

WEAVER LOST CASE AGAINST GEO. WILD

Verdict for Defendant In Slander Action.

Decision Carries Costs Against Plaintiff.

Workman's Compensation Case Up To-day

The Assize Court resumed yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the action of Weaver vs. Wild, for slander, was continued. The plaintiff's case closed with the evidence of Mr. Charles Peebles, who told of a conversation he had had with Mr. Wild concerning Mr. Weaver.

Mr. Geo. Lynch-Staunton, counsel for the defendant, then entered several objections, on the ground that there was no malice shown, and that the statements were not actionable. His Lordship ruled that there was sufficient evidence to warrant the case going to the jury.

A. A. Lees, a member of the Board for eight years, said he had spoken to Wild regarding Weaver. This conversation was objected to by Mr. Washington, and he was overruled. Mr. Lees stated that he had told Wild of Weaver's having remarked that he (Lees) was "snooping around the park."

George Wild, the defendant, then took the stand. He said about nine men were in the employ of the Board. He considered that it was Weaver's duty to discharge men. He had never had trouble with Weaver until the latter asked for a raise of \$20, and when he refused to support it, Weaver seemed to have a spite against him.

REPORT TO UNION.

Theater Case is Still Being Deal With.

The Executive Committee of the Street Railwaymen's Union met last night to consider the case of President Theaker, who has been dismissed by the company. Just what action was taken has not been made known, but it is said that a recommendation will be made to the union, which will meet on Saturday night.

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ANIMAL-LIKE HOWLS BY THAW.

FORMER SCHOOLMASTER GIVES HIS OPINION OF THAW.

Was Nervous, Unsocial and Sullen—Thaw Butler Says He Was Irrational—Eye-Witness of Murder Examined—Prisoner's Mother to Testify.

New York, Jan. 16.—Per August Weber, the former Thaw butler, who yesterday testified to various incidents in the life of Henry Thaw during the early months of 1903, was recalled to the witness stand when the trial was opened to-day. He was asked by Mr. Littleton, of the defense, as to Thaw's actions as he observed them while employed in the Washington and Philadelphia, and if they impressed him as rational or irrational.

"Irrational," replied the witness, promptly. District Attorney Jerome then began his cross-examination. He had the witness repeat several of the incidents he related yesterday afternoon, and he was asked if he considered a \$3 tip from Thaw an irrational act.

Raymond A. Brown, a music publisher and an eye-witness of the killing of Stanford White, was called, and testified to Thaw's irrational appearance on the roof garden.

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WANT TO KNOW. Beach Residents Kept Too Much in Dark.

A good many of the largest taxpayers on the Beach are not at all pleased with the way the Beach Commissioners do business—behind closed doors. As yet there has been no very great fault found with what the Board has done, other than the passing of the anti-amusement-by-law, which was not made public for weeks after it was passed, but they think they should be kept informed through the newspapers of the Board's doings.

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While she was being questioned at the police station, Mrs. Brown, who is a stylishly dressed woman with fascinating brown eyes, became hysterical and wept. She protested her innocence and appealed to the railroad sleuth to cease his allegations. Matron Walters searched her, but the four ten-dollar bills which Magwood said he lost were not recovered.

ELECTRIC POWER.

G. T. R. to Use it in New Locomotives at Sarnia.

Sarnia, Ont., Jan. 16.—Wednesday marked a new era in local railway circles, when the Grand Trunk for the first time turned on the current necessary for the overhead conducting system. The action was taken for experimental purposes, and the electric system will not be used until some time next month. A training school will be established in the Grand Trunk yards here to-day, and one of the new locomotives will be used for experimental purposes until the engineers have learned to master the electric method.

NO CHANGE HERE.

London Incident Will Not Affect Clark's Business College.

C. H. Clark, who founded the Clark Business Colleges here and in London, and who had a Police Court trouble in London recently, has been missing from the school there for two weeks, and is supposed to be in Buffalo. Yesterday the furniture in the school was seized and the thirty students found the place closed.

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OVERCROWDING PUBLIC HALLS.

ST. CATHARINES TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL PROTESTS.

Want Four-Pound Loaf of Bread—Boy May Die—Trouble Over Thorold's Ex-Tax Collector—Merrittion Council May Not Qualify.

St. Catharines, Jan. 16.—(Special)—The St. Catharines District Trades and Labor Council last night passed a resolution asking the City Council to take means to stop the overcrowding of opera houses and other places of amusement. The resolution asks also that the placing of chairs in the aisles be prohibited and that proper exits be furnished. This action was taken in part because of the fire in the St. Paul Street Hippodrome yesterday afternoon during a performance at which a fair number of people were present.

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CHAPTER I

Lorraine Lisle leaned forward as the carriage rolled up the broad village street that Sunday morning, and looked with languid interest at the graceful, white-robed figure going in through the door of the ivy-draped oriel-windowed old stone church.

"A village beauty!" she exclaimed. "Who is she, grandmère?"

The handsome, silver-haired old lady on the opposite seat, who had just bowed to "the village beauty," answered, with a smile:

"She is Vivian Vane, the young wife of our new rector, Paul Vane. She is beautiful, as you say, and also very charming. I am very fond of her, and I hope you will be, too, Lorraine."

The beautiful dark face of Miss Lisle looked a little scornful at those words, but she did not say whether or not she would be fond of the new rector's wife. She arched her slender dark brows in surprise.

"So you have a new rector here. Where, then, is Doctor Goodwin?" she asked.

"He is dead. Have you forgotten, Lorraine? I wrote you of his death more than two years ago," grandmère answered, with a glance of mild reproach.

"I had quite forgotten," Miss Lisle answered, as if it were a matter of no moment. She had been abroad with English relatives four years, and almost lost interest in the news of her old home in the village she had quitted an immature girl of seventeen, already giving promise of that rare beauty which at twenty-one had developed into the perfection of a dazzling tropical flower.

Yes, Lorraine Lisle was gloriously beautiful as she leaned indifferently back in the carriage, with the summer sunshine of her Virginia home full on her cream-tinted, oval face, with its low, broad brows shaded by silky waves of blue-black hair, and lighted by large, intensely dark eyes full of slumbering fire and passion, while full, dewy red lips, half parted in a smile, made one think of kisses which might be lingering there for some fortunate lover.

"I would I were laid on her queenly breast, at her lips," I thought, with a sigh, as I drained her soul at one deep-drawn kiss.

"She is the most beautiful creature I ever saw," the rector's wife told him afterward when they were discussing the new arrival.

Paul Vane put his arm about his wife's waist and drew her before a mirror.

"Perhaps you have never seen yourself, my darling," he said fondly; and though a wave of crimson rose up over the white brow, Vivian looked as she bade her, and she saw a face and form that, though of a different type from Lorraine Lisle's, was no less lovely.

Mrs. Vane was of medium height, with a form as slender and delicately moulded as ever haunted an artist's dreams, and her movements embodied the very poetry of motion. Added to these charms was an enchanting smile, sweet and poignant in the same breath.

The complexion was exquisitely fair and flushed with a sea-shell glow on cheeks and lips. The small, straight nose was arch in spite of its regularity. The large eyes had the same golden, purplish blue of summer violets, and deep within them lurked a mischievous gleam that matched the roguish daintiness in cheeks and chin. She had dainty hands and feet, and the graceful head was covered with short rings of hair that in the sunlight was "pure golden gold," and lent to the poignant face, with its innocent white brow, an expression of extreme youth, though she was quite twenty years old. She was clothed almost always in pure, simple white, and it made her so lovely that surely Paul Vane was excusable for his incontinence over another woman's superior loveliness.

"My darling, she could not be more beautiful than you are," he said, taking her in his arms and kissing the fair, frank face so many times that its lovely, delicate blushes deepened to a crimson glow. She flung her white arms about his neck and clung to him in an ecstasy of love, although presently she returned to the subject by saying:

"Yes, I know I am pretty, Paul, in a babyish kind of way; but Miss Lisle is different. She is like her portrait up at Arceady, only older and more beautiful. She has a warm, southern type of beauty—large black eyes, rich, dark hair, a full red mouth, like a flower, a face full of serene and sunny smiles, and I am afraid of her, and I am almost sorry I promised her grandmother that we would call this week."

"Nonsense!" laughed the rector, who in his way was quite as handsome as his wife, tall and slender, and graceful, with a head of thickly clustered, soft brown hair, splendid dark grey eyes, regular features, and a silky brown moustache that must have been his pet vanity from the tender way he often caressed it with a shapely white hand. He was thirty years old, and had brought lovely Vivian to Lisle a bride just one year ago.

CHAPTER II

But in spite of his amusement at her fears, lovely Vivian was nervous that day when they started on their walk to Arceady to call on the heiress of whom such rumors were afloat that the villagers were quite dazed over her arrival. She was as proud as a queen, and utterly heartless, they said. Whispers had come across the sea of her conquests and her conquests. She had refused a hundred offers, and out of them there was one who had gone mad and slain himself for love of her hating beauty.

Vivian had thought of this that peaceful summer morning, when in her low bow to the great lady of the neighborhood, Mrs. Lisle, she had caught the glance of those passionate dark eyes fixed on her happy peaceful face. She had shivered, although she was not cold, and whispered to herself:

"Is there then no dictator in the smile of a woman, when men gaze on her?

Can shudder and say: 'Is that smile is a grave'?"

The next moment she had stepped across the threshold into the dimly-lit church, and found, to her dismay, that she was late. She had let Paul go on while she had stopped to see a sick child, and now her stately husband, in his flowing white gown, was reading the litany over the bowed heads of the congregation, and the proud black eyes faded from her mind as, stealing softly to her pew, she sank to her knees and joined in the devout responses:

"Oh, God, the Father of heaven! have mercy upon us as miserable sinners!"

It was almost a week since then, and one could put off a duty call no longer. Vivian had pondered anxiously in her mind over the momentous question of what she should wear to Arceady, Mrs. Lisle's beautiful place.

Her bridal finery was a little passé, and her new black silk was rather too warm for midsummer.

"Anything I wear will look dowdy beside the Worth gowns; I shall wear a simple white, as usual," she decided at last; and she did not know how beautiful and poetic she looked in the classic white wool draperies and the broad-brimmed white hat, with its drooping, pale-blue plumes.

She dreamed some heavy-headed pink roses at her belt, and set off leisurely with her husband on their long walk, for Arceady was quite a mile and a half from the rectory at the upper end of the broad main street.

"I think you will be quite sorry that you put off your call so long," Paul Vane said, after a glance of keen approval at her tasteful summer costume. "I heard to-day that Miss Lisle intended to fill Arceady with summer visitors, and that a batch arrived yesterday."

"No matter, dear. I think I could face a whole regiment of guests as easily as those proud black eyes that looked me over so keenly on Sunday," she was smilingly replying; and he thought, as he gazed in the frank, confiding face, that he had the fairest wife in the world. No one could approach her in beauty, and her soul was as pure and bright as her face. Surely, he had been fortunate above all men in winning peerless Vivian for his own.

"Call all your courage to your aid; here we are at the gate," he said, laughing, as he pointed to the village which Mrs. Vane's smile grew pale a moment at those words—piquant Vivian, who had never lacked before for the most graceful self-possession.

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"Sweetest eyes! How sweet in flowings  
The repeated cadence is!"

Though you sung a hundred poems,  
Still the best one would be this,

I can hear it,  
And the earth noise intervene—  
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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—TUESDAY NIGHT A STRING OF pearl beads. Reward at Times Office.

LOST SUNDAY, ON HUGHSON OR PICKERING, between Miss Mary and Mary, red necktie with gold cross. Return to Times Office.

LOST THURSDAY NIGHT, A LARGE yellow Angora cat from 119 Hunter St. West. Finder will be rewarded on return in same place as above address.

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TO CUSTOMERS FROM ALL POINTS, on all electric roads. We will pay their fare if they buy five dollars worth of goods at our store. Open evenings to 9 p.m. People's Store, 31 John St. south, Hamilton.

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MOST HAVE MONEY. \$25 WILL PURCHASE new iron bed, mattress and springs. Leonard's, 72 York street.

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FOR SALE, CHOICE KINDLING WOOD; best in city. Ontario Box Co., 106 Main east.

MUSICAL

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D. COPLAND GIBSON, Violet Ray treatment of SKIN and CATARRHAL diseases. Rheumatism, nervous diseases, and diseases of women. Office hours, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., 110 James north.

