

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

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CORONER AND ATTORNEY ARGUE AT AN INQUEST

And Latter Secures an Adjournment So That Foreman May Give His Evidence.

HAMILTON, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—Coroner McNicol and George S. Kerr, K.C., had a heated argument this evening at the inquest into the death of Benjamin D. Rubis, the Italian killed at the steel plant last Wednesday. Mr. Kerr represented the dead man's family, and asked for an adjournment so that the evidence of the foreman under whom Rubis worked could be heard. The coroner held that the inquest was not to determine whether the company was to blame, but simply to show the cause of death. Mr. Kerr contended that the inquiry was to show by what means death was caused, and after several jurymen had taken part in the discussion, and the Kinrade case had been cited as a precedent, Mr. Kerr carried his point, and the inquest was adjourned, so that Foreman Frank Dens, may attend. The medical testimony was given by Dr. Dens, who testified that the unfortunate man having been buried by a big heap of ore.

Rev. T. W. W. Crawford, a missionary from Fort Hall, East Africa, and Rev. A. Haslam, a missionary from India, addressed the meeting of the women's auxiliary of the Niagara Church of the Ascension.

The firemen were called to the rear of the Slater Shoe Store, 26 West King street, this evening by a fire in a chute.

RECORD NIAGARA CAMP LIKELY THIS SUMMER

Plans on Foot to Drill 10,000 Men Will Wake Up Last Year's "Skeleton" Camp.

When "revelry" is again on foot at Niagara on the first of summer, it will be on a scale that has never before been known in the history of the Dominion. Plans are being made to make this year's camp one of the largest in the history of the Canadian militia.

Last year, owing to the extra expenditure incurred during the Quebec centenary, the militia department adopted a check-pairing policy, and the strength of the various units suffered in consequence. This year, however, the authorities are going to the opposite extreme, and in the mobilization of 10,000 troops they are probably creating a new record.

It is stated that the whole of the western district command will be under arms at Niagara, which means that the cavalry alone will be represented by six regiments; the Governor-General's Bodyguard, 1st Hussars, 2nd Dragoons, 8th Miasiasanga Horse, and the two newly raised corps, the 24th and 25th.

While not yet decided whether all the infantry brigades in the western command will be called upon, it is extremely probable that the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 15th and 16th will be mobilized. This leaves the 1st and 19th Brigades of London and Guelph, all of whom will be called upon to man the 3rd and 4th Brigades, in particular, will welcome this program, for in place of the skeleton commands, which they have generally been called upon to man, they will now have the direction of brigades worthy of the name.

Last summer the total strength of the militia was 2600 of all ranks, which means that nearly 7000 additional troops will take part in the Niagara drills and manoeuvres of 1910.

OTTAWA'S DEATH RATE

Averaged Less Than 16 Per Thousand of Population.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 5.—(Special.)—The death rate of Ottawa during 1909 was 15.7 per thousand, or a total of 1307, the lowest on record.

LADIES TAKE THE VEIL

Archbishop McEvay received the vows of a number of young ladies in St. Joseph's convent yesterday morning. Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Sullivan of Thorold, while the sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. Kidd, secretary to the archbishop.

Six sisters made their profession and nine young ladies received the veil. Miss Penelope Gillen, Tweed, received the name of Sister Mary St. Brigit; Miss Teresa Mcweeney, Orillia; Sister M. St. Charles; Miss Dorothy Carolan, Toronto; Sister M. Annetta; Miss Camilla Sullivan, Toronto; Sister M. St. Anthony; Miss Catherine Williamson, Toronto; Sister M. of the I. Conception; Miss Maud Lalone, Toronto; Sister M. Melanie; Miss Frances O'Driscoll, Fenwick; Sister M. of Good Counsel; Miss Agatha Leonard, Atherley; Sister M. de la Columbiere; Miss Frances Roman, Adjalia; Sister Mary St. Perce.

Of the nine young ladies received, two are graduates of the Faculty of Education, Toronto University; five are graduates of the Toronto or Ottawa Normal Schools; and one is a graduate of St. Michael's Hospital.

NEW DISCOVERIES OF A PAST CIVILIZATION

Dr. Edgar L. Hewett Lectures on Recent Excavations in Villages of Cliff-Dwellers.

Doubtless the weather was responsible for the poor attendance at the interesting illustrated lecture by Dr. Edgar L. Hewett of Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the excavations of the American Archaeological Institute just ending in the physics building of Toronto University.

Dr. Hewett, who was introduced by E. B. Oiler, M.P., confined his remarks to the civilization of the cliff-dwellers, the ancient Pueblos. These were of two general types. The one was found in the San Juan range of mountains. In the vicinity of Navajo Mountains was a well defined ethnic district where this ancient culture reached almost its culmination.

In the better known cliff towns of the southwest, he said, the remains of the cliff-dwellers had been shamefully vandalized by the white people, but in remote regions of the new discoveries the villages were found in a good state of preservation.

The second class of remains was found on the "mesas" or islands of tufa to the west of the Rio Grande in Northwest New Mexico. These consisted of villages extending the length of the talus slope at the base of the mesa, and of community houses of immense extent and circular structure on the summit of the mesa. Communication between the two being by ladders and rock trails.

A curious feature in their methods of burial was that they buried the dead in the "embryonic position" with the knees doubled up against the chest, whereas the lecturer found a symbolism of the belief that death was only a birth into a new life. This custom had also been traced in Egypt among the early Greeks.

Regarding the date of the cliff-dwellers' civilization, the depth of the rock trails gave evidence of the time of their abandonment of the cities was placed at between six and ten centuries ago. He regarded the present Pueblo Indians as only partly descended from the cliff-dwellers, the institute did not consider it advisable to attempt to restore the original buildings, as this was being done with some of the smaller examples. They aimed at a complete restoration on paper of these cities of the past.

LABOR EXCHANGES ACT HAS A BIG TV MISSION

Now in Partial Operation in Great Britain—Aims to Provide General Employment.

Passed by the imperial parliament during the session just closed a measure popularly known as the Labor Exchanges Act, and formulated by the president of the board of trade, the Right Hon. Winston Churchill, M.P., is, with the beginning of the new year, partially put into operation.

The main principle of the act as set forth in section one is to "collect and furnish information either by the keeping of registers or otherwise respecting employers requiring workpeople and workpeople seeking employment." In other words employers and those who are employed are to be put into direct communication, the one with the other.

Following the King's assent a vast amount of preliminary work became necessary. Convenient sites had to be selected for the erection of exchanges, especially in the larger cities and towns—in some cases existing buildings when found suitable for the purpose and others had to be erected. The knowledge thus gained as first-hand of the various posts to be afterwards interviewed by the committee of selection consisting of a labor M.P., a representative of the commercial world, and a civil service commissioner. In addition to the foregoing various methods have had to be carefully considered for the conduct and management of the exchanges.

Last autumn a small body of officials from the board of trade paid a visit to the Berlin Labor Exchange, and the advantage of studying on the spot, thru the courtesy of the officials, the inner working of one of, if not the largest bureau of the kind, in Europe, and a brighter hope of re-establishing themselves.

