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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

MARRIED.

ELSON—FOWLER—At St. George's Church, Jan. 8, 1902, by the Rev. G. B. Sage, Mr. Garda Elson, of Delaware, to Miss Florence Fowler, eldest daughter of Mr. W. R. Fowler, of this city.

DIED.

ELLIOTT—On Wednesday, Jan. 8, 1902, at Victoria Hospital, Mary, beloved wife of Corson Elliott.

Funeral (private) Saturday afternoon, from her late residence, 19 Railway street. 75c

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

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MR. ROBERT B. MANTELL.

Matinee: ROMEO and JULIET 50c and 25c. | Evening: HAMLET. $1, 75c, 50c and 25c.

Seats on sale for both performances.

THE "LONDON"---3 NIGHTS.

RETURN OF

Prof. Theo. Pull,

Ladies' Tickets Opening Night, THURSDAY

New tests, entire change of programme, illustrated songs, 2½ hours of laughter. Same prices. Mat. Saturday, 10c and 20c. 74i

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Wednesday, Jan. 15. Scotland's Prima Donna,

MISS JESSIE MACLACHLAN,

Under auspices of St. Andrew's Society. The exact programme as given before royalty, Mrs. Alice Calder Stock, Miss Susie McGill, Miss Ina Riddell, Mr. David Masterton, Mr. Donald C. McGregor will assist. Tickets for sale Monday at Opera House. Prices, 75c, 50c, 25c. 75i-xtzyx

ABERDEEN CARNIVAL, JUBILEE Rink, Monday, Jan. 13. Good prizes. First-class band. Admission, 15c. 76k

JUBILEE RINK—BAND TONIGHT (Thursday). Jan. 9. First-class hard ice guaranteed. b

THE PRINCESS—IN CONSEQUENCE of the immense attendance last night and mild weather, rink closed; soft ice. Watch the Ball. b

CHILDREN'S DANCING CLASS—BOYS and girls—Opens at Palace Academy next Saturday, Jan. 11, 3:30 o'clock. Dayton & McCormick.

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PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

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ATTEND THE CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY Alliance meetings in the Christian Workers' Church, King street. Opening sermon, Sunday evening, Rev. Dr. Wilson, of New York. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, at 10, 3 and 7:45. Speakers, Dr. Wilson, Pastor Philpott (Hamilton), Rev. Pocock, B.A. Singers, Rev. Henry Kenning and Mr. Peter Eicher. 76u-wt

MEETINGS.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION, KING Solomon Lodge, will be held in lodge room, Knights Templars' Hall, corner Dundas street and Market Lane, Thursday evening, 9th inst., 7:30 o'clock. Business, dedication ceremonies and official visit D. D. G. M. Visitors welcome. T. G. Davis, W. M.; William Nicholls, secretary. b

MEETINGS OF THE EAST MIDDLESEX Farmers' Institute will be held at Thorndale, Jan. 15; Harrietsville, Jan. 16. Sessions afternoon and evening. Good programme. R. H. Harding, secretary. bw 76c-wtz

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From now till end of January.

We wish to clear out our past year's stock.

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They are safe for you to buy because they look well, fit well and wear well.

We keep all kinds and styles galore.

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TRUNKS and VALISES--We sell the best qualities at the lowest prices. Keep all styles.

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY—HOUSEKEEPER, companion; light housework. Apply 746 Queen's avenue. 75c

WANTED—HOUSEMAID AND PAINT washer. Apply Housekeeper, Tecumseh House. 75c

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT; highest wages; no washing. Apply at 429 King street. 73tf

WANTED—A KITCHEN GIRL. APPLY at once, City Hotel. 73k

WANTED AT ONCE—A GOOD GENERAL servant; well recommended. Apply to Mrs. David Mills, 65 Ridout street south. 73n

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT; NO washing. Apply Mrs. Sippi, Asylum grounds. 73tf

PARLORMAID WANTED — REFERENCES required. Apply Mrs. John Labatt, 572 Queen's avenue. 73tf

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED AT ONCE. Apply Fraser House. 72n

WANTED—CAPABLE GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; no washing. Apply at No. 70 Elmwood avenue, South London. 71tf

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED AT ONCE. Apply Central House. Mrs. W. S. Hodgins. 64tf

WANTED TODAY—25 GIRLS, $2 TO $3 per week, housework; also agents, male and female. Lockhart, 442 Park avenue. 'Phone 964.

AGENTS WANTED.

$3 A DAY SURE—SEND US YOUR address and we will show you how to make $3 a day, absolutely sure; we furnish the work and teach you free; you work in the locality where you live. Send us your address and we will explain the business fully. Remember we guarantee a clear profit of $2 for every day's work; absolutely sure; don't fail to write today. Imperial Silverware Company, Box 504, Windsor, Ont. ywt

AGENTS—WE START YOU IN BUSINESS. You can easily make $25 per week. No capital required. Apply P. O. Drawer 531, London. 91tf

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—EARN $15 TO $20 PER week at your home typewriting. We want the services of parties to do typewriting for us at home. We furnish typewriter and all material necessary to do the work, and pay good prices in cash for the work as soon as it is completed. Send stamp for full particulars at once to the Dominion Typewriter Company, 88 Church street, Toronto, Ont. 76n

MEN AND WOMEN, $12 a WEEK BONA fide salary—To represent us, appointing agents; some to travel, others for local work. Rapid promotion and increase of salary. Ideal employment; new, brilliant lines; best plans; old established house. Bradley-Garretson Co., Limited, Brantford, Ont. 70bc-wty 81k

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—BROWN AND WHITE SCOTCH greyhound bitch. Reward from J. Sutherland, at Boswell House. 76c

LOST—MONDAY—BUNCH OF KEYS, on ring. Finder please leave at this office. 75u

LOST—FOX TERRIER DOG; ANSWERS to name "Sport." Reward on returning to 146 Ann street. 75c

STRAYED INTO LOT 8, CON. 3, LOBO, white hog. Owner can claim the same by proving property and paying advertisement. Edward Waugh, Komoka, Ont. 74c

BLACK MARE, ABOUT 16 HANDS 1 inch high, shoes on front feet, strayed into premises, lot 10, con. 3, Westminster. Owner, by proving property and paying expenses, can have same. 73c

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

SMALL COTTAGE TO RENT. APPLY J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, etc., 420 Talbot street. ywt

TO LET—EXCELLENT SUITES OF offices, with vaults, in Fitzgerald block; most desirable location; premises remodeled and thoroughly refitted. Apply T. H. Luscombe or W. L. Fitzgerald, on the premises, first floor over Fitzgerald, Scandrett & Co.'s grocery store, 169 Dundas street. 34tf-wty

TO LET—COTTAGE, $8 50 PER MONTH, at 85 Clarence street. Parlors, dining-room, three bedrooms, kitchens, city and soft water. The London Soap Company.

TWO OFFICES, WITH VAULT, IN Albion Building, to let. Apply T. H. Carling, or H. & C. Colerick, on premises. 35tf

TO LET—HOUSE, NO. 29 PICTON street; double parlors, four bedrooms, furnace, bath, etc; central locality. Fraser & Moore, solicitors. 29tf

TWO-STORY HOUSE ON TALBOT street, near Horton; rent moderate. Apply 33 Horton street. 12tf

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TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN—Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce. South London, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 310.

MISCELLANEOUS.

STAMPS—CURRENT CANADA, OLD collections, revenues, bought and sold. Adams, 409 Yonge street, Toronto.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

SCOTCH COLLIE PUP FOR SALE—Nine months old. 732 Lorne avenue. 75c

FOR SALE—GOOD MARE, FOR ANY purpose. A. C. Taylor, 258 Dundas street. 72n

GASOLINE ENGINES AT LOWEST prices. Manufactured by D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street.

FOR GOOD STEAM COAL AND HARD coal, and the best hard and soft wood, go to Green & Co., William street and G. T. R. 'Phone 1,391.

$11 WILL BUY A $15 HALL STAND this week at Keene Bros.' furniture store, 127 King street, opposite Market House.

EXTENSION LADDERS, 20c A FOOT—Best on earth for cleaning eavestroughs, placing storm windows, painting, etc. Catalogue free. The Waggoner Ladder Company, Limited, London, Ont.

THIS IS THE TIME OF THE YEAR that makes the people look for the best wood at the best prices. Ring up 1,312 and ask them about their different kinds of wood and prices. D. H. Gillies & Co., 672 Bathurst street.

25 PER CENT OFF BALANCE OF ladies' felt hats, chinaware and Christmas novelties. Bargains in furs at Cunningham's, 662 Dundas street.

HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL KINDS fresh and smoked fish. Our goods are the best; fresh daily. F. S. Onn, Fish Market. 'Phone 1,296. zxw

T. A. FAULDS HAS OPENED A COMMISSION business at No. 13 Market House. Our specialties are butter, eggs, poultry and cheese. Give us a call, and we will suit you, both in price and quality. ywt

$3,500—DRYGOODS STOCK FOR SALE at rate on dollar; stock largely staple; no millinery or shop furniture. Snap for quick buyer. For particulars, J. C. Smith, Box 338, London. 60tf-tyw

BIG BARGAINS IN BOXED STATIONERY for ten days. Fine assortment now ready. A very few of the gold fountain pens left. P. Hendershott & Co., 427 Park avenue. yw

LOOK AT OUR PRICES—
Sirloin steak, 10c.
Best crock butter, 18c.
Finest pork sausage, 3 lbs for 25c.
At Park's, corner Market Lane. ywt

BARGAINS AT ALFRED T. PARISH'S store in square and round baseburners and cook stoves. A large assortment of small coal and wood heaters. Mattresses, springs, bedroom suites and all household furniture taken in exchange for new, or sold cheap for cash. Parish, 357 Talbot street, three doors south of King.

HAVE YOU TRIED MIRACLE WASHING COMPOUND? It has no equal. Free sample at G. Marshall & Co.'s tea store. wt

STOVES—STOVES—STOVES—WE HAVE a large stock of stoves, comprising coal baseburners, hot blast and St. Lewis airtight. Very cheap, at Keene's, 141 King street.

SNAP—GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 7 1-3 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only $100, on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

REAL ESTATE.

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FARM FOR SALE—EAST HALF NORTH half lot 7, con. 3, township Mosa, containing 50 acres, more or less. Choice clay and sand loam. Three miles from Glencoe; well located every way. Good frame house, kitchen and barn. Good orchard, fences. Well drained; both tile and open ditches. Can have possession in early spring. Terms, one-third purchase money down; will carry balance on farm to suit purchaser. Further particulars apply D. Robertson, 283 Fort street east, Detroit, Mich. 76n-wty

FOR SALE—BUILDING LOTS, NEAR new Normal School. Will sell cheap on easy terms. Apply 378 Ridout street. 16tf-ywt

TWO-STORY HOUSE, 107 CARTWRIGHT street, nearly new, first-class order; $1,600. A bargain. Convenient to Collegiate Institute. Apply G. N. Weekes, barrister, London. 48tf-tzw

FOR SALE—ONE AND A HALF STORY frame house on King street; good repair. New frame cottage, with very large lot; London South; at a bargain; easy terms. J. F. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.

THOSE DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS, corner Stanley and Horne, suitable for three-house terrace, or butcher shop, grocery or drug. Terms easy. W. D. Buckle. 66bu

FARM FOR SALE—NEAR STRATHROY —75 acres. Good buildings and water. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, Ont.

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HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS, paper-hangers. Estimates free. 410 Horton street. Orders promptly done.

WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS—Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. 'Phone 1,231.

In the High Court of Justice.

THEDFORD VS. ROBINSON.

PURSUANT to an order of the High Court of Justice, made in an action of John R. Thedford against John A. Robinson and Francis R. Pennyfather, tenders will be received by the undersigned until twelve o'clock noon, Thursday, January 16th, 1902, for the purchase of a fur stock in the City of St. Thomas, consisting of the following goods:

Furs, manufactured	$139 50
Furs, unmanufactured	434 60
Shop furniture	65 00
	$639 10

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further particulars apply to

WILLIAM MICKLEBOROUGH,
Receiver, St. Thomas.

Dated at St. Thomas, this fourth day of January, 1902. 74h

A new device is a spring in the cushion of the automobile driver's seat, which throws off the power the instant he rises or is thrown from his seat.

WHY will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when, by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided. This Syrup is pleasant to the taste and unsurpassed for relieving, healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc., etc.

THE great lung healer is found in that excellent medicine sold as Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membrane of the throat and air passages, and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain or soreness in the chest, bronchitis, etc. It has cured many when supposed to be far

REFERRED TO STAY-AT-HOMES

Kipling Replies to Criticism of His Poem.

Stinging Rebuke to Chamberlain by Von Buelow

Has Increased the Bitterness of Anglo-German Discord.

An Austrian Electrician Has a System for Preventing Railroad Collisions.

"FOOLS AND OAFS."

London, Thursday, Jan. 9.—The Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Mail has interviewed Rudyard Kipling, who has just arrived there. Mr. Kipling declared that the "fools" and "oafs" of his poem did not refer to the athletes serving at the front, for whom he had the greatest admiration, but to the stay-at-homes. He declined to further rebut the criticisms of his poem.

TO PREVENT RAILWAY WRECKS.

London, Jan. 9.—From Vienna comes news that Herr Bartelmus, an Austrian electrician, has invented a system for preventing railway accidents. The invention, it is said, makes it possible to prevent accidents arising from trains meeting one another, or from one train running into the rear of another.

A CHANCE TO RIVAL CARNEGIE.

Mr. Chamberlain, the colonial secretary, presiding at a meeting of the governors of the University of Birmingham today, earnestly appealed to some British millionaire to relieve the university of all financial difficulty, and thus hand his name down to immortal fame, as Andrew Carnegie had done.

ANGLO-GERMAN DISCORD.

London, Jan. 9.—A stinging rebuke, administered to Mr. Chamberlain, the British colonial secretary, by Chancellor Von Buelow, in the Reichstag, at Berlin yesterday, as a result of the former's reference in his speech at Edinburgh, Oct. 25 last, to the conduct of the German army in the war with France, 1870-71, has markedly increased the bitterness of the Anglo-German discord.

The St. James Gazette, which calls Count Von Buelow a "swaggering Pharisee," says: "His offensive speech has brought the growing irritation between the two countries into a dangerous sphere. Even if Vou Buelow had been the head of a Republican ministry, dependent for its life on a fickle popular opinion, there would have been a little excuse for his gross perversion of facts and breach of international comity."

The St. James Gazette concludes with expressing the belief that the "Pharisaical impertinenece of the German press is profoundly distasteful to the Kaiser, who is manfully striving to stem the torrent which is bearing his empire towards the Niagara of disaster," and warns Germany that "both eastward and westward of her there is a menace which holds her armed to the teeth in sleepless vigilance, and when the expected catastrophe in Southeastern Europe leaves her alone between the upper and nether millstone, she may bitterly regret the loss of the goodwill of this country which she is now flinging away with both hands."

"Von Buelow's words cannot fail to be hailed throughout Europe as a snub to Great Britain," says the Pall Mall Gazette, in an editorial headed "The Retort Discourteous."

The Globe accuses Von Buelow of "deliberately pandering to the lowest and most ill-informed elements of public opinion in Germany." The Globe then lectures Emperor William for not "checking the stream of foul lies and obscene caricatures in the German press."

The Westminster Gazette alone deprecates regarding Count Von Buelow's speech as a cause for further disturbing the relations between Great Britain and Germany.

ANOTHER SNUB.

Such comments as those quoted above are bound to further inflame the public, already angered in consequence of the snub administered by Emperor William a few days ago, in the North German Gazette, the chief mouthpiece of the government, in which a note appeared saying that the statement in the English press to the effect that the German emperor had pressed the Prince of Wales to attend his birthday celebration, was untrue, and explaining that King Edward had suggested the visit and that Emperor William had sent an invitation.

VON BUELOW'S WORDS.

In the Reichstag yesterday, after Count Von Stolberg-Wernigerode had denounced recent references to the British colonial secretary to the German army, Count Von Buelow made a speech. He said:

"The last speaker alluded to a reference an English minister recently made to the German army's conduct in the Franco-German war. Should he, however, wish to adduce examples from abroad, it is advisable that he should proceed with caution, as otherwise he may incur the risk of not only being misunderstood, but also of hurting foreign feelings, even though, as I am ready to assume, there was in the case of the present instance no intention of so doing.

"It is quite comprehensible that a people which has become so thoroughly part and parcel of its glorious army, as in Germany, should revolt at any appearance of the history of our glorious struggle for national unity being misrepresented. Such a critic, in the words of Frederick the Great concerning traducers of himself and the German army, is 'simply biting on granite.'"

KAISER'S GLOOMY SPEECH.

Berlin, Jan. 8.—The speech from the throne read by Count Von Buelow at the opening of the Prussian diet today took a gloomy view of the economic situation. It pointed out that the revenue from the state railroads in 1901 fell considerably short of the estimates, and that the whole results of the financial year were disappointing.

In the budget for 1902 the revenue is estimated below that of the current year; but the balance between the revenue and the expenditure is to be maintained without having recourse to a loan.

WILL NOT HURRY VENEZUELA.

The attention of the German foreign office has been directed to the recurrence of stories to the effect that Germany is about to send an ultimatum to Venezuela. The foreign office has again announced that a reply from President Castro, of Venezuela, to the note handed him January 2, by the German charge d'affaires at Caracas. Herr Von Pilgrim Baltazzi,, has not yet been received; that Germany will give Castro a reasonable time in which to answer, and that she has no disposition unduly to press the president of Venezuela.

CLASH WITH THE RUSSIANS.

A clash has occurred beween American sailors of the United States steamer Vicksburg, and the Russian soldiery in Niuchwang, China. There have been three fights and as a result one Russian soldier is reported wounded. The matter was made the subject of complaint by the Russian ambassador at Pekin to United States Minister Conger.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 8.—The fights at Niuchwang between American sailors and Russian soldiers are regarded here as unimportant. The correspondent of the Associated Press learns that the American sailors organized a club, some of them became intoxicated, and clashed with soldiers who were on duty. The same things occurred five and ten days ago. Several men were wounded, but there was no loss of life. The local police interfered only to stop the fight.

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE.

Dublin, Jan. 8.—The national convention of the United Irish League, which opened here this morning under the presidency of John Redmond, was so largely attended that the spacious rotunda was overflowed. Most of the Nationalist members of parliament were present, and all sections of the party were fully represented by delegates. Mr. Redmond's opening speech was largely statistical, and devoted to refuting the assertion of the chief secretary of Ireland, George Wyndham, that there were only 40 branches of the league. Mr. Redmond pledged his word that there were 1,230 live and paying branches. He declared that if the league movement was made dangerous by their enemies more help would be forthcoming from the United States Resolutions were adopted, denouncing the war and farm burning in South Africa, and condemning the land laws of Ireland. Mr. Redmond declared that whatever crime existed in Ireland was deliberately promoted by the police and agents of the crown.

THE EMPRESS RULES.

Pekin, Jan. 9.—All the evidences indicate that the Emperor of China is now more completely under the domination of the dowager empress than he was before the Chinese court went into exile. Several high officials were granted audiences today, during which the emperor filled the roll of figurehead. The dowager empress sat on his majesty's left and conducted the conversations. According to the accounts of two of the officials who were received today, the dowager empress ignored the emperor, and the latter did not attempt to take any part in the affair. These officials say his majesty appeared melancholy and listless. The principal tonic of conversation during these audiences was the presence in Pekin of the foreign garrisons. The dowager empress seemed impressed with the necessity of a conciliatory policy.

CABLE NOTES.

Emperor William is expected to attend the coronation of King Edward.

The trial has been started in Vienna behind closed doors of Capt. Carina, of the Austrian cavalry, on the charge of having divulged military secrets to the French Government in payment for which he is alleged to have received $10,000. The captain pleaded not guilty.

The Paris correspondent of the Associated Press learns that the French Government is sounding Washington as to the attitude of the United States in the event of France's coercing Venezuela into paying the French claims against the republic.

PROHIBITION TO BE DEFERRED

Another Vote To Be Taken in Manitoba—Premier Roblin's Announcement.

Winnipeg, Jan. 9.—Premier Roblin, through the press last evening, made the definite statement that the Manitoba prohibiton act will not be allowed, but that it will be referred to a vote of the people before being enforced. Legislation providing for this will be introduced at the approaching session, and the referendum taken immediately after prorogation of the house.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Jan. 8.—A. A. McLean was nominated by the Conservatives of West Queen's today, and Hon. D. Farquharson by the Liberals. The vacancy was caused by the appointment of Sir Louis Davies to the bench.

FARMERS BLIND TO THEIR OWN INTERESTS

Killing the Pork Trade in Their Eager Haste to Sell Inferior Animals.

Toronto, Jan. 9.—F. W. Hodson, Dominion live stock commissioner, who is in the city, is of the opinion that the Ontario farmers are slapping themselves in the face these days and do not know it. Mr. Hodson says that owing to the high prices of pork, farmers are selling their hogs long before they are in fit condition for the market. If kept longer the animals complained of would meet all requirements, but coming short of these, they are breaking down the pork industry. As an instance of this, it may be stated that recently out of 805 hogs sold to a local firm for export, only 16 were first-class. The same state of affairs, it is stated, reigns in all parts of the country. Mr. Hodson believes that fully 70 per cent of the hogs marketed now are inferior.

The serious aspect of the situation is that the Canadian pork trade on the British market is threatened with disaster, and an immediate change is necessary or the foothold obtained by Canadians in that market will be lost and not regained without great difficulty.

THE TUNNEL COLLISION

N. Y. C. Authorities Try to Fix the Responsibility.

The Engineer of the White Plains Train Blamed—Names of the Victims.

New York, Jan. 9.—Responsibility for the collision in the New York Central Railway tunnel yesterday, in which 15 persons were killed and 40 injured, is unfixed, but Superintendent Franklin says that so far as he has been able to discover, J. M. Wisker, engineer of the White Plains train, is to blame. It is declared that when the South Norwalk train stopped, a flagman ran back into the tunnel, and, beside placing a torpedo on the track, endeavored to flag the on-coming train. The tunnel was beclouded with steam and smoke, while the snow, which fell through the air shafts, tended to obscure the view. Engineer Wisker and Fireman Christopher Flynn were arrested. A signal man was also detained for a time, but was released.

Superintendent Franklin has issued a statement as to the accident, in which he declares that the block signals at 59th street, were obeyed by the New Haven train, while the engineer of the White Plains train disregarded them.

"The torpedo on the track went off," said the superintendent, "but he did not stop, even though the fireman called to him to do so. The system of block signals is such that it is a physical impossibility for a signal man to make his light declare the track free is another train is on the block."

PROMINENT MEN KILLED.

Residents of New Rochelle contributed the largest number to the casualty list, because the rear of the South Norwalk local was reserved for them and was kept locked until the train reached that place.

William Leys, one of the dead, was general manager of the drygoods firm of B. Altman & Co., of this city, and was prominent in commercial circles here. A. M. Perrin was second vice-president of the Union Bag and Paper Company, and was equally well-known. Perrin came here recently from Chicago. H. G. Diamond, who was killed, was assistant general manager of the American Bridge Company. Oscar W. Meyrowitz was an optician and secretary of the New Rochelle Yacht Club, and E. F. Walton was a well-known broker of New York.

Late in the day the coroner questioned the trainmen, holding court at a police station. The inquiry was behind closed doors, and as a result of it, Signalman Flynn was released, while Fireman Fyler was held in bail of $5,000, and Engineer Wisker without bail. The railway company furnished bonds for Fyler, and Wisker was taken to the Tombs prison.

THE DEAD.

ALBERT M. PERRIN, 43 years old, recently from Chicago; secretary and second vice-president of the Union Bag and Paper Company, residence, New Rochelle, N. Y.

B. D. C. FOSKETT, 40, New Rochelle.

A. E. H. MILLS, 25, New Rochelle.

E. C. HINSDALE, 35, New Rochelle.

MRS. A. F. HOWARD, 35, New Rochelle.

FRANK WASHBURN, formerly of Chicago, 55; president of the Union Bag and Paper Company; residence, New Rochelle.

WILLIAM LEYS, 35, New Rochelle, general manager B. Altman & Co., New York.

THEODORE FORGARDO, 30, New Rochelle.

WILLIAM FISHER, or FORBES, 25, New Rochelle.

WILLIAM HOWARD, 48, New Rochelle.

OSCAR MEYROWITZ, 50, New Rochelle, optician in New York, and secretary of the New Rochelle Yacht Club.

FRANKLIN CROSBY, 35, New Rochelle.

ERNEST WALTON, 30, New Rochelle, broker in New York.

H. G. DIAMOND, New Rochelle, assistant general manager of the American Bridge Company, this city.

CHARLES B. MARS, New Rochelle, employed in the New York custom house.

THE SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Ernest Coffin, 15 years old, New Rochelle, serious wound on head; Alfred Wadley, florist, of New York city, fracture of both legs, shock and scalp wounds; Albert W. Adams, a carriage builder, of New York city, left leg cut off below the knee; George M. Carter, New York, leg fractured; George M. Fisher, 46 years old, East Port Chester, severely injured; Mabel Newman, New Rochelle, contusions of body and hip fractured; Mamie J. Rice, New Rochelle, left hand and left foot fractured; Richard Mellineaux, New Rochelle, both legs broken and internal injuries, condition critical; Winfield Schultze, New Rochelle, fractured legs and burns; A. McRae, New Rochelle, leg fractured; Henry Keene, general manager for the Siegel-Cooper Company, this city, fractured ribs and internal injuries; George Winter, New Rochelle, compound fracture of left leg (the leg was amputated); William Brooks, of Erie, Pa., lacerated face and possible fracture of skull.

HEROIC DEEDS.

Father William Smith, Roman Catholic chaplain of the fire department, crawled in over the hot boiler of the wrecked engine to offer sacraments to the dying and material succor to those pinned down by broken seats and timbers. Rev. Dr. Walkley, Protestant chaplain of the department, labored with him. Lieut. William Clarke, of the fire department, forced his way in to where Miss Rice and Miss Scottu lay, and stood in steam that scalded his legs until they were taken out. T. M. Murphy, a passenger, with both of his legs broken and still held viselike by the timbers that broke them, volunteered to remain as he was until those around him were freed, for fear the release of the debris would jeopardize the rest. Policemen Hughes and Raffsky and Chaplain Walkley reached Mrs. Howard, and the chaplain gave her a stimulant. The policemen were cutting away the seat which held the woman down, when a steampipe broke. The scalding steam drove them back, and when the rescuers returned Mrs. Howard was dead.

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RECOVERED THEIR GUN

Which Was Captured by the Boers at Brankelaatge

Boer Laager Captured Near Mokwani, South Africa,

With a Large Number of Cattle—One Hundred and Fifty Women Acting as Cowboys—Death of a Canadian.

GOT BACK THE GUN.

London, Jan. 9. — Lord Kitchener cables to the war office that the second British gun captured by the Boers at Brakenlaagte has been recovered. This gun was previously reported to have been destroyed.

WOMEN AS COWBOYS.

