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Str. "Republic" Sinks After Pier Passengers Are Twice Transferred

Six Lives Lost in the Collision With Florida, Which, Unable to Carry Extra Load, Is Relieved by the Baltic.

LA LORRAINE TELLS HOW "WIRELESS" AIDS RESCUE

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The drama of the sea, which, for more than 24 hours the whole world has practically simultaneously witnessed through the agency of wireless telegraphy, and which has not been without tragic features, ran thru its last sensational scenes with the coming of Sunday's dawn, and is tonight nearing a fortunate, if not happy, ending.

The ramming of the White Star liner Republic in a dense fog early Saturday morning by the Lloyd Italiano Line S. S. Florida of Nantucket Light, Mass., has been followed by a series of events constituting one of the most remarkable of ocean mishaps on record.

No less than seven ocean liners—the Baltic, New York, Furberia, La Lorraine and Lucania—the two crippled ships—Republic and Florida—are figuring in this striking story.

The 42 passengers of the Republic have undergone two transfers on the open sea, first to the crippled Florida on Saturday morning and then early today to the commodious Baltic, which is bringing also the 500 and more passengers from the disabled Florida.

With the great human cargo of 1650 rescued persons, besides her own list of 350, the Baltic will arrive at New York early in the morning. The Republic, believed at one time to be sinking, has been kept afloat, and is limping back to New York, towed by the revenue cutter Gresham and steered by the Anchor Line Furberia.

At daylight Mate Swanson and five seamen made their way thru the surf and Leoro, with a life-saving crew from Bamfeld, came to the rescue and sent two boats. One of these swamped and the crew with difficulty were saved by the other boat. They finally got a line to the rock and took off the five seamen by a traveling buoy late Saturday afternoon.

The mate refused to leave the rock until those remaining on the wreck were taken off.

Darkness intervening the steamers returned to Bamfeld. Meanwhile the mate, gathering fragments, lit a fire on the rock and before daylight Sunday the captain and remainder of the crew, the weather having moderated, made a successful dash thru the surf and joined the mate on his rock. The Leoro and Tees returned at daylight and took off the remainder of the crew from the rock.

All suffered terribly from exposure, and Seaman Hern had a leg broken.

After the transfer of the passengers from the Republic to the Florida, which had no accommodation for the 400 and more passengers, the heavy burden of humanity, Capt. Voltolin of the Italian ship gave orders to stand by until further help arrived. An examination of the Florida showed that her cutter and bow had been crumpled as if she had crushed into a stone wall and her two forward compartments were filled with water.

The Florida, however, showed no signs of sinking, though she was slightly awash at the head. It was deemed best, therefore, at a late hour to transfer not only the Republic's passengers, but all those on board the Florida as well.

Shortly before midnight the re-transfer of the passengers from the Florida to the Baltic began. Fortunately the sea was smooth and as placid as a lake, and the ship was working in the filmy flare of night lights, made their way back and forth between the steamships in the fog.

Meanwhile the Republic drifted away in the muck and was lost to the sight of those on board the Baltic and the Florida. Capt. Sealy and a boat's crew drifted alongside the Republic in a gig and were keeping watch over the disabled liner when she became enveloped in fog at 10 o'clock last night and lost to the view of the Baltic.

SELECTION OF SUCCESSORS

Positions of Archbishop of Canada and Bishop of Toronto to be Filled—Archdeacon in Charge.

Archdeacon Sweeny is temporarily in charge of diocesan affairs until the return of the assistant bishop, Rt. Rev. Dr. Reeve.

"The assistant bishop is out of the city on duty, I think at Fenelon Falls," said the archdeacon last night. "I have telegraphed for him, and he will be back to-morrow, but it is a most difficult place to get at."

"No arrangements will be made today, and nothing will be done until he returns to-morrow."

The archdeacon is filled, not by seniority but by election.

The House of Bishops of the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada all meet together to elect a primate.

The principle of seniority has always been regarded as very appropriate. It is unlikely that at the present juncture a new precedent will be made.

Should the senior bishop be chosen, the new primate will be the Bishop of Ottawa, Rt. Rev. Charles Hamilton, first bishop, formerly rector of St. Matthew's, Quebec, and metropolitan of the provincial synod. He was born in 1834, and is consequently of the same age as the late archbishop. He was consecrated to Niagara in 1887, and elevated to the new bishopric in 1878. The location of the primacy at Ottawa would be regarded as very appropriate.

Next to him in seniority are the bishops of Quebec, Niagara, Ontario and Nova Scotia.

Archbishop Bond preceded Dr. Sweatman and Archbishop Lewis before that.

The formalities which will be followed in the election of a new bishop of Toronto are briefly as follows: The standing committee of the synod, which is composed of some twenty-six members, will meet immediately and make arrangements for a special election, which will probably be held in a week's time.

The voting will take place in some church, probably St. James' Cathedral, as was the case when the late Dr. Sweatman was elected, and will be strictly without debate. A ballot is taken, the members voting by orders, and a majority of both clergy and lay representatives is necessary to insure election. If no result is reached on the first ballot, an adjournment is made to enable members to discuss the nominations among themselves. When another ballot is taken, and this is continued until the election of a bishop is assured.

In regard to the position of the bishop assistant, Dr. Reeve, Chancellor Worrell states that it is vacated by the death of his grace, and that the administration of the diocese is in the hands of the senior archdeacon, Dr. Sweeny, until the election of a new bishop.

Possible Successors.
Amongst the possible successors in the Toronto diocese are: Canon Cody, Provost Street Macklin, Bishop Reeve, Archdeacon Sweeny, Canon Tucker and Canon Welch.

ED. BRISTOL FOR ENGLAND.
Mr. Edmund Bristol, M.P., leaves tomorrow for England. His doctor has advised a short sea voyage after his recent illness.

Death Comes Peacefully To Archbishop Sweatman

His Grace Passed Away Early Sunday Afternoon, After a Week's Illness—Unconscious as the End Approached.

WAS BISHOP OF TORONTO FOR THE PAST 29 YEARS

After a week's illness the death occurred yesterday afternoon, shortly after 1 o'clock, of His Grace the Most Rev. Arthur Sweatman, D.D., D.C.L., Lord Archbishop of Toronto, Primate of all Canada and Metropolitan, in his 75th year. Pneumonia was the cause of death.

The end came peacefully at the See House, Howland-street. His grace had not enjoyed the best of health for the past two years, and on his return from the induction of Bishop Farthing as Bishop of Montreal, he betrayed symptoms of illness. Altho nothing serious was anticipated, his family prevailed upon him not to attend last Sunday's services at St. Alban's Cathedral. On Monday his grace was suffering apparently from a severe cold. Dr. Harrington and Dr. Grassett were called in, and diagnosed the illness as bronchial pneumonia. Mid-week it was thought that improvement had set in, but on Friday there was a turn for the worse and on Saturday it was reported there was only a "fighting chance."

Rev. Canon MacNab said last night that on Friday morning Archbishop Sweatman received "the blessed sacrament." The archbishop was able to participate in the service and derived much comfort from it. He began to feel noticeably late on Saturday afternoon.

Canon MacNab said that he was with the archbishop at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. At 7 o'clock he gave the archbishop the commending prayers of the church for the dying.

Yesterday morning about an hour before daybreak Canon MacNab turned on the electric lights so that he could see to read to him. The archbishop gazed around and asked: "Am I dead?" Is this death? These were the last words the archbishop said.

After that the archbishop lapsed into unconsciousness and remained so until the end.

Canon MacNab said it showed the archbishop's faith and that the archbishop thought that he had entered into the new life and light he was looking forward to, when the electric light was turned on.

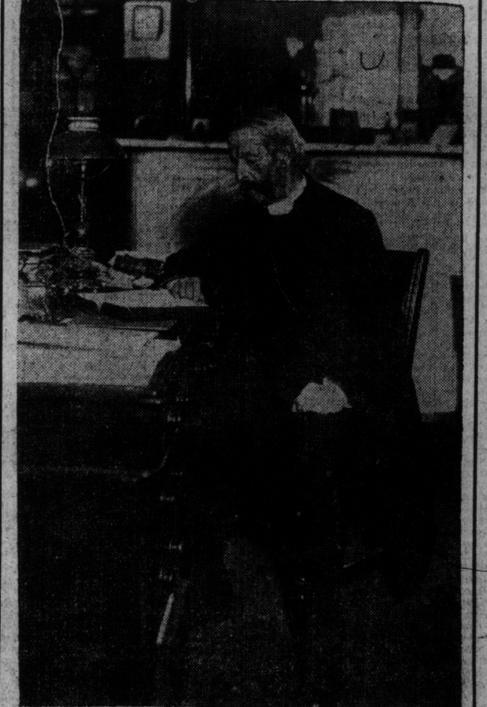
This interlude was given in the vestry of St. Alban's and Canon MacNab pointed to the large painting of Archbishop Sweatman in his episcopal robes. He told of his having been presented to St. Alban's as a tribute to him as the founder of the cathedral.

There were present when the end came—John Stanley and Charles, sons of the archbishop, and a daughter, Miss Gladys, with Canon MacNab and the family physician, Dr. A. J. Harrington. Mrs. Walters of Kingston, another daughter, arrived later in the afternoon.

As a sketch of his career shows, his grace, while he came to Canada as an educationist, devoted the most of his life to the affairs of the church, and his elevation in 1907 to the highest.

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THE LATE ARCHBISHOP SWEATMAN



Sincere Tributes Paid In Anglican Churches And by Other Clerics

Representatives of Other Denominations Voice Regret at Sad News—Congregational Prayers for the Family.

Representatives of all the denominations expressed themselves last evening as grieved at the death of His Grace Archbishop Sweatman. The World, on requesting an interview at "The Palace," was authorized to make the following statements:

"His Grace the Most Rev. Monignor MacEivay, Archbishop of Toronto, has been deeply sympathetic to the death of Archbishop Sweatman, and altho he never had the pleasure of meeting him, the place which he held in the respect of the community was an evidence of the great love which his would be to the denomination he headed in Canada.

Principal Gandier, Knox College, said: "My only knowledge of the archbishop was thru meeting him at public meetings. As representative of a sister church, we grieve deeply for its loss. He was one of the kindest men to meet in the common religious life of the community."

Rev. W. F. Wilson, D.D., Trinity Methodist Church, said: "I would like to say that I have known his grace for many years in all the churches. He was a good man, wise and catholic in spirit, and one who endeavored himself not only to do his own communion but to all who followed his Master and Lord."

Rev. George Jackson, Sherbourne-street Methodist, said: "I did not know him personally, and never met him, so that I can only give expression to my sympathy with the church to which he belonged."

Dr. H. Francis Perry, Jarvis-street Baptist Church, said: "It is certainly a great loss to Toronto, both in religious and moral matters, because he took a very pronounced stand in all such things."

Principal O'Meara, Wycliffe College, said: "We feel very keenly the loss, for many years he has been a very staunch friend to all the interests centered here. He helped us in everything we have ever asked him to do, and we feel deeply the loss of a personal friend."

In the Anglican churches of the city, thruout the diocese, and in many parts of Canada prayers were offered yesterday morning for the archbishop's recovery. Last evening the announcements were made to many congregations of his death.

