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Something Elegant for Christmas

Give Your Wife a Wardrobe Couch

Nothing you could buy that she would appreciate more, any size, upholstered in the color you wish. Let us have your order at once.

The Satisfaction of Giving

Lies in selecting something that will be appreciated—something that gives comfort and service as well as beauty. We have gifts for everybody, men, women, boys' and girls' gifts that will be thoroughly to their liking for Christmas.

For Men	For Women	For Boys	For Girls
TIES All kinds, at 25c and 50c.	FUR COATS At \$25, \$35, \$40, \$45.	SUSPENDERS At 12 1/2c, 15c, 25c, 50c.	MUFFS \$1.00 to \$5.00.
SUSPENDERS All kinds, at 25c and 50c.	FUR COLLARS At from \$2 to \$7.50.	KID MITTS At 25c and 50c.	GAUNTLETS At 50c, 75c, \$2.00 and \$3.50.
GLOVES Lined or unlined, at 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.	FUR GAUNTLETS At \$3.50, \$5 and \$6.	TIES At 25c and 50c.	FUR COLLARS \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$4.50.
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NECK SCARFS At 50c, 90c and \$1.00.	HANDKERCHIEFS 7c, 10c, 12 1/2c to 40c.	Shirts and Collars, Kid Gloves and host of other things too numerous to mention.	A NEW DRESS 25c to \$2.00 per yard.
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THOMAS STONE & SON

Direct Importers, 78 and 80 King St.

Christmas Gifts



The 2 T's

TRUDELL & TOBEY, Sole Agents Slater Shoes

The... Centre of Attraction
Santa Clause at "The Ark"

Citizens
Please
Do Your
Shopping
Before
Saturday



Farmer's
Day is
Always
Saturday
Our
Market Day

Come one, come all.
Something for the Children—Dolls, Toys, Games, Picture Books.
For the Young People—Purses, Mirrors, Hair Brushes, Art China, Paper Knives, Travelling Sets, Albums, Companions and odd Bric-a-brac.
For the Older Ones—Parlor Lamps, Dinner and Tea Sets, Fruit Sets, Vases, Silver Knives, Spoons and Forks, Toilet Sets, Famous Stoves—an endless assortment.
Don't miss the place.

"THE ARK"

89 King Street, Chatham.

....Open Evenings....

CUNNING BURGLARS.

Look the Town Marshal up Beginning Operations.

Brighton, Ill., Dec. 18.—Five men, posing as tramps, were permitted to lodge in the lockup here last evening. During the night they overpowered the town marshal, locked him in a cell and broke into the private bank of Bidgett Bros. Several charges of dynamite were exploded, but the vault which contained a large sum was only partly wrecked, and the men gave up trying to secure it. The general store of Edward Butler was next visited. Here the safe was blown open and several hundred dollars secured. The men were entering another store, when an alarm of fire was sounded from Butler's. Meantime the robbers escaped. A posse, with bloodhounds, is in pursuit.

A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was recently made on C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. He came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters, which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvellous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c. at A. I. McCall & Co's drug store.

E. H. McCall

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Brome-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

THE PROTESTS SO FAR FILED

Only Number Nine in the Province of Ontario.

The Members Pe t ioned Against—Nearly all the P. E. Elections Protested.

Toronto, Dec. 18.—The Ontario protests in connection with the general election of 1900 are far below the average in number, and there will probably be little change in the party strength from by-elections. In all petitions have been filed affecting nine seats.

Five of these are by Liberals against Conservatives—Messrs. Birkett, in Ottawa; McNeill, in North Bruce; Tolson, in North Wellington; Prince, in Cornwall and Stormont; and Thornton, in West Durham. In the West Durham case the returning officer has not yet declared Thornton elected because his deposit was made by check instead of currency. The usual charges are made except in North Bruce, where Mr. McNeill's majority was only one. There, in addition to the charges of corruption, it is stated, on behalf of Mr. Campbell, the Liberal candidate, that 30 persons were allowed to vote on taking oath of office holders who were disqualified under provincial law. Mr. Campbell also says that in the recount of the votes the judge did not allow a number of votes marked after the name of the constituency, but which he claims were intended for him, the name Campbell appearing first on the ballot paper.

The Conservative petitions are four in number—one against Mr. Ross, Liberal member-elect in South Ontario; one against Mr. Belcourt, in Ontario; one claiming the West Durham seat from Mr. Thornton, and one claiming Nipissing for Mr. Klock. On the ground that the returning officer had no right to postpone the election after having posted notices. The two last mentioned are not election petitions, properly speaking, but they are regarded as a part of the protest.

A large number of other petitions had been prepared on both sides, but apparently by mutual consent were not filed.

A GRIST IN P. E. I.
Charlottetown, P. E. I., Dec. 18.—Election petitions have been filed against Messrs. Davies, McKinnon, Hughes, Hackett and Lefort.

One against Mr. McKinnon was filed by Mr. Martin, claiming the return of Mr. McKinnon should be declared void on account of irregularity of the returning officer. Complaint is also made against Judge McDonald for rejecting certain ballots.

Montreal, Dec. 18.—Protests have been entered against the election of Mayor Profoussine in Terrebonne and Mr. Ethier in Two Mountains both

Liberals, the usual grounds being stated. The disqualification of the latter is asked for.

PROTESTS IN N. B.
Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 18.—This was the day for entering protests against candidates returned at the Dominion elections. Petitions were filed against the return of Alex. Gibson, Jr.; Mr. Read, of Restigouche; H. R. Emmerson, Westmorland; Dr. Lewis, in Albert; A. G. Blair and Col. Tucker, in St. John. A. G. Blair, jun., on arrival, was informed that a protest had been entered in York. Mr. Blair replied that if York went others would have to go. H. Hale, in Carleton; R. D. Wilmet, in Sunbury and Queen's; G. W. Ganong, in Charlotte, and G. W. Fowler, in King's.

OLD WORLD

Very Latest Cable News.

London, Dec. 18.—The report of another severe battle, resulting in a British victory, is current here. According to the story, the fighting began at daybreak to-day and lasted for several hours. The Boers, who numbered from 1,500 to 2,000 men, were surrounded at the Orange river and totally defeated, with very heavy losses in killed and wounded. A number of Boers, it is added, were captured.

Gen. Kitchener, in a despatch received by the war office confirms the capture of the Boers at the Orange river, Cape Colony, of last night, announcing the capture by the Boers of a detachment of Herbrand's Horse on December 13, near Zastron, Orange River Colony, and says 107 men were made prisoners on that occasion.

VIENNA, Dec. 18.—Count Joseph Zakrewski, a Russian, became involved



Christmas Chimes...

Will Soon be Ringing

Sensible Holiday Gifts...

What would make a better or more sensible Christmas present for Father, Mother or the Children than Shoes or Slippers?

Papa and Mamma don't care for nick nacks, and Baby is sure to eat the paint off the monkey on the stick and make himself sick.

Our Men's Shoes - Men say good things about our Shoes—Newest shapes, good leather, full sizes. Men's shoes at \$1.00 to \$5.00.

Our Ladies' Shoes - We have Ideal Shoes—Shoes that suit our Lady patrons. When New is a good thing on the market in Ladies' Shoes, we have it. Ladies' Shoes at \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$4.00.

Our Boy's and Girl's Shoes - We have Shoes for boys and girls of all ages and sizes—School shoes and dress shoes. Bring the children in and we will please them and save you some money. Boys' and Girls Shoes \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Shoes for Baby - Come in and see what handsome shoes we have for baby. New ideas and pretty colors—25c to \$1.00.

Christmas Slippers for Everybody - If we have neglected to buy any good style for our Slipper stock, come in and tell us about it and we have them all. The whole family can be shod here for little money. This is the Christmas Shoe Store.

Geo. W. Cowan

ed a few days ago in a quarrel with the Russian military attaché at Munich, which led to the sending and acceptance of a challenge to fight a duel. The men met at Salzburg on Wednesday. The conditions were three shots each at 20 paces. The count, wishing to spare his opponent, fired two shots into the ground. The attaché's second shot hit the count in the lower part of the body. A surgical operation was performed on him, but it was unsuccessful, and he died yesterday. After the duel the attaché, whose name is Orloff, returned to Munich by the first train. He is a notorious duelist. It is stated that he has killed eight men.

DR. PARKER'S NEW "SUN"

London, Dec. 18.—The first issue of

the the London Sun under the editorship of Rev. Dr. Joseph Parker, pastor of the City Temple, appeared yesterday. The columns where the day's betting is usually published contains, under the caption "Latest News," "The wages of sin is death," and other well-known texts, followed up by a vigorous protest against gambling. The article declares:—"If a paper cannot live six days without pandering to the gambler, the drunkard, and the sensualist, let it wither away." In another editorial Dr. Parker urges the magistrates to "apply the cat and wine out of Hooliganism." Other parts of the paper is much the same as usual, the advertising columns being filled with company prospectuses, and the news columns announcing "another ghastly sad and tragedy."

WAR OFFICE REFORM.

London, Dec. 18.—The Secretary of State for War, Mr. Wm. St. John Brodrick, has appointed a committee to deal with the question of War Office reform. The committee will consider the system of contracts and the possibility of further decentralization and more expeditious working. The chairman of the committee is Mr. Clinton Edward Dawkins, of the firm of J. S. Morgan & Co. The other members of the committee are Sir Charles Glynn, Earl Wemyss, who was private secretary to the Marquis of Lansdowne while the latter was Secretary of State for War; Col. George Symonds, Clark, superintendent of the royal carriage department, and formerly secretary to the royal commission on navy and army administration; Mr. George Stegman Gibb, manager of the North-western Railway; Mr. Ernest William Beckett, Conservative member of the House of Commons for the Whiteby Division of Yorkshire, and Mr. Wm. Mather, Liberal member for Rosendale. The committee will meet in January.

136 MEN WERE LOST.

Berlin, Dec. 18.—An official despatch received here from Mataga accounts for 314 survivors of the 450 persons who were on board the German training frigate Gneissener, which foundered at the entrance to the Port of Mataga, while she was taking refuge from a terrible storm. It is rumored that the commander of the Gneissener committed suicide when he saw all was lost. A nephew of the Imperial Chancellor, Count Von Buelow, named Bernatz, was among the saved, though he was injured about the head. A surviving sailor went mad. The first engineer, the assistant engineer and a number of petty officers were drowned. (It is hoped that the guns, the treasure chest and perhaps part of the hull will be salvaged.)