The latest capture by the Kimberley column is a Boer laager near Mokwani, with great numbers of cattle guarded wholly by women under the leadership of the wife of Commandant De Bers. One hundred and fifty of the women were acting as cowboys, and only six men were connected with the camp.

REBELS TO BE HANGED.

Cape Town, Jan. 9.—The sentences of seven rebels were promulgated at Oudtshoorn Tuesday. Three were sentenced to be hanged by the military court, but Gen. Kitchener commuted the death penalty to imprisonment for life. Three were sentenced to two years' penal servitude, with hard labor, and one to three years' penal servitude.

DEATH OF TROOPER HOOPER.

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 8. — Today a letter was received from Captain A. Cronwright, of the record office discharge depot, South Africa, mounted irregular forces, Cape Town, bearing the following intelligence. "It is with regret that I have to inform you of the death of Trooper Charles Hooper, No. 964 (34,245), Second Imperial Light Horse, killed in action at Vischgat, S.A., 11th inst. He did not state on his attestation form the name and address of next of kin. A wire from the officer commanding his regiment states: 'Cousin is believed to be the member of parliament for Kingston, Ont. He has a brother' living in the same town. Should this be your cousin, I would be obliged if you would kindly inform me.'"

Trooper Hooper enlisted at East London, March 9, 1901, and was sent to Durban per steamship Pembroke Castle, Aug. 9, and thence to Rietmaritzburg. He stated he was a bookkeeper by occupation, aged 31; born at Kingston, Ont. He had no previous service in this campaign, but had served in the Canadian militia in the 14th Princess of Wales' Own Rifles. The friends of the young man are not known here.

WOUNDED.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 9.—The militia department has been advised that Trooper Lyle Medway, of Medicine Hat, N. W. T., and Trooper Alfred Cooper, of Mount Hope, Ont., have been severely wounded at Potchefstroom.

The department has also been advised that Victoria troopship will arrive at Halifax on Jan 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudyard Kipling arrived at Cape Town yesterday.

RECRUITING.

Hamilton, Jan. 9.—Major Rennie, of the Army Medical Corps, and Major Williams, of Toronto, at the drill hall yesterday selected five recruits for the Medical Corps of the Second Canadian Mounted Rifles for South Africa. Three privates and two drivers were asked for, and 50 suitable men were on hand to offer their services.

Ottawa, Jan 9.—Recruiting for the hospital corps took place at Ottawa yesterday and three were enrolled. There were about 25 applications for positions, and the three selected are: David Henry Baird, dental surgeon, Ottawa: Harry Kerr, electrician, of Hull: Ryan Cooke, electrician, Weymount, England. Dr. Baird is going out as dentist to the corps.

BROKERS.

FOR SALE—LONDON LOAN COMPANY'S stock. John Wright, stock broker, London. 'Phone 608

WAS WHIRLED TO HIS DEATH.

Coy Meets a Terrible Fate in a Foundry.

Ten or Twelve Michigan Miners Still Entombed—Two Children Burned to Death.

Franklin, Pa., Jan. 9.—Two small children of Mr. and Mrs. Philip McKim were burned to death, and the house destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon, near Coal City, ten miles south of this city. The mother of the children had gone to visit a neighbor, and in her absence the house caught fire. Five years ago the McKim house was destroyed by fire, and three of their children were burned to death.

WHIRLED TO DEATH.

Wodstock, N. B., Jan. 9.—Harry Chapman, aged 13 years, met an awful death in Small & Fisher's foundry yesterday afternoon. He was putting resin on a moving belt, when he slipped and fell inside of the belt, which broke, wrapped around his body and whirled him to death.

STILL ENTOMBED.

Negaunee, Mich., Jan. 8.—The situation is practically unchanged at the Negaunee mine, where a number of men are entombed. The rescuers accomplished nothing during the night. Officials of the mine now say there are at least ten men, and possibly twelve, under ground.

FROZEN STIFF.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 9.—Mrs. Wm. Riggsby, aged about 60, living alone, was found dead in her house yesterday. Neighbors had not noticed Mrs. Riggsby around and broke in the door, when her body was found frozen stiff, with a little congealed blood around her mouth. There was no fire in the house and evidently had been none for several days. It has not yet transpired what caused the death of the old woman.

NAVIGATION NEWS

The Celtic Beats Her Own Best Easterly Record Three Hours and Twenty Minutes

THE CELTIC'S FAST RUN.

Queenstown, Jan. 8.—The White Star Line steamer Celtic (Capt. Lindsay) arrived off this port at 2:37 this morning, bound for Liverpool, from New York. The Celtic cleared Sandy Hook lightship at 12:20 p.m. Dec. 31, and made the passage in 7 days, 9 hours and 17 minutes. In spite of storms, she cut 3 hours and 20 minutes off her best previous eastward record. The Celtic is the largest ship afloat, having a registered tonnage of 20,880 tons.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Jan. 8.	Reported at.	From.
Celtic	Queenstown	New York
Majestic	Queenstown	New York
Westernland	Queenstown	Philadelphia
Nederland	Antwerp	Philadelphia
St. Paul	Southampton	New York
Laurentian	Glasgow	New York
Pomeranian	Glasgow	Boston
Bohemian	Liverpool	New York

DANCED TO DEATH

Wedding Guest's High Spirits Were Cut Short by Heart Disease.

New York, Jan. 9.—Miss Ida Aarons, the 25-year-old wife of David Aarons, a clerk of 6 Tompkins avenue, Williamsburg, died Monday under circumstances which led to an investigation by Coroner's Physician Wuest. Mrs. Aarons accompanied her husband to a wedding reception in Manhattan on Sunday night and danced often. Aarons and her friends advised her to be careful.

Early next morning Mrs. Aarons, her husband and some friends set out for Williamsburg. Some of the friends accepted Mrs. Aarons' invitation to go to her house. After she had taken off her wrap she was still in a merry mood and danced about. She suddenly complained of being ill and sank into a chair. A doctor was summoned, but on his arrival she was dead. It was found that death was due to heart disease.

LITTLE CHILDREN WITH THE SMALLPOX

Two Cases in Winnipeg—Nineteen Hundred Cases in the Province the Past Year.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 9.—A case of smallpox developed at Selkirk yesterday. The authorities have a very hard time in carrying out the necessary precautions owing to the ignorance of some of the old native settlers.

BABES DOWN WITH IT.

The two babies of Mr. and Mrs. McQuillin were removed to the quarantine hospital this morning suffering from smallpox. Mrs. McQuillin also went to the pest house to look after her little ones. The younger child is only two months old, and the elder about two years. They have the disease in a mild form. McQuillin is a traveler, and it is supposed he brought home the germs of the disease from some point in the infected district.

Another case of smallpox was brought into St. Boniface yesterday afternoon over the S. C. N. R. R. The patient is a half-breed, and has been a woodcutter at Labroquerie for some time, where the disease has been prevailing lately.

ONTARIO STATISTICS.

Toronto, Jan. 9.—At the meeting of the provincial board of health yesterday, Dr. Bryce reported that during 1901 there had been 1,900 cases of smallpox in Ontario. The chief centers of the outbreak were the unorganized districts of the north, with 750 cases; Carlton county, 237; Kent county, 165, and Brant, 125. There had been only twelve deaths, showing that the disease was very mild. Dr. Bryce pointed out that in the United States the mortality was becoming quite heavy, which fact, he said, was an ominous sign of a general increase in the virulence of the disease.

SMALLPOX IN MICHIGAN.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 9.—Smallpox is reported by the state board of health as present at 113 places in the state. This is an increase of 23 places since last week's report was issued.

DECREASING IN MONTREAL.

Montreal, Jan. 9.—Smallpox here is decreasing, and there are only 44 patients in the hospital, against 71 a few weeks ago, while but 13 houses are quarantined.

STEAMER BRISTOL GONE TO THE BOTTOM.

Her Captain and Six of Her Crew Drowned—Wrecked on Green Island, B. C.

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 9.—The steamer Bristol, one of the oldest and best-known heavy carriers of the coast, lies a wreck on the end of Green Island, 40 miles from Port Simpson, and her captain, with six members of the crew, was wrecked on the night of Jan. 3, and is now entirely out of sight at high tide. Passengers arriving tonight by the City of Seattle give accounts of the disaster.

The steamer was on her way from Ladysmith, Vancouver Island, to the Treadwell mine on Douglass Island, Alaska, with 2,200 tons of coal. She have gone to the bottom with her.

The lost are: Capt. McInture, 70 years old, of Port Townsend; Capt. Roberts, pilot, of Victoria; C. Vivian, chief engineer, Third Engineer Edwards, Joseph Silva, W. Roger, H. C. Hurlient.

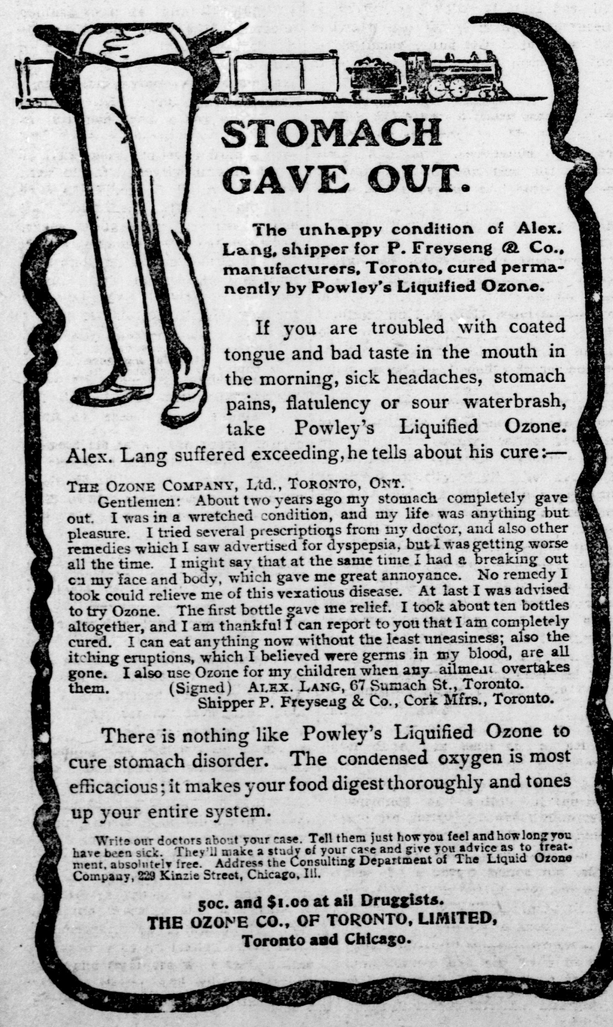
DEBTS.

Father—How is it you never have any money?

Son—It's not my fault. It's all due to other people.

Nearly £10,000 worth of music was enjoyed by the people of London in the parks and open spaces under the control of the London County Council during the past summer.

The Havana Post announces on the authority of one of the contractors that the work of raising the wreck of the United States steamship Maine will begin in a very short time.



STOMACH GAVE OUT.

The unhappy condition of Alex. Lang, shipper for P. Freyseng & Co., manufacturers, Toronto, cured permanently by Powley's Liquified Ozone.

If you are troubled with coated tongue and bad taste in the mouth in the morning, sick headaches, stomach pains, flatulency or sour waterbrash, take Powley's Liquified Ozone. Alex. Lang suffered exceeding, he tells about his cure:—

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Gentlemen: About two years ago my stomach completely gave out. I was in a wretched condition, and my life was anything but pleasure. I tried several prescriptions from my doctor, and also other remedies which I saw advertised for dyspepsia, but I was getting worse all the time. I might say that at the same time I had a breaking out on my face and body, which gave me great annoyance. No remedy I took could relieve me of this vexatious disease. At last I was advised to try Ozone. The first bottle gave me relief. I took about ten bottles altogether, and I am thankful I can report to you that I am completely cured. I can eat anything now without the least uneasiness; also the itching eruptions, which I believed were germs in my blood, are all gone. I also use Ozone for my children when any ailment overtakes them. (Signed) ALEX. LANG, 67 Sumach St., Toronto.

Shipper P. Freyseng & Co., Cork Mfrs., Toronto.

There is nothing like Powley's Liquified Ozone to cure stomach disorder. The condensed oxygen is most efficacious; it makes your food digest thoroughly and tones up your entire system.

Write our doctors about your case. Tell them just how you feel and how long you have been sick. They'll make a study of your case and give you advice as to treatment, absolutely free. Address the Consulting Department of The Liquid Ozone Company, 229 Kinzie Street, Chicago, Ill.

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IMPROVEMENT OF THE CITY.

Excellent Work Done by the Horticultural Society.

The Second Annual Meeting Was Well Attended—Rev. Dr. Bethune the New President.

Residents of London, who have traveled to some extent, have arrived at the unanimous conclusion that despite its visible defects, London is a very beautiful city. In its well-kept residence streets few things unpleasant to the eye present themselves. This effect is produced to a great extent by its thousands of beautiful shade trees in the streets and parks. Nothing could be more worthy of active assistance than the efforts of the body of public-spirited citizens comprising the London Horticultural Society to create in the public mind an interest in the care and judicious increase of ornamental trees, plants and flowers in the gardens, streets and parks of the city. The society was formed two years ago and already it has become a great power for good in London. Its members, while indulging their own individual taste for flower culture, have done much to foster in the public mind a love for the beautiful and a reverence for flowers which must eventually prevent their wanton destruction. It is a significant fact that the beautiful flowers in Victoria Park are never molested; and every summer there blooms a bed of geraniums in front of the public library that is the pride of the officials of that institution. The flowers are unprotected, and are within easy reach of the passer-by, yet no one has ever attempted to disturb them.

The London Horticultural Society is now a very influential body, and since its birth, two years ago, many citizens have joined its ranks. Two flower shows were held in the course of the past year, one in Cronyn Hall and one in the city hall. The latter was far in advance of the first, the flowers grown by members in many cases reaching a high degree of perfection. Eight meetings were held during this period.

The second annual meeting of the society was held last night in the Y. M. C. A. lecture room. The annual reports were indicative of the healthy growth of the past year. The directors' report, containing an outline of the year's progress, dealt with the eight meetings held during 1901. At these meetings papers were read by Prof. Saunders, of Ottawa, Rev. Dr. C. J. S. Bethune, and many other well known men. The annual meeting of the Canadian Horticultural Society was held in the city during the year, the delegates from other points being carried through the city and entertained at Springbank. At this convention papers of a very helpful nature were read by many of the best informed horticulturists in Canada. The meeting of the Entomological Society was also attended by members of the association.

Financially, the society is in a flourishing condition.

A pleasing and practical feature of the society's work is the distribution of premiums. Those given to each member last year were: A dozen each of three varieties of tulips; sixteen varieties of flower seeds, and a choice of several shrubs.

The officers elected for this year were the following: President, Rev. Dr. Bethune; first vice, James H. Bowman; second vice-president, Charles J. Fox; directors, Messrs. J. A. Balkwill, W. E. Saunders, John Paine, Wm. Gammage, Ion Bond, E. J. Liddicoatt, W. C. Gilbert, R. W. Rennie, W. H. Hamilton; auditors, J. S. Pearce and Chas. F. Complin; secretary, R. W. Rennie.

In retiring from his two years' occupancy of the president's chair, Mr. John Balkwill, the father of the society, received many compliments for his untiring efforts in behalf of the members and the advancement of the idea of beautifying the homes of the city by natural aids.

Mr. R. W. Rennie, the efficient and painstaking secretary-treasurer, was also congratulated on the success of his devotion to the work assigned him.

Happenings of the Hour.

Gov. Stone asks Pennsylvanians to observe Jan. 29 as McKinley day.

Mr. Marconi, the wireless telegrapher, has had a number of conferences with the government about his site in Cape Breton.

Maryland's Legislature has before it a resolution thanking Schley for the Santiago victory and presenting him with a handsome silver service.

There is an epidemic of measles and mumps in Windsor. Forty pupils were sent home from the Mercer street school because they had been exposed to measles.

According to the London correspondent of the New York Herald, the "Americal girl" who married Guy Chetwynd was Miss Rosalind Secor, of New York city.

Wm. Busby, employed at the steel works, Hamilton, fell sixteen feet from a platform. His right arm was broken, his right side injured, and it is feared he has sustained serious internal injuries,

Wm. Bromley, of Montreal, was arrested at St. Albans, Vt., Tuesday night, by Customs Inspector George Scully, and 5,000 worth of dutiable diamonds and other precious stones were found in his possession.

The libel suit of the Hamilton Herald Printing Company vs. the Spectator Printing Company came on at the winter assizes yesterday before Chief Justice Falconbridge, and resulted in plaintiff being non-suited. It was alleged that the defendant company had printed in its newspaper untruthful statements in reference to the circulation and advertising advantage of the Herald.

At a meeting of the Patriotic Fund Association at Ottawa it was decided that the fund should apply to members of the third contingent just as it did to the others, with the exception of married men. Wives and children of those who join the contingent will not get any benefit because married men are not supposed to go with the force.

NOT EXACTLY WHAT SHE WANTED.

"George, dear, what did you ever see in me that made you want to marry me?"

"I'm blest if I know, darling."

James N. Lann, of Middletown, N. Y., a preacher, doctor and author, is 90 years of age and has been married 13 times. His first marriage occurred at Milford, Pa., in 1830.

Surprising Results

A Simple Internal Remedy Makes Remarkable Cures of Catarrh.

People who have used sprays, inhalers, salves and washes for catarrh and have found how useless and inconvenient they are, will be agreeably surprised at results following the use of a pleasant, internal remedy in tablet form; druggists everywhere admit



that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, which they sell at 50 cents for full sized treatment is the safest, most effective and popular of all catarrh remedies.

Nearly all cheap cough mixtures and throat lozenges contain opiates; these cheap medicines give a temporary relief, especially with little children by destroying nerve sensation; the irritation in throat, which causes coughing is temporarily removed, not by removing the cause, but by deadening the nerves of feeling the irritation is not felt although it is still there and will promptly return.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets is the best remedy to remove catarrh secretion, whether in the nose throat or stomach, because they are composed of wholesome antiseptics like Red Gum, Blood Root, etc.; when you use these tablets you know what you are putting into your system and not taking chances with cocaine, opiates or similar poisons found in so many catarrh cures and cough medicines.

Dr. Randell, in commenting on catarrh cures, says: "I can heartily recommend Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, because they contain no cocaine nor other dangerous drug found in so many advertised catarrh cures. I have known of many cases of long-standing catarrh of the head and throat completely cured by the daily use of these tablets for several weeks. One case in particular which I could not reach with an inhaler or spray, and where the catarrh caused daily headaches and a noticeable loss of hearing was entirely cured by this harmless but effective remedy."

Dr. Wainwright says: "I never hesitate to prescribe Stuart's Catarrh Tablets for catarrhal headaches and catarrhal deafness because I know them to be perfectly safe for child or adult, and have seen many remarkable cures resulting from their daily use; because they are advertised and sold in drug stores is no reason why any good physician should not use them because we should seize upon the means of cure wherever found."

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are especially valuable for catarrhal colds in children, because they are pleasant to the taste and may be used freely to break up severe colds and croup at the very beginning.

All druggists sell the remedy at 50 cents for full sized package.

A little book on cause and cure of catarrh mailed free by addressing the F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

Deaths of a Day.

New York, Jan. 9.—Dr. Elbert Todd, one of the most widely-known dentists in this state, is dead at his home here. President Roosevelt and many other very prominent men were among his patients.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Jan. 9.—Milo S. Pulcipher, for 33 years manager of the Western Union Telegraph office in this city, died from the effects of a cancer.

Poukeepsie, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Harriet Johnson died here last night at the age of 101 years. Mrs. Johnson was in good health and very active until a few months ago.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 9.—Following the death of his wife last Monday, Col. I. E. Messmore died here yesterday, aged 80 years. He was a native of Michigan and was prominent in organizing the 31st Wisconsin Infantry, which he led in the Civil War.

Hamilton, Jan. 9.—Mrs. Annie Carscallen, wife of Mr. Archibald Carscallen, of Bartonville, died suddenly yesterday morning. Mr. Henry Carscallen, M.P.P., of this city, and Mr. Thos. A. Carscallen, of Bartonville, who was elected reeve of Saltfleet on Monday, are brothers-in-law.

Toronto, Jan. 9.—The announcement of the sudden death of Mr. Richard Philp, senior member of the firm of H. P. Eckardt & Co., wholesale grocers, will be received with deep regret. Mr. Philp was at his place of business on Monday.

Galt, Jan. 9.—Mrs. Ball, widow of the late Rev. V. S. Ball, a well-known Presbyterian clergyman, died at Guelph Tuesday night.

Township Elections.

McGILLIVRAY.

Divisions	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
For Reeve—								
Drummond	24	40	63	53	67	49	69	—370
Miller	68	60	43	41	72	25	37	—346
For Councilors—								
Dorman	44	81	62	52	58	16	34	—347
Hodgins	70	49	60	36	98	24	32	—369
McGregor	28	48	38	53	82	55	37	—391
Mawson	28	23	41	32	94	29	31	—299
Mollard	19	20	24	17	17	44	22	—163
Prest	43	29	52	57	42	27	28	—278

ODD SITUATION AT NEWBURY.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Newbury, Jan. 8.—The Newbury nomination was held on Dec. 30, when two citizens were named for reeve and seven for councilors. The names proposed were those of men whom it was thought would make a good council. The next day all the nominees but two sent in their resignations. The clerk accordingly had to appoint another nomination, which comes off next Monday, Jan. 13, when another attempt will be made to secure a council. The business men in Newbury do not care to work for nothing.

MURRAY STICKS TO HIS FOUL PLAY THEORY.

Dutton, Ont., Jan. 9.—The Urlin inquest was resumed yesterday, but so far fails to develop much new evidence. Mrs. Urlin, widow of deceased; his eldest daughter, A. D. Urlin, his brother and wife were the main witnesses. Inspector Murray is still unchanged in his idea of foul play being the cause of death.

IT HAS MANY OFFICES.—Before the German soldier starts on a long march he rubs his feet with tallow, for his first care is to keep his feet in good condition. If he knew that Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil would be of much better service, he would throw away his tallow and pack a few bottles of the Oil in his knapsack. There is nothing like it.

JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

DORCHESTER.

Dorchester Station, Jan. 8.—G. Neely shipped a carload of hogs to Hamilton on Friday last. Price paid $6 25 per cwt.

E. T. Shaw, clerk of the division court, was suddenly called to Detroit to visit his son, Frank, of the Chicago and G. T. R., who is seriously ill at the present time. His physician entertains hopes of his speedy recovery.

W. Ferguson, G. T. R. agent, of this place, is indisposed and unable to attend to his duties, and Reginald Shaw, of the relieving staff, is attending to his work.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dean returned from New York, where they had been on an extended honeymoon trip, and have gone to their home in Nissouri.

Phillip Gee, of this place, is lying at the point of death. His physician holds out no hopes of his recovery. All the family are assembled at home with the exception of one son, who resides in the Northwest.

Orlow Sweet, of British Columbia, is making a flying visit to the home of his boyhood, looking hale and hearty.

Joseph Potts is moving into the new store lately erected by Messrs. McCann & Sons, where he will be happy to receive all his old customers.

Lily Lodge, I. O. O. F., purpose dedication their new hall on Wednesday evening, Jan 22, dedication to take place at 5:30 p.m., after which a grand concert will be held in the town hall.

The annual entertainment of St. Peter's Church Sunday school was held in the town hall on New Year's Eve. The first part of the programme consisted of songs and recitations, rendered by the children, after which a juvenile cantata, entitled "Santa Claus' Dream," under the careful training of Mr. Mark Tallack, was rendered, the children and Santa Claus having a good time. At the close of the cantata a tableau, entitled "Devotion," under the careful training of Miss Mabel Tallack, assisted by five young ladies, was well received. The programme was concluded with a very sparkling dialogue, entitled "Woman's Rights," which the audience enjoyed immensely, closing with a tableau, entitle "The Passing of the Old Year," represented by Father Time passing off the stage as the clock struck 12, two small girls in white welcoming the new year by pointing to a banner wishing all a Happy New Year. Santa, to the delight of the children, then distributed the presents from a well-filled tree.

CAIRO.

Cairo, Jan. 6.—Last Friday evening a number of friends took possession of Mr. Thomas Fenby's house for the evening. They assembled for the purpose of showing in a practical form their appreciation of the services of their organist, Miss Mary Fenby. A thoroughly enjoyable time was spent with games and music. After speeches from the pastors of the church, Rev. Mr. Hibbert and Rev. Mr. Steele, an address was read to Miss Mary Fenby. It was accompanied by a well-filled purse, and was read by Miss Lucy Clifford, as follows:

"To Miss Mary Fenby, Cairo:

"Dear Friend,—We, the members of the congregation of the Wesley Methodist Church, Newbury Circuit, realizing the important place that the service of song holds in connection with the worship of God, and appreciating your efforts as organist to lead us in that service, have met here tonight to wish you the compliments of the season; to thank you for your faithful service in the past, and to ask your acceptance of the accompanying purse of money as a token of our appreciation and of the esteem in which we hold you.

"We trust that you may be long spared to use the talent the Master has given you, in his service, and that you will in the future, as in the past, lead us so in the singing of his praise that our songs may grow brighter and happier and fuller here below, until we one by one join in singing the eternal song of the redeemed with the heavenly choir around his throne.

"Signed on behalf of the choir and congregation, L. A. Clifford, C. W. Fordham; J. W. Hibbert, pastor."

Miss Mary Fenby made a short, appropriate reply, thanking the choir and congregation. At a late hour the guests dispersed, with hearty expressions of pleasure at their evening's entertainment.

MELBOURNE.

Melbourne, Jan.8.—The village school is closed for a time on account of the smallpox in the surrounding country.

Mrs. McEwen, of London, is spending a few days with her son, Dr. James A. McEwen, of Melourne.

Mr. John Bennett is on the sick list.

Mr. Clafke, of Galt, representing the People's Building and Loan Association, of London, is in the village this week canvassing in the interests of the firm.

A WOMAN'S WAY.

Mrs. Crawford—How did you come to ask your husband for an auto?

Mrs. Crabshaw—While I knew he would refuse, I hoped he might compromise on an automobile coat. That was what I really wanted.

Chronic Biliousness.

In Its Trail Follow Despondency, Horrible Dreams, Melancholy and General Weakness.

The proper elements needed to promote good digestion, regularity of the bowels, correct action of the kidneys and liver must be supplied for a bilious condition of the system when once established.

Ferrozone can't help but do this. It gives the stomach perfect rest, and allows you to partake of and enjoy the great variety of food that is necessary for maintaining health. One Ferrozone tablet taken after each meal will separate the nutritious portions of the food from the waste, which is carried off, thus preventing and curing constipation.

Being a potent blood purifier, Ferrozone cleanses the crimson flood of all bile and other impurities, and as a result the complexion is restored to a rosy, healthy hue, and the dark circles under the eyes and the deathly pallor of the cheeks go away never again to return.

Taken for disease of the stomach, commencing with constipation, and ending with derangement of the kidneys and liver, Ferrozone achieves marvelous results. It is at the same time a tonic and stimulant, and a regulator of all bodily functions, and chronic sufferers should not fail to give it a fair trial. It will do them good without doubt, and if the malady is curable it will yield to Ferrozone.