D. JAMES RUSSELL, CONSULTANT in mental and nervous diseases, 163 Main street west. Phone 20.

FRANK D. W. BATES, M. D., EYE, EAR, Nose and Throat Specialist, has removed his office to Room 305, Bank of Hamilton building. Hours, 9 to 12 and 2 to 5. Telephone 72. Dr. Bates has opened an office in Detroit, and from now on will spend from the 1st to the 25th of each month in his office here, and from the 25th to the end of the month in Detroit.

D. T. SHANNON MCGILLIVRAY, M.D., removed from the corner of King and James streets to his residence, 164 James north. Specialist in heart and nervous diseases. Telephone 140.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY CRERAR & BURKHOLDER, 65 FEDERAL BUILDING, Phone 616, House 373.

Times Ads Bring Results

Call for Letters at Boxes 2, 5, 6, 8, 10, 13, 14, 15, 17, 24, 25, 30, 32.

HOP LEE

Wishes to inform the public that he has removed from the corner of Victoria avenue and Robert street to 273 Cannon street east, where his conduct is a first-class Hand Laundry. A trial order solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

IN SILENT GRAVE

Funerals of Capt. Roy, E. T. Wright and Others.

The funeral of Samuel New took place this afternoon from the G. T. R. train from Guelph, this afternoon. Rev. A. L. Huddleston conducted the services and the pall-bearers were Henry, John, Edward, Jacob & David New and John Reid.

The funeral of Alexander Roy took place this afternoon from his late residence, 29 Duke street, and was largely attended. Rev. Dr. Lyle conducted the services, and the pall-bearers were, R. K. Hope, J. S. Hendrie, G. Vallance, R. B. Ferris, J. E. P. Aldous, C. S. Scott and T. C. Haslett.

The remains of Mrs. Catharine Mitchell were laid to rest this afternoon, the funeral taking place from her late residence, 185 Stanley avenue at 10 o'clock. Rev. R. H. Bell officiated, and the pall-bearers were Major Herwig, L. A. Paine, A. T. Neill, H. Harris and David Brown.

The funeral of Miss Catharine Richards took place this afternoon from her late residence, 212 MacNab street north, and was largely attended. Rev. Canon Abbott conducted the services, and the pall-bearers were, Dr. C. M. Ross, P. and H. Burkholder, F. Cherry, T. H. Wynn and A. Omand.

The funeral of E. T. Wright took place this afternoon from his late residence, 24 Victoria avenue north. Rev. R. J. Treleven and Rev. R. Whiting conducted the services, and the pall-bearers were, James Wright, J. W. Shields, William Spence, Geo. Belrens, J. Flahaven and E. Ellisworth.

The funeral of Henry Hobley took place this morning from his late residence, 109 King street west. The remains were taken to St. Mark's Church, and Canon Sutherland conducted the services. Interment was made in Hamilton cemetery.

GOT TWO YEARS.

Havana, Jan. 16.—Alonso French, a private in the Fifteenth Cavalry, had been found guilty by a court martial of Mayhem in shooting off his right index finger in the hope of being mustered out of service. He was sentenced to two years and six months imprisonment, which however, has been reduced by the revising board to one year and six months.

Toronto's Mayor.

(Grimly Independent.) Not only was the Grit elected he is polled more votes than two Tories combined, and the town is a Tory town.

Also Useful.

(Toronto News.) Mayor Oliver is not content with being ornamental. He seems to entertain curious and annoying ideas of being useful as well.

A Proper Sign.

(Toronto Star.) Mr. H. Corby has presented a public library to Belleville. Mr. Corby should have carried over the door "Reading Machete a Full Man."

Note for Churches.

(Stratford Expositor.) Recent happenings emphasize the necessity of seeing that all places of public resort are amply provided with exits, and that the blocking of the aisles is absolutely prohibited.

Ward System Works Well.

Galt Reporter (Tory.) Going back to the ward system last year, Galt found it satisfactory. At least the electors so considered it, and the quality of the representation has not deteriorated, to judge by the class of men now at the board. Business interests are well served under the present system, and actions are not produced by it. Where politics crop up in the general vote, in which spots can be manipulated by bribery and designing politicians, it is easy to see that many municipalities in which wards were abolished a few years ago are on the verge of returning to the discarded system. The testimony of those that have tried the two plans will doubtless have some bearing on the attitude they will take.

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MARKETS and FINANCE

Thursday, Jan. 16.—The market was rather dull this morning and though the prices were kept up there were few sales. Pork and other meats were just a shade cheaper, but the supply was altogether too large for the demand and the farmers consequently suffered. Potatoes were a shade dearer than they have been, but other vegetables were lower. Hay is more plentiful and cheaper, while straw remains about the same.

Stocks and Bonds

NOON STOCK LETTER. New York, Jan. 16.—The market during the morning developed irregularly, with some selling of M. K. & T. on the unfavorable statement of November, and a drive at Smelters, which was either a sequence of rather flagrant manipulation yesterday or was designed to assist in covering of shorts in Copper. Good buying appeared in Northern Pacific and B. K. T. London a buyer of Steel. Some offerings of Smelters, Reading and Northern Pacific appeared influential. There appears to be considerable short interest in St. Paul. The street is not overladen with stocks, and many standard issues are a more attractive investment than time loans. Prices responded readily to buying, and traders profited by securing important profits on the short side. The advance in the market helps to restore confidence. The banks have gained on Sub-Treasury operations and a good statement is in prospect. The Bank of England report was the best for a generation, and the rate is now 5 per cent. The market shows the effect of recent profit taking by operators who bought during the panic period, but should encounter excellent support on the recessions—Ennis & Stoppani.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Table with columns for various stock indices and prices, including American Car & Foundry, American Locomotive, American Sugar, etc.

THE HIDE MARKET.

Table listing prices for various types of hides, such as Sheep, Cattle, Hides, etc.

GRAIN MARKET.

Table listing prices for various types of grain, such as Wheat, Barley, Oats, etc.

HAY AND WOOD.

Table listing prices for various types of hay and wood, such as Straw, Buckwheat, etc.

TORONTO FARMER'S MARKET.

Table listing prices for various types of farm products, such as Eggs, Butter, etc.

IN A BLIZZARD.

Emerald Young Men and Maidens Have a Ride.

The Emerald Y. M. U. members and their lady friends went for a sleigh ride last evening to Mrs. Kern's, a sleigh ride to the corner of the happy party, who enjoyed the journey very much, although they had to fight against a little blizzard after arriving at the top of the mountain.

WAR INEVITABLE.

Rome, Jan. 16.—The Corriere d'Italia an organ of the Vatican, in an article on the Japanese-American situation, says that war between these two countries would be fatal and inevitable. It expresses the opinion that the present moment is the most favorable for Japan.

BIG SHOW.

Quebec, Jan. 16.—The Quebec Exhibition Co. has decided to organize an agricultural exhibition, which will take place during the tercentenary celebration of the foundation of Quebec in August next.

SALE TO-NIGHT.

For the convenience of those who cannot attend the shoe sale during the day, J. D. Clime's store will be open to-night until 10 o'clock. See advertisement.

THAIN-GIBB.

Hamilton Lady Weds and Leaves For Emerson, Man.

A real Scottish wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Talbot, 151 Simcoe street east, last evening, the contracting parties being Mr. Charles Thain, of Emerson, Man., and late of Banff, Scotland, and Miss Lizzie Gibb, one of Hamilton's charming young ladies, not long since a resident of Aberdeen, Scotland. Rev. James Bracken officiated. The bride-maid was Miss Amy Stuart and a brother of the bride, Mr. Andrew Gibb, acted as best man. Those present were the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. James Talbot; the Misses Stuart, Mr. Henry Stuart, Mr. John Rollo, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Secord, Mrs. and Miss Knaggs and Miss Gold-thorpe, Miss Addie Galbraith, Miss Elsie Roberts, Mr. Ed. Henderson, Mr. John McIntosh and daughter. Other friends present were Mr. and Mrs. Joel Ward and Miss Hazel and Kelsie Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Mr. Thomas Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. McMurray, Mr. and Mrs. Pollard, Miss Susie Stevenson and Miss Mary Carter. An elaborate spread was served by Mr. Wm. B. Pope, caterer, of which from 35 to 40 partook, and during the morning developed irregularly, with some selling of M. K. & T. on the unfavorable statement of November, and a drive at Smelters, which was either a sequence of rather flagrant manipulation yesterday or was designed to assist in covering of shorts in Copper. Good buying appeared in Northern Pacific and B. K. T. London a buyer of Steel. Some offerings of Smelters, Reading and Northern Pacific appeared influential. There appears to be considerable short interest in St. Paul. The street is not overladen with stocks, and many standard issues are a more attractive investment than time loans. Prices responded readily to buying, and traders profited by securing important profits on the short side. The advance in the market helps to restore confidence. The banks have gained on Sub-Treasury operations and a good statement is in prospect. The Bank of England report was the best for a generation, and the rate is now 5 per cent. The market shows the effect of recent profit taking by operators who bought during the panic period, but should encounter excellent support on the recessions—Ennis & Stoppani.

WESSON LOOKS A SLICK ONE.

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filled-in cheques and two blank ones. William Dineen, President of W. & D. Dineen Co., Toronto, said he knew "Evan," but had never employed him. The signature on the \$450 cheque was a copy, but not a true one, and he had never written that cheque. He said he knew Evan under the name of Wesson as he had an office upstairs in the building in which the Dineen Co. had theirs.

CONDUCTOR DEAD.

Old and Honored G. T. R. Employee Passes Away.

The death of William Alford, of Brantford, which occurred last evening, will be keenly felt by a very large circle of friends and acquaintances. Ten days ago he suffered from a severe stroke of paralysis, and while his life was spared it was thought that he might rally owing to his previous vigorous, healthy condition. By the death of William Alford the Grand Trunk Railway has lost one of its most efficient and faithful employees. During the long term of fifty years' service as conductor he was honored and respected by all classes of people. His was a record to be proud of, as he never lost a cent of his salary, and he was never in arrears of any of his bills. He was a man of a very high character, and his personal integrity was beyond question. He was a man of a very high character, and his personal integrity was beyond question. He was a man of a very high character, and his personal integrity was beyond question.

DEAN DAVIS.

High Treasurer of I. O. F. Installed Companion Officers.

Order of Foresters had a splendid attendance at the regular meeting last night, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. The principal business was the installation of officers for 1908. The ceremony was presided over by Very Rev. Dean Davis, of London, High Treasurer for the High Court of Ontario. Dr. H. A. Robertson, of Court Oranbyukta acted as Supreme Marshal.

BARTON Y. M. U.

Budding Orator Makes Attack on the Premier.

Baron Street Young Men's Union had a very interesting meeting on Tuesday evening, when Mr. Skillen gave an excellent paper on John Greenleaf Whit-ty. He spoke of the early poverty of the poet, outlined his struggle and spoke of his eloquence when fighting against slavery, in which movement he was one of the pioneers. Selections were also read by Mr. Skillen, making a paper that was very highly appreciated by the members present. Seven new members were proposed and accepted by the union.

RETURNED QUEBEC.

Pittsburg, Jan. 16.—On an order by U. S. Judge, Eaton, the receivers for the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co. have returned to France six cheques for a total of \$306,000 received from the Society Anonyme Westinghouse, the French branch of the Westinghouse interests.



THE HAMILTON TIMES

THURSDAY, JAN. 16, 1908.

MAIN STREET SWITCH.

Early as it is in the municipal year, whispers are, it is said, heard among the aldermen that the success of the majority in handling Alderman Farrar insures them undisturbed control of the Council, and that the Main street switch deal will probably be consummated with but little regard for the views of the residents on that thoroughfare.

If Main street residents are to have a freight railway at their front doors, it is not astonishing that they are apprehensive. If they are to be made thus to suffer injury they should be compensated; if the Council determines to demand the sacrifice, thinking it is a matter of so much importance to the city, they should be prepared to make good to the people of that street.

It may be conceived that occasion may arise when the good of the Dominion, the Province or the local community may necessitate interference with the rights of a person or persons, or even of the residents of an entire street. It may become necessary in the general interest to raise or lower the grade of a street, to divert it, or even to close it altogether.

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dividuals and sections of our people so frequently suffer are perpetrated by our local Councils. The Dominion and Provincial laws are explicit in protecting the equal rights of all in the streets in so far as their authority is used.

The streets and highways are intended to be for the sole use of the public for pedestrian and vehicular traffic. In urban communities it is found to be expedient to have street railways on certain thoroughfares to facilitate travel from one part to another.

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But while it will be generally agreed that this extraordinary exercise of power for the benefit of the community is fully justified, there are many who will hesitate at the extension thereof for the advantage of private and corporate interest without the most careful consideration; and, in any case, will offer strenuous objection unless at least equal compensation is made to those affected.

