

PLAINTIFF GIVEN \$1,500.

Miss Springstead Succeeds Against the Street Railway.

Jury Disagreed in the Italian Impersonation Case.

Several Cases Have Been Settled Without Trial.

At the Assize Court yesterday afternoon the jury in the action of Springstead vs. The Hamilton Street Railway...

The next case was that of Levi vs. Hamilton Street Railway for \$2,000 damages for injury to a passenger...

The jury in the criminal action of Louis Perrini, charged with aiding and abetting in the impersonation of Giovanni Cordetti...

A number of damage actions have been settled, but there are fourteen cases that will go to the jury.

The jury in the case of Levi vs. The Hamilton Street Railway did not retire until after twelve o'clock this morning.

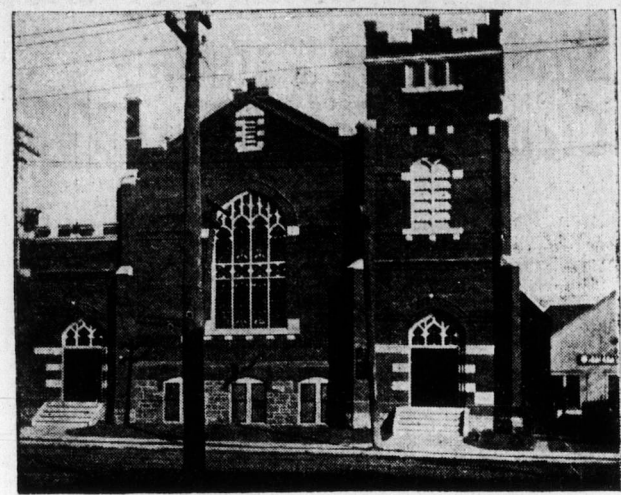
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WESTMINSTER CHURCH. Fine new church of the Presbyterians of the northeastern part of the city, in which the annual meeting was held for the first time last night.

Shot Policeman

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 14.—A man entered the eating house of Anna Wilson at Ninth and Douglas streets early to-day and held up the place. A girl resisted and was shot and wounded.

NEW SCALE FOR PRINTERS.

Increase of Wages Goes Into Effect at Once.

Hamilton Typographical Union met last night for the purpose of electing officers for the year and for final consideration of the scale of wages which is to prevail in the news rooms during the next three years and four months.

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WEDS AN EARL.

Marriage of Miss Mills and the Earl of Granard.

Half a Million of Wedding Gifts—Wore White Satin.

New York, Jan. 14.—The marriage this afternoon of the Earl of Granard and Beatrice Mills, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Mills and niece of Ambassador Reid, has been awaited as one of the season's social events of importance.

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THE MAN IN OVERALLS

The banks all report a prosperous year and the merchants a good Christmas trade. Now all that is needed to make us cheer up is an early opening up of all the factories and foundries on full time.

But you can understand that Mr. Zimmerman would be of much more use to us as a member of Parliament than as a Senator.

Zero weather is reasonable weather. Don't kick.

This license reduction agitation is getting quite serious. It's different from former years, when the cranks were the only ones interested.

So far nobody has been drowned skating on the bay. Now don't venture too much. You never can tell.

I wonder how Dr. Carr is on the tonic sol fa question. I must run in and see.

I hope you are still paying careful attention to the dampers, etc., of the stove and furnace. Keep your window open at night. Oh, never mind the cold; it won't hurt you.

Now, when I think of it, that beaten path across the centre of Dundurn Park is a disaster on the landscape.

Mr. Macdonald says it is not yet safe to skate on the bay. Mr. Macdonald knows.

I am trying to think up some other scheme to raise that money for the Y. W. C. A. It should be got.

What does Whitney do with all the money he gets from the Dominion Government? Why can't he spend some of it for technical education?

Now if anybody knows how to make a hotel pay without a bar, the hotel men would like to know how it is done.

If Mr. Barrow would make public the various duties he is expected to attend to and has to attend to in connection with city business, I have an idea that the citizens would be more than surprised—they would be astonished—to learn that any man should be expected to cover such ground.

A march out of the 91st one of these evenings would be an exhilarating sight.

Has any one any proposition to make about the holding of an annual fair? What do the merchants and hotel men think about it?

Ex-Ald. Farrar on the Board of Health will see that the township people are not imposed upon.

If the face of the mountain is to be preserved, of course, that puts another face on it.

Beach residents assure me that it is warmer over there than it is in the city. Am I to believe them?

It's wonderful how often stories that appear in the Toronto World in the morning are found to be untruths before the day is done. No sooner is one yarn snail than another is sent out on its mission of deception.

I sometimes hear lady friends discuss the conduct of salesladies in the stores, and it is always a pleasure for me to hear them remark on the politeness and attention they receive. Sometimes, however, there are complaints of inattention, if not incivility. I may yet give a trip to China to the most popular lady clerk in Hamilton.

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PRIVATE MOIR IS DECLARED INSANE

Found Not Guilty and Sentenced to Insane Asylum For Life.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) London, Jan. 14.—At this morning's session of the Moir murder trial the defence adduced evidence to show that had Moir been in his right mind he would never have left Wolsley Barracks clothed in a khaki suit.

WHERE THE CITY STANDS.

Formal Judgment Asked For In the Power Case.

Parks Board Declines Offer For Play Ground Site.

Three Per Cent. Decrease in Consumption of Water.

The city hopes to know within a week or so where it stands on the power question under Justice Anglin's ruling in the action brought by one Smith to break the Cataract contract.

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SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

NOT SIGN OF REPENTANCE

Because Young Man Wants to Join the Church, But Robert Ward Was Given Chance to Do Right.

No Evidence Against J. A. Luther in "Jumper" Case.

"Not that it has any weight with me that you want to join the church and go to Sunday School, but just because you are a young man and this seems to be your first offence, is the reason that I am letting you go on deferred sentence."

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TO BE DEPORTED.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 14.—Jas. Carruthers and Ralph Heard, each giving his address as London, Ont., have been arrested by detectives, and will be turned over to the immigration authorities for deportation. Both men, the police allege, are subject to the alien disorderly laws.

A GIRL IN A THOUSAND

It must have resembled that of Rex not a little, for the Austrian pounced upon the uplifted portmanteau with a cry of satisfaction, without deigning to raise his eyes to the party who mounted guard beside it.

package which you understand they won't find. "Still, it rather riles one to see so bold a performance. Ras Ragoula does not seem to mind."

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BUY COMPANY OUT.

Winnipeg May Own Street Railway and Power Plant.

Winnipeg, Jan. 13.—Negotiations between representatives of the city and the street railway company regarding prices for a power supply took a somewhat unexpected turn today.

BATTLE CRIES.

Suffragette Sauce For Churchill's Meat at Political Banquet.

Birmingham, Eng., Jan. 13.—The constantly varying tactics of the woman suffragists developed an extraordinary incident at a political banquet here.

ESSEX COUNTY JUDGE

Mr. Geo. Smith, Ex-M.P. of Woodstock, Receives Appointment.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—The appointment was made today of Mr. Geo. Smith, ex-M.P. of Woodstock, to be County Judge of Essex in succession to Judge Mickle.

Address, "Pattern Department," Times Office, Hamilton.

It will take several days before you can get patterns.

AT R. McKAY & CO'S. FRIDAY, JAN. 15, 1909

Take Advantage of the Savings the January Clearing Sale Offers You

Stocks must be righted before Inventory day comes around, and all goods of a winter nature must be cleared, and will be, regardless of their real worth.

Beautiful Embroideries at Great Reductions

Our great January sale of manufacturers' stocks of Embroideries is now at its height of value-giving. Are you getting your share of the bargains?

The January Rush-Out Sale of Quality Dress Goods

Now is the time to secure bargains from this famous section of the R. McKay store. Take advantage of the following selling events to-morrow:

January White Sale Values in Household Needs

2,000 yards fine soft finish English Longcloth, close, even weave, launders smooth and clean, a special underwear quality, worth 12 1/2c, for 10c

Warm Blankets for a Cold Friday

250 pairs full size best White Wood Blankets, \$5.00, marked \$3.88 per pair, 150 pairs extra long fleecy, extra large Blankets, \$5.00, marked \$4.95 each.

Special January Bargains! Carpets and Linoleums for Friday Selling

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Dr. Zur Verth had an opportunity to try this method in Bier's clinic in Berlin, and reports very favorably upon it, says the Medical Record.

Her Habit. She missed her ring last Tuesday and she hurried all around. But for many anxious hours it was nowhere to be found.

Time Required to Launch Lifeboat. Aboard the Romantic the other day several officers were talking about the length of time required to launch and man one of the large lifeboats that swing from davits on the upper deck.

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THE HAMILTON TIMES

THURSDAY, JAN. 14, 1909.

CONTEMPTIBLE!

Col. G. T. Denison has, it is said, written a letter to the London Standard, in which he declares that "the feeling is general in Canada that the Canadian blood shed in South Africa has been a vain sacrifice in aid of an empire, which is too feebly governed to profit by such loyal devotion."

We do not think that Canadians will feel flattered at being presented to the British people in such a despicable light. It is not complimentary to our self-respect to have a Canadian like Col. Denison, who may be mistakenly supposed by a proportion of the British people to be a Canadian opinion, represent us as balancing our British loyalty against the levy of taxation (to go into our pocket) upon the toiling masses of Britain.

DUTY WITH RESPONSIBILITY.

In replying to that labor deputations request that the Dominion Government take up the matter of technical education, Sir Wilfrid Laurier very clearly stated that although his Government was moving in the matter of collecting information on the subject in other countries, that information would be handed over to the Provincial Governments for action upon it.

UNREASONABLE CENSURE.

Under the heading "Criminals Still at Large," the Toronto Sun declaims against the Dominion Government because officials in the Marine Department upon whom grave reflections have been cast during the inquiry have not yet been criminally prosecuted.

Still, the only penalty so far inflicted has consisted in the suspension of the dishonest officers. None of the offenders are yet in jail. Prosecution has not even so much as begun.

There is nothing more discreditable in connection with Dominion affairs in the last twenty years than the failure to enter criminal prosecution against those who have robbed the public treasury, and the opposition will greatly fail in duty if the Government is not called to account for its failure as soon after Parliament opens as the forms of procedure will permit.

It is not the Sun, in its partisan eagerness to pass reflections upon the Government, rather overdoing its part; its efforts to damage the Liberal cause during the election campaign were capable of explanation, but what can it expect to achieve by its present methods?

There have been disclosures during the investigation into Marine Department affairs which did not tend to confidence in certain officials. Just men, however, will hear in mind their duty to hear the persons reflected upon before visiting upon them condemnation and punishment.

BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA.

In another column will be found the 77th annual report and financial statement of the Bank of Nova Scotia, one of Canada's oldest, most prosperous and substantial banking institutions. The statement for the year just closed is one that must be highly satisfactory to the directors, shareholders and officers of the bank, as well as to its customers.

ADOPT THE CLOSURE.

The Toronto Mail and Empire has constituted itself the mouth piece of the Parliamentary hoodlums and obstructionists, and is making frenzied protests against what it chooses to call "the application of the gag," meaning thereby such a change in the rules of Parliament as would prevent such a disgraceful exhibition of organized obstruction as the disreputable elements of the Opposition presented at last session of Parliament.

The organ advises its party to "fight against the adoption of the closure." As to whether Mr. Borden and his followers will be so foolish as to accept its advice, we are not aware; but they should be given the opportunity to make a choice.

The great development of mining in Cobalt, and the consequent increase in railway traffic, has led to great increase of business on the T. & N. O. Railway, the property of the Province. The total earnings of the road for the year just ended were \$360,000, compared with \$235,000 last year.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Advice worth \$5 to those who profit by it: Don't riot.

