (left), who won the 250-mile motor race and \$11,000 at Los Angeles. Ernie Olson (right) is his mechanician.



Marguerite Martin of Tyner, Minnesota, has won first prize in a contest to find wellbuilt boys and girls. She is 15 years old, weighs 116 pounds, and is 5 feet, 31/2 inches in height.



A London, England, barber shop has installed a radio receiving set for the benefit of patrons while they wait and while they are being shaved.



Eugene Berue, a street cleaner of Elizabeth, New Jersey, is still on the job, although it is announced that his wife's brother, Michael Kelly, a real estate operator, has died and left them \$1,000,000. Berue says "safety first" and will stay on the job until the money is actually in their



There are hand painted flowers on the skirt of this evening gown.



Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. Gowan of Chicago, who have just returned from a honeymoon cruise around the world in their own yacht, Speejacks, also shown here.



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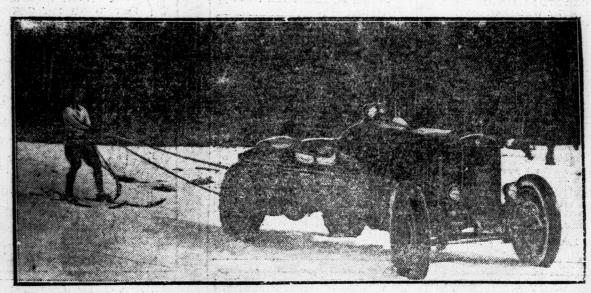
Mme. Tamaki Miura, Japanese star of the Metropolitan Opera Company (left), and Dorothy Jardon of the San Carlo Opera, who called on President Harding the other day.



Kitty Rachman, dancer, singer and musician, returning on the Berengaria from a European tour wearing very long boots, indeed.



Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bignoli, midget couple of circus fame, sailing from New York on the S.S. Conte Rossi for their honeymoon in Italy. He is 44 inches high; she is 48 inches.



Ski-ing behind an automobile is a sport being enjoyed this winter in the Rockies.



Where Tim Healey, the new governor-general of the Irish Free State, will live. The vice-regal lodge in Phoenix Park, Dublin.