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BORDEN GOVT. IS LIKELY TO DROP ITS NAVY SCHEME

German War Scare and Other Conservative Perils Have Not Materialized.

WHOLE WORLD AT PEACE

evernment Is Congratulating Mself Now That the Senate Threw Out Bill.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Dec. 5.-This is the anniversary of Premier Borden's \$35,000,000 emergency contribution bill. It is just welve months since Premier Borden stated in the House of Commons that he British Empire was in danger and n such a position of peril that three Preadnoughts were immediately require com Canada to meet the emergency. Since that time there has not even een a German scare. On the contrary critain and Germany united to keep the eace of Europe while the Balkan trouble

It is also noted that Australia and Yew Zealand within the last year have lefinitely decided against naval contri-outions to England and in favor of local Is Not Popular

The Canadian Government has no ooked with favor on the proposal of onference to be held in British Colum

During the year the relations of Germany and Britain improved so much that each dispatched a considerable porion of its naval force from the North Sea to the Mediterranean and to African stations

During the year, Germany extended he most-favored-nation trade terms to Britain. Throughout the year the Cana ian Government has had the Niobe and Rainbow tied up to wharves, and has put n end, as far as possible, to the train ng of Canadians for naval service. Cause for Congratulation.

Today the Government is congratulatng itself that the Senate threw out the naval bill. Finance Minister White has een to London for \$45,000,000. Had the paval bill passed he would have been to

Today the Government is trying to deide whether it will introduce the pergency contribution bill again this As the neace of the world is rofound, and the Government hard up, Canada may take a naval holiday for

* MAY END TROUBLE

Kaiser Orders Garrison at Zabern To Be Transferred.

[Canadian Press.] Donaueschingen, Germany, Dec. 5. Emperor William this afternoon ordered the garrison of Zabern, Alsace, to be transferred to another place, owing to the trouble between the soldiers and the itizens there. He also directed that the court martial proceedings be proceedings.

EVAPORATOR BURNED

Fine Plant of Oxford Company De stroyed at Currie's. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Woodstock, Dec. 5.—The fine evaporator of the Oxford Evaporator Company at Curries was completely destroyed by fire late last night. fire started in the drying rooms in the top story, and although people gathred quickly, little could be done, as boxes of dried apples were consumed. Only the smokestack is now standing. The loss will be \$15,000, partly covered by insurance.

DUKE IN MONTREAL

Will Attend Annual Banquet of St. Andrew's Society. [Canadian Press.]

Iontreal, Dec. 5.—His Royal Highness
Duke of Connaught arrived in Montpairs have been going on one of these leal today for a two-day visit. By after-loon he will visit the Montreal City dission, the Salvation Army, Hotel Metropole, and the Young Women's Refuge. Addresses of welcome will be presented to the Governor-General at each of these institutions. After dining at the Mount Royal Club, his royal highness will attend the annual ball of St. Andrew's Society.

St. Andrew's Society.

Tomorrow the duke will visit the art callery and inspect the exhibition of the Canadian Royal Academy. He is to visit the Church Home before returning to Ottawa on Saturday evening.

Turnkey Marsh nurried downstains was just in time to hear the side-slam as a dim figure glided through the control of the opinion that the introduced was a tramp seeking a place to see the control of the c

ADDRESSED ALUMNAE

Dr. Fidler Lectures to Victoria Hospital Nurses' Association.

At the December meeting of the Victoria Hospital Alumnae Association Dr. Fidler, of the Hygienic Institute, addressed the nurses on "Medical Asepsis," showing the possibility of handling mixwithout much danger of cross infectio if the proper mechanical means are used. The lecture was enjoyed by all present, and Dr. Fidler was given a vote of thanks by the same.

SOLD OPIUM

Oakville Druggist Was Fined \$400 for Illegal Sale.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Dec. 5 .- J. Urquhart, druggist, of Oakville, was yesterday fined and costs by Superintendent Jos. E. Rogers, of the provincial police, for illegally selling opium, fifteen pounds of which was found in the cellar. The prosecution followed frequent visits of hinamen to the store.

> WHIRLED TO DEATH. [Canadian Press.]

St. Catharines, Dec. 5 .- George Albon, 30 years of age, who was caught in a belt at the Maple Leaf Rubber Works and whirled around the shaft-Tuesday last, died today as a result of his injuries.

BURGLARS IGNORE CASH; EGGS FAR MORE PRECIOUS

They Show Wonderful Judgment, After Effecting Entrance Into South London Store, by Taking Only Valuable Hen Fruit.

and all the other goods in stock, shop- scattered over adjoining lawns. breakers, who removed a pane of glass from the window of F. F. Smith's gro- butcher shop was also effected, but so cery store, Wortley road and Craig far as is known, nothing was taken street, thereby gaining access to the from there. Evidences of an attempt shop, possessed themselves of only a to break into Wildern's drug store, a few dozen eggs, which they found in few doors down the street were also the window. In view of the steady found this morning, but the attempt Many Women Are Supposed To increase in the price of the valuable was unsuccessful. The local detechen fruit, they probably anticipated tives have the case in hand, but are the time in the near future when eggs of the opinion that the depredation will be worth their weight in gold. was committed by some boys in the Evidently they "sucked" the eggs for neighborhood.

ALFRED DREW.

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MIDDLESEX JAIL

Tramp Tries New One at London

Courthouse This

Morning.

ROUSES THE TURNKEYS

Crash of Falling Door Causes

General Alarm in the

Euilding.

Breaking out of jail has long been

tried breaking "into" jail. He was suc-

cessful, too, but owing to an unfor-

tunate mishap he made such a noise

that he was forced to depart hurried-

ing, which he had almost gained.

ly and had to forego the night's lodg-

The night prowler made his mistake

when he tried to softly open the front

big doors has been taken off its hinges

was just in time to hear the side-door

slam as a dim figure glided through

He is of the opinion that the intruder

was a tramp seeking a place to sleep

for the night. Such occurrences some-

times happen, he said, and it was only

making himself comfortable for the

night in the judges' chamber upstairs.

short time that he found a man,

There was no attempt made to gain

access to any of the offices in the

TO RAISE \$200,000

Lake Carriers Were Hard Hit By

Recent Disaster.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Cleveland, Dec. 5.—As a result of sustaining losses of over a million dollars in the recent lakes disaster, the Great Lakes Protective Association has de-

extra assessment of 50 per cent of the initial contribution to cover its expenses,

STILL IN MEXICO

President Huerta Has Not Fled, as

Was Reported.

[Canadian Press.] Mexico City, Dec. 5.—The family of

Provisional President Huerta is said

to have gone secretly to Vera Cruz on

Nov. 30, and to be living quietly in

that city, where its presence is known

to but a few intimate friends: The

courthouse.

Master Elect of

An entrance to a neighboring

St. George's Lodge For Ensuing Year

Appointed to Position in Polling Subdivision Over Head of Original Appointee.

AT LAST MINUTE

FIRST OFFICER SURPRISED

Unaware of His Successor's Appointment Till He Started Election Arrangements.

The appointment of a relative of Mayor C. M. R. Graham, as one of the deputy returning officers for the coming municipal elections, has knocked out the appointment of one of the officers whose names was ratified by the council and who was notifed to serve by the city clerk.

The officer originally appointed was unaware that he had been superseded by the mayor's relative until he went to the polling booth, to which he had been assigned, to complete arrangenents for polling day. He was then in formed that the relative of the mayor had secured the berth as deputy.

COMMISSION WILL ORGANIZE SHORTLY

Board Will Convene Tomorrow or Monday.

The old London and Port Stanley Railway Board will have a meeting on Dec. 9 to wind up business and formally hand ver the reins of office to the new com-

mission.

The latter body, which, according to the decision of the city council last Monday night, will consist of Hon, Adam Beck, Philip Pocock, M. D. Fraser, K. C., and Ald. William Spittal, will have a meeting either Saturday or Monday for organization purposes Mr. Beck is in Chatham today, and the time of meeting will be decided on his return to-

an art familiar to criminals, but a morrow. **WORKING FOR MISSIONS**

Americans Band Together for Common Understanding of Advancement.

[Canadian Press.] New York, N. Y., Dec. 5. - The women of eighteen Protestant denominations in this country have joined hands in common understanding of the general principles upon which Christian missions in foreign lands SAW NO LIGHT WHEN shall be advanced according to Mrs. Dewitt Knox, chairman of the general advisory commission of the firmed Federation of Women's Boards of Foreign Missions of the United

States.

The fact that the organizatin had been perfected was disclosed by Mrs. Knox in an address before the council of Protestant women for home missions here last night. Mrs. Knox enthusiastically asserted that the new federation virtually included 12,000,000 women, of whom 2,000,000 were regular contributors to ethe cause of foreign missions giving about \$4,000,000 annually. It is the purpose of the new federation to eliminate jealous friction and wasted efforts in the evangelization of unbelievers in foreign lands.

THANKS LONDON

Honorary Treasurer of Lakes Disaster Fund Acknowledges Local Subscription.

H. H. Gildersleeve, general treasurer of the lake disaster fund of Canada, in a letter to Mayor C. M. R. Graham acknowledges the receipt of \$1,218.25 contributed by the citizens of London and extends his thanks to the sympathetic people of this city, and to the newspapers for their splendid work.

WILL NOT RESIGN.

departure of the Huerta family on that date on a special train gave rise to the report that the president himself had left Mexico City, which was, however, quickly disproved.

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The wagon was travelling along Washington street, when a large crowd intention of resigning office in connection with the conflict between the military and civilians in Alsace.

WHITE SLAVERS' NEW SCHEME TO

Disregarding the money in the till the shells were found this morning Hypodermic Needle Thrust Into Arm of Woman Sitting in Theatre.

Have Been Trapped by Fiends.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, N. Y., Dec. 5. - A hypodermic needle, believed to contain a powerful opiate, was thrust into the arm of Mrs. Marjorie H. Graff, a bride of a week, while she sat in a box in a Newark theatre last night. She became faint, and made her way to a women's room, where she fell senseless. Recovering, she communicated to the police her suspicion that a young man, a stranger, who was seated behind her in the box, had plunged the needle into her hand. The police arrested a young South American, Armand Megaro, formerly a student in the New Jersey College of Pharmacy, Newark. Megaro protested his innocence. He was held on a technical charge of assault. No needle was found on him or in the box.

Experiences almost identical to that of Mrs. Graff have been reported to the police of New York, Brooklyn. Newark and other cities recently. Detectives, investigating these cases have worked on a theory that white slavers have taken this means of making women their victims. In several instances the persons attacked were taken charge of by individuals pretending to be relatives, according to police accounts of the disappearance of several women.

HUNDREDS CLIMB TREES TO ESCAPE FLOODS

New London and Port Stanley Twenty-Six Are Dead In the Low Lands of Texas.

> [Canadian Press.]
> Dallas, Texas, Dec. 5. — Hundreds of persons driven from their homes by lands about Hearne, centre of the Texas flood district today. Many more refugees were maroon-

ed in cotton gin houses awaiting res- a time.

The flood's death toll today was set at 26, but this number may be slightly increased, because bodies have been reported floating in the muddy current at several points. Hundreds of head of live stock have been drowned and scores of homes carried away since rivers and creeks began overflowing their banks after a terrific rainfall on Tuesday last.

Despite last night's downpour at several points conditions in North Texas improved. In South Waco last night scores of

persons who had returned to their homes after Wednesday's high water receded, again were driven out by a second tide caused by a heavy rain. Many flood victims were being taken into the town of Calvert, a few miles above Hearne, today. Men who were directing the rescue work said they had

Brazos River. A few towns are asking for tents for the refugees. SCREAMS WERE HEARD

New Point for Defence in the Knabe Murder Hearing.

[Canadian Press.] Shelbyville, Ind., Dec. 5. - The de-

fence in the trial of Dr. Wm. Craig for the murder of Dr. Helene Knabe, today brought out the fact that there was no light in the Knabe apartment at the time screams were heard on the night she met death. Joseph Carr, who testified yesterday for the state, on direct examination said he heard screams coming from the apartment about 12:30 o'clock in the morning. Carr on cross-examination today said he saw no light in the apartment as he passed. He was also questioned closely as to his reasons for being out late and said he had spent much of the evening in a wine room.

SHOT STRIKEBREAKERS

[Canadian Press.] Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 5. - Two strike-breakers were shot, one probably fatally, when a crowd of striking teamsters and sympathizers attacked a wagon of the Cobourn Transfer Company in West Washington street today. Jacob Sonenfield, of Chicago, was shot through the neck and his in-[Canadian Press.] Was snot through the next and the second was snot through the next and the second press.]

Berlin, Dec. 5.—The existence of a juries are believed to be fatal, George Chancellerial change' was denied this C. Williams, of Cincinnati, was woundjuries are believed to be fatal, George

ELEVENTH-HOUR ACTION ON SEPARATION WILL BE TAKEN BY CITY COUNCIL

Recommendation For Another Vote Is To Be Railroaded Through by Special Committee Prior to Aldermanic Meeting To Be Held Tonight.

SUSPECT UNDER ARREST SCHEME TO BLOCK DISCUSSION IS APPARENT

An eleventh hour meeting of the spe- According to City Solicitor T. G. | As matters stand at present, with cial waterworks committee is to be Meredith, the water commission is still the ruling made by the city solicitor held this afternoon at 5 o'clock to consider the report of Engineer John M. Moore and to discuss the separation council, which in turn has handed if they desire to continu in their po-

last minute was evidently part of a present name until the same is changcut-and-dried scheme to preclude any discussion, according to those who are in touch with the situation.

Will Recommend Second Vote.

A recommendation will probably be made to the city council, which opinion that the finance committee of meets tonight, to submit another byto again consolidate the departments. 'dope" on the question.

law to the ratepayers, asking consent mission to continue its administration my dueies as a member of the London This, at any rate, is the city hall

Was Punished at Once by Authorities at the Kingston Penitentiary.

POSITIONS ARE NOT EASY

Notes of an Important Witness, Placed in Bible, Were

Stolen.

[Canadian Press.] Kingston, Dec. 5. - At the prison reform commission session today Samued McCormick, a guard, who did duty in the insane ward, told how a colored convict had been "tubbed." The convict was stripped and was given two "dips" in the water. He knew of other convicts who had been placed in

ethe tub. One man given a "tubbing' was in the insane ward and was "tubbed without an order from the superior ofhigh water were reported to have ficers. The convict attempted to bite taken refuge in trees in the bottom- an ear o ffone of his guards and for received from the surgeon not to do any "tubbing" and it was stopped for

The convicts he had reference were undressed before being bathed. Was Not Persecuted. James Fegg, a witness on Thursday,

was recalled. "I could not say that any guard had been persecuted by the deputy warden or that the warden had showed any favoritism to any guards," said witness when ques-"There are no real easy positions.

said the witness. "Every post has hard duty. If a man does his duty he will find lots of hard work." Ross Davis, another guard, asked about favoritism shown guards by the deputy, said: "I don't think he was just fair in all cases."

Convict E750 was called, as he had intimated his desire to give information to the commission. He complained that he had been reported for merely talking. Convict E750, looking over his notes, stated that his story seen bodies floating in the swollen was a long one.

He declared that two days after he

was placed in the pen, two men employed in the stone pile were guilty of an unnatural offence. He could not give the names of the convicts. He had secured their numbers, but these had been placed in his Bible, which had mysteriously disappeared from his cell. A Number of Times.

"This has occurred a number of times," declared the witness. He would not swear that the guards knew what was going on, but felt sure that the "Are these the same cases referred to by Gordon Russell, the ex-convict?" asked J. L. Whiting.
Witness said he did not know that

Russell had made a report of the affair. Asked for the names of guards who were on duty at the time these offences vere committed, he mentoined Guards were committed, he mentoined Guards
Potter and Doyle.
"I have all my information about this
in my Bible," said the witness "but
unfortunately the Bible is lost." THE WEATHER.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures for the 12 hours preceding 8 o'clock this morning: Highest, 43; lowest, 33.

The official temperatures for the 24 hours preceding 8 p.m. Thursday were: Highest, 45; lowest, 34. TOMORROW-FINE.

TORONTO, Dec. 5-8 a.m. Moderate to fresh west to northwest inds; fine today and on Saturday, with o decided change in temperature. Temperatures. The following were the highest and owest temperatures during the 24 hours

previous to 8 a.m. today: High. ... 40 ... 48 Victoria Calgary
Winnipeg
Port Arthur..... Parry Sound..... 42 Toronto 47 Ottawa Quebec 38

of the hydro and waterworks depart- the matter over to the finance com- sitions, will continue to handle the mittee. This was the solicitor's advice hydro and parks departments, and if The question will be debated, as far to the board of works Thursday night the ratepayers pass a bylaw to that as possible, in the limited time. The through the medium of the mayor. The effect, may also have control of the action in rushing on the report at the commission will continue to use its waterworks. ed by act of Parliament. Confident of Continuing. Philip Pocock, chairman of the at the end of this month, and Mr. Po-

Pocock May Retire. Chairman Pocock and J. H. Chap-

in charge of the hydro and parks de- it seems likely that after the first of

partments, through the control of the the year the water commissioners, two

waterworks has passed to the city of whom will have to seek re-election

man are the two whose terms expire water commission, in conversation cock was asked today if he would with The Advertiser today, was of the again be in the field. "I am not in a position to say," he

the council would tsk the water com- replied, "for it is possible that with of the water department, all checks be- and Port Stanley Railway commission ing countersigned by the chairman of I might not have sufficient time to de-

CHAUFFEUR GETS \$38,000 FROM OLD MAN HE HAD BEFRIENDED

Knowledge of First Aid Work Brought Fortune to Good Samaria tan Who Helped Wealthy Rancher Whom He Found Hurt on the Road.

[Canadian Press.]

Montreal, Dec. 5.—An act of kind- man was A. Jamieson, ness performed a year ago has brought a chauffeur, living at St. Catharines street, in the shape of a legacy of

A year ago Mr. Goode was in the United States army, being attached to the Fourteenth Regiment at Douglas,

course of which he had become separcountered an elderly man, who was lying at the side of the road, bleeding profusely from a cut in the head and of kindness of a year ago. injuries to his legs received when he

a distance of three miles. The old rancher. Shortly atterwards Goode left the army and came to Canada, after a handsome reward to Edward Goode, paying a farewell visit to Jamieson, who was still in the hospital with his injuries. On Thursday Goode was surprised to

receive a visit from an old companion-in-arms. George Marceau, who brought with him a clipping from the Douglas Conserver containing an ac-Running from a sham ght, in the count of the death of Mr. Jamieson, and telling the disposition of his propated from his companions, Goode en- erty. Thirty-eight thousand dollars was the amount he had bequeathed to Mr. Goode in remembrance of the act

Today Mr. Goode received a letter was thrown off a runaway horse. The from E. J. Riley, an attorney of 27 soldier had some knowledge of first Wall street, New York, confirming the aid, and after staunching the bleeding intelligence of the legacy, and through from the old man's wounds, carried his lawyer, he is taking steps to secure

"BACK TO LAND" FOR WEALTHY LONDONERS

this he was punished. An order was Country Estates Popular With Annexed Districts Will Have Fire Moneeyd Class in This

City.

Londoners with means are going to trongly for the country eastate idea. William Dilger, landscape artist, who designed Belle Isle in Detroit, and exparks' commiscioner of the city of London on a park scheme, has recently completed plans for T. B. Ecott's splendid new place on the fourth concession, and is now working on plans for a 35-acre estate for Messrs. Fitzgerald and Flanagan of the Cook-

Fitzgerald Shoe Company. This property is located on the river ront just north of the city limits, and the plans will call for the erection of two handsome houses, large lawns, tennis courts, bowling green, and other comforts, incidental to the complete

country place. PANAMA ENGINEER GIVES LIFE TO WORK

Col. Gaillard Dies as Result of Arducus Labors on Canal.

the engineering work in the Culebra Cut tion continued. The local weather DuBose Gaillard, U.S.A., who directed division of the Panama Canal, died at Johns Hopkins Hospital here today. He had been a patient in the hospital since Aug. 17 last, suffering from a growth in roads had sent any trains out of Denthe head, the result of several years' arduous labor in the tropical climate of the canal zone. Lieut.-Col. Gaillard was born at Winnisboro, S. C., in 1859, and is survived by his widow and a son.

HOUSING PROBLEM

Cincinnati Convention Will Hear Dr Hastings on Subject.

[Canadian Press.]
Cincinnati, Dec. 5.—When the delegates to the National Housing Congress assembled this morning there was no fixed program before them but three questions were up for discussion that fixed program before them but three questions were up for discussion that proved very interesting, and allowed many of the delegates to express their views in five-minute talks. The questions were: "What Is the Housing Problem?" "How Can We Keep Our City a City of Homes?" and "How Shall We Enforce Our Housing Laws?"

At the afternoon session Dr. Charles Hastings medical health officer of Toronto, was to deliver an address on "Health Department Organization and ronto, was to deliver an audiess "Health Department Organization and

him on his back to the nearest house, the money. NEW WATER MAINS

Protection Before Spring, Says Superintendent.

