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DAVID SEATH, Secretary-Treasurer.

57 Common Street, Montreal, 30th Dec., 1903.

Creditors of F. A. Carpenter & Company, plumbers' supplies, Hamilton, have received a report of the estate. The liabilities are \$15,529.27 and assets \$10,768,46. Manager Phoepoe, of the Molson Bank, J. Biggar and J. K. Kerr were appointed inspectors.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

SYDNEY, N.S .- The erection of a new asylum is being urged.

ARDEN, ONT.-J. W. Brown is preparing to build a new store.

WALLACEBURG, ONT. Martell intends erecting a new building. CHATHAM, N. B.—Walsh Bros. are

preparing to build a new wood-working

ORILLIA, ONT .- The Grand Trunk Railway will build a new swing bridge at the Narrows.

REGINA, N.W.T. - Additional acommodation is to be provided in the Methodist church.

QU'APPELLE, N.W.T.-It has been decided to rebuild the industrial school burned here recently.

EAST TORONTO, ONT. erection of a new Y.M.C.A. building is under consideration.

TRURO, N. S. — The municipal council of Colchester has decided to build a county poor house.

DONCASTER, OUT .--The congregation of St. Barnabas church are considering the building of a new edifice.

NORTH BAY, ONT.—The Anderson Furniture Co. are considering theerection of a large furniture factory in this town.

ST. CATHARINES, ONT .- Grantham Township council is about to for tenders for bridge material and tile.

NEWMARKET, ONT .- The council are negotiating with Davis & Son for the estab ishment of a tannery in this town.

PORT ARTHUR, ONT .- The bylaw exempting Woodside Bros. foundry from taxation was rejected by the rate-

SHERBROOKE, QUE.—The ques-tion of erecting three isolated buildings for hospital purposes is under consideration.

SYDNEY MINES, ONT. - The Dominion Government has purchased a lot fox 100 feet on which to build a new post office.

DALHOUSIE, N. B.—Funds have been voted for the employment of an engineer to make a survey for a waterworks system.

MEAFORD, ONT. - The Montreal Corporation Trust Co. have submitted a proposition to supply electric light and power for this town

ST. MARYS, ONT.—It is expected that the council will shortly select an architect to prepare plans for the architect to prepare pi Carnegie library building.

NORWOOD, ONT .- H. G. and D. J. McLean purpose building mill for the manufacture of chee cheese boxes, heading and veneer stuff.

ALEXANDRIA, ONT .- Bids re-, ceived by Alex. L. Smith, town clerk, up to Monday, 25th inst., for purchase of \$5,000 twenty year debentures.

BALDUR, MAN.—M. H. Sexsmith, secretary building committee, desires tenders by February 4th for the erection of a brick Methodist church.

BOWMANVILLE, ONT .manville Electric Light Co. intend en-larging their electric light plant in the spring and building a new dam.

LONDON, ONT. - Fred Northey has been granted a building permit for a two-storey brick residence on corner of Lorne avenue and English street.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I. new hotel here is projected, to cost \$55,000, of which \$23,000 is already subscribed. E. LeRoi is interested.

BERLIN, ONT .- The Mosaic Tile & Cement Brick Machinery Co. have written Mr. M. DeBus regarding the establishment of a plant in this town.

SYDNEY, N. S.-William Buchan has deeded a lot of land for the purpose of a home for aged people and it is said that he has also promised to contribute towards the cost of erecting the building.

ST. BONIFACE, MAN.—The time for receiving tenders for supplies for the construction of proposed waterworks system has been extended until the 25th

STRATFORD, ONT.-The Board of Wo ks will shortly consider the recom-mendation of the city engineer that a number of pavements be constructed in the spring.

LEAMINGTON, ONT. — The sub-scribers have accepted the offer of the Chicago Construction Company for the erection of a canning factory in this town to cost \$10,000.

