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PORCUPINE GOLD FIELDS LIKELY TO BE GREATEST IN THE WORLD

Predictions Made That Coming Spring Will Witness an Unprecedented "Rush" Into the Northern Ontario El Dorado

Is this Ontario of ours to be one of the greatest mining countries in the world? Productive of silver, of gold, of copper, of nickel, of iron, of corundum, of many other metals! We believe it, and we believe that Ontario is about to uncover one of the greatest gold fields known to history, and that 1910 is to see one of the greatest gold fevers yet recorded find its centre in the Porcupine fields in New Ontario, and Toronto the metropolitan focus of the rush—a rush that threatens to surpass California or Australia in their palmyest days.

What has Ontario done so far? From one little, insignificant township, Coleman, and its still less insignificant town, Cobalt, twelve millions of silver were produced in 1909, and a great deal more will be produced this year. Cobalt is only beginning. There never was such a phenomenal silver camp!

One hundred and thirty miles, or less, southwest of Cobalt is Sudbury, the marvel of the world in nickel production. Nobody knows its real production or its real value. It is controlled out of our country, its mine is refined in the United States. But its output is said to have exceeded last year \$2,500,000, and of copper over another million of dollars. We believe this product sold for many millions more.

One hundred and fifty miles northwest of Cobalt are the new Porcupine gold fields, which, The World, after a lot of investigation, after hearing the stories of men who have been there, after a hint and more of some of the contents of some reports thereon by conservative experts—and which will in due course be available, and after it has sent three special commissioners to the district, is led to believe will be the most active and surprising gold field on the face of the globe.

Here, then, in this triangle, made up of Sudbury, Cobalt, Porcupine, 120 to 150 miles apart, are two of the marvelous metal camps of the world, silver and nickel, and more likely also of gold.

Toronto is metropolitan of the three! People wish to know of these new gold fields, and The World proposes to let them know. The first letter of our last commissioner to go up there, Mr. P. W. Ball, who spent all last winter at Elk Lake, appears in this issue. Other letters will follow, and a second commissioner is now on the way.

GOLD REEFS IN ABUNDANCE

Well, what is the substance of the news? That a great area of rock, known technically as schist, exists in the Townships of Whitney, Tisdale, Shaw and the adjoining territory, including portions of the Timagami Forest Reserve, and that reefs of quartz rock containing free milling gold abound throughout this schist, and that there are miles and miles of country of this quartz showing free gold in marvellous and widespread profusion. If it is only on the surface, it is a wonder; if it is ten feet deep, it will be the wonder of the world. Official investigation has not yet been able to reach the limits of this schist formation—other than that it extends for miles and miles and that hundreds of prospectors have already found free gold in it and staked their claims. Over a thousand men a week are going in now; hosts will be going in later; roads are being cut by private enterprise, hotels and stores, supply stations, teams and stages, banks and speculators, are all on the way to Porcupine Lake.

MINING EXPERTS ENTHUSIASTIC

"Before fall," said Charles Gifford, who is a man of experience, "there will be two towns on Porcupine Lake bigger than Cobalt and Halleybury." "I've seen all the goldfields of the Western States," said Mining Engineer Anderson, "and there is nothing there like what I saw in Tisdale in the last ten days." Both Mr. Gifford and Mr. Anderson came to Toronto yesterday after spending a fortnight at Porcupine Lake. M. J. O'Brien, of the O'Brien Silver Mine at Cobalt, paid \$300,000 for a claim at Porcupine Lake. He has already a diamond drill there. Said Mr. Gifford: "He will take enough gold out of a few yards to pay for the whole mine."

Hundreds of claims have been staked; the owners are camped on them; they hand you samples of gold-bearing quartz as freely as a farmer would hand you potatoes; the richness of the samples, the width of the area, are the marvels. Three claims alone, the Hollinger, Gillies, Wilson, would make a Cripple Creek!

"ON, ON, TO PORCUPINE" IS THE WATCHWORD NOW

Rush is Pronounced Even With Winter's Hardships—Place is Building Up Already.

MATHESON, Jan. 2.—(From The World's Special Commissioner.)—The rush into the Porcupine gold fields continues, and now that the winter roads have been opened more prospectors are going in. Stopping places have been erected along the roads, and supply houses are in course of erection at the different advantageous points. There will be lunch counters, boarding houses, hotels and supply stores all to serve all comers in every direction. The gold fever has not abated, and as the work proceeds on the various properties more valuable discoveries are being made and proof of the richness of the camp becomes more positive.

Stages are Running. Stages are running from mileage 222 and Matheston, but at present the latter place is a preferable starting point as outfits can be procured and preparations made for the trip in about 20 miles into the wilderness, and this is likely to continue because there is a good station on the T. & N. O. at Matheston and there are good facilities.

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GEORGE DRUMMOND DANISH CONSUL

MONTREAL, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—Announcement is made of the appointment of George Drummond, senior partner of Drummond, McCall & Company, and vice-president of the Canadian Iron Corporation, Limited, to the position of consul-general for Denmark in Canada.

TAPT'S MESSAGE THURSDAY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—After a conference with Senator Aldrich and Attorney General Weeks, President Taft decided to revert to his original plan of combining his views as to amendments to the interstate commerce, and anti-trust laws in one message of 800 words, which he will send to congress Thursday noon.

JUST WHERE THE CAMP IS

Where is Porcupine from the railway? If you turn up The World of a few days ago (Dec. 29) you will find a map of the Porcupine country. It is 30 miles or less west of Matheston, on the Timagami & Northern Ontario Railway. Matheston is 205 miles from North Bay, 100 miles north of Cobalt. And all the people up north are talking of nothing but Porcupine Lake. Men are now concentrating as Porcupine from every quarter of the world.

BLOODY FINGER PRINTS BETRAY TWO MURDERS

French Police Solve the Mystery of Crime in Railway Carriage—Soldiers the Criminals.

PARIS, Jan. 4.—The imprint of a bloody finger on a military ticket, taken up on the train on which Mme. Goulin, widow of Jules Edouard, a former governor of the Bank of France, was traveling December 15, has led to the solving of the mystery of her death.

Mme. Goulin's body was found under a train near Paris on that date. The door of the compartment which she had occupied as a passenger was almost torn from its hinges and there was a pool of blood on the floor. Subsequent investigation showed that she had been robbed.

Two soldiers, named Graby and Michel, to-day confessed to having murdered the woman. The police followed up the first clue of the finger mark, and they succeeded in finding a former comrade of the two soldiers, who declared that he saw them embark on his train at Matin, which is 27 miles from Paris. When confronted with this witness, the two suspects broke down and made a full confession.

They had been meditating robbing a passenger, the soldier said, and took seats in the coach next to that in which Mme. Goulin was traveling. They passed into her compartment by the corridor, and as soon as the train started sprang upon her and beat her on the head with the heel of a shoe. They then took her jewels and money, and finding no signs of life decided to throw her on the tracks.

Graby opened the door, but it closed suddenly, catching his hand. To release himself he broke down the door and went to the other side, where he found the body of the woman. He threw the body out of the compartment.

The police found the missing jewelry in the possession of the two men.

MAY NOT BE TYPHOID

Montreal's Health Board Doubt Seriousness of Epidemic.

MONTREAL, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—Mayor Payette, after consulting the board of health, declared that typhoid is not epidemic at the present time in Montreal, and that the present disease which has caused such fits of hysteria to the evening newspapers is not typhoid fever.

The city medical gentlemen state that the symptoms are much the same, but while an ordinary case of real typhoid will keep a man bed-ridden for eight or ten weeks, the present malady can be successfully treated in a fortnight, and in many cases in less time. However, his worship will see that sufficient money is voted for relief.

On the other hand, the hospital people declare that it is typhoid all right, and that the civic health committee has displayed culpable negligence.

B. C. MINERAL OUTPUT

Total of Nearly \$15,000,000 for the Past Year.

NELSON, B. C., Jan. 4.—The Daily News will tomorrow publish its "Annual Review of Mining in British Columbia," showing the products for the province for 1909: Fluor. gold, 30,000 ounces, value \$600,000; lead, 250,000 ounces, value \$1,175,000; silver, 3,000,000 ounces, value \$1,175,000; copper, 41,000,000 pounds, value \$3,280,000; zinc, 270,000 pounds, value \$500,000; total metallic value \$14,745,000. Coal, 1,940,000 tons, value \$6,790,000; coke, 277,000 tons, value \$1,662,000; building material, etc., \$1,200,000. Total value of production \$24,426,500, as against \$22,851,000 in 1908.

MAY CALL STRIKE OFF

But Nova Scotia Companies Can't Employ All Idle Miners.

MONTREAL, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—It is said here that the Nova Scotia coal strikes will be declared off by the U.M.W.A. shortly after their annual convention at Indianapolis on the 18th inst.

Springhill, where there are one thousand men out, the company will not be able to take back more than three or four hundred miners, as business has been so good as destroyed. It is stated officially that the company will be able to employ the number of men now idle around the mines.

A GROWING LIST



BAR KEEP HANNA: Sure you're not on the Indian List, are you, boss? We've got to be careful now.

NAVY'S WEAKNESS A THEME FOR BALFOUR

Situation Unparalleled Within the Memory of Living Man, He Says—Call for Tariff Reform.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.)

LONDON, Jan. 4.—Mr. Balfour, speaking at Henley to-night, said he would confine himself to the navy, socialism and tariff reform. He hoped and believed that Germany and England would not come in conflict, but said he would not share this view. He insisted that Britain was now in a position as regards the navy, which she had not been in within the near future. Continuing, he said: "I don't believe there is going to be war between this country and any great foreign power. Heaven knows I don't desire it. I don't believe it will come, but please remember that absolutely the only way in which you can secure the peace which you all desire is that you shall be sure of victory if war takes place." (Cheers.)

The empire existed only on sufferance. If the navy was not supreme, he was not content to exist on sufferance.

GERMANY AND TARIFF REFORM

Mr. Balfour, continuing, alleged that Germany unconnected with the government, but men of position and character, when they heard tariff reform mentioned, actually had the audacity to say, "Do you suppose we should ever allow Britain to adopt tariff reform?" Without wishing to press private conversations excessively, this made his blood boil. It was nearly as necessary to organize our productive capacity as to make adequate our organization of defence. Socialism, destroyed that confidence without which private enterprise was an absolute impossibility. In every country where a tariff had been applied, there had been increases both in home and import trade.

"That is why I say with such confidence that tariff reform, reasonably

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MAYOR CALLED HIM A VILLAIN

And Alderman Wanted to Fight—He Had Insinuated.

MONTREAL, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—This afternoon while the Notre Dame de Grace Council was in session, the mayor, Tom Trenholm, called Ald. Du-gal McDonald "an old villain, worse than a villain," because McDonald insinuated that his worship had appointed his own assessor. The men would have come to blows had not friends interfered.

FINANCIAL CONCERNS IN WHICH J. P. MORGAN IS NOW DOMINATING INFLUENCE.