At St. Alban's Cathedral special prayers were offered for the archbishop at the 8 o'clock communion and the 11 o'clock services.

At the 11 o'clock service the church was crowded. Rev. Canon MacNab spoke from the text, "And God said, I know thy sorrow." (Exodus III, 7). He drew attention to the sorrows and troubles that were present in the See House because the Archbishop of Toronto and the Primate of all Canada lay dying. He prayed that the thought of Him who knows all our sorrows would be directed to the archbishop.

At the evening service, Rev. J. B. ...

CALIFORNIA'S TWO CENT BILL

Sweeping Reform Measure Which is to Come Before the Legislature.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 24.—While mention has been before made of the bill introduced by Senator Sanford for the regulation of passenger rates its importance has led many persons to ask for copies of the measure that they might study its provisions. Of deep public interest and likely to be the subject of exciting debate in both houses of the legislature, the bill is here given in full, that the people may know what it proposes to do.

Section 1. It shall hereafter be unlawful for any corporation, firm or individual, owning or operating a railroad in whole or in part within this state, to charge in excess of two cents per mile for the carriage between points in this state of any adult person, or in excess of one cent per mile for the carriage of children between the ages of 6 and 12 years, except according to the provision of this act. Children under the age of 6 and 12 years, when accompanied by parents, must be given free transportation. The minimum charge in no case shall be less than five cents, and in determining the charge fractions less than one-half mile shall be disregarded and all other fractions counted as one mile. One hundred and fifty pounds of baggage must be carried free of charge for anyone paying full fare, and 75 pounds of baggage for anyone paying half fare.

Section 2. Where any passenger is given a reasonable opportunity before the departure of any train to secure a ticket entitling him to carriage and fail to do so, then such carrier may charge and collect additional ten cents above the regular fare, but upon the payment of this additional ten cents the train conductor or collector to whom the payment is made, shall issue to the passenger a receipt for that part of the fare paid in excess of the regular fare, and this receipt shall be redeemed with cash, upon the presentation thereof at any ticket office of the carrier, at any time within six months from the issuance thereof.

Section 3. Any railroad coming under the provisions of this act may petition the state board of railroad commissioners for the privilege of being allowed to charge a greater rate than two cents per mile. The petitions must contain a written statement of the evidence and reasons why a rate of two cents per mile does not yield a reasonable return to said railroad. The board may then set a day for the hearing of the petition, at which time any person who is allowed the opportunity to appear and present evidence tending to disprove the contention of the railroad. The board shall have power to subpoena witnesses and to compel them to testify. If, after the hearing, it appears to the board that the contention of the railroad is sustained, then the board shall allow such a maximum rate as will yield a reasonable return. All expenses incurred in the preparation, filing and conducting hearings shall be paid by the railroad presenting the petition. The said board may, at any time, notify any railroad which has been allowed to charge a greater rate than two cents per mile to appear before it and show cause why such rate should not be reduced to two cents per mile, and after the hearing, may make such an order reducing the rate to two cents per mile.

Section 4. Any railroad coming under the provisions of this act which charges more than two cents per mile for the carriage of any passenger or more than the maximum rate allowed by the state board of railroad commissioners when the railroad has been authorized by the board to charge a larger rate than two cents per mile, shall, upon conviction, pay a fine of not less than \$25, nor more than \$100, for each offence. Any official, agent or employe of a railroad who authorizes, suffers, suffers, ratifies or in any way countenances the charging by a subordinate of a greater sum than the maximum rate allowed by the board to charge a larger rate than two cents per mile, shall, upon conviction, pay a fine of not less than \$25, nor more than \$100, or be imprisoned for not longer than six months nor less than 30 days, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 5. This act shall take effect 90 days after its passage.

HUGE SUITS LAUNCHED

Federal Government Asks for Recovery of Much Land.

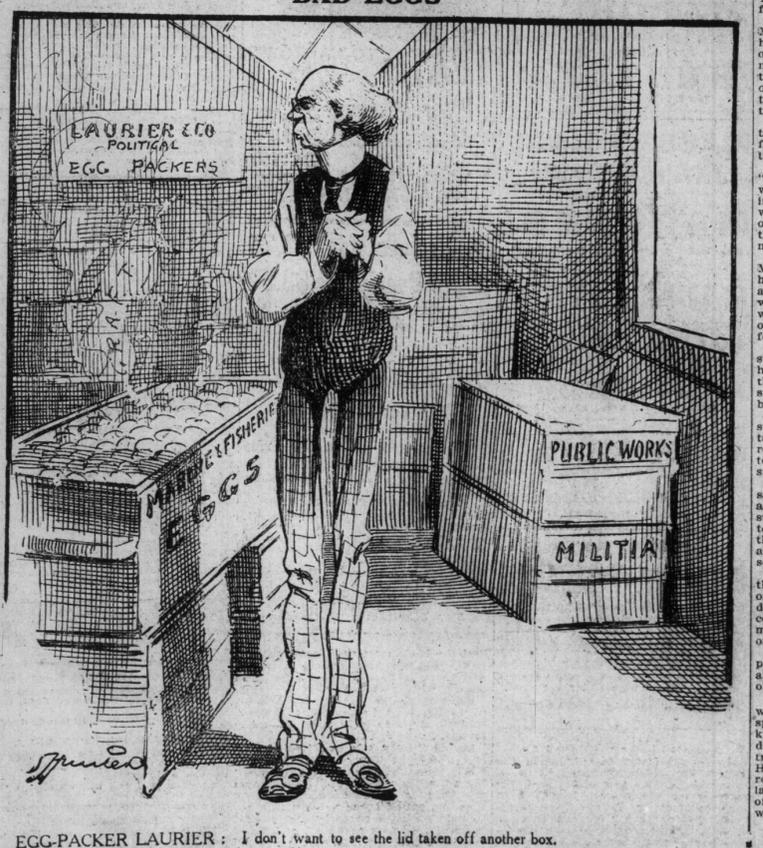
PORTLAND, Oregon, Jan. 24.—The federal government yesterday filed 35 suits against the Oregon and California Railway Company, the Southern Pacific Company, the present owners of the Oregon and California Railway, and 100 individuals and private corporations.

The suits are to recover from the railroads and their grantees, who compromise the title of her patent, an aggregate of 335,228 acres of land valued at over \$15,000,000, which the government alleges has been sold to the railroads to timber companies, lumber speculators and others.

ROBERT BURNS

Today is the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns. The plowman bard has long ago come into our own, not alone among his countrymen, to whom he is the supreme poet of the nation's songs, but also in the great realm of English literature which holds no poet of pure lyric genius. Burns laid the foundation of the modern lyric, and he taught her people that their national life was neither dead nor dying, but could survive the perils of her parliament, and the loss of her ancient independence.

He has been an inspiring voice; it still rings over the continents, binding Scottish hearts in brotherhood, making strong the impressions and deepening the memories that cluster round the days of Auld Lang Syne.



EGG-PACKER LAURIER: I don't want to see the lid taken off another box.

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Fhoebie Davies' Fifty Gowns.

There arrived in the city yesterday afternoon one of the most attractive little women on the stage to-day, and an actress who has been identified with the success of one play since it was first produced twelve years ago. Fhoebie Davies, in private life known as Mrs. J. R. Grismer, wife of the famous producer, is registered at the King Edward Hotel.

She has played Anna Moore in "Way Down East" over four thousand times, she said last evening, "and have accumulated a wardrobe of over fifty sombre black gowns with white neck-cloths, as I don't like to throw away anything that is associated with my work. Each dress has some particular significance, as they have been worn in different cities and at different times. But at last my managers have promised me that this is really the farewell season for me as Anna. I am to have a new play after the Easter holidays."

"Oh, no," she hastened to reply to a query, "not the farewell season for me, but for the Tennyson's 'Brook' forever. The country is so large that by the time the play has made its complete revolution of the larger cities a new generation of theatre-goers has sprung up."

Fashions That Must Not Be Copied.

Both Queen Alexandra and the Princess of Wales dispose of dresses which they do not intend to wear again, by having them taken to pieces and the material distributed amongst members of their households. There is an inviolable rule, however, in Buckingham Palace and at Windsor, that the recipient of any royal flattery is never, in any circumstances, to wear a gown in the form in which it is worn by the Queen.

Often her majesty wears a dress only once, particularly those in which she is seen at evening courtly dinners which the gowns are taken to pieces and the parts distributed, with the exception of the valuable lace-trimming, which is reserved for the Princess of Wales. On the other hand, the Princess of Wales does not hesitate to be seen in the same gown many times, especially if it happens to suit her.

The German Empress has the same rule regarding gowns worn on state and other important occasions as Queen Alexandra, and they are never seen again in the same form.

Queen Amelie of Portugal has long been known as one of the best-dressed queens of Europe. She seldom is seen in any gown more than once, and is very generous in her disposal of old clothes amongst the less affluent ladies of her court. The Queen of Italy, on the other hand, is noted for the extreme plainness of her dress. She has one extravaganza, however. She never wears a pair of evening shoes more than once. In this respect she is like the ex-Empress Eugenie, who used to give all her discarded slippers to a girls' orphanage in Paris.

In Society.

Lady Edgar left on Saturday for a visit to Sir William and Lady Van Horne in Montreal. Miss Edgar goes down to-day, and will also be Lady Van Horne's guest.

Mrs. E. C. Wragge, Calgary, who has been visiting in town, is now in Ottawa, the guest of Miss Mary Scott.

Mr. Justice Mabee and Mrs. Mabee are visitors in Ottawa.

Captain and Mrs. Hunter have left for California.

Miss Marguerite Buerres is in Montreal visiting Miss Covertin.

Mrs. McWhinney is the guest of Colonel and Mrs. Graves in Ottawa.

Mrs. E. F. Clarke has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Miss Phyllis Ellen Clarke, to Mr. John Chapman Ross, in the Reformed Episcopal Church, College and Tappin streets, at 2:30 p.m., on Jan. 27, and afterwards at 3:30 Markham street.

Mr. Alfred Miller of Pittsburg is visiting in town.

Mrs. George Howland is giving a bridge party next Wednesday.

The engagement is announced of Miss Lillian Gertrude Gamsby, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hendrie, Miss Edith

THIS WEEK AT THE THEATRES

Henry Miller has made more than a fair start toward the intellectual drama.

Henry Miller has made more than a fair start toward the intellectual drama. In fact, one might say that he had started a school for thoughtful men and women who are no longer satisfied to swallow melodrama in large chunks and rattle French plays. Mr. Miller banked on the proposition that enough of the public would prefer a mental treat to a half-dramatic play to make "The Great Divide" pay, and he won. Again, last year he relied on the intelligent 35 per cent. of the public to support "The Servant in the House," and he won again.

He is making his last tour as Stephen Ghent in "The Great Divide" now, in order to produce William Vaughan Moody's new play "The Faith Healer," in St. Louis. It is probable that his

At the Malestic.

As a rule, romantic dramas lack interest because of inconsistency to detail and incongruity of construction. However, "A Bad Man's Wife," which Selma Herman, the well-known theatrical actress, is using this season, and which will be the week's attraction at the Malestic, is said to be the embodiment of all that is interesting, absorbing and entertaining.