Roughly outlined the scheme adopted by the act. The country will be split up into ten divisions, each having a clearing house and all co-ordinated with a national clearing house in London. Advisory boards will be set up in the principal centres composed of workmen and employers with an independent chairman. The estimated cost for the first three years will reach £200,000 per annum, or £170,000 afterwards. When the act is in full operation the paid staff, it is computed, will number some 2000 persons. At present it is not intended to appoint more than 1000, the remainder being added as required.

To the workers, who so often are driven to despair because their chances of ever again being employed in their particular trade or industry seem to have entirely vanished, the primary purpose and object of this legislation, if fulfilled, holds out a better chance and a brighter hope of re-establishing themselves.

For their success much will, however, depend upon the lines on which the exchanges are run. Of course, experience gained in them will no doubt lead to alterations and improvements, for difficulties are almost sure to arise few of which could have been foreseen. One of the chief duties of those in charge of the new national labor exchanges will be to make due and careful enquiry into each man's record and his fitness for the sort of employment he desires or is willing to undertake. It is of the first importance that employers should be supplied with reliable and competent workmen.

In the rules and regulations to be drawn up under the provisions of this act all formally will be carefully avoided so far as the employers are concerned. The latter will, probably, at first feel chary of applying for the exchanges. They will, therefore, be encouraged to make the full use of them, and everything will be done as far as possible to forward their utility. The administration will be of such a character as to aim at inspiring and retaining the confidence of the masters together with that of the men. The support and co-operation of the former is absolutely essential to its success. Hitherto, judging from the returns published, each month by the board of trade, employers appear not to have availed themselves to any material extent of the opportunities afforded by existing labor bureaux, which borough councils and various religious and philanthropic bodies have instituted. The reason for this is not apparent, and it is really to be regretted that much help and assistance could be given by trades union representatives.

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PURSUANT to the provisions of the Toronto General Hospital Act, 1906, a meeting of the subscribers will be held at the Toronto General Hospital for the purpose of electing the Trustees for the year ending on the 31st day of January, 1910.

Dated 28th December, 1909. A. F. MILLER, Secretary of the Trustees of the Toronto General Hospital.

In the building up of the system. At the moment, however, some of them affect to regard the act with a certain amount of distrust and suspicion, but this feeling will, it is hoped, wear off when they come to realize, as it is submitted they will, the extreme usefulness of the measure.

The act cannot be regarded as a valuable addition to the statute roll, and has been framed with the object of being of real benefit to all those it is intended to affect, and making a step on the road towards the solution of one of the problems in relation to labor which has faced this parliament ever since its accession to office.

Altho the act is intended to meet the needs of employers and employees in the United Kingdom, the parliamentary innovation suggests possibilities in regard to co-operative effort by the imperial government and its colonies in the direction of the selection of useful emigrants and their emigration. It is obvious that statistics and other information will be acquired of the character and amount of surplus labor, which would afford a valuable basis from time to time for such co-operation. It may well be that colonial officials and emigration agents in Great Britain will seek to devise a scheme of co-operation economically beneficial in its working and inter-imperial and inter-colonial advantageous.

Inter-colonial competition and trade is not a sufficient reason for holding aloof, for means could be devised whereby each colony should have the most complete freedom in advertising its potentialities and advantages.

DOES NICARAGUA WANT MEN?

Member of Canadian Militia Said to Have Been Approached.

Are agents of an insurgent party of one of the snarling Latin-American states searching Canada and the United States for men of military training to aid them in their revolutionary designs? It looks mighty like it, judging from a report which leaked into The World's news receptacle yesterday.

A member of a Toronto unit of the Canadian militia told a friend that he had been offered \$1500 to become a soldier of fortune south of the Rio Grande. The friend passed the news along to a World reporter, who interviewed the military man. The soldier first denied that he had made the statement, then affirmed that he had been merely "stringing" his friend.

The fate of the two Americans, Groce and Cannon, in Nicaragua, should have a dampening effect on the enterprise, if there is such a movement on foot.

Dr. B. E. Hawke, 21 Walsley-street, Toronto, makes a specialty of all diseases of the lower bowel, Piles, Hemorrhoids, etc., successfully treated without operation. Write for free booklet.

Hospital Needs New Wing. Dr. Sheard, medical health officer, is very anxious for the immediate construction of the new wing of the Isolation Hospital. Many cases at present have to be treated at home, owing to the lack of accommodation. There are 68 scarlet fever and 61 diphtheria cases and two of persons suffering from both diseases, in the hospital. Last year at the same period there were 74 of scarlet fever and 56 of diphtheria. During 1899 there have been 254 cases of scarlet fever reported, as against 1418 the year before. The increase is not attributed to the spread of the disease so much as to the annexation of new territory to the city.

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ONLY TWO FAVORITES WIN AT JACKSONVILLE

All the Winners Except C. W. Burt and Grand Dame Win for the Books.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 5.—C. W. Burt and Grand Dame were the only favorites who won to-day and the books got the day winners. Summary: FIRST RACE, 5 1/2 furlongs, selling: 1. Grand Dame, 102 (Gardner), 6 to 1.

SECOND RACE, 5 1/2 furlongs, selling: 1. C. W. Burt, 107 (Ward), 1 to 2. 2. Waterbury, 111 (Nichol), 12 to 1.

THIRD RACE, 6 furlongs, selling: 1. Grand Dame, 102 (Gardner), 6 to 1. 2. George W. Lebolt, 109 (Powers), 8 to 5.

FOURTH RACE, the Lakeland Selling Stakes, 5 furlongs: 1. Boger Rees, 108 (Davis), 9 to 2. 2. Renette, 101 (Gans), 23 to 5.

FIFTH RACE, 7 furlongs: 1. Roseboro, 109 (O'Brien), 9 to 2. 2. Le Reine Heloise, 106 (McGee), 3 to 1.

SIXTH RACE, 1-1/8 miles, selling: 1. Topsy Robinson, 109 (Musgrave), 7 to 2. 2. Eudymon, 109 (King), 12 to 1.

SEVENTH RACE, 1-1/8 miles, selling: 1. May Jane, 108 (Finley), 7 to 1. 2. Harriet Rowe, 106 (Jackson), 2 1/2 to 1.

EIGHTH RACE, 1-1/8 miles, selling: 1. Cora Ashmeade, 91 (Burton), 3 to 4. 2. Lou Lanier, 89 (Steinbart), 5 to 1.

NINTH RACE, 1-1/8 miles, selling: 1. W. I. Hinch, 109 (Moorehouse), 2 1/2 to 1. 2. Nocha, 102 (T. Koerner), 2 to 1.

TENTH RACE, 1-1/8 miles, selling: 1. Billy Mayham, 104 (Gardner), 3 to 1. 2. Ampedo, 105 (Coppertield), 4 to 1.

ELEVENTH RACE, 1-1/8 miles, selling: 1. Silver Knight, 109 (Vesper), 13 to 5. 2. Raleah, 85 (Callahan), 13 to 5.

