

T. EATON CO. LIMITED
190 Yonge St. Canada's Greatest Store. Toronto.

Good-Bye to '96.

To-day we close the record of a successful year; to-morrow the store will be closed; Saturday will bring new ambition and new enthusiasm; and next week will open out in lively shape bigger business for January.

1896 has been the best of years, full of trade increase and ripe with ideas for advancement. We're bigger now than we were—the store is better every way.

Flannelettes. Heaviest and Best Quality 10-oz. Cottonades, choice selection of patterns in stock, checks and plain mixtures, per yard.

Furs. Ladies' Bear Muffs, made from the finest dark cut bear, elder-down filling, very best satin linings, extra large size, 10.00.

Men's Furnishings. Men's Flannelette Night Robes, extra large size, 1.00. Men's Heavy Scotch Mottled Underwear, shirt and drawers, double-breasted, 1.00.

Shirtings. 25-inch "Crinkle" Oxford Shirting, in solid and broken checks, light and dark colorings, all fast colors, per yard.

Cottonades. Cottonades, 8-oz assorted, in all the latest patterns in stripes and checks and plain grey and brown mixtures, per yard.

It's a wise plan to send to us, no matter what you need. We're able to buy and sell cheaper than any other store in Canada, and it won't take you long to find that out.

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THE TORONTO WORLD
ONE CENT MORNING PAPER
NO. 23 YONGE STREET, TORONTO.

THE WORLD AND THE MAYORALTY.
The News deliberately misquotes The World when it states the latter is supporting Mayor Fleming because he has come round to The World's views on the Sunday car question.

Mayor Fleming Had Two Rousing Receptions in the West.
His Clear-Cut Policy was Almost Unanimously Endorsed in Wardell's Hall and the West End Y.M.C.A. Building—Ald. McMurich's Cool Reception in Brockton—He Also Had a Small Gathering in the Masonic Hall, Parkdale.

THE ROBBING.
The evil effect of refusing to accept the Hamilton tender for iron pipe on the ground that the tender, although the lowest, was not a resident of Toronto, has already begun to manifest itself.

ONE FARE TO THE ISLAND.
The agreement with the Street Railway Company making the Island a part of the company's system with one single fare from any part of the city to the Island, is a project which has been the subject of much discussion.

THE BEGINNING OF THE END.
The World is rather pleased to witness the battle that is now raging in Quebec between the hierarchy and the Roman Catholic people.

MR. PRUE WAS SHOT.
Port Rowan, Ont., Dec. 29.—Yesterday about noon a number of residents within their bounds drove some four or five miles in the country, intending to spend the day in the woods.

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS FOR WEAK PEOPLE.
Have You Palpitation, Throbbing or Irregular Beating of the Heart? If So, Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will cure you.

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Have You Shortness of Breath, Distress after Exertion, a Smothering Feeling, Spasms, or Pain through the Breast or Heart? If So, Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will cure you.

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Have You a Feeling of Anxiety that something is going to occur which you do not wish to see? If So, Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will remove it.

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Have You Trouble with Sleeplessness, Nervousness, Forgetfulness, Brain Fog, or General Debility—the after effect of La Grippe? If So, you can take no better medicine than Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

ADVANCE IN WHEAT.
That was one of the features that impressed Wall-Street yesterday. The wheat market advanced today.

PARSON PROVIDES CHRISTMAS REEF.
Every portion of England has its Christmas customs, and the village in Herefordshire, about 150 miles from London, has a harmless Christmas custom still observed, the origin of which no man can trace.

GLASGOW GOT THE PLUM.
The Customs vacancy at the Falls Mill Municipal Asylum—The New Brides and the Old.

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The Builders' Laborers' Union, at their annual meeting in Temperance Hall, evening, elected officers as follows: President, A. Whittier; vice-president, George Parker; recording secretary, J. Campbell; financial secretary, S. Archer; assistant secretary, J. Patterson; treasurer, G. T. Beale; auditors, J. Bushell, R. Reddell, W. Woodgate; Executive Committee, J. Bushell, R. Reddell, S. Archer, J. Patterson, G. T. Beale, W. Woodgate, J. B. Reddell, S. Archer, J. Patterson, G. T. Beale, W. Woodgate.