If the weather man continues in his present state of good humor the resilents of the newly-annexed districts will have an adequate fire protection before next spring. According to Superintendent hTomas Hodgkinson, of the waterworks department, the teninch main being laid on the Hamilton road is now constructed as far east as Glenwood avenue. Knollwood Park will be reached ere many months have

The workmen are encountering considerable difficulty in the way of big stones on the 12-inch main to the Asylum on Dundas street. One of these stones found at the corner of Dundasand Charlotte street weighed threequarters of a ton.

BLIZZARD IS RAGING THROUGHOUT COLORADO

Twenty-Nine Inches of Snow Fallen and Storm Is Still On.

[Canadian Press.] [Canadian Press.]

Baltimore, Dec. 5.—Lieut.-Col. David

Denver, Col., Dec. 5.—Approximately 29 inches of snow covered this city and suburbs early today, and the precipita-

mediate relief. All street car and suburban train traffic was blocked. None of the railver since 6 o'clock last night, and it was announced that no attempt would be made to move any before noon. Advices from Colorado cities and towns showed practically no change from conditions last night, the snowfall varying from 16 inches on the plains to 50 inches along the contin-

REV. ROBT. M'INTYRE RESIGNS FROM CHURCH

Former Tempo Minister Leaves St.

Catharines Charge.
Rev. Robert McIntyre, who has obained some notoriety as the marrying minister of Bridgeburg, and who was formerly pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Tempo, tendered his resignation in the Haynes Avenue Presbyterian Church, St. Catharines, recently. The resignation will go into effect on the 28th of this month. Rev. H. Cowan, of Chatham, has been inducted as his successor.

IDEAS OUTLINED FOR SECURING

County Council Prepare Recommendations For Good Roads Commission.

MANY REPORTS RECEIVED

Protracted Session Results in a Large Amount of Business Being Disposed Of.

Good roads were again under discussion at Thursday afternoon's session of the Middlesex county coun-

A number of recommendations regarding the question of good roads were presented by a committee appointed for that purpose, and will be presented to the good roads commission, which comes to London Dec. 16, to confer with the Middlesex council as to ways and means of improving coun-

The recommendations were passed upon singly by the council, sitting as a committee of the whole, and considerable discussion arose over some of them, the report finally being referred back to the committee for some slight alterations and additions before being finally passed upon. The alterations are comparatively trivial, however, and will not affect the report as a

Briefly stated, the recommendations brought in were as follows: The committee suggests that the council approve of provincial and federal aid in the construction and main-

tenance of highways. County Control Advocated.

That it disapproves of federal provincial management of said highways, and recommends that all works of road improvement be under the direct management of a commission appointed and directly controlled by the county or township councils, vised by provincial engineers and in-

The committee also recommends that the roads leading to market centres be managed and controlled by county councils, and roads of less importance by the township councils. The committee advise the use of gravel on all roads where good quality of gravel is available, and disapproves of any more expensive scheme where gravel is available locally. In

higher class road material should be Government to Pay Fifty Per Cent. As the maintainence of highways is infinitely more important than construction, we would ask provincial aid in the mattter of maintainance, the government grants to be at least 50 per cent of the cost. The committee also wishes to impress upon the Government that as under the act a road is in need of repair, it e practically rebuilt in order to receive the government grant on the cost of the work, this undesirable condition would be overcome by the Government recogniz-

Frontage Assessment Unfair. In regard to assessment on the frontage basis, we consider that in this county the benefit to farms along such improved roads would be insufficient to justify the expense and complications such a plan

A Long Session. The afternoon session was a protracted one, and a great deal of routine business was put through. The council had been running behind schedule, but is now pulling up even again, and will probably finish the work today. A number of reports were received and accounts passed at the meeting.

Palmerston Club Elects Officers

[Special to The Advertiser.] Palmerston Dec. 4. - An enthusiastic organization meeting of Palmerston hockey club was held in the Queen's Hotel today, when the following officers were elected for the coming sea-

Honorary president, W. A. Clarke, M. P.; president, W. White; honorary vice-president, Theodore Morris; vicepresident, Dr. Cameron; secretarytreasurer, H. Shields; manager, T. A. Wiseman; mascot, Dickie Root. Patrons and patronesses-Mr. and Mrs. George Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rayner. Executive-W. White, Theo Morris, Dr. Cameron, H. Shields, T. A. Wiseman, E. Root and D. Lawrence. The enthusiasm shown speaks well for the Palmerston club for the coming season and a fast team will be placed in the Northern League, where hockey has been booming for the past few

MILK STRIKE

[Special to The Advertiser.] Berlin, Dec. 4. — Acting on in-structions of the council Mayor Euler today launched a milk strike, to commence Saturday morning. In a statement to the citizens he advises them to abstain from using milk until such time as the dealers reduce the price to seven cents a quart. Evaporated cream is recommended as a sub-The investigating committee is conferring with the solicitors with a view to breaking up the alleged milk dealer's combine.

FOUND DEAD

[Special to The Advertiser.] Kingsville, Dec. 4. — Henry Scratch, 74 years old, long resident of this village, was found dead on the road half a mile from his home yesterday. He was on his way to the home of his son and is supposed to have been stricken with heart disease. Mr. Scratch leaves four sons and two daughters.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS Reported at From.
..New York...Messianport
..New York..Southampton

Queenstown. Philadelphia . Montreal New York

PHONE FORTY-FOUR HUNDRED

STORE CLOSES SATURDAY AT SIX

A Storehouse of Useful and Beautiful Gifts



HIS is a Christmas store, the store where the holiday spirit pervades. Hundreds of things especially suitable for gifts, besides being useful as well, are brought forward on every floor, which are given a brighter, more inviting appearance by Christmas boxes or more attractive wrappings. Some departments require room for expansion, which necessitated a few changes in locations. The dress goods and silks have given up a portion of their space for the display of handkerchiefs and fancy toilet articles, leather goods, etc, The restroom on second floor has been temporarily removed to front of millinery section, Richmond street, adjoining

ladies' toilet, which gives double space for the display of baby's Christmas things in infants' wear section.

"Cortese" Orchestra Saturday Morning Main Floor Balcony

Commencing at 9:45 Saturday morning, Cortese Orchestra will render a choice program of music.

This, in addition to the great program of Saturday morning specials, will combine profit and pleasure for early shoppers. music at 9:45 a.m. Balcony.

Dainty Blouses for Christmas Gifts

Shadow lace, net, crepe de chine, chiffon and messaline in all popular colorings, as well as dainty shades for evening wear. Many Paris models, also the graceful "Evangeline" waist. See display on second floor. Prices. \$5 to \$16.50

Two Specials in Flannel Blouses

Challie Blouse, tailored style, pointed collar and French cuffs, in pastel shades and two-toned gray mixtures; sizes 34

Pretty Flannel Blouse, plain tailored style, with Gibson pleat over shoulder, soft collar and cuffs, in gray with white pin or narrow blue stripe; sizes 34 to 42. Special....\$3.25 Second Floor.

Ladies' Silver 50c U Mesh Bags ... 50c

Special holiday values will be shown Saturday in these dainty and popular bags. Indestructible mesh, also German silver and gunmetal.

Mesh Bag or Coin Purse for children, with long chain ... 50¢ Fine Mesh Bag, kid lined, with long chain, gun or silver. 75¢ Special value, kid lined\$1.00 Special round mesh, shirred and kid lined .. \$1.00 to \$2.50 Dainty Bags in indestructible mesh with neat frames. \$1.50 Dainty Bags with indestructible mesh with covered frames.\$3 Handsome fine Mesh Bag with beautiful carved 61/2-inch frames \$4.00

Pretty assortment of genuine Gunmetal Mesh Bags, extra

Women's Novelty Tweed Coats, Specially Priced Saturday

About 30 novelty styles have been grouped for special clearance Saturday. All the very newest models, this season's best styles, and some exclusive coats, one or two only of a line. If you are thinking of a new coat, see this group early Saturday before the high-grade models are picked up. We will briefly mention a few:

1 only Gray Curl Cloth Coat, Johnny Coat style, with kimono sleeve, size 36, satin lined. Reg. \$35. Saturday . \$25

1 only Bright Navy Blue Tweed Coat, with rose hairline stripe, Johnny coat style, fastened with silk ornaments and lined with rose satin; size 36. Reg. \$35. Saturday.....\$25

2 only Tan Diagonal Boucle Coats, 7/8 length, patch pockets, trimmings of cerise broadcloth. Sizes, misses', 16 and 18 years. \$27.50 Coats for......\$18.50

2 only Heather Mixed Brown Tweed Coats, waist and sleeves satin lined, deep cuff on sleeves, round cutaway front; sizes 36 and 40. Regular \$26.50, Saturday

at \$18.50 Second Floor. Further Millinery Reductions

Another contribution has been made to the sale tables for Saturday, both Trimmed and Untrimmed Shapes. Some that were thought too good at first will be found amongst the slain Saturday.

Untrimmed Shapes \$1.89 and \$2.59

At these prices will be found elegant shapes in both black and colors, some worth up to \$7.50. All must go at \$1.89 and \$2.59

Trimmed Hats \$3.50 and \$4.95

Two tables on which you will find elegant styles, and all winter ahead to wear them. Above prices are only a fraction

Also About Coats

Regular \$25.00 to \$29.00, to clear at\$18.50 And one rack Tweed Coats,

specially priced at....\$15

Ladies' Four-in-Hand Ties, 25c 44 Dozen, Special

This is a special purchase. Two weaves in fine neat patterns for ladies or children. Pretty shades in helio, sky, saxe, navy, paddy, brown, red, scarlet, ivory and black. On

These Muffs Specially Priced for Saturday

Isabella Opossum, pillow style, satin-Black Manchurian Wolf, large Pillow Muff, satin-lined\$7.75/ Western Sable Muff, pillow style.\$10.50 Mink Marmot Muff, plain pillow style with shirred satin ends\$9.50 Isabella Opossum, large pillow style, shirred satin ends, silk wrist cord. Price

Black Wolf Muff, large pillow style with head and brush. Price\$20.00 Mole Muff, pillow style, shirred satin

Second Floor.



Saturday and Monday Last Days for Special Skirt Making

We have almost all we can handle now, but to give all a chance we will take orders until Monday night. Order

40 Men May Buy Fine Winter Overcoats Saturday, \$7.75 COME AT 8:30 FOR THESE

Saturday we will make one of the most important clearings of the season in Men's Overcoats. Forty Coats, consisting of fine tweeds in Ulster and Chesterfield styles (also Black Vicuna Coats with velvet collar). These Ulsters and Chesterfield Overcoats are up-to-date in every particular, and worth more than double this price. To start business with a rush at the opening hour, this unusual price has been made on 40 Coats as stated above, and he who comes at 8:30 Saturday looking for a new Overcoat will get such as he has not been offered before this season. They are in light and dark grays, SEE WINDOW DISPLAY-RICHMOND STREET.

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20 dozen Shirts and Drawers, fleece lined, Pen-Angle brand, extra quality in gray shade; sizes

Men's Cashmere Socks 25c Pair Winter Weight

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RICHMOND STREET SECTION.

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12 dozen Men's and Youths' Cloth Caps. Light and dark tweeds with good fur bands, assorted patterns. Mostly all are 50c Caps. Sizes 65% to 71/4. Come early. These will go quickly...19¢

Boys' Serge Knickers 49c Pair

S. & I. Special Bloomer Style Knickers, good heavy serge, for ages 3 to 10 years. Get vou sizes Saturday. Pair......49¢

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-- and the Worst Is Yet to Come



The New Sensational Comedy With a Laugh in Every Line

Earl Derr Biggers

"Alone, alone, all, all alone," quoted | Mr. Magee. "If I can't think here it will be because I'm not equipped with the apparatus. I will. I'll show the gloomy old critics! I wonder what's doing in New

York?"
New York! Mr. Magee looked at his watch. Eight o'clock, The great street was ablaze. The crowds were parading from the restaurants to the theatres. The electric signs were pasting lurid legends on a long-suffering sky; the taxis were spraying throats with gasoline; the traffic cop at Broadway and Forty-second street was madly earning his pay. Mr. Magee got up and walked the floor. New

Probably the telephone in his rooms was jangling, vainly calling forth to sport with Amaryllis in the shade of the rubber trees Billy Magee—Billy Magee who ber trees Billy Magee—Billy Magee who sat alone in the silence on Baldpate Mountain. Few knew of his departure. This was the night of that stupid attempt at theatricals at the Plaza; stupid in Itself but gay, almost giddy, since Helen Faulkner was to be there. This was the night of the dinner to Carey at the club. This was the pight of many diverting things. was the night—of many diverting things.

Mr. Magee picked up a magazine. He wondered how they read, in the old days, by candle-light. He wondered if they would have found his own stories worth the strain on the eyes. And he also wondered if absolute solitude was quite the thing necessary to the composition of the novel that should forever silence those who sneered at his ability.

Absolute solitude! Only the crackle of the fire, the roar of the wind, and the the life, the four of the whole and ticking of his watch bore him company. He strode to the window and looked down at the few dim lights that proclaimed the existence of Upper Asquewan Falls. Somewhere, down there, was the Commercial House. Somewhere the girl who had wept so bitterly in that gloomy little waiting-room. She was only three miles away, and the thought cheered Mr.

After all, he was not on a desert The Skin Troubles

and the thought cheered

School Records Show Much Time Lost From Eczema.

Chafing and skin irritation, whether from changing temperature, rough winds, strong soap or the action of the clothing, naturally develop into eczema, spread over the body and defy ordinary treatments. Most doctors do not give much at-

tention to skin diseases, and, consequently, it is necessary for parents to select some treatment which has proven a cure for such ailments. If records of cures count for anything, then you can turn to Dr. Chase's Ointment with fullest assurance that the thickness of the course of the course you live here. Are any of the other guests about? And who won the tennis match today?"

"You are facetious." Mr. Magee smiled to this course you live here. A lively compared to the pattern of in this you will have the means of controlling itching skin diseases. up the process of healing, and brings which the revolver had fallen.

"You honor my poor and drafty house," a treatment for the skin troubles of children nothing has ever proven so satisfactory as Dr. Chase's Ointment. followed the youth of flashy habiliments,

And yet-he was alone, intensely, al-And yet—he was alone, intensely, almost painfully, alone. Alone in a vast moaning house that must be his only home until he could go back to the gay city with his masterpiece. What a masterpiece! As though with a surgeon's knife it would lay bare the hearts of men. No tricks of plot, no— No tricks of plot, no-Mr. Magee paused. For sharply in the

He stood for a moment gazing in wonder, his heart beating swiftly, his eyes upon the instrument on the wall. It was a house phone; he knew that it ould only be rung from the switchboard in the hall below. "I'm going mad already," he remarked, and took down the

eady, hereinance, as ecceiver.

A blur of talk, an electric muttering, a click, and all was still.

Mr. Magee opened the door and stepped out into the shadows. He heard a voice below. Noiselessly he crept to the landing, and gazed down into the office. A young man sat at the telephone switch-board: Mr. Magee could see in the dim board; Mr. Magee could see in the dis-light of a solitary candle that he was a person of rather hilarious raiment. The candle stood on the top of the safe, and the door of the latter swung open. Sink-ing down on the steps in the dark, Mr.

Will you get him for me, sister?'
Another wait—a long one—ensued. The andle sputtered. The young man fidgeted in his chair. At last he spoke again: "Hello! Andy? Is that you, And What's the good word? As quiet as As quiet as the tomb of Napoleon. Shall I close up shop? Sure. What next? Oh, see here, Andy, I'd die up here. Did you ever hit a place

o I'd die up here. Did you ever hit a place like this in winter? I can't—I—oh, well, if he says so. Yes. I could do that. But no longer. I couldn't stand it long. Tell him that. Tell him everything's O. K. Yes. All right. Well, good night, Andy." He turned away from the switchboard, and as he'did so Mr. Magee walked calmly down the stairs toward him. With a cry the young man ran to the safe, threw a package inside, and swung shut the door. He turned the krob of the safe several times; then he faced Mr. Magee. The latter saw something glitter in his hand.

'Good evening," remarked Mr. Mages feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, leasantly. "What are you doing here?" cried the "I live here," Mr. Magee assured him. "Won't you come up to my room—it's right at the head of the stairs. I have

smiled a sneering smile.

too. "So much the better. A lively com-panion is the very sort I should have or-dered tonight. Come upstairs." By affording prompt relief from the terrible itching, Dr. Chase's Ointment puts an end to suffering, and removes the cause of scratching. As the fires of eczema die away the ointment sets up the process of healing, and brings dered tonight. Come upstairs."

The young man looked suspiciously about, his thin nose seemingly scenting plots. He nodded, and picked up the candle. "All right," he said. "But I'll ask you to go first. You know the way." His right hand sought the pocket into

"This way."
After him

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ooking fearfully about him as he went

looking fearfully about him as he went. He seemed surprised that they came to Magee's room without incident. Inside, Mr. Magee drew up an easy chair before the fire, and offered his guest a cigar. "You must be cold," he said. "Sit here. 'A bad night, stranger' as they remark in stories" "You've said it," replied the young man, accepting the cigar. "Thanks." He walked to the door leading into the hall and opened it about a foot. "I'm afraid," he explained jocosely, "we'll get to talking, and miss the breakfast bell." He dropped into the chair, and lighted his cigar at a candle end. "Say, you never can tell, can you? Climbing up old Baldpate I thought to myself, that hotel certainly makes the Sahara Desert look like a cozy corner. And here you are, as snug and comfortable and at home as if you were in a Harlem flat. You never can tell. And what now? The story of my life?"

"You might relate." Mr. Magee told him, "that portion of it that has led you trespassing on a gentleman seeking seclusion at Baldpate Inn.

The stranger looked at Mr. Magee. He had an eye that not only looked, but weighed, estimated, and classified. Mr. Magee met it smilingly.

"Trespassing, eh?" said the young man.

"Far be it from me to quarrel with a man who smokes as good clgars as you do—but there's something I haven't quite doped out. That is—who's trespassing, me or you?"

"My right here," said Mr. Magee, "is indisputable."
"It's a big word," replied the other,
"but you can tack it to me right here,
and tell no lie. We can't dispute, so
let's drop the matter. With that settled, I'm encouraged to pour out the story of why you see me here tonight, far from the madding crowd. Have you a stray tear? You'll need it. It's a sad touching story, concerned with haberdashery and a trusting heart, and a fair woman—fair, but, oh, how false!" To Be Continued.

Little Stories of Christmastide

Some Lights and Shadows of the Most Joyous Season of the Year, Caught by Advertiser Reporters.

Don't Open Temptation. Already the "Don't Open Until

Christmas' signs are beginning to make their appearance on packages of mysterious shape and size, and already they are being opened - at the ready they are being opened custom house. Besides they are being custom house. To many the opened at other houses. To many the 'Don't Open" sign is nothing more nor less than an invitation to proceed and

"how do you work this thing, anyhow? I've tried every peg but the right one. Hello—hello! I want long distance—Reuton, 2876 West—Mr. Andy Rutter. Will you get him for me sister?" STUFFED FROM COLD

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Back into the young man's lean hawklike face crept the assurance that belonged with the gay attire he wore. He
dropped the revolver into his pocket, and at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

HICKS-SMITH.

Quiet Wedding Was Solemnized at the Bride's Home in Wanstead.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Wyoming, Dec. 5. - Miss Margaret Smith and Mr. George Hicks, Wanstead, were quietly married at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, second line east, on Wednesday.

Rev. J. W. Pring, Wyoming, was the officiating clergyman, in the presence of only the immediate relatives, owing Rev. J. W. Pring, Wyoming, was the of only the immediate relatives, owing to illness in the home. The young couple leave immediately for California, where they will spend

ARNIM-CRIEWEN MAY BECOME CHANCELLOR

Present Political Crisis.

[Canadian Press.] Berlin, Dec. 5. — The rumor was current today that Imperial Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollwegg was to be succeeded by Bernard Arnim-Criewen, culture, in case he should resign office owing to his dissatisfaction with the situation which has arisen between the military and the civilians in Al-

Emperor William summoned Herr Arnim-Criewen to Donaueschengen today. The Emperor's visitor, who started his career as a naval officer, held office under Prince Von Buelow from 1906 to 1910. He is a life member of the Prussian House of Lords.

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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY. SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION

BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

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Arrive from the East—*3:52 a.m., 10:56 a.m., *11:12 a.m., *11:23 a.m., *6:30 p.m., *7:55 p.m., 10:45 p.m.

Arrive from the West—*12:14 a.m., .3.43 a.m., *11:55 a.m., 1.10 p.m., *4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the East—*12:19 a.m., Depart for the East—*12:19 a.m., *12:05 p.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:53 p.m.

Depart for the West—*3:57 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 1:40 p.m., *1:20 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR. Arrive-11:30 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 6:50 Depart—6:35 a.m., *11:43 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *8:05 p.m.