All people wishing to spend Christmas with their friends in the Old Country should call on W. S. Rabin early and make their steamship arrangements, as he is agent for all lines crossing the Atlantic, and will give best possible rates.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

THE NORTHWAY CO., Limited

THE BUSY CASH STORE

THE NORTHWAY CO., Limited

Busy Days at The Busy Store

These are busy days with you as with us—and we are confining our newspaper announcements solely to the citation of those things which are most importantly interesting—most extraordinary in both value and price. Our announcements for Wednesday are full of bargain interest to cash buyers. Every one of our departments is a mine from which you can take things appropriate for gift-giving. We have selected these goods with great care, and you will find pleasure in buying them at these prices.

Typed Laws, five quality, wide widths, with five clusters tucks, deep hem and insertion, extra values, at per yd 35c, 50c, 25c 20c, 18c, 14c and..... 12 1/2c

40 doz. Ladies' Aprons, at less than cost of material, fine pure lawns, handsewly made with embroidery, insertion and splendid range of styles at 55c, 75c, 85c, 90c, 40c, 35c, 30c and..... 25c

Ladies' Silk Waists, rich heavy taffeta silk, black carmine, beautifully made with fine tucks and hemstitching on front, back and sleeves, new military collar, made with lining throughout, our special price..... \$5.00

Black Satans Satin Waists, rich bright silky quality, elegantly made, all-over tucked, lined throughout, worth \$2.25, special at..... \$1.75

40 doz. Fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs, fine goods in handsome new patterns at each 10c, 12 1/2c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c, 75c and..... \$1.00

Fine Lawn and Cambric Hdk's hemstitched at each 5c, 8c, 10c, 12 1/2c and..... 15c

Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, fine quality, hemstitched at 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c and..... 25c

Linen Hdk's, pure Irish lace trimmed, extra values at each 50c, 75c and..... \$1.00

Kid Gloves the best French makes, every pair guaranteed, in newest styles and coloring at per pair \$1, \$1.25 and..... \$1.50

Ladies' Ties, a very large assortment of new styles in net, lace, silk, mousseline de soie and chiffon, extra values at each 25c, 35c 50c, 65c, 75c, 90c, \$1 and..... \$1.40

New Jetted Belts, fine elastic web, bright and dull jett, handsome buckled at each 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and..... 90c

Dolls at 5c up to \$1. Perfumes at 5c up to 50c per bottle. Sterling silver goods, a large assortment of useful articles at 25c, 35c and..... 50c

The NORTHWAY COMPANY, Ltd.

CASH ONLY AND ONE PRICE

From the Gardens of the Finest
Tea Producing Country in the World

"SALADA"

Ceylon Green Tea, same flavor as Japan, but being absolutely pure is much more healthful to use. It will displace Japan tea just as "SALADA" black tea is displacing all other black teas.

"ARMOUR PROOF" RUBBERS

"C.R.CO." RUBBERS

With the "Armour Proof" Brand are the strongest heavy "Double Duck" rubbers.

They wear best because made of purest rubber, and more of it than in any other heavy rubber. Extra heavy, real tap soles—pure rubber.

They Stand the Wear.

See that the rubbers you buy have the "Armour Proof" brand on the side, like the cut.

Sold at all dealers.

Made by the oldest and best Rubber Company in Canada:

The Canadian Rubber Co.

TORONTO, MONTREAL, WINNIPEG.

Wanted Immediately

The Canadian Flour Mills Co.

Successors to the Kent Mills Co., Limited,
Large Quantities of Wheat, Barley and Beans.

USE KENT MILLS FLOUR

THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST.

Flour made by the new bolting and dust extracting system takes more water, and gives you a larger, whiter and sweeter loaf, and makes more loaves to the barrel than any other flour.

Stevens' Breakfast Food and Family Cornmeal, for dry ground, always on hand.

Farmers' Feed ground on quick notice by a top reduction roller process, much ahead of the old system of chopping.

DRS. KENNEDY & KERGAN

No other Medical Firm in the world has the established reputation for curing men and women that Drs. K. & K. enjoy. Their New Method Treatment, discovered and perfected by these Eminent Specialists, has brought joy, happiness and comfort to thousands of homes. With 30 years experience in the treatment of these diseases they can guarantee to Cure or No Pay—Eminent, Nervous Debility, Syphilis, Varicocele, Stricture, Gleet, Secret Discharge, Impotency, Sexual and Mental Weakness, Skin and Bladder Diseases. Their guarantee is backed by Bank Bonds.

MEN'S LIFE BLOOD

You may have a secret drain through the urine—that's the reason you feel tired out in the morning. You are not tired, your kidneys ache, you feel dependent on your medicine. Don't let your life blood be drained away. Drs. K. & K. guarantee to Cure or No Pay.

BLOOD POISON

Syphilis is the scourge of mankind. It may not be a crime to have it, for it may be inherited, but it is a crime to allow it to remain in the system. Like father, like son. Sufferers of Mercury and Potash treatment. Drs. K. & K. positively cure the worst cases or no pay.

VARICOCELE & STRICTURE

The New Method Treatment cures these diseases safely and surely. No pain—no suffering—no detention from business. Don't risk operation and ruin your sexual organs. The stricture tissue is absorbed and can never return. Drs. K. & K. guarantee to Cure.

Kidneys & Bladder

Don't neglect your kidneys. Your aching back tells the tale. Don't let Doctors experiment on you. Drs. K. & K. can cure your kidneys or not beyond human aid. Their guarantee to Cure or No Pay.

CURE GUARANTEED. NO CURE NO PAY. Consultation Free. Books sent Free, (subject to question Blank for Home Treatment). Everything Confidential.

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PRODUCE A QUICK, SURE LIGHT EVERYTIME.

By All First Class Dealers

For packing, BUTTER, LARD, HONEY, etc., use

Eddy Antiseptic Packages

GIVE US MEN.

Give us men!
Men from every rank,
Brave and free and frank;
Men of thought and reading,
Men of light and leading,
Men of faith and not of faction,
Men of lofty aim in action;
Give us men—I say again,
Give us men!

Give us men!
Strong and stalwart ones;
Men whom highest hope inspires,
Men whom purest honor fires,
Men who tramp self beneath them,
Men who make their country breathe them.

As her noble sons,
Worthy of their sires!
Men who never shame their mothers,
Men who never fail their brothers,
True, however false are others;
Give us men—I say again,
Give us men!

Give us men!
Men who when the tempest gathers,
Grasp the standard of their fathers
In the thickest of the fight;
Men who strike for home and altar,
Men who defend the weak and fatherless,
God defend the right!
True as truth, though lone and lonely,
Tender as the brave are only;
Men who tread where saints have trod,
Men for country and for God;
Give us men! I say again, again,
Give us men!

—The Bishop of Exeter.

BLAMES GERMANY

Cardinal Vaughan Says She and
Russia Roused the Rage
of China.

The Cardinal's Remarks are Supposed
to Have Been Inspired by
the Vatican.

New York, Dec. 18.—A despatch to the Journal from London, says: Cardinal Vaughan has issued a pastoral letter on the subject of the Chinese massacres, declaring that the political encroachments of European powers, especially Germany and Russia, are largely responsible for the recent uprisings. The cardinal's letter is supposed to be inspired by the Vatican.

"While the social upheaval of China was primarily a revolt against Christianity, its present phase was roused into activity by the encroachment of foreign powers, notably Germany and Russia, on Chinese territory, by the reactionary policy of the emperor, and by the encouragement given the native secret societies to combat the reforms promulgated by the emperor."

"The murder of two German missionaries in Shanghai being made a pretext for the seizure by Germany of a Chinese port shows how well the soil was prepared even antecedently to the present movement."

"The danger to which Christians in China are likely to be exposed in consequence of foreign aggression is so seriously realized by those interested in missions, and was pointed out in one of our church magazines, as far back as May, 1898."

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MEN OF MARK.

General Joseph Wheeler has been under fire 800 times and commanded in 290 battles.

Count von Waldersee especially prides himself on his fine collection of maps, which include complete charts of China and the Yangtze valley, compiled by Prussian officers.

Sir Maurice O'Rourke has just made a record in the annals of the legislative speaker by being elected for the eighth time to the chair of the New Zealand house of representatives.

Enthusiasm for music is leading the Earl of Dysart to make the rounds of his cottages and to present a piano to each family where he finds that any of the children show an aptitude for music.

William A. Clark of Montana is again in Paris buying pictures for his New York house. His family, by the way, belongs to the Clan Collie, and Mr. Clark traces his descent from the kings of Ulster.

Mr. Hedworth Williamson, the perpetrator of "The Tenth," a classical tragedy in blank verse, recently performed for one night only in London, has succeeded to his father's baronetcy. He is only 23 years of age.

Benjamin D. Silliman of New York, the oldest living graduate of Yale college, celebrated his ninety-fifth birthday and the seventy-first anniversary of his becoming a lawyer. Mr. Silliman is still in active practice at the bar.

Baron Edward Toll is the leader of the Russian expedition which is to start in 1901. It was he who established depots of provisions and other stores on the new Siberian islands for the use of the Nansen expedition.

Lester T. Garfield, the only brother of President Garfield, has enlisted in the regular army as a private and been assigned to the Seventh artillery, now stationed at Fort Grobel.

Who lives in Georgetown, Mich., consented to his act.

Ogden H. Fethers of Janesville, Wis., the new supreme chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, becomes greatly interested in receiving a letter addressed to H. Fethers.

His peculiarity in this respect is explained among his friends by relating the story of a wag who once referred to him as "Old Hen" Fethers.

The Duke of Westminster, the non-invested Lord Roberts, has been appointed second lieutenant in the Royal Horse guards. The duke went out to South Africa at an early stage of the conflict. He was obliged to his grandfather, but went back to the seat of war as soon as possible and has been acting as one of Lord Roberts' aids-de-camp.

Alexander Ramsey, the first territorial governor of Minnesota, is 85 years old and is as hale and hearty as many men of his age. He was a member of the ranks as one of the leading statesmen in Minnesota. He served first as mayor of St. Paul, then as governor of Minnesota territory, was second governor of the state, United States senator and secretary of war under President Hayes.

Gabriel Max, the painter, has received the degree of doctor of philosophy from the University of Jena in honor of his sixtieth birthday.