The dominating character is a woman who is linked by marriage to a man who disgraces his sex, by his perfidy, dishonesty and wickedness. By false promises and lies he compels her to steal and cover in the dust. With a Spartan heart she bears her sufferings and the pain of the iron of fate, coupled with a chain of circumstances on which the action of the plot hinges they are parted. Characters drawn from life are introduced, whose scenes, as they are laid in a small mill town in New England.

At the Grand.

"Way Down East" will make its annual visit to the Grand this week. The play has been coming here so many years that no more than the mere announcement of its engagement is deemed necessary. The management has been extremely fortunate in that it has been able to keep intact practically the same company that has appeared in the play since its first production. It would seem very strange, indeed, to see such characters as Hi Holler, the town

RECEPTION DAYS.

Mrs. Henry O'Hara, 2 Dunbar-road, will receive to-day.

Mrs. J. H. McGregor and Miss McGregor, 111 Crescent-road, will receive to-day.

Mrs. J. Bogert Bartram, 113 Bernard-avenue, is receiving to-day.

The Rosedale Travel Club will meet at the residence of Mrs. D. O. Dunlap, 11 Pelham-place, this evening.

Miss Ellis of 9 Powell-avenue, Rosedale, will receive to-day for the last time before leaving town.

Mrs. Thomas Perrin Birchall will receive in her new home, 423 Park-road, on Tuesday next, and on the first and second Tuesdays in February.

Mrs. Frederick Ratcliff, Crescent-road, will receive to-day and Tuesday, and on the last Monday and Tuesday in each month.

Mrs. J. Moore Hart will receive for the first time in her new home, 423 Broadview-avenue, just north of Gerrard-street, on Wednesday, and afterwards on the last Friday of each month.

Mrs. R. W. Anglin will receive with Mrs. J. McEwen, 111 Spadina-avenue, on Wednesday, and afterwards on the first Tuesday of each month, at her home, 91 Riverside-avenue.

Mrs. Ernest W. Smith, formerly of Montreal, is now settled in her home, 20 Cottingham-street, and will receive on Tuesday, and on the third Friday of each month.

Mrs. W. J. Wilson, College-street, will receive on Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles H. C. Greenlee is now settled in her new home, 28 Hawthorne-avenue, Rosedale, and will receive to-day, and afterwards on the first Monday of each month.

Mrs. David F. Barclay, 5 Maple-avenue, will receive to-day and on the second and fourth Mondays afterwards.

Mrs. E. A. Wickson will receive in her new home, 11 Spadina-avenue, on Tuesday afternoon and evening, and afterwards on the last Friday of each month.

Mrs. J. G. Carroll, 182 St. George-street, will receive on Tuesday, and on the first and second Tuesdays of each month.

Mrs. Jephcott, 63 Cluny-avenue, will receive on Tuesday.

Mrs. John A. McEvoy (nee Fleaher of Albany, N.Y.), will receive at the St. George-apartments after Feb. 20.

Mrs. Fred Perry, Maitland-place, will receive to-day.

Mrs. A. M. Thompson, 33 Yorkville-avenue, formerly of 21 Suffolk-street, will receive on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Daniel, 39 Cowan-avenue, will receive on the first Thursday of each month, instead of the first and third, as formerly.

Mrs. G. R. Anderson, 585 Epcell-avenue, will receive on Tuesday.

Mrs. George E. Shaw will receive for the first time in her new home, 195 St. George-street, Friday afternoon, Jan. 23, and afterwards on the first Friday in the month.

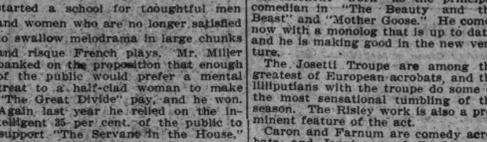
Mrs. Edward Halloran will receive at her new home, 403 Palmerston-boulevard, on Wednesday, Jan. 27, and afterwards on the first Thursday of each month.

Bigger Firemen.

ALBANY, Jan. 24.—The fire-fighters of New York City are not tall enough, nor do they weigh enough. The state civil service commission has issued an edict at the request of Chief Croker of New York, that in the future all firemen must be one inch taller and weigh five pounds more than is required at present, or 5 ft. 8 in., and 140 lbs., respectively.

A Pound of Facts

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Mme. Marchesi's First Bow.

The following from an interview with Mme. Marchesi, who sings at Massey Hall to-night in conjunction with Miss Gertrude Huntley, the brilliant Canadian pianist, by a special writer in the Ladies' Journal of London, will be of especial interest:

"And now, madame, cradled in music and nurtured in musical circles as your life has been, it will be difficult for you to fit the program for me, who first essayed the platform and the stage."

"No, no; I have no difficulty in doing this. On the contrary, I can do so easily, for it is not so long ago, strange as it may seem, although I was continually in the society of great geniuses of the dramatic, literary, and musical world, I breathed the atmosphere of exclusiveness in which I lived in the very same way that the coster-monger or the artisan takes in his surroundings—namely, as use and wont. Would that I could begin my days again."

"My mother was always averse to my adopting a professional career. She discouraged me every way and always. The stage has always had for me a positive fascination. To see acting and to be an actress has ever been a passion with me, but yielding to the counsel of those who I knew had my best interest at heart, I curbed the desire. When I married, I voluntarily gave up the stage, but I never lost my interest in the promise never to my husband. I would consent the moment he convinced my talents lay that way. The turning point—like most other important episodes in one's life—came quite unexpectedly."

"I had sung at a Halle concert in Manchester at which Hans Richter conducted. After the performance Richter came to me and said, in his brusque way: 'Woman, what are you doing wasting your time and your ability on the concert platform? Your place is on the stage.' I could have cried with joy. Testimony from such a quarter was to me at least convincing. Herr Richter easily overcame my husband's scruples, and the road was clear for me in opera."

Mme. Marchesi registered last evening at the King Edward.

H.S. ENTRANCE EXAMS.

They Will Commence on June 23—Subjects for Memorization.

The high school entrance examination for 1909 will begin on Wednesday, June 23, at 8:45 a.m., and will be conducted under the provisions of the High Schools Act and of the regulations relating thereto, subject to the instructions herein contained.

Candidates who purpose writing at the examination must notify the public school inspector before May 1. The inspector shall notify the education department not later than May 3 in each year of the number of persons desiring to be admitted at any high school or other authorized place within his jurisdiction.

Selections for memorization will be: Ontario Form Readers; The Bible; XLII of the Irish Emigrant; XXIX. For a That and a That; XLVII. Lead, Kindly Light; LXXV. Lohengrin; LXXXII. The Entomologist; LXXXIII. Night (page 302); CV. Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard; CXXV. Step by Step; LI. Song to the River; LIII. As I Came Down from Lebanon; CVI. The Bells of Shandon; CXVIII. Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard.

MR. ARLISS IN THE DEVIL.

The New York correspondent of The Toronto Saturday night in referring to theatrical matters in New York says: "The most important of the outgoing attractions is George Arliss' performance of 'The Devil,' which, by the way, is not to do the business of comparing for a moment with the one you have seen recently in Toronto."

PHOEBIE DAVIES

The Original "Way Down East" will be seen in the Big Production of "Way Down East" at the Grand.

Constantine, the professor, Anna Moore and various other well-known types in other hands than those which they have adorned in "Way Down East" cast for many years. Those who go to the Grand next week will see the play given precisely as it has been for many years. There are no changes to be made in the business of the play, and it would seem almost a sacrilege to attempt an innovation of any character whatever. There are the delightful rural scenes and the host of typical New England characters trooping on to the stage to play their part in the sweet, wholesome story that seems to give "Way Down East" a perpetual lease on life.

The engagement at the Grand opens with a special matinee on Monday.

THE GREAT SOME INTERPRETER AND HER MOTHER THE FAMOUS TEACHER.

PETERBORO BED FOR NEEDY CONSUMPTIVES.

For a number of years the Misses Dickson and sisters of Peterboro have generously kept endowed at the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives at a cost of \$300 a year, a free bed for needy consumptives of the Town of Peterboro. The renewal cheque for this amount for another year has just reached the head office, 347 King-street west, Toronto.

This method of individuals and municipalities helping in the care of consumptives of their community at Muskoka is one that meets with considerable favor, and offers in no small measure, a practical solution of the problem: "How are our needy consumptives to be cared for with no institution outside of the Muskoka homes of the National Sanitarium Association and a few years ago, when it was proposed by congress now it is disregarded.

At the Star.

"The Jolly Grls," who will make their appearance at the Star commencing with to-night's matinee, are this season presenting the antics and familiar comedy stunts of Edmund Hayes, the original "Wise Guy." The management deserves full credit for securing the services of this exceptionally clever comedian, who is a show by himself. No introduction is necessary, as Hayes is well known and gifted with that sort of humor which appeals most strongly to patrons of the burlesque houses.

Beatrice Harlow, the dashing and captivating favorite of extravaganza, is his principal support, while the three Judges, the famous acrobats, introduce their funny specialty during the action of the piece, as will also be the attraction billed to appear at the Star on Thursday night, the chorus girls, who will take place, while Friday night will see the second prize waiting contest of the year.

At the Gaiety.

Scribner's Big Show is the name of the attraction billed to appear at the Gaiety Theatre, commencing this afternoon. Scribner's Big Show is said to be a very pleasing burlesque institution, being especially noted for its funny comedians, exquisite costumes, gorgeous and brilliant scenery, and a small army of well-built, pretty women.

THIS COUPON ENTITLES ONE CHILD TO ENTRY FOR A PRIZE IN THE BORDEN'S BABY CONTEST

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ing of the various is as follows: Sets. No. 1... Goals...

Restigouche Wins Feature LOS ANGELES, Jan. 22.—Restigouche won the Ventura Handicap, the feature race here today, by a wide margin.

MONTREAL ICE RACES Postponed Saturday on Account of Soft Weather.—Horsemen There.

Rating at Ottawa. Ottawa, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—It was raining hard here today and the races scheduled for the afternoon were called off.

Philadelphia Cricketers for West Indies An eleven of Philadelphia cricketers will start on Feb. 4 for a twenty days tour to the West Indies, playing against Port Antonio, Jamaica, on Feb. 10, and staying there the remainder of the week.

HIGH PRIVATE AT 5 TO 1 THE LISSAK HANDICAP

Firestone that was interfered with is Second—Smiley Corbett, Favorite, Runs Outside Money.

OAKLAND, Jan. 23.—High Private, carrying the colors of A. Forsythe, won the Lissak Handicap at Emeryville today from Firestone, while Doran, another favorite, was third.

FIRST RACE, 6 furlongs, selling: 1. Marie, 12 (Gibbert), 5 to 1.

SECOND RACE, 3/4 furlongs, purse: 1. Firestone, 12 (Gibbert), 5 to 1.

FIFTH RACE, 1 mile and 70 yards: 1. Ketchenike, 10 (Notter), 9 to 1.

SIXTH RACE, 1 mile and 70 yards: 1. Ketchenike, 10 (Notter), 9 to 1.

THIRD RACE, Eastlake Handicap, 5/8 furlongs: 1. King James, 12 (Dugan), 4 to 1.