Equitable Life Assurance Society	\$42,000,000
First National Bank Guarantee Trust Company	18,000,000
United States Steel Corporation	90,000,000
Southern Railway	140,000,000
General Electric Company	41,000,000
Bankers' Trust Company	50,000,000
Western Telephone Company	40,000,000
Morton Trust Company	25,000,000
Fifth Avenue Trust Company	30,000,000
Total	\$2,769,000,000

If to this were added the indirect control Mr. Morgan has thru his partners of other banks and financial institutions, the total of the financial resources over which Mr. Morgan has control, directly and indirectly, would exceed \$3,000,000,000, or approximately as much money as there is in circulation in the United States.

SUFFRAGETTES RIOTED

POLICEMAN IS DEAD

Leeds Officer Succumbs From Injuries Received During Assault on Sir Edward Grey.

LEEDS, England, Jan. 4.—The first fatality in England to result from a suffragette disturbance occurred to-night, when Alfred Hudson, a policeman, died from injuries received during a riot outside the Coliseum on August 16 last.

MEN FURLED COATS IN THE BIG SALE

For the man who was out in the cold yesterday, the Dineen fur sale should have some particular attraction. Ask any one who had a fur or a fur-lined one he will tell you something like this: "Well, I had this fur-lined coat for eight years now, and as you can see it is as good as the day I purchased it. I tell you it felt fine yesterday; and, do you know, it cost me only fifty cents in the season that a fur coat is strictly required, but one lasts for years, and saves you many an uncomfortable chilly minute. In the Dineen sale there are some very high class coats being sold at cost price.

NEW PRESIDENT

MONTREAL, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—C. Hartigan, formerly Montreal passenger agent of the Delaware and Hudson, was to-day elected chairman of the Eastern Passenger Association.

LOWER RATE FOR TORONTO IN SIGHT

Hydro-Electric Sub-Station at Port Credit Means Cheaper Power for Both Places.

Hon. Adam Beck, chairman of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission, had a glint of triumph in his eye yesterday over the hearty endorsement by the municipalities in Monday's election of the government power scheme, an endorsement which, in reality, represents the turning point in the history of the project.

When seen at the parliament building in the afternoon, he expressed himself as especially gratified with the victory in Port Arthur, in view of the fact that, altho the citizens were not among the offer of Mr. Conmee, presenting superficial advantages, which might easily have the advantage of the act was so framed up.

"Of course," the chairman remarked, "Mr. Conmee's offer, tho at a lower commission, was only to supply power for the use of the corporation, to run their street railway and their street lighting system. There was nothing in it for the people.

"Port Arthur," he continued, "has always been a public ownership town, and owned its own utilities. There, as I said, it is especially gratifying to me to know that they have stood firm."

It was also gratifying, he remarked, to find municipalities such as Paris, Dundas and Brantford coming in, the latter not only voting to enter into a contract with the commission, but also deciding on the spot to raise \$40,000 for a distributing plant.

NOT CITY'S ERROR

The mistake was not made by the city's legal department, as the city's bill, submitted to the legislature in March, 1908, asked that the city be empowered to make the change. The private bills committee, however, decided that there must first be a referendum, and the act was so framed up.

NEW DISTRICTS WANT IT

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SCHOOL BOARD REFERENDUM USELESS?

Statutes Call for Expression From a Majority of Those Competent to Vote, Not Merely Majority of Vote Polled.

The council of any city having a population of 200,000 or over may at any time before the first day of October in any year submit to a vote of the persons qualified to vote for public school trustees the question: "Are you in favor of electing the board of education by wards?"

In case the said question is answered in the affirmative BY A MAJORITY OF THE PERSONS QUALIFIED TO VOTE THEREON, the clerk of the city hall shall notify the secretary of the board of education in writing of the result of the vote, and the members of the board of education shall cease to hold office on the 31st day of December of the same year, and thereafter the board shall consist of two members to be elected in each ward of such city, and two members who shall be appointed by the separate school board.

The second of the foregoing subsections of the "Act respecting boards of education," as contained in the Ontario statutes for 1909, indicates that, before Toronto can return to the ward system of electing school trustees, the majority in favor of such reversion must be a majority of the persons entitled to vote on the question, not merely a majority of those who actually went to the polls.

This being the case, the vote taken on Jan. 1 is not an instruction to the city to abolish the present method of electing by the city at large. There will be no going back to the old system until the Queen's Park lawyers have either amended the statute so as to provide for a simple majority of the actual vote cast, or until an actual majority of the persons whose names appear on the voters' list—as qualified voters—have voted in the affirmative. In any case, it looks as tho there will have to be another vote on the question.

NOTE WASTED HEAVY

The official vote of the city on the total vote was 27,707, of which 14,411 voters declared in favor. Now, there are about 80,000 names on the Toronto voters' list, and about 100,000 for the separate school supporters who are not qualified, for the fact that a voter's name appears on the list for every ward in which he comes qualified, there is no doubt but that the affirmative vote fell short of being half the entire qualified vote. The total vote polled would hardly approach half the number of qualified voters.

The opinion that the term "majority of the persons qualified to vote thereon" means clearly as the entire voters' list, and that the legislature by a solicitor whose standing and particular knowledge of municipal legislation are indisputable, as Mr. C. H. Chisholm, who was city collector, when application for the change was made to the legislature last year, admitted last night that the clause was quite capable of such interpretation.

"It might be argued that way," he said, "the intention of the legislation was, however, clearly, at the time it was enacted, that a majority of the vote would be sufficient. As it reads, there might, however, be a doubt. It looks as tho the law clerk of the legislature was responsible for any loophole."

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ONE LOT OF PARISIAN NOVELTIES—In the big sale we have included one lot of very fine Parer Pattern Furs, which we are offering at exactly half-price. The lot includes Stoles, Capelines, Shawls, Victorines, etc., in all the popular foreign dress furs, such as Mole Skin, Fisher, Blended Stone Marten, Blended Squirrel, Pointed Fox. Really exclusive bargains, that will not likely ever be offered again.

NOTICE—Alaska Sable has already advanced over fifty per cent. this season, although the original prices of these goods remain marked upon them. You are really saving over one hundred per cent. in these prices.

COON SETS—A splendid line of Coon Sets, for girls, with large Empire Muffs, were \$17.00, for \$15.00.

Besides these lines there is a splendid one, composed of a collection of sets in handsome Natural Lynx, Black Fox, White Thibet, Persian Lamb, White Fox; all to be sold at greatly reduced prices and for cash.

Ladies' Persian Lamb Coats, 24 and 26 inches long, busts 34 to 40; for \$12.50; were \$145 and \$160.

Pony Coats, odd sizes, were \$60 and \$75; very choice, \$55.

Persian Lamb Coats, five only, mink trimmed, in blouse effects, 24 and 26 inches long, 34 and 36 busts, small number two curls; while they last, \$60.

Black Pony Coats, 34 inches long, in any size bust, 37 inches long, best quality brocade lined, regular \$75, for \$62.

Black Pony Coats, 30 inches long, busts up to 40, were \$55, for \$42.50.

Black Pony Coats, full length, any size bust, were \$100 and \$110, for \$65.

Othello's weakness of character were dwelt upon. He should have taken the street like any other cur when the villain showed himself. Had he truly and wholly loved Desdemona, he would have done so. A great love involves a great discovery. No external evidence could make Browning's Pompilia's lover's clear, clean mind believe she had done ill. That was what love means.

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UNPARALLELED DEVIL IS SHAKSPEARE'S IAGO

Edward Howard Griggs' Enthralling Lecture on the Tragedy of Love and Jealousy.

Edward Howard Griggs gripped his big audience in Association Hall last night with an analysis of Shakspeare's "Othello," and wrung their hearts more keenly and intensely perhaps than he has ever done in the long list of masterly critical addresses with which he has favored Toronto.

The tragedy of love and jealousy, he described as making with Lear and Macbeth one of the great tragic trilogy of the past. They illustrated Shakspeare's philosophy of objective life, as Hamilton did of introspective or subjective life. Othello was unique in presenting three Desdemona's the purest tragedy of fate or circumstance when the deed slips off and ranges itself with a wilder range of destiny. Othello cooperates in will and action with the forces that crush her; innocent Juliet lifts her hand against her own life; Iago had more than a fraction of her father's obsequy. But in Desdemona there was the most pitiful eclipse of innocence. He never began the tragedy of Othello, said Mr. Griggs, without shrinking back from the blackness of the tragedy that overcame her. And at the end he felt some savage satisfaction that the period of the play was one in which the torture-chamber was still in existence. Mere death was too good for Iago.

For pure cold malice, sinning from the love of evil and hatred for good, seeking the end of his own malice, Iago has no equal. Mephistopheles never conceived anything so vulgar and cynical as Iago's ruthless advice to Desdemona. The utter coldness of cynical malice, and the causelessness of it were unparalleled. There were but two characters in literature to compare with Iago—Mephistopheles and Guido Franceschini, in Browning's "Ring and the Book." Guido preferred to believe in "just the will of life," but Iago was more terrible. Only the Italian renaissance with its refined vices was capable of furnishing the material for such a study. Shakspeare took the tendencies of the period and carried them in Iago to a logical and grotesque extreme. Only the embodiment of cold cynical intellectuality, but he was an allegory rather than a man, a sympathy with Marquise, when he addressed her as "Thou good innocent child."

Iago was more devilish than the devil himself, always in the man in the Inferno, whose soul was replaced in his body by a devil, so that his soul even during his life should be in its own place. The wooing of Desdemona was the text for a clever dissertation by Mr. Griggs. Love, he said, is a contradictory element, and the overlapping of character that the two lovers may understand each other. Without this basis of identity, there can be no great friendships. Goethe and Schiller illustrated it, as did the Brownings. There was no necessary difference between Othello and Desdemona, but he did not reach out and take in her spirit. All deep true human love depended on such a discovery of the self.

The critics dwell upon Desdemona's gentleness, but she had the heroic quality too and reminded one of Pompilia in her ability to choose for herself, and her self-assertion. Othello's weakness of character were dwelt upon. He should have taken the street like any other cur when the villain showed himself. Had he truly and wholly loved Desdemona, he would have done so. A great love involves a great discovery. No external evidence could make Browning's Pompilia's lover's clear, clean mind believe she had done ill. That was what love means.

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S. M. THOMPSON DEAD

Duputy Grand Master of I.O.O.F. Expires Suddenly.

BRANTFORD, Jan. 4.—(Special).—S. M. Thomson, deputy grand master, I.O.O.F., and provincial visitor of the Children's Aid Society, dropped dead on Dalhousie-street to-day, on his way to the postoffice. He had been slightly affected with heart trouble and had been advised to take a rest.

He had been associated with children's aid work for fifteen years, and was latterly appointed by the government as provincial visitor. The lives of hundreds of children were upheld by him. He would soon have been grand master of the I.O.O.F.

He was born in Scotland, and was in his 65th year, having lived here since 1871. A widow and foster son survive.

