

40TH YEAR, NO. 864.

LONDON, ONTARIO, MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1902.

WHOLE NO. 16735.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.

WHITE—On Nov. 28, 1902, near Prospect Hill, Ont. Margaret Ann, beloved wife of Samuel White, in her 75th year. Funeral on Tuesday, Dec. 2, at 1 o'clock (services at 12:30), from the family residence, lot 22, South Boundary, Biddulph, to St. John's Cemetery, London Township.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

GRAND TONIGHT.

THE POPULAR IRISH COMEDY-DRAMA.

THE IVY LEAF

Popular prices: 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c.

TOMORROW NIGHT.

Florodora

THE BIG NEW YORK COMPANY.

Seats now selling—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50.

THURSDAY, DEC. 4.

"ANOTHER LOVER'S LANE."

OUT OF THE FOLD.

PRESENTED BY A CAST OF SUPERIOR EXCELLENCE.

5c, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50.

SEAT SALE TOMORROW AT 9 A.M.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE, DEC. 3.

The famous BANDA ROSSA, under auspices of the IMPERIAL DAUGHTERS OF EMPIRE. This is the world's greatest band. Tickets, 75c, 50c, 25c; first two rows balcony, 75c.

THE BIJOU COMEDY COY.

See Prize Furniture in Brown & Chanters.

Special Opening Bill.

"UNDER 2 FLAGS"

TONIGHT—Ladies free, if accompanied by holder of paid ticket. Prices, 10c, 20c, 30c.

TOMORROW NIGHT—GRAND SACRED

Concert. Haydn's "Imperial Third Mass." by chorus of over 50. St. Mar's Church, 1511 St. George street. Tickets, 50c, to be had at McPhillips Music Store and C. H. Ward's Jewelry.

AUDITORIUM CONCERT COURSE.

"DURNO" the Mysterious.

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY.

Seats on sale Tuesday—25, 50 and 75 cents.

DANCING—SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Advanced class, ladies and gentlemen, opens Wednesday evening, Dec. 3; special rate, season ticket. Register early. Number limited to 100. Dayton & McCormick.

NEW ROUTE TO ENGLAND

Christmas sailings of the Allan Line—Tunisian, from St. John to Liverpool, Saturday, Dec. 6; Halifax to Liverpool, Dec. 8. Passengers booked to London, England; transferred with baggage free. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY—ANNUAL

Banquet, City Hall, Monday evening, Dec. 1, 1902, at 8 o'clock. Toasts of the evening will be responded to by Rev. W. J. Clark, Hon. Clifford Sifton, Hon. George E. Foster, C. S. Hyman, Esq., M. P., Adam, Esq., M. P., C. H. Henry, S. Oliver, Major Hume Cronyn, Donald C. MacGregor, J. W. McIntosh and William Macdonald. Music by the Harpers. Galleries reserved for the ladies. Admission by ticket only. 50c-1.00.

LONDON DANCING ACADEMY, CORNER

Dundas and Adelaide streets. Gentlemen's classes, Tuesday night; ladies, Wednesday. Come and learn the latest dances of the "Florodora" and the "Buffalo Glide."

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY

R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Season opens Dec. 1. Special attention given to waltz and two-step. Lessons any hour.

MEETINGS.

REFERENDUM—GRAND FINAL RALLY.

City Hall, Tuesday evening, Dec. 2. Mayor George, Mayor Robinson, M. P., and others will speak. Opponents of the Liquor Act invited to discuss the issue.

THE WESTERN ONTARIO COMMERCIAL

Travelers' Association—The regular general meeting will be held on Saturday, Dec. 6, at 8 p.m. Nomination of officers for ensuing year. All members are requested to attend. William Turnbull, president. Alfred Robinson, secretary.

MALE HELP WANTED.

MAN WANTED FOR FARM WORK. Apply George Finnegan, 45 Blackfriars street, West London. 54c

WANTED—RELIABLE PERSON IN

each district to manage business, to work on bench or floor. Apply to Maxwell & Sons, agricultural implement works, St. Marys. 50c

STRONG BOYS WANTED FOR FACTORY.

Apply D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited. 50c

TEACHERS WANTED.

TEACHER WANTED FOR SCHOOL. Section No. 4, London Township. Apply to H. B. Kennedy, Ilderton. 50c

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS WANTED—\$3 A WEEK. Cooper, Drawer 521, London. 50c

BOARDING ROOMS, ETC.

FIVE ROOMS—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED. Warm house; good locality. 44 King street. 50c-20c

VETERINARY SURGEONS.

J. H. TENNANT, VETERINARY SURGEON—Telephones 273 and 285. Treatment of dogs a specialty. 37c breed and have for sale pure bred collies.

WANTED.

WANTED—CITY LOAN COMPANIES' stocks. John Wright, stock broker, London.

WANTED—FAMILY WASH TO TAKE

home. Address Box 53, Advertiser. 50c

WANTED—JERSEY HEIFER, 2 OR 3

years old, due to calve in December or January. State price. Box 65, Advertiser. 50c

The Nordheimer Piano

refinement of tone, beauty of design and great durability of the

Piano cannot be reproduced here.

Inspection of the

Itself will prove all we could possibly say in its favor.

NORDHEIMER'S,

188 Dundas St.

62 Years Established.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—Small family. Apply Mrs. Munro, 270 Piccadilly street. 50c

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST with housework. Apply 421 Waterloo street. 50c

WANTED—A PLAIN COOK. APPLY AT 51 Central avenue. 50c

EXPERIENCED GENERAL SERVANT wanted. Apply 290 Princess avenue. 50c

WANTED—A COOK, AT THE ONTARIO House. Mrs. H. H. H. 50c

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply Mrs. W. H. H. 50c

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED. Apply in the evening, 297 King street. 50c

A YOUNG GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 155 Central avenue. 50c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant, also housemaid. Apply in the evening, Mrs. Talbot Macbeth, No. 76 Maple street. 50c

FIRST-CLASS CORSET MACHINE operators wanted; also young girls for hand work. Apply The Wray Corset Manufacturing Company, 96-8 Carling street. 50c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant, no laundry work. Apply Mrs. T. F. Kingsmill, 502 Ridout street. 50c

GIRLS WANTED FOR FACTORY. Apply D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited. 45c

NURSEMAID WANTED FOR ONE child. Apply 294 Wolfe street. 45c

WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL. APPLY at Olympia Restaurant. 45c

GIRLS WANTED IMMEDIATELY FOR biscuit and baking department and canneling. Apply McCormick Manufacturing Company. 37c

Good For 1 CENT

This Coupon will be accepted for payment on an advertisement for

Male Help Wanted,

Female Help Wanted,

Lost and Found,

Articles for Sale.

SAVE YOUR COUPONS—Bring us ten coupons and they will be accepted as payment for a ten word advertisement for one insertion.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

"IMPRISONED WITH THE DEAD"—Complete; regular price \$10. At the Red Star News Company for \$2.50.

FOR SALE—LOT OF CUTTERS. Sighs, Gladstones, Coys, Robes and coats, in fine condition. Call between 9 and 2 o'clock. Bargains. Charles Lilley, 404 Adelaide street. 50c

GREEN'S LOTION—GUARANTEED cure (or money refunded) for all sores and ulcers, wounds, burns, scalds, and all other eruptions of the skin. Price, 10c per bottle. William Green, home trainer, Queen's Hotel, London, Ont. 50c

FOR SALE—LARGE IRON SAFE, CONTAINING 1000 books. Apply Advertiser office. 35c

HORSE FOR SALE—CHEAP. 143 OXFORD street. 20c

TORONTO CHRISTMAS GLOBE FOR sale at Red Star News Company, Market Lane. 50c

FOR SALE—ONE 16-FOOT LATHE, one 4-foot lathe, one 4-foot planer. Apply Thomas B. McGregor, Windsor, Ont. 50c

GREEN & CO. HAVE RECEIVED A supply of West Virginia smokeless coal; will burn well in furnace or range. Massillon lump, a first-class domestic coal. Good, dry mixed slabs at \$1.50 a load. Good in blocks or split. Green & Co., Maitland street and Grand Trunk Railway. Telephone 1,381.

SNAFS—WE ARE CLEARING OUT AT prices never heard of before. Frigidaire or gas, 50 and 20, and elegant pianos at \$25 and 30. Payable, \$10 and \$25 per month. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence. 50c

ALL KINDS OF WOOD AND SOFT coal. Wm. Buchanan, 633 Colborne street. 50c

ORDERS FOR HARD AND SOFT wood received. Order ahead. Leading East End wood yard. D. H. Gillies & Co., Phone 1,312.

FOR SALE—ECLIPSE IMPROVED gasoline engine, manufactured by D. McKendie & Co., 250 Richmond street. 50c

KEENE BROS. ARE HAVING A SPECIAL sale of springs and mattresses. It will pay you to get one or more now.