FIFTH RACE, Selling, 1/4 mile: 1. First Peep, 10 (Archibald), 7 to 1.

SIXTH RACE, Selling, 1/4 mile: 1. First Peep, 10 (Archibald), 7 to 1.

SEVENTH RACE, Selling, 1/4 mile: 1. First Peep, 10 (Archibald), 7 to 1.

EIGHTH RACE, Selling, 1/4 mile: 1. First Peep, 10 (Archibald), 7 to 1.

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The World's Selections BY CENTAUR

FIRST RACE—Los Angeles, Arago, Oregon. SECOND RACE—Phosphorus, Silver Full.

THIRD RACE—Fair Annie, Jane Laura, Bessie. FOURTH RACE—Round and Round, J. C. Clem, Vienna.

FIFTH RACE—Voorhees, Norfolk, Smiley Metaner. SIXTH RACE—Vandel, Warfare, Miss Picnic.

SEVENTH RACE—May Amelia, Jacobite, Billy Pullman, Estella C. Warning. EIGHTH RACE—Prince of Orange, Lady Alicia, The Captain.

NINTH RACE—Honest, St. Francis, Prestige. Tenth Race at Los Angeles.

Most Probable Winner. Sixth Race at Los Angeles.

To-Day's Entries. Oakland Program. Oakland, Jan. 23.—The Emeryville entries for Monday are as follows:

FIRST RACE—Selling, 1/4 mile: 1. Ribcock, 10 (The Captain), 10 to 1.

SECOND RACE—Selling, 1/4 mile: 1. Ribcock, 10 (The Captain), 10 to 1.

THIRD RACE—Selling, 1/4 mile: 1. Ribcock, 10 (The Captain), 10 to 1.

FOURTH RACE—Selling, 1/4 mile: 1. Ribcock, 10 (The Captain), 10 to 1.

FIFTH RACE—Selling, 1/4 mile: 1. Ribcock, 10 (The Captain), 10 to 1.

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Room 34, James Building, 78 Yonge St., Phone M. 5017. TOM SHAW, Best Bet, 4-1, WON MAGAZINE, 4-1, SECOND.

TO-DAY 10 TO 1. Another card of good things for today that will get the money. I have a long shot and a guaranteed special both at big odds, and they are winners.

THREE-HOUR SPECIAL, \$1 per day; Guaranteed Special, \$2 per day.

JACK SHEEHAN

Toronto Agency, 25 Colborne St. Think well before you buy your wire to-day, boys, and remember the name of Jack Sheehan is a guarantee of square treatment, and wire from the race track on this each day.

CALL TO-DAY. To-day's horse is something that has had a XXX "prep" by the most successful "Good Thing" artist at the coast, a man who always gets what he goes after.

ARCHER'S WINNING WIRES. 11 Richmond St. W., Room 10. Winners given last week were: FOOTLOOSE, 1-1; WOODWINDER, 1-1; CARTHAGE, 1-1.

DIESTEL THE LUCKY DUTCHMAN. Saturday's message was: ROEBEN, 1-1; BRIGADE, 1-1; THIRD, 1-1.

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Curlew's Score at Glasgow. GLASGOW, Jan. 23.—(C.A. Cable.)—The result of two days' play between the Canadian and local cricketers is: Ice Rink 52, Canadians 30.

GREAT POPULAR EXCURSION. Only \$9.00 to New York and Return, To-day. The route is over the only double tracked line, the Grand Trunk, and is the shortest route to New York.

Reliance Athletic Club. The Reliance A.C. to-night hold their weekly skate party. The program to be presented by the Baker Ice skating rink is the best yet.

Wooding Sewage Plant Appeals. On Feb. 2 the ratepayers who are assessing for the Wooding sewage plant will have an opportunity of airing their grievances before the court of revision.

BORDEN'S BABY CONTEST. Cut the coupon from page three and enter your baby for one of the sixty odd prizes in the Borden's Baby Contest. Any child up to three years old is eligible.

EATON'S HIGH ROLLERS

Capt. Harry McGee's Store Side Defeats Capt. George Dean's Cohorts by 802 Pins.

The Canadian Bowling Club, Sturtevant, presented a most animated appearance Saturday evening, when the Eaton Company inaugurated the much-heralded thirty-man team contest, one team, representing the Eaton Company, was Capt. Harry McGee and the other, representing the factory, was Capt. George Dean.

After the above speech the president stepped to the front line, and with loud and vociferous cheering, and he rolled the first ball for the store, and was successful in making a strike.

The rivalry between the players from store and factory has been increasing from time to time, and the store players, but the utmost good-will and the expression of all present was that it was a huge success.

The champion five-man team from Peterborough, Ontario, King's Daughters, will roll a match game next Saturday, Jan. 30, at the Toronto Bowling Club, against picked team captained by George York. Game to start at 8 p.m.

A match game has been arranged between Andy Sutherland and Bert Neil against the King's Daughters, in a ten game, at the Toronto Bowling Club, and ten games in London.

Monday—Merchants v. Dominion. Tuesday—Merchants v. Dominion. Wednesday—Merchants v. Dominion. Thursday—Merchants v. Dominion.

Monday—Class C—Royal Logans at G. G. Grenadiers, Westerns at Shamrocks. Tuesday—Class C—Royal Logans at G. G. Grenadiers, Westerns at Shamrocks.

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Keeps Pace With the Game. Comparisons of the records of the National and American League pitching have at times kept pace with the increased speed of the game.

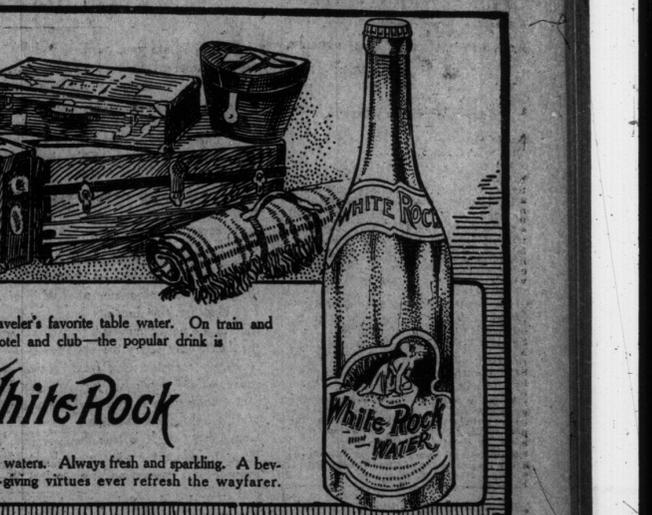
The record of the pitchers from 1871 to the close of the season of 1908 are shown by the following table: No. of P.C. 1871—Dick McBride, Athletics, 47.79.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Some fast running was done by the thoroughbred last year. A number of new records were hung up on the American tracks, while others were tied.

Steve Heggell has been unable to obtain a license from the Luncheon and therefore had to leave Detroit, who will likely be formed out to the Eatonians.

The following are the bowling games scheduled in the different leagues this week: Toronto. Monday—Merchants v. Dominion.

Monday—Class C—Royal Logans at G. G. Grenadiers, Westerns at Shamrocks. Tuesday—Class C—Royal Logans at G. G. Grenadiers, Westerns at Shamrocks.



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OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL. Results in the Various Leagues Played on Saturday. First League: Arsenal, 1; Sheffield United, 1.

London Next for Jack Johnson. LONDON, Jan. 22.—Friends of Jack Johnson, heavy weight champion of the world, received a cable from the negro today, which said he would leave Australia for London on Feb. 10, and that his first business here would be to arrange the details of his return to the ring.

Wonderful Bowling Stunt. TRAVERSE CITY, Mich., Jan. 22.—On a wager of \$50 that he could not roll 500 games before midnight to-night and maintain an average of 170, Sam Mendelsohn, a traveling salesman, finished his stunt in six and one-half hours and maintained an average of 182.34 pins, knocking down 982 in all.

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LONDON AND THE LONDON ELECTRIC.
 The London Free Press is agitated by a fear that the municipality would drive the London Electric Company out of business in five years.
 "Will the city take advantage of its position to inflict loss upon a private company?" it enquires on its front page.
 The alarm may indicate a generous and honorable nature, but very little worldly wisdom. The municipalities of Ontario are babes in the wood, not to say apprentices in dealing with the corporation past masters of the game of finance. These journeymen financiers are thereby able to look after their own interests and the suggestion that they might fall like lambs into the ravenous wolf-jaws of the municipality of London does not affect one to tears.
 Who are these innocent lambs that London may fumble up so unfeelingly? They are W. D. Matthews, president; H. E. Dwight, vice-president; Frederic Nicholls, Chas. E. Hunt, W. R. Brock, Hon. Geo. A. Cox, Hon. Robert Jaffray, Hon. J. K. Kerr, K.C., M. J. Kent, Edmund Meredith, K.C., and J. C. Judd. They have a familiar ring, these names of the officers and directors of the London Electric Company.
 Three of them appear on the Electrical Development Company's last list of directors; six of them appear on the directors of the Toronto Electric Light Co.
 A prominent shareholder, according to the Free Press, has declared the company's willingness to sell out to the city at par. That means \$500,000, or \$400,000 stock and \$100,000 bonds. There is \$400,000 stock issued and paid up. The debentures are redeemable in January, 1915. Six per cent. dividends have been paid since 1898, when \$50,000 stock was allotted at par, followed within a year by \$22,500 more. In 1899 \$80,000 was floated, and in 1906 \$12,700 more at par. The company began with \$200,000 in 1894. The revenues are said to be \$100,000 annually.
 "It is understood," says the Free Press, "that the company would prefer to sell out." If they would there is a good sound, safe and sufficient reason behind their willingness.
 The plant cost \$400,000, it is stated. Half of it was put in ten years ago and half of it fifteen years ago. "It is not fair to speak of the company's plant as so much scrap iron," is the view taken by the prominent shareholder. Any disinterested electrical engineer in America will give a different opinion—a vastly different opinion. He will probably say it is not fair to speak of it as anything else.
 London is asked to pay the full original price for \$500,000 worth of plant, averaging twelve years old, and the Free Press fears that the vendors may be injured by the city. This plant must be renewed at once or the company would not be so eager to sell. The city can put in a better plant to-day for probably half the money.
 London is very well able to look after its own affairs, but Toronto is interested in the London situation because a similar proposal has been made by the same wise heads behind the Toronto Electric Light Company. The city engineers declared that the local plant was scrap and a better, modern, up-to-date plant could be built for half what was asked.

NATIONALIZATION OF IRISH RAILROADS.
 National opinion in Ireland appears to be strongly in favor of the buying out of the island railroads by the use of the credit of the United Kingdom and their management by a public body whose policy it will be to improve the industrial condition of the country. This is one of the matters investigated by the royal commission appointed in 1886 to enquire into the present condition of the Irish railroads and the possible methods of improving their service. The commissioners have not yet issued their report, but the case for public ownership was elicited during their investigation by Mr. Thomas Sexton, one of their number, formerly Nationalist member of parliament for North Kerry and Lord Mayor of Dublin. Those who urge expropriation of the Irish railroads contend that there are too many of them, that they favor thru traffic at the expense of local, and

THE BUGLE CALL.