Walked in Front of Car. Walking behind a car and onto the fender of another is getting to be a common trick. James McGeough, aged 57, of 176 Ontario-street, did it at the corner of Jarvis and Queen-streets at 6 o'clock to-day. He was struck over his eye, the result of the encounter. He was seen up at St. Michael's Hospital shortly after the accident. He walked behind a car and onto the fender of another car and in front of a westbound Broadview car. The Broadview car was struck and hurled onto the north side of the road. He will probably leave the hospital to-day.

Three thousand steam fitters and helpers have gone on strike in Brooklyn and Manhattan, after an increase of wages from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

HAMILTON BUSINESS DIRECTORY

HAMILTON HOTELS. HOTEL ROYAL. Every room completely renovated and newly carpeted during 1907. \$2.50 and up per day. American Plan.

MORGAN AFFILIATIONS GIVE HIM A VAST POWER

Has Now Control Over Deposits of 200 Millions—Bankers Disapprove Trust Co. Extensions.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—J. Pierpont Morgan and associates may control, thru further trust company mergers in New York, now under consideration, the enormous sum of \$210,000,000 in deposits alone. This is approximately \$25,000,000 more than the deposits of the National City Bank of this city, the largest financial institution in the United States. Reports of additional trust company consolidation are given credence in view of yesterday's announcement of the merger by J. P. Morgan & Co. of the Guaranty Trust and the Manhattan Trust Companies in the same combination. The Mercantile Trust Co. and the Equitable Trust Co. eventually will be taken into some sort of a powerful alliance.

In point of fact, the Bankers' Trust Co. is already closely affiliated with the so-called Morgan interests, in the two partners in the Morgan banking house—George W. Perkins and Henry P. Davison—sit in the directorate of the former. Other directors of the Bankers' Trust Co., including A. B. Hepburn and A. B. Wiggin, president and vice-president respectively of the Chase National Bank, and William H. Porter, president of the Chemical National Bank, are active in the affairs of the trust companies. It is expected that to be made the titular head of the Guaranty (Morton) Fifth-avenue consolidation. Relations between the Morgan interests and the Manhattan Trust Co. have always been friendly, but the latter is not regarded as a Morgan appendage. It is perhaps significant that the building now occupied by the Manhattan Trust Co. is to be razed and replaced by a 20-story building to be erected by the Bankers' Trust Co. Deposits of the Bankers' Trust Co. aggregate \$46,500,000, and those of the Manhattan Trust Co. \$18,400,000, so that the two companies, if combined with those now in process of absorption by J. P. Morgan and associates, would total in deposits more than \$200,000,000. The more prominent being the increase in trust company power. It was pointed out to-day that inasmuch as the law makes it possible for the trust companies to hold stocks and to enjoy other advantages forbidden to banks by the provisions of the National Banking Act, it would be easily possible for the larger trust companies to take up many underwriting propositions which the large banks of Wall-street, under the law, found it inexpedient to handle.

CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION

Committee So Far Chosen to Complete Arrangements.

OTTAWA, Jan. 4.—(Special).—The majority of the committee on preliminary arrangements for the Conservative national convention next September have been appointed. The committee will be convened at Ottawa on January 24, at 10 a.m. Members so far named:—

- Alberta—R. B. Bennett, J. D. Hyndman, Senator J. A. Lougheed, C. A. Magrath, M.P.
- British Columbia—R. F. Green, J. T. Robinson, Martin Burrell, M.P., J. D. Taylor, M.P.
- Manitoba—A. H. Carroll, Geo. Lawrence, M. T. Thom, Hugh Johnson, Hon. Robert Rogers, Dr. Schaffner, M.P., W. D. Staples, M.P.
- New Brunswick—G. W. Gagnon, W. E. Thorne, Senator Wood, O. S. Crockett, M.P.
- Ontario—Hon. Frank Cochrane, H. Corby, Hon. W. J. Hanna, Dr. Kelsler, A. E. Kemp, Hon. J. O. Reame, P. D. Ross, T. W. Crothers, M.P., Col. Hughes, M.P., A. C. Macdonell, M.P., Dr. J. D. Reid, M.P.
- Nova Scotia—J. S. McLennan, W. B. Aitken, C. W. Palmer, C. Jameson, M.P., John Stanfield, M.P.
- Prince Edward Island—J. A. Matheson, A. D. Fraser, M.P.
- Quebec—Chas. Beaulieu, J. U. Emard, Marquis Robinson, P. E. Blondin, M.P., F. D. Monk, M.P., W. B. Nantel, M.P., George H. Parley, M.P., and three more from the province.
- Saskatchewan—R. S. Lake, M.P., and three others from the province.

FILIBUSTERS CAPTURED

Spent Three Long Years in Brazilian Prison—One a Canadian.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Samuel R. Parker, of this city and Hubert G. Kincaid of Moose Jaw, Northwest Canada, two of the nine young men who set out from this port three years ago to overthrow the government of Brazil, returned to-day on the steamship Verdi. Kincaid is a Boer war veteran. On reaching Bahia, they proceeded to Alagoas, where the nine Americans attacked the state police station. The police were expecting the attack, and Major Davies of the expedition was killed and George Gordon, a soldier of fortune who had fought in the Boer war, was captured. Gordon died later. The remaining seven filibusters retraced along a railroad track and cut the telegraph wires. They were run down two days later and in the fighting before their capture Magali, George Vice of Hackensack, N.J., and Everett Wilson were wounded and the others disarmed. They had been in prison ever since and after two trials their release was effected largely thru the intercession of the state department at Washington.

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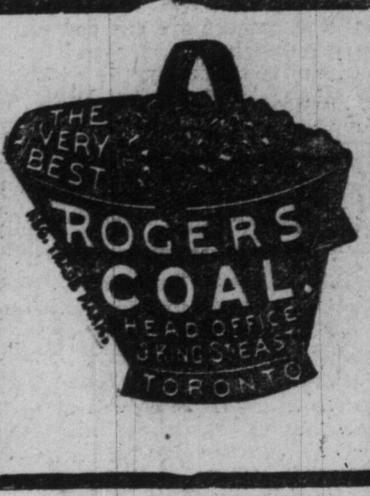
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MARRIAGE NOT SANCTIONED

Belgium's New Monarchs Are Threatened by Catholic Influences. BRUSSELS, Jan. 4.—Le Soif asserts to-day that the marriage of King Albert and Queen Elizabeth, who was the Princess of Bavaria, was sanctioned neither by the late King Leopold nor parliament, as is required by the constitution. The paper insists that sanction of the marriage by parliament is imperative. Since the confirmation of Leopold's religious marriage, the Catholic papers

AMUSEMENTS.

ROYAL ALEXANDRA THEATRE. GUNNING MARCELLE. With JESS DANDY. THE MUSICAL HIT OF THE SEASON. Week starting Monday—Sends To-morrow. Returns after a two year absence.

Maxine Elliott. IN TWO NEW PLAYS. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, De Borah of Tod's Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. First production on any stage of the three-act comedy.

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WEEK OF JANUARY 10th. GEORGE LASHWAY. Seats now on sale. No increase in price. Free list suspended entirely.

PRINCESS HATTIE. CHARLES FROHMAN. PRESENTS WILLIAMS. In Michael Morton's Dramatic Comedy 'DETECTIVE SPARKES' NEXT WEEK To-Morrow SEATS POLLY OF THE CIRCUS. FREDERIC THOMPSON PRESENTS GAYETY DAILY MATINEE 10c. BURLESQUE & VAUDEVILLE. DAINY DUCH-ESS. THAT REFRESHING GLEE REVIEW 'ROGUE-DE-LA-MODE' Next Week—Columbia Burlesques.

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BROADVIEW LODGE, No. 24, I.O.O.F. view-avenue, Dr. G. S. Cleland, on Monday, Jan. 24, inst. Funeral to Mount Pleasant Cemetery on Thursday, Jan. 27, from above address, at 2:30 p.m. Funeral private. B. S. GANDY, P.G. Sec. Secretary. C. E. PATTERSON, N.G.

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Inquest Adjourned. Coroner W. A. Young adjourned the inquest on W. Hamilton until to-night enquiring last night. More witnesses were resound on Hamilton died in the General Hospital after being injured in a row in an hotel.

Struck by a Train. BEAUVILLE, Jan. 4.—Ernest Seufled, a farmer residing in West Oxford, and his sister, were struck by a snowplow on the level crossing at the C.P.R. crossing, Beauville, this evening. Miss Seufled is injured internally. The cutter was badly smashed.

The Winnipeg Ministerial Association at its annual meeting held yesterday decided to start an agitation for Sunday rights for freemen.

Maxine Elliott

In Two Pastures, w. Another, which at the Garrick story of "Deborah" a beautiful farm her own contentment. London rose a of into specter the antics of the astonish her country girl D said by the name of "Deborah" have struck a sonation than e She has surr credited in Lon play a product nothing less th on Thursday. Miss Elliott's mter production comedy entitled "Deborah" last half of her "Deborah" is stayton, who London, being of into specter of which boy on this side of the action of of the deckle an appointed yacht. The play is ex hiot the comed leading marks will be Arthur everyone who Miss Elliott's on Saturday. row.

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HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

NOTICE TO HAMILTON SUBSCRIBERS. Subscribers are requested to report any irregularity or delay in the delivery of their copy to Mr. J. S. Scott, agent, at this office, rooms 17 and 19, Arcade Building, Phone 1946.

Will canvass the city for Knox College fund. Presbyterian appoint special committee—Verdict in Lehman inquest.

HAMILTON, Jan. 4.—(Special).—The Hamilton presbytery, which has been holding its meetings in Knox Church, will in the future meet in the Chapel of St. Paul's Church. A special meeting will be held on Jan. 25, to consider the call Rev. Roy J. Van Wyck, pastor of the Westminster Church has received from Chatham. Rev. Dr. Radcliffe was appointed convener of a committee to collect funds for a new building for Knox College. A general canvass will be made, and the presbytery divided into districts. Rev. Dr. Gander brought the subject before the meeting in an earnest address. A call to Rev. Dr. Redmond, Meitland, from Chippewa, was sustained.

The coroner's jury that investigated the circumstances surrounding the death of Mrs. Lehman, found dead in her room at 138 Mary-street last Wednesday morning, brought in a verdict this evening to the effect that she died from natural causes. The medical testimony was that she suffered from softening of the brain, which caused a hemorrhage. Jno. Alger, 420 East Cannon-street, a painter, was seriously injured this afternoon at the Ontario Lantern Company's factory. The sleeve of his coat was caught in a belt, and his arm was jerked backwards, dislocating the shoulder. He was taken to the city hospital.