STOVES, BASEBURNERS AND Ranges of all kinds for wood and coal. Second-hand furniture; cheap; at F. Keene's, 111 King street.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—SATURDAY ON CENTRAL avenue or Richmond street, milk run. Finder please return to 625 Talbot street. 50c

PARTIES WHO LEFT BICYCLE IN rear of my bakeshop, corner Wharncliffe and Stanley street, must call for same and pay expenses by Dec. 10, or it will be sold. F. Eastman. 50c

LOST—BETWEEN WILLIAM STREET and Wellington street, lady's patent leather belt. Finder please return 474 William street. 50c

LOST—SUNDAY AFTERNOON, ON Dundas street, reddish-brown collie white breast; answers to name of "Prince." Finder will be rewarded on returning to John Marshall & Co. 50c

LOST—ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON, on Maitland street between Dufferin and Dundas, or on Dundas west car, a leather purse containing \$5 bill and change, and calling cards. Finder rewarded on returning to this office. 50c

PUG PUP, ABOUT FIVE MONTHS OLD, answering to "Rex," lost Sunday. Reward for information. C. F. Smith, Canadian Express Company. 50c

LOST—SMALL ACCOUNT BOOK, IMITATION leather covers, red edge leaves. George W. Armstrong, 34 Carling street. 50c

ARCHITECTS.

MOORE & HENRY—ARCHITECTS, LAND SURVEYORS, CIVIL ENGINEERS. John M. Moore, Frederick Henry. 50c

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

ALBERT D. JORDAN, ORGANIST, First Methodist Church. Voice culture, piano and organ. Apply between 1 and 2 p.m., 215 Queen's avenue. Telephone 1,485.

ST. JOHN HYTTENRACH—PUPILS received for piano, harmony, sight singing, history. Residence, 751 Richmond, or homes of pupils.

ALICE CALDER STOCK, SOLOIST, First Methodist Church. Voice culture, 51 Queen's avenue. Concert engagements accepted.

CHARLES E. WHEELER, ORGANIST and choirmaster. St. Andrew's Church. Teaching resuming. Piano, voice, harmony, singing. 640 Wellington street. Phone 1,527.

BUSINESS CARDS.

WELFORD BROS. MANUFACTURERS of brooms, twines and cordage. Union labor on all brooms. Factory, 381-387 Giesse street.

WILLIAM HODGSON, PAINTER, paperhanger. Estimates free. 410 Horton street.

HAIR GOODS, WIGS, TOUPEES, Switches, Pompadours and Bangs, combings and wigs and moles removed. Miller's Hair Store.

BICYCLES CLEANED, INSURED and stored for winter. \$1. Enameling, \$1 extra. J. H. Cunningham, 664 Dundas.

WATSON & CO. HOUSE MOVERS—cleaning and sales a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. 50c

REAL ESTATE.

NEW TWO-STORY BRICK, FOUR bedrooms, bath, furnace, w.c., electric light, hot water, central heating, 1000 sq. ft. Large two-story house, with two acres; cheap, or would exchange for smaller house. J. F. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple. 50c

MISCELLANEOUS.

W. A. MCKENZIE, PHOTO STOCK dealer, opposite City Hall, announces a public demonstration of the Kodak Developing Machine on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 2, from 2 to 5 p.m., to which all amateur photographers are cordially invited. 50c

DRESS CUTTING SCHOOL.

LEARN CUTTING, GRADING AND designing costumes. We purpose starting lessons in dressmaking. Ladies desiring tuition for the winter, call on Miss 233 1/2 Dundas street, London. 50c

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

TO LET—NO. 79 CLARENCE STREET; cottage; rent, including furniture, \$7. London Soap Company. 35c

TO LET—TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, with stable; modern improvements and partially furnished, with gas stove. Immediate possession. Apply 415 Central avenue. 50c

TO LET—DESIRABLE COTTAGE, WITH stable; large front garden; three-car garage. Call on Mr. Clark's bridge. Apply 311 Oxford street. 50c

TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN. Furniture carefully handled. John Rogers, Cathcart and Bruce, South London. Late of London Furniture Company. Phone 210.

TWO BRICK DWELLING HOUSES TO let at moderate rent; all modern improvements. Apply to S. Glass, No. 7, Hiscoc Building.

COMFORTABLE SIX-ROOM COTTAGE to let, No. 1 Nelson street. Apply King. 50c

Household Furniture, Oil Paintings, Etc., by Auction.

AT JONES' AUCTION ROOMS, TUESDAY, Dec. 2, at 10:30 a.m. 1 Steinhay walnut do, 2 oak writing tables, 2 oak chairs, 3 oak center tables, 1 marble top, 3 easy chairs, 1 parlor sofa, 3 sofas, 1 oak rocker, 31 paintings in oil and water colors, by British and continental artists; 3 handstands in oak and walnut, 2 knotted portieres, 1 sideboard (Tennessee marble top), 1 dining table and 6 chairs, 1 leather easy chair, 2 oak chairs, 1 leather 4 bureau, 1 bookcase, 1 sideboard and table, 1 baby's high chair, 1 baby's cot, 1 baby's cradle, 1 do. (blue and gold), 1 nightstand, 3 washstands, 1 campbed, 1 iron bed, 3 cribs (enamel), 1 child's chair on wheels, 2 veranda chairs, 2 hanging lamps, 1 table lamp, 1 kitchen table, 10 pots, 1 carpet, 1 sewing machine, 50 yards carpet, 1 magic lantern, 2 blankets, 2 rugs, 7 baseburners, 1 box stove, 1 gas stove, etc. Must be removed by Dec. 10, as owner is leaving the city. J. W. JONES, Auctioneer. 50c

Mishap to a U. S. Warship.

Hampton, Va., Dec. 1.—The battleship Texas had a narrow escape from being blown up at the Virginia Capes on Friday. She left the Portsmouth navy yard on a trial trip, after having been overhauled, and went out to the capes, where gun practice was had. Two of the turret guns exploded, filling the gun room with glycerine and water, but the magnificent work of the gunners saved the vessel from serious damage, as well as the lives of those on board her. The ship returned to Old Point, and in the afternoon a special inspection board is making an examination of the injury.

Boycotting originated in Ireland 22 years ago.



[From the Chicago Tribune.]

On the Other Side of Jordan.

VENEZUELAN GOING TOO FAR

They Have Seized Four British Merchantmen—Protests Pass Unheeded.

Port of Spain, island of Trinidad, Dec. 1.—Sir Courtenay Knollys, Acting Governor of Trinidad, believes that Great Britain and Germany are preparing for joint action against Venezuela. The people of Trinidad, he says, think it time for the foreign powers to intervene in the matter. Venezuelan gunboats have recently seized four British merchantmen in the Orinoco River, and the protest made regarding these seizures has not been heeded. An American ship is now here bound for the Orinoco, and is awaiting a decision from the Washington Government as to whether or not the blockade is effective. Gov. Knollys declares that Venezuela has destroyed the neutrality of the island of the powers to recognize the blockade, as such recognition would mean the investing of the revolutionists with legitimate rights, and would close Trinidad to Castro's warships. He uses Port of Spain as a place for refitting. He insists that the island of Patos is British territory, and has been so for a century, and declares that the revolutionists have no claim on it. The sympathy of Trinidad is with the revolutionists, though it is admitted that Castro is now dominant.

BARCELONA IN GOVERNMENT HANDS.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 1.—A force of Government troops, numbering 3,000, under Gen. Velutini and Olivares, re-occupied Barcelona on the morning of Nov. 26. The revolutionists, commanded by Gen. Pablo Guzman and Gen. Rolando, who joined them last week with only 200 men, abandoned the city before the arrival of the Government troops, taking with them the leading prisoners whom they captured some time ago.

The New York Canal Project.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 1.—It may be stated on excellent authority that Gov. Odell favors the Lake Ontario route for a 1,000-ton barge canal, which he believes can be completed for an expenditure of \$60,000,000. State Engineer Bond estimates that the lake route will cost \$2,192,756. The route of the canal under this plan will be about as follows: Waterford to Cohoes by the old canal, Mohawk River to Rockford flats and Little Falls, running north or Little Falls, passing south of Rome to Fort Bull, and then down Wood Creek to Oneida Lake, Oneida River and Oswego River to Lake Ontario. A new canal, which would be 18 miles in length, from Oneida to Lake Ontario, would connect with the Buffalo end of the old canal.

W. H. Brown's Death.

Kingsport, Dec. 1.—On Saturday night a young man named Lee was arrested while trying to pass a forged check on the Kingsport branch of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company. Cooper got the check and arrested the man. The man was taken to the Kingsport branch of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company. On him were found numerous checks purporting to be all made out by the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Nov. 29.—At Liverpool—Lucania, from New York; Winifred, from Boston. At Genoa—Liguria, from New York. At New York—Campania, from Liverpool; Canadian, from Liverpool.

\$650,000 IN GOLD SENT TO KRUGER

Supposed to Have Been Hidden in Transvaal—Property of Boer People.