"Woe unto you, Scribes, and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye shut up the Kingdom of Heaven against men: for ye neither go in yourselves, neither suffer ye them that are entering to go in."
 Had the party organ existed when these words were first uttered, it would have been included among the other obstructions of moral progress. The World set out a week ago by means of what more or less happily was styled a bugle call to indicate the possibilities for the people as well as for the Liberal opposition in Ontario in a reconstruction of the party platform on recognized Liberal principles and in matters about which there would be certain disagreement with the Conservative government.
 The Liberal press of the province so far as it did not entirely ignore the matter chiefly devoted itself to deducing from the article a desire on the part of the proprietor of The World to lead the Liberal opposition. Fatuities like this indicate how far the Liberal press actually is out of touch with public movements. The Kingston Whig, even in recognizing the facts, only seizes the opportunity to find fault with W. F. Maclean, M.P., so to excuse itself from considering the program propounded. The program laid down by The World. The Whig would say, evades the fact that if there is to be a Liberal program at all, the planks suggested are the only planks available, as all the others have been adopted by the Conservatives. It is true there are other policies, but The Whig is not likely to adopt the only logical course with respect to these, and avow itself a convert and follower of W. F. Maclean.
 The London Advertiser sees the point. "Mr. Maclean is at least right," remarks The "Tiser," "in his theory that an opposition must be more radical than a government if it expects to make headway."
 The Montreal Herald finds no fault with the program as a program for The World, but does not suggest that Liberals should adopt it. The Woodstock Sentinel-Review admits that there are notes in the bugle-call "which might attract the attention of even Liberal ears," as they had been intended for any other.
 "It does seem clear," proceeds The Sentinel-Review, "that if the Liberal party is to fully justify its existence, it must lay out its work along liberal and progressive lines. If we are to have the party system at all, we must recognize some fair division of territory, and of labor and responsibility."
 But The Sentinel-Review is much afraid of the danger of going to extremes, and winds up its article in a rocket blaze of generalities to the effect that "Liberalism must stand for progress if it is to be true to its history and its mission." All Conservative organs use exactly the same phrase in speaking of their party. But it is true of both kinds of party organs that they neither go in themselves nor suffer them that are entering to go in.

The Liberal party must adopt some other policy than that practised by the Conservatives. It is clear that they are not prepared to go as far as the Independent Labor party. How much farther than the Conservatives they are prepared to go is evidently a point on which the Liberal organs are not ready or willing to speak. The World's reflection of the situation is evidently too radical for most of them, the rank and file of the Liberal party will find no incorrectness about it.
 Failing the party organs, the next thing is to discover a leader who will carry the party farther than Sir J. P. Whitney is willing to lead his Conservatives, and who will attract as loyal and solid a Liberal following.
 Moral fibre and earnestness, sagacity and experience are required in such a man, whatever his gifts of the gab. If N. W. Rowell, K.C., would consent to the articles of a genuine Liberal creed he has the capacities of apostleship. It looks, however, as the Hon. A. G. MacKay must hold down the provincial Liberal throne in the meanwhile.

That Irish producers are unfairly handicapped in favor of the outside competitor.
 Mr. Sexton and those who support him have been strongly attracted by the policy pursued in those countries where the railroads are owned or controlled by the government. Both on the continent of Europe and in the Australasian States the railroads are utilized for the primary purpose of aiding and developing the industries and resources of the community. As a writer in The London Morning Post remarks in dealing with this subject: "The general state policy is to put low railway rates on manufactured goods sent to the sea for export, high rates on foreign imports of manufactured goods, low rates on imported raw material and low rates on purely internal trade. The population, in consequence of this intelligent transport policy, occurring as it does with the customs tariff policy, increases in number and wealth and the state recoups itself both by the general rise in taxable capacity and in the increased bulk of traffic on its railways." Where there is company operation, precisely the opposite principle prevails and the difference is easily brought home to Canadians by recalling the numerous complaints that lower rates are charged on United States thru traffic than on traffic originating within the Dominion, particularly at non-competitive points.
 The same contributor recalls that the policy now urged by Mr. Sexton is merely an advance on the recommendation made by the royal commission on Irish public works in 1888 and by Mr. Childers in his report on financial relations. Both suggested compulsory and large reductions in Irish rates and fares, any loss to the shareholders to be met by the imperial government. Mr. Sexton goes beyond them when he advocates the transfer of the railroads to a public body and the institution of a policy that makes the roads instrumental in promoting the development of the country. The idea is entirely in line with the movement for the nationalization of the railways of Great Britain, and is being pressed on the attention of the United States party. "Why, after all," it is added, "should not Ireland have a sub-national system of state railways as well as Bavaria or Saxony? They might be managed by expert officials, below the general direction of the existing board and council of agriculture and industry." And now that great combinations are being carried thru in the railroads of Great Britain, it is not at all unlikely that either government ownership or a control little removed from it will result. A really national transportation system ought to be the bulwark of na-

tional industries and not in a rate league with their most dangerous competitors.
TELEPHONE DISCRIMINATION.
 One of the strong points made in connection with the annexation of new territory to the city was the statement that telephone rates in the annexed portion would be the same as the present city rates. Recent applications to the Bell Telephone Company have been made for telephone privileges in some of the newly annexed districts, but the company holding the monopoly for that service still insists on charging the same prices as existed prior to annexation. This is evidently a question that should be brought under the notice of the Dominion Railway Board. It is impossible that discrimination of this kind can be allowed to exist. Private house services in Toronto are granted at \$30 a year; for the same privileges in Deer Park, which is now a portion of the city, \$50 is asked. The city council must take this question up and if effectively pushed they can obtain the same consideration for the new sections of the city as now obtain in the older districts.
Italian Thankfulness.
 At the last meeting of the Societa Opitalia, Italiana di Ontario, it was unanimously resolved that the society express its gratefulness to its members and the citizens of Toronto who so nobly responded to the call for help and financial aid made necessary by the sad fatality which overtook the Calabrian and Sicilian portions of Southern Italy by the recent earthquake.
 The result of the appeal made by the society largely thru the efforts of their treasurer, Vincent Neuto, has shown the society that all classes of the community sincerely regret the sad occurrence by which so many have been bereaved and they most gratefully remember and sincerely thank not only those who have responded thru other channels to the fund for the benefit of their distressed brothers in Italy, but also the following members and citizens who have assisted:
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 McDonald and Graham 2.00
 H. A. Castrucci 1.00
 F. Fannin 5.00
 Calvo Bros. 10.00
 W. H. H. 2.00
 B. Edgar 2.00
 N. H. Irish 5.00
 Members Society collected for Total \$241.00

CARRIE NATION IN LONDON.
 LONDON, Jan. 24.—Carrie Nation invaded London last night and caused a scene at Oxford Music Hall. She was ejected.
 Florida, Nassau, Cuba, Bermuda, Winter excursion tickets now on sale. Invaded Valley T. R. to all Florida and winter resorts south. For ticket time-tables, illustrated literature, call 54 King-street east. 46,135,135

University Sermon

Rev. Dr. Ward Beecher Pickard of Cleveland preached the university sermon at convocation hall yesterday morning to a large congregation. His text was Psalm cix, 8: "Open thou mine eyes; that I may behold wondrous things out of Thy law."
 The sermon was of the anecdotal order, and was full of illustrations and allusions suggestive of modern points of view.
 "Of the sad sights of earth is a blind man, said the preacher, but blindness is only relative, and the dull world has learned to envy the blind man more than the man who would gladly pluck out their eyes to see the visions of the blind Homer and Milton. The man with eyes may see far more than the man without. There are some sleeping that see far more than others do awake.
 The race, like the babe, has its infancy. The child stares, then comes sitting up, and finally recognition, and the eye begins to give expression to the developing soul within. The race, like the child, came into world of light, but how little it saw! The race looked into the universe about it, but saw little of its law or its God. The soul was a modern. It was long before the race saw chemistry, or astronomy. There were still people who accepted without question the old Mosiac cosmogony. There was a community near where the speaker lived which refused to send their children to the public schools, because there was taught that the earth was a sphere when the Bible taught that it was flat. The child looks over his left shoulder and sees the moon and is filled with fear. The dog sees more than the man, for it sees nothing that is not true. The man, however, has been taught that he had never seen a sunset like that?" was the retort.
 Only the scientist saw system, order, progress. Humboldt took a hundred volumes to describe the ship and in five years' travel in an arid region.
 The difference between the devout soul and the indifferent soul is vision. Where that uplifting power existed, men were brothers, the likeness of the Divine Father.
 Marconi saw nothing that had not existed for ages. His discovery was not the concrete answer to the prayer, "Open Thou mine eyes, that I may see wondrous things out of Thy law."
 Vision, after all, was but the indication of the relation between man and the Divine One. Prayer was not a vision. The eye with all its powers was useless when the light went out. Men do not see God in answer to his prayer. They see Him because God has found him. The Infinite Father has made known Himself to His children.
 Prayer was an attitude of the soul, a setting of the telescope to the skies and searching for God. Prayer was not a vision. The man who turned a telescope to see a ship and saw it had his prayer answered. Prayer was an attitude of the soul. It was not a vision, but listening, but listening to the voice of God.
 Prayer was said to be an interference with natural law, but prayer was itself natural law.
 "Every now and then a little soul arises that the God excited by working a miracle, and he is sent to get God out of the trouble he has got 'into by explaining the miracle." God's face was greater than any miracle.
 "We have a new interpretation of the Father's heart in the face of Jesus Christ."
 Nothing that is untrue is ever divine, and nothing that is true can be other than divine. The world has often made the mistake of thinking that what is true is untrue, and that what is untrue is true.
 "Show us the Father and it sufficeth us," was Philip's prayer. There was infinite faith in the reply.
 "Have I been so long a time with you, and yet hast thou not known me?"
STRONG AS IT IS OLD.
 Historic Sun Fire Office Expires Upon Its Two Hundredth Year.
 It will be a long time before any other insurance company attains the age of the ancient corporation founded in 1710 under the name of the Sun Fire Office, and which has been continuously in business since that time as an underwriter in London. It was founded by Charles Povey projected an Edinburgh Fire Office for the insurance of the City of London, England, and it was in 1710 that the familiar sun trademark as the emblem of his enterprise. Three years later he, with twenty-three partners organized the business anew and extended its field of operation to include English provincial towns in the name of the Sun Fire Office, and in 1713 the partners appointed the first fire underwriter in history, which insurance was sought, and a number of medals were awarded to the badge of metal in the shape of a sun to identify the building as one insured by the Sun people. This "fire mark" had for some time the value and effect of the big lithographed policies of our day, with their imposing seals and ornate lettering. Also the sun mark served as a guide to the fireman and salvage corps of the period, who, since those days, were hired by the insurance folk to protect the risks they assumed.
 It was 1836 before the Sun did any business outside of Great Britain, several agencies being established in France in that year. In 1839 the first insurance written by the office for the United States was accepted, and from that time the Sun outposts have been pushed farther and farther until practically every part of the civilized world has an agency of this historic concern, which changed its name in 1891 to the existing style of the Sun Insurance Office, and took powers to underwrite all classes of insurance than fire risks to its members.
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 We are busy clearing out balances of regular lines of Underwear, to make room for new goods arriving soon. That means we've got to cut the price, and this item shows how we've done it. The lot comprises some of our best makes.
Winter Weight Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, splendid finish, all sizes from 34 to 46. Price, per garment79

