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ALMOST FROZEN TO DEATH. Farmer Miriam Sweeney Was Found in a Holland Landing, Ont., Dec. 24. A queer expedition will leave here in January for the Klondike gold fields.

STREET CAR BURNED. Everett, Mass., Dec. 24. The Ferry street car house of the West Street Railway was destroyed by fire at 3.30 o'clock.

THE GRATEFUL SUBSTITUTION. One of the Christmas cards ever seen in Hamilton was received this morning by the business manager of a newspaper.

NEW YORK REAL PAINLESS DENTISTS. S. F. Carter, Yonge and Queen streets, over Imperial Bank. Entrance No. 1 Queen-street east, Toronto.

LATEST NEWS! A Review of the Coast and Island Properties of British Columbia - Mining Notes of Interest.

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 19.-(Special Correspondence.)-It has frequently been said that the attention of the world would some day be attracted to the copper-gold and free gold fields of British Columbia, and that many camps within a day's run of the coast cities would yet rival if not outstrip the camps of Roseland and the Kootenays.

On Harrison Lake. Of the various lakes in the West, and still greater something should be said. Mr. H. Brown, the father of the Harrison Lake project, is looking well. He is now in the Harrison Lake country, looking well. He is now in the Harrison Lake country, looking well.

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To All Our and cus for a Happy Christmas. You have made this opportunity of thanking you will assist in bringing to you again and On our part, we promise and sporting goods made again wish you

A Merry Xmas and THE GRIFFITHS CYCLES. World's Largest 235-235 1-2 YONGE ST.

CORNELL AND YALE. The delay in bringing a race between Cornell and Yale for a race between the crews of the two universities is creating a feeling of dissatisfaction.

ART. Third race, 6 1/2 furlongs. Harry Duke, 110; J. A. Grey, 110; J. A. Grey, 110; J. A. Grey, 110.

LOVELY WOMAN. DR. CAMPBELL'S Safe Arsenic Complexion Wafers. Perfectly harmless, and the only genuine, safe preparation of Arsenic.

To All our Friends

and customers we extend our best wishes for a Happy Christmas—the happiest you have ever known. You have made ours a happy one, and we take this opportunity of thanking you, and we venture to hope that you will assist in bringing us a Happy New Year by coming to us again and bringing your friends with you. On our part, we promise to give you the best cycles, guns and sporting goods made at lower prices than ever. We again wish you

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CORNELL AND YALE

Black and White at the Delay Over Arranging a Race—Old Hill Becomes Disputed

Yale, Dec. 24.—The delay in bringing about an agreement between Cornell and Yale for a race between the crews of these two universities in creating a feeling here that, after all, there may be no race. Even the most conservative members of the crew are becoming antagonistic to Yale.

AMERICAN PATENT INSTITUTE

AMERICAN PATENT INSTITUTE, 130 BROADWAY, N. Y. City. Patents procured on Installments. E. C. Lowe, Confederation 130 Toronto.

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ICE SPORTS FOR CHRISTMAS

Many Initial Club Curling Matches Scheduled for To-Day.

Members All Out for Practice—Grants and Queen City to Play Presidents v. Vice-Presidents—Some Walker Trophy Races—Gossip of the Hockey Team.

Last night the curlers took a final practice for their annual president v. vice-president match to-day. The match was in every way devoted to this match, when the ice is good. The grants and queen city will play presidents v. vice-presidents on Monday evening. The Queen City had over 20 curlers out at practice last night. The annual president v. vice-president match of the Grants and Queen City will be played on to-day.

Single Rinks Early in January. The third annual competition for the Championship Vase presented by Messrs. Hiram Walker & Sons, Limited, will start Saturday.

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS

Lois Fuller's Revue. The principal feature of the Hopkins Trans-Oceanic Specialty Company, which opens a week's engagement at the Toronto Opera House on Monday evening, is Miss Ames, whose illusion dances are said to have created a furore in London and Paris.