RENFREW, ONT .- W. B. Craig, Secretary Building Committee, will re-ceive tenders up to February 2nd for additions and alterations to St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

PRESTON, ONT.-R. A. Ross, E. E., of Montreal, has been engaged by the town council to report on the value of the existing electric light plants and the cost of installing a new plant.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT .- It is said that A. J. Wright, of Buffalo, represent-ing a syndicate, has purchased property here on which it is intended to erect a number of important buildings.

OSHAWA, ONT.—The council have engaged Willis Chipman, C E, of Toronto, to report upon the construction of a waterworks system, the ratepayers having recently voted in favor of a supply from

LEVIS, QUE.—Staveley & Staveley, architects, of Quebec, have prepared plans for remodelling the building on Fraser street, now known as the Knights of Labor Hall, for the purpose of a hotel. The owner is Joshua Thompson.

ST. JOHN, N.B. — The Canadian Bank of Commerce have purchased the property at the corner of King and Germain streets and intend erecting thereon a fine bank building.

WESTMOUNT, QUE. — E. L., Feilows, C. E., has submitted a report on the feasibility, cost, etc., of a filtration system of water supply. Three systems are referred to, ranging in cost from \$25,000 to \$125,000.

FORT FRANCES, ONT.—William F. Brooks, of Minneapolis, who was here last week, states that arrangements are being made for an early commencement on the construction of a power dam at Kakabeka Falls.

RICHIBUCTO, N.B. — Richard O'Leary, William Hogan and H. H. James, of this place, and others, are applying for incorporation as the Kent Electrical Company, for the purpose of establishing an electric plant here.

GLACE BAY, N.S.—Representatives of the town and of the Dominion Coal Co. have agreed upon the plans for shipping piers and repairs to wharves and work will be commenced as soon as the Government approve of the plans. About \$65.000 will be expended this year.

EUGENIA FALLS, ONT. — The Eugenia Falls Water Power & Electric Co. has been organized to develop the water power at this place. Thomas McLaughlin and George F. Madden, of Toronto, and B. F. Reesor, of Lindsay, are directors of the company.

SHAWINIGAN FALLS, QUE. -It is reported that the Shawinigan Water & Power Company contemplates supplying electric owner to Sherbrooke, Windsor Mills, Richmond, Thetford, and other places in the Eistern Townships, and that engineers are now surveying the routes for distribution lines.

TORONTO JUNCTION, ONT.—A committee has been appointed to wait upon the town council with a view to securing funds for the purpose of building a four roomed addition to the Western avenue school.

HOPEWELL CAPE, N.B.—At a public meeting last week it was agreed that immediate steps should be taken in the direction of securing railway communication from Lower Cipe to connect with the Salisbury and Harvey line.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT. — Mayorelect Wilson, in his inaugural addiess, referred to the necessity of making improvements to the waterworks, sewerage and electric light systems.—Mr. Daley has selected a site for his proposed elevator.

VANCOUVER, B.C.— Parr & Fee, archetects, are preparing plans for a large building to be built at the junction of Powell, A.exander and Carroli streets, to cost about \$15,000.— The Canadian Pacific R tilway have had plans prepared for a large storage warehouse for Australian hardwoods.

FORT WILLIA', ONT. — M. W. Fenelon has purchased a lot on Finlayson street on which he will build a large boarding house.—G. R. Evans has purchased property at the corner of May and Violet streets on which he will build this year.—A'onzo McKerzie is having plans prepared for a new building to be built on Simpson street.

ST. CUNEGONDE, QUE.—A deputation from this place last week asked the Dominion Government to make provision in the estimates for the erection of a post office here.—The municipal council will apply to the Legislature for permission to rase \$50,000 for erection of a new municipal building and other improvements, instead of \$32,000 as originally proposed.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.—Six prominent citizens have been appointed to occoperate with the Y.M.C.A. Board to secure the erection of a new building.—The Mayor, in his inaugural address, called attention to the necessity of major improvements to the gas and electric light plants and the waterworks and sewerage system.

PORT ARTHUR, ONT.—The engineer has been instructed to call for tenders, to be in by January 31st, for completion of work on sections No. 1 and 2 of the waterworks and sewerage systems.—The council have appointed a committee to employ such engineers and expend such money as they deem expedient for the d velopment of power along the Current river.

