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Some snow, Friday.

COMMERCIAL MATTERS

What is Going on in The Business World-The Markets.

Toronto railway earnings last week were \$37,846, an increase of \$1,033. Wall street has a rumor that Pennsylrania will issue \$20,000,000 car trust

price of lumber and the C.P.R. ion with electric plants and workings. ty-two years. A better recommend is States and the number was not growing. United States and Canada, was \$90,-These figures are extraordi-

The month of January, also, had considerable fire losses, \$21,799,200, or February for the past three years, epting February of this year. The Late John McKay. The funeral of the late John McKay place on Wednesday afternoon rom his late residence on Sydenham

street. It was attended by a very large gathering of the deceased's friends, including the prominent business men of the city, with whom Mr. John, Charles and George McKay; W J. Driver, Richard Chown and Lionel Knapp were also present. Smith (Montreal). Rev. Dr. Maegillivray, of Chalmers church, conducted

Had A Pleasant Time.

ing, when addresses were delivered by J. C. Morgan, supreme organist, G. N. Brown, organizer, and Thomas Lambert. Mr. Morgan gave some clever readings and solos, showing him self to be an entertainer of merit Sergt.-Maj. Gimblett occupied chair. The addresses were stirring and full of interest to members and tending members of this growing or

J. B. McLeod Appointed. James B. McLeod, has been appointed solcitor of the Ontario treasury. | that was encouraging in the despatch He is a son of William McLeod, postmaster, Georgetown, at one time the chief liberal worker in Halton. He is this city. For ten years he practised asked for by the city will be obtainlaw in Georgetown, but gave it up ed. been connected with a mercantile

Invited Prof. McFadyen. The session of Chalmers church has invited Rev. Prof. McFayden, of Knox mittee of the house. College, Toronto, to preach the an niversary sermons next month. Prof. McFayden is the man who was de nounced by Cooke's church, Toronto, as being heretical, but by Kingston Presbyterians he is regarded as very

agency in Toronto.

Cleveland, Ohio, of Miss Jessie Corbin. She had only been ill a few days. The deceased resided in Gananoque a

The death of Charles Barber, occurred at his late home in Vergennes Vt., after a few days illness of pneu monia. He was a brother of Mrs. Richard Boyd or Kngston.

One Of Them

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SUCCESTED.

Parties Are Now Seeking To Come To An Understanding-If They Can't Committee Will Speedily Do So.

Toronto, March 10.-The private bills committee of the legislature, today, recommended the parties in the Kingston street railway difficulty. to agree on three points;

1. The agreement to remain as i regarding sleighs in winter. 2. A clause to be inserted as to the specific performances of the agree ment except as to an outlying line

like Williamsville. 3. The chief justice of Ontario to be requested to name a competent engineer to designate which switches, etc., are necessary in case of disagreement The parties met this afternoon to consider these points.

Hon. R. Harcourt said in case they failed to agree committee would set tle the matter quickly.

The Whig's Special. Toronto, March 10 .- Kingston's bill for powers to impose penalties for breach of street railway agreement, came before almost a full committee

Alderman Mowat tried to address A Winnipeg despatch says that the terrupted with questions and proposals to refer for conference. However the city representatives pressed to be heard and Alderman Mowat finished, followed in short speeches by Alderman Behan and Solicitor McIntyre. They were heard with reluctance as the attorney-general and Mr. Carscallen, Hamilton, proposed an appeal to court for specific performance instead of a direct money penalty.

B. W. Folger and W. Nickle were heard and the latter made a very evident impression, especially as fee ex- ing generally ran against the city's claim. The railway company was presented in the light of a much

The parties were sent back till morrow, with a strong expression favor of the substitution proposed by the attorney-general, They are conferring and will report the com- tion-which might prolong the sespromise Li'l to-morrow. Robert Carson, Robert F. Elliott and Alderman

To Grant Relief. R. J. Carson wires to the Whig that

"the lepi lature has promised the city a penalty clause. The discussion of bers of local courts, I.O.F., last even other requests continues till to-mor; a good deal before the country of late,

To Open Up At Once. This afternoon "Cap." Geoghegan received a telegram from Hugh C. Nickle, superintendent, ordering him sion and that something definite may to prepare to open up the street railway line at once. To morrow, likely, St. Pierre and Miquelon, may also the company will put men to work re-

John McIntyre, K.C., found much this afternoon from Toronto, re- session, and in addition there is garding the street railway question. possibility of systematic obstruction. the nephew of Mrs. J. O. Hutton, of He is of opinion that the concessions If the opposition should decide to car-