STRATFORD BRANCH. Arrive—11:15 a.m., 1:39 p.m. 6:45 p.m., 11:30 p.m. 10:00 a.m., 22:30 p.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m. LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p m.
Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:40 p.m.
Trains marked * run daily. Those
not marked, daily, except Sunday. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Arrive from the East—*11:42 a.m., 6:55 p.m., *7:50 p.m., *11:15 p.m.
Arrive from the West—*4:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., *12:31 p.m., *5:35 p.m., 8:55 p.m. Depart for the East—*4:38 a.m., 8:00 a.m. *12:40 p.m., *5:43 p.m. Depart for the West—8:15 a.m., *11:50 a.m., 7:05 p.m., *8:00 p.m., *11:28

Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday. MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY. Trains Arrive—7:05 a.m., 11:20 a.m., 4:50 p.m., 9:40 p.m.
Trains Leave—7:22 a.m., 2:30 p.m.,

5:27 p.m., 10:15 p.m. PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY. Trains Depart—5:30 a.m., *7:00 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 2:10 p.m., *4:20 p.m., †6:30

p.m. Trains Arrive—8:45 a.m., *12:50 p.m. 1:40 p.m., 5:10 p.m., *10:10 p.m. Trains marked with * are through trains, to and from Walkerville. Train marked with † is mixed, to St. Thomas

Traction Company Winter Time

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a.m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 10:30 p.m.
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LONDON, FRIDAY, DEC. 5.

THE LIBERAL FREE FOOD POLICY.

In their efforts to minimize the eflect of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's demand that the taxes should be taken off food in order to reduce the high cost of liv ing, the Conservative press is asking why he did not avow this policy sooner. "Has he just discovered the high cost of living?" they ask. "It was during his fifteen years' administration that prices reached their present height; but he paid no attention to it.' This is very far from being correct.

It is true that for several years past the price of food stuffs and articles of household use have been steadily increasing. But the advance has been greater since he went out of power. It is under Mr. Borden's rule that prices have gone higher than ever. This year is the worst yet, and all the indications are that the worst is still to come. This great problem is pressing for solution now as it never pressed before. More than that, the customs tax is higher now than it ever was under the Liberal administration. Under the Liberals the average percentage of duty had come down to 15.87. The last year of Mr. Borden's Government, according to the report just issued from Ottawa, it had run up to 17.03. This has been brought about not by any raising of the tariff by legislation, but through the system adopted by the customs department of so possible duty has been charged wher- with the single exception of the joint ever possible. Higher taxes and higher prices for food have characterized Mr. Borden's two years. The need for a

Liberals did nothing during their fif- every day by it. Germany, it is true, situation up there. Responsible Govtaxation the year before Sir Wilfrid rule. But suppose Great Britain should eral cabinet, seems to meet their rebecame premier was 18.28. They be- give up at the next Hague conference gan to reduce it, and it went down to her resistance to the abolition of at-15.87. The Liberals introduced the tacks on commerce in time of war? preferential tariff in the interests of That would probably persuade Gerthe Canadian consumer, and for the many to rest on her oars, and a few Montague's foreign supporters, full of furtherance of imperial trade. And, naval holidays would be a great thing liquor and loyalty, shouted for "King finally, they went out of power in the for the promotion of disarmament in Montague." That was all right. If he effort to give Canadian producers a general. better market, and Canadian consumers cheaper goods. You may condemn the policy; but you cannot honestly steadily working for lower taxes and the "u" in labour and the "q" in say that the Liberals have not been today is no new thing. If it is emphabecause the need of the people is

the tariff to as great an extent as they Let him finish his work. had promised is ofter made. But the charge is unfounded. They never promised free trade. While some of trade as in England was the ideal to Scribner's Magazine. The poet conbe sought, they all admitted that under the circumstances of the country it was impracticable. They had no. in-'tention of throwing business into con- away," he says, "for childhood's sake fusion, and suddenly disturbing longestablished interests, and they did not try to do it. But they moved in the direction of a lower tariff as fast as It was expedient. We know that some Liberals did not think the Government was doing enough, though when their first tariff bill was introduced Sir End where they will, all our old Charles Tupper saw visions of smokeless chimneys and deserted factories, which never materialized. But they moved with caution. That they felt further changes should in time be made was evident from Mr. Fielding's budget speeches. And this, as he frequently pointed out, was all the more necessary in view of the uncertain results of tariff agitations in the United States. Conservatives and Liberals alike had been seeking reciprocity with our southern neighbor. It was necessary to move with caution, awaiting the opportune time. When that Liberal leaders, prompt action was taken. If an alliance between Toryism and Nationalism defeated the movement, and balked the Liberals, Dear half of earthly life that we must they certainly should not be blamed because they did not do something. The cry at the last election was that they were trying to do too much.

The Liberals have been moving as fast as public sentiment would permit. Their demand for free food is only in line with the efforts they have been making all through their administration. If they emphasize it now that is only because the need for their policy is greater than ever.

THE PRESS ADMITTED.

The Trades and Labor Council has made a wise move in opening its sessions to the press. For many years the labor men have had no system of making known their activities to the public, except in a desultory way. After a meeting reporters would endeavor to find officers, but usually a fragmentary investigating more than Kingston.

report was the best that was secured. The public is interested in the probems and agitations of labor. Even in airing of its differences will not be narmful, and the readers of newspapers will have a closer interest in the united artisans. The newspapermen will respect the confidence.

Why any public body should wish to lose its doors to the press, as several continue to do in this city, is difficult to understand. The "star chamber" session belongs to Russia.

WAR AND PEACE.

From the standpoint of the workers for universal peace the last two years have been rather discouraging. Three wars have taken place in the civilized world, besides the Chinese civil struggle, the doings of Mrs. Pankhurst & Co., and the mutterings of Orangeism in Ulster. The friends of peace, law and order still keep hoping and try to whip up some interest in disarmament and in the next Hague conference of 1915, but, people are apt to ask what's the use, when they count up the Turco-Italian, the Balkan and the present Mexican war.

Still, there is no doubt that financially the general public is getting an unprecedented sickener of war. It is noteworthy that since 1870, in over 40 years, no two first-class nations have ventured upon war with each other, except in the case of Russia and Japan, where Russia failed to measure beforehand the full size of her antagonist and consequently came a cropper The idea has been growing that great powers should carry on a war of bluff and big armaments, descending to the sordid actualities of fighting only with petty peoples, Moroccans or Arab ribesmen, or bow-and-arrow savages. But the armament warfare has become wars of the little peoples themselves gift. have proved Mr. Norman Angell's not pay. If we are out of pocket in Stephen Markscurzawotiz to drop the Canada as a result of wars thousands last half of his name. This may exof miles away, what would be the plain a recent explosion which wreckoutcome of Armageddon in this era of ed a tenement and filled a hospital international finance and newspaper

It is worth recalling that in all the late wars the great powers have been showing a wonderful agility in sidestepping any entanglements for themselves. Mobilizing alone was costly enough for Austria without actual coninterpreting the law that the highest flict. Hands off has been the rule, action against Montenegro!

The outlook is probably not so dark as it may appear. War is obviously change is greater today than when bad business. It ceases to be thrilling the Liberals had the control of affairs. even as a good show carried on by Nor is it correct to say that the others when you are losing money Evidently they are satisfied with the

YE OLDE GRANNIE.

What has Dr. Pyne done for educagreater markets. Sir Wilfrid's demand cheque. He will yet put back the "u" in governour, the "k" in musick, and sized more strongly today it is only make school children spell shock, say, "chocque," as it used to be, or choke "choque," as probably it may have The charge that when the Liberals been once upon a time. It is a great attained power they did not reduce educator who so minds his u's and q's.

NO NIGHT THERE.

A graceful little poem by William Hervey Woods, recently appeared in siders the passage in the Book of Revelation which says that there shall be "no night there." "Take it not clean

"And some long-cherished things time cannot take-Mem'ries of dusk o' day,

And white beds waiting in the candled While little heads bent in the quiet

room Around one knee to pray,

dreams of rest Begin with twilight and a mother's breast.

"We are not wholly grown, must be always what we once

have been."

miss.

mind set free from the world that is too much with us here may need no falling dusk to recall the little cot of But perhaps in the great beyond the falling dusk to recall the little cot of childhood and mother bending over, The poet goes on to regret the

"And must we lose the moon? time came, in the judgment of the Forego the dews, and Romance, and voung dreams. And wind-blown voices of night-sing-

ing streams Then let it slowly go-

And he closes, praying pardon if in frailty we-

One quivering moment turning from Say, with wet faces, 'O good Night,

good night!"

Sure enough, the night has charms. Halloween is a memory to cherish, and the darker the better. Christmas Eve beats even Christmas Day, and Easter is determined by the full moon. But the New Jerusalem will not forget Santa Claus, and "The Night Before

Christmas." Do your Christmas shopping early in the morning.

Perhaps the Central Prison needs

ABE MARTIN



It seems like th' greater a feller is th' worse his clothes fit. We'd all like ' vote fer th' best man, but he's never

mixed up in politics. When a woman begins to fuss about a man she likes him tremendously or he has a tremendous bank account.

Why not run the fire brigade as an adjunct of the water department? It depends on water for its existence.

The Conservatives say free food suicide for Sir Wilfrid. But we thought reciprocity was the Liberal's hari-

Toronto's policemen are going to New York to learn how to handle traffic. Here's hoping that's all they learn to

meanest man that we have heard of is one who stopped calling on a lady about a month before Christmas a tiresome nuisance and the recent in order to avoid the expense of a

We do no think that those who are ready to acknowledge their need will go with unwarmed hearts this Christmas. But there will be many a pang in those "good" homes whose families wear a bearing of gentility and prosperity, but have not a dollar in the world. Charity is not for them.

direct legislation-the referendum. a naval holiday, under Krupp ernment, with Walter Scott and a Libquirements.

the recent by-election some of Dr. is not a king, he at least claims royal relations. The people down in Haldimand remember when the Indians were called upon to vote for Dr. Montague tion? Why, he's the man that put back to please his great mother, the Queen

> It seems an injustice to place the draymen of the city in a place inaccessible to the citizens who want their services. Their former location may not have been an ideal one, but surely it is not reasonable that these citizens should be starved to death in business way through being barred from meeting the public. Why not allow the draymen to have a place on the Market Square under the supervision of the market clerk?

NEW CANADIAN RAILWAY TO COST \$100.000,000

Line Will Run Across Dominion From Labrador to Dean Inlet.

[Canadian Press.] undertaking.

The company will be capitalized for large financial interests are at his disposal in both New York and London. All arrangements are complete for incorporation for the next session of Parliament.

The Secret of Good Digestion

In perfect health with regular and nealthful action of the liver and kidneys, you need not know there is such a thing as digestion or indiges-Unfortunately, however, modern life is artificial, and not many people avoid suffering more or less from troubles of this nature.

The great secre lies in keeping the iver and kidneys in health and vigor, for then the food is passed quickly along the alimentary canal, the nutritive portions being assimilated in the lood stream and the poisoned waste materials are passed out of the body. When the liver and kindneys get wrong you will obtain relief most promptly and effectively by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. If chronic indigestion is to be cured it must be by enlivening the action of these filtering and excretory organs. To presons who have hought only of the stomach as being the offending organ this may seem strange, but any competent physician will tell you this is

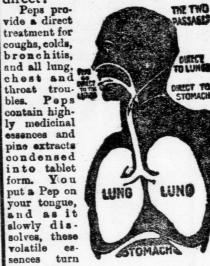
isten!

Have you heard about Peps? Peps is a new scientific preparation put up into tabloid or pastille form, which provides an entirely new and effective treatment for coughs, colds and lung and throat troubles.

There is no connection between the lungs and the stomach.

Suppose something were wrong with your stomachsay indigestion, or ulceration -would you think of taking some medicine which wentnot to your stomach, but to your lungs? Certainly not!

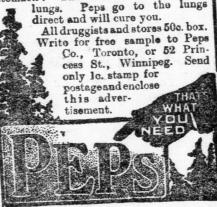
Why then, when your lungs and chest are affected, should you dose your stomach-an absolutely separate organwith medicine? Is it not far better to treat the ailing organ direct?



into vapor You BREATHE the remedy to your sore ailing lungs direct-not swallow it to your stomach, which is not ailing. (See diagram.) The healing fumes, thus breathed down, bathe the delicate, inflamed membranes of your breathingtubes and pass right on to the tiny passages of the lungs—a course no liquid or solid medicine could possibly take.

Peps fumes are healing and antiseptic. They heal sore tissue and kill disease germs. Peps bring pine-forest fumes to your home, instead of you going to the pine ferest!

For that cold, that night cough, that touch of bronchitis, don't dose your stomach! The trouble lies in your lungs. Peps go to the lungs direct and will cure you. Write for free sample Co., Toronto, or 52 Prinonly lc. stamp for



DUNDAS STREET STORES SOLD TO W. R. BROWN

suitable for gowns and other Nos. 87 and 89 Disposed of by George

purposes, choice of several different patterns, 34 inches wide. Saturday only Trudell.11 yards for \$1.00: Mr. W. R. Brown, of the Brown

Optical Company, has secured from Mr. George Trudell, the property at 87 and 89 Dundas street, now occupied by jewelery and barber stores. It is understood that Mr. Trudell as secured Mr. Brown's house at 1033 Mr. Brown will likely build another

sidence. He has not decided as to whether new building will be erected on the undas street property.

MINISTERS RETURN

Anglican Clergymen Who Participated in Halifax Mission Back in London,

Rev. Prof. T. G. A. Wright, of Huron Prescott, Dec. 5.—F. A. Knapp, of College, and Rev. T. B. Clarke, of All this city, who is promoting the new ed from taking part in the general Canadian Transcontinental Railway mission held by the Anglican churches from Cape St. Charles in Labrador, to of Halifax and vicinity. Prof. Wright Dean Inlet on the Pacific coast, is now conducted special services at Bedford, a suburb of Halifax, and Rev. Mr. are reported to be interested in the Clarke preached at Dartmouth. Other clergymen from the Diocese of Huron who assisted the Halifax clergy in the

The Army of Constipation

Is Growing Smaller Every Day. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER RILLS are responsible—they no only give reliefthey permanently

SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE GENUINE must bear signature.

-J. H. Chapman & Co. **Sunday School Committees**

Our Books have been carefully selected for Sur lay school gifts and prizes. Committees are adviscd to make their selections as early as possible.



The Books

The full holiday assortment of popular-priced books is ready. You will find just the books for children of all ages as well as grown-ups.

Suggestions For Sensible and Useful Christmas Gifts

Very attractive and extensive assortments of desirable merchandise suitable for Christmas giving are now to be found on every counter at Chapman's low prices. Come to the store as often as possible.



Shop Early, Shop in the Morning

"Odd Things Not Found Elsewhere"-is true, as ever, about our China. Another shipment has just been received of pretty inexpensive pieces of China suitable for gifts. Including Trays, Cream Bowls and Ladles, Dresser Sets, Vases, Cups and Saucers, Plates, Ramikin, Marmalade Pots, etc. All reasonably priced. "Give a piece of Chapman's China, it is sure to please."

Gloves in Christmas Boxes, All Kinds

Give a pair of our guranteed Kid Gloves -the ideal gift.

Women's French Kid Gloves, short length, 2-clasp, in black, white, tans, browns and gray. Fitted and guaranteed. Priced at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 pair. Each pair in a Christmas box. These gloves are exchangeable after Christmas if the size happens to be incorrect.

Women's long Kid Gloves, black or white at pair..... ... \$2.00 and \$2.75 Women's wool lined Gloves, kid or mocha, at pair.....

....\$1.00 \$1.25, \$1.50 Women's and Men's fur lined mocha glo es, at pair..

well made, with deep flounce.

Special at..... 33¢

Gown Flannelette

Women's Suede gloves, at pair. \$1.25, \$1.50, \$4.00 English cape gloves, pair.\$1.00 Children's kid gloves, pair Women's cashmere gloves, lined, at pair 50¢

Sweater Coats

Petticoats Women's all-wool Sweater Gray Jersey Knit Petti-Coats, fancy rib, V-neck and coats, with white border, snug and warm. Regular 75c, pockets; in gray, red, fawn, brown and navy. Sizes 34 to today and Saturday, at 69¢ 38. Worth almost double, at Black Sateen Petticoats,

Table Cloths

...... \$1.50

2 dozen Bleached Linen Soft-finished Flannelette, Table Cloths, bordered and patterned, hemmed ready for use. Size 2x21/4 yards. Clover or fuchsia pattern. Choice...

Penman's Cashmere

Hose, 28c Pair

20 dozen Women's "Extra-Wear" Seamless Cashmere Hose, a fine quality and good weight. Every pair stamped with "Penman's" name. Regular 35c quality, in sizes 81/2 to 10. On sale today and Saturday. Per pair....28¢



Women's ribbed - fleeced Vests and Drawers, full sized garments, good weight. gray only. Today and Satur

day. Per garment33¢ Women's Union Combination Suits, wool and cotton mixed, snug fitting garments, ankle length. Price per suit.

..... 75¢ Women's Black Equestrienne Tights. Special at pair59¢, 79¢ Men's Fleeced Underwear, heavy weight, undershirts and drawers to match; Sizes

36 to 42. Today and Saturday. Per garment......39¢ All-Over Embroidery Corset Covers, slightly soiled.

Silk-Seal Plush Coats at \$25.00 Satin Lined Throughout

These handsome Coats were made in New York of elegant silk-seal plush, cut on newest lines, 50 inches long, lined throughout with black or colored satin. The graceful long roll collar may be closed right up to the neck, fastened with large silk frog. These Coats are suggestive of warmth as well as richness of appearance. A special \$25 value at.....

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Made of reversible tweed. Sizes for

Stylish Winter Suits Now Priced at \$10.00 Choice of blues and black or fancy tweeds.

women and misses. CHAPMAN'S 239, 241, 143 Dundas Street

Board of Education to Confer With

NEGOTIATE TO BUY

Grand Avenue Property Owners. Tenders for seats for the new Aberdeen school and the addition to Chesley avenue school, were opened at a meeting of th building committee of the board of education at a meeting held in Simcoe street school Thursday afternoon and are now being tabulated.

The contracts will be let later. The committee is negotiating for the purchase of the McCormick property on Grand avenue for school purposes, and a conference with the owners will be held at an early date. It is planned to use the building to accommodate the overflow from the Grand avenue school and ultimately for collegiate purposes.

DIED SUDDENLY

Mrs, Isabella Harkness Stricken While Visiting in Winnipeg. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Winnipeg, Dec. 5.-Mrs. Isabella Harkness, widow of a prominent resident of Sarpia, died suddenly here last evening at the residence of her son, David, whom she had been visiting made beside her husband in Sarnia. having a hard time meeting his paytravel half as fast as the original dements," or "I heard that Mr. Blank was
famatory statement.

NEW SCHOOL SITE CONSTIPATED, BILIOUS, HEADACHY? CASCARETS TONIGHT! DIME A BOX

are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish intestines-you Cascarets.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach sy stomach. They cleanse your Liver or bowels; how much your head aches, and Bowels of all the sour bile, foulhow miserable and uncomfortable you gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery. A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morndways get the desired results with ing—a 10-cent box keeps your head clear, stomach sweet, liver and bowels

They end the headache, biliousness, regular, and you feel cheerful and bully dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gas- for months,



The Scandal Spreader. [Guelph Mercury.]

going to be let out by his firm," are some of the earmarks of this particu-Are you a "I heard" person? If so, lar form of conversation. An immense quit it. These people do an immense amount of harm is done by these "l amount of harm with their wagging tongues. "I heard that Mr. Blank was that a contradiction never seems to



Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn. No letters can be answered privately.]

Wants a Poem. Dear Miss Grey: Could you please print for me a little Christmas poem, of which the first line is: "Hark, my children, while you hear?"

2. What do you think of my writing? Thanking you in advance, and hoping to see the answer soon, BOBS.
A.-1. I have not a copy of the poem nor have I heard it before. Perhaps someone can supply it? 2. It is an extremely good sample of

Where Hetty Green Lives. Dear Miss Grey: Could you please tell me in what city Mrs. Hetty Green lives, and oblige,

FOXY, A SUBSCRIBER. A .- Mrs. Green's business address is West 90th-street, New York City.

Strawberry Mousse. Dear Miss Grey: Please give me recipe for strawberry mousse. ANN. A .- Take one cupful and a quarter of the syrup from preserved strawberries, a tablespoonful of lemon juice, also one-third of a package of granu lated gelatine which has been soaked in three tablespoonfuls of cold water, then placed over a hot stove until dissolved. Set this aside until beginning to thicken, then stir in a pint of heavy cream which has been whipped to a solid froth; add lightly two or three

Seal and Leopard a Very Smart Fur Combination



velvet in the same rich brown shade, sealskin and leopard furs in combination are most artistic. The large seal muff is banded with leopard, and leopard tips the points of the seal cravat, A small hat of brown velvet has draped crown of leopard. Pale silk gloves embroidered in self tone on the wrists, and buttoned boots with high dancing heels accompany this the dan-

Hood's Do not gripe or cause pain. Purely vegeta-

dozen of the drained berries, turn into a wetted mold with a tightly fitting cover. Bind the edges with a strip of muslin dipped into melted lard and oury in cracked ice and salt for three hours before serving.