Roosevelt woke up the wrong passenger when he tackled Tillman. There's fight in the old chap yet.

Who is it that so diligently seeks to make trouble for Ald. Morris over the Ald. Clark matter? What is his purpose?

How much license reduction, think you, would the License Commissioners give us, Mayor McLaren, if it were left to them? Remember their course in the past—and the poignarding of Henry New!

But it can fix the number to be issued. The License Commissioners must bear their own responsibility. They refused before to make any reduction.

Hon. Mr. Graham will introduce legislation to empower the Railway Commission to control rates charged for electricity by companies getting water power from the Trent Canal.

The machine crowd that worked and bribed to defeat Zimmerman are now very solicitous that Hamilton should have some real representation, and many of them are active in urging the appointment of a Senator or two from the city.

The Toronto Globe does not pay a high compliment to the theory of public ownership of railways when it says that "no one asks that the Intercolonial be operated so as to make returns on the eighty millions" of capital which the country has invested in it.

The United States Navy Department wants to build a 26,000-ton battleship. The latest Dreadnaught launched displaces 19,250 tons. The United States designers estimate that the proposed 26,000-ton vessel will cost more than \$15,000,000—if Congress can be induced to grant the funds.

If it be true that the Ontario Attorney-General's Department so administers the criminal law that provincial officers decline to proceed against a defaulter unless the man wronged first pays \$200, and that in certain criminal cases the wronged private party is held for the payment of the official prosecutor appointed by the Government, it is high time that there was a reformation within the department.

Whitney's organs should not encourage the Dominion Government to "invade Ontario's rights" in the matter of technical education. Nor should they seek to excuse Whitney in evading his duty in that matter.

The Spectator now admits that when the machine limit of last year refused to fix the license limit at 48—the number actually in existence—it blundered and gave the reduction cause a great impetus. The Times said so then. It urged the reasonableness of such action; but the majority of the Council stood by the machine.

Alderman Allan, Chairman of the Board of Works, does not think that fairness could be reached by the frontage system of street paving. We are glad to find that the weaknesses of the proposed system, so often pointed out by the Times, are appreciated by Ald. Allan. Some advocates of the frontage system have sought to make it appear that there was no escape from it; that because the Roads By-law had failed, we must adopt it, unjust as would be its incidence.

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In Great Britain the principle of compensation has been admitted and the result is that every license holder is looked upon as having in his license a vested right, which may not be taken from him without some recompense.

We should think not! Moreover, it will be news to many people that the "principle" has been admitted in Great Britain. Pause to think of what the "admission" supposes: That immediately on the community granting the privilege, the special favor, in the sought for license, good for only one year, it loses its right to decline to give to the holder the privilege in perpetuity, and can only recover it by paying him, at the cost of the taxpayers! And in Ontario, at least, the lucky holder of a license, obtained by favor, at the cost of a few hundred dollars, is allowed to speculate in it, sometimes selling it for many thousands!

No Place Else to Go. (Galt Reformers.) The Berlin Telegraph advises its readers to go to church on Sunday. Galt people don't need that kind of advice. Everyone goes to church here.

OUR EXCHANGES

Not Much. (Brockville Recorder.) Hamilton's Board of Trade wants only two Senators, that's all.

An Advantage. (Toronto Star.) Among the other benefits of a Canadian winter is the employment it gives to the immigrant's snow shovel.

Belated Snow Plow. (London Advertiser.) London is still solving the snow problem in the old way. The people wade through snow up to their knees, and finally tramp it down, thus making a nice path for the snowplow a few hours later.

Chances for Being Mad. (Grimsby Independent.) Just figure out how few chances some people have of being mad, and then think of the tremendous opportunities that I have for being mad, and then consider the amount of "good resolutions" that must be necessary to keep me from completely running amok and really doing some actual harm, instead of only bluffing in it.

Un-British. (Ottawa Free Press.) There does seem something un-British in such a system. So far we have got along very well under the administration of the law by the judge in open court, and it would surely be a retrograde step to give the warden of any penitentiary the power to decide whether or not any criminal should be released or kept in confinement. The judges are the best men to administer the law. They have each man's individual record before them and they can make the punishment fit the crime according to the circumstances of each individual case.

Banking Up Wrong Tree. (Toronto Mail and Empire.) While the so-called reformers are campaigning for the alteration of our spelling, let them not forget that our grammar is also defective. Why should we be compelled to say "I saw him" when "I seen him" conveys the same idea, and is much used by the people? Again, why be bound to such expressions as "It is he," and "It is I," when "It's im," "It's me" will do just as well. It may be said that we should consent to be bound by the grammar. But who made the grammar? Was it the product of some Englishman? And are we going to allow the old-fashioned British to govern this new country?

The Domestic Ruffian. (Toronto Globe.) A Saskatchewan husband drove his wife out of the house into a temperature 50 below zero, and she was found frozen to death beside the roadside. In the morning, for firebrands this happily stands easily alone. There is an unenviable list of this species of brutality at the moment.

APPEAL ALLOWED. J. L. Counsel, of this city, was successful yesterday at Toronto in an application on behalf of the plaintiff in Brampton. The defendant had sued for \$10,000, alleging that on the night of January 28, 1908, after the plaintiff had been working for more than 20 hours without ceasing, in freezing weather, digging out a train that was stalled on the railway by the snow, a considerable distance from the village, he was discharged from employment, and in endeavoring to find his way back to Durham, the place from whence he had been brought by defendants, his hands were badly frozen and his health was otherwise injured by exposure. The defendant refused to pay costs of third party. Plaintiff appealed and his appeal was allowed. Judgment vacated and new trial ordered. Costs of former trial and of this appeal to be in the cause, the trial Judge to have the discretion as to whether there shall or shall not be a jury, notwithstanding that a jury was dispensed with at the former trial.

CHILD BORN TO MURDERER. Wife of Swerydia Has Given Birth to a Son. Toronto, Jan. 13.—Mrs. Swerydia, the wife of the Italian who has been sentenced to hang on the 11th of February, for the murder of Olaf Loutick, at Etindale, last spring, has given birth to a son.

The woman has been living in Toronto since the end of the trial, but previous to that had spent most of her time in Brampton. The murderer does not yet know of the birth of the child, and his solicitor, Mr. Morris, is in Ottawa, seeking a commutation of the sentence.

BRITAIN LOSING PRESTIGE. Empire Too Feebly Governed, Says the Valiant Col. Denison. London, Jan. 13.—Col. G. T. Denison, of Toronto, writes the Standard with reference to Britain's marked loss of prestige in Canada during the last seven years. The feeling is general in Canada, he says, that the Canadian blood shed in South Africa has been a vain sacrifice in aid of an empire which is too feebly governed to profit by such loyal devotion.

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FRUIT JUICES CLEAR THE SKIN.

The skin mirrors faithfully the state of the blood, and the blood shows how well—or how badly—the liver, bowels, kidneys and the millions of tiny glands in the skin are doing their work. If these organs are not properly cleansing out the waste matter, the blood will be poisoned and the skin sallow, "muddy" and sprinkled with pimples.

Plenty of ripe fruit helps more than any other food to cure this condition, but even more effective, as well as less expensive, are "Fruit-tives." These are little tablets of concentrated fruit juices, combined in such a way as to many times increase their action on those organs that eliminate impurities. One or two "Fruit-tives" a day will keep the blood pure and give the skin the clear glow of health.

YOU MANS. First Meeting of New Year at Mrs. Linklater's. Youmans W. C. T. U. held its first meeting of the year on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Linklater, 72 Erie avenue.

The Day Nursery came in for its share of attention. Mrs. Henderson, secretary of the board, presenting a brief impromptu report of its standing, and Mrs. Balfour, the treasurer, being called upon to explain in few words the objects and working of the institution for the benefit of the strangers and new members.

MAY SIT ON HIS KNEE. Cleveland Court Decides a Case Against an Irate Parent. Cleveland, O., Jan. 14.—A girl has a perfect right to sit on her father's knee, according to an informal decision by Judge S. Addams today.

DID HE SLAY HIS BROTHER. Maurice Ryan Faces Charge of Murder at North Bay. North Bay, Jan. 13.—Maurice Ryan, awaiting trial here on a charge of highway robbery, was served today with information charging him with the murder of his brother on or about Nov. 6, 1907. The preliminary hearing begins before Police Magistrate Weegar tomorrow morning.

Accident Fatal. Tamworth, Ont., Jan. 13.—Fred Coughlin, of this place, the young man who had his leg taken, by a tree falling on it last week, died this morning. He leaves a young widow and boy 5 years old.

Mr. Peter Daynard, an old man residing in the Township of Sibley, on Monday committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn. Life was extinct when he was discovered.

The Power of \$5.00. A \$5.00 bill has surprising possibilities when used at Ellis' during our 25 day sale. See our windows for bargains.

NORMAN ELLIS JEWELER 21 and 23 King St. East. Broken Lenses Replaced While You Wait. GLOBE OPTICAL CO. 111 King East HAMILTON I. B. ROUSE, Proprietor.

FINNAN HADDIE 3 POUNDS FOR 25c. 1,000 lbs. of it, and it is absolutely the finest Finnan Haddie obtainable anywhere. Bright, clear, fresh cured, mild cured, thick, meaty fish, and it goes freely Friday, Saturday and Monday at 9c per lb., or 3 lbs. for 25c; Bloaters, mild cured, thick and rich, 3 for 10c. Boneless Codfish, 1-lb. bricks, 9c, 3 for 25c; 2-lb. boxes best pure Codfish, per box 25c.

ROLL SHOULDER, HAMS, ETC. Roll Shoulders is the shoulder of the pork with the bone taken out, the meat tied up in a roll and smoked. It is real good eating and as there is no waste, it is very economical, per lb., by the piece, 12 1/2c. Hams, everyone who tries them admits that they are the very nicest. Small, thick, mild cured, not too fat. You will enjoy it at every meal, per lb., for a hole or half Ham, 14 1/2c. Fresh Pork Sausage, the usual good kind, per lb. 10c. Head Cheese; another one of the top notch variety, per lb. 10c.

GREENING APPLES PER BASKET 30c. We have 200 baskets of them, and they are turning out much better than expected. The baskets are well filled, the apples good size, sound and splendid cookers, per basket 30c. Finest selected, No. 1 Northern Spies, per basket 40c, fit for any king.

ORANGES, LEMONS, ETC. Finest Large Navel Oranges, ripe and sweet and regular at 40c per dozen, going for 30c dozen. Mexican Oranges, the last time for this size at this price, regular value 20c dozen, going at 12c dozen; they are sweet and juicy. Messina Lemons; they will be very expensive soon; now per dozen 15c.

1,500 LBS. DAIRY BUTTER PER LB. 26c. It is all in large rolls, just fresh in and seems to be better average quality than last week, per pound 26c. Choice Fresh Creamery Butter, per pound 30c. Fresh Held Eggs, per dozen 28c. Prime September Cheese, per pound 17c. Best Pure Lard, per pound 15c.

SUGAR. Seems like it was a good time to have a little ahead; it was about this time last year that Sugars started to go up, and they kept going up for some time; 21 pounds Best Granulated Sugar for \$1.00, 10 1/2 pounds for 50c, 5 pounds for 25c, 100 pound bags best Granulated \$4.00, 50 pound bags best Granulated \$2.25; 25 pounds Bright Yellow Sugar \$1.00; 11 pounds for 50c, 3 1/2 pounds 25c; 3 1/2 pounds best Ice Sugar 25c; 3 1/2 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar 25c.

ON THE WARPATH. We have been on the warpath again this week, and have run down some big bargains. They look mighty good to us, and they will look good to you when you see them. We'll tell you all about them in next week's advertisement.

