HAMILTON, CANADA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1909.

NO. 289

### RURAL POLICE DISCUSSED.

County Council Will Forward Memorial to Government.

Road Superintendent Explains About Some Gossip.

Hunter Suit Cost the County Something Like \$600.

The County Council this morning dissed and passed considerable business of an important nature, which included lution by Councillor Hills, urging the county to forward a resolution the Government supporting the new scheme that had been set forth for the providing of regular provincial police, as the present system was considered in-

Councillor Hills, on behalf of the Legislative Committee, reported on the dam age claim of Joseph Ross, who was injured by his horse becoming frightened at a load of sand left on the road, and running away.

A resolution was made that the set-lement of the claim be left in the lands of the warden and the Superintendent of roads and bridges. Councillor Binkley moved an amend-ment, that the case be left in the hands

Councillor Binkley said the joke of the Councillor Binkley said the joke of the Legislative Committee was going too far, as the amount it had cost for their meeting to discuss the damage claim was sufficient to pay the claim. Councillor Hills moved an amendment to the amendment, that the whatter be left in the hands of the Legislative Committee.

It was decided to leave the matter to warden. ouncillor Hills wanted to know if a

statement that had been made about the Road Superintendent not attending to all the roads was right. Was the Superintendent doing his work or not? The

perintendent doing his work or not? The complaint had been that the appropriation was spent on the Beverly Road, and the Superintendent had not inspected it. Superintendent Taylor replied he had been five times on the road and had interviewed the foreman of the section. Councillor Burgess said he was responsible for the statement, but he had only made it to show how the Superintendent was overworked.

Councillor Hills—I have no brief for Superintendent Taylor or anyone else, but I think he should be given an opportunity to explain the matter. One

portunity to explain the matter. On atement was made that the superintendent had not been on another road when I knew he had. I think such talk

when I knew he also abould be stopped.

Superintendent Taylor said his attention had to be divided among all the roads and he could not stay too long.

roads and he could not stay too long in one place.

Mr. Binkley asked what the cost of the Hunter suit had amounted to, and also the amount of the Beach taxes.

The Hunter case was left for Solicitor Counsell to report on, but the taxes matter was not gone into.

Councillor Hills offered a resolution as follows: "That this Council desires to

Councillor Hills offered a resolution as follows: "That this Council desires to express its approval of the recent action of the Ontario Government in inaugurating a Provincial police system for the better protection of life and property, and the detection of crime; and this Council is of the opinion that it is expedient that the same should be extended so as to re-construct and improve the present county police system which for years has proved inefficient in the enforcement of the criminal and municipal laws. That the remmeration of enforcement of the criminal and cipal laws. That the remuneration cipal laws. That the remuneration of county constables is small and precarious; constables bis greluctant to spend time or incur expense in working on cases when their costs are not assured or guaranteed. That this Council deprecates the present methods in vogue, which makes it necessary to offer rewards to informants for the arrest and conviction of offenders, and detection of crime, in addition to fees as provided for by police tariff. That the interest of justice and general welfare of the Province would be better served were the country of the Attorney General's Decontrol of the Attorney General's Depolice system placed under the direct control of the Attorney General's Department and permanent constables appointed in every county at an adequate salary so as to enable them to give their entire attention to police duty. That the County Clerk be instructed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Hon. J. J. Foy, K. C., Attorney-General, with the signatures of the Clerk, and warden, and the seal of the county attached thereto."

Schmidt House Property Sold To-day For \$20,200

hereto."

The resolution carried unanimously.

Councillor Hills rade a motion that
to more roads be taken under the good
one with the could be arranged
to that every township could have equiable consideration.

The matter was left over until the af-

ternoon's session.

The Warden explained that Solicitor Counsell had reported on the cost of the Hunter case which had been \$600, made up of, costs at court of appeal, \$200; county count, \$200, and damages, \$200.

The question of the gravel pit on the Plains Road was left in the hands of the Road Superintendent and Road Commissioners to stop gravel from being illegally removed.

### ORDER OF SCOTTISH CLANS.

This society held its monthly meeting Kennedy's Hall, James street north, ist evening, Chief Dingwall presiding. ast evening. Chief Dingwall presiding.
At the business meeting it was arranged to hold a dance on Burns' night, Jan. 25 next. Six new members were initiated. Dancing was kept up until 12 p. m., and songs were contributed by Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Dingwall, Miss Bankier and the chief. The next monthly meeting will be held in the same hall on Jan. 12.

### FOUND HIS LEG BROKEN.

Harry Claney, 46 Jackson street east, was taken to No. 3 police station yeserday morning for being drunk on the street. Later, when he sobered up, he complained about his leg causing him nuch pain. He was taken to the City Hospital, where it was found the leg was broken. It is thought he sipped on the sidewalk, as he says he does not know how it happened.

### Girl Suicides.

Mexico City, Dec. 9.-Rodolfo aona, a bull fighter, known as the "Idol of the bull ring," is under arrest on serious charges connection with the suicide of Maria Noeker, 15 years old. The girl, whose family is well to do, was of a romantic disposition and looked upon Goana as a hero. She slipped away from home one night and went to a ball. On returning home next morning she commit-ted suicide by shooting. Police investigation, it is alleged, showed that she was with Gaona at the

also in prison in connection with the case, but the mysterious charges against the men are not

### SHIP AFIRE ON LAKE.

Steamer Clarion Burned and and Two Men Met Death.

Male Frozen to Death-Fear For Thirteen Men.

Some of the Crew Saved and Hurried to Buffalo.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 9 .- Two men lost their lives and the fate of thirteen others is unknown as a result of the ourning of the steamer Clarion near Point Pelee, Lake Erie, early to-day. Six members of the crew were taken from the Clarion by the steamer L. C. Hanna, and brought here, and then rushed by train to the Buffalo headquarters of the Anchor Line Company, the owner of the Clarion.

According to the hurried tale, all at-The loosening up of the County Council in the matter of salaries is attributed to a sudden attack of enlargement of the heart.

of the Clarion.

According to the hurried tale, all attempted to leave the Clarion as soon as it was ascertained that she could not be saved. Captain E. J. Bell. of Ogdensburg. N. Y., and twelve other members of the crew took to the lifeboat. They left without food, and it is feared that they may either starve or freeze to death before rescued, even if they escape being drowned, for high seas are running on the lake, owing to the recent storm. One of the crew fell overboard while attempting to enter the lifeboat. Int. was later pulled out of the water and put in the lifeboat.

The mate was frozen to death after he had been overcopie by smoke and exposure. An effort was made by the six men who stayed on board to enter another lifeboat, but it eluded them. One sailor fell overboard and was drowned in his efforts to save the boat. Later these men were rescued by the steamer L. C. Hanna. The Clarion is a 1,700-ton steel freighter. She was bound from Detroit to Erie, Pa., to lay up when fire broke out last night.

### AT PRAYERS.

### Sudden Death of Windsor Man at Prayer Meeting.

Windsor, Ont., Dec. 9.—Death came ithout warning to Meredith Conn, 70 years old, a prominent paving contrac tor, at the Central Methodist Church last night. Mr. Conn was in the act of kneeling for the opening prayer by the pastor, Rev. F. W. Hollinrake, formerly of Zion Tabernacle, Hamilton, when he was stricken with apoplexy. Death car before there was time to summon a pl Windsor for 12 man to summon a Windsor for 12 years. Prior to con here he lived in Dutton and Tyrcon Ont., where he was engaged in the w and grain business. He leaves a wi-

To-day For \$20,200.

The Schmidt House and barber show adjoining were sold this morning by Judge Monck so that the heirs to the Lewis estate could secure their money. The purchaser was M. J. O'Reilly, K. C., and the price paid was \$20,200, which is considered reasonable for the prope in that section, situated on James stre west side, near Merrick, and extension through to the market. The frontage 39 feet 4 inches.

The heirs to the estate are: Charlott. E. Lewis, widow of the late John Brad-ley Lewis; Jessie Bradley Moore, Wil-liam Bell, K. C., Onnie Isabella Lewis, Harold Bradley Lewis, Russell J. Lewis, Clarence E. Lewis, W. Stewart Lewis and Ethel S. Snerry.

Ethel S. Sperry.

The property was sold subject to a reserve bid and Mr. O'Reilly purchased

### SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

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

Have You Seen Them? The splendid display of Tom Smith's crackers, more beautiful than ever before. Christmas stockings that are filled with toys and other things that fill the hearts of the little folks with joy. They are not expensive, from ten cents up to two dollars. New paper shell almonds, walnuts, Brazii, Tilberts, pecan amond meats, almond paste.—Bain & Adams.

# OWNER OF FIRST TELEPHONE RETIRING FROM SERVICE.

Mr. Hugh C. Baker, Who Has Been Connected With Company From the First, Has Earned Rest.

Built Original Street Railway in Hamilton and Owned First Telephone Company in Canada.

Two circulars were sent out to-day, one from the Hamilton and the other from the Montreal office of the Bell Telephone Company of Canada, which mark an epoch in the company's history. Mr. Hugh C. Baker, who himself owned the first telephone exchange in Canada, and who obtained the original charter for the Bell Telephone Company, is retiring from the position of manager of the Ontario Department, a position which he has held ever since the organization of the company in 1880. The circulars issued to-day are as follows: Montreal, 9th December, 1909.

To all Concerned: It is with great regret that the Company has to announce the resignation of Mr. Hugh C. Baker as manager of the Ontario Department, which position he has filled for nearly thirty years to the entire satisfaction of the Company. Mr.

In Overalls

Is the Christmas feeling stealing over

Is Mr. Downey willing to place a pris

If you think the Victorian nurses deserve some recognition at this festive season send your cheque to Mr. Cart

The cold snap was no snap for people who were not prepared for it.

The Public Library Board has not yet started the story hour. Is the Board

There will be no Christmas tree at the City Hall this year, the Mayor not being a believer in Santa Claus.

There are nearly ten thousand foreign rs living in Toronto. Perhaps that ac-ounts for the Telegram's use of broker

Lest we forget, shop early to-morow

Perhaps, after all, this is Indian wir

Church bazaars may be regarded as a mild form of dissipation at this season of the year.

I wouldn't wonder if Inspector Berlinghoff during this cold snap has his eye on horses left standing in the cold uncovered, and has a conversation with the owners.

-R. B. Spera, 230 King street east, had nine undershipts stolen from outside his store, about 9.30 last night.

How about the Yuletide waits?

Pity the poor sailormen

More Shopping

Days Before

& Christmas

The Man

New story Saturday.

NOW!

ber.

The Ontario Construction Department at Hamilton, and the special agency department, under Mr. Ashley, will be continued as at present until further no-

C. F. Sise, President.

Hamilton, 9th December, 1909.
To Local Managers:
I have to notify you that after a ser-

Baker (who owned the first telephone exchange which was opened in Canada), joined the Company at the time of its organization in 1880, and has at all times rendered valuable service.

Mr. Baker has accepted the position of special agent, and the directors are pleased to know that his services will be available to the Company, whenever he is called upon.

Correspondence hitherto addressed to Mr. Baker as manager of the Ontario Department, will be addressed to the Company at Montreal, after 31st December.

The Ontario Construction Department at Hamilton, and the special agency device of about thirty years as manager of the Issue department of the Company's business, etc., head office has been good enough to relieve me of the detail work of the office, and that, while still I hope capable of being of some use to the Company in other directions, I shall have but little to do with local manager and other officials in the department at the special agency devices of a partment of the Company's business, etc., head office has been good enough to relieve me of the detail work of the office, and that, while still I hope capable of being of some use to the Company in other directions, I shall have but little to do with local manager and other officials in the department of the Company's business, etc., head office has been good enough to relieve me of the detail work of the office, and that, while still I hope capable of being of some use to the Company in other directions, I shall have but little to do with local manager and other officials in the department of the Company's business, etc., head office has been good enough to relieve me of the detail work of the office, and that, while still I hope capable of being of some use to the Company in other directions, I shall have but little to do with local manager and other officials in the department of the Company in other directions, I shall have but little to do with local manager and other officials in the department of the company in other directions, I shall have but

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MRS. OCEY WARDLOW MARTIN, VICTIM OF "THE BATH TUB

# ONLY \$2,000.

Rev. A. J. Vining Was Not Local Option Discussed From Offered \$3,000 to Come Here.

oner's life liberty in the hands of his jailer? James Street Baptist Church received the decision of Rev. A. J. Vining, of London, to whom a call was recently extended, at the mid-week service last night. In writing to the church clerk, Mr. Henry Moore, Mr. Vining expressed his appreciation of the kindness of the Hamilton congregation in calling him, but stated that he had decided to decline

In the meantime take a run up and see those Royal Academy pictures. It looks as if T. J. Stewart and civic

is considered the standaru which to begin a new pastor. The church expects to pay \$2,200 after a few years.

# HEAVY FINFS.

\$125 and \$100 For Selling Liquor Ir. Ancaster.

Take nothing for granted these cold nights when dealing with the furnace or self-feeder. Don't take any chances with coal or any other kind of gas. Mayor Lawrason, of Dundas, administered the law with a firm hand in the case of two Ancaster men charged with selling and keeping for sale Jiquor, con-trary to law. Ancaster is under the local Sir Wilfrid may be a slick duck, said the Table Boarder, but Stewart is a dead duck. Do you see how chickens come home to roost? option law. Both men charged, William Wall and Dell Wilbur, were found, guilty. A fine of \$125 and costs was imposed on Wall, and \$100 and costs on The Citizens' League is strangely si-lent. Hasn't even passed an anti-gam-bling resolution. It surely can't be dead.

### Paper vs. Frost.

Paper vs. Frost.

Paper vests can and do keep out the cold and keep the natural heat of the body in. They are finished off nicely, and so light that you are scarcely aware you have one on. If you don't believe that a nice warm vest can be made from paper, just come in and ask to see them. From 75c to \$1.25 each. Parke & Parke, druggists.

### FOUND DEAD.

(Special Wire to the Times.) St. Catharines, Dec. 9.—Anson Higgins, an honored Welland St. Catharines, Dec. 9.—Anson Higgins, for many years an honored Welland Canal employee and respected resident of Thorold Township, was found dead at his home this morning. He is supposed to have been dead since Sunday. He was eighty years of age and a widower.

### AT GRIMSBY.

Both Sides Last Night.

the local option question were thrashed out before a large crowd in the Town out before a large crowd in the Town Hall. The meeting was called by the temperance people, and 5fr. Ban H. Spence, of Toronto, upheld local option, while William Mitchell and Jim Living stone spoke against it. Mr. Spence spoke for an hour in an endeavor to show that local option had been a brilliant success wherever it had been tried, and pointed out that the local option law had been greatly improved in the last year. William Mitchell, Reeve of Grimsby, took the opposite side of the question for half an hour, and spoke in favor of hotel accommodation. He referred to the fact of the Village Inn closing, and said peof of the state of the same announcement in person to his people in London, and the congregation received the announcement by singing the doxology, and a number of members expressed appreciation of the step.

The statement has been sent out from London that Mr. Vining had decided to remain there at a salary of \$2,000, although offered \$3,000 to come to Hamilton. This is not true. James Street Baptist Church offered \$2,000 only. That is considered the standard there upon which to begin a new pastor. The church they were in town. He also said the Walker Steel Range Company had been greatly injured because it could not get mechanics to work in a local option town, and found it difficult to fill orders as a consequence. Mr. Livingston took up the points of Mr. Spence's speech and attempted to prove them wrong. He said that it was the license law that had been improved, and not the local option law. He pleaded with the people to support a good license law.

### ALIMONY GRANTED.

An order was made this morning by Judge Snider, granting Mary McDonald \$4 a week interim alimony from her husband, Norman McDonald, to continue until the trial of the action brought by her against him for alimony. W. M. McClemont for plaintiff, S. F. Washington, K. C., for-defendant.

### CORNWALL WEDDING.

Cornwall, Ont., Dec. 9.—Miss Dora Fraid, of this town, and Mr. Milton Weintraub, New York, were married at the house of the bride's brother, Mr. N. J. Fraid, the leading clothing merchant of Cornwall. Mr. and Mrs. Weintraub will reside in New York.

### Tyrrill's Furs, Jewelry.

For quairty value my stock stands supreme. Be quick. Short trip. At Hotel Cecil, room 45, opposite ladies' parior, evenings, until Friday, then Saturday to my store, St. Catharines, until the New Year. To-day reminds you of furs. I have nearly everything, from Persian lamb juckets, reinable seal, to lower priced furs. My jewelry stock is large and beautiful, never better. Why not, was a dismond watch or ring, the self of

### Cost of Bread.

Chicago, Dec. 9.-Cost of bread in Chicago has proved a puzzle to J. R. Cahill, an investigator for the labor department of the Board of Trade of England. Mr. Cahill told of his bewilderment before the City Club last night,

"I can't understand," said he "how we can buy bread in England for one-third the price you pay in Chicago, when you send us our wheat. You have to pay five cents for four ounces of bread, while we get a loaf weighing 64 ounces for ten cents. Our fourpound loaf never costs more than 12 cents, and usually only ten cents. I confess I can't under stand it."

### AGREES WITH MACALLUM.

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Toronto Expert Opposed to Hydro Engineer's Advice.

Bill to Maintain Purtiy of Navigable Waters.

Civic Departments Winding Up With a Surplus.

The city officials received a surprise o-day when attention was called to an amendment to the act governing navigable waters which is at present before the Senate. The amendment reads as follows: "No person shall throw or deposit, or cause or permit to be thrown or deposited, any sewage, offal, refuge, animal or vegetable matter of any kind into any river, stream or other water, any part of which is now navigable or ws into any navigable water.'

"You can easily see how far-reaching the effect of that would be," said Engineer Macallum, who received a copy of the bill from Ottawa. "We might be prevented throwing garbage behind the revetment wall, and where we accommodate many people on little streets near the water, where there are only two or three houses by permitting them to drain sewers into the bay or inlet, we would have to instal small pumps and pump all this sewage to the main sewers in the sewers."

He wrote Mr. Barker saying that Ham-ilton was strongly opposed to the proposed amendment. It would hit Toronto and other cities, too, and cost them many thousands of dollars.

many thousands of dollars.

Indications are that the waterworks' expense and construction accounts, and the fire department's finableial statement will all show small surpluses at the end of the year, according to statistics furnished the city effgineer by Secretary James this morning. The construction appropriation was \$85,421. The actual expenditure to date is \$56,318, but work already sanctioned by the Council, the \$6,000 set aside for waterworks shops and \$2,000 to complete the mountain system will bring it up to \$84,993 by the end of the year, leaving a balance of \$428.

The waterworks expense appropriation was \$52,958, of which a balance of \$7,059 to tide over this month remains. There will be a small surplus at the end of the year.

At Grimsby last evening both sides of of the year.

The fire department had an appropriation of \$71,242. It has \$8,569 to carry it through this month and should have a small balance at the end of the year.

Ong of the intake pipes at the flitering basins runs only 210 feet into the lake, while the anchor ice forms as far out as 230 feet. Frequently during the winter it clogs the pipe. City Engmeer Macallum said to-day he would urge that provision be made next year for extending this pipe about a thousand feet and carrying the other intake out into thirty feet of water. Not only will this do away with the danger of clogging by ice, but it will avoid the muisance caused by rolly water when castern calca are raging.

E. B. Merrill, a Toronto ele pert who was employed by the city in the street lighting arbitration case, is of me opinion as Engineer Macallum (Continued on Page 12.)

### R. C. A.

Party of Artists From Toronto Saw Pictures Yesterday.

Yesterday Mr. G. A. Reid, past pres

lent of the Royal Canadian Academy of Arts; Mary H. Reid, R. C. A. of A.; R. Arts: Mary H. Reid, R. C. A. of A.; R. F. Gagen, C. M. Manly, F. H. Bugden and Mr. Davies, curator of the Toronto Art School, all of Toronto: Mary E. Wrinch and members of the Ontario Seciety of Artists, spent the afternon viewing the paintings of the R. C. A. of A now on exhibition in the public library building, and expressed their high appreciation of the excellence of the exhibit. On Saturday a large party of appreciation of the excellence of the ex hibit. On Saturday a large party of the Arts and Letter Club, Toronto, in tend coming up for the purpose of seeing the pictures. The art-loving people of Hamilton should not miss this fine ex hibition.

### ITALIAN MISSING.

evenings, until Friday, then Saturday to my store, St. Catharines, until the New Year. To-day reminds you of furs. I have nearly everything, from Persian lamb jackets, reliable seal, to lower priced furs. My jewelry stock is large and beautifel; never better. Why not give a diamond, watch or ring, the gift of all gifts? Then jewelry, sterling silver and ebony sets, unabrellas, wrist bags, etc., gifts for the best boy and best girl.

Terms easy. (all at once, or phone Tyrrill to call.

### NO VIOLATION OF THE ACT.

M. Cummings Strictly Observed the License Regulations.

Both Cases Brought by Police Were Dismissed.

Anthony Krimiski and Wife Advised to Go Home.

The charge of a breach of the liquor act laid by the police against M. Cummings, corner of Barton and James streets, and Thomas Burns, corner of Cannon and Wellington streets, was dismissed this morning after a long exposition of the interpretation of the act as viewed by S. F. Washington, K. C., Crown Attorney, and Geo. Lynch-Staunton, K. C., for the defence

His worship said nothing happened but a technical breach of the act. During his sixteen years on the bench there had been more efforts to defeat that act than any other, but he had always tried follow the strict interpretation of the law. Innkeepers were he said, usually full of devices and schemes to defeat the Act, and though the case in defeat the Act, and though the case in question might be a technical breach of the Act, yet he believed that was a lot of philosophy in the Roman axiom that says too strict interpretation of the law may commit an injustice. He advised those interested to endeavor to get their orders in early, and make deliveries early also. "In this case," he said, "I have no reason to believe that the orders were not given within the proper time." He also said that another case might come up very similar, but in which the evidence might warrant a conviction; therefore dealers should not get a faise impression from the decision in this impression from the decision

Impression from the decision in this case.

P. C. Barrett said that on Saturday evening he saw the delivery wagon at the atore after 7 o'clock, and later saw it on Barton street east, near Westinghouse avenue. Subsequently he saw deliveries made at 4 Birchwood avenue, 93 Sherman avenue north, and later the officer made the seizure.

P. C. Cameron corroborated the evidence of P. C. Barrett.

James Swartz, 4 Birchwood avenue, said he went to Cummings' store about

said he went to Cummings' store about 6 o'clock on Saturday evening, and gave his order, which included some liquors,

and paid for it.

Mrs. Dolan, 93 Sherman avenue north, said she ordered a keg of lager by tele-phone about 5 o'clock on Saturday even-

phone about 5 o'clock on Saturday evening.

Mr. Staunton, for the defence, submitted that there was no sale.

The magistrate said the English court had held that a sale is not completed until delivered.

Defendant said no liquor went out of his store after 7 o'clock on the evening in question, and on the Saturday evening he closed sharp at 7 o'clock, and the liquor was loaded then ready for delivery, after which the driver went to his supper.

delivery, after which the driver went to his supper.

Reel, the driver, told of the seizure. Mr. Staunton quoted English law, mentioning particularly the case of Pletts & Beatty. He also said he had written to the department in Toronto, and had received a letter from Mr. Saunders, which said section 50 of the liquor act says there shall be no sale after 7 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, but there appears to be nothing in it to prevent deliver; after that hour, and in view of the decisions in Toronto Police Court the department had not prosecuted where purchase was made before 7 o'clock, and delivery after. Mr. Saunders added that there had been no decision made on the matter in the higher

sion made on the matter in the higher Mr. Staunton contended that when the liquor was in transit and was pur-chased, it could be seized by purchaser's creditors. He said the Police Commissioners had instructed license holders that delivery could be made after 7 o'clock if purchase was made before that

Then Mr. Washington said two or three license holders had complained about not being allowed to deliver after

Mr. Staunton said both cases were exactly the same, and he stand or fall together.

stand or fall together.

When Anthony Krimiski, 76 Locomotive street, showed up this morning he was sober. He had spent yesterday where he neithet touched, tasted or handled. Mr. Ogilvie does not allow even the smell to enter his institution. Anthony was ready to go on with his non-support case. Mrs. Krimiski said last Saturday she went out to buy an overcoat. When she returned Anthony had bolted the door and refused her admission, and also forbid the children to let their mother in the house.

"Do you want to pay her so much a week or want her to come home again?" asked his Worship of defendant.

"She can come home if she mends the children's socks, washes the dishes and cleans the house," said hubby.

"Tell her to go home then," was the curt remark from the bench, for the Magistrate has an aversion to people airing every little domestic trouble in court.

James Doxtater, an Aldershot brave, was in yesterday for excessive imbibing. He was fined \$2 then. No sooner did he get outside than he over-imbibed again. This morning he was fined \$5, for his Worship said the court might as well have the money as the saloon keepers.

### A Smake 's Christmas Pr ent

A companion case with several high grade briar pipes would just suit a smoker. They are different shapes with amber and vulcanite mouthpieces. Make a selection at peace's pipe store, 107 king street east.

### KILLED ShERIFF.

Shreve, Ohio, Dec. 9.—After he had held his family in terror all night, Roy Lee, believed to be insane, to-day shot and killed Sheriff Jacob Bell, of Holmes Countr, when the officer attempted to cuter see's home to arrest aim.

# A REGULAR MEN'S CHRISTMAS STORE

Our Christmas Stock in the men's section is now complete, comprising of the finest displays of exclusive novelties to be found in the city. I Friday and Saturday's big selling we call your attention to the following rand special sales. Read:

All Gift Articles Done Up in Pretty Xmas Boxes Free of Charge

### Smoking Jackets and Dressing Gowns

Smoking Jackets and Dressing Gowns in dark grey, dark red; green and navy blue, trimmed with cords, braids, padded, satin and silk, and frogs; the best assortment in the city. Be sure and see these before buying elsewhere. Prices \$5.00 to \$15.00.

### Pure Linen Handkerchiefs 3 for 50c

### Gents' Fancy Suspenders 50c

Gents' Fancy President Suspenders, all colors, in dainty gift box, 50c pai

### Gents' Silk Ties 25c

### **Corset Cover Embroidery Greatly Reduced for Xmas Selling**

### Corset Cover Embroidery 15c Yard

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### Ladies' English Walking Gloves

### Xmas Suggestions From Housefurnishing Department

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### Remonstance to be Forwarded to Washington.

### Complaints From Manitoba About Immigration Inspectors.

Ottawa, Dec. 8 .- The Minister of the Interior is getting a report from the Immigration Office at Winnipeg relative to numerous complaints made as to the to numerous complaints made as to the autocratic and apparently inexplicable manner in which American immigration officials are refusing to let Canadians and other British subjects cross the Manitoba boundary into the United States. Several glaring instances of official stupidity and builheadedness have been reported to the Ottawa authorities during the past few days, and the facts of these cases, coupled with a remonstrance, will be forwarded to Ambassastrance, will be forwarded to Ambassa-der Bryce for transmission to the immi-gration authorities at Washington. A 'HARD CASE

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Winnipeg, Dec. 8.—The latest victim of petty United States immigration officials is Mrs. Rosenthal, wife of a Fort William merchant, who, with her three children, was en route to spend the winter in American cities on the Pacific coast. She came here a few days ago and made considerable purchases as presents for her friends on the coast, and then left. At the border she was stopped, on the ground that she had not The gross production amounted in stopped, on the ground that she had not sufficient money to warrant her in crossing the border. She was compelled to return here and to telegraph to her had ing the border. She was compelled to return here and to telegraph to her husband for more cash, explaining her predicament. After getting more money she again left on the journey with her children, only to be again stopped on some similar formality, and sent back to this city, where she is at present. One of the children is an infant in arms.

### MOB TO JUDGE.

# Promises That Negro Will Hang

criminal assault, virtually exacted a promise from Circuit Judge Cammack
that he would sentence Thompson to
hanging within thirty days, and keep
him meanwhile in the Williamstown jail.
Cammac delivered the pledge from the
jail steps.

Within the court house previously
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Thompson had ben tried and found guilty, while a mob overran the court chamber and a member of it lunged at the negro with a knife.

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Thompson had entered a strong plea
of not guilty. Judge Cammack set Jan.
7 as the late for the hanging.

### OVER 16 MILLIONS.

### Immense Output of Ontario Mines This Year.

Toronto, Dec. 9 .- According to returns made under the mining act to the Provincial Bureau of Mines, the output of the Province for the nine months ending September 30, 1909, was as follows:

The gross production amounted in value to \$16,762,742, as compared with \$12,185,511 for the first nine months of

From the mines of Cobalt there were shipped in all 22,218 tons, of which 20,340 tons were ore and 1,878 tons concentrates, as against 16,855 tons of ore and 480 tons of concentrates during the same

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The output of nickel was 1,162 tons more and of copper 309 tons less than during the corresponding period of last year. There was an increase in iron ore of 39,174 tons, and in pig iron of 105,411 tons.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 8.—Whether the extraordinary circumstances of the trial and sentence to death at Williamstown, Ky., yesterday of the negro, Earl Thompson, will make the proceedings illegal was a subject of discussion in Kentucky to-day.