Budyard Kipling has been giving his views on American weather. "New England," he says, "would be of all spots in the world one of the best to live in if its climate did not make living there impossible."

St. Maurice, the French sculptor, has finished his statue of the late Alphonse Daudet, and it will be set up next spring in Paris. It is to be paid for by public subscription. The author is represented by a resting under the shade of an olive tree.

Already preparations are being made for the centenary celebration of Hans Christian Andersen's birth, which took place in 1805. An elaborate edition of his works, to be printed in five languages, including English, is to be issued under Danish government auspices.

Alexandre Volon, the still life painter, is dead from the after effects of a stroke. He was 67 years of age. The stroke he suffered in 1909. His last picture he sent to the Salon was rejected and was exhibited at the Salon des Refusés with Whistler's "Woman in White." He received the Grand Prix at the decennial exhibition this year.

Professor Starr of the University of Chicago expresses the belief that Americans will eventually revert to the aboriginal type.

The University of California announces courses of instruction in Japanese and Chinese, two of the most important of the languages which it has recently become desirable for Americans to learn.

President Gilman of Johns Hopkins University studies sociology not from books alone. He believes in seeing actual conditions and is thus no stranger to the poorer quarters of Baltimore, whither he goes often with notebook, open purse and many a kind word.

The school superintendents of old New York city recommend the abolition of vertical penmanship in the schools, claiming that it makes slow penmanship. This style has been very popular with professional teachers of penmanship for favored the slanting style.

A LITTLE BOUQUET.

One of the loveliest of the climatic family is C. paniculata, whose blossoms of small size and clear whiteness are counted by thousands. This variety does best on a woven wire trellis.

There is no bulb that is more desirable for early fall and winter flowering than freesia, that lovely yellow throated flower that adds the charm of fragrance to its beauty. Early planting is most desirable for two reasons—the bulbs ripen early and do better when planted early, and by planting a succession we can have bloom long before the other bulbs are prepared to furnish it.

WOMEN'S WAYS.

Women can fool the men, but they can't fool each other.—Athenian Globe.

Women are over the same. Eve shared the apple with Adam, but she took the first bite.—Chicago News.

It takes a woman a week to pack the trunk which she can unpack in 20 minutes.—Indianapolis Journal.

ODD MONEY IN MAINE.

THE OLD TIMERS STILL RECKON IN YORK SHILLINGS.

French Canadians insist that Dollars Be Translated Into French. Storekeepers at Oldtown Obligated to Keep Behind the Times.

Oldtown contains a larger transient population and a greater diversity of language than any other city in Maine. In the autumn, when the chrysanthemums are going to the woods, and again in midsummer, when the drives come out, the little city is filled with a babel of tongues that is not equaled anywhere in New England except in Fall River, Mass. These people not only talk in strange language, but they compute the prices of the goods they buy in denominations that are unfamiliar.—One evening a French Canadian walked into a crowded grocery store after a round of salt pork.

"You will to me sell 20 pounds of salt pork," said he in his best English.

"Yes," replied the trader. "Anything else?"

"No. Eet is pork that ah'm bin want. How much?"

"One dollar a pound—\$1.60 for the lot."

"Eight cents a pound? Oul, oul! How much heem be? Ah'm no comprehend. Voila!"

"Eight francs—ou, vraitment! Ah'm pay heem now," said the Frenchman. He took a dollar in paper and a 50 cent piece and a 10 cent piece in silver from his pocketbook and gave them to the trader, saying as he went out:

"Send heem oop."

Later in the evening an old farmer who was on his way home from Bangor to Argyle put his head in at the open door, saying:

"Let me have a pound of your 3 shilling tea."

"I'm sorry to say that I'm all out of 30 cent tea," replied the trader, "but I can sell you some that is a lot better for 62 cents."

"All right," said the farmer. "Make it three and ninepence. I guess I can stand it."

As the evening grew late and trade fell off the grocer lighted his pipe and sat down upon a stool back of his desk.

"It's queer about these two men," said he. "To hear 'em talk you'd think one was a native Frenchman and the other was a blooming Englishman; but they ain't. One was born in Quebec and has lived in Oldtown for more than 20 years. The other is of Plymouth rock stock and was born in the house where he now lives more than 80 years ago. They are both citizens and vote at every election. They are fairly well educated, too, but neither of them can talk United States when he comes to counting money. Both of them know all about our currency, so you can't cheat them for half a cent, but when they have to put the names of value into words they go away back for more than a century and talk the lingo of their forefathers. I humor their whims and get a good part of their trade, because if I talked shillings and pence to the farmer or francs and sous to the lumberman they'd quit me right away. Both of 'em seem to think they hold a monopoly on the outlandish lingo and resent any interference."

"What makes the business seem strange to me is that congress fixed upon dollars and cents as the standards of value more than 100 years ago, and not over 500 new Frenchmen have come over to Canada since Quebec was captured by Wolfe's troops in 1759, and yet both men cling to their old methods of talk as if it was the latest thing out. I rather think their children and grandchildren will have the same habit. What's bred in the bone is sure to come out in the flesh."

"The most troublesome case I ever had, and I've lots of them on my hands now, was an old fellow named Hall. He was Yankee born and Yankee bred, but he not only talked English money, but actually thought English money and cast his interest in pounds, shillings and pence. He was generally easy enough to get along with until he came to the shillings. Then unless you explained and specified in every item he went as mad as a hatter and refused to trade with you until you told him what he wanted to know. He was terribly down on what he called the 'York shilling'."

"You know when the states fixed the exchange value of an English shilling New York counted 8 shillings to a dollar, while all of the New England states made 6 shillings equal to a dollar. Right away after this the trouble began and continued hot for many years. All over New England a shilling was worth 16 2/3 cents, while its value in New York was only 12 1/2 cents, or a ninepence in New England money. Years ago when this old man Hall was skipper of a lumber schooner he had taken a cargo to New York and sold it for so many shillings, causing a loss of 25 per cent on the cargo, which ate up the profits and left the captain left in debt. He never got over it. Whenever anybody said York shilling to him, he flew in a rage and fairly frothed at the mouth. He had a shock during one of these fits and died the next day."

"Until the time of the civil war," said the grocer, "more than half of the people hereabout talked and thought in money of the English denominations. A dollar was generally called by its right name, but \$1.25 was always seven and six, and \$1.50 was 9 shillings."

"In many cases, such as three and ninepence and seven and ninepence, a cent was split in two, requiring the use of a half cent coin, in order to check the half cent habit the mint stopped coining half cents. But this practice went on the same as ever, the purchaser paid over the money retaining the half cent in every transaction. For example, if you owed me a ninepence, which was equivalent to 12 1/2 cents, you gave me 12 cents, which I squared the bill, but if you didn't have the exact change and passed me out a quarter of a dollar, I handed 12 cents back to you and kept 18 cents for myself. It was always a wise plan for a man to carry a lot of small change in his pocket when he went out among the men who talked shillings and pence."

"When the people began to get over their 'seven wars' and asked a bystander, 'Never, whole, I think,' was the deliberate answer. 'It takes longer to eradicate a habit than it does to acquire it. The English speaking race have talked \$1.25 for 100 shillings for more than 500 years. Some of us Americans will continue to talk it until the year 3000 or longer.'—Boston Globe.

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BY A BLOODHOUND

An Indian Murderer was Traced and a Double Lynching Followed.

Indianapolis, Dec. 18.—A special to the Sentinel, from Rockport, Indiana, says: Two negroes, "Jim" Henderson and "Bud" Rowlands, who waylaid, brutally murdered and robbed Hollie Simons, a white barber, early this morning, were lynched in the jail yard by a mob of 1,000 frenzied citizens last night. They best Simons to death on the street for the purpose of robbing him of \$10. Rowlands was traced by a bloodhound, and he implicated Henderson.

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WON THE CROSS OF THE LEGION OF HONOR FOR A WOMAN.

New York, Dec. 18.—A despatch to the Journal from Paris, says: The cross of the Legion of Honor has been conferred on Madame Herceff, wife of the Austrian chargé d'affaires in Pekin, for her heroic conduct and assistance to the French during the siege of the legation.

Only one other foreign woman has been thus decorated. She is Marie Schelleneck, a Belgian woman, who disguised her sex and joined Napoleon's army as a private soldier, and then a lieutenant. She served 17 years, went through 12 campaigns and was eight times wounded. Napoleon decorated her personally in 1808.

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"What was it?"

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Rev. J. H. Osterhout is visiting in the city.

Mrs. Wm. Bize was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital this afternoon, suffering with paralysis.

Milton Bogart left last evening for Kansas City, where he will be married on Wednesday Dec. 20, to Miss Mabel Merriam, a young lady well and popularly known in this city. Mr. Bogart is an excellent young man and a popular member of the Methodist church.

MORE ROBBERIES IN HARWICH.
The thieves are at their old tricks again in South Harwich. Sunday night they entered the barns of A. Armstrong, D. Hastings and W. Sterling, and relieved them of fifteen bushels of clover seed. Detective Campbell was notified and came up yesterday. He says it is going to round up the gang if it takes him six months.

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Redskins Sentence Tribesman For Killing a White Animal.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 18.—A young Indian near Grand Rapids, Lake Winnipeg, recently shot a moose almost entirely white and considered sacred by Indians. When the fact became known in his tribe there was great commotion, and he was tried by a council of medicine men. As a result he will have to undergo a series of punishments of a most cruel character which may cause death.

A WOMAN CONFESSES.

London, Dec. 18.—An extraordinary story of a woman's terrible secret, at last revealed, is wired from Ostend. Three Belgian workmen were tried about seven years ago and found guilty of having committed a series of crimes, among them the murder of an aged woman at Hautmont. Although they declared their innocence until the last moment, one of them was sentenced to imprisonment for life and the others were hanged.

Now a woman named Soumagne has just denounced her husband, who, she says, committed the crimes. When De Groot, one of the men executed, was being hanged, he caused some remission by saying: "You cannot tie all of me. You will not have my soul."

A BAD FAILURE.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 18.—The failure of Wm. Levaack, the big cattle dealer, whose estate is now being wound up by Assignee Clarkson, turns out to be one of the worst in the history of the trade. Mr. Levaack had liabilities of between \$30,000 and \$100,000, owing largely to old country farms, and large nominal assets in real estate. It is found that much of the real estate is heavily mortgaged, and that the assets will not be over \$1,800 or \$2,000. The highest possible dividend will be two cents on the dollar.