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DO NOT DRINK CHEAP INFERIOR TEA. It is sure to be injurious.

LIDELLA CEYLON TEA. Can be procured from any grocer for a song, and being strictly pure, recommends itself to the economical house-keeper.

BLACK OR MIXED GUINANE'S. 210 YONGE STREET, Dec. 31st.

The Store will be open to-night until 10 o'clock. Never in the proudest moments of our great Shoe career have we had such brilliant values to offer you.

Transactions so quick, We sell for cash—to the wearer.

A FEW OF TO-DAY'S PRICES: 300 pairs Cordovan Walking Boots, needle and opera toes, regular \$2, to-day.

240 pairs French Calf Lace Boots, Goodyear welts, regular \$3, to-day.

120 pairs Boston Calf Lace Boots, sewed, solid leather, sizes 6 to 8, regular \$1.75, to-day.

Peerless French Calf, lace and button, tan, med. tan, seal brown, carmine and wine col.; needle, razor and coin toe; 1/2 sizes and widths, Goodyear welts, regular \$4, special to-day.

Dongola Walking Boots, extension soles, button and lace, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, regular \$1.50, to-day.

200 pairs of Trimby's Brewster's celebrated shoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, in AA, A and B widths, regular \$5.00, special to-day.

3 in. chaper grades we offer Ladies' Felt Shoes, Slippers Misses' German Felt Slippers Children's German Felt Slippers

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E. A. MACDONALD FOR WARD THREE.

Address of the Aqueductor to the Electors of the Business Ward.

A STRONG STATEMENT.

And One That Ought to Secure His Return by a Substantial Majority, if Not at the Head of the Poll.

To the Electors of Ward Three: Ladies and Gentlemen,—There are times when we can afford to indulge in the pleasure of voting for public men on personal or party grounds. There are times when no great work or principle is involved, and we can allow our mere likes or dislikes or trading propensities to govern us in the exercise of our franchise; and there are times when the fate of a great city, or even an empire may depend upon the marking of a SINGLE BALLOT.

We are in the midst of a crisis. However desirable it may be to conceal our true condition from the outside world, it is not our duty to do so. We are in a position where our eyes to the actual state of affairs particularly when a knowledge of the facts will enable us to deliver ourselves individually and collectively from the impending panic, the like of which this community has never seen. The clarity may be averted in a perfectly natural and legitimate way, but only by your consent and co-operation.

The wealth of Johannesburg, Rosebank and other nature reports of the precious metals was three thousands of years ago, when the public had no knowledge of them, and made to serve the ends of civilization.

At our doors we have a mine of wealth compared with which the places named sink into insignificance. We have the means at our disposal of making Toronto a greater power centre than the world famous Niagara, and the power that can be developed at our doors can be developed when the wheels of commerce are many times cheaper than the same volume of power at Niagara.

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HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS.

In a state of nature. It is worth more than that to us, but it is almost impossible for the natural state of affairs to be realized. I have thus far referred to power development only. There is sufficient latent power in the waters of the Hamber, Credit and Simcoe waterfalls in the west of Toronto to supply the needs of a million people and make Toronto the greatest metal smelting and refining centre in the world.

Intelligence and loyalty to home interests would investigate them. Some say, "We did investigate your ship canal scheme 30 or 40 years ago." That is not true. This is an entirely different matter, and the facts and data of 30 and 40 years ago bear upon the same relation and application to the modern proposition and the methods of carrying it out as a stage coach would to a well equipped modern railway.

Two-thirds of this great Province lie to the north of Lake Simcoe and the Georgian Bay. The greater part of it is as yet unexplored. This is one of the richest timber and mineral centres in the world. Freight can be transported by water nearly everywhere in this Province, and the light of the route of navigation by about 600 miles the round trip by means of this deep modern waterway, and the population of our own Province and the populated centres of the East would quadruple the value of our great heritage and make it tributary to the trade and commerce of Toronto.

