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## "Carry the Power Bylaw"—A Benefit to Every Householder

### C.P.R. PLACING NEW ENGLAND IN A PASSION?

Reports of Dicking For B. & M. Stock Both Confirmed and Denied—Would Foil Harriman.

"Just a newspaper rumor, without any foundation," said E. B. Osler, M.P., last evening concerning a New Haven, Conn. report "confirming" another report that the C.P.R. was negotiating for a block of 150,000 shares of the capital stock of the Boston & Maine Railroad, now held by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. The despatch said:

"The fact is confirmed here to-day, that the Canadian Pacific Railroad has made the offer to buy the shares of the Boston & Maine Railroad, which are held by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company."

"It is understood also that the federal authorities at Washington have been consulted with regard to the offer, and do not regard the negotiations with favor."

A Montreal despatch says: "Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, declared absolutely to discuss the report that the C.P.R. was negotiating with the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad for a controlling interest in the Boston & Maine Railroad."

"Latest advices from Boston intimate that the report is looked upon in the nature of a bluff on the part of the New Haven interest, and that the Massachusetts Legislature will leave the matter alone, the outside control of the Boston & Maine having played a prominent part in New England politics for some time. President Tuttle of the Boston & Maine disavows any knowledge of the deal, while Vice-President Byrnes of the New Haven confirmed the report of President Mellen, given out yesterday, but declining to name the corporation negotiating."

"The C.P.R. connects with the Boston & Maine at several points in the United States and Canada, which leads to the report that the Canadian Company is interested in the deal."

It is this motive? Credence to the report that the C. P. R. would at least like the road in question is given in the fact that Edward H. Harriman, the man of affairs, who has been in the city for some months ago to the fact that his transcontinental business is endangered by the project of establishing a fast line of steamships between England and Canada, and thence via Canada to the Pacific and Australia. This would mean the diversion of nearly all the express freight and express passenger traffic from the line running into New York, since at the Canadian end of the steamship line would be the C.P.R. now master of the railway situation in the Dominion. Diversion of freight and passenger business to the railway would directly figure the American transcontinental roads, which Harriman controls.

The latter, so it is understood, has been looking with covetous eyes upon the railway known as the New Brunswick, which runs from St. Stephen, just across the St. Croix River on the Canadian border from Calais, Me., to St. John, N.B., with the New Haven and the Boston and Maine there would be a route from New York to Calais, the Maine Central really being part of the Boston & Maine. With the New Brunswick Southern, Mr. Harriman would have a straight through connection with St. John, which promises to develop into the greatest harbor on the coast. He would then have the whip hand of the C.P.R. with a fast line of steamships, and having St. John as its eastern terminus and with express, freight and passenger service to New York and the south and west, the time from Europe to New York and the south and west would be cut many hours. Thru the New York tunnel facilities, the Harriman lines could carry traffic thru to Chicago and St. Louis in such fast time that the C.P.R. could not cope with them.

C. P. R. Was After It. Some months ago, the New Haven, while negotiating for control of the New Brunswick Southern, discovered that the C.P.R. was not only trying to get possession of this road, but was also after the Boston & Maine. The threatened invasion of New England by the C.P.R. was alarming, and Harriman then threw his personal weight into the struggle.

The New Haven began negotiations for the purchase of the Dominion & Atlantic Railroad, running from Yarmouth, in Nova Scotia, to Digby, thence to Windsor, near Halifax, where it connects with the Intercolonial. Apart from the maritime business in connection with the Henry M. Whitney interests, the New Haven is not particularly concerned about the Dominion and Atlantic, but it would be as valuable as a defensive weapon, as is the Ontario & Western. As for the Boston & Maine, it is an essential part of the Harriman plan of cross-cutting from the Atlantic to New York and Albany.

Another Version. The New York Sun of yesterday said: "According to one report in the financial district the purchaser may be found to be the Canadian Pacific. The Boston and Maine leases lines extending to Montreal, and has other connections."

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### Soap Not an Explosive

Odd Case at Welland in Which Crown Fails to Make Conviction.

WELLAND, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—At the county court and general sessions this evening, Robert Pasquel was acquitted of the charge of carrying explosive substances. The substance was a cake of soap.

The case has excited considerable interest, and the charge was laid on the authority of the attorney-general. Chief Mains of the frontier police and two other officers on Sept. 13 attempted to arrest three men at the Michigan Central station, Niagara Falls. One drew a gun and backing off got away. Pasquel and one Harding were arrested. They were found to have the necessary articles for the blowing up of a safe. Harding had the nitro-cellulose, and Pasquel had the soap. Harding was sent down for a year on this charge of carrying explosives, and Pasquel got three months for carrying concealed weapons.

The police, it would appear, were not satisfied with Pasquel's sentence, and on the advice of the attorney-general endeavored to convict him of the more serious offence of carrying explosive substances. When the evidence had been heard, however, Judge Wells took the case from the jury and dismissed the charge on the ground that there was no evidence to show that Harding and Pasquel were acting in concert.

Pasquel has held various responsible positions at Niagara Falls, N.Y.

### MAYORALTY RIVALS ON SAME PLATFORM

Conservative Club Cheer a Lot and Groan a Little Bit at Annual Smoker.

Five hundred human volcanoes in full eruption filled Victoria Hall last night at the Conservative Club smoker with an imitation of the ingenious period. Three mayoralty candidates and various other civic aspirants addressed the meeting and Lieut.-Col. Belcher, Southampton, and Major Currie, North Simcoe, contributed to the stream of oratory. Music and art and a pie-eating contest which ended in a draw enlivened the proceedings, which were very harmonious.

As a gauge of the popularity of the would-be mayors little could be deduced, except that "Yokes" stock did not seem at a premium. Geary was hailed with loud cheers and two men on the platform and 30 in the hall stood up to vote for him. He was also named in honor of the candidate. Nesbitt also received cheers, as loud apparently in volume as those which greeted Geary, but these were mingled with groans and hisses from the Geary faction. But the doctor's speech stirred most enthusiasm.

President Worrell announced that the club was composed of Conservatives from all parts of the city. As an aldermanic candidate in Ward 1, he announced himself in favor of the power bylaw.

Lieut.-Col. Belcher was glad that the city was a little more Washington. He had promised them a power scheme and he could not tell a lie, and now they were going to get it.

Mr. Wright (Retiree) spoke to his early closing resolution. He wants to fix the house adjournment, except on extraordinary occasions, at 10.30 o'clock. He wanted his leader (Sir Wilfrid) to have many more years of life, but he was afraid the long sittings would destroy his health and usefulness. Many of the legislative bodies of the old land did not sit at night.

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### UNIVERSITY APPOINTMENTS.

Half-a-Dozen Professorships Allotted by Governors.

The following appointments were made by the board of governors of the University of Toronto, which met yesterday afternoon:

Assistant professor of philosophy—Dr. A. H. Abbott.

Professor of physical chemistry—Dr. W. Lash Miller.

Assistant professor of Latin—Dr. G. W. Johnston.

Associate professor of astro-physics—Dr. C. A. Chant.

Associate professor of botany—Dr. J. H. Faull.

PICARELLO JURY DISAGREE.

After Two Days No Verdict is Returned and Jurors Are Discharged.

Holding night sessions and sitting all Wednesday and Thursday, a jury failed to reach a verdict in the court of quarter sessions, where Amelio Picarello was on trial charged with attempting to utter a forged application for a deposit of \$100 in the Postoffice Savings Bank. The jury, which went out at 10 o'clock last night, disagreed, and were discharged at 12.45 o'clock this morning.

### SPEED OF TRAINS LIMITED BY HOUSE

Lancaster's Bill for Crossing Protection Again Goes to Senate—Canada and Japan.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—Mr. Lancaster's Railway Act amendment, limiting the speed of trains to 10 miles an hour over any highway in any thickly populated portion of any city, town or village, unless such highway is properly protected, passed all stages in the house to-day and was sent on to the senate, where a year ago it received its quietus. The new minister of railways, Mr. Graham, expressed concurrence with the principle of the bill, and the only other ministerial pronouncement was Mr. Fielding's suggestion of a doubt as to what would be considered a thickly populated portion of a city.

The house adjourned at 6 o'clock. Sir Wilfrid will move to-morrow that the house rise on the 19th inst., for the holidays, and reassemble on Jan. 3.

A matter of interest was Sir Wilfrid's declaration that Canada has no diplomatic status in Japan, and that the negotiations with the country regarding immigration are being conducted thru the British ambassador.

Tired of Delay. In moving the second reading of his railway bill, Mr. Lancaster said it had been dealt with every session since the last general election. He showed that he had endeavored to meet the views of all parties, and that the bill now before the house was drafted by the member for Westmoreland, the then minister of railways and canals. The law as it stands to-day was absolutely of no effect and the house of commons a year ago had unanimously adopted his amendment. The senate, however, had thrown it out. Mr. Lancaster advised sending the bill back till the gentlemen of the senate either adopted it or suggested some amendment.

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An Englishman named John P. Booth, who has been in this country but two years, and in Ottawa, it is understood, not very long, took cyanide of potassium. Booth was a chemist when in England.

Lord Kelvin Ill. LONDON, Dec. 12.—Grave anxiety is felt here regarding the condition of Lord Kelvin, the famous scientist. He has been ill for some time, and to-day he was reported to be worse.



GENTLEMAN BELOW: You surely aren't distrustful of me, my dear?

### NINE YEARS IN KINGSTON ARTHUR JACKSON'S TERM

Two Years Added for Impertinence to the Court—Melodrama, Comedy and Pathos Crowded in Minute.

WOODSTOCK, Dec. 12.—The trial of Arthur Jackson, a quadron, took place here to-day and lasted from 10 a.m. until 6.30 p.m. Jackson was defended by John Soper, McKay, and R. N. Ball, K.C., prosecuted.

The jury were out 20 minutes when a verdict of guilty was brought in. "Have you anything to say why I should not pass sentence?" asked Judge Finkle.

"As God sits upon his throne in heaven, as I firmly believe he does, I did not commit the crime I am accused of," was the prisoner's reply in dramatic tones.

"Then I sentence you to seven years at hard labor in Kingston Penitentiary."

"May I now say a few words, your honor?"

"You may not."

Jackson gritted his white teeth and with a smile he remarked: "When I get out I will say something to the entire community."

"Ha, ha, my lad, then I will tack two more years on your term, and you will serve nine years with hard labor in Kingston Penitentiary," replied his honor, hotly. A pin could be heard drop in the court room. The handcuffs clinked as they were placed on the prisoner's wrists and he was led back to his cell.

Alex. Green, who was arrested on the same charge as Jackson, of holding up C.P.R. Operator Walcott on the 9th of October last, was allowed out on bail, and will appear next week.