Various Problems.

Dear Miss Grey: 1. When a young man calls to take a girl to the theatre or other entertainment, whose place is it to first suggest leaving the house? 2. Upon returning from the theatre. f the young man stops a few minutes

at the door to finish a subject of conversation, should he remove his hat while talking? 3. If a young woman asks a man to call, after meeting him at a party, and he does not care to, what should he

4. How may a young man break off corresponding with several girl friends, after becoming engaged, without telling them the real reason?

5. A friend of mine is to marry one of two sisters at a double wedding, and though I am not acquainted with the young ladies, I am invited to the wedding. Should I send each of them a present, or only my friend's flancee? 6. Another friend is to marry very quietly, and only fifteen intimate

friends are to witness the ceremony. Afterward announcements will be sent to all friends. Should they be sent to are posited as they are today. those persons who were at the wed-7. At the beginning of a meal should

A .- 1. The girl should make the sug-

place it on his head again, so that he will not eatch cold. 3. He can get around the matter by hanking her for the invitation and refraining from saying yes or no. If she sets a date, he can excuse himself on modern dances and other risque sets a date, he can excuse himself on the plea of having a previous engage-

4. The only thing he can do is to discontinue further correspondence. Ignore all future letters.

may be well to observe this rule all

KOMOKA.

The December meeting of Komok Branch of the Women's Institute wi be held at the home of Mrs. George Blanchard on Tuesday, Dec. 9, at o'clock. Roll-call to be answered by suggestions for inexpensive gifts. All

COLDSTREAM.

, at 2 p.m. Papers will be given on and How the Institute Can Benefit Us." Recipes and samples of home-made Christmas candies to be given by six young ladies in the community. Rollall to be answered by recipes for jellies, relishes and cake icing. All ladies are cordially invited.

RUDENESS IN THE HOME.

One sharp edge in the reef of impoliteness, called "tired," is especially dangerous because it masquerades un der a name which, in itself is a gener-With this frock of tete de negre ally accepted excuse for almost anylansdowne, overdraped with brocaded thing. In many homes it has becom the practice of the members of the family who are away during the day to impose upon those who remain at home in many small ways because they are "tired." Perhaps they are tired, and certain amount of indulgence is due n such cases, but the amount of indulgence is often flagrantly out of proportion to the need. When these same people are invited out to dinner, do they collapse upon a sofa in the regale the hostess with doleful accounts of the ups and downs of the day? Indeed, they do not! Whoever heard of such a thirm country that the eyebrows indicate a lectual faces, although the color of the day? Indeed, they do not! Whoever strong constitution and great physical experience and provided the eyebrows is not accepted simply as denoting lack of intelligence; the heard of such a thing—except at home. They talk interestedly to the ful on a woman's face, however much ful on a woman's face, however much their direction. Red eyebrows denote they may signify either mental or bodtakes them to bed, and at dinner they converse vivaciously, and with such brilliancy as they can master, on whatever subject the hostess may indicate

Now Is the Time to Buy Christmas Presents at Cut-Rate Prices

Since our famous CUT-RATE SALE started, we have had many strangers call on us. WE WANT MORE. LOOK OVER THE FOLLOWING LIST and we feel sure that YOU will call also.

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LADIES' COATS FOR......\$5.95. \$8.45, \$9.95 SUITS FOR\$8.95, \$10.50, \$11.45 DRESSES FOR\$4.95, \$8.95

Do Not Miss This Opportunity.

257 DUNDAS STREET.

ROLOGER HOROSCOPE Friday, Dec. 5, 1913.

Slight may be thy gain While evil planets reign.

An unfortunate day, according to astrology. The Sun is in a place strongly aspected for evil, while Neptune and Saturn also are adverse in heir influence.

It is an unfortunate time for those who are depending upon the favor of persons in high places. Those who desire financial or political ald, or seek to promote big enterprises, should delay action while the configuration prevails.

There is a sinister sign which warns against the disclosure of plans. While the Sun is adverse it is well to keep one's secrets well guarded. The aspect is conducive to hauteur,

egotism and overconfidence. It stimlates ambitious persons to take hances, which may be disastrous. During this rule Neptune exercises a power believed to encourage those ho practice fraud and deception. In-

estments should be made with cau-Hospitals, prisons and other instiutions are subject to unfavorable conditions. It is held to be unlucky to submit to anaesthetics when the stars

The malefic aspect of Saturn is read as unfortunate for changes and journeys. There is a prognostication of the dishes be passed to the person at one's right or left first? ALBERT.

A European astrologer prophesies that women in the United States will 2. The hat should be removed. If the weather is extremely cold, how-ever, the girl should ask him to re-it is foreteld. unite for radical action, which will it is foretold.

Saturn presages scandals among society folk. Owing to sensational disclosures there will be a strong re-

A western college will win international fame, the seers declare, through agricultural experiments. Persons whose birthdate it is may 5. Send a gift to your friend's flancee. during the coming year. They should 7. A host always serves first the person sitting at his right; therefore.

Children born on this day have the Children born on this day have the

st of many vicissitudes. Thev probably will experience extreme changes of fortune. A girl should be guarded carefully.

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The stars incline, but do not compel.' Keep the Bureau Drawers in Order

Easy indeed is the long bureau drawers to keep in order compared with those troublesome "top" drawers that contain our ribbons, laces, etc., The Coldstream Branch of the Wo- Unless careful vigilance is exercised nen's Institute will meet at the home their state is most often apt to be that of Mrs. Lillian Gray on Tuesday, Dec. of chaos and confusion. One girl who found it difficult, as do most of us, to Thoughts on the Closing Year," and keep them in order, hit upon the plan How We Can Benefit the Institute, of dividing the drawers into compartments by placing in them a number of small boxes (enough to cover the bottoms of the drawers and keep the boxes from sliding), taking care to have them the height of the drawers so that the contents of the different boxes would not easily mix. Only one or two of the boxes had lids. Then she asked a friend to typewrite on two narrow slips of paper the following: "A box for everything and everything in its box." She put just the smallest dabs of photographer's paste on each end of these and pasted them on the top edge of the two drawers. When to accompany an insincere and prying closed, of course, there was no sign of nature. the papers, but each time the young woman went to the drawers the little warnings confronted her and she soon lighter in color than the hair, the infell into the habit of heeding them. She now says that it is a very easy matter to keep the drawers in order.

CHARACTER BY THE EYEBROWS. An arched eyebrow does not indicate an intense and searching expression; the highest order of intelligence, but is expressive of great sensibility. drawing-room, and later at the table regale the hostess with doleful ac-

ily vigor, and when they are not only

heavy, but droop and meet at the

nose, they are disagreeable, and said

lying wide apart, indicate an amiable disposition. Where the eyebrows are

dications are lack of vitality and great

sensitiveness. Faintly defined eye-

when natural they accompany a pas-

sionate temperament. Very light eye-

signs of indolence and weakness.

brows, placed high above the nose, are

Very black eyebrows give the face

Long, drooping eyebrows,

A NUMBER OF THINGS

complexions should remember that fresh air, sunshine and good fruit, combined with a regularity of simple liet, will give the longed-for results. All fruits should be thoroughly washed, as on the outside lurk germs. Never swallow grape skins or seeds, as they are indigestible, while the pulp is nutritious. Bananas are nourishing,

but too strong for some stomachs. Baked apples, raw apples, straw-berries are good for skin and blood. Grape fruit, oranges and lemon juice taken before breakfast will whiten a dark skin. Prunes, peaches and apricots are rich in beautifying qualities. Pineapples are as valuable as lemons

So that each grain of boiled rice shall stand boiling separately have plenty of water boiling rapidly in a large saucepan, add to it the strained juice of a lemon, put in the rice, stir with a cooking fork; (never stir rice with 'a spoon) boil hard for fifteen minutes uncovered. Now add the salt stir well, boil ten minutes longer, pour it into a colander, shake well, put into a warm oven for five minutes to dry; serve in a hot uncovered vegetable dish. The lemon juice does no

Red hands afflict many women a

Women who want to improve their said to keep the hands soft and white: Before going to bed wash the hands with lukewarm water and good soap; pat them dry on a small towel and rub into the skin the following lotion: Mix in a bottle the strained juice of two large fresh lemons, the same quantity by measurement of rose or orange flower water (not both) and half of the quantity of compound tinc-(by measurement ture of benzoine also) shake well before using.

This lotion is pleasant to use any time after bathing the hands, especi-ally if the water is hard. A bottle of the lotion should be on the washstand, and if a woman does her own housework she should keep a supply of it in the kitchen.

Ladies' Tailored Suits in finest fabric, style, fit and finish, are made by Famularo & Caravella.

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SATURDAY

Ladies' and Misses' Smart Winter Coats of

fine carl cloth and heavy diagonal coatings, in

navy, tan, brown and gray shades. Popular

lengths, close-fitting collars. Smart rounded

front effect, trimmed with fancy buttons.

Sizes 14, 16 and 18 in misses', and 36 and 38

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black English beaver cloth, semi-fitting styles,

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did winter coats for stout and elderly people.

Black and Navy Suits

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Suits, made from fine all-wool English wor-

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skirts, smartly draped and trimmed with but-

tons. These are beautiful fitting models, and

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and 18, and 34 and 36. Some of these are

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Ladies' Long Length Coats of good quality

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CAPS-Crochet Caps in black and white, navy, cardinal, fawn and gray. Each50¢ SCOTCH WOOL KNITTED CAPS, in the same shades as

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dren; good large sizes, in white and gray, tan and gray, and blue and red, at\$1.25 KNITTED SCARFS AND MUF-

FLERS-White and white and blue stripes 50¢ to \$1.00 SILK SCARFS (knitted), for evening wear; a great variety of designs in the best colorings, at from..... 50¢ to \$2.50

SILK KNITTED MUFFLERS-We have a big range of these Mufflers, in white, two shades of gray, tan and black, for ladies and gentlemen...50¢, 75¢, \$1, \$2

EIDERDOWN COMFORTERS

You should choose your new Eiderdown Comforters here now while our range is complete. Large sizes. Prices are \$6.00, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00 each.

CURTAIN SALE

Lace Curtains, in white, ivory, ecru and Arab shades, at 45c, 671/2c, 75c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$3.00 pair. All must go at once,

Prettily tailored from all-wool serge and

panama cloths in black and navy only. These are very smartly designed skirts. Have high waistline and panel effect in front and back. All sizes. Saturday\$3.50

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We have in stock in black and white only a soft satin, specially suited for foundations or slips. Has a soft, clinging effect and will not cut. Price, yard\$1.00

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yards), each. \$1, \$1.20. \$1.75

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Dressed and Undressed Dolls, in-

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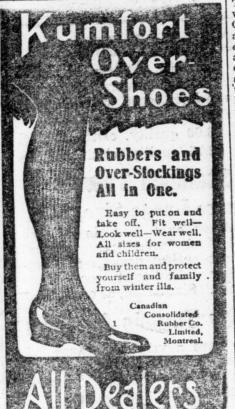
A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD ALL THE NEWS THAT IS NEWS

MANY SPORTS

London Pulled the Most Sensational Play in Canadian League This Year

[BY JINX.]

The Ottawa papers have been boasting lately of some sensational plays pulled off by the Ottawa Club in the Canadian League during the past season. The champions may have pulled off a few good ones, but when it comes down to the feature play of the whole season, they've got to take their hats off to the London team. Not very long ago, someone asked us what we thought was the best play pulled off in the Canadian League this year. We are not familiar with all the plays, but we believe that few plays could compare with the triple play pulled off by the London team at Tecumseh Park on Aug. 26 last in a game against



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inum-Top Skates, regular

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All at Cost. Scissors in cases at cost.

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Guaranteed Axe, our regular

\$1.25 axe, on sale at \$1.05

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will put it up to \$25.

of King's Own Serge.

Skates Skates .

the minds of the London fans who were up by sousing a home run to centre present at the game. We often hear field, was the greatest piece of baseit discussed at fanning bees even ball ever pulled off on any diamond now, and although it is only a few months ago since it happened, it is He had a single, double, triple, and

worth digging up again. The Story of That Triple Play. George Dunlap, the London short-

for it. Dunny started it anyway. It was in the fourth inning. London was only a couple of runs ahead, and the Red Sox threatened. Boldt was pitching for the locals, and Jo-Jo Keenan, the first man up in the fourth, singled. "Gabby" Ivers came up next, and also singled. It looked like a rally Then up stepped "Chubby" Coose, al ways a dangerous man in a pinch oose hit the first ball a terrific punch and the crack of the bat and the smack of the ball landing in Dunlap's glove at shortstop were almost simultaneous. Keenan and Ivers had both started to run. "Dunny" quickly threw to Linneborn at second, easily doubling Keenan, and "Linny" whipped the pill to Bierbauer, catching Ivers a long way off the bag. It all happened so quickly the fans didn't puzzle it out for a minute, but the players got a big reception when they did, and that play will ive as one of the best ever pulled off n London. It is doubtful if any other play in the Canadian League last season could compare with it. It is seldom only three men face the pitcher in one inning after the first two hit safely.

Ottawa's Feature Play. The Ottawa Free Press gives "Lefty" Rogers credit for pulling off the most ensational play at Lansdowne Park n Ottawa this year. The Free Press

"Some baseball fans last night were ecounting sensational plays that were pulled off at Lansdowne Park during the 1913 season. Cosy Dolan's famous ne-handed catch of a line drive from the bat of Hilliard, of Peterboro, which saved the game, and Kelley Harris' coring from second twice on an infield out in one game, were mentioned as being thrilling stunts. But all agreed Lefty Rogers' one-hand catch of a long foul in deep left in which he doubled a

Rodgers Cold Meat Forks,

Rodgers Silver Knives and

Rodgers Louie Pattern Tea-

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Forks, \$4.50 sets at..\$3.65

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Three-piece Fenton Carving Rodgers Berry Spoons, each

Nine pairs Automobile Alum- Wood Crumb Tray, regular

O-Cedar Dustless Mops at

Reduced Prices

O-Cedar Mops O-Cedar Mops

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Brantford. That play is still fresh in man at the plate, and then followed in That, sure, was a great day for Lefty homer during the afternoon's pastim-

The papers in the other cities or the circuit ought to get busy and dig stop, who will try out with the Naps next spring, was largely responsible stories of these plays. Some of the

Ben Sturney and "Mickey" McCullough May Meet in Series of Ten Games Shortly.



'Mickey" McCullough and Ben Sturney will meet shortly in a series of ten games for the bowling championship of the city. McCullough has been showing great form lately believe he can beat Sturney. The latter has not been doing much in the bowling line since

It is whispered

about in local pin-

spilling circles that

West left town a couple of years ago, but he is generally willing to meet that he will agree to meet McCullough. Both men are good bowler; and are among the best the city has turned out. -Bowling has lost a lot of the popularity it once had in this city, but it seems to be picking up some, and some good match games may be seen here this winter. There are plenty of good bowlers in the city and it may not be long before a city bowling eague is organized again.

Canadian League Notes

Ottawa since the close of the Canadian League season, leaves shortly for the

Shaughnessy at Ottawa and Holly at Hamilton are the only managers so far certain for the season of 1914.

There is a possibility that the Canadian League will adopt the Goldsmith ball next season. It is in use in the Pacific Coast, Western, and other fast

The Peterboro Club is hard up for a catcher and first baseman; also a man-

Brantford newspapers come out very once and a while and declare Rube Deneau will lead the Red Sox next year.

Fred Oestermeyer wants another rial with Ottawa, and will probably report at spring practice with the Sen-

Red Rowe's claim against the Brantford Club for money said to be owing him from that club was disallowed by the national commission.

Heinie Steiger played nine games in the Southern League, before he came to London, and had a perfect fielding verage during that time.



In the revised list of players reserved by the New England League for the season of 1914 it is noticed that the Fall River players are reserved under the name "Fall River." In the original list, which was sent out, they were listed under the name of "Haverhill." The mistake has been corrected.

Bonesetter Reese has cured Howard Shanks' lame ankle. The injured member, which kept Shanks out of the game many times last season, is, according to a letter received from the player by Manager Griffith, of Wash-

Doc White announces that he has lief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant of the dread, the water pages sometimes Youngstown. Coast League, next year. The doctor, who is at present in vaudeville, states that the report was the result of a dream of a press agent of a vaudeville house at which he was playing in Chicago, when Hap Hogan paid him a

D. M. Shively, of Kansas City, president of the Western Association 1908, has agreed to accept the Association, now being organized, according to a statement by Larry Milton, of Carthage, Mo., one of organizers. Milton probably will be awarded the Tulsa franchise.

The Phillies have obtained waivers on Outfielder Doc Miller, and he will he sent to the Montreal team of the International League. Several weeks ago Manager Dooin announced that Miller would go to Montreal in part payment for Catcher Burns. Howley was sent to the Canadian city during the playing season, and as soon as the race ended the Phillies asked for waivers on Miller and Walsh, Waivers on Walsh have not yet been obtained.

DANNY'S IGNORANCE.

[Popular Magazine.] Boston Americans were playing he Nationals in the Bean City one fternoon Tris Speaker knocked out long fly that fell between right field nd centre.
Danny Moelles, the speedy right

fielder of the Nationals, went after it, crying out for the guidance of Milan

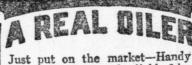
"I have it! I have it!" As soon as Moeller had caught the fly a disgusted Roston fan remarked:
"That guy don't even know his own
language. What he should have said
is T've got it!"



"CALLY" WILSON, of the Toronto Proin that city for the season.

his friends Fielding Records of National League Shows Displacement From Premier Honors.

> New York, Dec. 5 .- The National League official fielding averages for the season of 1913, issued today, show a number of changes in the standing of players as compared with the records of the previous year. Konetchy, of St.



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Take Salts to Flush Kidneys and Neutralize Irritating

Acid.

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood, and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and ington, entirely cured, as a result of inflame, causing a burning sensation, his visit to Bonesetter Reese, at or setting up an irritation at the neck lief two or three times during the dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again there is difficulty in avoiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it, because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful this is really one of the most simple ailments . to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and presidency of the Western Baseball take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast; continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no onger is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs, which then act normally again.

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cent, lithia-water drink, which quickly relieves bladder trouble. W. T. Strong, druggist, Agent, Lon-

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Men's \$2.00 and \$2.50 Pants, in tweeds and worsteds, on Saturday for\$1.50 Boys' Suits, double-breasted style. Worth \$5.00

and \$6.00, on Saturday for\$3.95

.75 Men's Winter Overcoats, made from splendid wearing quality of black beaver, cut singlebreasted style; also Fancy Tweed Double-Breasted Overcoats, with accurate fitting, convertible collars. Worth \$12, \$14 and \$15. Sat- C urday special\$9.95

Our Furnishing Stock Has Already Reached the Height of Completeness for the Christmas Trade

New Neckwear, boxed, at 25¢ and 50¢ New Gloves, wool lined, in mocha and kid boxed......75c. \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 Fur-Lined Gloves, in mocha and kid, boxed\$2.00, \$2.50, and \$3.00

Men's Braces, newest styles and designs, boxed 25¢, 50¢, 75¢ New Combination Sets, Braces, Garters and Armbands, box..... 75¢ and \$1.00 Men's Mufflers, in a wide range of designs

and colorings, all nicely boxed..... 50¢ up to \$3.50 SOCKS-WORTH 25c, SATURDAY ... 19¢

his average as a first baseman being

.995, while Jake Daubert, of Brooklyn,

who led the league in 1912, dropped to

second place, four points below Ko-

netchy. Among the second basemen, Miller Huggins, of St. Louis, with .977,

ousted Egan, of Cincinnati, whose rec-

ord of .972, was one point less than

that of a year ago.

John Lobert, of Philadelphia, second

among the third basemen in 1912, was

Tom L. Haygarth says:

at 50c and 75c."

The Semi-ready Store,

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"Just to put a tickle into the

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patterns, and some plain shades

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If it comes from Mason & Risch, the happy recipients will enjoy it all the more; they know it is the best there is!

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C. L. GRAY, Manager.

sell 534 Silk Neckties at 3 for ranked first this season, with .974. given first place among the fielding Joe Tinker, of Cincinnati, wrested first, pitchers of the league, with a perfect

place for shortstop honors from Honus percentage for 47 games. Fromme, "They are odd lines, the last Wagner, of Pittsburg, his percentage Cincinnati, and New York; Rixey, of their patterns; Bulgarian being .968 against Wagner's .962. Tom- Philadelphia; Crandall, New York; my Leach, of Chicago, leads the out- McQuillan, Pittsburg, and Burke, St. fielders with .990 for 129 games, al- Louis, are all in the 1,000 per cent. though Booe, of Pittsburg, is the tech- class with Alexander, although pitchnical leader with 1,000 per cent for 22 games. Leach showed a big improvement over his 1912 performance, gaining 12 points in percentage, although burg is third with .964, and New York playing 32 more games this year. Cincinnati and Brooklyn Grover Alexander, of Philadelphia, is for fourth place with .961. Cincinnati and Brooklyn are all tied

TOM L. HAYGARTH, 182 Dundas Street.