Twelfth RACE, 1-1/8 miles, selling: 1. Bafrola, 105 (Vesper), 8 to 5. 2. Banovina, 105 (Gardner), 7 to 1.

Thirteenth RACE, 1-1/8 miles, selling: 1. Light House, 105 (McCahey), 2 to 2. 2. Charlie Doherty, 113 (Warren), 7 to 2.

Fourteenth RACE, 1-1/8 miles, selling: 1. Light Knight, 105 (Gardner), 4 to 1. 2. Coyote, 109 (Benscott), 30 to 1.

Fifteenth RACE, 1-1/8 miles, selling: 1. Don Hamilton, 109 (Crowley), 7 to 1. 2. S. R. 105 (Gardner), 7 to 2.

KING BEE, J. MCKEOWN AND BELMONT WILKES

Have Best Average in Dufferin Driving Club's Unfinished Races—Extra Race To-day.

The Dufferin Driving Club were not very fortunate, as far as weather conditions were concerned, for their day of racing yesterday. The track was in first-class condition, as will be seen by the time made in the special fast class by King Bee, owned by Nat Ray.

There was a fairly good crowd, and those who attended were well repaid, as the racing was excellent. In the special trot, four heats were run off, with Jester Schuyler, with her owner, Mr. Curran, winning the first heat in 2:27.

The matinee race was also a good race. Master Roy, owned by R. Scott, and Nettie Star, owned by J. E. Hunter, made a dead heat for the first mile, with Belmont Wilkes, owned by C. J. D. J., and the latter horse again breaking his hocks.

The race was well finished Thursday. At 2 o'clock the first race will be called. Everybody come, and bring your friends. The executive of the club has decided to make it a free race.

Special trot (unfinished): Hester Schuyler, b.m.; B. Whytock (owner), 1 6 3 1. C. D. J. b.m.; C. D. Johnston (owner), 6 3 2 4.

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The World's Selections BY CHESTER

FIRST RACE—Dell, Pons entry, Grand Pease.

SECOND RACE—Sandpiper, Hazlet, Dave Nicholson.

To-Day's Entries

TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 5.—The following are the entries for to-morrow's races. FIRST RACE, 3 furlongs: Golden Ruby, 105 Lady Lewis, 106.

SECOND RACE, 6 furlongs, selling: Autumn Girl, 109 Ida D., 109. Judge Sauley, 106 War. Griswell, 109.

THIRD RACE, 5 1/2 furlongs: Sallie Savage, 109 Robert Powell, 91. Esther Brown, 109 Dr. Cook, 102.

FOURTH RACE, 5 furlongs, selling: Lottie Parr, 91 Barnard, 101. McAndrew, 109 Sada D., 109.

FIFTH RACE, 5 furlongs, selling: Bonnie Bee, 91 Inspection, 101. Fundament, 109 Uncle Jim, 105.

SIXTH RACE, 7 furlongs, selling: King's Guinea, 109 John J. Farmer, 109. Bob Ayres, 106 Dredger, 109.

JACKSONVILLE, Jan. 5.—Following are the entries for to-morrow's races. FIRST RACE, 2-year-olds, 1/2 mile: Albert, 115 Flora Bryan, 115.

SECOND RACE, 2-year-olds, 1/2 mile: Bert, 115 Sunnywood, 115. Grand Grey, 115 Lady Stewart, 115.

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From Foul Line to Headpin

The Queen Citys and Ipsenites made their initial appearance in the second league last night, when the champions again got away to a good start by making a clean sweep, although the team with the funny name made them roll for the last two games, especially the second, when the Ipsenites put up a 229 total, but the Queen Citys went home with a 229 total.

Central League. In the Central Bowling League, Hunters won two out of three from the Shamrocks, G. Smith of the winners being high man, with 633. Scores: Hunters, 106 138 154 433.

Laurel A Win Three. Laurel A won three from York in Class B, Oddfellows' League, last night. Scores: Laurel A, 123 138 182 443.

Business Men's League. The Ontario won two from Burroughs in the Business Men's League last night. Scores: Ontario, 130 152 167 449.

Min Bingham Win Three. Min-Bingham won three from Hunters in the Printers' League last night. Scores: Min-Bingham, 127 139 142 408.

Printers' League. The Mail won three from the Daily World in the Morning Section of the Printers' League yesterday. Scores: Mail, 129 146 156 431.

Newspaper Two-Man League. Another two-man league has been formed, consisting of eight teams, and composed of bowlers from the morning newspapers. Games will be played on Thursday.

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THE EDUCATION VOTE. Professional opinion justifies the point raised by The World yesterday to the effect that any alteration of the present system of voting for members of the board of education requires an absolute majority of the total qualified vote.

PROTECT PROVINCIAL TREASURER. In the experience of the Provincial Government with the silver deposits of Cobalt there is warrant for the extension of the policy that has given the people of Ontario a share in their natural heritage.

SLIDES ARE POPULAR. Several Thousand Coasters Turn Out Nightly. Tobogganing is supposed to be a typical Canadian sport, yet it is hardly six years ago since it received its first sanction.

4000 ELECTION MEETINGS. Held in One Night—Peers Are Active—Peril in Ireland. (Canadian Associated Press Cable.) London, Jan. 5.—There were 4000 meetings yesterday, the majority being Unionist.

Her Ankle Fractured. Mrs. J. Campbell, 65 Green-street, was taken to the Western Hospital yesterday afternoon with a fractured ankle, which she broke when jolted to the floor in leaving a street car at Queen-street and Dovercourt-road.

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BABES IN PERIL FROM FIRE. New York, Jan. 5.—The lives of 32 babies were in peril to-night during a fire at St. Vincent's Hospital at Montclair, N.J. Firemen and neighbors snatched them from their beds.

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EATON'S FRIDAY BARGAINS

Clothing for Men and Boys. Men's high-grade worsted suits, of finest English cloths, new striped patterns in colors of dark olive and browns, with colored shadow stripes; three-buttoned single-breasted sack shape, fine quality linings and trimmings; sizes 36 to 44. Regularly \$16.00 and \$18.00, for \$10.95.

Heavy working trousers, made from an all-wool Canadian cloth in medium grey shade, small pattern, three pockets, good strong trimmings; sizes 27 to 42 inch chest. Regularly \$1.75, for \$1.00.

Boys' three-piece suits, fine all-wool imported tweeds in fashionable colorings, double-breasted, best tailoring and lining; sizes 28 to 32. Regularly \$6.50, \$7.50, for \$4.65.

100 (only) Boys' Overcoats, college ulster style, made from heavy dark tweeds, single and double-breasted, collars buttoned close at neck, Italian body lining; sizes 28 to 32. Regularly \$4.29 to \$5.50, for \$2.99.

120 (only) Boys' Norway reefers, or skating coats, in navy blue English nap cloth, double-breasted, high storm collars, Italian body lining; sizes 27 to 33. Regularly \$3.50 to \$4.00, for \$1.50.