### PREVENT GAS EXPORT.

Welland Deputation Will See Government About It.

WELLAND, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—The sentiment throughout the County of Welland is that the government should at once take steps to prevent the exportation of gas to the United States.

The City of Buffalo is largely supplied from the Welland field and the largely increased use of gas for industrial purposes in the district has emphasized the conclusion that a stop should be put to the export. Welland Board of Trade has appointed A. O. Bratty and J. Gill Gardiner to go to Ottawa to urge these views upon the government.

In Welland last month one firm alone used 7,000,000 in smelting, which is more than the entire consumption in Welland for domestic purposes.

### JUDGE CRITICIZES JURY WHO ACQUIT PRISONER

Man on Trial for Murder at Soo Found Not Guilty—History of Shooting.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—Thomas McFarlane, on trial for the murder of William Dixon at Iron Bridge, was to-night acquitted.

He appeared in his own defence this morning and told an entirely new story. He had been feeding a dog, Dixon was intoxicated and took down a gun from the wall and shot the dog. The two men had grappled and in the mix-up the gun went off and Dixon fell.

The prisoner then attempted to commit suicide under the stress of excitement, but the gun missed fire. He then left the house, returning in the morning, when he knelt down beside the body of Dixon and made a vow to his Maker that he would give himself up.

The judge's charge was against the prisoner, who was greatly affected in court.

During the argument of counsel this afternoon the prisoner was dejected and kept his face concealed below the dock.

The judge said he could not conceive of the jury arriving at such a verdict on the evidence given. As the verdict was announced a fervent "Thank God" escaped the prisoner, who immediately left the building.

### DEATH ENDS HIS STRUGGLE

Unemployed Englishman Takes His Own Life at Ottawa.

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### THEY GOT THEIR REWARD THIS SIDE OF HEAVEN

List of Former Members of Parliament Who Were Given Other Places.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—The following members and ex-members of parliament have been appointed by the present government to the senate or to offices of emolument under the crown, since July 11, 1896, according to a return laid on the table by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to-day:

Forty-four members of commons appointed to the senate.

Hon. Messrs. Richard, King, Fleet, Yeo, Ellis, Garbutt, Dechenes, Legris, Edwards, Riley, Talbot, Costigan, Belcourt and Campbell.

Twenty-five ex-members of the commons appointed to the senate.

Hon. David Mills, Sir Richard Cartwright, and Hon. Messrs. Lovitt, Carmichael, Wm. Kerr, Watson, Burpee, Gilmour, Wood, McHugh, Landerkin, Church, Gibson, McMullin, Frost, Domville, Wilson, Davis, Ross, Choquette, Wm. Ross, George W. Ross, Beth and Derbyshire, Bostock.

Thirty members appointed to offices other than senate.

Hon. M. C. Cameron, Sir Henri Joly, Hon. A. G. Blair, Hon. M. E. Bernier, Hon. George Carroll, Sir L. H. Davies, Sir William Mulock, Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, and Messrs. Forbes, C. R. Devlin, Joseph Lavergne, Langelle, Lister, P. A. Choquette, J. C. Rinfret, Beaudet, Desmarais, Butten, T. Fortin, Flint, Madore, Treser, Wade, Morrison, Malvern, Melissae, D. S. McKenzie, E. M. Demers, A. A. Bruneau and Lawrence.

Nineteen of the above were appointed to judgeships.

Four members of the senate were appointed lieutenant-governors, viz., Hon. A. R. McLean, Sir Oliver Mowat, Hon. T. R. McInnes, and Hon. J. B. Sturges.

Hon. David Mills and Sir C. A. P. Pelletier were appointed to the bench.

### 3750 MILES BY WIRELESS.

Station at Kiev, Russia, Picks Up Glace Bay Messages.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 12.—The Kev station of the wireless telegraphy line which the Russian government is constructing to connect Sebastopol with St. Petersburg has succeeded in picking up Marconi transatlantic messages, including a number of press despatches. Sent from the American side. Messages transmitted from Paris and Casablanca also have been picked up.

The distance from Glace Bay, Cape Breton, the point at which the Marconi wireless messages are started for Ireland, to Kiev, is approximately 3750 miles. Stray wireless messages have previously been picked up at a distance of 2500 miles from their point of origin.

WINTER SPORTS AGAIN.

On Grenadier's Pond last night there was a large crowd skating and tobogganing. The ice was in splendid condition and so were the toboggan slides.

### CELEBRATION APPROVED BY THE KING

Who Gives 100 Guineas to Champlain Tercentenary Fund—Earl Grey Wants Statue.

MONTREAL, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—In an address before the newly-organized Women's Canadian Club to-day, Earl Grey made a strong appeal for the preservation of the Canadian battlefields. He applauded the sentiment which prompted the formation of the club, and expressed the hope that it would be instrumental in removing barriers which prevent fusion of French and English peoples of a community. He quoted Premier Whitney as saying he wished every young Ontario man could spend two years in Quebec after leaving Toronto University, so that he might enrich his own and consolidate the national life.

The governor-general declared the Canadian winter was the best asset of the country, and thought the people of Montreal did not act chivalrously in refusing to hold winter carnivals.

After an appeal to ladies not to rest until "that polluting goat" had been removed from the Plains of Abraham, Earl Grey suggested raising a fund of a million dollars for the reclamation of the historic spot, and the erection of a colossal statue of the Angel of Peace, with arms outstretched, on the front of Quebec, first visible to a passenger on a steamer coming up the St. Lawrence.

Continuing, he said: "The privilege of contributing to a fund to honor the 300th birthday of Canada, and of sacred ground where the foundation of Greater Canada was laid, I am confident, appeal to thousands in all parts of the world."

Earl Grey concluded by reading the following cable from Sir Dighton Probyn: "The King commands me to telegraph his approval of the scheme for the celebration of the Champlain tercentenary, and to say that his majesty will gladly subscribe 100 guineas towards the fund you are raising for this good object."

### INTERESTS LONDON.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.) LONDON, Dec. 12.—All the papers give Earl Grey's speech re the Quebec memorial prominence and The Morning Post says the Women's Canadian Club could not begin its career in a better way than by associating itself vigorously with a cause which, in some way, concerns the national fame of the Dominion.

### KUROPATKIN A WITNESS.

Evidence He Gives is Favorable to Stoesel.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 12.—Gen. Kuropatkin testified to-day at the trial by court-martial of Lieut.-Gen. Stoesel and other army officers, charged with needlessly surrendering Port Arthur to the Japanese, that the Japanese could have taken Port Arthur by assault in the early days of the war.

The defenses were then so incomplete, Gen. Kuropatkin went on, that the fortress must have fallen at the first vigorous attack. But the slowness of the Japanese and the resistance made by the army in the field gave the Russians time to improvise defensive works, which had withstood the Japanese for six months. Gen. Kuropatkin's evidence was favorable to Gen. Stoesel.

### LOOKING A BIT AHEAD.

In consideration of all this talk of financial depression, the thoughtful citizen is going to be to the recipient before purchasing. Costly but almost useless articles are all right for a day or so, but a present such as a fur garment is something that will look nice and give comfort for long time. Furs are the most sensible and seasonable presents. Dineen's, at Yonge and Temperance streets, is the oldest and best fur house in Canada. You can get exactly what you want at a reasonable price and feel positive that it is represented if Dineen's sold it to you.

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Full information will be given by writing to Box 65, World Office.

### GENDRON RETIRES.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—F. A. Gendron, M.L.A. of Hull, has decided not to contest the seat in the Liberal interest. The government candidate will now probably be H. A. Goyette of Hull, the Harry Cameron of Ottawa says he will run as a Liberal.

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\$20 — MERCER ST. SEVEN ROOMS and all conveniences.

\$20 — BORDEN ST. SIX ROOMS AND conveniences.

\$25 — BRICKLEY STREET, SEVEN ROOMS, bath, gas, furnace, etc.

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## Hamilton Happenings

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## ARREST CHURCH MEMBER LEAVING FOR SCOTLAND

Chas. Campbell Accused of Theft of \$28 From St. Philip's Congregation.

HAMILTON, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—From a trusted member of St. Philip's Anglican Church in the east end of the city to call in No. 3 police station is the deacon made in a few hours by Charles Campbell, 634 East Barton-street, 29 years of age. He was arrested stepping into a G.T.R. train to make a journey to his old home in Scotland. The charge is that he stole \$28 he collected for the church. At the pressed to turn the amount over he kept putting it off until the church officials became suspicious. He had a railway ticket to Montreal, and a third-class steamer ticket. He was setting out on the journey with just 32 cents.

Joe Myers, the race track follower, who was arrested at the Jockey Club here last year on the charge of stealing a ticket from Harry Daniels, and who was allowed out on \$200 bail after being committed for trial, did not turn up this afternoon at the general sessions, and his bail was declared forfeited.

One of the Six Fries. John Neville, one of the six young men arrested on the charge of stealing copperware, was acquitted by a jury this evening at the sessions. The principal evidence against him was given by Harry Weinstein, sentenced to a year on the same charge. Judge Snider told the jury that the evidence of a self-confessed criminal did not carry the weight of an ordinary citizen. Dunsmore, the carter, swore Neville was not present.

Orazio, an Italian, was not suited in a suit to recover \$200 from Dr. Smith, the Italian consular agent at Toronto. The story of Orazio was that when he called at Dr. Smith's office Giuseppe Garabaldi, who was in the office, took \$200 to free Orazio from military duty. Orazio tried to hold Dr. Smith responsible for the transaction.

The charges of perjury against the six young men fined for gambling, will be taken up on 10 o'clock Friday morning. The defence will have a big array of legal talent, including T. C. Robinson, Toronto; George S. Lynch, St. Catharines; and J. O'Reilly.

Manual Training Classes. The board of education this evening decided to start two new centres of manual training, one in the Carleton place and one in the Wentworth-street school. Night classes for foreigners will be started at the beginning of the year, in the old customs house on Stuart-street. Miss Deyman, a trainee nurse was engaged to help Dr. Roberts with the medical inspection of schools. W. D. Platt asked to have the Mountain-avenue school opened.

An incendiary fire broke out at 7 o'clock this evening at St. Francis's frame stable, Hunter and Catharine streets.

The annual banquet of the Hamilton Medical Association at the Hotel Royal this evening was one of the most successful in the history of the organization. Dr. Olinwood was in the chair, and Dr. Storms in the vice-chair. Professor Wright, Toronto, was the guest of the evening.

Two Horses Burned. Thomas Rogers' stable, at 18 Liberty-street, was destroyed by fire this morning. Two horses were burned.

The funeral of Mrs. Ferguson, wife of Rev. George Ferguson, Niagara Falls, will take place Friday morning from the Stuart-street station at 10:30.