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MARRIAGE IS LEGAL.

Mrs. Deloit Refuses to Acknowledge Annulment by the Church.

Montreal, Dec. 18.—The judgment rendered by the Roman Catholic church authorities in Quebec last July declaring invalid the marriage of Mr. Albert Deloit and Miss Marie Jeanne Cote, has been confirmed by a decision of the Propaganda at Rome. Eight years ago Mr. Deloit, who is at present secretary of Lieut.-Governor Jette, and was then secretary of St. Adolphe Chapleau, married Miss Cote, a minister of the Unitarian church officiating. Three children have been born of the union. In March last Mr. Deloit asked the church authorities of the Diocese of Quebec to annul the marriage, alleging that the contracting parties being both of the Catholic faith, they could not legally be married by a Unitarian minister.

Madame Deloit refuses to recognize the decision of the court of Rome, contending that at the time of her marriage she was not a Roman Catholic. Mr. Deloit is now entering action before the civil court for a divorce.

Mrs. Deloit says she will carry her case before the Privy Council if the Canadian courts decide against her.

Latest Telegraph.

"Peter's pence" during the recent jubilee, the pope, amounted to no less than \$1,500,000.

The corporation of Woodstock has finally taken over the electric light plant from the company, the consideration being \$14,000.

It is reported that the Rev. G. B. Farthing, M. A., and his family, and a number of other missionaries were massacred in North China.

Rome has confirmed the decision of the Quebec religious authorities annulling the marriage of Albert Deloit with Miss Marie Jeanne Berthelme Cote, on the ground that both parties, being Roman Catholics, had no right to marry before a Protestant minister.

GOT OFF LIGHTLY.
Cape Town, Dec. 18.—The sentence imposed by the court at Colonsburg in the cases of the men convicted of treason are regarded as very lenient. Van Rensburg was sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment, and to pay a fine of £500. Roux was sentenced to two years and six months' imprisonment, Swart to one year and six months, Fowles to one year, and to pay a fine of £500. Joubert to one year and three months, and to pay a fine of £500, and Muller to one year and three months.

CLEMENTS' NARROW ESCAPE.
Johannesburg, Monday, Dec. 17.—Details of the defeat of the British at Noitgedad indicate that Gen. Clements' entire force had a narrow escape from annihilation. The Boer plans were splendidly laid. If the main British column had tarried a little longer there would have been a complete annihilation of the Boers, who were themselves undauntedly yelling and waving their arms. Their rushes were only stemmed by artillery. After the British retreat the Boers held a prayer meeting. Their hymns could be heard by the retreating British. All accounts indicate a heavy Boer loss. Col. Legge exhibited splendid bravery. He shot five Boers with his revolver before he fell with three bullets in his body.

BEER CAUSE HOPELESS.
London, Dec. 18.—The Times' Cape Town correspondent cables that Judge Melrose de Villiers has written a letter to a Victoria West paper, urging those who have the interests of the Dutch-speaking population at heart to put an end to the war. However much loved and valued the independence of the Free State may be, he writes, it is absolutely certain that the struggle on the part of the burghers is hopeless and useless. Judge de Villiers urges that the Dutch Reformed Church should act as peace-makers. The pamphlet by Mr. Botha, late member for Kroonstad in the Free State Parliament, entitled "From a Boer to Boers and Englishmen," has attracted much attention. Mr. Botha strongly denounces the Boer policy of betraying the State. He fully recognizes the grievous mistake of English policy in the past and says:—

"If you had sent a strong, capable man like Sir Alfred Milner years ago, he would have understood the situation, and the bloodshed might have been avoided."

Mr. Botha suggests that government by a partly nominated council would give time for wounds to heal before party politics are allowed to stir men's minds. The pamphlet altogether is a striking deliverance from a man of undoubted patriotism in the late republic.

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TRAMP'S HARD LOT.

Released From Prison in Canada He is Arrested in Buffalo.

Buffalo, Dec. 18.—George Corrigan, who was discharged from Central Prison, at Toronto, yesterday, turned up as a prisoner in Judge Rochester's court this morning on the charge of being a tramp. He had walked the streets all day yesterday, penniless, and late last night Patrolman Fletcher saw him shivering in a doorway, and after questioning him a few minutes, placed him under arrest on the charge of being a tramp. Corrigan was arraigned before Judge Rochester this morning, to whom he told the story, after which the judge said he would turn Corrigan over to Inspector Deberry for deportation from Canada.

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Every Person Expects a Christmas Gift

Now is the time to select your gifts, don't let the price deter you. Our varied assortment of Holiday Goods, in Linens, Fancy Table Covers, etc., cannot be excelled in the city, and at such low prices you can easily be suited.

Fancy Tapestry Covers
An excellent assortment of fresh, new goods, just arrived this week for the Xmas trade. A choice range of colors, assorted sizes.
6-4 size, heavy fringe.....\$1.65
8-4 size, heavy fringe.....1.50
8-4 size, special value.....2.25
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Chenille Covers at 50c, \$1, \$2 and.....2.50

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Applique/Centre Pieces—A big assortment, lots of open work, all sizes, price 7c, 10c, 12c, 20c, 30c, 38c, 50c, 65c, 85c and.....\$1.00
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Tucked Lawns
A new and fancy assortment of choice Tucked Apron Lawns just arrived, extra fine sheer cloth and wide widths, a very acceptable Xmas gift at per yard 17c, 20c, 25c, 30c and.....\$2.00

Table Linens
A look through our Christmas stock of Table Linens and fancy pattern cloths will certainly tempt you to purchase a table cloth for some one of your friends. We take great pleasure in showing our linens, so don't be afraid to come in and trouble us.

Wool Blankets
Where there is a lady that wouldn't accept a pair of fine warm Blankets for an Xmas gift, I guess she would be hard to find.
You should see the excellent quality we are selling at 50c a pound and all pure wool too—weights, 6, 7, 8 and 9 pounds.

Silk Waist Lengths
Select one of our silk waist lengths as your Xmas gift and you'll have the pleasure of knowing you are giving a good as well as a beautiful gift. You might pick from these without risk of error.
Waist lengths in pure silk quality, in handsome patterns or plain shades, very rich quality, each.....\$2.00

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In very special designs in checks and plaids, all pure silk, large assortment of patterns and colors, price for Xmas, each.....\$1.50
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Satin finished cotton Tapestries, fringed both ends, a \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.00
Heavy Repp Tapestries, heavily fringed, at \$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50 and \$7.00
Double faced silk Warwicks at \$12.50, \$15 and.....\$18.00
And of course Chenilles at \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$5 and.....\$6.50

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10 pos. new evening shades, extra fine sheer, soft finished Organdies, colors blue, cardinal, three shades of pink, helio, canary, light blue, white, black and blue, reg. 35c value, to clear at per yd.....25c
6 patterns, Costume Muslins, fancy, open lace stripes, suitable for waist and dresses, very special value at per yd.....12c
10 pos. striped and dotted Swiss Muslins for curtains, nice, fine, soft sheer material, special value per yd.....12c

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New designs in Silk Chair Drapes in all the popular light shades, at 25c, 50c, 75c and.....\$1.00
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SALTED ALMONDS, 5c an ounce.
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FANCY BISCUITS, 15c and 20c a lb.
CHRISTMAS CRACKERS, 25c to 75c a box.
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THE DISTRICT.

BLENHEIM.

Dec. 18.—Miss L. Elliott, Ridgetown, spent Sunday with Miss A. Samson, McRae street, and met last night.

The skating rink was opened Saturday night and many of our young people took it in.

A large number of members of the I. O. O. F. attended the funeral of their late Brother Jenner yesterday afternoon at Pardo's burying ground.

DRESDEN.

Dec. 18.—Don't fail to attend Christ Church Xmas entertainment to-morrow night, Wednesday, Dec. 19th.

W. Smith, of Sarnia, was in town yesterday, attending the funeral of his niece, the late Miss Josie Smith.

Andrew McCag, of the 9th con. Gore of Camden, died Sunday night, of typhoid fever.

Thomas Wees fell from his wagon yesterday, and broke his arm.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. C. P. Forrester, who had her arm broken some time ago, is improving.

TILBURY.

Dec. 18.—Tilbury East council met yesterday.

Miss Drew, of Raleigh, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Coutts.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Johnston are entertaining a large number of their friends this evening.

The seats for the new English church have arrived from Walkerville and are very handsome.

Village council met last night.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnston's drug store.

WALLACEBURG.

Dec. 18.—Mr. Fothergill, of the Bank of Montreal staff, spent a short time in Chatham last week.

Miss Treise, of Dresden, is the guest of Mrs. A. Gordon.

The lecture given in the Methodist Church last Wednesday evening by Stanley McKinnon Brown was thoroughly appreciated by attentive, enthusiastic audience.

Miss Hattie Riely, of Mootown, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Andrew McCarron.

Dec. 18.—Ward Williams, who has been sailing all season is the guest of his brother-in-law, El. McDougall.

Miss Irene Treise, of Dresden, is the guest of Mrs. Aaron Gordon, this week.

Miss Maud Johnston, who is attending college in Chatham, was home over Sunday.

The skating on the river now is excellent, and the young people are taking advantage of it.

The steamer R. C. Brittain is fast in the ice about three miles from here.

The steamer Collee is plowing its way down the North Branch, where she is frozen in.

Mrs. Joseph London is visiting in Florence this week.

Willie Barrett, of Glenora, is visiting at his home here.

MORPETH.

Colin Rokey, of the Erie House, was recently Magistrate McKinley, of Ridgetown, on three charges.

On the charges of selling after hours and of allowing gambling in his house he was acquitted, but for having the curtain drawn in his bar-room the fine of \$10 was imposed.

On the little son of John Coll, who has been ill with malaria fever for some time, is now down with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Thuy Kent, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. W. Richardson, Lynn Lodge.

We are pleased to state that Ralph Gardner is able to be out after being confined to the house for a month from the effects of a fall.

Wm. Smith, across the creek, who was drilling for gas, didn't succeed in finding it but secured a fine flow of water.

Will Gaff, son of Alex. Gaff, Talbot street, has been suffering from an attack of inflammation of the stomach.

A Christmas tree and concert will be held on Friday evening, 21st inst., in connection with our village school in the A. O. U. W. hall.