A mob which lind met Thompson at the train when he was brought back from Lexington to answer a charge of the control of the returns for the season of ocean navigation at Montreal, which was issued to-day, the season was a satisfactory one. Imports showed a considerable increase and exports were below those of last year, except in cheese and hay, which showed increases, but there was a marked falling off in grain, lumber, cattle and butter. The customs returns show an increase in imports of \$3,012,005, total exports being \$9,514,700.

ea Cold in One Day, Orla in 2 Days

# A Spanish Beauty

"He did. Do not blame him now; he did it for the best. Gerald Desmond did with him, as he willed; and 1—oh, Kory; could I refuse your father anything it thant supreme hour? You were dead, thought, and it mattered little what became of me. Besides, I hoped my solid the beam of me. Besides, I hoped my solid thought, and it mattered little what became of me. Besides, I hoped my solid thought, and it mattered little what became of me. Besides, I hoped my solid became of my lead and him is bind—seeing my folly too late—ever, ever morning for you. If you can moforgive me, try, at teast, and him is bind—seeing my folly too late—ever, ever morning for you. If you can moforgive me, try, at teast, and him is sharedly of me, now that my day are numbered, for the sake of my daught. He makes you wanted became of my lead anaze. Then all he was lost in a great and deep compassion for this frail, pale creature, both in heart had been true, after all—wides sufferings had been so much greater than his own.

"It is 'I who must ask forgiveness, Lady liez," he said in a tone infinitely gentle and sweet, "not you; for I have greatly wronged and misjudged you all these years. If you, think there is any thing to pardon, then I pardon it freely, fook knows! I see it all now. You have been far more sinned against than singing. Yes, lenz—my saster—I forgive all out of my immost heart."

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daughter; his strange encounter with Morgan; the death-bed confession, and that last interview in the library, so awfully closed.
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"I must go to my husband," she said.

"If he is stricken by the hand of God, my place is by his side.'
She struggled to get up, but Roderick held her gently back.

"Not yet, lnez. Evelyn is with him, and and the orders of the medical man are that no one else save the nurse be admitted. You are able to do nothing. He lies insensible to everything. You must wait until the morning."

"Ah! a lover?"
"Mr. Vivian Trevannance. He fell in "Mr. Vivian Trevannance. He fell in love with her before I met him, and she with him. I rather fancy; but again that indomitable pride of hers held them apart. Besides, he was then engaged to Lady Evelyn. But he will go to America and he will find her, and I shall welcome my late rival as my son." "How very strange it all ist And this forace, faithful friend—this heroic Mike Muldoon—what of him?" His eyes glistened at the name of his true-hearted friend.

"My brave Mike, who has loved me with a love surpassing that of a woman! He and I shall never part more. He shall reign grand seigneur of Clontarf.—the great ambition of his life. It was agreed between us, when we parted, that he was to wait until I wrote to him or rejoined him in St. Louis; and he will wait. I write to night, and I mean to repair and rebuild Clontarf, and he shall be my bailliff there, and the happiest fellow in the three kingdons. Shall I ring for your maid, Inez, before I go?"

"Good night, Lord Clontarf. Ah, thank "Good night, Lord Clont

"Good night, Lord Clontarf. Ah, thank Heaven I can call you by that name at last! Go to Evelyn. Do not let her wear herself out. Send her to me when "In some wonderful way he effected his escape, and for twenty years he was a wauderer upon the earth, a branded felon, while his third cousin, Gerald, succeeded to his title and estates. Not

she can leave her father."

He lifted the wasted hand to her lips, passed from the bondoir, and was gone. CHAPTER XV.

"Lady Clydesmore to Madame la Comtesse d'Avignon. Paris.
"Warwick Hall, June 20, 18—."
"Dearest Veronique.— I promised. I think, when you left London last April, to keep you posted on all that transpired here. That I have not written before is simply because I had nothing to say. It is only in books that things keep happening continually, and disciplinary in marriage—all without a particle of romance. But when the promance under our very roof—the most astounding event of the age! Town at and country are ringing with it. It is the topic of the day, the sensation paragraph of the papers. I can scarcely realize it all yet.

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"And to complicate matters still more, he fell in love with her also, and they had an understanding somehow; and there was a scene, I dare say, and a tragic farewell spoken, and the handsome colonel rode away to return no more—as we thought.

"But the next afternoon, to our surprise, he returned, and with him Mr. Hall, the rector. He went up to the picture-gallery to see Evelyn. leaving Mr. Hall and Trevannance in the library, A few moments after we heard a picrcing shriek that rings in my ears yet. We

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She looked at him wistfully as he rose to go.
"Pardon me, Roderick, but how is tyou could leave your daughter to struggle alone in those large, terrible cities, young and beautiful as she must me? It is not like you."
"The fault was not nine. She learned to hate me all her life, and was quite unmanageable in her pride and independence. I can do nothing with her; but I think I know someone who can," with a smile.
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his earthly career was run.
"He was able to speak a little and move his right hand and arm. He whis-pered one word. 'Roderick,' and Colonel Drummond came and stood by him. He miled a little and beckoned the rector.

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"Tell, he whispered, 'tell all.' "Tell,' he whispered, 'tell all.' "Lady Clontarf and her daughter was the came into the room; he saw them, and motioned them forward. He lay clasping in his own the hand of the colonel, and Lady Clontarf's great black eyes were solve surpassing that of a woman! I shall never part more. He level the present were fixed upon him (the colonel) will be love surpassing that of a woman! I shall never part more. He

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"Yes, you knew Vivian Trevannance.
There was a time, even, Madame la Comtesse, when I thought you would have written your name 'Mrs. Trevannance,' and lend it a prouder title than all earth had to-bestow. Ah, well, Mon-

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self dying, seemed but to have two desires left—that his new-found cousin would forgive him for something, and that he would marry Evelyn before he died. He could not bear him out of sight; he would lie for hours watching him and the beautiful Lady Evelyn. She was whiter than her robes and veil, but inexpressibly beautiful. And he—oh, Veronique, I sigh to think I shall never see anything like him again! Trevannance was groomsman—I laugh when I think of it—very handsome, very elegant, eminently self-possessed, and with just the gravity becoming the occasion. It did not cost him one pang. I wonder if there be such a thing as a heart in man's anatomy.

"Gerald Desmond died that night, his daughter's husband by his side, his last look on his face, his last word 'Forgive.' And he is buried, and his secret with him, and the new earl and countess, and Lady Inez—she won't be countess-dowager—have left for old Castile. It is the land of mother and daughter; both pine to behold it, and Lady Inez goes there to die. She seems strangely happy, and yet her days are numbered. A peace I never saw in her face before has come there since the hour she discovered this Lord Roderick lived.

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Thimediately after the strange, whit wedding Trevannance disappeared. Whither he went he declined to tell, only Evelyn whispeared a word to me as she said farewell, 'He has gone back to America for a dark-eyed bride.' I don't know whether it is mere surmise or not; time will tell.

"Dear! what a long letter, and what "Dear! what a long letter, a budget of news! Never complain of me again as a bad, correspondent. I am drearily lonely since they all left. I wish you were here, Veronique. But that may not be, and so farewell! Best regards to Monsieur le Comte—a thousand kisses to you from thy "Beatrice."

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The amber glow of a sunny September afternoon filled the city, and Vivian Trevannance sat at a hotel window looking listlessly down on the tide of life ebbing and flowing along Notre Dame street, Montreal. The inevitable cheroot was between his lips, the old, languid grace was in his attitude, but his handsome, nonchalant face looked worn and pale and very grave.

For his search after Mignonette seemed a well-night hopeless thing. He had tried New York and Philadelphia and Washington, and had failed. The stage had lost her. Since she disappeared so

had lost her. Since she disappeared so mysteriously the previous spring, in St. Louis, none of her theatrical friends had Louis, none of her theatrical friends had heard of her. Advertisements, large rewards, detectives—all failed. La Reine Rouge had vanished.

Trevannance gave up the chase in the United States and went to Canada. He visited Toronto, Ottawa and finally Montreal. Still in vain; all the means used hitherto had failed as well here. Minnette, the actress, was not to be found.

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The very difficulty of the chase gave it added zest; the oftener he was disappointed the more determined he grew. He had never known how dear she was to him until the hope of finding her began to leave him. He grew haggard and pale, and a certain look of nervous anxiety and watchfulness grew habitual to his handsome face.

He sat alone, this sunlit September afternoon, weary and half hopeless. What had become of her? Whither had she gone, poor little frail wanderer! adrift on life's stormy sea? Ah, if he had been true te his own heart, and made her his while he could have taken her to his bosom and shielded her from shipwreck in the world!

in the world!

Crowds passed up and down; he only saw a black, moving stream. All at once, though, he started, took the cigar from his mouth, stared again, half in doubt, helf in hope and delight. 'An instant later he had seized his hat and was leaping down the stairs five at a time. Chance had done for him at last what labor and search so long had failed to do.

(To be continued.)

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They Thought of That.

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In Illinois there is an old law on the statute books to the effect that in criminal cases the jury is "judge of the law as well as the facts." Though not often quoted, once in a while a lawyer with a desperate case makes use of it. In one case the judge instructed the jury that it was to judge of the law as well as of the facts, but added that it was not to judge of the law unless it was fully satisfied that it knew more than 've judge. An outrageous verdict was brought in, contrary to all instructions of the court, who felt called upon to rebuke the jury. At last one old farmer arose. "Jedge," said he, weren't we to jedge the law as well as the facts." "Certainly," was the response, "but I told you not to judge the law unless you were clearly satisfied that you knew the law better than I did." "Well, jedge," answered the farmer, as he shifted his one. answered the farmer, as he shifted his quid, "we considered that p'int."—Ar-

### TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Niamara Falis. New York—\*2.72 a.m., \*5.78 a.m., 17.65 a.m., \*19.05 a.m., 5.37 p.m. \*5.39 p.m.

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Brampton, Fergus, Elora, Orangeville, Owea
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An elderly French woman stood on the curbstone waiting for a chance to cross the street. With a dozen long strides he was beside her.

"Madame Michaud!"

The little old woman wheeled around and recognized her handsome accoster at once with sparkling eyes.

"Mon Dieu! Monsieur Trevannance!

Who would have thought—these months?"

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reet south.
Moore, D., house, Hannah street east

Moore, D., & Co., office, King street Moore, D., & Co., foundry, Catharine

street.
Ramsay, A. G., house, Charles street.
Royal Hotel, Hood & Bro., hotel,
James street north.
Sanford, W. E., house, Jackson street

Sanford, Vail & Bickley, office, King

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Subscribers are particularly requested to see that every one on their premises having access to the telephone understands that touching either button when the red signal is down (which shows that the line is in use) stops a convercation then going on and causes great annoyance to those who are interrupted.

Subsequently, Toronto, London and Windsor organized similar local tele-phone companies, and in 1880 the Bell

phone companies, and in 1880 the Bell Telephone Company came into existence, having acquired these various interests. From a three-telephone line in 1877 and a system of 89 telephones in 1878 has developed the great company which stretches across a continent and has over

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3,000 subscribers in Hamilton alone.

It was Mr. Baker who developed and secured, in conjunction with the late Frank MacKelean, K. C., the original charter of the Bell Telephone Company. That charter has stood the test of all the courts, and stands to-day as a tribute to Mr. Baker's foresight and ability. It is quite appropriate that one so prominent in the early history and development of the movement should lave

in his possession the original telephone ease, the original transmitter and many

other of the original things in connection with the great invention.

MONEY TRANSFER.

ARTIST DEAD.

south.

### THE OWNER OF FIRST TELEPHONE.

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Mr. Baker's connection with the development of the telephone itself and the telephone business is unique. After he had completed the building of the original street railway in Hamilton (he still has in his possession the first five-cent piece dropped into the fare box of the first car), he took up the telephone, then a brand new thing. On Oct. 18, 1877, he signed, together with Mr. C. D. Cory, the first contract entered into with Prof. Bell, the inventor, for the first telephone line in Canada. That line connected the houses of T. C. Mewburn, Main street west; C. D. Cory, Jackson street west, and Mr. Baker, Herkimer street, and when it was installed Jackson street west, and Mr. Baker. Her-kimer street, and when it was installed three Professors Bell. Alexander Melville Bell. Graham Bell and a nephew, also a professor, came here to test it. They were the first three phones on one line— and it was a great achievement. Mr. Baker and Mr. Thomas H. Wadland made their own switchboard and appli-ances, and crude they were, but filled an important place in telephone develop-ment. street.
McInnes, Alex., house John street McLellan, D., house, Herkimer street.
McMenemy, A., chief of police, house,
Barton street east.
O'Reilly, E., Mayor, house Catharine
street south.
Osler, B. B., house, Hannah street
east.

In November, 1878, one year later, the District Telegraph Company was organized, with Mr. Hugh C. Baker as president; Mr. George Black as vice-president, and Mr. Thomas H. Wadland as manager. It started with 80 subscribers, who had old fashioned call boxes in their places, The original 3st is still in Mr. Baker's possession. Here is a copy of it, together with the instructions: In November, 1878, one year later, the

### DISTRICT TELEGRAPH CO.

List of Telephone Subscribers Connected With the Central Office

Any subscriber can be placed in con-nection with any other subscribed by calling to Central Office.

American Hotel, F. W. Bearman, King street east.
Sewell, H. W., store, James street Sinclair, J. S., County Court Judge, Anderson, A. A., house, Wilson street.
Anderson, J. H., store, King street west.
Baker, Hugh C., house, Herkimer house, Main street west.

Spectator Printing Co., office, Market

Baker, Hugh C., office, Main street Balfour, James, house, Hannah street

Barnes & Haskins, wine vaults, James treet north.

Bickley, F. P., house, head of John Broughton, F. house, Cannon street

Brown, Adam, house Herkimer street.
Cahill, James, Police Magistrate,
house, King street east.
Canada Life Assurance Co., manager's
office, Canada Life buildings.
Canada Fire and Marine Insurance
Co., office, Canada Life buildings.
Cameron, H. D., house, Emerald street
south.

Campbell, William and Sons, potteries, Main street west. Charlton, B. E., office, Wellington street north Cory, Chas. D., house, Jackson street

Crerar, John, house East avenue Crerar & Muir, office, King street Duncan, Robert, house, Charles street.

Eastwood, John, house, East Hamil-Evans, Robert, house, Charles street. Evans, Robert, store, Market Square Ewing, Mrs., house, Bay street south Farmers' Dairy Co., W. G. Walton

rn Hotel, George Cook, York

Agent, Vine street. Findlay, W. F., house, James street Gates, F. W., house, Herkimer street. Garland & Rutherford, store, King

Gillard, W. H., house, Concession Glassco, J. T., house, Hess street

south.

Great Western Railway, General Manager's office, Stuart street.

Great Western Railway, Superintendent's office, Station buildings.

Great Western Railway, Locomotive Superintendent's office, G. W. R. buildings.

igs. Great Western Railway, Chief Engieer's office, Stuart street. Great Western Railway, Tel. Station,

Station buildings.
Gurney, E. & C., office and foundry Gurneys & Ware, office and factory James street north.

Hamilton Gas Light Co., Mulberry

London, Dec. 9.—The British Postoffice Department announced to-day
that it had concluded a money transfer
agreement with the Western Union
Telegraph Company, through which that
company would be permitted to make
cable transfers of money between its
offices in the United States and points
in Great Britain and Ireland, where the
orders will be cashed through the postal
denartment. Hamilton Glass Works, Hughson street department. Hamilton & North-Western Railway Hamilton & North-Western Railway, ecretary's office, Main street east. Hamilton & North-Western Railway, uperintendent's office, Ferguson ave-Munich, Dec. 9.—The death of Hermann Kaulbach, the German artist, is announced. He was born in this city in 1846.

me. Hamilton Provident & Loan Society, office, King street east.

Deputy Sheriff Killed Serving Hurrying Towards the Earth With Divorce Papers.

### Murderer Killed Through a Closet Becoming Visible at Northampton Deer.

Kansas City, Kan., Dec. 9.—The atempt of Charles H. Lukens, a deputy sheriff, to serve papers in a divorce suit on Charles Galloway, a business man, last night, led to the killing in a street of Lukens, the mortal wounding of Gal-loway and the serious shooting of Harry Anderson, a detective.

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Accompanied by William Drew, city marshal of Rosedale, Kansas, Lukens attempted to serve the papers on Galloway in the street. Galloway ran, and the officers pursued him. Lukens shot at the fleeing man and he returned the fire, killing Lukens. Drew fired at Galloway, but the latter escaped.

Sheriff Albert Becker, of Wyandotte county, then organized an armed party. nue south. Lancefield, R. T., Library and store, James street north. Laidlaw, Wm., house, Main street Laidlaw & Patterson, office, James

street south.

Lees, Thomas, store, James street north. Sheriff Albert Becker, of Wyandotte county, then organized an armed party. Galloway was found barricaded in the house of J. E. Creason, his business partner, in Kansas City, Mo. When officers forced an entrance to the house Galloway shut himself in a closet, and, firing through the door, shot Detective Anderson through the arm. The officers fired through the door, and Galloway fell, shot through the stomach. He died in the hospital a few hours later.

Murton & Reid, dock, foot of John His Resignation Said to be Demand ed by U. S. Government.

PRES. ZELAYA.

Caught Fighting. London, Dec. 9.-The United States Government has demanded formally the resignation of President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, according to a cablegram from Nicaragua received by a business house here to-day. The message adds that this information was communicated by

Orders to Shoot Every American

east.
Papps, Geo. S., house, Robinson street.
Patterson, George, house, MacNab
street south.
Police department, chief's office, City
Hall station. Zelaya himself, who said that his resig-nation from the Presidency would take effect probably at the end of December. Police department, station, King Wil-iam street.
Police department, station, Stuart DEATH TO AMERICANS.

DEATH TO AMERICANS.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 9.—A cable to the Picayune from Panama says:

Death to Americans," is the order issued to the army by President Zelaya. Positive information was received here to-day that more than a month ago Zelaya issued instructions to his military commanders to shoot every American caught fighting in the army of the revolutionists. Some of Zelaya's military officers protested against this order, and warned him that trouble with the United States would result.

There are now four American warships in the Corinto harbor,

The Vicksburg will probably come from Corinto to Panama to replenish her fuel supply.

### fuel supply. REDUCED RATE.

### British Budget Bid Not Affect Bank of England.

Stuart & Macpherson, office, King street east.

Times Printing Company, office, Hughson street north.

Turner, Jas., house, Concession street.

Turner, Jas., & Co., office, Hughson street south.

Vincent, A., & Co., drug store, James street north.

Watts, J. A., house, West avenue south. London, Dec. 9 .- The Governors of the white, Thos., M. D., house, Cannon Bank of England to-day reduced the street west. Young, Mrs. John, house, John street minimum rate of discount from 5 to 41-2

per cent. The Governors apparently had some difficulty in reaching a decision, as the meeting was longer than usual. That the bank maintained the 5 per cent. rate for some weeks against the open market rate of 4 per cent. or lower was attributed to a desire to ascertain the full effect of the political crisis, but

no material change followed the throw-ing out of the budget, so the directors concluded that the reserve, which is higher to-day than a year ago, at which time the rate was only 21-2 per cent., is sufficiently strong to justify them in re lieving trade of the abnormal rate instituted to attract gold here after the depletion of the reserve last October.

The change in the rate had little effect
on the Stock Exchange. Consols were
steady at the opening, but declined S-16

### ELECTION AND PRESENTATION.

The members of Court Canada, Canadian Foresters, turned out in large numbers last night to elect their officers for 1910. Bro. George Willcock, C. R., requested Brothers W. Noble, A. Battram and N. G. Johnston, of Court Lindley to set as taller and servitinees and ram and N. G. Johnston, of Court Lind-ley, to act as taller and scrutineers, and they kindly consented. The following officers were elected: George Willcock, J. P. C. R.; Herb. Smith, C. R.; J. W. Miljure, V. C. R.; Geo. O. Elder, R. S.; G. B. Rittenberg, F. S.; David Fraser, Treasurer; L. E. Ellsworth, Chaplain; John McVittie, S. W.; Charles Butter-worth, J. W.; J. W. Gibert, S. B.; J. Omand, J. B.; Dr. A. E. Hilker, Physi-cian; D. J. Horning, Auditor; J. W. Har-per, J. H. Robinson and W. R. Feast, Trustees.

The most pleasing feature of the even-

The most pleasing feature of the even ing was the presentation of a gold locket to Bro. John McVittie, showing the ap-preciation of the Court of his splendid work as Senior Woodward. The presentation was made by James Gadsby, D. D. H. C. R., in a very happy manner.

When some people cast their bread on the water they expect it to come back to them in the form of a ham sandwich.

### TWO MEN SHOT. HALLEY'S COMET

the Greatest Velocity.

## Mass., in Small Telescope.

New York, Dec. 9 .- With enorm and unimaginable velocity Halley's come has combined ever since its rediscover on September 11 to speed earthward up til its visibility has greatly increased to telescopic eyes. Harvard College Observatory has issued a bulletin, stating that a telegram from Smith College Observatory, Northampton, Mass. reports that the comet was visible there on December

the comet was visible there on December 4 in a three-inch telescope.

Some idea of the rapidity with which it has been speeding toward the earth may be gathered from a comparison of the Northampton observations with other parameters when the property of the Northampton wade in Soutember as may be gathered from a comparison of the Northampton observations with other observations made in September and October. When it was first detected, by photography by Professor Max Wolff, nearly three months ago, it was scarcely visible in any but the largest telescopes. Photographs showing the approach of the famous comet to the northern limits of Orion were obtained at the Greenwich Observatory with a 3.0 inch reflector on September 9, but the cometary images were so faint that they were not identified until after the receipts of the telegram announcing the discovery by Professor Wolff at Heidelberg.

Several weeks elapsed before it became bright enough to be visible with a twelve-inch telescope. Professor Newall reported to the London Times that he observed the comet visually with a twenty-five-inch refractor on October 21, as Professer Barnard at the Yerkes Observatory had done on October 17 and 21, by the sid of the great forty-inch telescope.

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As then seen with this powerful instrument of Yerkes Observatory, Professor Barnard found the comet not fainter than the 13½ magnitude, having an indefinite brightness in the middle, but showing no elongation. Its computed distance from the earth in mid-October was two hundred and thirty million miles, and its rate of motion exceeding two million miles per day.

While its subsequent velocity may have varied considerably, its approach to the earth has been constant and exceedingly rapid. And there can, therefore, be no doubt that as the winter advances it will become a notably bright object of intense interest to all star gazers.

gazers.

Although there has not been entire

agreement in the computations of the comet's orbit made by different astrono-mers, the orbit computed by Messrs. Cowell and Crommelin at Greenwich Obcoven and Crommein at Greenwich Observatory is probably a very near approximation to accuracy. Upon the basis of the Greenwich orbit the Rev. Father George M. Searle, supervisor of the Paulist Fathers, of New York city, has calculated it will make its nearest approach to the earth on May 18, and that it will then be only fourteen mil-lion miles distant from us.

### THE SWITCHMEN

### Strike at a Standstill at St. Pan --- To See Gompers.

St. Paul. Minn., Dec. 9 .- The switchmen's strike in the Twin Cities is practically at a standstill. The strikers contically at a standstill. The strikers continue to insist that they have the traffic of the railroads tied up, while the railroad officials are equally earnest in declaring they are gaining every day.

The extreme cold weather will undoubtedly handicap the railroads, and will make the work of the new switchmen more difficult.

men more difficult. men more difficult.

President Hawley, of the Switchmen's
Union, left last night for Cincinnati,
where he will hold a conference with
President Gompers, of the American
Federation of Labor, to learn definitely

### just what kind of support the switch men will get from the American Feder STATUS OF CRETE.

### Powers Refuse Turkey's Request For Information.

London, Dec. 9.-The reply of the protecting powers, Great Britain, Russia, France and Italy, to Turkey's re quest for a definite settlement of the status of Crete, is a polite negative. Identical notes were handed to the Turkish ambassadors at the respective capi-tals to-day, stating that the moment was inopportune 54: negotiations on the subject, as they migut arouse dangerous excitement in Turkey and elsewhere, and lead to serious complications with the powers.

### Sure of Himself.

"I'll give yot, a position as clerk to start with," said the merchant, "and pay you what you are worth. Is that setisfactory?"
"Oh! perfectly." replied the college

graduate, "but er-do you think the firm can offard it?"-Catholic Standard and Times.

# The Same Thing. Subbubs—The barber always talks while he cuts my hair. Mrs. Subbubs—Well, you use considerable language when you cut the grass.—Harper's Bazar.

When a woman has good meals for the family it's a sign she has much more poetry.—New York Press.

The Times readers are the buyers of Hamilton. Advertisers, do you see the point?

## THE HAMILTON TIMES

THURSDAY, DEC. 9, 1909

### COOK CHARGED WITH FRAUD.

The publication of the affidavits of a New York insurance man and a sea cap-tain who swear that for a money con sideration they entered into an agree ment with Dr. Frederick A. Cook to other observations to be used in supporting his claim to have discovered the north pole will not strengthen public claims. The story of the two men, as ing Cook's statements have been view ed with suspicion by many men compe tent to form an opinion on the subject and Commander Peary, who has ceased to declare him to be a fakir, has always contended that his alleged "ob ervations" could have been fabricated anywhere and at any time, and that his xposure was sure to come. However, the matter may stand, Cook and thos operating with him have worked the public for a very large sum of money The explorer's sudden disappearance of the eve of the submission of his "re cords" to the Copenhagen University created some sensation, and the disclos alleged conspiracy to swindle the public, may help to explain not only Cook's dis appearance, but many other peculiar e features of his story.

### GET THE PERSPECTIVE.

It would be very unwise for any Canadian reader to estimate the popular hostility to Lloyd-George's budget by landlords. It would be equally unwise to assume that the aristocratic chamher of the legislature is candid in rejecting the budget on the plea that it involves a principle not discussed or understood by the masses of the people the taxation of land values. Far from that being the case, the subject is one that has, to the alarm of the lords, been engaging the attention of the people for a good many years. The very small to tal of the land tax as compared with not escaped the eves of the burdeneed taxpayers, and the fact that while all the other sources of revenue have inactually decreasing, has not failed to have an effect on public feeling.

The total revenue for 1897-8 was £102, 758,479; for 1907-8 it was £137, 317,044. In the decade the income tax increased £15,130,000. That is an increase of more than 87 per cent. In the same time house duty increased about

And how was it with land taxes? Always exceedingly small, that item had actually decreased from £940,000 in 1897-8 to £730,000 in 1997-8, a trifle of \$210,000, or about 22.34 per cent. And enne receipts which shows decrease, al creased enormously.

It was impossible that such an anon aly should be overlooked by the highly taxed masses. And it was not overlook ed. In the Financial Reform Year Book the matter was approached boldly, as it has for years been approached from hundreds of platforms. We quote:

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There is an énormous field for revenue in the future from the taxation of land values. That value is different from anything else; it is purely of social creation. Take away the people and you at once take away the value of the land; increase the population and the value of the land increases also. This tax, being levied upon the value of the fand, would bear very lightly, as it tax, being levied upon the value of the land, would bear very lightly, as it ought, upon the rural districts, where land is not very valuable; and would hear heavily upon the densely populat-ed districts, where the landowners could rell afford to pay it.

is that feature of the budget-the provision that a small portion only of this value which the public and not the landof the public, still allowing the landlord to put into his own pocket all the rest 5 to which the lords object and propose to stake their privileges upon the issue. Of course, they hope to raise other cries to mislead the public, but the real fight is against society taking for its own use part of the value which society adds to the land without any expenditure of money or effort on the part of the

The class character of the struggle is striking. Consider that of the 77,684,000 acres of the United Kingdom a handful of Dukes, Marquises, Earls, Vis and Barons claim to own 12,573,000 acres, or 16 per cent. The showing would be even more remarkable, but many refuse to give information as to the acre 10age which they own, Perhaps it would be a modest estimate to place at 25 cent. the area of the country owned by the peers. Misguided, we may well understand their motive in fighting the in detail the known holdings of the five

Title es (23 out of 28, 5 miss 3,738,185 Earls (147 out of 213, 66 miss

Viscounts (32 out of 67, 35 456,801

. 12,573,570 It is not unnatural that the men who live in fatness and idleness on the pro ceeds of the toil of others exerted on been gradually appropriated without legal authority from the common peo-

idea that Jack is as good as his master tract in January. It will unroll a ne has been making great headway in the portion of the map. United Kingdom in recent years. The economic schoolmaster has been abroad, and the Caste and Privilege m meet the demand for Equality of Rights before the Law with other arguments than those which their champions have

### MR. HUGH C. BAKER.

Hamiltonians will learn with surprise manager of the Bell Telephone Company in this city, is to retire from the position which he has occupied, and in which he has gained so much popularity, for nearly 30 years. Our people ally respect and esteem Mr. Baker for his many good qualities of head and heart, and telephone users in particular will feel that losing him is like parting with an old friend. Mr. Baker has the genius, not always possessed by the managers of public service companies, of impressing those with whom business brings him in contact, as being eminently just and considerate. His devotion prevented him from "putting himself in the other fellow's place." His theory of the management of public services squared by the Golden Rule; and Mr. Baker's success proves the wisdom of so shaping business policy. He served well the company, and at the same time, won the regard of its patrons and the

ers of telephony in Canada. He was the owner of the first public telephone exchange in the country, the one opened in Hantilton, and to which fuller reference is made elsewhere. Among his other activities it may be noted that he was the builder of Hamilton's original street unilway. In private and social life Mr. Baker has a very wide circle of friends who esteem him for his many admirable personal qualities. It will be pleasing to them to know that although Mr. Baker is resigning the managership of the company, he will still retain his conection with it as special agent, and that it will continue to have the benefit of his ability and experience. He will the Times joins with a host of friends in wishing him health and happiness in his retirement.