And it is absolutely the finest Serge Suit for \$20 made

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Our Mr. R. H. Dowler, of the London store, and Mr. J. Dowler, of the St. Thomas store, visited Montreal and Toronto this week on a purchasing trip, hence this big

800 Overcoats

QUANTITY and CASH were too alluring a temptation for the big makers to resist, hence such extraordinary

Divided Between Our London and St. Thomas Stores

Seventy-five per cent of which are the extremely fashionable "shawl" collar, belted back models, absolutely pure wool, Scotch, Irish and English Chinchillas, Montenacs, Whitneys and rich diagonal nap Tweeds. Our "marked" check to most of the manufacturers looked as good as a second payment does to a Saskatoon real estate man.

Come what may, sunshine or snow, you cannot afford to miss this, the greatest Overcoat opportunity ever offered in Ontario or anywhere else.

We have never betrayed the confidence of the buying public and we do not intend to begin now. We say as a word of advice to our many customers if you have a friend in town or country, phone him, or her, for you can save FIVE to TEN DOLLARS on an Overcoat purchase at Dowler Stores during this sale.

Men's Overcoats

INSTEAD OF \$12.00.

Here are garments of standard fabrics. Every one of this winter's latest cut. Handsome models designed to button high about the neck in stormy weather, or may be worn in regular coat style. Made from all-wool friezes, tweeds and Scotch cloths, good strong serge linings. You will find an assortment of Overcoats here that cannot be duplicated in London for less than \$12. On sale Saturday \$6.90

Men's Overcoats

INSTEAD OF \$20.00 AND \$25.00.

Overcoats in assortment that few stores can equal. Styles, fabrics and workmanship that command the admiration of most particular men. They are mostly shawl collars with some Double-Breasted Ulsters and handsome Chesterfields. FABRICS-The finest imported weaves, in beautiful brown and gray chinchilla cloths, rich, soft Shetland cloths, in grays, browns and tans.



Headquarters for Trousers 1.400 Pairs on Sale

\$1.10	Trousers			 	89¢
\$1.75	Trousers .			 	.\$1.18
\$2.00	Trousers			 	\$1.38
\$3.00	Trousers			 	.\$1.98
\$4.50	and \$5.00	Trouse	rs	 	.\$3.50
\$5.50	Trousers			 	.\$4.00

Underwear! Underwear! Over 400 dozens in stock. Stanfield's,

Penman's, Watson's, Ceetee, Wolsey and Rufus. The best values in London.

Sweater Coats

The Eng	glish King	, \$6.00,	for	.\$4.50
Men's S	tandard \$	7.50 Ov	ercoats	.\$4.90

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In this assortment you may choose from Overcoats which reflect years of experience in Overcoat making. Included are kerseys and comfortable Shetland cloths and tweeds, in grays, browns and tans, single and double breasted, with the very fashionable and comfortable shawl collars and belted backs. Splendid all-wool serge linings. These Coats are easily worth the regular prices of \$15.00 to \$18.00. Saturday you may buy them for..........\$10.90

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156 COATS-AGES 3 TO 10 YEARS-156 COATS.

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Mothers, this is an opportunity to fix up the boys for winter with the lowest minimum of cost ever heard of in London. In this assortment are Coats of \$4.50 and \$5.00 values. Shetland and Irish tweeds, soft and comfortable check, tweed lined, two-way and Russian collars. On sale Saturday \$2.98

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UMBRELLAS—Gold and silver mounted. BELFAST LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS - Initial

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ALFRED DREW, MASTER OF ST. GEORGE'S LODGE

Elected to Senior Chair by Election of Thursday Night.

St. George's Lodge, No. 42, elected fts officers for the coming year at a well-attended meeting Thursday Bro. Alfred Drew, senior warden, was elevated to the worshipful master's

chair. The officers elected are: I. P. M.-Wor. Bro. John T. Parkin W. M .-- Bro. Alfred Drew. S. Warden-Bro. R. H. Smith. J. Warden-Bro. John A. Nash. Chaplain-Wor. Bro. A. Oettinger. Treasurer-W. Bro. Wm. Skinner. Secretary-V. W. Bro. A. Ellis. Senior Deacon-Bro. Lorston Boss. Junior Deacon—Bro. Charles T. Ross. D. of C.— V.W. Bro. Charles Busk-

I. Guard-Bro. Robt. Syme. S. S .- Bro, Thomas Dickson.

I. S.—Bro. Charles W. Heaman. Organist—Bro. Alfred Peine. ST. MARYS MEETING

Public School Report Was Presented at Regular Session of Board.

upplies, \$11.75; J. Willard, repairs, \$5.10; Crown Oil Refinery Company, \$9.38; John Willard, rent for Willard Inspector W. Irwin presented his report on the condition of the schools. Principal D. K. Anderson presented his November report as follows: On roll, 478; average, 417; 1912 on roll, 444; average, 391; 1911 on roll, 487;

The vital statistics of the town of St. Marys for the month of November were: Births 1, marriages 4, deaths 4.

TRUSTED ENGINEER ARRESTED FOR-THEFT

Former Grand Trunk Man Said To Have Admitted Serious Charge. [Special to The Advertiser.] Detroit, Dec. 5.-Hugh Lamb,

ed here last night on a charge of grand Lamb was employed by the Grand Trunk for nine years as an engineer. and always had the confidence of his employers until several months ago,

when he was suspected of being a

treal and stole merchandise valued at between \$3,000 and \$4,000. ed Lamb's house in Montreal and recovered silverware valued at several land; some attempts to destroy letters hundred dollars, which they believe by pouring fluid into mail hover in [Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Marys, Dec. 5.—At the regular monthly meeting of the school board has been living in Detroit with relatives evening the figure evening the figure and of the circular bundred dollars, which they believe by pouring fluid into mail boxes in earliest times to the period following confederation and the general election window smashing. It was believed, however, that the women had a plan to unrest in that year, and of the circular section.

presented as follows: L. H. Reesor, and Shepherd located the home of his lice everywhere kept strict watch. relative this evening and arrested Lamb on description furnished them by the Montreal police. He is said to not having decided to remove her to have admitted his part in the theft Holloway. It is understood she has al-

NEW POSTMASTER

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Alvinston, Dec. 5.—W. A. Moffatt, a
retired school teacher, was today appointed postmaster to succeed Alex. McPhail, whose death occurred in London hospital recently.

Mr. McPhail's funeral, held yesterday afternoon to Alvinston Cemetery was the largest ever held in the dis trict. An impressive service was held in Guthrie Presbyterian Church, and was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Mr. McKay, Rev. Neil Campbell, of Inwood, and Rev. Mr. Logan. The pallbearers were all elders of the church. Mr. Mc-Phail was secretary of the board of railroad engineer, 29 years old, who trade here, and prior to being postsays he lives in Montreal, was arrest- master had taught school for 25 years.

MILITANTS QUIET

[Canadian Press.]

London, Dec. 5 .- The threat of the militant suffragettes to resort to viomember of a gang of thieves, who broke into the freight cars at Monlent methods of revenge for the arrest of their leader, Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, has not yet been carried into ef-The Montreal police say they search- feet today except for the destruction of a mansion at Wemyss Bay, Scot-

In the meantime Mrs. Pankhurst remained in Exeter fail, the authorities ready commenced a "hunger strike."

HEAR FOUNDER OF

Local Organizations Held Joint were wanting to get together, not as Meeeting To Welcome C. R. McCul'och.

It was a very large audience, composed of members of the Men's and Women's Canadian Clubs of the city hat assembled last night in the Normal School to greet Charles R. McCulloch, of Hamilton, and to be addressed by him on the subject of "The Genesis of the Canadian Club Idea." Mrs. F. P. Betts, president of the Women's Canadian Club, who occupied the chair. n introducing the speaker, said she ished all present "a very happy birthday." It was the twenty-first an-niversary of Canadian Clubs, and Lonecasion the "father" of the Canadian

last evening, the finance report was assumed name. Detectives Parker do something censational, and the po- culation of pamphlets agitating for address, Mr. Jared Vining making that

then that his great idea was born, to nfluence men and women to take keener interest in things Canadian, to foster patriotism, and encourage the study of national problems, history, art, and resources. Together with a few friends the matter was discussed, and in Dec. 6, 1891, a resolution was drawn up to the effect that a club be formed that embodied these objects in its constitution.

"Everything was not smooth sailing however," Mr. McCulloch stated, "Peo-ple could not seem to realize that we Liberal, not as Conservatives, but as

The first Canadian Club was formed the following February in Toronto, and today there are nearly 100 clubs in Canada, with a large membership, and probably a dozen in the United States. One club has been established in Dawson City, another in the three New Ontario towns of Cobalt, Hailey

Mr. McCulloch believed the Canadian Club could do much towards balancing the Canadian and imperial spirit in Canada. "We should all be proud of the honor which attaches to the name 'Canadian,' and should also be proud to think that this young nation is one of a galaxy of nations in a don should feel especially honored at great and beautiful union called an having as the speaker upon such an empire." Mr. McCulloch stated that Canada would find her true greatness assimilating the people who came Mr. McCulloch traced step by step to her shore; so that they would not the various situations in Canada from be French, or Scotch, or Italian, but Canadians. In this members of the Canadian Clubs could help very much. A hearty vote of thanks was passed to Mr. McCulloch at the close of his

BLIZZARD IN WEST.

Denver. Col., Dec. 5.-Denver awak ened today to find every manner of traffic blocked by more than two fee of snow, which covered the city, and pedestrians made their way with dificulty. Railroad trains were unable to



It's Grandmother's Recipe to Bring Back Color and Lustre to Hair.

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost over night if you'll get a 50-cent bottle of 'Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old, famous Sage Tea Recipe are sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been ap-

Those whose hair is turning grave becoming faded, dry, scraggly and thin have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful -all dandruff goes, scalp itching and falling hair stops.

This is the age of youth. Gray-hair ed, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days. For sale by W. T. Strong.

CONDENSED ADS.

No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words.

Amusements-Ten cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid. Meetings-When no admission is

charged, one cent per word each infor Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodgings, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements—First insertion, one cent per word; each subsequent insertion, one-half cent a word. No advertisement less than fifteen words

BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

DEATHS.

DANN-At her late residence, Bryanston London Township, on Thursday, Dec. 4 1913, Rebecca, widow of the late Joseph Dann, aged 78 years. Funeral from the above address on Saturday, at 2 p.m.; service at 1:30 p.m. Interment at Decker's Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

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Parliament Has a Big Grist of Most Important Business To Get Through.

Reduction in Cost of Necessaries Aimed at by Sir Wilfrid.

Ottawa, Dec. 4. - The third session of Canade's twelfth Parliament has been summoned for the dispatch of business on Thursday, Jan. 15th. The date was definitely determined and the formal proclamation ordered at this afternoon's sitting of the cabinet. Jan. 8 has been considerably mentioned of late as the probseveral of the ministers, but as this MANY PETTY ROBBERIES able date, and this was favored by would necessitate western members leaving home at New Year's, and as the 12th of January is a holiday in the service in Ottawa, it was finally agreed to call the House for the

Redistribution Bill.

Daily cabinet councils are now be ing held in preparation for the opening. The sessional program so far determined is substantially as has been forecasted. It includes a redistribution bill based upon the last census, a bill respecting the incorporation of trust and loan companies, the reintroduction of the highways and branch lines bills, an amendment to the insurance act, certain amendments to the criminal code, the revision of the merchants' shipping act, the consolidation of the railway act, amendments to the civil rvice act along lines suggested by George Murray, and a number of George Murray, and a number of ther measures, the consideration of Which is now in progress.

The Navy Question. There is as yet no definite infor-mation available as to the course

Pulling Against

which the Government will pursue in regard to the naval aid bill.

The list of applications for private legislation is already fairly large, and is growing daily. The applications for bills of divorce are close on to

Free Food Policy. The prospect is for a fighting session of about five months. The Op-position will be called in caucus as soon as the members arrive in Ottawa, and the proposals of the Otta-wa ring will be placed before them. The outstanding question of the session will be the trade and tariff issue, with its bearing on the problem of the high cost of living, and the Canadian consumer's aspect of the new trade relations of Canada with the United States consequent upon the operation of the Wilson-Under-LIBERALS' FOOD POLICY wood tariff, and on the question generally of tariff revision to meet the demands of the common people rather than the demands of the big interests.
The Liberal policy of free foodstuffs and the Government policy of no reduction define the fighting ground.

NO CLUE TO CATTLE THIEF

"Rustler" Is Thought To Have Been at Work Near Wyoming.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wyoming, Dec. 5. - No clue whatever has been found as to the whereabouts of eleven Hereford cattle, which disappeared from a sixth line pasture a couple of days

The general belief is that some "rustler" has been at work, and owing to the quickness of the get-away, that the cattle were immediately taken across the

Many petty thefts of grain, poultry, wood and other smaller things have been occurring for some months, but nothing so daring as a live stock theft has been attempted. A Prince Edward Island man

border.

had 55 head of mixed cattle shipped here yesterday and put out on Wm. Culbert's farm, awaiting an auction sale in the near future. Whether because of the long, tedious journey or other causes, they are not to be compared with

Lambton-grown stock,

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Thousands of Women Pledged to Banish Eggs From Table

[Canadian Press.] Washington, D. C., Dec. 5. Eggs are to be banished from the tables in the homes of nearly all the cabinet members whose wives have pledged their support to the egg boycott campaign which is being waged to reduce the price.

One of the first to give her approval and join the movement was Mrs. William Jennings Bryan, wife of the secretary of

"Any subject that touches the home touches the heart of every woman, whoever she is," is what Mrs. Bryan told Mrs. Ellis Logan, a leader in the boycott movement here, when she called upon Mrs. Bryan to obtain her support. Mrs. Bryan assured Mrs. Logan that she was in thorough accord with the move-

More than six thousand cases of European eggs have arrived in New York during the past week. The importations have been made possible by the new

A monster petition is being prepared, with which Congress is to be stormed by Mrs. Logan and her co-workers. It is expected that by next Monday night more than 25,000 names will have been signed to the document.

Mrs. Logan declares that already 15,000 Washington housewives have joined the movement. It is planned, the club women say, to impress Congress with the need for legislation that will bring about lower food prices.

SOUTH WALES STRIKE IS SPREADING RAPIDL

Many Industries Are Already Seriously Affected by Men Walking Out.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Dec. 5 .- A cable from ondon to the Tribune says: Substantial additions to the number of railwaymen on strike in South Wales were made yesterday, despite urgent admonitions by officials. Both the trade unions concerned estimated last night that 1,500 men joined the strikers, and their absence from work has brought coal mines and other industries employing some 15,000 hands

The situation is a serious one. It not only brings wholesale loss and inconvenience to the general public, but involves a grave menace to the organizations of the men themselves. position is deplored by the Railway Review, the official organ of the National Union of Railwaymen, which says: "If every member of the trade union is to become a force to adjust what seems to him best without reference to the opinions and decisions of his organization, and yet in extreme cases is to expect the support of such organization, then we shall have arrived at absolute anarchy, and the organization will henceforth exist only

NEW C. P. R. TUNNFLS TO COST \$8,000,000

Ten-Mile Cuts Will Be Completed in

About Three Years. Denver, Col., Dec. 4 .- A railroad contract for eight million dollars has been let to the tunnel'-driving firm of James A. McIlwee & Sons, of Denver. They have agreed to drive ten miles of tunnel for the Canadian Pacific Railway in the Province of British Columbia. Work will start Jan. 1, and must be

completed within three years.

A double-track bore five miles long will be driven under Rogers' Pass, 224 miles west of Calgary. A smaller and parallel tunnel will be driven with cross-cuts to the main survey at every 500 feet, and stations will be established from which headings will be run in either direction. In this manner the tunnel proper will shortly be driven from a dozen different direc-

The contract is said to be the largest tunnel job ever let in America. Con-struction camps costing \$50,000 are now being erected at either portal.

WANTS \$10,000

Mrs. Conner's Husband Was Killed in Auto Accident.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Walkerton, Dec. 5 .- The court house has been crowded since Tuesday noon by people from Brant Township to hear the damage case of Mrs. Conners, of Eden Grove, against the township of Brant, for the death of her husband in April last. -

Mr. Conners was driving with R. Hunter, a bridge contractor, of Kin-cardine, on the Paisley road, near Dunkel, in an auto, and the machine ran off the road and Conners was instantly killed. It was claimed by Mrs. Conners' solicitor that the accident was caused by a defective culvert.
She sued for \$10,000 before Judge Lennox in the high court. An unusual episode in the trial occurred yesterday when the full court adjourned and vis-

ited the scene of the accident about six miles from town. About fifty witnesses were examined, and the evidence as to the condition of the road was very conflicting. On the advice of the judge, the opposing counsel got together last night to make settlement. The defendants offered \$1,000, but Mrs. Conners refused to accept, and the case continued.

precedents quoted. The case has aroused the greatest interest. SERIOUS SITUATION

Judge Lennox reserved his judgment to consider the argument, and look up

General Weyler Will Have Charge of Affairs in Morocco.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, Dec. 5.—A Madrid cable to New York, Dec. 8.—A Matha Caste of the Tribune says:

It is officially announced that Gen. Valeriano Weyler, former military governor of Cuba, will be appointed Spanish resident in Morocco, to succeed Gen. Marina. The fact that Gen. Weyler, who is considered the ablest soldier in Spain, is to be sent to Morocco, is considered by is to be sent to Morocco, is considered by the public as an evidence that the situa-tion there is more serious than the Gov-

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titles. The copy....17c \$1.25 Young Juvenile Colored PICTURE BOOKS, about 500 pages; fairy tales, animals, Robinson Crusoe and other titles.

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satisfaction. Special, each...........45c TOY GARDEN BARROWS— Steel sides, nicely painted in red and neatly striped. Special....39c

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painted wood seats, steel railing for back support. Special ... MANUFACTURERS SAMPLES String Beads, Brooches, Bar Pins, Tie Pins, Fobs, Lockets, Chains, Purses, etc. Worth from 50c to \$2.50.

Special..... JUMBO CUPS AND SAU-CERS, with floral mottoes, for..... CHILDREN'S CHINA MUGS. Assorted picture decora-

tions.....2 for 5c AUTOMOBILE— Lithographed tin body, with chauffeur, clockwork mechanism; 7 inches long. 27c Special..... Plush - Covered SADDLE

HORSE on platform, with heavy wheels. Special..... Rich floral GLASS BERRY BOWL, 8-inch size, deep shape. Special

for..... \$6.00 NEW UNBREAKABLE CHARACTER BABY DOLLS, extra large size, neatly dressed. \$4.29
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SELF-FILLING FOUNTAIN

PENS.....10c DAINTY EMBOSSED FOLD-CARDS. Per doz....10c ING CHRISTMAS BOXED CHRISTMAS CARDS, 25c to \$1

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You will find listed below a few of our many bargains at prices away below all others:



Special Watch Values Ladies' 6-size, 14k. gold-



filled case, with Waltham movement. For. \$10.00 Ladies' Solid 9k Gold Wristlet Watch, for \$20 Three only Ladies' Gold-Filled Wristlet Watches. Sell regularly for \$12.00, for\$6.00 Four only Ladies' Wristlet Watches, beautifully enamelled. For each.\$4 Also Ladies' Wristlet, at Fortune case, fitted with

17-jewelled Waltham, with patent regulator and Brequet hair spring. For.\$11.50 Gents' 16-size Fortune gold-filled case, with Waltham works. For\$10.00 Gents' 16-size Fortune case, gold-filled, 17jeweled Waltham movement. For .. \$15 Webb C.Ball,19-jeweled, 16-size, in 14k goldfilled case, guaranteed to keep time to 30 seconds a month. For......\$50.00 We also carry in stock a large line of

Railroad Watches in the Waltham, Elgin, Hamilton, Illinois and Ball movements.

Necklets and Pendants



We have been very fortunate in securing 15 Solid Gold Pendants at a very low price. We are going to let you share in our bargain. These will be sold for less money than any retail jeweler can buy them wholesale. We are offering 9k Solid Gold Pendants, without neck chains, for \$6.00

We also have another line in solid for \$10 each, complete, that will be on display in our north window. Gold-Filled Pendants and Necklets at

..... \$2.50 each up Pearl Necklets in solid 14k gold from \$10 up Salts and Peppers, with sterling silver tops.