Men's Heavy Wool Sweaters
 This is the event of Sweater selling. This lot includes balances of lines left over from the past month's sales. They all go on the counter Tuesday to go with a swing that will be surprising. Deep roll collars, close-ribbed cuffs and skirts, in all colors, a good, serviceable sweater greatly reduced all along the line. January Sale price, each **.53**

Men's All-Silk Reefers or Mufflers 50c
 Extraordinary clearance of All-silk Reefers or Mufflers. Black, grey and white, all go in this clearance sale. This is a great money-saving chance at a price less than the price of such beautiful goods. January Sale price, Tuesday **.50**

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Men's Clothing: January Sale Prices
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Boys' Heavy Reefers Especially good as a Skating Coat, for a boy will leave a longer coat off while on the ice—and take the consequences. Plain grey frieze, tweed linings, buttons close up to the throat. Sizes 24 to 28, **2.75**; sizes 29 to 32 **2.75**

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IN THE LAW COURTS

IN THE HIGH COURT.
 Osgoode Hall, Jan. 23, 1909.
 Motions set down for single court for Monday, 25th inst., at 11 a.m.:
 1. Frost v. Frost.
 2. Re Shannon Estate.
 3. Shaw v. Hamlin.
 4. Re Hamlin.
 5. Smith v. Corwell.
 6. Madras v. McAuley.
 7. Poussette v. Boersma.
 8. Borias v. McAuley.
 Peremptory list for divisional court for Monday, 25th inst., at 11 a.m.:
 1. Willinsky v. Anderson.
 2. Allan v. McDermott.
 3. Fisher v. International.
 4. Madden v. Milton Pressed Brick Co.
 5. Fitzgibbon v. Inglis.
 Peremptory list for court of appeal for Monday, 25th inst., at 11 a.m.:
 1. Hanford v. G. T. Railway (to be continued).
 2. Union Bank v. Clark.
 3. McDonough v. Cook.
 4. Lamont v. Canadian Transfer Co.
Master's Chambers.
 Before Cartwright, Master.
 Port Credit Brick Co. v. Macdonald-Macdonnell (Howell & Co.), for defendant's account without costs and vacating his pendens and lien. Order made.
 Madras v. McAuley.—Towers (McCardell) v. International. Order made.
 Goulay, Limited, v. Seadring—J. T. White, for plaintiff, moved for leave to issue a subpoena duces tecum to an official. Order made.
 Allen v. C. P. Railway—H. S. White, for plaintiff, moved for an order for the examination of a witness de bene esse. R. J. McGowan, for defendant, Order to go. Examination to be taken Monday afternoon.
 Chew v. Caswell—G. B. Strathy, for plaintiff, moved for particulars of amendment. G. Grant, for defendant, contra. Reserved.
 Frum v. Ballard—G. Grant, for plaintiff, moved for judgment. F. B. Hodgins, K.C., for defendant, contra. Order to go, but not to issue until 27th inst.
 Rex ex rel. Ingoldby v. Spears—W. H. McPadden, K.C., moved absolute a motion in the nature of a quo warranto. B. F. Justin, K.C., for respondent, contra. Objected to sufficiency of recognizance on two grounds. Motion dismissed, contra. One objection with costs fixed at \$2.
 Vokes Hardware Co. v. Filkins Manufacturing Co.—Forbes (Thomson & Co.), for plaintiff, moved on consent for an order for payment to them of money in court and dismissal of action, etc. Order made.
 Warren v. Bank of Montreal—R. F. Ingworth, for defendant, Currie, moved for an order requiring plaintiff, G. J. O'Connell, to answer questions. F. Arnold, K.C., for plaintiff, contra. Reserved.
 Mackay v. Kurtz—Essery (Macdonald & M.), for plaintiff, moved ex parte for an order "sold" and inserting "foreclosed" in lieu thereof. Striking out of word "sold" and inserting "foreclosed" in lieu thereof. Order made, to be served on defendants.
 Single Court.
 Before Britton, J.
 Garrioch v. Loney—H. L. Mowat, K.C.

FOR QUAKE SUFFERERS.

MESSINA, Jan. 24.—The American relief ship Celtic arrived here yesterday, and was warmly welcomed by the authorities and the population. The Celtic landed two hundred tons of fresh meat, two hundred tons of tons of assorted foods, and forty-six thousand eggs with the understanding that 20 tons of the supplies be given and sold daily. The Celtic will proceed to Reggio.
Light Sentence.
 PARIS, Jan. 24.—The Corsican Benedictine who fired several shots from a revolver in the direction of the wing-cows of Premier Clemenceau's office on the evening of Dec. 31, was today sentenced to one month's imprisonment.

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NEW YORK SEWAGE PLANT.
 NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Plans of a comprehensive scheme of sewage disposal for New York City that will cost about \$32,000,000 to install and equip have been submitted to Mayor McLean by Edward Hatch, Jr., J. Pierpont Morgan and the other members of the committee of the Merchants' Association appointed to take up the matter.

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BANK OF MONTREAL Dividend Notice

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of two and one-half per cent. for the quarter ending 31st December, 1908 (being at the rate of ten per cent. per annum) on all legal shares of the Bank and its branches on and after Monday, January 26, 1909, will be payable at the Bank and its branches on and after Monday, January 26, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the morning.

J. TURNBULL, General Manager. Hamilton, 19th January, 1909.

TRADERS ARE IN CONTROL OF WALL STREET OPERATIONS

Fluctuations in New York Stocks Are Narrow—Canadian Exchanges Are Firm With Local Speculation Quiet.

World Office, Saturday Evening, Jan. 23. Wall-street has drifted into what is called a traders' market, one in which the various professional brokers, at prices have not lost their bullish position, however, has been apparent by the frequent spurts and retractions in the leading securities and the selection of some specialties to be raised to high levels. It is still alleged that outstanding speculation accounts of the public are of small proportions and these well protected with margins. This could easily account for the unimpaired confidence against the market by professionals. Large holders of stocks are also selling lightly or in small lots, but the market is still held up under the present outside support to the market.

No important events have transpired during the week to make any imprint on quotations. The highly favorable bank statement presented last Saturday has caused a very general feeling of immediate money tightness and relieved any apprehension in the matter of further gold exports. The continuance of the 3 per cent. rate by the Bank of England was contrary to general expectation. Varying reports of the largely unimpaired loan, the subscriptions for which closed on Friday, have been made, but it is noteworthy that the flotation has not caused any very general disturbance in the European money market. Heavy domestic and foreign issues of securities continue to be made at London and the market is beginning to congest the investment market.

The Erie financial position possible tariff changes are the questions immediately ahead of the market, which can be used every time a liquidating party is found necessary. Prices have now arrived at a stage at which either up or down fluctuations are purely sentimental. The only safeguard to the holder at present is the assumption that the big interests are bound to stand underneath the market. Whether prices have reached a decided turning point can only be settled by a knowledge of the incoming crop year and the commercial future. Both of these are veiled in obscurity and in the meantime cautiousness is requisite in speculating on the long side of American stocks.

Montreal is still the leading speculative market for the Canadian securities and those other issues which are listed on the two Canadian stock exchanges. Large operations have taken place in several securities, but for some reason these movements have not been followed with any great interest at the Toronto market. The principal activities of the week have been in Mexican, Light and Power stock and some of the other issues which have a larger distribution in the field contributing to the return on good. The prime factor in connection with most buoyant conditions in the stock markets is still the low rate at which the banks and other lending institutions have had to meet this rate recently.

With the exception of municipal borrowings there are very few flotations being put out to attract the Canadian investor and the field of investment is consequently proscribed for the time being. The sale of a block of Consumers' Gas early in the week showed conclusively the demand for capital has been of the nature of a speculative issue. The prices for these shares reached almost the highest point for five years. There is still a wide margin between the return on good dividend paying issues and that available for money in any other way in which the capital can be procured at immediate notice. This is a big incentive to attract buying power to the market and unless for some unforeseen event, an advance in prices in many of the local listed stocks should occur from this reasoning.

Brokers who have large buying orders recently report that supplies of stocks are much harder to get than to sell and that there is an actual scarcity of offerings. Speculation for a rise has not yet figured in any event in the dealings at the Toronto Exchange and unless it becomes much more prominent there is very little danger of any decline in prices up to \$1,750,000; specie, increase \$3,507,500; holders, increase \$1,128,400; reserve, increase \$3,329,025; surplus, increase \$4,706,275; ex-U. S. deposit, increase \$4,432,800. The percentage of actual reserve of

the clearing house banks to-day was 27.40. The statement of banks and trust companies of Greater New York not reporting to the clearing house, shows that these institutions have aggregate deposits of \$1,175,000,000; total cash on hand \$118,832,400, and loans amounting to \$1,043,370,900.

REDDICK MAY ALMAGAMATE.

MONTREAL, Jan. 23.—(Special.)—The matter of the amalgamation of the Dr. Reddick and Cleopatra mines came up for consideration at a meeting of the directors of the Dr. Reddick held in Ottawa last night and received favorable consideration from the board. Another meeting will be held prior to the annual meeting when the general plan will be arranged for submission to the shareholders. The question of including the silver proposition in the amalgamation was not entertained, Mr. Sawyer stating that the newspaper reports to that effect were erroneous. The annual meeting will be held Feb. 1.

Money Markets. Bank of England discount rate 3 per cent. Short and three months bills, 2 1/2 to 3 per cent. New York call rates, 2 1/2 to 4 1/2 per cent. Lowest 1 1/2 per cent. last 4 to 4 1/2 per cent. Call money at Toronto.

Foreign Exchange. Building rates at 100 to-day report exchange rates as follows:

Table with columns: Between Banks, Counter, Montreal, Demand, Cable trans., Sterling, 60 days sight, Sterling, 90 days sight.

Toronto Stocks.

Table with columns: Bell Telephone, Can. Pac. Elec., do. preferred, Prairie Provinces, C. N. W. Land, Consumers' Gas, Crow's Nest, Dominion Telegraph, Dom. Coal, Dom. Steel, Dom. Tel. Graph, Ham. Steamship, International Coal, International Elec., Lake of Woods, Laurentian, do. preferred, La Rose, M. S. & S. Ry., do. preferred, Niagara Nav., Nipissing Mines, Northern Nav., N. S. Steel, Ogilvie Flour, do. preferred, Rio Janeiro, Sao Paulo Tram, Shreddeed Coal, St. L. & N. Ry., Toronto Railway, Twin City, Winnipeg Railway.

Reading.

Table with columns: Commercial, Dominion Steel, Elec. Develop., Mex. Light & Power, N. S. Steel, Ontario Railway, Toronto Railway, Twin City, Winnipeg Railway.

Commercial & Bonds.

Table with columns: Mackay, N. S. Steel, Dominion Steel, Mex. Light & Power, N. S. Steel, Ontario Railway, Toronto Railway, Twin City, Winnipeg Railway.