We propose to ask the Government and Legislature of Ontario to assist this enterprise. Will the Ontario Government be apt to do this, think you, if we, the people of Toronto, are totally indifferent? The Dominion Government has expended nearly \$20,000,000 in the construction and enlargement of the now practically useless Welland Canal. We propose to ask the Dominion Government to take stock and become partners in this enterprise in order to develop the trade and commerce of this vast area. We are apt to get the ear of the Government only when the press and representatives of the people of Toronto treat the matter with ridicule or the utmost hostility and indifference. You should be assured to expect it. If you want this great productive, unexplored mining work of the cause with your votes, and in order to give you an opportunity of doing so, I have become a candidate for the office of Alderman for Ward 3 for 1897.

My friends in Ward 1 are abundantly able and most willing to elect me. I appreciate their kindness and interest, and their chief office at their hands would only deprive the cause of the support of some other representatives, as Ward 1 will elect four friends of the undertaking in any case. But apart from this, I desire to represent the business centre of this great city. I desire when by J. Connel to represent the most wealthy and populous ward in the city, a ward that has hitherto elected men noted for their unscrupulous hostility to this enterprise. I want to

TAKE THE CITIZEN.

The attitude of our representatives in the past has been such that capital and enterprise have been driven from our gates under the false plea of economy. From several trusts economy does not consist in a donning policy. The economy consists in a judicious expenditure of money in

AT THE DRYGOODS ONLY.

Thursday, 31st December, 1896.

ODD CURTAINS.

We have made a special collection of odd pairs of Nottingham lace and other fine fabrics, which we are offering at \$10, \$11, \$12, \$13, \$14, \$15, \$16, \$17, \$18, \$19, \$20, \$21, \$22, \$23, \$24, \$25 and \$26 per pair.

ODD LINEN DAMASKS.

We are showing a large collection of Linen Damask Table Cloths and Table Napkins, odd numbers. From several extra extensive purchases, which we are clearing out at bargain rates.

ODD BLANKETS.

About ninety pairs of Fine Wool Blankets, full bed size, special finish, comprising several lines of arrangements and clearing out at \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3 per pair.

FIDER DOWNS.

A special lot of Elder Down Quilts, consisting of the sixteen in handsome patterns; extra; at \$5 and \$6 each.

MANTLE CLEARING.

The balance of this season's importations of coats, jackets, capes and ulsters, all being cleared out at genuine reductions of from twenty-five to fifty per cent.

FIFTY PER CENT.

of marked prices. We are determined not to carry one single garment over to next season. This is how do it: IF ORDERING BY MAIL.

The work is perpetual in its nature, and will endure as long as water runs by THE OMNIPOTENT LAW of gravitation. Our use of this great gift of nature will

remunerative, productive work. I am in favor of A DEVELOPMENT POLICY.

I am in favor of enterprise. I am opposed to a policy of stagnation and decay.

I ask you to allow all other questions to remain in abeyance for one year. Do not let us waste our energy by dividing upon all sorts of abstract questions. Let this year be a year of action.

NEGATIVE POLICY.

Of retrenchment will avail nothing when there is nothing left to retrench with.

I ask you to consider the interested hostility of the world to this enterprise. On Dec. 9 The Globe characterized the company's project as an impossibility. For years the same has been said by some of the securities of that great enterprise, and progress and costing the company many millions of dollars.

THE PUBLIC DON'T KNOW.

At its conclusion The World learned that a big majority of those present were strongly adverse to street cars running on the Island. It was argued that it was a matter for consideration twenty years hence, but at present for many reasons it would be inadvisable. A canal along the Island was a more popular idea with the meeting.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: Henry Wade, president; W. K. McNaught, vice-president; Messrs. C. E. Goad, Goldman Flynn, Wm. Ward, ex-Ald. Irwin, E. Watson, E. Bowles, L. H. Moffatt, Frank Rolph, Wm. Armstrong, T. W. Dymas, J. T. Signal, Patterson, J. W. Leach, committee; Gerald Wade, secretary; treasurer; E. R. C. Clarkson, auditor.