Diamonds



We have never had better Diamond values than we are offering right now. We are selling the largest diamonds, mounted in 14k gold, that we have ever offered before. At \$5.00 A nice line of Ladies' and Gents' Diamond Rings, in 14k solid gold. For....\$10.00 Diamond-set Cuff Links, Tiepins and Rings, at \$15.00 Ladies' Tiffany, Modified Tiffany, round and flat Belcher Diamond Rings, at .. \$25.00 Special Trays, from...\$30.00 to \$50.00 See our north window for display. We exchange Diamonds bought from us for full value at any time.

We guarantee all goods to be as represented.

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ROYAL CROWN DERBY .- We are offering some wonderful values for Christmas in Royal Crown Derby China. Blue Mikado Cups and Saucers, sold every-

where for \$1.00, at each................60¢ Blue Mikado Bread and Butter Plates. 50¢ Blue Mikado Tea Plates, each.......55¢ Blue Mikado Breakfast Plates, each ... 75¢ Blue Mikado Creams and Sugars, ea. \$2.25

We are giving a discount of 20 per cent off the list price of the 2451 pattern, which is the lowest possible price that this China can be sold for in Canada. Tea Cups and Saucers, net price....\$3.00

Bread and Butter Plates, \$1.80 each, net Tea Plates, net price, each.....\$2.15 Breakfast Plates, net price, each...\$2.75

Minton China Cups and Saucers, special, each \$1.00 Coalport China, "Indian Tree," Cups and Saucers. Special at, each90¢

Regular \$8 Mantel Clocks, for . Regular \$1 Alarm Clocks, Guaranteed . 50c

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Brass Candlesticks, special, each.....50¢ Salts and Peppers, with sterling silver tops. Brass Candlesticks, special, each.....75¢ Brass Candlesticks, special, each....\$1.00 Brass Candlesticks, special, each....\$2.00 Long Brass Trays, with handles, each. \$2.50 Oval Brass Trays, special, each \$2.00 Long Brass Trays, special, each.....\$2.75 Crumb Tray and Scraper, special, each..... \$1.75

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10 Rings, sell regular for \$6, special. \$3.00

Cut Glass Specials

Salts and Peppers, with sterling tops. Spe-Salts and Peppers, with sterling silver tops. Cut Glass Bon Bon. Special at \$1.00 Cut Glass Bowl, beautifully cut. Special. .\$3 Cut Glass Tumblers. Special at, each. . 50¢ Bon Bon with handle. Special, each. \$1.00 Cut Glass Pitcher. Special at \$4.00

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Our stock of Cuff Links is larger than it has ever been before. We have some wonderful bargains at, pair ... 50¢, 75¢, \$1 Plain gold-filled, suitable for engraving, from, pair\$1.00 to \$2.50 10 Rings, sell regular for \$5, special. \$2.50 Solid Gold Links, from....\$3.50 to \$7.00 Diamond Set Links, from....\$10 to \$30 Solid Gold Links, from \$3.50 to \$7.00

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LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4 .- Cattle-Receipts 6,000; market steady; beeves, \$6 60 to \$9 70; Texas steers, \$6 60 to \$7 70; stock-\$9 70; Texas steers, \$6 60 to \$7 70; stockers and feeders, \$4 70 to \$7 60; cows and heifers, \$3 30 to \$8 15; calves, \$6 50 to \$11. Hogs—Receipts, 35,000; market slow; light, \$6 95 to \$7 50; mixed, \$7 25 to \$7 65; heavy, \$7 30 to \$7 65; roughs, \$7 30 to \$7 45; pigs, \$4 75 to \$6 90; bulk of sales at \$7 35 to \$7 55. Sheep—Receipts, 25,000; market steady; natives, \$4 15 to \$5 50; yearlings, \$5 50 to \$7; lambs, \$6 55 to \$7 90.

TORONTO, Decfl 4.—Union Stockyards

TORONTO, Deefi 4.—Union Stockyards
The live stock market was exceptionally
strong for all grades There was a slight
shortage of good butchers' cattle, but the
shipments were more numerous than a any previous time during the week. The prices rallied somewhat, while the quotations for butchers' bulls were both

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Only ... \$2.75 Table ...\$8.75 \$40.00 Suites, three pieces, upholstered in silk \$27.50

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Solid Fumed Oak Library Table....

Quartered Oak Library Table

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Genuine Mahog- Others at low

Fumed Oak.\$2.75 Mahogany finish. Round Pedestal

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220 calves, 2,579 hogs and 1,309 sheep and lambs. The quality was above the average.

Following were the prevailing prices during the day:

Cattle—Choice butchers, \$8 to \$8 50; good medium, \$6 50 to \$7 25; common, \$5 to \$5 50; cows, fat, \$4 50 to \$6 25; common, \$3 50 to \$4; butchers' bulls, \$3 75 to \$6 50; canners and cutters, \$3 50 to \$3 85; Calves—Good veal, \$8 75 to \$10; common, \$4 75 to \$5 10.

Sheep and lambs—Light ewes, \$4 50 to \$3 50; heavy, \$3 to \$3 50; bucks, \$3 to \$3 50; spring lambs, \$8 50 to \$8 70; with 75c per head deducted for all buck lambs. Hogs—Fed and watered, \$8 40 to \$8 45; weighed off cars, \$8 70; f. o. b., \$8 10.

The sales were:

Swift's Canadian Company bought 300 lambs, \$8 50 to \$8 65; 75 sheep, \$5 25 to \$55 50; 25 calves, \$7 10; hogs, \$8 45 fed and watered; 300 cattle, \$7 to \$8; canners and cutters, \$3 50 to \$3 85.

H P Kennedy bought 200 feeders' bulls.

Butcher bulls, choice ... 5 25 Rood butcher bulls ... 5 50 Rough butcher bulls

watered; 300 cattle, \$7 to \$8; canners and cutters, \$3 50 to \$3 85.

H. P. Kennedy bought 200 feeders' bulls, 800 to 1,500 lbs, \$4 75 to \$6 50; steers, 800 to 975 lbs, \$6 to \$6 75.

Wm. Davies Company bought 800 hogs at \$10 f. o. b., \$8 40 fed and watered, and \$8 70 weighed off cars.

Harris Abattoir bought 140 butchers, steers and heifers, \$7 to \$7 75; cows, \$5 50 to \$6 50.

Following are the quotations:

tations for butchers' bulls were both higher and steadier.

The sheep and lambs quotations remained firm, while the prices for light lambs increased about 10c. The trading in all qualities was brisk, and no difficulty was experienced in selling the offerings. The market for hogs was lower by 5c, although they sold well.

The shipments received were larger than yesterday—133 cars, with 1,330 cattle, and the first steers and heifers, \$7 to \$7 75; cows, \$5 50 lings. \$4 50 to \$6 50; wethers, \$5 to \$5 25; ewes, \$2 50 to \$4 75; sheep, mixed, \$4 60 to \$4 85.

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Butcher cattle, common. 5 50 to 6 00 patents, 28s 6d. Hops (in London)—Butcher cows, good.... 4 50 to 50 patents, 28s 6d. Hops (in London)—Butcher cows, good.... 4 50 to 50 patents, 28s 6d. Pork—Prime mess Butcher cows, medium ... 4 00 to 4 25 lings. \$4 50 to \$6 50; wethers, \$5 to \$5 25; ewes, \$2 50 to \$4 75; sheep, mixed, \$4 60 to \$4 85.

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Mission Chair (real leather seat)...

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Morris Chair (quartered oak).....

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..... \$7.75

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EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 5 .- Cattle-Receipts, 1,000; active and strong; price

6 50 Pacific coast, £6 6s to £7. Beef—Extra
5 00
4 25 India mess, 122s 6d. Pork—Prime mess 4 00 western, 110s. Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16

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AT \$14.90, worth \$30. Coats of Arabian Lamb, Cut Velours, Honeycomb, Chinchillas and many others. They are made with loose full effect, with kimono, raglan and batwing sleeves, beautifully made and trimmed;

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\$5.95 for \$12 Coats. Three-quarter and full length. \$3.90 for \$10 Coats. Cutaway and straight fronts, in black and light tweeds; all sizes.

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Nickeled Tea and Coffee Pots 90c to \$2.50 Nickeled Percolators \$3.00 to \$6.00 Nickeled Coffee Machines \$7.00 to \$12.00 Nickeled Chafing Dishes......\$7.00 to \$10.00 Bissell Sweepers \$3.00 to \$4.50 Cut Glass Salts and Peppers, boxed 75c to \$2,00 pair Cut Glass Knife Rests \$1.00 to \$3.00 pair Cut Glars Berry Bowls \$3.00 to \$10.00 each Cut Glass Cream and Sugars \$3.25 to \$5.00 pair Ever-Ready Safety Razor\$1.00 Gillette Safety Razor \$5.00

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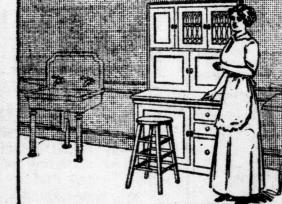


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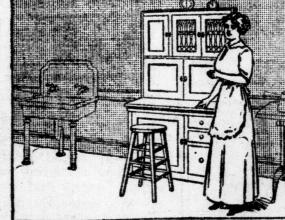
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DRESSED HOGS SLUMP ON LOCAL MARKET

Potatoes Firm at 90c to \$1.00-Straw Big Offering-Oats Drop.

warm weather is responsible for the wheat and oats. Chicago wheat futures change, and until colder weather re- closed at higher prices. Smaller shipwarm weather is responsible for the sults, price will not become firmer. ments of wheat from Argentina. Other dessed meats are steady. Flour—Ontario wheat flour, 9

is 85 to 86 cents per bushel. wholesale, and \$1.05, retail. The offering is an average one. Other veget-

ables are as listed. Apples are a slow sale at 50 to 80 cents. Pears are bringing 75 cents per bushel. The offering is small. An offering of 30 loads of hay yesterday found rapid sale at \$12 to \$16. Straw, which has been jumping and lowering alternately, is selling for \$8 and at 36½c for No. 2 to \$9. The offering yesterday was the and 39c for No. 3, bay ports. largest seen for some time on the

Saturday will bring a change in the price of live hogs. The warm weather may have a tendency to ease the commodity somewhat, it is thought.

No change is reported	in	pour	ici y .
Prices are firm and as lis	tea.		
Other prices are as quot	ea:		
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Vegetables.			00
Potatoes, wholesale 90	to		00
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Turning per bu 30	to		35
Carrots, per bu 30	to		40
Onlong per bu 1 90	to	1	15
Parsnins, per bu 40	to		50
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Cabbaga per doz 40	to		40
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Togs crate, wholesale	42	to		45
Tegs, per basket	42	to		45
Honey strained, 10 lbs 1	25	to		25
Honey, sections, doz 2	20	to	2	40
Live Stock				

Fat sows per cwt. 600
Export cattle, cwt. 600
Milch cows. each. 6000
Small pigs. per pair. 1000
Poultry, Alive to to 15 00 Old fowl per lb 9
Young chickens, lb 10
Ducks per lb 16
Turkeys, per lb 16
Poultry, Dressed. Old fowl, per lb Spring chickens, lb ... Ducks, per lb , per 1b..... Lamb. per ib....... 13 Dressed hogs, choice..11 00

Live Stock.

Hogs, per cwt. 8 00 Fat sows, per cwt. ... 7 00

Cow hides, No. 1, lb... 10 Cow hides, No. 2, lb... 10 Cow hides, No. 3, lb... 9 Wool, unwashed, lb... 13

> For Other Markets See Page 10

> > HAY.

TORONTO, Dec. 5-Baled Hay.-The market is unchanged. No. 1 is quoted at \$14.50 to \$15 a ton, on track, here; No. 2 quoted at \$13 to \$13.50, and mixed at \$12 to \$12.50. Baled Straw.-Car lots, \$8.50 to \$8.75

on track, Toronto HIDES. TORONTO, Dec. 5. - Beefhides-City butcher hides, flat, 14c to 141/2c per lb. Inspected hides-No. 1, 131/2c; No. 2, 121/2c. Country hides-Flat, cured, 131/2c to 141/2c; part cured, 13c

Calfskins—City skins, green, flat, 16½c. •Country—Cured, 17½c to 19c; part cured, 17c, according to condition and take-off. Deacons or bob calf, \$1

\$4. Country take-off, No. 1, \$3.50 to 661/4: \$4: No. 2, \$2.50 to \$3.50. Sheepskins-City lambskins, 60c to

90c. Country lambskins, 45c to 60c. Wool-Trade is quiet. Washed combings, fleece, coarse, 25c to 25 1/2 c; washed clothing fleece, fine, 261/2c to 27c; washed rejections (burry, chaffy, etc.), 19c to 191/2c; unwashed fleech clothing, coarse, 16c to 161/2c; unwashed fleece

clothing, fine, 174c to 17%c. Tallow-City rendered, solid, in barrels, 6c to 64c. Country stock, solid, in barrels-No. 1, 6c to 61/4c; No. 2, 51/2c

Horsehair - Farmer peddler stock 37c to 40c.

COTTON. [Special to H. C. Becher.] NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Cotton prices up to 2:30 p.m. today were as follows: Open, High, Low. Close 13 13.01 94 12.85

PRODUCE.
[Special to H. C. Becher.]
WINNIPEG, Dec. 5, 2 p.mWheat-
December, 841/2c; May, 89%c; July, 91c.
MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 5, 2 p.m
Wheat-December, 84%c: May, 88%c.
CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.
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		HICAG	O. Dec.	5.
Wheat-	Open	High.	Low. C	
Dec	87%	8838	87%	881/8
May	91%	92	911/4	9134
Corn-			~-~	-
Dec	721/8	72%	71%	723/8
May	71%	71%	71	711/2
Oats-				2071
Dec	3034	401/4	391/2	39 %
May	43	43 %	42%	431/8
Pork-				
Jan 91	97 21	07 20	95 21	07

EDWARD CRONYN & CO

Ribs—
Ribs—
MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 4. — Close—
Wheat—December, 84c; May, 87% c to 87 7-8c; No. 1 hard, 87 3-8c to 87 5-8c; No. 2 northern, 85 3-8c to 86 7-8c; No. 2 northern, 83 3-8c to 84 7-8c; No. 3 wheat, 81 3-8c to 82 7-8c, No. 3 white oats, 38c to 38% c. Flour and bran are unchanged.

TORONTO, Dec. 5.—The volume of trade continues quiet in Ontario grains, with prices generally unchanged, Flours are firmer, with moderate demand. Cables from Liverpool report advances of %d to ½d for wheat and 4%d to ¼d for corn. The markets were better in Winnipeg for wheat and oats. Chicago wheat futures closed at higher prices. Smaller shipments of wheat from Argentina.

Flour—Ontario wheat flour, 90 per cent., are quoted at \$3.50, Toronto. Manibara for the part of the cent., are quoted at \$3.50, Toronto. Manibara for the part of the part of the cent., are quoted at \$3.50, Toronto. Manibara for the part of the part of the cent., are quoted at \$3.50, Toronto. Manibara for the part of the part of the cent., are quoted at \$3.50, Toronto. Manibara for the part of the Jan.10 80 10 85 10 80 10 82

As intimated Thursday, the price of erate demand. Cables from Liverpool dressed hogs dropped, and the porkers report advances of %d to 1/2d for wheat are now selling for \$11 to \$12. The and %d to %d for corn. The mar-

Oats took a drop yesterday, and cent., are quoted at \$3.50 to \$3.55, sea-are selling today at \$1 to \$1.06. Wheat board, and at \$3.50, Toronto. Manicent., are quoted at \$3.50 to \$3.55, seas 85 to 86 cents per bushel. tobas—First patents, in jute bags, Potatoes are bringing 90 cents to \$1, \$5.30; do., seconds, \$4.80; strong bakers', in jute bags, \$4.60.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern

quoted at 93c to 94c, on track, Bay ports, and No. 2 at 91½c to 92c.
Ontario wheat—No. 2 wheat at 83c to 84c, outside. Oats-No. 2 Ontario oats quoted at

Peas-Nominal at \$1 to \$1.05, out-Barley-Good malting barley quoted t 55c to 57c, outside.

Corn-The market continues strong, with trade quiet. New No. 3 American is quoted at 77c, all rail, Toronto, and old No. 2 at 80c, bay ports. Rye-No. 2 nominal at 68c to 69c,

Buckwheat-Prices are nominal around 70c, outside, with none offering.

railroad statements that earnings were still falling off furnished an ostensible basis for bear selling. High money Bran-Manitoba bran is quoted at

\$21 a ton, in bags, Toronto freight. Shorts, \$22, Toronto. TORONTO, Dec. demand continues fairly active, with the best grades firm. Choice dairy, 22e to 24c; inferior, 20c to 21c; farmers' separator prints, 24c to 26c; creamery prints, 30c to 31c; solids, 28c 29c; storage prints, 27c to 28c; do.,

olids, 26c to 27c. an. 11 62 11 62 16 97 10 8 TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE. [Special to The Advertiser.] TORONTO, Dec. 5.—Morning lona Traction 32

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Dominion Telegraph100
Duluth-Superior
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Mackay, com 793/8
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Maple Leaf, pfd 92
Monarch, com 60
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Russell, M. C., pfd. 25
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Electric Dev. bonds 92 Steel Co. of Canada bonds.... Morning sales: Barcelona, 177 at 32 to Morning sales: Barcelona, 177 at 32 to 32%: Tucketts, 25 at 36; Twin City, 25 at 164; e. Country—Cured, 17½c to 19c; art cured, 17c, according to condition and take-off. Deacons or bob calf, \$1 to 111%; Bell Telephone. 15 at 150.

Horsehides — City take-off, \$3.50 to 4. Country take-off, No. 1, \$3.50 to 4. No. 2, \$2.50 to \$3.50. 66%: Bank of Commerce, 37 at 200 to 200%; Dominion Bank, 85 at 224% to 225; Royal Bank, 32 at 220 to 220%; Canada Permanent, 53 at 188 to 189; Coniagas, 400 at 7.25 to 7.30; Canada Bread, 20 at 18; Bell Telephone, bonds. \$500 at 90½,

and 25 shares miscellaneous. Montreal Stock Exchange. MONTREAL, Dec. 5.—Morning sales: Bell Telephone, 2 at 142 to 143; Brazilian, Bell Telephone, 2 at 142 to 143; Brazilian, 75 at 864; Canadian Pacific Railway, 240 at 2244 to 225; Detroit, 40 at 7014 to 7014; Ottawa, Light, Heat and Power, 11 at 167 to 168; Twin City, 75 at 106; Winnipeg Railway, 23 at 196½; Soo, 25 at 128; Richelieu and Ontario, 810 at 111 to 112; Power, 462 at 21534 to 216½; do, new stock, 40 at 209; Ames-Holden, 60 at 10; do, preferred, 50 at 71; Dominion Textile, 180 at 8314 to 84; Hillcrest, 25 at 43; Laurentide, 50 at 168; Macdonald, 25 at 17½; Ogilvie, 50 at 120 to 121; Sherwin-Williams, 56 at 53 to 54; Spanish River, 25 at 16; Steel Corporation, 50 at 40; Crown Reserve, 755 at 1.70 to 1.72; Hollinger, 200 at 17, 55 to 17, 60; Mackay, preferred, 10 at 17, 55 to 17, 60; Mackay, preferred, 10

serve, 755 at 1.70 to 1.72; Hollinger, 200 at 17,55 to 17.60; Mackay, preferred, 10 at 66; Hillcrest, preferred, 25 at 86; Dominion Iron, preferred, 15 at 45; Canadian Cotton, 50 at 73½; Canada Cement, 25 at 91. Banks—Commerce, 46 at 200 to 200½; Nova Scotja, 11 at 256. Bonds—Bell Telephone, \$7,500 at 98; Canadian Rubber Telephone. \$7,500 at 98; Canadian Rubber, \$2.000 at 90; Dominion Textile. \$5.000 at 100; Montreal Tram \$3,000 at 98; do, de-

100; Montreal Tram \$3,000 at 98; do, debentures, \$900 at 77% to 78.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

NEW YORK. Dec. 5.

Open. High. Low. 2p.m.

American Can... 26% 26% 26% 26% 26%

Amal. Copper.... 70% 70% 70 70%

American Refining. 62%

Anaconda Copper... 34% Anaconda Copper.. 3414 Atchison, com..... 92% Baltimore & Ohio.. 92% Brooklyn Transit... 87% Canadian Pacific...225 225 224½ 225

Northern Pacific...10714 ... 78% 79

PARIS, Dec. 5.-Prices were firm on

PARIS, Dec. 5.—Prices were firm on the bourse today. Three per cent rentes 85 francs 60 centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 32 centimes for checks. Private rate of discount, 3½ per cent.

BERLIN, Dec. 5.—Trading was very quiet on the bourse today. Exchange on London, 20 marks 49½ pfennigs for checks. Money, 3½ per cent. Discount rates on short bills, 4% to 4¾ per cent.