50 (only) Boys' Fancy suits, Russian style of brown velvet; double-breasted, large sailor collar, braid trimmed, elastic bloomer pants; sizes 2 1/2 to 6 years. Regularly \$4.95, for \$2.69.

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Bargains in Footwear. Misses' and Children's boots, buttoned and laced, patent leather, dongola kid and tan calf, Goodyear welted soles, elegant styles, low heels; sizes 8 to 10 1/2 and 11 to 2. Regularly \$2.00, \$2.50, \$2.75, for \$1.00.

Girls' and boys' crochet bedroom slippers, made from double Berlin wool, solid leather outsides, and lamb's wool insoles, colors pink, grey and red; sizes 11 to 2. Friday bargain 35c.

Women's fine slippers, in styles suitable for house or dressy evening wear, plain or fancy designs, in select quality of vici kid and patent leather; sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Regularly \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, for \$1.00.

Men's fine black felt house slippers, Juliet style, high front and back, well made and finished, flexible turn leather soles, low heels; sizes 6 to 11. Regularly 95c, for 50c.

Men's thick felt, elastic side boots, suitable for motor-men or anyone driving, best quality of felt, thick felt soles and heels; sizes 6 to 12. Regularly \$1.75, for \$1.00.

Books and Stationery. Counter soiled books, remainders of many Christmas and holiday lines and a great chance to secure many standard works at a low price. Regularly 25c, 35c, and 50c, for 15c.

New books slightly counter soiled, and including many of the most popular new books and other high-class volumes. Regularly \$1.10, \$1.20, \$1.35, \$1.65, \$1.75, and \$2.00, for 50c.

A Dream of Fair Women, a splendid collection of Harrison Fisher's best drawings in color. Regularly 95c, for 58c.

Story of the Bible for young people, told in very simple language and fully illustrated to make it easily understood. Handsomely bound in cloth. Regularly 25c, for 15c.

Tissot's Bible pictures, 120 in set, all reproductions of the famous Tissot pictures in color. Regularly \$1.00, for per set 50c.

The Great Big Story Book for children, a large volume containing any amount of short stories, and good illustrations, in stiff board covers. Regularly 40c, for 25c.

Picture Books; three exceptionally entertaining lines at a sweeping reduction. Four-footed animals, a book with well colored illustrations, to interest the small boy. Regularly 10c, for 5c.

Christmas box series, in limp covers, interesting colored pictures and short stories. Regularly 10c, for 5c.

Three Little Kittens, one of the great favorites with both girls and boys. Regularly 15c, for 10c. No Phone or Mail Orders.

Writing sets, containing one nickelled pencil with ring to attach to watch chain, one full sized nickelled pen holder, one combination pen and pencil, one large nickelled pencil, screw motion, one box re-fill leads, and a box of gilt pens. Regularly 25c, 35c, for 15c.

Box of Stationery, a two quire box of very fine stationery in two styles. Note and correspondence with envelopes for both styles, tied with silk ribbon, and put up in a very handsome box, with all over floral design. Regularly 65c, for 25c.

Pictures and Mirrors. A large assortment of well colored reproductions of figures, woodland scenes, landscapes and marines, mounted in veneer, wood cards in brown and grey; size 12 x 22. Regularly 35c, for 19c.

Oval mirrors, suitable for parlors, sitting rooms or bedrooms, of best quality British bevel plate, handsomely framed in oval gilt mouldings, richly ornamented; size 16 x 20. Regularly \$3.49, for \$2.49.

Picture wire; 500 boxes of No. 12 quality picture wire to go, each containing 25 yards, will hang medium and large size pictures. Regularly 25c per box, for 17c.

Toyland Briefs. All kinds of picture puzzles. Regularly 20c. Friday 2 for 25c. A real skin cow with voice, fair size. Regularly 50c, for 39c.

A folding table for Miss Doll. Regularly 50c, for 35c.

A printing set for the small boy, complete with press roller and type cabinet. Friday bargain 75c.

Boys' coasting sled, has hand rail and round steel runners. Friday bargain 67c.

T. EATON DRUG CO. LIMITED. Sweet spirits of nitre, 3 ounce bottle 10c. Camphorated oil, 3 ounce bottle 10c.

Cathartic pills, per box 7 1/2c. Irish moss, 5 ounce packet 5c. (For coughs and colds.)

Bone handle nail brush. Regularly 25c, for 15c. Dressing comb, all coarse. Regularly 60c, for 35c. Petroleum jelly. Regularly 5c. Friday 2 for 5c.

Floating bath soap. Regularly 20c per dozen, for 10c.

Midwinter Basement Sale. THE T. EATON CO. LIMITED. TORONTO. CANADA. The Home Steel Range \$28.75

Advertisement for O'Keefe's Ale. Extra Mild, Remember Many people would drink ale, in preference to all other malt beverages, if ale did not make them bilious. This O'Keefe's is brewed especially for those people. It is extra mild and extra light, and lets you enjoy the creamy deliciousness of real old English ale without the heaviness and excessive bitterness. In easily-opened sack stoppered bottles. No broken cork or tinfall in the glass. O'Keefe's ALE. Special Extra Mild. "The Beer that is always O.K."

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MUST VALIDATE ACT TO STRAIGHTEN TANGLE

Unanimous Opinion is That School Board Referendum Wasn't Carried By Statute.

What is the city going to do about it? This is the query frequently heard, following the new light thrown by The World yesterday on the legislative enactment...

City Solicitor Johnston, City Clerk Littlejohn and members of the board of education, all agree that the literal meaning of the statute is that there must be an affirmative vote of a majority of the entire qualified electoral body before the city can consider itself authorized to make the change.

Practically all are of opinion that the intent of the legislature was to require a simple majority of the vote cast, but it is recognized that the actual wording, not the understood purpose, must be followed.

Here are some of the views: City Solicitor Johnston: "It looks as though the only interpretation that could be placed on the clause is that to carry the bylaw there must be in its favor a majority of the electors qualified to vote."

City Clerk Littlejohn thinks that the referendum will not be effectual unless the legislature by a special act validates the vote, and declares that the intention of the bylaw was merely to require a majority of the people voting.

Chairman Rawlinson of the board of education: "If a mistake has been made in the wording of the act, and there is no mistaking its present meaning, an amendment will have to be obtained and another vote taken."

Trustee Bryans: "There is no doubt the act calls for a majority of those qualified to vote and not a majority of votes cast."

A Decided Tangle. Is the city clerk warranted in notifying the secretary of the board of education of the result of the voting, and an official intimation to the members that their term of office will expire at the end of the year? This is another perplexing phase.

Ald. Baird, who is a lawyer, is convinced that the legislature can validate the act without creating the necessity for another referendum.

Conference With Railway. A conference with the Street Railway is likely to be one of the first steps the new board of control will take in the direction of dealing with the local traction problem.

Mayor Geary says he is willing to accept the widening of the sewer run-offing tubes, and that he will support an application to the legislature for power to build the underground railway subject to the approval of the ratepayers.

There is another phase of the movement against the company which will have to be considered at a meeting of the legislative committee a few weeks prior to the elections, it was agreed to defer action by the new council.