A RADICAL CHANGE.

A Hamilton Lady Undergoes an Experience and Relates the History of a Severe Trial.

Mrs. James Graham, 280 James-street north, Hamilton, wife of the well-known grocer at that address, relates the following circumstances. Mr. and Mrs. Graham have resided in Hamilton for the past fourteen years, and are very well and favorably known in the city.

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REMOVAL SALE.

New in your select from one of the finest assortments of similar clothing. Prices will surprise you. Call and inspect.

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\$30,000 Stock Must be Sold.

W. A. MURRAY & CO.

17 to 27 King-St. E. and 10 to 14 Colborne-St., TORONTO.

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Closing Words

WE are at the parting of the roads. The story of today is the last talk of the old year and tells of the first shot to be fired at the opening of the New Year.

Saturday will be a particularly interesting day in all parts of the house. We believe in setting the ball rolling at once and in good form. Every item that follows is a marked item for the first business day of 1897.

There is to be a daily unfolding of plans for the New Year, but let the hint be given here that they will be of a character that will make this store news of daily interest to thousands of shoppers in city and country. You can less afford to skip it than you can the most interesting local item in the pages of the paper.

Special Saturday Selling of Men's Goods.

Men's Clothing. Here are some particularly interesting items laid out specially for Saturday's business. It will be a lively day in these departments of the store that cater to the wants of men.

Men's Black and Brown Fedoras, Impending English felt, good leather sweats and silk bindings, reg. \$2.50 to \$4.00, special, \$1.50. Men's Silk Hats, latest English of American styles, lined with heavy wools, Russian leather soles, best silk linings, reg. \$5 hat, special, \$3.50.

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OUR MEMBERS OF THE ROAD.

Commercial Travelers in Annual Session.

R. J. ORR THE PRESIDENT.

It Was One of the Hottest Fights Known to the Organization.

The Winner Beat His Opponent, Mr. Ansley, by 187 Votes—There Was Also a Lively Race for the Directorships—The Figures of the Vote—Excellent Showing of the Annual Report—The Gratuity Fund in Good Shape—Actuary's Report—Matters of Interest to the Men Who Build Up Trade.

The twenty-fourth annual meeting of the Commercial Travelers' Association of Canada was in progress in Shaftesbury Hall all day yesterday. There was a good attendance of members.

Gray was in the chair, and associated with him on the platform were ex-Presidents A. A. Allan, J. C. Black, John Burns, C. C. Van Norman and Hugh Blain.

On motion of J. C. Black and Mr. Caldwell, it was decided to close the ball box at 12 o'clock noon.

THE ANNUAL REPORT.

The annual report was submitted and showed that a total of \$22,654 had been paid out as gratuity benefits. Accident payments amounted to \$112,156. During the year the receipts amounted to \$24,867, while the expenditures had been \$44,457.67, leaving a balance to be applied to the permanent reserve fund of \$10,664.04.

A PROPOSED CHANGE.

The chief matter of business taken up at the morning session was the discussion of a proposed amendment by Mr. William Van Dyke to the effect that the assessment system should be so arranged that older members should get the maximum amount, \$100, for the fixed annual assessment of \$10.

RETIRING PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

The first matter of importance at the afternoon session was the retiring president's address. "The past year," he said, "has been a quiet one in the history of the association."

MORTUARY LIABILITIES.

"As stated in the report, our mortuary liabilities have increased during the year that is past, as indeed they must continue to do from year to year as our membership increases and grows older."

THE RELIEF FUND.

"The relief fund, as mentioned in the report, is the most important adjunct of the association's work, and is a very sorry to say, not supported in the slightest manner."

Queen's University Graduates.

The first regular meeting of the association lately formed by the graduates and alumni of Queen's University in Toronto was held on the evening of Tuesday, Jan. 5, at 8 o'clock.

