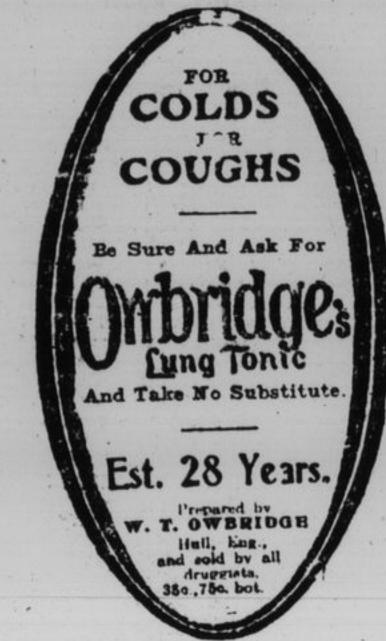
### ASK TO SEE THE Universal

# Meat Chopper.

everything. Meat, Suit, Bread, Savory, Nuts, for making mince-meat,

sausage, cake, etc. Ohly \$1.50.

W. A. Mitchell. Guaranteed or money refunded.



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"I always had some prejudice he had given groceries to present to against using patent medicines, but worthy persons. The plans he worked your Lung Tonic has removed this here were the same as those at Grand misgiving. Suffering from a severe Rapids, Mich. colds and on the eve of a public engagement, being in a dilemma by fearing the loss of my voice, I was strongly advised by a friend to try your Lung Tonic. To my most agree- Large sealer of cream baking powder, able surprise, after the third dose I | 20c. Five lbs. cleaned currants, 25c. was able to officiate with perfect case. Three lbs. new select raisins, 25c. Or-I resolved to add your valuable medi- lange and lemon peel, 15c. per lb. Mocine to my household remedies and lasses, 10c. per quart. One pound of certainly shall never be without it." pure coffee, Java and Mocha blend, Rev. F. C. S. Kroenig, Vicar of St. 25c. Corner Johnston and Division Barnabas, Hul.

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COMMERCIAL MATTERS. What Is Going On In the Business

World-The Market News. More than 524,000 acres of land in the Indian possessions of Great Britain The only cutter that chops are devoted to the cultivation of tea, nine-tenths of the area being in Assam and Bengal. Production is officially estimated at 191,250,000 pounds.
The fire loss of the United States and Canada for November, as compiled by The New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin, shows an aggregate of \$10,546,650, against \$13,-473,400 in November of last year and \$11,420,700 in November, 1900. Total for eleven months, \$134,644,350.

pine sawlogs and square timber during the present season on territory held

Appointed Bank Manager. The new Metropolitan bank, established at Toronto with A. E. Ames as president, has decided to open a branch at Peterboro, and George F. Ellis, of this city, has been appointed manager of the branch. For many years Mr. Ellis has been the capable accountant in the Kingston branch of the Standard bank. The appointment comes as a recognition of good busi! ness qualities. Mr. Ellis has made himself popular in the city, and his many friends wish him success in the advanced position.

Likely The Same Person. A police officer, of Chatham, in the city to-day, said that Forger Carter, is likely the same man who did time in the Michigan penitentiary for passing forged cheques on Grand Rapids merchants. After doing up many dealers he returned a week later and worked the game again with success. He was identified by a milkman to whom

At Mullins' This Week. Good cooking butter, 15c. per lb.

# Holiday Shoppers

Will Find What They Want Here. Every Article Is As It Should Be--Right. Every Price Is The Lowest Possible.

#### Shawls

Black and White Knitted Wool Shawls, 80c., \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 each.

Scotch Shoulder Shawls, 50c., 75c., \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Scotch Heavy Camel's Hair Shawls, \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50, \$6. Travelling Rugs, plain on one

side and plaid back, \$4.50, \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.50.

Ladics' and Men's Cardigan Jackets, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, \$1.25, \$1.50. \$2.50.

#### Kid Gloves

Men's Lined Kid Gloves-Mocca, Capeton, Undressed Kid, Dent's best makes, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Ladies' Kid Gloves and Mitts, Splendid assortment: Every size in all the newest styles, 75c., \$1. \$1.25, \$1.50.

Astrachan Gauntlets, 75c., \$1,

### Handkerchiefs

The best does not cost you much more than others. Richardson's are the best. Name on every box.

