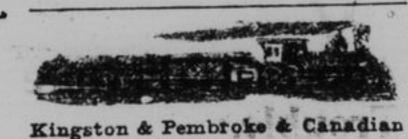
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But let us with our lavishness, use judgment also. Nowadays, fortunately tended Her Eexcellency's skating party the woman of no judgment and less taste is hampered in the committal of Minto wore green, the Countess of An- who had spent the whole day on the mistakes, by the fact there are few things in the shops which have not Eileen whose birthday it was, wore exciting games. As they left for home some degree of beauty. No longer does an impossible lady in blue velvet walk and mink coat. across the snow-covered ground, to an Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fleming are in the youth assented. "Think ye ye impossible house where in a blaze of Montreal, where they will spend a could come again on the morrow, ladimpossible light, a Christmas party is in progress. No longer is one shown Mr. and Mrs. F. C. T. O'Hara are swered reflectively, "I was to be marmonstrosities in plush albums. No back in Ottawa, and are staying at ried, but I can put it off !" longer are concoctions of green satin, the "Sherbrooke," where they will To curl feathers first dampen them, with black and gilt legs, with an im- spend the winter.

and "Canadian Singers and Their | ada in 1909. Songs," the latter costing twenty-five some of the best Canadian poems. with a half-tone engraving on the opful-too useful. There's nothing so honor of Mr. Currie.

maddening as the useful present. You may give it in love, but it will be reeived in hate. Your intentions may be of the best, you'll get credit for the worst. Well does the writer remember in Cobourg two small girls once upon a time who wanted to become Nihilists, and all because they got stockings,-nasty, warm, comfortable stockings, when they did so want a pair of new saddle girths and a bracelet. And by the way if you are a wife, don't buy your husband cigars, you are sadly apt to make mistakes, neither, if you are a

husband, get your wife neck embellishments or crimping irons, for you may go astray. It mightn't be out of place to suggest, too, that for once the rich cease to give to the cease to give of abundance to abundance. What's the use of sending teaspoons to the woman who has already a number sufficient to obviate the necessity of borrowing from neighbor, even when giving the biggest kind of afternoon tea? A box of sweets with the kindly wish would carry the intention, and there would be some nice crisp dollars in hand to turn, into Christmas treats for the poor, the cold, the starving, the mis erable. A pretty thoughtful little idea temperature of 65 degrees, beautiful scenery which doesn't really cost anything, is and 100 miles of good roads, headquarters to wrap your gift whatever it is up which doesn't really cost anything, is in several thi knesses of white tissue paper, tie it with pretty colored cord,

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made, and blessing the maker, give

him a shaving ball. But if you love

him, don't, oh! don't give him gim-

a touch, but it enhances the gift sev-

cracks, and expect to retain his regard, If Boreas comes down from the Northland with sufficient vigour by Sat rday night the Skating Club will have the first meet of the season in the covered rink, and doubtless the u ceeding Saturday nights will prove as popular as they were last year. To an one who has once known the joy ELECTRIC CLOCKS for night of racing along on steel-clad feet, with only the shore line on either side, the deep blue heaven which roofs our Canada above, and a long, far stretch to the glowing west before, the idea of ploughing round on chipped ice, hemmed in by unplaned lumber, a crowd of people and a consequently indescribable atmosphere, does not seem ert ralling. But it's probably better than nothing. But why can't the ittle ones have a stretch on the lake, en if the grown-ups prefer the se clusion of the rink? The open is really the only place to get grace or

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TOLD IN THE

The Christmas shopper is abroad in their attempts to indulge in age, re- Lady Peggy, who was married to the to whom they give. There is a kind by the want of that indescribable sense sisting him to entertain royalties and crack skaters, and that to obtain en- than any English girl he had ever met. trance to the British Skaters Associa- When she was two months old ar. tion, one must execute the 360 figures | Gladstone gave her the name of "Sufin the society's manual without mis- frage Babe." This was during the late

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fleming, Miss dered such hearty service to the great Cartwright, Miss Hora, and Miss Lola liberal leader. Powell were amongst those who atat Rideau Hall last Saturday. Lady an old Scotch gentleman and a youth trim was in black velvet, and Lady golf links with remarkably close and

To sible sewing kit inside, set forth to The Countess of Aberdeen has accountly the same way one would curl the tempt the buyer to spend money, and cepted the nomination by the Cana- hair. Leave them in the pins for At SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE, the receiver to spend the least polite dian and other National councils of twenty-four hours or so and then part of our expressive English tongue. | Women, as president of the International comb them out, when they will be Instead there are books, such a migh- tional Council to succeed Mrs. May found to curl most beautifully. At FIRST-CLASS FARE AND ONE- ty army of them. One or two in par- Wright Sewell. Her acceptance is At the annual meeting of the Woticular would make such good Christ- based on the condition that the next mas gifts, "A Nonsense Anthology," | international council be held in Can-

cents, and containing fac-similes of left for Winnipeg, where they will

The marriage of Miss Adelaide Vicposite page. Fancy! And the world of toria Campbell, of Tyndall avenue, to good pictures, photographs, engrav- Mr. Edward Currie, of the 1rm of E. ings, and the beautiful sepia tones, is and S. Currie, will take place at Holy in easy reach of even the shortest Trinity church, on Saturday, at two purse. But what ever you give be it in o'clock. The Resedule Gun Club will good taste or bad, don't let it be use- entertain at luncheon this week in

Miss Grace Lowry, Quebec, is visit ing at "Earnscliffe," Ottawa. Mrs. C. A. E. Harriss, of Ottawa, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Daintry

Miss Hermine Pacaud and Miss Muriel Evans, were debutantes at charming dance at the Chateau Fren tenac last week, given by Mrs. Meredith in honor of her daughter's com-

Miss Eva Miles will leave Toronto after Christmas to spend the winter in Ottawa with Major and Mrs. Cout lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Burns.