Two of her most popular dances are the "Fire" dance, in which she cleverly arranges so many manipulations of gauze while standing upon a glass set in the stage, through which electric calcium colored lights are thrown, that to every appearance she is gradually consumed by the flames.

The Queen City Club will play on to-day. The annual president v. vice-president match of the Grants and Queen City will be played on to-day.

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Special for Xmas Eve

THREE PIANOS

An Upright Grand Piano by Williams, beautifully figured walnut case. \$175

An Upright Grand Piano by Behr Bros. New York, very handsomely carved case, \$550, special for Christmas. \$250

An Upright Grand Piano by Vose & Son, Boston, richly carved walnut case, superb tone, \$700, Christmas bargain. \$325

Call and See these Pianos at A. & S. Nordheimer's, 15 King-St. East,

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"Kidduck"—A kid tanned so that water "creeps" off it, perspiration evaporates through it, and friction wears it slowly. Can be boiled in hot water without injury. Made solely for the \$4. and \$5. grades of the Goodyear Welted.

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Business Men's Printing. See that your supply of office paper is replenished before the New Year. You will want billheads, stationery, etc. to start the New Year with. We do the kind of printing that you need.

Christmas Numbers. BUFFALO EXPRESS, in colors. CHICAGO WORLD. OUT TODAY.

LOST. A small, white silk on breast, reward \$10.00.

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HAPPENINGS OF A DAY. Items of Passing Interest Gathered in and Around this Busy City.

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ESTATE NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS in the Estate of Richard Needham, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to chapter 110, R.S.O., 1887, and amendments thereto, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the Estate of Richard Needham, late of the Township of Scarborough, in the County of York, who died on or about the 15th day of August, 1897, are on or before the 27th day of September, 1897, to send in by post, prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned, the executors of the estate of the said deceased, their names, addresses, and occupations and full particulars of their claims and statements of their accounts duly verified, together with a valuation of any security held by them. After the last-mentioned date, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, and they shall then be answerable only of which they shall then have had notice.

THE TORONTO GENERAL TRUSTS CO., Executors of the Estate of Richard Needham, 20 Yonge-street, Toronto. Dated at Toronto, Aug. 25, 1897. 6006

TENDERS

JUDICIAL SALE OF Property on Wellesley-street, Toronto.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the Master of the Court at Osgoode Hall in the City of Toronto, will be received up to 12 o'clock noon of the 31st day of January, 1898, for the purchase of the following valuable freehold property, situate on the north side of Wellesley-street, in the City of Toronto, having a frontage on Wellesley-street of 600 feet from Yonge-street, and running easterly for a depth of 164 feet, more or less.

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AN IRISH UNIVERSITY FACTION.

Some few years ago, what is known as a University Federation was consummated. The federation was effected only after the exercise of a great deal of diplomacy and persistent effort on the part of those who were seized of the importance of the idea. There were many interests to conciliate and many unfavorable anticipations to dispel. Victoria University imagined that the interests of the Methodist denomination would suffer unless it was assured of a separate representation on the University Senate, for a short period at any rate. It was, therefore, agreed that the graduates of Victoria University should elect five representatives to the Federated Senate for a period of five years after federation. The medical and law departments had confidence in the larger university scheme. They demanded to separate representation. The graduates in law and medicine voted for senators along with the arts graduates of Toronto University, and as far as they were concerned there was a perfect assimilation. After five years' trial the federation scheme has proved a success. It is admitted to be a return to the old order of things. But Victoria University demands a further extension of the privilege of electing its five members to the Senate. There are many good reasons why the demand should not be granted. In the first place, the deal is being put through as a political and not as a university measure. The various bodies that framed the constitution of the federation, and that are responsible for carrying it out, have not even been consulted. The proposal appeared first in the Legislature. Instead of submitting the project to the properly constituted body, the Victoria College authorities are trying to ram the scheme through the Legislature as a political measure. They bring it up without preliminary notice of any kind, with the object of getting a snap verdict. Principal Sheraton, in his letter to the press, shows clearly that the university people are strongly opposed to a further extension of Victoria's privilege. The extension would still further delay the consummation of the unification that was the special object of the federation movement. In the next place, no reasons are given why Victoria should enjoy privileges that are not extended to Knox, Wycliffe and the other colleges, as well as to the medical and legal faculties. The demand for separate representation by Victoria is a retrograde movement. It is a modified form of the interminable Separate school nuisance, Victoria, apparently, wishes to earn for itself the appellation of the Irish Party in university politics. It wishes to vote as a faction, and, more than that, it demands that five representatives elected by Victoria College graduates, and responsible to the latter alone, shall take part in the administration of a university to the graduates of which they are in no degree responsible. The proposal is unconstitutional. It is inimical to the best interests of the University. The demand ought to be refused. At any rate, the question should be taken out of politics and referred to the authorities to whom it properly belongs.