### BANK OF MONTREAL.

The report made to the shareholders of the Bank of Montreal at their 92nd annual meeting held in Montreal on factory progress during the year. In his address, Sir Edward Clouston, gengral manager, gave a review of the ousiness situation in the country graphitrade from the depression of two years ago, the immense growth of the Northwest, the remarkable development of railway building, the inrush of select immigrants, and the gratifying expansion of our foreign trade. All these went indicate good times ahead for Canada. The Bank of Montreal has enjoyed a good year. The profits of the past year's business were \$1,826,167, of which \$1,440,000 was distributed in dividends, leaving \$326,000 to be carried forward to the credit of profit and loss. Considering that for a part of the year erately active, this is certainly a magnificent showing. The Bank of Montreal is one of the world's greatest financial institutions. With a capital stock of \$14,400,000, and a total of \$12,603,796 in rest, and profits carried forward, it's solidity is world-famed. Its total assets amount to \$220,000,000. Its deposits, \$168,000,000, and its discounts and advances to the public \$168,000,000. The importance of such an institution to our country is great. The Times congra-tulates the management on the splendid

### EDITORIAL NOTES.

Magistrate Houston, of Chatham, by-law. It would certainly tend to le sen the dog evil from which Chatham seems to be suffering.

But probably after the newspaper men and city officials get done planning railway stations for the Grand Trunk, C. P. R. and C. N. R., the railway men them-

Is the Herald to be disappointed again? Will Ald. Wright too funk the job of running as Hydromaniac Instrument of Vengeance against Mayor Mc-Laren? Why not offer a reward for can

Cook's records are to be submitted to "a rigid examination" at Copenhagen. And what of it? Cook insisted on having a long time to prepare "records for subreal records made on his exploration prepared in New York as in the Arctic.

Whitney professes to regard the Tory victory in North Middlesex as evidence that the people are willing to trust him without an opposition. How he must have laughed in his sleeve as he that and thought of the rate at which was doubling up the Government levy upon the people, and encroaching on the liberties of the citizens!

The Alberta & Great Waterways, Railands—a large area of which has gradually appropriated without authority from the common pectorial dialike the idea of paying Athabasca and Mackenzie Rivers with

taxes on land values. But granting that, it is still to be doubted that their course cess to the Arctic and Pacific Oceans, is wise as a mere matter of tactics. The road is expected to be under con-

The Times takes pleasure in reproducing from the Victoria Colonist an appre ciative article upon the elevation Messrs, Justices Martin and Irving, formerly of the Supreme Court Bench of British Columbia, to the new and higher Court of Appeal, recently constituted by particularly pleasing to our both gentlemen being former Hamilton the confidence of their fellow citizen and given excellent service to the very popular in British Columbia

The Attorney-General of the State of New York has taken action against the \$33,000,000 Milk Trust that is taxing the people of the State and holding up the milk producers. The Trust pays far mers about 31/2 cents a quart for milk which it sells at 9 cents and upwards It is proposed to bring criminal action against 90 known members of the Trust or penalties amounting to \$450,000.

President Taft's recommendations ongress on the injunction question would remove much of the evil complained of. The injunction has its proper uses, but it was never intended that should supersede the law. Of course, if a man sets out to violate the law, or to commit an offence that cannot be compensated for by him if held responsible, he deserves no consideration Taft's proposals seem reasonable.

Speaking of Poet Watson's shameful nduct in attacking Mrs. Asquith and her daughter, Rev. Dr. Aked, of New

"There is one faint gleam of hope that it may not be as disgraceful as it seems. This may be insanity; undoubtedly it looks like it.

"One of the phenomena of brain disease is a belief that the world is eigaged in a conspiracy against oneself. If Mr. Watson is a victim, then our old admiration for him, our love for him will.

iration for him, our love for him, will Ye us to a deeper sympathy for him. I would rather think of him as dead, with glorious achievements upon his re ords and honor unstained, than to know im for what he appears to be to-day-spiteful gossip, a fool and a cad."

A recent inquiry into the consumption that there has since 1885 been a large increase in the per capita consumption of raw cotton, coal, wool, pig iron and wheat. The increase has been specially marked in the first four items. Commenting on it, the London Economist says This table affords evidence that the consumption of the four leading industrial materials used in this country has at least kept pace with the increasing population, and in two cases has grown even more rapidly. The discovery and development of vast iron and coal resources in Germany and the United States has been the chief industrial fea ture of the closing years of the nine competing sources we have maintained position which we acquired when England monopolized the world's iron and coal trades."

The Hydro-Electric agents in the ouncil are in a dilemma. The Commission's "experts," a short time ago, to forward their cause ridiculed the arguments advanced for the stepping down of the 13,200-volt current, and professed o regard it as better practice to use it at that tension than at a lower voltage. made and it is no longer necessary in the interest of the conspiracy to fool the people, the Hydro aldermen hardly know what attitude to assume as to the installation of transformers. All good electrical engineers agree that a lower reconcile that admission with their form. r contentions puzzles them.

"Oh, what a tangled web we weave When first we practice to deceive!" But they should not think they will lose cast by letting the city take the transformers and making the best of a bad wants that city to copy Hamilton's dog | job. The people know them well en-

### Our Exchanges

TIME FOR INTERVENTION. (New York Sun.)

Kicker-Before he was married he callher his queen. Bocker—Now he says she is a ruler of South American republic

DON'T WANT IT. (Toronto Telegram.)

Central Prison is not going to be tablished near Hamilton whose last chance of being a really big place is thus knocked into the heretofore. THE REAL LURE

English Girl-You American girls have

not such healthy complexions as we have. I cannot understand why our no en take a fancy to your white faces, nerican Girl—It isn't our white s that attract them, my dear; it's greenbacks.

Puck.
State Investigator—They say there has been gross mismanagement here.
Office Boy—It's a he! Just wait till the superintendent gets over his drunk and the manager comes back from his two months' fishing trip, they'll tell you whether this asylum's being run right or

WHITE SLAVES.

white slave trade President Taft out-lines a course which should be adopted by every civilized nation. Joint interna-tional action undertaken with adequate energy and determination should go far to remove a foul blot on civilization.

A GOOD SCHEME. (Louisville Courier-Journal.) "All the pedestrians seem to stop

your store."
"Oh, I manage to interest 'em."
"What's your idea?"
"I have a thermometer that registers four degrees higher in summer and six degrees lower in winter than any other thermometer in town."

THE THREE-FIFTHS. (Brantford Expositor.)

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The fact that it may require 800 of a majority of the votes polled to put local option into force in this city is a striking illustration of the unfairness of the three-fifths handicap. It exists, however, and it will, therefore, be necessary for the supporters of the measure to see that the very last possible vote in its favor is cast.

TROUBLES OF THE ANCIENTS. (Chicago Tribune.)

Penelope was bewailing the protracted bsence of Ulysses.
"I might as well be the wife of a com-

mercial traveller," she said, "and be done with it!"

Scorning to avail herself of an easy divorce, she plunged deeper than ever into the pages of the Ladies' Home Journal for consolation.

FARMERS WHO TRAVEL.

(Toronto Star.)

The other day a writer on the Starhad the privilege of attending a Farmers' Institute meeting not one of the kind recognized by authority but just an informal gathering of farmers mainly young men. They talked over all sorts of things connected with farming. What's the use of growing rye? Should a man hired for harvesting in the west be expected to do chores?' If hired regularly by the month should he travel with a thresher without receiving the higher wages paid to threshers? Why do cattle raisers in the west dread the balmy chinook winds? These and other questions were argued out in a free apd easy way but logically and forcibly and evidently upon a basis of personal experience.

The members of the Mosquito Club honored Jamie Dickson, on Monday evening, by giving him an oyster supper on his return from the west.

A young men's club has been organized in connection with Knox Church, which promises to be a very successful affair. The club will meet monthly.

E. Builder was an attendant at the winter fair at Guelph vesterday.

Inspector Sullivan paid an official visit to St. Augustine's separate school on Monday.

The Woman's Aid Society of St. James' Church will hold their annual sale of work on Thursday, December 16, afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Broadbent removed to Toronto last week. They will be very much missed here by a large circle of friends.

The membership competition of the Y.

M. C. A. which has been running for intirty days, ended on Saturday last, the Whites winning out by two points. The membership did not quite reach the 300 mark.

Try Thi: on Your Friend. Ask a friend to put a quarter in one pocket and a dime in the opposite pocket. Tell him that the quarter represents 20 and the dime 5. Now ask

pocket. Tell him that the quarter represents 20 and the dime 5. Now ask him to triple the coin that is in his right pocket and double that which is in his left through the result is odd or even. If it be even then the quarter is in his right pocket and the dime in his left. You may give any values to the

### DUNDAS.

Dog By-law Repealed --- Local and Personal News.

Dundas, Dec. 9.—Among recent visitors in town were Mrs. F. Ellis, St. George; J. Duggan, Stratford; W. G. Whitside, Stratford; Mrs. A. M. Morrison and Miss Stewart, Markham; Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lunn, Port Arthur; Roy

The proclamation prohibiting dogs running at large has been annulled by Mayor Lawrason. This will be welcome news to canine owners.

Next Sunday morning in Knox Church Rev. S. H. Gräy will preach on local option, of which he is an ardent advocate.

cate.

Miss Ruth Forrest has resumed he duties in the office of Grafton & Co. after a long illness with rheumatism.

The membership competition of the Y. M. C. A. which has been running for thirty days, ended on Saturday last, the Whites winning out by two points. The membership did not quite reach the 300 mark.

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H. E. Irwin, K. C., of Toronto, will address a public meeting in the town hall on Sunday evening, Dec. 28th, in the interests of local option. Several other meetings will be held at an early date.

FRIDAY December 10, 1909 SHEA'S ST.55 CORSETS FOR 49c

# **Buy Your Christmas**

# Gifts on Bargain Day

Good dependable garments, piece goods and notions on sale at less than wholesale prices. some half price.

Women's and Misses' Coats at \$6.95, Worth \$10.00 Full \$10.00 values, semi and fitted backs; good long lengths; splendid range of colors.

Women's Suits \$6.95, Worth \$12.50

Navy and black, all sizes, worth \$10.00 and \$12.50; splendid cloths

Girls' Coats Less Than 1/2 Beautiful warm cloths, dark colors and light colors, at sweeping reductions; 3 to 16

\$3.00 Coats for \$1.50

\$4.00 Coats for \$2.00 \$6.00 Coats for \$2.95

Women's Skirt Bargains Every one well made and perfect in every way; beautiful materials.

\$3.00 Skirts for \$1.48 \$4.00 Skirts for \$1.95

\$5.95 Skirts for \$3.95 Women's Taffeta Silk Waists at \$1.95, Worth \$3.50

Oddments, various styles and samples, all black, value \$3.50 to \$4.00 Women's Net Waists at \$1.50, Worth \$3.00

White and ecru, well made and perfect fitting garments, \$3.00 and Lawn Waists at 69c, Worth \$1.50 to \$2.00

Oddments and samples, slightly soiled, \$1.50 to \$2.00 values; all sizes. Lawn Waists at \$1.29. Worth \$2.00 and \$2.50

Beautiful Waists, richly trimmed, odd sizes, 38 to 44 only. You never bought better waists at \$2.00 or \$2.50.

Women's Warm Waists \$1.25, for 50c Some cashmere some cotton, \$1,00 and \$1.25 values. Good range Silk Underskirts \$5.00 to \$6.00, for \$3.29

Beautiful taffeta silk, all black and perfect goods, some samples, hardly used, not one worth less than \$5.00, some \$6.00 and \$6.50 values. Women's Underwear 49c, Worth 75c

Part wool, very fine quality, Vests and Drawers, natural color, full

Children's Underwear 19c, Worth 25c and 30c Vests and Drawers, oddments, natural color, all good warm garments, Children's Fur Ruffs \$1.39, Worth \$3.00 Beautiful long foxatine fur, white, grey and pink very full and rich dity. We put the value at \$3.00, but it's more; nice gifts.

Table Cloths at \$1.29. Pure Linen 66x84 beautiful pure linen damask, border all round, full \$2.00 value, t a Shea Friday linen bargain.

Kimona Cloths 121/2c, Value 18c and 25c Very fine, rich quality, light and dark colors, full 18 to 25c values. Mitts and Gloves for 50c, Worth 75c and \$1.00

A quantity of Women's, Boys' and Men's Mitts and Gloves, Mocha and kid, all lined, 75c to \$1.00 values. Boys' Warm Hose 19c, Worth 25c and 35c d, heavy Worsted and Cashmere Hose, for school wear,

Children's Dresses \$1.49, Worth \$2.50 Made of all-wool cashinere, in dark colors, nicely finished, and well made, worth \$2.50 and more. Infants' Eiderdown Coa 29c
ade with cape and nicely trimmed with cord, 1 to 3 years

2 Big Bargains in Toque and Sash Sets All-wool Sash, Toque and Mitts, loneycomb toque, \$1.25 value, for plain toque, worth \$1.00, for ... 30e

# **Seeded Raisins** Per Package 6c

orand, great, big value, while they last fic per package; not more than 5 t any one customer. Santa Claus brand Sceded Raisins, 3 packages 25c; Holly Brand Sultana Raisins, cleaned, very fine, 13c package, 2 for 25c; Sultana Raisins, in bulk, not so bright, but good stock, 4 lbs. for 25c; Valencia Raisins, finest quality selects, 4 lbs. for 25c. Money can not buy better Raisins Seedless Valencia Raisins, the coming favorite, 3 lbs. for 25c; Currants, recleaned Patras. See them, 3 lbs. for 25c. Table Raisins, fine, 20c Extra fancy Table Raisins, in 191b. boxes, the best fruit, in the hand-

### Peels, Nuts, Etc.

If quality counts, these should satisfy. They are best, Lemon and Orange Peel, per lb. 13c., 2 lbs. for 25c; Citron Peel, 20c per lb. Shelled Almonds, New Selected Nuts, per lb. 40c, worth 50c. Shelled Walnuts, finest, 35c, leing Sugar, best, pure, 316 lbs. for 25c; McLaren's leings, Maple, Chocolate Rose, Vanilla, 3 packages 25c; Flavoring Extracts, Almond, Rose, Pistachio, Raspberry, Lemon and Vanilla, per bottle, 10c.

Oranges, Lemons, Grapefruit

Florida Oranges, the best eating and the best value, ripe and sweet, 25c dozen, worth 40c; Mexican sweet Oranges, large, 20c per dozen, worth 30c; Mexicans, smaller, 12c per dozen, worth 20c; Lemons, finest new, large Messinas, 15c per dozen, worth 20c; Grape Fruit, this is specially nice and ex-

### Apricots, Figs, Dates, Etc.

Choice new California Apricots, per lb., 17c, worth 20c; California Peaches, per lb., 10c; Table Figs, 1 lb. package, full weight and all figs, 10c, worth 15c; Cooking Figs, fine, clean fruit, 6 lbs 25c; Teddy Bear Dates, 2 packages 15c; Farde Dates, per lb. 12c; Prancs, finest grade Santa Clara Fruit, 4 lbs. for 25c; larger size, 3 lbs 25c.

Five Roses to-day per bag \$3.15; per 1/2 bag \$1.60; per 1/4 bag, 80c; Lily White, per bag, \$2.65; per ½ bag, \$1.35; per ½ bag, 68c; Gold Medal Flour, per bag, \$2.75; per ½ bag, \$1.38 per ½ bag, 70c; Pure Buckwheat Flour, 7

lbs. 25c; Graham Flour, 7 lbs. 25c Rolled Oats, 7 lbs. ... ... 25c Rowat's Pickled Walnuts, bottle 10c Rolled Wheat, 7 lbs. ..... 25c Rowat's White Onions, btl. .. tio Powat's Mixed or Chow hill 25c Queen Quality Sweet Pickles, btl. Corn Meal & lbs. Cream of Wheat, per pkg. ... Hearts of Wheat, per pkg. . . . . . 15c Celery Relish, per btl. 25e Nation's Sauce, per btl. Triscuit, 2 pkgs. ... Malta Vita, 3 pkgs. Codou's Macaroni, 2 pkgs. 25c Heinz Catsun, btl. Pure Gold Puddings, 3 pkgs. ... Pure Gold Salad Dressing, 3 pkgs. Best White Sago, 4 lbs. . . . . . . Manzanilla Olives, large btl. 25c Celery Salt, btl, .... Best Rangoon Rice, 6 lbs. 25c Shaker Salt, pkg.

Clarified Sweet Cider, qt. 8c Corn Door Mats, each

Bulk Mincemeat, 3 lbs. 25c Spanish Otions, 7 lbs.

Mixed Sinces 2 courses Mixed Spices, 2 ounces ... ... 5c Yellow Danver Omons,

20 lbs. Crystal Granulated Sugar, \$1.00, 10 lbs, 50c, 5 lbs 25c. 19 lbs, best Granulated Sugar, \$1.00, 9½ lbs. 50c. 20 lb. bag best-Granulated \$1.05, 50 lb. bag \$2.50, 100 lb. bag \$4.95; 100 lb. bag No. 2 Granulated \$4.60; 20 lbs. Bright Yellow Sugar \$1.00, 10 lbs. 50c, 5 lbs. 25c,

### **Candies and Nuts**

Pure Candies, Royal Mixed, 9c lb., 3 lbs. 25c, Jumbo Gums, 9c lb., 3 lbs Mixed Creams, per lb. 10c. Peppermint, per lb. 10c. Chocolate Drops Walnuts, Almonds, Filberts and Brazils, per lb, 15c, Brazils alone, per lb, 17c

### Ginger Snaps Per Lb. 5c

Just five barrels of them, fresh from the bakery and going while they last per lb. 5c. Ginger Cookies, 3 lbs. 25c. Royal Mixed, 3 lbs. 25c. Vanilla Bar, 3 lbs. 25c. Home-made Lemon Cookies, 3 lbs. 25c. Fig Bars, 2 lbs. 25c Fresh Crisp Sodas, per lb. 9c. Royal Cream Sodas, 3 lb. box 25c. Weston' Cocoanut Macaroons, tin box 20c. Weston's Lady Fingers, tin box 20c. Weston's fancy assorted, tin box 25c. Water Ice Wafers, 30c lb.

### Can Goods

Old Church Corn, 3 tins 25c. Old Church Peas, 3 tins 25c. Vineland Tomatoes, 3 tins 25c. Delicatessin Tomatoes, per tin 12c. Beets, small tin, 9c, 3 tins 25c, large tin 11c. Golden Wax Beans, per tin 10c. Asparagus Tips, per tin 25c. Pumpkin, 3 tins 25c. Lombard Plums, tin 10c. Sliced Pincapple, 2 tins 25c. Raspberries, Strawberries or Peaches, per tin 15c

### **Butter, Eggs and Cheese**

1,000 pounds Fresh Dairy Roll Butter to be here Friday morning, and all ter to be choice. Dairy Butter, pound prints, per pound 28c. Choicest Fresl Creamery Butter, per pound 29c. Eggs, cold stored, but better than the aver age, every egg good, per dozen 30c. Prime New Cheese, per pound 15c. Rich Snappy June Cheese, per pound 17c. Cream Cheese, 19c pot for 8c, 25c po Best Pure Lard, pound 18c.

111 John Street South Cor. Emerald and Wilson Cor. James and Macauley STORES Cor. Queen and Hunter Cor. York and Caroline

### Burlington

Ven. Archdeacon Forneret, rector of Il Saints' Church, Hamilton, will preach St. Luke's Church on Thursday even

on Friday evening. Dec. 10, a sacred concert will be given in the Methodist Church under the auspices of the choir. The programme will be furnished by the St. Paul's Presbyterian Church choir of St. Paui's Presbyterian Church, Hamilton, under the leadership of Mr. Bruce A. Carey. The soloists are Mrs. LeRoy Grimes, Mrs. H. Weir, Mrs. J. H. Mullen. Mrs. George McKay, Mrs. J. Hall, Miss Piric, Miss Stella Sintzel, Miss Bartmann, Mr. Carey, Mr. Devine, and E. A. Bartmann, 'cellist. The Women's Institute will meet on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 in the Public Library.

An informal social evening, under the auspices of Burlington and District Publicity Association, will me held in Stratheona Hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 16.

distinct taps—a pause—fice but this time from a diffe-tion; then a dead silence. superstitious nurse hopelesse, raised her hands and shook her head. All now was of no avail. It was a warman had heard the death water.

"Two hours later the natint died."
Such a passage as this was common tough in the pages of now as not very long trees are

Such a passage as line was commode cooking in the pages of now is not very many years ago.

In carlier days the "death watch" was heard much more frequently than now; indeed, was quite a popular terror among the superstitions and ignorant, who believed in comens," "warning and such presages of future events. However, like most of the superstitions fancies of bygone days, this supposed prophetic and mysterious "angury," when investigated with ordinary scientific methods of observation, proves to be entirely fallacious and a delusion.

The "death watch" that produces the weird ticklings formerly so much feared is nothing more or less than a mischievous and destructive little bettle madly in love and very desirous of finding its mate. Thus is the fallack of our ancestors regarding this mystery dispelled.—Professor Ward in the December Strand.

Strand.

"The patient, after suffering long, had fallen into a deep sleep; and the nurse, in the still hours of the night, was, with auxious forchodings, critic 'lly watching her charge. Intently she istened to his weak and rregular breathing, and while she listened a wind ticking commenced. Fire gentle to take the standard and Times.

Strand.

"But do you think," asked the visitor in the local option town. "that prohibition really prevents?" "Well," watching her charge, intently she istened to wind ticking remained to the property of the proper

## **Amusements**

The recital hall of the Conservatory of Music was comfortably sfilled last evening to hear the Hamilton Ladies' String Orchestra, with Mrs. Margaret McCoy-Hamilton, Mrs. Aldons and Miss Kathleen Snider, give one of the most delightful concerts ever heard there. Since its last public performance the orchestra has gained in volume and tone quality, and it displayed excellent form last night. It played with a unity that brought forth exquisite results in every number. The bowing and expression of the individual members was excellent, and the tone was rich and sonorous, showing hard, conscientions work. Miss Jean Hunter, conductor, had it under perfect control at all times, and exhibited a grace in the motions of her hands that seemed to be reflected in the players.

hands that seemed to be reflected in the players.

"Letty Salad" gavotte, from the opera "Ptarmigan," by J. E. P. Aldous, a number which has not been heard by a Hamilton audience for many years, was given, and gave the orchestra ample opportunity for displaying its versatility, the movement was taken up by the different instruments in turn, and the variations were delightful, for which the audience warmly applanded it.

Mrs. Aldous played a solo on the harp, with orchestra accompaniment. Her playing had a dash of impetuosity that lent color to the number.

Miss Kathleen Saider gave a cornet

Miss Kathleen Snider gave a cornet solo, which was well rendered, and won insistent applause. All the members of the orchestra did excellent work, and the oncerted numbers were satisfying and

Admirers of Mrs. Margaret McCoy-Hamilton were doubly astonished and more than pleased at the success she achieved. Her work was a veritable tri-umph, and she was never heard to bet-ter advantage than last evening, when she sang, by request, Massenet's aria from "Heroiade." It was the first time that a Hamilton audience had the privi-lege of hearing the number, and in it every sweet and vibrant quality of her voice was brought into play with excel-lent effect. Another much care every sweet and vibrant quality of her voice was brought into play with excellent effect. Another number in which she won the hearts of her listeners was "Romanee," by O. K. Klemm.

During the evening Miss Jean Hunter was presented with a beautiful bouquet of reases.

The programme was: (a) Reverie, Tone Poem ... Roberts Pierne La Guitare ... Hasselman

Harp Solo Mrs. Aldous.
Song—Romance ... O. K. Klemm Mrs. Margaret McCov-Hamilton. Ases Tod and Anitras Dance ... Grieg (From Peer Gynt Suite.)

Miss Kathleen Snider.
(a) Hungarian Dance, No. 5 ..... Brahms

(c) I raumerei ... Schumann (c) Letty Salad Gavotte, from opera "Ptarmigan" ... J. E. P. Aldous Aria from "Heroiade" ... Massenet Mrs. Margaret McCoy-Hamilton. (a) Spring Song ... Manaleschen

Carmen Selection

The orchestra is composed as follows:
Miss Jean Hunter, Conductor.
First Violins-Miss, Jean Sutherland
(Principal), Miss Ethel Gallagher, Miss
Jean Findlay, Miss Ethel Clowes, Miss
Eva Earnard.

Second Violins—Mrs. Robt. Jex, Miss Gertrude Pettit, Miss R. Hopper, Miss

ertrude Pettit, Miss R. Hopper, Missean Pennington.
Harp—Mrs. J. E. P. Aldous.
Bass—Miss Gwendolyn Elmslie.
Traps—Miss Olive Balfour.
Viola—Miss Florence Nichols.
Celles—Miss Grace Pettit, Miss May

"HIS HONOR, THE BARBER."

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The attraction at the Grand to-morrow evening and Saturday afternoon and night will be "His Honor, the Barber," with S. H. Dudley, the negro comedian, in the stellar role, supported by the Smart Set Company. When it is understood that fifty people are employed in this company, and that all the songs, ensembles and other numbers were written and composed expressly for the production, a fair idea of the piece may be had. It is in three acts and seven scenes. There is said to be an excellent plot, and plenty of unique features and novelties. The fun is of the endurable, wholesome kind and the music of the catchy, jingling variety.

catchy, jingling variety. CAMBRIAN GLEE SINGERS.

The Cambrian National Glee Singers, will make their first appearance before a Hamilton audience at Association hall will make their first appearance before a Hamilton audience at Association hall this evening. They are said to be superior to any other organization of Weish singers. Several of the members have Mug. "There is plenty of room at the top," quoted the Wise Guy. "Not for all the people who think they singers. Several of the members have Mug.

al Eisteddfad of Wales, while another of the members has led the choir to victory on three occasions, in the chief choral competition, winning in prizes alone over \$5,000. Every member is a singer of wide repute. They have the talent and ability to successfully uphold the prestige of the Land of Song. The repertoire is very extensive, and a programme suitable for all classes of people will be rendered, sacred, dramatic, sentimental and humorous selections being included in their varied programme. A musical treat too good to be missed is promised.

BENNETT'S THEATRE.

The chief attraction next week at the Bennett Theatre will be the "Models of Jardin de Paris," Billie Burke's big act, which has scored a tremendous success this season. The title suggests a posing act, but instead, it is a breeay little musical comedy, introducing a host of new and original ideas. The company presenting it comprises about a dozen talented people, and is headed by Carroll Henry, one of vaudeville's beaknown comedians. The balance of the bill will be well varied and will include El Coto, xylphone virtuoso: Herbert Brenon, Helen Downing and company in their screamingly funny skit, "The 'Intruders," one of the season's big successes: Ethel Whitesides and her pickanninies: Jean Robb and company, Canada's own entertainers; Hanley and Jarvis, conversational comedians and the Three Ernests, comedy bar artists. BENNETT'S THEATRE.

vis, conversational comedians and three Erneets, comedy bar artists.

Clever sketches, wonderful acrobatic expert roller skating and bright a catchy musical novelties are featured this week's bill, which continues please large audiences. "THE ARRIVAL OF KITTY."

At popular prices, "The Arrival of Kitty" should attract a good sized audi-ence to the Grand on Friday evening of next week. The author has woven together a most entertaining comedy unflagging interest. It has a consistent plot that is new in its conception, and carried out in a most original style starts with a young man who attempts to practice a little deception and he weaves such a tangled net about him weaves such a tangled net about nim that his escape is almost beyond the comprehension of the spectator, and he is finally obliged to make a full and complete confession. Mr. Swartout suc-ceeds most admirably in riveting the complete contession. Mr. Swartout succeeds most admirably in riveting the attention of his audiences on the play, and he keeps them keyed up to the tension point right up to the fall of the final curtain. "The Arrival of Kitty" will be presented here by a most proficient company.

"GRAUSTARK" COMING.

"Graustark," produced by a first class company of players will be seen at the Grand next Saturday week. This is the organization that plays only the larger cities, and is going into Toronto for Christmas week.

CAPTURED LONDON.

London, Dec. S.—Maeterlinck's fairy play, "The Blue Bird," was presented at the Haymarket Theatre to-night. It was the most beautiful and artistic production London has seen for many years. The play is unquestionably one of the most delicate and most powerful prose poems ever conceived, a very Christmas carol of children's delight, but appealing with equal force to grown-ups. Fairies abound, but there is a host

appealing with equal force to grownups. Fairies abound, but there is a host
of impersonated animals, and the elements of materialisms. Such things as
milk, bread, sugar, water, fire and light
receive individual characterization.

"The Blue Bird," which represents happiness, is sought by two children in the
kingdoms of the present, the past and
the future. Each at length catches one,
but the birds die in their hands, although this not the denouement. The
piece is produced with wonderful realism and skill. The acting is excellent.
The play was received with tremendous
enthusiasm and it will doubtless prove
as attractive and as enduring as Peter
Pan."

MOTION PICTURES AT Y. M. C. A. MOTION PICTURES AT Y. M. C. A.

Two and one half hours of first class entertainment in Association Hall on Saturday, when the Carey Bros. will put on another popular programme, including the educational, sensational and ing the educational, sensational and comic, to suit all tastes. The management is paying the highest price for the newest pictures. Patrons can depend upon the best moving picture programme that can be secured. The patronage of ladies and children is especially solicited.