On old fashioned quilting bee will be held on Wednesday afternoon in the Methodist church. On Friday evening the ladies of the church will give a pancake social.

HUFFMAN'S CORNERS.

Mrs. Geo. Rishborough has gone to Chatham for the holidays.

Mrs. Vance is visiting in Stratford.

Mrs. Foran, of Saginaw, Mich., is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Gales, of the 10th Con.

Hugh Morrow has moved his corn husker and shredder to Montgomery's, down the river, where he expects to have work for some time.

Mrs. Baker and family, of Michigan, are visiting her father, Thomas Mosey, of the Communication road. Mr. Mosey is very poorly.

The annual Bible Society meeting is to be held here Wednesday evening.

The corn husking machines are all busy at work.

Industry is fortune's right hand, and frugality her left.

HELEN KELLER SPOKE

Famous Blind, Deaf Mute Amazed Her Fellow Students In Boston.

Boston, Dec. 17.—Helen Keller, the deaf, blind and hitherto dumb student, at Radcliffe College, recently astonished and delighted the freshman class, of which she is vice-president, by making a short address. It was at the class luncheon in Fay Hall, and Helen, who has recently become able to make sounds, which can be understood by those familiar with her, responded when called on by the chairman.

She spoke only a few words in a low, unmodulated voice, which did not lack in strength, and was even more impressive to this point she has mastered but comparatively few words, but Miss Sullivan, her constant companion and guardian, can now understand her quite readily, as can others who have become accustomed to her.

Miss Keller, who is now 19 years old, shows a steady improvement in her new and wonderful accomplishment. Even those who know her and her remarkable mental capacity, express astonishment at the head-way she is making.

Every day she has long conversations in her own way with Miss Sullivan, who sometimes ago could understand her only from the movement of the lips. Now she takes up words and sentences and repeats them until she improves in tone and modulation.

Miss Keller is an eager student. All her time is taken up with her studies, which include French, English and history.

GOOD REASON FOR IT.

The Success and Popularity of the New Catarrh Cure.

The remarkable success and popularity of the new catarrh cure, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, is largely due to the fact that not only cures catarrh, but because catarrh sufferers who use these tablets know what they are taking into their systems; no secret is made of what they contain. They are composed of Hydrastin, bismut, guaiac and red gum, are pleasant to the taste and being dissolved in the mouth, they take immediate effect upon the mucous lining of the throat, nasal passages and the whole respiratory tract.

The cures that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets have accomplished in old chronic cases are little short of remarkable, and the advantage of knowing just what you are taking into your system is of paramount importance when it is remembered that the extreme or morphia habit has been frequently contracted as the result of using secret catarrh remedies, as so many of them are well known to contain these injurious drugs.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets meet with the approval and cordial support of physicians because their antiseptic character renders them perfectly safe for the general public to use and their composition makes them a common sense cure for all forms of catarrhal trouble.

With nearly all advertised catarrh cures it is a matter of guess work as to what you are taking into the stomach, as the proprietors, while making all sorts of claims as to what their medicines will do, are very careful to keep it a close secret as to what they really contain.

This is one reason why Stuart's Catarrh Tablets have been so widely recommended, because they are not only pleasant and convenient to take, but the patient also knows he is not putting into his stomach anything of an injurious character.

These tablets are sold by druggists everywhere in the United States and Canada at 50 cents for complete treatment and probably there is no better remedy ever devised for the permanent cure of catarrh whether located in the head, throat, bronchial tubes or in the stomach.

SHOULD WATCH MICHIGAN.

Dr. Bryce, the Provincial medical health officer, is carefully watching the progress of the small-pox outbreak in Michigan. He does not feel at all satisfied with the style of the reports sent out by the neighboring state.

Dr. Bryce, with many other physicians, believes that the Dominion authorities should do a little more than they do are at present to prevent the disease coming into Canada. The Dominion has quarantined officers stationed to prevent lumbermen bringing the disease into Canada from Minnesota.

An officer to make a trip through Michigan and look into the outbreak and its virulence, the Provincial authorities think, would be a good move.

What's Your Face Worth?

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, all signs of Liver Trouble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills give Clear Skin, Rosy Cheeks, Rich Complexion. Only 25c. at A. I. McCall & Co.'s drug store.

A PLAGUE OF TYPHOID.

Toronto, Dec. 18.—From a letter received at the parliament buildings, it appears that a serious state of affairs exists in Michipicoten, Ont.

Typhoid is said to be raging and some 125 patients are reported to have been taken from the place while other cases exist there now. Several deaths are reported. The Provincial Board of Health state that they have received no reports from Michipicoten.

For Christmas and New Year Holidays, W. E. Risping, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, 115 King street, will issue return tickets at single fare to points in Canada, Dec. 22nd to 25th, returning 26th, and Dec. 30th to 1st of January, returning Jan. 2, and at fare and one-third, Dec. 21st to 24th, returning 25th, and Dec. 29th to Jan. 1st, returning Jan. 3rd; and will also sell at fare and one-third return tickets to points in Central Passenger Association Territory west of Detroit, Dec. 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th and 31st and Jan. 1st, good returning until Jan. 2nd. Also special excursion rates to teachers and students for the holidays.

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ATTEMPT FOILED.

Socialists Wanted to Get After Dr. Yusuf Persecutors

By Excluding Forgers and False Witnesses from the Provisions of the Amnity Bill.

Paris, Dec. 18.—In the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, during the debate of the Amnity bill, M. Vazeille, Radical Socialist, proposed an amendment excluding forgers and false witnesses from its provisions.

The Premier, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, replied that the effect of the amendment would be to stir up the whole Dreyfus affair again and the Republican party would find itself confronted by perils it would be unpardonable to renege.

Ex-Premier Meline, Republican, was here allowed to make an explanation with reference to M. Breton's assertions, during the debate of December 13, that the Italian ambassador warned M. Meline of the Henry forgery.

M. Meline said it was the rule in all countries that in cases of espionage the word of a foreign ambassador did not suffice.

The Chamber then voted confidence in the Premier by the rejection of the amendment, the vote standing 341 to 80.

CALIFORNIA EXCURSION.

Every day in the year the Chicago, Union Pacific and North Western Lines run through first-class Pullman and Tourist sleeping cars to points in California and Oregon. Personally conducted excursions from Chicago to San Francisco and Los Angeles and Portland every Thursday. Lowest rates. Shortest time on the road. Finest scenery. Inquire of your nearest ticket agent or write for latest Tourist folder and information to R. H. Bennett, General Agent, 2 King St., East, Toronto, Ont.

AT THE THEATRE.

DREW A BIG HOUSE.

Marks Bros., the popular theatrical troupe, opened a week's engagement at the Grand Opera House last evening.

The theatre was crowded to the doors and standing room was at a premium. The company is stronger than ever, and the specialties are particularly good. That popular actress, Esther Evans, is still with the company, and her dancing and singing is just as cute and irresistible as ever.

Her appearance last evening was warmly greeted and her every turn was warmly applauded. Chris Allen, another old favorite, is just as entertaining as ever with his amusing skits and step dancing. The play last evening was The Sultan's Daughter, and it was well put on. The stage setting and scenery was particularly fine. Tom Marks, the great Canadian comedian, furnished plenty of laughter as Mike the Irish servant. Mr. Marks is exceedingly funny, and his appearance on the stage always provides plenty of food for laughter. The company will give another of their popular continuous performances to-night, and each successive night throughout the week. It is wonderful how this company draws popular support, but it certainly gives great value for the money.

TO CURE ACID IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Brown Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

The Holiday Season

If your tailor has done rightly by you the holiday season will be doubly joyous. No matter what the occasion the man whose clothes fit badly is never just the happy being it was intended he should be.

Morley & Co.,

Leading Tailors

Gordon's Christmas Chimes

Christmas is at hand again with its unselfish happy plannings, merry whispered secrets, sly dodging to quite corners, smiles upon smiles and smothered laughter, snatches of old songs, fat mysterious stockings, trees blazing with glory, hearts dancing with love, eyes shining with joy, yet sometimes filled with memories' tears—such is Christmas. Presents for the boys and girls, and the blessed babies, sweet sixteens, big brothers and sweethearts, for fathers and mothers, dear old grand-mas and grand-pas, uncles, aunts, cousins and old batchelors—Cheer them every one with a present from our large stock and our low prices.

MISS CATHCART

For Xmas trade will sell Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats at 1/2 and 1/3 off. Widow's Dress Caps for presents. Tips and Wings at 1/2 price.

Waist Silks and Silk Waists

A table of fancy silks, reg. values 38c, 40c, 50c and 60c per yd. 25c
20 per. fancy waist silk, reg. value 75c and \$1, at per yd. 50c
SILK WAISTS, MANUFACTURERS
SAMPLES of fine tafetta silk waists, 1/2 reg value, a beautiful Xmas Box sure.

Handkerchiefs

Children's colored bordered 2c to 5c
Ladies' plain hemstitch and lace bordered 12c to 15c
Ladies' initial cambric handkerchiefs, at 12c
Ladies' initial linen handkerchiefs, at 15c
Ladies' fancy embroidered special 25c
Ladies' initial cambric handkerchiefs, at 12c
Ladies' fancy lace handkerchiefs from 25c to 50c
Gents' Cambric Handkerchiefs, from 5c
Gents' Linen Handkerchiefs, from 10c
Gents' Hemstitch Linen Handkerchiefs, from 15c to 25c
Gents' Initial Lawn Handkerchiefs, at 25c
Gents' Initial and Hemstitch Silk Handkerchiefs, from 25c to 50c

Purses, satchels, shopping bags, chateleine bags, chain purses, etc.
Ladies' Belts, everything in this line you can desire from 25c to \$1.
Hose supporters, garters, elastic notions.

Specials

Combs—Pompadour combs, side and back combs, fine and course combs, hair and tooth brushes.
Belt buckles, scarf and hat pins, broaches, cuff buttons, etc.
Wide fancy ribbons for belts, cushion frills, sashes, etc., per yd., 10c.
Babies' bonnets, hoodies, tucks tams, etc., from 25c to 50c.
Dolls—handsome dolls, 5c, 10c, 25c

Furs!

Full description would require an extra edition of this paper, we will quote prices and particulars when you visit us, new goods daily.
Special Seal Jackets from \$25.00 to \$45.00
Astrachan Jackets, specials and samples, 22, 24, 27, 30, 34, 36 in. long.