Wall Street, Noon.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The general tendency of the market during the morning was reactionary, although movements were confused and little progress was made by the list as a whole toward a lower level. Strength of the market having been exhausted temporarily by the mid-week rise, bears renewed their attack, singling out stocks which appeared to be most vulnerable on account of the effect of continued business recessions in certain lines. Further unfavorable reports from the copper and steel trades, another drop in copper metal in London and evidences in the latest steel trades, another drop in copper metal in London and evidences in the latest railroad statements that earnings were rates put a stop to speculative buying of any magnitude. Efforts of banks to strengthen their position caused the marking up of call money renewals commanding six per cent. Bonds were irregular.

London Stock Exchange. LONDON, Dec. 5.—Stocks closed today as follows: Consols, for money, 72 1-16; as follows: Consols, for money, 72 1-16; do, for account, 72%; Amalgamated Copper, 72¼; Atchison, 96; Baltimore and Ohio, 96; Canadian Pacific, 231%; Chesapeake and Ohio, 59¼: Chicago Great Western, 12; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, 102¼; De Beers. 17¾; Denver and Rio Grande, 18½; Erie, 28¾; do, first preferred, 45; Grand Trunk, 23%; Illinois Central, 110½; Louisville and Nashville, 137; Misosuri, Kansas and Texas, 20¾; New York Central, 99; Norfolk and Western, 106½; Ontario and Western, 27¼; Pennsylvania, 56¼; Rand Mines, 55½; Southern Pacific, 89s; Union Pacific, 156; United States Steel, 57%; Wabash, 4. Bar silver firm, "d per ounce. Money, 4½ to 4½ per cent. Discount rates—Short

THREE RESCUED

Men of British Boat Saved by Crew of Collier. [Canadian Priss]

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 5 .- To the herowhich arrived in part early this morning from Penarth, after a tempestuous waterlogged and helpless in midfrom the Invergyle, and after a fierce license fee. struggle, in which the boat was once swamped and the lives of her crew in the balance, the cook and two able seamen were rescued from their stricken ship and safely landed on the decks of the collier.

BIBLE CLASS ELECTIONS

Banner Meeting in Empress Avenue Parsonage. The annual meeting of the Banner

Bible class of the Empress Avenue Sunday school was held at the parsonage, 1 St. Andrew street, Thursday evening, and was largely attended. The reports showed the class to be in a prosperous condition. The following officers were elected

for the ensuing year: President, Harry Mannel; devotional vice-president, Robt. Berry; social vice-president, Mrs. Wm. Gibson; membership vice-president, Miss Leslie; treasurer, Fred Leslie; secretary, William John Canning,

The various committees were appointed and plans formed for an aggressive year's work. Refreshments were served and very enjoyable evening spent.

The pastor, Rev. T. Wesley Cosens, is teacher of the class, and James Wilkins, assistant.

WIL NOT RUN. [Canadian Press.]

St. Catharines, Dec. 5 .- Ald. Wiley, he local labor man, has withdrawn from the fight for the mayoralty. There will be a straight contest between W. A. Sherwood and J. T. Petrie.

WESTERN REDISTRIBUTION. [Canadian Press.] Winnipeg, Dec. 5 .- The Free Press tates that at the session of the Mantoba Legislature, opening Dec. 11, a

edistribution here will increase the

membership of the House from 41 to IN STATE OF COLLAPSE. [Canadian Press.]
Exeter, England, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Emme line Pankhurst, the suffragette leader, is said today to be in a state of collapse, having started both a hunger and thirst

strike since her arrest on board the recently. Majestic yesterday. FIRE DESTROYS WHOLE VILLAGE. [Canadian Press.] Seneca Falls, N. Y., Dec. 5.—Fire, be lieved to have been started by an incen-diary, early today wiped out the village of Lodi. The loss is estimated at \$75,000.

The town libarary and the Management of the loss is estimated at \$75,000. The town libarary and the Masonic Temple were among the structures de-

LEAVING FOR ENGLAND. [Canadian Press.] Toronto, Dec. 5 .- Hon. Adam Beck, head of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission, will, it is understood, leave for England at the latest next Friday, to join his family. He

will be abroad about two months. FALL PROVED FATAL. St. Catharines, Dec. 5.—George Stilson, of Hamilton, district road master of the Grand Trunk Railway, died at the general and marine hospital last evening from injuries received three months ago, when he fell from a work train at the St.

Rebel Leader Is Practically in Possession of the City

[Canadian Press.] Jaurez, Mexico. Dec. 5.-Although within a few miles of the city, with 7,000 troops, General Villa had not entered the city of Chihuahua today. Villa regards the possession of the city as a formality since Governor Federico Moye was instructed by General Salvador Mercado, Huerta's deserting military commander to turn the city over to the rebels.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Official dispatches continue to report the removal of refugees from Mexico at Laredo, Texas, in increasing numbers Mexicans outnumber Americans and other foreigners fleeing the country. Refugees from Tampico are expected at Port Arthur, Texas, on Sunday

Sunday.

The situation in the Acapulco district, where there have been anti-American demonstrations, is reported worse. The armored crulser California is at Manzenaillo, within easy distance. A dispatch from Chihuahua says good order was tracked.

LATE LOCAL NEWS

Squire Edwards Low .- The condition of Squire Henry Edwards, who has been in a precarious state for some time at his home, 388 1/2 Ridout street, was reported worse today, and he is not expected to live.

Will Visit Toronto. - London Lodge of Perfection of the Scottish Rite Masonry will visit the Toronto Lodge of Perfection on Monday evening. The London brethren will put on the thirteenth degree. The delegation from this city will leave on the 12:05 noon Grand Trunk express on Monday. Single fare has been secured ,and a record attendance is expected. Many Meetings Today .- The city

hall will be the scene of many meetings today. The water commissioners will meet at 3:30 this afternoon, the manufacturers' and reception committee of council at 4:30, and the special waterworks committee at 5 o'clock. The city council will have a special meeting tonight, and the board of trade will also have a meeting.

DRAYMEN PROTEST

Still Object to Bathurst Setreet Locacation for Their Wagons.

The draymen, confined to the Bathurst street stands, are discontented with the treatment accorded them by the council in not allowing them to resume their former stand on York street, behind the Grand Trunk station, according to their own state-

They complain that persons coming to the city and unacquainted with their secluded stand, do not know where to find them, and in consequence ism and seamanship of the captain and crew of the British collier Invergyle, where to find them, and in consequence they are daily losing considerable business. They further contend that travellers do not care to cross the tracks. If on the other hand they leave the spot assigned for their use and turn voyage, is due the rescue of three lives onto York street they are immediately from the British brig Evilyn, found summoned and fined. Those having stands on York street, near the station, obtain all the available trade, ocean, Nov. 25. A lifeboat put out they allege, while all pay the same

MAJOR H. A. KINGSMILL TRANSFERRED TO A. M. C.

Militia Orders Announce His Change of Corps-Military Lecture Announced.

The second monthly lecture on military subjects will be given to the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the garrison at the lecture room at the London Armories on the evening of the 20th nstant at 8:15. The subject will be British Empire In Its Strategic Aspect." The lecturer will be Major C. H. Hill, of the Royal Canadian Regiment. Orders for the week, emanating from he local militia headquarters for the

First Division, contain, besides the above announcement, a note of appreciation from the Minister of Militia and Defence to the directing staff and all concerned in the manoeuvres of August last.

The transfer from the strength of the Seventh Regiment to the Army Medical Corps of Major H. A. Kingsmill, M.O., is announced, and also the retirement of Capt. J. C. Morrison as adjutant of the First Hussars. Capt. J. C. McFirst Hussars.

ACKNOWLEDGE AID

Sanatorium Women Receive \$79 From Sunday School.

The Woman's Sanatorium Aid gratefully acknowledge the following sub-scriptions to the preventorium building fund of the Queen Alexandra Sanatorium, as subscribed by the members of Dundas Centre Methodist Church Sunday, Nov. 16, Mr. Robt. Green \$25; 18 anonymous envelopes totalling \$15.25; Miss M. E. Binns, 25c; W. H. Braddon, Miss M. E. Binns, 25c; W. H. Braddon, \$1.00; G. F. Copeland and wife, \$3.00; R. C. C., 50 cents; Mrs. W. J. Weekes, \$4; C. J. Beal and wife, \$5; Mrs. Howe, 50 cents; Mrs. Wm. Cuthbertson, 50 cents; H. Pocock, \$2; W. M. Althouse and wife, \$2; J. B. P. Taton, \$5; C. H. White, \$3; V. Palmer, \$1.

Mrs. A. N. Udy, \$1; L. E. Cllarke, \$1; J. W. Kingswood, \$1; Mrs. J. A. Jones, \$5; Margaret Jones, \$1; total, \$79. There are still two or three generous subscriptions to be handed in. When these are received the amount will total

EMBBO

Embro, Dec. 5. - Miss Anna Mc-Kay visited with friends in Woodstock Miss Jamesie Kennedy was in Woodstock Tuesday.

Mr. Andrew Ross, of Woodstock, visited his parents, Mr. and Mr.

Ross, on Tuesday. Mr. Robert Sutherland was in Woodstock recently. Mr. and Mrs. W. Weitzel recently visited with Woodstock friends. Mr. E. L. Sutherland visited friends n Woodstock Tuesday.

Miss Olive Ross visited friends in London recently. Mrs. R. J. Peters, of Brummer spent the past few days with he Mrs. R. J. Peters. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kent visited friends in St. Marys over the week-

end.

To Late to Classify LOST, IN NEIGHBORHOOD OF PLAY-GROUNDS, South London - A hen pheasant. Reward if returned to 26

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Many people fail to understand the significance of a tame, weak, sore or

When the back aches or becomes weak it is a warning that the kidneys are

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as comfortable as a good easy chair, and some forms of easy chairs are extremely easy to make. In fact, the three chairs that are shown in the accompanying sketch are so simply made that it is not necessary to give any other directions than the pictures stained in Mission style.

nights have arrived, the lal used for the hammock-like seat young man or boy with little to do in and back should be heavy burlap or the evenings can find time to prepare denim, and care should be used in for the longer and colder evenings fixing the height of the front rod so when he must stay indoors. The mak- that it shall be lower than the length ing of the boy's room as comfortable of leg from the heel to a little below as possible usually is considered the the knee of the person using it. If this work of the housewife, but the boy latter dimension is not observed, the work of the housewife, but the boy latter dimension is not observed, the can help by preparing some simple articles of furniture. There is nothing able. The tendency in making chairs of this sort is always to place the rod too high. This prevents the foot of the lounger from touching the floor and cuts off circulation in the leg. The other two chairs are most attractive, when made of hard wood and simply

e announced later. KOMOKA. Komoka, Dec. 5. - Mr. Glover has

eturned from John Island and will renain here for the winter. The Methodist Sunday school practicing for its annual Christmas

Mr. Albert Barber, of Westminster, was a visitor here recently. Miss Sadie Sargent has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. James McDougall. Miss E. Skippen, of Hyde Park, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. entertainment, the date of which will | Waugh.

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the richest and most durable of Furs. It works up advantageously into garments, neckpieces and muffs, and

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Mink Marmot, medium sized Pillow Muff, in either light or dark shades,..... \$5.00

Black Hare, fair sized pillow Muffs, or Muffs in tail, trimmed Saratoga style \$3.00 Black Fox, large sized Muff,

trimmed with claws and with

two large-sized tails \$35.00 Fancy cut Muskrat, which is being much worn. Extra large sized pillow Muff \$15.00 Mink Marmot, large sized pil-

low Muff, light colored fur, trimmed with three heads, \$7.75 Canadian Mink Set of fine quality. Muff and Stole trimmed with heads and tails ...\$102.00

Black Fox Set. Roomy Muff, tail trimmed, shawl of two large skins \$70.00 Natural Coon Set of good sized

pillow Muff and wide Stole, trimmed with medallion and tassels \$19.75 Black Hare Set. Large pillow

Muff, very long Scarf, with heads and tails \$15.75 Coney or "Near Seal" Coats, full length, shawl collar style ...

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389 TO 393 TALBOT

DIED AT ST. THOMAS

Funeral of Miss Amanda Cole Was Rev Largely Attended.

[Special to The Advertiser.] St. Thomas, Dec. 4. - The funeral took place to St. Thomas cemetery yesterday of Miss Amanda Cole daughter of the late Wm. Cole, con. 12, of North Yarmouth. She died at the home of her sister. Mrs. Mary Geary, 46 Alexandria avenue, and the funeral was held from there. She leaves three sisters and two

brothers: Mrs. S. Buck, North Yar-WARTS DISFIGURE THE HANDS.

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Geary, St. Thomas; Henry and Emery, seed pearls, and carried a bouquet of funeral was largely attended . Mr. Knowles, of Grace Methodist Church, and Rev. Dr. Gundy, formerly of St. Thomas, preached very impressive sermons.

MORGAN—PATTERSON

Pretty Strathroy Girl Becomes Bride of Young Kerwood Man. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Strathroy, Dec. 5. - A pretty wedding took place on Wednesday at the mouth; Mrs. H. Buck and Mrs. Mary home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Patterson, when their daughter, Ethel M., was united in marriage to Mr. Mere- dinner the happy couple left on the dith C. Morgan, of Kerwood. The bride, who was given away by her bride, who was given away by her velling suit of brocaded velvet and fox nam's Wart and Coll Extractor. Insist years in use and still the best. Insist years in use and still the best. Insist father, was dressed in pale blue satin, furs. On their return they will re- quantity of suffrage literature was found

was bridesmaid and wore pale pink silk mull, with girdle of white satin and carried a bouquet of pink carnations, While Mr. Mylo Paterson, brother of the bride, assisted the groom.

The eeremony was performed by abated fury on most parts of the coast, Rev. A. V. Walden, Strathroy, under Sea and Bristol Channel. an arch of evergreens, decorated with white and pink roses, and banked with flowers in the presence of about 75

The Wedding March was played by Mr. Irwin Fonger, Strathroy. After the usual congratulations and a sumptuous

ON BANDITS' TRAIL

No Trace Yet of the Men Who Murdered Bank Man-

[Canadian Press.] Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 5.

winnipeg, Man., Dec. 5. — An impressive funeral service for H. M. Arnold, shot by robbers while defending his bank, was held at Plum Coulee yesterday afternoon in the German Lutheran Church, after which the body was taken to Brandon, his former home, for interment on Saturday.

Wm. Dyck, garage proprietor, held on suspicion, was examined last night by Chief Alcott, of the provincial poee, who admitted afterwards some of Dyck's statements conflicted and he did not appear to be telling a perfectly straight story.

The police are considering the advisability of bringing in bloodhounds to assist in searching for the robbers. The Bank of Montreal have Thiel deectives on the case. It is believed that Krafchenko, the man under suspicion, is hiding in Winnipeg or suburbs. Resorts in the district have been searched by armed police, but without result. There is a theory that Winnipeg chauffeur is connected with the crime.

FRENCH CABINET HAS NOT YET BEEN FORMED

Senator Ribot Refuses to Attempt to Deal With Situation.

[Canadian Press.]
Paris, Dec. 5. — Up to noon today o further progress had been made n the formation of the new French eabinet, rendered necessary by the resignation of Premier Barthou, owing to the defeat of the Government on the finance bill. The venerable senator, Alexandre Felix Joseph Ribot, who has twice held the premiership, called at the palace of the Elysee today at he request of President Poincare, but could not be induced to undertake the construction of a new cabinet.

SALE OF THOROUGHBREDS

Blooded Animals at Newmarket Auction Fetched Fancy Prices.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, Dec. 5.—A London cable to e Herald says: The Newmarket blooded stock sales so ar have realized a total of nearly one and a half million dollars. One hundred not forty-five lots changed hands yesteray at an aggregate of \$322,980. damanca, from the P. P. Gilpin stud. The next highest price was paid for the cell-bred Quair, from the Duke of Port nd's string, which was bought on behalf an American sportsman, Mr. Cochrane

STORM IN ENGLAND

Violent Gale Is Sweeping Greater Part of the Coast.

the Herald says: The first touch of winter was experinced on Thursday, when violent squall of hail, sleet and snow occurred in many parts of the country. The gale from th northwest and west continued with un-

BURNED MANSION

Militants Blamed for Destruction of Famous Kelly House.

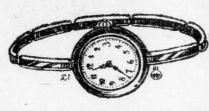
[Canadian Press.] Glasgow, Scotland, Dec. 5.—Fire today destroyed Kelly House, one of the finest mansions at Wemyss Bay, a favorite out-

'May-Have-to-Move' SALE

At the first announcement of the 1/4-Off Sale the crowds started to come. Many of the same customers as we served last year came hurrying for the earliest and best choice. One quarter off everything means business from now till Christmas. "Follow the crowds to Gillean's."

Gents' best Gold-Filled Watches, 12 size, 15-jewel movement. Were \$10, now..... Ladies' Best Gold-Filled Watches, 15-jewel \$10.50 movement. Were \$14, now.......

Ladies' best Gold-Filled Watches, 7-jewel, Waltham or Elgin movements. Were \$9.00



Best Gold-Filled Wrist Expansion Watch. Was \$13, now \$9.75 Solid Gold 10-k. Wrist Expansion Watch. Was \$18,

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[St. Louis Republic.] "Do you believe in women holding introducing bills into the house."

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We can do it and so easily you'll wonder why you ever worried a minute. Here's a real man's store literally crowded with Christmas gifts; useful Christmas gifts, boxed and wrapped so attractively that you'll be mightily pleased and will buy with the satisfaction that he'll be pleased as well. We know what men buy for themselves, and we can help you to choose the right Real Christmas Gifts for Men and Boys, 25c to \$25.00

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PLAN NEW COURT

International Judiciary to Settle Disputes Between Nations.

[Canadian Press.] Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—Various phases of proposals to establish an international court for the settlement of disagreements between nations, were discussed at today's session of the American Society for the judicial settlement of international disputes.

The question as to whether nations as such should be represented in the court or whether judges should be appointed without reference to their nationality, was the main topic of dis-

Applying This Paste Makes Hairs Vanish

The popularity of the delatone treatment for removing hairy growths is due largely to the fact that it is quick in action and does not mar the skin, and since its introduction many beauty experts use it in preference to the electric needle. To remove the hair or with a little water and apply to the minutes rub off, wash the skin and the rate. hairs have entirely vanished. Except- Turning to the Grand Trunk Pacific ing in rare instances, one treatment is

Counsel Urges That C. P. R. Only Be Ordered To Reduce Rates.

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, Dec. 5.- That the board order a reduction of freight rates in the west on the C. P. R. and not on the Grand Trunk Pacific or Canadian Northern, because the C. P. R. had received generous public gifts, and the other two roads had not received aid commensurate with the cost of construction, was the suggestion made today by James Bicknell, K.C., counsel for the Dominion Government in the western freight rates case.

pel the railways to keep their books gum on the envelope wasn't dry. in such a way as would show accuritely the revenues earned by freight He claimed and passenger services. anadian Pacific Railway now fuzz, you mix some powdered delatone with a little water and apply to the west as it does from the east, and the objectionable hairs, then in 2 or 3 west is paying an unfair proportion of

he said that in view of the fact that this road is not yet completed, there

the body-waste producing uric acid must be

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has sent her a cable from India)—Yes, they be wonderful things they telegraphs. Just fancy it has come from Indy-all those thousands of miles.
Second Neighbor-And so quick, too. First Neighbor-Quick ain't the word for it. Why when I got it the

are few figures available. The Canadian Pacific Railway, he argued, holds a position of advantage over the other lines not yet in complete operation. This concluded Mr. Bicknell's argu-

ments. In addition to scores of volumes of exhibits, weighing 300 pounds, and containing tables of figures, etc., no ess than 3,760,800 words, have been aken in evidence since the western freight case made its bow before the ailway commission in February, 1912. Up till yesterday 9,492 pages of written evidence had been put into 186 volumes by the official stenograph-

M'LEAN SURRENDERS

Tammany Bag-Man Was Indicted for Receiving Contributions.

[Canadian Press.] New York, Dec. 5.—Arthur McLean, treasurer of the Democratic state committee, and Everett P. Fowler, the so-called Tammany bagman, indicted so-called Tammany bagman, indicted yesterday for receiving and accepting, respectively, campaign contributions respectively, campaign contributions from corporations, contrary to law, surrendered at the district attorney's office today, preparatory to giving bail. McLean's home is in Newburgh, N.

., and Fowler lives at Kingston. THE ADVENTURES OF JOHNNY MOUSE.

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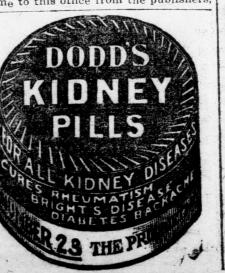
Ont. Other articles worthy of special under the heading of "The Trap," and the other departments are as usual descriptive of a day at Wakeham Bay well maintained. on the Labrador Coast; "Caught by a Halibut in Alaska," "Miuke's Claim: A Story of East Kootenay, B. C.," "A Plea for the Moose," an article on "The Abuse of Moose Hunting by the Swampy Cree Indian," and a host of

ON HIS METTLE.

keep coming across bullets in my

account of "Hunting the Hair-Seal in representative magazine of outdoor Newfoundland Waters" is given as the life, A special article on "The Trapopening article in the December issue of Rod and Gun, which has recently come to this office from the publishers

Literary Notes



INWOOD. Inwood, Dec. 5. - Mr. J. M. Courtright visited recently in Petrolea. Mrs. Fred Loosemore has returned

other articles in keeping with this after spending a few days in London Lloyd Stacey and Jack Lindsay, of Alvinston, visited friends here recent-Dr. Taylor spent Tuesday in Petro-

Miss Allie Atkin has returned home after a two weeks' visit in Detroit.