It will be of interest to Canadian friends to learn toat a marriage has been arranged and will take place in January, between Alexander M., son of the late Mr. W. B. Stopford Sackville, and of Mrs. Stopford Sackville, of "Drayton House," Northampton shire, and Effie, daughter of the late T. Collinson James and of Mrs. Collinson James, of "The Cottage, Humshaugh-on-Tyne, and grand-daughter of the late Mr. Thomas James, of "Otterburn Tower," Northumberland, England.

The engagement is announced of Miss Bentrice Ansley, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Ansley, Port Dover, to Lieut. J. M. Syer, Royal Field Artillery, Brighton, England. The marriage of Mr. St. John Brodrick and Miss Madeline Stanley is to take place in London, England, on the third of January. Miss Stuart Jones, of Brockville, is

visiting Mrs. Daniel Brooke, Jarvis street, Toronto. made of the engagement of Mr. Loton Hunt, late American consul at Guelph,

Hunting McFarland, of New Hartford. Socially the most talked of event of the week in London has been the engagement of Lord Rosebery's elder daughter, Lady Sybil Primrose, to Lieut, Charles Grant, of the Coldstream Guards. Very few persons ex pected the engagement, though the young people have been seen a good has an ounce of nice big man in him, deal with each other lately, being fellow-guests at more than one big par or wear embroidered hatbands. But I'll ty. It is considered quite a love match. Lieut. Grant is not at all

that blooming insect."

+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0 speed. The thoroughly ludicrous at wealthy young man, nor has he any tempts which we see in the rinks, when | title in sight through any relative, but the would-be skaters stand on one foot he is as brave as he is handsome, and and shove themselves round with the he did good work in the recent war in other, prove beyond a doubt, that the South Africa. Lady Sybil, who from glorious sport wasn't in fashion girlhood has been much in the public when these people were young, and gaze, was, like her younger sister, sult in more fun for the onlooker, Earl of Crewe three years ago, a great than in pleasure to the participant. favorite of the late queen. In appear-The perfect skater is born, not made ance she is like her father, but dark. of course, but practice in the days She has delightful manners, which when a drop on the ice means nothing have stood her in good stead when worse than a bump, will supply large- acting as hostess for her fasher, asof balance which makes perfect figure all the best-known men and women skating possible. By the way, it may of the day. Among the celebrities ennot be generally known, that a little tertained by Lady Sybil was Bisvillage in foggy little England has marck, who said the little girl, as she supplied the largest percentage of then was, spoke his language better

> London "Answers" tells a story of crushed strawberry, with Persian lamb | the old man remarked: "Hey, mon, but it's bin a gran' day !" "It has, die ?" "Well," the young man an-

statesman's Midlothian campaign, in

which Lord and Lady Rosebery ren-

then roll them in curling pins, in ex-

man's Branch of the Antiquarian Society at the Chateau de Ramezay, it was decided to try to obtain permis Sir Charles and Lady Tupper have sion to convert one of the rooms into an English governor's room, and to obtain relies from those who have served as governors-general in Canada, or their relatives.

> As panne velvet is used so much for belts, bodice trimmings, hats, crushed collars, and such things, it is a joy to the economical house-wife to realize that in her old scrap-bag she can undoubtedly find material enough to help out her winter costume. The directions for transforming the pinpricked, shabby velvet into the fash ionable texture are: Use for the purpose a good, steel-faced iron, perfect ly clean and smooth on both sides and face. Have the iron only moderately hot. Spread the velvet, face up ward, on a clean ironing board, and smooth it with the iron, taking great pains to press the right way of the nap, as it must be ironed the way the pile faces best. Keep the iron moving all the time, for if allowed to stand at all it leaves a mark that cannot be erased. After going all over the surface of the dry velvet. ironing always in the same direction. steam the velvet thoroughly, and then go over it a second time. It cannot be pressed too much, provided the iron is kept running with a heavy, even stroke. This, it is said, soon transforms it into the fashionable,

shimmering panne. A new fur used in London now that of the Norwegian deer, a skin of great warmth and lightness, which is used for lining cloth coats, and with chinchilla collar and cuffs makes beautiful winter garment. A hat worn for skating in London is the "Incrovable," in black velvet; and a round, flat toque, trimmed with a bantam cock's head and the delicate tail feathers, which are the prettiest pale amber and dark brown, and the velvet swathed round the crown is of bright flamingo shade. Wreaths autumn berries in frost-bitten purple are quite the thing for hats, and au-The announcement has recently been tumn foliage is mixed with all shades

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