BISCUIT SPECIAL. Fig Bars, regularly 2 lbs. 25c, this week, per lb. 10c. Cocoa Honey Bars, Barley Wafers, Pineapple Wafers, Cape Town Sandwich, special this week, 2 lbs. 25c. Vanilla Wafers, Duchess, Arrowroot and Cream Sandwich, per lb. 15c. Vanilla Bar, Fruit Bar, Cream Bar, Claret, 3 lbs. 25c. Ginger Snaps, 4 lbs. 25c.

PRUNES, FIGS, ETC. Prunes, extra special value, while they last, 4 lbs. 25c, worth 9c lb. Other Prunes, 3 lbs. 25c and 2 lbs. 25c. Cooking Figs, per lb. 5c. Dates, Royal Excel-sior, special, while they last, 7c for 3c. Figs, 20c. Figs, 20c. Figs, 20c.

MARMALADES, JAMS SPECIAL. Macnochie's Seville Orange Marmalade, in pots, regular value 15c, going for 10c. Macnochie's Marmalade, in glass, regularly 20c, for 13c, 2 jars 25c. Upton's Marmalade, jar, 10c. Wagstaff's Marmalade, jar, 15c. Lily Brand pure Marmalade, 2-lb. tin, 17c. Macnochie's Strawberry Jam, best pure, regu-larly 25c jar, for 17c. Raspberry, Strawberry, Peach, Plum, Black Currant Jam, 2-lb. tin, 17c; 4-lb. tin 40c.

CAN GOODS. Deer Brand Peas, 4 tins 25c. You will find them good; nothing cheap about them but the price. Golden Nest Corn, Peas and Tomatoes, 3 tins 25c, worth 20c. Plums and Peaches, 10 tin, worth 15c. Blueberries, 3 tins 25c.

CANNED FISH. Sardines, the best in the land, Anderson's Sardines, 2 tins 25c. Another brand at 10c per tin, and Canadian Sardines, 5c tin, 6 for 25c. Clams, Had-die, Mackere, Fresh Herring, tin 10c. Cascade Salmon, tin 10c. Autumn Leaf Salmon, tin 15c. Clover Leaf Salmon tin 18c.

FLOUR. Good Medal, per bag \$2.55; per 1/2 bag \$1.30; per 1/4 bag 65c. Flour, bag \$2.40; 1/2 bag \$1.20; 1/4 bag 60c. Royal Household or Five Roses Flour, 1/4 bag 50c.

100 PER CENT. ADVANCE. There is an actual advance of 100 per cent. in broom corn. That means dear Brooms. One more chance to buy at old prices, 20, 25 and 30c each. POTATOES: Always good, per bag 75c, bushel 55c, peck 15c. 115 John Street South. Cor. Emerald and Wilson, Cor. James and Macaulay, Cor. Queen and Hunter, Cor. York and Caroline.

COAL. PROMPT DELIVERY CLEAN AND DRY. The Magee-Walton Co. Limited. 606, Bank of Hamilton Bldg. Phone 336 and 1192. Cut Glass Specials. We are offering special values in Cut Glass Water Sets, Vases, Bowls and Fancy Pieces. Our \$5.00 Bowls are excellent value. We would be pleased to have you look. THOMAS LEES 6 James St. North. Reliable Jeweler. WANTED. Young men to call on us for their Wedding Rings, Marriage Licenses issued. A large stock of shiny Diamond and Engagement Rings, Watches and Guards, Spectacles, a large stock. Prices wonderfully low. Export watch repairing. Try our tested Watch Main Springs. Warranted not to break. E. K. PASS, English Jeweler 81 JOHN STREET SOUTH.



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G. T. R. MAP. UNITY LODGE. Most Complete Map of America Showing G.T.R. and G.T.P. Officers Installed and Pleasant Social Evening Spent.

The Grand Trunk Railway System have just issued what is considered to be the most complete map of the North American continent, showing the relative positions of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway and their connections. The map is printed in five colors, the combination of which allows for different colors being used for each of the states of the Republic and each of the provinces of the Dominion. The colors used for the water portion of the country is light blue, making a pleasing contrast with the tints used for the land portion. The map is 45 inches by 65 inches, printed on heavy coated stock, mounted on rollers and bound with linen.

Among the special features that are embodied in this map may be mentioned the following: The Grand Trunk Pacific System is shown with reference designating the double track under operation, other lines of the company in operation, through car lines and connections. The lines of the Grand Trunk Pacific under operation, under construction and the proposed branch lines are also shown in an accurate and comprehensive way. The Trans-Atlantic and Trans-Pacific steamship routes appear in dotted lines and include all the principal lines operating from all the prominent seaports on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts.

The geographical features are shown, such as mountains, lakes, rivers, etc. In addition to the main part there are two key maps, one showing the routes around the world on Mercator's projection, which is a most interesting feature, and one that shows the relative positions of all the countries on the globe with the around the world routes. The other key map is a part of Alaska, showing north Pacific coast points, steamship routes, Behring Sea and a part of Siberia. The execution of the map is a credit to the publishers, and it is the best railway map published, and one that will be sought after for its general usefulness.

MARQUIS OF LORNE. At the regular meeting of Court Marquis of Lorne, A. O. F., the officers for the year 1909 were installed. D. C. R. Bro. H. Cowing, assisted by P. D. C. R. Hial Goodale and Bro. Opperman, P. C. R. P. C. R.—A. R. Hayhoe. C. R.—J. McFarlane. S. C. R.—T. Gutrie. S. W.—W. Hall. Secretary—A. Logan. Treasurer—A. H. Dines. S. B.—W. Pender. J. B.—J. Haddow. S. Secretary—R. Brice. Surgeon—Dr. Lafferty. The reports of the secretary showed the year to have been the most prosperous in the history of the court. Special mention was made of the late Past Treasurer Hodd, he having held that position for the past twelve years. The meeting concluded with a social hour.

BAD ADVICE. CALLS ON MOB TO PILLAGE STORES OF TORONTO CITY.

Socialist Orators Urge Unemployed to Action Barring on Anarchy and Police Fear Trouble Within Week.

Toronto, Jan. 13.—It is the opinion of several large employers here to-night that before week passes there will be serious trouble between the unemployed and the police. The demonstration of hostility with a show of ugly feeling when between five hundred and a thousand men assembled in front of the city hall steps this morning and literally howled threats and invectives until the air was blue around the big building a few minutes later gathering inside to be dispersed by Inspector Cuddy and a squad of police, shows clearly the crisis is at hand, for this is the third riotous mob.

At Bayside Park later the mob was addressed by so-called socialist who advised them to go out and loot the stores and get food and clothing for themselves and their families. The men laughed at the advice. "Slug the police," was the slogan of several of the mob when requested to move on. All that was needed for a big fight was some read headed big immigrant general of the insurgents, to show fight, and there would have been a riot like of which has not been yet. The unemployed came from everywhere and were sharp on time at 10 o'clock. Albert Hill, who wanted a tag day for the unemployed but was turned down by the board of control, the chief speaker.

"We are on the King's highway. Why should we move?" "Are we going to stand the club methods of the police?" "We want work." "We are starving." "Let's get brickbats." "I would rather have a bullet through my brain than have to starve." "Let's raid the city hall!"

There were some of the remarks before the mob returned and gathered in the city hall where an effort was made to get upstairs. The police were there. The ringleaders announced another demonstration for to-morrow at 11.30, when the board of control is in session.

KILTIES' BAND. Annual Meeting Last Night—The Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the band of the Ninety-first Canadian Highlanders was held in the band room last evening. The treasurer's report was submitted, and was most satisfactory. The officers elected were: President, Bandmaster H. A. Stares, Secretary, Corp. Jos. Gimblett, Treasurer, Harold Cummings.

MASONIC AT-HOME.

The fourth annual at-home of the Masons of Burlington was held at the Hotel Brant on Tuesday evening, and was a very successful affair. The evening's entertainment commenced at 8.30 o'clock with an excellent programme, which was furnished by Mrs. Smiley, assisted by local talent. Mr. Smiley, delighted the audience with his witty remarks, and kept them in good humor. The reading by Miss Reta Cummins was much appreciated, while the solos by Miss Dora Watson, Burlington, and Mr. Geo. Robertson, of Hamilton, were well received and heartily applauded.

INDIANA'S SENATOR.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 14.—William Shevley, of South Bend, was chosen by the Democratic caucus of the Indiana Legislature early to-day as United States Senator from this State, to succeed James A. Hemenway.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1909. SHEA'S Skirts Made to Measure of Sale Goods \$1.25

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No sales like the Shea sales for bargains that are dependable, seasonable and wantable. This annual clearing sale has become one of the great merchandising events of the year and is taken advantage of by thousands of people of Hamilton and surrounding country, so come with the thrifty ones and save money. Something for everybody. Mantles, Skirts, Underskirts, Furs, Underwear, Blankets, Comforters, Dress Goods, Silks, Table Linens, etc., etc.

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ALL DRUGGISTS. Let us send you some letters and literature on this subject. A Post Card, giving your address and the name of this paper, is sufficient.

SCOTT & BOWNE 126 Wellington St., W. Toronto

\$10,000 FIRE. Brantford's Box Factory Burned Down This Morning.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Brantford, Ont., Jan. 14.—Fire early this morning completely destroyed the box factory of W. J. Hampel & Co., on Centre street, and destroyed a thriving industry here, which employed some 30 hands. Fire started in the office, and shot up the elevator shaft, which ran from top to bottom of the four-story building. The firemen of both departments fought the blaze until 8 o'clock this morning, and succeeded only in saving a couple of the floors. The loss will aggregate \$10,000, a large stock and all the machinery being a total wreck. Partial insurance covers the loss. Manager Hempel stated this morning that he did not know whether the factory would be rebuilt or not.

RAISE RATE. Bank of England Had to Check Continental Demands.

London, Jan. 16.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England was raised to-day from 2 1/2 to 3 per cent. This is the first change since May 28 of last year. The increase in the rate was generally anticipated, and was due to the small gold reserve, which last week stood below \$100,000,000, being further depleted of nearly \$5,000,000 by withdrawals during the past few days for shipment to South America. Only small amounts of gold have been coming into the country from Egypt, and for many months the bank has been unable to obtain the weekly supplies arriving from the mines. France has been a persistent buyer of the metal, presumably in preparation for the new Russian loan. With the high rate necessary to attract gold imports, as well as check continental demands.

BIG HAMILTON FIRM. The officials in charge of the Winter Palace at Montreal have placed a large contract with the T. W. Hand Fireworks Co., of this city, for spectacular displays which are planned to take place in the beautiful scene to be presented. On Feb. 11 and 19 the palace will be stormed by two thousand snow shoes in costume, and the Hand Company have the contracts for the illuminated defence of the palace. All other fireworks in connection with the Winter Palace will be supplied by the local firm, also. Mr. Hand stated this morning that the display would be better than anything that has ever been held in this country, as the firm can handle this order with a carelessness to detail that would be almost impossible in the rush season.

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Many ladies are now choosing materials for gowns and dresses for evenings and occasions of dress. The woman of style has found this store is the one to supply that need best, where Dame Fashion has left her foot-prints of style in the materials shown. Satin Silks Are Very Popular for Gowns. Dame Fashion has declared that the soft, satin clinging materials are the best for the latest style of gowns. In choice, Satins rank first. A large showing of ivory, cream and white Satin Messalines, Paillettes, Duchesse Satin and Directoire Satin for wedding gowns, etc., prices range at \$75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$1.75. Satin Princess Silk, in mulberry, navy, myrtle and wine, stylish for dresses or blouses, a much wanted silk, and special value at \$1.00 yard. Satin Messalines, in the new self stripes in the new taupe, wine, green and brown shades, special value at \$1.35 yard. Satin Chiffon Faille, in sky, bronze, green, tan and navy, special value \$1.00. Crepe de Chine, Silk De Soie and Voiles are Stylish. Pure Silk Crepe de Chine, in the season's latest shades of milk, canary, shell pink, ivory, silk, black and violet rose, special value \$2.00 yard. Handsome French Exclusive Paris Costume lengths, in black silk, stripe, voiles, in 8 yards costume lengths, special at \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2 to \$2.50.