Astrachan Capes, from 27 to 30 in. long.
Sable Collarettes and Capelines, with muffs to match.
Electric Seal Ruffs, collars and muffs.
Astrachan Ruffs, collars and muffs.
Combination and Fancy Furs.

Ladies' and Children's Gauntlets of all kinds.

Jackets and Tailored Suits

When buying for another bring the true measure, we can do the rest, and if we miss it we can change it.
Tailored Suits, from \$4.75 to \$6.75, lined or unlined jacket, best of linings and trimmings, nothing slighted.
Separate Skirts, traveler's samples, no two alike, at less than the price of the materials.
—\$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98.

Dress Goods

We are noted for the largest, best assorted, most fashionable stock of black and colored Dress Goods in the city and at economical prices, with a dress lining and trimming department to match. We could say more, but a visit will convince you best.

Fine French Flannels and American imitations, fine silk and wool plaids. These are the kind for a ladies' waist for presents. A new dress pattern, either in wool or silk, is a thrilling Xmas box. We have them from \$1.50 to \$4.50 and \$6.00 in wool, and from \$5.00 up in silk.

Fancy Knit Shawls for Xmas, sample lot at from 50c to \$3.00, 1/2 to 1/3 below regular prices.

Kid Glove Attractions

At 50c a good line from broken lot of \$1.00 and 75c goods, all sizes.
75c Le Chateau lawn laced kids, bargain.
\$1.00 Fowne's celebrated Kid Gloves, with black and white fancy backs.
\$1.00 white Kid Gloves, all sizes, black or white, stitched backs.
\$1.00 white Kid Gloves, all sizes, stitched back.
\$1.25 Jammets Daphne, black or colored fancy stitched backs.
\$1.45 Trocadero Peque, stitched back.
\$1.50 party Kid Gloves, all lengths.
Gents' Gloves, fine inocha knit linings \$1.50 and 20c.
Silk lined fine mocha Gloves 25c and 75c.
Lined Kid Gloves, all sizes, \$1.00 and 75c.
Kangaroo and kid unlined Gloves \$1.50, \$1.00 and 75c.
Men's fine black wool Mitts 40c.
Men's fur and imitation Gauntlets from \$1.00 to \$2.00.

Men's Furnishings

Neckties—A fine exhibit of Neckwear 15c, 20c and 25c.
Neckwear, full assortment 25c and 75c.
Black satin Chest Sticks, silk lined, for ladies and gentlemen. \$1.00.
Braces, a large variety 20c, 25c and 50c.
Fine Underwear of every description, from heavy cotton goods at 25c up to wool 35c, 50c, 75c, finest imported wool \$2.00.

Umbrellas, Ladies' and Gents'

For presents \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9, \$10, \$12, \$15, \$20, \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40, \$45, \$50, \$60, \$70, \$80, \$90, \$100.

Rain Proof Coats for ladies' and Gents'.
Long Rugs, beauties, \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$2.00.
Ladies' elderdown Dressing Jackets, special values \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.
Fancy German Flannel Shirt Waists, all sizes, at 50c.

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And order your fall Suit and Overcoat. We are ready for you with an exceptionally choice range of this season's novelties. \$1.00 and \$16 suits for \$12. Overcoats at \$15, \$17, \$19 and \$21.00. These special prices will last until Christmas. Order now from our choice selection.

Lemon & Avechouser.

WHAT WILL THE CHATHAM LADIES DO!

A large number of prominent Windsor ladies gathered in No. 5 armory on Saturday afternoon to take steps to give the Windsor soldiers a fitting welcome when the remainder of the contingent arrives from the South African war. A committee was appointed to solicit subscriptions to purchase a present for each veteran, and it will be decided at a future meeting what kind of a souvenir shall be procured. There will be a banquet tendered to the boys on January 1 in the Masonic banqueting hall.

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VOLUNTARY.

Sorrow and pity had clutched my heart,
Lashed its chords to their infinite chain.
They watched, dull-eyed, as I sat apart,
A pallid face at the gates of pain.

Torturing thoughts from an empty past
Barged within, like a hurrying pack
Of hungry wolves which before the blast
Fretted the snow in the beaten track.

Colder than where they gibber and glide
My future beckoned across life's way;
I turned and shivered and crept to hide
Where ruined hope on my heartlands lay.

When, lo, a presence! I saw him stand
Rapt and smiling, a dimpled child,
Draw near and eyes me, with outstretched hand,
"Catch me who will! I am free and wild!"

He took my fingers the damp had chilled
To his little mouth's wailing breath;
He touched my hair that the night had filled
With wail, wet drops of despair and death.

Round my heart he threw warm red wine,
Bound and pulled me with artful grace;
Subtly sweet with imperious poses
He clasped me close in his soft embrace.

Trembling, frightened, with feet that stumbled,
"Tell me thy name, oh, thou pretty boy!"
He laughed at my voice that fear had humbled,
"Ho, foolish coward, my name is Joy!"

—Julien Gordon in Collier's Weekly.

The Way Some Men Love

The Story of a Man's Sacrifice.

By Elizabeth Vose.

"She'll be hard to tether, Kitty will."

"I'll be like lassoing a butterfly, an I

low as the man as can do it ain't ap-

peared in camp yet," said Joe Bartlett

meditatively. "As for me, I ain't got

the show of a chance. How in thunder

can I expect a dainty little girl like

Kitty to care for a rough, ignorant

feller like me?"

He took the pipe from his mouth and

knocking the ashes from it, filled it

carefully, but it was evident that his

"Can't even speak grammar as I'd

ot to," he muttered with disgust. "But

they ain't nothing I wouldn't do for

Kitty—Lord love her—even to studying

a grammar book."

Joe was modest. He had no self

esteem whatever and undervalued his

merits. That so remarkable a creature

as Kitty should ever love him was to

be considered only as a matter of

impossibility. If his love became hope-

ful, he reviled himself and blushed at

his temerity.

Yet Joe was foreman of the new mine

at Clear Creek camp and the most im-

portant man in the place.

"No, the man ain't arrived yet," con-

tinued Joe, "an when he does"—he

turned a little pale—"when he does

God help Joe Bartlett!"

That evening, as was his habit, Joe

was at Amos Carter's cabin. There

were two reasons why he liked to

spend an evening with Carter—he en-

joyed swapping yarns with him over

their pipes and Kitty happened to be

Carter's daughter. Kitty never sus-

pected his love. Joe knew that she did

not return it, and he was not a man to

wear his heart on his sleeve. If any

one had asked her about her opinion of

him, she would have confessed frankly

that she was almost as fond of him as

of her father.

In the midst of a story of the plains

which he was telling for the twentieth

time there was a loud rap on the door.

Carter went to open it. A stranger

stood on the threshold, a tall, slender

man, dressed in a suit, wearing the

garb of a city-bred man.

"Is this Mr. Carter's place?" he asked.

"That's my name, young feller. Will

you come in?"

"I was told," said the newcomer as

he complied with the invitation, "that

I should find Mr. Bartlett here."

Joe came forward and offered his toll

hardened hand to the stranger.

"You are Mr. Amos," the superintendent

of the mine said. "I wrote me you

were coming up for a spell, but I didn't

know you'd see me till the next stage.

I am glad to see you, sir," he said

heartily.

A certain indifference or indolence

which seemed habitual vanished from

the young man's face and manner. He

held out his hand frankly.

"Thank you. I have come to rusti-

cate. I have a bad reputation at home.

It arises from the fashion of others,

according to the order 'tinker, tailor,

soldier, sailor, rich man, poor man,

beggar man, thief." Sometimes 'apo-

thecary, piousboy," came in. The first

time after my ordination that I went

into Sunday school I noticed one little

boy counting the buttons on my cas-

sock from the bottom upward. His

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Whence such phrases as 'Dash my

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'He's got all his buttons on?' It is re-

lated of some North American red men

that they refused to listen to the teach-

ing of an English missionary because

he could not readily explain the exist-

ence of buttons on the back of his coat

where they were of no use. Also there

is the case of the Frenchman who

committed suicide because life was all

buttoned and unbuttoned." As for

their significance, we may instance the

buttons of the mandarins and the sad

history of Sir Walter Scott's school-

fellow, whose wife went wool gather-

ing when he missed the familiar but-

ton.—Notes and Queries.

A Country of Clear Water.

About one-half of southern Alaska is

water. The inlets and bays are so

numerous as to be one of the wonders

of the world. Both the salt water and

fresh water are remarkably clear. Fish

and other marine animals may be seen

to the depth of 20 and 30 feet beneath

the surface of the water. There are

no sandy beaches and no tide flats.

The water comes down the water's

edge. The waters are so cold that

fish as well as shellfish are good

throughout the year.—Kansas City

Journal.

Joe Bartlett had just left the office

and was on his way to the mine. Look-

ing up, he saw Kitty's flying figure

speeding toward him. He knew at

once that something was wrong. She

was breathless, her lips were blanched

and her eyes wild with terror.

"Kitty, what is it? Anything wrong

at the mines?" he asked anxiously.

"She caught her arm to steady herself.

"There's been a slide!" she gasped,

"and Clay!"

A sob choked her voice, and the ag-

ony in her face went to Joe's heart like

a knife stab. His face whitened.

"Is Clay anything to you, Kitty?" he

asked huskily.

"Everything—all the world to me,"

moaned Kitty. "My heart will break

if he dies!"

Joe clasped her trembling fingers

from his arm.

"Please heaven we won't let him

die, dear," he said gently, and a mo-

ment of peace came over him.

How the men worked to reach the

death trap where six of their com-

rades were entombed until, exhausted,

they were compelled to fall back, while

others filled their places! How one

man, tireless and determined, kept al-

ways at the head, never resting for a

moment. To tell this would make a

story of itself.

Joe Bartlett inspired everybody and

cheered and encouraged the despairing

crowd that gathered about the entrance

of the mine, and when, after hours of

hard work, the last dividing wall of

earth was penetrated and an opening

made large enough for a man to enter,

it was Joe Bartlett who, with no

thought of his own danger, climbed

through into the chamber beyond and

one by one lifted the half dead to re-

store to those waiting on the outside to

rescue them.

Young Ames had been farthest back

and was the last to be rescued. He

was very weak, but he waved his hand

feebly to the cheering crowd as Joe

lifted him back to life and safety.