Berlin, Dec. 1.—The British Government is telegraphing to all German ports, making inquiries concerning a number of Boer gold bars, worth \$650,000, which it is supposed have been brought to this country from South Africa within the past fortnight. The gold bars are destined for former President Kruger and Dr. Leyds, and it is presumed had been concealed in the Northern Transvaal. Great Britain will endeavor to legally attach the gold if it can be located, on the ground that she is entitled to all the assets of the Transvaal, having assumed responsibility for the debt of that country contracted before the war.

KRUGER WANTS TO GO BACK.

London, Dec. 1.—Gen. Schalkbarger and Messrs. Vessels and Wilmarans, the former Boer delegates, have sailed for South Africa. The general is the bearer of a letter from Mr. Kruger to the British ambassador at Pretoria, asking that Mr. Kruger be allowed to return to South Africa.

WILL ASK FOR \$1,000,000

To Spend in Stamping Out Cattle Disease in New England.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, who has arrived here to attend the International Live Stock Exposition, says, regarding the outbreak of cattle disease in New England: "My latest report from the infected district is that the disease is at a standstill. The next report will decide the number of men that I shall send to New England. A large number will go."

"Before many days shall have passed there will be several hundred veterinary surgeons in the New England States, and they will be instructed to inspect every cow, sheep and hog. I believe we shall need three or four weeks to stamp out the disease."

"Congress will be asked for a special appropriation to cure the disease permanently. I intend to ask for at least \$1,000,000."

Turkey Accepts New Frontier.

London, Nov. 28.—A Constantinople correspondent says: A few days ago the British ambassador at Constantinople informed Turkey that the British Foreign Office had fixed the frontier of Southern Arabia, which question had been submitted to a boundary commission. Turkey accepted the new frontier, being unwilling to resist the British.

Caught in the Act.

St. Thomas, Dec. 1.—The coroner's jury in the case of William H. Brown, who was found dead in the Grand Trunk yard on Tuesday, brought in a verdict to the effect that Brown came to his death by being run over, and that no negligence could be attached to the railway company or employees.

THE G. T. PACIFIC WANTS SUBSIDY

General Manager Hays Makes Another Statement—Scheme Meets Opposition.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—There seems to be a misunderstanding in some quarters about the position of the G. T. P. and its proposed extension through the Northwest. "Anyone who thinks," said Mr. Hays today, "that the company will not apply to Parliament for aid for that project is greatly mistaken."

IT IS THEREFORE EVIDENT THAT THERE WILL BE SOME LIVE DISCUSSIONS IN PARLIAMENT NEXT SESSION, FOR THE WORDS OF SIR THOMAS CHAMBERLAIN, INDICATING THE APPROVAL OF THE C. P. R., WERE BASED ON THE HYPOTHESIS THAT THE G. T. P. WOULD BUILD THE EXTENSION WITHOUT ASKING PUBLIC AID.

OPOSE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC.

A dispatch from Quebec says that the directors of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, which is chartered to run from Quebec to Port Simpson, are much incensed at the Grand Trunk's refusal to accept the proposed extension. The directors of the Grand Trunk are resolved to ask the board of directors of the Grand Trunk to call a general meeting of all its members and of the representatives of the district for next week to discuss the whole question, and in the meantime to protect the interest of the Province, which are menaced by this new Grand Trunk scheme.

The Trans-Canada had a short time ago given a provisional contract for the first 400 miles of its railway in this Province, and the financial negotiations for the whole line are now in a very forward state, and the Grand Trunk have no charter whatever for any western line. It was also pointed out that if the action of the Grand Trunk should stop the construction of the Trans-Canada, not only would the Province lose the immense revenue expected to be received from the forest lands of the James Bay territory, but the Quebec bridge, now under construction, might be imperilled by the prospective loss of traffic from the same service, and it was also pointed out that the Grand Trunk scheme would cut the Maritime ports out from the winter traffic, which would be diverted to Portland and New York.

MR. HUGH J. MACDONALD'S RETURN.

Mr. Hugh John Macdonald, accompanied by Mrs. Macdonald, arrived in the city yesterday, after spending four months in England and on the continent. Mr. Macdonald stated that one of the things that pleased him most to hear on his arrival was that the Grand Trunk proposed giving Canada a second transcontinental railway. As yet, however, he had not had an opportunity of studying the project, and proposed by the officials of the railway company, and therefore would not like to discuss them.

Disappointed at Canada's Attitude.

Montreal, Dec. 1.—Principal Peterson, C.M.G., of McGill University, who has just returned from England, states that the general impression, as he found it in England, was that the Canadian delegates to the Imperial conference had put a drag on the proceedings, which were consequently without practical effect. English people were disappointed on the attitude of Canada on the question of Imperial defense, but accepted the opposition to direct contributions as representing the opinion of the Canadian people in view of the welcome which the delegates received on their return from London. Mr. Peterson says, however, that Canada's stand on the point in question is due to the feeling of security which Canada enjoys under the present system of defense of Great Britain.

Fatal Fight for a Girl.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov

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The Great Clearance Sale.

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The Cut-Price Clearance Sale.

THE GREAT Clearance Sale has gone down into a history, made glorious by bargains of commanding economy. But another and even greater disposal of goods—The Cut-Price Clearance Sale—commences today, and, backed up by a rugged determination to reduce the stock of the "Three Busy Stores," will surely result in a big out-pouring of merchandise and a consequent big saving to the people of London and vicinity. You know we buy right. You know we sell right. Judge the new sale by these samples of underpricing. We give them without any flowery rhetoric, nothing but a plain statement of facts.

50 DOZEN—SPECIAL PURCHASE OF OVER 50 DOZEN OF FINE JAPANESE SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, PLAIN AND INITIALED, TWILLED AND PLAIN SILK; worth 25c, 35c, 50c and 60c; our cut price for this sale, 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c. All initials in stock at present.

HOSIERY DEPARTMENT—Just in, one case of Ladies' Black Ribbed Cashmere Hose, in sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2; regular 35c, cut price 25c pair.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR—One case of Ladies' Fine White Undershirts, fleeced-lined, price 25c each.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S ASTRACHAN CLOAKING, regular \$1.00 and \$1.25, for 85c yard.

600 YARDS OF FANCY WRAPPERETTE, for waists and wrappers, beautiful patterns, regular 10c, cut price 8c yard.

SILK DEPARTMENT—All colors in Fine Taffeta Finish Silks, all the newest shades, regular 30c, our price 25c yard.

Special line Taffeta Silks, 27 inches wide, regular 45c, clearing at 30c yard.

LACE DEPARTMENT—New lines just in. Fine Valenciennes Lace and Insertion, 2c, 4c, 5c, 7c, 8c, and 10c yard.

Special line of very wide Cream Lace, regular 15c, cut price 5c yard.

MILLINERY

A SMART array of emphatically good offerings for those who readily appreciate positive reductions in prices and are prompt to take advantage of them. There'll be quick buying in this department until the lots are cleared out.

White Ostrich Feathers for \$2.75, worth \$5.
Special line in Black Feathers, \$2.25, \$4, \$5.75 and \$6 each.
White Pom-Poms, 48c and 53c each.
See our Camelhair Hats, worth \$1.25, for 59c.
Special line in Breasts, all colors, regular 50c, our sale price 25c each.
Black Silk Velvet, worth \$1.25 a yard, for 65c; worth \$1 a yard, for 50c.

WENT BACK TO CAPTIVITY DIVORCE EVIL IN KANSAS

Jail-Breaker Returns to Buffalo From Canada.

Will Finish His Term—Wanted to Spend Thanksgiving at Home.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 1. — A special from Lockport says: "C. Braithwaite, sentenced to six months in Buffalo Jail for forgery committed at Niagara Falls under the name of John Daley, who cleverly broke jail Thanksgiving night, surprised the prison officials at 9:30 Sunday night by knocking down the door and escaping. He was accompanied by his father, a public official of Toronto. When Jail Officer asked 'Who's there?' a familiar voice replied, 'Daley.' I have come back to stay with you my allotted time. Will you let me in?"

The astonished jailer could hardly believe his ears, as the jail-breaking was cleverly planned and executed, and this was the first man to escape from the new Niagara prison.

When the door was thrown open in Braithwaite, alias Daley, accompanied by his father, a fine-looking family, and the prisoner in only 30. He pleaded guilty to forgery and eloquently begged Judge Hickey to be lenient on account of his wife and children. District Attorney Stockwell learned that his true name was Braithwaite, and that he was of a distinguished and influential Toronto family, and at his earnest request permitted the young man to be sentenced as Daley to shield their good name.

Young Braithwaite started last night that he could not resist the longing to go to his family on Thanksgiving Day. He knocked a bar out of a second-story window and slid down a rope made of a blanket. How he got across the Canadian border he did not explain, but he eluded the officers, who were on his track ten minutes after his escape. He says his father persuaded him to return and complete his sentence like a man, to avoid having two crimes hanging over him all his life.

The two had each other an affectionate farewell, the father chiding back a sob as he went out into the darkness, and the prison doors once more closed on his boy.

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Makes short roads.
And light loads.
Good for everything
that runs on wheels.