Council's Farewell. To-day is set-aside-day for the city council of 1909, and a very inspiring function, since the chief business is the distribution of condolences among those who are leaving.

In contrast with these solemn proceedings will be Monday's inaugural, when the new council will be installed with pomp, ceremony and many notes of motion.

Mr. Middleton has handled the case thus far and is familiar with it, said Mr. Johnston, yesterday.

A considerable increase in the number of typhoid fever cases during 1909 as compared with the preceding year is shown in Dr. Sheard's annual report.

Major Collins, who has often shown his interest in civic affairs, now raises his voice in protest against \$10,000 being spent on a live stock arena for the exhibition.

While it will not be finally known who will be chairman of the civic committee until Monday, there is a likelihood of the plan being altered as announced previously.

is mentioned for the chairmanship of either the fire and light or island committee, but the fact that he was out of council last year counts against him.

A \$1000 Sinecure. Out in the seventh ward they are wondering what the city clerk's department is going to do with W. G. Cannon.

MANITOBA OWNERSHIP OF GRAIN ELEVATORS

Committee of the Growers Make Recommendations for Guidance of Government.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 5.—The committee of the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association appointed to co-operate with the government in drawing up a plan of government ownership of interior elevators, presented a memorandum to the cabinet this morning of their recommendations.

The provincial government, it is proposed, would assume the responsibility of providing for the finances of either purchasing the existing elevators or to build a new system. The cost, either way, was placed at three million dollars.

The following charges, the grain growers figured, would provide sufficient revenue: one and three-quarter cents per bushel for receiving, cleaning and storing wheat; one cent for oats; one and a half cents for barley, and two cents for flax.

The committee in their memorandum recommend that there be an elevator commission in charge, consisting of three members to be appointed by the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association and the government.

If the elevators of the province can be bought, a method of valuation is suggested. If the present owners refuse to sell, then the commission should proceed to build a new system.

CAPTAIN AND MATE TO BLAME

For Loss of "Richardson"—Crew Was Too Small. BUFFALO, N.Y., Jan. 5.—Blame for the foundering of the steamer W. C. Richardson in Lake Erie on Dec. 8, when five were drowned, has been placed upon the captain and first mate by the local steamboat inspectors.

The Canadian council of the Laymen's Missionary Movement gave a farewell luncheon Wednesday noon to James Rylie and John Firstbrook, who leave to-day to visit the Baptist mission fields in China, Japan and Korea.

They will be accompanied by their wives, and will make a very thorough study of the denominational work being done in that country, and will return by way of China, Japan and Korea, visiting the mission stations of the other denominations en route.

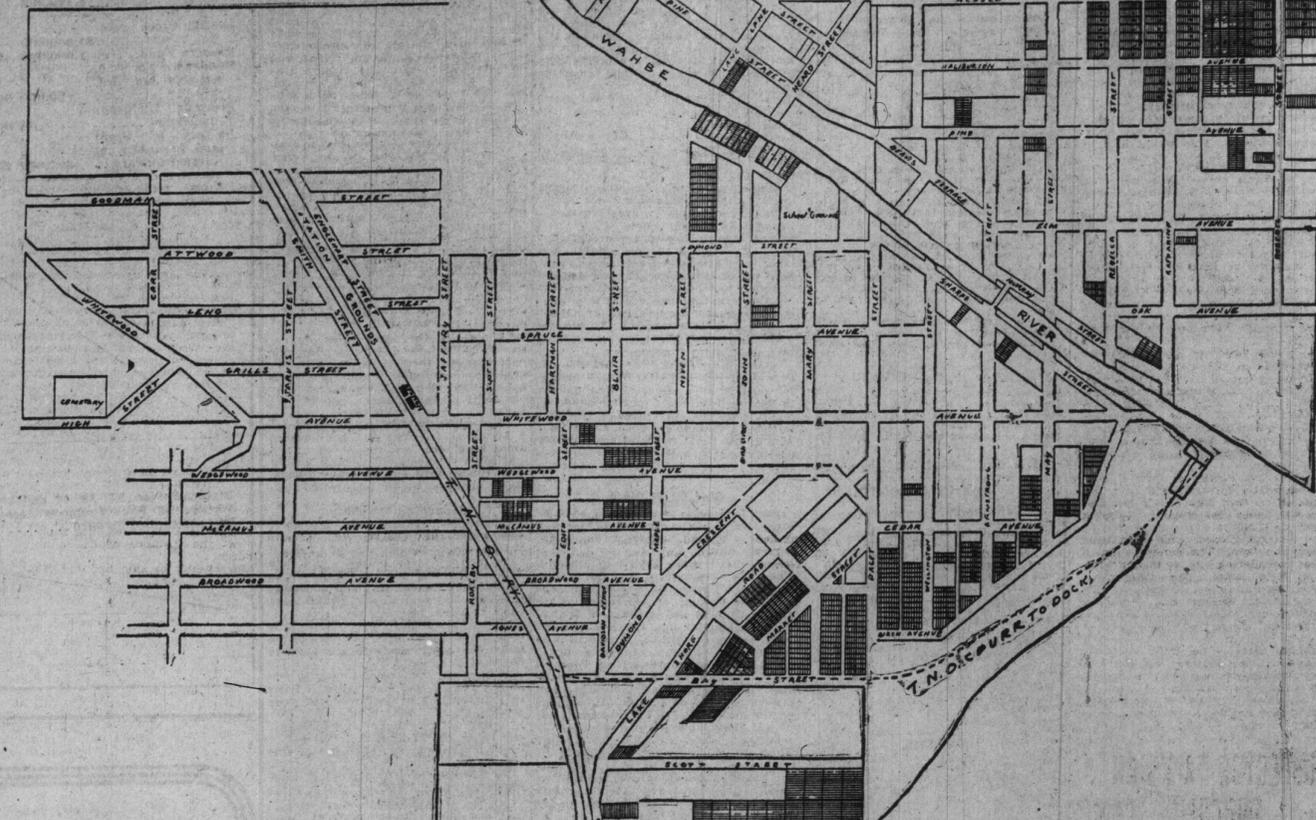
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Dancers Driven Out by Fire. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 5.—One hundred guests at a dance at the home of Charles W. Bingham, a Mount Morris, N.Y., banker, had to flee for their lives when the house was discovered to be on fire to-day.

While it was generally thought that the late Timothy P. Conley, Tim Sullivan of New York, Tammany leader, had died a millionaire, it is understood that \$2000 on deposit in a bank is all the cash available for his widow and son.

Your Opportunity



I have for sale 550 Building Lots in the Town of New Liskeard at prices ranging from \$50 upwards, according to location. New Liskeard is now more than ever the "Gateway of the North," and prospective buyers should apply for map and price list without delay in order to secure an early choice.

COOK A NERVOUS WRECK

His Sister-in-Law Says That's Why He's in Seclusion. NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Mrs. Josephine Dudley, a sister of Mrs. Frederick W. Cook, to-night declared that Dr. Cook is a nervous wreck, unable to think consecutively, and that the reason that he remains in hiding is that he could not stand the strain of further enquiry.