Through the opening in the wall of

earth the excited, shouting crowd had

a glimpse of a grimy, radiant face—Joe

had caught sight of Kitty when there was

a sickening sound as of muffled thunder,

a horrible underground groaning, fol-

lowed by a crash. A second slide had

occurred and Joe Bartlett was buried

beneath it.

For a second or two the crowd was

awed into silence by the awfulness of

the tragedy and then a cry of horror

burst from a hundred throats. Women

screamed and men grew white and

covered up their eyes as if thus they

might shut out the memory of the

brave face that but a moment before

had smiled at them from his grave.

It was hopeless from the first.

Yet never did men work more hero-

ically than the miners of Clear Creek

camp for the next 12 hours to reach

their comrade. Rough men most of

them were, but they cried like babies

when at last Joe's crushed body was

lifted from under the debris and the

light of day fell upon his unconscious

face.

They carried him to his own cabin

and laid him upon the bed. The brav-

est man in Clear Creek camp had given

his life for his comrades, and the en-

tire camp was in mourning.

Moonlight flooded the cabin where

Joe lay. The smile which had illumi-

nated his face in the last moment of

his life still rested upon it. Two peo-

ple—a man and a girl—stood beside

him. The young man's arm was about

the girl's face, and her face was hid-

den upon his breast.

"He was so good," she sobbed. "He

did for your sake and mine!"

"Yes, dear," said Amos gently, "he

was the best and bravest man I have

ever known." His arm tightened about

her slender waist. "I am glad," he

said huskily, "that he did not have a

sweetheart."

"It would have killed her," whisp-

ered Kitty, laying her head wet cheek

against her lover's face. "But Joe did

not care for women. I am sure he nev-

er loved any one."

And they never knew, for eternal sil-

ence had kissed the dead man's lips.—

San Francisco Examiner.

Counting Buttons.

In my early school days (1855-60) in

Yorkshire we counted one another's

buttons, after the fashion of others,

according to the order 'tinker, tailor,

soldier, sailor, rich man, poor man,

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Christmas Shopping

The three most perplexing problems regarding Christmas buying are "where," "when" and "what" to buy. We can aid your solving of all three. No better place for honest value and new merchandise in large variety than right here with us.

Earlier purchases are made the better, assortments are larger, attention better, the hurry of the near days to Christmas is avoided. Take the following as a convenient hand book and guide when looking for gifts, it will aid you greatly.

Christmas Gloves

We planned to have this glove stock in perfect assortment at Christmas time, the most acceptable Christmas gift is a pair of gloves. You like to be sure of the quality of gloves you give as a present. A guarantee goes with every pair that goes out of here.

Ladies' Kid Gloves in black and a full assortment of colors, at per pair, \$1.00
Ladies' Mocha Gloves, very stylish for street wear, at per pair, \$1.38

Children's Kid Gloves

In all the newest shades, at per pair, 75c

Handkerchiefs

Handkerchiefs, hemmed, all trimmed with lace in each corner, worth 15c, for, 8c
Handkerchiefs, linen centres, lace trimmed, worth 35c, for, 15c

Silks

You'll not go astray by making a lady a present of a Waist Length of silk. A few of the kinds that are here—

Peau-de-Seie in black, at per yd. from \$1.00 to \$2.15

Taffeta in colors brown and pink, at per yd., \$1.00

Peau-de-Chena, in cardinal, mauve, pink and blue, at per yd., 60c

Grograin in colors brown, scarlet, pink and blue, at per yd., 75c

Twill, in colors, brown, green, white, mauve, cardinal, mauve and lemon, at per yd., \$1.00

Also some exclusive designs in Waist Lengths only.

Black Taffetas at per yd. 60c, 75c and \$1.00

Dress Goods

An exclusive Dress or Skirt Pattern will please the most of the ladies, and if your thoughts are along these lines you can't do better than visit this Dress Goods section. Exclusive dress stoffs are one of the striking features of this department, and although exclusive, yet as far as the design and material goes they are the newest on the market.

Wm. Foreman & Co.

Chatham's Millinery Store

For Saturday

One table trimmed Hats, very stylish, good trimmings, worth from \$3.00 for, \$1.75
One table trimmed Hats, worth from \$2.00 to \$2.75, for, 1.50
Hats, worth from \$1 to \$1.50, for, 57

C. A. COOKSLEY, Opp. Market

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

Park Lot 4, Park Avenue, 10 acres on which there is a large residence with all modern improvements, a conservatory and grange, extensive stables and outbuildings, orchards and ornamental park grounds, garden and forest.

Part of lot 94, O. S., adjacent to the post office, having a front on King street, of 27 feet more or less, also part of lot 33 O. S., fronting on Fourth street, and adjacent to the Rankin House, on which there is a double tenement brick building.

Terms—One-third purchase money down, balance, on time at interest to suit purchaser, secured on the property sold. For further particulars apply to Messrs. Atkinson & Atkinson, Chatham, Dec. 1st, 1900.

Dec. 4-11-18-25

REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE AND

BROKER'S OFFICE.

OR SALE—To Close an Estate.
9 paid-up shares of Chatham Loan & Savings Co. Inquire of

F. Marx

Property for Sale

We are instructed to sell that desirable city property, Lots Twelve and Thirteen, west side of Lacroix Street. On lot Twelve is a modern dwelling and barn, and is planted with fruit and ornamental trees. Will be sold in One or Two parcels.

SCANE, HOUSTON, STONE & SCANE

Nov. 30th, 1900.

New Ideas in American Collars every week at The 2 T's.

RAILROAD EXCORATED

But the Coroner's Jury Recommend Gates for That Dangerous Tilbury Crossing.

Special to The Planet.

Tilbury, Dec. 18.—A coroner's inquest was held yesterday to enquire into the death of Adolphe King, who was killed on Saturday evening at the M.C.R. crossing. Dr. Bray, of Chatham, presided. The railroad was exonerated from all blame, with a rider recommending the erection of gates and the placing of a watchman there to attend it.

Coroner Bray held the inquest, at the Free Library. William Marshall, of Tilbury, was the first witness. He saw the accident. The electric bell at the crossing was ringing and the train whistled, but he didn't notice whether the engine bell was ringing or not. (Witness Mayhew also saw the express strike, the buggy. Clovis Jacques stated that King had left his (Jacques') shop, 30 feet from the track a few seconds before the accident.

Engineer William Cooper, of the express said he didn't see the buggy till the engine struck it. The automatic bell on the engine was ringing. The fireman, L. J. Arden, the conductor, H. B. Padden, of Buffalo, John Anderson, of Tilbury, Albert Stenson, of Tilbury, W. R. Veale, Dr. Mulligan, Dr. Sharpe and Arthur A. Wilson, all

gave accounts of the accident.

The jury returned the following verdict: That we find that Adolphe King, of Tilbury East, came to his death by being struck by train No. 16, M. C. R. going east on the evening of Dec. 15, 1900.

The coroner's jury, in addition to the verdict drafted the following recommendation: This jury would further call the attention of the company of the M. C. R., to their failure in responding to a former resolution passed by the council of the Village of Tilbury on the recommendations of the coroner's jury, and would again strongly urge that said company take immediate steps to give proper protection by placing gates at Queen street crossing, Tilbury; also the evidence adduced shows clearly that the present electric bell used for protection is altogether inadequate to protect the travelling public.

The jury were: Joseph Wilson, foreman; J. H. Magee, John Foreman, James R. Stuart, A. A. Lang, Elmer Lang, Fred Lee, A. A. Coutts, Thomas Anderson, C. L. Caries, Wm. Campbell, John F. Johnston, and H. Callwood.

NATURAL GAS GIVING OUT.

The Canadian Fields Apparently Nearly Exhausted.

Large Consumers in Detroit Biting Cut Off—What the Company Says.

Detroit, Dec. 18.—Henry D. Walbridge, general manager of the gas company, stated yesterday that notices had been sent to all the large consumers of natural gas, requesting them to discontinue its use as fuel at once.

"There is some trouble in the pipe line from Canada," said Mr. Walbridge, "that has resulted in a drop in the pressure. Whether it is from some stoppage or from the pipes being frozen by the cold, we do not know, but we do not know, but we do not want to take any chances. We have about 5,000 consumers of natural gas and only about 50 of these are people who use it as fuel for large boilers. I do not anticipate any trouble, and if there should be any in the near future, the cutting off of the large consumers would leave a full supply to the smaller ones."

"Some of the latter have already become alarmed and have told me that they contemplated changing their furnaces and stoves at once so that they could return to the use of coal as fuel. I am positive that the action we have taken to prevent any trouble to the small consumer, and the majority of those whom we have notified have expressed themselves as being willing to give up the use of gas."

One big store on warehouse street will use up as much gas in a month as will 250 or 300 small houses, and the action of the gas company has been taken with a view to protect the interests of the largest number. It will be remembered that several years ago the natural gas mains failed to develop the desired pressure and many people were at that time compelled to give up the use of gas for fuel in the middle of winter. This time the company prefers to take steps toward the prevention of such inconvenience.

SAVES THE EUCARIST

Church Was Burning and Father Spigardi Risked His Life For the Host.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 18.—Father Spigardi risked his life yesterday to save the Holy Eucharist from destruction in his burning church. The eucharist almost cost his life. He was rescued by the firemen after he had fallen unconscious in the middle of the church. In his hands he still clasped the ciborium containing the Eucharist.

The church was filled with smoke and flames when the priest arrived from his pastoral residence. He entered the structure boldly, wrapping his cloak about his head. He had obtained the object of his search, but was unable to retreat, as the heat had become intense and the smoke had filled his lungs. Pressing the ciborium close to his breast he attempted to escape, but was overwhelmed.

The firemen learning that the priest was in the church, entered and rescued him. He soon recovered.

Muscular Rheumatism, produced by exposure, if neglected, develops into the chronic form with almost incredible rapidity. South American Rheumatic Cure is a quick-acting, safe, simple and harmless cure, acts directly on the system, not a liniment to temporarily deaden pain. An internal treatment that will absolutely cure most acute forms in from one to three days.—114

Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

A Druggist Couple—A pair of \$3.50 Slater Shoes and a \$2.50 Barrington Hat. The 2 T's.

HE WILL RUN AGAIN.

Mr. Ferguson Will Not Desert Hon. G. W. Ross' Sinking Ship.