THE BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY.

The application of the Owen Sound Beet Sugar Company is worthy of the attention of the Government. Just what assistance the Government should extend to the new enterprise we do not pretend to say, but it should do something practical to encourage a new and promising industry. The manufacture of sugar from beets is no experiment. France and Germany make more sugar from beets than they consume, and the United States has started in earnest to acclimatize the industry. Several of the Western States have been making beet sugar for some years. New York is the first of the Eastern States to go into the business. A factory at Rome has just turned out the first beet sugar ever made in that state. The experiment has, on the whole, been satisfactory. The factory has made a small earning and has turned out a fine grade of sugar. The farmers throughout the whole state are taking a lively interest in the new industry, and the prospects are that the Rome experiment will be duplicated in many other parts of the state. The requisites for a beet-sugar factory are: Plenty of beets containing 12 per cent. sugar and 80 per cent. purity; plenty of pure water; limestone with a high percentage of pure carbonate of lime and little silica; cheap fuel; good facilities for transportation; plenty of room;

plenty of capital. The requisites for a sugar-beet crop are: Rich land; proper seed; plenty of work; persistence, patience, energy, intelligence.

The conditions in the neighborhood of Owen Sound are all favorable for the industry, and if it will succeed there it will succeed in a score of other places in Ontario. The Government would be fully justified in extending liberal assistance to an industry that promises so much for the farmers.

TO-DAY.

Grand Opera House—Duff Opera Company, "Shamus O'Brien," 2 and 8 p.m.
 Toronto Opera House—"The Land of the Living," 2 and 8 p.m.
 The Princess—"Charles's Aunt," 2 and 8 p.m.

Bijou Theatre—Vandeville, 2 and 8 p.m.

MOLLY MCGUIRE CLUB.

A Hot Time at the Meeting Last Night—The Genuine Girls are Kicking Hard.

The "peace on earth" supposed to be incidental to this season of the year did not reign at the St. John's Ward Liberal Club on Christmas eve. The inter-dimensions created such a rupture in the organization during the recent campaign in Centre Toronto came to a head again last night with similar results.

As will be remembered, the chief cause of the trouble in the club has been the control exercised by the McGuire faction. Since the last annual meeting, when Alf McGuire secured the presidency, a strong minority, headed by G. Harris, C. E. Harker and J. Vance has been seeking to gain a hearing for its views by means of a meeting of the officers, but it is said that the latter have repeatedly evaded the accusations by adjourning the meetings as soon as the matter was mooted.