Sued for Alimony. Mrs. Peter Ballantyne issued a writ against her husband for alimony. After the service of the writ, Ballantyne went to Detroit, and it is said that a widow and three children soon left to join him there. His wife followed, and succeeded in effecting a settlement of her case for \$462, which Ballantyne said was all the money he had. Sir John French will inspect the local garrison on June 29 and 30, and a verdict will be made to have the 19th Regiment, St. Catharines, and 28th Regiment, Brantford, inspected here at the same time. William Dagleish was sent down for four months this morning for non-support, the magistrate cutting the case short after a witness had been called in an attempt to show that the wife had been guilty of improper conduct. Aldermen Will Fight It. J. H. Plunkett, whose right to take the seat in the council to which he

was elected, has been contested, says he will take his seat and the oath of qualification, and those who want to disqualify him will have to go to the courts. He says he has over \$1000 clear in a property assessed at \$2200. He figures on the new annex assessment roll, and the point has been raised whether his resignation to the Hamilton City Council should be considered in city roll, altho the annex was taken into the city in September. Robert Guy, 13 Huron-street, fell down a shaft at the factory of the Alexander Carpet Co. this morning, breaking an arm. Reports have been made to the city clerk that some ballot papers used for the board of control election were in improper hands, and a recount may be applied for on behalf of Ald. Lees, who was only a few votes behind the fourth man, Ald. Allan.

Pastor Resigns. Rev. J. L. Campbell, St. David's, sent in his resignation to the Hamilton presbytery to-day. He gets \$500 a year, but says that he is \$700 poorer than he was when he accepted the pastorate eight years ago. Coroner Rennie has remitted the fine of \$40 inflicted upon J. W. Ripley, former man of the coroner's jury, who failed to put in an appearance at an inquest. Ripley produced a doctor's certificate that he was unable to attend.

A Bargain Sale in Organs. One can secure the choice of organs made by some of the best known manufacturers on payment of fifty cents per week. Heintzman & Co., 115-117 West-King-street, take these organs in exchange when selling their new pianos and now have a large assortment on hand to choose from. They are slightly used but have been placed in first-class condition before being offered for sale. This is the chance to get a good organ for very little and by small payments.

Walking behind a car and onto the fender of another is getting to be a common trick. James McGeough, aged 57, of 176 Ontario-street, did it at the corner of Jarvis and Queen-streets at 6 o'clock to-day. He was struck over his eye, the result of the encounter. He was seen up at St. Michael's Hospital shortly after the accident. He walked behind a car and onto the fender of another car and in front of a westbound Broadview car. The Broadview car was struck and hurled onto the north side of the road. He will probably leave the hospital to-day.

Three thousand steam fitters and helpers have gone on strike in Brooklyn and Manhattan, after an increase of wages from \$5 to \$5.50 a day.

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Maxine Elliott In Two New Plays

Miss Maxine Elliott, America's only actress-manager, comes to Toronto at the Royal Alexandra Theatre on Monday, Jan. 10, for an engagement of one week.



Who will present two new plays, "Deborah of Tod's" and "The Inferior Sex," at the Royal Alexandra next week.

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In a Bad Fix. KINGSTON, Jan. 4.—(Special)—It was scarcely a pleasure drive that Alex Ayres took Pearl Leplant Saturday afternoon, according to the story which the girl told in police court.

Funeral of Hon. Archd. Gordon. The London (Eng.) News: The funeral of the Hon. Archd. Gordon was attended by a very large company of mourners.

Fire at Belleville. BELLEVILLE, Jan. 4.—Fire to-day did \$500 damage at Lot's Woolen mills and destroyed the house of Wm. Mills, a G.T.R. engineer, with loss of \$1000.

Winnipeg Tribune Scorching. WINNIPEG, Jan. 4.—A fire which broke out at 7:30 this morning in the Tribune building caused a total damage of \$100,000.

A Murderer's Suicide. AKRON, Ohio, Jan. 4.—Charles Schmidt, who last night murdered Mrs. Teresa Barnhart, with whom he boarded, to-day returned to Akron and killed himself in front of the Barnhart home.

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Key First Cup Game To-night

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From far across the ocean you receive the accounts of Rugby games, just like the Vancouver stories of the match that decided the championship of the Pacific Coast...

Someone has proposed an amendment to the constitution of the Canadian Hockey Association...

Before Combesky made playing first base a fine art that corner was considered the ball players' retirement gate...

It was noisy thru the great work of Edith Van Vleck that Yale won the intercollegiate baseball championship last year...

You've got to credit Jack Johnson for one thing at least, he brought home the coin in proper style...

The Johnsons are in Chicago, and it was in the home that the heavyweight champion for the first time in seven years...

Junior O.H.A. Doubleheader To-night The Junior O.H.A. series, which has been going on since the beginning of the season...

Miller in Court. PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Jan. 4.—(Special.)—Walter Miller, who was engaged here by the local hockey club to play this season...

Sidelines. Frank Johnston yesterday received a letter from the M.A.A. of Montreal, stating that their team will come to Toronto to play on Saturday...

The game between Norway and Pap's was the heaviest game to-night has been played.

The turkeys which were put up New Year's week on the Brunswick boys for high three games for the Central League...

Starting last Saturday, the Universal Club and in turn today, the price of bowling has been reduced from 25 cents to 10 cents per game...

Dufferin Driving Club 3 RACES-3 To-day at Dufferin Park Track in perfect shape.

Argos Trim Toronto Canoe Club London Win at Simcoe, 12-8

Ingersoll Wins at Tilsonburg Galt Plays Ottawa To-night Junior O. H. A. Double-Header Here.

Argonauts defeated Toronto Canoe Club at Mutual-street rink last night in the Senior O.H.A. series by the score of 9 to 7, the Argonauts proving stronger finishers...

Not more than four or five hundred braved the chilly breezes to see the two teams play, but those that were on hand witnessed a good, close game...

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Hyland, for Canoe Club, put up the best game on the ice, his stick-handling and shooting being the feature...

Argos (9)—Goal, King; point, Patterson; center, Murphy; rover, Cosgrave; center, Fleming; right wing, Blakey; left wing, Slegger.

Canoe Club (10)—Goal, Holmes; point, Moore; rover, Murphy; center, Crocker; right wing, Edwards; left wing, Crocker.

Huntsville scored again and Bracebridge followed with two more, and half time ended 4 to 3 in favor of the home team.

Bracebridge, Jan. 4.—Bracebridge and Huntsville met here in the first Junior O.H.A. of the season. The game was fast, but anything but good hockey.

Chesley 3, Walkerton 3. CHESLEY, Jan. 4.—Chesley defeated Walkerton in a Northern League game here to-night by the score of 3 to 3, the half-time score being 4 to 3 in favor of Chesley.

Krausman's Imported German Beer on draught at corner Church and King

Be a Wise Man One of the lessons we may learn from history is that prejudice has always been the enemy of progress.

WHY, THEN, IS "NOBLEMAN" SOLD AT HALF THE PRICE OF THE IMPORTED BRAND? Because "imported" Cigars pay heavy duty. When you buy "NOBLEMAN" you escape these heavy duties and get double value for your money.

HOCKEY RESULTS. The following are the hockey results last night:

Argos—Toronto C.C. 7-5; Argos—Intermediate O.H.A. 7-5; Warton—Owen Sound 7-5; Ingersoll—Tilsonburg 5-2; Welland—Port Dalhousie 5-2; Bracebridge—Huntsville 5-2; St. Marks—Presbyterian 5-2; Knox—Dovercourt 5-2; Chesley—Listowel 5-2; Welland—Exhibition 5-2; Cornell—Tale 5-2; St. Nicholas—New York 5-2; Shamrocks—All-Montreal 5-2.

Welland 4, Port Dalhousie 2. ST. CATHARINES, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—In the first game played in this city since the season, Welland Hockey Club defeated Port Dalhousie in an intermediate O.H.A. game...

Twenty minutes after play started German scored the first for the Welland club, and the rest of the game was a regular on the team, he filled in at quarterback when his school played the heavier team of the Nutley High School last October.

Rogon shouldn't have an error. Rochester papers claim that Pitcher Rogon, who is credited with one error in the averages, should have a clean sheet...

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The Broadview Club Have Speed Skaters Officers Elected

At the annual meeting of the Broadview Skating Club last night the following officers were elected: President—J. Ferguson; Vice-president—F. Tait; Secretary—O. Matthews; Treasurer—C. Towley; Manager—O. Stevenson, O. B. Brooks, H. Coady.

Another Rugby Death. NEWARK, N.J., Jan. 4.—The name of a 15-year-old school boy, Floyd E. Huff, was added to-day to the long list of players who sacrificed their lives in football during the past season.

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OFFICIAL BASEBALL RESULTS Joseph Delahanty Release From St. Louis to Toronto is Approved.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—In his first official bulletin to the president of the National League of Professional Baseball Clubs announced that the following releases have been approved: By Boston to Indianapolis (A.A.), John F. Coffey.

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South Africa Score Second Innings 345

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Merchandise

The Merchants in the Toronto night, with their feature of winter sport, merchandise, and the count of 25th...

MANES, THE TAILOR Greatest Offer Ever Look Here! I have reduced all my choice Suits and Overcoats just now to the straight price of \$18.00

Merchants Win Two Class A Leaders Clean Sheet

The Merchants and Mineralites clashed in the Toronto Bowling Club League last night with the former getting the decision by winning the last two games.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Lists results for Merchants and Mineralites.

Printers' League. Toronto Type won two from Stars in the Printers' League last night.

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Class B Oddfellows. In the Class B Oddfellows League last night Brunswick won the series from Floral and Central took three from Social.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Lists results for Class B Oddfellows.

Central League. In the Central Bowling League G. Co. Grenadiers took three games from the Crown bowlers.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Lists results for Central League.

Scherer's Lunch serves a business man's dinner every day, 11.30 to 2.30.

BOWLING GAMES TONIGHT.

The following are the bowling games scheduled in various leagues to-night:

Class A Scores. In the Class A League last night, Royals won three from Beaches, Brunewicks from three from Dominions and Gladstone two from Parkdale.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Lists Class A scores.

On Dominion Alleys. In the Dominion Alleys League last night, Woodies won two from Parkdale.

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On Atheneum Alleys. In the Atheneum Alleys League last night, Woodies won two from Parkdale.

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City Hall League. In the City Hall League yesterday afternoon, the following are the scores:

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ALL THE RACING CRACKS ENTER EASTERN STAKES

Fitzhertbert, King James, Helmet Sweep, in Brighton, Brooklyn or Suburban.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Secretary Jackson of the Brighton Beach Racing Association announced that more than 300 entries had been received for the various stakes of the Brighton Beach Racing Association.

Beaches. In the Beaches League last night, Woodies won two from Parkdale.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Lists Beaches scores.

Woodies A. In the Woodies A League last night, Woodies won two from Parkdale.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Lists Woodies A scores.

Wanted by Default. John Macdonalds won three by default from White & Co. in the Business Men's League last night.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Lists Wanted by Default scores.

JACK PARKER IS WINNER JACKSONVILLE HANDICAP

Three Favorites in Front at Moncrief Park—All the Results.

JACKSONVILLE, Jan. 4.—Three favorites took day's first money at Moncrief Park to-day. Summary:

First Race, 5 furlongs. 1. Bandage, 166 (Obert), 16 to 5.

Second Race, 5 furlongs. 1. Pearl Point, 106 (Obert), 12 to 1.

Third Race, 5 furlongs. 1. Bandage, 166 (Obert), 16 to 5.

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Eighth Race, 5 furlongs. 1. Bandage, 166 (Obert), 16 to 5.