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Crusade Against It Led by Rev. Charles M. Sheldon.

Fifty Per Cent of Marriages in One County End in Separation.

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 1. — Led by the Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, author and former pastor of the Central Congregational Church of this city, the Ministerial Union of Topeka has begun a vigorous crusade against the divorce evil, which is believed to flourish more in this place than anywhere else in the United States.

Investigation of official records has resulted in the amazing revelation that fully 50 per cent of the marriages made in Shawnee County, where Topeka is situated, and possibly throughout the state, end in divorce. For 561 marriage licenses granted during the last year in this county alone, 234 divorce suits were brought and 204 divorces granted.

As many licenses were issued to residents of small towns in the surrounding country who came here to be married, while the divorce suits were all filed by residents of Shawnee County, the large percentage is easily reached.

Dr. Sheldon has issued a statement giving his views of the causes and remedies of the evil. The causes, he says, are hasty marriages, easy divorces, low or frivolous conceptions of the purpose and meaning of marriage, and other demands which render motherhood inconvenient, and so prevent the God-intended bond between man and wife; the gaudy, luxury and materialism of the age; the lessened sense of duty, and the consequent laxity; society's complacent laxity; the spread of such literature as inflames passion and saps principle, and the complexity of ministers who, for a fee, marry divorced persons.

These are the remedies he suggests: Uniform divorce law for the whole United States, allowing various degrees of legal separation for many causes, but absolute divorce for only one—adultery; emphatic affirmation by all the churches, in law and practice, of Christ's law of divorce for one cause only; instruction of girls and boys in the duties and responsibilities of marriage; the banishing of bad literature, however good society's emphatic disapproval of divorce; emphasis on life as service, not as mere pleasure, and a sweeping revival of the fear of God.

The Rev. James P. De Beever, dean of the Grace Cathedral, who is earnestly supporting Mr. Sheldon, holds the same views.

Singers Prevented a Panic.

Syracuse, Dec. 1. — Fire started in the basement of John Sabey's wholesale hat store on the Wieting Opera House, just about the conclusion of an opera. The stage manager informed the company that there was no danger, but to a panic they should show no alarm and finish the opera. This they did while the smoke almost blinded them, though it was not visible to the audience until almost the close. The show was dismissed. Few persons had left their seats before the firemen from the third floor of the Sabey block. The damage was about \$4,000, mainly from water.

BRITISH PEER NOT A SUBJECT

Lord Fairfax Has Been Declared an American.

THE TITLE BELONGS TO HIM

But He Must Become Naturalized Before He Can Sit in the House of Lords.

London, Nov. 28.—Lord Fairfax, better known in the United States as Albert K. Fairfax, who came here a short time ago to represent an international banking corporation, is wondering just what his standing in the United Kingdom.

He finds himself occupying the unique position of being a British peer, but, according to the Lord Chancellor, not a British subject; of being entitled to all the prerogatives of his rank, including the right to attend coronations, court functions, etc., but not the right of sitting in the House of Lords. It is true that the latter deprivation will not be felt, as Lord Fairfax's peerage is Scottish, and does not carry a seat. His only privilege will be to be one of the sixteen Scottish peers to be elected to the House of Lords in each new Parliament. The Chancellor told Lord Fairfax that he was eligible to election to the House of Lords, but in that event the Chancellor would refuse to issue a writ for the seat on the ground that he was an alien. If he desired to become a British subject, it would be necessary for him to become naturalized, the same as any other foreigner.

Though he is not privileged to become a member, Lord Fairfax is allowed to enter the House of Lords, and to sit in front of the throne behind the woolsack, the same as privy counselors, a privilege of which he has taken advantage many times. Lord Fairfax had the impression that all that was necessary was for him to assume the title and, that, in fact, he became a British citizen. The Chancellor's decision was, therefore, a surprise to him.

He has not yet determined whether or not to take out his naturalization papers. In America his title was Mr. Fairfax; in England it was Lord Fairfax. He decided on the motto of when you are in Rome do as the Romans do; so Lord Fairfax he is. It is generally regarded as a business advantage here to have a title, but when questioned on this point, Lord Fairfax said, smiling: "That remains to be seen."

The sixth Baron Fairfax inherited six million acres in Virginia and left England in 1739 to live on them. His descendants remained there. The eleventh baron married Mary, daughter of Col. Edmund Kirby, U. S. A., and the present Lord Fairfax is his eldest son. Before succeeding to the title he lived in New York and at Northampton, Md.

Unique Advertising Scheme.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Dec. 1. — An advertising concern in the east has made a novel proposition to Oscar Millard, owner of the Kalamazoo house, on behalf of half a dozen Battle Creek health food companies and a Marshall dyspepsia tablet firm this agency offers to rent the hotel for one year, paying Millard a larger price for the period than the profits of the house now amount to. The advertising firm then proposes to close up the hotel, board up the front and side windows and doors and cover the whole structure from top to bottom with immense ads for Battle Creek and Marshall concerns. It is the novel scheme to advertise the dyspepsia cure in the most conspicuous way to the country to the other. Mr. Millard will probably accept the proposition.

IS A SERIOUS MATTER

The Most Serious and Fatal Disease Arises From Indigestion.

Chronic indigestion or dyspepsia is a very common trouble, has for some time been looked upon by able physicians as a serious thing, and no time should be lost in treating it properly at the start, because recent researches have shown that the most serious, fatal and incurable diseases have their origin in simple dyspepsia or indigestion.

Dyspepsia is simply one form of indigestion, the sugar and starch food being assimilated by the digestive organs. In Bright's Disease the albumen is not properly assimilated, and while consumption and dyspepsia are twin diseases, it is beyond question that dyspepsia makes a fertile soil for the seeds of consumption. But the trouble has been to find a remedy that could be depended upon to cure dyspepsia, as it is notoriously obstinate and difficult to treat.

This has been the question which has puzzled physicians and dyspeptics alike, until the question was solved by the new remedy, which is a new discovery in the medical world, known as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which it was claimed was a certain, reliable cure for every form of stomach trouble.

Physicians, however, would not accept such statements without first giving the new remedy many tests and carefully observing results.

For three years the remedy has been thoroughly tested in every section of the country and with surprising and satisfactory results.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can be honestly claimed to be a specific, a radical, lasting cure for indigestion in the various forms of acid dyspepsia, flatulency, gas or wind on stomach, too much bile, undue fullness or pressure after eating, and similar symptoms resulting from disordered digestion.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets were not placed before the public until this three years' trial led to no doubt as to their value, and they have recently been placed in the trade and can be found on sale at all druggists at the nominal price of 50c per package.

No extravagant claims are made for the remedy, it will not cure pneumonia, pneumonia, typhoid fever nor anything but just what it is claimed to cure, and that is every form of stomach trouble. No dieting is necessary, good wholesome food and plenty of it, and you may be assured that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest it. Druggists claim for it that it is a pleasure to recommend it to dyspeptics, because it gives such universal satisfaction.

Hope for Rheumatics.



If you have Rheumatism why don't you try my Rheumatism Cure? It has cured thousands who have given up all hope of recovery—it can cure you. Try it today—you will thank me.—MUNYON.

RICH PEACE RIVER REGION

Northern Country Capable of Great Development.

An Immense Tract of Alluvial Lands Will Be Opened by New Road.

Ottawa, Nov. 28.—There is available in the work of the Geological Survey of Canada an immense fund of information with regard to the northern part of the Dominion which there is talk of opening up by means of another transcontinental railway. It has been surveyed by these men from Labrador across to the Pacific coast, and the members of the staff who have been between James Bay to the Peace River Pass, are Prof. Macoun and his son, John W. Macoun.

The former said this morning of the Peace River region: "It is a country capable of immense development. There is in it the very best of alluvial soil to a depth of 100 feet, and there is being grown there today all the different grains."

"Yes, as well as land further south. Some people imagine that the further north you go on this continent the poorer the land is. But I can tell you from experience that throughout a large part of the northern country the snowfall is lighter than here in Ontario."

"Mr. Ogilvie brought down with him a few years ago wheat that had been grown at Fort Providence, away up in the Arctic Circle, 800 miles north of the line that separates the States. I myself saw at Isle la Crosse, further east than the fields on which the wheat was grown, in the month of September. That was 30 years ago."

"In 1875 I brought down with me from Athabasca wheat that took the prize at the Centennial Exhibition in Philadelphia, and was a revelation to the world. There is no question but that wheat can be grown all the way across the continent from the Gulf of Mexico to the Arctic Ocean. I am just now preparing my report on my summer's work in the Yukon, and will supply proof that from the north I saw wheat being grown, even in that region. For that matter I brought some down with me this fall."

"I have taken for many years an intense interest in this northern belt of the Dominion, and am satisfied that it has before it a great future as an agricultural and stock-raising country. Where you cannot raise wheat you can get more money out of other crops or out of cattle raising."