Last night the Harris-Harker-Vance faction entered the club meeting at 8.25, and all at a separate representation on the University Senate, for a short period at any rate. It was, therefore, agreed that the graduates of Victoria University should elect five representatives to the Federated Senate for a period of five years after federation. The medical and law departments had confidence in the larger university scheme. They demanded to separate representation. The graduates in law and medicine voted for senators along with the arts graduates of Toronto University, and as far as they were concerned there was a perfect assimilation. After five years' trial the federation scheme has proved a success. It is admitted to be a return to the old order of things. But Victoria University demands a further extension of the privilege of electing its five members to the Senate. There are many good reasons why the demand should not be granted. In the first place, the deal is being put through as a political and not as a university measure. The various bodies that framed the constitution of the federation, and that are responsible for carrying it out, have not even been consulted. The proposal appeared first in the Legislature. Instead of submitting the project to the properly constituted body, the Victoria College authorities are trying to ram the scheme through the Legislature as a political measure. They bring it up without preliminary notice of any kind, with the object of getting a snap verdict. Principal Sheraton, in his letter to the press, shows clearly that the university people are strongly opposed to a further extension of Victoria's privilege. The extension would still further delay the consummation of the unification that was the special object of the federation movement. In the next place, no reasons are given why Victoria should enjoy privileges that are not extended to Knox, Wycliffe and the other colleges, as well as to the medical and legal faculties. The demand for separate representation by Victoria is a retrograde movement. It is a modified form of the interminable Separate school nuisance, Victoria, apparently, wishes to earn for itself the appellation of the Irish Party in university politics. It wishes to vote as a faction, and, more than that, it demands that five representatives elected by Victoria College graduates, and responsible to the latter alone, shall take part in the administration of a university to the graduates of which they are in no degree responsible. The proposal is unconstitutional. It is inimical to the best interests of the University. The demand ought to be refused. At any rate, the question should be taken out of politics and referred to the authorities to whom it properly belongs.

Liberalism vs. Tories.

Mr. Harris retorted that he and his followers were old-time Tories, while McGuire, John McKay and their crowd were all Tories after John Bull's fashion. Mr. Harris also accused McGuire of having introduced a motion of the club in order to attend the annual meeting of the Ontario Liberal Club, North Toronto Liberal Club.

At this there was a concerted attempt to expel the Harris party by physical force, but the latter managed to hold their own. Mr. Vance moved a resolution that could prove that Alf McGuire had stated that he would break up the club, which would be held out of it.

A Few Lines of Importance to Commercial Travellers.

A more picturesque and elegantly located hotel is not to be found within the limits of any city than is the Hotel Arlington, corner King and John-streets, Toronto. This hotel is now under entire new management, and is known as the Hotel Arlington Company, Limited, under the direction of Mr. C. J. Beucham, who for a number of years past has been very prominent in hotel circles in New York city. Mr. Beucham is running "The Arlington" on a co-operative plan, and already has many prominent members of the Commercial Travellers Association as holders of shares in his company. President Orr of the Association has just returned from a special of the hotel, approves the plan, and can be seen in reference to the same. They have spent large sums of money in suggesting many improvements, refurbishing and re-decorating the hotel through out. A most cordial invitation is extended to all commercial men and the general public to call and inspect the hotel and its appointments. All attention and courtesy will be shown every visitor.

Secret Holmes Guilty.

In the sessions of yesterday Sergeant Instructor Holmes of Stanley Barracks was charged with non-support of his wife. During the progress of the trial T. C. Robinson, counsel for the defendant, made the objection that there had been no proof of the death of Mrs. Holmes' former husband. Charles H. Harty, prior to his marriage with the accused, and His Honor Judge McEwen allowed the evidence to be introduced subject to the objection. After a short deliberation the jury returned a verdict that Holmes will pay his wife \$4 per week.

Chinese Policy is the Emperor's.

Berlin, Dec. 24.—The Weekly Journal, Zankwitz, combats the statement that Prince Bismarck has suddenly become an enthusiastic supporter of the Chinese expedition led by the Emperor. Prince Bismarck did not the Prince his most secret plan. It says: "The Chinese policy is the Emperor's. It is in the interest of both men that this fact should be observed. Those foolish persons who are always trying to represent Prince Bismarck as a secret collaborator in the Chinese expedition, a new course, will assuredly get no thanks, either from Potsdam or Friedrichsruhe."

Automatic Couplers and the Law.

Washington, D.C., Dec. 24.—The Interstate Commerce Commission has issued a circular to the railroads promulgating the order extending for two years the time within which the railroads shall equip their cars and engines with automatic couplers and driving brakes, as required by the act of March 2, 1893.