The Independent Labor party will meet next Monday evening to select alternate candidates. One of the issues of the campaign will be license reduction.

Two Toronto experts are inspecting the street railway to see how the company has carried out the order for improvements issued by the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board last January. Next year the city expects to be able to get an order compelling the company to furnish new cars.

Ministers and representatives of the charitable organizations will meet Mayor Stewart and Relief Officer McConkey Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock to discuss plans for relieving distress during the winter.

The first meeting in behalf of cheap power will be held in Association Hall Friday evening, Dec. 20, when Mayor Stewart, Hon. Adam Beck, Hon. J. S. Hendrie, W. K. McNaught, M.L.A., Toronto, and others will speak. Questions will be invited. T. W. Southman, chief engineer of the hydro-electric power commission, is in the city figuring on what the offer of the Cataract Power Company for street lighting and pumping means, and how it compares with what the city will be able to do under city plans.

The pictorial supplement of the Christmas number of The Sunday World, appearing Dec. 15, will contain many pictures of local interest, including nine beautiful likenesses of popular Hamilton lady singers. On sale at newsdealers and hotels.

This week's Sunday World will be of particular interest to Hamiltonians. Its pictorial supplement will contain many pictures of local interest, among which are those of Hamilton's popular vocalists.

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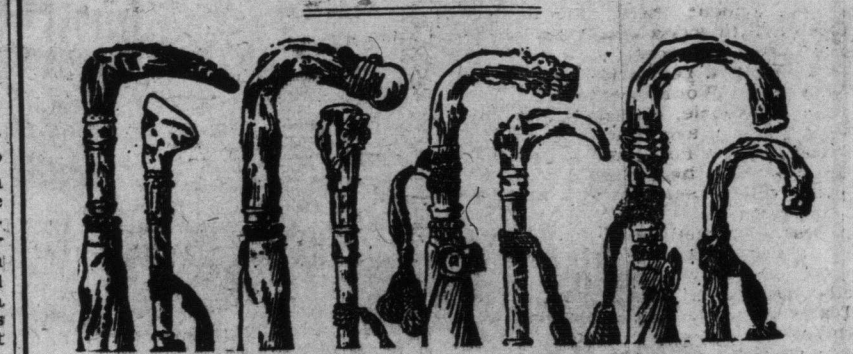
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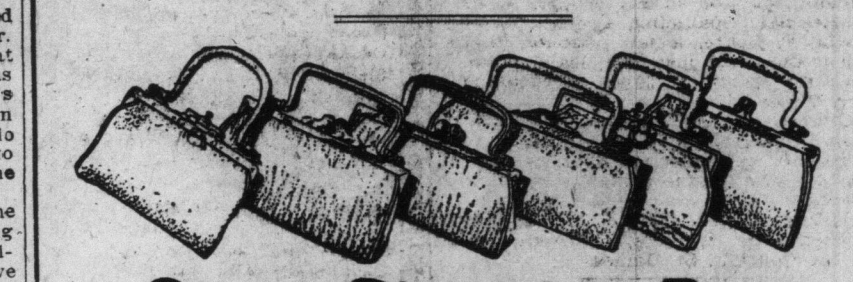
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Christmas buying is now in full blast at our store, and our showing of gift goods is affording general satisfaction. Come and see them, at least, before completing your holiday shopping. Everything new and up-to-date, and no fancy prices.



## Extra! Umbrella Sale

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## A Letter.

Dear Santa Claus, bring back to me  
The little brother that I had.  
And never mind the toys, for he  
Is all I want to make me glad.  
I've saved the picture books and all  
The things with which he used to  
play—  
The tops, the sled, and bat and ball—  
We have them safely laid away.

I'll never strike him any more,  
Or try to roll him in the snow.  
Or ever stand behind the door  
To scare him when he doesn't know.  
And when the bigger boys come by  
And call him names I'll take his part.  
And always every day I'll try  
To never bruise his little heart.

It's loonies here, dear Santa Claus,  
Since he lies out there on the hill;  
His little bed stands where it was,  
It's all made up and ready still.  
I've got his toys as good as new—  
The ball and blocks and jumbling-jack,  
The Noah's Ark and engine, too.  
Please, Santa, won't you bring him back?  
—S. E. Kiser.

## Mrs. Lindworth Ill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Mrs. Longworth, daughter of President Roosevelt, was operated upon for appendicitis at the White House at 10 o'clock to-day.

"It was a very pretty little operation, and was performed by Dr. Finney of Johns Hopkins Hospital of Baltimore," said Dr. Riker.

President Roosevelt left his office and was at the scene of the operation until it had been completed.

## A Royal Wedding.

ATHENS, Dec. 12.—With the splendid and elaborate rite of the Greek Church, the religious ceremony uniting in marriage Prince George of Greece, second son of the King of Greece, and Princess Marie Bonaparte was performed at the cathedral here to-day.

The civil marriage ceremony took place in France Nov. 21. This was merely a formality, as the Greek

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## Historical Society

## And the Old Fort

## Resolution Opposing Any Desecration

## Will Be Sent to the

## Proper Authorities.

## The Women's Canadian Historical

## Society had a very largely attended

## meeting in the Canadian Institute

## yesterday afternoon, when the preserva-

## tion of the Old Fort property was

## made the theme, and a strong feeling

## against the proposed desecration was

## made manifest. Mrs. Forsyth Grant

## presided.

## Mrs. Vandermissen, the new re-

## cording secretary, read a very care-

## fully prepared and interesting paper on

## the history of the Old Fort.

## Mrs. FitzGibbon followed with a

## detailed account of the steps taken to

## secure a compromise thru the property

## and of the counter efforts of the vari-

## ous bodies interested in preserving the

## spot. She gave a graphic description

## of the recent meeting of the York Pio-

## neers, and aroused not a little merrit-

## ment as she described the weakening

## of the resolution. The various

## letters on both sides appearing in The

## World were also read.

## As a result, a resolution was moved

## by Mrs. S. B. Wood, seconded by Mrs.

## Gordon Mackenzie, embodying a strong

## protest against any steps that might

## be taken to desecrate a street or a

## corner of the Old Fort. This re-

## solution will be sent to civic and fed-

## eral authorities.

## It was also mentioned that the so-

## ciety would make its opposition felt

## by the use of women's votes in the

## forthcoming municipal elections.

## The luncheon to be tendered Mrs.

## Patrick Campbell to-night by the To-

## ronto Press Club, at the St. Charles

## Cafe, will be entirely informal and

## will be served at 6 o'clock precisely.

## In hereby extending an invitation to her

## friends to a reception on Monday, Dec.

## 16, at Madison-avenue, from 4 to 6

## o'clock and from 8 to 10, it being the

## 60th anniversary of their wedding day.

## The marriage of Mr. William Ewart

## Austin to Miss Maud Christine Fisher

## was quietly celebrated at 3 o'clock yes-

## terday afternoon at the residence of the

## bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A.

## Fisher, 233 Major-street. Rev. George

## R. Fasken, pastor of St. Paul's Pres-

## byterian Church, performed the cere-

## mony, and the bridesmaid was Miss

## Florence R. Fisher, sister of the bride.

## Mr. Carl W. Austin supported the

## groom. The bride was dressed in white

## liberty silk, with Irish crochet lace,

## and wore a white plumed hat. Her

## traveling costume was of navy blue

## brocade and she wore a navy blue

## hat.

## A large gathering of clergy, parents

## and friends of the pupils of St. Joseph's

## High School enjoyed the annual com-

## mencement in the hall of the De La

## Salle Institute yesterday afternoon. An

## interesting musical program was ren-

## dered by the pupils, including violin

## solos by Miss Elsie Hume, piano solo

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## NOTED REVOLUTIONIST MURDERED AT HIS HOME

Sarafoff, Leader of the Macedonian Rebels, Slain Had Sensational Career.

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Dec. 12.—Boris Sarafoff, the most famous of all the leaders of the Bulgarian bands in Macedonia, was shot dead at the threshold of his home to-day, by a Macedonian, who at the same time shot and killed another revolutionary chief named Garvaloff.

Sarafoff's hatred of the Turks was imbedded at an early age thru seeing his father and grandfather tortured, dragged off in chains to a dungeon and then exiled for 15 years. At the age of 14 he attacked, single-handed, the prison in which his father and grandfather were confined, but he was flogged for his pains. The boy swore to revenge himself on the Turks and studied to this end, becoming an official in the Bulgarian army.

In 1888 Sarafoff formed a band of desperadoes to raid Turkish territory. Since then he has headed no less than 280 daring raids into Turkey. Once he captured the Turkish town of Melnik with 40 men, putting the garrison to flight.

Sarafoff was familiar with hundreds of lines of tracks thru the forests and mountains of Turkey. His aim was to organize a vast rebellion with the object of seizing Constantinople and overthrowing the dynasty and Turkish rule. The Turkish Government set a price of \$20,000 on his head. He was about 37 years old.

Sarafoff was the organizer of the Macedonian committee. His prominence in Macedonian agitation and his dictatorial methods made him many enemies among his own followers.

## CARBOLIC BY MISTAKE.

Sad Death of Young Woman at Petrolia.

PETROLIA, Dec. 12.—The death occurred this morning as a result of taking carbolic acid by mistake of Miss Maud Durham, daughter of the late E. J. Durham. The young lady had been doctoring for years, and apparently got hold of the wrong bottle when taking her medicine last night.

She was alone in the house at the time, and when discovered was in an unconscious condition, and despite the efforts of a couple of doctors, passed away without regaining consciousness.

## FELL FIFTY FEET.

John Tisdale Badly Hurt—Three More Boys Arrested.

STRAITFORD, Dec. 12.—(Special).—John Tisdale fell 50 feet from the top of a superstructure of the new Grand Trunk works and sustained compound fracture of arm and concussion of the brain. His home is in Windsor.

Three more boys—Routier, Smith and Brisson—were arrested to-day in connection with recent robberies. They are believed to be part of a gang which successfully operated for the past year. Six are now in jail and there are others to follow.

Seventy men attended the laymen's missionary banquet in Central Methodist Church, which was addressed by N. W. Howell, K.C., and T. Egerton Shore.

## HERE'S A BOX FOR CHRISTMAS

that will give renewed satisfaction every morning for years to come.

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## CENTENARY OF JARVIS C.I. OLD BOYS GAVE \$2500

One Hundredth Anniversary of the Oldest City Grammar School Celebrated Last Night.

The presentation of a handsome tablet and the founding of a scholarship and an athletic prize were the features of the celebration at Jarvis-street Collegiate Institute last night on the occasion of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the school. Five hundred "old boys" and "girls" and friends of the institution were present.