"We are praying," says Mrs. Dudley, "that he will soon recover so that he may come forward and defend himself. Mrs. Cook is at her husband's side. She loves him and trusts him. There has been no quarrel; there was never any trouble between them about money."

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When the ball was over and the guests repaired to the cloakroom she followed, bidding good-night to each and all—probably the thief with the rest—in a manner that left no suspicion that anything had gone wrong.

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\$5,000 NECKLACE STOLEN BY GUEST AT A BALL

Mysteriously Returned When Detectives Get on the Trail—A Cleveland Society Mystery.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 5.—While detectives were hot on the trail of the alleged thief, a \$5000 pearl necklace that vanished mysteriously during a society ball at the Colonial Club Saturday night was as mysteriously returned to its owner yesterday.

Last night the first joy for three days showed itself at the home of Harry W. King, an officer of the King Bridge Co., who lives at 7011 Euclid-avenue. The collar was the property of Mrs. King and had been carried away while the Kings were giving a coming-out party for their daughter Margery.

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Can't Supply Enough Gas.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Jan. 5.—With the mercury five above zero and the supply of natural gas nearly shut off, Niagara Falls people spent a chilly time yesterday. The Cyanide Company and other factories were forced to curtail their operations.

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EASTERN ONTARIO DAIRYMEN

33rd Annual Convention Now in Session at Belleville. BELLEVILLE, Jan. 5.—The 33rd annual convention of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association opened in the Carman Opera House this morning, with President John R. Dargavel, W.L.A., in the chair. There was a large attendance.

In his address Mr. Dargavel said the normal quantity of cheese had been made this season, but less butter had been made. He spoke of his experience as member of the Ontario Milk Commission, and said the Ontario government might enact some drastic legislation in regard to milk at its next session.

Senator Derbyshire, hon. president, urged all farmers to keep better cows, and to take good care of them. An address on "The Cheap Production of Milk" was given by Henry Glendinning of Manilla, Geo. A. Putnam, director of dairying, Toronto, spoke on "Problems of the Dairymen," and C. J. Whitley, of the dairy commission staff, Ottawa, on "Another year of cow testing work."

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FEWER LICENSES AT KINGSTON

Reduction to 25 Will Likely Be Sanctioned by Council. KINGSTON, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—It is pretty certain that council at an early date will decide upon the reduction of liquor licenses.

When the question referring reduction to the people was under discussion a month ago, Ald. Chown made the statement that early in 1910 he intended moving a resolution providing for reduction. He was opposed to as large a reduction as eight, but favored a small reduction.

The matter will not have to be referred to the people. Council, by its own initiative and by resolution before March 1st, can instruct the license commissioners that only so many tavern licenses are to be issued this year.

SUCCESSFUL MAN

The man who is known to his friends and neighbors as a successful business man is satisfied with a reasonable rate of interest and the absolute security of both principal and interest, such as this strong company offers to its depositors.

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Three years ago the number was reduced from thirty-one to twenty-eight. Now the number will likely be reduced to twenty-five. It is thought that this reduction will easily pass council.

Several aldermen who opposed the moral and social reform league's request for a referendum on the question of reducing the number from twenty-eight to twenty, will vote for the small reduction and it is not thought the liquor leaders will oppose the reduction by two or three licenses.

Advertisement for 'The Dominion Permanent Loan Company' located at 12 King Street West. It lists various branches and services offered, including mortgage loans and interest rates.

Advertisement for 'DODDS KIDNEY PILLS' for 'ALL KIDNEY DISEASES'. The ad lists symptoms like backache, rheumatism, and diabetes, and claims the pills are a cure.

Large vertical advertisement on the right side of the page, partially cut off. It includes the word 'COB' at the top and 'Inter' below it. The text is mostly illegible but appears to be a financial or business advertisement.

Trend of New York Securities Shows the Effect of Realizing

Wall Street Under Pressure From the Opening Until Close - Local Traders Not Bullish But Market is Steady.

which amount now to \$5,755,438.34, and an increase of 14.30 per cent. in total assets, which now stand at \$39,898,562.57.

Monday's closing was a record for the past year, although the earnings of the past year are slightly lower than for 1908, they amount to 15.04 per cent.

It is certainly a tribute to the conditions of holdings in this market, that no realizing sales and short deals had greater influence on prices than they had.

Most of the speculative stocks dealt in were at a decline from yesterday's quotations. Nova Scotia Steel was the one buoyant stock, these shares selling up three points during the day.

Nothing was forthcoming to account for this advance, and it was accepted as nothing more than another bullish adventure by Montreal speculators.

Profit-taking in Black Lake put a weight on these issues, and bonds, preferred and common shares all sold lower.

There was less investment demand today, but supporting interest was evidently satisfied with the position they took.

The mining section of the market was fairly good, but advances were less prominent than they were yesterday.

Wall Street Pointers. Rather better local demand for copper.

Contracts for construction on Harriman Pacific eased rate of expenditure of last year.

Atchison declared quarterly dividend of 1-2 per cent. instead of semi-annual three per cent.

United States Steel is now in a position to turn out 13,000,000 tons of finished steel a year.

F. A. Heinz returns to New York to plead to further federal grand jury indictments.

J. P. Morgan attended a meeting of the directors of the Boston and Maine at Boston.

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Chesapeake, Ohio should do better. Southern Pacific is destined for higher prices. Smelting is said to well taken.

Also Atchison. Amalgamated Copper is accumulated by important people. Reading is sold on rallies by the up-town crowd. Inside buy is taking place in Pennsylvania. - Financial News.

Joseph says: On the whole the situation is both healthy and promising. Monetary conditions seem to be Wall Street point of view will be normal and effective soon. Pacific Mail is held in shape to rise materially, better buy a little stock. Cotton Oil common has been lying low, but it is to become active. The Coppers are being sold out in a bag. Be very chary of the short side.

In view of the postponement of the president's message on the railroad question some further extension of the rally is to be looked for. The sentiment in the street is less disturbed over what he will say. From a trader's standpoint purchases on softness for moderate gains may be considered in steel, smelters and copper. Chesapeake. - Town Topics.

TORONTO RAILWAY EARNINGS.

At the head office of the Toronto Railway yesterday it was impossible to get any statement of the railway earnings for the week ending last Saturday, and it was learned that for the present at least, the management do not intend giving any statement of the receipts to the press.

No reason was assigned for this action, and as the earnings will have to be given out to the city on account of the percentage payment to the municipality, this will work out no hardship to those who are interested in the company.

Big Four Dividend. NEW YORK, Jan. 5. - The directors of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad Company, known as the "Big Four" road, today declared a semi-annual dividend of two per cent. on the common stock. The last dividend paid on the security was one per cent. in March, 1908.

METROPOLITAN BANK.

The statement of affairs of the Metropolitan Bank as at Dec. 31, 1909, which appears to-day, indicates a healthy increase in business and a strong position. The salient features of the statement are an increase during 1909 of 22 per cent. in total deposits,

which amount now to \$5,755,438.34, and an increase of 14.30 per cent. in total assets, which now stand at \$39,898,562.57.