With its use appetite returns, the blood is made pure and rich, sleep dreamless and sound, complexion clear, eyes bright and the breath sweet. If you think you need Ferrozone, go to Strong & Co.'s drug store, where a fresh supply is on hand. Recommended and sold for 50 cents per box or three boxes for $1 25.

Friday and Saturday's Great Woolenwear Sale

SEE WINDOWS FOR BARGAINS.

WOODS' FAIR

Friday and Saturday's programme in the Woolen Section will have double interest for the day's shoppers. Men's Wool Underwear, Wool Hose, Men's, Ladies' and Misses' Gauntlets, will be the leading features in this great sale. The above lines are offered at prices that eclipse all others.

Friday and Saturday's Underwear Off .

Men's Pure Wool Scotch Knit Shirts, double-breasted ribbed skirt and wristbands, with Drawers to match, sizes to suit everyone, including very large men. Our every day selling price is 65c. We sell this line on Friday and Saturday, per garment 35c

Men's Fleece-Lined Shirts, ribbed cuffs, taped skirt and neck, with Drawers to match; this line has an extra heavy fleece, and is absolutely free of any roughness or hard places; our every day selling price is 65c. We sell this line on Friday and Saturday, per garment. 35c

☞ See Our Windows for Woolenwear Values. ☜

Our Great Gauntlet Offer.

Men's Astrachan Cloth Gauntlet Mitts, heavy curl, large cuff, lined with wool fleece flannel, hand part lined with white fleeced flannel, very warm. Every day price is $1 25, Friday and Saturday, pair 85c

Men's Astrachan Cloth Gauntlet Mitts, real Persian lamb effect, large cuff, lined with black quilted sateen, hand lined with heavy fleeced wool flannel. Every day price is $1 75, Friday and Saturday, pair $1 20

Ladies' Astrachan Cloth Gauntlet Mitts, heavy curl, hand and cuff lined with wool fleece flannel, very warm. Every day price 85c, Friday and Saturday, pair 60c

Ladies' Astrachan Cloth Gauntlet Mitts, real Persian lamb effect, large cuff, lined with quilted sateen, hand lined with heavy fleece wool flannel. Every day price is $1 25, Friday and Saturday 80c

Ladies' Sealette Gauntlet Mitts, beautiful rich surface, cuff quilted, hand wool lined. Our every day price $1 50, Friday and Saturday, pair 98c

Misses' Sealette Gauntlet Mitts, lined same as above. Our every day price $1 00, Friday and Saturday, pair 80c

Misses' Astrachan Gauntlet Mitts, gray and black curl, well lined, always sold at 50c, Friday and Saturday, pair 38c

Magnificent Wool Glove Offering.

Black Wool Knitted Ringwood Gloves, 6¼ to 7½ sizes, nice raised pattern. Our every day price 20c; for just half on Friday and Saturday, pair 10c

Wool Knitted Ringwood Gloves, in colors, checks and stripes, good patterns, ladies' and misses' sizes. Our everyday price 20c and 25c; on Friday and Saturday, pair...12c

Startling Value in Boys' He vy Stockings.

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Union Stockings, double knee and heel, large size; regular 35c; Friday and Saturday, pair 19c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed All-Wool, double heel, very long, regular 25c, Friday and Saturday, pair..19c

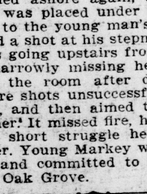
Boys' Heavy Ribbed All-Wool Hose, standard make, for large boys, double knee and feet. Our every day price 50c; Friday and Saturday, pair 38c

JANUARY GRANITEWARE SALE.

For Friday we have planned some real live bargains that wil keep things humming from 8 a.m to 6 p.m.

134 Graniteware Round Pudding Pans, large size, holds 3 imperial quarts, regular 28c, sale price .. 18c

Graniteware Dippers, quart size, long handle; regular 25c, sale price 19c



Graniteware Cream Jugs, seamless, some are white in color, regular 25c, to 35c; sale price 10c

Graniteware Tea Kettles, pit bottom, to fit No. 8 stove; regular 90c, sale price 53c; to fit No. 9 stove, regular $1 00, sale price.. 65c

Graniteware Cups and Mugs; regular 10c and 12c, sale price .. 5c

Graniteware Pie Plates, 9 and 10-inch sizes; regular 10c and 15c, sale price 5c

Graniteware Straight Seamless Saucepans, with covers, hold 4 imperial quarts; regular 45c, sale price 29c

Woods' Fair. Woods' Fair.

AWKWARD ERROR

Printer's Mistake in Bill of Fare Led to Much Embarrassment.

It was in a fashionable restaurant and at about 7 o'clock in the evening. A young man of ordinary appearance sat at a table, and after studying over the bill of fare for some time ordered canvasback duck. After a long wait it arrived in its glory of trimmings and was set before him. The gorgeousness of the celery-fed fowl roused his suspicions, and he said to the waiter: "How much?" He turned pale as the waiter said "three fifty," and rushed to the desk with the bill of fare in his hand. The proprietor happened to be there, and the young man showed him where a printer's blunder had been made, and the nought dropped from the bill, and explained that he had but 35 cents to pay with. He was excited, and talked so loudly that all the neighborhood heard him as he begged to be let off. The proprietor said that it was all right and to sit down and order what he could afford. The young man, however, was too badly scared to remain and left the place. An hour later the dish was served to some one who really wanted it.—New York Evening Post.

TEDDY A SON OF ST. PATRICK.

New York, Jan. 8.—President Roosevelt was elected an honorary member of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick at the quarterly meeting of the society just held. It is probable that he will be invited to attend the annual dinner of the society on the evening of March 17 next.

TRIED TO KILL HIS KINSFOLK.

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 9.—Claude Markey, a student of Ann Arbor, having become insane from brooding over the fact that his young wife, who is at present staying with an aunt at Collingwood, Ont., was unable to be with him at college, attempted to kill his father and mother on Sunday, and then jumped into the St. Clair River. He waded ashore again, and on returning was placed under guard. According to the young man's father, the son fired a shot at his stepmother while she was going upstairs from the basement, narrowly missing her. Later he entered the room after dinner, fired two more shots unsuccessfully at Mrs. Markey, and then aimed the pistol at his father. It missed fire, however, and after a short struggle he escaped to the river. Young Markey was adjudged insane and committed to the sanitarium at Oak Grove.

According to the statement of the Russian minister of finance, Russia's expenses for the Chinese expedition and for Manchuria amounted to £6,500,000.

Quebec citizens will give a banquet to Mayor and Premier Parent.

A Skin of Beauty Is a Joy Forever.

Dr. T. Felix Gouraud's Oriental Cream or Magical Bautifier.



Removes tan, pimples, freckles, moth patches, rash and skin diseases and every blemish on beauty, and defies detection. It has stood the test of 58 years and is so harmless we taste it to be sure it is properly made. Accept no counterfeit or similar name. Dr. L. A. Sayre said to a lady of the haut ton (a patient): "As you ladies will use them, I recommend 'Gouraud's Cream' as the least harmful of all the skin preparations."

Also Poudre Subtile removes superfluous hair without injury to the skin.

FERD. T. HOPKINS, Prop., 37 Great Jones street, New York.

For sale by all druggists and Fancy Goods dealers throughout the United States, Canada and Europe.

DR. WOODS NORWAY PINE SYRUP

HEALS AND SOOTHES THE LUNGS AND BRONCHIAL TUBES. CURES COUGHS AND COLDS. QUICKER THAN ANY REMEDY KNOWN. 25¢ A BOTTLE AT ALL DRUG STORES.

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Three Busy Stores,

228, 230, 232 Dundas Street, London

WE MUST REDUCE OUR STOCK BEFORE STOCKTAKING.

Great Clearing Sale

of Furs, Staple Drygoods, Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Ready-Made Sheets, White Cottons, Blankets, Quilts, Factory Cotton, Corsets, Etc.

Gents' Furnishings Prices Cut in Half.

Fur Department.

Call and see what we can do for you. Furs have got to go. In some lines we have taken about 50 yer cent off.

Large Electric Seal Caperine, with sable tails; at the least worth $15 00, our sale price, **$8 29.**

Electric Seal Caperine, with tails, worth $10 00, sale price **$5 69.**

Black Astrachan Caperine, Thibet trimming, worth $12 00, sale price **$6 59.**

LADIES' THIBET CAPERINES. — These Caperines are worth $12 00; our sale price for them now, **$5 89.** Come and see them.

Electric Seal Caperines, with tails, worth $8 00, sale price **$4 39.**

Electric Seal and Gray Lamb Caperines, worth $5 00, sale price **$2 97** each.

Fur Chinchilla Collars, worth $3 50, sale price **$1 97** each.

Ladies' Gray Fur Collars, worth $3 00, sale price **$1 59** each.

Ladies' Electric Seal Collars, cheap at $2 00, sale price **$1 19** each.

Fur Boas, in chinchilla and black, **49c** and **69c** each, sale price.

Ladies' Black Thibet Boas, worth $5 00, sale price **$3 39** each.

Ladies' Black Thibet Boas, worth $3 50, sale price **$2 39.**

Staple Department.

2 yards wide, White Plain Sheeting, regular 25c, sale price **18c** yard.

2¼ yards wide, White Plain Sheeting, regular 29c, for **20c** yard, sale price.

2¼ yards wide, Twilled White Sheeting, regular 30c, for **22c** per yard, sale price.

Circular Pillow Cotton, bleached, 46 inches wide, regular 19c, sale price **15c** yard.

Pure White Ready - Made Sheets, heavy white cotton, **$1 00** pair, large size.

Unbleached Cotton, very heavy, regular 6c yard, sale price 21 yards for **$1 00.**

Two splendid lines of Heavy White Cotton, at **7c** and **8c** yard.

Special line of White Cambric Cloth, cheap at 12½c, sale price **10c** yard.

Embroidery Dept.

2,000 yards of Embroidery, regular 3c, sale price **1c** yard; neat trimming.

1,500 yards of Embroidery in several different patterns and widths, worth 5c, sale price **3c** and **4c** yard,

450 yards of White Embroidered Insertion, special at **3c, 4c,** and **5c** yard, sale price.

45-inch Victoria Lawns, very fine quality, worth 15c, sale price **12½c** yard.

45-inch Victoria Lawns, cheap, at 12½c, sale price **11c** yard.

Quilt Department.

We show some very special cuts in prices for this sale.

Large White Honeycomb Quilts, regular $1 25, for **75c** each.

Large Marseilles White Quilts, regular $1 00, for **75c** each.

White Sateen Finish Quilts, regular $2 25 and $2 50 Quilts, sale price **$1 25** and **$1 50** each. See these Quilts.

Corset Department.

Ladies' Drab Corsets at **19c** pair.

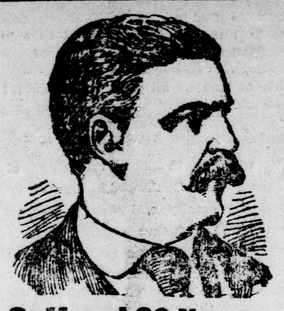
Ladies' French Belt Short Corset, regular 75c, for **47c** pair, sale price.

Special line of $1 00 Corsets, in size 19 only, sale price **25c** pair.

Special line of some 50c Corsets, in sizes from 25 to 30, sale price **25c** pair.

See Our Window

for Special Line of Ladies' Felt Hats, and table inside. All selling at 2 c each.



Suffered 20 Years. Cured of Piles.

A. L. Husing, Alma, W. Va., writes: "I suffered frightfully for twenty years from itching, blind and bleeding piles. I tried many remedies without relief; the first application of Pyramid Pile Cure gave blessed relief, and part of a fifty-cent box cured me completely." For sale by all druggists. Little book, "Piles, Causes and Cure" mailed free. Pyramid Drug Company, Marshall, Mich.

A YEAR'S FAILURES IN THE DOMINION

Bradstreet's Report Indicates an Increase—Ontario's Record Shows Fewer Embarrassments.

The record of failures in Canada for the past year, as reported by the Bradstreet's Company, show that more business firms went under in 1901 than in the preceding year, and liabilities also increased. There were 37 more failures all over the Dominion last year than in 1900, assets were $952,019 more, and liabilities, as was to be expected, increased $900,661.

Ontario's record, however, is rather more favorable in one respect, failures in this province having fallen off by 27, although the liabilities increased by nearly a million dollars. Quebec makes the most favorable showing, failures being 30 less, while liabilities decreased $1,919,435. In New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and the Northwest Territories a larger number of failures are noted.

SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR.

The following is a comparative summary for the year:

1901.	No.	Assets.	Liabilities.
Ontario	495	$1,689,823	$3,784,451
Quebec	478	1,467,920	2,933,804
New Brunswick	76	720,360	1,530,250
Nova Scotia	112	245,918	449,564
P. E. Island	10	49,900	81,000
Manitoba	71	129,320	384,045
N. W. Territories	26	103,250	187,773
British Columbia	102	810,450	1,351,050
Totals, Canada.	1,370	$5,196,951	$11,686,037
Newfoundland	7	61,800	78,200
St.P. et Miquelon	1	4,000	8,000
1900.	No.	Assets.	Liabilities.
Ontario	522	$1,170,719	$2,897,355
Quebec	508	2,078,888	5,858,259
New Brunswick	85	78,800	200,700
Nova Scotia	58	188,700	331,107
P. E. Island	3	30,700	47,800
Manitoba	77	331 291	715,967
N. W. Territories	18	66,326	133,387
British Columbia	112	299,205	631,721
Totals, Canada.	1,333	$4,244,932	$10,786,276
Newfoundland	3	1,220	2,550

NATURAL GAS GALORE STRUCK IN SARNIA

Drillers Were Boring for Salt When Gas Came Up With a Roar and Ignited—Column of Fire Fifty Feet High.

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 8. — Gas was struck in a well which was being bored for salt at the Cleveland and Sarnia Sawmill Company's plant, this noon, and as a result the plant of the company and surrounding buildings are jeopardized, and the attention of the firemen is directed to preventing the spread of the fire.

The well was being drilled under the direction of John J. Mason & Co., of Detroit, and was down 275 feet when gas was struck. It came up through the pipes with a rush and roar, and was ignited from the heat of a small coal stove in the machinery building, but a few feet away, and in a second a sheet of flame 50 feet high shot into the sky. The lives of the men working on the well were endangered, and their tools were shot into the air for a distance of a hundred feet; but miraculously no one was burned or injured.

John J. Mason, the contractor, stated that the well was liable to burn for two or three weeks unless some scheme can be devised to check the flow of gas. It comes from the solid rock, in his opinion, and this makes the work more dangerous, as there is not much hope of the well burning out. In the meantime a force of firemen are kept busy pouring water on the smoking mill of the lumber company, and a bucket brigade is doing a similar service for the buildings across the street.

If the wind shifts to the south, nothing can save the mill plant. The gravest fears are entertained. Mr. Mason stated that the machinery in the well was worth $40,000, and it is expected that the machinery in the tool house will suffer, as the heat is so intense that workmen cannot get it out. This is the first gas well that has been struck in Sarnia for many a year.

HAD TWO UNDERSHIRTS

And Between Them a Smuggler Concealed $8,000 Worth of Diamonds.

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 9. — Special Inspector Charles E. Lewis, of Suspension Bridge, N. Y., and Inspector George S. Sculley brought an alleged diamond smuggler to Burlington. The prisoner's name is Hierst Stavitzy. He looked like a pack peddler and was poorly dressed.

Customs officers had been watching Stavitzy's operations for some time and arrested him on a train. His clothing was removed, but no signs of diamonds were found. It was noticed that Stavitzy had on two undershirts. The officers began to take off one of these when a little sack fell from the man's armpit. In the other armpit another sack was found. In each sack was a valuable collection of diamonds. In all there were 300 unmounted stones, which experts valued at about $8,000.

FOR WESTERN CANADA.

Detroit, Jan. 7. — M. V. McInnes, Canadian Government immigration agent here, shipped twenty German-American families from Michigan to Western Canada today.

THE DOMINION BYE-ELECTIONS

Liberal Candidate in Beauce Goes in by Acclamation.

Nominations in Several Other Constituencies, Including Five in Ontario.

Sherbrooke, Que., Jan. 9.—Mr. Beland (Liberal) was elected by acclamation in Beauce yesterday.

L'ISLET.

Quebec, Jan. 8.—Onesiphore Carbonneau (Liberal), and Joseph Edouard Caron (Independent), were nominated today for the representation of the county of L'Islet in the House of Commons.

ST. JAMES' MONTREAL.

Montreal, Jan. 8.—Ald. Brunet (Liberal) and G. H. Bergeron (Conservative) were nominated for the St. James' division of Montreal today.

IN LAVAL.

In Laval county three candidates were placed in nomination for the House of Commons—C. A. Wilson, the government candidate; A. Cohier, Independent Liberal, and J. E. Leonard, Conservative.

ADDINGTON.

Napanee, Ont., Jan. 8.—The nomination of candidates for the House of Commons for Addington bye-election was held today. Frank S. Wartman, of Yarker, is the Liberal, and M. Avery, of Sharbot Lake, the Conservative candidate.

KINGSTON.

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 8.—The Federal nominations today were made the occasion of a very lively time in Ontario Hall, the building being crowded. Hon. Mr. Harty was nominated by the Liberals, and Mr. J. H. Metcalfe by the Conservatives. D. C. Fraser, Guysboro, N. S., spoke on behalf of Mr. Harty.

WEST DURHAM.

Bowmanville, Ont., Jan. 8.—Only two nominations for West Durham were made today—Robert Beith, farmer, Bowmanville, Liberal, and Charles Jones, Thornton, farmer, Clark, Conservative.

WEST HASTINGS.

Belleville, Ont., Jan. 8.—There was a large attendance at the nomination for West Hastings for the House of Commons today, and a fair hearing was given to all the speakers. E. Guss Porter was nominated by the Conservatives, and John G. Frost by the Liberals.

WEST YORK.

Weston, Ont., Jan. 8.—Nomination for the representation of West York in the House of Commons was held today. Thomas F. Wallace, merchant, Woodbridge, was nominated by the Conservatives; Arch. Campbell, merchant miller, Toronto Junction, by the Liberals.

THRILLING RESCUE.

Niagara Falls, Jan. 8.—Fred Truesdell had a narrow escape from death Tuesday. He is an old river man, and was out duck hunting when his boat caught on the ice floe. He could not reach open water, but floated downstream with the ice. William Holloran saw his predicament from shore and hurried to Willow Island with a rope, which he threw to Truesdell as he came down stream. Truesdell caught the rope and was pulled across the ice and through the water to shore, his boat, gun and ducks going over the falls. It was one of the most thrilling rescues ever made at the falls.

When the Bowels Are Constipated

Health Cannot Be Good—Digestion and Other Bodily Functions Cannot Be Properly Performed—Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

The character of food, sedentary habits and neglecting the calls of nature may be set down as the usual causes of constipation. The accompanying derangements are indigestion, dyspepsia, stomach troubles, liver and kidney diseases and an endless amount of pain and suffering. Poisonous impurities, when left in the blood, are bound to find lodgment in some weak spot of the system, and the result is disease of the most deadly nature.

It is a serious matter to neglect constipation. You may do so for a time, only to find that your health has been undermined by bodily derangements of the most fatal kind. You should have a movement of the bowels every day. To accomplish this, avoid concentrated foods, use vegetables and fruits freely, and take one of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills before retiring, two or three times a week, or oftener if required.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are not an ordinary cathartic. They have a specific and combined action on the kidneys, liver and bowels, and consequently cure constipation, and the accompanying derangements, thoroughly and well, by removing the causes. For the information of those who are not yet familiar with the peculiar merits of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, we might add that they are purely vegetable in composition, pleasant and natural in action and remarkably prompt and far-reaching in effect, even in the most serious and chronic cases of constipation, kidney and liver diseases.

Persons with weak kidneys are peculiarly susceptible to sudden change of temperature, and for this reason need to be on a sharp lookout during the fall and winter seasons, lest the cold settles on these filtering organs and brings on Bright's disease of the kidneys, by far the most painful and fatal of diseases. Scores and hundreds of people make a practice of keeping Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills in the house, and take one whenever the symptoms of constipation and kidney derangement make themselves known. Scanty, high-colored urine, painful urination and pain in the back and limbs are the danger signals of kidney disease.

Whatever else you may neglect, do not overlook the importance of keeping the bowels, the kidneys and liver in healthful, vigorous action. There is no surer way of avoiding serious disease and prolonging life, and the evidence of the people of this country seems to prove conclusively that by far the most effective treatment in bringing about these results is the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose; 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

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Radway's Ready Relief

CURES AND PREVENTS

Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Influenza, Inflammation of the kidneys, inflammation of the bladder, inflammation of the bowels, mumps, congestion of the lungs, difficult breathing, croup, diphtheria, catarrh, cold chills, ague chills.

The application of the Ready Relief to the part or parts where the pain or difficulty exists will afford ease and comfort. If seized with threatened

PNEUMONIA

or any inflammation of the internal organs or mucous membranes, after exposure to cold, wet, etc., lose no time, but apply **Radway's Ready Relief** on a piece of flannel over the part affected with congestion or inflammation, which will in nearly every case check the inflammation and cure the patient by its action of counter-irritation and by equalizing the circulation in the part. For further instructions see our directions wrapped around the bottle.

HOUSEHOLD NECESSITIES.

"I take my pen in hand to inform you of the great cure effected by your medicine. Some time ago my husband was taken down with lung fever. It came on him with a chill in the night. It happened I had a supply of the medicine in the house at the time. I rubbed his chest and back with the **Radway's Ready Relief.** I gave him a teaspoonful in a little hot water to drink, to help warm and stimulate him, and in about half an hour three of the Radway's Pills. By the time the doctor came the next morning he was much better. The doctor wanted to know what I had been doing. I told him. He said that was good; that they were good medicines. Another case I had was with my little nephew. He was taken with the croup. I rubbed his chest, throat and back with the Ready Relief, gave him doses about an hour apart, followed it by a dose of pills. By the next day he was about all right. I have been using this medicine with my family and my neighbors for about thirty years, and never knew it to fail. I would feel gratefully obliged to you to please forward me "False and True," for which I inclose stamp. You are at liberty to make use of this testimony as you may think proper. Yours respectfully,

"MRS. ELIZA DUNN,
"Jacksonville, Morgan Co., Illinois."

ACHES AND PAINS.

For headache (whether sick or nervous), toothache, neuralgia, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and weakness in the back, spine or kidneys, pain around the liver, pleurisy, swelling of the joints and pains of all kinds, the application of Radway's Ready Relief will afford immediate ease, and its continued use for a few days effect a permanent cure.

First Painless Night in 8 Months.

"I received the Ready Relief on Friday, the 11th inst., by night express; used some at 9 o'clock, and had a painless night for the first time in three months. Used the Ready again on Saturday and Sunday morning and night, with the same result. I had a broken arm and a shoulder out of joint, or dislocated; was set all right by Dr. Bloom in Schenevus, but remained painful until I used your remedy. Thanks for your prompt attention. Yours respectfully,

"G. G. DOSE,
"Maryland, Ostego Co., N. Y."

No matter how violent or excruciating the pain, the Rheumatic, Bedridden, Infirm, Crippled, Nervous, Neuralgic, or prostrated with disease may suffer.

Radway's Ready Relief

Will Afford Instant Ease.

25 cents per bottle. Sold by druggists. Be sure and get "Radway's."

VETERINARY SURGEONS.

J. H. TENNANT, VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, 137 King street. Residence and infirmary, corner King and Wellington. Treatment of dogs a specialty. 'Phones 273 and 688.

EDUCATIONAL.

SCHOOL OF DOMESTIC SCIENCE, 356 King street—New term commences Jan. 13. Special attention is drawn to class for making shirt waists. 71g

THE MISSES WESTCOTT'S SCHOOL, 441 Ridout street, reopens Jan. 9. Music lessons resumed. 74c-ywt

THE LONDON SCHOOL OF ART AND Design, 493 Richmond street. Teachers, J. R. Peel and David Wilkie, late of South Kensington, England. The work of the school includes mechanical drawing, industrial design, oil and water color painting.

LIVERY STABLES.

LILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone 666.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

DAVID L. WRIGHT, ORGANIST ST. James' Presbyterian Church. Pupil A. S. Vogt, Toronto Conservatory Music. Teacher of piano and organ. Residence, 736 Richmond street.

ALICE CALDER STOCK—SOLOIST First Methodist Church. Voice culture. 254 Queen's avenue. 23tf

MR. W. H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST OF Dundas Center Methodist Church, teacher of piano, organ, harmony and theory. 418 Queen's avenue. Telephone 1,218.

CHARLES E. WHEELER (ORGANIST and choirmaster St. Andrew's Church) has resumed teaching. Piano, pipe organ, harmony and singing. Both advanced and elementary tuition given. New address, 640 Wellington street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

MARRIAGE LICENSES — SHUFF'S Drug Store, 540 Dundas street, corner William. No witnesses. ywt

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY John J. Jepson, druggist, 249 Wellington street. Residence, 241 Pall Mall. 'Phone 379.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED—OFFICE Adkins' Jewelry Store, East London. No witnesses required.

LICENSES ISSUED BY THOMAS GILLEAN, jeweler, 402 Richmond street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street.

OFFICIAL ISSUER OF MARRIAGE licenses, C. D. Johnston, 198 Dundas street. Residence, 394 Dundas street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT Strong's Drug Store, 184 Dundas street. Residence, 289 Dufferin avenue.

DENTAL CARDS.

WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY, DENTISTS, 216 Dundas street, next Edy Bros., over Cairncross & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone 225.

McDONALD & CUNNINGHAM—DENTISTS, 183½ Dundas street. 'Phone 702.

DR. W. S. WESTLAND, DENTIST—Post-graduate in crown and bridge work, Chicago. Edge Block, Richmond street. 'Phone 960. Residence, 287 Queen's avenue. 'Phone 420.

DR G. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST—Successor to the late Dr. Davis. Specialty, preservation of natural teeth. 170 Dundas street. 'Phone 975.

INSURANCE.

Queen Insurance Co.

Funds available for security of Queen policy holders, $64,000,000.

J. A. NELLES, Agent,
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'Phone 543. ywt

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TOUCHING MESSAGES FROM DOOMED MEN

Who Wrote to Friends From Their Living Tomb—"Oh, Wonderful Is Death!"

London, Jan. 9.—Some heartrending messages were left behind by the men who were entombed by the disaster at the Dombristle Colliery, in Fifeshire.

The bodies recently recovered included those of the rescue party of four, led by Thomas Rattray. They had evidently made a great struggle for life in attempting to escape from the rush of moss they became hemmed in in an old brae. With every avenue of escape closed they became resigned to their fate. How long they lived it is impossible to say, but it is apparent that their sufferings and suspense continued for several days.

The doomed men used a colliery time-book as a diary, and it contained many messages to their wives and families, written in the dark. As a consequence many of the dying farewells are illegible through having been written and rewritten on one page.