It is said that at the approaching session of the Legislature some amendments will be made to the Act creating the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, by way of giving it some needed increases of power.

And this seems to bear upon this switch matter. The people of Main street have strong objections thereto. They protest that it will cause them injury. Their objections cannot be put aside by pool-pooling them. They are entitled to their full rights upon the street; it is for them to judge whether they would be injured by the use of the thoroughfare for other than highway purposes.

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SWEENEY AND BRICK.

Ald. Sweeney's proposal to undertake the paving with brick of James street from Barton street to the bay, and Barton street, from James street to Sherman avenue, at a cost of \$125,000, is one of the things that the 1908 Council will hardly see carried out.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Toronto is inspecting its public halls and churches, to see if they are safe. How is it here?

Mr. E. R. Wood, Vice-President of the Dominion Securities Co., deprecates the tendency of municipalities to run into debt. He must have heard of our overdraft.

Until the manufacturers and business men have worked it out, even the lawmakers will be at sea as to the real effect of the French treaty.

Solomon, wise man that he was, hardly knew how to deal with foolish people. In one breath he says answer the foolish man according to his folly, and in the next advises that the opposite course be taken.

The so-called Union of Canadian Municipalities has been at it again. We learn its Executive has been pilgrimaging to Ottawa to ask that railways be not allowed to run along the highways.

SOUTH HURON.

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But it is eminently unfair to seek to enforce a broad general principle at the expense of a private company like the Radial Railway. We hold up both hands for Provincial rights when they are assailed, but when it comes to an attack or persecution of a railway company, where such rights are very obscure, if they even exist, it comes to be a different matter.

The Mountaineers are asking for city water, and those within the city boundaries are just as much entitled to get a supply as are the people living under the hill. There are a lot of people living in Hamilton who have a little idea as to how things look on the top of the Mountain as they have of the Alps.

Another big fight settled on the Grand Trunk and with the telegraphers. Lumber's Conciliation Act is a great success.

OUR EXCHANGES.

A Great Success. (Kingston Whig.) Another big fight settled on the Grand Trunk and with the telegraphers. Lumber's Conciliation Act is a great success.

The errand sentences dealt out to offenders in Ottawa might be a matter of comment. But to condemn a despondent man out of work to be in the jail until next day because he attempted to buy a ticket in the vicinity of being the limit, it would be much more sensible and much more cheaper for the country to get him a job.

In Ottawa and Hamilton incandescent lighting is being supplied at 7 1/2 cents per kilowatt hour, and domestic lighting at 8 cents and commercial at 10 cents.

The pernicious pest, the flea, has a new and unusual dentistry to answer for. It has been ascertained by investigation of the flea made by health officials of San Francisco, disease fleas carry it from rat to rat as well as to human beings.

INJURED BY EXPLOSION.

Residents of Village Near Brockville Were Looking for Gas Leak. Brockville, Ont., Jan. 15. A. E. Cumming, of 137, and an employee named Luther Judson, narrowly escaped death by an explosion of acetylene gas at the residence of the former. Some repairs had been made during the day, whereby a leak occurred.

FELL INTO BOILING WATER.

Two-Year-Old Daughter of Waterloo County Man May Die of Injuries. Galt, Ont., Jan. 15.—A probably fatal accident occurred this afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Hubert, Hunter's Corners. Mrs. Hubert had lifted a large vessel of hot water from the stove, and placing it on the floor, left the room for a moment. On returning she found that her two-year-old daughter had fallen in to the boiling water. The child may recover.

A Summersault.

We have taken a tumble and cut prices to suit the occasion. Leather coats, \$5. Frieze reefers, \$3.50. Waterproof reefers, \$1.50 up. Mitts and gloves, 25c. All wool Sox, 2 pairs 25c.—M. Kennedy, 240 James street North.

Diamonds at 25% Off. Diamonds even are subject to the same discount at this great stock-taking sale.

Table listing diamond prices: \$25.00 Solitaire, \$18.75; \$45.00 Solitaire, \$33.80; \$50.00 Solitaire, \$37.50; \$55.00 Solitaire, \$41.25; \$60.00 Solitaire, \$45.00; \$75.00 Solitaire, \$56.00; \$90.00 Solitaire, \$67.50; \$100.00 Solitaire, \$75.00; \$115.00 Solitaire, \$86.25; \$175.00 Solitaire, \$131.25; \$240.00 Solitaire, \$180.00.

You will be surprised at the values all through the stock. Everything at 25 per cent. discount. Sale stops in a few days, so buy now.

NORMAN ELLIS Manufacturing Jeweler 21-23 King St. East

UNION SERVICES.

East End Board Going to West End This Evening.

At the union revival services being conducted at Charlton Avenue Methodist Church Evangelist McHardy took his sermon from Acts of the Apostles, chapter 3. He dwelt on the fine Christian character of Cornelius, the Roman Centurion, the first convert to the Christian faith from the Gentiles.

MODERN THOUGHT.

Distinguished Divines Talk About Evolution.

Toronto, Jan. 16.—The three meetings of the Bible Conference held yesterday were all well attended, and the feature of practically all the addresses was an attack all along the line on evolution and modern criticism of the Bible.

THE ROSS RIFLE.

Conspiracy Among English Officers to Hurt Company.

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—At the Ross Rifle investigation yesterday Mr. Nesbitt, K. C., having obtained leave to make a statement, said he desired to do so because he had knowledge of the Government contract since the beginning, and also because Sir Charles Ross was being made the victim of circumstances which were bringing about a state of things to which he believed the committee would never be party.

Finnan Haddie 3 Pounds for 25c. We have arriving this week 50 boxes of freshly cured Finnan Haddie, thick fish and mild cured, absolutely the best to be had and going this week at 9c lb., or 3 lbs. for 25c.

Oranges Special. We told you last week that we would have a big list of special values this week, and we have. This is a sample, and there are many more.

Canned Fish Special. Souvenir Sardines, French, regular 2 tins 25c, going 9c tin, 3 tins 25c. Crosse's Fish Sardines, in tomato sauce, regular 15c tin, for 9c, while they last.

WE TOLD YOU SO. Last week we told you Rolled Oats were likely to go up, and they did. Still, we sell 2 lbs. Tilton's Rolled Oats, 25c; Tilton's Premium Oats, per package 25c, worth 30c.

Butter and Eggs. Butter seems scarce this week, still we make no change in price. Dairy rolls and prints 26c per pound. Good Creamery 30c per pound; best Creamery 32c per pound.

Sugar. Still the same in spite of the increased cost, 22 pounds best Granulated Sugar \$1.00, 11 1/2 pounds 50c, 5 1/2 pounds 25c; best White Icing Sugar, 4 pounds 25c; 100 pound bags Granulated Sugar \$4.55 per bag.

REMEMBER. We started the month with the determination to do more business than we did last January, and that is the reason for all these cut prices, and there will be no let up on bargain giving until the month ends.

- List of grocery items and prices: Finest Golden Dates, 4 lbs. 25c; Best Cooking Figs, 6 lbs. 25c; Table Figs, 1 lb. box, value 15c, for 10c; California Prunes, 3 lbs. 25c; French Prunes, 4 lbs. 25c; Feather Strip Coconut, lb. 20c; Challenge Milk, per tin 10c; Eagle Milk, per tin 15c; Barrington Hall Coffee, tin 20 and 40c; Lipton's Coffee, per lb. 40c; Social Coffee, per lb. 40c; Baker's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. tin 25c; Cowan's Cocoa, 1/2 lb. tin 25c; Dalley's Self Raising Buckwheat, pkg. 10c; Red Ribbon Self Raising Buckwheat, pkg. 10c; 3 lb. box Perrin's Sodas 25c; Animal Biscuits, lb. 15c; Perrin's Arrowroot, lb. 15c; Perrin's Duchess Biscuits, lb. 15c; Ginger Snaps lb. 7c, 4 lbs. 25c; Holbrook's Must. Vinegar, bottle 10c; Prepared Mustard, per bl. 5 and 10c; Celery Relish, per bl. 10c; Horse Radish, per bottle 10c; Patterson's Sauce, 10c, 3 lbs. 25c; Quaker Corn, 3 tins 25c; Quaker Refuse Beans, 3 tins 25c; Quaker Sugar Peas, 3 tins 25c; Quaker Tomatoes, per tin 12c; Pumpkin, 3 tins 25c; Dill Pickles, 2 tins 25c; Quaker Lombard Plums, 2 tins 25c; Quaker Peaches, per tin 20c; Quaker Raspberries, per tin 20c; Quaker Pitted Cherries, per tin 20c; Alliance Jelly Powders, pkg. 5c; Alliance Baking Powder, lb. 10c; Prepared Pickings, 3 pkgs. 25c; Alliance Corn Starch, special, 4 lbs. 25c.

Flour Special.

Lily White, the very best for pies, cakes, and biscuits. Just 3 tons going this week at 59c per 34 bag. Gold Medal or Gold Seal, per bag \$2.60, 1/2 bag \$1.30, 3/4 bag 85c. Five Roses or Royal Household, per 34 bag 80c. Graham Flour, 7 lbs. 25c. Rolled Wheat, 7 lbs. 25c. Germinal, 7 lbs. 25c. Split Peas or Pot Barley, 2 lbs. 10c. Dried Green Peas, specially fine, 6 lbs. 25c.

Jams Special.

Another batch just from the kettle: 5-lb. wooden pails Raspberry, Strawberry, Peach, Plum, Black Currant, value 45c, going 39c; 2-lb tin pails, value 18c, going 15c; jars 10c.

Ingersoll Sauce.

Fresh Friday morning, per lb. 10c. Ingersoll Headcheese, per lb. 10c. Hams, per lb. 15c. Shoulders, per lb. 10c. Rolled Shoulder, lb. 12c.

Teas.

Carroll's Own Blend at 25 and 40c per lb. black, green or mixed. No other teas at same price nearly so good. Lipton's Tea, Salada, Social, Red Rose, Blue Ribbon, Aroma, 25, 30, 40 and 50c lb.

CARROLL'S Five Stores.

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LASTLY.

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CONVENTION OF ARCHITECTS.

Closed Yesterday Afternoon With Election of Officers. Toronto, Jan. 16.—The annual convention of the Ontario Association of Architects closed yesterday afternoon with the election of officers and council for next year. The following were elected: President, H. B. Gordon; First Vice-President, H. B. Gordon; Second Vice-President, John W. H. Watts; Secretary, Geo. W. Gounlock; Treasurer, A. H. Gregg; Registrar, W. R. Gregg; Council, E. L. Horwood, H. E. Moore, J. Francis Brown, M. A. White and Henry Sprout.

CONSPIRACY AMONG ENGLISH OFFICERS TO HURT COMPANY.

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—At the Ross Rifle investigation yesterday Mr. Nesbitt, K. C., having obtained leave to make a statement, said he desired to do so because he had knowledge of the Government contract since the beginning, and also because Sir Charles Ross was being made the victim of circumstances which were bringing about a state of things to which he believed the committee would never be party.

NO.

Editor of the Times—Please state if a deserter from the British Army can be arrested in the U. S. for desertion and taken back to England for trial.—Subscriber.

Editorial and news snippets on the right margin, including 'A Leading Barrister and Politician of New Brunswick', 'Millionaire Baroness Therefore Took Her Own Life', and 'BEGAN TO LOOK OLD'.



GOOD YEAR AT OLD MACNAB.

Church Has Been Progressive and Strong Financially.

But Various Societies Not as Large as Should Be.

Officers Elected and Annual Reports Presented and Adopted.

The 53rd annual meeting of MacNab Street Presbyterian Church was held last night in the school room with a fair attendance.

The proposition that the church should pay three per cent. of its gross receipts for five years to a general secretary for the extension of the cause of the church in the outlying districts of the city was unanimously adopted.

The Session's report showed a balance on hand of \$52.84 after paying \$109.08 in sundry disbursements from \$162.52 received.

The annual financial statement was: Receipts—Balance from 1906 \$ 16 77 Collections 4,720 06 Anniversary collection 73 40 Special collections 271 62 Rents, pews, etc 235 50

Disbursements—Minister's stipend \$2,000 00 Rev. D. H. Fletcher, retiring allowance 500 00 Pulpit supply 95 00 Musical service 952 25 Special collections 271 62 General expenses 1,489 09 Balance on hand 9 99

The missionary treasurer reported receipts of \$984.91. For the schemes of the church, missionary, educational and benevolent, the amount raised was \$1,848.09, of which \$608.33 went to foreign missions.

The members of the Session in their report expressed a desire to see a greatly increased membership in all societies of the church, which were unreasonably small, with the exception of the Junior Mission Band.