EXTRA SPECIAL—Plain Chiffon Voiles, in all staples and evening shades and cream, stylish for dress, regular \$1.25, on sale 98c. Silk de Soie in mair, vieux rose, cinnamon, amethyst, coral, pink, Copenhagen blue and sky blue, 45 inches wide. Regular \$1.25, special sale 98c. Black Silk Lisse and Eolienne Costumes, 9 yards. Regular \$18, for \$11.85. Pretty Swiss Muslins and Mulls for Dresses. For an inexpensive and pretty dress there is nothing to equal the Swiss Musline. We just received a new shipment from the Swiss manufacturers in plain, dotted and floral patterns, fine sheer qualities and superior values to anything yet shown. Prices range at 40, 45, 50 to 75c yard. New fancy silk Spot Mulls, in mauve, canary pink and sky. This is the latest novelty imported from the States, and all should see this stylish material. Enquire about it, special value at 40c yard. Plain Silk finished Mulls, in sky, white, pink, mauve and blue green, 46 inches wide. Special value at 35c yard.

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An Insult. (Brantford Courier.) Hamilton is clamoring for two Senators to be sent from there. There are enough sleepy heads in the Ambitious City to give scope for a wide chance. Canadian Divorces. (Brantford Expositor.) The Hamilton Times contends that the Canadian Senate is not a proper court for the consideration of divorce applications. There are few Canadians who would desire to make divorce easier, but it does seem that the question of the right or wrong of a divorce case is not one which may be subjected to political influences, but for solemn judicial disposition. Roy Ingles, the Woodstock young man who put up a highway robbery game on himself and then sent threatening letters to Henry Craig, was before the Magistrate on Wednesday afternoon. On the evidence of two doctors as to his mental capacity Ingles was sent to the Orillia Asylum. Lena Alexander, a negro, 19 years old, with her four baby girls, born at Waco, Texas, will be photographed and the picture sent to President Roosevelt.

# CONCERNING HEALTH and BEAUTY

By MRS. HENRY SYMES

## PUNISHMENTS HARMFUL to CHILDREN



May Result in Permanent Deafness.

THERE are a few facts about punishment that mothers should know, and I want to tell them. They are gathered from the opinions of medical authorities, men whose works every mother does not have time to read, while I am in a position to hear many things not published broadcast.

You know, in the first place, that children have no fear; that the sensation they afterward feel, on being frightened, is an acquired thing, implanted in their minds by those who have them in charge. It would surely never occur to any child to fear a policeman or the dark. Such thoughts are suggested by mothers and nurses, and in doing this they destroy the perfect trustfulness of the baby mind, one of the chief charms of childhood.

I always think that so many troubles and responsibilities come to the average person, after he or she is grown, that the little pleasures of childhood should be increased, if possible, so the individual may, at least, carry pleasant memories through all of life. I am sure that in this good mothers will agree with me. They know that any sacrifice for a child is repaid ten thousandfold in love. They also know that every one should have a chance to develop, and that whatever necessary punishment is administered should be perfectly harmless, something that will impress the incident on the memory, but will work no lasting harm either to mind or body.

### EARLY DISCIPLINE

The first twelve years of a child's life are abnormal. It is then that the hearing is generally keen, and that the memory retains lasting impressions. Every one knows that a child of three will have learned a whole language in a year; a feat that may not be equaled by any other person. It is at this time, then, that the infant mind should not be unduly excited, either by joy or sorrow, that the greatest care must be taken so that mental and physical growth will be unimpeded.

But as the child may not at first be able to distinguish between right and wrong, it seems necessary that some punishment be devised, and it is said that the only one that will not injure the child is the old-fashioned, but effective, spanking. Not with a slipper, however, as mother cannot tell how much she may be hurting. The best way is not old-fashioned, but new-fashioned—a rolled-up newspaper, which, authorities say, is the ideal spanker. It cannot hurt too much, yet it has the very best effect. Of course, there are other punishments that exactly fit the crime, and are therefore very sensible. These are numerous and must be thought of by the mother herself.

In the first place, never pull a child by the ear. The eardrum is very delicate even later in life. With a child such treatment may result in permanent deafness. Would any mother wish such a catastrophe?

Do not shake a child. The little bones are springy and easily misplaced, and the agitation naturally is confusing. By the time any one has gone through a thorough shaking he is unable to reason. Try it yourself and see.

### CHILDREN'S NERVES

As many of the nerves are situated in the center of the back between the shoulder blades, do not push children in this way. It makes them very nervous, even if it does not overbalance them and cause a fall. You may think that you are using very little force, that it could not possibly be even felt. Try running against a chair or a door in the dark and see how much muscle you use even when cautiously crossing the room. This will help you better to understand my argument.

Of course, boxing the ears is just as harmful as pulling them; in fact, it is far more so, for the sudden concussion of air on the eardrum has caused many a case of deafness. However, this is a



Dangerous for the Spine



A Terrifying Torture



Injurious and Ineffective

An Old-Fashioned Spanking



Grabbing the Delicate Ear

### MRS. SYMES' ANSWERS

OWING to the large amount of mail received and the limited space given this department, it is absolutely impossible to answer letters in the Sunday issue following their receipt. The letters must be answered in turn, and this oftentimes requires three or four weeks. All correspondents who desire an immediate answer must inclose a self-addressed stamped envelope for a reply. This rule must also be complied with in regard to personal letters.

#### Too Young for Cosmetics

Would you kindly advise me what to do in a case where the skin seems to be drying up and becoming cracked? I have used cold cream and only the best of face powders, but it seems my skin is drying up and I am only 27 years old, but it seems to be wrinkling. I have very large nose, with a disfiguring scar on the bridge, and it is for this reason I am anxious to secure the information asked for above.

#### Request for Names

I wish to know if you could tell me of any specialist in this city who alters defects and improves features. I have been told that there is one in this city who performs the operation in a very simple manner with a fine paraffine pencil. I have very large nose, with a disfiguring scar on the bridge, and it is for this reason I am anxious to secure the information asked for above.

#### The Useful Peroxide

Will you please tell me if peroxide of hydrogen will bleach the skin and superfluous hair; also if it will stop the growth of hair? I am giving you a formula for face bleach which I think will lighten your skin and also bleach the superfluous hair. I do not think, however, it will

#### Liquid Whitener

Water (previously boiled and strained) ..... 1 quart  
Alcohol ..... 50 drops  
Oxyd of zinc ..... 5 grains  
Bichloride of mercury ..... 5 grains  
Glycerine ..... 5 drops  
Keep the solution out of the way of children.

#### Cure for Bunion

I have a very bad bunion. Can you give me something to cure it? I think it will be beneficial.

#### Bunion Cure

Carbolic acid ..... 2 fluid drams  
Tincture of iodine ..... 2 fluid drams  
Glycerine ..... 3 fluid drams  
Apply with a camel's-hair brush daily.

#### Walnut Hair Stain

Will you kindly give me the recipe for walnut hair stain, and oblige ELYRIA.

#### Walnut Stain for Hair

Four ounces of walnut skins, beaten to a pulp, to which is added pure alcohol, 15 ounces. Let stand eight days and strain.

#### Eyebrows and Hands

Lately I applied olive oil and vaseline to my eyelashes and brows to make them grow. I must have let it run too far for it has caused the hair to grow long over my nose. Kindly tell how to remove them. My hands are very fleshy and my knuckles very large. How can I reduce them? CLARA G.

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## Advice on Social Problems.

Mrs. Chester Adams most cordially invites her friends to bring to her their Social Problems and Perplexities by letter at any time.

### The Trials of a Debutante

I OFTEN think of the little girls who are this year to make their first bow to society. The world seems so large, and their little lives have, up to the moment of the first party, been so small, that it seems remarkable they get along as well as they do. Even the wisest are sure to find many things they are not prepared for. To help them, I am going to mention a few rules which she who wishes to be a success must bear in mind. In the first place, touch no wine. That is the one unbreakable law for the first-year girl. No matter how formal the dinner, how many wines are offered and how many of the other women present ignore the rule, do not touch your wine. If you even pretend to drink it, harm is done. As well drink all the wine on the table as touch your lips to the brim of your glass. Afterward, if you smile, the other guests, or, at least, one of them, will say: "See how hilarious a little wine makes Miss Robinson. Is not it a pity she does not know any better?"

If you are very quiet, the one busy-body will surely remark: "How strangely a little wine affects that poor girl. I should think she would never want to touch it."

Your second year you may do as you like, but at first you are supposedly merely ingenuit. Keep that in mind. It is the same in every city of the country, in every little town.

At entertainments always be particularly nice to your hostesses and all the older women present. Remember, your invitations are not sent out by the men, nor even by your girl friends. The mothers, aunts, sisters and cousins are the people upon whom you must depend. Never did a girl have a good time who relied only upon her men friends to help her out. Cultivate every one you meet, no matter who she is and how aged she may seem to you, and your way will be paved with roses.

mean that you shall arrive ahead of time. The ideal dinner guest reaches the house just five minutes before the hour mentioned in the invitation. This leaves just a moment to allow each woman to her partner and to enter the dining room at the right second. If the guests arrive early the situation often becomes strained, an atmosphere that the good hostess is quick to feel.

### SELF-CONTROL A NECESSITY

There is much to say on the subject of the entertainments themselves. At luncheons be nice to all the girls, if there are only girls present. If you are seated beside your particular enemy, do not let the fact either spoil your time or hers. It is your duty to your hostess to stay until it is over. When you are in another person's house you are entirely in her hands. If she wishes to buy a box at the theater and then keep her guests at dinner until the show is over, she only does it because it is her idea of giving her guests a good time. If you are not enjoying the dinner it is probably your own fault, for a number of young people can always manage to enjoy themselves.

entertainment. This was not showing ordinary courtesy. If you accept an invitation to a luncheon, at a certain hour, it is only proper that you should stay until it is over. The second entertainment will come in its turn. No hostess who plans a dainty meal for her guests likes to see them all or any one of them slight it to accept the hospitality of some one else.

### CHILDREN'S NERVES

After luncheon do not break up the party to attend some other entertainment; even though you are really pressed for time, it is your duty to make yourself agreeable. It is not, of course, necessary to remain the whole afternoon, but surely a half hour may be spared from the day of pleasure to repay your hostess.

children suffer from nerves, although too young to be able to correctly describe their sensation? Is not a fearless man or woman an individual to be admired and envied? I know you will all agree with me.

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**BAPTISTS OF THE EAST END.**

Annual Meeting of Wentworth Church Last Night.

A Year of Progress and a Bright Outlook.

Social Hour at the Close of Business Meeting.

The annual meeting of Wentworth Baptist Church was held last evening and a large number of the members and adherents gathered to hear the various reports and learn of the progress made during the past year, which has been one of the most prosperous in the church's history.

The pastor, Rev. Walter Quarrington, acted as chairman.

The church clerk's report, presented by A. C. Fraser, showed the following: On roll at beginning of year 269, receiving by letter 11, by baptism 5, by experience 2, released by letter 18, dropped 51, leaving 224 nov on the roll. The roll was called and each member responded by quoting a verse of scripture.