HALIFAX, N.S.—The plans for the proposed bridge across the Strait of Canso between Cape Breton and Nova Stotia proper, are now being prepared by Wad dell & Hertick, engineers, of Kapsas City. Bridge will be of cantilever type, 3 300 feet long, with centre span 1.800 feet long, and will cost about \$5,000,000.
—Application will be made at the preset session of the Legislature for incerporation of a company to build a hotel on the old drill shed site, Spring Garden road. It is understood that the capital will be \$550,000.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—The congregaation of St. Philip's church, Norwood, are considering the erection of a new edifice capable of seating at least 400. Rev. T. J. Shannon is rector.—The council propose to construct the following works: Asphalt pavement, Higgins avenue, from Princess to Park street, cost \$26,340: tar macadam pavement, Burrows avenue, from Red River to Akins street, cost \$13,888; sewers, Higgins avenue, from Princess to Park, cost \$4,137; Corydon avenue, from John to Ansley street, cost \$3,63; Victor street, from Wellington to Ethe a evenue, cost \$5,430.

CALGARY, N. W. T.—J. S. Dinnis, Superintendent of Irrigation Canad an Pacific Railway, is asking for tenders by noon of February 15th for the construction of the first section of the main canal of the irrigation scheme near this city, The amount of earth to be removed is 2,500,000 cubic yards. Plans may be seen at the offices of the Second Vice President of the C. P. R., Winnipeg; Chief Engineer, Montreal; Division Department, Calgary. — Senator Lougheed will rebuild the block of buildings burned here last week.

HAMILTON, ONT. — The Frost Wries Fence Co. have decided to remove their business from Welland to this city, the city council to find a suitable site.— The Grand Opera House property has been sold to a company of which Ambrose Small, of Toronto, is the head. The building will be enlarged and modernized the coming summer.—The proposed alterations to the choir gallery and enlargement of the Centenary church organ, at a cost of nearly \$9,000, will shortly be commenced.— The Y. M. C. A. will build an iron staircase and fire escapes for their building.—Tenders are wanted by the Chairman of the Board of Governors of city hospital for painting.—The

ollowing building permits were granted ast week: William Lambert, store and dwelling, corner King and Wilnut street, cost \$5,000; H. E. Hawkins, brick dwelling, Barton strset, between Emerald street and East avenue, cost \$1,500.— Ald. Main, Domville, Biggar and Wright have been appointed a sub-committee to have plans prepared for a new Home for Incurables and to secure options on available sites.

MONTREAL, QUE.—The Canadian Pacific Railway have had plans prepared for further improvements to the Windser street station, costing about \$750,000 and including new sheds, new shunting tracks, addition to roundhouse, etc.—
M. Janin, Superintendent of Water
Morey, bas recommended a system of filtration, which he estimates will cost
\$550,000.—The Harbor Commissioners last week passed a resolution to the effect that four permanent sheds, as well as the necessary conveyors, be built at once.—The Special Conduit Committee has decided to ask authority from the city conneil to go to Quebec to obtain the necessary legislation for the borrowof funds for a conduit system of underground wires, estimated to cost \$1,200,000. — The council has given notice of its intention to construct sewers on Cuvilier street, from end of sewer to Stadacona street; Duquete street, from Joliette to Cambie street; Lincoln avenue, rom St. Matthew street westward .-Department of Public Works at Ottawa is asking for tenders up to Tuesday, February 2nd, for the construction of Six freight elevators at the Examining Warehouse. Plans on a splication to C. Desjardins, Clerk of Works, post office, and at the Deputment of Public Works, Ottawa.