James Macoun, an employee of the packing firms engaged in digging in the ruins to rescue several victims who were still alive. Bodies, torn, bruised or mangled were taken from the ruins and sent to the morgues. A boy, scalded from head to foot and bleeding from cuts and bruises, staggered toward the office of General Superintendent C. O. Young. The boy was Mr. Young's personal messenger. The lad, however, had been so badly disfigured that Mr. Young did not recognize him.

It is not thought that the loss to Swift & Co. will amount to more than \$500. The officers of the company declare that this will cover the damage as nearly as they are able to estimate at the present time.

PASSED AWAY

Death of Mrs. A. Laird of Warwick—Demise of Two Centenarians.

Warwick, Dec. 1. — One of the most prominent and respected residents of Warwick township passed away Saturday morning in the person of Mrs. Alexander Laird, who lived here for many years. Deceased underwent an operation for internal cancer at the Victoria Hospital, London, but the disease reappeared with fatal results. Mrs. Laird leaves a family of three boys. The funeral takes place Monday afternoon to the Watford Cemetery.

CENTENARIANS PASSED AWAY.

Trinidad, Col., Dec. 1. — Isaac Von Brimmer died here, aged 108 years. He was a veteran of the Mexican war, and fought with Kit Carson.

Newton, Kan., Dec. 1. — Kate Vance, a colored woman, of this city, died here on Friday, aged 123 years. She has a daughter 90 years of age, and her husband died at the age of 105. She claimed to have remembered with distinctness Jefferson's administration and the war of 1812.

Fate of the Bannockburn.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—The steamer Majestic, bound down, has reported that the wreck previously sighted on the rock on Michipicoten, certainly is the Bannockburn. Says a special from Saint Marie, Mich.: The Majestic did not run in close enough to learn much concerning her, but her captain believes there is no danger of her breaking up immediately unless the wind changes. A tug has been sent to the scene.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—A special from Saint Marie, Mich., says: The steamer Bannockburn, with her crew of 20 men, is given up for lost by local marine men. The report received last night that she was ashore near Michipicoten, seems to be without foundation. The belief that the steamer had met with disaster is strengthened by the fact that the steamer Rockefeller, which arrived here today, reported passing the wreck of the Bannockburn. This is supposed to be the missing boat. The wrecking tug Boynton and Favorite have made a search along the north shore of Lake Superior without finding any trace of the Canadian steamer. The accepted theory is that the Bannockburn foundered in midlake and went down with all on board.

THIRTEEN MEN WERE KILLED

By an Explosion in a Chicago Packing Plant.

SCORES OF PERSONS INJURED

Flames Swept the Ruins—No One in the Boiler Room Lived to Tell the Story.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—With a deafening report a boiler in Swift & Co.'s plant exploded shortly after 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Thirteen lives were sacrificed and scores of employees, visitors and others were injured. Huge boilers were sent through the roof of the structure and hurled hundreds of feet.

Nobody within the boiler room survived to tell the story of the accident, and it may never be known what caused the explosion. A careful investigation, however, has convinced the experts that the explosion was the result of carelessness on the part of an employee, whose own life also was sacrificed.

Five minutes after the explosion nothing of the building but a pile of twisted iron, bricks and mortar remained. Sheets of flame sprang from the ruins and the spectators realized that it would be impossible to save the lives of those who were in the wreck.

FEARFUL FORCE OF EXPLOSION.

The explosion was of such force that adjoining buildings were wrecked, the face and head of John Henry, a woman and boys at work in adjoining departments were hurled through windows to the ground below. Many of them escaped with but slight bruises, but most of the victims were hurt to such an extent that it was necessary to remove them to hospitals. Others were taken to their homes.

THE DEAD.

The list of dead, compiled by the police and officers of the company, follows: H. Arnold, colored; James Owens, colored; A. Ruching, sewer digger; Simon Tate, colored; William W. O'Connor, sewer digger; E. Wright, colored; fireman; W. Parks, fireman; Charles Webb, colored; fireman; John Henry, colored; fireman; Albert M. Bushnell, purchasing agent; Cubat, millwright; Schultz, millwright.

THE INJURED.

N. Doovore, scalp wound; F. Francis, contusion of right arm; E. M. Nick, 14 years old, messenger boy, scalded, may die; M. T. Ash, fractured leg and scalp wound; J. Franks, opening wound; J. Chandler, scalded and burned; W. T. Wells, fractured leg; N. F. Oliver, burned about the face and body; D. Cooper, burned about the arms, face and body; E. Olsen, messenger, burned about the legs and chest; J. Angus, bruised and scalded; Edward Jones, injured by flying bricks; Richard Halloway, struck by falling bricks; Peter Steinbach, scalded by falling bricks; George J. Clinton, hit by falling bricks; Miss Elizabeth Cullen, knocked down and crushed in the rush from the building; Matthew Lynch, cut on the head; A. Zerman, leg broken in jumping from the second story.

DIGGING IN THE RUINS.

While the fire was still burning police, firemen and employees of the packing firms began digging in the ruins to rescue several victims who were still alive. Bodies, torn, bruised or mangled were taken from the ruins and sent to the morgues. A boy, scalded from head to foot and bleeding from cuts and bruises, staggered toward the office of General Superintendent C. O. Young. The boy was Mr. Young's personal messenger. The lad, however, had been so badly disfigured that Mr. Young did not recognize him.

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Alleged Briber Arrested.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 1.—After eluding arrest for several months, Charles F. Kelly, the former speaker of the Missouri House of Delegates, who is wanted in St. Louis in connection with the bribery cases, was arrested in this city on Friday. In an interview he said: "I was on my way back to St. Louis, and meant to announce my arrival there Monday, and to give myself up and to answer whatever charges had been laid against me."

Charles F. Kelly was the one most wanted of the members of the coteries indicted on charges of bribery in connection with the passage of the municipal lighting bill. Kelly was wanted because he was charged with handling the \$75,000 bribe money, which, according to evidence, had been distributed among the nineteen members of the "combine." He was indicted on Sept. 8.

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London, Monday Dec. 1.

A Significant Movement.

The Detroit Chamber of Commerce has taken up in earnest the question of Canadian reciprocity and has called a national conference for Dec. 10 and 11. It is expected that a national organization will be effected for the promotion of the object in view. There is a sort of historical appropriateness in the holding of such an assembly in Detroit. It was in that city the great convention met in 1906 to discuss the question of extending the reciprocity treaty which had been in existence for twelve years, to the great advantage of both Canada and the United States. The convention, which was attended by representative men from all parts of Canada and the United States, was overwhelmingly in favor of the renewal of the treaty. That was the occasion of Joseph Howe's great speech, the effort of his life, which is still a tradition in both countries. The present conference, we are told, was intended to be merely a local affair, but the interest manifested has been so great that it has assumed national importance. Among the speakers will be Governor Cummins, of Iowa, Governor Stanley, of Kansas, and E. M. Foss, the Boston champion of Canadian reciprocity.

Michigan is chiefly interested in the lumber duties. Thomas Pitts, of Pitts & Co., lumber and salt manufacturers, in an interview says:

"The passage of the Dingley bill, with its tariff of \$2 per 1,000, just double that exacted under the McKinley and Wilson tariffs bills, which were satisfactory to Canadians and Americans, has worked an irreparable harm to the lumbering interests of Michigan. At the time the Dingley law went into effect there were no less than 30 large firms engaged in the manufacture of lumber along the east shore of Michigan, extending from Cheboygan to Detroit. The supply of timber in this State having been exhausted, they purchased immense tracts of forest in the Georgian Bay district, in Ontario, where the logs were cut and towed across Lake Huron and cut at the Michigan mills.

"The Dingley bill contained a retaliatory clause providing that should the Canadians attach a tariff to logs the tariff on lumber imported should be doubled. The Ontario Government was wise, however, and beat the devil about the stump by passing an act expressly prohibiting the exportation of logs of any description, whether owned by Americans or Canadians.

"As a result of this action, which was a clever piece of work on the part of the Ontario Government, mill men were obliged to abandon their plants along the east shore, take down their sawmills and transport them to the Georgian Bay district, or get out their logs there and have them cut in Canadian mills. This resulted in a direct loss to this Government of the \$1 per 1,000 formerly collected, a little matter of \$3,000,000 annually, while the men formerly employed in the mills were either thrown out of work or forced to follow the mills.

"So far as Canada is concerned, she has been the winner in the move. The removal of the mills to the Georgian Bay district has opened up the country as nothing else would have done, and the good money earned by the employees of the mills, formerly spent this side of the border, now goes into the pockets of the merchants there.

"Canada is a land of unlimited wealth and resources, the real extent of which is not practically known, and nothing is retarded by progress. The sooner the United States realizes this and makes such trade relations as will be beneficial to both, the better it will be for all concerned."

This is a fine tribute to the Ontario Government's sawlog policy. The question is, would there be any benefit in reciprocity—free logs for free lumber—when the Ontario lumber industry is so flourishing under present conditions? The Canadian lumbermen, however, would prefer a free American market. In a free exchange of logs and lumber they could more than hold their own because of their proximity to the seat of supply.