Prof. Alfred Baker presided and in his opening address said that the school was one of the oldest in the city. It was founded by George O'Kell Stewart in a small house at the corner of King and George-streets, where two dozen scholars were enrolled. Mr. Stewart at that time was inaugurating a vast movement, the public school, high school and university systems of Western Canada. Mr. Baker paid a high tribute to John Ross Robertson and late Principal A. MacMurphy.

The tablet, the gift of the board of education, was presented to the institution by Trustee Hamilton. Mrs. W. Wallace, president of the Old Girls' Association, unveiled the tablet, which, in a short address, was received by Principal L. E. Embree.

Archibald MacMurphy, for 43 years principal of Jarvis, gave a very short but amusing historical address. The school was moved in 1882 to Dalhousie-street and in 1870 to Queen's Park, then a year later to the present site. In 1829 Upper Canada College was a temporary school, and the Jarvis Grammar School and when it (the then Jarvis Grammar School) moved over to Russell-square 18 months later, everything belonging to the Home District School was taken away and for a couple of years the school was closed up. The people of the west and became dissatisfied and they had it reopened under the name of the Senior Grammar School. In 1871 girls were first admitted to the high school.

In founding the scholarship C. W. Baxter, treasurer of the "Old Boys," said that it was the gift of the "Old Boys" and "Girls" Association. Angus MacMurphy, one of the trustees, received the fund, which he said was now over \$2000, made up of contributions from 50 cents to \$50, money from beyond the seas and the United States.

President Patterson felt glad over the lengthy and worthy past of the school and of the Dominion of Canada. He reviewed the struggle and controversy of the past century in Canada, and contended that the greatness of present things had grown out of those struggles.

The athletic prize fund, which amounts to \$400, was presented by Mr. Baxter and received by R. A. Gray, trustee of the fund. Major Mitchell presented the shield.

Hon. Dr. R. A. Pyne, minister of education, spoke briefly congratulating the school and its principal upon its growth and success.

The presentation of the new athletic prize for 1907 was made by Miss J. Thomas to the winner, L. A. Wright. Short addresses were given by Alfred Marling, L. C. Irving and John Scott.

## Don't Miss Going to Guelph.

Why? Because at this little city there is the best display of live poultry, etc., in America, also the finest cattle, sheep and hogs are exhibited. Interesting lectures. It will do the club or city man good to visit the farmers, and the handsome buildings and grounds of the Ontario Agricultural College, of which Prof. Creelman has charge.

The frequent and excellent service of the Grand Trunk Railway System makes it an easy trip. Round trip rate for Toronto is only \$1.45, good going to-day and returning until Dec. 16, 1907.

## Triplets.

Mr. and Mrs. Finkelstein of 50 Nelson-street became the parents of triplet-boys at midnight Wednesday. Two are boys, all are doing well.

# GOLDSBROTH'S

"Where the Good Clothes Come From"—Registered

## Bargain Friday

### A Grand Array of Money-Saving Specials

Odd lots and broken lines that we've greatly reduced in price to get them out of the way and give us more space for Christmas.

If you want to buy your WINTER CLOTHING OUTFIT at factory cost this is your opportunity, for we are selling these goods at the exact price at which they were billed to us.

Come to-day and investigate these values for yourself.

## FUR-LINED COATS

\$40 Fur-Lined Coats, \$28.85

Splendid large full-bodied coats, made with beautiful black beaver shield, luxurious marmot lining and stunning Western beaver collar. These coats are not only perfectly tailored throughout, but are full of style, being made after the most recent models. Regular price \$40. Friday, reduced to \$28.85.

\$70 Fur-Lined Coats, \$49.65

Everything that has gone into their making is of the very finest quality. Shells are of the finest beaver; linings of No. 1 selected muskrat, and collar is of beautiful natural Canadian otter. They are every inch a gentleman's coat, and the beautiful workmanship, finish and style stand out all over them. Regular price \$70. Friday, reduced to \$49.65.

\$12.50 Men's Overcoats, \$6.85

Every man should take advantage of this wonderful snap. These coats come in smart tweeds and handsome black beaver and Meltons, and every garment is a model in style and tailoring with longish, pepla, athletic shoulders, hand-moulded, close-fitting collars, and fashionably cut in a way that gives them a graceful hang and a gentlemanly look throughout. Every coat in the lot is easily worth \$10 to \$12.50. Friday, reduced to \$6.85.

BOYS' CLOTHING

\$3.75 Boys' Suits, \$2.59

Any boy would be proud to wear one of these warm, comfortable Scotch Tweed Suits. They are made in the popular Norfolk style, beautifully finished throughout, sizes 25 to 35. Regular \$3.75. Reduced Friday to \$2.59.

\$4.50 Boys' Overcoats, \$2.99

These are just the sort of coat your little fellow should have for the cold winter weather. Made from durable fancy tweeds, beavers, and Meltons, full of style and finish, made for service and comfort. Regular \$4.50. Reduced Friday to \$2.99.

UNDERWEAR BARGAINS

Beautiful Scotch Knit Shirts and Drawers, in the correct weights for winter wear. Regular 50c per garment. Special, Friday, 35c.

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# GOLDSBROTH'S

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## WORK FOR UNEMPLOYED.

Situation Not as Black as Painted, the Mayor Thinks.

A special meeting of the city council has been called for Monday next, to give authorization to the city engineer to go ahead with the construction of three and one-half miles of new street in Parkville by day labor. Three hundred men will be needed for the work.

The mayor says he is beginning to think that the city is "overdoing the poor business," therein agreeing with the superintendent of the House of Industry. His worship was struck at the fact that he received no application for a job shovelling snow from the sidewalk in front of his house.

Every man who applied for a job at the Christie-street sandpits turned up yesterday morning, the shift of twenty-five working from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. The second shift will be made up of those holding checks numbered from twenty-five to sixty-five. Thus far about 350 applications have been received.

Mass Meeting of Unemployed.

A mass meeting of the unemployed will be held next week, taking the place of a "hard times" party that had been proposed for to-morrow afternoon. Unemployed men to the number of 235 met on a vacant lot at 144 Yonge-street, and registered themselves as men out of work and in need of immediate employment. Of those present, twenty-three were married, with a total of 128 children. Over two-thirds are from the old country.

The meeting of the unemployed at 144 West Wellington-street is to enable all those who desire work to register their names and addresses. As soon as one thousand names are recorded they will be sent to the mayor. Married men with families who are without food or fuel should register at once, and efforts will be made to immediately relieve their distress. The committee met at 11 o'clock, and a mass meeting will be held in the grounds at 2 o'clock to which all unemployed are requested to attend.

Fifty Cents a Week Buys an Organ.

Should any home be without a musical instrument when one can buy an organ of a well-known maker at \$25 a week, and pay for the same at the rate of 50c a week? These are the kind of bargains that Heintzman & Co., Ltd., 115-117 West King-street, Toronto, are offering at this Christmas season.

Smallpox in New York State.

BROCKVILLE, Dec. 12.—(Special).—Two cases of smallpox, one of which developed in the St. Vincent's Hospital, are under treatment at the pest house. Both are of a mild type. The opinion is expressed that the disease is traceable to some of the northern counties across the line from here.

In New York State, where the state commissioner threatens to adopt drastic measures unless the laws for safeguarding the public are obeyed at once.

Bank Cashier Suicides.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—A despatch says that R. P. Roston, 48 years old, cashier of the State Bank of Herscher, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head.

To Put the Lid on in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Plans to make Sunday closing a political issue for Cook County and in several Illinois districts, and to close Chicago up tight so far as theatres, street railways, restaurants and barber shops are concerned, if the Law and Order League wins its case against the Sunday saloon, are being laid by the United Societies for local self-government.

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## PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

### BULLETIN

#### THE PIONEER ROUTE TO PITTSBURG

When the French pioneer of the eighteenth century made his trip from Canada to Fort Duquesne, now Pittsburgh, he used the route of the Allegheny River.

When the up-to-date business man of the twentieth century makes his trip from Canada to Pittsburgh, he uses the same route. His conveyance is not the Indian bark canoe, however, but the "Duquesne Special," or one of the other fast express trains of the Pennsylvania Railroad. These trains, composed of the best equipment, leave Exchange Street Station, Buffalo, at 9.00 a.m., 1.10 p.m. and 11.00 p.m. daily, and have good connections from Toronto. The day trains carry through Pullman parlor cars and coaches from Buffalo, and cafe cars at meal hours. The night train carries through sleeping cars and coaches from Buffalo.

B. P. Fraser, 307 Main Street, Ellicott Square, Buffalo, will be glad to tell you all about it, and make your Pullman reservations for you. d-3-13

## THE SECRET OF PERFECT HEALTH.

It used to be the general idea that there was some mystery about getting well and staying well. Sellers of quick nostrums took advantage of this fact and grew rich. We are growing wiser, however, and know that good food, fresh air and cleanliness are all that are required. Cleanliness, however, means that you must be clean inside as well as outside. If your kidneys, liver and bowels are not properly performing their functions, they are accumulating a mass of filth, as a result of your violation of some law, and you must assist nature in nature's way to cleanse the system. No new secret preparation. You can obtain a perfect compound of vegetable remedies, everyone of which is endorsed by your physician. The formula of King's Palmetto Compound is printed plainly on the wrapper. No secret, no mystery, just plain common sense. King's Palmetto Compound will regulate the liver, bowels and kidneys, tone the system and prevent serious results which might arise from neglect. Give it a trial. Write for a free sample bottle to the King Palmetto Company, Bridgeburg, Ontario.

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Good going Dec. 24 and 25, 1907. Returning until Dec. 26, 1907.

Also good going Dec. 31st, 1907, and Jan. 1st, 1908, returning until Jan. 2nd, 1908.

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Good going Dec. 21st to Dec. 25th, 1907. Returning until Jan. 3d, 1908. Also going Dec. 25th, 1907, to Jan. 1st, 1908.

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Sailings Wednesdays as per sailing Wednesday, Dec. 4, 10 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 19, 10 a.m. New Amsterdam 12,500 tons, 1000 h.p., 1000 tons displacement. H. M. NEVILLIE, General Passenger Agent, Toronto, Ont.

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## Notice to Contractors

Tenders will be received by registered post only addressed to the Chairman of the Board of Control, City Hall, Toronto, up to noon on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1907, for the purchase of ten tons of scrap iron at the Waterworks Press House, on Soho Street, where same may be viewed.

Envelopes containing tenders must be plainly marked on the outside as to

The usual conditions relating to tendering, as prescribed by City By-law, must be strictly complied with, and the tenders will not be entertained.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

E. COATSWORTH (Mayor), Chairman Board of Control, City Hall, Toronto, December 7th, 1907.

## PUBLIC MEETING

The Academy of Medicine will hold a mass-meeting of the citizens of Toronto at Association Hall, corner of Yonge and McGill-streets, on Wednesday evening next, the 18th inst., at 8.30 o'clock, for the purpose of informing the public of the urgent need existing at the present time for the purification of our water supply.