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OTTAWA, ONT.—The Department of Public Works is asking for tenders up to February 13th for construction of a whaif, a road approach, and diedging at Grand Bend, Lambton county. Cheque for \$3,000 to accompany each tender. Some department is preparing plans for the Victoria memorial museum to be built at the foot of Metcalfe street.—It is reported that the Government is considering the purchase of the Clemow property on Rideau street, between Sussex and McKenzie avenue, for the purpose of erecting a Jepartmental building.—J. Lang, of Berlin, has made arrangements for the building of a large tannery at Cumming's Bridge.—It is learned that the plans for the new Central syation have not yet been approved by the Minister of Railways.—It is reported on good authority that the King Edward Hotel Co., recently formed in Toronto, are looking for a suitable site in this city on which to build a large hotel.

TORONTO, ONT.—Geo. W. Gouin-lock, architect, 1108 Temple Building, is receiving tenders for the erection of a brickresidence in Rosedale.—S. H. Davis, architect, has just taken tenders on four houses.—Several lots on Beatrice street, north of College street, have recently changed ownership, and on one 80-loot lot two pairs of semi-detached houses will be erected.—Frank Hillock, Albert street, wants tenders for a frame house on Duferin street.—Plans of whart, road ap-



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proach and dredging to be undertaken at grand Bend, Ont., may be seen at the office of H. A. Gray, engineer in charge of harbor works, Confederation Life Building, this city.—The Royal Canadian Club, Limited, for the purpose of erecting a club building on a site purchased on Kintyre avenue; estimated cost of building, \$10,000.—The City Engineer has recommended the construction of a concrete block pavement on Esplanade street from York to Berkeley street, at a cost of \$101,370. Other recommendations are as follows: Asphalt pavement,Glen road, as follows: Asphalt pavement, Glen road, to South Drive, cost \$4,965; brick pavements, lane off Ontario street south of Duchess, cost \$2,487; lane, west of Yonge street, from Grosvenor to Grenville, \$1,423; cedar block pavement, Sorauren avenue, Wright to Dundas, \$5,323; macadam roadway, Chestnut Park Drive, cost \$10,260.—Sewer, lane north of Edward st. from Centre to Chestnorth of Edward st. from Centre to Chest-nut, cost \$470; concrete sidewalks, Markham st., Bloot to Follis, \$2,686; King street, Berkeley to Parliament. \$718; Brock avenue, College to Bloor, \$2,698; Spadina ave., St. Andrew's to a point 90 feet north, \$321; Treford place, Claremont to Bellwoods, \$447; Marion street, mont to beliveous, 3447; Marion street, O'Hara to Lansdowne, except to feet opposite first lane west of O'Hara ave., \$722; Brock avenue, 'Collegej to Lindsay, \$310.—At a meeting of the Toronto Builders' Exchange, held on Monday last, a proposition to erect a suitable building for the accommodation of the Exchange was submitted and a committee appointed to take the matter in hand.

FIRES.

Wagon and carriage factory of N. Beneteau, Windsor, Ont., damaged to extent of \$3,000.—Building in Quebec owned by Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick and occupied by the C.P.R. and Dominion Express Co., loss \$5,000. - Kensington Hall at Sindgeburg, Ort., totally destroyed. It was owned by J. T. James.—Residence of Charles Rose, Stayner, Ort.—A disastrous fire occurred at C-tgary, N.W.T. on January 15th, the Norman block, owned by Senator Lougheed and valued at \$50,000, being totally destroyed.

CONTRACTS AWARDED

STRATFORD, ONT .- \$10,333 city waterworks debentures have been sold to the Perth Mutual Fire Insurance Co. at

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TORONTO, ONT .- The Temiskaming Railway Commission have awarded the following contract for supplies: Angle bars, 15,500, Hamilton Steel and Iton Works; spikes, Pilow and Hersey Man-ufacturing Co., Montreal; bolts, Toronto Bolt and Forge Works; nutlocks, W. C. Nun, Montreal.

THE CEMENT MARKET.

Portland cement has during the past two months been sold lower than at any time before, so low in fact, says Cement and Engineering News, of Chicago, that it cannot be manufactured at many of the mills at prices quoted. The mills have now less than 2,000,000 barrels in stock. When this is marketed there will be a decided advance over present quotations.

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TORONTO BUILDERS' EXCHANGE.