The senior girls' Bible class of St. John's Church presented their leader, Rev. A. Williams, with a pair of gauntlets on Thursday evening.

Jeremiah Awarded \$1000.

Chicago, Dec. 24.—Jeremiah L. Ryan, one of the survivors of the Chicago fire, has been awarded \$1000 damages against the city of Chicago to-day. Ryan fractured his spine cap by a fall caused by a defective sidewalk.

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CHICAGO COLISEUM BURNED

A Disastrous and Quick Blaze in the Windy City.

Some People are Missing and Have Undoubtedly Perished—in 20 Minutes the Big Structure Was Destroyed—Are Light Wires Got Crossed and It is Surprised the Fire Was Started in That Way—Destruction Complete.

Chicago, Dec. 24.—The fire was one of the quickest ever seen in Chicago. From the time the fire originated, by the crossing of two electric light wires, until the Coliseum was a pile of twisted iron and brick, was not more than 20 minutes. The building had been rented for an exhibition of a manufacturer's exhibition, and was filled from end to end with booths, all of which were destroyed with all their contents. It is supposed that a number of persons were lost in the flames, and although no bodies were recovered, it is believed that many were missing, and have undoubtedly perished. A girl named Emma, whose name is unknown, was seen to enter the burning building in search of her mother, who she said was imprisoned in the flames. The girl and her mother were employed in the Irish village, the latter acting as a dancer and the former as chorus.

Two women dancers in the Midway exhibit were in the building just before it collapsed.

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HOT SHOT FOR DRYDEN.

The Veterinary Surgeon Fought Against the Appointment of Col. McCrae as Tuberculin Instructor.

The annual meeting of the Ontario Veterinary Medical Association was held yesterday in the college on Temperance-street. There was a fair attendance present, Major Lloyd of Newmarket being in the chair. Mr. C. L. Smith, Brautford, was made a member. Papers were read by Messrs. J. Hopkins, W. Martin and S. Slason. A department of the Ontario Veterinary Association was present from the London Association and in obtaining better legislation for the profession. The secretary's annual report was read and discussed.

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May wheat on curb 94 1/2. Puts on May corn 25 1/2, calls 25 1/2. At Duluth covered steel close at \$23.25 for Dec. and at \$22.25 for March.

Receipts of wheat at Chicago today 200,000 bushels, (today 200,000 bushels, estimated for Monday.) Wheat 200,000 bushels, 200,000 bushels, 200,000 bushels, 200,000 bushels.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres: Cash, May, Chicago, 94 1/2, 95 1/2, 96 1/2, 97 1/2, 98 1/2, 99 1/2.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE. FLOUR—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Straight rollers quoted at \$3.55 to \$4.05, middle rollers.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET. The receipts of farm produce were very large to-day, nearly 600 bushels of grain being delivered, besides large quantities of butter, eggs, and straw.

Wheat, white, bush, 93 1/2 to 95 1/2. Rye, bush, 83 to 85. Oats, bush, 45 to 47. Peas, bush, 30 to 32. Beans, bush, 30 to 32.

Butter Products—Creamery, 18 to 20. Large rolls, 18 to 20. Eggs, fresh, case, 18 to 20. Eggs, per doz., 18 to 20.

Beef, hindquarters, cwt., 85 to 87. Lamb, cwt., 70 to 75. Mutton, carcasses, cwt., 5.00 to 6.00.

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Further Advances in Manhattan, Metropolitan Trac and Trust Stocks—Local Stocks Quiet and Steady—The New York Bank Statement.

Friday Evening, Dec. 24. The board adjourned until Monday. There was no afternoon session of the stock exchange to-day. The board adjourned until Monday.

Chicago Market. Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade today: Wheat—Dec. 94 1/2, 95 1/2, 96 1/2, 97 1/2, 98 1/2, 99 1/2.

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Montreal Stock Market. Montreal, Dec. 24—Canadian Pacific, 62 1/2. Bank of Montreal, 40 1/2. Dominion Bank, 30 1/2.

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