Gertrude E. Curtis, of Bradford, Pa. is the first colored woman dentist. She passed the final examination in the Col-lege of Dental Surgery in Philadelphia with high honors, and intends to begin active practice without delay. She be-lieves dentistry is one of the best professions for women and has encourage several colored girls to take up study.—Philadelphia Record.

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### GOLD FEVER.

Visit to the Porcupine Gold Country Up North.

Hardships of the Journey-Hot in New Ontario.

Dear Sir,-Some flee to Bermuda escape the winter's rigors. Some hie them to Florida, others to the Hot Springs of Virginia, but why, may I ask springs of virginia, but why, may I ask, has no one exploited New Ontario, as a winter resort. Here we are, on the 5th day of December, in the dreaded frigid north country, and for the last week the thermometer has risen daily to nearly 65 degrees. Overcoats are at a discount and whilst snowshoes and tobogyans are displayed in the stores, they look woefully out of season, staring at the middy streets in the glare of a summerlike sun. Of course, the merchants are lamenting the unseasonable weather and looking with mournful eyes at the undiminishing piles of winter clothing. But a time will come.

I have just returned from the muchaliked-of Porcupine country and am, of course, inoculated with the gold fever. It is something, so real and tangible, that free gold snowing out in the white quartz. Suiver, you and I might pass by every day and not know it, but gold, yellow shining gold staring you in the lace, you can't mistake, and some specimens I have handled make your mouth water.

We, Mr. E. L. West and myself, took has no one exploited New Ontario, as

mens I have handled make your mouth water.

We, Mr. E. L. West and myself, took the northbound train about two weeks ago as far as, milestone 228, and there our troubles began. The sudden transition from the brilliantly-lighted and comfortable car of the Cobait Special seemed to shut us off from civilization, although we were by no means "the only pebbles on that beach." Prospectors of every kind, the Seasoned veteran of the trail, and the green tenderfoot, with his brand new elknide boots and unstained Mackings, each with his pack tumbled. brand new elknide boots and unstained Mackinaw, each with his pack tumbled out, and away steamed the train, with her long string of lights, and we were left in darkness. Glad we were to find our good friend, Mr. H. M. Martin, peering around with a lantern to find us and escort us to the tent he had nitched a

our good friend, Mr. H. M. Martin, peering around with a lantern to find us and few hundred yards from the track.

It did not take us long to turn in, and next morning we breakfasted by candle light and daybreak found us with our camp struck and ready for our long tramp. Of course, some old hands make the whole trip of thirty odd miles in one day, but we were all soft and in no great rush. West and Martin were only on a trip of inspection to see for themselves the valuable claims that they have recently acquired, and I just tagged along to see the sights. The others were all haste lest the next man should nin in and stake "just the very little bit" he wanted, and so they soon left us behind. However, there was no mistaking the road, and we plodded on, trying all the while to adjust our heavy packs, to comfort on our unaccustomed shoulders. A d.—. I mean an iron trying pan handle would strik into my left shoulder, but at last I got it straightened out, but by the time I had done so the sun had got enough strength to soften the frozen mud and then you didn't walk, you "slithered." (Turn up Webster, Mr. Editor. By noon I swear there were a fell coarter, section on each bood seen. walk, you "slithered." (Turn up Web-ster, Mr. Editor. By noon I swear there was a full quarter section on each noot of the stickiest mud and the perspira-tion was streaming down our faces. But before 4 o'clock the nip of the evening air was felt, and we were glad enough to larm from a returning prospector that air was felt, and we were gate choose to learn from a returning prospector that we were only about half a mile from Frederickhouse Lake, where we proposed to camp. This lake is only about seven miles long and perhaps four miles wide, but it has earned an evil name with prospecting parties, and has, with the next lake, Night Hawk, claimed more victims than I should care to reckon. victims than I should care to reckon. when the canoe route was open it was no uncommon thing for parties to be held up for three or four days watching the big waves thrash the shore at Jack-pine point. Gradually as the dismal re-putation of the two lakes became putation of the two lakes became known, wary prospectors played Indian and hugged the shores. The next day was a repetition of the first, firm walking until 10 a.m., and then greasy trudging and we were by no means sorry to sight the camping ground at Porcupine Lake. At 5 a.m. that day 1 could have bought Martin's claims for thirty cents, if I would have let him sleep.

thirty cents, it would solve the same and there a sort of dyke rising out and this is the famous Porcupine. Porcupine Lake is a pretty little stretch, but the surrounding country is just a monotomous low-lying swamp, and were it not for the scattered camps it would be hard to believe that you were in the model country.

hard to believe that you were in the gold country.

The story goes that the way the place got its name is this. Before the country attained any celebrity two pioneers were looking over a veteran claim vhen they came on the home of a porcupine. One of them stuck his pick in the hole and ripped back the moss covering und disclosed a vein of quartz showing free gold. And so the Porcupine it was called. The Wilson Dyke is of course the main object of interest. It rises holdly out of the surrounding swamp and for 66 feet across runs a vein of white and milky quartz, and in the quartz free gold, absolutely dazzling. It was on the Bannerman claim the first gold was discovered, and these claims I learn since

my return have been sold for a large figure.

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On the Hollinger claims a vein has been stripped for five-eighths of a mite and free gold found at many points along the dyke. There is also a sate reported on the property, but not yet confirmed. A figure of over \$300,000 is mentioned. Without a doubt there is gold in abundance, and there seems every prospect of a great future for the camp. I should have much liked to have spent a few days looking over the claims in the Forest Reserve, but as my friends were returning as soon as possible, I were returning as soon as possible, had to leave without an opportunity o staking anything for myself. The return rip was much a repetition of the jour-ney in, except that my companions would make no task of sales except in thousands, and talked glibly of journeys to England, steam yachts, race could only regret lost opportuni-

ties.

It was good to get back to the old Vendome Hotel, at Haileybury, and enjoy a tub and a good meal. Its comforts, and without doubt it is the most comfortable hotel north of North Bay, were magnified by comparison and mine host Egan has the happy knack of making you feel that you are the on man in the whole north country that he is catering for, and that nothing is too good for you.

for you.

I have yet to learn and report on the doings in the Cobalt camp lately, but I have heard of nothing very startling since my return. \*But I shall learn things when I get out and around, airing my new-found experience and knowledge, and I hope at an early date to and I hope at an early date to you some items of more than pass ing interest. Yours truly,

### DRIVEN INTO THE STREETS

Three Hundred Guests Flee From Kalamazoo Hetel.

One Life Lost and Firemen Overcome by Smoke.

Million Dollar's Worth of Property Burned Up.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Dec. 9. One life was probably lost, many firemen were overcome by smoke, 300 hotel guests were driven, scantily clad, into the icy streets and property valued at approximately one millions dollars was destroyed by a fire which started

proximately one millions dollars was destroyed by a fire which started here at 10 o'clock last night and was only extinguished after an all night struggle by the combined fire fighting forces of Kalamazoo. Battle Creek and Grand Rapids.

Starting in the basement of the Star Bargain House, a five and ten cent store at No. 188 West Main street, the flames, fanned by a strong southwest wind, spread eastward along the north side of Main street, totally destroyed the Burdich House, a fine four-storey hotel and store building, covering more than half a city block, and burning out a dozen stores and offices on Main street.

While the flames were raging in the hotel a man suddenly appeared at an upper window and cried for help. Before a ladder could be put in position to rescue him, he disappeared and it is believed he perished in the fire.

To the low pressure in the water mains the great extent of the fire can principally be attributed.

The Battle Creek firemen appeared on the scene at 2 a. m., but owing to lack of water were of little service. The Grand Rapids firemen arrived at 6 o'clock and joined in the attack. The temperature was about 10 degrees above zero and the fire-fighters suffered severely from exposure.

ONE MAN KILLED.

Youngstown, Ohio, Dec. 9.—One

ONE MAN KILLED.

Youngstown, Ohio, Dec. 9.—One man was killed, another is missing and four others were seriously injured early to-day in a fire which destroyed a boarding house here. The monetary loss is \$2,500. A man shouldn't magine himself to

be a great dictator just because he em ploys a stenographe

cheese or marmalade.

### HIGHER UP.

Two Former Hamilton Men Now Appeal Judges.

Justices Martin and Irving Honored in British Columbia.

The Victoria, B. C., Colonist of 30th November contains sketches of two of the Supreme Court Judges who have been elevated to the British Columbia Court of Appeals. They are Mr. Justice Martin and Mr. Justice Irving, both former Hamiltonians. Of Justice Martin

the Colonist says:

The Hon. Archer Evans Stringer Martin, who has been raised from the Supreme Court to the Court of Appeals, was born May 6, 1865, in Hamilton, Onc. He is the record of the Court of the Court of the Supreme Court of the Court of the Supreme Co He is the second son of Edward Martin, Q. C., D. C. L., of "Ballinahinch," Ham-Q. C., D. C. L., of "Ballinahinch," Hamitton, Ont., and great-grandson of Richard ("Humanity") Martin, M. P., of Ballinahinch Castle, county Galway, Ireland, the author of Martin's Act for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. His education was received at Trinity College School, Port Hope, and later at Ghent, Belgrium.

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Mr. Justice Martin was called to the bar in 1887, practising successfully until his elevation to the bench. He acted on many occasions for the Dominion Government in weighty cases. In 1895 he was appointed counsel for the Dominion Government and representative of the Minister of Justice in Vancouver Island, and in the following years he was made a special commissioner to incurie into a special commissioner to inquire into and to report upon the affairs of the British Columbia Crown Timber Lands

In 1898 he was made a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and in the following year, 1899, a dejuty Judge in Admiralty for British Columbia. He has been exceedingly successful since his elevation, and his judgments have been the subject of favorable criticism by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.

In 1900 he was made a special commissioner to settle mining disputes in the Porcupine district, arising out of the British-United States treaty on the Canada-Alaskan Boundary. In 1902 he was appointed Judge in Admiralty for British Columbia.

Mr. Justice Martin married in 1889.

British Columbia.

Mr. Justice Martin married in 1889,
Emily Mary. second daughter of John
Breakenridge Read, barrister-at-law, of
Osgoode Hall, Toronto. He has two ns. He is the author of a Genealogy

He is the author of a Genealogy of Martin of Ballinahinch Castle; The Hudson Bay Company Land Tenurus; Chart of the Judges of Vancouver Island and British Columbia, and Martin's Mining Cases, Vols. I. and H. His recreations are golf, croquet and gardening. Referring to Justice Irving, the Colonist says: The Hon. Paulus Aemilius Irving, who has been elevated from the Supreme Court to the new Appellate Court, is largely identified with the legal life of British Columbia. His residence in the province dates back to 1882 Born in Eastern Canada in 1877 he is the third son of Sir Aemilius Irving, K. C., treasurer of the Law Society of Upper Canada. The subject of this sketch was educated at Trinity College school, Port Hope, and afterwards at Trinity College, Toronto. At the latter institution he became a third foundation scholar in 1874, B. A., in 1877, B. C. L. and was educated at Trinity College school, Port Hope, and afterwards at Trinity College, Toronto. At the latter institution he became a third foundation scholar in 1874, B. A., in 1877, B. C. L., and M. A. in 1880. In the latter year he was called to the bar of Ontario. Two years later he came to British Columbia and in 1883 entered a legal partnership with D. M. Eberts, K. C., when the latter was created deputy attorney general, succeeding the late county court judge, Eli Harrison. From December, 1890, until 1897, Mr. Justice Irving practised law in partnership with E. V. Bodwell, K. C., and Mr. Duff, who became subsequently the Hon. Mr. Justice Duff of the Supreme Court of Canada. In the latter year. Mr. Irving was created a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, which post he has filled with unvarying success u pto the time of his newest appointment.

In 1899 Mr. Justice Irving was appointed a special commissioner to seitle mining disputes in the Atlin Mining district. So successful was he on that occasion that the Government of the day made an acknowledgment of his ser-

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vices in the speech from the throne. In a recent issue of the Badminton Maga-zine there appeared as article estitled "A Trip to the Disputed Territory," in

zine there appeared an article estitled "A Trip to the Disputed Territory," ia which the following paragraph appears. The judge referred to is Mr. Justice Irring, who in 1889 was appointed by the Semlin government as a commissioner to Atlin to settle the disputes regarding mineral claims which had arisen there:

"After staying five days at Atlin, I started on my homeward joursey. Among my fellow passengers was the judge, who had been seat out by the British Columbia Government to settle disputed titles. Many claims had been jumped, that is, people had attempted to appropriate them after they had been staked out by their original owners and locators. This had produced a feeling of insecurity fatal to the prosperity of a mining camp. So equitable were the decisions of the judge that not even the disappointed claimants dared to impuga his impartiality. Here was a tribute, the magnitude of which we can scarcely appreciate at home since a bellief in the corruption of all Government.

ers' creed.

Mr. Justice Irving's long experience in the Attorney-General's office and in the Admiralty Court when practising will be of use to him in his new appointment. For many years he was connected with the Canadian Militia, rot many years he was connected with the Canadian Militia, retiring in 1897, when he had attained the rank of senior major.

In 1883 Mr. Irving married Miss Diana Hamley, daughter of the late Hon. Wymood Hamley, who as an appointee of Lord Lytton, was the first collector of customs at the port of Victoria.

Victoria.

Mr. Justice Irving's recreations include cricketing, riding, driving, yaching, motoring and goif. He is a member of the Union Club, Victoria, and of the Vancouver Club, and the Jericho Country Club in the Terminal City.

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It looks like rubbing it in on Tom Johnson for the city of Cleveland to raise the Mayor's salary several thousand dollars as soon as the Hou. Tom steps out.



### **NOT JOYOUS** HONEYMOON

Mrs. W. Gould Brokaw Says Husband Was Cruel to Her.

Attempted Suicide After Quarrel With Husband.

### Names Which She Wrote on a Piece of Paper.

New York, Dec. 8 .- "Liar," with qualifications of varying intensity, was one of the mildest epithets W. Gould Brokaw, milionaire yachtsman, was accustom ed to apply to his wife, according to her testimony in court to-day. Mrs. Bro-kaw, who was Mary Blair, is suing her nd for separation and alimony of \$60,000 a year, on grounds of alleged cruel and abusive treatment and failure to provide for her support. The Browere married in 1907.

"We shall show," said her counsel, in addressing the court to-day, "that abuse of the bride began two hours after the marriage ceremony. Brokaw was mad-ly jealous for no reason. He often forced the wife to get abuse and keep to her his wife to eat alone and keep to her room for the entire day. During the honeymoon they ate only four meals to gether. He broke into her room at all gether. He broke into her room at all hours, and, on one occasion, when the door was slammed in his face, smeared red ink on his forehead and ran around the hallway in his pajamas, crying and complaining to the hallboys. He was habitually intoxicated, and frequently used abusive language.

Mrs. Brokaw was the chief witness today. She testified that her husband was jealous of her brothers, that he accused

day. She testified that her husband was jealous of her brother's, that he accused her of flirting with his uncle, his nephew and his doctor.

"What were some of the names that Mr. Brokaw called you, when you denied his charges?" asked counsel.

The witness hesitated for a moment and finally wrote her reply on a sheet of paper, which was not read.

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of paper, which was not read.

On New Year's eve, 1907, occurred an incident, Mrs. Brokaw testified, which caused her much humiliation. It had been her husband's custom, she said, to serve her at dinner with ginger ale poured from a champagne bottle, while he and his guests drank champagne. By mistake, the butler gave her real wine. When she raised the glass her husband became furious, she said, and ordered her before her guests to go to her room. The witness wept as she related this.

Mrs. Brokaw's attorney announced that he would show how Mrs. Brokaw, in February, 1908, attempted suicide in her husband's shooting lodge at Fair-View, N. C., after a quarrel, because of Mr. Brokaws treatment o fher.

W. Gould Brokaw was divorced from his first wife, who was Miss Coralie Coudert, in 1890. Before marrying again he paid \$17.000 to Katherine Poilon to settle a breach of promise suit.

The action begun to-day is being heard at Mincola, L. I., in the Supreme Court. New Year's eve, 1907, occurred an

### News in Brief

Dr. Stephen B. Pollard's name has een struck off the list of physicians

and surgeons. Eugene Haanel, of Ottawa, has been elected vice-president of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers.

The Stratford Collegiate Institute toard gave Christmas presents to the ifferent teachers on the staff in the hape of a \$50 increase in salary.

A Milwaukee woman died after suffer-

Hon, Dr. Pyne, Minister of Education, and Dr. A. H. U. Colquhoun, Deputy Minister, were in Brantford on Wednesday in connection with the arrangements for the enlargement of the girls' quarters at the Institute for the Blind.

Nearly five hundred petitions have nearly live nundred petitions have already been presented to Parliament this session, praying for the enactment of anti-gambling legislation. The number of signatures aggregates approximately 350,000.

While apparently oiling the main shaft at the C. P. R. coal dock plant, Fort William, Fred Pattiti was drawn into the fly-wheel and crushed to death, ctically every bone in his body being

The West Indies Commission, Lord Balfour of Burleigh, Sir D. Morris, and R. H. McCarthy, leave England on Jan. 16 for Janaica. They expect to meet Messrs. Fielding and Paterson at Kingston on the 27th.

John Dillon has been refused admission by the penitentiary authorities at St. Vincent de Paul, owing to irregularities in the admission order. After certain preliminaries, it is expected that Dillon will be lodged in the peniten-

Typhoid is getting worse in Montreal, and as it is followed by an epidemic of la grippe, the cause is thought to be the water, and the situation may become serious. There are 193 cases in five pitals, and fifty cases are turned daily

away daily.

The chief hunting director has lost his job because he allowed the general public about Geohrde while the Kaiser was pheasant shooting a short time ago. The Kaiser did not care to have his shooting prowess looked upon as a football match or a golf tournament for the edification of a mob.

was at Welland fined \$100 and for selling liquor on Sunday. In-

spector House walked in on him when a number of customers were in the barroom. This is his second offence. Fred Lanzi, an Italian, of Welland, was fined \$100 and costs (\$14.50) for selling liquor without a license.

The British Steamship Owners' Association has passed a resolution affirming that it is imperative, in she event of Great Britain adopting a universal Customs tariff, to provide accommodation at Liverpool for handling goods free of Customs control as is done at the free ports of Germany, notably Hamburg.

The body of Miss Agnes Dewsbury, a

Hamburg.

The body of Miss Agnes Dewsbury, a young Englishwoman, was found in her room at 7 Ann street, Toronto, death having been due to a hemorrhage of the lungs. The young woman was employed in a departmental store, but yesterday morning she did not report for work. She was found about 4 o'clock, and had apparently been dead for some time.

At a meeting of the Montreal Board

At a meeting of the Montreal Board of Trade on Wednesday it was decided to take steps to secure a reciprocity in the exemption of extra provincial corporations from special taxes. Under the Quebec Act there is an exemption from such special taxes for corporations chartered in any province which does not tax corporations chartered in Quebec.

The Government of the Republic of Colombia is contemplating the construction of a canal across the Isthmus of Panama, paralleling that of the United States, but on another point on the isthmus, and within Colombian territory. British capitalists are investigating the matter with reference to financing the enterwise. enterprise.

enterprise.

Several subscriptions were opened at Copenhagen to purchase gold and silver wreaths for the coffin of Princess Marie, wife of Prince Waldemar, and sister-in-law of King Frederick, who died on Dec. 4. The Court circular announces that the Princess disliked such decorations, and suggests that it would be more in accordance with her spirit if the money thus raised were devoted to the relief

A case of leprosy of the most virulent type has just been discovered at Calumet, where a Finnish miner named Stanislaus is quarantined under rigid super vision. Dr. A. S. Weerthren, of Sniver vision. Dr. A. S. Weerthren, vision. Dr. A. S. Weerthren, of Sinver-side, who was called in by the State Board of Health, declares the patient an unmistakable leper. The enlarged ears and horribly distorted facial expression leave no room for doubt.

Mrs. Ronalds on Wednesday unveiled a memorial tablet to the poet, Edgar Allen Poe, in the Boudoir Theatre, Kensigton, the smallest London theatre, which is entirely dedicated to poetry. There was a large gathering of distinguished and fashionable people. Professors Boas and Jack delivered eloquent orations in praise of Poe's genius, the former comparing him to an elemental spirit imprisoned in a crystalline vase. Mrs. Ronalds on Wednesday unveiled

### VIOLET ASQUITH

Makes Rather Crushing Reply to Poet Watson.

Had Sought a Title and Large Literary Pension.

New York, Dec. 8 .- A London cable o The American says: 'Miss Violet Asquith, daughter of the Prime Minister of England, explained to The American correspondent to-day that she did not care to dignify William Watson, the poet, by replying to his statements concerning herself and her stepmother.

"She attributes his astounding statements in America to the fact that he had used all his influence to gain knighthood, and had made her father's life miserable with his persistent demands, and had failed.

"He had asked for a large literary pension, and expected the announcement of his knighthod would be made in the King's birthday honor list, issued last May. When it didn't come out he became peevish and blamed her mother and herself for not appreciating his greatness.

"Miss Asouith's opinion is that he quith, daughter of the Prime Minister

A Milwaukee woman died after suffering for four years with a sponge which an operating surgeon had sewn up in her abdomen.

George P. Sheldon, the recently deposed president of the Phoenix Insurance Company of Brooklyn, has been indicted on a charge of larceny.

Richard Morgan, aged 63, employed as a woodworker at the McLagan furniture factory, Stratford, fell dead while at work on Wednesday. Death was due to heart failure.

Hon. A. J. Matheson, the Provincial Treasurer, has received a cheque for 86,619 in full settlement of succession dues on the estate of the late Skeeler W. Hallen, of Barrie.

Jake Cutler, 70 years of age, was killed at the East-end crossing, Strathroy, on Tuesday night. Both legs were cut off and one foot was found wedged in a switch. He leaves a widow and two children.

Hon. Dr. Pyne, Minister of Education, and Dr. A. H. U. Colquhoun, Deputy in the property of the property of the property of the property of the withdrawal of the poem was without his authority and that the would not allow it, either in this country or in England, without contesting such action of the publisher in the courty. Mr.

England, without contesting such action of the publisher in the courts. Mr. Watson will call upon Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador to the court of St. James 'and will consult him concerning the proper action to take.

The Montreal Y. M. C. A. building on Dominion square has been sold to the Sun Life Assurance Company for \$250,000. This is at the rate of \$14.31 per square foot. The Sun Life secure possession on May 1, 1911. The Y. M. C. A. concluded the purchase of the old John Ozilvie property on Drummond street as Ogilvie property on Drummond street as a site for their new central building. The price of the new site is \$70,000, but it is exactly twice the size of their pre

it is exactly twice the size of their present property.
"That's a bright clerk," remarked the floorwalkr in the book department. "Right on the job, eh?" asked the proprietor. "I should say so. He heard that the class from the girls' college was coming in here to buy novels to-day so he has arranged the volumes all upside down so their last chapters will be first."—Chicago News.

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Little Sailor Stirs Up Row at a Meeting.

United States Vessels.

New York, Dec. 8 .- Samuel Gompers permission United States Supreme Court) appeared last night at Cooper Union to preside over the mass meeting of the International Seamen's Union. At ter making a quantity of speeches, Mr. ompers at the end of the meeting put to the house a set of resolutions which

to the house a set of resolutions which declared that seamen were slaves.

Up jumped a small and limber sailor from the middle of the house, hurdled what feet and knees were in his way, sprang into the aisle and shook his fist at Gompers.

"Stop right there!" shouted Gompers angrily. "Don't you come another step!"
"I protest," said the little sailor, still coming. "You and your dirty gang have no right to set up to represent the sea-

Stop! Stop!" cried Gompers. I tell you! If you come another step I'll have the police put you out!"

"And this is your bloody free speech,

The little sailor shot out right under Comper's nose. "Here I am and here I squat!"

And he dropped down into a front row seat and glared bravely at the agi-

row seat and glared bravely at the agitated labor leader.
Gempers hesitated a moment and then called for three cheers for the international union. The crowd yelled and the little sailor waited until the noise died away. Then he booed scornfully. Back in the house the husky policemen laughed.

ed.

Gompers didn't get to the meeting on the dot. He said he had to wait until he was sure the Supreme Court wouldn't care, and then he caught a train and an automobile at the station and there he was. (Cheers.) He said that sailors were at the mercy of the hounds of the government, and he thought it was government, and he thought it was about time that workingmen got togeth-er and throttled the dogs. It was no wonder, he said, that the

American merchant marine couldn't get young Americans to man vessels. Condiyoung Americans to man vessels, Condi-tions were so horrible, said he, with a stamp of his foot and a whack of his hand, that the bovs of America refuse to go to sea. For that reason, too, it was difficult to get sailors for the United States was States navy.
"Why, if conditions are not changed

"Why, if conditions are not changed on the Great Lakes pretty soon," shout-ed Mr. Gompers, "Japs and Chinese and other kinds of pigtails will be manning fresh water vessels. But as long as the first water

Andrew Feruseth, president of the International Union of America, a sailor from the Pacific coast, said that shanghaing is going on to-day just as it did in the mat

shanghaing is going on the state of did in the past.

"There are people right in this city of Xew York," said Mr. Feruseth, "who use the cloak of religion to cover their crimping games. It is disgusting, you say, but all sailors know it is the truth."

Feruseth then went on to mention the

DEFIES GOMPERS for seamen, and seamen believe in missions, but what I'm telling you is the truth. It is a shame to use religion as a cloak for crimping!"

### WITH STOVAINE.

Jap and Chinese Sailers Manning Patient Operated on For Appendicitis While Conscious.

> which stovaine was used were perform ed this afternoon at the Post-Graduate Medical School and Hospital, Jonnesco, the Roumanian surgeon, administered the stovaine himself, as he had done on Tuesday, but in addition he performed one operation. The other three opera-tions were performed by Dr. Robert T. Morris.

The most interesting case, an operamanian surgeon assured them that sto vaine was safe. Up to a late hour to night the patient was doing exceedingly eil and had suffered no ill effects Professor Jonnesco operated in a case f hernia and worked rapidly. The sec-

of herma and worked rapidly. The sec-Morris, was for "ordinary appendicitis, Morris, was for ordinar yappendicitis, and was over in nine minutes. The patient was always conscious, but suf-fered no pain.

### DANCE OF DEATH.

Freak Waltzing Contest is Stopped by Mayor of Butte.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 8 .- After dancing ontinuously for fourteen hours and forty-one minutes without nourishment, three of the 53 couples that started last

three of the 53 couples that started last night in a marathon waltz contest to see which pair could waltz the longest, were stopped to-day by Mayor Charles H. Nevin on advice of physicians.

Six of the woman contestants at the end of several hours were taken to a hospital, one suffering a ruptured blood vessel and another of muscular paraly-

sis.

The women presented a fearful sight during the last hours of the dancing, with eyes bloodshot and bodies swaying. Their male companions were barely able to keep their feet. Nearly 500 spectators crowded the hall where the ontest took place. New York, Dec. 8.—Four operations in

# SPONGE IN BODY.

Surgeon's Forgetfulness Ends in Lingering Death of Patient.

Milwaukee, Dec. 8.—After suffering our years with a surgeon's sponge sew-

or years with a surgeon's sponge sewed up in her body, Mrs. John H. Fertig,
of this city, died to-day.
Four years ago Mrs. Fertig was
operated upon for a tumor. The physicians forgot to remove a sponge from
the wound. Another operation performed, in an effort to find the sponge, failed.

One year later vertices of the

ay. but all sailors know it is the truth."

Feruseth then went on to mention the names of two men who run seamen's missions. He added:

"Oh, there are plenty of good missions"

ed.

One year later portions of the sponge worked out through Mrs. Fertig's side.

A third operation located the sponge, which was found hardened and imbedded in the woman's abdomen. This operation proved fatal.

### **CRAZY BOY'S** AWFUL DEED.

Shoots His Foster Mother and Kills Himself.

Mrs. Hugh MacMath Victim of His Shooting.

Woman Badly Wounded-A Bullet Not Yet Found.

Toronto, Dec. 9.-Going suddenly in sane, James, the fifteen-year-old adopted son of Mr. Hugh MacMath, the wellknown real estate man, last night shot and seriously injured Mrs. MacMath, and, going downtown to a lavatory on Adelaide street, killed himself with one shot from the revolver. Mrs. MacMath is now at her home in Lansdowne ave-nue with one bullet still in her left side, another having been extracted. Dr. Jas Spence, who was called in, stated last night that Mrs. MacMath had received a anger that Mrs. MacMant had received a dangerous shock, while it was not known just how serious her condition is owing to the fact that one bullet has yet to be located. The body of the unfortunate boy is now in the morgue at St. Michael's

boy is now in the morgue at St. Michael's Hospital. An order has been given by the Chief Coroner allowing Mr. MacMath to take charge of the remains.