Monday's closing was a record for the past year, although the earnings of the past year are slightly lower than for 1908, they amount to 15.04 per cent.

It is certainly a tribute to the conditions of holdings in this market, that no realizing sales and short deals had greater influence on prices than they had.

Most of the speculative stocks dealt in were at a decline from yesterday's quotations. Nova Scotia Steel was the one buoyant stock, these shares selling up three points during the day.

Nothing was forthcoming to account for this advance, and it was accepted as nothing more than another bullish adventure by Montreal speculators.

Profit-taking in Black Lake put a weight on these issues, and bonds, preferred and common shares all sold lower.

There was less investment demand today, but supporting interest was evidently satisfied with the position they took.

The mining section of the market was fairly good, but advances were less prominent than they were yesterday.

Wall Street Pointers. Rather better local demand for copper.

Contracts for construction on Harriman Pacific eased rate of expenditure of last year.

Atchison declared quarterly dividend of 1-2 per cent. instead of semi-annual three per cent.

United States Steel is now in a position to turn out 13,000,000 tons of finished steel a year.

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WALL-STREET IS THE KEY.

World Office, Wednesday Evening, Jan. 5.

Similar operations to those of yesterday occurred at the Toronto markets today. A halt in the upward movement of some of the speculative issues has been called, owing to outside realizing, which has made its mark on prices.

General Electric was cited as one of these, and its market movements today bore out this opinion. From a speculative standpoint Wall-street is still the key of the Toronto market, and the uneasiness observable in regard to New York stocks is a prominent factor in local dealings.

HERBERT H. BALL.

Table of stock prices including Agricultural Loan, Canada Landed, Canada Fern, etc.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Table of New York stock prices including Erie, N.Y. Central, etc.

MONETARY 'TIMES

Table of monetary data including Open High Low Close Sales.

THE STERLING BANK OF CANADA

Notice is hereby given that the Sterling Bank of Canada intend to apply to the Treasury Board for a certificate approving of a bylaw passed by the shareholders of the said bank, on the 21st day of December, A.D. 1909, to increase the capital of the said bank, from One Million (\$1,000,000) Dollars to Three Million (\$3,000,000) Dollars.

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Price of Oil. PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 5. - Oil closed at \$1.43.

KILLED ON THE RAILWAY

George Mann of Hamilton Stepped in Front of Train.

HAGERSVILLE, Jan. 5. - George Mann of Hamilton, about fifty years old, was instantly killed about 2 o'clock this afternoon on the Michigan Central tracks, about a quarter of a mile east of Hagersville.

He was a fireman, working for the Bradley Lumber Co. of Hamilton, cutting timber on Robert Reid's farm in Ontario.

He had been in Hagersville, receiving instructions as to his work, and dinner, and soon after started down the track towards the place where his men were.

The track is double, with several switches. As he stepped off one track he was struck by a fast express running on the other main track, which he did not see until it was upon him.

Coroner McDonald decided an inquest unnecessary.

MONTEAL DETECTIVE 'FIRED'

Altho He is Now in England for a Prisoner.

MONTEAL, Jan. 5. - Police circles are stirred over the dismissal of Detective Gorman, now in England under orders to bring a prisoner back.

The reason given is that Gorman was requested to see Chief Campeau before leaving, and did not. It is not apparently known whether Gorman received the message. It is alleged, however, that the dismissal is part of a plot to weed out of the department men who have made themselves obnoxious to the clique in power.

Another version is that Gorman reported progress on the case, which he had been working up, to Chief Detective Carpenter, instead of to the chief of police.

La Patrie says that it was a brutal act on the part of the chief.

FIVE PERISH IN FLAMES

Two Women and Three Children Victims of Fire.

BURNSIDE, Ky., Jan. 5. - Mrs. Martha Corber, her daughter, Mrs. James Kind, and three small children, were burned to death in a fire last night which destroyed the Kidd house at Plavens, Wayne County.

PANAMA CANAL ZONE

Commission is Abolished and U. S. to Have Complete Control.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 5. - The Mann bill, providing for the administration of the Panama Canal zone, passed the house late to-day by a vote of 119 to 67.

The measure abolishes the Isthmian Canal commission and invests the legislative and judicial power on the Isthmus in the United States.

Death Sentences for Assault.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 5. - George Reynolds and John Williams were found guilty of assaulting Mrs. Wm. Jackson and sentenced to death. The jury were out only five minutes. Only two days were occupied in selecting a jury, hearing the evidence and returning a verdict.

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The Vulcan Portland Cement Co., Ltd., Montreal, P.Q.

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Wheat Lower on Chicago Pit Under Profit-Taking Sales

Professional Traders Generally in Hesitating Mood—Winnipeg Market Lower—Liverpool Cables Easier.

Table with columns for various commodities like Wheat, Corn, Oats, and their prices in different markets.

Argentine Crop Report. Finley, L.A. & Co. report from Buenos Aires...

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET. On account of the storm there were no receipts of farm produce...

GRAIN AND PRODUCE. A dull session was experienced on the Chicago pit on Wednesday...

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Toronto Sugar Market. St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$1.85 per cwt...

Winnipeg Wheat Market. Wheat—January \$1.62, May \$1.68, July \$1.67.

Chicago Market. J. P. Bickell & Co., Lawlor Building, report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

Table showing Chicago market prices for Wheat, Corn, Oats, and other commodities.

Chicago Gossip. Wheat—Lower. Hesitating mood of foreign and domestic buyers...

Liverpool Grain and Produce. LIVERPOOL, Jan. 5.—Closing—Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red western winter, no stock...

NO SIGNS OF CHEAP WHEAT FOR PRESENT AT LEAST. High Prices Due to Universal Natural Conditions Rather Than Manipulation.

"I cannot understand how we are going to get any cheap wheat for some time to come, as the present strength in the markets of the world is due to no buy bill campaign or the efforts of a leader...

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK. NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Beaves—Receipts, 2,200; bulls and cows firm to 10c higher...

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS. LONDON, Jan. 5.—Live cattle and London cables quote live cattle higher, at 12 1/2 to 1 1/4...

QUARREL OVER DIAGNOSIS. MONTREAL, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—The group at the city hall represented by Mayor Payette and Dr. Dagenais...

SIR GEO. DRUMMOND'S ILLNESS. MONTREAL, Jan. 5.—The condition of Sir George Drummond, president of the Bank of Montreal, is now such that members of his family have been summoned...

FIGHT PICTURES GOT THE CROWDS. ST. JOHN, N.B., Jan. 5.—Four churches united to hold a week of prayer service in Calvin Church last night...

HER LIFE FOR HER CHILD. Both Burned to Death—Five Others Injured. MONTREAL, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—The report of a terrible fatality comes from Shawinigan Falls...

BRUTAL WIFE DESERTION. OTTAWA, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—Deserted by her husband on Christmas morning, without even enough money to pay postage on a letter to her home...

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FRUIT MARKET. Quotations for foreign fruits are as follows: Grapes, Florida, \$2.50 to \$3.75.