THE GROWTH OF MINING.

"The reference in the report to the prospective improvement of business owing to the expansion of our mineral resources is not intended as a boom for the various mining companies who are seeking to dispose of treasury stock, but rather to congratulate the members and the transportation companies on the extension of commerce to centres opened by recent enterprise."

THE DEPARTMENTAL STORE.

The president then called on Capt. and ex-President McMaster to address the meeting. Capt. McMaster spoke at some length on the effect of the departmental store on the trade of the country. He advised the members to consider well these effects and concluded by presenting the president with a bunch of beautiful sunset roses.

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THE ACTUARY SPEAKS. Mr. William McCabe, the actuary of the association, in referring to the mortuary benefit fund spoke of the gratifying features of the fund, especially the unequalled position the association had attained.

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STAKING CLAIMS IN SNOW

OF PORT ARTHUR MINEING LAWS.

Govin and Miller of the Kingston School of Mining Visit the Marmora District With Their Students—The Eastern Mining Syndicate—The Growth of Johannesburg and Similar Expectations in Ontario—General Mining News

In the person of Mr. A. E. Hogue of London, Eng., there passed through Toronto yesterday a man whose visit to this country is likely to have considerable effect upon the development of Western Ontario's mineral resources.

In October last Mr. Hogue came out in this country to look at a property in the Selkirk region. So favorably impressed with the district did he become that, after examining the claim, he hastened back to the Old Land, and organized a strong company with a view to carrying on mining operations in this province. This organization, which is known as the Universal Exploration Syndicate of London, Eng., is composed of ten British millionaires and multi-millionaires, of whom Messrs. Mack and Manson, the iron kings, of London, are two.

Having thus organized the English trust for the enterprise, Mr. Hogue took ship again for Canada, arriving at Port Arthur a second time about ten days ago. But he had just begun to examine the properties under his option when a cablegram was received suddenly to England on private business. He will return to Canada again within thirty days, and continue the work of obtaining control of properties.

The claims he has already looked at are located at Port Cameron, near Jackfish Bay, and he has under option a number of areas in the Sawhill neighborhood and in other parts of the Selkirk region.

Mr. Hogue was born in Australia, and spent forty years in the gold fields of the antipodean continent, so he knows something of mining and mining matters. It is therefore reasonable to know that before he went east he stated most emphatically that Ontario's gold fields are far ahead of the Australian deposits, both in richness and situation.

STAKING OUT SNOW BANKS.

New Ontario Mining Law is Now Urgently Demanded.

Mr. J. O'Connor, President of the Port Arthur Board of Trade and Vice-President of the Moon mine on Jackfish Bay, is staying at the Queen's.

Talking to The World Mr. O'Connor said that the Moon is looking well with good veins showing. The tunnel is in 50 feet, and the outlook is bright.

Mr. O'Connor says that a great boom is expected in the Lake of the Woods and the Selkirk region. He says that before the snow fell in the fall remarkable discoveries of gold were made on the Fraser and other properties, two miles north of the Emerald and Moon mines. Assays of the ore were as high as \$10 to the ton, and in some cases a high percentage of silver besides, and as a result all the land in the district is being grabbed up.

Mr. O'Connor says that Northwest Ontario has two great veins; first, the Rainy River two great veins; second, a radical change in the mining laws. As to the first-named vein Mr. O'Connor asserts that the projected railway would make this vein a reality, and the largest gold-bearing territory in the world.

As to the second-named vein, Mr. O'Connor says that the Provincial mining laws, Mr. O'Connor, like many other intelligent men, maintains that people who take up claims should be compelled by statute to do a certain amount of development work on each area every year. If such a law was enforced, he would, instead of taking up whole sections of country, merely stake out as many claims as they could carry out, and the result would be, that up for speculative purposes.

The adoption of such a policy would result in the sinking of ten or twenty shafts where one is put down now, and the whole country would be full of mines in active operation.