Robt. Ferguson, M. P. P., is in the city today. Mr. Ferguson has been seriously indisposed for sometime past and is not apparently yet in his wonted good health. He states, however, that he feels like a new man and with customary cheerfulness assures his friends that his sickness is a thing of the past.

In an interview with The Planet this morning Mr. Ferguson, with his Scottish directness, could give no idea of the date of the forthcoming Provincial elections.

Regarding the prevailing rumor of his intention to retire, however, Mr. Ferguson said:

"No," he said, smiling, answering The Planet's enquiry "I am not meditating retirement. On the contrary I am going to stay with it as long as my good constituents say so."

ACCIDENT AT ST. GEORGE.

Five Freight Cars Precipitated Over the Steep Embankment.

The G. T. R. bridge at St. George has been the scene of another railway accident, says the Galt Reporter. On Wednesday evening a freight train carrying 35 cars, was coming down-grade from the west when an axle broke. Near the station the cars jumped the rails and ran on the ties, which spread the rails and ripped up the sleepers. When on the bridge the train parted and five cars were precipitated to the bottom of the steep embankment, the cars destroyed being loaded with timber, corn, lime and farm fertilizer. The spectacle at the bridge was appalling. Large pieces of wood and metal were strewn all around, and at the bottom of the embankment on the southern side three cars were piled in a heap, and smashed to atoms. While the contents were scattered broadcast. On its north side one car without trucks was stretched on its side up and down the embankment, while still another loaded with timber was thrown over the end of the bridge to the ground below and smashed to splinters. At the eastern end of the bridge one car jumped the track, a second one mounted it and was demolished, while a third was almost turned over on its side overwhelming the embankment.

Tot Causes Night Alarm.

"One night my brother's baby was taken with croup," writes Mrs. J. C. Snider, of Crittenden, Ky., "it seemed it would strangle before we could get a doctor, so we gave it Dr. King's New Discovery, which gave quick relief and permanently cured it. We always keep it in the house to protect our children from Croup and Whooping Cough. It cures me of a chronic bronchial trouble that no other remedy would relieve." Infallible for Coughs, Colds, Throat and Lung troubles. 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at A. I. McCall & Co.'s drug store.

BOXERS DYING OUT.

London, Dec. 18.—The Morning Post publishes the following from its Peking correspondent dated Saturday: "The Boxer organization is nearly destroyed. There appears now to be no danger of a resurgence of the recent troubles, although activity is shown in some unexpected places. The Boxer leaders were in reality not numerous and most of them have been punished by the Chinese authorities."

Stepped Into Live Coals.

"When a child I burned my foot frightfully," writes W. H. Eads, of Jonesville, Va., "which caused a terrible leg sore for 30 years, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured me after everything else failed." Infallible for Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Sores, Bruises and Erysipelas. Sold by A. I. McCall & Co. 5c.

Dr. A.W. Thornton

D. D. S. Toronto University.

Office—First Door East of Standard Bank Telephone 164

THE PROBABILITY.

G. N. W. Special.
Toronto, Dec. 18.—10 a. m.—Moderate to fresh south-easterly to south-westerly winds; light falls of snow or rain at most places. Wednesday, generally fair and continued mild.

LOCAL BRIEFS

A handsome delivery wagon has just been finished for C. Austin & Co.

Prof. E. J. Forsythe left today to fill engagements in Tilbury and Windsor.

The recruits of the 24th Kent Regiment will drill this evening at 7.30.

City Clerk Merritt is preparing his proclamations for civic nominations which will take place the last day of the year.

Owing to the pressure of out-of-town engagements, Prof. Forsythe will be unable to meet his Choral Class until Wednesday evening this week.

All colors Japanese silks, 30c. quality, selling at 25c. at Thibodeau & Jacques. Store will be open every night from Wednesday until Xmas. 2 Cutlery and electroplate suitable for Xmas presents, at Morton's hardware store.

Good stamping on Bibles and presentation books, or any leather goods at The Planet Bindery, while you wait.

W. H. Jamieson, Buchanan & E. M. Sharpe, Loaningmen, were guests at the Garner yesterday.

Miss McLachlan, a graduate of St. Mary's Hospital, Detroit, attended the funeral of her late friend, Mrs. (Dr.) MacNamara, yesterday.

County Treasurer Shanbelaun has paid the remaining fees for the recent county court sessions, as follows: Grand jury, \$103.20, petit jury \$327.50, constables in attendance, \$57.40.

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Thibodeau & Jacques have the finest assortment of dolls in the city; all prices, 12 1/2c to \$1.00. They have one window filled with beautiful ones which is the envy of every little girl who sees it.

George Bruelette, Prairie Riding, was taken with a bad fainting attack in George Hayward's store on Saturday. Dr. Rutherford was summoned and the man was removed to St. Joseph's hospital. Mr. Bruelette was sufficiently recovered to return home yesterday.

Planet Whist Trays make a most suitable and acceptable Christmas present. They can be obtained at this office.

Captain Swain, of the wrecking tug Favorite, has returned home to the Maple City for the winter season. The captain has been in the city for some time looking for an able-bodied man to engage for the purpose of dashing water against the big dam used in the wintering of the storm and the wash of the waves.

Neckwear.—The swell tie of to-day is so liable to be passe to-morrow, that to keep up-to-date in this important line a constant stream must be coming from the stylish makers, and going to our customers. Changes come too rapidly for the slow store or the small dealer. If you want the newest you'll always find it here.—The 2 T's.

Ex-Ald. Marx calls attention to the fact that C. A. Williams, of Raleigh, is wrong about the coming out adopting the Trench system of land transfer. It did so, he says, six years ago to go into effect when the city adopted it. The city council since then has always found itself too busy passing street cleaning accounts or discussing some obscure Lake Erie spur to discuss the matter. Hence it has never gone through.

Skates of all the latest and most approved pattern, at Morton's Hardware Store.

To the Electors of the Township of Harwich.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am again offering myself as a candidate for the position of reeve for the coming year. I thank you for the splendid support you have given me in the past, and I trust that I may still retain your confidence, by an honest endeavor while in office to guard your interests, and if again elected I will put forth my very best efforts to guard your interests honestly and impartially. Thanking you for past favors and wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year, I am yours faithfully,

E. B. TOLE.

Crosscut saws—"Buffalo Bill," "Ma-leaf," "Lance," and others, at Morton's hardware store.

Children Cry for

CASTORIA.

Wear The 2 T's \$10 New Method Suit.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Candles, Candles

Choice Line of Confectionery

Willard McKay, Wholesale and Retail Confectioner

Princess Tablets

Are what you want for all forms of female troubles as infallible remedy discovered by a foremost female specialist; guaranteed as a positive cure; will positively establish the normal functions; used monthly by over 50,000 women; sold at drug stores, or sent on receipt of price \$1.00.

Atina Drug Co., Windsor, Ont., Can.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

T. & D. MANUFACTURING RETAILERS T. & D.

Spin Out Your Dollar

Staple goods out of regular stocks are going at a great rate for gifts this year, and this store is discounting the other store's staple prices as never before.

COLLARS—All the new shapes in linen collars, stand-up and turn-down.

15c 2 for 25c, 20c 3 for 50c

SOCKS—Our stock of Black Cashmere Sox is most complete, both plain and ribbed, from the best English makers, per pair.

25c, 35c and 50c

UNDERWEAR—We pay particular attention to Men's and Boys' Underwear, buy it direct from the mills and pass it on to you. We have men's as low as 35c per garment, to the finest Scotch Cashmere Wool at...

\$2.50

Besides being staple many of the staples are particularly apt as gifts.

UMBRELLAS

A large stock, showing the new things in handles, from \$1.00 to the sterling silver mounts, at

\$3.50

The fact that he so hates to lose one is evidence that a man thoroughly appreciates an umbrella.

HANDKERCHIEFS

Pure Irish Linen Hemstitch-ed and plain.

15c, 20c, 25c

No one ever has too many unless it's this store. We command the trade in handkerchiefs for men and have more than enough.

MUFFLERS,

NECKWEAR,

BRACES.

SHIRTS,

CUFF BUTTONS

GLOVES.

There's much here in the small furnishing way at small holiday prices that will help you cover a lot of ground and make the dollars spin out famously.

Thornton & Douglas

Cash One Price

BEING PUSHED ON.

The work of building the Dutton extension of the Detroit River & Lake Erie Railway is progressing rapidly, and with a few more days of clear weather the entire twenty-five miles extension will be complete. About one-half of the steel rails have been laid, and the contractors are rushing work to get through by the close of December. It is hoped that the track

Dr. Patterson

D. D. S. Dentist

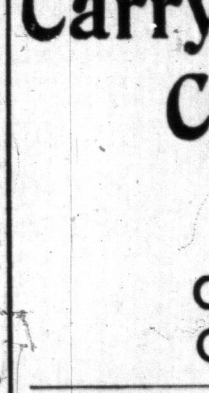
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will be in shape for actual use early in January.

Chatham's Clothing Centre C. Austin & Co. Chatham's Centre

Carrying The Christmas Joy ... To Others

Christmas Carnival Of Low Prices



Remember The Great

Overcoat Sale...

Is In Full Blast

Values That Sell Them.

Good Measure, Pressed Down, Shaken Together and Running Over—Is the Scriptural way of putting it. At the "Good-will-to-men" season we are inspired with increased desires to open open our hearts, let go the profits and lessen the price of wearing apparel to all mankind alike, rich and poor—to break down the barriers of bodily comfort in dress—and through our store with a carnival of happy people saving 25c to 30c on every dollar they have to spend.

Let not the fact that we are able to keep a steady and constantly growing stream of new goods before our customers at prices far below their real value, disturb the peace of mind of our competitors. We would be glad to have them imitate our example for at least once in the year. Let them "go and do likewise," adding fuel to the fire we have started, assured that such philanthropy will help to gladden the hearts of kind mothers, plodding fathers and anxious children, while the glad Christmas bells are ringing. We shall never stop keeping right on increasing and bettering our trade. Just now every department is in touch with Christmas wants.

Our Clothing trolley continues to run on the bargain wire. A smaller amount than ever is enough to make every buyer more comfortable and not a whit less in style or quality. Whatever the price, the clothing must be stylish or we have no use for it.

C. AUSTIN & CO.,

Loading and Reliable Clothiers

The Men for Men