Discussion—Resolved, That an efficient filtration plant should be procured at the earliest possible moment to supply pure drinking water for Toronto.

The meeting will be addressed by members of the medical profession, including the Medical Health Officer of the Province and of the City, and by a number of prominent citizens.

The Mayor and Members of the Board of Control have been invited to attend.

J. F. W. ROSS, President.

H. J. HAMILTON, Secretary.

Give Hands to Save Lives.

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**COMPETITION IS FAIR.**  
Part of the case put up on behalf of the Toronto Electric Light Company is the alleged hardship which competition would impose. But the company has no monopoly in the supply of electric light and power, and, as a matter of fact, was subjected to competition when the Incandescent Light Company came under agreement with the city. The latter company bound itself to maintain that competition, but the obligation was evaded in a manner which, the upholders of the company, cannot be, and never has been, justified.

There can be no more unfairness in the direct competition of the city than in that of a company of the city. The city, except, indeed, if it be this: that a municipal service is bound to be cheaper and more efficient. But on this point the defenders of private operation of public-services have put themselves out of court since they are never tired of asserting that it is always better and more economical than public operation. If it be so, and, as the citizens have been told, the Electric Light Company is getting Niagara power at one-half the rate proposed by the hydro-electric power commission, why the hesitation or objection to justify the existing rates for light and power? Let the company show that on the basis of an \$8.75 rate for ten-hour power, per horsepower, per annum, its present rates running from \$51 to \$180 are reasonable, or let it show that on the commission's rate of \$17.50, its retail price of \$45 is impossible, and it will have done something to satisfy the legitimate curiosity of the Toronto public.

Appeals are being made to British practice, and it is affirmed that competition there is never sanctioned without expropriation. As a matter of fact, questions of this kind are dealt with on their individual merits, and complaint is made there, as here, that in the vesting in the stock of public-service corporations are subject to unjust attack. The British government itself entered into competition with the National Telephone Company long prior to the existing agreement, and not only so, but authorized competing municipal systems in various English and Scottish towns, without requiring expropriation as a preliminary. Parliament also authorized the establishment of a parcel post without compensation to the railways, whose express traffic was affected. The press organs of the electric grid deprecate the injurious influence of the government's power policy on British investors—it is safe to say more injury would result, indeed, has resulted, from the exposure of the methods of high finance. Mr. Braithwaite admitted that English municipalities were not always radical in politics, and, in reply to a question, why he drew a distinction between municipal and industrial stock, said that public securities, like consols, are usually held as permanent investments, but industrial returns to the market again and they are bought and sold. The distinction is significant, and of present value to Toronto. But in any case this city intends to insist on its right to share in the advantages of Niagara power, and will not allow them to be appropriated for private profit.

**NO THIRD TERM.**  
President Roosevelt has announced his intention to run for a third term. His declaration made by him on the night of his election three years ago. That means of course that he will not be a candidate for a third term and it leaves the numerous aspirants after the succession to fight for the Republican nomination without the latent dread that some unexpected ebullition of public sentiment might sweep them all aside in favor of the present executive head of the state. This will be specially pleasing to the high finance section of the Republican party, who have watched with intense dislike the progress of the president's campaign against trusts and monopolies of all kinds. Were they not controlled by the manifest popularity of Mr. Roosevelt's policy through all parts of the United States, their efforts after the securing of a party candidate of very different character would be more open and avowed. And the main interest in the struggle within the Republican party for the official nomination will be the manoeuvres for and against the selection of a candidate who will continue the Roosevelt policy and traditions.

In this intra-party struggle the president will no doubt take an important share. He is credited with being an astute political worker and very anxious to be succeeded by one who will adopt his policies and carry them out. Contrariwise those Republican money magnates who regard them as mainly responsible for the financial crisis are no less determined to replace Mr. Roosevelt by a president less strenuously insistent on the rights of the people and more amenable to capitalistic influence. In the present temper of the people, however, they will scarcely dare to put forward a candidate too avowedly on the side of the monopolistic combinations. If the precedent set at the last gubernatorial election for

the State of New York may be taken as a guide, the Republican nominee, if this reactionary section has its way, will be strong with the people and at the same time of distinctly conservative tendency. Probably only a candidate of the type of Governor Hughes would have defeated William Randolph Hearst in New York State, and there are many indications that the people of the United States generally will not submit to further exploitation by trusts, combinations and public service corporations.

**MR. GANEY REPLIES.**  
R. R. Ganey, M.L.A., writes The World: "Did I notice The Globe editorial this morning on myself? Yes, I read the article in which they term me the 'White Flower Gentleman' and wonder at Tories throwing bouquets at me. Of course I can quite understand the Rev. Editor not desiring my company, and I also understand his desiring rather white flower Liberals, like Mr. Emmerson, Hyman and Sir J. Bon. They would naturally be better company for him, in fact, I fancy him preparing his sermons for both the church and The Globe, from The Calgary Eye Opener on Sifton."

"When he is tired of that kind of Liberal White Flower, he can turn to 'O'Gorman, Reid & Co.' and get choice specimens. Then he might drop the Bible study for a minute and read the history of the North Atlantic Trading Co. it would be such a nice kind of a venture for the church to go into to raise the money needed for the latest missionary movement."

"Then the Blairmore Town site deal should be worked in where the government received \$400 less costs of \$2100 for a \$200,000 townsite taken from the government by prominent Liberals by perjury which the government were made aware of by the trial judge."

**IN DEFENCE OF BULGARIANS.**  
Editor World: Kindly permit me thru your columns to correct what seems to me to be a false impression that has recently gone abroad, namely, that the Bulgarians, who have been in dire need for some time in our city, are a shiftless people and unwilling to work. I have been laboring among them for a period of four months or more as their missionary and teacher, and almost invariably I have found them industrious and exceedingly anxious to engage in any work that they are fitted to perform. If they have shown any reluctance to take on certain work offered them, it has been caused, not by laziness on their part, but by suspicion aroused against certain agents who for money have duped them in their innocence. I venture to affirm that if they were offered any work whatsoever on reasonable terms, they will most readily show themselves willing to undertake the same. They do not want, as they tell me, to be the object of charity. Trusting this will meet an unfounded rumor.

George M. Atlas,  
439 1-2 Yonge-street, Toronto.

**AFTER HIS CHRISTMAS DINNER**  
One of the Rarest Cigars Made in Havana and a Tactful Host.

With a glance ahead one can hear this conversation when the Christmas gift-box is selected at G. W. Muller's store where cigars of doubtful quality are denied the entrance:

"You were not deceived in this brand, my dear sir," said the host after a few silent moments, in which he was raised above the clouds—figuratively. "Half-a-dozen boxes did you say? I congratulate you—respectfully. But for goodness' sake, don't give such rare Havanas away."

"Trust me, only to my best friends," replied the tactful host.

A lady can select a box of cigars at Muller's with the cheerful certainty that the fortunate recipient of her thoughtful gift will be doubly grateful.

Watch this space each day if you're looking for a bargain in a musical instrument. Our offer for to-day is as follows:

**BARGAIN NO. 10**  
BUSTER BROWN PIANO—Oak case, used for exhibition purposes only, four octaves, a little gem, special, at—

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We make the terms of payment to suit your convenience. We have a couple of dozen other bargains in pianos and organs that we offer at very tempting prices. If you cannot call, we will be glad to send you a complete list.

**Bell Piano Warerooms**  
146 Yonge Street

**SPEED OF TRAINS.**

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beyond 11 or 12 o'clock. Here, however, late in the session, when under pressure, they could sit later. It would be well, he thought, to allow the present rule to stand and have a mutual understanding. He had no doubt that the health of the members was interfered with, but under the circumstances he would ask Mr. Wright to withdraw.

Mr. Wright was agreeable, remarking that he had failed in a good cause. R. L. Borden did not despair of seeing the reform brought about, and was glad that the matter had been brought up.

Mr. Foster pointed out that Sir John Macdonald was opposed to arbitrary rules in this respect, still he (Mr. Foster) thought the early closing movement might eventually prevail, and when the time arrived it might be well to go further and limit speeches to half or three-quarters of an hour. At present a good deal of the work came in the last few weeks, and if the government could be brought to a reasonable attitude and bring down supplementary estimates and important measures at the earliest moment, he thought the opposition would also be reasonable and facilitate the business of the house.

Messrs. Monk and Taylor also favored the early closing movement.

**Ask for Job Correspondence.**  
Mr. Monk moved for the correspondence between the government and the Imperial authorities in respect to the Anglo-Japanese convention regarding Canada. We should never deprive ourselves of all control over immigration, he said. The Japs were people who were not easily assimilated; therefore, he considered the government acted incautiously and imprudently in adhering to the treaty with Japan.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, agreeing to the motion, said it was not an hour, but a half-hour, that he had failed in a good cause. R. L. Borden did not despair of seeing the reform brought about, and was glad that the matter had been brought up.

**No Diplomatic Status.**  
"On what ground does Mr. Lemieux stand in Japan?" asked Mr. Foster. "It is difficult to say," replied Sir Wilfrid. "We have no diplomatic status in Japan. Mr. Lemieux was introduced to the Japanese Government by the British ambassador in Tokyo, and it is under the British ambassador that the negotiations are carried on." The motion was agreed to.

**AT OSGOOD HALL**  
ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

**Masters Chambers.**  
Cartwright, master, at 11 a.m.  
**Judges' Chambers.**  
The Hon. the Chancellor at 11 a.m.  
**Non-Jury Sittings.**  
Peremptory list for Friday at 10 a.m.:  
1. C.P.R. v. Fall. Power Company. Argument.  
2. Novelty v. Phillips. Divisional Court.  
The divisional court will not sit to-day. Peremptory list for Monday, Dec. 16, at 11 a.m.:  
1. Brock v. Crawford.  
2. Platt v. White.  
3. Copeland v. Lyman.  
4. McLeod v. Lawson.  
5. Mee v. Toronto Railway Company.  
6. Ede & Lynn v. Canada Foundry. Action dismissed.

The Ontario Lime Association began an action under the Mechanics' Lien Act against L. Follis and Annie M. Shirley. Upon consent the lien has now been discharged and the action dismissed without costs to either party.

**Delivered the Goods.**  
R. H. Howard & Co. of Toronto has begun an action against W. R. Randall of Bobaygeon to recover \$222.42 for goods sold and delivered.

**The Work and Supplied Material.**  
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This Store Closes Every Business Day at 5 p.m.

### The Early Shopper Shops Best

It stands to reason that those who come in the earlier, quieter hours of the morning will receive better attention than those who come with the afternoon throngs. The store is full each Saturday afternoon, and, of course, the closer we get to Christmas the larger the crowds—enough said.