Here are some of the messages that have been deciphered:

"I am thinking of wee Donil" (Jas. McDonald's youngest son, aged three years). "God bless him."

"I leave my love to E. P., M. and David" (Rattray's wife and three of his sons). "The boss leaves his love to his wife and family."

"Andrew (Paterson) leaves his love to Annie and the three bairns; goodbye; God biess you all."

"I don't feel as if death was on me; I feel just the same as if I was sitting in the house. Oh, wonderful is death, death and her brother sleep."

"The moss is creeping on us . . . his . . . "This is an awful death, Bella, waiting on death." "We have no hope of getting . . . but are prepared to die."

"Farewell, but we'll meet on the other side of the river; farewell; this is all in the dark."

"You will get some money in the desk, Bella; you must keep on for my sake; adieu, adieu." "Oh, Bella, dear, good-bye; we are resigned. I can't see nor hear. Failing now, we are very——"

"We are . . . choking." "Off without oil, and all in the dark. The death of . . . prepared." "Oh, bless; good loving wife to me; help her and comfort."

"John, my son, love Bella, your mother, for me.—James McDonald. . . . The best of rest, dozing away.

"No food, but plenty of moss."

HIS ASHES HELD FOR DEBT.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 9.—The ashes of Joseph Paita, the Anarchist, who committed suicide here on May 13, 1900, are held and will not be delivered to Paita's friends until a debt of $60 has been paid. When Paita's body was cremated Emma Goldman gave a funeral address. It was said at the time that Paita killed himself because he did not want to carry out the task imposed upon him to kill the young King of Italy. P. Oansuluti holds the can containing the ashes, and he refuses to give them up to be taken to Italy until a bill for $60 for Paita's board has been paid.



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HOW MANY FARMERS WERE SWINDLED

They Signed Blank Sheets and a Sharper Printed Notes on Them and Discounted the Paper.

Independnce, Jan. 8.—A scheme to defraud scores of farmers in this part of Iowa, came to light today. It is estimated that had the plan succeeded the promoters would have cleared about $35,000, as notes representing that amount have been sent to the bank at Jesup, in this county, for collection.

Three months ago a stranger, giving his name as John Smith covered the western and northern portion of the county and obtained farmers' signatures for various alleged purposes. He secured the signatures of at least 200 farmers, and possibly more. On Monday a large number of the wealthy signers received notices from a Chicago law firm, notifying them to meet certain notes. At the bank were promissory notes to the amount of $14,000 for collection, bearing the names of about 70 men. The notes revealed the scheme. Blank sheets of paper were obtained and the promissory notes were printed at the top afterwards. The farmers are united in their effort to fight the case, and the best of legal counsel has been obtained.

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London, Thursday, Jan. 9.

At its municipal elections, Ottawa voted for the municipalization of the telephone system.

In turning things upside down in Nicaragua, as they promise to do when they build the Nicaragua Inter-Oceanic Canal, our Yankee friends will almost certainly have the assistance of the earthquakers.

How rapidly changes occur is shown in the fact that there were nominations to be made yesterday for eight vacancies in the Dominion Parliament—five in Ontario, and three in the Province of Quebec. These bye-elections are held now in order to complete the House for business in February.

Our old weather prophet friend, Stone Wiggins, protests that Marconi, the wireless telegrapher, has stolen his ideas, and should not be allowed to turn them to account. Dr. Wiggins, if he ever thought of wireless telegraphy, must have gone to sleep over it. What the public recognize is that Marconi has acted, and it is men of action, not dreamers, that the world today recognizes.

Precautions are yet necessary in Canada against the ravages of the San Jose scale. In the Eastern States the insect is still doing much damage, and the greatest care should be taken to prevent its further importation into the Dominion. Connecticut, for example, has had 78 different outbreaks in the last year or two. At first it attacked fruit trees of all kinds; it has recently begun to attack decorative shrubs and trees, and very often its work has not been discovered until too late. Spraying with kerosene or crude petroleum is prescribed as the most effective remedy.

It is somewhat amusing to learn from the Opposition press that the Government of Ontario was responsible for granting permission to speculators to pipe natural gas from Western Ontario into the United States. The fact is that the authority to export the gas was granted to the Interior Construction Company by the late Conservative Government, and to the Government of Hon. George W. Ross that credit must be given for undoing the work, as it shut off the United States export. There were many difficulties in the way, or the work would have been done before; the mischief, indeed, was accomplished when the late Government at Ottawa granted the charter. It sacrificed the people of Ontario for the benefit of its speculator friends.

According to the British income tax returns, £27,561,160 was collected for the national revenue in this way last year. The big incomes are not so large in Great Britain as the big incomes on this continent, but their receivers seem more willing to declare themselves. There are only 396 persons in Great Britain with from £5,000 to £10,000 a year, 159 with from £10,000 to £50,000, and 11 who enjoy more than the last sum. In Ireland four taxpayers confess to a revenue of from £10,000 to £50,000, and one only is able to confess to more than £50,000: he admits an income of £70,787. Persons who have small incomes—such as clerks and school teachers—are not subject to the payment of income tax. Only those with a substantial salary or other income has to pay up.

Old Londoners, we learn from a correspondent, are greatly amused by a revival of Gilbert & Sullivan's fairy opera, "Iolanthe," with songs and choruses brought up to date. The greatest merriment was caused when Miss Brandram, at the chorus of "Oh! Foolish Fairy!" stepped to the front of the stage and, looking at the former chief of the fire brigade, who sat in the stalls, sang—

Oh! Captain Shaw!
Type of true love kept under!
Could thy brigade with odd cascade
Quench my great love, I wonder?

The spectacle of all the pretty fairies with clasped hands thus singing "Oh! Captain Shaw!" was very comical. How great an improvement is such an evening's fun on much of the new-fangled "rot" put on the stage by United States companies. We need a Lord Chamberlain, with a censor's pen, on this continent.

The other day, there came under the hammer, in London, England, a collection of very interesting letters, written by Sir Walter Scott. One written to an actress friend gave her this advice: "Pray, for my love, drub your manager out of the general blunder of dressing the Scottish Borderers in tartan. He might as well make them all speak Gaelic. If I were to write anything for the stage," he continues, "it would be for the delight of dressing the characters after my own fancy, but I am sure I never shall have that pleasure." Sir Walter would doubtless have been horrified if he had witnessed the dressing of his "Bride of Lammermoor," as presented in Florence recently by an Italian opera company. The retainers wore tartan hose over blue tights, and kilts of tartan that were never seen off the stage, while Lucy wore a short tartan frock, bordered with another impossible tartan.

It is somewhat remarkable that five of the leading clergymen in New York city are Scotchmen, namely Rev. Dr. Donald Sage Mackay, a Glasgow man, in the Collegiate Church, Fifth avenue; Rev. Dr. Lorimer, from Dalkeith, in the Madison Avenue Baptist Church; Rev. Dr. Douglas, from Dumfries, in the West 51st Street Presbyterian Church; Rev. J. J. Munro, from Inverness, chaplain of the Toombs, Center street, and Rev. Dr. Mackenzie, from Cromarty, in Rutgers Presbyterian Church, Broadway. Brooklyn has one Scotch minister, Rev. Dr. Adam, from Falkirk, in the Reformed Church on the Heights. There is reciprocity in these matters, of course, but the balance of trade is on the side of the United States, for each of these preachers is an eminent pulpiteer. New York would have more of the leading Scottish preachers, if financial inducements move them, for the city has time and again, but in vain, angled to get such preachers as Ian McLaren to accept a pastorate.

I hear Sir "Kitty" Furness is not optimistic about the fast Canadian passenger service. He is aware that in Canada when an editor is short of copy this question furnishes a capital "tag." That "tag" has been in use for twenty years! And it may probably serve until 1950, unless Lord Strathcona comes forward with one of his generous propositions.—London Empire.

The question is a simple one. Canada wants a fast Atlantic service, faster than she now has, but not at a great expense to the taxpayers. If we have a fast passenger service—say, one of ships going at the rate of 23 knots an hour—we cannot have a fast service for our perishable products at the same time, except at enormous cost to the people, and they are not prepared to pay for it. The most feasible plan that we have heard is to have a service of vessels of, say, 20 knots an hour, which can be constructed so as to carry both passengers and freight in paying quantities. Such a service would meet the wants of Canada for some time, and ought to be obtained without unduly burdening our people.

Comparison.

At Montreal, Hon. W. S. Fielding, reminded the audience that the trade of Canada in eighteen years of Conservative rule increased only three or four millions per year, while in five years of Liberal rule the increase had been $29,000,000 per year. The adage comes to mind about leaving well enough alone, in considering such comparative figures.

Omens That Mean Much for Canada.

The Government of Manitoba has advanced the price of the land held by them for settlement. This increase is the result of the phenomenal demand for land by new settlers during the past year. The increase was indeed a large one, and every one who had land for settlement felt it. The Dominion homestead entries, for example, exceeded those of any previous year by 700, and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company alone sold over 1,000,000 acres. It has nearly 20,000,000 acres yet to sell, or nearly as much as the whole of surveyed Ontario; and the Dominion has under its charge another couple of hundred millions—much of which is land on which an energetic man could make a living. But, of course, the value of land near-by railways and towns is first enhanced by settlement, and this is proving the case in Manitoba, and accounts for the rise in the price asked by the Province.

With 50,000 new settlers coming into the Northwest from the United States alone, and many thousands from the old world, next year, the outlook for trade and progress, and better prices for land, is very bright.

These prospects, which we cheerfully record for the country beyond Winnipeg, will not in any manner prevent the splendid progress which has lately been made in New Ontario from continuing and favorably reacting on the older portion of the Province, of which we form a part, which in very many ways is getting benefits from the development of these newer sections of the country. Indeed, as a nation we are naturally independent, and one section of the country cannot progress in a healthy manner without adding to the prosperity of all other sections. Only we must guard against anything like a speculative gambling prosperity, where legitimate industry is put to one side, and a grab game is entered on to see who will most effectively fleece his neighbor, and more particularly the green newcomer. Such was the "prosperity" of the early '80's in Manitoba and the Northwest, and later in the Toronto craze, both of which speculative manias, and their fictitious prosperity, did far more harm than good.

The progress of Canada, in these later days, has been on a sounder basis. It has not been a series of gambling games, encouraged by the Government of the day, but the legitimate prosperity of a great country, as yet in the infancy of its development, but offering inducements for the exercise of the best energies, not only of every Canadian, but of every man and woman who is willing to work, and to turn their talents to account in assisting Nature to control the great and potent forces that are ready at hand, and only await intelligent control.

Canada is the best of all countries to live in today.

Canada Must Stick Up for Her Rights.

Hon. Mr. Mills, at the copyright conference at Toronto, suggested the imposition of a heavy duty on books in cases where the authors refuse to license publication in Canada. Would not such a policy hurt the Canadian reader more than the outside author?—Montreal Gazette.

That might be, but would it not be worth while putting up with a little temporary inconvenience if by so doing the permanent interests of the Dominion were advanced? The conditions are not such that we, as self-respecting Canadians, ought longer to be called on to submit to. The contention has been that the British author has a perfect right to sell to a United States publisher the copyright of his book not only for the United States, but for Canada, and this arrangement, while highly profitable to the United States publisher, has worked to the disadvantage of the Canadian publisher, the Canadian printer and the Canadian bookbinder, businesses of importance in this country, and likely to increase in importance with the growth of our population.

Let us suppose that our Government, as a means to an end—a policy of defense perfectly justifiable—adopts the alternative suggested by the Minister of Justice, and imposes an increased duty on all works copyrighted abroad, to the disadvantage of Canada, how long would it be before the British authors came to a more reasonable frame of mind? They would find it would not pay to peddle out the Canadian market to the United States publisher, for he would find a copyright giving him the right to sell in the Dominion handicapped by the additional duty, and he would refuse to pay for the right to sell the book in this country. Then, it is reasonable to expect, the British author would no longer bring his influence to bear on the imperial authorities to induce them to disregard the right of Canada to control her own copyright laws to the fullest extent.

The owner of a patent in Great Britain is not given the right to sell his patent to a United States speculator or manufacturer, and to have full possession not only of the United States market, but of the Canadian market as well. Why should the owner of the copyright of a book be enabled to do what the patent owner is prevented from doing? The perfect fairness of the Canadian position, as set forth by Hon. Mr. Mills, cannot be gainsaid.

More Representation for New Ontario.

The Speech from the Throne promises additional representation for New Ontario. This is only right and proper. That it should be necessary as well as just, happily illustrates the remarkable development of that part of our Province which a few years ago was held to be comparatively valueless. Ontario is an empire in itself. Its future is one of boundless advancement. Development can be much promoted by capable spokesmen on the floor of the Legislature.

Another View of Prohibition.

In the International Journal of Ethics for January, Mr. James H. Hyslop, of Columbia University, discusses "The Temperance Question." As this question is very much to the front in Ontario at present, it may be well to note what is said by a gentleman who deals with it from a different point of view. Speaking of the United States, he says: "Nothing is more certain, however, than the fact that the fortunes of prohibition have declined in recent years, though the importance of the temperance problem has lost none of its interest and impressiveness." Two things account for the pushing back of the temperance problem in American politics. "The evident failure of prohibition to effect its end, and the other the distractions of war and the financial issues of the last presidential campaign." This writer has some points to make that he regards as important. (1) "The prohibitionist attacks the problem from the false point of view. HE ATTACKS IT FROM THE STANDPOINT OF SUPPLY INSTEAD OF DEMAND," or in other words, "The one defect of prohibition is that it does not rightly locate the responsibility for intemperance. It attacks the saloon-keeper as the main cause of the evil. It ignores or minimizes the place that should be assigned to the drunkard in the problem." The meaning of this will be seen later on.

The next point is that the prohibitionist "is a democrat, but he is also a Puritan in both his moral temperament and his readiness to act." "He does not see that democracy has been organized in the interest of liberty, and not of restraint." Hence there is a contradiction between the political ideal and the reforming zeal. A despotism, he says, could more easily carry out repressive measures; in a land where all are free and equal it is difficult.

This brings us to the third point. Our author suggests that the principle of guardianship, which has worked well in other cases, might be tried here; that is, instead of restriction on the liberty of those who have self-control, there should be restriction for those "who cannot take care of themselves." He gives illustrations of how this has been applied to other forms of weakness, and says: "If the weak-minded, the insane, and the decrepit can have guardians, I do not see why the weak-willed in matters of vice and intemperance should not be classed among those demanding similar treatment."

These ideas are not new. It is difficult to find any new ideas on this theme, but they are presented here in a logical and forcible manner, and are worthy of consideration by those who wish to look at all sides of a difficult question.

Toleration and Smallpox.

A woman in the township of Stephen, at Dashwood, has been spreading smallpox, by going around freely, and refusing medical assistance. She holds some peculiar views against medical attendance. Toleration of peculiar religious opinions is the correct thing, and not to be denied without good cause. But surely the community, for its own protection, has the right to draw the line rather unsparingly against those who, no matter in accordance with whatever kind of so-called religious opinion, expose the general public to the dangers of smallpox.

"A' John Tamson's Bairns."

A discovery that will cause much interest among Canadian ethnographers has recently been made by Catholic missionaries in the Yukon. It is found that the language spoken by the Nulato Indians, dwelling within the Arctic Circle, is identical with that of the Apaches, of the plains of New Mexico and Arizona. A thorough knowledge of the Nulato language was acquired by Father Jette, son of the Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, who is in charge of the mission to them, and his correspondence with his confreres in New Mexico and Arizona revealed the strange fact that a community of language exists between tribes sundered by thousands of miles of territory. It has only been recently made known by the return to Dawson City of Rev. John Rene, Prefect Apostolic of Alaska, who is chief of the fathers working among the tribes of the Lower Yukon.

The discovery indicates the correctness of the conjecture that the people of New Mexico and Arizona traveled southward from the Arctic regions, and furthermore, to substantiate the hypothesis that the primitive inhabitants of North America came from Asia by way of Bering Straits.

A LITTLE SUNSHINE.

"And this invention that will, as you say 'throw Marconi in the shade,' what is it?" "A wireless piano, for use in flat-houses."—Life.

Papa—Tommy, if you had a little more spunk, you would stand better in your class. Now, do you know what spunk is? Tommy—Yes, sir. It's the past participle of spank. — Chicago News.

Hanson—There was a time I couldn't abide Pugleigh, but I declare if he has not become really agreeable of late. Tryster—You don't mean it! Hanson—Yes, he has not called at my place for a month or two.—Boston Transcript.

AWFUL CRIME IN CHICAGO!

Girl Killed in Defending Her Honor.

Her Body Pushed Through a Hole in the Ice—Circumstantial Story of a Boy Who Witnessed the Terrible Deed.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Confined in a cell in the Maxwell street station is Louis Thoms, charged with one of the most heinous and brutal murders in the memory of the Chicago police. At the county morgue lies his victim, Minnie Larson, 21 years old, a pretty Norwegian girl. Her body was recovered from under the ice in the Chicago River yesterday.

At the same station is held Robert Keissig, 22 years old, who says he was an eye-witness to the alleged murder, which occurred early Tuesday morning of last week. Keissig is the accuser of Thoms, and in the presence of that prisoner Keissig told the police a startling story yesterday morning. His statements resulted in the police dragging the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy slip at Twenty-first and Sangamon streets, where the body of Miss Larson was recovered and removed to the county morgue.

Minnie Larson, it is said, was lured to the steamer Peerless, of the Lake Michigan and Lake Superior Company's line, moored in the Burlington slip, last Monday evening, and at 2 o'clock Tuesday morning she lost her life, it is said, in a desperate struggle for her honor.

Keissig says that he witnessed the fierce battle, and he says he saw Thoms strangle his victim to death. The boy also confesses that he assisted Thoms to carry the body from the boat and throw it into the river. A portion of his statement was corroborated by Miss Catherine Henneberry, connected with the Illinois Free Employment Agency, 9 Canal street.

Thoms was a cook on board the Peerless, which has been tied up for the winter in the Burlington slip. His wife lived with him, but she was absent at the time of the alleged murder.

Monday afternoon Thoms went to the free employment office, where he met Miss Larson. The young woman was seeking a position, and she accepted a place offered by Thoms as cook on the steamer. He made an appointment to meet her at Twenty-first and Sangamon streets that evening, and to escort her to the boat. The two met by appointment and the young woman was installed in the kitchen of the steamer. She later retired to a room adjoining the kitchen.

About 2 o'clock in the morning young Keissig was aroused from his slumber by hearing Thoms, it is said, demanding admittance to the young woman's room. She, however, refused to admit him. Then he reminded the woman that he was her employer, and that he wanted her to prepare breakfast for him.

"I was sleeping on the kitchen floor," said Keissig. "Miss Larson, or Minnie, as Thoms called her, came from her room and asked where the meat was kept. Thoms pointed to a door and said the meat could be found outside. The woman started toward it, when Thoms seized her, forced her to the ground, and choked her until she was dead.

"He attempted to assault her, but she fought furiously until dead. Then Thoms secured a long knife and threatened to kill me unless I helped him to carry the body from the boat. First Thoms tied several pieces of iron to a rope and then wound it around her neck. I took the body by the legs and Thomas took hold of the shoulders.

"We carried the body from the boat and then out upon the ice of the river. A hole had already been chopped in the ice in order to secure water for use on several boats tied up in the slip. Thoms pushed the body into the water head first, and it immediately sank. Then we went back to the boat, and Thoms went to bed. I guess he slept the remainder of the night, but I was too frightened and remained up."

Keissig says he was watched continually by Thoms, and fearing for his own life, he decided to escape from the boat. Thoms sent the boy for a newspaper and Keissig did not return. He went direct to the home of his sister at No. 567 West Huron street, where he remained until Sunday.

On that day he decided to inform the police of the alleged crime and went to the Canalport avenue station, where he told the story to Lieut. Haines.

Robert McGregor, an Ottawa barrister, was committed for trial Wednesday on a charge of criminal assault, alleged to have been committed in an Ottawa hotel, the victim being a young French girl from St. Lin, Quebec.

208, 210, 210½ and 212 Dundas St.

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208, 210, 210½ and 212 Dundas St.

Specials for Friday and Saturday

Sometimes our statements may seem strong, but they have substantial backing. Our guarantee of "money refunded if goods not as represented" takes all the risk away from buying. Our list today contains some startling bargains. We counsel early shopping, because in some cases the quantity is limited Somebody will be too late; don't let it be you.

EMBROIDERIES.

75 pieces Swiss and Cambric Embroideries and Insertions, 2 to 5 inches wide, all new goods, special white goods sale price, per yard 5c

25 pieces Swiss and Cambric Embroideries and Insertions, 4 to 7 inches wide, new goods, special white goods sale price, per yard.. 8c

CORSETS.

78 pairs of our regular 50c Corsets, good strong jean, steel filled, special, per pair 27c

FLANNELETTE GOWNS.

Special line Flannelette Gowns, in pink, blue and white stripes, at, each 50c

Ladies' Flannelette Gowns, in pink, blue and white, trimmed with frills of self, Friday and Saturday 85c

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Women's Dongola Kid, box calf and oil grain Laced Shoes, regular $1 50, Friday and Saturday..$1 10

Women's Patent Strap Slippers, regular $1 75, Friday and Saturday $1 25

GROCERY DEPARTMENT.

22 lbs. Granulated Sugar for $1 00

150 tins Canned Apples, for, per tin 10c

1 lb. Rice Biscuits, 1 lb. Ginger Snaps and 1 lb. Tea or Wine Biscuits for 25c

6 lbs. Granulated Sugar 25c

2 bars Hard Soap, 6 lbs., for 23c

4 lbs. Choice Mixed Candies for 25c

Good Lemons, per dozen 5c

Choice Valencia Oranges, per doz.. 15c

DRESS GOODS REMNANTS.

Black and Colored Ends Dress Goods to be cleared, all marked at one-third, one-half and two-thirds off regular prices. On Friday and Saturday an extra discount off these prices to clear, of 10 per cent.

75c ALL-WOOL HOMESPUNS, 50c.

10 pieces, all lengths, our all-wool 75c goods, in gray, brown, green, navy and heather mixed, Friday and Saturday, per yard 50c

Staple Department Remnants.

The balance of our stock of remnants, consisting of Cottons, Art Muslins, Prints, Percales, Flannels, Skirtings, Cottonades, Shirtings, Ginghams, Lawns, Elder, Fancy Muslins, in ends of from 1 to 6 yards, we offer to clear on Friday and Saturday at

HALF OFF! HALF OFF!

HAIRPINS.

100 Boxes Assorted Hair Pins, regular price 4c, Friday and Saturday 2 boxes for 5c

MILLINERY.

All of our Trimmed Millinery going at a DISCOUNT OF 50 PER CENT.

Ready-to-Wear Hats, from 75c to $2 25, to clear at 25c

MANTLES AND FURS— 20 PER CENT DISCOUNT.

HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

50 pairs Lace Curtains, 2½ yards long, neat designs, regular price 25c, Friday and Saturday 20c

Union Art Squares, good patterns and colorings, size 2½x3 yards, regular price $3 75, Friday and Saturday $2 65

Union Art Squares, good patterns, new colorings, size 3x3 yards, regular price $4 50, Friday and Saturday $3 25

CLOTHING.

Boys' Fine Blue Serge Three-Piece Suits, double or single breasted, sizes 28 to 33, regular $5, Friday and Saturday $3 95

GENTS' FURNISHINGS.

Men's Heavy Wool Socks, ribbed top, special, 2 pairs for 25c

Men's Heavy Wool Underwear, odd garments, regular price 75c, Friday and Saturday 49c

VASELINE.

50 Bottles Vaseline, regular price 10c, Friday and Saturday, 2 bottles for 15c

CROCKERY DEPARTMENT.

97-Piece Printed Dinner Sets, regular $6 50, Friday and Saturday..$5 25

25 only Glass Fruit Bowls, with stand, regular 25c, Friday and Saturday 15c

Glass Tumblers at 3c

97-Piece Printed Dinner Sets, assorted colors, illuminated and gilt edge, regular $11, Friday and Saturday $9 00

GLOVES.

Ladies' Fine French Kid Gloves, in shades of ox-blood and black, all sizes, regular price 89c, special to clear at 50c

HOSIERY.

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Wool Hose, sizes 7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9, regular price 40c, to clear at 29c

NEW STYLE MARRIAGE LEGAL IN NEW YORK.

Under a Law That Went Into Effect January 1, 1902.

New York, Jan 8.—The first certificate of marriage to be filed under the law regarding contract marriages, which went into effect on Jan. 1, was put on record in the city clerk's office Monday. Under the new law a marriage is legal if the persons contracting it make sworn declaration of their intention to live together as man and wife and file that declaration with the city clerk within six months of making the declaration. The form of the contract is prescribed by the law.

The law is designed to prevent the assertions as to "common-law marriages," which have brought much embarrassment upon persons and estates in the past. It has been criticised as laying women open to danger from men who would satisfy them as to the legality of the contract, but would omit to comply with the necessary regulations as to recording it.

The contract filed between Franz Tripke and Frida Hilser was as follows:

This is to certify that on the first day of January, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, in the year of our Lord 1902, at 231 West 25th street, in the city and county of New York, borough of Manhattan, State of New York, before me, Francis Morris, a commissioner of deeds for the city of New York, personally appeared:

Franz Tripke, a first boatman on steamship Patricia, residing at 33 Wilhelminehof, near Berlin, Germany, and Frida Hilser, of 226 West 25th street, New York city, borough of Manhattan, and in the presence of Fritz Bossow, chief carpenter of steamship Patricia, residing at Bodstadt, near Barth, Germany, and Rosa Lohmann, of 226 West 25th street, New York city, personally known to me and who also to me personally identified the said Franz Tripke and Frida Hilser, declared severally and acknowledge, in my presence, in the presence of each other and in the presence of the said Rosa Lohmann and Fritz Bossow, whose names are subscribed as witnesses hereto, that they severally took each other as husband and wife and had entered into that relation unto each other through life.

FRANZ TRIPKE.
FRIDA HILSER.

Sealed and delivered in the presence of Fritz Bossow and Rosa Lohmann, witnesses.

There is added an acknowledgment before a commissioner of deeds. City Clerk Scully issued this certificate that the preceding is a correct copy of the original contract.

You Are Tired

Your color is not good. Restless one moment, fretful and blue the next. The world's out of joint. You're out of joint with the world. Not temper, not feeling, but weakness. Neglect is unwise. You grow steadily worse. Get good rich blood, then feel new vigor, strength, buoyancy. You'll see a dozen things to do; you will do them, too, if you use Ferrozone. It sharpens the appetite, and you enjoy your food; you get color and old time strength comes back. That's because Ferrozone aids digestion, makes red blood. Ferrozone is strength for the nerves and vigor for the brain. Be sure of the name, Ferrozone. Sold by Strong.

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"The more the fire eats the starch, the less we have to eat it." An Indian proverb, which contains much wisdom. In making PAN-DRIED Rolled Oats the kernels are subjected to intense heat, this eats the starch and thus makes their digestion easy for you. That alone is a good reason for your insisting on having

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CAUTION:—ANGIER'S is the original Petroleum Emulsion. It is made from a special oil from particular wells, and is purified by our own process. The healing and soothing qualities possessed by Angier's Petroleum Emulsion cannot be obtained from imitations made from ordinary petroleum. Be sure you get ANGIER'S Petroleum Emulsion. All druggists sell it. Two sizes, 50 cts. and $1.00 a bottle.