The treasurer's report submitted by Mr. J. Fuller showed the following: Receipts: Balance, \$2,296; loose offering, \$389.26; lectures, \$116.80; missions, \$35.20; Sunday School, \$60; envelope offerings and other receipts, \$1,134.02, making a total of \$1,607.14. Expenditures: Pastor's salary, \$895; pulpit supplies, \$110; other expenses, \$601.28; making a total of \$1,606.28.

A deficit taken in the near future and the church has a deficit of \$54.19. The envelope offerings during the year showed an increase of \$2 a Sunday, but, owing to increased expenditures the church was unable to show a substantial balance as in former years, but hopes to easily make up the deficit in a short time.

The Sunday School report submitted by Miss L. Harper showed the number on the roll at beginning of year to be 196, average attendance, 154, new scholars 28, total number nov on roll 224. The Sunday school receipts were \$69.73 for mortgage fund, \$116.80 for missions, and other collections making a total of \$207.80.

The report of the Ladies' Aid showed receipts \$55. Mrs. Van Atter, in presenting it said the outlook was for more and better work for the Master.

The Ladies' Mission Circle report, submitted by Mrs. Randall, gave the number on the roll as 30. They have held ten meetings during the year, two of which were open, and the average attendance was 16. The receipts were: For home missions \$28.25, foreign missions \$25.25, making a total of \$53.50.

Mr. W. Bullough submitted the report of the B. Y. P. U., and stated that it was in a flourishing condition, there being 58 on the roll, with an average attendance of 30. The receipts amounted to \$31.26 and expenditures, \$27.26, leaving a balance of \$4, which was handed over to the treasury fund. During the year \$13 was spent in supplying flowers each Sunday for the pulpit, after which they are taken to sick members.

President of the Ladies Aid—Mrs. Van Atter.

President of Mission Band—Grant Dexter.

A vote of thanks was given Mr. V. Henderson for his untiring efforts in helping to make the meeting a success.

**DIET SHOCKED.**

**PRUSSIAN HOUSE DEBATES THE QUESTION OF MORALITY.**

Von Molte Evokes Rebukes—His Limits of Permissible in the Nude Too Wide to Suit Views of Graver Colleagues—No Action Taken.

Berlin, Jan. 13.—The question of shows in which nude women appear, which was inaugurated some time ago by Die Schoenheit, or Beauty Society, was debated in the Prussian Diet today on an interpellation by Herr Roeren, a Catholic member, who wanted to know how the Minister of the Interior intended to defend the country's morals, which were threatened by performances in which the use of drapery was reduced to the minimum. The question in the main was very serious, Herr Roeren and other members who attended a performance, denounced the indecency of the word dance, then given, in which a young woman appeared wearing only a diadem in her hair. They declared the deep shame they felt on seeing women of all ages present on that occasion, but some few light-hearted deputies and roared with laughter at the shocked countenances of their graver colleagues, when Count Molte Minister of the Interior, after stating the purely legal aspect of the case, spoke as follows: "As to the limits of what is permissible in representation of the nude, opinions differ widely. In my own judgment this point is unalterably settled. The beauty of the human body as God made it is as incontestable as it is harmless. To represent the human body in its beauty has always been the highest aim and justifiable endeavor of every serious scientific art. Who could feel anything but ideal emotions at the sight of the Venus de Medici and other immortal works?"

After this Count Molte in vain denounced the "beauty evenings" of Die Schoenheit as an abuse of good principles and as a danger to public morality, for the Minister brought upon himself the angry rebukes of the stern moralists, whom he found it impossible to placate. The debate was adjourned indefinitely, without any concrete result.

Olga Desmond, whose nude dances scandalized the complainants, was an interested auditor in the public gallery of the Chamber. She manifested a demeanor of wide-eyed amazement at the denunciation of her performances, for which she claims only moral and artistic motives.

**SCHEME REJECTED.**

ARCHITECTS AGAINST COMPULSORY EXAMINATION.

Proposal to Substitute Licensing System Also Opposed—Ontario Association Will Not Promote Legislation—New Officers Elected.

London, Jan. 14.—By a large majority it was decided yesterday by the convention of the Ontario Association of Architects that no attempts should be made at the approaching session of the Legislature to make the profession a close corporation by the institution of compulsory Government-controlled examinations.

The Young Men's Club's report was submitted by Mr. W. Bullough and showed the number at present on the roll to be 30, with an average attendance of 20 Mr. A. Stevenson, the president, spoke on behalf of the young men, and outlined the course they follow.

The report of the mission band, as submitted by the president, Mr. Grant Dexter, showed the membership to be 40, with an average attendance of 20. One feature of the band's work is the educating of a girl in India to be a soul-winner. The band is undertaking to double its membership during the year. The receipts amount to \$297, of which \$20 was devoted to missions.

Mr. J. Moffat submitted the report of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, explained that 22 members had contributed toward the fund, \$164.10 being raised. Mr. Moffat explained a new duplex envelope system of giving, and this was adopted. The new envelopes are supplied in small boxes which hold one envelope for each Sunday, and each envelope has compartments for the different offerings.

Mr. J. Moffat submitted the report of the Organ Fund, which showed the following: Carried forward from last year, \$30; received from Ladies' Aid, \$55, making a total of \$85.

Mrs. J. Moffat submitted the report of the Fellowship Fund, which showed receipts of \$12.52; carried forward from previous year, \$7; making total of \$19.52; paid out, \$13.39; leaving balance on hand of \$5.13.

The deacons submitted a motion that certain names be dropped and this carried. They also recommended that special services be held for a week previous to Evangelist Torrey's coming in February, and that another pastor's services be secured to help in these meetings.

Mr. A. Stevenson, in submitting the auditors' report, said he was sorry to see a deficit, but hoped the members would consider it a privilege to give more liberally than it might be wiped out. He had examined the books and found everything correct.

Mr. D. Hodd, in addressing the gathering, said the deficit was caused by the increased expenditures, as the missionary offering had increased \$60, and there had been a decrease in the offering by envelope. He thought systematic giving should be encouraged. Mr. Hodd also read a communication from the Citizens' Committee asking for the support of the members in its campaign to have the hotel licenses reduced from 68 to 50. A resolution was passed supporting the movement.

These present the, adjourned to the Sunday School where the ladies served refreshments.

The officers for the coming year are: Deacons—Mr. A. Stevenson, who takes Mr. G. Parson's place, and Mr. W. McElcheran and F. Anderson, re-elected.

Treasurer—R. J. Fuller.

Assistant-Treasurer—W. Prince.

Envelope Steward—B. Howden.

Choir Leader—R. J. Fuller.

Organist—Miss Evelyn Dexter.

Church Clerk—Mr. A. C. Fraser.

Chairman of Finance Committee—D. Hodd.

President of Mission Circle—Mrs. J. Moffat.

**WESTMINSTER MADE GOOD.**

New East End Presbyterian Church Had Good Year.

Warm Praise For the Pastor, Rev. J. R. Van Wyck.

Attention Will be Given to Sunday School Now.

The annual congregational meeting of Westminster Presbyterian Church was held last evening. The attendance was large and keen interest was taken in the proceedings. Mr. W. H. Fletcher was appointed chairman and the first report presented was that of the session, which stated the membership to be 131, added during the year 58, removals 28, net increase 30, baptisms, 14.

The sympathy of the congregation was extended to Mrs. William Devine upon the loss of her mother; to Mrs. Henry Hanna upon the loss of her son; to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kay upon the loss of their child; to Mr. and Mrs. Norman McDonald, upon the loss of their child, and to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Pollock upon the loss of their daughter.

The session urged upon all the members of the congregation the privilege and duty of prayer, faith and a large self-sacrifice.

The report of the Board of Management was then presented by W. G. Dillabough as follows:

During the year we have had erected this beautiful building of which every one is justly proud. As managers we take very little credit for the completion of the same. Our pastor, Rev. J. R. Van Wyck, has seen to almost every thing in a very creditable manner and the Board as a whole have had very little to do to add to their work. The building of the church. The Board have had a very successful year as far as the management of the affairs of the church is concerned. Every one of the managers has taken a deep interest in the welfare of the church.

In submitting the report, Mr. Dillabough tendered his resignation, his term of office expiring until 1910.

The financial statement was as follows:

Receipts:

Balance on hand	20 16
Sunday School collections	103 75
Church collections	916 06
Armenians for use of church	17 00
Augmentation fund	317 50
Total	\$1,394 47
Less sundries	5 12
Disbursements	\$1,389 35

Pastor's salary \$947 50  
Caretaker's salary 78 75  
Sunday school supplies 66 66  
Taxes and water rates 17 68  
Electric light 17 45  
Advertising and printing 70 50  
Telephone in pastor's house 48 96  
Insurance on church furniture 10 56  
Donations 75 00  
To presbytery 7 10

Total \$1,360 10  
Balance on hand, \$29 25.

The building fund report showed the receipts to be \$4,685.38, disbursements, \$4,539.24, balance, \$116.14.

The pastor reported that the books placed in the hands of a member of the congregation and all the local subscriptions be collected by him.

Mr. A. G. Hewish presented the Sunday School report which was a most encouraging one. The average attendance for the year was 115, increase 20.

The members were requested to donate any good books that they could spare to the Sunday School library.

Now that the finances of the church are getting in good shape, a much larger proportion of the money raised will be used on the school.

In the Young People's Society report, presented by Mr. Dan Knox, the membership was stated to be 40, with an average attendance of 25.

The Ladies' Aid Society reported a prosperous year and presented its financial statement as follows: Receipts, \$243.21; disbursements, \$237.05; balance, \$6.16.

After the reports had been read and adopted a resolution was passed to the effect that the chairman and secretary of the Board of Managers be given authority to make out notes for the contractors, subject to the approval of the Board. A resolution was passed that the building fund be turned over and taken charge of by the Board of Managers.

A resolution was adopted that the congregation endorse the Citizen's Campaign Committee for a reduction of licenses not asking for more than fifty.

Of the fourteen members on the Board of Managers the terms of four expired and five retired. A resolution was passed that five new members be appointed, making a number eight. The following five gentlemen were appointed: Messrs. John Stephen, Daniel Knox, Philip Elder, Frank Burdett, James Boyd.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the retiring managers, Mr. John Stephen and Mr. Joseph Culley.

A resolution was presented to increase the pastor's stipend, and it was referred to the Board of Managers.

**London Sends Its Tribute.**

London, Ont.—Miss Clara C. Colley, Clarence street, has experienced such remarkable benefit from "Catarrozone," she makes the following public statement: "For two years I had a continuous cold at the head, and never used anything giving such quick results as Catarrozone. It positively cures colds, consequently, I advocate Catarrozone strongly. No remedy can possibly clear away catarrh and colds like Catarrozone because it's the only direct cure. Treatment for two months cost one dollar and is guaranteed; sample size twenty-five cents at all dealers in medicine. Don't fail to get "Catarrozone."

**Man Badly Lacerated.**

Colt, Jan. 13.—Yesterday another blasting accident, which may add another fatality, occurred about six miles from Colt, in the direction of Lorraine Township, through a missed hole being picked into. As a result Boisse Lamy, aged about 40, with a wife and family residing at Perkinsville, Quebec, is lying in the Red Cross Hospital almost at death's door.

Mr. W. K. George has retired from the Presidency of the Canadian National Exhibition.

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**RENFORTH**

Mr. and Mrs. Laidman, of Southcoote, attended the funeral of the late Mr. Washington Smith, of Glamford, on Monday.

Miss Barbara Smith spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. A. Mossack, of Southcoote.

Quite a number of Renforth young people attended a party at the residence of Mr. Cunningham, Market street, Hamilton, on last Thursday night.