Canada can afford to watch passively the development of reciprocity sentiment in the United States. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has said that the next move must come from the United States, and doubtless it will come just as soon if Canada remains neutral in the meantime. There will be a grim satisfaction in having Uncle Sam knocking at our doors.

Prof. Atwater's Second Paper.

Prof. W. O. Atwater, of Wesleyan University, in his second paper on temperance reform, in the New York Outlook, deals with constructive measures and maps out a programme of practical temperance work. First, he outlines some of the systems which are designed to eliminate private profit from the liquor traffic. The Government spirit monopoly in Russia he sets aside because of its serious administrative and other difficulties.

"The dispensary system has been adopted by the State of Carolina as a whole, and in certain districts in Alabama, Georgia and North Carolina. It is a form of local option by which the state law allows individual communities to confine the retail sale of liquor to dispensaries. These are stores where alcoholic liquors of all ordinary kinds and of assured purity are sold under public authority, in quantities of not less than one-half pint, in bottles (or other sealed pack-

ages), not to be opened on the premises; no sale being allowed on credit, or to minors, or between sunset and sunrise, or on Sundays. The system in North Carolina has a two-fold aim: to reduce the evils of the liquor traffic by taking it out of private hands, and to retain the whole of the profit for state and municipal purposes. The State Government controls both the wholesale and retail trade, and the system is therefore a state monopoly.

"The advantages of the system are said to be the reduction of the number of places where liquor is sold, and the social and political features, and the gambling and other immoral accessories of the saloons. In the larger cities in South Carolina, especially Charleston, the suppression of the saloon is not complete. The fact that the public derives pecuniary benefit from the sale of liquor is an objection, but the chief disadvantage is said to be that the appointment of agents and other officers is under party control, so that a machine of great capacity for political purposes has been created. With the Governor of the state as its engine, the system is local, and this last advantage is less felt.

On the whole he thinks the system decidedly advantageous and worthy of a wider trial, but he questions whether a monopoly of the liquor trade by either the state of a large city, with the appointments of officers and employees, sales and the whole business in the control of the dominant political party might not involve serious political evils. Prof. Atwater also describes the Gothenburg system which has been adopted in numerous cities in Norway and Sweden.

"Under a general system of local option, the prohibition is not absolute where it is wanted, individual communities have also the choice of giving to a company of substantial citizens the monopoly of the sale of spirits. The sale is subject to certain conditions, one of which requires that all profits in excess of a low rate of interest on the company's investment shall accrue to the public welfare. The element of private gain is thus eliminated. In Sweden the profits are used to lower the local tax rate, but in Norway there is a much better regulation by which they are devoted to objects of public utility, including special means for promoting temperance."

"Aside from taking the trade out of private hands, the chief advantages are: that the drink traffic is divorced from politics, and the way thus made easy for temperance reform, which keeps pace with the advancing public sentiment; that the active co-operation of good citizens is secured; that gambling and the immoral accessories of the saloon are abolished; that drinking has strikingly decreased; and that the profits are being used for agencies to counteract the liquor evil. The company system is thus both restrictive and constructive, and, as an alternative with prohibition under local option, seems one of the best thus far devised for the practical and effective promotion of temperance."

The Public House Trust Companies formed in Great Britain under the leadership of Earl Grey, who visited Canada last year, is undertaking an experiment somewhat similar to the Gothenburg system. "They secure control of licensed 'public houses' (saloons), abolish gambling and other immoral accessories, allow no sales on credit, provide that only 'pure' liquors shall be sold, and make it to the pecuniary advantage of the manager to discourage the sale of alcoholic drinks, and to encourage that of temperance beverages in their stead, including tea and mineral waters. All profits above a moderate interest on the investment are devoted to objects of public utility, including counter-attractions to the saloon. One of the great advantages is the arousing of active public interest and securing positive aid from men of influence in a practical and effective temperance effort."

Prof. Atwater dwells on the saloon as a social center—its wonderful life in meeting a social demand—and quotes an authoritative opinion that "no scheme of temperance reform can be successful which does not include a full recognition of the social and recreative instincts." "After all," he declares, "neither legislation, nor regulation, nor temperance education, nor substitutes for the saloon can do away with the drink evil. These are remedies for the disease, but what is wanted is the constitution to repel it. The power to resist must come with better conditions of living, less of monotonous manual drudgery, less of feverish excitement, with happier homes, and more of intellectual and spiritual uplift. The temperance question is only a part of a far larger economic and social question, and the whole is really a question of ethics."

"What shall we do to help matters? First of all we must recognize that there are two classes of earnest friends of the temperance cause: those who believe in temperance in the sense of moderation, and those who, with equal sincerity and after equally careful thought, believe in abstinence. The two are one in purpose; they should be united in their work. This union, I believe, is the first condition of permanent success." Prof. Atwater deplores the uncompromising attitude of those who hold all use of alcohol as a beverage to be sinful and insist upon prohibition as the righteous method of reform.

"This has alienated many other people who are equally sincere, but cannot accept principles so radical. He adds:

"The thing that makes any use or sale of alcohol wrong is the harm it does. What is wanted is to reduce that harm to a minimum. It is one of the cases in which the moral law is decided by expediency. Prohibition which does not prohibit is a dam which raises the level in one place and makes an injurious backwash without checking the stream. When the stream is too strong for control, the only effective way is to divert it within bounds. The liquor current is too strong to be checked when a large part of the community want it to flow, another part feel that it is within their moral rights to stop it, and those who want it stopped cannot or will not do the work. What is wanted is leaves to keep it within bounds while we try to reduce the flow from the springs. To work for this seems to me morally right and a positive duty."

He believes the time is ripe for more successful work for temperance than has yet been accomplished. In obedience to the laws of truth and service, men are interesting themselves, as never before, in the great political, economic, social and ethical questions. The great body of earnest public-spirited people, whose influence ultimately decided the attitude of the community on these questions, were not actively engaged in the temperance movement. One difficulty was that the way was not quite clear to them. But many of them were ready to help where the cause appealed to their conscience and the method agreed with their judgment. He believed they could be led to give their influence in favor of the temperance cause far more generally than they have done. The platform for practical temperance work might call for such things as:

1. Recognition of the complexity of the liquor problem, and the inadequacy of past effort to solve it.
2. Doing away with the private profits and social features of the saloon.
3. Establishment of social substitutes for the saloon.
4. Extension of the principle of local option so as not only to allow the choice between prohibition and license, but also to permit local communities to adopt the dispensary or company system, or other plans for regulation.
5. Study of the subject and education of public opinion.
6. Union of the friends of temperance for aggressive work.

"The programme for actual work might include:

1. Study of the various phases of the liquor problem in different parts of the United States and in other countries, and publication of the results.
2. The securing of state legislation to permit local experiments with systems of public and company control of the liquor traffic; and the instituting of such experiments.
3. The establishment of substitutes for the saloon in different places and fitted to local conditions.

"The proposed organization might conduct inquiries, publish the results, advise individuals, communities, and legislators with regard to the best forms of legislation and methods of carrying them out; and it might assist in planning and conducting experiments with saloon substitutes and with agencies and systems for the control of the liquor traffic."

Our Cartoon.

The cartoon which we reproduce today from the Chicago Tribune hits off the situation aptly. By and by snowshoes and furs may fade out of foreign conceptions of this country. The Tribune artist has felt it necessary to depict Miss Ontario as a lady of the snows—may Kipling live to repent!—but Canada can now better afford to overlook these errors, especially in the American press, which is the best immigration agent this country could have. The newspapers of the United States fairly teem with articles relating to Canada. Nothing has fixed public attention on this country more than the negotiations of a Chicago syndicate for the purchase of a large tract in New Ontario for colonization purposes. This is the theme of the Chicago Tribune's cartoon. Whether the scheme comes to anything or not, it has been a magnificent advertisement for this Province, and has called the attention of the United States to the resources of a portion of Canada which has been considered as outside the region of production. The Ontario Government's policy is bearing fruit. The people of the Province were told that the New Ontario boom was election claptrap, but they are now convinced it has a solid basis, and that a great development is in store. No department has justified itself more than the colonization bureau established by the Administration. To its active work is largely due the progress of the Temiscaming country, and the immense interest aroused throughout the United States in the agricultural possibilities of New Ontario.

Uncle Eben.

[Washington Star.] "Some folks," said Uncle Eben, "gits de credit for bein' modest an' retirin' when dey ain' nuffin' but skeery."

The Kaiser's "Efficiency."

[London Chronicle.] If any one were obliged to be an emperor, probably the Kaiser is the



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Every Woman Should Know.

That Prof. W. Hodgson Ellis, Official Analyst to the Dominion Government, has recently made a number of analyses of soaps, and reports that "Sunlight Soap contains that high percentage of oils or fats necessary to a good laundry soap."

"What every woman does not know is that in common soaps she frequently pays for adulterations at the price of oils and fats. Try Sunlight Soap—Oils and Fats—next wash day, and you will see that Prof. Ellis is right. He should know."