The dead boy, whose name before he was taken into Mr. MacMath's family was Menzies, had for years been subject to fits, in which he seemed to be demented. These fits were succeeded by spells of sobbing. He had been working as a driver for John Anderson, a grocer on Queen street west, all summer, and as a driver for John Anderson, a grocer on Queen street west, all summer, and Mr. MacMath was intending to send him to the Military College at Kingston. Several weeks ago, however, he disappeared, and was not heard of for some time. He went to Buffalo and there bought the revolver he used last night. He told his adopted parents that everybody carried revolvers in Buffalo, The beginning of the traged

beginning of the tragedy tool in the kitchen of the MacMath The beginning of the tragedy took place in the kitchen of the MacMath home about 7 o'clock. The boy had come into the house shortly before and had asked Mrs. MacMath to get him something to eat. She prepared him some food and went out into the kitchen to get him a glass of water. The boy followed her, and as she came toward the dining-room again, lifted the receiver, which he had concealed about evolver, which he had concealed about revolver, which he had concealed about his clothes, and fired three times. Two of the bullets took effect, but the other went astray. The boy then ran out of the house, and Mrs. MacMath ran, crying, into the house next door. Dr. Spence, of Jameson avenue, came in response to a hurry call and succeded in extracting one bullet. The other he xtracting one bullet.

Mr. MacMath came home shortly after and was informed of the shoot

after and was informed of the shooting. He was just preparing to go out in search of the demented boy when Detective Cronin and P. C. Jarvis ease to the house and broke to him the news of the suicide.

The boy must have jumped on a car immediately after the shooting, for he walked into the Adelaide street lavatory about three-quarters of an hour later. There were two men in the place at the time. James Kelly, of 79 Wolszeley street, and James Hagan, of 149 George street, the caretaker. The boy spoke to Kelly,

"Pretty cold weather, isn't it?" he re

Freety coid weather, isn't it? he re-marked.

Kelly agreed with him and turned away. The next moment he heard a report, and the boy dropped to the floor with the blood streaming from floor with the blood streaming from a hole in the right side of his head, behind the car, while the revolver rattled to the floor. Kelly ran to Court Street Station and notified the police. The ambulance was at once sent out and

Chief Coroner Johnson went to the hospital, and after hearing the story of the afrair from Mr. MacMath decided

### KILLED BY CAR.

Cobourg Youth Was Crossing Tracks in Dust Storm.

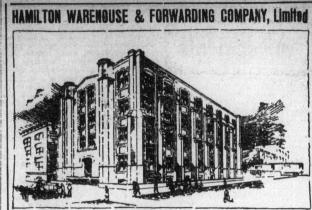
Toronto, Dec. 9.—Gordon Holinbeck, aged 19, a stenographer in the employ of the National Life Insurance Company, and living at 97 Scollard street, was knocked down by a street car and instantly killed while crossing Yonge street, near Agnes street, yesterday. He was on his way home to dinner, and was crossing the road, when, probably blinded by the great clouds of dust flying around, he failed to notice a College car coming south, with the re-College car coming south, with the re-sult he was caught by the fender and hurled on one side beneath the wheels hurled on one side beneath the wheels of the car. His injuries were terrible, his head being almost severed from the body. The car was instantly stopped, and had to be backed a little before the unfortunate young fellow could be removed. He was dead when picked up. The police ambulance was quickly on the seene, and his body was removed to the morgue. Acording to eye witnesses no blame attaches to the motorman, as the deceased crossed the tracks behind a northbound car, and it was impossible even if he had been seen for the driver to stop the car.



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An informal meeting of the Belleville City Council, Board of Trade and citizens was held on Wednesday afternoon. Mr. W. E. Redway, of Toronto, laid before the meeting a proposition to erect there ashipbuilding plant, the city to provide a site on the bay shore, to do the dredging and crib work and assist in the project financially, the latter to

### THE FARMERS AT GUELPH.

Underdraining a first Class Mortgage Lifter.

Chicago Packers Buying Beef in Canada Raises Price.

The Milk Test-Care of Cows-Prize Seed.

Guelph, Dec. 8.—By rail and road thousands of visitors to the Winter poured into Guelph to-day. scene in the Fair building was remarkable. In the annex a dense crowd thronged the galleries and surrounded

thronged the galleries and surrounded, the arena while the judging of cattle and horses was in progress, and other departments were similarly crowded.

To-night every seat in the City Hall was occupied long before the time announced for the opening of the public meeting. Hon. J. S. Duff, Minister of Agriculture, presided, and congratulated the City and Winter Fair Board on the success of the Exhibition.

Lieut.-Col. R. McEwan, Preside. of the board, in reply, said that the show had by no means reached his limi.

Hon Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture for Alberta, said that every move for the development of Canada must have a bearing upon agricultural industry. Speaking of Aibotta, he said that sometaing had been said about the assimilation of immigrants from Europe and the United

grants from Europe and the United States. There was notining which would mask a man so patriotic as giving him an opportunity to build up a home, as Alberta was doing.

THE CIVIC LUNCHEON.

At the civic luncheon, served by the King's Daughters, among the guests were Hon. Duncan Marsnall, Minister of Agriculture for Alberta; Hon. J. S. Duff, J. P. Downey, M. P. P., Major Craig, M. P. P., Mr. Nelson Monteith, Dr. J. G. Rutherford, Ald. J. A. McCrea occupied the chair.

The milk test, which concluded on Monday night, has again resulted in establishing Holsteins at the head of the list as milk producers. During three days Mr. M. L. Haley's (Springford) entry, "Lady Aggie de Kel," produced 216 pounds of milk, having a butter fat percentage of 4.3 Mr. Haley also carried off the second and third honors with regard to milk production, but was outclassed by H. & J. McKee, Norwich, in the matter of percentage of the second lessie and but was outclassed by H. & J. McKee, Norwich, in the matter of percentage of butter fat, their Queen Jessle, an Ayrshire, showing a butter fat percentage of 4.96 on a total production of 133 pounds. In the Ayrshire classes Messrs. H. & J. McKee carried off two firsts and three seconds, while Mr. Id. A. Haley, with his Holsteins, won two firsts, two seconds and also first writer for grade cows.

Mr. Robert Miller, of Stouffville, one of the best known breeders in Canada, stated that the establishment by Chicago packing-houses of cattle-buying agencies in Toronto had the result of increasing the price to the producer yb one cent. per pound. That increase, he claimed, made all the difference between continuing business at a loss and the making of a profit. He stated also that he had been assured by a representative of the Swift Co. that the business of buying export cattle in Canada was now placed upon a permanent basis.

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Mr. H. H. Dean, professor of dairy husbandry at the 0. A. C., gave a lecture this morning on the subject of lessening the cost of milk production. He advised his audience to pay more attention to the health of the cows and to care for them diligently. Feeding must be watched carefully. Many farmers fed their cattle turnips in the winter, he said, which accounted for the complaints about the "turnipy butter." He advised feeding sugar beets or Leviathan yellow mangels. Stables should have lots of fresh air. Drinking water should be cool and fresh, and, in his judgment, the cow relished and enjoyed the water better when she got it outside. Ther ewas danger of the cow getting chilled when going out for a drink in the winter, and care should be taken to prevent that. A cow should also be given exercise, and should be taken out of the stable on every fine day.

In answer to questions Prof. Dean said special cases needed warm or hot water, but as a general rule a cow preferred codl water, which was better for her health. He thoug thith beat way to feed cows was to give them what they liked and cound readly change into milk. By feeding cows meal or tother food the milk would not be made any richer. Mange shad no adverse influence on the flavor of the milk. Some people judged the flavor

of milk by color, which was a common mistake. He also emphasized the need for great cleanliness.

A department of the show which is deservedly attracting a large measure of attention is the exhibition of grain and other crops, resulting from the field crop competition. This year it has been decided to change the method of disposing of the prize grain. Formerly it was sent to the Ontario Agricultural College, the Ottawa Experimental Station, and St. Anne's College to be used for experimental purposes. This year the Ontario agricultural specialists, of whom there are eleven, will be entrusted with its distribution. The grain will be given to farmers on condition that they give back a like quantity of seed from the resulting crop, and it is hoped by this method to increase the experiments and benefits derived from them.

### **FARMERS' WIVES**

Opening of the Women's Institutes at Guelph.

President Creelman Shows How the Education Benefits.

Guelph, Dec. 8.—"Why, the Women's Institutes open to-day," and a genial male countenance peered from the rear platform of the O.A.C. car, Guelph, into the interior, packed with femininity. It is a year since the Women's Institutes met together, and as the delegates troop into Massey Hall, at the Agricultural College, old friendships are renewed and new ones

friendships are renewed and new ones made.

Mr. George A. Putnam. Superintendent of Farmers' Institutes, was awaiting his "flock," and greeted old members with a cordial handshake. The hall was packed, and a speaker remarked that a new place of meeting would soon be necessary.

President Creelman of the O.A.C. gave his usual stimulating address of welcome. He told how Hon. John Dryden used to say to him, "Do things—get them finished up—start something else, but keep things moving." "We think we are doing big things now in Canada, but we, the men of the country, who have got these things to do, are depending on your help and co-operation. The women of this country should be trained for their work, that they may give it an intellectual and ethical value. Macdonald College stands for home-making. We find, too, that those girls who are trained there are getting a breadth of knowledge that we did not think of when we started. They are no longer jealous of the carl behind the counter of the degril behind the count

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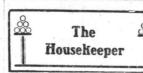
An address on "Environment" by Dr. Annie Backus, of Aylmer, pleased the convention vastly. Dr. Backus held that woman was the "weaker vastly" because her appropriate the convention of the propriate that woman was the "weaker".

### When Queens Go Shopping



WHEN QUEENS GO SHOPPING.

From snapshot taken in store district of Windsor, Eng., showing, from right left to left: Queen Maud of Norway, Queen Alexandra, of England, Princess Victoria.



the other card at the place. The guests find places by matching the eards.

To keep a music book open on the piano music rack make a bag eight or ten inches long and an inch or an inch and a half wide. Fill with sand and gather the ends or tie them tightly, so as to make the bag round. Lay this before the book on the rack and you will have no more trouble keeping the book open.

NEW ROASTER.

In using a roaster for meats I found.

NEW RUASIER.

In using a roaster for meats I found that the bottom tin had a small hole. As both tins were alike and about the same depth, I simply took the cover and used it for the bottom one and the bottom for the cover. It is as good as new and will last as long again.



JOHN R EDMOND.

The Irish Nationalist leader, who has issued a fresh appeal to America for funds for the election campaign, claiming that the Unionists are congesting every Nationalist nominee to exhaust the treasury.

### MAN'S HEART SHIFTED

Toronto, Ont.— Frank Thomas, 23's Hillsboro street, came to St. Michael's Hospital suffering with severe pains in the region of the heart.

Upon examination, the physicians found that his heart had moved from its normal place on the left side to the right side next to the lung.

The physicians said that the heart was forced out of position by the pressure of gas formed by Acute Indigestion. You see, Indigestion is not "a little thing" to be lightly dismissed. It is not only annoying, unpleasant and painful, but it may become exceedigly

painful, but it may become exceedigly dagerous.

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### Cheapside

Miss Lena Werdrich returned home on Wednesday of last week after a visit to Hamilton of a couple of days. Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson, of Nan-

Hamilton of a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson, of Nanticohe, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Metcalf, also Mr. and Mrs. Chancy Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Wark Kholer and children, of Kholer, were the guests of her mother, Mrs. Silverthorn, on Sunday.

Mrs. Erwin, of Villa Nova, returned home on Sunday after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Louis Buckley.

Miss Emms Pond, after spending a couple of months in Jarvis, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Degrow and children, called on Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Lofthouse on Sunday.

Mrs. Rogers and son Walter, of Jarvis, called on her daughter, Mrs. Louis Buckley, on Monday of last week.

Mrs. P. Gibbs spent a couple of days visiting Mrs. A. Thomas, of Selkirk, last week.

Mrs. Reuben Matie and Mrs. Art

Mrs. Reuben Matie and Mrs. Art Evans spent Wednesday of last week in Jarvis. Mr. Orrion Weidrich made a busine

Mr. Orrion Weidrich made a business trip to Dunnivlle one day last week. Mrs. James Armstrong was the guest on Friday of Mrs. William Tyrrel and her daughter, Mrs. H. Hawthorn, at their residence, Willow Grove. Mrs. Monsenger and family returned home on Friday efter spending these.

home on Friday after spending three or four days in Hamilton and other points

### **Stoney Creek**

Vincent Jackson will address the League in the Methodist Church on Fri-League in the Methodist Church on Friday, Dec. 10, on his trip to New Zealsand. The service will start at 7.30 p. m.

The anniversary of the Methodist Oburch will be held on Sunday, Dec. 12. There will be services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by Rev. I. Tovell, D. D., of Hamilton, and Rev. W. H. Harvey, B. A., of Dundas. Special music will be rendered by the choir.

The social Bible class was entertained in the Methodist narrowages on Monday.

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in the Methodist parsonage on Monday, evening.

Miss E. Walker entertained at the battlefield on Wednesday, Dec. 8.

Miss C. Walker is spending a few days in Guelph.

Erland Lee is spending a few days in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ed. Lee spent last week in Hamilton with Mrs. Fisher.

### Vinemount

Misses Ella and Madeleine Harper, of Misses and and American Tarper, Vinemount, were visiting their friend, Miss Ready, on Monday evening last.

Miss V. Sturch is recovering from an Young is leaving the school at

Mr. Petch is day operator now at

Vinemount.

Mr. Joel Tallman, of this place, has sold his two fat cattle for quiet a large

### Fisherville

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Mehlenbacher and family have left this locality. Mr. Mehl-enbacher takes a position near Tillson-

Mr. John Hartwick is moving his household effects to his new dwelling, in this village Mr. John Eckhardt sold a fine Haines Bros', piano to Mr. Arthur Reichheld. Mr. Charles Martin, of Simcoe, sold a Heintzman piano to Mr. Fred Nablo. Morchants are making are making Merchants are making are making ready for the Christmas trade and are exhibiting a fine selection of choice goods. Now, don't wait till the last goods. Now, don't wait till the last things are sold before making your pur-

The sporting fraternity of this village ave completed a fine skating rink on he premises of Mr. Richard Fess. Hockey will be popular here this win-

ter.

A meeting of the baseball club will take place in the town hall on Saturday evening next. A full attendance is requested.

The Township Council will meet at

quessed.

The Township Council will meet at Rainham Centre, on Wednesday, the 15th inst., to complete the business for this year.

### Fulton

Friends to the number of seventy-five or eighty gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew McDougal on Monday evening to bid them and family good bye, as they are moving to Hamilton. All had an enjoyable evening. An excellent programme of music, songs, recitations and short speeches was given. Rev. Mr. Sarkissian acted as chairman. The ladies brought their baskets and gave a fine lunch, and all returned to their homes well satisfied with the evening's enjoyment.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Oneida, visited at the home of their daughter for a few days last week, and returned to their home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Parker and family, of Fulton West, visited Mr. David Jackson and family, of Grimsby, on Sunday. The temperance people of this township are woring hard for local option at the next township election. A lady from Toronto, accompanied by the Smithville male quartette, to furnish music, will or eighty gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew McDougal on Monday

# Friday, Special Value Day

Every Department of The Right House will be open on Saturday night until 10 o'clock.

# Hour Sales Extraordinary



25c Serpentine Crepe 19c Sharp at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning there will go on sale on our Main Floor for one hour only, our fancy Serpentine Crepes, the most popular kimono and sacque cloth we have handled. This is regular 25c Crepe. Between 9 and 10 o'clock to-morrow morn ing ...... 19c MAIN FLOOR

### Another Chene Ribbon Sale

Were you one of the hundreds who attended our wonderful Hour Sale of rich Chene and Dresden Ribbons last Friday? If so you will appreciate the remarkable values we are going to offer between 10 and 11 o'clock to-morrow morning in selling our 50c Chene Ribbon with overcheck in many pretty shades for ...... 19c MAIN FLOOR





35c Handkerch's 3 for 25c

Between 10 and 11 o'clock to-morrow morning our dainty embroidered and drawnwork Linen and Shamrock Lawn Handkerchiefs in plain and crossbar cloth with hemstitched or scalloped edges. Acceptable Christmas gifts. Regular up to 35c. For the hour between 10 and 11 o'clock to-morrow morning 3 for

25c, or each ..... 9c MAIN FLOOR

### \$1 yd. Blouse Fronts 29cea. 🔟 As the clock strikes 10 o'clock to-morrow

morning we will place on sale for one hour, our beautiful new Embroidered Blouse
Fronts on fine wearing qualities of Swiss
Muslin. In elaborate and dainty new eyelet, blind and crochet effects and designs.
Regular \$1.00 per yard. Between 10 and 



# One More Centre Piece Sale



Local lovers of Irish embroidered and hand-drawn pieces of Japanese Drawn-work, and of elaborate Battenburg Lace-edged Pieces are still talking of the great Hour Sale we held on our Main Floor last week. Here is another: Between 10 and 11 orders in chorn or or only we will sell our 50e on the street of the service of the ser 

### Our \$4.50 Net Waists \$2.59

For the full 60 minutes between 11 and 12 o'clock to-morrow morning our fine Brussels Spot Net Waists on China silk foundations; prettily tucked and trimmed with fine guipure and Val. insertions—Waists which are of the regular \$4.50 value with the new bishop sleeve and in black, cream and white will sell for will sell for ..... \$2.59 SECOND FLOOR



# THOMAS C. WATKINS, LIMITED

lecture in Fulton Union Hall on Sunday, the 12th inst., at 2 o'cloc. Rev. Mr. Sarkissian will hold his usual service in the hall on Sunday evening

Mr. Norval Sapley, of Hamilton, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sapley, and family. Mrs. A. L. Nelson is staying for a few

Mrs. A. L. Neison is staying for a rew days with her daughter. Mrs. Hermon Jackson, near Grimsby Park. Mr. Wesley Hendershot and family, of Hamilton, visited his sister, Mrs. A. C. White, on Sunday.

### Caistorville

A meeting of the members of Caistor-ville Literary Society was held on December 6 for election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, A. W. Edwards; Vice-President, Robert McDonnell; Secretary, Miss E. Beattie; Corresponding Secretary, Miss C. Etherington; Treasurer, Wilfrid Shields. The Board of Management of the past term will hold office for the present. The officers of the programme committee for December are: Convener, W. J. Grant; Miss Bessie Bell, Miss Ida McDonnell, Miss McLellan, A. E. Swick; organist, Mrs. T. Price. The first meeting of the season will be held next Monday night in the Methodist Church basement at 8 o'clock.

### Jerseyville

Rev. Mr. Moyer and Mrs. Moyer are visiting at Berlin with Mr. Moyer's mother, who is seriously ill.

The Ladies' Aid here packed a barrel of miscellaneous articles as their annual contribution to the Deaconess' Home, Hamilton.

Mr. R. Sparks, insurance agent, Waterdown, was in the village on Monday renewing policies, etc.

Miss Emmerson, a graduate nurse, of Hamilton, was renewing old friendships at Mr. and Mrs. R. Woods' of Altadore Farm.

Mr. T. Brooks is under the doctor's care at present.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Markle.

The Rifle Club or Gun Club, organized recently, had their first practice on Friday afternoon.

Mr. H. L. Misener drives a well matched new team of sorrels these days.

### SCRAP BOOK **POETRY**

OLD JOE'S WORK never sought on honored na A place among the great an' strong.

He idled many a day away,

Jes' whittlin' on a piece of stick;

But he would walk for miles to pay

A call on someone who was sick.

see him now a trudgin' down The' road an' whistlin' blithe an' gay, The road an' whistlin' blithe an' gay, "Doe Bleazby happened into town—
Hank Perkins sick," I hear him say;
"He's got the yaller jawnders bad,
An' can't get out o' bed at all;
I reckon that he might feel glad
If I should happen in t' call.
P'raps I kin cheer him up a bit,
His friends ain't got th' time t' go,
An' mebbe, if he wants, I'll sit
All night with him; 'twould help him
so."

He never let a chance go by,
To call on someone lyin' ill;
He never worked an' wouldn't try
He hadn't much ambition, still
When anyone was stricken low
With fever or some mortal ache
No distance was too far to go,
No sacrifice to great to make.
"I ain't much good on earth, I guess,"
He said; "my brain ain't over quick,
I ain't achieved a great success,
Unless it's cheerin' of the sick."

It's seven years since Old Joe died, Yet I recall his funeral well, All sorts of folks sat down an' cried, All sorts of folks sat down an' cried,
The day they heard the tollin' bell;
An' all his faults were plumb forgot,
Nobody called him lazy then,
Or mentioned traits that they ought no
But children, wimmin folks an' me
Said Old Joe did th' best he could,
An' mebbe God jes' sent him hera
To do a heap o' sick folks good,
An' carry messages o' cheer.

"Did you have any assistance when you made your appearance as a singer?"
"Yes," answered the amateur soloist.
"There was a policeman keeping order in the gallery."—Washington Star.

## RACING SOCGER

### TIGERS WILL HOLD FINAL PRACTICE TO-DAY.

Jungle Kings Will be Short of Wingmen, But All the Back Line Players Will be on the Job-Open Play Will be the Rule.

The Tigers will hold their final practice this afternoon in preparation for the exhibition game with Ottawa in New York on Satruday. The team will be picked from those who turn out, and about six spares will be taken along. Jack Gray and Bramer have not been attending the practices this week, and there is some doubts as to whether they will be able to make the trip. If Bramer does not go, Pete Brannon will likely be taken in his stead, but who will take Gray's place is not yet known. It will be impossible for either Wally Barron or Walter Marriott to take in the trip, and it likely that several intermediates will be on the team. Fortunately all the back division men will be on the job, and if the line holds together well the Americans will see any amount of spectacular work. When the Tigers were in their prime their long suits was the almost endless number of trick and combination plays which they were able to work, to the utter bewilderment of their prime their long suits was the almost endless number of trick and combination plays which they were able to work, to the utter bewilderment of their prime their long suits was the almost endless number of trick and combination plays which they were able to work, to the utter bewilderment of their prime their long suits was the almost endless number of trick and combination plays which they were able to work, to the utter bewilderment of their prime their long suits was the algest attendance in the country, to develop the protest of James E. Sullivan, a member of the was near. A suit was decided by resolution at a meeting of the Board of Education yes terday over the protest of James E. Sullivan, a member of the protest of the Amateur Athletic Union. He fought hard for the retention of the same trices but he was voted down.

This board won't trust the Rules Committee which is going to change the rules so as to make the game less dangerous," said Mr. Sullivan, Frederick Coudett, a member of the board, told of the fatalities caused by the long the protest of the reten

### THE "C" CLASS RECORDS **WERE BROKEN LAST NIGHT**

Monarch Typewriter Co.'s team rolled 2,565 against the Royal Distillery team, winning two games. The B. B. B. Club won three from the Gun Club No. 3 and the Post Office and Dunoya Club each won two. Eight teams bowled in all, won two. Eight teams bowled in all, and some good scores were made by individual bowlers. Ten men hit the 500 mark. W. Duffie was the star with 579; J. Collins got 567, and A. Ballentine got 547. The others to get in the charmed circle were W. Mepham, J. Cummings, W. Brown, G. Robbins, C. A. Shepard, J. Simpson and Bert Crawford.

Eight teams of Knights of Pythias bowlers are scheduled for to-night's play.

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# COMMENT AND GOSSIP

Max Schmidt, the German wrestler who made a name for himself last Friday evening by staying with Fred Bartl, middlewight champion of America, in a handicap match, in which the Demo was to throw him twice in an hour, will meet Al. Ackerman a week from Friday night. At present it is not known where the bout will take place, but the pro-moters are trying to secure the Arcade Hall. was to throw him twice in an hour, will

ly ran 100 yards in 10 2-5 seconds boards without spikes.

Stanley Ketchel has finally declined to Stanley Ketchel has finally declined to visit Australia to fight Burns. Fitzsimmons and Lang. He says he intends to spend Christmas at his home in Michigan and doesn't intend to think about pugilism for some time to come. It is generally believed that this brave young fellow is finding it hard to forget his defeat the hands of Johnson.

The big game in New York on Saturday will attract all the football celebrities with the possible exception of Chaucer Elliott, Guy Curtis and Julius Caesar It will furnish one grand pow-wow at which old football battles will be fought which old football battles will be fought out again and the giants of other days will proudly show how they have donated ears, noses and other ornamental but not entirely necessary organs for the glory of Alma Mater and the good of the grand old game, and when the enthusiasm has reached the proper pitch, some one will prolyoly move that "whereas, a man who can't afford to lost an eye or ear in football is not big enough for the game anyway. Therefore, be it resolved that football goes as she stands, and the sympathy of this meeting is extended to those college professors who are worrying themselves sick over a game, the glories of which they will never be able to comprehend."—Toronto Telegram.

"Jeffries isn't sure whether he can go "Jeffries isn't sure whether he can go ten rounds or not," said James W. Coffroth yesterday, "so he will try to hook Johnson on the jaw in the first round. Jeff will not stall, not even for four or six rounds, for he knows that the longer he fights the less chance he has of stopping this dangerous negro. But if Jeffries rushes it at the start he is going to take descript changes hecause Jeffries rushes it at the start he is going to take desperate chances, because Johnson likes to fight that way and will look for an opening for that right hand uppercut. There is too much at stake for the men to agree to fake the first half dozen rounds. Suppose one of them double crosses the other? Then suppose they did fake and the newspapers published the fact, how much would the pictures be worth? There's a whole lot of talk about the pictures, but in the end you'll find that they will not cut much of a figure. The fight will be on the level, and I think that Jeffries intends to win as quickly as possible."

President Ban Johnson says the meet-President Ban Johnson says the meeting of the American League in New York next week will be a swift affair. The magnates will be in line on Monday while the National Commission meets, and will begin transacting business on Tuesday. According to present plans the delegates will hustle out of town on Wednesday afternoon. The American League men are in perfect harmony, as usual. The National League magnates will begin arriving to-day, with Herrmann, of Cincinnati, the advance guard. They are going to do some lobbying on the Ward-Heydler controversy, so that the atmosphere may be cleared when they convene early next week. If Heydler is elected it will mean that Ban Johnson is dictator. If Ward is chosen it is even betting there will be a rumpus that will tear the big league, apart. The Brush-Murphy-Ebbets-Fogel combine, which is for Ward, is already asking the Heydler forces if they are going to stand for the American League's dictation.



(By Howard Mann.)

Butch Macginnity sat fingering a law book and smoking a cigarette. His mind was not on torts or contracts. He was thinking of the old days when he scored many a touchdown for Lalapaloosa col-

lege.

His cigarette went out as he mused and he frisked himself for a lucifer without success. Doggy Cot opened the door in time, and gave him a life-saving light.

ing light.
"I saw Clock-Face Rice to-day," said

"Who's he?" asked Butch.
"Don't you remember Clock-Face? He
played end the year after you 'e.t, sud
made the all State team. He was a



"Sure, I remember him," said Butch,
"What's he doing?"
"Driving a milk wagon," said Doggy
mournfully. "Such is fame. A fellow
gets a reputation playing football, he
lives easy for four years with his board
paid and some change on the side, and
never goes to more than three recitations a week—"
"Yea" interrunted Butch, "and he interrupted Butch, "and he

makes the Baked Potato Pie or the Del-ta To Dayton fraternity and acquires half a dozen sweaters—"

"And then," continued Doggy, "he gets cast out in the cold world, and if he doesn't get a job coaching he has to get a job driving a coach or running a street car."

"I've known some to start selling books about the discovery of the north pole or the kidnapping of Billy Whitla," said Butch.

"Which same books," remarked Dog-gy, 'was written by some goose-necked boy who didn't have strength enough to lift a ping pong racquet when he was in school."

"Which," said Butch, "reminds me of Percival Pettibone, who went to Lalapaloosa my senior year. He weighed about 120 and never played football in his life—but once. And then he won the game against Wrestleyan."

"How was that?" asked Doggy as Smiler Wright, Piggy Leonard and some more Lalapaloes alumni came in.
"It was this way," said Butch. "We were up against the Wrestleyan bunch and they were hard to beat. We loped to win, but Wrestleyan looked good and I was racking my brains for a trick to

was racking my brains for a trick to peat em.

"Two night before the game I happened to stroll into Freshman Pettibone's room. He was edifying a bunch
of his classmates turning back somersaults and twisting like a rubber man.
He closed by curling himself into a ball
and rolling downstairs.

"Where'd you learn that?" I asked
him.

"Uncle's in circus. He taught 'ne," said Percival in a high, piping voice.

"You're the boy for me, I said. And the next day he had a foot ball suit on and was learning the rudiments of the game. We didn't use him till the end of the Wrestleyan game. The score was 6 to 10 in Wrestleyan's favor when Spike Duffy pretended to get hurt and we rushed Percival in. Wrestleyan set up a howl when they saw his spindle shanks. We had two minutes to play. Percival rolled up like a hoop. I tucked the ball into his arms and gave him a push. He rolled around end for a touchdown while Wrestleyan stood in a trance. "Uncle's in circus. He taught me,

"A great player was Percival—but we could never use him again."

**GRIDIRON GOSSIP** 

### COMPLETING PLANS FOR THE EXHIBITION GAME.

Mr. Berry, Bronx Park Commissioner, to Have Benches Placed Around Playing Space -- Section to be Reserved For Critics.

New York, Dec. 9.—Plans for the holding of the Canadian Rugby game at Van Cortlandt Park on Saturday are being rapidly completed, and with the hearty co-operation of Commissioner Joseph I. M. Dennis, of Cornell, another rule makes and professor L. Berry, of the Department of Parks of maker. the Bronx, there is every evidence that the teams and crowd will be successfully

Herald for the use of the football field, and said that he would be glad to have the playing space marked out according to the Rugby rules.

The commissioner deplored the fact that in this big public playground there is no grand stand, but he said he felt sure that the playing of this game would show the necessity for one. Benches will be provided for spectators around the seene of action, and ropes will be placed in position to keep the crowd from surging on the field.