A large number of brethren of Seymour Lodge, A. F. and A. M., were present last Tuesday evening. It being past masters' night, W. Bro. Stewart occupied the chair, and worked one degree. A number of brethren from sister lodges were also present.

Mr. S. Butler, of Sand Lake, Michigan, who has been spending the holidays with friends and relatives in this locality, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith spent a few days last week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O'Hara, Onondaga.

ist paragon on Thursday, the 7th inst., when Mr. Wm. E. Beamer, of Fairfield Plain, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Anson Beamer, was united in marriage with Miss Flossie, youngest daughter of Mr. W. E. Booker, general merchant and postmaster of this village. The happy couple left for Detroit and points west on their wedding trip. Their many friends wish for them a long and happy married life.

The stock inspectors were in this place one day last week.

Mr. J. V. Durham, of Vanessa, was in the village on Friday.

Mr. P. R. Beamer, who has been quite indisposed, is improving.

Mr. D. W. Malcolm is quite ill.

**VANESSA**

Bartholomew & Baker have placed gasoline lights in their store, which makes a great improvement in the little village.

Mr. J. C. Lutes lost a valuable three-year colt on Monday.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Clement is quite ill.

Mrs. James Bannister was the guest of Mrs. James Welch on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Potts, of Kelvin, were guests of their daughter, Mrs. A. Kelley, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Proper spent Sunday in the village the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Bartholomew.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bartholomew spent Saturday in Brantford.

Mr. Wm. S. Bannister, who has been spending a few weeks in Hamilton, has returned home.

Mrs. David Taylor visited her sister, Mrs. Elder McMullen, on Monday.

Mr. Justice Mathieu, of the Superior Court, resigned on Wednesday, after having been on the Bench for more than twenty-seven years. He will open a consultation office in Montreal.

**SCOTLAND**

About five inches of snow fell here, which will make it more pleasant, as the roads have been rough of late.

The new police trustees for this village are W. M. Smith, Dr. J. Anderson and A. E. Eddy.

Mrs. A. Malcolm and granddaughter, Edna, have returned from Burford, where they spent a fortnight with Mr. G. Holt and daughters.

Mrs. W. Malcolm and grandson, R. Malcolm, of Mt. Brydges, are the guests of Mrs. H. Malcolm.

A quiet wedding took place at the Bap-



**HE WAS WISE.**

Madeline—I wonder if he loves me? Kid Brother—Nix, Sis! he hasn't even tried to bribe me yet.

**Notice to Housekeepers.**

When buying house supplies do not forget to order Gerrie's Perfection Baking Powder. It is the strongest, purest and highest grade powder sold. 2,500 of Hamilton's best housekeepers use it. Try it and you will use no other. Price, 30c per lb.—Gerrie's Drug Store, 32 James street north.

**Laxa-Food.**

Many ladies, young, middle-aged and old, can afford a better complexion than they have. The sure way to get it is to eat Laxa-Food. Make the interior of our bodies right and the exterior will take care of itself.—A. W. Maguire & Co.

**The Right House**  
"HAMILTON'S FAVORITE SHOPPING PLACE"

**Friday, Special Value Day**

ARE still lower prices possible? Yes, for to-morrow our weekly bargain day. In the interests of the success of these Friday sales and as a day of still further savings on needful goods, and for the benefit of the thousands of Right House customers, we again announce great extra special offerings for Friday.

Such splendid extra savings are indeed remarkable, coming, as they do, right in the midst of the greatest January reduction and special purchase sales ever known in Canada. The day is yours. Take full advantage of its bargain offerings. Only a few of the great sale lots find mention below. Read the details carefully. The great response to our January sale announcements make it necessary for us to ask all who can to shop in the morning hours, and here are Morning Sale inducements.

THOMAS C. WATKINS.

**Hour Sale Extra Specials**

**25c floor oilcloths at 17 1/2c**

ON sale from 9 to 10 a. m.—A special purchase of desirable new Floor Oilcloths in a splendid wearing quality and nice block and floral patterns; light, medium and dark colorings; 2 yards wide; regular value 25c a square yard. Hour Sale price 17 1/2c a square yard. Be on time. This is one of the best bargains in this advertisement and no person will want to miss it.

**Women's 50c vests 3 for \$1.00**

WOMEN'S Warm Undervests will go out on sale sharp at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning for one hour; regular 50c values, in all sizes, and fine warm qualities of wool and cotton; made by one of the best Canadian makers; some are slightly imperfect but have been neatly mended so that wear or appearance is not impaired in the least. Hour Sale special, 10 to 11 a. m., 3 for \$1.00.

**75c black taffeta silks at 39c**

FOR one hour only—11 to 12 o'clock—These reliable quality, rich Black Taffeta Silks will go on sale at practically half price. Full 22 inches wide; heavy, good-wearing quality; nice lustrous finish. Women will want them for dresses, suits, blouses; underskirts, linings and a dozen other uses. Regular 75c value. Hour sale special, 11 to 12 o'clock, only 39c a yard.

**Hour Sale Extra Specials**

**Our 12 1/2 flannelette at 9 1/2c**

ON sale sharp at 9 o'clock and for one hour thereafter—our regular good 12 1/2 yard wide Flannelettes at 9 1/2c a yard. Pretty pink, blue, grey or fawn stripes with white. Nice soft finish and heavy, fine-strong weave. Full 36 inches wide. Suitable for shirts, nightshirts, underwear and a dozen other uses. Our special 12 1/2c quality. Sale price from 9 to 10 o'clock only 9 1/2c a yard. Be on time.

**85c blouse fronting 19c a front**

ON sale from 10 to 11 a. m. Pretty new Blouse Fronting Embroideries in new Irish crochet and blind effects on fine Swiss muslins; 27 inches wide and spaced for tucking; value 85c a yard. 10 to 11 at 19c a front.

**25c CORSET COVER EMBROIDERIES 13c**

Nice Swisses and Cambries, neatly embroidered in blind and eyelet designs with fast edges and ribbon inserting at top; patterns extend deep down; value 25c; Hour Sale price 10 to 11 only 13c.

**75c blouse nets, 3 yards \$1.39**

FROM 11 to 12 o'clock you may buy a beautiful Blouse Length of these fashionable Hexagon and spotted nets at \$1.39 the length, instead of \$2.25. 42 inch double fold width in white, black, ecrus, navy, taupe and reseda shades. These are extremely fashionable and popular. Regular 75c quality or \$2.25 the blouse length; Hour Sale special from 11 to 12 o'clock at \$1.39 the Blouse Length.

**Morning Sale Specials--**

**On sale from 8.30 to 12 o'clock**

HERE are a number of highly interesting bargains that are great money-savers and every offering is in needful, desirable goods. They are extra bargains in the full sense of the word. Getting your share means being here between 8.30 and 12 a. m. Details—

Up to 6c, White Val. Laces, Insertions; 1/2 to 2 in. wide, 2c New designs for blouse, dress and underwear trimmings

20c to 35c new neck frillings in fashionable styles; 5c a frill Chiffon, Lisse and silk in white and pretty color effects

Up to 35c odd pieces of neckwear; many styles; 9c each Stock collars and jabots; in white and useful color effects

Up to 35c leather belts; medium to large sizes, at 10c each Nice useful styles in black; neat buckles; good quality

7c Berlin wools in 2, 4 and 8 fold styles; 5c Suitable for slippers, fancy work, etc.; assorted shades

Our \$1.65 largest size, warm flannelette blankets, \$1.39 pair 12-4 size; best quality; large; white, grey; colored borders

Our \$1.35 full double bed size flannelette blankets, 99c pair 11-4 size; best quality; white or grey; pink or blue borders

Our \$7.88 fine all wool white blankets at \$5.88 a pair Extra large, fleecy, warm and comfortable; beautiful quality

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THE TIMES SPORTING PAGE

2 up and 1 to play, winning the president's trophy...

Oakland, Jan. 14.—Favorites and well played horses were again in front at Emeryville yesterday.

That greatest of sporting authorities, the Police Gazette Standard Annual...

While Keeler picks out George Perry...

A new miss and out pool tournament is commencing at the H. B. & A. Club...

The big basketball match here next Monday night will be one of the best of the season.

Mr. Burton read the service, in the presence of a small group of relatives...

The new storekeeper, Mr. Gamble, is showing a nice line of clothing.

Following is from the Hamilton Times: The marriage of Miss Bertha Nagle...

Mr. Tisdale, the groom, is a former resident of Atttercliffe.

Question: What happened to Jim Packham?

Art didn't want the job, but they wouldn't let him, so he had to take it.

M. A. K. claimed a seat on his old-time ticket, and he got it.

Yes, and brother John M. landed so easy in the big chair, for a 200-pounder.

And we are to have a grand!

W. B. Thomson is attending the annual chess convention at Brantford this week.

Service will be held here at 7.30 o'clock on Sunday evening, January 31.

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Twenty-Six Men Made Straights Yesterday.

Only One Live Bird Event Took Place.

Yesterday afternoon the feature event of the nineteenth annual tournament of the Hamilton Gun Club...

Quite a number of spectators were at the grounds, which are on the Beach road, yesterday afternoon.

Live bird handicap, seven bird even only; miss and out; \$5 entrance.

Table with columns for names, scores, and handicaps. Includes names like Roundy, Irving, and others.

The 26 who killed seven birds received \$11.90.

SEVEN TEAMS ARE IN.

A City Hockey League Formed.

Games at Britannia Park Open Rink.

Baird's Ideal Won at Lindsay Yesterday.

The City Hockey League was formed at a meeting held at J. W. Neilson's...

Seven clubs were represented at the meeting, and Mr. Neilson was appointed Secretary-Treasurer.

They tell a good story of one of the clergy who is an ardent follower of the game—and he isn't a Scotch Presbyterian, either.

When the old dog tries to reclaim the tricks he used to know.

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Gossip and Comment

Now that a hockey league has been formed looked out for a soft snap.

Charles Taylor, the oldest trainer and driver of trotting horses in America, who died at his home in White River Junction, Vt., at the age of 102 years, was born in West Williams, Middlesex County.

Canada's first Grand Circuit meeting will take place next summer at the Fort Erie track, which gets Buffalo's dates, Aug. 16-20.

The grand old game of curling is noted as a home-disturber, for its devotees never know when to go home when there is a game on.

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Canadian Racing Dates

The Canadian Racing Association, at a meeting in Toronto yesterday, decided on the dates for the racing associations in Ontario and the Montreal Jockey Club, as follows:

Ontario Jockey Club, May 22 to June 5.

Montreal Jockey Club, June 5 to July 3.

Fort Erie Jockey Club, July 5 to July 28.

Windsor Jockey Club, July 31 to Aug. 21.

Fort Erie Jockey Club, Aug. 26 to Sept. 4.

Montreal Jockey Club, Sept. 4 to Sept. 18.

Toronto Jockey Club, Sept. 18 to Sept. 25.

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SHRUBB ALL RIGHT.

Englishman Will Run at N. Y. on 26th Inst.

New York, N. Y., Jan. 14.—The Marathon race scheduled to be run by the Canadian Indian, Tom Longboat, and the English champion, Alfred Shrubbs, will not be declared off.

Shrubbs, the amateur, would take Shrubbs' place and contest with Longboat, was without foundation.

However, there was a disposition, it is stated, on the part of Pat Powers, not to allow Shrubbs an amount equal to that given the Indian.

Shrubbs, however, refused to run unless placed on an equal footing.

Some wrangling occurred, but eventually the matter was amicably adjusted, and now both Longboat and Shrubbs will divide equally a percentage of the gate receipts, both preferring this to a stipulated amount.

In a letter to a Toronto friend Shrubbs says, "After the race Saturday night my leg felt and one of my toes were in bad shape. I have caught cold in my leg, and it will take me all my time to get it right for Longboat."