To the elders the following were added: Messrs. W. Symington, Bailie, Balfour and J. Strous, and Thomas Allan, an elder in Scotland, and Robert Gentle, an elder in Locke Street Church, were also added to the list.

The Sunday school report was read by James R. Cook. The school is in better condition than heretofore, and 35 names were added to the roll in the last year.

The officers of the Sunday school are as follows: President, Rev. Beverly Ketchen; Superintendent, A. W. Leitch; Associate Superintendent, Jas. R. Cook; Secretary, M. E. McMillan; Treasurer, H. Roy Williams; Librarian, W. P. Graham.

FRUIT STATIONS.

New Board For Fruit Farm at Jordan Harbor.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 15.—(Special).—A change in the management of the twelve fruit experiment stations of the Province has been made by the Ontario Government, in the past a board of control of seven supervised the work.

GENERAL LAKE

Spoke of the Battle of the Dundas Valley.

There was a large attendance of the members of the Hamilton Tactical Society last evening at the Armory, when Major-General Lake, Chief of the General Staff at Ottawa, gave the members a talk on the Battle of Dundas Valley.

TREW THEM OUT.

ROUGH TIME AT NATIONALIST CONFERENCE IN DUBLIN.

Mr. John E. Redmond Re-elected President of United Irish League—Support Pledged to Movement for Breaking Up Grazing Ranches.

Dublin, Jan. 15.—The recently discussed reunion of the Redmondites and the O'Brienites is still far from consummation, judging from an incident today at the meeting of the directory of the United Irish League.

After a long and heated discussion, the league officials agreed that they be expelled. The delegates from Cork declined to obey, and after an exciting struggle they were finally ejected by force.

A resolution was adopted expressing confidence in the Parliamentary party, under the leadership of Mr. Redmond, and congratulating the Nationalists on their success in the election.

Test of the Gyroscope.

A practical test of the use of the gyroscope for steering vessels at sea was made recently in England on the "Seebat," formerly a first-class German torpedo boat, with a displacement of 262 tons.

The White Indian

A white Indian is a sick Indian. When the Indians first saw a white man they were sure he was sick. White skin—sick man was their argument. "Pale-face" is the name they gave us.

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FIGURES FOR BEACH PUMPS.

Aldermen Say, Are Well Within Engineer's Estimate.

Motors For Hydro-Power Are More Expensive.

Ten Companies Have Sent in Tenders.

The Fire and Water Committee at a special meeting last night opened tenders for the new electric pumps to be installed at the Beach pumping house, and although it was impossible to tell until the figures are tabulated which was the lowest bid, the aldermen satisfied themselves that the price will be well within the engineer's estimate of \$30,000.

The Canadian General Electric Company, Toronto, has two separate bids and other tenders were received from the following companies:

The Canadian General Electric Company, Toronto. R. D. Wood company, Philadelphia. John McDougall Iron Works Company, Montreal.

MAPLE LEAF MILLS BURN.

A Great Conflagration in Kenora Flour Mill.

Kenora, Jan. 15.—By a great conflagration which broke out here last night the huge flour mill of the Maple Leaf Milling Company, completed just two months ago, has been utterly destroyed. An elevator, containing 200,000 bushels of wheat, was also somewhat damaged, the money has been paid at \$600,000, and is full covered by insurance.

The loss to the town is heavy, as besides losing the rent of the power plant, the citizens had invested about \$100,000 in the concern. Great damage was done to the railway wires, when part of the north wall fell. There are being repaired.

At the time of the mill's completion insurance was taken by several companies, but latterly Lloyd's were given the whole thing, the damage done is roughly put at over \$500,000. There were about 200,000 bushels of wheat stored, which is also partly destroyed.

WILL RELY ON JAPAN. The Canadian Government Will Accept Verbal Promises.

Tokyo, Jan. 16.—The Canadian emigration question has been settled. The Japanese Government has received notice that the report of Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, the Canadian Minister of Labor, is entirely satisfactory to the Canadian Government, and the Government would accept in good faith the verbal promises of the restriction of the emigration of laborers, relying upon the Japanese Government to enforce the regulations which are outlined in its memorandum.

Nothing now remains except the exchange of memoranda between the two Governments.

Only a bachelor would dare argue that a woman never knows her own mind.

WILL ASK TO BE SHOT. Indian Ex-Soldiers Reply to Transvaal "Insult."

Johannesburg, Jan. 15.—One hundred and sixteen Indian ex-soldiers, who acted as hospital bearers, etc., during the war, have sent a petition to the Earl of Elgin, Secretary of State for the Colonies, protesting against the gross insult to them in the identification measures adopted by the Transvaal Government, which they declare infringe upon their rights.

The people who attend this sale every day are the ones who reap the full benefit of the many money-saving chances offered. Every day has its special offerings. Many of them not large enough to advertise. These are quickly picked up by the thrifty buyers. You should be one of them.

Friday, Jan. 17 1908 SHEA'S Tapestry Curtains

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Special Sale of White Quilts at \$1.19 and \$1.39 Two specials in White English Marseilles Quilts in large double bed size, all fresh and new, at each \$1.19 and \$1.29.

Making Flannelette Gowns and Men's Nightshirts to Measure During our January anniversary sale at 25c instead of the usual price, 45c. Place your orders at once for prompt attention. Enquire at staple department.

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TRAGEDY IN THE NORTH. Man Named Trumper Charged With Murder of Geo. W. Coleman.

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 15.—Word has been received from Athabaska Landing that Sergeant Anderson, of the R. N. W. M. P., has arrived there with a prisoner named Trumper, who had been arrested at Pouce Coupe Prairie, north of Fort Macleod, charged with the murder of George W. Coleman. The men had been living together in a shack, and they had some words.

Comets Part of Sun's Family. The abnormal orbits have led some astronomers to believe that comets come from beyond the solar system. Late researches have convinced M. Fayer, the French astronomer, otherwise, and he concludes that all recorded comets are as much a part of the sun's family as are the planets.



DR. NELSON MISLED IN SALARY MATTER.

Knox Church Takes No Action--Ex-Pastor May Appeal to the Presbytery.

Church Had a Prosperous Year, With Largest Membership In Its History.

The annual meeting of Knox Church held last evening in the schoolroom, was greatly prolonged by reason of a lengthy discussion over the balance that the treasurer, Mr. Walter T. Evans, showed for the past year. This balance was \$554.29, and some of the members thought that an explanation was necessary to show what was being done with this amount--whether it was being applied to the building fund or the general fund. Mr. James Ogilvie introduced the subject, and said that he would like to know just what was being done with the money. Mr. Evans replied that on looking up the past records of the annual meetings he had been unable to find anything to show that any disposition had been made of the balance, at the end of the year, other than to place it to the account of the next year's statement. He introduced a motion to the effect that he should be placed to the credit of the building fund. Mr. W. H. McLaren, one of the Managers, thought this would tie the hands of the Board, and leave it without any money to fall back on for immediate needs. On putting the vote to the congregation the motion was lost. Mr. McLaren introduced a motion to the effect that the balance be left as it is, for the Managers to have when it was wanted. This carried. Dr. Nelson's letter to the congregation asking for the \$600 back salary was a most important bit of business, but the congregation passed it over with the following resolution:

"Your Board, having considered Dr. Nelson's letter, feel that he should not have been misled by any private correspondence he might have received, and in the Managers, having carried out the instructions of the congregation regarding salary, feel that they have no further jurisdiction in the matter." Dr. Nelson's letter was read before the passing of the resolution, by Mr. Charles Peebles, the secretary of the meeting. To the Board of Managers, Knox Church, Hamilton, Ont. Dear Brethren--As I stated frequently during the recent discussion as to salary (and whether I should remain as your pastor) I was much disappointed at the last annual meeting, when I fully expected that my salary would be made \$2,000. Had I not expected this, I would not have been your minister at all, for I could not have afforded to accept a salary so much less than I was receiving in Rochester. When your call came to me with the salary at the figure \$2,500, I was disappointed, for I felt that surely so large and flourishing a church would at least offer me as much as I was getting in Rochester. I was disinclined to accept your call from the first, when I saw your compensation, but this figure was discouraging. You will remember that I took quite some time to consider it before announcing my acceptance. That was the reason--I was waiting to see if the salary would not be made more. Well, I received letters containing such statements as these: "\$2,500 was the amount paid to Mr. Henry, and we thought, in deference to him, we should at least start the person who took his place at the same salary as he was getting. I am writing this to you that you may better understand us offering you this amount in comparison with what you are at present receiving. In discussing this matter with church officials and the congregation at large, I have no doubt but that in a little while this amount will be increased."

McGillivray, Mrs. Wm. Stoops, Mrs. Henry Taylor, Miss Edith Kate Hodgson, Miss Isabella Graham, Mr. Donald Patterson, Mr. Malcolm McKenzie, Mr. Robt. H. Murphy, Mrs. George Harding and Mrs. Robt. McManus. The retiring managers were re-elected. They are: Ald. George J. Guy, Dr. Burnett and Charles Peebles. Alex. Wilson and W. E. Knapman were re-elected auditors. The report of the year will be: Messrs. Pringle, Brown and Halcor. The Music Committee were all re-elected.

PAIN OVER THE HEART

FLUTTERING AND PALPITATION

Dangerous Symptoms of a Dangerous Disease.

Heart pains rarely come from a diseased heart--but from irritated heart or "Stomach Heart." The cause of the trouble lies with a bad stomach or non-action of the bowels. If you have pains over the heart, palpitation and fluttering of the heart, pains running down the left side, you know, too, that you have indigestion, and that the bowels are not regular. Indigestion and constipation produce gas in the stomach, which bulges out the walls and thus press upon and irritates the heart. "Heart-tives" won't cure because the trouble is not with the heart. "Fruit-tives" cure irritated heart--stop palpitation, pain and weak spells--because they act on stomach, liver and kidneys--improve digestion--regulate the bowels--tone up the appetite--and build up the whole system. "I had a nasty pain over my heart, which alarmed me. I consulted several physicians, but nothing did me any good. After taking 'Fruit-tives' I am entirely well," Mrs. A. Sutherland, Taylorville, Ont. "Fruit-tives" are fruit juices in which the medicinal action is great intensified by the wonderful process of making them. Tonics and internal antiseptics are also added, and the new compound, then made into tablets. "Fruit-tives" never fail to cure Irritated Heart. Take them on that guarantee. 50c a box; 6 for \$2.50. Sent on receipt of price if your druggist does not have them. Fruit-tives, Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

FRUIT GROWERS.

WANT AMENDMENTS TO THE NEW FRENCH TREATY.

Reduced Tariff Would Seriously Injure the Grape Wine Industry--Want More Fruit Inspectors.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 15. (Special)--A resolution condemning the new French treaty was passed by the Provincial Fruit Growers' Association at its meeting in the Parliament buildings. It said that the admission of French light wines at reduced rates of duty would seriously injure the industry in Ontario. One-third of the grapes grown in the Province are now reduced to the same level as the rest of Canada will be asked to amend the treaty in this respect. Hon. Sydney Fisher is asked by another resolution to appoint two additional fruit inspectors for the tender fruit districts, the Niagara Peninsula. He is also to be requested to increase the penalty for second and third offences under the Fruit Markets Act. The following officers were elected: President--A. W. Peart, Burlington. Vice-President--E. D. Smith, Winona. Secretary--P. W. Hodggett, of the Agricultural Department.

FIRE AND PANIC.

FORTUNATELY NO ONE WAS KILLED THIS TIME.

An Explosion in a Moving Picture Theatre at St. Catharines Caused a Stampede and Very Seriously Burned the Operator.