And incidentally, Mr. O'Connor adds, the great demand for labor at the mines that would ensue, and the real prosperity that would attend the development would entail, would mean the speedy solution of the Dominion Government's immigration problem.

B. C. ORES IN LONDON.

What the C. P. R. is Doing to Advertise Our Gold Mines.

Says the New York Engineering and Mining Journal: The new mining districts in British Columbia are receiving powerful aid in advertising their future possibilities from the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, a corporation which, of course, has a very strong interest in promoting settlement and business in that province, which at present furnishes it with an amount of traffic not at all satisfactory. The Canadian Pacific Company has already done a great deal in promoting interest in British Columbia mines in the eastern provinces of the Dominion, where a good deal of capital has been invested. More recently it has opened a special exhibition of samples of ores at its London offices, where they have been seen by a large number of persons. The company does not undertake to advertise individual mines, but districts, and the interest of owners who wish to be promoted thereby will be promoted by the exhibition of the ores. The exhibition, of course, being to assist anything which will bring traffic to its headquarters for mining companies of all kinds of British Columbia mines in London, but the time at present is not all that propitious, and the interest but little chance for a new district with the present depression in South African and Western Australian mining shares passes over.

JOHANNESBURG'S GROWTH.

Will Rat Portage and Rossland Become as Big Some Day?

should prove of interest. Johannesburg keeps on growing, in spite of the political troubles in South Africa. At the census taken last July it had 102,773 inhabitants, of whom 53,977 were whites, the rest Kaffirs and Asiatics. The marriage statistics look queer, owing to the number of men who live in the place without their families. Of 31,981 married persons, 22,968 were males and 8,913 females.

TORONTO THE HEART.

This city is to the Kootenay what London is to South Africa.

P. A. O'Farrell, a Spokane mining man, well known in Toronto, writes: "If the Crow's Nest Pass Railway be built immediately and Ontario and Quebec capital continue to invest in the Kootenay mines, Toronto will be to Kootenay what London is to South Africa, its heart and centre. Spokane and Butte are the only two American cities that are liable to reap a rich harvest from the Kootenay. Eighty per cent of the mines of Kootenay are practically owned in Spokane, and the benefit accruing to that town from the Kootenay mines is simply beyond belief; there is more life, more energy, more business, more of that hopeful, self-reliance in Spokane today than there is in probably any other city on the continent, and it is due mainly to the stimulus derived from the mines of the Kootenay."

NEET YEAR'S OUTLOOK.

Great Predictions Made for E. C. Boundary Camps.

Spokane Spokesman.

The coming year promises much in the way of mineral development in the State of Washington. Many of the ledges which have made Rossland famous, it is said, cross the boundary into the reservation. This is true of some claims are divided by the boundary. In that vicinity there are prospects which give great promise. A number of them, it is said, will be able to ship ore when the Northport smelter is completed. Further west on the reservation, south of Boundary Creek, there are some properties which are assuming considerable prominence, and one or two will ship this winter.

The mineral possibilities of the reservation are fully as great as those in the more developed districts of Trail and Boundary, and the coming year will witness immense strides in the matter of making mines in that section. Mining development will be retarded somewhat by inadequate transportation facilities, and while it is possible to make a large number of mines, the probabilities are that but little ore will go out except from properties contiguous to the Red Mountain Railway.

The mineral districts on the reservation are young, but they are extremely vigorous, and will soon become famous as their neighbors in British Columbia.

ENGLISH OLD MAIDS.

Want to Know if They Can Find Husband in Rossland.

A young lady in England recently wrote a Rossland young man, enclosing the following clipping from London daily paper: "The gold rush in British Columbia grows in intensity. The prospectors and women are not only among the settlers, and to show that they were very greatly needed, a leading newspaper reported to have stated at Toronto the other day that fifteen hundred eligible maidens might be wanted in the gold fields in a week."

In the letter that accompanied this clipping, the lady wrote: "I am an old-fashioned English woman, but I certainly should not expect happy marriages to be the result of such rapid wranglings about money."