As a matter of fact, there is a clause in the contract for the Longboat race which gives Shrubbs the \$2,500, whether he finishes his race or not.

This clause was insisted on by Shrubbs. He also tried to have a clause inserted which would bar Tom Flanagan from the track during the race.

He failed, however, to upset the A. A. U.

New York, Jan. 14.—There will be an upheaval in the A. A. U. within a few days that will shake things clear down to the bottom.

The trouble will come to a crisis when President James E. Sullivan is officially informed of the Federation of Amateur Athletic Clubs of the United States, Chicago, and goes over its constitution and by-laws.

Ostensibly the new association is not antagonistic to the A. A. U. In reality, however, it is the result of a conspiracy to overthrow the ruling athletics in the hands of the Y. M. C. A., A. L. N. A., Public Playgrounds Associations, and inter-settlement leagues.

The new organization is headed by Dr. Geo. K. Herman, President of the Central Association; Henry F. Pearson, Chairman of the Registration Committee, and E. B. De Groot.

GN MAY 24TH.

Johnson and Langford Will Fight in London.

New York, Jan. 14.—It was reported here to-night that the National Sporting Club, of London, has succeeded in signing Jack Johnson to fight Sam Langford on May 24th, and that the men would meet in a 20-round go for a purse of \$20,000.

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West Toronto, Jan. 14.—There was a large attendance of horsemen from all parts of Ontario at the opening of the Ontario Horse Breeders' Exhibition yesterday.

Many experts describe it as the best show of its nature held in Canada. The arena is in the large concrete building for sheep lately erected in the Union Stock Yards.

Wm. Laking, of Hamilton, won two prizes in shire classes—Victor in the stallion class and Duchess of Holdenby in the class for mares.

CONCRETE YACHTS NEXT.

Baltimore has the first and only practical sailing vessel built of concrete in the world.

The discovery was made following the receipt of news that experiments are being made in Europe, and more especially in Italy, with concrete boat construction.

But while Europe is only experimenting to test the feasibility of the idea, Baltimore actually has demonstrated it, and a concrete sailing vessel has been in commission for eleven years.

The boat is the Gretchen. She is a two-masted schooner yacht, 65 feet long, with an 18-foot beam, and draws 14 feet of water.

She has accommodations easily for a dozen persons, and will carry all that can be loaded into her. She is easy riding, on account of her weight, and while she necessarily makes only moderate time in a light wind, when the sea is on or there is a gale she adds her weight for momentum, and outstrips everything in sight in the old line of boat building.—Baltimore News.

SHORT ENDS. Pinehurst, N. C., Jan. 14.—In the final round of the mid-winter golf tournament yesterday C. L. Becker, of the Woodland (Massachusetts) Golf Club, defeated L. A. Hamilton, of Englewood.



The J. Hoodless Furniture Co., Limited

# Second Week of the Great Sale

## This Message Is for You

If you have a furniture want unsatisfied this is the time to see about it. The breadth of this sale covers the largest selection of furniture we have ever gathered together. Largest in variety, largest in assortment, and also in exclusiveness of design—worthy furniture that will stand the guarantee of this firm, not the usual factory made goods, but goods that are made according to our own ideas and designs. A glance at the following list will convince you of the real bargains offered and remember—**We stand behind every piece to be exactly as it is represented.**

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## Music and the Drama

"Bunco in Arizona," a play of western life, will be the attraction at the Grand to-morrow evening and Saturday, matinee and night. This is said to be one of the best plays of the popular price order, and has a very realistic atmosphere. There are four acts and each is laid in picturesque Arizona, while the people are all inhabitants of that district, and include miners, cowboys and Indians, which are full blooded and come direct from the reservation. The play is said to have a strong plot, and deal with a young girl who has been left a waif in a mining camp.

AT BENNETT'S THEATRE.  
There is a diversity of acts on the Bennett bill this week that cannot fail to please patrons of vaudeville, among them "A Lamb on Wall Street," the comedy sketch in which Bert Coote, the English comedian, who is making a tour of America in vaudeville, has been scoring an emphatic hit. The theme, which is woven around a youth of wealth being initiated into the mysteries of Wall Street, might in some hands turn out to be a sort of "thriller," but Coote, with those peculiar laugh-provoking qualities that have added to his fame, makes the part indescribably funny. Without exaggeration it is one of the best comedy sketches seen here this season. Those who enjoy a good laugh should not miss seeing "A Carriage Ride with the Mishaps," the pantomime produced by a company of ten people, headed by the famous Byrne brothers. The Vynos, a novelty musical trio, in their farmyard offering; Phil Bennett, an Italian singer, who has been making a big hit; Conkley and McBride, dancers and character comedians, and the Johnnie Bush trio of comedy acrobats, including Johnnie Bush, the child comedian, are other outstanding numbers on a bill that rates high.

Harry W. Fields and his "Repeath Napanes" will be one of the big features next week. It is a school day skit patterned after Gus Edwards' famous act.

AT THE SAVOY.  
"A Flag of Truce," the attractive domestic drama presented by the Selman company, continues to please patrons of that theatre. The story centres around the love of Willard Hilton, for Annie, the wife of Tom Hewins. She was the belle of Ferneliffe, whose hand had been much sought, but Tom proved the lucky fellow. Hilton swore to get even, and the war of 1861 found him in a position to have Tom "drafted." Jim Hewins, Tom's younger brother, determines to go as his brother. For his bravery on the field he is promoted and given a furlough. He comes home for the day, and with his modest way does not tell of the honor. Tom happens to be in Boston at the time, and on his arrival home is told of the home-coming of Jim. As his presence is not explained, Hilton spreads the report that Jim has deserted. Tom rushes to the headquarters and enlists. Through a series of forgeries Hilton convinces the wife and father that Tom has been killed, and also manipulates a scheme whereby their old farm is to be sold unless Annie

promises to wed him. She does so reluctantly. Harry Swift, a bright young fellow, who is in love with Hattie Hewins, has searched made for the missing brothers. Jim arrives home to hear the story of the treacherous friend, and is about to shoot, when Hilton jumps over the cliff and is killed. The play is well staged, and affords an evening of enjoyment. Miss Lasche is delightful as Annie, and Mr. Selman is convincing as Tom Hewins.

ELGAR CHOIR CONCERTS.  
The Elgar Choir concerts on Feb. 17 and 18, with their splendid programmes, are proving strong inducements to subscribers, and the response for seats for both concerts has been most pleasing to the executive. But the lists are not yet filled, and those contemplating enjoying concerts of exceptional merit should lose no time in adding their names to the lists and securing the advantages that come to early patrons. The first evening the Elgar Choir will shine in its own particular line. The second evening the choir and the Pittsburgh orchestra will combine to present a magnificent programme.

### IN A SNAKE DEN.

#### Ten-Year-Old Girl of Los Angeles, Frightened Into Hysterics.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 14.—As the result, it is alleged, of being placed in a den of snakes at a show, a 10-year-old Hildagard Leuenberg may die. The child was hysterical from fright. It is claimed she was placed in the pit with a professional snake charmer to accustom her to the reptiles so she might learn to handle them.

When an officer, armed with a warrant, went to the place he found the doors closed and the show people gone.

### DAY NURSERY DONATIONS.

The committee in charge of the Day Nursery, 209 Rebecca street, returns thanks for: Mrs. T. H. Pratt, \$6 and pair of chickens; Mrs. C. Henderson, \$5; Mrs. McBride, \$1; Mrs. Taylor, Paris, \$6; Miss McLaren, \$1; Mrs. McGivern, \$1; Miss Leggat, \$1; Mrs. Leggat, \$2; Mr. F. Knapman, \$2; Mrs. E. J. White, one dozen silver spoons, one dozen silver knives and forks; Mrs. Malloch, a large turkey for the Christmas dinner; Morton's soap works, a box of soap; friends, clothing, toys; Mrs. Milten, clothing, toys; Mrs. Carey, Meal, sugar; Mrs. Bisby, candies; Mrs. Stewart, candies; Mrs. Rose, one pound tea, bread, meat; Victoria Avenue School, toys, boots, clothing, apples, potatoes, onions; St. Andrew's Church, sandwiches; King Edward School, toys, apples, candy, clothing, boots, preserves; Mrs. Chadwick, toys; Mrs. F. Chadwick, toys; Mrs. C. Moore, apples; Mrs. Bevan, boots; Mrs. Smith, two pounds butter, bread; Mrs. Kirkwall, clothing, toys; Mrs. Glumac, Linklater, Gillies, clothing, toys, apples; Mr. Geo. O. Elder and Mr. W. Lee & Son, rebate on bills. Children kept and fed at 6c per day while mothers work.

### LADIES' FEET.

Want True Size on a Woman's Shoe.

New York, Jan. 14.—There will be a rise in the size of women's feet if the shoe men have their way. No more will mindfully be able to squeeze her No. 7 pedal extremities into a No. 2, no matter how willing she may be to stand the pain of the squeeze. The shoe men—otherwise the National Foot and Shoe Manufacturers' Association—have decided, in the altruistic fashion common to tradesmen, that such things shall not be. In other words, all the girls will have to take a shoe their size.

Until yesterday's session of the association in the Hotel Astor it was not generally known that most of the shoe dealers have a code system in the marking of women's shoes by which a customer of that sex may flutter into a store, sit down on the leather covered bench and sweetly remark to the man in charge: "I think a No. 41 will about do," and then be threatened with convulsions while the obliging salesman squeezes, or tries to squeeze, the same on to a—well, what's the use?

"It's just vanity," said the shoe man, who introduced the measure, "and ought to be stopped. It enables a dealer to substitute one size for another in selling to a customer. It is a form of deception that is obviously unfair and unnecessary and I have thought that possibly the manufacturers might be forced into serious consideration of the problem."

His remarks were greeted with cheers, but then there were no women present.

### WIFE WINS.

#### Mrs. Goslin Gets \$50,000 Verdict For Alienation.

New York, Jan. 14.—The jury that has been hearing the testimony in the suit brought by Mrs. Una Goslin, the wife of the "get-rich-quick" man, Alfred R. Goslin, now living in Paris, France, where he went to escape the attentions of the police of this city, against Mrs. Anne Irene Magher, stenographer of Goslin, brought in a verdict to-day for the full amount sued for, \$50,000.

### BISMARCK LODGE.

At the regular convention of Bismarck Lodge, No. 31, Knights of Pythias, last night, District Deputy Past Grand Chancellor J. P. Macleod, assisted by P. G. C. Chapman and G. M. of E. John Burns, installed the following officers for 1909: Charles Humpherson, P. C. C. C. Brunke, C. C. W. Galashan, V. C. W. J. Wheatley, Prelate. O. Ellwood, M. of W. A. Rumpersperger, K. of R. and S. T. McLean, M. of F. W. A. Smith, M. of E. J. G. Mitchell, M. of A. G. Ashton, I. G. W. Hill, O. G.

### SPAIN'S KING WOULD FLY.

#### Alfonso Has an Ambition to be First Monarch to Navigate the Air.

Paris, Jan. 14.—Alfonso, King of Spain, is preparing to become an adept in the art of flying. He has already acquired an aeroplane of the Wright model, and is to become a pupil of Wilbur Wright. Alfonso has an ambition to be the first monarch to navigate the air. When he has finished his course of instruction under Wright, he means to travel about in an aeroplane, instead of an automobile. Representations made by court officials respecting the risk to his life have had no effect upon him, as the

King takes much pride in being up to date in matters of sport.

Where he got his flying machine is a mystery. It is thought it was manufactured for him in the workshop of Leon Bolle at Le Mans last autumn.