Mr. Berry thought that it was a fine idea of the Herald to let the public have an opportunity to see a sporting event of such importance in one of the city parks, and said that he would do all in his power to help make the affair successful. Through the courtesy of Mr. John P. O'Comell, of the Golf House, at Van Cortlandt Park, rooms have been secured in which the players may change their clothes and rest before and after the contest.

### YALE MEN INTERESTED.

the teams and crowd will be successfully taken care of. The commissioner gave the formal permit yesterday to the Herald for the use of the football field, and said that he would be glad to have the playing space marked out according to the Rugby rules.

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The taken interested.

New York on Saturday, under the ausphies of the New York Herald, and it is probable that there will be a big delegation at Van Cortlandt Park when the Hamilton and Ottawa teams face each Hamilton and Ottawa teams face each other. Walter Camp, Yale's member of other. Walter Camp, vale's member or the rules committee, has stated that he would attend if he is in the East on Saturday, and it was learned to-night that Capt. Coy and a number of Yale's unbeaten football team would take in the

game.

Some of the men have seen Canadian football and are anxious to compare it with the American game. "Johnny" Mack, the trainer, said to-night that he would go down if he could take the time. Several former Yale players, including Frank S. Butterworth and Dr. Baynham, Townshel, are also expected. Raynham Townshed, are also expected to go down from this city.

### FOOTBALL CAPTAINS GOING.

clothes and rest before and after the contest.

Requests are coming in fast for seats along the side lines. Additional prominefit figures in American fotball circles have written to say that they are eager to observe the game. Seats will be reserved on the benches for the men who are most directly interesting in getting ideas for revision of the American code, but there will be sufficient benches to seat many who will come merely as casual onlookers.

Some of the prominent persons who Some of the prominent persons who are the latest to fall in line as prospecting are.

Business High Schols and the McKinley Manual Training School at Saturday's game.

### RENFREW MADE FABULOUS OFFERS.

Creamery Town Determined to Secure Ottawa Men-Lake, Taylor, Kerr and Walsh Received Big Bids For Their Services.

Ottaws, Dec. 9.—The biggest battle for players in the history of hockey was waged in Ottawa yesterday, resulting in another victory for the Stanley Cupholders over the Renfrew Club. Messagot Lake, and at 2 o'dock hamounced that he had turned down Renholders over the Renfrew Club. Messagot Lake, and at 2 o'dock hamounced that he had turned down Renholders over the Renfrew Club. Messagot Lake, and at 2 o'dock hamounced that he had turned down Renholders over the Renfrew Club. Messagot Lake, and at 2 o'dock hamounced that he had turned down Renholders over the Renfrew Club. Messagot Lake, who is mounts. Of course, George Stern heads who the street of the Club, which was been to an agreement with the Ottawas. So sincere were the Renfrew men in the hockey thriller which kept hockeyists on tiptoe all day. George Martel came down from Renfrew Tuesday night, and fairly took the beraths of Ottawa playsers away when he made the fabulous difference of \$2,000 each to Kerr and Walsh profile of the Seg. 2000, and guaranteed them positions at Renfrew worth \$1,200 per year. Yesterday morning Kerr and Walsh profiles accompany him to Renfrew, providing he also got Fred Lake and Fred Lave and Fred Lave and Fred Lave hours in a boot as goot fred Lake and Fred Lave and Fred La Ottawa, Dec. 9 .- The biggest battle for | rushed up to the Ottawa headquarters

dent who had his ankle broken weeks ago, is greatly impositely will be out in a few days

the rules of the American game, here is one rule in our own game that should be given a jolt, it is the lafety touch.

To the average, yes, and nine-tenths

Rugby football will kick itself out of existence on Saturday, when St. Mikes, junior O.R.F.U. champions, meet Alerts of Hamilton, junior Inter-Provincial champions, in the final game of the season for Dominion honors at Rosedale. It is more than likely that the teams will play on a frozen ground as the weather from now on should alter very little, nevertheless, the game will be a good one, as both teams are as good a pair of juniors as have played the game in a long time. Alerts, by their one-sided victory over the Montreal team last Saturday in Hamilton, and by reason of their showing all season,

pair of juniors as have played the game in a long time. Alerts, by their one-sided victory over the Montreal team last Saturday in Hamilton, and by reason of their showing all season, are allotted the favorites.

While there is talk of changes in the rules of the American game going on so as to decrease the number of masse plays which would also bring the injuries to a minimum, the changes spoken of do not seem to hit off what is really wanted; it can easily be done by scratching out the two playing rules, which have directly or indirectly been the cause of the biggest part of the casualities that have been occurring this year in particular—they are the abolishment of the forward pass and the interference.

There should be a revision of the Skingston Dec. 9—Capt. Norman.

There should be a revision of the football rules to minimize the chances of serious accidents, says Walter Camp, Yale's graduate advisory coach. "I do not know that I am sufficiently prepared to say what these changes should be," said Mr. Camp, "but I am collecting such facts as I can, that would lead to the knowledge of A. J. Spearman, the Queen's studies of the speak of the spe

# Gossip of the Puck Chasers

to effect the best results

And while all this talk of changes in the rules of the American game,

there is one rule in our own game that should be given a jolt, it is the

From all accounts Cobalt is going to have the team in the National Hockey Association, the new league that will run in opposition to the C. H. L.

Hoth "Pud" Glass and Ernie Johnston, of Wanderers, have been cleamed by the Temiskaming champions. In addition, Steve Vair, last year with Renfrew and Wanderers; Macnamara, of Montreal Shamrocks, and Herb Clarke and Jones are announced on the line-up. Art Throop, of Ottawa, has also been hooked to play for the Silver Kings. Glass and Macnamara will likely play point and cover-point. point and cover-point.

go to New York on Dec. 28th to play the N. Y. A. C. Harvard and Yale have also asked for games and may be accommodated when the Blue and White sep tette is in the east.

Billy Gilmour, who held down right wing for Ottawa last winter, is now in the broker business in Montreal, and does not intend to play this season.

Norman Henry, who captained the Ottawa Cliffsides, Inter-Provincial champions, last year, is a bone of contention between the T. A. A. C. and the Argonaut hockey teams. Henry is in Toronto and his services are claimed by both

So far as is definitely known, Ren-frew has but three men signed up for the season, viz.: Bert Lindsay, Robbie Rowe and Larry Gilmour. These men have been playing with Renfrew for three or four years past.

Waiter Smaill, the former Wanderer at hockey player, who is leaving for obalt by shortly to figure on the Cobait team in the new National ... key Association, had his nose operated on Saturday. Down in Montreal the rival pro. club

aer picking their men under cover, but rumors have it that the rival leagues will come together before the season

Poulin, the western player, who is claimed by All Moutreal, is sought after by the new French club.

000 for the season; Walsh and Kerr each being offered \$2.700, and Taylor \$3.000. Two-year contracts for all four at \$5.000 were held out.

These salaries surpass in proportion to the work those of Hans Wagner, Ty Cobb, and other stars.

Fred Taylor was the first to break away. He finally declared that all the money in Renfrew wouldn't set him. Fred Taylor was the first to break away. He finally declared that all the money in Renfrew wouldn't get him away from Ottawa, after he had given

returns.

The weather turned very cold here yes Mr. L. N. Bate his word to play hockey. terday, and the Stanley Cuppers will ge Renfrew kept after them hot, but Taylor down to business in a day or two.

An officer of the Shamrocks states definitely that Billy Kean will play with the cup chasers. The dashing cotton top will be at his old position of rover and it is also hoped that his side-kick Billy Green, will occupy the other center ice position. tre ice position.

Harold Macnamara, who is claimed to be signed by Berlin, is being sought at ter by one of the Montreal clubs.

Port Arthur is at present debating the question as to whether it will play ama-teur or professional hocker this season

Herry Chandler was presented with bronze medal by a number of friends t Ottawa yesterday, for rescuing Ham-y Shore, the hockey player, who fell brough the ice on the canal last week.

The Edmonton team this year will likely be composed of Lester Patrick Frank Patrick. Deeton, Miller, Bolton Winchester and Whiteroft.

Newsy Lalonde, of Cornwall, is said t have turned down an offer of \$1,000 to play with the Montreal Nationals. Newsy, always a great financier, is awaiting for developments in the hockey

It is announced that Paddy Moran has received such a magnificent offer from All Montreal that he states he cannot refuse it and will have to desert Quebec.

Lindsay sports say they will have an forward; Harry Kennedy, forward; Bil-

ntermediate hockey team this win-ler. by Field, forward: Tommy Dunderle, forward. Cold weather has set in, and hard practices are being held nightly.

### Shrubb Willing to Run 20 Miles.

Says He Did Not Refuse to Run Longboat.

Toronto, Dec. 9 .- "Sol Mintz, Long-

boat's manager, seems to have a lot to say about the 20-mile race at Buffalo," say about the 20-mile race at Buffalo," said Alf. Shrubb yesterday. "He says I want 15 or 18 miles. Now, I am ready to run Longboat at Buffalo 20 miles, and telegraphed the promoters as soon as I had heerd that thew wanted the race, saying I would run Longboat the 20 miles. It is only up to Sol Mintz to wire and tell Charlie Murray, of Buffalo, that Longboat will run. Then I think terms can be arranged, and when it is arranged I am satisfied that I will win. "I don't consider that the runners had a fair chance in the race at the Island. Too many spectators were near the track, and did not give the proper freedom. Tell Sol Mintz to go ahead and fix up the 20-mile race. Mr. Murray will give my reply to him."

Uncle Salis—What be your rates? Hotel Clerk—Two dollars up to twelve. Uncle Silas—And how much if a fellow only wants to stay up till half-past 9? —Brooklyn Life.

### Famous Athlete Dies in Syracuse.

John Hilliard, Formerly of Brockville, Passes Away.

Brockville, Ont., Dec. 9.-Word comes from Syracuse, N.Y., of the death of a former well known Brockville athlete, John Hilliard, following an illness of three weeks with typhoid fever. Deceased was 31 years of age, and resided in Brockville until of age, and resided in Brockville until four years ago, when 'he removed to Syracuse. Possessi.g a splendid physique, he was an all-round ath-lete, figuring on different eccasions on local football, lacrosse and hockey teams. He was also a member of the champion Bohemian A.A.A. war canoe crew. Hilliard leaves a widow and three children.

### The Turf.

Here is a comparative list of the first thirteen winning owners in England and France, and the sums they have won in stakes on the flat this season. Last season Mr. Vanderbilt won even more recovery. son Mr. Vanderbilt won even more money, although the record in France is held by M. Ed. Blane in 1904, when Ajax, Gouvernant. Adam. Jardy and Val d'Or helped him to win 65,267 sovereigns. In 1897, when he started racing in France, Mr. Vanderbilt only won 11,150 francs. The following English figures are taken from the last list in the Sportsman:

1. Mr. Fairlie
2. H. M. M.

1. Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt £
2. Baron M. de Rothschild
3. M. Ed. Blane
4. M. E. Vell-Picard
5. M. Mich Ephussi
6. M. Lieux
7. M. J. Hennessy
8. M. A. Henriquet
9. Ctc. Le Marois
10. Mmc, Cheremeteff
11. M. J. de Bremond
12. M. A. Aumont

death of Clarence McDowell, for many years the presiding judge at the tracks supervised by the Jockey Club, has left open a berth for some man. The position at one time was worth \$50 a day to its fortunate possessor, but since the passage of the Hart-Agnew amendment to the Percy-Gray racing law the salary attached to it is now \$30 a day. Even this figure is so attractive that the Jockey Club stewards have on file the letters of five applicants who be-lieve that they can fill the job acept-

ably.

While no official action will be taken in the matter of appointing the various men to fill the positions on the local tracks until February, still a rumor is current that Christopher J. Fitzgerald and Joseph J. Murphy will act as the placing judges next season. The report is that both men have been decided upon by the stewards of the Jockey Club.

Both men are applicants for a position as judge, but as this board of stewards will go out of office at the end of the year and a new board elected, who will have the power to appoint the racting stificials, there is very little likelihoothat when the power to appoint the racting stificals, there is very little likelihoothat men has been decided upon.

The mention of Murphy's name in connection with the position of judge has brought to light a long line of race track fatalities with which he has been unfortunately connected. Of course, Murchy now he had she alightest thing to While no official action will be taken

track fatalities with which he has been unfortunately connected. Of course, Murphy never had the slightest thing to do with his ill-luck, nor was he responsible in the slightest degree for the adverse betting laws passed, but, just the same, racing men look upon his presence at a track in an official postion with a great deal of misgiving regarding the future.

the future.

It is recalled that Murphy was connected with the tracks in St. Louis, Chicago. New Orleans, Benning and Buffalo, which are now out of existence so far as racing is concerned.

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Startling news about Ladies' Christmas Shoe novelties, 50 different styles of the finest American makes from which to select, all the latest styles of Ladies' Satin Slippers, in plain and beaded, ordered specially for Christmas trade, also the very latest styles in Patent Colt Pumps, with or without ankle strap, in plain and beaded.

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### ATHLETICS

The fastest mile ever covered in Canada at a Canadian championship neet was George W. Orton's 4.21 4-5, nade at Montreal in 1892. The slowmade at Montreal in 1892. The slow-est championship mile on the record books is 4.59, made in 1889, when H. Fredericks, of the Manhattan A.C., of New York, won the title. The list of champions contains the names of such famous men as Sir Henry M. Pellatt, of Toronto, the well-known financier: Tommy Conneff, holder of the American record of 4.15 3-5; A. B. George, the English crack; George W. Orton, the Toronto boy, and Alex. Grant, the St. Mary's athlete, who crossed the line and won honors for United States colleges and athletic clubs; John J. Daly, who is running for the Irish-Americans yet. Jack Tait, of the West End Y.M.C.A., won the title twice. The champions since 1878 are:

One-mile Run.

1878—H. M. Pellatt, Toronto Lacrosse Club, 4.51%.

1879—W. J. Duffy, H.A.C., 4.47.

1880—H. Fredericks, Manhattan A.C.,

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-H. Freuerick, 4.453. -C. W. Martin, Ottawa Football Club, 4.45½. -N. Dewar, Toronto Lacrosse Club, Montreal, 4.46%. -J. W. Moffatt, Montreal, A.A.A.,

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G. M. Gibbs, Toronto A.C., Toronto, 4.32½.

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1898—Alex. Brodie, Jun., Montreal A.
A., Montreal, 4.35 4-5.
1899—John Bray, New York A.C., Toronto, 4.27 4-5.
1900—Alex. Grant, New York A.C.,
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1904—J. J. Daly, G.N.Y.I.A.A., Montreal, 4.39.
1905—J. P. Sullivan, Irish-American
A.C., Montreal, 4.24 2-5.
1908—F. A. Rodgers, New York A.C.,
Montgeal, 4.27 2-5.
1907—J. J. Tait, West End Y.M.C.A.,
Toronto, 4.32 3-5.
1908—Hans Holmer, Crescent A.A.A.,
Halifax, 4.36.
1909—J. J. Tait, West End Y.M.C.A.,
Winnipeg, 4.27.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* CYCLING

New York, Dec. 9.—Records continued to go by the board to-day in the six-day bicycle race at Madison Square-Garden. At 6 o'clock this morning Chief Scorer Copeland annunced that seve nof the thirteen surviving teams had covered 1.543.5 miles in 78 hours, which is 152.5 miles ahead of the Rutt-Stohl world's record of a year age. record of a year ago.

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At the same moment the official de-clared Frank Galvin out of the contest, His partner, Keegan, who is laid up with congestion of the lungs, was declared out four hours previously, and Galvin could not get a partner within the time limit, There were no sensational episodes during the dull morning hours. About 3,000 persons, who stayed till daybreak in the circlen, were kept awake by occa-siomal bursts of speed on the part of some of the leaders, which always re-sulted in a scramble of eight or ten min-ntes' duration.

Walter Rutt, of the German-Holland team, who had been doing the lion's share of the work from midnight, was thrown from his wheel through the and baby.

The junior Canadian champions of the Y. M. C. A. will play their final game with Brantford for championship honors on Friday night of this week in the local Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. Brantford has strengthened its team, so the local boys are looking for a hard game. The following will be the line-up:
Brantford. Hamilton.

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### A prelibinary game between the Col-legiate and the Boys' Club second team will be played at 8 o'clock sharp. Indoor Athletics.

Indoor Athletics.

At the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last night the first of a series of indoor athletic events were held and, indging from the interest taken by the competitors, these indoor meets, which will be held every two weeks, are going to be very successful. A handsome pennant will be given the winners. Points count as follows: First, three; second, two; third, one. The events and winners for last night were: running high jump, first, Webster, 4 feet 11 inches; Fraser, 4 feet 10 inches; Morgan, 4 feet 2 inches, Running hop, step and jump, Fraser, 31 feet 9 inches; Webster, 34 feet 1 inch; Barelay, 33 feet 3 inches. Quarter milerun, first, Fraser; second, Rarelay; third, Smith. Officials—Referee, D. M. Barton. Times, B. Kerr, Judge, J. Burns.

BRITANNIA LODGE.

Britannia Lodge, I. O. G. T., at its regular weekly meeting in Kennedy's hall, James street, had a good lot of business, among which was a communication from the Grand Lodge intimating that the Grand Chief Templer and Lodge degree upon the membership, week's session, to confer the Grand Lodge degree upon the members of the order entitled to receive th same. There were two propositions for membership, and two candidates were initiated. Owing to the excess of business the programme for the evening, which was to have been parlor games, had to be despensed with.

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There was a good attendance at the Record Broken.

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Lady Chaplain—M. Linke.
Physician—Dr. James Raugh.
Lady Sergeant—P. Hamburg.
Lady Sergeant—P. Hony.
Lady Sergeant—Montgomery.
Lady Pianist—Edith Taylor.
The officers will be installed fist The-day in January, when ments will be served and a gegramme rendered.

### AT ST PAUL'S

Sale in Charge of the Ladies Opened This Afternoon.

characteristics of the sale in aid of the building fund of St. Paul's Prespyterian Sunday school, which function was opened this afternoon: The new Sunday school, where it is being head, has occultransformed mito a vertacate fairtimal. Everywhere there is a wealth of color, and some of tage bouchs are not only pretty but unique. Good taste has been shown in the decoration of the tea room with holy and electric lights, all of which forms an attractive display. The lades in charge of the various booths have worked conscientiously for some time to make this sale a success, and no doubt they will be rewarded by a large attendance. This evening a musical programme will, be given and ice cream will be served. The ladies in charge of the various booths are:

Fancy Work—Mrs. J. J. Morrison, convener, Mrs. A. S. Brown and Mrs. A. K. Melbourne.

Apron Booth—Mrs. Malcolin, convener, Sunday school, which function was open

Melbourne. A. S. Brown and Apron Booth—Mrs. Malcolm Mrs. Harris

Novelty Booth—Miss J. J. Dean, converse, Mrs. J. Wilson and Mrs. A. Mc-Kay.

Novelty Booth—Miss J. J. Dean, convener, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Nesbitt, Miss Helen Morrison and Miss Jennie Gordon.

Home-made Booth—Mrs. R. Junor, convener, Mrs. W. R. Turnbull and Mrs. J.

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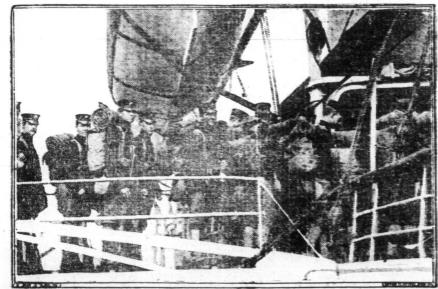
Scotch Booth—Mrs. Alexander Philp, convener, Mrs. Weir and Mrs. J. Palmer. Doll Booth—Mrs. (Dr.) Mullin, Mrs. Innes, Miss Perry and Miss Clunie.

Flower Booth—Mrs. Lyman Lee, convener, Mrs. R. Mocton, Mrs. Stanley Mills, Miss Jessie Morton, Miss F. Clark, Misses Muriel and Marjoric Lee and Miss M. Dunean.

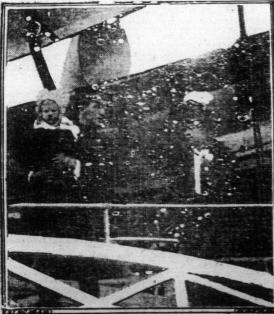
Orange Tree—Mrs. David Fraser, convener, Mrs. Thos. Ramsay, Mrs. Tail, Misses Dunean, Publow, Fraser, Malcolm, Harrison and Jamieson.

Tea Room—Mrs. Alex, Mutray, convener, Mrs. Staunton, Mrs. Burns and Miss Leggat.

## UNITED STATES FIGHTING MEN OFF TO WAR!



"WIFE AND BABY I LEFT BEHIND MF!"



Photograph shows scene when 700 of Uncle Sam's marines marched aboard the cruiser Prairie at Philadelphia. The will land at Nicaragus with a shipoload of guns, ammuniticn and field accountements.

she just dropped in to see, and maybe will buy. What are the latest
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# **MARKETS** AND FINANCE

Thursday, Dec. 9.—The severe weather probably accounted for the small number of vendors on Central Market this morning. The shoppers were equally few in number and trading on the whole was dull. A drop in the price of halibut in the fish market was the principal change to-day, it having receded from 20 cents to 15. Butter and eggs were the same as usual, as were pouttry and meats, hay market has been very poor during the last few daws, but no noticeable change in price was reported.

The current prices this morning were:

"Dairy Produce.

Dairy Produce.

Vegetables, Etc.

	Palms	1	50	to	2	50
	Begonias	0	16	to	0	25
	Actors dozen	0	15	to	0	15
	Rubber plants	0	40	to	0	40
	Ferna	0	40	to	0	50
	Roses, each	0	05	to	0	05
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Assiste, fancy, bushel ...
Dr., No. 1 ...
Dr., No. 2 ...
Do., No. 3 ....

Ergs, new laid, dozen Do., fresh Commanill, Onth., Dec. 9.—John G. Suctisfinger, ex.M. P., Manfamette, is dead in New York, whence he hard gone on a few days' visit to his daughter, Mrs. Cottimann. Mr. Suctisager was 76 years of Mutton per ewt. 9. Lamb, as rewt. 9. HORSE EXCHAULTER OF Manfaments.

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HORSE EXCHANGE.

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CRUDE OIL.

Fittsburg. Dre. 2.—Crude oil prices were cut five cents to-day by the Standard Oil Company. The quotations follows.

Premissionna 1835; Mouveer Shack 20:

Newcastlle St.; Couning 70; Cabell 37.

History Market, only 60 were disposed of fir the sales of Monday and to-day. The demand, while good, was not quite as active as it was a week or two weeks 20. The quality of some of the heavy drangent that were sold, and that still A. C. P.

Newcastlle St.; Couning 70; Cabell 37.

### Toronto Markets

The transactions this week were main The transactions this week were mainly in heavy draught and driving horses of medium price. Shipments were made to the Northwest, to Cobalt and to various points throughout Ontario. The general range of prices was as follows: Heavy draughts, \$180 to \$220; general purpose, \$130 to \$160; drivers, \$100 to \$150; wagon horses, \$150 to \$210; serviceably sound, \$25 to \$60.

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d	Hogs, dressed, cwt\$1	0	50	\$11	00
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	do common	7	00	8	0
	Mutton	8	00	9	
				11	0
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### OTHER MARKETS.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal—About 1,000 head of butchers' cattle, 35 milch cows and springers, 140 calves, 650 sheep and lambs, and 1,600 hogs were offered for sale at the 600 hogs were slow in coming out, and trade was dull, there 600 hogs no really prime cattle on the market, and even pretty good cattle were about 4 1-2c per pound, and from that down to 3 1-2c for pretty good animals; the common and lean stock were in large supply at prices ranging from 600 hogs were for large supply at prices ranging from 600 hogs were for large supply at prices ranging from 600 hogs were for large supply at prices ranging from 600 hogs were offered for form \$30 to \$55 each. Grass-fed calves sold at 3 to 4 1-2c per pound. Montreal-About 1,000 head of butch good veals at 5 to near 6c per pound. lamb. Sheep sold at 4 to 4 1-4c per pound; lambs at 6 to 6 1-2c per pound. Good lots of fat hogs sold at about 8-

COBALT STOCKS.

The Mining Market in Toronto remains exceedingly quiet, and there is little hope of a revival until after the New Year. With the camp apparently in such good shape, some surprise is expressed that there is not a more active market, but the public is evidently not interested. Yesterday La Rose sold down to 4.71, but picked up a little toward the close. Crown Reserve was also somewhat weaker, closing at 4.83, after selling at 4.80. Silver Leaf was sold somewhat freely, and lost ground, going down to 13 1-8. Rochester held firm at 16 1-2, and gave evidence of being well supported. Temiskaming dropped a point, opening at 71 1-2 and selling mostly around 70. Nipissing continued to hold firm at 10.-80, and Trethewey went to 1.47.

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Trethewey .... Hardshell Rantists Down South. Thirty years ago young men were leaving the Baptist ministry because they were required to preach close communion. Now there is nobody hereabout to defend it. Even Prof. Wilkinson is silent.

to detend to Leven Froi. Whitmoon is silent.

In the south the doctrine still survives. A Baptist Church in Atlanta called Hugh S. Wallace to be its pastor. He told them that he did not believe in close communion, but they said that made no difference and unanimously called him.

The ministers refused to ordain him and the people still stood by him. A second time the committee of ministers declined, and this time the church weakened and Mr. Wallace withdrew, but he has set up a tent to preach in and will build a church of his own.—From the Independent.

### BIG BLIZZARD.

Watertown, N. Y., Dec. 9.—A storm of blizzard proportions has prevailed throughout northern New York the past 24 hours, and over a foot of snow has fallen. The snow, driven by a high wind, filled the cuts along the railroads and trains early to-day were from one tay two hours late.

"Here's where I get it in the neck."
remarked the married man whose wife
had just bought him a tie.

working on the temple for three years, according to the late Dr. Schick, the noted German archeol-

ogist.

In the accounting of wages paid to the men, totalling \$256 500,000, no account is taken of the carvers, gilders; artists, workers in precious stones, and the ostermers who made

the vestments of the horde of priests who lived and did their duties in the

who lived and old their duties in the sacred structure.

There were thousands of clothing outfits, hundreds of sands of golden vessels and costly equipment for sacrifices and

costly equipment for sacrifices and ceremonies.

Stables were built for the animals to be sacrificed, gold vessels holding hogsheads each were for drenching the altar after the rites, and the molten sea, so-called from its size, contained enough water for a swimming

STRUCK OFF.

Medical Council Deals With Pol-

lard's Case.

Legislation to Enable More Rapid

Action Being Taken.

Toronto, Dec. 9 .- At the close of yes

terday afternoon's session of the council

of the Ontario College of Physicians and

Surgeons it was formally decided to strike from the register the name of

Stephen B. Pollard, of Toronto, who is now serving a five-year sentence in

Kingston Penitentiary for performing a

Kingston Peniceneary criminal act.

Mr. A. A. Bond, counsel for Pollard, asked that proceedings be stayed until July to enable him to present his arguments for the accused; but this request the council deemed it inadvisable to grant. "If the case had been tried because ivey of his peers in a professional

fore a jury of his peers in a professiona sense," said Mr. Bond, "I feel confident that a different verdict would have been

given."
The remainder of the afternoon the

The remainder of the afternoon the council struggled with the case of Dr. W. R. Cook, who was acquitted of a serious charge in September, 1908, before Mr. Justice Wirchester and a jury. The Discipline Committee, consisting of Drs. J. A. Robertson, of Stratford; J. Lane, of Mallorytown; J. R. Gibson, of Sault Ste. Marie, and L. Luton, of St. Thomas, reported through Dr. Gibson that they had made a minute inquiry into the facts of the case, and recommended that Dr. Cook's name be erased from the register of the college.

of the college.

Mr. J. W. Curry appeared for the Crown, and Mr. A. H. Hassard for Dr. Cook. On motion of the council all three were permitted to speak. The vote was then deferred until this morning.

# WILL MASONS REBUILD KING SOLOMON'S WONDERFUL TEMPLE?

JOSEPH'S FIGURES ON GOLD PIECES IN TEMPLE 

people," as the bible tells us. For this work Solomon sent King Hiram of Tyre annually great stores of grain, flour, barley, oil and wine. Solomon's levy of 30,000 artisans was bossed by 3,300 men, and there were also 70,000 unskilled workmen to do the heavy work work.
There were at least 183,300

Boston, Mass.-Will King Solomon's temple, famed in the bible and his ory, rise again?

Masons all over the world, who believe that the author of the pro verbs founded freemasonry, are talking of the plan of members of the order here, to raise upon its old foun-dations the temple, to take its place as the eighth modern wonder of the world.

e proposition has roused so much

The proposition has roused so much interest in England that the cost for wages of the original temple has been computed. The figures are staggering, \$266,240,000!

It has been computed that each member of the king's levy who worked on the temple was paid about \$6.50 at week. Their weekly wage would be \$80,000, and for the three years \$12,500,000. This labor account alone is appalling, yet Masons here believe that the work can be done again. Solomon raised his levy of 30,000 skilled men and worked them in three shifts. He also was assisted by another force of between 70,000 and 80,000 men, all under 3,300 foremen, who cut stone in the quarries

GOOD SHORT

**STORIES** 

CARRYING OUT ORDERS.