The Rossland Record, in commenting upon the communication, says: "The following clipping received this letter very promptly assumed that the letter deserved an answer that would be to the point and be responsive to other enquiries. It is a fact that the inhabitants of this and other mining camps are largely made up of young men, and it is a question, one is inclined to think, whether men, who have the necessary good woman, who would marry the good woman after a week's acquaintance. There may be hundreds of men here who would like to do so, but then the good woman would themselves object to marrying in such a hasty manner. The old-fashioned young woman can see the real danger of the situation, and a good woman wants to be satisfied she is marrying a good man, and vice versa. It is a question of acquaintance will prove this, and oftentimes years of acquaintance falls to do so."

"On the whole, it is tolerably safe to say that the good old-fashioned young woman would fail to find a satisfactory partner in a week, or in a considerably longer time."

Dows in Hastings County.

Marmora Herald.

A party of dowsers, led by Professor Godwin and Miller of the School of Mining, Kingston, arrived here on Tuesday evening to examine the minerals and geological formation of this neighborhood. They were much pleased with their reception, and were favorably impressed with the mineral resources of the Marmora district. One of the Ontario Government collection of economic minerals, now being arranged in the School of Mining, is to be placed here. It will be very useful as a standard set for study and comparison.

Eastern Mining Syndicate.

The Eastern Mining Syndicate, which has its offices at 41 King-street west, has issued a prospectus that contains much instructive matter regarding the mining business, and also presents a plan of operations.

In conversation with The World, Mr. E. L. Sawyer, the manager, said: "Mining, for ultimate prosperity, depends on safe business methods. Until recently the bulk of the profit-making have arisen from speculation and the sale of shares of mining companies. Like real estate and all other forms of speculation, this gives rise to fluctuations of boom and depression, but mining in itself is a legitimate business. The sale of shares of mining companies, or the sale of shares in mining or manufacturing. The gambling which has been more or less associated with it, always in the mind of the public, has been inspired, as a writer in The British Columbia Mining Record truly remarks, by the manipulations and other devices of brokers.

To minimize the evils of speculation, if they cannot be wholly checked, and provide an antidote to inflation, the form of co-operative enterprise proposed by the Eastern Mining Syndicate is that endorsed by those who have made a study of the business.

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FOUND AT LAST.

Assie Damer, who had been missing, located by Wood Choppers in Michigan Forests.

Saginaw, Mich., Dec. 30.—Annie Damer, the Buffalo, N.Y. young woman, whose disappearance last Thursday created a sensation, was found this morning in a brush heap about half a mile from the western city limits. She was dazed and partly unconscious. A party of men chopping wood found her lying on the ground, and took her to the hospital under medical treatment. She can give no account of her whereabouts before she was found. The Damer family formerly lived at Stratford, Ont.

IN AID OF CAPT. ANDREWS.

His Admirers Meet and Devise Means for His Making a Livelihood.

A small but enthusiastic meeting of admirers and laymen met in St. George's Hall last night to devise ways and means to assist Capt. Andrews, a well-known prospector in Toronto, Bro. D. Chown, president of the St. George's Guild, presiding. The speaker thought a shelter for the captain should be erected on the corner of Queen and York-streets. Rev. W. F. Wilson, Dr. Gellie, who suggested the plan, and Mr. S. H. McPherson, who was seconded. The speaker thought a shelter for the captain should be erected on the corner of Queen and York-streets. Rev. W. F. Wilson, Dr. Gellie, who suggested the plan, and Mr. S. H. McPherson, who was seconded.

THE 'E' OF MIS.

The following is from last Thursday's Rossland Miner: "The Sulphur superintendant of the Elise mine, in Wild Horse Creek, arrived Friday. He reports the company down 28 feet, showing four feet of solid ore between two shafts. The ore is quartz carrying 100 to 150 per cent of silver. The value of the ore will not be known until a shipment has been made to a smelter. One sample lot of four tons shipped from the surface two months ago, produced a return of \$80. The Elise mine, owned by the Elise Company, states that work will be continued steadily throughout the winter, and he expects to have developed in the next few months a shaft to the bottom of the mine, and to show some copper pyrites, which were not present in the ore on the surface. There is some galena scattered through the ore in the particles, and specimens of native silver have also been obtained. The ore is of paying quality from the grass roots down. Mr. E. C. Sullivan, the owner of King and Yonge-streets, has been appointed the broker for this company."