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District Personals

EXETER. and Mrs. Daniel Davis. Workmen are engaged in laying tile

in Exeter North. Mrs. Johnston, who has been visiting in Chicago, has arrived, and will spend several weeks with her daughter, Mrs.

and covering in the creek, which runs

G. L. Waugh. Reeve W. J. Heaman, Reeve S Routley, of Usborne, Reeve W. D. Sanders, and deputy reeve of Stephen, are in Goderich this week attending

county council. Mr. H. Lewis, of Lucan, has taken a position at F. Boyle's barber shop. Mr. Frank Hancock, of Maidstone, Sask., is visiting with relatives in

The James Street Methodists will hold their 51st anniversary of the church. Rev. J. J. W. Baird, of Mitchell, will be the preacher of the day. Rev. D. W. Collins preached preparatory sermons in the Caven Presbyterian Church on Thursday

evening. Mr. Tilly, who visited recently with Dr. and Mrs. Amos, of town, left Monday for the Southern States, where he will spend the winter.

Fred Mallett, of Stratford, is spending a few weeks at his home here. The Ladies' Gulld of Trivitt Me-morial Church, will hold their annual bazaar in the opera house today. There will be an afternoon tea and sale of work. In the evening there will be a cantata.

Camlachie, Dec. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. T. Core have returned from an extended trip to the Canadian coast, Cal-Ifornia and other western points. Mrs. M. D. McNeill and little son, of Sarnia, are visiting Mrs. McNeill's par-Mr. and Mrs. James Lunam left to-

day to visit friends in Detroit. RUTHVEN. Ruthven. Dec. 5 .- A large steame

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vated and invigorated at the same time. Mrs. G. A. Day, Somerville, N.B., writes:—"Last spring I had a bad attack of Eczema. I tried several patent medicines as well as the medicine of a week. physician, but they seemed to make the disease worse. I was advised to try Burdock Blood Bitters, and I did so with the result that in two weeks time the sores began to disappear. I continued to take it until I had taken three children are ter, Mrs. (I City, Mich. bottles and they worked a complete

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trip for the winter to some southern reasurer till the end of the years of point. He will leave here in a short time Porte has been a faithful member of point. He will leave here in a short time beard for more than 30 years, and for Florida, where he hopes to soon regun his health, Hook-and-line fishermen are still pulling in some fine specimens of the finny tribe, several white bass being caught zens.

on Tuesday. Forest, Dec. 5 .- Mrs. M. L. Ryan, a one time resident of Forest, is renew-

ing acquaintances in town and vi-Isaac Pickering has returned from visiting his daughter, Mrs. Paltridge, Goderich.

C. A. Decker has purchased the photograph gallery from T. Cairns, and will assume the business produced, but the entire system is reno-cepted a situation in Detroit.

Mrs. W. T. McLean, of Point Edward, is visiting her mother, Mrs.

Downing. Miss Jessie Steele is in Simcoe this

James Gillis, of Thorndale, is here on a visit to his brother, Wm. Gillis, who is seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan and children are visiting Mr. Duncan's sister, Mrs. (Dr.) John Campbell, Brown

A well-attended meeting of the Forest curlers was held on Tuesday even-

(name unknown) got stuck on a sandbar almost opposite the new sanatorium here on Wednesday, about 10 p.m. The night was exceedingly dark, and it is thought the captain lost his bearings and came in here. The steamer backed off the bar quite easily and departed for portrunknown.

Frank Gunning has rented the fruit farm from P. G. Bolton and is getting the hothouses in shape to grow all kinds of early vegetables.

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A large crowd from here attended the Moose dinner at Salem Thursday, which was held under a big canvass tent. After dinner a fine program was put on. Albert Cady acted as chairman and called on the following speakers: Dr. Maxwell, of Windsor; Rev. Mr. Peacock, of Oldcastle; James Smythe, Windsor, and Principal Elliott, of the public school.

Mark Whaley, of Olinda, who has been so seriously ill with an attack of asthma, has been advised by his doctor to take a trip for the winter to some southern.

the board for more than 30 years, and retires from the service with the well-earned appreciation of his fellow-citi-

THORNDALE.

Thorndale, Dec. 5.—The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Jas. the county council in London. Angus on Thursday. taken by Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald, and music was furnished. St. George's Church will hold a bazaar in Harding Hall this evening. Mrs. Whiting. Mr. Will Ardiel is building a fine

Mr. R. H. Harding is in Toronto on business. The Sunday schools are busy practicing for Christmas entertainments. The Agricultural Society is holding a judging competition in the Agricultural Hall on Monday and Tuesday.

MOUNT BRYDGES. Mount Brydges, Dec. 5 .- Miss Francis, of Winnipeg, is spending a few days with her father, Mr. William Constable B. Fisher is attending

court in London this week.

Mr. H. Hardy (reeve) is attending Only One "BROMO QUININE."
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CODY'S CORNERS. Cody's Corners, Dec. 5. - Miss Alma Munro was a week-end visitor with

friends at Wildwood. Mr. and Mrs. Archer, of Woodstock, were recent visitors at Mr. Ira Piper's. Miss Erie Ward is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bolton, of Wildwood. Miss Pearl Greydon has returned from an extended visit with friends

friends in East Zorra. Mrs. T. Major and daughter, Miss Clara, are visiting relatives in Hamil-

Florence, Dec. 5.—Mrs C. F. Kennedy was called to the bedside of her

Hair Coming Out! If Dry, Thin, difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing-your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre,

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mother, Mrs. Code, at Blyth, and left Mrs. Wilbert Huston is very ill at iting with her grandparents, Mr. and her home. Rev. Elliott addressed the Junior

League on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Carrie Corbett is visiting in Chatham this week. Miss Grace Miller, of Detroit, is visiting her brother in town. The Epworth League was largely attended on Wednesday night. Miss Oulette had charge of the topic, which was "The Call of Prayer."

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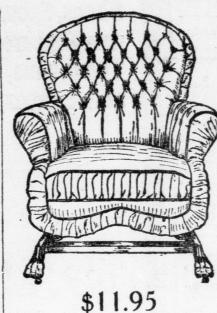
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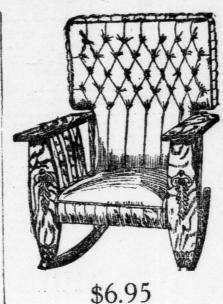
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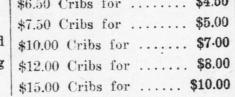
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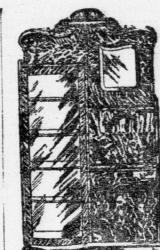


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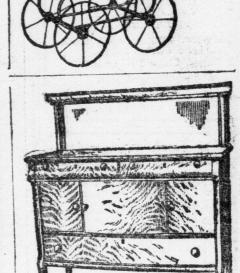


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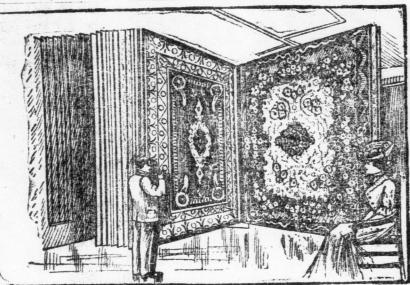




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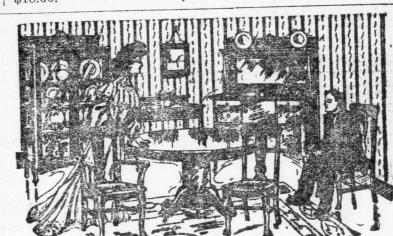
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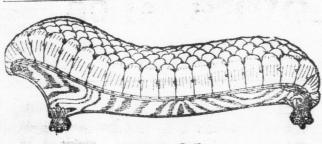
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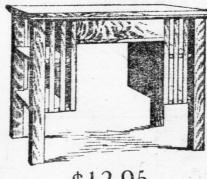
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way that every suggestion of vulgarity is eliminated. One need go no further than to mention the names of the artists comprising this organization to firmly establish the fact that it is something so far ut of the ordinary that it seems allow to good to be true. Among the mbers of the company are Joseph F.

Lydia St. Mile. Lydia Sturtevant, Miss Connie

In keeping with the other parts of this In keeping with the other parts of this production are the wonderful stage pictures depicting it, embracing four acts and seven scenes of the most elaborate stage settings one's fancy could conceive.

nouncement will be of great interest to the theatre-goers of this city, inasmuch as George Bernard Shaw has become a fad with society and the wits of the world, and many of the leading society people are busy arranging parties to witness this latest dramatic exploit, which has aroused such widespread interest because of its satire, fired in such goodnatured broadsides at the dramatic critics of Londen.

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May Bell Marks.

The announcement of the coming engagement at the Grand for seven pertagement of the plays. Seat sale opens Saturday at 9 a.m.

PROGRESSIVES DRAFT MUNICIPAL PLATFORM

Support Return to Ward System, Wheel Tax, Ridout Street Subway and Other Reforms.

The municipal platform of the Federated Progressive Association was adopted last evening at a meeting in the city hall.

After considerable discussion the city hall.

evening was occasioned by the opinion as given by Mayor Graham that be provided with a public market.
by the present system of election bet6. That the Ridout street subway be ter results are obtained.

election was superior. A lively discussion followed. Another question which

controversy was that of the appoint ment of a street supervisor. The feeling was that the appointment would mean the creation of a new office. It was pointed out, however, that the deputy engineer could be placed in charge of the work.

The list of planks as drawn up by

the association and read by Secretary R. A. Russell follows: 1. A return to the ward system, or a commission form of civic government.

2. That the enormous expenditures which must take place during 1914 shall be judicially and prudently made, and a comprehensive report issued to the public of all such expenditures. 3. That there shall be a supervisor for the city streets, who shall be responsible for all repairs and the proper up-keep of

After considerable discussion, the selection of a slate was left with a special committee that will confer with the Trades and Labor Council Tuesday night as to a joint slate.

The most animated period of the evening was occasioned by the opin-5. That the eastern part of the city shall

ter results are obtained.

E. A. Pocock, in replying to his worship, stated that the ward form of slips, stated that the ward form of slower ward and eastern sections. 8. That city debentures shall be issued at par, in multiples of \$50 to \$100. Citizens of the Pioneer, Toronto, will occupy rest him for trying to steal to have the preferences of purchasing for the pulpits of the Methodist Churches or he'll sue us for damages."

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ARISTIDE FILIATREAULT HAD CHECKERED CAREFR

Fanious French-Canadian Newspaperman Is Dead at Montreal.

[Canadian Press.]

Montreal, Dec. 5. - Mr. Aristide Filiatreault, journalist, printer, litterateur, and general all-round agitator among French-Canadian newspapermen, died yesterday, leaving a singularly interesting record behind him.

He was employed in several Toronto newspaper offices, such as the Mail and Empire and the World, and later with the Montreal Gazette. He was night foreman in the Mail office when Goldwin Smith was writing his furious articles against the Society of Jesus, during the famous equal rights agitation throughout the Dominion, because of Sir John Macdonald's refusal to disallow the Jesuits' estates act introduced by the then premier, Mercier, and adopted by the Quebec Legisla-

Soon after this the late Mr. Filia treault returned to his native city and started a number of ventures, the most famous of which was Le Canada Revue, a weekly publication.

TAX DISPUTE

London and London Township Fight for Abattoir Taxes.

City Clerk Samuel Baker is in Toronto today in connection with the dispute over the taxes on the Dominion Abatteir Company's property in Pottersburg. London Township wishes to collect last year's taxes on the property, which is now a part of the city The Ontario Railway and Municipal Board has been asked for a ruling, and the city clerk is setting forth London's side of the argument.

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New Shelled Walnuts, 50c per lb. New Shelled Pecans, 75c per lb. Pistachio Nuts15c per oz.

Paper Shell Pecan Nuts, 65c per box RAISINS. Valencia, select, 3 pounds for 25c Seeded Raisins, 2 packages, 25c

Sultana Raisins, extra fine..... 18c per package California Sultana Raisins
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CURRANTS.

NEW PEELS. Best quality 25c per lb.

CRESCA. Cresca Figs, 2-pound basket, 60c Cresca Figs, 1-pound basket, 30c Cresca Figs, glass jars 45c Cresca Stuffed Dates, jars 50c

Glace Cherries 60c per lb. Crystallized Pineapple, 60c per lb. Assorted Glace Fruits 50o per box

French Peas, extra fine quality 2 tins for 25c French Beans, extra fine quality 17c per tin

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-The Grove Sunday school intend olding a Christmas tree and entertainment in the church on evening, Dec. 19. A good collection of dialogues, readings and drills are being prepared by the members of the school. The annual anniversary of the Baileys Methodist Church, Crumlin, will be held on Sunday, Dec. 21, and on the following Monday, Dec. 22, an

excellent concert will be rendered by the children of the Sunday school. Thistle Club Euchre. - The entertainment committee of the Thistle Club has sent out an invitation to all members of the Thistle and London Curling Clubs to be present at a smoker and progressive euchre in the Thistle Club

Musical Recital.-Vocal pupils of Miss Belle Brown gave an enjoyable recital Conservatory Hall last evening. Misses Margery Talbot, Muriel Laneaster. Blanche Challoner, Nellie Graham. Iva Mowat, Hazel Gibson, Elva Hollingshead, Lena Short. Effie Parsens, Zella Gillies, Frances Robinson,

CREAMSQUARES

Two layers of light, moist cake with a filling and top of whipped cream, each 20c.

Real Scotch Shortbread, a dozen 25c. Crumpets and Sally Lunns for

Marshmallows

Toasted, Walnut and Maple Special for Saturday, 24c a pound NUT GLACE-Only the finest Nuts used in this sweet: Almonds, Filberts, Brazils and Pecans.

A Pound 40c.

Meet Your Friends at The Shop 'Round the Corner For Afternoon Tea.

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Closed, heated carriages for every occasion. 'Phone Hueston's Liveries.

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numbers, all of which showed careful training, both as to technique and artistic rendition. Misses Irene Brown, Blanche Tancock, Annie Brock and Geraldine Bindner, piano pupils of Miss Jennie Steele, gave piano solos which were appreciated, and Misses Lela Kerr and Alma Bremner added much to the enjoyment of the evening by their readings.

Rival Concerts. - The first of a series of rival concerts was given by the ladies of Askin Street Methodist Church last evening in the Sunday ond concert by the young men of the church will follow shortly, at which tney will endeavor to make good the assertion that they are better artists than the ladies.

Bylaw Busters Mulcted. - For driving over a bridge faster than a walk, Austin McLellan paid \$2 in police court this morning. Fred Elgar, for discharging firearms, was fined \$2. Roland Ruse rode a bike on the sidewalk and paid \$1 for the privilege. Joseph Bagnall, drunk and disorderly, contrib-

See "Y" at Work. - Thursday evenng was "open night" at the Y. M. C. A., and the public was extended an invitation to witness the boxing, wresting, swimming, basketball and gym. classes at work. A number of friends of the institution took advantage of the opportunity to inspect the equipment of the "Y." and to watch the

Mrs. Mulligan Dies.

The death occurred this morning at ictoria Hospital of Eliza N. Mulligan, ife of John Mulligan, of 738 Nelson treet. She had been alling for some ime when death resulted. Beside her husband, she is survived by her father, John Bishop; one sister, Ella, and one brother, Bruce, all of Dover Township; also one brother, Frank, in Chatham. The remains were forwarded on the 11:50 a.m. vill be made at Dover.

Mrs. Dann Dies. The death occurred on Thursday at the residence, Bryanston, London Services will be conducted at 1:30. In- octette.

ing at our markets.

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ANOTHER BIG MEAT

SALE FOR SATURDAY

FIRST QUALITY MEATS AT LOWEST PRICES.

Choicest Roasts Beef, per lb......14c and 15c

Roasts Fresh Pork, per lb......16c

Legs Fresh Pork (10 to 14 lbs. each), per lb.............18c

Shoulders Lean Mutton, per lb......12c

Lean Pork Chops, 2 lbs. for35c

Briskets Corned Beef, per lb......10c

Sugar-Cured Hams, per lb......20c

10-lb. Pail Pure Leaf Lard\$1.50

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WILD DUCKS, CHICKENS, FOWL, HEARTS, TENDER-

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NEW SHELLED WALNUTS NEW VALENCIA SHELLED ALMONDS, 50c and 60c a pound SHELLED PECANS 90c a pound SALTED PISTACHIO, \$1 a pound Finest Jordan Almonds for Salting 80c a pound

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terment will be made at Decker's cemetery.

Cathedral Choir

In the Auditorium on Saturday evening, Dec. 6, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. Affiliated Course, the above choir will give a return entertainment. It is needless to say anything concerning the abilities of this choir to Township, of Rebecca Dann, widow of entertain and charm the audience, for the late Joseph Dann, in her 78th year. there is nothing but praise and en-The funeral will be held from the famthusiasm on the lips of those who had ily residence at 2 o'clock Saturday, the privilege of hearing this splendid

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Bread Knives, each\$2.00
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23 dozen Genuine Cut Glass Tumblers, regu	lar \$5.00 dozen, for each	
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The Purdom Hardware Co.

Entertains Members at Annual Banquet With Usual Success.

Warden A. K. Hodgins played the part of mine host to the members of the Middlesex County Council at a complimentary banquet held in the City Hotel Thursday night. The affair was a great success in every way, and was one of the best of the many annual

events which have preceded it. The toast list was a long and varied one, and was handled by Toastmaster Henry Hardy in able manner. Toasts were proposed to the "King," "Canada," "Ontario," "Middlesex," "Our Educational System and Institutions,' "Our Roads and Highways," Towns and Villages," and last but not

Among those who responded were J. E. Elliott, M. P., Deputy Reeve J. L. Robson, Reeves J. N. Currie, W. T. Ulens, L. L. McTaggart, Frank Boyes, the plant now stands. The company Toohill, J. H. Hodgins, Deputy Reeve meeting of the council this afternoon, John Stuart and County Engineer Charles Talbot. A splendid musical program also

added to the evening's enjoyment. Solos by Reeves J. H. Hodgins, Thos. Benstead, Charles Rush and John W. Laidlaw were received with enthusiasm, and instrumental numbers by the Milligan brothers were also of high The gathering broke up in the wee sma' hours with the singing of "Auld

The Dominion Savings and Investment Society DIVIDEND NO. 83

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of four per cent. per annum upon the paid-up capital stock, has been declared for the half year ending Dec. 31, 1913, together with a bonus of one-half of one per cent., and that the same will be payable at the offices of the Society, Dominion Savings Building, Richmond Street, London, on and after the 2nd day of January, 1914. The transfer books will be closed from the 15th day of December,

1913, to the 2nd day of January, 1914, both days inclusive. By order of the board. NATHANIEL MILLS, Managing Director. D5.12.11.19.26.29

CHATHAM GAS COMPANY GETS OFFER FROM CITY

[Special to The Advertiser.] Chatham, Ont., Dec. 5. - At a special meeting of the city council held last evening an offer of \$190,000 was made to the Chatham Gas Company for their electrical department com-

plete, including the land on which at which the council will accept or reject the offer. If they reject, then the city will proceed to arrange for an independent plant. Hon. Adam Beck and Chief Engineer Gabey, of the hydro commission, are to be here for the afternoon meeting.

MR. F. N. BURKE TO BE AGENT AT WINNIPEG Has Been With Grand Trunk There

for Several Years. [Special to The Advertiser.] Ingersoll, Dec. 5. - Official an-

station agent, Mr. Burke is a popular young man who has been identified with the G. T. R. here for several years. He succeeds Mr. A. H. King, who recently removed to Toronto. The children's aid fund for the purpose of taking Christmas cheer into the homes of the poor children is showing a substantial growth. There has been a liberal response, \$25 having been received in two days.

In the lecture room of St. Paul's Church last evening a large and appreciative audience listened attentively to a splendid Old Tyme Concerte. The costumes were the kind in vogue half a century or so ago, and created much amusement, as did the music and the manner in which it was introduced. The event was a decided success in every respect. The statistics of the public library

show that during the month of November a total of 2,044 books were issued. Of this number fiction leads, the total being 1,793.

PRESIDENT WILSON ILL.

[Canadian Press.] Washington, D. C., Dec. 5. dent Wilson has la grippe. His cold is in his nose and throat, and his phynouncement was made yesterday af- bed again today. Engagements were sician has ordered him to remain in ternoon of the appointment of Mr. F. N. cancelled.