St. Catharines, Jan. 15.--A fire which broke out shortly after three o'clock this afternoon, caused by the explosion of a film used in a moving picture machine, gutted the Hippodrome moving picture theatre and did damage to adjacent business places. Spectator attractions had been on at the theatre this week in the shape of Ben Hur moving pictures, and at the time of the explosion about fifty persons were in the building, which has but two small exits. The lights at once went out, and a panic followed, and the audience made a mad rush for the doors. A number of women and children were knocked off their feet, and more or less severely trampled upon. Lorne McDermott, the operator, aged fifteen years, was severely injured. He was in the enclosure above the floor, and could not easily escape. His face, neck and hands were frightfully burned, and when help arrived he was taken to the home of Mrs. Marle, close by, and Dr. Mulock dressed the wounds and accompanied the lad to the General and Marine Hospital, where to-night he was resting well, but his recovery could not be assured. The flames spread quickly through the theatre, and to McDermott's store, the former being gutted and the latter badly damaged. The latter was also considerably damaged by fire, water and smoke. The Star-Journal office suffered to some extent from water. The work of the firemen prevented further spread of the flames, and after two hours' work they extinguished the fire. The loss will be several thousand dollars, a fair portion being covered by insurance. The Hippodrome is owned and managed by Mr. Hastings, Buffalo. TO PROSECUTE CHIEF RANGER. Charged With Being in Illegal Possession of Beaver Skins. Toronto, Jan. 16.--Prosecution has been ordered by Mr. E. Tinsley, Superintendent of the Department of Game and Fisheries, of Mr. J. H. Bell, until recently chief ranger at Algonquin Park, and his brother, who also acted as ranger some time ago, for being in illegal possession of beaver skins. The prosecution will be undertaken by Mr. Dan Rice, of the department, and the case will in all probability come on for hearing at Keweenaw on Tuesday. The offence is alleged to have been committed while Mr. Bell was still an officer of the Government.

ST. ANDREW'S PROSPEROUS.

Salary of Pastor Increased \$200 at Annual Meeting.

Affairs of the Church Discussed in Harmonious Way.

Substantial Increase in Membership and Finances.

In St. Andrew's Sunday school last evening the congregation of that church held their twenty-third annual meeting, which was well attended. Mr. W. R. Leckie was elected chairman, the pastor, Rev. J. A. Wilson, asking to be allowed to remain in the congregation. Mr. John Firth was elected secretary for the evening.

In the report of the session it was recommended that for purely missionary objects a weekly offering by special envelope be taken up, and that one special offering a year be given for French evangelization, for educational funds (college), and for benevolent funds (aged and infirm ministers and widows' and orphans' funds). This was adopted. During the year the pastor officiated at twenty-four funerals, of this number, however, only three were members of the church.

GLANFORD

The report of the session shows: Membership 31st December, 1906, 737. Aided during the year, on profession 54. By certificate 75. Total 866. Removed during the year, by certificate 41. By death 16. By death 3. Total 60. Membership 31st December, 1907, 806. Increase over last year, 69. Total 806. Baptisms, adults, 513. Children, 38. Stewart S. McCandlish, clerk. The session fund, Dr. Newlands treasurer, showed receipts of \$125.88, expenditures, \$96.25, leaving a balance of \$29.63.

The Board of Managers expressed themselves grateful to the Ladies' Aid for the assistance they had rendered in meeting the interest. It is decided that owing to the prosperous condition of the church, the pastor's salary should be increased from \$1,700 to \$1,900. The receipts of this board, given by J. Keady, treasurer, were \$5,086.72; expenditures \$3,047.47, leaving a balance of \$2,039.25.

STONEY CREEK

J. G. Nash and wife spent Tuesday evening of this week at the parsonage. Last Friday night the League had an impromptu debate. Resolved, that women suffrage should be allowed. The affirmative speakers were Messrs. F. Corman, W. Clark, and W. Layle; negative, F. Felker, Dr. Clark and J. McGeary. The referees declared in favor of the affirmative. Next Friday Dr. Crews will address the League.

The Farmers' Institute will hold its annual meeting on Saturday, Jan. 18. Miss Lily Beamer, who has been ill for a few weeks, is now convalescent. The physical culture class has re-organized for another term. The class very much regret to lose Miss Chilton as their teacher, but expect to have another one engaged by next week. Mrs. Mead and children have returned to Bay City, Mich., after spending a month at Jubilee Hall.

SHEFFIELD

Mr. Charles Cornell, of Stratford, is visiting friends in and around the village. Charles Mills, of Westover, was in the village on Monday last. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swartz, of Drumbo, were visiting at Isaac Shipman's last week. The anniversary services held in the United Brethren Church on Sunday last, were not very largely attended, owing to the stormy weather and bad condition of the roads. Mr. R. Waitt has purchased a farm near Paris, and will move there in the near future.

CIGARS AND WHISKEY.

Employees of the C. P. R. Charged With Wholesale Thieving. Winnipeg, Jan. 15.--Complaints have been reaching the Canadian Pacific headquarters for many weeks past regarding shortages in freight in Winnipeg. In some instances whole cases of cigars have gone astray. To-day at noon five employees, named Sidney Mason, Ernest Haigh, Robert Thompson, Gavin B. Landels and a man named Rathbone, were arrested while on duty. Among the goods alleged to have been stolen by the men in custody are some hundreds of dollars worth of cigars, bottles of whiskey and bags of sugar.

FIVE SKATERS DROWNED.

They Broke Through Ice on the Jimtown Reservoir. Connelville, Pa., Jan. 15.--Of six persons who formed a skating party at the Jimtown reservoir near here to-night, five were drowned. They are: John Luxner, nineteen years old; George Cochran, twenty-one years of age; Frank Cochran, a brother, seventeen years old; Wm. Fulmer, twenty-three years old; Elizabeth Emerst, seventeen years old. Miss Fulmer and George Cochran started toward the centre of the reservoir, but had not gone far when the ice broke, and they were thrown into the water.

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addition to this it was proposed to have private subscriptions, which would supply another \$1,000. Mr. Jameson expressed himself in favor of giving the 3 per cent. or a stated sum, Mr. J. A. Wilson objected, on the grounds that it was like a mortgage on the people. Messrs. A. G. Hoggis, and Alex. Scott also expressed themselves in favor of the proposition. Owing to the resignation of Mr. Anderson as choirmaster and organist, Mr. A. J. Stone was engaged to fill the position, at a salary of \$20 per month. There was quite a discussion as to whether the music would not be better by having the positions of organist and choirmaster filled separately. Mr. Campbell Leckie expressed himself in favor of having two persons to fill the positions, but Rev. Mr. Wilson explained that this matter must first go before the session, as the Music Committee was appointed by it. It was decided to invite the members of the Music Committee to meet the session later and discuss the matter. The expenditures of the Music Committee were \$29.59, all of which was paid by the church treasurer. The Auditor's report showed receipts of \$10,877.61 from all sources; expenditures, \$10,555.74, leaving a balance of \$321.87. It was decided to change the Building Committee fund into a sinking fund. In the election of members of the Board of Managers, Mr. Brown and R. McMaster acted as scrutineers. It resulted as follows: W. D. O'Connor, A. E. Miller, James Crombie, J. M. Douglas, Chas. Plant, Thos. Webb. Messrs. R. Duff and John Firth were elected as Auditors.

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At the end of each season we have many broken lots of Shoes, which we are anxious to sell before the arrival of new spring shoes. The shoes and styles are right in every way--but only a few pairs of a kind, and REDUCED PRICES will quickly sell the lot. They will be ready for sale on Wednesday morning, and our store will be open on Thursday night until nine o'clock. Below you will find a list of some of the lines, and you had better bring the list with you.

Women's Patent Laced, 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, \$3.50, for \$2.78. Women's Patent Laced, 2 1/2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, \$3.00, for \$2.38. Women's Box Calf Laced, 2 1/2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, \$2.25, for \$1.68. Women's Box Calf Laced, 2 1/2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, \$3.00, for \$2.38. Women's Kid Laced 101 Grain, 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, \$3.50, for \$2.98.

There are also about 100 pairs of Women's Fine Slippers for \$2.25 to \$3.75; a few pairs of each of a dozen different kinds, all marked down to clearing out prices.

Men's Box Calf Bluchers, 6, 6 1/2, 8, 9, \$5.00, for \$3.88. Men's Patent Button, 8 1/2, \$9.50, for \$3.88. Men's Patent Button, plain toe, 5 1/2, 6, 7 1/2, 8, 9, \$5.00, for \$3.88. Men's Grain Bluchers, 6, 6 1/2, 7, 8, \$5.00, for \$3.88. Men's Cordovan Laced, 6, 6 1/2, 7 1/2, 8, 9, \$5.00, for \$3.88. Men's Gun Metal Laced, 6, 6 1/2, 7, 8, 9, \$5.00, for \$3.88. Men's Vici Kid Laced, 5, 5 1/2, 6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2, \$5.50, for \$3.88. Men's Pearl Hockey, 7 1/2, 8, 8 1/2, 9, \$2.75, for \$1.78. Men's Tan and Black Hockey, 6, 6 1/2, 7, 8, 8 1/2, \$3.00, for \$2.38. Boys' Hockey, 1, 2, 3, \$1.50, for \$1.08. Men's Sporting Boots, \$6 to \$6.50, for \$5.18; \$7.00 line for \$5.48.

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Advertisement for Quality Counts. Text: 'That is why GOLD SEAL and COOK'S PRIDE FLOUR leads. Manufactured by BENNETT BROS., Cor. Market and Park Streets, Phone 1817.'

Advertisement for Plumbing and Heating Contractor. Text: 'Plumbing and Heating Contractor GEORGE C. ELLICOTT Phone 2068 119 KING W.'

Advertisement for Fine New Stock. Text: 'FINE NEW STOCK Diamond, Sijet and Gem Rings, Gold Watches, Brooches, Lockets, Chains, Bracelets, Call and see. Open evenings. E. K. PASS, 91 John St. South. ATHENS Cafe and Quick Lunch 99 JAMES STREET NORTH Opposite Radial Station. FULL COURSE DINNER 25c--From 12 to 2 o'clock. Come and dine where everything is bright and new. Open until midnight. G. and L. SACHLAS, Proprietors. BLACHFORD & SON, Funeral Directors 57 King Street West. Established 1842. Private Mortuary. BRANCHES--445 Barton East, 415 Ferguson Avenue North. We are always pleased to have you look. LEES Reliable Jeweler 5 James Street North'





**MUSIC AND THE DRAMA**

The four Huntings, who have a world wide reputation on the vaudeville stage, will be seen at the Grand to-morrow evening and Saturday matinee and night. It will be their first visit to Hamilton, and for their introduction here they will use a three-act musical comedy, called "The Fool House," which was originally a one-act sketch, used by them in vaudeville. The Huntings are said to be the best acrobatic comedians on the American stage, and in their present production are assisted by a company of some forty people.

**Lillian Russell in "Wildfire."**  
Lillian Russell is said to be indebted to Lord Walsingham for the designs of the costumes worn in her play "Wildfire," and Lord Walsingham has the greatest collection of moths and butterflies in the world. Dressmakers and designers of court gowns go to the drawers and cases of butterflies and moths to study new combinations and contrasts of color, subtle shades of nature and harmonies of tone, which are to be held and studied there. Profiting by this knowledge, Miss Russell sent her dressmaker to study the collection of butterflies in the cases of the Museum of Natural History, a part of the Washington collection having been loaned to the New York Museum. The result was the obtaining of new color schemes and bodice effects for two of the gowns worn by Miss Russell in her plays, "Wildfire" and the "Butterfly."

**At the Savoy.**  
As a matinee feature Barron's burlesque menagerie is proving one of the best drawing cards that has been brought to the Savoy this season. The funny antics of these cleverly trained dogs, disguised as wild beasts, is a delight to the hearts of the little folks. The other star attractions are the Marriott twins and Eldred, with a sensational and unique juggling act; Mark Sullivan, an exceptionally clever and entertaining monomaniac artist; J. K. Emmett and Anna Morland, with a clever sketch. The remainder of the bill is pleasing in its entirety.

Sevengala, who is generally admitted to be the cleverest hypnotist and demonstrator of mental telepathy before the public to-day, is coming next week. The announcement of his appearance has excited considerable interest. The performance is said to be entirely original from most of what has been offered in that class, and it is of an unusually entertaining character for the reason that no paid employees are carried with the act, except Minerva, the young lady who assists in the demonstration of mental telepathy. While the performance, it is promised, will be something of a study for those who disbelieve in the existence of hypnotism, it is also extremely amusing. One of the finest dancing acts playing vaudeville to-day will be offered in the appearance of the great Alexandroff troupe of Russian dancers, said to be the most expensive organization of that class on the road.

**The K. and E. Fight.**  
New York, Jan. 16.—William Morris returned from Worcester and Springfield yesterday, confident that he would be successful in maintaining his tenancy of the Franklin Square and Nelson Theatres in those cities. Following his application for an injunction restraining the United States Amusement Company from interfering with his occupation of the two houses, he has applied for an order requiring that company to issue with the terms of the contract, which he alleges he holds.

On the stipulation that Morris should be ousted, L. Z. Poli, who regards Worcester and Springfield as his exclusive territory, contributed \$15,000 to the pool formed for the purpose of effecting the withdrawal of Klaw & Erlanger and their associates from the vaudeville field.

**Shows for Next Week.**  
"Jerry from Kerry" is the title of Patten & Fletcher's attraction at the Grand next Monday night, which is made up principally of specialties. These are said to be several good acts.