> Interview In Toronto Star. Ben. Folger, president of the Kings- instead of weeks, and that the generton street railway: "The Kingston al elections will not be held before the ly located. street railway fight may be a bitter fall one, but we will win before the com

THE CORPSE AROSE. Nun Who Was Dead Sat Up In

Rome, March 10 .- While the nuns of

the convent of the Sisters of Saint Anne, at Aversa, near Naples, were engaged in reciting the prayers for the dead over the coffined body of an aged sister named Josephine, the sup- tages are being shipped to the Amaposed dead sat up in her coffin, which | zon from New York. was encircled with lights and flowers. | Fred. Bennett, Kingston, Ont., is The nuns fled, terrified, but the sister | the guest of his sister, Mrs. Walter was finally carried to her cell and put | Jackson, Limerick, N.Y. to bed. She died during the night. People were glad to see the Rev. Dr. The superstitious peasants declare Smith, Dean of Ontario, down town that Sister Josephine's resurrection to-day. He has been laid up with la

COL. MARCHAND. Hero of Fashoda on Count Von

Paris, March 10 .- Col. Marchand, the friends. He is now connected with the hero of Fashoda, in the course of an Queen City Oil company and is doing quoted as saying that the late Field | George Scobell, aged seventy years Marshal Von Waldersee, while in com- | died in Watertown, N.Y., on Wednesmand of the allied forces at Pekin, day. He was born in Canada and had had the purpose of making the pro- lived at Cape Vincent, N.Y., and Watvince of Chi-Li part of the Hinterland ertown, N.Y. Tung, and was prevented only through H. Reid, while loading pies yester-

More Ancient Boats.

R. Boyes, Napanee, writes to the Board of Education met last might Whig that among old boats already and after going over the proposed rethe names of the Dalhousie, William ed that \$1,000 or \$1,200 would be re-The writer was on the two last named when they were launched.

Manning's Good Work. Berbera, Somaliland, March 10.- Hooligan. Prices from ruary 26th, killing 150 of them and capturing 3,000 camels.

He Quite Lively

Ottawa, March 10 .- Parliament op ons this afternoon with the usual ceremonies. The session promises to be an interesting one, as it is generally believed it will be the last before the general election.

The government will press for the tract with the Grand Trunk Pacific, for the construction of the transconti- Tweed. gental lines. The Grand Trunk people have decided that they cannot undertake the construction of the road them to come to terms with England. without some modification of the fight the demands of the railroad and | andria.

the outcome remains to be seen. Beyond these proposed modifications in the Grand Trunk contract and the estimates, the government has noth-



IN THE BURGOMASTER"

MISS LOUISE BRACKETT.

ing of importance to present to parli ament. Consequently, so far as the government's programme is concerned whether such will be the case is question for doubt. The opposition may find it expedient, for the education of the electorate, to force a gen eral and exhaustive discussion of the entire fiscal policy of the administrasion for many weeks. It is regarded as a possibility also that reciprocity and inter-imperial trade may come in connection with the tariff. The premier's suggestion, towards the close of last session, that Canada should be greanted the treaty-making power. may also very possibly be discussed The question of inducing Newfound land to enter confederation has been and has attracted much attention among the people. Proposals for annexation must come from Canada, and not from Newfoundland, and it is regarded as possible that the question may be taken up at the present ses

The acquistion of Greenland, and come before parliament for discussion. moving the snow and ice from the as well as other minor matters that have been engaging public attention during the last half year. Any one of these questions would involve a considerable addition to the length of the ry the session over to midsummer, begun to-day will last several months

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked up Reporters On Their Rounds. Miss Gussie Dempster, Gananoque, is

visiting relatives in Lingston for a Miss L. Quinn, of Crumley Bros. millinery department, has returned

Large numbers, of ready made cot

Mr. and Mrs. P. McCoy, Napance,

are guests of John Wright, King street west. Mrs. McCoy was formerly Miss Wright Arthur Houston, Toronto, a former

viciously and inflicted a painful wound with its teeth in the man's leg. The property committee of the

A fair-sized audience witnessed the production of "Sweet Sixteen" by the Wills' Musical Comedy company at the Grand Opera House last night. Tonight the company closes its four

days' engagement, producing "Happy the Mad Mullah's adherents, on Feb. Mills took place this morning from her minded of a man who died in Leipzig late residence, University avenue, and when I was studying there some was largely attended. Service was con- thi-ty years ago. This man was so ducted at the house by Revs. Dr. abominably self-righteous that they C. Livingston & Bro. Artists' models in Berlin have form- thing, Ever Crummy and I. Brown and if I owe any man anything, completely forgive him the debt."