Traders depressed stocks to-day on a rumor that the Erie would be allowed \$100,000,000 of bonds, and another story that we are liable to have grave complications with Japan.

The market to-day has been one of depression, in which the Chemical and Cotton Oil stocks were the leaders. The usually active rails were heavy. There has been no definite trend to the market on such reactions as we had today, and we are confident that higher prices are ahead. Chas. Head to R. R. Bongard: The market to-day has been one of depression, in which the Chemical and Cotton Oil stocks were the leaders. The usually active rails were heavy. There has been no definite trend to the market on such reactions as we had today, and we are confident that higher prices are ahead.

New York Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The statement of clearing house banks for the week shows that the banks hold \$30,287,450 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent. reserve rule. This is an increase of \$4,789,275 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week. The statement follows: Loans, increase \$3,935,300; deposits, increase \$13,216,500; circulation, decrease \$221,100; legal tenders, decrease \$1,750,000; specie, increase \$3,507,500; holders, increase \$1,128,400; reserve, increase \$3,329,025; surplus, increase \$4,706,275; ex-U. S. deposit, increase \$4,432,800. The percentage of actual reserve of

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA DIVIDEND NO. 74.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend on the rate of SEVEN per cent. (7 per cent.) per annum upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this institution has been declared for the three months ending Jan. 31, 1909, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office and Branches on and after Monday, the 1st day of February next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 15th to the 30th January, both days inclusive. By order of the Board, D. R. WILKIE, General Manager.

Table with columns: Montreal Power bonds, Ogilvie, Converters, Steel, Halifax, Lake of Woods, Illinois, Toronto Railway, Montreal Railway bonds, Power, New York Stocks.

London Stock Market.

Table with columns: Consols, Consols, Atchison, do. preferred, Canadian Pacific, Chesapeake & Ohio, Erie, Kansas & Texas, Louisville & Nashville, N. & W. common, do. preferred, Ontario & Western, Wash. & Annapolis, do. preferred, Union Pacific, do. preferred.

New York Cotton.

ERICKSON & CO., 14 West King-street, reported following closing prices: Cotton, 22.67, 23 running days of cotton ginned from the growth of 1908 to Jan. 15 last against 10,389,575 a year ago, and 27,441 active ginneries, against 27,368 a year ago, according to the census bureau report to-day. The report counts round as half bales and excludes lint. It includes 232,221 round bales for 1909, 138,037 for 1908 and 80,468 Sea Island bales for 1909 and 80,180 for 1908. The total bales ginned in 1907 up to Jan. 16 was 12,178,199, representing 83.8 of the crop of that year and of the 1908 crop, 82.5 was ginned by Jan. 16.

Price of Oil.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 23.—Oil closed at 17.75.

BORDEN'S BABY CONTEST.

Cut the coupon from page three and enter your baby for one of the sixty old prizes in the Borden's Baby Contest. Any child up to three years old is eligible.

Tell the Public I Am Dead.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—George Bernard Shaw, the dramatist and author, who was to have delivered a lecture last night before the Fabian Society, was unable, owing to illness, to keep his engagement. It is understood, however, that his indisposition is not serious. In reply to a note enquiring as to the state of his health, Mr. Shaw said: "Inform the public that I am dead. It will save a great deal of trouble." Mr. Shaw is suffering from a severe cold, but his physicians are confident that he will remain indoors. The patient hopes to overcome the ailment in a few days.

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WATCHING FOR A CHANGE

The Coming Test of the International Money Situation. NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The Post's London cable says: Yesterday's stock exchange stories of a partial failure of the Russian loan had absolutely no foundation. The London market was probably covered four times over, and it has exceptional opportunity for knowing that the subscribers numbered many thousands. It is, however, probable enough that the largest single subscriptions represented a wealthy group of semi-speculative type, who ought to resell their takings at a profit later in the year.

The French portion, comprising the bulk of the total \$58,000,000 floated, has also met with great success among subscribers. Regarding the question, how much actual capital will be taken out of the market, the greater part of the loan is used for refunding purposes. Probably 14,000,000 will cover the new money which will place in Russia's hands. There is no doubt that French exchange, now that the loan is floated, will move sharply in London's favor and the Paris money market will grow easier. There are many indications that the full effect of the loan operation will be felt in May, when Russia is to repay the French bankers \$25,000,000 borrowed at the commencement of the eastern war, but we anticipate at once a cessation, temporary at any rate, of the French withdrawals of gold from the London market. The Bank of England must pay a half-penny per ounce over the so-called official price in order to secure the gold, but it possibly will do so. Meantime, Egyptian notes received from Egypt went into the bank to-day, and \$50,000 more are on the way. The next few days will possibly decide the course of the money market. If France buys English bills freely at the opening of the week, there will be no further rise in the Bank of England rate. But if there are any indications that France is still pursuing the old policy of gold accumulations, a war of European bank rates will begin. Our bank must accumulate not less than \$15,000,000 gold before July to go into autumn in comfortable shape. Furthermore, new loan creations on the market are unning to so enormous a total that higher money rates may be required as a protective measure—just as was the case when the machinery of England used the same machinery

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DIVIDEND NOTICES

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MESSINA SHAKEN AGAIN.

MESSINA, Jan. 24.—A very strong earthquake shock was felt here at 5.30 o'clock Saturday morning. The shock was undulatory and lasted and lasted eight seconds. The wall of a church and the broken walls of several houses were thrown down.

Chileans in Royal Navy.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Jan. 24.—The restriction on naval officers serving in the British navy having been withdrawn, a limited number of Chilean officers will shortly proceed to England.

January Investments

Municipal and Corporation Bonds Yielding 4% to 6%. High-grade Preference and Other Shares Yielding 5% to 7%. CORRESPONDENCE INVITED. A. E. A MES CO., Ltd. 7 King Street East, Toronto.

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Notice is hereby given that a dividend of one and one-quarter per cent. (1 1/4 per cent.) for the quarter ending 30th January, instant (being at the rate of five per cent. (5 per cent.) per annum) on the paid-up Capital Stock of this institution has been declared for the quarter ending 30th January, 1909, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office and Branches of the Bank on and after the 15th day of February next. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 20th January to the 30th January, both days inclusive. By order of the Board, F. W. BROUGHALL, General Manager. Toronto, 12th January, 1909.

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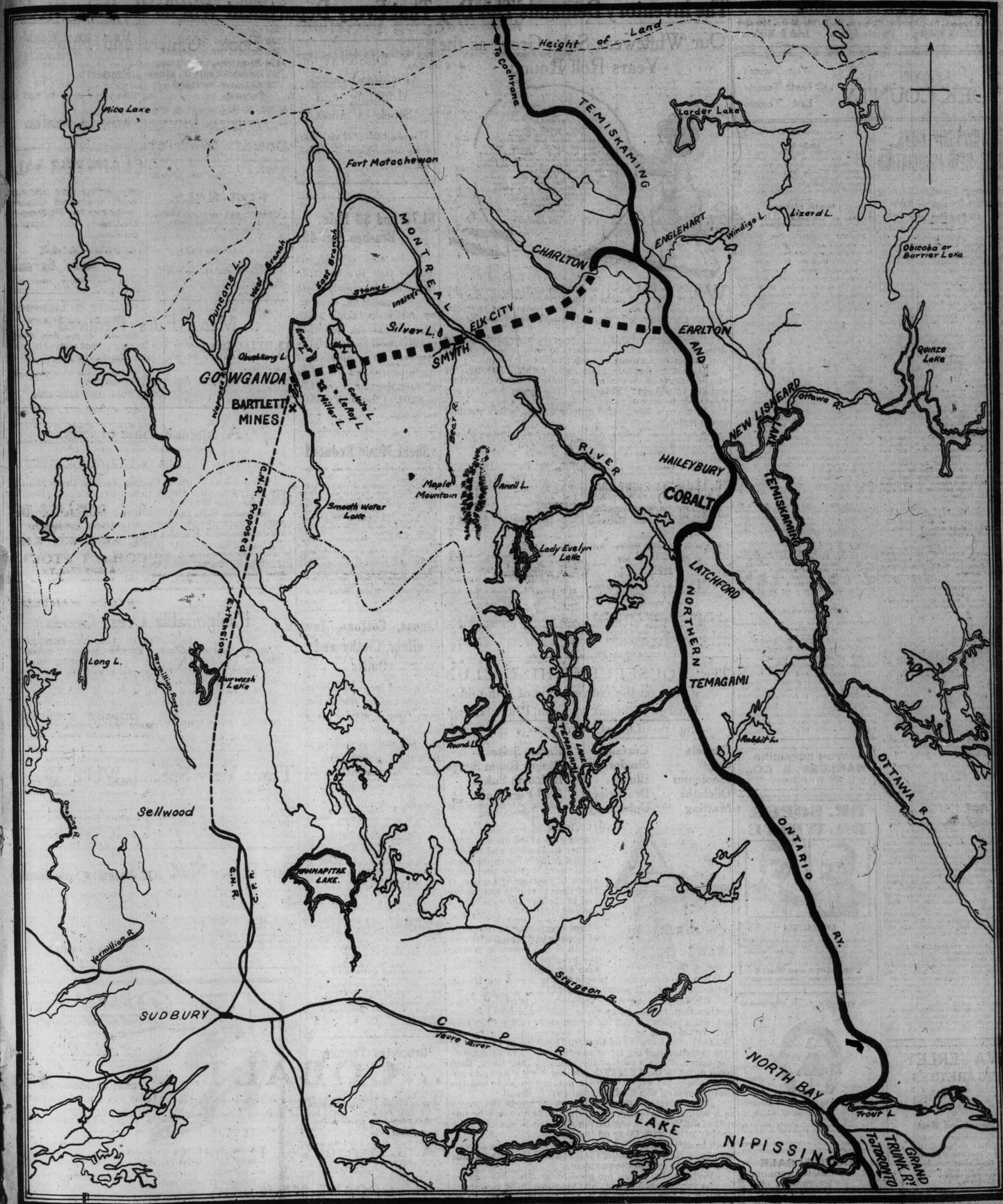
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MAP OF THE GREAT CANADIAN SILVER FIELDS



The above map shows the commanding position held by the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario and Grand Trunk Railroads with respect to the Silver Fields of the north. It also indicates the government townsite at the north end of Lake Gow Ganda, and the location of the Bartlett Mines.

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Day's Doings in West Toronto YORK COUNTY North Toronto East Toronto

YORK TOWNSHIP CONS. FORM NEW ASSOCIATION

Elect Strong Executive Covering Every Sub-Division - Markham Fair Finances.

The second annual meeting of the York Township Conservative Association, held in the council chamber on Saturday afternoon, was a great success not alone in point of numbers, but in the enthusiasm and interest generally manifested.

President C. T. Lyon was in the chair, and among those present were Revere George S. Henry, J. W. Jackson, W. G. Carter, H. H. Ball, A. J. Barr, George Syme Jr., J. A. Macdonald, C. B. Jennings, Mr. Porter, W. H. Pugsley, T. Jackson, James McGee and many others.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary presidents, W. F. Maclean, M.P.; Alex. McCowan, M.L.A.; Dr. Godfrey, M.L.A. and George Syme, M.P.; president, Jerry Nelson; first vice-president, W. G. Carter; secretary-treasurer, John Hinds, Norway.