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THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.

London, Thursday, Jan. 9.

Wheat, white, per bu	80c to 82c
Wheat, red, per bu	78c to 81c
Oats, per bu	41c to 42½c
Corn, per bu	61½ to 61½c
Barley, per bu	55c to 57c
Buckwheat, per bu	50c to 53c
Beans, per bu	90c to $1 05

The receipts were large this morning, with a good demand.

Wheat sold freely, at $1 30 to $1 35.

Oats in good demand, at $1 20 to $1 22.

One load of corn sold at $1 12.

No barley, peas, rye or buckwheat offering.

Dressed Hogs—Supply good, selling from $7 50 to $8 50 per cwt.

Hay—Receipts very large, selling from $7 to $8 per ton.

Quotations:

GRAIN.

Wheat, white, per 100 lbs	$1 33	@	$1 36
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 30	@	1 35
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 30	@	1 35
Oats, per 100 lbs	1 22	@	1 25
Peas, per 100 lbs	1 20	@	1 25
Corn, per 100 lbs	1 10	@	1 15
Barley, per 100 lbs	1 15	@	1 20
Beans, per bu	90	@	1 05
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	1 05	@	1 10
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 10	@	1 15

HAY AND SEEDS.

Hay, per ton	8 00	@	8 50
Straw, per ton	6 00	@	6 00
Timothy seed, per bu	2 00	@	3 00
Clover seed, red, bu	5 10	@	5 35
Clover seed, alsike, bu	6 50	@	7 50

FOR HOUSEKEEPERS.

There was a medium-sized attendance at the market here this morning. The good roads and sleighing no doubt helped to increase the deliveries of produce. Prices in most lines were firm, with the exception of hay and dressed hogs, which are weaker.

Hay and Straw—Over 40 loads of hay were on the stand, selling mostly at $8 50 and $8 75 per ton for No. 1 quality; most of the offerings were of an inferior quality, as has been the case for some time back, and sold at $7 to $8 per ton.

Butter and Eggs—Butter is a trifle easier, at 19c to 20c for pound rolls, and 17c to 19c for crocks. Fresh-laid eggs exceedingly scarce, at 24c to 26c per dozen; packed eggs sell at 16c to 20c per dozen.

Potatoes—Firmer, at 65c per bag by the load, and 75c per single bag. No change in other vegetables.

Apples—Firm, at $2 50 to $3 50 per barrel, and $1 25 per bag.

Poultry—Not a great deal in; turkeys are firm, at 9c to 10c per lb; geese, 6c to 7c per lb, or 60c to 75c each; ducks, 60c to 75c per pair; chickens, per pair, 50c to 65c.

Dressed Hogs—Quite a lot in; prices are $8 25 to $8 50 per cwt.

Live Hogs—Mr. D. McIntyre purchased two carloads for shipment from here yesterday, paying $6 25 per cwt.

WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES.

Eggs, store lots, doz	19	@	20
Eggs, store lots, doz	17	@	18
Butter, crock	15	@	16
Butter, creamery, lb rolls	20	@	21
Butter, store lots	15	@	17

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, per bag	65	@	75
Onions, per bu	75	@	1 00
Celery, per doz	30	@	40
Savory and sage, doz	20	@	29
Mint, per doz	15	@	18
Parsley, per doz	15	@	25

FRUITS.

Apples, per bag	1 00	@	1 25
Apples, per bbl	2 00	@	3 50

LIVE HOGS.

Hogs, small, per pair	4 00	@	6 00
Hogs, selects, per cwt	5 75	@	6 00
Hogs, light, per 100 lbs	5 75	@	5 75
Hogs, singers, per 100 lbs	5 75	@	6 00
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs	2 00	@	4 00

DRESSED HOGS.

Dressed hogs, light	8 00	@	8 75
Dressed, 100 lbs, heavy	5 50	@	5 50
Dressed, 100 lbs, selects	7 50	@	8 00

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, lb rolls, baskets	17	@	18
Butter, crock	15	@	17
Butter, creamery, per lb	20	@	21
Eggs, doz, basket lots	19	@	20
Eggs, store lots, doz	18	@	21
Eggs, doz., new laid	22	@	24
Honey, per lb	10	@	12½
Cheese, per lb, retail	12	@	12½
Lard, per lb, wholesale	11	@	11½

POULTRY.

Geese, per lb	6	@	7
Turkeys, per lb	8½	@	10
Ducks, per pair	60	@	90
Chickens, per pair	45	@	60
Hens, per pair, live	40	@	50

MEATS, HIDES, ETC.

Beef, per lb	4	@	6½
Wool, per lb, washed	13	@	14
Beef, carcass	5 00	@	6 00
Tallow, rendered, per lb	4	@	4½
Mutton, quarters, per lb	6	@	7
Lamb, quarters	6 50	@	7 50
Calfskins, green	7	@	8
Lambskins	20	@	25
Hides, No. 3, per lb	6½	@	6½
Hides, No. 2, per lb	7	@	7
Hides, No. 1, per lb	7½	@	7½

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TORONTO SEED MARKET.

Toronto, Jan. 7.—Messrs. John Shaw & Sons, London, England, write that the seed market, as usual at this season, now presents quite a holiday appearance, business being generally postponed until the new year. Meanwhile clover seeds of all descriptions keep very firm, and holders look for a healthy consumptive demand next spring. The unprecedented upward movement in perennial rye grasses has further progressed, causing considerable loss to those who unfortunately made forward contracts. There is no quotable variation in either mustard or rape seed, but linseed is slightly cheaper. As regards canary seed there is a strong undertone, but sales are for the moment confined to narrow limits. Blue peas and haricot beans, owing to the wintry weather, command full prices.

TORONTO HAY MARKET.

Toronto, Jan. 8.—Baled hay—Demand is quite good and the market is steady: cars on the track here are quoted at $9 50 for No. 1, and $8 to $8 50 for No. 2. Baled straw—The market is steady, with a good demand; cars on the track here are quoted at $5 to $5 50.

OIL MARKETS.

OIL CITY, Pa., Jan. 8.—Credit balances, $1 15; certificates, no bid.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 9.—Oil opened at $1 15.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Petroleum, American refined, 6 15-16d; spirits, 6⅞d.

ANTWERP, Jan. 8.—Petroleum, 17 francs 50 centimes.

BREMEN, Jan. 8.—Petroleum, 6 m. 35 pfennings.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—A nervous rising and falling of the wheat market, which seemingly tried to follow the antics of the foreign markets, dominated the grain pits today. At the close May wheat had a net gain of ⅜c to ½c, May corn remained unchanged, and May oats were up ⅜c to ½c; provisions closed a shade to 5c higher. Local receipts of wheat were 30 cars, one of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 374 cars, making a total for the three points of 404 cars, against 350 last year. Primary receipts were only 483,000 bu, against 634,000 bu last year. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour equaled 409,000 bu. The world's visible supply decreased 1,536,000 bu. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 27 cars; corn, 160 cars; oats, 100 cars; hogs, 41,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—Jan., 80c; May, 84⅛c; July, 83⅜c. Corn—Jan., 63⅞c; May, 67½c; July, 66⅝c. Oats—May, 46⅞c to 47c; July, 41⅝c to 41¾c; Sept., 33¾c. Pork—Jan., $16 82½; May, $17 27½; July, $17 25. Lard—Jan., $9 80; May, $9 95; July, $10. Short ribs—Jan., $8 47½; May, $8 80.

Cash quotations: Flour firm; 10c advance for standard brands. No. 2 spring wheat, 80c to 82c; No. 3, 78½c; No. 2 red, 87c to 89c. No. 2 oats, 47c to 47½c; No. 2 white, 49¼c to 50c; No. 3 white, 48¾c to 49¾c. No. 2 rye, 67½c. Fair to choice malting barley, 60c to 60½c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1 69; No. 1 northwestern, $1 72. Prime timothy seed, $6 55. Pork, $16 85 to $16 90; lard, $9 80 to $9 85; short ribs sides, $8 40 to $8 50; dry salted shoulders, 7¾c to 7½c; short clear sides, $8 85 to $8 95. Clover, contract grade, $10.

Receipts—Flour, 53,000 bbls; wheat, 110,000 bu; corn, 153,000 bu; oats, 233,000 bu; rye, 5,000 bu; barley, 27,000 bu.

DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 15c to 24½c; dairies, 14c to 20c. Cheese steady, 10¼c to 11¼c. Eggs—Strong; fresh, 28c to 30c.

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—Cheese, 9½c to 10½c. Butter—Townships, 20c to 21c; western, 15c to 16c.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, Jan. 9.—Beans are easy and in light demand. Quotations: Cash and Jan., $1 73 asked; Feb., $1 74 asked; May, $1 70 asked.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,133; quiet but steady; bulls firm; steers, $3 85 to $6 10; oxen and stags, $3 75 to $5 50; bulls, $2 70 to $4 25; extra fat do, $4 50 to $4 60; cows, $1 75 to $4; fat heifers, $3 70 to $4 25; exports, 914 cattle, 1,500 sheep and 7,520 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 1,522; good veals firm; medium and common slow; other calves steady; veals, $4 50 to $8 75; tops, $9; little calves, $4; barnyard stock, $2 75 to $3 50; southern and western calves, $3 25 to $3 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4,672; sheep steady to strong; lambs 10c higher; sheep, $2 50 to $4; export grades, $4 40 to $4 75; culls, $1 50 to $2 25; lambs, $4 50 to $6 20; one car, $6 25; culls, $3 to $4; Canada lambs, $5 62½ to $5 75. Hogs—Receipts, 5,980; steady; state hogs, $6 40 to $6 50; western nominal.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; dull and lower; veals, choice, $8 25 to $8 50; common to good, $5 50 to $8. Hogs—Receipts, 6,800 head; fair demand and lower; Yorkers, $6 20 to $6 30; light do, $6 10 to $6 20; mixed packers, $6 35 to $6 45; medium to choice heavy, $6 50 to $6 55; pigs, $5 90 to $6; roughs, $5 40 to $5 70; stags, $4 25 to $4 75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,800 head; sheep steady; lambs higher; choice lambs, $5 85 to $5 90; good to choice, $5 70 to $5 80; culls to fair, $4 60 to $5 60; sheep, choice handy wethers, $4 65 to $4 90; common to extra mixed, $3 75 to $4 35; culls and common, $2 25 to $3 65; heavy export ewes and wethers, $4 50 to $4 75; yearlings, $4 90 to $5 10.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 15,500; good to choice strong to 10c higher; others slow and steady; good to prime, $6 50 to $7 50; poor to medium, $4 to $6; stockers and feeders, $2 25 to $4 75; cows, $1 25 to $4 75; heifers, $2 75 to $5; canners, $1 25 to $2 30; bulls, $1 75 to $4 60; calves, $3 50 to $6 50; Texas fed steers, $3 25 to $5 25. Hogs—Receipts, 45,000; 5c to 10c lower, closing active; mixed and butchers, $5 90 to $6 40; good to choice heavy, $6 25 to $6 52½; rough heavy, $5 90 to $6 15; light, $5 75 to $6 15; bulk of sales at $5 95 to $6 30. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; sheep active and steady; lambs active and stronger; good to choice wethers, $4 to $4 75; western sheep, fed, $4 to $4 75; native lambs, $3 50 to $6; western lambs, fed, $5 20 to $5 75.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

Liverpool, Jan. 8.—Cattle are steady, at 12c to 13c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 9¾c to 10¼c per lb.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, Jan. 9.—Wheat—Good demand, firm, at 77c to 77½c for red and white, middle freights; goose, 68c for No. 2 east, middle freights; spring, 75½c for No. 1 east; Manitoba, 90c for No. 1 hard; 86c for No. 1 northern, and 82c for No. 2 northern, all rail via Sarnia, grinding in transit, January shipment, and 1c less via North Bay. Flour—Firmer; 90 per cent patent, $2 95 to $3, in buyers bags, middle freights; choice brands 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba, $4 20 for cars of Hungarian patents, and $3 90 for strong bakers, in car lots, sacks included, on the track, Toronto. Millfeed—Firmer, at $20 50 to $21 for cars of shorts, and $18 50 to $19 for bran, middle freights. Barley—Steady, at 56c for No. 1, 53c for No. 2, 51c to 52c for No. 3 extra, and No. 3 at 55c, west. Buckwheat—Steady, at 55½c, middle freights. Rye—Steady, at 57c, middle freights. Corn—Steady, at 58c for Canada yellow west. Oats—Steady, at 42c to 43c, middle freights. Peas—Firm, at 84½c, middle freights. Butter—Demand for dairies largely fallen off in favor of the creameries; the latter are firm; dairies weak; creamery prints, 20c to 22c; solids, 19c to 20c; dairy pound rolls, 17c; large rolls, 16c to 17c; tubs, 16c; medium and low, 10c to 12½c. Eggs—Strictly new laid stock scarce; demand good; prices steady, at 25c for case lots of new laid, 21c to 22c for strictly fresh, 17c to 19c for No. 1 limed and 15c to 16c for No. 2 limed. Live hogs—Receipts today, 800; prices unchanged; choice bacon, 6¾c; heavy and light fat, 6½c.

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A COPYRIGHT SUIT.

Toronto, Jan. 8. — M. Bailey, holder of the rights of Rev. Dr. Talmage's sermons, has entered action against Ross and Charles Orr, of the Oakville New Era, for infringement of copyright.

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This disease can be treated only by a remedy carried to the affected parts along with the air breathed, for nature intended these organs for the passage of air alone, and sprays, atomizers and internal medicines utterly fail. But Catarrhozone doesn't fail, for it goes wherever the air breathed goes, and its healing, antiseptic vapor is sure to reach every affected part. Catarrhozone is inhaled at the mouth, and after passing through every air cell of the breathing organs is slowly exhaled through the nostrils. Catarrhozone protects and heals the inflamed surfaces, relieves congestion, allays inflammation, and perfectly cures all bronchial affections. Price, $1; small size, 25c. Druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Before rain came, about the middle of November, Edinburgh had suffered form drought four months, and was within two weeks of a water famine

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Dr. Arthur T. Hobbs Will Remove to Guelph Next Week.

Will Take Charge of Homewood Retreat, a Private Asylum for Dipsomaniacs.

London is about to lose one of its best known and most highly-respected citizens in the person of Dr. A. T. Hobbs, late assistant surgeon at the London Asylum for the Insane. Dr. Hobbs will go to Guelph next week, where he will assume the duties of superintendent of the "Homewood Retreat," a private asylum for victims of dipsomania and morphinism.

The removal of Dr. Hobbs from London will be viewed with sincere regret by the citizens in general, for it was in this city that he first became famous for his tentative work in surgery. Before he left the staff of the London Asylum this work had passed the experimental stage, for Dr. Hobbs had demonstrated that a large percentage of cases of insanity in women can be cured by a comparatively simple surgical operation. Fierce objection to the new system was raised in certain quarters, but Dr. Hobbs nevertheless went quietly and successfully forward with his work.

In the United States and England Dr. Hobbs' name is a familiar one in scientific circles.

The superintendency of the Guelph institution is said to carry with it a very comfortable remuneration.

LATE SPORTING.

FISTIC.

FITZ WOULD FIGHT CHAMPION.

San Francisco, Jan. 9.—Adolph Spreckles, son of the California sugar king, has received a telegram from Fitzsimmons which indicates the Cornishman is ready to enter the ring again and fight Jeffries, if suitable arrangements can be made. In the telegram Fitzsimmons asked the millionaire if he would back him for $25,000 against the present champion, the winner to take the entire share of the gate receipts.

BASKET BALL.

YALE AND COLUMBIA DISQUALIFIED.

New York, Jan. 9.—The registration committee of the Amateur Athletic Union has disqualified Yale and Columbia basket ball teams. The offense of the Yale team consists in playing a game in Waverly, New York, on Tuesday evening with an unregistered team. The Columbia team also came to grief on Tuesday evening. They played the Fifteenth Separate Company's five in Pougkeepsie.

WHEEL.

WON $37,000.

Salt Lake, Utah, Jan. 9.—John M. Chapman, the well-known professional bicyclist, has received a letter from Melbourne, Australia, which states that William Martin, known all over the world as "Plugger Bill" Martin, won the big Australian handicap race held at Melbourne early in December, in which race he cleared $37,000. The race was a two-mile handicap with a first prize of $2,000, and Martin backed himself to the extent of £7,000. When he crossed the tape first his friends rushed to his side, lifted him on their shoulders and carried him to his dressing-loom. Martin intends to return to his home in Lowell, Mass., next spring.

FAMILY OF LATE MRS. WM. S. BALL

Seven Sons and Two Daughters Are Surviving Members.

[Globe Special.]

Guelph, Jan. 8.—At Woodstock yesterday the death took place, in her 77th year, of Mrs. Ball, the widow of Rev. Wm. S. Ball, who at the time of his death, June 20, 1897, was the oldest clergyman in service in the Presbyterian Church, having completed 50 years in the active ministry. Mrs. Ball's maiden name was Marianne Mackenzie Brown. She was a sister of Hon. George Brown and Mr. Gordon Brown, and the youngest daughter of Mr. Peter Brown. She leaves seven sons and two daughters. The sons are Messrs. Alfred, of Woodstock, Peter and George of Toronto, Robert of Milford, Pa.; William, of Boston, Mass., Gordon and Edward, of Rat Portage. Her daughters are Mrs. Kenneth Maclean, of Guelph, and Mrs. Alexander McTavish, of Park Hill. The late Hon. George Brown had four sisters; Mrs. George Mackenzie, of New York, who died in Toronto; Miss Catherine Brown, who was killed in a railway accident at Syracuse many years ago; Mrs. Thomas Henning, who died in Florence, about eleven years age, and Mrs. Ball. Mr. E. B. Brown, of Osgoode Hall, son of the late Mr. Gordon Brown, is a nephew. Mrs. Ball, during the years of her husband's ministry in Woodstock and Guelph, where the greater part of his life was spent, endeared herself to a wide circle of friends, who will deeply regret her death.

The funeral will take place on Friday from the Union Station, Toronto, to the Necropolis, on arrival of the train, due at 12:10, and Mrs. Ball will be laid at rest beside her distinguished brother and the others who sleep in the family burial plot.

EASY TO FIND

When you find a medicine that makes your regular food taste good, when you find a medicine that strengthens a weak stomach—then you know you're going to put some flesh on.

Scott's Emulsion does these things. We recommend it whenever the system needs more flesh. If you are thin and able to eat begin regular doses. That's your part. Scott's Emulsion will do the rest. Not flabby—but solid flesh.

We'll send you a little to try, if you like.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

THE M. H. O.'S ADVICE TO ALL LONDONERS

Vaccination Should Be General—Only a Question of Time Before Smallpox Appears.

"In my opinion," said Medical Health Officer Hutchinson today, "it will be impossible for London to escape the smallpox much longer. Even now, it's all around us, and it's not natural to expect that this city will escape it. People are coming and going to and from the infected districts every day, and it must come here sooner or later. When it does come here, I cannot help feeling that it will be more severe than it was last year. The people here take the best precaution—that is, vaccination. Get vaccinated, and you've got the start of the disease by four days. If the people would only understand the seriousness of the situation, and the good chance they have now to get ahead of it, it would be a very good thing for the city."

In this connection, it is generally felt that Ald. Campbell should again be made chairman of the board of health. His services last year proved that he is an invaluable member of the board.

THE SPARTA SANK

Her Crew, Who Were Given Up as Lost, Picked Up by a Passing Steamer.

Atlantic City, N. J., Jan. 9.—A dispatch received in this city today states that the crew of nine men of the fishing steamer Sparta, which disappeared off this port on Thursday, Jan. 2, were landed at Algiers, La., this morning. The men were picked up by a passing steamer. The Sparta sank. The steamer had gone to the fishing banks, about twelve miles out to sea, and a vain search has been in progress for them for a week. Their relatives and friends had given them up for lost.

MISS BROWN'S FRIEND

A Hamilton Young Lady Who Is Very Grateful for a Timely Word of Advice and Persuasion.

Dyspepsia is no respector of persons. Old and young, rich and poor suffer alike with this dreadfully painful and distressing disease. There are few men and women today who do not suffer more or less from Stomach Trouble in some form, and much of the worrying illness of children is due to the very same cause.

Miss Maggie Brown, of Hamilton, Ontario, suffered for six years with Dyspepsia, which combined with fearful headaches made her life one of much pain and misery.

The foremost physicians treated Miss Brown but were unable to do anything to relieve or cure her. They pronounced her case one of the very worst forms of Dyspepsia and absolutely incurable. She tried many medicines but without any benefit and she was constantly getting worse and worse till she had given up all hope of ever being anything but an invalid.

A friend of hers who had used Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets with success persuaded her to try a treatment of this remedy, and to her surprise her headaches gradually disappeared and the other unpleasant dyspepsia pains as well.

In a short time she was completely restored to perfect health and strength and has not since then had any return of the headaches or other symptoms of dyspepsia.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets used according to directions will do for any dyspeptic what they did for Miss Brown and her friend. They instantly relieve and permanently cure all Stomach troubles and Digestive irregularities.

PRESENTATION TO RETIRING MASTER

Worshipful Brother T. H. Weldon the Recipient of the Handsome Jewel of St. John's Lodge, 209a.

The last regular communication of St. John's Lodge, 209a, was unusually interesting. It marked the retirement of Worshipful Master Thomas H. Weldon. The members of the lodge took the opportunity to present to Mr. Weldon the very beautiful jewel that the past masters of 209a wear. Past Master James A. Smith made the presentation, and in doing so made a brief and appropriate speech, saying, among other things, that the decided prosperity of the lodge during the past year was in large measure due to Worshipful Brother Weldon's leadership, and his untiring enthusiasm for the welfare of the lodge. In expressing the pleasure he had in making the presentation, Worshipful Brother Smith spoke of the high esteem in which the retiring master was held by the brethren. His successor is Worshipful Brother W. E. B. Eardley, under whose direction, the lodge, it is felt, will continue in its present state of efficiency and prosperity.

EVERY MOVE CAUSES PAIN

The Intense Suffering of a Perth Man Relieved and Cured by Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets.

The terrible pain that catches you in the back—makes stooping over, or rising up, or moving about even, unbearable.

In nine cases out of ten it is traceable to disordered kidneys.

The pain in the back is the kidney's signal of distress.

Go to their assistance with Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets.

They will promptly relieve the pain, cure the kidney trouble and restore your health and strength.

Here is a case worth reading:

Mr. Alexander Montgomery, Peter street, Perth, Ont., when interviewed, made this statement: "I was suffering acutely in my back when I began using Dr. Pitcher's Backache Tablets, procurred from F. L. Hall, the druggist. I could lift nothing, every move caused pain. There was neither strength nor energy left in me. The constant aching over my kidneys was most depressing. I started using the Tablets and the lumbago quickly began to let up. I am quite over it now. I have found them most satisfactory and can confidently recommend them for bad backs." Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets are 50 cents a box at all druggists. The Dr. Zina Pitcher Company, Toronto, Ont.

CLOSE TOUCH WITH DEWET.

He Cannot Use Captured Guns Against Blockhouses.

Boer Casualties Number 100 Daily—British Columns Report Recent Successes.

Johannesburg, Jan. 8.—Since noon yesterday 123 Boers have been accounted for. After making a night march, Major Cole-Brander captured a laager and a number of Gen. Delarey's men west of Rustenburg. The Boers' loss was 44 men killed, wounded and captured.

Another British column captured 35 burghers in the northwest part of the Orange River Colony, and the Thirteenth Hussars captured eleven near the Olephant's River blockhouse line.

General Dewet is reported to be moving south before General Elliott, who is following him up the Wilge River. Gen. Dewet has little chance of using the guns he has captured against the blockhouses. The British columns being in close touch, the area in which he can move is being circumscribed.

The military situation is generally good. There is an increasing number of surrenders.

Lord Milner will be a guest at a banquet to be given Monday by the town council and the Chamber of Mines and Chamber of Commerce of Johannesburg.

Since Jan. 1, 160 prisoners have been brought to Bloemfontein, they having been captured by the different columns operating in the Orange River Colony. Gen. Elliott, working to the northeast, captured nine Boers on Jan. 5, and also discovered and destroyed a Krupp gun.

Ninety burghers of the Orange River Colony have lately taken the oath of allegiance.

A SURPRISE.

Colonel Du Moulin, after a night march, recently surprised a party of Boers under Commandants Dutoit and Saul Sarenis, to the southwest of Jagersfontein. The two Boer leaders and twenty-six men were made prisoners. Dutoit is known to have shot lately some native "boys." Du Moulin's captures include 58 rifles, 2,000 rounds of ammunition, and 100 horses.

Large parties of determined fighters, under the immediate command of Botha, Meintjes, Tallyaard, Steenkamp and Bucknill, are now lying in ambush about the district waiting to attack small columns.

BRABANT'S HORSE DISBANDED.

Cape Town, Jan. 8.—Brabant's Horse has been bisbanded after 26 months' service.

COURT-MARTIALED AND SHOT.

Commandant Daniel Van Schalkwyk has been tried by court-martial at Krugersdorp, and shot, for firing at a wounded trooper of the South African Constabulary, who had surrendered and laid down his arms.

BOERS ATTACK NATIVES.

A large commando of Boers lately attacked Linchwe's tribe, the Bakhatia, on the Pilendsberg, killing a number of cattle, herds and taking away 60,000 head of cattle. Linchwe has appealed to the authorities to be allowed to defend his people and to recover his cattle.

FORMER CANADIAN OFFICER.

London, Jan. 8. — Major Jennings Bramley, commanding the Second Scottish Horse, and reported killed in a recent encounter with Christian Botha's forcer near Krugersdorp, came of a distinguished family of soldiers. His elder brother was killed at Dargai, while leading the Gordon Highlanders. Major Bramley served as an officer of the Canadian militia against the rebel Louis Riel during the Northwest rebellion. He served through the present Boer war, including the siege of Ladysmith. After Lydenburg he was promoted major by brevet for gallantry in the field. On the death of Major Murray he succeeded to the chief command of the Second Scottish Horse, which was organized in Pretoria about six months ago, and has done excellent work in rounding up the burghers.

DEATH RESULTED FROM ACCIDENT.

Mr. John Durand, of Belmont, Succumbed This Morning to His Injuries.

Mr. John Durand, hotelkeeper, of Belmont, died this morning about 9 o'clock at Victoria Hospital, from the injuries he received by a fall down stairs at the Atlantic House last Saturday afternoon. His head was cut and he received severe internal injuries. The direct cause of death was pneumonia, which developed as a complication after the accident.

Mr. Durand was born in Westminster township in 1849, and when a young man removed to Dorchester Station, where for many years he followed the occupation of farming, after which he established a hay-fork business. He afterwards became license inspector for East Middlesex, a position he held for many years. He bought out the hotel at Belmont eight years ago.