Inducements all around the store will be plainly evident to those who come Saturday morning.

**NOTE THIS, TOO—JUST NINE SHOPPING DAYS LEFT.**—Shop early, if you'd shop best.

### A Good Gift Suggestion In Men's Furs

To the average man the gift that appeals most is one in which usefulness is the strong point, or what he terms the "sensible" gift.

Our Men's Fur Department has many suggestions in such. For example, see this handsome set, Cap, Collar and Gauntlets of fine Persian Lamb, in a close even glossy curl. These worn with an ordinary overcoat assure the wearer of comfort, and are most stylish in appearance. The Cap is the newest wedge shape, with black satin lining; the gauntlets are fur-lined, with black leather palms, and the Collar lined with black quilted satin. Sold complete, or separate, as desired. Price complete, \$42.50; separately, cap \$11.00, gloves \$16.50, collar \$15.00.

Our prices on fur coats, caps, etc., are remarkable for their lowness and worth the consideration of gift buyers.

MAIN FLOOR, QUEEN STREET.

### Second Great Day of the Overcoat Sale

Men—every man of you who requires an overcoat—it's your move.

You have the opportunity of getting inside a warm, well-made, fashionable, fine-looking overcoat at the price of the poorest and most miserable looking kind of a garment.

We have thousands for you to choose from, and in both prices you simply save dollars. Come Saturday morning.

Dark Tweeds, black beaver and melton cloths, Oxford grey and black cheviot; single-breasted Chesterfield style; sizes 34 to 46; the sale price ..... **\$4.44**

Black and Oxford Grey Cheviot, black melton and beaver cloth and tweeds; full length Chesterfield style, single-breasted; tweeds double-breasted; the sale price ..... **\$6.66**

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**STOP SHIVERING**

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You Cannot be Wrong on Gloves

40 dozen through Customs to day, to sell at \$1.00 pair—Don't make. Our knitted and Fancy Cord Vests are perfect in fit and style—from \$2.00 to \$8.00. See our values in Knitted silk Motor Scarves and Neckwear.

**Wreyford & Co., - Jaeger Depot**  
85 KING STREET WEST.

**MIDDLESEX'S CLERK.**  
LONDON, Dec. 12.—(Special).—Edmund Weld, barrister, has been appointed clerk of the crown for the County of Middlesex, succeeding the late Col. John MacBeth. Mr. Weld has been prominent in Conservative circles.

**MARINE ENGINEER DROWNS.**  
SAULT STE. MARIE, Dec. 12.—The tug Ottawa, which arrived to-day from Lake Superior, brought the body of Second Engineer Seegal, who dropped dead last night. His home is in Sarnia.

**MONKS OWN NAME CHARTEUSE.**  
LONDON, Dec. 11.—The appeals court has unanimously upheld the claim of the Carthusian monks to the exclusive right to use the word Chartreuse in Great Britain as describing the famous liqueur, thus reversing the recent decision of the lower court. It also condemned the defendants to pay the costs of the action and enjoined them from using the name Chartreuse.

The court ordered further that an enquiry be made to ascertain the damage sustained by the Carthusians by the defendants' illegal use of the name.

**The Traders Bank of Canada**  
DIVIDEND NO. 47.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. upon the paid-up capital stock of this Bank has been declared for the current quarter, being at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches on and after

**Thursday, the Second Day of January Next.**  
The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st of December, 1907, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Banking House in Toronto on Tuesday, January 28th, 1908. Chair to be taken at 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board.  
STUART STRATHY,  
General Manager.

Toronto, 16th November, 1907.

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## JOHN G. GOOD GIFTS

LACE GLOVES  
Shaped Lace  
in Chantilly,  
brodered,  
\$14.00 to \$60.  
Real Lace  
\$15.00 to \$20.  
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**Special Xmas S**  
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(à la quina du Pérou)

## —A BIG BRACING TONIC

is an excellent nerve fortifier. Every ingredient in it acting directly on the nerve centres—it allays irritability, insures quiet, restoring sleep, cures all forms of nervous prostration, stimulates and strengthens the nerves, and tones up the whole system.

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## BIG BOTTLE

ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE 75

## THE CIVIC CAMPAIGN.

Oliver Opens Up a Committee Room in the West End.

The majority campaign is getting warmer with the elections less than three weeks ahead, and the three most talked-about candidates, Dr. Nesbitt, Aid. Geary and "Doc" Oliver are spending busy evenings.

Mr. Oliver is the first to open committee rooms, he having established his Fifth Ward headquarters at 742 Bathurst-street. The doors were thrown open last night, and Mr. Oliver met and shook hands with about 75 of his lieutenants. Reports were brought in from canvassers. The candidate considered their tone a satisfactory one.

The committee rooms will be in charge of W. C. Thompson, while W. F. Oliver will act as secretary.

The second ward, which furnished the keenest of aldermanic contests last year, will, so it is said, live up to its best traditions in the coming campaign.

It is said that already meetings of the dark-lantern order are being held, and that the same band of workers which got together for the support of Dr. Noble last year are gathering in secret caucuses and are endeavoring to effect a change in the representation of the ward.

Ald. Foster, so far, is marked for defeat. It has even so far, but he managed to out Dr. Noble, and did not thereby increase his popularity.

The sixth ward doesn't look nearly as inviting to aldermanic candidates as it did a couple of weeks ago, when Ald. McGee's mortality ambitions, and Ald. J. J. Graham's dream of a controllership gave the comfortable prospect of two vacancies. But now both are back in the fold, and there has been a sharp drop in the stock of some of the aspirants.

## Comfort in Driving.

The finest little comfort-giving device that has been invented in years is the carriage heater sold by C. Klopfer, 44 to 50 East Wellington-st. Occupying scarcely any room so simple that a child can operate it, this miniature heater radiates heat and comfort whether in use in carriage, automobile, sleigh or cutter. There are already about 300 of them in use in Toronto, but if their good qualities were better known, there would be at least ten times that number. In the country, where long cold drives are the order of the day, they should sell like the proverbial hot cakes. If you are interested you can get a descriptive booklet by writing to C. Klopfer, 44 to 50 East Wellington-st., Toronto.

## THE WHITTIER CENTENARY.

The program of the Whittier centennial celebration, to be held at 2.30 p.m. on Sunday in Forum Hall, has been issued. It includes several brief addresses on the poet's life, his works and the evidences of his religious faith. Some of his hymns will be sung, and those attending are requested to be prepared to contribute short quotations, as gems from his writings. The meeting is under the direction of Friends Association.

## Suffered From Heart and Nerve Troubles FOR THE Last Ten Years.

The heart has supplied to it two sets of nerves, one set which quickens, the other which slows its action. The proper action of these nerves, so important to the well-being of the heart, depends upon the general condition of the nervous system. If there be nerve derangement of any kind it is bound to produce all the various phenomena of heart derangement.

Knowing the intricate structure of the heart, and being aware how diseases of the nerves affect the heart, we have combined in Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills a treatment that will cure all forms of nervous disorders as well as act on the heart itself, and in this is the secret of their success in curing so many cases of heart trouble which have defied all other treatment.

Mrs. John Riley, Douro, Ont., writes: "I have been a great sufferer from heart and nerve troubles for the last ten years. After trying many remedies and doctoring for two years, without the least benefit, I decided to give Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills a trial. I am thankful to say that, after using nine boxes, I am entirely cured, and would recommend them to all sufferers."

Price 50c. per box or three for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

## NEXT YEAR'S COMMITTEE TO DEAL WITH PROPOSAL

Park Commission Idea Shelved—Engineer's Report on a Subway System.

It will be for the civic parks and exhibition committee of 1908 to appoint a division on the question of appointing a special body of three members of council, one board of trade and one Guild of Civic Art representative to enquire into the advisability of establishing a parks commission. Aid. Geary appeared before the committee yesterday in support of his motion. The idea was not to go into the administration of the city's park property, but to prepare a general plan in view of the extension of the city's limits. Home Smith, speaking for the Guild of Civic Art, said that a permanent commission was not being asked for at present, but just an intelligent enquiry.

Secretary Somers will obtain information as to the mode of managing parks in the larger European and United States cities.

It will be for the 1908 committee, also, to deal with the proposed purchase of the Kennedy estate, west of Dufferin-street, in connection with the westward expansion of Exhibition Park. The city solicitor opined that Dufferin-street could not be closed without the consent of property owners on the west side.

A recommendation was sent on to the board of control, on motion of Aid. Adams, that \$1000 be provided for the removal of dead and rotting trees, so as to give more work to the unemployed.

Underground Trolleys. The city engineer reports to the works committee that the time is not ripe for the installation of underground street railway systems in Toronto. He estimates that it would cost \$3,650,000 for such a system on Yonge-street from Front-street to the C.P.R. tracks, 15,000 feet; \$7,500,000 on King-street, from Boscawen-avenue to the Don, 26,000 feet, and \$12,150,000 on Queen-street from Boscawen-avenue to the city limit, 42,500 feet. Owing to the narrowness of main thoroughfares, subway construction would seriously interfere with retail business by involving the closing of the streets for many months.

There was a large deputation before the board to protest against the establishing of a celluloid factory on the south side of Queen-street, near Jameson-avenue. The city solicitor will report.

Dr. Sheard will report to the board of control against allowing the British Canadian Smelting Co. to locate a smelter in the Ashbridge's Bay district. Gold and silver smelters in Newark, he says, are objectionable. The city treasurer has received a cheque from the street railway for \$22,558.63, being the city's percentage on receipts for the month of November. The city treasurer also received an increase of \$2500 over the same month of last year.

AN INTERESTING CONTEST. Voting for Popular Stenographers Going With Swing at Karn Drug Store.

The contest for twenty prizes for the twenty most popular stenographers in Toronto, originated by the Karn Drug Company, is now going on with a merry swing, and is arousing a great deal of intense interest all over the city. In the company's advertisement in to-day's Star appears the names of the thirty leading favorites to date, and the friends of these young ladies are urged to help to secure the final choice of the favorites to the list of twenty. As the contest lasts only until the 21st of December it will not keep the contestants long in suspense, and also gives an opportunity for those who wish to do so to enter the names of their own choice, should they not appear in the list, and work for their interests. Whatever Mr. Karn undertakes he invariably carries to a happy conclusion, and the outcome of the present contest will be awaited with pleasant anticipation.

CORPORATIONS ACCUSED. NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Attorney-General Jackson to-day called the attention of District Attorney Jerome to the affairs of the Hamilton Bank, International Trust Co. and Excelsior Fire Insurance Co., and declared that acts of a criminal nature appeared to have been committed therein.