Kind of emperor most of us would choose to be. No one doubts his capacity; no one doubts his efficiency; he himself least of all. There is a fine sense of personality about the man who at a word overthrew the greatest statesman not only of his own country, but of all Europe—the man who will lecture his own admirals on naval affairs, will tell French artists something about art, will himself design allegorical pictures, will push his country's goods with the energy of a commission agent, and at the same time discourse upon the advantages of music for "the life of the soul." Whatever may be the future course of his career there is no question that the Kaiser will be recognized by history as one of the most remarkable characters and potent influences of our age, for in him Germany has found a modern counterpart, as it were, of the shrewd and versatile old Fritz, who was the true founder of her empire.

Mere Opinion.

[S. E. Kiser.] Life might be one continuous round of pleasure if it were not for the day after.

Nearly every man can hypnotize his conscience without taking lessons.

A little nonsense now and then is relished by the wisest man if they know the preacher isn't listening.

Every man would like to be a genius, but few can afford it.

Even the cruelest old bachelor wants to know whether it's a girl or a boy the minute he sees the baby.

Took Everything.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.] "Frisleigh acted as a marriage broker once. Yes. He was engaged by an impecunious German count to secure an American heiress for him. Frisleigh was to get 10 per cent of the girl's estate for arranging the match. He did better than that. He took it all."

"Eh! How could he do that?" "He married the girl himself."

"The Beautiful Snow."

[Chicago Tribune.] O, the snow, the beautiful snow! Shimmering, fluttering to and fro; Hurrying flakes in dithyrambic chorus, Bringing a message of wintry cheer; Bringing the crisp, bracing air—Thrilling our hearts with a tingle fair. Isn't it?—This beat—

There goes a bunch of it down my back!

O, the snow, the beautiful snow! Coating the earth with ivory glow; Carpeting all the leaves and dead, Hiding the skeleton boughs overhead; Draping the vines with the whitest bloom, Softening the rugged, forbidding tomb; Silently covering, fold on fold—Genuinely!

But my feet are cold!

O, the snow, the beautiful snow! Pure as the blossoms of long ago, Fair as the blossoms of apple trees—Falls of angel-blossoms, these! Noisily, velvet, hush!—hush!—hush! Beautiful snow! O, how gladly we greet Thee and thy tremulous flutter and dip—

Ouch!

'Twas the blasted old snow made me slip!

Womanlike.

[Chicago Record-Herald.] She sits beside the window all the day.

But never sees the people who go by.

Her look is very, very far away.

And now and then she draws a gentle sigh.

She waits for one to come who never will.

For one who bade her wait for him one day.

And if he came she'd spurn his touch, but still

She waits for him and grieves her life away.

Fast Run on Wabash.

Peru, Ind., Dec. 1.—A fast run was made by the Wabash railroad by Route No. 556, pulling a regular train, on Friday, the distance of 106 miles from Peru to Montpelier, in 14 minutes. The train slowed down five times and made many full stops.

A Sure Cure for Constipation.

Some remedies cure this distressing complaint in a day, some in a month. But a few minutes to cure in a few minutes. Just ten drops of Nervine will do it. Nervine is a powerful, yet sweetened water—that's a laugh, and away goes the dysentery. Cures to stay cured. Nervine also cures cramps, colic, pain in the stomach and sick headache. It has five times the strength and curative properties of ordinary remedies, and should be in every household. Better buy a 25c bottle and try it. Nervine is all right. Hamilton's Pills for the Liver.

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The crowds attending the sale—the pleasant smile upon their faces—testify to the reality of the value which they are getting.

Are you missing the golden opportunity? How often have you visited this Sale? Each day sees some new attraction. Would you like to get a coat? There are some in choice materials, Parisian made and trimmed, reminders of La Belle Paris. Why I write this paragraph—I have just seen a lady purchase one, the price was \$105.00. She paid how much do you think? Just \$15.00. After she had made the purchase, she made the pleasant remark: "The buttons were worth the money."

There are similar chances for you if you will only avail yourself of the opportunity. Come and see what is offering every day.

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Sizes: 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 inch. Hem: ¼, ½, ¾, 1, 1¼, 1½, 1¾ inch.

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The Reduction is One-Third Off.

There is the Dress Goods table—always crowded—the attractions are great, Gems of the Loom in civilized countries, Oddments of the Choicest Stuffs, Fine French Wool Fabrics, Silk Warps and Worsted Fillings, Curios—some were as high as \$2.00 per yard, and some were cheaper, but all good, one price. The lot is selling for a low bid telling one, **25c PER YARD.**

Weft and Warp are also pure wool, the width is 58 inches, the colorings are this season's and desirable, the weight is sufficient to make the skirt without lining, the material is homespun, the price until today has been \$1.00 per yard, what remains is yours

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THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

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Trade was confined to the usual offerings for this day of the week at the market here this forenoon.
Eight loads of hay sold at \$3.50 to \$5.00 per ton; the demand was good.
Three loads of straw found a slow sale, at \$3 per load.
One load of wheat sold at \$1.15 per cwt.
One load of oats sold at \$1.10 per cwt.
Over 100 live hogs were purchased here by Mr. D. McNiff, for which he paid \$7.15 per cwt for select.

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Don't Miss Them---They're Money Savers.

BARGAINS IN FLANNELLETTES—BARGAINS IN WRAPPERETTES—BARGAINS IN ALL STAPLES.

Piece after piece went to delighted customers Saturday of that wonderful Flannellette at 6 1/2c. Just think—32 inches wide, beautiful stripes and good weight. It's worth 10c. On sale at 6 1/2c. And those swell Waist Cloths, fine range of patterns, worth 10c and 12 1/2c. On sale at 7 1/2c.

No fear about the assortment. Today we have added 20 new patterns to the assortment of Waist Cloths, and 18 new patterns to the Flannellette range; but it won't do to delay. Come quick.

HANDKERCHIEFS.—1,000 dozen new, fresh and taking. Nowhere else such a collection to be found. A pretty lace corner and edged handkerchief for 5c; lovely embroidered ones at 10c and 12 1/2c—a marvelous range. These prices are much below their real worth. Don't miss our handkerchief show.

LINENS.—For Christmas: a superb assortment; a handsome cloth, 22 1/2c, double faced, pure Irish Linen, worth \$2.75, for \$2.00. On sale at \$2.00. Others at \$1.50, \$3, \$4.50 and \$6. Napkins to match if desired.

HOLIDAY GOODS—Most attractive display of Chateaux, Hand Bags and Purses. TOYS—Bring the children; let them enjoy this section; don't need to buy, but if inclined 'twill surprise you how cheaply they can be had at

BAYLEY'S

CREW OF TWELVE RESCUED
By the Gallant Sailors From a Norwegian Steamer.

Shipwrecked Mariners Picked Up at Sea—Barge Dashed to Pieces.

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 1.—During a violent storm on the Cape Breton coast on Saturday, Capt. Robertson, of the Norwegian steamer Lovatken, gallantly rescued the crew of twelve men of the French fishing schooner Blanche, from St. Pierre for Sydney. The schooner was anchored half a mile off Sydney light, and the sea was breaking over her. Distress signals were displayed, and the captain, seeing them, bore down on her and stood by for five hours. Then a lifeboat was launched from the schooner, and the crew, after a battle with wind and sea, succeeded in reaching the schooner and taking off the boat.

PICKED UP AT SEA.
New York, Dec. 1.—The Quebec Company's steamer Fontabelle, which arrived yesterday from the West Indies, brought eight shipwrecked mariners who were picked up at sea in an open boat on Saturday evening. The shipwrecked men are Capt. A. B. McNiff and the crew of seven men of the American steamer Pendleton. The Pendleton was en route for Mobile. Almost from the start the vessel had bad weather. She strained her hull, and the crew was forced to the bottom. After nineteen hours' exposure to the cold, windy weather, nearly exhausted, and with the skin, the Fontabelle picked them up.

STUCK A REEF.
Detroit, Mich., Nov. 30.—A special from Put-In-Bay, Ohio, says: The steam barge, D. F. Rose, owned by L. B. Parker, of Marine City, Mich., and the barge Mosher, owned by Capt. David Hutchinson, of Port Huron, struck the Huron Island Reef in Saturday night's gale, and it is feared that both vessels will be a total loss.

DASHED TO PIECES.
Alpena, Mich., Dec. 1.—The barge Bay City (Capt. McDermott), of Port Huron, went to pieces within 50 rods of the light-house in this harbor. The Bay City was on its trip to the straits. The barge, which was loaded with coal, was driven ashore by the wind and sea. The crew was rescued, and the barge was dashed to pieces.

It is a question whether there is another preparation for sale in this country that is so heartily endorsed by persons who have used it as Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Professional and business men and women, farmers, mechanics, railroad men, miners, laborers, all classes of men and women, use and endorse Dr. Chase's Ointment as the only actual cure for piles.