The annual meeting of the Toronto Builders' Exchange was held in their offices, Yonge Street Arcade, on January 18th. There was a large attendance of representatives of the building trade, and the reports showed that substantial progress had been made during the year.

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A RECORD BEAM.

The largest steel beam in the world has recently been placed in the framework of the New Amsterdam Theater on Fortysecond street, near Seventh avenue. It is 85 feet long, 12 feet wide, and weighs 42 This beam was placed in position high in the air, supported only by a light and frail-looking trestle of structural steel. Of course, the steel supports of a great building that is two theaters in one are anything but frail; but the big beam which,

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standing on edge, was twice the height of a tall man, seemed perilously insecure until the network of supporting beams grew around it. The giant piece of steel, says the Building News, serves a unique and important purpose. From it the large galleng of the lower theater is to be suspended, so that there will be no pillars to obstruct the view of those either in the balcony or the gallery. In addition the beam supports the floor of the upper theater, so that it is really the mammoth key of the intricate structure. It was made in Trenton, N. J., and was shipped in sections to New York. The work of assembling these massive sections in place on the trestle and uniting them with white-hot rivets constituted an engineering feat of considerable enterprise.

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THE ENGINEERS' CLUB OF TORONTO.

The fifth annual meeting of the Engineers' Club of Toronto was held in their rooms, 96 King street west, on Thursday, January 14th, the president, Mr. C. H. Rust, being in the chair. There was a large attendance of members. Following the reading of the minutes the report of the Executive Committee was presented. It showed the membership on January 12th, 1904, to have been 103 resident members and 36 non-resident members, a total of 139. Death removed one non-resident member, Mr. W. G. McN. Thompson, past president the Canadian Socity of Civil Engineers, who for many years was en-gineer-in-charge for the Welland canal. The Executive Committee recommended that the members take greater advantage of the privileges of the reading room, and stated that the weekly luncheons had been

A verbal report on behalf of the Finance Committee was given by Mr. J. A. Culverwell, who suggested that the publication of a bulletin in its present form be discontinued and the money expended in other directions with a view to increasing the interest of members in the Club. The report of the treasurer, Mr. A. C. Larkin, showed that the Club was in a good financial position, the cash assets being \$334.61. Reports were also submitted by the Library Committee and the Committee on Civic Improvements. A brief address on "The Progress of Municipal Engineering was delivered by the president and will appear in our next issue.

Three new members were elected, after which the officers for 1901 were chosen. It was the unanimous wish of the Club that Mr. Willis Chipman, the present secretary, should occupy the president's chair during the year, but Mr. Chipman very modestly declined the honor. following officers were then elected: President, Capt. Gamble; first vice-president, Mr. R. F. Tate; second vice-president, Mr. James McDougall; secretary, Mr. Willis Chipman; treasurer, Mr. A. C. Larkin; directors, Messrs. J. Sing, A. J. Van Nostrand and W. H. Patton. The annual auction sale of periodicals concluded the business of the meeting.