In the whole county no man was better known and more popular than John Durand. He was 52 years old, and a staunch Reformer. He was a member of the Masonic Order at Dorchester, and in religion was a Presbyterian.

Mr. Durand is survived by his sorrowing wife and two children—John, attendant at the Asylum, and Mrs. John Ruddick, who resides on the old homestead.

The funeral will be held at Dorchester and will be conducted by the Masons of the village.

NOT QUITE THE EXPECTED REPLY.

Funniman—Now, there's your husband coming, Mrs. Candor. Let's make a little surprise for him. Mrs. Funniman and I will hide behind the curtain here, and you tell him that your expected guests haven't come. Then we'll step out and surprise him. (Enter Candor.)

Mrs. Candor (obeying orders)—Well, John, our expected guests have disappointed us—Mr. and Mrs. Funniman haven't come.

Mr. Candor (heartily)—Thank heaven!

The Norwegian Council of State has decided to negotiate for a loan of £2,000,000, to be used for the construction of railways and a thorough telephone system throughout Norway.

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We take down stock on the 21st inst., and we want to sell a lot of winter goods before then; so watch this space for bargain news.

White Wool Blankets, regular price $2 25, for	$1 80
White Wool Blankets, regular price $2 50, for	2 10
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White Wool Blankets, regular price $3 48, for	2 79
White Wool Blankets, regular price $3 89, for	3 50

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Filled with White Wadding.

Bed Comforters, regular price $1 00, for	80c
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Bed Comforters, regular price $1 85, for	1 48
Bed Comforters, regular price $2 00, for	1 60
Bed Comforters, regular price $2 50, for	2 00

Wool Sheeting, 2 yards wide, regular price 65c, for 52c.

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Five Thousand Dollars a Word.

Before Mr. Carnegie turned over his great steel business to the trust he had frequently to consult with the New York corporation lawyer, Mr. James B. Dill, says the Philadelphia Post. One evening Mr. Carnegie, in Pittsburg, called up Mr. Dill, at his club in New York, on the long-distance telephone.

"I want your opinion on an important question," said Mr. Carnegie. "Can you come over tonight and see me at breakfast in the morning?" It was nearly 9 o'clock, and Pittsburg and New York are 430 miles apart.

"The last train for Pittsburg has just left Jersey City," answered Mr. Dill.

"Then come over on the morning train," Mr. Carnegie suggested.

"I can't well do that," said Mr. Dill, "because I have an appointment tomorrow night with Mr. X—— here."

Mr. Carnegie answered at once: "Get a special train tonight."

Half an hour later, Mr. Dill, in his special train, was on his way to Pittsburg. Eleven hours later he said "Good-morning" to Mr. Carnegie.

"Mr. Dill," said the steel-maker, "I wouldn't have asked you to travel nearly a thousand miles for nothing."

Then he asked the corporation lawyer a question, on the answer to which hung the disposition of millons of property. Mr. Dill gave his opinion in a single word.

"Thank you; that's all," said Mr. Carnegie. "I hope you will keep your engagement in New York tonight. Good-bye."

Mr. Dill was with Mr. Carnegie less than five minutes. The special train reached New York that night without mishap, and a few days later Mr. Dill received for his one-word opinion a check for $5,000.

Life Chips Breakfast Food.

The great vitalizing health food, will help you to withstand the evil effects of the abnormal weather. It purifies the blood and tones up the entire system. Every particle of it is pure, and those who eat it freely have clean stomachs, clear brains and a handsome complexion. Ask your grocer for them. 10c a package. Drink Caramel Cereal and sleep well, it saves the nerves.

Health Food Company, London.

The longest railway run in England is made by the London and Northwestern Railway special trains to the Riverside station, Liverpool. This run is just over 200 miles without a stop, and catches the American liners.

Weak Back and Spinal Pains.

Pains in the back number their victims in thousands. Only very powerful and penetrating remedies will reach these distressing complaints, but Polson's Nerviline is as sure to cure them as anything in this world can be sure. Rub Nerviline over the sore parts night and morning, and see how quickly it drives out the pain. Five times stronger than any other. Good for internal and external use. Large bottles, 25c.

Mr. Deraison, a French naval ensign, has been dismissed from the fleet for writing a satirical nover in which several of the leading officers were criticised and caricatured in a very sarcastic fashion.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

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New Zealand exports frozen Stewart Island oysters to London. It needs a robust taste to stand these huge, tough mollusks, but there once was an English king who liked his a month old.

WORMS CAUSE feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup

Has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's" Soothing Syrup.

Signor Sonzogno, the well-known Italian musical publisher, has offered a prize of £2,000 for the best one-act opera. Composers of all nationalities are eligible to compete for the prize.

For whooping cough and croup, Vapo-Cresolene is a simple and perfect remedy.

WESTERN ONTARIO

Live Items Culled for Busy People's Information.

The mills owned by George Bailey, on the Sparta road, between the villages of Sparta and Union, were destroyed by fire on Monday night. A new plant had been recently installed, and the loss will be heavy.

William Haslam, G. T. R. conductor, St. Thomas, stepped upon a nail in the Windsor yards the other day, and is in consequence laid up with a very sore foot.

The Stratford police magistrate has passed sentence on the prisoner Murphy, who was found guilty on the charge of stealing an overcoat and valise from the train between St. Marys and Stratford last week. Murphy will spend five years in Kingston penitentiary.

Dick Wilson and Bob Smith, two young men from Sarnia, joined Charles M. Hays, second vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk, and his party of railway magnates on their special train, as it whizzed past Woodstock on Tuesday. When they got to Hamilton a G. T. R. constable spied them. He landed them in the cells before they had time to say good-bye to their traveling companions. They were fined $5 or twenty days in jail

PILES — ITCHING, BLIND OR BLEEDING.

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TO-DAY'S MARKETS

MONTREAL STOCKS.

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	115	114⅞
Duluth, common	11	10
Duluth, preferred	21	20
Commercial Cable	164	163
Cable Coupon Bonds	100	99
Cable Reg. Bonds	..	..
Montreal Telegraph	175	171½
Richelieu and Ontario	111	110½
Montreal Street Railway	269	268
Montreal Street Ry., new	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	115¼	115
Montreal Heat and Power Co.	97	95½
Bell Telephone Company	175	165
Bank of Montreal	260	258
Ontario Bank	..	123
Molsons Bank	210	209
Bank of Toronto	240	229½
Merchants Bank	150	..
Royal Bank	180	..
Quebec Bank	..	..
Union Bank	117	..
Bank of Commerce	..	..
Bank of Nova Scotia	..	240
Northwest Land, preferred	..	..
Montreal Cotton Co.	129	115
Canada Colored Cotton	60	53½
Dominion Cotton	44	43
Dominion Coal Com	56	55¾
Halifax Heat and Light Bds	35	20
War Eagle Mining Co.	..	..
Payne Mining Company	28	25
Republic Mining Co.	..	..
North Star Mining Co.	26	23
Virtue Mining Co.	26	22
Montreal and London Min. Co.	..	..
Dominion Iron and Steel, pref.	81¾	80½
Dominion Iron and Steel, com.	27	26
Dominion Iron and Steel Bonds	82	81½
Dominion Coal, preferred	..	..

TORONTO STOCKS.

TORONTO, Jan. 9.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	260	257
Ontario	130	128½
Toronto	230	228½
Merchants	153	148
Commerce	152¾	152
Imperial	232	231
Dominion	242	240½
Standard	239	237
Hamilton	227	226½
Nova Scotia	245	240½
Ottawa	210	209
Traders	109¾	109½
British America	..	100
Western Assurance	102	99½
Imperial Life	..	144
National Trust	..	134
Toronto General Trusts	164	161
Consumers' Gas	..	214
Montreal Gas	..	..
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land	71	65
Canada Northwest Land, pref	70	69
Canada Northwest Land, com	30	25
Can. Pacific Railway Stock	115¼	115
Toronto Electric Light	143	141
General Electric	222	221
London Electric Light	107	103½
Commercial Cable	165	164½
Cable Coup. Bonds	100	96
Cable Reg. Bonds	100	97½
Dominion Telegraph	128½	124
Bell Telephone	..	164½
Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co.	111	110¼
Hamilton Steamboat	..	..
Toronto Railway	115½	114⅞
London Street Railway	..	160
Halifax Electric Tram	..	..
Ottawa Street Railway	..	..
Twin City Railway	110	109¾
Luxfer Prism., pref	100	..
Cycle and Motor	..	..
Carter Crume	105	104
Dunlop Tire, pref	103	102¾
War Eagle	11	8
Republic	4	3
Payne Mining	28	22
Cariboo (McKinney)	20	19
Golden Star	..	..
Virtue	..	20
Crows Nest Coal	..	310
North Star	30	24
British Canadian L. and I.	75	59¾
Canada Landed and Nat. Invt.	102	95
Canada Permanent	123	122½
Canada S. and Loan	..	118
Central Canada Loan	..	134
Dominion Savings and Invest	..	70½
Freehold L. and Savings	..	..
Hamilton Provident	..	113½
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	100
Imperial L. and Invest	..	76¼
Landed Banking and Loan	..	113½
Lon. and Can. L. and A.	90	87
London Loan	..	110
London and Ontario	..	..
Manitoba Loan	60	59
Ontario Loan and Deb.	..	120
Peoples' Loan	36	31
Real Estate Loan and Deb.	..	70
Toronto Savings and Loan	..	127
Toronto Mortgage	..	90½
Dominion Steel, com	27	27½
Dominion Steel, pref	83	..
Dominion Steel Bonds	83	81½
Dominion Coal, com	56¼	56
Dominion Coal, pref	..	..

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Jan. 9.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

	Yesterday's Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
Anaconda	31	31	31	30½	30½
Amal. Copper	71⅛	71¼	71¼	69⅞	70½
Atcheson	80¼	79¾	80	79⅜	79⅜
Atcheson Pfd	101	100⅞	100⅞	100½	100⅝
B. & O.	105⅝	105⅝	105¾	105	105⅛
Brooklyn Tran	67¼	67¼	67⅝	66¾	67⅛
Erie	42¾	42⅝	42⅝	42¼	42⅛
K. & T. Pfd	52	52½	..	..	..
L. & N.	106⅛	105⅞	106¼	105¾	106¼
Manhattan	137¼	137⅛	139¾	137⅛	139¾
Metropolitan St.	163	163¾	165⅛	163¾	165
Mo. P.	103	102⅛	103	102⅛	102⅛
N. Y. Central	165⅜	165⅜	166⅛	166⅛	165⅞
Norfolk and W.	57⅜	57⅜	57⅝	57⅛	57¼
N. Pacific, Pfd	..	..	..	..	..
Ont. and Western	35	35	35	34¾	34¾
Pacific Mail	47⅜	47⅛	47⅞	47¼	47¼
Pennsylvania	149⅞	149¾	149⅞	149¾	149¾
People's Gas	103⅞	103	..	..	..
R. I.	156⅛	156¼	157¼	156	156
Reading	82⅛	82⅝	82⅞	82	82¼
St. Paul	165⅜	165⅛	165⅛	164¾	164⅞
Southern Ry. Pfd	94	93¾	93⅞	93⅜	93⅞
Southern Pacific	60⅞	61	61	60⅜	60½
Texas	39½	39¾	..	..	..
T. C. I.	64¾	64⅛	64¾	64⅛	64⅛
U. Pacific	104⅛	104	104⅝	102⅞	103⅛
W. U.	81½	81½	..	..	..
TRUSTS—					
Leather	91⅛	91⅝	..	..	..
Sugar	124¼	123¾	125¼	122⅜	124¼
U. S. Steel Com	44⅜	44¼	44⅜	43¾	43½
U. S. Steel Pfd	95½	95⅜	95⅛	94½	94½
Rubber	..	..	..	..	..

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Flour—Receipts, 18,935 bbls; sales, 2,900 pkgs; state and western market trade was quiet, as holders manifested no desire to allow concessions. Rye flour—Steady; fair to good, $3 20 to $3 40; choice to fancy, $3 50 to $3 75. Wheat—Receipts, 28,500 bu; sales, 2,130,000 bu; options market opened firm, duplicating previous record prices on covering and bullish crop news, but towards noon yielded to realizing; March, 90c; May, 88 13-16c to 89 7-16c; July, 88½c to 89c. Rye—Steady; state, 71c to 72c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 77½c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 3,000 bu; sales, 60,000 bu; option market was dull and steady at first, but subsequently eased off under realizing; May, 70⅞c to 71¼c. Oats—Receipts, 52,500 bu; options dull but steady; track, white state and western, 55c to 59c. Sugar—Raw dull; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 9-16c; molasses sugar, 2 13-16c; refined quiet. Coffee—Dull; No. 7 Rio, 6¾c. Lead—Dull. Wool—Dull. Hops—Quiet.

BUFFALO, Jan. 9.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 86½c; No. 2 northern, 48½c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 96c; No. 1 white, 98c, on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 70¼c; No. 3 yellow, 70c; No. 4 yellow, 69½c; No. 2 corn, 69½c; No. 3 corn, 69¼c. Oats—No. 2 white, 52½c; No. 3 white, 52c; No. 4 white, 51½c; No. 2 mixed, 50c asked.

DETROIT, Jan. 9.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 94½c; No. 2 red, cash and Jan., 93½c; May, 92½c; July, 88½c.

TOLEDO, Jan. 9.—Wheat—Cash, 91½c; May, 91½c; July, 86¼c. Corn—May, 68c. Oats—May, 48⅝c; July, 43½c.

BUFFALO, Jan. 8.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 86c; No. 2 northern, 84c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 96c; No. 1 white, 98c, nominal. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 79½c; No. 2 corn, 69¾c; No. 3 corn, 69½c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 52¼c; No. 3 white, 52¼c; No. 4 white, 51¾c; No. 2 mixed, 50c, on track.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 3,708 pkgs; creamery extras, 25c; do, firsts, 22c to 24c; do, seconds, 19c to 21c; do, thirds, 16c to 17c; creamery, June make, extras, 21c to 22c; do, held, firsts, 19c to 20c; do, seconds, 17c to 18½c; do, thirds, 15c to 16½c; state dairy tubs, fresh fancy, 22c to 23c; do, firsts, 19c to 21c; do, seconds, 17c to 18c; do, thirds, 14c to 16c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 18c to 18½c; do, firsts, 16c to 17c; do, lower grades, 14c to 15½c; western factory, fresh choice, 15c to 15½c; do, fair to prime, 14c to 14¾c; do, June packed, choice, 15c to 15¼cffl do, held, fair to good, 14c to 14½c; do, lower grades, 13c to 13½c; rolls, fresh choice, 17c to 18c; do, common to prime, 13c to 16c; renovated butter, fancy, 19c; do, common to choice, 13c to 18c; packing stock, 13c to 14½c. Cheese—Firm; receipts, 1,000 boxes; state full cream, small fall made, colored, fancy, 11¼c to 11½c; do, white, fancy, 11c to 11¼c; do, late made, average best, 10½c to 10¾c; do, good to prime, 10c to 10¼c; do, common to fair, 7c to 9½c; do, large fall made, fancy, 10½c to 10¾c; do, late made, average best, 9¾c to 10c; do, good to prime, 9c to 9½c; do, common to fair, 7c to 8¾c; light skims, small choice, 8¾c to 9¼c; do, large choice, 7¾c to 8½c; part skims, prime, 7½c to 8c; do, fair to good, 5½c to 7c; do, common, 3c to 4½c; full skims, 2c to 2½c. Eggs—Firm; receipts, 18,935 cases; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy selected, 35c to 36c; do, average prime, 33c to 34c; do, fair to good, 27c to 32c; western and Kentucky, loss off, 35c; do, at mark, 25c to 33c; Tennessee and other southern, at mark, 25c to 32c; refrigerator, fall packed, 20c to 26c; do, spring packed, 18c to 22c; limed, 18c to 19c.

POISON-PAINS

Rheumatism is really a poison in the blood, and where there is poison there's disaster in a lesser or greater degree—but there's a cure.

South American Rheumatic Cure neutralizes the acid poison in the blood in a few hours, and hence relieves at once—the complete cure is effected a little more slowly, but surely. When the disease is of only a few years standing, not more than one to three days' time is required to effect a complete cure. When it has been present in the system for 10 or 15 years the acid poison has permeated the flesh and often the marrow of the bones. In such cases, relief is obtained at once, but a cure cannot be secured under two or three weeks. 9a

For sale by C. McCallum & Co.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported for The Advertiser by F. H Butler, stock broker:

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—May	84¾	84⅝	83⅝	83⅝
July	83⅞	84	83⅜	83¼
Corn—May	67⅛	67¼	66⅜	66⅜
July	66⅛	66⅝	65¾	65¾
Oats—May	47	47¼	46⅝	46⅝
July	42	42⅛	41¾	41¾
Pork—Jan	16 90	....	....	....
May	17 35	17 37	17 27	17 27
Lard—Jan	9 82	9 82	9 77	9 77
May	9 97	10 00	9 92	9 92
Ribs—May	8 82	8 82	8 77	8 77

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

The following table shows the quotations per cental yesterday for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case highest prices are given:

	Jan. 4.	Jan. 6.	Jan. 7.	Jan. 8.
WHEAT—				
Red Winter	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6 3	6 3½	6 4	6 4
Walla	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
No. 1 Cal	0 0	0 0	0 0	6 5
Dec	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
March	6 3⅛	6 3¼	6 4⅛	6 4¼
May	6 3⅜	6 3½	6 4¼	6 4⅜
CORN—				
New	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Old	5 7½	5 8¼	5 8	5 8½
Oct	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Nov	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Dec	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Jan	0 0	0 0	5 4	0 0
Feb	5 3¾	6 3⅛	0 0	5 4½
March	5 3⅛	5 0⅞	5 4¼	5 4
May	5 3¼	5 2⅞	5 4⅛	5 4
Flour	20 6	20 6	20 6	20 6
Peas	6 11⅛	6 11	6 11	6 11
Pork, prime mess	72 6	72 6	72 6	72 6
Lard	49 6	49 4	49 3	49 0
Tallow	29 6	29 6	29 6	29 6
Bacon, light	45 6	45 6	45 6	45 0
Cheese, white	48 6	48 0	48 0	48 0
Cheese colored	49 6	49 0	49 0	49 0

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 9—Closing.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 3¼d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 3d; No. 1 California, 6s 6d; futures quiet; March, 6s 4⅝d; May, 6s 4¾d.

Corn—Spot, American mixed, new, no stock; American mixed, old, steady, 5s 8¼d; futures quiet; Feb., 5s 4½d; March, 5s 4d; May, 5s 4d.

Peas—Canadian firm, 6s 11d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, 7s 9d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady, £3 3s to £3 15s.

Beef—Firm; extra India mess, 79s.

Pork—Firm; prime mess western, 72s 6d.

Lard—American refined, in pails, dull, 49s; prime western, in tierces, quiet, 49s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 48s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, quiet, 41s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, quiet, 45s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 45s; long clear middle, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 44s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 44s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, 52s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, dull, 39s 6d.

Cheese—American finest white firm, 48s 6d; American finest colored, firm, 49s 6d.

Butter—Steady; finest United States, 92s; good United States, 70s.

Tallow—Prime city strong, 29s 9d; Australian (in London), firm, 31s 3d.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot, firm, 22s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 28s 6d.

Rosin—Common dull, 3s 10½d.

Petroleum—Refined steady, 7¼d.

Linseed oil—Dull, 30s 3d.

SUGAR.

London, Jan. 8.—Raw sugar, Muscovado, 7s; centrifugal, 8s 3d; beet sugar, Jan., 6s 6d.

A WOMAN'S ADVICE

Mrs. Maxwell Tells All Suffering Women What Made Her Strong and Well After Years of Suffering.

Elora, Ont., Jan. 6.—Mrs. Maxwell, of this town has given for publication a strong letter telling her experience with a well-known remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. In part it reads as follows:

"Words cannot express my gratitude to God for my wonderful deliverance from pain and sickness. Every woman of my age will understand me when I say that I could scarcely move hand or foot but I would be caught with violent pains all through my system. I was dizzy-headed and altogether distressingly sick. I used Dodd's Kidney Pills and they cured me, and I believe they will cure any woman who may be suffering as I was. I am well and strong today, and Dodd's Kidney pills deserve all the credit."

Telegraphic Briefs.

The Canadian-Jamaica Steamship Company will begin a service between West St. John, N.B., and different ports in Jamaica this month.

Owing to the prevalence of smallpox in the French settlements, the sittings of the halfbreed commission, called this week in Winnipeg, have been canceled.

Dr. J. A. Smith, of Windsor, is interested in a Chicago company which will manufacture a filter invented by Dr. Smith and his partner in business, Dr. Revell. It is expected a branch of the company will be organized in Windsor to manufacture the filters for the Canadian trade.

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Strong's Baking Powder

has been tested and has become the family baking powder of thousands throughout the city and Canada. It never was more popular nor more largely used than it is today.

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WEATHER BULLETIN

London, Jan. 9.—8 a.m.

Stations—	Temperature. 8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	26	20	Clear
Winnipeg	24	12	Cloudy
Parry Sound	28	24	Cloudy
Toronto	30	28	Cloudy
Ottawa	14	12	Cloudy
Montreal	14	12	Fair
Quebec	24	12	Cloudy
Father Point	24	16	Snow

FORECASTS.

Today—Mostly fair and mild; light local snow at night.

Friday—Still mild.

WEATHER NOTES.

The storm off our Atlantic coast has transpired to be of much importance, attended by heavy gales and snowfalls. The weather is still mild from the Northwest to the lakes, but this morning the outlook in the west is more favorable for a change to colder.

Prohibition Referendum in Manitoba.

The important news comes from Manitoba's Premier, Mr. Roblin, that the Manitoba prohibition act will not be allowed, but will be referred to a vote of the people before being enforced. Legislation providing for this will be introduced at the approaching session, and the referendum taken almost immediately after the prorogation of the House.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

INDIAN CRADLE SONG.

Sing thee low in thy cradle soft,
Deep in the dusky wood;
Swing thee low and swing aloft—
Sleep as a papoose should;
For safe in your little birchen nest,
Quiet will come, and peace and rest,
If the little papoose is good.

The coyote howls on the prairie cold,
And the owlet hoots in the tree,
And the big moon shines on the little child
As it slumbers peacefully.
So swing thee low and take the rest
That the night wind brings to thee.

The father lies on the fragrant ground,
Dreaming of hunt and fight,
And the lime leaves rustle with mournful sound
All through the solemn night;
But the little papoose in his birchen nest
Is swinging low as he takes his rest,
Till the sun brings the morning light.
—New York Press.

—Chief Sandy Henderson, of the St. Thomas fire department, is in the city.

—The union Presbyterian communion service takes place at St. Andrew's Church tomorrow evening.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Children's Aid Society is being held at the city hall today at 4:15 p.m.

—Berlin Telegraph: Mrs. Slater, of London, was in town yesterday attending the funeral of the late Mrs. J. Martin.

—Mrs. Allan S. Leys, of Elmwood avenue, is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Pendergast, at Detroit.

—Miss Florence Lamont, of this city, has gone to Omaha, Neb., to join her father. They will spend the winter in the west.

—Gilbert Parker, M. P., the eminent Canadian author, passed through the city this morning on his way to Toronto, where a banquet will be tendered him.

—The sale of tickets for the Jessie Maclachlan concert, in the Grand Opera House on Wednesday evening, Jan. 15, is progressing bri Evidently there is a keen desire on the part of the music-loving public, to hear the famous Scottish prima donna.

—Tonight Venus, which is the evening star this month, will reach its greatest brightness. It is to be found in the constellation Aquarius, in the west, just after sunset. On Jan. 1 it was in sight for over three and one-half hours, and on the 31st will still be visible for something over two hours.

THE PORT STANLEY BOARD.

Mr. Charles B. Hunt, president of the board of trade, is mentioned as a probable appointee to the new Port Stanley board.

ON HIS HONEYMOON.

Friends in this city received word today that Mayor Rumball's marriage was solemnized at Walkerton yesterday morning, and that he and his bride were on their way to Florida.

GILBOR—BRADSHAW.

The marriage was recently announced of Miss Jennie Bradshaw, of London, and Mr. Hubert Gilbor, of Essex, Ont. After spending Christmas and New Year's in London and vicinity, the young couple are at home at their residence, "The Ridge," Essex, Ont.

ROYAL TEMPLARS' INSTALLATION.

The installation of officers of London Council, No. 397, Royal Templars of Temperance, took place on Tuesday evening in Somerset Hall, when the following were duly installed: Select councilor, Robert Moule; vice-councilor, H. Wallace; financial secretary, E. Littlejohn; recording secretary, Mabel Doan; herald, Frank Laskey; treasurer, W. Lee; guard, —. Goward; press reporter, H. H. Wallace. Three transfers were accepted, two from Appin and one from Westminster, B. C., and one transfer was granted. The social committee reported that the Templar medal elocution contest would take place on Tuesday evening, Jan. 21, at 8 o'clock in Somerset Hall, when eight or ten talented elocutionists will compete. A splendid programme has also been arranged in addition to the competitions, and a bumper house on that occasion is confidently expected. Delegates were also appointed to represent the lodge at the prohibition convention on Jan. 16. This lodge is steadily growing in numbers, and cannot fail to make its influence and power felt in the promotion of moral and social reform.

JAILED FOR STEALING FOWL.

At this morning's police court Harry Donnelly, of Christie street, pleaded guilty to stealing a game cock from Alfred Hill, of Maitland street. He was fined $30 and $3 80 costs, or thirty days in jail, the limit of the penalty provided. He went to jail.

DIED IN DRESDEN.

The death occurred at Dresden, Ont., on the 2nd inst., of Mr. John Johnson, formerly of this city. Mr. Johnson, who had reached his 85th year, resided with his son, Mr. Jesse Johnson. He leaves one son and three daughters—Mrs. Josiah Gallagher and Mrs. Chas. Hubbard, of East Nissouri, and Mrs. Reuben Harris, of Hibbard, Ont.

ELSON—FOWLER.

A quiet wedding was celebrated on Wednesday morning at St. George's Church, West London, by the Rev. G. B. Sage, when Mr. Garda Elson, of Delaware, was united in marriage with Miss Florence Fowler, eldest daughter of Mr. W. R. Fowler, of 2 Oxford street, West London. Both young people were very popular, and received many handsome and valuable presents. Their numerous friends join in wishing them every happiness.

WAS WELL KNOWN HERE.

Mrs. Ball, widow of the late Rev. W. S. Ball, a well-known Presbyterian clergyman, who at one time preached in London township, died at Guelph last night. Mrs. Ball was the only surviving member of the older generation of the Brown family, she being a sister of the late Hon. George Brown and the late Gordon Brown. Mr. Ball, her husband, who will be well remembered throughout Middlesex and London, died in June, 1897. Mrs. Ball leaves seven sons and two daughters.

COURT JEFFERY, A. O. F.