Three Wild Dogs Shot. WOODSTOCK, Dec. 12.—(Special)—Three dogs, which have been killing sheep in the vicinity of Gosport, about four miles from here, for the past week, were shot and killed yesterday by a local hunter, who has been trailing them for days. The animals' lair was in a hollow log in a bush. They fought like wolves.

Excelsior Roller Rink. Among those who occupy an honorable and respected position among the many sporting clubs of the City of Toronto is Charles Ruff. He is president of the Excelsior Athletic Club, an association devoted to the pastime of roller skating, being one of the premier organizations of this sport in the city. Mr. Ruff has for years taken a very prominent and active part in the pursuit of this form of recreation, having been one of Toronto's best known judges in fancy roller skating, acting in the largest contest of this kind in New York City. Being nominated by the rink kind, but deprecates the honor in his candidature next week in the Excelsior Roller Rink Popularity Contest.

Will Return to Texas. DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 12.—An Austin despatch says it is reported there is good authority that the big life insurance company, which was organized from Texas on July 1 because of the enactment of the law requiring them to invest 75 per cent. of their Texas reserve in certain Texas securities, are to return to Texas on Jan. 1.

Promoted. Brigadier Howell of the Salvation Army has been promoted in recognition of his services to the cause of the tenant-colonel. He will continue as head of the immigration department at Toronto.

Through Ottawa Sleeper. The Grand Trunk Pullman System now have through Pullman sleeper leaving Toronto daily for Ottawa on their 10.15 p.m. train. Secure tickets and make reservations at city office northwest corner King and Yonge-street.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is rich in the lung-healing virtues of the Norway Pine Tree, skillfully combined with Cherry Bark and the soothing and expectorant properties of other pectoral herbs and barks. It is a pleasant, safe and effective medicine for Coughs and Colds, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Pain in the Chest, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, Whooping Cough, Quinsy and all troubles of the Throat and Lungs.

A single dose will convince you that it will stop the cough, soothe the throat, and start you on the road to recovery.

Be sure and do not accept a substitute for Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. The genuine is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark, and the price 25 cents.

Mrs. C. M. Woodcock, Kinnoult, Ont., writes: "For some time I suffered from a lingering cough. I was afraid it would turn to consumption, and as I had tried many remedies and found no cure I asked my father to get me a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. When I had taken that bottle I was so much better I got three more, and I am now completely cured."

More Bakers Fined. In the afternoon police court yesterday E. C. Echler, 127 Agnes-st., was fined \$10 and costs for selling light-weight bread, and W. H. Snell, East Toronto, was fined \$15 for the same offence.

## Friday and Saturday LAST TWO DAYS

## THE READY-TO-WEAR CO.'S

191 Yonge Street, Opposite Eaton's

stupendous money-raising sale wherein they are forced and compelled to realize \$15,000 in ten days' time. This great clothing sacrifice sale is certainly a premium effort in value-giving without a counterpart, and is proving beyond question a bargain feast of Men's Clothing that is surpassing any clothing sale ever heretofore attempted in the Province of Ontario. The Ready-to-wear Company's sale of good quality clothing is characterized by thousands of surprises daily. It is a supreme master movement in order to raise \$15,000 quickly by a forced sale at unheard of low prices, dwarfing all similar events—eclipse all other sales, and is an original direct appeal to the economical instincts of thinking people—to whom the saving of a dollar is equivalent to a dollar earned. This magnificent \$25,000 stock of The Ready-to-wear Company's finest clothing will all be sold in just 3 more days of this sale. The only question is—can you?—dare you?—in justice to yourself, your family, and your pocket-book, overlook this the greatest money-saving opportunity of your lives? Read these prices. It will prove the most profitable reading you have done for years.

CLOTHING PRICES SMASHED TO SMITHEREENS! AT THESE PRICES ONLY A FEW DAYS MORE. COME QUICKLY BEFORE TOO LATE

## Men's Suits and Overcoats

A fine Suit of Clothes. This garment is positively worth \$7.50, or money refunded, during this sale

\$15 and \$18 Overcoats 65.98

Men's Extra fine Dress Suits and Overcoats in all the latest styles and shades, some heavy silk and satin lined, all go at 7.98

Our finest Suits and Overcoats, equal to the best hand-tailored \$12.50. Suit or Overcoat in this sacrifice at 13.98

## Men's Pants and Shoes

Men's fine Pants, worth \$2.00, or money refunded, at .98

Men's fine Dress Trousers, in worsteds and stripes, worth 2.98

Men's fine Shoes, viol kid, regular price \$2.50, at this sale 1.69

Men's Solid Leather Box Calf, Viol, or Velours, in congress or lace, worth \$4.50, at this sale 2.48

Men's \$4.50 and \$5.00 Shoes, at this sale 3.48

## Almost Given Away

Men's finest Winter Underwear, at less than cost of production. Men's best quality heavy Working Shirts, for .39

Fine Dress Shirts, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25, at .69

Men's Hats, latest Dunlop and Knox shapes. Worth \$2.00 .98

Men's Fine Suspenders, worth 50c, for .19

Men's Handkerchiefs, at .3

Men's Wool 25c Socks, at .11

Don't fail and secure your share of these bargains. There never was and never will be such a Sacrifice Clothing Sale as this. Make no mistake. Look for the Big Red Sign, reading

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## TOO READY TO CALL FIREMEN

When a Trolley Takes Fire, There's Always Somebody to Get Excited.

A fire's a fire and not to be treated too lightly, but neither should it be regarded too seriously and it doesn't take all the chief's horses and all the chief's men to put out a blaze in a trolley car, although some people think so.

Last evening at 5.30, opposite Grace Hospital, the flooring of a College car ignited and somebody ran a very long block to Spadina-avenue and pulled box 142. In a little more than five minutes the car was extinguished.

Hose 8 (College-street). Hose 6 (Queen-street). Hose 3 (Yonge-street). Chemical 2 (Yonge-street). Truck 2 (Portland-street). Truck 3 (Yorkville-avenue). Engine 2 (Portland-street). Deputy Chief Noble and his men arrived in full fighting uniform. They really weren't needed at all, and a telephone call to hose 8 would have been sufficient at the worst. Tuesday midnight half a dozen sections were called as severely as the two it is—and it is, practically—a false alarm.

Attractions of the Player Piano. Surely it is a great attraction in a piano to say that anyone without a knowledge of music can sit down at such an instrument and play the choicest selections of music. This is as a matter of fact what can be done with the player pianos offering to-day as special Christmas features at the warehouses of Heintzman & Co., Ltd., 115-117 West King-street, Toronto.

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## STRUCK BY TRAIN, UNHURT.

But There Was Almost a Tragedy on the Don Flats.

A man who gave his name as Purchase was struck by a C.N.R. passenger train on the Don flats last evening. He had heard the train, but thought it was on another track. The fender gave him a glancing blow and rolled him in the ditch. The train was stopped, and a doctor looked the man over, who declared he wasn't hurt, and in proof thereof continued his way on foot.

Edward Crawford, 113 Niagara-street, a G.T.R. car repairer, was crushed by a shunting car at the foot of Spadina-avenue yesterday morning. He was removed to Grace Hospital. He is hurt about the hips.

G. P. Ross, 55 Wyatt-avenue, driver for J. B. Moore, dairyman, 199 Wilton-avenue, was hurt by being thrown from his wagon, which was struck by a southbound Yonge-street car at Belmont-street yesterday morning. He was able to go home.

Musketry School at Goderich. OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—Militia orders to-day state that the establishment of a provisional school of instruction for infantry officers at Goderich, Ont., is authorized to commence Jan. 7.

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## BLACK PERIL, TOO.

Governor of Gold Coast Colony Says England Faces It.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12.—"The gravity of the negro problem is not confined to the United States; England faces it in her colonies. The whole world faces it. The problem of the future of that race is one of the greatest and gravest confronting civilization."

Sir John Roger, governor of the English Gold Coast Colony, Southwestern Africa, expressed these views in an address at the Berean Presbyterian Church.

"In Africa," he said, "negroes outnumber the whites in the proportion of 5,000,000 to 1000. How to educate them is as grave a question there as in America. Our greatest trouble is to induce them to work with their hands in the trades. The hope of the negro race lies in manual labor."

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Write to the Circulation Department of The Toronto World for particulars.

Trade With West Indies. OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—A conference of representatives of the British West Indian Islands is to be held at Barbados next month, at which the discussion of common trade interests will take place, and it is said that at this meeting proposals may also be made for improved tariff relations with Canada.

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# FARM AND LIVE STOCK

## Farm Power Must Come

Hon. Adam Beck Talks at Fat Stock Show of the Possibilities for Cheap Heat, Power and Lower Freight Rates.

"I take my belief from France and Germany, that electrical power will prove a benefit to the farmers of Ontario," said Hon. Adam Beck, Ontario's "minister of power," before the farmers at the Quebec Winter Fair yesterday. The horse industry was under discussion, and after dwelling upon the need of governmental regulation and encouragement of the horse breeding business in Ontario, he concluded his remarks with a telling pronouncement in favor of cheap electrical power from Niagara for our Ontario farms.

The member for London took advantage of his trip to London, where Ontario horses were shown on their merits, to run thru France and Germany, to see how the farmers there were utilizing the electrical motor on the farm.

"I saw farmers in these places making big savings in liquid fertilizers by running all the farm into one central tank, from which the liquid was pumped and sprayed over the land by means of an electrical motor operating a rotary pump. They also can move the motor to any part of the farm to do the operations."

"I saw one farm with an electric tramway on the farm and over this much labor was saved to the farmer."

"In Illinois or Ohio, there are some farmers who receive electric power from an electric railroad, at a cost of four cents per kilowatt hour."

"At a cost of \$800 a complete electrical plant was installed. That price is double what we expect from Niagara. All the power that the farmer there used cost him \$24 per year."

"With the electric power you do away with the cumbersome and expensive steam thrashers and every other dear operation that our farmers use to-day."

"I BELIEVE THIS NIAGARA"

GENERAL PURPOSE HORSES.

Some Valuable Information Gleaned at Guelph Meeting.

GUELPH, Dec. 12.—(Special).—Today was distinctly horse breeders' day at the Winter Fair.

Owing to illness, William Smith, ex-M.P. of Columbus, was unable to be present, as was C. A. Burns of Toronto.

But the board were not at a loss. John Gardhouse of Highfield, one of the best informed and most popular of the farmers' institute lecturers in Ontario, volunteered to fill the gap, and the meeting was a most enthusiastic one.

The minister of agriculture opened the debate by a reference to Ontario's big industry in horses. From statistics they had 621 horses in the province, worth \$14,000,000. This year over \$7,400,000 worth had been sold. The number of registered stallions standing for service was about 50 per cent of the whole, while 25 per cent were grades. Of these only six per cent of the registered horses were unsound.