No musical play ever received quicker recognition than "Fascinating Flora," which comes to the Grand the week after next. This is a typical Casino musical show with tuneful music, new comedy and sprightly girls in large numbers and exquisitely gowned.

**At Bennett's Theatre.**  
Some people are devotees of melodrama and some of musical comedy, and the two headline acts at Bennett's this week will give each class a chance to satisfy its liking. "Paradise Alley" will not be forgotten, the comedians possessing real merit and squeezing two hours fun into half an hour, while the singers

and dancers present work of a first class order. "The Bandit" is annexing a number of thrills daily. If the Abdallah brothers did nothing else than their sensational fourteen foot hand to hand leap, they would deserve their place on the bill, but with a quantity of other masterful work they make a strong turn. La Veola's dancing offering is considered a tasty novelty. Ed Gray will hereafter rank as one of the best monologists that have been seen here. He is a clever imitator, and also throws out a number of witticisms. The Kratos' hoop rolling stunts very truly make rings round all acts of a similar character in existence, and their novel little pantomime, entitled "Hooplant," in which the circles act very much like human beings under similar circumstances, tickles everybody. The Big City quartette is a musical treat as well as a bunch of comedians. They can sing and they can act, a mixture that wins them an ovation on their disappearance. Paul La Croix's hat juggling is a quaint piece of work.

**LITTLE HOPE FOR STOESSEL.**

His Attorney Believes Port Arthur's Defender Will Be Convicted.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 15.—The trial by court-martial of Lieut.-Gen. Stoessel for having surrendered the Port Arthur fortress to the Japanese is nearing its end, and a verdict is expected early next week. The belief prevails that the General will not be found guilty, and to-day Deputy Strylanoff, General Stoessel's attorney, intimated to the representative of the Associated Press that he had little hope of acquittal on the main charge of surrendering the fortress.

**SHOOTING AT COBALL.**

Serious Trouble at the McDougall's Chutes.

Cobalt, Jan. 15.—Details have reached here of a shooting affray which took place at McDougall's Chutes on Sunday, January 5th. It appears that two cooks at A. R. McDonald's construction camp had been laid off. Their names are L. Perrin and H. Billato. They got drunk, and are said to have threatened to shoot Foreman Cassidy. The head cook warned Cassidy and took a rifle from Billato, working at rock work in connection with the new power plant at Croze Bay. In the confusion Perrin and Billato escaped. The police are now looking for them.

**HUGE ROCK FELL ON MAN.**

Albert McQuilton Was Killed at Croze Bay.

Campbellford, Jan. 15.—An accident occurred here to-day in which a man named Albert McQuilton was killed. He was working at rock work in connection with the new power plant at Croze Bay. When adjusting the grapples a large piece of overhanging rock, weighing between four and five tons, fell on him, crushing and killing him instantly. Deceased was about 24 years of age, unmarried, and resided near Trenton. No inquest will be held.

**CITADEL IN DANGER.**

Blast Broke Out Near Quebec Powder Magazine.

Quebec, Jan. 15.—About 1 o'clock this morning the fire department was called to the citadel by a telephone message. A fire had broken out in one of the quartermaster's stores, in close proximity to one of the powder magazines. A large detachment from the Central Fire Station responded immediately to the call. When the latter arrived on the scene the fire had communicated to the quartermaster's office, and a general alarm was rung up, which brought detachments from all the stations to the citadel.

The building is of solid stone, so that the fire, owing to the good work of the brigade and artillerymen, was confined to the interior. The building contained a large quantity of stores, including ammunition, which frequently exploded.

The fire was under control about 3 o'clock. Considerable damage has been done to the quartermaster's stores.

Any woman will tell you that there are positively men over 30 who make love like amateurs.

Talk is cheap, if you don't use a phone.

**The Daily Fashion Hint.**



Attractive theatre gown of blue silk voile. Yoke and under-sleeves are of lace and net combined. Loops of pale blue velvet and turquoise buttons trim effectively.

**NATURE CURE FOR BAD BOYS**

Experiment That is Costing New York a Million.

(N. Y. Sun.)  
That could be allotted to each boy were about a yard square. There is not much call of the wild to be dug out of that restricted enclosure. For a lively, mischievous boy cultivating flowers and vegetables in such a patch has about the same charm as carrying ash-cans out to the curb or doing chores about the house.

Can lads pronounced incorrigible and habitual truants from the public schools be made obedient, studious and law abiding by military discipline, pleasant and healthful surroundings and emulation of their fellows? This is a question which the city of New York through the Department of Education is spending more than a million dollars to answer.

The experiment is to be made at the Parental School which is in course of creation in the Borough of Queens. During the last two years \$450,000 has been expended in the purchase of land and the erection of buildings. Sufficient has been accomplished to give an idea of what the completed work will be like.

Among those who are habitual truants or who attending school are so unruly that ordinary discipline fails to curb them are some of the brightest boys the public teachers have to deal with. If a way can be found to turn their energies into proper channels good citizens will be the result. This is much the same problem that has led to the establishment of children's courts in this city.

Since consolidation of the instruction of incorrigibles and truants has been under the care of the committee on compulsory education of the Board of Education and under the direct supervision of Superintendent of Schools, a maintained two truant schools, one in East Twentieth street, Manhattan and one at Jamaica avenue and Elbert's lane, Brooklyn.

The lads gathered up by the truancy officers and taken to the police courts have been sent to these schools, as far as accommodations were available. But there has been room for less than 200 in both institutions and the remainder have been sent to reformatories and other semi-penal institutions under private control.

There has been a two-fold limitation on the work thus far. In the first place the quarters provided by the city have been inadequate for carrying out any extended system of instruction. Then in the second place when the boys are admitted to the private institutions the city authorities in large lose control over them.

The study devoted to the subject of these boys has evolved certain conclusions. One of the conclusions is that mere punishment can accomplish nothing. Men have learned that it is useless to whip a balky horse. Likewise it is useless to attempt to drive a boy who doesn't like to go to school.

**THE RIGHT HOUSE**  
HAMILTON'S FAVORITE SHOPPING PLACE.

**Friday, extra special value day**

EXTRA special bargains all over the store for to-morrow—extra chances to save on needful goods of Right House character and quality. Splendid bargains in every department that no wise person will care to miss. Space forbids going into details, but here are a few price ideas. Judge the day's offerings by the savings quoted below.

**Cashmere stockings**

English Cashmere and Lama Wool Stockings, in fine qualities and warm winter weights, sizes for women. These are a special purchase.

3pc the pair or 3 pairs for \$1, value 40c and 45c pair  
49c, real value 55c and 60c

**Women's winter vests**

Nice fleece-lined qualities in warm winter weights, good wearing, perfect fitting sorts in women's sizes, some are slightly imperfect, but have been neatly darned.

39c, real value 75c  
39c, real value 50c

**Shirtwaist suits**

Lustrous, grey Tweeds and navy and grey Panama smart plaited skirts and neat waists, good serviceable qualities and effective, neat styles.

\$2.88, reduced from \$7.50  
\$5.00, reduced from \$10.00

**Odd coats reduced**

50c, reduced from \$7.50  
75c, reduced from \$8.00

Old coats in loose, semi and fitted back styles. These were left from former seasons. Sizes for women, misses and children.

**Trimmed hats**

For dress and street wear. Handsome new creations in the winter's newest styles, most becoming shapes and colorings, with neat simple to elaborate trimmings.

\$4.50, reduced from \$10.00  
\$3.50, reduced from \$7.50

**Paris novelty mounts**

A wide assortment of beautiful new Mounts, direct from Paris, and including all the popular style ideas.

10c, formerly \$1.50 to \$2.00  
25c, formerly \$2.00 to \$3.00  
50c, formerly \$3.00 to \$4.00

**Felt hat shapes**

This season's importations, to clear. Good styles in black and colors.

75c, formerly \$1.50 to \$2.50

**Silk shawls**

Half price—Pure Silk Shawls in pink and cream. Extra large size, in pretty shell pattern, finished with deep border and silk fringe.

\$1.25, formerly \$2.50

**\$9 silk blouses \$3.95**

Made of rich, soft chine silk, beautifully trimmed, with Val, yoke and large medallions in new filet pattern; broad, extended shoulders; three-quarter sleeves with trimmed cuffs.

\$3.95, real value \$9.00

**Winter coats**

**Average of half price**

For women, misses and children, black, plain colors, neat, fancy and handsome novelty patterns, neat, warm, mid-winter styles, in tweeds, broadcloths, kerseys, etc., final clearance reductions rule for to-morrow. Many are less than half price. Our entire stock is included. Price hints:

\$2.85, reduced from \$7.00  
\$3.95, reduced from \$8.50  
\$4.95, reduced from \$10.00  
\$5.95, reduced from \$12.00  
\$7.50, reduced from \$15.00

**Sable ruffs and stoles**

Natural Alaska and Western Sable Ruffs and Stoles, in large, long style and rich, full-furred quality; double fur necks and broad satin lined fronts; finished with tails and ornaments or tails and heads.

\$6.95, real value \$10 each  
\$11.69, real value \$16 and \$18

**\$3.25 Kid gloves \$2.45**

Real Kid, French cut to fit perfectly; full 16-button length and soft, pliable, elastic quality, that will give every satisfaction. A very handsome stylish Glove, that is a real \$3.25 quality, all sizes, reduced for this sale to only \$2.45 the pair; a remarkable Glove-buying chance. Black, tan and brown shades.

**68c Carpets 49c**

All made, laid and lined free. These good wearing imported English Tapestry Carpets embrace a wide variety of splendid designs and desirable colorings for most any room. Our whole stock at this price is included in the offering for the one day only—Friday.

49c, reduced from 68c

**\$4 Swiss curtains \$2.88**

Handsome Swiss Point Curtains in dainty to elaborate designs that are suitable for any room. Plain or neat design centres; exquisite border effects. Full large sizes. You save \$1.12 the pair to-morrow.

\$2.88, real value \$4.00

**Dress goods bargains**

Every kind, color and weave, all the popular patterns, designs, mixtures and plain shades, including black. The season's newest suitings and dress materials.

39c, formerly 75c to \$1  
50c, formerly 85c to \$1  
60c, formerly \$1 to \$1.25  
88c, formerly \$1.50 the yard

**A great black silk sale**

The very best weaves and most stylish sorts in firm richly finished qualities for coats, dresses, blouses, skirts, drop skirts, linings, etc. Taffetas, Peau de Soies, Messalines, Armures, Saillettes, Moire Velours, Louisines, Surcettes.

59c, reduced from 85c  
69c, reduced from \$1.00  
88c, reduced from \$1.25  
95c, reduced from \$1.35  
\$1.15, reduced from \$1.35  
\$1.38, reduced from \$1.65

Corner King East and Hughson Sts. **THOMAS C. WATKINS** Hamilton Ontario

**SALARY RAISED.**

Rev. Jas. Murray Got \$200 Increase and \$200 Bonus.

The Hamilton friends of Rev. James Murray, pastor of Erskine Church, Toronto, and formerly pastor of St. Andrew's Church, of this city, will be pleased to learn that his work in Toronto is highly appreciated by his congregation. The Toronto Mail and Empire says this morning: "Heartfelt appreciation of the work of the pastor, Rev. James Murray, was expressed by the congregation of Erskine Church. In addition to increasing his salary from \$2,600 to \$2,800, the meeting decided to grant him a bonus of \$200 and passed a resolution in appreciation of his services. The motion congratulated him on the completion of nine years of successful labor, which has rendered much more arduous on account of the encroachment of foreigners in the district. It also dwelt on the work of Mrs. Murray and the congregation heartily endorsed the sentiment."

**A DENIAL BY ORANGEMEN.**

Say No Resolution Was Passed Regarding Roman Catholics.

Toronto, Jan. 16.—At the last regular meeting of the District Orange Lodge of Centre Toronto the following resolution was passed: Resolved, that this District Lodge deprecates the publication in the newspapers of false and misleading articles purporting to be a report of the proceedings of this District Lodge, and particularly with regard to a statement recently published to the effect that a resolution had been passed by this lodge pledging its members not to vote for Roman Catholics seeking election to political or other office; that this lodge hereby places on record its denial that any such resolution was passed or moved. And further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to all daily newspapers in Toronto.

**Signing Pledge Illegal.**

The clergyman recorded complacently the taking of the seventh New Year pledge.

"Excellent work. A glorious day," he said. "And yet do you know that there was once a time when all this sort of thing was criminal?"