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Eastern Metropolis is Losing Its Reputation as a Live Stock Centre.

MONTREAL, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—Mr. R. Ironside, a prominent cattle dealer of Montreal, complains that this city is losing prestige in cattle trade...

CATTLE MARKETS. Cables Steady—Hogs Higher at United States Points.

MONTREAL, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—At the Canadian Pacific live stock yards this morning the offerings of live stock consisted of 700 cattle, 300 sheep and lambs...

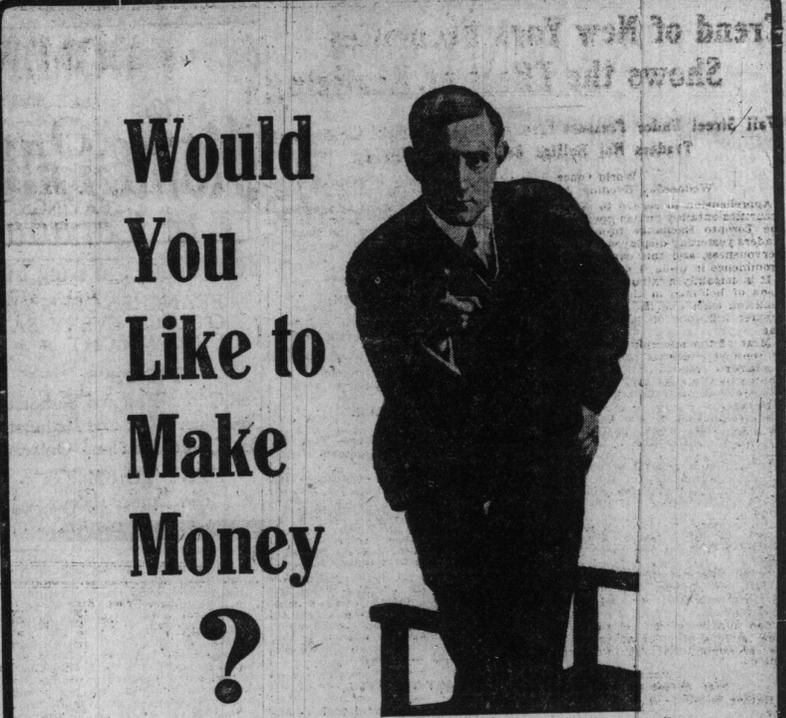
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YORK COUNTY

West Toronto North Toronto East Toronto

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North, East and West Toronto Happenings—News Notes From All Over York County.

NORTH TORONTO, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—A great deal of discomfort and delay was occasioned early this morning by the infrequent service on the Glen Grove branch.

Another indication of the rapid advance of land values in the big north and northwestern outskirts of the city was shown today when Rowell & Co., the well-known real estate dealers, sold a little over 40 acres of the old Roach farm, on the southwest side of the Vaughan-road, in the West End district, for about \$2000 an acre.

The farm is about half a mile outside the city limits, and the American syndicate, who have taken over the property, will, it is said, at once subdivide the property into building lots.

WHOLL BE YORK CO. WARDEN? The defeat of James Anderson by Charles Willoughby for the reversion of North Gwillimbury practically narrows down the field of aspirants for the wardenship in York County to Arthur Piguley, reeve of Sutton, and

and not to those already in use which are in need of repairs. In a fast and exciting game at Ravina Park rink to-night, Victorias defeated Bloor-street by a score of 7 to 2. This is the first hockey game of the Presbyterian League that has been played this season at Ravina Park.

HIGHLAND CREEK, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—The January meeting of the Women's Institute will be held to-morrow (Thursday), Jan. 6, at 2.30 p.m., at the home of Hittor Brummell. All ladies are cordially invited to attend.

UNIONVILLE. Lodge Elects Good Officers—Rev. Mr. Burkholder at Bradford.

UNIONVILLE, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—The officers of Wellington Lodge, No. 2333, L. O. L., are as follows: P.M., Bro. Leslie Allen; W.M., Bro. H. H. Armstrong; D.M., Bro. W. H. Silver; recording secretary, R. J. Allen; chaplain, W. G. Armour; financial secretary, R. Thompson; treasurer, Geo. L. H. Armstrong; first com., Dr. R. J. Trampour.

EAST TORONTO. Will Try and Keep the Local Y. M. C. A. Open.

EAST TORONTO, Jan. 5.—As the result of an overdraft from the furnace, the two-story house at 415 this morning. The house, which is located at No. 11 Bloor-avenue, was damaged to the extent of \$2000. It is fully covered by insurance in the Queen City for \$5000 and the Merchants' \$5000. A meeting of the Citizens' Association will be held to-morrow (Thursday) night at the East Toronto Y.M.C.A. at 8 o'clock, and steps will be taken to see what chance there will be of keeping the Y. M. C. A. building open.

YORK COUNTY ESTATE. The will of the late James Henry of this city provides for the disposal of an estate totaling \$20,000. It includes \$2000 in mortgages, \$24,750 in stocks, \$2000 in cash, and \$2000 in real estate, which includes Scarborough.

MARKHAM VILLAGE. The annual meeting of the East York Liberal-Conservative Association will be held in the town hall here Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 11, at 2 o'clock.

SCARBORO FAIR. The annual meeting of the Scarborough Agricultural Society will be held at the Halfway House, Kingston-road, Scarborough, on Tuesday, Jan. 18, for the election of officers and other business.

PICKERING VILLAGE. Township Clerk Shows How Much Members Have Expended.

PICKERING VILLAGE, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—An interesting and comprehensive statement has been issued by Clerk Beaton of Pickering Township, setting out the various expenditures in the township. The figures given are interesting and light will be adopted by other municipalities.

WEST TORONTO. The money appropriated for the fire-trail by-law at the recent elections will not affect ward seven. The by-law of course, also applied to police stations in the outlying districts, but also No. 9 station is certainly in need of improvements, the cost of which will come out of the general tax rate.

NEW YEAR'S SAVINGS ACCOUNTS

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CARETAKERS OVERWORKED FLAG HOISTING CUT OFF

Trustees Wrangle Regarding Superannuation Proposals—Jimmy Simpson May Be Next Chairman. No more will the flags fly every day in the week on the schools. Out of consideration for the caretakers, on whom the labor of the flag hoisting devolves, the board of education at a meeting last night passed a resolution to revert to the old order.

ARBITRATION COURT SHOULD BE JUDICIAL

U.S. Secretary of State Makes Proposition to Powers, But Gets No Reply.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—With a view to making national arbitration judicial in fact as well as in theory, Secretary of State Knox has addressed a circular note to the powers, proposing that the jurisdiction of the international prize court, authorized in 1907 by the Hague Peace Conference, be extended so as to make it a court of justice.

MARKHAM VILLAGE

The next item objected to was the superannuation of Miss Isabella Mearns, of Odgen-street school at \$25 00 a year. Dr. Conboy, who had been in the school, was attacked by Trustee Simpson, who said that it was the height of foolishness for any sane man to object to superannuate an elderly teacher.

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