Hemstitched, for ladies, \$1.15, | \$1.50, \$1.75 \$2, \$2.50, \$3 | Handkerchiefs, 35c., 50c., 60c., dozen.

Hemstitched, for gentlemen, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5 dozen.

Japanese Hemstitched Silk 75c., \$1.

Brocaded Silk Handkerchiefs, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.

#### Table Linens

A present of a good Table Cloth or Table Napkins is something to be prized. The values in these goods are better than ever.

Richardson's Pure Linen Table, Table Napkins, 1, 3 sizes, Real Cloths, 2, 21, 3, 31 yards long. Irish Damask, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.50, Many of these cloths have bor- \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7. ders all round. Excellent values at \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.75, \$4.50, \$5.25, \$6.50, \$7.

Tray Cloths, Scarfs, 5 o'clock, day night. Pillow Shams, Doyles.

Splendid Range. Low Prices.

#### BURNS FATAL

SECOND EDITION NEWS ALSO A YOUNG WOMAN'S CLOTH-ING WAS IGNITED

to Have a Union.

man, aged eighteen, was fatally tions across the line. burned yesterday, at her home on In the afternoon, the stranger got were severely burned.

To Leave the Kingston Locomotive Works. Already there is a scheme afoot to

get the German machinists of the Locomotive Works away from Kingston. Rejoicing Over the Return of Hon. from Buffalo, N.Y., and registered at Matters That Interest Everybody J. H. Ross-Spending Much a down town hotel as "H., City." He afterwards admitted that he came here Money in the West-Firemen under orders from a labor headquarters to try and get, the Germans away Toronto, Dec. 10.-Miss Ada Nor- from the works, by offering them posi-

Elm street. A towel she was holding into conversation with the Germans caught fire from the range and igni- at the hotels, as he speaks their lan- ing. ted her clothing. Her mother and sis- guage periectly. He made enticing proter, in trying to put out the flames, positions to them, it is understood. Some of the Germans afterwards ex- are hoarding it carefully. A Globe special dated White Horse, pressed themselves as perfectly satis-Y.T., December 5th, (via Ashcroft, fied with the treatment accorded them 125 people on the Soo railroad, has B.C.), says: After a bitterly-contested here, and refused to listen to any been destroyed by fire.



#### ROBERT TABER.

Marlowe. Mr. Taber and his talented ed a great success as "David Rossi," tage of both to separate, and Mr. London, England.

Formerly well known as an Ameri-, Taber has since pursued his artistic can actor and the husband of Julia | career in England. He has just scorwife decided some years ago that it in the production of "The Eternal would be to the professional advan- City," at His Majesty's theatre, in

Hamilton Ross, as the first member clared they didn't put any confidence of the Dominion parliament for the in the man.

throughout the Yukon. making arrangements for extensions ter. has spent this year, in addition to arrivals from the "faderland. its previous expenditure, approximately \$1,000,000 in further development of its mines and extensions of its plant and works.

At a meeting of some members of the city fire brigade, last night, it was decided to form a labor union and obtain a charter from the trades and labor congress of Canada. The officers will be elected by marked bal-

day, urged the civic board of con- Crumley, Hodgson, McIntyre and Datrol to vote \$5,000 of the \$10,000 re- vies. Short addresses were delivered quired for organizing and advertising by Rev. Mr. Philp, T. Brown and Dr an old home week here next summer to bring back Canadians from the large, though the weather was stormy. United States to see the growth of The men found it impossible to dis Canada since their departure. The pense altogether with the ladies, affair is expected to be held the first they pressed Mrs. T. R. Carnovsky week of September, during the exhi-1 into service as accompanist.

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association intends to press for altera-! This, it is claimed, is an unnecessary expense and that foreign patents are frequently allowed to lapse by over-

The fifty-fourth convention of the grand division of Ontario Sons Temperance was continued this morning Most Worthy Patriarch of North America, W. H. Williams, of Boston, tors, viz., \$1,700 per ennum. delivered an address and delegates were elected to the next national di-

Toronto railway earnings for No vember were \$152,271, against \$131, 486 last year, and \$89,417 in 1897? Anderdon township, Essex.

Hon. R. Harcourt, minister of education, has asked the public, high and technical school boards to hold a con ference with him, with a view to rearranging the work of the Toronto schools on a line with the suggestions made by High School Inspector Seath in his report issued yesterday.