"Yes. It was in India, at the beginning of the English occupation. Medical men believed in those days that a white man could not live in India without drinking. They thought he needed half a pint of whiskey, or its equivalent, every day. And they insisted on his taking it."

"Temperance societies, total abstinence and the signing of the pledge were things forbidden in India. Such things were thought injurious to the white man's health out there. Hence to go to for them was to be arrested, fined, imprisoned, banished."

"But to-day in India total abstinence is encouraged, it has been found that the abstainer stands the heat far better than does the man who drinks."—From the Philadelphia Bulletin.

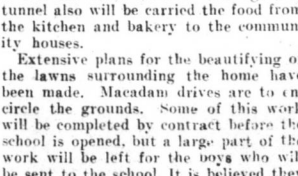
**CARROLL ESTATE.**

At Osgoode Hall yesterday, Re Carroll Estate, M. C. Cameron, for the administrator of the will of one Carroll, moved for order declaring the construction of the will. J. J. Wilkes, K. C., for five beneficiaries, Kirwan Martin (Hamilton), for the Diocese of Niagara, mortgagees, J. L. Counsell (Hamilton) for L. A. Brown and her adult children, F. W. Harcourt for infants. All parties consenting, order to go allowing the administrator to extend the mortgage to the Diocese of Niagara. The administrator to continue to collect the rents, Held, also, that there is a merger of the marriage of Frederic Carroll to Fred C. Martin in the executorship. The question of whether there has been a merger of the annuity to Mary Page or whether it has been validly assigned is reserved.

"This is fine," remarked the disorderly person as the magistrate said: "Ten dollars or ten days."

**THE FOUR HUNTINGS.**

Whose big company will present "The Fool House" at the Grand to-morrow and Saturday.



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**New Year's**

for Distant Friends

What is better than a beautifully colored picture of dear old HAMILTON? Size 11 inches by 20 inches; price 50c each. Tube for mailing 5c extra. Framed \$2 each.

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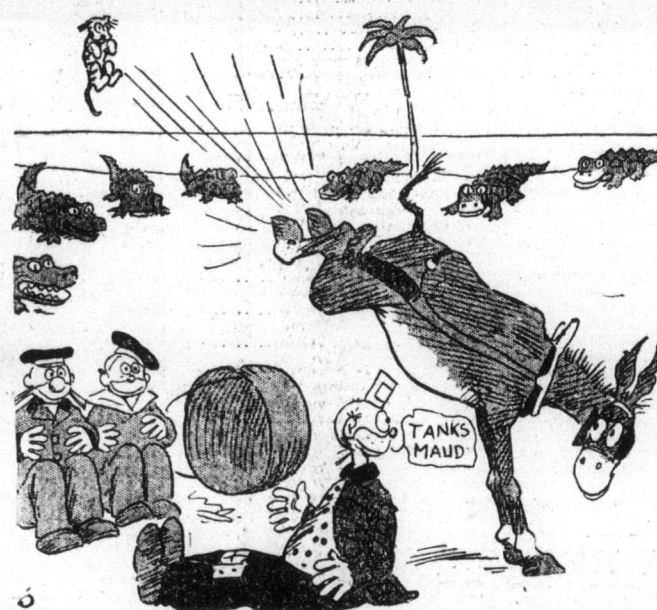
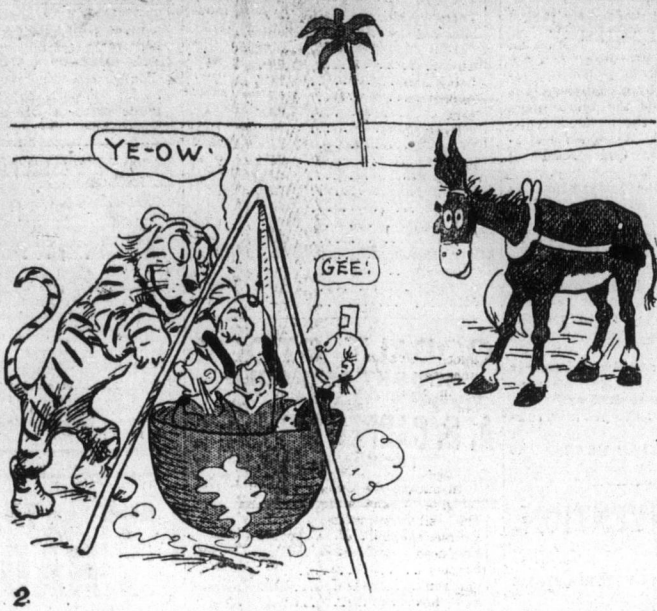






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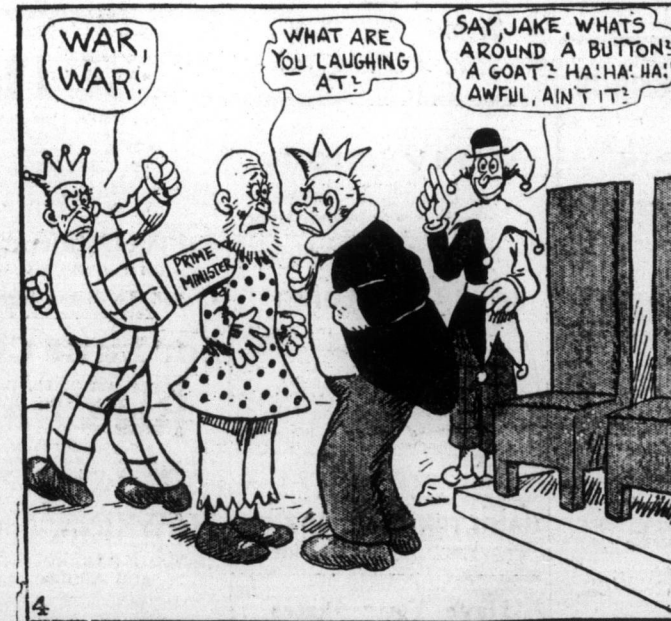
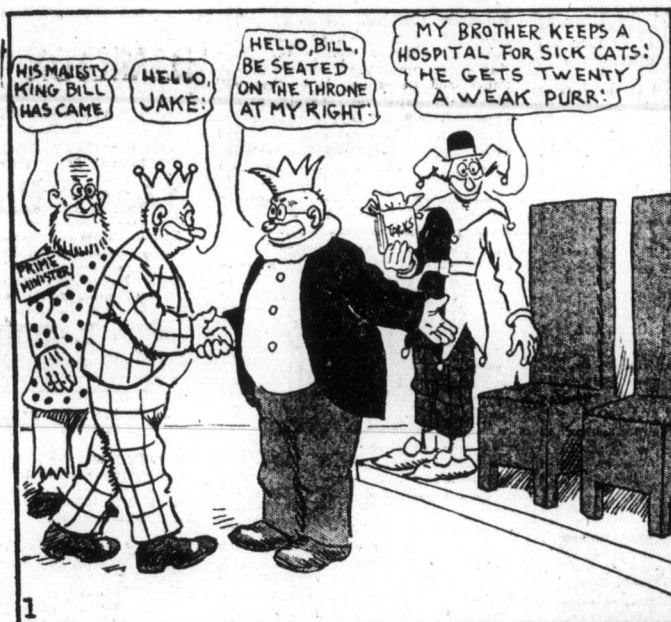
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- What's the Matter with King Jake? He's All Right!

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WEAVER LOST CASE.

(Continued from page 1.)

of his, but the members of the Board knew nothing of the relationship.

Cross-examined by Mr. Washington, he admitted that he made the speech to the Board because he felt that it was his duty. He would not admit that he made the "inflammatory" speech with a view to influencing the members of the Board.

Mr. Stanton in his address to the jury said that it was the duty of the jury to protect the interests of the business men who devote their time, gratis, to the public. It was their right to see that the parks be properly looked after, and that was Mr. Wild's duty.

Stanton contended that the better half of the story was made up by the newspapers.

Mr. Washington, in reviewing the evidence to the jury, referred to the difference of points in Mr. Wild's statements, which he considered were malicious and slanderous.

He also pointed out the fact that the man who was appointed to the position of foreman was a relation of the defendant. He dwelt on the fact that the Board had not even given Weaver a hearing before dismissing him, on Wild's suggestion.

Justice Keenan, in his address this morning, gave the definition of slander in law. Any defamatory statements made by one person against another in public, in which contempt or any reflection was shown, was slander.

In this particular case, the occasion in which Wild uttered the statements was which was termed as a privileged occasion—that is, the right to speak at a public meeting in the interests of the city. It must be shown by the defendants that there was no malice in the statements made at the meeting.

If the jury had any doubt as to the malice claimed by the plaintiff, they must give the defendant the benefit of it. On the other hand, Weaver had stated in the box that the statements made against him were false and that, as a result, he lost his position and his reputation was damaged.

His Lordship had a word or two to say about the city officials. He said it seemed to be the popular idea that as soon as a man got a job for the city that he should try and see how little he could do for the pay he received.

Lordship severely condemned the practice and said that men were not put in these positions to rob the public. They were there to work all the time, not loaf. Any man who drank during working hours should be dismissed at once, without explanation.

He thought that would be somewhat of a remedy for the existing evils. In case the jury decided in favor of the plaintiff, His Lordship stated that a reasonable amount of damages would be expected.

The jury brought in a verdict about 12:30 in favor of the defendant, dismissing the action.

The next case taken up was that of Windmill vs. Norton Manufacturing Co., an action for \$1,000 damages for injuries received while in the employ of the company.

W. J. O'Neil, for the company, and Harry Carpenter, for the plaintiff. The accident occurred on the 22nd of August, 1907, while Arthur Windmill was working on one of the press-machines.

He claims that the machine repeated. Two fingers of the right hand were taken off. In the examination for discovery, he stated that he had a premonition while at breakfast that an accident was going to occur to him, but he went to work just the same.

He did not know what the nature of the accident was going to be. The case was still on at press time.

HUMMELL FINED

He Threw His Wife Out Very Gently Yesterday.

The troubles of Gehbart Hummell and his row have not ended yet. The poor hubby was to-day fined \$1 for assaulting her, when she went to ask him to reinstate her in his household.

Her story was that she had gone to the house to ask to be taken back or to get her furniture, and that Gehbart had thrown her out because she saw her. Hummell said she swore at him when she refused to have her back and stayed in to make a rough house out of the place and after warning her he threw her out gently.

The Magistrate said that both sides were to blame and almost equally so, but the law would have to be upheld and he fined defendant \$1. W. A. Logie appeared for Mr. Hummell, and M. J. O'Reilly for the plaintiff.

James McHugh, no address, pleaded guilty to stealing a pair of rubber boots, belonging to Seth Hassard, from the Court House Hotel, yesterday afternoon. He was remanded till Saturday for sentence.

Mrs. Mary Graham and her son and daughter, David and Lizzie, were charged by Harry Hyde with trespass. Mrs. Graham is Hyde's mother in law and was warned away one time before. Last night things got hot and Constable Hyde had to remove the whole crowd from the house.

The Magistrate warned the Gabrians that it would cost them something if they went back to the son-in-law's house again and allowed them to go.

W. Wentine, the foreigner, on remand for vagrancy, was sent down for a month as Dodiimir Protich has been unable to work for him.

Maud Traverson of Waterdown Road, pleaded guilty to being drunk and disorderly and was fined \$3.

Sensational Clothing Sale.

Premium on cash. It will pay you to bring your money here if you want to buy a suit or overcoat at a big saving. 100 park grey cheviot overcoats, worth \$8, for \$4.98.

100 pairs men's strong, dark colored tweed pants at 79c. 50 men's high grade overcoats, worth \$24, at \$15. 75 men's black beaver overcoats, worth \$16, at \$9.98.

BACK FROM OTTAWA.

Dr. D. G. Storms, C. R. McCullough, John T. Hall and D. M. Cameron, all past presidents of the Canadian Club, who represented that body at Ottawa yesterday when the proposition in favor of a national park at the Plains of Abraham was being discussed with his Excellency the Governor-General, have returned home.

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All our Cod Liver Oil from Norway in tin lined barrels and bottles is in clean dry bottles with as little exposure to air as possible. This insures you getting fresh oil in the best obtainable condition. Sold in 25c and 50c bottles, by Parke & Parke, druggists

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—Mr. Geo. H. Mills, of New York, is in the city.

—The First Presbyterian Church of London has extended a call to Rev. J. G. Inkster, of Montreal.

—The Junior Auxiliary of the Church of the Ascension will resume meetings to-morrow (Friday) afternoon at 4:30.

—Mrs. Martin, of Ballinacree, has made a donation of \$50 to the Pan-Atlantic thank offering, which is to be made in London, England, next June.