F. G. Harding, a retired farmer, living at Nileswood, Middlesex county, states: "I had been troubled with itching piles for about five years and suffered agony at times from the dreadful itching. Though I tried almost everything I could get no relief. Part of one box of Dr. Chase's Ointment has cured me, and I am recommending it to all that are troubled with the same torturing disease."

John Fuddison, 189, Sydney street, London, Ont., gives in the following brief form an idea of his high esteem for Dr. Chase's Ointment, which freed him from the agony of itching piles. He says: "I feel Dr. Chase's Ointment invaluable as a positive cure for itching piles, and would consider it cheap at \$3 a box, if it could not be obtained otherwise."

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

In Italy the manufacture of playing cards is a state monopoly yielding an annual revenue of \$4,000,000.

REV. DR. JOHNSTON SPEAKS OF THE LIQUOR LICENSE ACT

His Arguments for Adoption of Measure.

Urges That Every Voter Should Express His Opinion by Ballot.

The third and last of the Sunday night temperance campaign meetings was held last night at the First Methodist Church. It was well attended. Rev. Dr. Johnston and Rev. W. P. F. Ferguson, of Chicago, delivered addresses. Mr. Ferguson's speech was somewhat similar to the one he gave the night before at the city hall, and he took advantage also of the opportunity of expressing his appreciation of the many kindnesses which he had been shown while in Canada.

Dr. Johnston said that from what he could learn opposition to the Ontario Liquor Act was on three lines. There were those who regarded it as an immoral act, who felt that the principle of prohibition was violated, and ultimately led to the weakening of moral character, which it should be our aim to strengthen. He pointed out that in every reform external means in the removal of evil co-operated with the development of personal resistance to the evil. So long as human hearts were as they are there would be abundant opportunity for the development of the moral character, and the provision by the state of artificial temptations.

Then there were others who regarded the act as an interference with the freedom of trade, and who desired the removal of the evils of the liquor traffic, but regarded this act as anything but the best method that could be devised for this purpose. Whether we regarded the act as likely to lessen the sale of strong drink or not, those engaged in the traffic regarded it as likely to do so, and were engaged in the most vigorous opposition that has ever been put up against it.

SEPARATE SCHOOL RESULTS

Pupils Who Did Good Work at St. Nicholas.

The results of the November examinations at St. Nicholas school are as follows: Best workers, Class III: Christian Doctrine—1 Pauline Dudley, Blanche Cowan, Winifred Sherlock, Helen McNiff, 2 May Flanagan, Agatha McCarthy, Lily Dickey.

Writing—1 Roscoe Cushing, 2 Patrick Flanagan, Agatha McCarthy, Pauline Dudley, Helen McNiff, 2 May Flanagan, Agatha McCarthy, Lily Dickey.

History—1 Helen McNiff, Blanche Cowan, Roscoe Cushing, 2 May Flanagan, Agatha McCarthy, Lily Dickey.

Geography—1 May Flanagan, Pauline Dudley, Blanche Cowan, Helen McNiff, 2 May Flanagan, Agatha McCarthy, Lily Dickey.

Physiology—1 Winifred Sherlock, Chester Cushing, Sarah Doyle, Pauline Dudley, Alma Dobb, May Flanagan, Richard McNiff and Blanche Cowan.

Grammar—1 and excellent May Flanagan, 2 Agatha McCarthy.

Position—1 Blanche Cowan, Pauline Dudley, Helen McNiff, May Flanagan, Agatha McCarthy, James McCue.

Neatness—1 and excellent, L. Dickey and May Flanagan, 2 Agatha McCarthy, Sarah Doyle, Pauline Dudley, Blanche Cowan, Winifred Sherlock.

Application—Pauline Dudley and May Flanagan, 2 Helen McNiff, Blanche Cowan.

Politeness—1 Pauline Dudley, May Flanagan, Alma Dobb, William Donahue, 2 Helen McNiff, Blanche Cowan.

Good conduct—1 Pauline Dudley, May Flanagan, Winifred Sherlock, Agatha McCarthy, P. Burke, William Donahue, Martin Donahue, P. Flanagan, Chester Cushing.

Highest total—1 May Flanagan, 2 Pauline Dudley.

Commended for improvement—Winifred Sherlock, James McCue, Roscoe Cushing, Chester Cushing, Charles Fitzpatrick, William Donahue.

Class III—Christian doctrine—1 Ethel Walter, 2 Gertrude Brennan, Kathleen Dudley, 2 James Self and Pearl Cushing, Rose Dickey, Arithmetic—1 (100 per cent), Kathleen Dudley, Orthography—1 Gertrude Brennan, Geography—1 Gertrude Brennan, Grammar—1 Ethel Walter, Literature—1 Kathleen Dudley and James Self, Composition—1 Gertrude Brennan and Kathleen Dudley, Neatness—1 Kathleen Dudley, Application—1 Ethel Walter, Politeness—1 Kathleen Dudley, Good conduct—1 Ethel Walter, 2 Gertrude Brennan, Ethel Walter.

At St. Augustine, Fla. is the only mill in the world that gets its power from an artesian well.

GREAT THINGS FROM LITTLE CAUSES GROW.—It takes very little to derange the stomach. The cause may be next a cold, or something eaten or drunk, anxiety, worry, or some other simple cause. But if precautions be not taken, this simple cause may have most serious consequences. Many a chronically debilitated constitution today owes its destruction to simple causes dealt with in time. Keep the digestive apparatus in healthy condition and all will be well. Farnley's Vegetable Pills are better than any other for the purpose.

Lieut.-Col. Peters, after inspecting the proposed site for a rifle range at Yawley farm, near Windsor, decided that it was not suitable for rifle practice.

The theater-goers of London will do well to remember the performance of "The Great Escape" at the Grand Opera House on Tuesday next, under the auspices of the Irish Benevolent Society. The play is produced under the direction of Lieut.-Col. Septimus.

Ladies' Kimonos-- Wholesale Price \$1.10 Each, Our Low Price 49c.

A Wonderful Bargain—Marvelous Value—Well-Made Cozy Garments. We have only about 45 of them, and we want to get them out of the way in a few hours. They are made of heavy Eider Flannellette in fancy patterns, and the wholesale price was \$1.10 each. They go on sale Tuesday morning. If you want to buy before Tuesday you'll have to pay regular price, but on Tuesday they go for.....49c

Tell Your Friends About This

Children's Heelless Overstockings to keep the legs and feet warm, extra heavy quality, according to size, 35c, 40c, and 50c
Cardinal Cashmere Hose, all sizes, commencing as low as 25c
Very pretty line of Children's Clouds, in cream, pink and blues, 20c, 25c, 35c
Extra good line of Children's Silk and Wool Hoods, in cream, at 50c
Children's Wool Toggles, in plain colors and stripes, good value at 25c and 35c

Two Specials in Ladies' Supporters.

The "Princess" Belt Supporter, of fancy colored and black elastic, rubber button. Very special at only 25c
"Anchor" Hookon Hose Supporter, in black only, rubber buttons 25c
A special in heavy Military Flannel, in gray only, suitable for men's top shirts. Per yard only 35c
Men's Muleskin Mitts (warranted), per pair only 25c

Gray and Parker

150 DUNDAS ST. NORTH SIDE.

Now Is the Time to Look Out for the Nice Things for Christmas.

Cowan's
PERFECTION COCOA,
ROYAL NAVY CHOCOLATE and
FAMOUS BLEND COFFEE
ARE A NECESSITY IN EVERY HOUSEHOLD.
Cowan's Cake Icings
SAVE TIME AND LABOR.

Removal

Announcement

After a business career of nearly thirty-five years in the same store, we now wish to say that about the 1st of January, 1903, we intend to move our stock of Hardware to No. 121 Dundas Street, five doors east of the store we now occupy.

We will have better facilities for showing our goods, and a more agreeable place for our customers to do their trading.

Announcement of special lines to be cleared out will be given later.

A. WESTMAN

HARDWARE, LONDON.

Denison, who takes the leading role. The balance of the cast is as follows: Capt. Lawrence, N. Y., Dec. 1.—Miss Julia Olivera, daughter of Gen. and Mrs. Charles J. Langdon, and Edward B. Loomis, first vice-president of the Lackawanna Railroad, were married at the home of the bride in this city on Saturday evening. The bride is a niece of Mark Twain, who was guest.

Cherry Tree in Blossom.
Catskill, Dec. 1.—In striking contrast to the snow-covered mountains nine miles distant, is a cherry tree in full blossom in this village.

A SOOTHING OIL.—To throw oil upon the troubled waters means to subside the most boisterous sea. To apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil to the troubled body when it is racked with pain means speedy subjugation of the most refractory elements. It cures pain, heals bruises, takes the fire from wounds, and is a general household medicine in all its many ailments. It is worth much.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS is the best known remedy for dyspepsia, constipation and biliousness, and will cure all blood diseases, from a common cold to the most serious, such as, colds, bronchitis, etc., etc.

At This Time of the Year.

Everybody needs something to create and maintain strength for the daily round of duties. There is nothing better than an Ale or Porter, the purity and merits of which has been attested by chemists, physicians and experts at the great