Ninth Race, 5 furlongs. 1. Bandage, 166 (Obert), 16 to 5.

Tenth Race, 5 furlongs. 1. Bandage, 166 (Obert), 16 to 5.

Eleventh Race, 5 furlongs. 1. Bandage, 166 (Obert), 16 to 5.

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The World's Selections BY CENTAUR

JACKSONVILLE. FIRST RACE—Phonics, Scruples, Whim.

SECOND RACE—C. W. Burt, Youthful, H. J. Hines, Edna Collins.

THIRD RACE—La Gloria, George W. Lebolt, Grande Dame.

FOURTH RACE—Sally Preston, La Reine Hindoo, Hoop.

FIFTH RACE—Agreement, John McBride, Bellevue.

SIXTH RACE—Milton B. Necklet, Dan Hamilton, Vanadium.

SEVENTH RACE—Surrey Top, The Ram, Halifax.

EIGHTH RACE—Col. Ashmeade, Eschbacher, Lou Lauer.

NINTH RACE—Spanish Prince, Edwin L. Flora Riley.

TENTH RACE—W. J. Hines, Box, True Boy.

Juarez Results. JUAREZ, Mexico, Jan. 4.—(Special.)

FIRST RACE—Selling, 4 furlongs. 1. Klamesha II, 117 (Warren), 5 to 1.

SECOND RACE—Selling, 4 furlongs. 1. Dohson, 114 (Beneceton), 5 to 1.

THIRD RACE—Selling, 4 furlongs. 1. Beaulieu, 115 (Hollister), 5 to 1.

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Good Going Jan. 18th and 19th. Good for Return until Jan. 22nd, 1910.

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Our One Best Bet Yesterday FREE! FREE!

The Turf Reporter. Special—Green, Friday, 90, 54, 51, 58, 54, 18.

Standard Turf Guide. Occasional—Oakland, Kansas, Gers, Feb. 1—4, 47, 46, 19, 17, 58, 55, 47.

Notice to Horsemen. Owing to the fact that horses well-known in these parts are running at the winter tracks.

Grenadiers' Indoor Baseball. The following is the schedule of the Royal Grenadiers' Indoor Baseball League:

Tampa Entries. TAMPA, Jan. 4.—The following are the entries for to-morrow:

First Race—Selling, 4 furlongs. 1. Necklet, 109 (Hart), 10 to 1.

Second Race—Selling, 4 furlongs. 1. Dohson, 114 (Beneceton), 5 to 1.

Third Race—Selling, 4 furlongs. 1. Beaulieu, 115 (Hollister), 5 to 1.

Fourth Race—Selling, 4 furlongs. 1. Dohson, 114 (Beneceton), 5 to 1.

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"CARONIA" Jan. 8, Feb. 19 "CARMANIA" Jan. 22, Mar. 5

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SPERMOZONE. Does not interfere with diet or usual occupation and fully restores lost vigor.

Officers' Indoor Baseball League. The opening game of the Officers' Indoor Baseball League will be played at the armories next Saturday night at 8 p.m.

Large advertisement for CIGARETTES. Equal in quality to the well-known pipe-tobacco and specially blended for cigarette smoking. TEN FOR TEN CENTS.

The Toronto World

Founded 1881. A Morning Newspaper Published Every Day in the Year. WORLD BUILDING, TORONTO.

CHEAP ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Recent electrical inventions, particularly the introduction of the metal filament lamp, are giving rise to concern on the part of British electric companies.

As the immediate result of the new lamp the British electric companies, particularly those engaged in the suburban and country service, find themselves generating nearly twice as much current as is required, and they are making strenuous efforts to secure new spheres of custom.

In due time the municipalities that have supported the hydro-electric commission scheme will find themselves in the best of positions to take advantage of new developments in electric science.

A GREAT MAHOMETAN.

In the elevation of the Right Hon. Syed Amer Ali to the judicial committee of the privy council, King Edward has recognized a claim which arises, perhaps, out of the most remarkable situation in British history.

In "The Spirit of Islam" he has set forth in popular form what Mahometanism means to a Mahometan. He chose to write in English because he believes in the predominance of that language.

In "The Spirit of Islam" a fascinating account is given of the great Arabian reformer himself, and of the subsequent philosophic and scientific developments in Saracenic scholarship, thru which, by its influence in Spain and elsewhere, the foundation of modern European civilization was laid.

In economics and the humanities generally Mahomet was far ahead of his times. He abolished the promiscuous vice still rampant in Europe and America, by substituting polygamy, with monogamy as an ideal for the future.

COOK'S NOTEBOOKS RECEIVED WON'T ALTER THE JUDGMENT.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 4.—Dr. Frederik Cook's original note books arrived here to-day, and will be examined by the committee immediately.

Fire at the Soo.

SAULT STE MARIE, Ont., Jan. 4.—(Special.)—At 1:15 p.m., fire broke out in the jewelry store of J. B. Strathearn, from an over-heated stove.

Passed Worthless Cheques.

ARTHUR FRANCIS, 21 years, married, a polisher, 7 Ann-street, shows the effect of his trade for he is smooth indeed.

BELEAST'S STREET RAILWAY.

Extraordinary success has attended the municipal ownership of the street

BEAR HAD APPENDICITIS

NEW YORK, N.Y.—Tessie, the trier bear from South America, was operated on for appendicitis in the Boston Arena, at Coney Island.

Appendicitis is not a popular ailment, and the physicians long ago discovered that Habitual Constipation causes it. And one eminent physician in Ottawa discovered the means to prevent it.

ANOTHER MAD DOG SCARE

Irish Setter Bites Two Girls at Galt and is Killed.

GALT, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—An Irish setter, owner unknown, bit two small girls, and was killed with a club and gun. The head has been sent to Ottawa.

CAR CONDUCTOR ARRAIGNED

Charged With Being Intoxicated While on Duty.

Charged with being intoxicated while in charge of a public conveyance, wit. a street car, the driver of a conductor in the employ of the street railway company, appeared in police court yesterday morning.

Cold and Stormy.

All over Canada the weather was cold yesterday, the temperature ranging from nearly 40 below to one degree above.

FOR WINNIPEG AND CANADA NORTH-WEST

Take the Grand trunk train leaving Toronto 8.00 a.m., 4.40 or 11.00 p.m., daily, without change, to Chicago, and choice of six lines to St. Paul, three from St. Paul to Winnipeg.

Canadian Northern Earnings.

The Canadian Northern Railway gross earnings for the period ending 31, 1909, were \$25,900; the corresponding period of last year yielded \$254,600; which means an increase of \$1,300 for the 1909 period.

A SECRET OF THE PAST

Revived for Use of Modern Man.

For twenty centuries the secret of the wonderful balms with which the gladiators and charioteers of Ancient Greece and Rome healed their wounds lay undiscovered.

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AT OSGOODE HALL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Osgoode Hall, Toronto, Jan. 4, 1910. The Circuit Guide for winter and spring of 1910, that handy vest pocket compendium of information for lawyers, by Clarence Bell, has just been issued.

Master's Chambers.

Before Cartwright, K.C., Master. Therault v. Graham—A. Cohen, for defendant, moved to set aside notice of proceedings, and to allow defendant to defend on statement of defence.

Divisional Court.

Before Meredith, C.J., MacMahon, J., Galt, J., and C. Chisholm, K.C., and J. H. Spence, for defendants, appeared from the judgment of the Divisional Court, J. H. Roaf, for plaintiff, contra.

ON TO PORCUPINE

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for the handling of baggage and freight. Already some team loads of supplies have been taken from the town of the district to the various stopping places on the road.

There is no doubt now that a new town will spring up somewhere between the Portcupine Lake and the Metagamag River, between which two points Porcupine Lake is about 20 miles.

Postoffice Soon.

The post-office department have been looking into the situation in this district, and arrangements will shortly be made for the establishment of a post-office at mileage 222, 17 miles north of this place, and also for the establishment of another at Porcupine, as well as the carrying of the mail from here to that point.

Should Survey Township.

In about a week or ten days a regular stage service will be running from here and The World is given to understand by those who have the matter in hand that both the passenger and freight rates will be very reasonable.

Ontario's Mining Record

Cobalt Has Contributed \$12,000,000 in Silver in a Year.

From "The Mining Record" of 1909, in The Canadian Mining Journal for January, 1910.

TICKETS AGENTS SWINDLE GOVT.

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 4.—The Mexican Government has been swindled out of many thousands of dollars by ticket agents who had been carrying on a system of reporting tickets as sold for shorter distance than they really were purchased for.

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To Elect Officers.

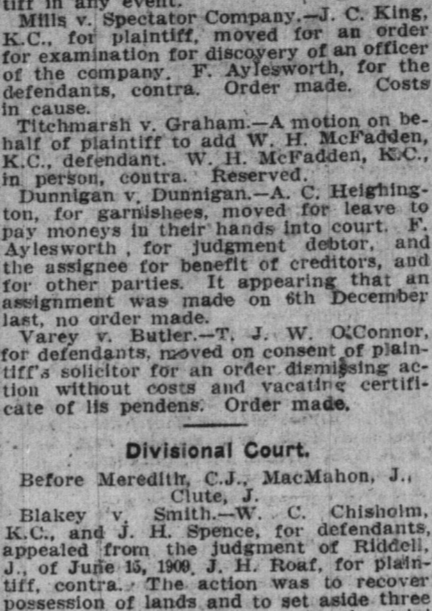
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CORNS? HAVE YOU ANY?

If so, you want to try Putnam's Corn Extractor; it is not a cheap acid salve, but a genuine 25c cure that does remove corns in twenty-four hours.

EATON'S JANUARY SALE NEWS

The "Walk-Easy Boot," a Great Footwear Value. It usually happens that when we procure a value that stands head and shoulders above all others of its kind, we name it "EATON" and thereby make it distinctive with us--but not so in the case of this line of footwear--they've won their good reputation as "Walk-easy."



The name "Walk-easy" stands for all that's worthy in footwear—good quality, thorough workmanship, fit, style, comfort and service.

We've sold thousands of pairs and the more we sell the bigger grows the demand for "Walk-easys," we consider them the best value in Canada for the money--Our No. 411 for women are made from fine dongola kid, genuine goatskin, blue cher tops, neat, dressy shapes. Sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Price.... 2.00

A Special Winter Boot for Men 4.00. Made in black or tan from good wearing winter calf, a boot that requires no rubbers, extra heavy double sole and shank running right through, put on by Goodyear process, perfectly smooth inside, leather lined and an excellent easy fitter; sizes 6 to 11. Special 4.00

The T. Eaton Co Limited Canada. Midwinter Basement Sale. The Acme Steel Range \$28.75. Second Floor—Queen Street.

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Coal and Wood Merchants. 44 KING STREET EAST, TORONTO. Telephone Main Nos. 181 and 182. BRANCH OFFICES: 364 Queen East, Tel. M. 184; 42 Spadina Avenue, Tel. Col. 607; 1812 Queen W., Tel. Park 711; 274 College St., Tel. Col. 1804; 324 1/2 Queen W., Tel. M. 1400; 572 Queen W., Tel. Col. 12; 141 1/2 Yonge St., Tel. M. 3206.