WORLD TIDINGS

OCCURRENCES RECOUNTED IN BRIEF FORM.

Despatches and Cullings Telling of Events Transpiring in All Parts of the Earth.

The liberals of East Hastings will hold a convention on March 31st, ut The Bhutan envoy has been conferring with Thibetan generals, urging

Steps are being taken to raise two terms agreed upon last session. The independent companies to be known opposition is preparing to vigorously as the Glengarry Highlanders at Alex Lord Augustus' Loftus, formerly British ambassador at Berlin and St. Petersburg, is dead, aged eighty-seven

> Joseph Deschallon, North Nation Mills, Que., tried for murdering his son, in 1902, is acquitted on ground of insanity. The frame work of the Russian pavilion at St. Louis exposition has been

torn down on receipt of cable from St. Petersburg. By a resolution of the Stratford public school board it has been made compulsory for pupils to attend the manual training and domestic science

classes. G. R. Roberts has resigned his positions with the Baptist Book Room. Rev. Dr. W. J. McKaw Stratford, and R. B. Warren, Georgetown, have been offered the divided work.

The London, Ont; board of educatien has adopted estimates for the vear fixing the total sum required at \$98,100 This is an increase of about \$6,600 over last year, or one-quarter of a mill on the general rate.

Thomas Cole, born in Denbury, De von, England, died at the family residence Maple Town, Westboro. had been associated in the lumber business with the Gilmours and with J. McLaren, and J. C. Edwards.

WAR WITH ENGLAND Is Inevitable—Russia May Attack England

Berlin, March 10.-The Tageblatt to-day asserts the conviction prevails in government circles in Russia, that war with England will be the inevitable outcome of the war with Japan. Active preparations, says the paper, are proceeding on an elaborate scale. ncluding measures for the defence of the Baltic coast. The minister of marine is reported to have ordered the nhabitants of the island of Kotlin, in the Gulf of Finland, to leave their homes, which will be razed, as the rovernment requires the entire island or fortification purposes.

Prince Uchtomsku, the czar's confident, is quoted as stating that a Rusian attack on India is imminent.

Mallorytown Memorandum. Mallorytown, March 9.-David Hawes, who sold his farm in Andressourgh to Timothy Guild and C. White. s moving into the village, where he will occupy Dr. Beeman's house. Mrs. Israel Mallory, quite ill for some time. s gradually recovering. Miss Claude Wilson, Lyn, was the guest of her moher here on Saturday last, R. H. field, of Addison, spent a few days in he village recently. He is an old Mallorytown boy, who has been doing good work as secretary of the Brockville Fair Association and a speaker at Farmers' Institute meetings, Benamin Thompson, of Missouri, after a visit with his sister, Mrs. Nathan Kelly, has returned to his home in the west. An old landmark, of this district, has passed away, in the person of James Dier, who resided on the river front, about four miles from the village. He was known throughout the township as a sturdy, bard-working farmer, a man open and honest in all his dealings, and one who never there is little or nothing to prevent made an enemy. The late Mr. Dier and it. In view of these considerations it his sons amassed considerable property is believed by many that the session and were the owners of several fine farms, the homestead on the banks of the St. Lawrence being especially fine-

Saved On The Hired Girl.

Senator Quay seldom tells a story, but when he does it is usually a good one. His latest is a yarn told in senate cloak room to illustrate the high standard of morality in the Keystone state. An old Pennsylvania Dutchman, a 'thrifty but not wealthy farmer, was elected to the legislature. Several "meaty" railroad and other corporation measures came up for co sideration, and after the session had closed the old farmer surprised everybody by buying and paving cash for roperty worth \$30,000. Some one

"Why, Hans," said his friend, "you could not save \$30,000 in three months when your salary was only 83 a day." "Ah, but you forget," explained the old man as he stroked his beard complacently, "my wife didn't keep a hir

asked if a fortune had been left him.

just been saving money while in Har-

risburg at the legislature."

"Oh, no," was the reply, "I have

Japanese Facts. Japan has about the same area as

Japan raises sufficient agricultural products to feed her own people. Japan has 4,852 postoffices, equal to one postoffice for each 9,700 people. Japan bought of the United States last year \$11,000,000 worth of goods. Japan has a commercial marine of 734,413 tons against Russia's 638,822

Japan, with 47,000,000 population, has 4,302,623 pupils in her elementary Japan had a foreign commerce in 1896 of \$145,000,000, while in 1903 it

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