#### "A Modern Magdalen."

Amelia Bingham's special company, headed by Roselle Knott, W. J. Ferguson, Franklyn Roberts, Daniel Jarrett, -Victor N. de Silke, Charles Mason, Harry Lilliford, Bernard McGuire, Frederick Leet, Agnes Findlay, Katherine Fisher, Laura Osborn, Alice Braham, Marion Johnson, Eveline Haven, presenting Haddon Chambers remarkable success, "A Modern Mag-, dalen," will be the reigning attraction at the Grand, to morrow, Thurs

Sachet powders, All the new odors. Brooklyn. Dr. W. H. Rankin is

McLeod's drug store. Wheat Germs 35c: a stone at 5il

Yukon, is assured by a majority of Later in the afternoon, Mr. Berat least 550. There is great rejoicing | mingham visited the hotel, in comthroughout the Yukon.

Elias Rogers has returned from the and had a talk with the stranger. coast, where, he has been To-day he refused to discuss the mat-

to the Crow's Nest Pass coal mines | This evening, the Buffalo man is to and reports that by spring, the address the Germans in an hotel, mines will have a daily output of when he will lay his propositions fully 5,000 tons compared with the present before them. It is hardly likely he output of 2,000 tons. The company will succeed in enticing away the new

#### A Successful Social.

The men of Brock Street Methodist church, conducted, very successfully, a pie social in the church parlors last evening. The men made coffee, cut pies and served refreshments, as well as provided the programme. Rev. Eb er Crummy presided and presented a fine array of talent. Those who con-A board of trade deputation, yester- tributed were Messrs. D. Couper, H.

. Changes Made. It is understood that J. F. White, tions in the Canadian patent law. senior separate school inspector, has erected a building for the teaching of The complaint is against the require- been promoted to the position form- mining and forestry. They expect t ment that patentees must keep alive erly occupied by Dr. McCabe as prin- organize the department in the near their patents in all foreign countries cipal of the Ottawa normal school. future. in which these have been obtained. The vacancy created by the promotion of Mr. White has been filled by the appointment of J. F. Power, high school staff, Simcoe. Mr. Power is a graduate of Queen's University. He is a young man, possessing in a rare degree those qualities which make a successful in the presence of a jury of musiteacher. Mr. Powers will receive the salary paid to separate school inspec-

#### May Be Heard Here.

Dodge vs. Smith-Judgment (ii.) on motion (argued in Toronto) for leave to adduce further evidence. Held, A case of small-pox is reported from that leave should be given to adduce in evidence the letters referred to on the affidavits and such explanatory oral testimony as might be deemed necessary, and that defendants should be at liberty to answer the evidence adduced by plaintiff. Evidence to be taken before county judge of Frontenac and returned by him to this court unless parties agree to have taken at the approaching assizes Kingston.

#### Killed By Electricity.

Nelson, B.C., Dec. 10.-An employee the new-completed electrical power plant of the Cascade Water, Power and Light company, at Cascade, Boundary District, was instantly killed by the electrical current, while using the telephone on Monday, Yesterday a large pipe conveying water to the wheels burst and demolished thirty feet of the power house.

#### They Dine To-night.

dent and sickness. McCann's, 51 Brock will take place to-night, at the Crescent Athletic Club, 28 Clinton street, chairman. One or more distinguish-Westminster overcoats at The H. D. ed out of town graduates were expected to be present.

Xmas collars at Jenkins'.

#### NEWS OF WORLD

#### TELEGRAMS FROM THE FOUR QUARTERS OF EARTH.

-Notes From all Over-Little of Everything Easily Read and Remembered.

Over 5,000 new immigrants feached Winnipeg during November. The thermometer was twelve degrees below zero at Winnipeg this morn-

Fuel is becoming very scarce in Winnipeg and those who have hard coal

Ingram, Wis., a lumbering town of The Canadian football team arrived

at Liverpool on the Allan line steamer Bavarian and proceeded to Dublin. Mayor Arbuthnot was re-elected at Winnipeg over J. F. Mitchell with a majority of 322 out of a total vote of

Signor Polacco, Italian minister, at Sofia, committed suicide at Milan on Tuesday. He threw himself out of a window of his hotel. Finley Peter Dunne, author of "Mr.