Oil-Ceefe's

fine old Full Bodied Stout is the best of Tonics for pale, thin, run-down people. Brewed of the finest hops and malt—rich in nutriment. Every bottle sealed with a Crown stopper to prevent cork and tinfoil from getting in the glass. At all dealers.

KARN GOES TO JAIL

Druggist Given Sixty Days by Magistrate Denison. Frederick E. Karn, wholesale and retail druggist, with premises at Queen and Victoria-streets, was yesterday sentenced to serve 60 days in jail by Magistrate Denison.

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Only Lunatics Go Armed.

LINCOLN, Ky., Jan. 4.—Jack CHEN, member of the legislature from Mercer county, will introduce a bill declaring that any man caught with a concealed weapon shall be adjudged insane and sent to an asylum for 90 days.

Great for

During our January inducement, we have a great stock of M.B. but here are a few more round and others.

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Splendid layout of handsome French Printed Poulard Silks—regularly 75c and 50c.

To Clear at 40 cents.

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22-inch (Tea size) Pure Linen Table Napkins, best British makes, attractive, new, assorted patterns.

Very Special Value at \$2.50 Dozen.

TABLE CLOTHS

1 x 1 1/2 yards Table Cloths, pure linen, assorted, fine patterns, splendid wearing—regularly \$3.50.

Clearing at \$2.50.

BEDROOM TOWELS

See our table of Bedroom Towels, hemmed huck, assorted dyes and ends, very special, at \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 \$3.00 dozen.

BATH TOWELS

ASSORTED TABLET at 25c each. Regularly up to 50c.

COLD WEATHER SHEETS

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FOR EARL GREY TROPHIES

Important Changes Are Made in the Musical Competition.

OTTAWA, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—Changes are announced for the Early Grey Musical and Dramatic Trophy competition, which will be held this year in the Royal Alexandra Theatre, Toronto, the week of April 4.

As far as the dramatic competition is concerned, the conditions are practically the same as last year, and Miss Margaret Anglin has again donated a bracelet for the best actress. Entries must be made to Major J. Fraser MacDonald, Government House, Toronto, by March 15, and companies are to be ready on the preliminary judging by March 20.

In addition to the trophy competition, prizes will be offered for the best original two-act plays written by a British subject residing in Canada or Newfoundland. Manuscripts should be sent to the honorary secretary, Toronto, not later than March 15, and should be signed by a notary public. Two prizes will be given of \$100 and \$50.

The most marked changes are in the musical competitions. Hitherto vocal and instrumental have gone together. This year the contests will be divided into vocal societies, orchestras, mixed voice choruses and opera companies, and additional individual contests in vocal and instrumental music.

Special prizes will be presented for the best original musical composition of any kind under conditions the same as for the original play.

WHOLE FAMILY POISONED.

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Jan. 4.—Mrs. George McDowell and five children are dangerously ill from ptomaine poisoning after eating chocolate eclairs purchased at a bakery, and canned beans. The children range in age from eight to 31 years.

WHERE IS JOHN WARD'S SISTER?

Miss Gunning's Day Off.

Miss Louie Gunning will not appear at the Thursday matinee at the Royal Alexandra Theatre. Miss Florence Rolfe will sing the role of Marcello. Miss Gunning will sing the remaining performances during the engagement, including the Saturday matinee.

Three Killed in Wreck.

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THE WEATHER

OBSERVATORY, TORONTO, Jan. 4. (3 p.m.)—The disturbance which was last night over the St. Lawrence Valley has since developed and moved quickly eastward to Newfoundland, causing heavy gales in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The pronounced cold wave is controlled over Eastern Ontario, and very low temperatures have been general.

Probabilities—

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Strong winds and gales, easterly to northerly with snow.

Upper St. Lawrence—Strong winds and gales; easterly, with snow.

Lower St. Lawrence—Fair and very cold; first, followed by strong easterly winds and gales, with snow.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Very cold to cold; followed Thursday by strong winds and gales from the eastward, with snow.

Superior—Strong winds and gales, easterly to northerly, with snow.

Montana and Saskatchewan—Light snowfalls, but mostly fair; a little higher temperature.

Quebec—Fair; not much change in temperature.

THE BAROMETER.

Time	Therm.	Bar.	Wind
8 a.m.	below 30.28	30.15	N
Noon	below 30.28	30.15	N
2 p.m.	below 30.28	30.15	N
4 p.m.	below 30.28	30.15	N
8 p.m.	below 30.28	30.15	N

Mean of day, below; difference from average, 20 below; highest, 1 above; lowest, 7 below; snow, 4.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Jan. 4	At	From
Nunnen	Glasgow	Boston
Lustiana	Liverpool	New York
Minneapolis	London	New York
Lake Umbagog	St. John	Oceania
Palermo	New York	Oceania

TODAY IN TORONTO.

Empire Club Luncheon—McConnell's.

Ice Races—Dufferin Park, 2.

Opening Ontario Liberal Club by Sir J. G. Macdonald.

Toronto Archaeological Society, Dr. Edgar L. Hewitt—Physics Building, 3.15.

Royal Alexandra—Marcello, 8.

Princess—Detective Spikes, 2 and 8.

Grand—The Old Homestead, 2 and 8.

Shea—Vaudeville, 2 and 8.

Majestic Music Hall—Vaudeville, 2 and 8.

Burlesque, 2 and 8.

Gaiety—Burlesque, 2 and 8.

RAILWAYS PLANNING NEW DEPOSIT FOR LARGER CARS

Movement on Foot to Secure Average West of Present Union Station—Options Obtained.

Either the Grand Trunk or the C. P. R. or both, are up to their eyes in a movement to secure enough land south of King-street, between Simcoe and Spadina, for a new Union Depot, or enlarged freight yards.

The issue has been brought to a focus by the refusal of Jake Saunders to sell the old John-street School site to A. B. Franks for \$300,000. Mr. Franks represents the H. H. Williams Real Estate Co., and the H. H. Williams people are the chief real estate negotiators for the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. Otherwise it would be strictly a Grand Trunk affair.

Securing Options.

For some time Mr. Franks has been picking up options on properties within the district described, representing that it was not the Grand Trunk that had the power of expropriation. He secured an option at \$25,000 from Jake Saunders and others who recently bought the John-street School for garage purposes. The terms were \$25,000 cash, or \$20,000 time, or \$30,000 cash. But there was nothing doing. The promoters of the garage had been looking around for a place to move to, and could get suitable property, even as far north as Agnes-street, for less than \$300 a foot. At that price, they figured their John-street holding worth \$40,000, and they will stick for that price.

Prices Boosted.

The property is 80 x 130 feet, on the corner of John and Mercer-streets. It is said that a lady owning three roughcast houses on Mercer has sold them to the same agent for \$40,000.

The James Robertson Brass Co., on the corner of Dorset and King-streets, has been approached with an offer of \$250 a foot. They are holding out for \$300. The James Acton Printing Co., on John-street south of King, have given an option on their plot, and are holding out for \$300 a foot.

Covet Government House.

That the Grand Trunk have had eyes on the Government House, on the southwest corner of King and Simcoe-streets, is not new, and it is believed there will be little difficulty in the way of their getting it, as it has long been considered an unsuitable locality for the particular functions held there.

The C. P. R. already own a good-sized piece of land on the west side of the angle where the Grand Trunk switches begin to run up on the bank to the freight sheds.

There is hardly a property owner on Dorset-street, between the corner of King and the corner of Agnes-street, and the corporation represented by Mr. Franks is believed to be practically in possession of everything north of the tracks up to Peter-street, and even west of this line.

EDWARDS—On Jan. 4, 1910, at her residence, 125 Bay-street, Sarah, widow of the late Edward W. Edwards, in her 73rd year.

FUNERAL—On Thursday, Jan. 6, at 2 p.m., from the residence of Mrs. W. B. Merton, 7th at 230 p.m. to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

LOVEY—On Wednesday, Jan. 5, at 2 p.m., from the residence of Mrs. W. B. Merton, 7th at 230 p.m. to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

WORKMAN—On Tuesday evening, Jan. 4, at the residence of Mrs. W. B. Merton, 7th at 230 p.m. to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

SIDE LIGHTS ON THE BATTLE OF THE BUDGET

7,705,717 LISTED VOTERS FOR BRITISH ELECTIONS

New Register Shows Addition of 90,000 Names—Facts About Constituencies.

The new register of voters—that on which the British general elections will be fought—shows that the total number of electors is 7,705,717, being an increase of 90,277. The totals for the countries are as follows:

England and Wales	6,221,223
Scotland	785,208
Ireland	698,757
Overseas	49,529

Of the grand total, 4,949,115 are occupiers; 605,370 are owners; 503,116 lodgers; 52,082 freemen, freeholders, etc.; and 48,154 university electors.

The London constituencies having decreased in number are: Westminster, 1115; North Camberwell, 2622; Peckham, 2692; Dulwich, 1234; Bow and Bromley, 2142; and Poplar, 2318.

The London constituencies of Essex, with 52,384 voters is the largest single member constituency in the kingdom; the smallest is Kilkenny with 1742 electors. The smallest in England is Durham, which has 390 electors.

In London Wandsworth is by far the largest constituency. It has an electorate of 38,523. The smallest is St. George's, the figures for which are 3132.

The English borough constituencies with more than 20,000 electors are: Liverpool, 26,800; Newcastle, 25,584; Oldham, 25,515; Portsmouth, 23,694; Sunderland, 27,610; Crofton, 27,500; Leicester, 25,334; Leeds, W., 22,910; Kingston-upon-Hull, 22,800; Blackburn, 22,572; Norwich, 21,907; Brighton, 21,427; Middlesbrough, 21,390; Bolton, 21,341; Derby, 20,118; Southampton, 20,235.

In the London division there are only two lodgers on the register, Rosendale boasts four, and Darwin eight. The great centres of industry, I am told, is no worse off for lodger voters than the City of London, which with an electorate of 30,100 can also only lay claim to eight.

J. B. Seely, under-secretary for the colonies, replying to Hamar Greenwood's query for information concerning the election of 1904 that he was prepared to stake his reputation on the estimate, that for every 10,000 colored laborers, there are 100,000 whites in the country.

The total number of Chinese immigrants in the colony was 64,825, the maximum number in the Colony at any one time was 53,568. On the 30th of last month the number had been 51,000. The Chinese immigration to China was due to take place in the earlier part of the present month, which was expected to reduce the number to 45,000. The whole of these are due for repatriation to China on or about the 1st March next.

You will see from the accompanying figures that the immigration of Chinese to Canada has been accompanied by an increase both in native labor and in the number of white men employed on the hand mines.

SCOTTLAND ROUSED BY LAND MONOPOLY

Scottish Liberalism Has Recovered From Its Temporary Depression.