John Gardhouse put his remarks very much to the point. Here are some of his requirements for a good horse, with especial reference to the sire:

"In a horse look for good wide forehead, bright eyes, well-set ears, and wide, open jaws and nostrils, as these last denote good breathing powers."

"I like a nicely shaped, good fleshy shoulder, well blended together. Get all the flesh on the shoulders possible. He must be deep-chested, well-set on good legs, and not a box with a leg on each corner. The legs ought to be well under the body. A broad spread between the front legs denotes generally a hollow chest with a consequent weakness of constitution."

"Do not sacrifice quality for quantity. Have lots of bone, good pasterns and not too large or too small feet, made of good flinty, hard hoofs."

"In picking out a sire get a good walker one that moves every joint and travels straight."

Question: "What is the difference, Mr. Gardhouse, between a Shire and a Clyde?"

"I have been often asked this before, and I do not know that I can tell you. Between the good Clydes and the good Shires there is not much difference. These qualities depend largely on the good old breeders in the north of England and in Scotland."

Dr. Reed of Georgetown did not believe farmers should be compelled to breed any one breed. Each man must look to his own likes for the particular breed, but it was highly important, he contended, that he be a specialist in some one breed.

"What would our horse business be," asked the veterinary surgeon, "if no man bred horses along particular lines?"

"A general purpose horse is an animal that does not conform to any of the recognized breeds. By far the largest part of our farmers are raising general purpose horses. A good special purpose horse will sell at any time. But no one wants the nondescript animal that is the result of cross breeding of any old thing."

"Any farmer can get into good animals by breeding from his common mares. The farmer must be particular about the quality of the brood mare. Too many poor mares that will do for nothing else are used for breeding."

Hereditary Sins.

"Now, there are too many blemishes like rashes, ringbones, and ophthalmia that is transmissible to the progeny. Do not breed at all if you cannot breed a good mare, as we have too many poor horses now."

Hon. Adam Beck voiced this same thing when he said: "The South African war did not do good thing, if nothing else, in that it carried off a lot of our poor horses."

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INDIAN ESCAPES GALLOWS.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 12.—(Special).—Joseph Fidler, the Indian at Norway House who was sentenced to death for the inhuman sacrificial murder of an Indian girl, has been reprieved.

Death of Mrs. T. J. Parsons.

Edna May Quinn, wife of Mr. T. J. Parsons, died at her residence on Eglington-avenue, after an illness of several months. She will be missed by her large circle of friends, with whom she was a favorite.

## DOGS SUCH A NUISANCE SHEEP BREEDERS GIVE UP

Strict System of Taxation is Wanted—Money Left in Hog Feeding.

GUELPH, Dec. 12.—(Special).—The feature of the city luncheon given today was the ovation given to James Feast of Green Bank upon his winnings at Chicago. To-morrow the fair concludes. The attendance has been the largest of any year. Expressions about accommodation being inadequate are numerous.

The last evening of the Fat Stock Show was engaged in a discussion of what many considered the most important subject of the year. To many men the question of economical feeding of live stock has become most acutely prominent this year. Preceding this discussion, Robert Miller of Stouffville introduced the old dog and sheep controversy, suggested by the amendments proposed by the sheep breeders. The former minister of agriculture had tried to remedy the evil by a very heavy tax on dogs, but the suggestion was so drastic that it failed to pass. The sheep industry seemed to thrive best in hard times, and that was the reason the speaker assigned for the present falling off in them in Ontario. Nevertheless, the dog nuisance was a real one and Mr. Miller referred to the case of Robert Davies, near Toronto, who had to quit the sheep business owing to dogs.

Hon. Nelson Monteth held that the question of taxing dogs should lay with municipal councils. R. S. Holdsworth, of Port Hope, claimed that something should be done to have the sheep situation, as the whole of his vicinity was sheepless by reason of the dogs.

Swine Feeding.

T. H. Mason, Staffordville, spoke on hog feeding. He found it hard to get up much enthusiasm on this question this year. He feared that the farmers were going out of hogs in a wholesale manner. One hog raiser had informed him that his vicinity had stamped out fully 75 per cent. He claimed that the first questions of economical feeding were the man himself, and the breed of hogs. He did not want the thick, fat, chunky hog, and favored throwing them from the market.

J. B. Brethour of Burford never had saw such a stampede among farmers to "get out" of pigs, and he believed that next July high prices will prevail.

Col. McEwen of Byron read a short paper on the economical feeding of sheep. R. W. Wade of the O. A. C. in speaking of the condition of the farmer who has not much feed this winter, counselled feeding the ewes roots, oat straw and a little grain, where nothing better can be obtained. Sheep make better gains from whole wheat than from ground wheat, or oat meal, in the fattening pens. C. W. Gurney of Paris contended that he had the best economical gains in feeding barley to sheep. The cheapest way he can get sheep thru the spring is to feed pea straw, wheat chaff, barley and a bushel of roots per day for 30 ewes.

Cattle Feeding.

John Campbell of Woodville contended that it was false economy to tend that good stock to suffer. This present feed scare would have done a good thing if it weeded out the useless animal boarders. Oil meal, he contended, was a most economical feed, selling at \$31 per ton at the factory. Prof. Grisdale of the experimental farm, Ottawa, followed with a lively address to the cattle feeders. He held that it was possible to make good gains on sheep rations.

Roosevelt as Bible Arbitrator.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—President Roosevelt today was called upon to act as mediator in another matter of international interest. The bibliophiles of the world, represented by George H. Richmond of New York, are to lay before him the discussion over the authenticity of the signature of John Milton, the poet, in a book, "The Paradise Lost," bought by Mr. Richmond for \$125 at Anderson's, in West Twenty-ninth street.

Troops Necessary.

GOLDFIELD, Nevada, Dec. 12.—Crowds gathered at the station to witness the arrival of the troops of Gen. Funston and Major Geo. Thetel and Lieut. Hensley Evans, the officers who accompanied him from San Francisco. Governor Sparks welcomed Gen. Funston in his opinion the presence of troops here had prevented serious trouble.

Elected Officers.

Sheffield L.O.L. No. 159, Tamworth, Addington County, elected the officers at their annual meeting: W.M. W. J. Paul, M.L.A.; D.M. G. A. Reid; chaplain, Rev. S. F. Dixon; recording secretary, W. E. Richardson; P. S. Fred Parks; treasurer, Alex. Haggerty; D. of C. Clark Craig; lecturer, Jas. Walters; committee, Adam Milligan, Robert Gilmour, H. Trumbo, Jas. Huffman, Thomas Milligan.

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Miller at Guelph.

GUELPH, Dec. 12.—(Special).—The Dominion Millers' Association of Canada held a district meeting here this afternoon, about 50 of them meeting in the chemical department of the Agricultural College, where Professor Harcourt of the college staff gave them a revelation in the testing of flour and wheat. The miniature mill accurate and electric proving and bake ovens recently installed at the college is the only outfit of its kind in Canada. This department of the college is doing an increasing amount of commercial work for millers all over the Dominion.

110 Shropshire Sheep

From the Famous Prize Flock of W. S. CARPENTER, SIMCOE, ONT. MODEL FARM, ON

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The famous sire, "The Dream," with 40 Ewe and Ram Lambs; also 50 Ewes, imported, and from imported stock; 20 Shearing Ewes, bred to "imp. 'Juke's Ram' and sired by "The Dream."

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GENTLEMEN: We beg to inform you that there are Two Market Days Weekly here, namely:

## Monday and Wednesday

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YOURS RESPECTFULLY,

**W. W. HODGSON - MANAGER**

Umbrella Sale.

For the next few days, umbrellas will be sold at East & Co.'s at prices that hardly cover the cost of the handles. They are ideal for Christmas presents, and in this sale prices have been reduced so exceptionally low that this is the time to buy.

Five Hundred Dead.

MONONGAH, W. Va., Dec. 12.—A number of the bodies brought out to-day did not bear the brass checks used in the company's system of records and accounts for a large number of men and boys in the mines who were not included in the checking lists upon which estimates of the dead were largely based. There is reason to believe that the number will not fall far short of 500.

## FARMS FOR SALE.

40 ACRES RICH LAND, TEN ACRES wood land, large new buildings, near town. Price \$220. Only \$60 cash, balance mortgage. Catalog free. Clark & Son, Dover, Delaware.

\$3500 — HUNDRED ACRE FARM, within one mile of splendid town, Ontario County; solid brick dwelling, cost over two thousand dollars to build; large barns, good stabling, etc.; excellent property, assessed for \$400; this is offered to you for \$700 less than assessed price for an immediate sale; terms arranged; small cash payment accepted; act at once, Canadian Business Exchange, 43 Victoria-street, Toronto.

## YORKSHIRE HOGS.

DONALDS YORKSHIRES, BOTH hoes, fine strain of hogs, thrifty and prolific; write for prices. J. S. Lowther, Donlands.

WE HAVE A STOCK OF OVER 1500 to choose from, and have a fine lot of specially selected young males and females for sale. Prices reasonable. Glenavoy Farm, Limited, Box 30 Davisville, Glenavoy Farm, Eglington-avenue East.

## PLANING MILL FOR SALE.

COMPLETE OUTFIT FOR PLANING a mill with mill and property in Pickering Village for sale right. Will sell machinery separate. In good repair, with 17 h.p. engine. Apply J. L. Somerville, Pickering, or F. M. Chapman, World Office, city.

## STOCK FOR SALE.

1 DORSEY HORN RAM, 2 YEARS, WITH pedigree registered in both Canadian and American flock books; also 2 ram lambs from same sire. For particulars address Geo. W. A. Baker, Oakville.

## HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

NOTICE TO BUTCHERS, BAKERS, grocers and private gentlemen—Owner has for private sale a whole outfit, consisting of cheese press, 143 city brook, an exceptionally good driver; also custom-tired buggy and rubber-tired harness in good condition together or separate; the whole outfit, \$125; or cob separate, \$65; for quick sale, owner is paying for feeding at board; stable; cost nearly double last spring; cause of sale, owner buying automobile. Apply 147 Beverley-street, off Queen.

SPLENDID PAIR MARES, GENERAL purpose size, jet black and dark bay, ready for any kind of work; \$90 takes the span; would sell separately; greatest bargain in Toronto. 226 Margaret-street.

TO FARMERS, MARKET GARDENERS, grocers and private gentlemen—Owner has for private sale, Dolly, a bay mare, 164 hands, eight years weight about 1300 lbs., very chunky, good straight legs, good mover, good to work all harness, not queer, warms sound and trial allowed; cost \$150 last spring; price, if taken at once, \$110; this is a genuine bargain and only once seen; cause of sale, slowness of trade. Apply 41 D'Arcy, off McCaul, M. 449.

FARM HELP WANTED.

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