Dooley," and Miss Margaret Abbot, formerly of Chicago, were married in New York on Tuesday. John Williams and his wife, Philadelphia, charged with poisoning two of their children, in order to collect the insurance, were committed to

jail by the coroner, to await the action of the grand jury. Tirinity church at San Jose, Cal., is in the midst of a faction fight, one party demanding the resignation of Rev. C. H. Mockridge, D.D., the rector, who they say is old-fashioned in his methods. The bishop may inter-

While carrying a lighted lamp upstairs, Mrs. Minnes, Morden, Mann. fainted, and fell. The lamp exploded and the burning oil ran all over her. Her little three-year-old girl ran for assistance, which was quickly at hand, but not before Mrs. Minnes was probably fatally burned.

#### DISCREDIT STATEMENT.

That British and Germans Had Been Arrested.

Berlin, Dec. 10.—The foreign office has no confirmation of the announced arrest of all the German and British subjects, at Caracas, and, therefore, is disposed to discredit the statement

### Gunboat Seized.

London, Dec. 10.—The admiralty has received information of the seizure of the Venezuelan gunboat Bolivar Port of Spain, Island of Trinidad.

#### Has No Information.

London, Dec. 10.-In the House of Commons, to-day, Under Foreign Secretary Cranborne said that the government had no information of the seizure by Venezuela of 200 British and German subjects, or the seizure of Venezuelan warships.

#### A HEAVY LOSS.

Was Suffered by Fire at New Westminster.

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 10.-The fire in New Westminster, on Tuesday morning, caused a loss of over \$180,000 and was the worst blaze the city had experienced since 1898. The principal losers are Major Dupont of Victoria, owner of the burned block; K. F. Anderson, hardware; H. T. Kirk, hardware; The Standard Furniture company; The Liverpool Arms hotel, and Brown's restaurant. A rough estimate of the loss on stocks destroyed is \$150,000 and the value of the block owned by Dupont exceeds \$30,000.

#### QUEEN'S FORFSTRY SCHOOL. Has Promise of a Grant From

Government. In connection with the proposal to establish a school of forestry in con nection with Toronto University, it i pointed out by the friends of Queen's University, that they have a definite pledge from the government of grant for a forestry department; at Queen's, and upon this assurance have

### PLAYED PIANO 26 HOURS.

Took Two Intervals of Ten Min-

Trieste, Dec. 10.-The pianist Bocia, cians and journalists, played on a pianoforte for twenty-six hours consecutively, taking only two rests of ten minutes each. A medical examination at the close showed that his physical condition was not affected.

#### Lights Removed.

Detroit, Mich., 'Dec. 10.-It is no river at night. The lights have practically all been removed by the government. Those over the Limekiln Crossing will be taken away to-day. Most of the buoys and floats have been removed from Lake St. Clair, and, yesterday, all that remained in the lake were the lightships and Piche Island ranges.

Exams In Spring Of 1904. Montreal, Dec. 10 .- Dr. Parkin announces that examinations for the Rhodes scholarships will be held in the spring of 1904, and successful candi-

dates will go into residence at Oxford

the autumn of the same year

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Secretary-Treasurer.

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#### We Have Just Received a Special Lot of 218 Umbrellas,

Suitable for Christmas Gifts. The handles are the very latest designs. The coverings are first class and all guaranteed and the prices are marked very low in order to sell the lot before Christmas Eve.

### Ladies' Umbrellas,

Kid Gloves,

\$1.50, \$2, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$1.69, \$2.50, \$3.

### Gentlemen's Umbrellas,

\$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2 25, \$2.50, \$3, \$3 50, \$3.99.

Genuine French Kid Gloves, made by Perrin Freres, of Grenoble, France. Colors are Black, White, Greys, Browns, Fawns, Tans. Price \$1

#### and \$1.25. Ladies' Mocha Gloves, Lined or Unlined.

### Gentlemen's Kid and Mocha Gloves.

Lined and Unlined. \$1, \$1.25, \$1.49.



#### Handkerchiefs,

A splendid new lot, suitable for Christmas gifts, Lace, Embroidered and Hemstitched.

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TEN OTHERS received Cash Prizes of not less than \$10 each; 50 received Gold Watches; 50 receiven Silver Watches; 5,100 others received Silverplated Biscuit Jars, Cake Baskets, Cream Pitchers, Buter Dishes, Tea Pots, Boudoir Clocks, etc., etc.

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