On Tuesday evening, the members of Court Jeffery, No. 50, A. O. F., met at the Society Hall. After the discharge of routine business, the court was informed that Bro. Will Gale, district chief ranger, accompanied by a large deputation from sister courts, was in waiting to install the officers for 1902. Bro. Gale and his companions then proceeded to install the officers, they having been elected at the December meeting of the court. After installation a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the D. C. R. and others for their assistance, and a hearty invitation was extended to them to visit the court whenever possible. Bro. Gale responded in his usual happy style, wishing the court every success in the new year and promising to aid them in every possible way. Bro. John Nutkins responded, assuring the visitors that the officers and members of Court Jeffery would do their part in the upbuilding of the court and in the furtherance of the interests of Ancient Forestry in general. The officers installed were as follows: Chief ranger, Bro. Roy Hiscock; sub chief ranger, Bro. Percy Welford; assistant secretary, Bro. C. A. Ross, P.C.R.; senior woodward, Bro. Ingram; junior woodward, Bro. Chapman; Junior beadle, Bro. A. W. Jenkins; junior beadle, Bro. McNaughton; right support, Bro. Nutkins; left support, Bro. Nicol.

They Cure Coughs

GRIP-QUININE Tablets are a new, safe and speedy cure for coughs, colds and similiar affections. Grip-Quinine has all the beneficial effects of old fashioned quinine without its nauseous taste and unpleasant consequences. Grip-Quinine breaks up the worst cold or cough, cures LaGrippe, chills, fever, malaria, etc. A dose at bedtime breaks the cold before morning. Relief in one dose. Cure in one day. The genuine has the Dog's Head Trade Mark on every box. Refuse all others. 25 cents a box at your druggists, or by mail from the Canada Grip-Quinine Co., Ltd., Brockville, Ont.

PLEASED WITH HIS VISIT TO OTTAWA

Marconi Has Arranged to Build a Station at Cape Breton.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 9.—Mr. Marconi left this afternoon for New York. Before starting he expressed himself well pleased with his visit to Ottawa and said he had completed all his arrangements for building his station in Cape Breton.

SHOT HIS FATHER.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 9.—News nas come to Ottawa that George P. Sills, formerly of this city, has been accidentally shot by his son Percy, at Barritt's Rapids, B. C. The son was cleaning his rifle when it went off and killed his father instantly.

An Open Letter.

To my many friends and customers of the past, and to every Canadian housekeeper and director of the daily bill-of-fare, I ask you to test the merits of our new natural food product, "SUPERIOR BREAKFAST CREAM" (cereal). It is made from the pure, life-building portions, phosphates and gluten of the world's best and most northern grown wheat of Manitoba, and contains none of those indigestible, starchy properties that go to make up the majority of breakfast foods.

It will agree with the most delicate digestion, and is positively the latest and greatest natural food diet for the development of bone, brain and muscle in youth and the retaining of strength and vigor in old age.

SUPERIOR BREAKFAST CREAM is of a rich, creamy color; is the most nourishing and palatable, and will be the most popular cereal product ever offered to the public through the grocery trade. In packages containing thirty meals, for 20 cents.

In our two new Canadian cereal goods we are confidently awaiting the verdict of popular favor. Yours truly,

E. A. SHOEBOTHAM,
Manager Northwestern Cereal Company, London, Ont.

Manufacturers of Superior Breakfast Cream (cereal), and Superior Gluten Flour.

HOCKEY.

SIMCOE DEFEATED GALT.

Galt, Ont., Jan. 9.—The hockey match in the junior series, played here last night between Simcoe and Galt, resulted in favor of Simcoe by a score of 7 to 3

THE "MAPLE LEAF"

Is the Crest of the Canadian Mounted Rifles—Twenty-Six Men Discharged.

Halifax, Jan. 9.—Major-Gen. O'Grady-Haly will inspect the Canadian Mounted Rifles tomorrow morning.

The crest of the contingent is the Maple Leaf.

Twenty-six men have been so far discharged for intoxication or inability to ride. It is said Col. Evans has telegraphed to the west for 30 more.

THE BURKE CASE IS IN PROGRESS

Plaintiff Seeks $2,000 Damages for Alleged Assault.

At yesterday afternoon's session of the winter assizes, the suit of Burke vs. Burke et al. was taken up by Mr. Justice Ferguson. The plaintiff, Miss Elizabeth Burke, is a first cousin and foster-sister of Col. Burke, United States consul at St. Thomas, the principal defendant. She alleges that about the beginning of last year, after she had remonstrated with him on his gambling and drink habits, he ordered her to leave his house, and on her refusal to do so, he engaged Barrister John A. Robinson to get her out of the house. She alleges that two bailiffs, John W. Cook and J. R. Donahue, hired by Robinson, went to Col. Burke's house and removed her from it, accompanying their action with unnecessary and brutal violence. She was insufficiently clothed at the time, she alleges, but they put her in a cab and drove her through the streets on a bitterly cold night. She claimed $2,000 for assault, naming Col. Burke, Barrister Robinson, J. W. Cook and J. R. Donahue as defendants. The latter, however, evaded service by going to the United States, and his name had been dropped from the action.

The case was continued all through the morning session today, Miss Burke being cross-examined by Mr. Robinson, who appears for the defendant, Cook. Several times during the morning Judge Ferguson remonstrated with the barrister on the line of cross-examination pursued, and told him he was wasting the court's time. Miss Burke stuck to her story of the ejectment.

J. M. McEvoy appears for Col. Burke, J. A. Robinson, of St. Thomas, for Mr. Cook, and Jos. Montgomery, of Toronto, for Mr. Robinson. Messrs. E. Meredith and P. H. Bartlett are conducting the case for the plaintiff on behalf of Mr. Toothe.

In the case of Glenn vs. Rudd, Judge Ferguson reserved judgment.

MODEL CITIES OF THE WORLD

Communities in Which Many Problems Have Been Solved.

How Municipal Affairs Are Conducted in Far Away Town of Dresden, Germany.

Dresden is an example of what can be accomplished in public finance in public works in a well administered city of 400,000 people. It annual income for 1900 was $6,612,229; expenditures, $6,274,227; balance on hand, $338,002, to be deducted from next annual budget. This is the more interesting when we note that all branches of public works, such as water, gas, electric power and light, street paving, etc., were kept in good condition, and several important additions to the waterworks paid for.

Dresden pensions all deserving municipal employes, their unmarried widows and minor children, at a cost of about $76,000 per year. This includes all, from the highest class to common laborer, in all departments, such as finance, tax, water, police, lighting, fire, health, school, charities, hospital, insane asylum, orphan asylum, municipal, savings bank, and other departments.

Pensions are granted to those (1) who have served at least ten years, who have become invalids because of service to the city; (2) who have been good and faithful employes; (3) who have need of a pension; (4) who are recipients of the German national old age or invalid pension; (5) no one has a legal right to claim a pension; (6) exceptions to the first and fourth conditions can be made by vota of the city council or aldermen.

SOURCES OF INCOME.

The sources of income of the city are many, besides taxes. They are from large funds invested in national, state and other bonds; from its gas, electric light and power works; large and many endowment funds for schools, charities, and quasi-public improvements. It also levies direct and indirect taxes upon the people of the city in a way which does not fall too heavily on the real estate. The following analysis is instructive when compared with the systems of Canadian cities:

Source.	Total receipts.	Per cent of total income.
Poll and residence tax	$ 70,000	2.61
Income tax	1,500,000	55.10
Real estate	205,000	7.65
Real estate transfers	370,000	13.71
Certificates	200	.01
Hunting permits	600	.02
Fishing permits	15	.00
Dancing pavilions, etc.	15,000	.55
Theater licenses	12,100	.45
Camping permits	150	.01
Dog tax	25,400	.85
Flour, meal and products (1)	175,000	6.52
Beer (2)	103,000	3.86
Fish (3)	15,000	.55
Venison, etc. (4)	15,000	.60
Game, birds, etc. (5)	11,000	.41
Prepared meats (6)	31,400	1.21
Cattle, etc., for food (7)	160,400	5.87
Totals	$2,682,413	100.00

The tax on the seven food products aggregates $510,588.

The employes of all grades are chosen after general civil service examinations and special examinations, according to the position to be filled. They are examined for promotion in addition to the value of their record. They serve during life, efficiency and good conduct, until retired for inability from old age or sickness, when they are pensioned as stated. The total city pay roll is about $826,000 per year.

FIRE AND POLICE.

The fire department is excellent, but small, because almost all the buildings are fire proof. This department consists of one chief, two division chiefs, one secretary, 22 captains, 144 firemen, 12 assistant firemen, aggregating 182 men for nearly 400,000 inhabitants.

The total fires last year were 717, of which 669 were put out by hand, without engines; 42 needed two or less streams of water, six needed two or more streams. The largest fire lasted three hours. The steam fire engines were needed only three times.

The total loss, fully insured, was $37,490. The cost of the fire department for the year was $90,352.

The police department contains about 224 men, and costs for the year $110,940.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The public and all city schools using public funds cost $1,141,000, which indicates that much more, in proportion, is given to education; hence, less is required for police, fire and other branches of city affars than in cities where there is lack of method, education and experience in public affairs on the part of public officials and employes. Here the adage is well illustrated, "What you wish in a nation put in at the schools."

PAVEMENTS.

The pavements of Dresden are as follows:

Kind.	Total in sq. yds.	Amount of annual repairs sq. yds.	P. C. of total amount
Stone blocks	1,335,040	33,600	2.5
Asphalt	120,000	2,669	2.1
Macadam	2,207,600	161,280	7.1
Totals	3,662,640	197,549	5.4

The macadam was maintained by the block system, and required 46 men at all times for general maintenance besides the 161,280 square yards, which were resurfaced with crushed stone.

	Square yards.
Stone blocks	2,261,000
Asphalt	339,472
Macadam walks, etc.	463,136
Total	3,065,608

The street cleaning department cleaned roadways and sidewalks as follows:

Of the above the men cleaned 1,612,800 square yards more than once each day.

The annual cost of street cleaning was as follows:

Kinds of work.	Total.	Cents per sq yard.
Stret sand sidewalks	$157,200	5.232
Snow removal	40,000	1.340
Sprinkling	39,200	1.232
Totals	$236,400	7.804

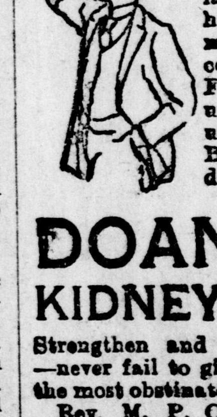
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Marie, however, had never been so fortunate as to have had much share in her cousin's advantages. While the two were yet mere children, and the latter was spending half her time at New Court, she was left pretty much to the companionship of the doctor's two children. The elder girl was clever, pretty and interesting; Marie was plain, not clever, and decidedly uninteresting. She was so quiet, so shy, and, in consequence, so awkward, that she was worse than unnoticeable; and as everybody told her how stupid she was, she naturally came at last to deserve the reproach to some extent. In truth, she was not so much stupid as slow; but as the difference between slowness and stupidity is almost always imperceptible, it is no wonder that those about her did not perceive it. Such merits as she had were negative, and were such as by their very nature draw no attention and interest to one. Two of these were merits, however, that, uninteresting and unobtrusive as they are, must be allowed to compensate for a want of those brilliant qualities with which they are so seldom combined; she had the sweetest temper in the world, and she was wholly free from the slightest taint of jealousy. She was no more jealous of the affection that everyone showered upon her cousin, and gave to her so very sparingly, than the moon is jealous of the sun. She was, indeed, her cousin's warmest and devoted admirer; and the more her heroine was admired the more she herself was pleased.

As these two grew up the difference between them widened and widened, even when approaching womanhood, and made Marie less absurdly shy and much less plain. Indeed, in point of looks, she became even good-looking enough to be spoken of by strangers, if they noticed her at all, and her cousin was not by, as a rather pretty girl. But no one had ever said so to her face; nor was she very likely to meet with anyone who would. If any such remark had been made in the hearing of any of her friends who had known her from her infancy, one and all would have stared amazed, and she would have stared the most of all. And so, when her divine cousin went away with her grand friend, Marie was quite content to stay at home with her father and her little brother and sister—to find all her serious occupation in mending, washing and suchlike pursuits—and to look for her whole amusement in strumming on the old harpsichord, and in taking gossiping walks with Laura Warden, the doctor's daughter, who, poor girl, was plain, stupid and uninteresting in an absolute and positive sense. It was this Laura Warden, who, with her brother Mark, had been Marie's early and only playmates. Hers was indeed a dull, poor, stupid life—it scarcely contained sufficient material to feed even a quiet spirit that dreamed of nothing more.

In the course of one of these walks of theirs, the two girls, having been as far as the lodge gates of Earl's Dene, were strolling homeward by the banks of the Grayl. It was the close of a summer day, and the country had reached the second stage of its beauty.

The doctor's daughter was in reality the younger of the two, but she did not look so. She was not unlike, for a girl, what her father had been in his younger days, except that, instead of being tall and stout, she was short and inclined to be stout. In other respects she had no particular figure to speak of—a round, more than rosy face, short turn-up nose, blue-gray eyes and light curly hair. Even as the doctor had been considered rather a handsome man by the women of Denethorp, so was she considered a pretty girl by its men. Altogether, she looked like a good-humored country girl; and her dress was rather fine, rather slatternly, and wholly unfashionable. Marie, on the other hand, though she looked little more than a child, had in reality arrived at the advanced age of eighteen years. Her figure was neither short nor tall, but was elegant in its carriage, and that of a lady, without being so graceful as to be remarkable. Her face, which was rather of the square order, and somewhat Flemish in its complexion and contour, wore an habitual smile that was rather sweet than bright. Her dress, like that of her companion, had but little to do with any of the fashions of the last four years; but it was in as good taste as can well be contrived with a purse narrow to the last extreme. They were certainly not a distinguished looking pair, and not such as would have received a second look from any ordinary pair of eyes.

The one chattered, the other listened; and as a matter of course, the chatter had a great deal to do with "he."

"What do you think, Marie? Don't you think he is very ugly?"

"Really, I haven't noticed. No—not so very."

"What a girl you are! You never notice anybody, I think."

"Oh, yes, I do."

"Come, don't pretend. I'm sure Mr. Brown looked your way at church. I saw him."

"That can hardly be, Lorry, when I don't go to church."

"Oh, I forgot you were a Dissenter. Then of course he couldn't have."

"A Catholic, Lorry."

"Oh, it's all the same. I suppose it was at Mrs. Price's girls, then."

"I shouldn't wonder."

"La, Marie, how provoking you are!"

"Why?"

"Because you are. I'm sure I wouldn't look at him for the world. He's not so good-looking as that comes to. Would I?"

"I don't see why you shouldn't, if you like."

"I think even Mark's better looking—don't you?"

"Than Mr. Brown?"

"Of course—who else? Oh, Marie! look—there's a water-rat! I'd throw something at him if I had it."

"Is that because of his color, Lorry?"

"How you do go on about Mr. Brown!" replied Laura, with delightful injustice.

"And pray who is Mr. Brown?" suddenly asked a voice behind them. "I shall be jealous if you don't take care; and then——"

Miss Laura started and turned round. "La, Mark, how you do make one jump, to be sure!" she exclaimed. Marie held out her hand, with just a little more color in her face than before.

Not that either had the least reason to be alarmed. Mark Warden was only a manly-looking boy of an uncomfortable age, with little remarkable about him except that he was singularly unlike his sister, and that the want of likeness was entirely in his favor, for he was tall and lank, with a thin, pale face, square forehead, straight nose, strong thin lips, and sharp, decided gray eyes which were just now lit up triumphantly.

"You didn't expect to meet me, you two?" he asked. "I've got some news. Guess."

"Oh, do tell us!" exclaimed Lorry.

"You see before you, young ladies, a scholar of Saint Margaret's College, Cambridge."

"La, Mark, what in the world's that?"

"It means someone that'll be a fellow of Saint Margaret's one of these days—perhaps a bishop! What do you say to that?"

"Oh, Mark, what do you mean?"

So then he explained to them both his great success, with that glowing flow of spirit that is born from no success in life but the first. Both the girls caught, each in her own different way, the contagion of his triumph; and both to the full shared his interest in the immediate fact that he was no longer a schoolboy, and would be a full-blown Cambridge man in October.

"And the young squire'll be there, too, I hear say," said Lorry, who was as much impressed by the fact that her brother would be with the young squire as by any part of the story.

Mark looked contemptuous, but smiled, for this meant something to him also. He did not explain to them the difference between a scholar and a fellow-commoner.

To be no longer a schoolboy! That in itself is a great thing; it is to feet that one is really a man—to feel it much more strongly, alas! than when manhood does really come, and one finds out how little it means after all. Mark at this moment had the sensation of being a new creature altogether, and he looked at the outside world with altogether new eyes. He even found out already, for instance, that feminine sympathy was a pleasant thing, especially when it flowed from one who was not his sister. Possibly it was some unconscious instinctive feeling that this was so with him that had called up the shadow of a blush upon the cheek of Marie on meeting her old tyrant and playfellow.

Besides, Mark Warden had always been, not only her tyrant, but her hero—not an unusual combination, by the way. She was by nature prone to hero-worship, and, next to her cousin, the doctor's son held the highest place in her little social pantheon. She naturally, and as a matter of course, admired most in others the strength and talent in which she was supposed, and supposed herself, to have no part. Now Mark Warden was not a boy of the most ordinary sort, although there are plenty of boys like him. What his character became when fully formed will appear in due course. But at present it may be said that he apparently inherited but few of his father's qualities. The doctor used to say of his son, with pride, "Look at my son Mark; there's an old head on young shoulders for you!" His schoolfellows set him down as being a prig, and his masters held him up as the model boy, alike in point of character, of industry, and of talent. But his father, his schoolfellows, and his masters were all wrong. In such a matter the instinct of a girl, however young she may be, is infallible; and no young girl ever admires an old head on young shoulders, a prig, or a model boy. It is of the nature of a Sophia to hate a Master Blifil. In point of fact the head of Mark was to the full as young as his shoulders, and was filled, besides, with all sorts of impossible dreams; he had no real love of books; he cared not a straw for the good opinion of anybody; his talent was not brilliant; and his freedom from scrapes was simply the result of his industry, which itself was utterly against the grain of his nature.

[To be Continued.]

TURF EVENTS OF THE YEAR

A Chronological Record of Interest to Horsemen.

Harold H. Paced Fastest Mile of the Year in a Class Race—Other Performances.

The brilliant work of Cresceus and Little Boy looms up conspicuously. The former created a sensation on July 18 in Detroit, when he trotted a mile in 2:05, making a new world's record for a second heat in a race. The next week, at Cleveland, driven by his owner, he trotted in the world's record time of 2:02¾. At Columbus, the next week, he lowered this record a half of a second. Little Boy broke his record at the Empire City track on Sept. 28, when he paced a mile to wagon in 2:02. On Oct. 21, at Memphis, he lowered this record to 2:01¾, and four days later he put up 2:01½. On Oct. 1 Harold H., the wonderful Canadian horse, paced a mile in 2:04 at Terre Haute—the fastest mile paced in a class race for the year. The list follows:

Jan. 3—Beauseant, a 3-year-old stallion, purchased by J. C. McKinney at a reported price of $17,000.

Jan. 4—Oakley race track, Cincinnati, leased for trotting meetings.

Jan. 10—A $10,000 purse for 2:25 pacers decided by the New England Breeders' Association.

Jan. 16—Thomas W. Lawson offered three prizes for the Boston horse show aggregate value $3,500.

Jan. 17—Sir Frank Smith president of the Ontario Jockey Club died.

Jan. 17—Narragansett Park Association, Providence, R. I., opened a $10,000 purse for 2:10 pacers.

Jan. 24—George W. West, the well-known trainer, died in Chicago.

Jan. 29.—Grand Circuit stewards met at Detroit and assigned dates.

Jan. 29—Lexington, Ky., announced trotting purses amounting to $80,000 for the October meeting.

Feb. 5—Great Western Circuit managers met in Chicago and assigned dates.

Feb. 6—Highwood (2:21½) sold to D. W. Brenneman, Chicago, for $4,100.

Feb. 13—Gayton (2:03¼) sold to Karl Piatnak, of Vienna, Austria, for $9,000.

Feb. 13—E.B. Rice, of Boston, bought Anaconda (2:02½) for $6,500.

Feb. 14—Jewell (2:09½), by Petoskey, reduced the Canadian ice record to 2:19 at Ottawa.

Feb. 16—Cresceus (2:04 and Charles Herr (2:07) matched.

Feb. 19—Onward Silver (2:11¼) sold for $3,500.

Feb. 19—The supreme court of Missouri decided in favor of pool-selling and bookmaking on race tracks licensed by the state auditor.

Feb. 20—The green 3-year-old Milton, by Allerton, sold for $5,000 to J. C. McKinney, Titusville, Pa.

Feb. 25—The Lake Erie Circuit secretaries met at Bradford, Pa., and assigned dates.

Feb. 26—Annual meeting of Northeastern Ohio circuit managers met at Cleveland and claimed dates.

Feb. 26—Columbus Driving Association met and opened the early-closing stakes, including two $5,000 stakes for 2:23 trot and 2:20 pace, respectively.

March 1—Thomas W. Lawson offered to make a $10,000 corner for Boralma, The Abbot, Cresceus and Charley Herr.

March 10—William E. Spier, owner of Suburban Farm, Glen's Falls, N. Y., and one of the most prominent breeders of trotters in the country, died.

March 20—The much-written and talked-of The Abbot-Boralma $25,000 match blew over, the dispute being on 3 in 5 and 4 in 7 heats.

March 20—Emma Winters, 3 (2:14¾), sold for $8,000.

March 20—A liberal pool bill was introduced into the Legislature of Pennsylvania.

March 22—Boralma, Cresceus and Charley Herr matched for a three-cornered race of $10,000 each.

April 5—The forfeit money of $2,500 each for the Boralma, Cresceus and Charley Herr race was posted by the owners with Col. Thayer, of Boston.

April 6—Directors of the American Trotting Register Association met in Chicago for their annual meeting.

April 8—$5,000 a side was deposited with the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association by the owners of Boralma and The Abbot for a match race.

April 9—Cincinnati was officially admitted into the Grand Circuit by the stewards' committee.

April 14—Fire destroyed several stalls at Narragansett Park, Providence, R. I.

April 14—A Star Pointer—Lottie Loraine filly, having the fastest speed inheritance (2:02½) was born at Goshen, N. Y.

April 16—Cresceus and Charley Herr matched for the October meeting at Lexington, Ky.

April 18—The first harness race for the twentieth century was held on the East Suffolk, Pa., half-mile track.

April 19—The first fine in a harness race was imposed by Starting Judge Scott Locke at Combination Park, Boston.

April 24—Cresceus and The Abbot matched for a race at Brighton Beach, Aug. 15; purse $12,000.

May 6—Welch & Jones bought the Oakley track, Cincinnati, for a reported price of $120,000.

May 7—Board of review of the National Trotting Association met in New York.

May 7—Annual spring session of the board of appeals of the American Trotting Association was held in Chicago.

May 8—William E. Spier, the well-known trotting horseman and breeder, died at Glen's Falls, N. Y.

May 10—The board of review reversed a former decision in regard to the matinee record of John A. McKerron.

June 5—Effie Powers paced the first mile of the twentieth century in better than 2:10, pacing the first heat in 2:09 in a match race at Baltimore.

June 6—Walter F. (2:19¼), by Abdallah Wilkes, was the first 2:20 pacer of the year at Baltimore.

June 20—Goodness Gracious (2:29¼), at Denver, was the first 3-year-old in the 1901 list.

June 28—The board of review met at Hartford and gave John A. McKerron a record of 2:10; former decision in Arch. W. case was sustained, and Dick Wilson, of Rushville moonshine meeting fame, reinstated.

July 2—The formation of a new trotting association reported from Cleveland.

July 2—The Great Western Circuit opened at Minneapolis and Pekin.

July 4—Bert H. Whiteley, Muncie, Ind., paid $5,000 each for John R. Potts and Edith W.

July 4.—Little Boy (2:06), paced two miles in 2:07½ and 2:07¼, at Pekin, Ill, the fastest mile up to date for 1901.

July 9—Joe Patchen and Anaconda matched for the Brighton Beach meeting, Aug. 12; purse $1,500.

July 10—Dan Patch (2:07½), was the first 2:10 pacer for the year, taking the record at Windsor, Ont.

July 10—The famous sire, Wilkes Boy (2:24½), died at Lexington, Ky.

July 11—The first ringer reported from Peoria, Ill. It was George W., and claimed to hail from Ohio.

July 12—Patron (2:14¼), the first trotting stallion to take a record below 2:20 as a 3-year-old, died at Forest City Farm, Cleveland.

July 15—Star Pugh won the Chamber of Commerce stake at Detroit; best time, 2:09½.

July 16—Eleata won the M. and M.; best time, 2:06¾, the fastest for the stake. She was the first new 2:10 trotter for the year.

July 17—Coney made a new track record (pacing) for Detroit, in 2:02.

July 18—Cresceus trotted a mile in 2:05 at Detroit in a race, making a new world's record for a second heat in a race.

July 18—Nick Hubinger purchased Metallas (2:12¼), for $16,000.

July 18—Coney and Anaconda paced the fastest heats in Detroit in 2:02, 2:02¾ and 2:03½—world's record.

July 22—The Grand Circuit meeting at Cleveland.

July 26—Cresceus, driven by Owner Ketcham, trotted a mile in 2:02¾ at the Glenville track, Cleveland.

August 2—Cresceus trotted a mile in 2:02¼ at Columbus—world's record.

August 3—Shadow Chimes, 2:07¼, became the holder of the world's record for a first heat winner and the fastest new pacer for the year.

Aug. 13—Lord Derby won the $10,000 free-for-all stake for trotters at Brighton Beach.

Aug. 15—Cresceus shut out The Abbot in the second heat of the $12,000 match race at Brighton Beach; first heat in 2:03¼, the world's fastest heat trotted in a race.

Aug. 17—Anaconda paced in 2:01¾—fastest mile paced so far for 1901.

Aug. 17—Stamboul (2:07½), died at Arden Farm, Goschen, N. Y.

Aug. 19—Country Jay won the Blue Hill Stake at Readville.

Aug. 21.—Onward Silver won the $10,000 Massachusetts stake, beating Eleata; best time, 2:08.

Aug. 27.—Audubon Boy won the $10,000 Park Brew stake at Providence, the largest purse ever offered for a pacing class; best time, 2:06.

Aug. 28—Dollie Bidwell won the Roger Williams stake, $10,000, at Narragansett Park, beating a field of 16; best time, 2:09½.

Aug. 29—Little Boy (2:06¼), paced a mile in 2:03¾ to wagon at Washington Park, Chicago, driven by Frank G. Jones, establishing a world's record to wagon driven by an amateur.

Aug. 31—Yankee won the Futurity at Sheepshead Bay, the total stake being $46,910, of which winner's share was $36,910, the largest amount won by a horse in one stake.

Sept. 1—Almonarch (2:24¾), one of the best sons of Almont, died at Canastota, N. Y.

Sept. 4—John A. McKerron, again won the Boston Challenge Cup in the Intercity matinee at Cleveland.

Sept. 5—Lord Derby Beat Boralma in the free-for-all trot at Charter Oak.

Sept. 6—Eleata won the $10,000 Charter Oak stake; best time, 2:09.