On Lord Dufferin's estate, near Bel

On Lord Dufferin's estate, near Bel-deast, there once stood a historic ruin, a castle which had been a stronghold of the O'Neils. One day Lord Dufferin Justed it with his steward, Dan Multi-gan, and drew a line with his stick round it, telling Mulligan that he was to build a protecting wall on that line. And then he went to India, feeling secure as to the preservation of the great historic building.

ened to visit the castle. It was gone He rubbed his eyes and looked again

Yes, gone it certainly was, leaving not trace behind. He sent for Dan, and it

The cashtle, my lord? That ould thing? Sure, I puled it down to build the wall wid."—Youth's Companion.

THE SAFE COURSE.

quently did not reach home till after midnight. His wife had been in the habit of sleeping peacefully at these times, says a writer in the Spokesman Review, but a number of burglaries in

Heview, but a number of burglaries in the neighborhood during one of Mr. Wil-son's trips had disturbed her calm. On one night of his return Mr. Wilson was steading carefully up the front stairs, so that his wife would not be awakened, when he heard her voice, high and strained

and strained.
"I don't know whether you are my

"I don't know whether you are my husband or a burglar," came the excited tones, "but I am going to be on the safe side and shoot, so if you are Henry you'd better get out of the way!"

CAN'T BEAT A TRESTEE.

KING SOLOMON'S TEMPLE, FROM DESCRIPTIONS IN THE BIBLE AND BY JOSEPHUS. THE FA MOUS JEWISH HISTORIAN.

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Harem-Esh-Shereet mosque, holy to Mohammedans.

This mosque would have to be bought, and all the toil of Solomon's men, all the treasure like that of King Solomon's mines, and all the command that was a king's would have to be employed to rear the new and mighty structure.

In place of Adoniram, who was Sol-

trustee appeared in his old haunts, dress, ed in deep mourning, with a huge and "Ah," said a friend, 'your great-uncle is dead. Sincere sympathy. Left you that legacy, I suppose? But where did you get that beautiful stone?"

The trustee smile scients.

that legacy, 1 may you get that beautiful stone?"
The trustee smiled grimly.
"My great-uncle, he explained, 'did not ig-dude me among the beneficiaries of his will. He left, in fact, all his money to commemorate his mem-

W. W. Jacobs, the humorist, tells the

W. W. Jacobs, the humorist, tells the following story;
A lawyer defending a man accused of housebreaking, spoke like this;
"Your Honor, I submit that my client did not break into the house at all. He found the parlor window open and merely inserted his arm and removed a few trifling articles. Now, my client's arm is not himself, and I fail to see how you can punish the whole individual for an offence committed only by one of his limbs."

"That argument," said the Judge, "is

"That argument," said the Judge, "is very well put. Following it logically, I sentence the defendant's arm to one year's imprisonment. He can accompany it or not, as he chooses,"

The defendant smiled, and, with the lawyer's assistance, unscrewed his cork arm, and, leaving it on the dock, walked out.—Success Magazine.

WORM TURNS AT LAST.

It was the old, old story—the one we have all seen repeated so many, many times. Two young women entered the car together, and the tired-looking man

while he groped unsteadily for a strap.

"Ob! thank you, sir.

"Oh! thank you, sir."
"Thank you so much."
"Sit down, dear."
"No, no; you sit down."
"Insist, dear; Fin not a bit tired."
"Neither am I, and I'd just as soon to decadence of Uncle Sam."
"So, no; you sit down."
"I insist, dear; I'm not a bit tired."
"Neither am I, and I'd just as soon stand."
"Go ahead, dear, and take it."

omon's right-hand man, a high-sal-aried architect and archeologist would

aried architect and archeologist would be employed.

Instead of calling on King Hiram of Tyre, as Solomon did, for his heavy timbers of cedar, woodmen would have to scour the forests of the world to furnish beams such as Solomon got at Lebanon.

The historian Josephus describes the templose minutely that with

to be sacrineed, good to be sacrineed, good to be sacrineed, good the temple so minutely that, with the aid of the bible, scholars of today have a pretty fair idea of what it was like. It was at once a palace, temple and fortress. Its walls were of stone, and could withstand the onslaughts of a battery of modern field artillery.

The Sidonians, citizens of Sidon, went to Mt. Lebanon and devastated it for cedars for the temple, "for the Sidonians are more skillful than our leavening talking about forming a company to take charge of the work.

"More power to you, odl boy."-Pitts-burg Gazette-Times.

MADAME LETOURNEAU TELLS

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Read Why She Gives This Advice

Her Sufferings.

men of Canada.

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Que., Dec. 8.—(Special)—It is a message

of hope that Madame F. X. Letourneau, of this place, sends to the suffering wo-

of this piace, sends to the suitering women of Canada.

"After my last child was born," she states, "I suffered with Kidney Disease which developed into Rheumatism, Sciatica and Backache. I was fearfully nervous. My limbs were heavy and I had a dragging sensation across the loins and pains in the back of my head and through the eyes. I was a perfect wreek. "Chancing to read that my symptoms were those of Kidney Disease I began using Dodd's Kidney Pills and began to improve almost at once. Six boxes worked a complete cure."

Diseased Kidneys are the cause of nine-tenths of the ills that make life a burden to so many women in Canada.

burden to so many women in Canada. Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure diseased

While Portland cement is a compara-tively recent discovery, the ancients used a 190m of coment, produced probable by

hydraulic pressure, in the construction of their most enduring public works. The secret of its manufacture apparently, was lest after the downfall of Rome.

TO ALL WOMEN

HERE'S A MESSAGE

## WAS COOK AT THE POLE?

Two New York Men Say They Were Employed by Him

To Make Fake Observations to Tally With His Reports-

### Did Not Get Their Money and Are Now Squealing.

New York, Dec. 8.-The New York Times will publish to-morrow the re-markable narratives of two men, made under oath, declaring that they were employed by Dr. Frederick A. Cook to fabricate astronomical and other obser-vations for submission to the University vations for submission to the University of Copenhagen, which is about to pass upon Dr. Cook's assertion that he discovered the north pole on April 21, 1908. These men are George H. Dunkle, an insurance broker, of 31 Nassau street, New York, and Captain August Wedel Loose, a sea captain, of 437 Thirteenth street, Brooklyn. For their labors they were to have received jointly from Dr. Cook \$4,000, with an additional bonus of \$500 to Captain Loose upon the acwere to have received jointly from Dr. Cook \$4,000, with an additional bonus of \$500 to Captain Loose upon the acceptance of the records by the University of Copenhagen. They said that Dr. Cook had paid them only \$260 when he disappeared on the eve of the despatch of his "records" to Copenhagen, two weeks ago, and his failure to pay the sum remaining due them they freely acknowledge to be their motive for coming forward with the story.

Accompanying these narratives in the Times, to-morrow will appear copies of the affidavits of Capt. Loose and Mr. Dunkle affirming their accuracy, a facsimile of Dr. Cook's instructions to Capt. Loose, in Cook's handwriting, in possession of the Times, and the affidavit of Capt. Loose swearing to the accuracy of the same.

of the same.

The translation of this memoranda by Dr. Cook is as follows: "Svartevang, start March 17-18; strong wind; haze."

"March 30—Observations latitude and longitude; daily observations to April 23."

23."

The Times also prints the following list under the heading: "What Capt. Loose Says He Supplied to Dr. Cook:"

(1) Twenty-four altitudes for latitude sights

sights.

(2) One chart covering route from Svartevaag to the pole, with all of Dr. Cook's assumed positions marked upon

(3) Complete observations for time (3) Complete observations for time and chronometer rate, as they might have been taken by stars at Anoratok and Svartevaag, probably thirty in all.
 (4) Diagrams for compass error and corrections at different points.
 (5) Calculations for longitude, about twenty in all.

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(6) Sixteen observations as they could have been taken at the north pole in two sets, eight with the depression of the pole considered and eight with the depression ignored.
(7) Bowditch's complete nautical tables.
(8) Antingar's table for the

ables.

(8) Anfinsen's tables for the correc-on of the altitudes of heavenly bodies.

(9) American nautical almanac for

(9) American nautical almanac for several years.

(10) Lloyd's Calendar for 1908.

(11) Three admiralty charts covering Smith Sound and the polar regions, Nos. 260, 274 and 275.

(12) One Bliss Almanac of 1908.

(13) One Negus Almanac, 1907.

The Times has followed the steps described by these two men and has verified their regions and comings, their pur-

LAUGHS AT COOK'S IGNORANCE. In the narratives of Capt. Loose and Mr. Dunkle, Capt. Loose frankly expresses his scorn of Dr. Cook's claims, laughs at his ignorance of the simplest essentials for accurate observations in the Arctic regions, and describes at length how, working backward from the pole, he calculated observations that would fit in with Cook's narrative and coached him on the necessary modifications of the latter, as, for example, that he must be sure to record that he rose before 4.15 o'clock on a certain morning, because it was at that hour that a certain starr, mentioned in one of Loose's calculations, would be visible.

Mr. Dunkle describes the inception of the enterprise; how from the newspapers

Nork, adverted to his recent words on the decadence of Uncle Sam.

"There are too many of us." Mr. Belmont said, "who desire to win, to come out on top, whether by fair or foul means. To win by fair means is splendid, but to win by foul means—well, it is better to fail.

"But too many of us are like the trustee who expected his great-uncle to leave him his fortune of \$5,000. The great-uncle died, and a few days later the decadence of Uncle Sam.

"Go ahead, dear, and take it."

"No, no; you take it. I—"

And then the tired man did what so many should be to see done so many, many times. He took it himself.

As he sank wearily, but calmly, back in his seat the smiles of mutual benevolnege on the two faces froze into outgree of the faces of mutual benevolnege on the two faces froze into outgree of the face of many have wanted to see done so many, so whether cement was used to building the Pyramids. The accepted opinion at present is that it was so used, in his feat the smiles of mutual benevolnege on the two faces froze into outgree of the two faces froze into outgree of the two faces froze into outgree of the face of many have wanted to see done so many, so whether cement was used to building the Pyramids. The accepted opinion at present is that it was so used. The famous Appian Way, the Roman and Eugene opinion at present is that it was so used. The famous Appian Way, the Roman and Eugene opinion at present is that it was so used. The famous Appian Way, the Roman and Eugene opinion at present is that it was so used. In his feat the council of the Ontario College of Physicians and Surgeons power at once to erase names of medical practitioners convicted opinion at present is that it was so used. In his feat was so used, in his feat was oned. The face present was used to prince it was oned. In his feat w

"Well, if that is so.' replied the captain, 'then you cannot hope to convince the scientists that you reached the North Pole.'" VISIT TO SHIP SUPPLY STORE.

North Pole."

VISIT TO SHIP SUPPLY STORE.

Both Captain Loose and Mr. Dunkle tell of a visit to the shop of John Bliss & Co. at 128 Front street a few days after the captain's talk with the explorer at the Waldorf, and of purchasing for Dr. Cook various nautical and astronomical works, besides three charts of Smith Sound and the polar regions. Robert Flight, who sold the books and charts, told a reporter of the Times that he recalled the visit and that the purchases were made as described. The charts he sold, Mr. Flight said, were numbered 260, 274 and 275. He knew Captain Loose intimately, and recalled having asked him when the charts were bought if the captain intended going to the North Pole. "And from what I have known of the captain's experience as a navigator and his acquaintance with everything pertaining to observations," said Mr. Flight, "I would bet that if anyone could find his way to the pole Captain Loose is that man."

Captain Loose, in his statement, says he stayed at the Gramatan Hotel from Nov. 16 to Nov. 18, working out observations for Dr. Cook, and that he and the doctor had frequent conferences. Mr.



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### Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food



Dunkle went with him on Nov. 16, leaving the next day, he and the captain having connecting rooms, Nos. 126 and 128. Mr. Dunkle registered for them. The hotel register shows the arrivals on Nov. 16 of George H. Dunkle and "Andrew H. Lewis," the fictitious name agreed upon for Cantain Loos. They "Andrew H. Lewis," the fictitious name agreed upon for Captain Loose. They were assigned to rooms 126 and 128.

Capt. Loose says he remained secluded in his room during his stay at the hotel so as to: u no chance of having the doctor found out. All the time he worked hard on the polar calculations, giving them to Dr. Cook as they were completed.

In the last day of his stay at the hotel, Captain Loose says, he gave Dr. Cook the final set of observations he had made for him, and the doctor thanked him profusely, declaring that

thanked him profusely, declaring that he now felt confident that his records would be accepted at Copenhagen.
CAPT. LOOSE'S RECORD.

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Capt. Loose was born at Bergen, Norway, on March 17, 1889, and in his younger days worked as an assistant to his father, who has long been connected with the Coast Survey of Norway, Capt. Loose studied at the Navigation College of Bergen, and was graduated in 1891, with highest honors. He had been in command of many sea-going vessels. Lewis Nixon, the shipbuilder, who vouches for Capt. Loose's competence as a navigator, put the captain in command of the torpedo boat Gregory, built for the Russian Government, when it was taken from the shipyards, in these waters, and across the ocean. Mr. Nixon declared that Capt. Loose is, in his estimation, one of the "most competent. efficient and accurate of navigators."

IGNORANT GN VITAL POINTS.

In his statement, Capt. Loose says.

(12) One Bliss Almanac of 1908.
(13) One Negus Almanac, 1907.

The Times has followed the steps described by these two men and has verified their goings and comings, their purchases of books and charts, and the fact of their intimate relations with Dr. Cook. Whether the "observations" calculated by Capt. Loose and supplied, as he alleges, to Dr. Cook were adopted by the latter and made a part of his report to the University of Copenhagen it is, of course, impossible to say without a comparison of Capt. Loose sarrative with that report.

LAUGHS AT COOK'S IGNORANCE.

In the narratives of Capt. Loose and had just imagined it.

vote was then deferred until this morning to enable all present to read the evidence.

A motion was introduced asking that the Legislature of Ontario Gollege of Physicians and Surgeons power at once to crase names of medical practitioners convicted of misdemeanors and thus to avoid the present cumbergome procedure necessary to such crasure.

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Are one occasion, Dr. Cook surprised me by asking if I could work observations backward. The advantage in that to him, of course, was that he could hor him of course, was that he could on him, of course, was that he could on him, of course, was that he could on him, of course, was that he could of him of course, was that he could have got to him, of course, was that he could have got of the enterprise; how from the newspapers they gathered that Dr. Cook was in deep water, and inferred that he would be glad to pay for help; how Dunkle got John R. Bradley, Cook's backer, to introduce him; how the subject was led up to delicately, and the bargain finally the present cumbergome procedure necessary to such erasure.

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that they may fall into the hands of all sufferers."

JOHN BUSH, Watervleit, Me.

Used Them Four Years.
"Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are the best I ever tried for the relief of headache. I have used them for nearly four years and they never fail to give me relief, I have tried many other remedies, but have never found any

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him the charts he wanted, together with a number of books on polar observations, and that I was to work out from the narrative in the Herald all his sights for latitude and longitude, based upon the latitudes as published. That was a pretty good job. There were about thirty latitudes given in the Herald narrative, and there were a few longitudes."

Medical Acumen.

Medical Acumen.

A local physician who acts as exammer for an accident insurance company said that he has to be watchful in order to keep the companies he represents from being stung on accident claims.

"A man was in my office," he said, "who said that he had fallen from a street car. I examined his arm and though there were a few bruises on it it didn't appear to be badly hurt.

"How high can you raise it?" I continued, and he answerd by raising his arm, with apparent difficulty, until his hand was a few inches above his head.

"Pretty bad," I commented. "Now show me how high you could raise it before this accident happened."

"He lifted it easily then 'way up in the air, and it wan't until I began to laugh that he realized that he had exposed himself. He cleared out in a harry then."—Louisville Courier-Journs!

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### THE BANK OF MONTREAL

The ninety-second annual general meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank of Montreal was held in the Board Room of the Institution, Montreal, on

There were present: Sir Edward Clouston, Bart., Vice-President and General Manager; Sir William Macdonald, Sir Thomas G. Shaughnessy, Hon. Robert Mackay, Messrs. A. Baumgarten, R. B. Angus, E. B. Green-shields, David Morrice, Hon. J. K. Ward, G. F. C. Smith, Lieut. Col. Rrevost, Shaughnessy James Kirby, K. C., C. J. Fleet, K. C., John, Patterson, Alfred Piddington, George R. Hooper, B. A. Boas, George Dunford, Hugh Paton, H. Dobell, W. H. Evans, G. Scott, H. Joseph and J. Taylor.

In consequence of the absence of the President, Sir George Drummond,

K. C. M. G., through indisposition, Mr. R. B. Angus moved that the Vice President and General Manager. Sir Edward Clouston, take the chair.

This was seconded by Mr. E. B. Greenshields, and unanimously concurred in, after which it was resolved, on motion of Mr. Hugh Paton, seconded by Lieut.-Col. Prevost: "That the following be appointed to act as scrutineers: Messrs. G. F. C. Smith and George R. Hooper; and that Mr. James Aird be secretary of the meeting."

The Vice-President then submitted the report of the Directors, as

THE DIRECTORS' REPORT. The Directors have pleasure in presenting the Report showing the result of the Bank's business for the year ended 30th October, 1909.

Balance of Profit and Loss Acount, 31st October, 1908.

Profits for the year ended 30th October, 1909, after deducting charges for management, and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1,826,167.74

\$2,043,796.30 

 Dividend 2½ per cent. paid 1st March, 1909
 \$360,000.00

 Dividend 2½ per cent. paid 1st June, 1909
 360,000.00

 Dividend 2½ per cent. paid 1st Sept., 1909
 360,000.00

 Dividend 2½ per cent. payable 1st Dec., 1909
 360,000.00

 \$1,440,000.00 \$ 603,796.30

Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward ..... 

All the Offices of the Bank, including the Head Office, have been inspected

Bank of Montreal 6th December, 1909.

THE GENERAL STATEMENT.

The General Statement of the Bank on 30th October, 1909, was read as LIABILITIES

 
 Capital Stock
 \$12,000,00 00

 Rest
 \$12,000,00 00

 Balance of Profits carried forward
 603,796 30
 Unclaimed Dividends 2,580 51 Quarterly Dividend, payable 1st December, 1909 360,000 00 \$ 27,366,376 81

 
 Notes of Bank in circulation
 \$13,245,289
 00

 Deposits not bearing interest
 51,401,226
 27

 Deposits bearing interest
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Gold and Silver current \$5,802,263.05
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Deposit with Dominion Government required
by act of Parliament for security of general 

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E. S. CLOUSTON,

Such tests as bank note circulation bank clearings, railway

bank clearings, railway earnings, all point to the great activity of business. At the end of October the note circulation exceeded \$89,600,000, or \$6,600,000 more than a year ago. Business failures have been neither numerous nor serious being for the year to October 1st, 1,486 with liabilities of \$12,919,000, as com with liabilities of \$12,919,000, as compared with 1,629 failures and liabilities of \$16,959,000 in the previous twelve

months.

Railway construction is proceeding apace over the whole face of the Dominion. West of Lake Superior nearly 1,100 miles have been built this year, and the western Provinces now have 11,500 miles of railway, as much as the mileage of all Canada twenty years ago.

Bank of Montreal, Montreal, 30th October, 1909.

THE VICE-PRESIDENT.

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The Vice-President then spoke as follows:

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Part from Fort William and Port Arthur from Fort will an expectation will be a provinced by the province from Fort will be a provinced by the port will be a provinced by the most important change from last year in the statement submitted to you is the unusually large increase in deposits, amounting to \$36,000,000. Part of it is temporary, pending large payments in connection with special transactions, part is the natural increase from depositors as a result of the prosperous condition of affairs in this country, but the largest portion of the increase arises from money brought increase arises from money brought into Canada from other countries. It is quite possible that if the apprehenspreased in many quarters as to sequence of the new methods she taxation are realized, defrom this last source may be there enlarged. It is very imtherefore, that nothing should in Canada by injudicious legislatic exploitation of doubtful entry or otherwise, to stop this capital. Our call loans have d by about the same amount deposits, and what is not necestration as a portion of our rewill be gradually brought into try to meet commercial requires the stey arise.

\$292,857,000, or \$46,000,000 in excess of the corresponding period of the preceding year, imports having been larger by thirty-six millions and exports by ten millions. The adverse balance of trade has the arise and money pour into Canada from abroad the disparity need not cause uneasiness. Domestic industries are, speaking generally, working well up to the limit of capacity. Labor is fully employed; the lumber trade has improved. The export of dairy produce has been larger than last year, with high prices ruling throughout the season; all farm products, indeed, are exceptionally dear. as to ressed in ma v quar the consequence of the new methods of British taxation are realized, deposits from this last source may be still further enlarged. It is very important, therefore, that nothing should be done in Canada by injudicious legislation, the exploitation of doubtful enterprises, or otherwise, to stop this flow of capital. Our call loans have increased by about the same amount as our deposits and what is not necessity. as our deposits, and what is not necessary to retain as a portion of our reserves, will be gradually brought into the country to meet commercial require

the country to meet commercial requirements as they arise.

The profits are some \$130,000 less than last year, but considering the low rates ruling for the greater part of our fiscal year in London and New York, the result may be regarded as satisfactory. I am glad to say that the outlook for the coming year, or at least for the earlier months, is more promising and I shall be much disappointed if we do not make a better showing when next we meet.

The rapidity of the recovery of trade from the set-back following the mone-tary crisis in the United States two years ago has been as striking as it is satisfactory. Conditions to-day are, a excellent. The large harves in the Northwestern Pro inces in itself affords a basis for son factor in the commercial life of Canada the agricultural output of our Norththe agricultural output of our North-west has become may be realized from the fact that the yield of wheat, oats and barley is this year 313,635,000 bush-els, as compared with 232,620,000 bushels in 1908, 160,000.000 bushels in 1907, or 000 in 1900. A tenfold gain in the product of the Northwestern ness in nine years conveys some of the commercial potentialities of

when the outlook is so bright and in-spiriting. A tendency to over specula-tion in real estate in some parts of Can-ada is already apparent, and this, lik-other forms of gambling, can bring only disaster when the inevitable crash comes How suddenly conditions may change disaster when the inevitable crash comes. How suddenly conditions may change the rapid advance in the Bank of England rate last autumn attests. Only by prudence both in taking and granting credits and by avoidance of wild-cat ventures and exploitations on the high reputation Canada enjoys in the British money markets, can we reasonably anticipate a continuance of the prosperity power enjoys.

cipate a continuance of the prosperity now enjoyed.

There is only one other observation I desire to make. As you are aware, the decennial revision of the Bank Act will take place during the present ses-sion of Parliament. In one or two respects changes of a more or less technical character were to be found necessary; but the Act has been so thoroughly revised in the past, it with. necessary; but the Act has been st thoroughly revised in the past, it with stood so staunchly the trials of 1907 and its operation has been found to cenform so admirably to the require ments of trade and the interests of

ments of trade and the interests of a rapidly developing country, that I hardly think it likely that any material change will be made.

In our note circulation we have a system which enables us by its elasticity to carry out the heavy autumnal demands without creating any monetary stringency; and to show how valuable it is to the whole business community, I need only point to the fact that we are moving the large crop in the Northwest with great case and without any advance in rates to our commercial customers.

I beg to move: "That the report of the Directors now read be adopted and printed for distribution among the Shareholders."

Shareholders."

This, was seconded by Mr. E. B. Greenshields, and unanimously adopted.

Mr. H. Joseph then moved: "That the thanks of the meeting be presented to the President, Vice-President and Directors for their attention to the interests of the Rank." sts of the Bank."
Mr. C. J. Fleet seconded the

All. C. 3. Freet seconded the moton, which was unanimously agreed to.
Sir Thomas G. Shaughnessy moved:
"That the thanks, of the meeting be given to the General Manager, the Assistant General Manager, the Inspectors, the Managers and other officers 67-the Bank for their services during the past vear."

year."
The motion was seconded by Mr
David Morrice, and was unanimously

David Morrice, and was unanimously carried.

Sir Edward Clouston expressed acknowledgment on behalf of himself and fellow-officers.

THE DIRECTORS.

The ballot for the election of Directors was then proceeded with. The scrutineers appointed for the purpose reported the following gentlemen duly elected: B. ANGUS

R. B. ANGUS,
A. BAUMGARTEN,
SIR EDWARD CLOUSTON, BART.,
HON., SIR GEORGE DRUMMOND,
C. M. G., C. V. O.
E. B. GREENSHIELDS,
GUADLES IN WORMER CHARLES H. HOSMER, SIR WILLIAM C. MACDONALD,

HON. ROBERT MACKAY, DAVID MORRICE, JAMES ROSS THOMAS G. SHAUGHNESSY

THE RIGHT HON. LORD STRATH-CONA AND MOUNT ROYAL, G. C. M. G., G. C. V. O.

At a meeting of the Directors, held later, the Right Hon, Lord Stratheona and Mount Royal, G. C. M. G., G. C. V. O., was elected. Honorary President; Hon. Sir George Drummond, K. C. M. G., O. V. O., President, and Sir Edward Clouston, Bart., Vice-President.

### TO FIGHT CANCER.

### Dying Gift of \$1,500,000 From Millianaire to Aid Research.

New York, Dec. 8 .- The will of Mr. George Crocker, who was made public in part by Mr. Eugene D. Hawkins, counsel for the eexcutors Hawkins, counsel for the eexcutors, after Mr. Crocker's nuneral, provides for a gift to Columbia University that will amount to at least \$1,500,000, to be used for an investigation of cancer, its cause, prevention and cure. It was this disease that caused the death of Mr. Crocker, his wife and death of Mr. Crocker, his death of Mr. Crocker, his wife and his friend and physician, Dr. William T. Bull. That clause of the will provides that his taxetutors sell his city residence, No. 1 East Sixty-fourth street, and the contents, as well as street, and the contents, as well as his country home at Darlington, N. J., together with the horses, cattle and other personal property, and pay the net proceeds to the trustees of Columbia College, to be invested as a permanent fund, to be known as the "George Crocker Special Research Fund."

Should the progress of science make the prosecution of such researches in regard to cancer unaccessary, the will provides that the income of the fund may be used as the trustees may determine in the prosecution of other amounted to 35,815,000 bushels up to Nov. 14, or 13,300,000 bushels in excess Nov. 14, or 13,300,000 bushels in excess of the preceding year's shipments.
Our foreign trade has not only reached, but 'has begun to exceed, the high-water mark of two years ago. In the six months ending September 30th, last, imports for consumption and export of domestic products were of the value of \$202,857,000, or \$46,000,000 in excess of

determine in the prosecution of other researches in medicine and surgery of the principal or income of the fund and in the allied sciences. No part of the principal or income of the fund is to be used for the erection of a building

### MAD DOG.

### Nine Persons Were Bitten on the Main Street in Galt.

Galt, Ont., Nov. 8.-Nine perso were bitten by a supposedly mad dog here to-day. The animal, a cocker spaniel, was first noticed at 7 o'clock in the morning, when it snapped at the pedestrians on Main street west. It was late this afternoon before the brute was cornered and shot. Several prominent citizens and three youngsters are among the victims of the animal's aftacks, and a couple of the children were severely lacerated.

The head of the dog has been sent to Ottawa for examination, but local authorities on the subject state that there is no doubt that the animal was suffering from hydrophobia.

The first Portland cement mill in Canada was erected twenty years ago, in were bitten by a supposedly mad dog

mileage of all Canada twenty years ago.

Immigration has picked up after the short relapse in 1908, the estimate of the number of new settlers this year being 150,000, about one-half of whom are experienced farmers who have moved into our Northwest from the United States. The evidences of expanding trade, accumulating wealth, and material progress and development might be cited at great length, and a pleasant picture painted of our happy condition.

There are always, however, dangers to be avoided, and never more so than

### GAVE CLEVER COMEDY SKIT.

County Councillors Have Fun Over Automobile Act.

School Inspector Smith Makes a Proposition.

Road Superintendent Gives a Dinner To-night.

At yesterday afternoon's session of the County Council some of the Councillors mixed things up pretty well, so much so that at one time Councillors Hills and Binkley were learning across their desks a far as they could reach, apparently unaware of the fact until the usually solemn faces of the other Councillors were distorted with laughter, even the Warden adding his pleasant smile— which was a load one at that

Warden adding his pleasant smile— which was a loud one at that.

"That automobile by law," as Council-lor Binkley explained it, again cropped up and kept things humming for a while. County Solicitor Counsell happened to drop in, and the Councillors immediately besieged him for information as to what course should be pursued, and the result was that Mr. Counsell could not escape for over an hour. Every possible theory that could be advanced was piled upon the Solicitor by the anxious Councillors,

that could be advanced was piled upon the Solicitor by the anxious Councillors, until he hardly knew where he was at, and finally the question had to be ex-plained by the Warden. The Warden explained to Mr. Counsell that the Council purposed amending the by-law relating to the speed of automo-biles, and the disposition of the fines, so that neither the constable nor the auto-mobilists would be taken advantage of. Mr. Counsell explained that that ques-

Mr. Counsell explained that that ques-tion had already been disposed of by the Provincial Act. The fines went into the municipality and then were paid over to

Councillor Dewar questioned the right Councillor Dewar questioned the right of the Government, but Mr. Counsell ex-plained that the opinion of the Legal De-partment was that the money be paid to the Provincial Treasurer. Councillor Dewar—Petition the Govof the Gover

rnment to amend their Act.

The Warden said such a course could be adopted, but no provision was being

be adopted, but no provision was being made for the compensation of the constables making the arrest. He thought they should be paid a stated amount. The County Magistrates would pay the money over to the county, and he thought the constables should be instructed to have tacir cases tried before them.

them.