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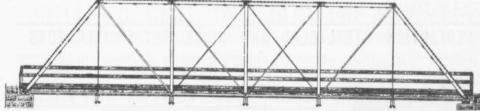
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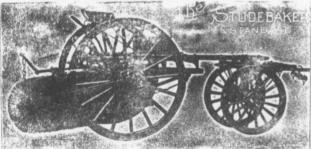
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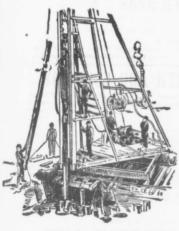
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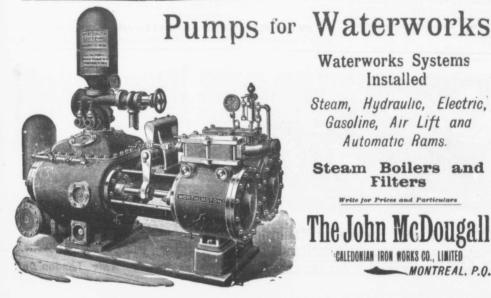
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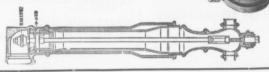
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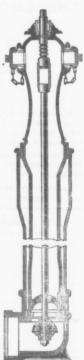
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Granite curbing stone, 6x						77 30
or in per 'inea! foot		***	PORTLAND	EMENT.		
Buctouche Olive Freestone	85	65	English-	Toronto	Monf	treal.
Olive Sandstone (Indian-		-	Br ok's Shoobridge Anchor	2 35 2 40	2 00	2 10
town, N. B)	80	70	Excelsior Brand	- 33 - 40		2 10
Brown Sandstone (Sack-		-				
ville, N. B	80	70	Belgian -			
Most red sandstone, per			"Castle" Brand		2 10	2 15
cu. ft		60	" Josson" Brand	2 60 2 70		2'45
Black Pasture buff stone			"N with's Condit	240 250		2 15
per cu. ft		50	Cathedral "White Cross"	2 35 2 50		2 10
Nova Scotia blue grey per cu	. It.	65	"White Cross"	2 15 2 20	I 85	
Coursers, 6 to 8 in. bed, f.		-	Atlas	2 25 2 35		2 25
b., St. Mary's, per cord		7 00	Atlas	0 - 00		1 90
Footing, 6 to 10 in. wide, cubic foot	per		Fed Cross Brand			1 90
Cubic foot	674	15	Waterloo "			2 20
Dimension Stone, f. o. b.			Raevel's 396 lb. bbl			2 55
Mary's, per cubic foot		35	Levie Bros., "			2 50
Granite (Laurentian Pink)A			White Star	2 25 2 55	1 00	2 00
lar,6 to 2 in., rise 9 in., per 6		25				
entian Pink) for building			German—			
poses, per c. ft., f.o.b. quari		40	Off-n acher Brand		2 30	2 45
Do., for polishing purposes,	nes	40	Dyckerhoff	2 60 2 70	2 40	2 50
to 2 tons weight, per cubic f		70	Karlstadt	2 80 2 90	3 40	2 50
to z tons weight, per cubic i	001	70	Heemmoor		240	2 50
	F.0.1	B. Halitax	Cannon			
Dimension stock granite	for		Heidelberg	2 30 2 40		
building purposes, per cu		50	Canadian			
Do., for polishing purposes,		30				
to a tons weight, per cubic		1 00	Rathbun's Star	1 00 3 10	2 40	2 50
Paving sets, per thousand ble		60 00	Ensign "			
			Citadel "	2 00	2 00	
CREDIT VALLEY	STONE.		Trowel "		1 75	I 80
			Samson Brand	2 00 2 05		
	F.O.B.	Quarries.	Magnet	1 75 1 80		
Rubble perton		60	Monarch "Hercules "Lion Brand	3 00		2 02
Rubble, per ton	Der	00	Hercules	2 00		
sup. yard	ber	1 85	Lion Brand	1 75		4
Brown dimension, per cub.	***	70	Imperial	1 80		
Grey coursi g. per sup. yard		1 20	American—			
Grey dimension, per cub, ft		50		. 0		
orey dimension, per cuo, re		20	Alpha Brand	180 190		2 25
ROMAN STONE. F.	O. B. Fa	ctory.	Alsen's	2 50 2 00	2 25	2 35
Sills per lineal foot			" cotton sacks, 250 net	2 20		2 50
Hollow Block, 12-inch wall,		35	' apen hags	2 10		2 35
superficial foot	ber	- 10	K ne's uperfine "Whites"	10 00 12 00	6.00	10 00
Win'ow Heads and Ashlar.	Der	40	Keene's Coarse "Whites"	650 700		5 00
superficial foot, 4-inch bed	ber	40	Fue Bricks, Newcastle, per M	27 00 22 00		22 00
String Courses, Molded		40	" Scotch	28 00 33 00	10.00	22 00
Ornamental, per lineal fe			Plaster, Calcined, N. R	2 00	.9 00	2 00
o mancana, per mucai i			emster, Catched, 14. Pirri	2.00		2 00