### RAILROAD RATING.

#### Merchants' Association of New York Condemns the Practice.

The trend of feeling amongst conservative business men in the United States against the railroad habit of practices of politicians is shown by the following resolution, which was recently adopted by the Merchants' Association of New York:

Whereas, the railroads of the United States constitute collectively the largest purchasing and consuming interest in the country, and as such exercise a

corresponding influence on all of the industries in which they rely for the vast volume of materials and supplies which they require for construction, maintenance and operation, and

Whereas, the purchasing ability of the railroads, especially that relating to new construction, is largely contingent upon their ability to make such new issues of securities as may properly be needed to cover their financial requirements, and the ability to do this is directly dependent in turn for public confidence in the stability of the conditions which determine the earning power of the railroads; therefore, be it

Resolved, that the Merchants' Association of New York respectively urges all members of the Congress, all members of the Legislatures of this and other States, and of railroad commissions, to encourage the return of railroad business to normal conditions by ceasing and discontinuing ill-considered or unjustified censure of existing methods of railroad management, and by limiting proposed new legislation on these matters to such measures as have been so carefully investigated and studied as to determine clearly not only the necessity for their enactment, but also their proper form and scope for the accomplishment of intended reforms.

Resolved further, that copies of the resolution be sent to Senators and representatives in Congress and to the Senators and assemblymen in the State Legislatures, in order thereby to encourage a public sentiment concerning railroad corporations which will promote the public welfare on the one hand by supporting necessary remedial legislation, and on the other hand opposing untimely, needless or arbitrary laws and regulations of restriction of railroad business.—Montreal Gazette, December 29, 1908.

### INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

Court Canada, Canadian Order of Foresters, was honored last night by visitors from Bro. James Gadsby, D. D. H. C. R., who installed the following officers for 1909: W. R. Feast, J. P. C. R.; Geo. Wilcock, C. R.; H. Smith, V. C. R.; Geo. O. Elder, R. S.; G. B. Rittenberg, F. S.; David Fraser, Treasurer; W. E. Dandie, Chaplain; J. McVittie, S. W.; A. W. Murphy, J. W.; J. Miljore, S. B.; C. R. Brown, J. B.; Dr. A. E. Hilker, Physician; T. H. Bevers, Pianist.

### Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the Nurses' Home of the City Hospital on Monday evening, when the nurses were entertained by the Devotional Committee of the Y. W. C. A. A short programme was given by Miss Cott and Miss Slater, assisted by some of the nurses, after which all joined in games. Mrs. Harrison, in her address, spoke of the pleasure it gave the committee to entertain the nurses in this way. Miss Simpson, the secretary, thanked all those taking part, especially Miss Copp, for her faithful work as convener of that committee. Mrs. House also thanked them for the pleasure given, and all parted with the feeling that the evening had been all too short.

The seventh of a series of lectures by Dr. Bagshaw was given on Wednesday night, and was very interesting, dealing with the duties of the nurse in the sick room, the handling of helpless patients and the preparing of their food. The last two lectures of the course will be

given on the 20th and 27th of January. As these lectures are open to all members, there should be a good attendance.

A number of the young ladies of the city have formed a committee to provide linen for the new Y. W. C. A. building. It is very gratifying to the ladies of the board to find that those outside the usual workers have taken up this department of the work. The linen will all be marked by the young ladies, and will be a very large item in the furnishing of the new building. It would be gratifying to see others come forward and take up other parts of this important work.

### MOTHERS OF CATHEDRAL.

#### Annual Supper Last Evening—Several Presentations Made.

In Christ's Church Cathedral school room last evening the annual supper of those interested in the mother's meetings was held, about fifty mothers of the church being present. The mothers were seated around the festive board, which was in the shape of a large horseshoe, and fairly groined beneath the weight of good things. Mrs. C. Foote, president, was in the chair and Canon Abbott and Mrs. Abbott were guests. The supper started at 6.30, Canon Abbott made a brief speech on the most commendable work of the mothers during the past year, and thanked them heartily on behalf of the church. Mrs. Foote gave a short speech, and Mrs. Manning also spoke. She mentioned gratefully the kindness of the rector and his wife and the officers of the Mothers' Association in helping to make the year's work the success that it was.

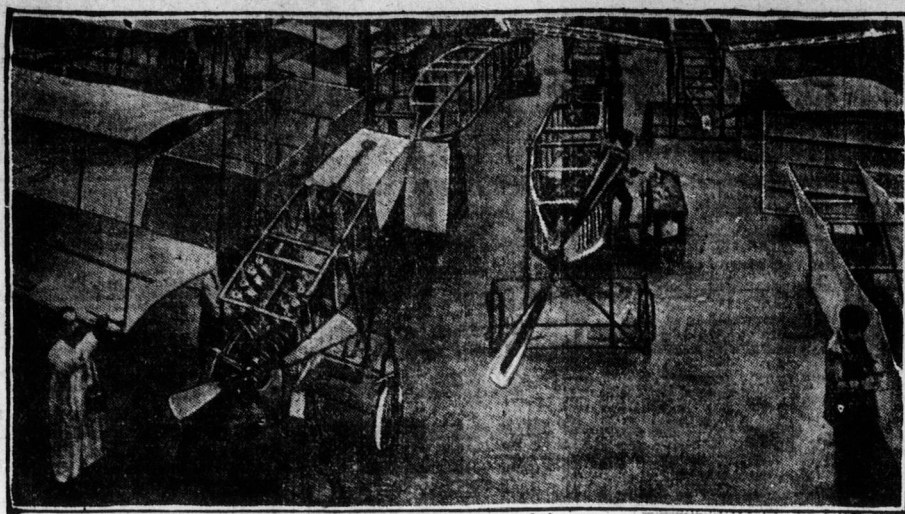
The feature of the evening was a presentation of bouquet to the president, Mrs. Foote, and to Mrs. Abbott, and a presentation of a quilt to Miss K. Thompkins. All spoke feelingly in reply. During the evening a recitation was given by Miss K. Thompson and a reading by Mrs. Foley.

The ladies who hold office in this important institution at Christ's Church Cathedral and whose hard work brings about the success it attains every year are Mrs. O'Neil, Miss Ethel Southam, Mrs. McClelland and Miss K. Kennedy. These officers all hold their positions another year.

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### TRIAL OF MOIR AT LONDON.

#### Shooting of Sergt. Lloyd at Wolsley Barracks.

#### Epilepsy That Rendered the Prisoner Irresponsible.

#### Witnesses From the Militia Stationed at the Barracks Testify.

London, Jan. 13.—Private William Moir was placed on trial this morning before Sir Wm. Meredith and a jury for the murder of Color-Sergeant Lloyd at Wolsley Barracks on April 17, 1908. As to the facts there is no dispute. On the night in question Moir was making a disturbance in the barracks. Lloyd, in pursuance of his duty, entered the room in which Moir was, with the intention of arresting him. Moir, who had a rifle in his possession, fired twice at Lloyd, injuring him fatally. He then fled, and, although an ample deserter, with photos, was sent broadcast throughout the Province, he evaded arrest for three weeks. He was living with a farmer near Arthur as a hired man when arrested.

### DIDN'T SEE HIS DEAD.

#### Earthquake Sufferer in New York Tells of Terrible Day.

#### Bodies of His Wife and Children Buried Deep in the Ruins.

#### Landed in New York With a Few Cents and an Old Suit.

New York, Jan. 13.—Giuseppe Cutrone, the first of the Italian earthquake sufferers to reach this country, came here to-day on the steamer Re d'Italia. He was the only one of the 1,400 passengers that had been in anywise a victim of the catastrophe in Calabria and Sicily.

### FARMER DROWNED.

#### Wandered on the Ice at Collingwood During Night.

Collingwood, Jan. 13.—When Ship-keeper William Dargett was going around his steamer at the Grand Trunk wharf this morning he noticed a man's cap on the ice by the side of the steamer City of Midland. Upon investigating, tracks were found to lead to a hole in the ice. As there were no returning tracks a grappling hook was used, and, after an hour or so, the body of John Smith, a farmer of Kirkville, was recovered.

### FROZEN TO DEATH.

#### William Evans, an English Settler Lost His Life Near Waterous, Sask.

Waterous, Sask., Jan. 13.—William Evans, an English homesteader, was frozen to death on a claim just north-west of this town on Saturday last under somewhat peculiar circumstances. He left town for home early in the forenoon, but as he was not seen afterwards search was instituted and his body was found on a bluff about half a mile beyond his shack. His footsteps were followed right up to his own door, and his mitts and key were found there.

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### WEED OUT HERDS.

#### Place Dairying on a Scientific Foundation.

#### Western Dairymen's Convention at Brantford.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 13.—The feature of the opening here to-day of the forty-second annual convention of the Western Dairymen's Association was the address this evening by Mr. C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture in which he exhorted the farmers to put their best thought and best work into making dairying the scientific and profitable industry it ought to be.

### PRINCE RUPERT LOTS

#### Arrangements Being Made For Laying Out the Townsite.

Montreal, Jan. 13.—Arrangements for placing Prince Rupert townsite on the market next May are going forward steadily. No less than 1,675 acres have been plotted and will be put into lots for the business section. This provides 10,730 lots. In the residential district, which reaches around the curving shore of the beautiful harbor, 242 acres have been divided up, making 1,500 lots in this district. All provision has been made for streets, alleys, parks, public buildings, cemetery, water front and terminal facilities for railways and water shipping.

### SECOND STROKE.

#### Mr. J. Lorne McDougall, Ex-Auditor-General, in Critical Condition.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—Mr. J. Lorne McDougall, ex-Auditor-General of Canada, suffered a second paralytic stroke to-day, and tonight the doctor in attendance held out little hope of his recovery. Mr. McDougall held the position of auditor-general for a quarter of a century, retiring on superannuation on the appointment of the present auditor-general, Mr. Fraser, some four years ago.

### GREEN SICKNESS

#### A Disease of Young Girls Interesting and Suggestive Advice That all Should Read.

Many mothers will echo the conclusion expressed in a very interesting and suggestive letter written by Mrs. Zacharia Pollard, of Grand Bay. "It is one of the illusions of motherhood that once the diseases of childhood have been successfully passed a smooth road lies before their dear ones. Boys bruise themselves, or perhaps break a limb, but the physical history of a young girl is subject to so many dangers, it is only when some great one has been successfully overcome that we realize how many dangers there are. My eldest child, a daughter, just as she had entered upon the sixteenth year, suddenly developed weakness, her color faded, some unpleasant heart symptoms indicated a lowered vitality of that organ, but strange to say she appeared plump. The bodily functions were obstructed, and a waxy or pallid, or yellowish skin gave her a ghastly look. The doctor's tonic failed to improve the symptoms, we decided to try Ferronze so highly recommended in the newspapers. It was probably three weeks before any manifest change was noticeable, but once that Ferronze checked the running-down process the upward advance was rapid. I suppose if I had neglected to give her Ferronze she would have fallen into permanent ill-health, as it is I am deeply thankful that Ferronze has completely restored my daughter to vigorous robust health."

### FORTY-FOUR STABS.

#### Hamilton, Ohio, Man Attacked Wife With Penknife.

Hamilton, Ohio, Jan. 13.—Rudolph Wirtz, secretary of the Wirtz Transfer Co., a prominent business man, went insane to-day and ran amuck, injuring six persons, including his wife, who will probably die. Wirtz assailed his wife with a penknife at home. He cut and stabbed the woman forty times in the face, breast, neck and head. He cut out her left eye and severed her right thumb. Wirtz was beaten almost insensible before being disarmed. Wirtz slashed his brother, Julius, twelve times in the face and injured Chas. Martin, president of the Martin Transfer Co.; Harry Sumner, Wm. Hirschler and Geo. Long, but they will recover.

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