Councillor Lawson suggested that the matter be left to the Solicitor, to petition the Government, and see what could be done. As there would be no dust flying for the next few months, he thought the question of paying a stated amount to the constable could be left over.

The Warden said he did not think it was the local automobilists who were causing the trouble, as the President of the local club had expressed himself in favor of suppressing over-speeding. The

favor of suppressing over-speeding. The trouble was no doubt caused by tourists

trorble was no doubt caused by tourists from outside places. Councillor Lawson offered a resolution as follows: That the question of a bylaw governing the speed of automobiles be left to the County Solicitor to peak tion the Government to change the Act as to the disposition of the fines.

Councillor Binkley suggested that the matter be left to the Legislative Commit.

Councillor Hills—Councillor Binkley is hanging himself on his own scaffold. What's the Legislative Committee for if it isn't for such questions?

Councillor Binkley—I'm surprised at Councillor Hills. I only made a sugges-

cillor Smiley made a resolution

that the clause "half the fines" be left out of the original by-law.

Councillor Lawson said he did not think the motion in order.

Councillor Binkley made a motion as follows Resolved, that the Gouncil pctition the Provincial Government to amend the regulation re speed limit of automobiles so that the fines be paid to the county where the arrests are mote.

county where the arrests are made.

"What's the solicitor's opinion of the resolution?" was the question fired at

DR. M'CONNELL where the arrests are made

roads in the section where the arrests were made.

"I object," said Councillor Binkley as a member of the Legislative Committee for the remainder of the year," said Councillor Hills.

After a short explanation of the advantages of such a scheme as outlined in Mr. Hills' resolution, it passed without serious objection, and the other resolutions which had been voted on were declared lost.

out serious objection, and the other resolutions which had been voted on were declared lost.

The report of the county school inspector was then submitted. It stated that the expenses of the inspector had been greater during the past six months than had been anticipated, and asked for an additional grant from the council. A grant of \$25 was made.

Mr. Smith, the inspector, said a proposition had been made to him that two of the municipalities in the County of Wentworth be added to another county, and thereby even up the work in such a way that it would not be necessary for him to have an assistant.

The council decided to advance Mr. Smith \$75 for assistance.

The road superintendent will entertain the councillors at dinner to night.

Bauty is often the silent defence of a

Bauty is often the silent defence of a bad cause.—Manchester Union.

### DORICAT-HOME

### Successful Masonic Anniversary Event Held Last Evening.

The thirteenth anniversary at-home given last night in the Masonic Hall by Doric Lodge, A. F. and A. M., was 

Mrs. A. W.

Reading—Selected

Miss Clara Salisbury.

Vocal solo—Good-Bye Summer....

Frank Lynes Vocal solv—— Frank Lynes—
Mrs. F. W. Brennen.
Vocal solo—If I Were a Rose Heselburg
Bro. Chester Walters.
Cello solo—The Broken Melody....
(Von Biene

A dainty supper was served by Cat-erer, Moffat, after which Lomas' orchestra supplied music for dancing. About 400 were present and greatly enjoyed one of the best conducted social events of the sacco-

### THE MOON.

Interesting Address by G. Par y Jenkins, in Unity Church.

An entertaining and instructive lecture

was given last evening in Unity Church by G. Parry Jenkins, F. R. A. S., on "The Moon-Our Nearest Neighbor in Space The lecture, which was well attended was illustrated by sixty views, which showed the results of observations made by the best telescopes of the world. M Jenkins said that the moon was fou hundred times nearer the earth than th sun, or 238,000 miles from the earth. A though the sun and moon appeared the same size in the sky, the earth was, i reality. reality, only one sixty-five-million part of the sun's size. The fact that part of the sun's size. The fact, though and ever seen the other side of moon was due to it rotating on its in precisely the same time as it; to go around the earth. Owing to earth would only weigh 30 pounds of moon was regionally to the same process. moon a man weighing 180 pounds on the earth would only weigh 30 pounds on the moon. With the same power that a person could drive a ball one hundred fee son could drive a ball one hundred feet on the earth, they could drive it six times as far on the surface of the son. With the aid of fine telescopes photographs of the lunar landscape had been taken, showing the principal objects of interest, including numerous craters and peaks, in some instances rising as high as 36,000 feet, or 7,000 feet higher than 36,000 feet, or 7,000 feet higher than Mount Everest, the highest peak on this Mount Everest, the highest peak on this globe. In accounting for the moon, Mr Jenkins gave the opinion that it was originally part of the earth, and that long ages ago it had become separates from the earth, and forming an independent body. At present, he explained it was rotating round the earth at a speed of 2.990 miles per hour. In conspeed of 2,290 miles per hour. In con-cluding he said, the moon was a dead world, and in it was illustrated the ical condition which, in all probability,

gues.

A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Jenkins for his interesting lecture, which, as shown by the loud applause, had been enjoyed by all.

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# Christmas Presents

BEAR in mind when buying Christmas presents that a useful article will give more pleasure than one which will be set aside and probably forgotten in the course of a few days.

SLIPPERS—If mother or father is old and feeble, we have the Slippers that will please them, and at almost any price you wish to pay. Our Elastic Side Slippers in tan and black were made special, and are finer grade than you will find elsewhere.

FINE DRESS SLIPPERS—See our lovely assortment of Slippers for dress occasions. Patent Pumps and Ankle Straps from \$2.50 up. Our beaded lines are the prettiest ever shown by us, and are perfect fitters. We have Slippers at all prices from \$1.00 up to \$4.50.

YOUNG MAN, your mother, father or sister would be delighted with a pair of Slippers or Shoes as a Christmas gift. Come in and select a pair before the rush is on and we will hold them for you if you make a small payment on them. CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS—The children are going to give a party this winter, and they are also going to be asked to several. It is but natural that they should wish a nice pair of Slippers. We have a grand assortment in patent and kid in all sizes from baby up to women's size. For the boys a Patent Pump in sizes 11 to 13 at \$2.00 and 1 to 5 at \$2.25.

MEN'S DRESS SHOES-We have all sizes in Oxfords and Pumps at \$2.50 and \$3.75. Some prefer the high laced and buttoned Shoes for dress occasions, and this store lends all others in this class of foot-wear, prices \$4.00. to \$7.75.

RUBBER BOOTS—All sizes in Rubber Boots for women, men and children, and every pair of our Rubber Goots are GUARANTEED FIRST QUALITY. We do not handle the seconds.

# J. D. CLIMIE

30 and 32 King West

### MACALLUM VS. SOTHMAN.

City Engineer Says Hydro Engineer's Advice is Bad.

They Will Confer Before Beach Power is Settled.

### Westinghouse Company Will Get the Tender Anyway.

Before the city awards the contracts for the electric pumps and motors at the Beach, Engineer Macalium will con fer with Engineer Sothman, of the voltage the power should be handled at Sothman was in favor of taking the power direct from the wires at 13,200

installing transformers. "It's not good engineering practice," Engineer Macallum told the Fire and Water Committee after the matter had

been discussed for an hour.

"It would probably cost about 5 per cent, more," he said, "but it is a question of safety in operation. I think it would be better to have transformers and take the power at lower voltage. There is an effect cason. Although the installation will be large, you can imagine what will happen if a drop of water gets on the motors handling the power at that high voltage."

Ald, Lees wanted to know if the commission had not sent an engineer here

Mr. Macallum said he desired to dis-cuss the matter with Mr. Sothman again. The committee nearly two years ago recommended that the tender of the Westinghouse Company for motors be be accepted. Those tenders were for 66-2-3 cycle motors, which are used for Cataract power. No action was ever taken by the Council, because the power question was not settled.

question was not settled.

A letter from the Westinghouse Company, embedying a new offer for the 25-cycle motors for Hydro power was laid before the committee last night. Secretary James explained that the company insisted that it was confidential, and not to be real if new tenders were called for, as it did not desire to have its figures made public. Mr. James said the offer was not far from the figure

year is not as bad as the one last year, nor the one of the previous year. Yet the same old "hoodoo," seems to hover

same old "hoodoo," seems to hover around.

On the recommendation of the City Engineer it was decided to refund to Messre. Forbes and Hewish \$113, the cost of a six inch connection at the corner of Main street and Fairholt road, before the annexation deal went through. The city will use the connection now as part of the waterworks system in that district.

The best the city can do in the way of fire protection for the east end mountain top people this winter is to place a hand reet there and about 475 feet of hose, at a cost of about \$500. The Finhose, at a cost of about \$500.

se, at a cost of about \$500. The Committee will be asked to fur

The drinking fountain in front of the The drinking fountain in front of the Ontario Lantern Company's works, of Cannon street, which has been the cause of many complaints, will be moved to the waterworks yard.

H. Heim and G. Hallam were appointant and arrangements to the fire department.

he money

ed permanently to the fire department on the recommendation of the Chief.

### BOUNDARY LINE.

### Hen. Dr. Pugsley and Dr. King Left For Washington...

Ottawa, Dec. 8 .- Hon. Dr. Pugsley, Minister of Public Works, left for Washington this afternoon, where, with Dr. King, Dominion astronomer, he will con-King, Dominion astronomer, he will confer with Ambassador Bryce and United States authorities relative to several matters in connection with the progress of re-marking the international boundary line. The principal point at issue is with regard to the delimitation of the boundary in Passamaquoddy Bay, between Maine and New Brunswick. Both countries claim the ownership of Fool's Folly Island in the bay, and the case may have to go to arbitration at The Hague.

### A CHANCE.

American Kitchen Friend Makes Fine Christmas Present.

He set forth the paramount need of oxygen to the body and emphasized the importance of deep breathing as the best way for generating oxygen and explained that it is impossible for any body to get well when the amount of oxygen is low. The fuel for the body, he maintained was oxygen. Deep breathing before and after every meal and regularly throughout the day will increase. He checkricity in the body. Very heidly was described how electricity could be supplied to the digestive organs. Many people, he said, looked at human electration of the outset a letter from the Allistical way, but if they were to look on the body and treat it would be evident.

By McConnell touched upon tuberculasis and said that decided results was and who had been in Porto Rice, and had contracted tuberculosis of the intesting and an an engine the result would be evident.

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### AGREES WITH MACALLUM.

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that the city will be taking a big risk if handles the power at the Beach at 15,200 voits. He discussed the matter resterday with Mr. Macallum, and point-d out that if any water should get into the coffs the cost of winding the 13,200 voit motors would be much greater than for 2,000 voit motors. Mr. Merrill delared that as a precaution, insuling afety, he would prefer transforming the sower, even if it cost as much as 5 per sent more.

Mr. Macallum has not decided ye hat route will be used to carry th power line from Dundas through the city. Care must be taken to avoid the Cataract wires, as the different current when brought close together cause trouble. There is talk of carrying the line down Cannon street.

The Finance Committee hopes to dispose of the old Kramer-Irwin case for good this afternoon.

The following building permits were

The following building permits were sented to-day:
William Theaker, brick house on Slater street, south of King street, for James Milton, \$2,200.
Mr. Swales, brick house on Kinrade avenue, between Barton and Cannon streets, \$1,100.
Aome Tool & Stamping Company, frame building on Sydney street, \$500.

About the only matter likely to cause discussion at the Board of Educa-tion meeting to-night is the recommenda-tion that people west of Garth street the permitted to send their children to city schools, the charge to be a dellar a family. Some of the trustees an

Mr. Daniel Evans, head roller at the Queen street mills, has decided to run for alderman in Ward 4.

Relief Officer McMenemy would like to secure a cook stove for a poor, de-serving family.

The financial statement covering the expenditure for eleven months of the year shows overdrafts in the Hospital and administration of criminal justice ac-counts. The other departments, howand administration of criminal justice ac-counts. The other departments, how-ever, are fairly well within their appro-priations, and it is certain now that the city will have no overdraft at the end of the year. The statement as submitted shows the waterworks construction ac-count overdrawn. This is because the \$35,000 debentures have not been issued yet. As a matter of fact this depart-ment will have a small surplus. The statement is as follows: Administration of crim-

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"Ald. Allan is acting Mayor to-day.

### EXTENDED TIME.

(Special Wire to the Times.)
Ottawa, Dec. 9.—At the first meeting, of the Railway Committee of the Commons this morning the application of eight companies for an extension of time to begin construction of lines authorized some years ago were granted. These included extensions to Walkerton & Lucknow Railway Co. and West Ontario Pacific Railway Co., in western Ontario, which obtained charters over ten years ago.

### Sweetmeats For Sweethearts.

Our stock of Cadbury's English cho-colates is worthy of your inspection. Over sixty varieties of fancy boxes in prices ranging from 20c to \$5. Nothing gives greater pleasure to a recipient than a dainty box of chocolates, more particularly when they bear the seal of Cedbury. Lowney's and Webb's chocolates also in stock. Peebles-Hobson Co., Ltd.

### DIED OF TUMOR.

Toronto, Dec. 9.—George H. Gunn. the young son of Mr. Hector Gunn, of 170 Albany avenue, is dead after a short illness, the result of a tumor, at the age of 23 years. He was born in the town of Allsa Craig, in Middlesex. Mr. Gunn had spent three years in Toronto University, winning a scholarship the first term.

### BISHOP STRINGER SAFE.

Kincardine, Dec. 2.—A telegram was seejved this morning by Mrs. Stringr, wife of his Lordship the Bishop Yukon, announcing his arrival at ircle. Alaska, and stating that he as in good health, that he has been clayed by ice and expected to reach awron by the twentieth inst.

### MARKET TOLLS

gston, Ont., Dec. 9.—Following Imost complete abolition of toll in Frontenac, County Council owing to get the city do away its market tolls: A referendum o question is suggested.

### Saved From the Sea THE TIMES' NEW STORY

TIMES.

LOOK OUT FOR IT

### TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—John Mitchell has reported to the police that he was robbed of \$32 in cash and a \$27 cheque while intoxicated yesterday.

—John McQueen ,a Grimsby contrac-tor, called at No. 3 Police Station this morning, about 2.45, saying he had been robbed of \$100.

—Florence Bruce, 4 Turner avenue, fell and broke one of her legs while roller skating last night. She was taken to the City Hospital in the ambulance. To-day she is doing nicely.

—Archbishop McEvay. of Toronto, celebrated his fifty-seventh birthday yesterday, and received very many warm congratulations on the event. He was born i nLindsay, Ont., on Dec. 8, 1852.

-While travelling south on James street yesterday afternoon, car No. 58, in charge of Motorman Ross and Conductor Carpenter, collided with one of Roger's coal wagons, damaging the fender of the car, but not injuring the wagon

wagon.

-The Citizens' Campaign Committee
has been successful in securing Dr. Sam
Small for one week, commencing Dec.
13th. So many have expressed their desire to hear this noted speaker that the
committee it are recommitteed. committee is arranging to have him speak in different parts of the city.

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—The Canadian Club Luncheon tomorrow evening at the Royal Hotel promises to be well attended. J. P. Downey, M. P. P., is to be the speaker, and
no doubt he will ably handle the subject of Prison Reform. Tickets can be
procured as usual at Hennessey's Drug
Store, 7 King street east. Members will
oblige by getting their tickets early.

### OBITUARY.

Mt. and Mrs. Leeming Lose Their Little Boy.

Much sympathy will be extended to James E. and Mrs. Leeming, 12 Emily street, upon the death of their son, James, aged six years. Deceased, who was a bright little fellow and well loved by all who knew him, took sick three weeks ago with scarlet fever and died in the city hospical last evening. The funeral took place privately from the hospital at 3 p. m. to-day. Rev. C. B. Kenrick officiated at the house and grave. The interment was in Hamilton

At 3.30 o'clock this afternoon the fureral of Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Magili took place from the residence of her son-in-law, Dr. T. H. Husband, 33 Jackson street west, to Hamilton Cemetery. Rev. Canon Abbott officiated. The pall-bearers were S. F. Lazier, K. C., E. F. Lazier, Col. A. H. Moore, Wm. C. Morton, C. Whinton, Toronto, T. Young. ten, C. Whinton (Toronto), T. Young (New York), Gambel Geddes and Dr. T.

Rev. D. R. Drummoud officiated at the funeral service of Miss Elizabeth East-man, at the residence of her brother-in-law, Sheriff Middleton, corner of Main and Emerald streets, at 1 p. m. to-day. The remains were sent to St. Ann's, Ont., for interment.

The remains of Mrs. Georgina I. T Ambrose were sent this afternoon to Walkerton, where the interment will take place.

### TORONTO FIRE.

Blaze in McKinnen's Makes Store Clerks Run.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 9.-A blaze in the easement of the six storey McKinnon building, Jordan and Melinda streets. was quenched by the firemen at 9.45 this morning, just in time to prevent what might have been a serious fire. It started in a pile of old paper and books, which is supposed to have been started by accident, thrown matches or eigar lutt.

ployed in the many offices had to rush from the building to the street to escape

### TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH.

The regular business and social mee-ing of Trinity English Lutheran Church was held on Tuesday evening at the re-sidence of the pastor, Ret. J. A. Miller, with 27 persons present. Interesting minutes of the previous meeting were read, as were the reports of the differ-ent officers and committees. The "Cal-ardar" is developing into evaluations.

ent officers and committees. The "Calendar" is developing into a real race, as was demonstrated when the standing of the twelve months was turned upside down. Several months ago the league decided to work for the financial side of the church.

It was decided to have a church paper operated by the league and edited by one of the members. All the church news will be given in this paper, and it is hoped that it will eventually become permanent. It will be issued monthly.

Five new members were received, and everybody was happy at the good turn

Five new members were received, and everybody was happy at the good turn things have taken. The next meeting will be held at the residence of Miss A. Miller. 101 Sanford avenue north, on Jan. 4. The fellowing musical programme was rendered and much enjoyed by all: Piano solo, Miss Clara Paulsen; piano solo, Miss Clara Gibb; 'cello solo, Mr. E. A. Bartmann; piano solo, Miss H. Slumkoski.

moving to get the city do away in its market toile. A referendum the question is suggested.

LOSING PROFESSOR.

Contreal, Dec. 9.—McGill Univerbase been losing its best profess during the past few years. owto in ability to pay the salaries many offer store in the city. By reason of our unequalled buying facilities 2,000 dollars worth of \$18 suits and overcoats will be on sale Saturday notice that you are at headquarters. 100 hors's Buster Overcoats at \$2.90, worth \$5. 13 and 15 James street north.

### COOK'S DATA.

Danes Do Not Believe New York Story of Fabrication.

Copenhagen, Dec. 9.- A summary of the affidavits of persons claiming to have aided Dr. Cook in the preparation

have aided Dr. Cook in the preparation of his Polar data, published in London and New York to-day, was read here with amazement. Scientific circles are inclined to be incredulous regarding the charges, and some persons, like Dr. Carl Burra, the astronomer, consider them so improbable that their effect will be to strengthen confidence in Dr. Cook. Dr. Burra said: "Passages in the story telegraphed here give me the impression that the matter is thoroughly untrustworthy. Take, for instance, the statement about Capella, Capella neither ries nor sets in the Polar regions, but remains fixed over the horizon. In order to make observations at the North Pole a more extended and a more detailed knowledge is necessary than is enjoyed usually by the average ship's captain. It will, however, be easy for the university to determine the truth regarding the charges."

### FIVE WENT DOWN

With Big Steel Freighter Five Miles From Buffalo.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 9.-The W. C. Richardson, a big steel freighter, sank early to-day at a point five miles up the lake from Buffalo harbor, and five the ship. Capt. Briesser and the lifesaving crew went to the rescue and sav-ed the other members of the crew, most

saving crew went to the rescue and saved the other members of the crew, most of whom had grabbed lifebelts and jumped into the water.

The remainder of the crew of 20 were rescued by the steamer Paine, which, with the Richardson, were anchored off Waverly Shoal over night, fearing to enter this harbor because of the prevailing storm. The sea was high and early to-day the Richardson shifted her cargo and listed, the water rushing into her before she could be righted. She now lies in about 20 feet of water with her bow in the air. The W. C. Richardson is a propeller of 3,818 tont, built in 1902, and owned by W. C. Richardson, of Cleveland. Neither the names of those lost or rescued are obtainable at this time.

### WANT THE MAN.

Ottawa Will Demand His Return by U. S. Authorities.

(Special Wire to the Times.) Ottawa, Dec. 9 .- It is understood that

the question about proof referred to the Ottawa authorities, that Kelly, the man arrested by American officers near the International boundary between Maine and New Brunswick, was taken in Cana dian territory. The proofs have beer submitted to the Department of Justice and it is understood that a demand wil and it is understood that a demand be made upon Washington for the turn of the man.

### DELICATE JOB.

Montreal Lawyer Operated on For Ear Trouble.

vell-known corporation lawyer, who has been prominent in many big financial deals of late, was operated on at the Royal Victoria Hospital to-day for an described as an extremely delicate one, owing to the nearness of the trouble to the brain and also to the fact that it was the second operation for the same trouble. It was successful, however, and the patient is doing well.

### DR. COOK'S NAME OFF.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 8.—After a discussion which lasted all of yesterday afternoon and this forenoon, the Council of the Ontario College of Physicians and Surgeons to-day. by a vote of 17 to 7. decided to strike the name of Dr. W. R. Cook, of Toronto, from the list. Five doctors did not vote. Dr. Cook was represented by his counsel. presented by his counsel.

### TOOK POISON.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 9 .- A. J. Wilson was the name given by a man who regis-tered at a hotel on King street west last night. This forenoon the man was found deed in his room partly dressed found dead in his room partly dressed, and with two empty carbolic acid bottles beside him. On a lapel of his coat was the name George Hewitt, power house, Toronto. Letters addressed to several parties in Toronto were on the table.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING .. Christmas is less than three weeks away—none too long a time for choosing the gifts, which are to be tangible symbols of the good-will which once a year we confess is, after all still a factor in life as we live it. Thoughtlessness and lack of consideration for others are "not in the picture" as artists as and yet in the picture," as artists say, and yet, because of them, the Christmas season has become to thousands of clerks time to be dreaded for its feverish cut has become to thousands of cierks a time to be dreaded for its feverish culmination in last minute shopping, hur-ried purchases and lost tempers. In minety-nine cases out of a hundred there is no pretence at a reason for not finishing Chrisimas purchasings days or weeks before the holiday. Presents are as easy to choose and show-cases and counters far easier to get to before the inevitable belated and desperate crowd of last-moment shoppers start their frenzied rounds. Even if they were not, a little thought of what the ante-Christmas rush means to the people behind the counters would expedite Christmas purchases and go far towards making the holiday season more an exemplification of good-will to men" than it has been in the past.

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THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS — Strong westerly winds, partly cloudy and cold with ow flurries. Friday strong north-

west winds and very cold. The following is issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries:

Temperature.

9	8 a	. m.	Min.	Weather
	Calgary	*6	*10	Clear
	Wininpeg		*34	Clear
	Port Arthur		*8	Cloud
	Parry Sound		18	Cloud
	Toronto		18	Cloud
'	Ottawa	30	10	Fair
3	Montreal		20	Snow
t	Quebec		18	Snow
	Father Point		22	Snow
	*Below zero.			
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WEATHER NOTES.

This morning the pressure is highest from Manitoba eastward to the Mississippi valley and lowest over Quebec and British Columbia. The cold wave continues to spread eastward. The temperature fell to 34 below in Winnipeg and 8 below at Port Arthur. Unseasonably cold weather with storm conditions continues in British Columbia.

Toronto, Dec. 9.—Forecast:
Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Strong westerly winds, partly cloudy and cold with snow, flurries. Friday strong northwest winds and very cold.

Washington, Dec. 9—Western New York—Local snow and colder to night; Friday partly cloudy, continued cold.

Lower Lakes—Brisk west winds, snow flurries to-night; Friday partly cloudy, continued cold.

RETRIBUTION.

### RETRIBUTION.

An Incident of the Workings of Canada's Government Protection.

Last summer the writer travelled the Athabasca trail with Sergt. Anderson, B. N. W. M. P., of Lesser Slave, and from him, piecemeal and reluctantly rendered, got the story of the King-Hayward murder and Anderson's wonderful

ward murder and Anderson's wonderful detective work therewith. In September, 1904, two white men entered the Lesser Slake Lake country, ostensibly prospecting for gold, Subsequently the Indiana reported that one of the men seemed to be traveling alone, an observant Cree boy adding. "The white man's dog won't follow that fellow any more. The answers given by Charles King of Mount Pleasant, Utah, regarding his lost companion were not satisfactory, King was arrested, and there began one of the most splendid bits of detective work of which Canada has record.

has record.
Sergt. Anderson turned over the a Sergt. Anderson turned over the asnes of a camp-fire and found three hard lumps of flesh and a small piece of skullbone. In front stretchel a little slough, or lake, which seemed a likely place in which to look for evidence. Setplace in which to look for evidence. Set-ting Indian women to fish up with their toes any hard substance they might feel in the ooze, Anderson secured a stick-pin of unusual make and a sovereign-case. He systematically drained the lake, and found a shoe with a broken-eved needle sticking in it. The came fire eyed needle sticking in it. The camp-fire ashes, examined with the microscope, asnes, examined with the microscope, yielded the missing part of a needle's broken eye, and established unmistakeable connection between lake and

The maker of the stickpin in London The maker of the stickpin in London, England, was communicated with by cable, and the Canadian Government summoned a Mr. Hayward to come from England to identify the trinkets of his murdered brother. Link by link the chain grew. It took eleven months the chain grew. It took eleven months for Sergt. Anderson to get his complete case in shape. The mounted police brought from Lesser Slave Lake to Edmonton forty Indians and half-breed witnesses. The evidence was placed before the jury, and the Indians returned to their homes. A legal technicality cropping up, the trial had to be repeated in its entirety, and once more those forty men, women and children left their traps and fishing-nets and came into Edmonton to tell their

story.

The result was that Charles The result was that Charles King was found guilty of the murder of Edward Hayward, and paid the death penalty. The trial cost the government of Canada over \$30,000—all to avenge the death of one of the wandering units to be found in every corner of the silent places, an unknown pressure of the silent places. ent places, an unknown prospector.— From Agnes Dean Cameron's "Sentin-els of the Silence" in the Christmas Cen-eury.

### MUSHROOM POISONING.

In Symptoms and Treatment-Rule to Observe in Gathering Edible Fungi. Considering the frightful consequence Considering the frightful consequences of gathering and eating poisonous mushrooms in mistake for the edible variety it is little short of marvellous that a 
person without knowledge should dare 
to go into the fields and woods and pick 
and eat any of the fungi growing there. 
It you are thoroughly familiar with 
som eparticular variety of edible mushroom and can distinguish it at sight 
from all others however similar in color from all others, however similar in color and form, it is safe to eat that particu-

and form, it is safe to eat that particular variety; but you must beware of other kinds that resemble it, for however slight the difference in appearance one may be edible and the other poisonous.

There is no absolute rule for distinguishing the edible from the poisonous kinds, and it is better therefore to give no general rules, but to follow only one. Suspect every mushroom which you do not know positively to be edible. To this rule perhaps may be added a second: Learn to distinguish the white spored agaries and avoid them all, for although there is an edible species it relations.

Notices of Births, Marriages teaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-Weekly Times. 50c first insertion; 25c for each subsequent insertion.

### DEATHS.

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The chief poison in mushroms are two in number—muscarin and phallin. The first of these produces symptoms reseabling those of alcoholic intoxleation, followed by convulsions or paralysis, collapse and death from heart failure. These symptoms come on soon after the mushrooms have been eaten.

In poisoning by phallin the symptoms do not appear until several hours after the meal. They resemble cholera, beginning with severe abdominal pain, soon followed by vomiting, purging and collapse.

collapse.
In all cases of mushroom poisoning vomiting should be induced as soon as possible, and a large dose of castor oil may be given to hasten the elimination of any as yet unabsorbed portions of

Stimulants are needed to support the heart, and milk containing an abundance of magnesia or bicarbonate of sodium may be given.

Injections of a salt solution into the veins and—in case of muscarin poisonin—hypodermic injections of atropin aroften employed by physicians, with benefit.—Youth's Companion. "The Power of Beauty."

"The Power of Beauty."

A beautiful woman, a beautiful rose, and a beautiful sunset are the mysteries of life for which one would gradly live life again." So wrote neine; and we who recognize that these mysteries are ever about us—of daily occurrence in our lives—feel, too, that it is only the superlative of which the poet spoke and which we #d-mire. Beauty in woman is often only a phrase—a mere courtesy quality as it were—and in this the comparative sense beautiful women are as plentiful as good women or clever women. But real beauty—perfection of form and feature and coloring, and "every wondrous attribute in woman that ever snared Apollo"—is only seen in one among a million. Such beauty is rower. The world cannot reals it. one among a million. Such beauty power. The world cannot resist power. The world cannot resist it; such beauty, though the possessor be of lowly birth, can move onward and upward, without other influence, without brains, even without breeding, to fame and wealth and high estate.—Dec

### Steamship Arrivals.

December 8.— Interest of the control of the control

P. F. iWilhelm—At Cherbourg, from New York. December 9.— Majestic—At New York, from Southampton, Cape Race, Nfd., Dec. 9.—Steamer St. Louis, Southampton and Cherbourg for New York, was 1973 miles cast of Sandy Hook at 8,20 a. m. to-day. Dock about 4 p. m. Sat-urday.

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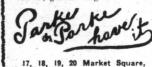
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