In Scotland the weather is as fire with a correspondent of the London (Eng.) Chronicle. Liberal Scotland is not given to vacillation, tho, of course, adverse circumstances are not without their effect. Early in the year when several by-elections took place, the prolonged spell of unemployment told severely against the Liberal cause. Men out of work were in no mood to listen to the possibilities of economic recovery. Liberal seats were held, but by reduced majorities.

But Scottish Liberalism has recovered from its temporary fit of depression. This view is based on the results in regard to the budget has proved a splendid tonic. For years Scottish Liberals have been waiting for a favorable opportunity to show the merits of their cause. In fact, many of them thought that the government should have grappled with the problem when it took office. This view is now shared by the majority of the party. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, who thought, however, that not until the peers began to wreck Liberal seats would the house of lords would the people rise in their wrath against their hereditary enemies.

Cases of Greed.

At last the people of Scotland have risen in their wrath. Thanks to their own stupidity the peers have diverted public attention from the budget to themselves, and their claim for a monopoly of political power has assumed public attention to their claims to a monopoly of land. In Scotland hatred of landlordism is innate in the hearts of Liberals. They care never to forget the Highland clearances and the deer forests, and to-day they feel keenly the effects of land monopoly in the great centres of industry. I am told by a leading Liberal who fought a by-election some nine months ago that in his constituency feeling has been raised to white heat by the action of the lords. At that election he found Liberals somewhat difficult to rouse; to-day the atmosphere is positively electric. At that election the Tories that most stir the multitude? The topics are two—the impertinent demand of the lords to dictate to the people, and the less good in dealing with the land monopoly.

Here are a few of the examples of the recital of which simply means Liberalism. In fact, for a site for a fort at Kilskegan needed for the defence of the Clyde a piece of land was rated at £50. What the Liberal said was to host the government? Not £50, which was its real value for rating, but £24,500, or 240 years' purchase.

For a school in Scotland valued at £23,000 the price demanded was £3720, 17s—820 years' purchase.

Again, for the defence of the country, for a Greenock torpedo depot, a piece of land was valued at £11,200, the admiralty had to pay £27,225, or 2400 years' purchase. A piece of land which was practically worthless and that was situated in a very desirable position, it was wanted for a useful purpose.

The only danger to Liberalism and progress lies in three-cornered fights. So far the Liberal party have been reasonable. The leaders feel that until the house of lords is reduced to impotence, progress is impossible. What they are doing is to present a united front to the common foe. Of course some few seats are captured by small majorities from the Tories at the last election, but the back of Glasgow is the weak spot, and is giving considerable anxiety to Liberal organizers. The Clyde shipbuilding trade has been heavily hit, and the course of Tory Reformers are working the unemployment dodge for all it is worth. Then the fact that the Liberal cause in the West of Scotland is not adequately represented by the press increases the gravity of the problem. One paper can hardly be expected to do so much, and the situation is complicated by the fact that in Tradeson division, where Mr. Cameron Corbett is standing as a Liberal against the nominee of the Liberal Association, what the West of Scotland, more particularly Glasgow, needs is the appearance on the scene of Mr. Winston Churchill and Mr. Lloyd-George, who by their platform touch the heart and the imagination of the average man.

Taking Scotland as a whole, the political prospects are hopeful in the extreme. The Liberals are exultant. They have a splendid fighting program. The Tories are in a dependent mood. Those of them with whom I have talked admit that the house of lords make a blunder in tactics in rejecting the budget. It is felt that defence of the house of lords in this matter is tantamount to treachery to the cause of commons. It is considered rather a risky business for Tory candidates to ask votes in order to place the house of commons under the heel of the house of lords, and the fact that they dare not publicly defend a hereditary house of legislators. Under the circumstances the Tories are going to the battle with little heart, while the Liberals are eagerly yearning for the hour when they will be avenged of their coroneted foes.

Sold Adulterated Milk, Fined.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Ernest McDonald, a Brooklyn milk dealer, was fined \$75 to-day for delivering adulterated milk to the orphanage of St. Joseph's Asylum. Analysis showed that one quart of water had been used for every four quarts of milk.

Professor Richard Burton of Minnesota has written "The Masters of the English Language," a study of the history of the first rank, and their work, including Richardson and Fielding, among others of the earliest period, then Austen, Scott, Dickens, Thackeray, Eliot and others, and those of later date, Stevenson, Meredith and Hardy. These are chapters on the French influence and one on the American contribution to the development of the novel.

"The Survival of Man," by Sir Oliver Lodge, gives the conception of the foundation on which he believes that the survival after bodily death will be in due time established scientifically.

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NAVY'S WEAKNESS A THEME FOR BALFOUR

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carried out, will greatly increase the employment for the working class, while the principles underlying the budget will greatly decrease the welfare of those same classes," he asserted.

Their Last Chance.

If the people neglected the chance which the courage and patriotism of the house of lords had given them, they would be punishing themselves deservedly.

"I believe in tariff reform from the viewpoint of the inhabitants of Great Britain, as the best way of raising revenue. It will give needed security to our producers. I also look to its effect beyond the seas. Our fellow-citizens overseas have given a preference freely, and value thereof is unquestioned. They have given us the lead. Are you going to refuse to follow?"

He refused to associate himself with the party which, when invited by those who were their children to take this plain step for closer unity, had repudiated with scorn the invitation.

LEVEL CROSSINGS

Railway Board Defers Consideration Until February Session.

OTTAWA, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—The railway commission to-day heard a score of applications regarding railway crossings, some on the level, others by bridge. After discussion of several, Judge Mabey, finding that the rest involved the same principles, ordered that they be deferred until the February session, when the whole question of railway crossings will likely be dealt with.

The chief point to be considered is that of dangerous crossings, for the elimination of which an appropriation was made by parliament last session, and the task was referred to the board of deciding what crossings should be protected, and what proportion the railways, the local authorities and the government should pay.

Dr. Uziel Ogden died yesterday morning, at the age of 82. He was stricken with paralysis about five years ago and did not recover.

Dr. Ogden started his medical career about 55 years ago at Aymer, Ont. After two or three years' practice there he moved to Toronto, and was appointed lecturer on physiology at the school of medicine.

Deceased was three times married. His last wife survives him, as well as a daughter of his second wife.

The World is in receipt of the following telegram from Vancouver: "The sister of John Ward, C. P. R. conductor, lives in Toronto, will be telegraph her address to Mrs. John Ward, 752 Richards-street, Vancouver, B.C. Urgent."

WOMEN M.D.'S IN CONVENTION

Sleigh Ride and Banquet for Delegates to Convention.

At the session yesterday morning of the Zeta Phi Fraternity, a woman's medical society, which is in convention at the King Edward Hotel, participants in the sleigh ride to the West of Chester, Dr. Martine Ulica, Dr. Reddie Philadelphia, Dr. Musson of Philadelphia, and Miss Baskin of India.

The banquet was held in the hall of the King Edward last night, at which all the delegates and all the members of the local chapter were present. Addresses were delivered by Dr. Bennett, Adams, N. Y.; Dr. Craiger, Rochester; Dr. Ballantine, Rochester; Dr. Martine Ulica; Miss Alexander of Johns Hopkins University; Miss Roberts of Toronto Medical; Dr. Jean Willson, Toronto; Dr. Reddie, Philadelphia, and Dr. Staunton of Toronto.

At the business session this morning the officers will be elected.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

At Smithville, Tenn., Haskell Johnson, a merchant, was shot and killed by a crowbar, an attorney, Johnson had been sued for breach of promise by Crowley's daughter and was under indictment on a serious charge.

At Cincinnati, with a bullet in her heart and a revolver lying nearby, the dead body of Miss Tillie Schwab, 18 years old, was found in the home of her father, John Schwab, a member of the board of education.

Morris Lustig, proprietor of a night watchman service and private detective bureau in connection with the death of his wife, who was buried about Nov. 1 at her old home at Milroy, Pa. It is alleged she was poisoned.

Owing to the revival in the iron industry in the United States in 1909, the production of iron ore and pig iron will nearly reach that of 1907, the year of maximum output on record.

At Baltimore, Mr. William O. Carter, 45, shot and killed Mrs. Belle Warner, 40, at her home, and then committed suicide. Carter was a married man and was infatuated with the woman.

The department of public works of Ontario to-day sought authority to construct grade crossings and overhead crossings over the C.P.R. by the Sudbury-Soo trunk wagon road. Some notorious level crossings under consideration were those at Kingston, and the G.T.R. at Brockville and at Smith's Falls.

An important phase of the deliberations in February will be the consideration of the extent to which the government appropriation will go in the way of protecting level crossings already designated dangerous.

Joe Gans of Course Calls J. Johnson to Wear Down Jeff

STRUCK AND KICKED HIM WITNESSES ALL AGREE

Story of Saturday's Fatal Fight Near St. Catharines Not as Favorable to Accused as First Given.

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Jan. 4.—(Special.)—To-night the inquest regarding the death of Bulman of Saturday last, was continued before a coroner's jury, a number of witnesses being examined by Crown-Attorney Brennan, William Bradley, who is held on a charge of murder, was present, being represented by A. C. Kincaid.

The witnesses agreed that, after leaving the trolley, Bulman had been struck by Bradley in the face, and several declared that while deceased was hitting on his back close to the rear of the car, Bradley deliberately kicked him in the face or head.

George Guss, a mere lad from Thorold, and Thomas Hastings, a workman of Merrion, had not been on the rear-car platform, where the dispute and fight first arose, but looking thru the glass at the first attack on Bulman, he was able to tell a better story than those standing within touching distance of the two men.

Young Guss saw the two men in a tussle. As the car stopped, Bulman was on the step of the car, one foot being already on the ground. Bradley and Hastings were on the rear-car platform, in the direction of the sidewalk; they went up to him, leaned down and hit him a light blow, which he followed by two or three kicks in the face. Hastings saw no blows struck, but did see, he swore, Bradley grab deceased and give him a jerk to pull him from the car.

Drs. Vandenberg, Merritt, and McCoy, St. Catharines, said dead was due to a severe knock on the skull just behind the ear. A blow or kick would have produced death. No mark was in evidence on the outer part of the skull, but within a severe mark was plainly evident.

Other witnesses were Conductor Francis, William O'Donnell, Percy McCumber and Herbert Hogan, who had been on the rear of the car. All agreed that Bradley had pulled on Bulman, who was somewhat drunk, was jolted over against Bradley on the car. Bradley asked him to keep to himself, when Bulman replied with vile words, which were repeated at intervals till the fatal ending. Some declared that only Bulman had talked of fighting. It was agreed that, when a short distance from home, Bradley had pulled on Bulman, who was under and overcast, threw him to one of the passengers and grabbed Bulman by the throat, but was soon separated. Some declare again that Bradley grabbed Bulman by the throat.

These witnesses did not exactly agree as to how Bulman got off the car, but most of them assert that he was first seen on the floor of the rear platform from which he was shoved to the roadway. All admitted that Bradley had both hit and kicked deceased while on the rear of the car, but no one offered the slightest resistance to Bradley or assistance to Bulman.

The enquiry was adjourned till Thursday night.

OBITUARY.

REGINA, Sask., Jan. 4.—After an illness which lasted only a few hours, Sister Dandurand, Superior of the Grey Nuns Hospital, died this morning.