—Through an error, Isaiah P. Hall was stated to have died in Milwaukee, Wis. It was Isaiah P. Hale. The remains are being brought here for interment.

—By an unfortunate error, the name of Claude Buchanan, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buchanan, 535 Hughson street north, was made to read Buckingham.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bishop are enjoying themselves in the land of orange blossoms. A communication from Mr. Bishop, in Havana, Cuba, says he feels ten years younger.

—Superintendent Rae, of the House of Refuge, wishes to thank the following for a treat of cakes and oranges and a concert, which was very much enjoyed by the old people: Misses Garishore, Greening, Glasgow, G. Gillespie, B. Gillespie, Findlay, Bell, Barker, Mrs. Aldous.

—Mufflers reduced some fifty per cent at waugh's, post office opposite. Wey's mufflers half price.

—Cashmere half-hose, two pairs twenty-five cents.

BANK OF COMMERCE

Finished the Most Prosperous Year in Its History.

The forty-first annual meeting of the Canadian Bank of Commerce was held on Tuesday, and by the reports presented and the addresses delivered at that meeting, it is seen that the bank has had a most successful year's business.

This has been accomplished by careful, conservative management and methods, and is a strong testimony to the ability and industry of those entrusted with the affairs of the institution.

The expansion of the bank in recent years has been remarkable, and its business has been extended from the Atlantic to the Pacific. A few years ago it absorbed the Bank of British Columbia, while in 1906 it absorbed the Merchants Bank of Prince Edward Island.

Up to the present time the Bank of Montreal had the largest capital, it being \$14,400,000, subscribed and fully paid up, but the Canadian Bank of Commerce now takes the lead.

Mr. Alex. Laird, the general manager, in his address, pointed out that the net profits for the year amounted to over 17 1/2 per cent on the capital of the bank and exceeded those of last year by \$11,224.

They had this year paid four quarters' dividends of 2 per cent, or at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, and after devoting the large sum of \$350,000 to expenditures on bank premises, and making the usual provision for the pension fund, they have carried forward a balance of \$675,912.10 at credit of profits and loss account.

The deposits bearing interest amounted at the closing of the year's accounts to \$66,089,786.15, and those not bearing interest to \$20,951,271.35. Of readily available assets there are \$35,743,443.48.

During the year new branches were opened at Creston, Mission City and Prince Rupert, B. C.; Hardisty, Alta.; at Drinkwater, Lanigan and Nokomis, Sask., and at Durban and Kenville, Man.

Mr. Laird referred to the recent stringency in the money market, but said he looked forward with confident expectation for the next year's business. The address of the President, Mr. B. E. Walker, which is now looked upon as a national event, was optimistic as to the future, although it predicted retrenchment on the part of the public in the immediate future.

Mr. David B. Dewar, local manager of the bank, has well earned the vote of thanks tendered him, in common with the other officers of the bank.

CHEESE AND BUTTER.

Prominent Men Talk to Dairymen's Convention.

Woodstock, Ont., Jan. 16.—(Special)—That cleanliness and strict attention to detail are two things which make success was the keynote of this morning's session of the Western Dairymen's Association, which was devoted to cheesemakers.

Nearly three hundred members are present at the convention, and many others are in attendance. James R. Burton, of Listowel, dealt with the model cheese factory, and urged that great attention be paid to cleanliness in every particular.

E. N. Hart, of Ingersoll; and Alex. MacKay, of St. Mary's, dealt with the practical side of cheese-making. George H. Barr spoke of the handling of Canadian cheese and butter at Montreal.

Chief Health Officer of Ontario, urged that more attention be paid to properly disposing of factory sewage.

BANK RATE REDUCED.

London, Jan. 16.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England was reduced from 6 to 5 per cent, to-day.

Ex-M.P. Mentioned as a License Commissioner.

It was reported to-day that the Tory powers that be had decided that Mr. F. C. Bruce, ex-M. P., is to take the place on the Board of License Commissioners made vacant by the death of Mr. E. A. Dalley.

As the other two commissioners are from the West Hamilton riding there is no doubt cause trouble in the East Hamilton camp.

A prominent East Hamilton worker said this morning there will be trouble if the vacancy is not filled by the easterners, he claimed, have been passed up too often during the past year.

NEW LORD RECTOR.

St. Andrew's, Scotland, Jan. 16.—Lord Avelby to-day was installed Lord Rector of St. Andrew's University, in succession to Andrew Carnegie. He was elected on Nov. 1, Mr. Carnegie withdrawing

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS.—Strong northwest winds; fair and colder. Friday, southwest winds; fair and moderately cold.

WEATHER NOTES.

The area of high pressure which appeared over the western provinces yesterday, accompanied by a cold wave, has moved southward, and the temperature has risen throughout the west. The disturbance which was in Wisconsin yesterday is now centred near Quebec, and will pass quickly eastward.

The following is the temperature as registered at Parke & Parke's drug store:

9 a. m., 22; 12 noon, 19; 2 p. m., 20. Lowest in 24 hours, 19.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Forecasts: Eastern States and Northern New York: Safe and much colder to-night, except fair in extreme south portion; cold wave in interior. Friday, fair and brisk winds.

Western New York: Cold and decidedly colder to-night, with brisk to high west winds; cold wave in central and east portions; Friday, fair, except snow flurries along the lakes.

THIS DATE LAST YEAR.

Easterly winds; snow to-night.

GOOD CONVENTION.

Joint Sunday School Event at Carlisle Yesterday.

East and West Flamboro and North Wentworth Sunday School Associations held their joint convention yesterday. It was the best they ever held in every way, the attendance being large and the interest well maintained.

It was held in the Methodist Church at Carlisle, at 2 and 7 o'clock, a business session of the united associations being held in the morning.

Mr. A. H. Krompart, of Greenville, President of the East and West Flamboro Association, presided at the afternoon session. Rev. G. F. Morris conducted the devotional services. Mr. J. S. Harker, of this city, gave a splendid address on adult classes, and Mr. Wm. Yellowless, of Toronto, conducted a round table talk. Reports were presented by the Visiting Committee, county secretary and Business Committee.

Mr. W. H. Moss, Mayor of Dundas, and President of the County Association, presided at the evening session. Rev. Mr. Haines, of Freetown, conducted the devotional exercises and Mr. Moss made an excellent address. The other speakers were Mr. Harker and Mr. Yellowless. A good musical programme was given. The Carlisle people entertained the visitors hospitably.

DIPHTHERIA THERE.

Public and Sunday Schools at Greenville Closed.

Dundas, Jan. 16.—The Haley people, mother and sons, who have purchased the Central Hotel, are to move here next week.

The Greenville school has been closed for a time, owing to the outbreak of diphtheria in two families. The Presbyterian Sunday school has been discontinued for a time, for the same reason. The cases are also reported as doing well, and it is expected that further spread of the contagion will be prevented.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Hamilton leave in a few days for a six weeks' travel in Cuba, Mexico and other southern climes. Charlie and Miss Celia Mitson are visiting friends in Galt.

Fred. Partridge, of High River, Alta., paid a short visit this week to friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. King, of "The Pines," have presented seventy-five pots of daffodils to the A. Y. P. A. of St. James Church, a gift much appreciated.

Miss Blanch Robertson has engaged for the current term with an Owen Sound school.

Miss Nora Sutherland, Toronto, is a visitor with Mrs. J. J. Steele.

Miss Emily L. Horning, of the Sydenham Mountain, is visiting Mrs. R. A. Little, London.

Mrs. James Scott, of the Creighton road, is seriously ill.

Mrs. Ford, of Strabane, is visiting her son, John Ford, Park street.

Allan Laing is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. William Wilson, of Westover, is visiting relatives in town.

Clark Whalley was last week presented with a silver-mounted comb and a handsome ebony brush by his pupils of Trinity School.

Walter Booth, who was business manager of the Banner during the time of A. F. Pirie, has been suffering from an ulcerated ankle for the past three years. Last week, at the Hamilton City Hospital the foot was amputated. He is reported as doing well.

Walter Burton, of Brooklyn, N. Y., son of William Burton, while extinguishing a fire in an evening over a front window of his residence, fell one storey to the ground and broke an ankle.

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Markets and Finance.

Toronto, Noon—Received by A. E. Carpenter.

Table with columns for market items (Buffalo, Cobalt Lake, Coniagas, Foster, Green Meahan, Kerr Lake, Nipissing, Nova Scotia, Peterson Lake, Red Rock, Silver Leaf, Silver Bar, Silver Queen, Trethewey, University, Watts) and their respective prices.

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LATE SPORTING NEWS

The first game in the inter-club series between the Victoria and Thistle Curling Clubs were played last night, and resulted as follows:

Table with columns for teams (Thistles, J. A. Thomson, Dr. Dickson, Dr. Edgar, Dr. Wardell, Dr. McConachie) and their scores.

WORLD EDITOR

May Yet be Tried for Contempt of Court.

Toronto, Jan. 16.—(Special)—Mr. Justice Riddell has dismissed two motions made by the Toronto Suburban Railway Company to commit to jail for contempt of court Mr. W. H. Greenwood, editor of the Toronto World.

This decision does not dispose of the question whether contempt matters before the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board are to be considered contempt of court. Indeed, the motions were dismissed on technical grounds as a result of errors in the supporting affidavits.

CRUISER AGROUND.

Kiel, Jan. 16.—The new German armored cruiser Scharnhorst ran aground near Buek last night, while engaged in evolutions. It is reported that a hole one hundred feet long was torn in her double bottom.

JEWELRY THEFT.

Windsor, Jan. 16.—Jewelry, valued at \$500, was stolen from the sample cases of A. Hope, travelling salesman for the Hemming Company, of Montreal, the Manning House yesterday afternoon.

Visiting the Son's Sins.

The Tifflisk Listok (Tiflis Leaflet) publishes a very remarkable order published in connection with the military school. The terms are as follows: "In case of any act of disobedience on the part of a pupil toward one of his masters, whatever may have been the conduct of the latter, the Governor will expel from the limitations of the place not only the pupil, but also his parents; for parents possessing a son who dares to disobey his masters constitute a pernicious element."

Steamship Arrivals.

Jan. 15.—Lake Champlain—At Fastnet, from St. John. Manzanar—At Bristol, from Portland. Central—At St. John, from Liverpool. Numbona—At Liverpool, from New York. Paragonia—At Liverpool, from New York. K. P. Wilhelm—At Bremen, from New York. Laccasarian—At London, from Boston. Neopolitan Prince—At Gibraltar, from New York.

Perugia—At Leghorn, from New York. Majestic—At New York, from Southampton.

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Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-weekly Times. 50c first insertion; 25c for each subsequent insertion.

MARRIAGES

THAIN-GIBB—On Wednesday evening January 15th, 1908, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jan. Thain, by the Rev. James Stracken, of Ferguson Ave. Baptist Church, Lizzie Gibb, of Aberdeen, Scotland, to Charles Thain, of Emerson, Manitoba.

DEATHS

CAMPBELL—At Waterdown on Tuesday Jan. 14th, 1908, Ann Alderson, wife of Thos. Campbell, in her 64th year. Funeral from her late residence on Friday, Jan. 17th, at 2 p. m. to Waterdown Cemetery.

GRISB—In this city on January 15th, 1908, at his late residence, 426 Ferguson Ave. North, Ernest, second son of Henry Geiss, aged 51 years. Funeral Saturday, 18th inst., at 2 p. m., to Hamilton Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation. Please omit flowers.

NEW—At Guelph on January 15, 1908, Samuel New, son of the late Daniel New, in his 56th year. Funeral took place to-day on the arrival of 11:30 train to Burlington Cemetery.

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NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the Hamilton Horticultural Society

will be held on Tuesday evening, January 21st, 1908, at half-past 7 o'clock, in the Museum, Public Library Building. Business: Annual report and election of officers.

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To-morrow, the price on the big lot of Men's Suits and Overcoats will be \$11 and you'll have over 400 to select from.

On Saturday the price will be \$10 and that will be biggest day of the sale.

Hundreds of men will wait for the lower prices next week of course, but dozens will not wait.

Chances are that fully three-fourths of the high-priced garments—\$16 to \$25—will go out on Saturday at \$10.

Now, here's a tip! Slip in here on Friday and pay \$11 for first choice of the greatest bargains Oak Hall ever gave.

Sizes are badly broken now in many good lines, only one, two or three of a line left, but yours may be here in a good \$30, \$22, \$24 or \$25 garment.

Don't you see the wisdom of coming early. Several men who came in a few days ago and "got a line" on their coat intending to wait for a lower price will find that some other fellow is wearing their choice.

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