Sept. 7—Dollie Dillon (2:07), the fastest new trotter of the year, changed hands for $13,000, but a few days later the sale was called off.

Sept. 9.—Cresceus and The Abbott matched to appear at Readville.

Sept. 10—Neva Simons won the $5,000 Woodruff stake at Syracuse in a six-heat race.

Sept. 16—The Rajah won the $2,000 Futurity for 2-year-olds at New England Breeders' meeting, Readville, Mass; best time, 2:20¾.

Sept. 17—Captor won the $5,000 Zumstein stake at Oakley track in straight heats; best time, 2:11¾.

Sept. 20—Lord Derby beat Boralma in the $5,000 match race at Readville.

Sept. 20—Eleata was again beaten in the $5,000 stake at Readville: Iva Dee won in 2:12¾, fastest time for the race.

Sept. 21—Cresceus beat The Abbott in the $20,000 stake offered by Thos. W. Lawson at Readville, after losing the second heat, in 2:05½.

Sept. 27—Mazette, by Tennessee Wilkes, paced a mile in 2:07¾, at Malone, N. Y.—world's fastest mile paced by a mare on a half-mile track.

Sept. 28—Little Boy, driven by an amateur, paced a mile in 2:02 to wagon, at Empire City track—world's record.

Sept. 28—Big matinee was held at the Empire City track for silver cups and prizes.

Sept. 30—Hawthorne won the $5,000 Kentucky Stock Farm Futurity for 3-year-old trotters at Terre Haute; best time 2:14¼.

Oct. 1—The Abbot trotted a mile in 2:04¼ at Terre Haute against the world's record.

Oct. 1—Harold H. paced a mile in 2:04 at Terre Haute—the fastest mile paced in a class race for the year.

Oct. 2—A thoroughbred yearling sold for $25,000 by Fasig-Tipton Company, New York.

Oct. 3—Country Jay won the Wabash $5,000 stake at Terre Haute.

Oct. 3—Miss Nina Phelps, Watervliet, N. Y., drove Dariel a mile in 2:09¾ at Island Park, Albany—world's record for women drivers, previous record being 2:12½, made at Glens Falls, N. Y., in 1897 by Mrs. Nelson.

Oct. 7—Pan-American horse show opened at Buffalo.

Oct. 8—Two weeks' meeting opened at Lexington.

Oct. 8—Peter Stirling won the Kentucky $10,000 Futurity for 3-year-old trotters in straight heats; best time 2:11½.

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Oct. 10—Onward Silver won the Transylvania at Lexington; best time 2:09¾.

Oct. 10—The Abbot trotted a mile to wagon at Lexington in 2:06½.

Oct. 11—Audubon Boy won the Wilson stake in straight heats; best time 2:06¾—fastest for the stake.

Oct. 14—May Allen won the Johnstone stake at Lexington; best time 2:14¼.

Oct. 15—Peter Stirling won the $10,000 Louisville prize, worth $7,750 to horse and nominator.

Oct. 15—Walnut Hall cup, valued at $3,000, went to Captor; best time 2:09¾—fastest for the prize.

Oct. 15—Andy Welch introduced a new system of betting.

Oct. 18—Prelatess, a 2-year-old, by Ponce de Leon, won the Lexington stake; best time 2:15½, fastest mile for her age, except the world's record of 2:14, made by Janie T. in 1897.

Oct. 19—The former trotter champion, Alix (2:03¾), was chloroformed at Mariposa Farm, Providence, R. I., in order to relieve her from a paralytic stroke.

Oct. 21—The initial meeting at Billings Park, Memphis, Tenn., began.

Oct. 21—Little Boy paced a mile to wagon, driven by C. K. G. Billings, in 2:01¾—world's record.

Oct. 25—Little Boy reduced his own record of 2:01¾ to wagon to 2:01½.

Oct. 26—The Memphis meeting closed, proving a great success.

Oct. 26—Little Squaw paced a mile to wagon in 2:06½ at Memphis—world's record to wagon in a race.

Oct. 28—F. E. Perkins purchased Naragansett Park at an auction sale.

Nov. 4-9—The second annual horse show was held at Chicago.

Nov. 12-17—The Chicago Horse Sale Company's fall sale was held at Dexter Park pavilion. A total of 417 horses were sold at an average of $237.

Nov. 14—The grandstand and surrounding buildings of the Columbus Driving Park were destroyed by fire; total damage $25,000.

Nov. 18-23—The seventeenth annual show of the National Horse Show Association was held at Madison Square Garden. In point of attendance and number of entries it surpassed all previous events.

Nov. 21—The last harness meeting of the year for purses was held at the East Suffolk, Pa., track.

Nov. 26—Miss Previous, a yearling, sold for $10,300—world's record for a yearling at public auction.

Nov. 26—The annual meeting of the League of American Driving Clubs was held in New York.

Dec. 2—Peter Stirling, 3 (2:11½), was purchased by Frank Work, of New York, for $9,200.

Dec. 2—The board of review of the National Trotting Association met at the Murray Hill Hotel, New York.

Dec. 3—The board of appeals of the National Trotting Association met in Chicago.

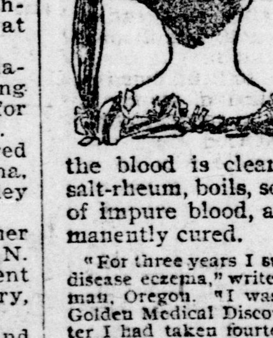
Dec. 6—The Westfield, Mass., track was expelled.

Dec. 15—Janice (2:08¼) died.

Dec. 26—Frank Farrell purchased Empire City track for $218,000.

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THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

HOCKEY.

RESULTED IN A TIE.

The Tecumsehs were no doubt somewhat surprised at the handling they received last night by the St. John's A. C. hockeyists at the Jubilee Rink. The Indians had already gained a reputation, and it was not expected that the result would be what it was. A fair crowd witnessed the game, which resulted in a tie. The Tecumsehs scored two and were tied shortly afterward by St. Johns. At half-time the score stood 3 to 3. At full time the game was 4 to 4. The line-up was:

Tecumseh.		St. John's A. C.
Bishop	Goal	Glover
Kerrigan	Point	Mitcheltree
Gibbons	Cover point	Ross
West	Forward	T. Woolley
Underhill	"	W. Woolley
McMahon	"	Adams
Stinson	"	McEachern

Referee, Mr. Carson.

PITTSBURGERS DEFEATED QUEEN'S

Pittsburg, Jan. 9.—The Queen's University team, from Kingston, Ont. met its first defeat in the United States last night at Duquesne Garden in one of the fastest and cleanest games seen here for a long time. The all-stars of Pittsburg were responsible for the visitors' downfall. The score was 2 to 1, all made in the second half.

BASEBALL.

WANTS WINNER FOR NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 9.—Andrew Freedman, principal owner of the New York baseball club, announces that he intends to remain in the baseball business in the future. He said among other things:

"I want a winning team here and nobody will spend more money than I to secure it. The baseball public want a winner, and I am going to give it to them, if I can. I offered $50,000 to Frank Robison three years ago to get the Cleveland club, and every year since then I have done all I could, but I was handicapped. No club would sell to me. I have a contract with Ned Hanlon now, which he accepted. I offered Hanlon $25,000 for a two years' contract to manage the New York team, which he accepted, and the New York club will hold him to his contract. Moreover, Mr. Hanlon has an option for three years more at the same terms. My sole object was to get a winning team for New York city, and I am willing to spend money for it. When the team was losing, three years ago, I was willing, and offered more money than any other club to strengthen the Giants. But I could not; no club would sell. I offered as high as $100,000 to get a team here. I stand ready now to spend more money for a winning team on New York city than anyone else."

BRUSH GROWS SARCASTIC.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 9.—John T. Brush has written a caustic reply to A. G. Spalding's letter, given out on Tuesday, with other correspondence from National League magnates. Mr. Brush says: "You say you know of no difference that existed between us, except the difference of opinion as to the advisability of turning the National League into a trust corporation. There certainly was no difference between us on that point, for Frank Robison and myself nipped the trust scheme in the bud early in July last, when you and Mr. Hart attempted to promote one." In regard to Mr. Spalding's presidential days, Mr. Brush says: "You occupied the office 66 hours. Why did you not during that time justify your election by doing something that would have converted Boston, New York, St. Louis and Cincinnati to the necessity of calling upon you to save the league? It was your golden opportunity; the time was ripe, and holding office for that length of time, while the old National League boat was menaced by a foe without and a break and split up into the factions from within, you admit that you did nothing except ask two umpires what they would charge next season to work for you. I expected more of you than that. Don't put me down as being personal. I don't intend that, but your efforts have reminded me very much of an Ohio River steamboat, which had a boiler 8 feet long and a whistle 12 feet long, and every time it whistled the boat stopped."

SKATING.

BROKE A RECORD.

New York, Jan. 9.—The world's standing high jump record with skates was broken last night in Brooklyn by W. B. Smith, of Montreal. Smith jumped 4 feet 6 inches.

TURF.

AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 9.—The Jackson handicap, at mile and a half, and worth $1,530 to the winner, was the feature of yesterday's card. Petit Maitre was the favorite in the betting at 8 to 5, while Nitrate was a strong second choice at 16 to 5. Nitrate, a Madden cast-off, was splendidly handled, and though driven to the limit lasted long enough to stall off W. B. Gates and Azim who were coming fast at the end. The pace was too hot for the favorite, who weakened in the final quarter and dropped out of it. Weather clear, track fast.

First race, 5 furlongs—Free Coinage 1, Little Jack Horner 2, Imp. Albula 3. Time, 1:01.

Second race, 6 furlongs—O'Hagan 1, Cast Iron 2, Quixada 3. Time, 1:14.

Third race, 1 mile, selling—Ecome 1, Miss Soak 2, Add 3. Time, 1:41½.

Fourth race, Jackson handicap, 1½ miles—Nitrate 1, W. B. Gates 2, Azim 3. Time, 2:34.

Fifth race, 11-16 miles—Johnnie McCarty 1, Resada 2, Andes 3. Time, 1:47¼.

Sixth race, 1⅝ miles, selling—Admetus 1, Warranted 2, Meggs 3. Time, 2:48.

ICE RACES.

Westport, Ont., Jan. 9.—The ice meeting opened here yesterday. A very large crowd was present. Each race was hotly contested. Summary:

2:30 class—Babeleen (Dr. Abbott, Kingston), 1; King Ben (Murphy, Portland), 2; Lucher (Fenton, Rockport), 3; Nellie Hamilton (Comstock, Brockville), Billy M. (Metcalfe, Kingston), Miss Stella (King, Perth).

2:20 class—Wexford, Jun. (Brannigan, Kingston), 1; Kathleen (Comstock, Brockville), 2; Billy Patterson (Bullis, Athens), 3.

THE TROTTING RULES.

New York, Jan. 9.—A representative committee, composed of delegates from the National Trotting Association, American Trotting Association and American Trotting Register Association, completed a two days' session yesterday afternoon at the Murray Hill Hotel. The meeting was called for the purpose of considering changes in the rules governing trotting and to make recommendations to that effect to the committee on rules, which will later on be considered by the supreme authorities two months hence. To amateur trotting men who race their horses at matinees, it will be agreeable news that the committee recommended that records made at matinee meetings should not go on record against the horses. The rule with regard to trials of speed, as agreed upon by the committee yesterday, is as follows: Recommendations cannot be made of bars incurred in trials of speed where there is no pool-selling, book-making or other public betting on the meeting, no money computed or entrance charged or collected from competing horses, no admission fee to the gate or the grand stand, and no privileges of any kind sold. Such performances shall not be considered public races, and all rules of this association, in so far as they conflict with this rule, are hereby repealed. Mr. Harry K. Devereaux, of Cleveland, Ohio, who has been the representative of amateur trotting horsemen, was indefatigable in his exertions in this matter of amateur records, and the action of the committee was most gratifying to him. Another matter which came up before the committee, which, on good authority, received favorable comment, was the shortening of the "distance" on one mile tracks, and on good authority it was learned that the argument for shortening "distance" on half-mile tracks was not recommended.

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METEOROLOGICAL

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Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44-48; Kamloops, 32-48; Calgary, 28-36; Qu'Appelle, 28-36; Winnipeg, 12-40; Port Arthur, 12-32; Parry Sound, 22-34; Toronto, 32-34; Ottawa, 14-24; Montreal, 10-20; Quebec, 18-22; Halifax, 26-34.

Local temperatures, Wednesday: Highest 36, lowest 31.

Today (Thursday) the sun rose at 7:50 a.m., and sets at 4:58 p.m. The moon rose at 7:17 a.m. and sets at 5:14 p.m.

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UNION LABEL TYPOGRAPHICAL LONDON

A LOCAL BUDGET.

—Fireman John Smart is off on sick leave.

—Mr. Harry W. Jamieson, of Pere Marquette Railway, is in the city today.

—Miss Jessie McNeill, stenographer in City Clerk Kingston's office, has resigned her position.

—Mr. Edgar Barnes, son of School Inspector Barnes, left yesterday to join the Canadian Field Hospital Corps for service in South Africa.

—W. H. Taylor, M. P. P. for North Middlesex, and Capt. Thos. E. Roson, M. P. P. for East Middlesex, have gone to Toronto for the opening of the Ontario Legislature.

—Messrs. H. Near, Acton; John Mennie, Fergus, and Robert Milne, of Glanworth, passed through the city on Monday on their way to attend the Canada Business College, at Chatham, Ont.

—Miss Bessie Dobson, of Southampton, and Major W. J. Douglass, Tara, of the 32nd Bruce Infantry, passed through the city on Monday to continue their studies at the Canada Business College, Chatham.

—Mr. P. Doerfler, of Fergus, who has been attending the Canada Business College, Chatham, taking the business and shorthand courses, was in the city last week on his way back to resume work after the holidays.

—Mrs. R. D. Millar, Elmwood avenue, South London, leaves this evening for New York, from whence she takes the steamer for Florida, spending the winter months with her son, Marvin Millar, who resides in Tampa, Florida. She will be accompanied as far as New York by her son, Frank Millar, of Toronto.

—Mr. W. C. Campbell, of Glenannan, Ont., double gold medalist of the commercial department of the Canada Business College, Chatham, in the June medal examinations, 1901, passed through the city on Monday, the 6th inst. He was on his way to Chatham, where he has secured a good position in the head office of the Sutherland-Innes Company, the largest cooperage concern on the continent. We consider that Mr. Campbell is exceedingly fortunate in securing this position. He is the second successive double gold medalist that has been placed with them, and is the 34th pupil that school has placed with this well-known firm.

AT THE ASSIZES

At the assizes this morning the case of Glenn vs. Rudd was continued. The action is for $3,000 damages for alleged wrongful dismissal. The plaintiff is the man who lectured in this city a month or two ago on prison life. After hearing evidence, the judge took the case from the jury and heard argument for a non-suit. The case continued into the afternoon.

McTAGGART—CARMICHAEL.

Miss Mary C., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Carmichael, Coldstream, was married yesterday to Mr. Angus McTaggart, of Appin. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. Edward J. Stobo, of Poplar Hill. Mr. and Mrs. McTaggart left on the eastbound train from Komoka. They will reside on their return at "Ingleside," Glencoe, formerly the residence of Alex. Stuart, K. C.

WANT THEIR NET BACK.

Wm. Uglow, J.P., of Dorchester township, has written to Fishery Overseer Jury, in a peremptory tone, demanding that the seine net seized by Mr. Jury from three men named Rossiter, Burdan and Morris, be returned to them. Mr. Jury secured a conviction against the men for illegal fishing, but they are now appealing against the conviction. As the confiscated net is now in the possession of Fishery Inspector S. T. Bastedo, at the fishery department in Toronto, it is probable that the three fishers will have difficulty in securing their net again.

MRS. ELLIOTT'S DEATH.

The news of Mrs. C. Elliott's death came as a shock to her many friends, among whom, to a large extent, the serious nature of her illness was not known. It was hoped that the critical operation Mrs. Elliott underwent last Thursday would result in her recovery, and this hope was entertained for some days afterward. The immediate cause of her death was the bursting of a blood vessel in the head. Mrs. Elliott was a woman of very amiable disposition, and much sympathy is expressed for her bereaved relations. Besides her husband, Mrs. Elliott is survived by her only child, Mrs. Bert Lind; her mother, Mrs. Johnston, of Railway street; two sisters, Mrs. Sutherland, of Napier, and Mrs. Wm. Morris, of South London, and five brothers—Lyell C., Alexander and Wm. Johnston, of this city; Rev. George Johnston and Rev. James E. Johnston, Presbyterian clergymen at North Bay and Preston respectively.

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THE COMPOSITION OF COMMITTEES?

A Guess at the Arrangement of This Year's Council—The Chairmanship

The usual guesses are being made at the city hall as to the composition of this year's committees. The following is hazarded:

No. 1 committee—Ald. Beattie, Ald-Elect Douglas, Ald. Greenlees and Ald. Stevely.

No. 2 committee—Ald. Jolly, Ald. Cooper, Ald.-Elect Dreaney and Ald. Elect McMechan.

No. 3 committee—Ald. Campbell, Ald.-Elect Abram, Ald. Winnett and Ald. Gerry.

It is considered probable that Ald. Beattie will get the chairmanship of No. 1 committee. Ald. Cooper, Ald. Jolly and Ald. Dreaney all want the chairmanship of No. 2 committee. Ald. Cooper has had the same desire before and has been disappointed. This year, with his high standing at the polls, he feels that he surely is entitled to the honor. It is felt, though, that Ald. Jolly, who is a strong man in the council, has good chances for securing it. If the majority of the new council feels so inclined, a Liberal may get the chairmanship of No. 3. In that event, it would likely be offered to Ald. Campbell. It is a question, however, if he would accept it. Ald. Gerry would be next choice. Provided the Conservatives chose to keep it in their hands, Ald. Winnett would get it.

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MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"Two Little Waifs" at the Grand Opera House.

Lincoln J. Carter's latest play, "Two Little Waifs," was presented at the New Grand last night to one of the best audiences which has greeted a melodrama this season. It deserved its good reception, for it was one of the best representations of its class seen here in many moons. Several novel effects were introduced, including the ruse of the swinging lantern in the second act, while the scenic equipment was really excellent, especially the closing act, which showed the "Little Church Around the Corner," in New York. The company was a capable one. Miss Helen Carrall, in the dual role of the twin sisters, did clever work, and performed some perplexing quick changes. Stanley and Lolita Lamb, as the two little waifs, gave evidence of possessing precocious talent. Good work was done by Messrs. A. Sully Guard, Frank T. Wallace, Chas. H. Gardner and J. D. Murphy, and Misses Edna Reming and Nell Gibson.

Women's Morning Music Club's Recital.

The Woman's Morning Music Club held their fortnightly recital yesterday in the banqueting hall in the Masonic Temple. The following programme was given an artistic rendering:

Larghetto and Scherzo, from Symphony II., in B major.....Beethoven
Misses Raymond, Green, Morphy and Blackburn.
"English and Russian Composers."
Violin solo—Mazurka.....Wieniawski
Miss A. Baldwin.
Solo—(Selected) ..... —
Miss Maude McDonald.
Study of English School—Miss Raymond, read by Miss Noble.
Solo—"On a Summer Morning"..... Somerville
Miss L. Baldwin.
Prelude, Op. 3, No. II.....Rochmaninoff
Mrs. Pocock.

ROBERT MANTELL.

Accompanied by one of the strongest organizations on the road, and with entirely new costumes, properties, and scenery, Mr. Robert Mantell, the eminent tragedian, comes to the New Grand next Saturday, matinee and evening. Mr. Mantell's repertoire is complete with dramas and tragedies, representing the masterpieces of the world's famous dramatic authors. The plays selected for the engagement in this city are "Hamlet" and "Romeo and Juliet." The sale of seats for both matinee and evening is now on.

"A TRIP TO BUFFALO."

"A Trip to Buffalo," the sparkling musical extravaganza which made the unprecedented record of 14 consecutive weeks at the Academy Theater, Buffalo, will play an engagement at the Grand next Tuesday evening. The tuneful numbers of the production by Wm. Lorraine are now being whistled on the streets of every city by visitors to the Pan-American Exposition. Manager Salisbury has provided entirely new stage settings and costumes for the road tour. The entire third act has been rewritten and is now a most pleasant, hilarious and effective reminder of the Pan-American.

LONDON OPERA HOUSE.

So successful was the engagement at the London Opera House last week of Prof. Theo. Pull, the German hypnotist, that the management secured him and his clever company for a return engagement of three nights, opening tonight. In this engagement Prof. Pull will give for the first time his more scientific work in hypnotic and mind-reading tests, which include human statuary and living pictures. The professor will place a local young man in a cataleptic state in a Dundas street window on Friday morning and awaken him at the theater at 8:30. Entire change of programme, with new specialties and songs.

THE EVERETT-MOORE EMBARRASSMENT.

Creditors Likely to Grant the Syndicate an Extension of Time.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 9.—Seventy per cent of all the creditors of the Everett-Moore syndicate have now given their consent to the asked extension of time. This includes both the traction and telephone interests, and is regarded as very encouraging.

The main committee of seven has decided to divide itself into sub-committees, each of which will be allotted certain portions of the interests, to investigate thoroughly, and when the work is completed the several sub-committees will then report as a committee of the whole. This work will take at least one week, perhaps two. At the completion of the investigation a general statement will be issued to the press.

FROM NIAGARA

Duck Hunter Rescued, But His Boat, Gun and Ducks Go Over the Falls.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Jan. 9.—Fred Truesdale had a narrow escape from death on Monday. He is an old river man and was out duck hunting, when his boat caught in an ice floe. He could not reach open water, but floated down stream with the ice.

William Kolleran saw Truesdale's predicament from the shore and hurried to Willow Island with a rope, which he threw to him as he came down stream. Truesdale caught the rope and was pulled across the ice and the water to shore, but his boat, gun and ducks went over the Falls. It was one of the most thrilling rescues ever made at the Falls.

EASTERN DAIRYMEN.

Whitby, Ont., Jan. 9.—The 25th annual convention of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association opened here yesterday. President Derbyshire, in his inaugural address, discussed the condition of the cheese-making branch of the industry, with shrinking shipments and lowering prices on the English market. Mr. Fisher, minister of agriculture, in a lengthy survey of the Canadian dairy industry, attributed the present condition of cheese-making to three causes. First, lack of ventilated chambers in the hold of ocean vessels, carrying cheese product to England; second the lack of properly ventilated railway cars between factory and port of shipment. This the railways, during prosperous times now prevailing, are unable to furnish. He hoped, however, to be able to accomplish something along this line the coming session. Third, the lack of proper curing houses in connection with most cheese factories. He suggested the possibility of supplying this want in co-operative cold storage and curing houses to serve a dozen or more factories in a district.

WHAT'S THE USE

Sticking to Any Habit When It Means Sure Death?

Old King Coffee knocks subjects out tolerably flat at times, and there is no possible doubt of what did it. A lady gives her experience: "I used to have liver trouble nearly all of the time and was compelled to take some liver medicine like calomel, which relieved me only for a little while. Then even once in a while I would be suddenly doubled up with an awful agony in my stomach. It seemed as though every time I took a breath I would die. No one could suffer any more and live.

"Finally I got down so sick with catarrh of the stomach that I could not turn over in bed, and my stomach did not digest even milk. The doctor finally told me that if I did not give up drinking coffee I would surely die, but I felt I could not give it up.

"However, husband brought home a package of Postum Food Coffee, and it was made strictly according to directions. It was the only thing that would stay on my stomach, and I soon got so I liked it very much.

"Gradually I began to get better, and week by week gained in strength and health. Now I am in perfect condition, and I am convinced that the whole cause of my trouble was from coffee drinking, and my getting better was due to leaving off coffee and taking Postum.

"A short time ago I tasted some coffee and found, to my astonishment, that I did not care anything about it. I never have to take liver medicine any more. I hope you will use this letter for the benefit of those suffering from the poisonous effects of coffee. I would gladly send to those who wish, the address of my attending physician, who will corroborate what I say." Mrs. Abner Marrion, Clinton, Mich.

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"THE BUSY STORE"

Continuation Sale of
Ladies' Whitewear

FRIDAY—third day of White Sale—and the Busy Store's Bargain Day. Read with keen eyes the following list:



Dressing Sacks

EIDERDOWN SACKS—Cream, gray, pink and cardinal, lined through with cambric, wool and ribbon trimmed, belted waist, regular price $2.50. Friday reduced to $1 50

FIGURED PLUSH—Seal brown and black, handsome material, formerly sold for ladies' mantles and jackets, at $3 50 and $4 a yard. Not as up-to-date as when we put it in stock, but still very useful for mantles and trimmings, at this price, too, Friday, per yard 50c

FRINGES—Clearing out corner sale. Fringes that formerly sold at $1.50 a yard, for per yard 25c

Golf Capes.

$3.85 ONE LOT of Ladies' Golf Capes, 42 inches long, made of reversible golf cloth, shaped storm collar, regular price $6.50 each. Close cut price for Friday, $3.85.

Ladies' Jackets, $7.50 and $8.50, Friday $5.00

Whitewear.

25c LADIES' DRAWERS—Made of good cotton, wide cut, umbrella ruffle, with three cluster hemstitched tucks, special for Friday 25c.

CHILDREN'S DRAWERS—25c to 50c.

$1.50 LADIES' SKIRTS—Walking Skirts, made of good cotton, fine cambric flounce, insertings of torchon, extra value, Friday $1 50.

$1.00 LADIES' GOWNS—Made of fine cambric, Empire style, full length, low neck, lace trimmed, fancy front, two insertings of fine tucking and torchon lace, lace revers, very special Friday $1.

50c MARGUERITE CORSET COVERS—Made of embroidery, ribbon draw string, arm straps, special 50c.

Carpets.

Sale On Until the 15th of January.

54c A Yard, Made & Laid. TAPESTRY CARPETS — New designs included in the first importation of spring goods, three designs especially adapted for parlors, others appropriate bedroom and dining-room carpets, selling until the 15th of January at 54c a yard.

67½c A Yard. BRUSSELS CARPETS — Until the 15th of January we will sell our entire choice of 75c, 85c and 90c a yard Brussels Carpets, all are good value at the regular selling price, but room is demanded for new spring Carpets, hence this good bargain, 67½c a yard.

Boys' Fleeced Underwear.

ALL SIZES.

We are ready to meet the great demand for Boys' Underwear.

Men's Stiff and Soft Hats 50c

Choice of Men's and Boys' Golf Caps.

50c Caps, from eight manufactures, selling Friday at 35c

29c Men's Gray Knit Working Shirts, all sizes, special selling on Friday 29c.

37½c Men's Extra Heavy Wool Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, regular price 50c a garment, Friday 37½c.

Four Fur Bargains.

Ladies' White Thibet Muffs and Ruffs, regular price $15 a set, Friday $10, or single piece $5 00

Silver Tipped Fox Scarf, 2 yards long, No. 1 quality, regular price $22, Friday $17 00

Silver Tipped Fox Scarf, handsome fur, regular price $20, Friday $16 00

Stone Marten Scarf, regular price $17 50, Friday $14 50

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