One of Mr. Mills' notable philanthropic enterprises was the establishment of the chain of "Mills Hotels," which is familiar the country over where there are three in New York and is in the client modern fashion, where meals and lodgings could be furnished respectively at nominal prices. The hotels have long proved successful and self-supporting.

At Barre—James I. Burton, senior member of the Barre, Vermont, died at his home in Barre, Vermont, aged 84. Twelve years ago he broke a leg and had been more or less an invalid since.

Herbert H. D. Pelce, the American member of the Nobel prize committee, after his visit to Berlin, will go to Christiania, to deliver his Nobel lecture.

OVERCOME BY COLD

New York State Man Loses His Life in the Open.

UTICA, Jan. 4.—Morgan Duffy of Hill, both Lewis County, perished in the storm last night. His body was found 100 rods from his home by a searching party, giving a study of the fatal way. All admitted that Bradley had both hit and kicked deceased while on the rear of the car, but no one offered the slightest resistance to Bradley or assistance to Bulman.

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SENTIMENT NOT QUITE SO BULLISH.

Trades in domestic speculative stocks were inclined to put out long holdings to-day and to make tentative short sales. Sentiment, tho by no means bearish, is less bullish than it was, owing to the prospect of a fair reaction on Wall-street. New securities are being exploited as fast as the market gives evidence of being speculatively tired of others. Yesterday Rio was taken in hand. To-day new life was given to Canadian General. While the market can receive this kind of treatment, higher prices are inevitable, but reactions after sharp advances are equally certain.

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NEW YORK REFORMS

New Comptroller Will Find Out Where Wages Go.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The Tammany tiger took off his hat to Wm. J. Gaynor again to-day. Chas. F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, walked up to the city hall steps to call on New York's new Democratic mayor, and he waited his turn in an ante-room, just as others did.

Wm. A. Pfendegast, the new Republican-fusion comptroller, to-day issued a sweeping order that "joy riding" in the municipal automobiles in all departments must cease at once. He announced in addition that every employee of the city above the grade of laborer, excepting policemen, firemen and school teachers, must have time cards, upon which will be recorded their comings and goings while on duty.

In this way the comptroller hopes to ascertain just how much of New York's \$30,000,000 salary list is carried.

BYLAWS CARRIED.

Tyndal township electors passed a bylaw to grant partial exemption from taxation to the Ontario Limestone and Clay Co.

MASONIC TEMPLE FOR OTTAWA.

OTTAWA, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—Masons are planning the construction of a Masonic temple. A charter has already been received by local members of the order with a capitalization of one million dollars.

Accused of Shooting is Mother.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Because his hands were powder marked, Francisco LaCusta was arrested to-day charged with the murder of his mother, Antonia LaCusta, a widow, who was shot dead while at work over the counter in her flat, where she kept house for Francisco and his wife. The son insists that he was asleep when he heard a shot and that "it must have been robbers."

United States Pig Iron Production.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 4.—Returns received from the coke and anthracite blast furnaces of the United States show the coke and anthracite pig iron production of the country for 1909 to be the record-breaking total of 2,343,759 tons. The country is now making pig iron at the unprecedented rate of 32,000,000 tons a year.

Year's Fire Loss.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The December fire loss in the U. S. and Canada was twenty millions and for the entire year, nearly a quarter of a billion.

Early Drive at New York Stocks Followed by Covering Movement

Southern Pacific Used To Rally the Market During the Afternoon—Toronto Exchange Active and Firm

World Office, Tuesday Evening, Jan. 4. A fair sized volume of securities changed hands at the Toronto Exchange to-day, notwithstanding the fact that the offerings were taken without any appreciable influence on the quotations.

Traders were inclined to take profits on Twin City news out, a reaction might be expected. The price sagged during the morning session, but responded to the influence of New York sales in the afternoon.

Rio was also subjected to profit-taking and lost about a point from yesterday's high figure.

Sao Paulo was stronger and closed with a security of stock at the high price of the day.

More activity developed in General Electric with the stock well held at yesterday's advance.

Coal and Steel shares were quiet at lower prices.

The Black Lake shares were again kept well to the front, the preferred issue being the strong feature.

Mining shares showed more buoyancy following the lead of Kerr Lake. Nipissing and Trethewey were in good demand, the latter at higher prices.

Small investment orders gave a firm undertone to the bank shares and similar securities, and there was a better enquiry for bonds, with prominent bidding for Mex. L. and P. bonds.

The market's close was reasonably firm.

Wall Street Pointers. Twenty per cent. instalment on Canadian Pacific new stock due.

President Taft understood to have made only minor concessions to railroad presidents on Monday.

January orders for steel make a promising show of new business.

Great Northern Railroad has declared regular quarterly dividend of 1 3/4 per cent, payable Feb. 1 to stock of record Jan. 10.

Joseph says: Money will work easier in a few days, and good recoveries in stocks follow. Average Union Pacific around 202. Hold Chesapeake and Ohio, and buy some St. Paul. Specialties: Texas and Pacific is being excellent absorbed. Buy steels on dips.

Amalgamated, American Car Foundry common, Smelters, M. K. and T. common, Southern Pacific and Consolidated Gas may be bought during weakness after reactions, for turns, on the preference to other stocks. Taken as a whole, the high-priced stocks should be handled with gloves and the low-priced issues bought on recessions, as buying opportunities seem to present themselves.—Financial Bulletin.

Bearish influences will likely continue to depress prices until the character of Mr. Taft's recommendations is learned, and the market for some time will depend on this issue. The money situation is all right, however, and on any break the good stocks are worth buying for turns, at least.—Town Topics.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Referring to Monday's decision of the U. S. supreme court against the City of Minneapolis in the appeal from Judge Lochren's decision in favor of the Minneapolis street railway, an authority on the case to-day said: "In the original suit the city attempted to break the contract under which the railway was incorporated for 60 years, and by which it could change its route within the city limits. The most important part of the decision was the confirmation of the franchise, while the ordinance compelling the city to sell the street car for cents was a minor matter. This railroad is a part of the Twin City Rapid Transit Co., and its transfers last year on a five-cent fare exceeded \$2,000,000."

OUTLOOK GOOD FOR 1910. O'Hara & Co. in their weekly letter say: The general outlook for the opening of the year is a good one and business is expected to improve during 1910. Prices have held remarkably firm during the last few months of the old year, and it is to be hoped that no outlook for occurrence will mar the steady upward swing of the market.

On Wall Street. Erickson Perkins & Co. had the following to say: Some stocks closed strong with a natural rebound after a two days' break. The decline had extended to 3 or 4 points in some issues. A 2 point rally was in order. How much

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Table of stock prices including Toronto Railway, Dominion, Hamilton, and various mining and industrial stocks.

STOCK EXCHANGE MEMBERS TO INSURE THEMSELVES.

MONTREAL, Jan. 4.—The stock exchange here is getting so much money to-day by the sale of seats at \$25,000 each that it is not all that the members have decided to organize a life insurance for members only. All the details have not been worked out yet but the institution of a mutual life insurance scheme is a certainty.

STERLING BANK IN WEST.

The first branch of the Sterling Bank in the West was opened at Winnipeg on Tuesday.

President Brown Reassures. NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—"I know pretty well what the bill will provide, and I can assure that it need not alarm the investor or embarrass any railroad that wants to do business in a straightforward and orderly manner," was the assuring statement made to-day by W. C. Brown, president of the New York Central lines, to the members who have decided to out-buy the institution of a mutual life insurance scheme.

Railroad Earnings.

Ontario & Western, November, \$50,841. Big Four, November, \$1,500,000. Lake Shore, November, \$264,430. New York Central, November, \$67,000. Michigan Central, November, \$279,864.

Foreign Exchange.

Jan. 3, Jan. 4. Consols, money 82 15-16 82 11-16. Consols, account 82 5-16 82 7/8.

Money Markets.

Bank of England discount rate, 4 1/2 per cent. London call, 3 1/2 per cent. Three months' bills, 3 1/2 per cent. New York call money, higher, 9 per cent. Lowest 6 per cent. Bank rate 8 per cent. Last loan 10 per cent. Call money at Toronto, 5 to 6 1/2 per cent.

Toronto Stocks.

Table of Toronto stock prices for Jan. 4, listing various stocks and their closing prices.

TRUST AND GUARANTEE COMPANY, LIMITED

43-45 KING STREET WEST ESTABLISHED 1807. DIVIDEND NUMBER 23. Notice is hereby given that a half-yearly Dividend, at the rate of SIX PER CENT. PER ANNUM has been declared for the six months ending December 31, 1909, upon the paid-up Capital Stock of the Company, and the same will be payable at the Offices of the Company on and after January 3rd, 1910. The Transfer Books will be closed from December 18 to December 31, both days inclusive. JAMES J. WARREN, Managing Director. Toronto, November 19, 1909.

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THE PORTO RICO RAILWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that quarterly dividend number one, of one and three-quarters per cent. (1 3/4 per cent.) on the preferred shares of the Porto Rico Railway Company, for the quarter ending December 31, 1909, has been declared, payable on January 20th, 1910, to shareholders of record of December 31, 1909. By order of the Board. D. S. CLARKE, Secretary.

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THE STERLING BANK OF CANADA

Notice is hereby given that The Sterling Bank of Canada intend to apply to the Treasury Board for a certificate approving of a bylaw passed by the shareholders of the said bank on the 21st day of December, A.D. 1909, to increase the capital of the said bank from Three Million (\$3,000,000) Dollars to Five Million (\$5,000,000) Dollars. Dated at Toronto this 22nd day of December, A.D. 1909. Bylaw to increase the Capital Stock of The Sterling Bank of Canada. Whereas the Capital Stock of The Sterling Bank of Canada is \$3,000,000, and it is expedient that the capital stock should be increased by the sum of \$2,000,000. Now therefore be it enacted and it is hereby enacted as a bylaw of The Sterling Bank of Canada that the capital stock of the said bank be increased from Three Million (\$3,000,000) Dollars to Five Million (\$5,000,000) Dollars. Dated at Toronto this 22nd day of December, A.D. 1909, at a special general meeting of the shareholders of The Sterling Bank of Canada. E. W. BROUGHALE, Secretary.

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Disinherited Nephew Turned Bandit

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—That Harry B. Featherstone, bandit and safe blow, who was killed by a Chicago policeman while holding up a saloon New Year's morning, was the disinherited son of a noble English family was sworn at the inquest into the robber's death by his sister, who declared that her brother was rightfully the bearer of the name Lord Featherstone.

Four Firemen Killed.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 4.—Fire in the Milwaukee plant of the American Bridge Co. caused the death of four firemen, who were buried under a falling wall, and \$250,000 property damaged. One was seriously injured.

Fatal Smash Up.

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A Threatened Increase.

ST. JOHN'S, N.F., Jan. 4.—The board of trade has made a protest against the proposed 25 per cent. increase in rates on outward bound freight said to have been decided upon by the Atlantic steamship companies.

Chicago Market Stronger Under Bullish Trade News

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