"I've always been in the thick of political fights in York Township," said President Nelson in accepting office, "and I suppose I always will be."

A splendid list of executive officers, covering in detail every district in the township, and embracing every polling sub-division, was appointed, and will arrange for the calling of a meeting in their respective districts at time and place to be determined later. The executive officers are:

WEST TORONTO.
Did Not Reach Usset Price and Sale Was Declared Off.

WEST TORONTO, Jan. 24.—Seven hundred dollars was the highest bid offered on Saturday at the auction sale of the Leader and Recorder, one of the influential York County newspapers. Several efforts have been made of late to sell the plant and office in West Toronto, but buyers were few and far between. The \$700 offer was not accepted and no sale took place. The newspaper was formerly located on Adelaide-street, Toronto. The Leader and Recorder has had a chequered career, sailing, for the most part, in troubled waters, and has in the course of its comparatively short-lived career passed through a number of hands. A Conservative organ, it at one time wielded not a little influence in political matters in the historic old riding of West York.

Greta May, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McNellis, 51 Westminster-avenue, died yesterday.

There are five cases of scarlet fever and two of diphtheria in the city at present. All are quarantined.

There are fifty-two cars of stock in the Union Yards for to-morrow's market.

The property and management committees of the school board met on Saturday evening. Passing of current accounts was the chief business done. The regular meeting of the school board will be held on Tuesday evening.

W. A. McMaster occupied the chair at the gospel temperance meeting to-night in Joy's Theatre, and singing dresses were given by Leo McCauley of Toronto and Stanley Harrison of Drayton, Ont. The male quartet of Victoria Presbyterian Church choir gave a solo.

Meetings of the board of works and board of health will be held to-morrow evening. Dr. C. H. Gilmour will probably be re-elected medical health officer for 1909.

For disorderly conduct, Neil Campbell of Western-avenue was locked in the police station last night.

The annual banquet of Davenport Lodge, I.O.O.F., will be held in St. James' Hall on Tuesday evening.

Dr. R. R. Hopkins, for the past year master of Loyal Orange Lodge No. 900, has been presented by the lodge with a past-master's jewel.

Rev. Dr. Gould of Palestine will lecture on his work in the holy land in St. John's Episcopal Church to-morrow evening. The lecture will be held

under the auspices of the Young People's Association.

Rev. T. G. McConigle, rector of St. George's Church, Islington, and E. B. Cooper, his warden, will try and settle their disputes of the past year before Magistrate Ellis in the police court to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. Mr. Cooper has brought a charge of attempted assault against the rector.

NORTH TORONTO.
Friends of Annexation Attribute Defeat to Various Causes.

NORTH TORONTO, Jan. 24.—That the electors of North Toronto desire to remain a separate municipality for the present time was demonstrated at the poll on Saturday. A slim vote of 393 was cast, which no doubt was caused by the rainy weather, as the non-resident vote and the luke-warm resident vote did not come out to mark their ballots.

The by-law was defeated by 75 votes, made up as follows over the different polling sub-divisions:

Sub-div.	For.	Against.	Majority.	Total.
Sub-div. 1.....	21	65	0	86
Sub-div. 2.....	42	82	0	124
Sub-div. 3.....	42	37	5	79
Sub-div. 4.....	54	50	4	104
Totals.....	159	234	75	393

The smallness of the poll was attributed to the fact that the voting was held on a different day to that of the municipal elections. In the two wards where the small holders predominate the vote was favorable to annexation and the annexationists claim that many of the working men were deterred from voting because of the difficulty of getting to the poll.

The anti-put up a strong fight and had a good organization, whereas the other side left the question entirely to the will of the ratepayers.

The annexationists intend keeping up the agitation despite Saturday's reverse and will likely ask for another vote at the next municipal election, when it is believed the tables will be easily turned.

The rector of St. Clement's Church, Rev. T. W. Powell, preached at Kings-ton to-day, his place being occupied by Prof. Young of Trinity University.

The town will get a hearing before the Ontario Municipal and Railway Commission on the grievances against the Metropolitan Railway, on Tuesday at 2.30 p.m.

NORTH DOVERCOURT.
Presbytery Assigns Rev. Dr. Abraham Wide District.

The district within the bounds of which the work of the Davenport-road Church (Presbyterian) must be performed extends from Hallam-street to St. Clair-avenue, and from Christie-street to Lansdowne-avenue. The presbytery of Toronto has deputed the oversight to Rev. Dr. Abraham, and all alike, whether in his ministrations and are, without distinction, committed to his spiritual care. His telephone number is North 3905.

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Since that time this January event has grown like the little ball of snow that a boy starts to roll. It is big enough now to employ an army of people to keep it rolling. Do not let January glide away without making sure of your share. Aprons are emphasized in no uncertain way for to-morrow. Take wise little Peggy's advice and "Just you be sure o' yourn."

You know how useful aprons will be before summer comes again.

- 50c Maida's Aprons, Tuesday Sale price 40c, fine white lawn, plain lawn bib, hemstitched hem on bib and skirt, wide sashes, size 40 inches long by 33 wide.
- 25c Aprons, Tuesday Sale price 15c, heavy blue chambray, with fancy border, large size.
- 30c Aprons, Tuesday Sale price 19c, fine white lawn, plain deep hem, wide sashes.
- 65c Maida's Aprons, Tuesday Sale price 50c, white lawn, fine embroidery bib and bretelles, wide sashes, deep hem, pocket, zoned on hips.
- 50c Night Dresses, Tuesday Sale price 45c, fine cotton, Mother Hubbard style, hemstitched neck and hemstitched ruffles, lengths 56, 58, 60 inches.
- 10c Night Dresses, Tuesday Sale price 8c, good cotton, semi slip-over neck, with one button in front, open 5 inches down, long sleeves, neck and cuffs trimmed with embroidery, lengths 56, 58, 60 inches.
- 10c Night Dresses, Tuesday Sale price 8c, nainsook, slip-over style, 2-3 sleeves, 1-2-in. silk ribbon run through face on neck and cuffs, lengths 56, 58, with row insertion and ruffe of beautiful, very dainty.
- 50c Petticoats, Tuesday Sale price 45c, fine cotton, small tucks, insertion and ruffe of fine, heavy skirting embroidery, lengths 38, 40, 42, 44 in.
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25% Discount on Picture Frame Moulding and Stock Frames

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A clearance sale of odd lines of Hair Brushes, Military Brushes and Cloth Brushes, one of our clearing-up for stock-taking sales. Ebony, Foxwood, Rosewood or Olivewood backs—oval or concave, all shapes, stiff white bristles, all first-class brushes. Regular prices \$1.75 to \$3.00. Clearing Tuesday, each, 49c.

Sheet Music Reduced

Four Copies for 10c, Fifteen for 25c. "Ambassador March," "Bells of Coontown," "Carroll Waltz," "Christmas '98," "Gay Tally-Ho," "Christina Waltz," "I Got to See the Minister Show," "I'm Looking for Home, Sweet Home," "My Wagon," "La Lu and Her La La La," "Ghost of Rastus," "When Other Lips," "When Love is Young," "Only a Mother," "My Old Kentucky Home," "Death at the Post," "Baby Mine," "Honeyuckle and the Bee," "Miss Phoebe Johnson," "Smoky Topaz," "Restless Sea," "Wandering Card," "United Emblem," "Diamond Sculls," "Maiden Fair Waltz," "La La La" (2-step), "Melinda on Parade," "Island City" (2-step), "Yankee" (schottische), "White Sailing in My Aeroplane."

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- 300 yards 72-inch Heavy Plain Bleached Linen, all pure linen, a splendid weight for linen coats, skirts, etc., and being a wide width cuts to an exceptionally good advantage. Regular 70c per yard, Tuesday 53c.
- 600 yards Checked Glass or Tea Toweling, firm, close weave, best Irish make, some all pure linen, good weight, 24 to 27 inches wide. Regular 15c to 18c per yard, Tuesday 11c.
- 100 only extra good quality Bleached Damask Table Cloths, every thread fine selected linen, close, even weave, beautiful designs, with border all around, 22 1/2 yards. Regular \$2.50 to \$2.68 each, Tuesday \$1.97.
- 48 only best quality Bleached English Honeycomb Quilts, good weight, splendid designs, heavy knotted fringe selected for linen coats, skirts, etc., and being a wide width cuts to an exceptionally good advantage. Regular \$1.25 each, Tuesday 83c.
- 320 yards Heavy Unbleached Builders' Duck, 8 oz., best Canadian make, 20 inches wide, perfect lot, but soiled. Regular 15c per yard, Tuesday 10c.

Groceries Tuesday

- Redpath's Standard-Granulated Sugar, 21 lbs., \$1.00.
- One car Navel Oranges, sweet and seedless, good size, per dozen, 20c.
- Lake of the Woods Five Roses Flour, 1-4 bag, in cotton, 8c.
- Fancy Japan Rice, 4 lbs., 25c.
- Finest White Sage, 3 1/2 lbs., 25c.
- Choice Picnic Hams, 6 to 8 lbs., each, per lb., 12c.
- Choice Appricots, 2 lbs., 25c.
- Imported Pickles, Rowatt's, assorted, extra special, per bottle, 10c.
- Sherriff's Marmalade, 2-lb jar, 25c.
- Cross Fish Brand Sardines, 2 tins, 25c.
- Finest Canned Tomatoes, 3 tins, 25c.
- Canned Corn or Peas, 3 tins, 25c.

Boots, Gaiters and Rubbers

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Boots at less than half price. For the Lady Who Wears Size 4, \$5.00 VALUE FOR \$1.99.

275 pairs of Ladies' Boots, high-grade American make, travellers' samples, all popular styles, lasts, toes and heels, patent colt, with creased vamp, and dull Blucher tops, fine vict kid with patent toe-caps, and dull face and Blucher tops, tan calf and kid, chocolate kid, velours calf, gummetal cloth tops, and the new wine red calf, size 4 only. Regular \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00, on sale Tuesday \$1.99. (Mail orders filled).

LADIES' OUBAN REEB RUBBERS. Ladies' Ouban Reeb Rubbers, the most popular style now, light weight, very best quality made, all sizes, 2-1/2 to 7-1/2, packed in card boxes, Tuesday 59c. Heavier rubber, same style, Tuesday 69c. (Phone orders filled).

MEN'S LEATHER-LINED BOOTS. 60 pairs only of Men's Leather-lined Boots, box calf, Blucher style, heavy

Goodyear welted soles, all sizes, 4 to 11. Worth \$3.00. Tuesday \$2.00.

Women's Overgaiters, the new color "London grey smoke," fine, even, washed broadcloth, best workmanship, American make, all sizes. Regular \$1.00, on sale Tuesday 50c. (Phone orders filled).

Lamb's Wool Slipper Socks, extra fine soft white wool, leather soles, all sizes. Special price Tuesday. Men's 25c, women's 18c, misses' 17c, children's 15c.

Youths' Shoe Packs, all tanned, waterproof, sizes 11, 12 and 13. Special Tuesday 99c.

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