The Legal Combination.

The Toronto lawyers are always wide-awake, fearless and never hide-bound to party when it thinks the party is right. They are always ready to defend the rights of their clients, and to fight for their interests. They are always ready to defend the rights of their clients, and to fight for their interests.

Senator Gowin's 2nd Birthday.

On Tuesday evening a distinguished townsman, Hon. James Robert Gowin, C.M.G., LL.D., Q.C., entered on his 52nd year. He is a man of high standing in the law, and has been a member of the Ontario Bar since 1870. He is a man of high standing in the law, and has been a member of the Ontario Bar since 1870.

The Indefatigable Arrives.

Halifax, Dec. 30.—The British warship indefatigable is reported to have arrived at Bermuda yesterday from England. She came to the British North-American station, relieving the man-of-war Mohawk, which returns home.

Grace Secures a Coast.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—Grace Virginia Corneau was united in marriage last evening to Leocompte Jollesaud at St. Maurice de Paris. The Count and Countess left for Chicago. From there they will go to Montreal, and later to Toronto.

Mrs. Craven May Lose the Millions.

San Francisco, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Nettie Craven, the claimant to a large portion of the estate of the late Senator Fair, is seriously ill. She may die at any time.

The Canadian Gold Fields Syndicate.

An Exploration and Mining Syndicate, operating under bond the high-grade Sunset Group of Gold-Copper properties at Rossland. Owns the Jennie, a rich silver property in Slocan. Capitalization, ten million shares, par value ten cents each. Sold only at par, absolutely non-assessable. No personal liability. Entire capital stock placed in Treasury.

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DIVY V. THE WORLD.

The Judge in Chambers Refused to Compel Production of The World. In the case of the Ontario D'Yrving v. The World, the Judge in Chambers refused to compel the production of the newspaper...

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THE RAILWAY GRIEVANCE.

A Committee Appointed to Interview the Ontario Government To-day. After some routine business, the council of the Board of Trade resumed at 1:30 p.m. the consideration of the grievances of merchants who are unable to obtain transfers of mails and freight from the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound Railway to the Grand Trunk, and in consequence it is said, a large business passes Toronto for Ottawa and Montreal.

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THE HADLI ENQUIRY.

The enquiry into the charges against the Rev. the Hadli was resumed at 1:30 p.m. yesterday morning. The committee is for a short time and practically nothing has been done since the committee met last Monday. The officers of the committee are to meet this morning and to when the next meeting will be called.

THE FARMERS' MARKETS.

Receipts of grain on the street to-day were again small. Wheat firm, 300 bush shell corn at 88c for white, 87c for red and 87c for blue. Barley steady, 300 bush at 24c for white, 23c for blue, 23c for oats, 23c for rye, 23c for timothy, 23c for clover, 23c for alfalfa, 23c for hay, 23c for straw, 23c for wood, 23c for coal, 23c for oil, 23c for gas, 23c for electricity, 23c for water, 23c for sewerage, 23c for drainage, 23c for irrigation, 23c for reclamation, 23c for improvement, 23c for development, 23c for conservation, 23c for preservation, 23c for protection, 23c for promotion, 23c for propagation, 23c for production, 23c for perfection, 23c for perfection.

THE CHICAGO GOSSIP.

Henry A. King & Co., 12 King Street East, Chicago, the following yesterday to-day from the local market. A stock held yesterday's snap overnight to the opening hour, and then weakened. There was a list of selling orders for Barrett, Milmine, Baldwin & Parmour, Schwab, Dupree and others. The price of Barrett was Mitchell. The selling pressure was too much for the market. Barrett's price here 22 c, with 134 estimated for Chicago.

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