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December 26th.

	Open	Close.
Atchison	89	89¼
Amal. Copper	101¼	104¼
Baltimore & Ohio	113	113¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	89	90
Canadian Pacific	174¼	175¼
Erie	47¾	47¾
Illinois Central	177	
Louisville & Nashville	151¼	152¼
Metropolitan, x.d.	126	126¾
Missouri Pacific, x.d.	101	101¼
New York Central	150¾	151
Pennsylvania	143¾	143¾
Rock Island	23¾	22¾
Reading	138¾	137¾
St. Paul	181	181¾
Sugar	152¼	153¼
Twin City	117	
Union Pacific	149¼	149¾
United States Steel	39¾	40¾
United States Steel, pfd.	105¾	106

GRAIN MARKET.

WHEAT—		
December	82¾	83¼
May	87¾	87¾
July	83	83¾
CORN—		
May	44	44¼
July	44¼	44¼

Fresh seidlitz powders at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

THE 5 P. M. EDITION.

COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

What Is Going on In the Business World—The Markets.

The B. C. Telephone company will install a new $100,000 switchboard at Vancouver.

It is rumored in railway circles that the Canadian Pacific railway will spend $2,000,000 for the Canadian branch of the Pere Marquette.

The Lake Superior company has recently made contracts with the Canadian Pacific railway company for 60,000 tons of steel rails, deliverable next year. It is said that the Dominion Iron and Steel company has secured a second contract for rails from the G.T.R. aggregating 37,000 tons.

The Verity Plow company is working a plant overtime at Brantford.

The C.P.R. is to loop the big hill at Field, B.C. It will be a costly undertaking, probably requiring the expenditure of a million and a half. The grade the heaviest on any line on the continent.

There has been a shortage in the Portuguese crop and a large quantity, estimated at 80,000,000 kilos (about 8,000,000 bushels) will soon have to be imported from other countries. This wheat will be sold in the Portuguese market at not more than 60 reins per kilo, or approximately $1.60 per bushel depending upon the rate of exchange.

A CABINET OF SILVER

Presented to William Ward by Chalmers' People.

William Ward, B.A., superintendent of Chalmers Sunday school for the past six years, who has retired from the Kingston Collegiate Institute to accept a position in Upper Canada College, Toronto, was kindly remembered, on Friday evening, at Chalmers Sunday school entertainment. On behalf of the congregation and scholars, Rev. Dr. Macgillivray presented Mr. Ward with a cabinet of silver as a token of the esteem in which he is held. Dr. Macgillivray expressed the regret that was felt at Mr. Ward's departure from Kingston, regret not only by Chalmers congregation, but by the people generally, for as a teacher and superintendent, Mr. Ward was a moral force in the community. It will indeed be difficult to fill the place he has occupied here for some years past. Mr. Ward was not only a Sunday school worker, but occupied the positions of elder and chairman of the church trustee board. Mr. Ward was quite taken by surprise. He expressed his gratefulness for the kind things that had been said of him and the valuable gift presented. He regretted to leave Kingston, where he had formed so many warm friends and which he liked so much.

Buried Seven Weeks.

Gananoque Reporter.

On October 23rd, Wellington Landon, Lansdowne, was threshing his grain, and made a large stack of straw near his barns. Next day he missed a full grown sow, and as she was not found after a search through the premises, he concluded that she must be under the straw stack. The stack was wide and high, and removing it to find the pig, even if it were under there would be a big job, and the pig would probably be dead when found. So Mr. Landon took no further action in the matter. Cattle were allowed to feed at the stack, and ate holes right into it. One place was eaten to a depth of twelve feet, and at the far end of it the sow was discovered, December 9th, lying on the bare ground. It was almost lifeless, but the open air and a little nursing enabled it to walk out of the hole an hour after being found. It was very thin, the hair pressed so tightly to the skin, as to lose all resemblance to hair, and its ears flattened close to the head. It is now apparently as well as ever, and none the worse for its seven weeks' burial. And, in fact, it thereby saved its life, as if it had not disappeared it would have been made into pork.

The Burdened Postmen.

Assistance should have been given the letter carriers during the past week. It is understood that the department made an allowance for extra men, but it was not taken advantage of here. At Christmas time, the carriers should each have an assistant and a horse and sleigh, if necessary. Yesterday, some of the carriers were busy delivering mail from early morning till five o'clock in the afternoon, and thus had no holiday. Some of them didn't even get their dinner. It is understood that several of them hired rigs in order to get their loads delivered. If so, the post office should bear the expense. Everybody holds up both hands for extra Christmas pay for the post office workers.

May Go On Ferry.

The steamer Jessie Bain will winter in Davis' dry-dock, and receive an overhauling. It is said that she will be put on the Gananoque-Clayton ferry route next season, in place of the steamer Valeria, which has been sold.

Are You Pale And Sallow?

Its blood you want, more blood and better. Wade's Iron Tonic Pills make, purify and enrich the blood, changing that sallow face into one of beauty. In boxes, 25c., at Wade's drug store. Money back if not satisfactory.

"Sometimes you eat too much." Take Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Fresh at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

The German Lutherans will erect a large seminary at Wolseley, Assa., for the education of home missionaries.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell and his son, C. J. Bowell, of Belleville, were Whig visitors this afternoon.

The recall of the resignation of General Lord Kitchener, the commander-in-chief in India, is expected.

ACCUMULATION OF SAVINGS

You will have no regrets in after life, if on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and six, you open a savings account with this Bank and deposit a portion of your income each week or month. The rapidity with which it will grow will be both a surprise and delight to you. The opening of an account is a very simple matter. We will be pleased to assist you.

STANDARD BANK OF CANADA
Corner Princess and Bagot Streets.

BRIDGE BUILDING

INTERFERED WITH MUSKOKA LAKE OUTLETS.

Release of Bandit Causes Terror in Morrisburg — Christmas Railway Traffic In and Out of Toronto, Enormous.

Toronto, Dec. 26.—In building a bridge at Bala, in the Muskoka district, recently, the James Bay railway stopped one, and obstructed another of the two natural outlets of the Muskoka lakes. In response to the complaints of the residents, a government engineer was sent up to report, and now the James Bay railway has notified the government these obstructions have been removed.

The release, on parole, of one of the members of the celebrated Hall gang, which operated in the neighborhood of Morrisburg, and the members of which were all sentenced to various terms of imprisonment for robbery and arson, has stricken terror into John H. McPhee, near Morrisburg. McPhee and his wife, who had long suffered from the depredations of the bandits, were among the principal witnesses against some members of the gang and were warned by other members that if they continued their evidence, their house would be blown up. They gave evidence, however, and one day a stick of dynamite was placed beneath the house, and the building was destroyed by the explosion. With the release of one of the members, McPhee is afraid of their vengeance, and writes to Detective John Murray asking what he had better do to protect himself.

The Christmas railway traffic at Toronto has been the heaviest in the history of the roads. Fully 70,000 people were handled on Friday and Saturday, in and out of the city, and of this, the Grand Trunk handled quite 50,000 people in and out on those two days. The Grand Trunk brought forty-five trains in and sent thirty-nine out. All the traffic on both the Grand Trunk and the C.P.R. was handled on six tracks, and there was not an accident.

Bertha Langdon, Alias Clark, has made a good thing of it recently by waiting upon clergymen with a story of having money in the bank which she was unable to get because the bank was closed ending up by borrowing money. She had money in the bank, but never returned the borrowed money and, this morning, the girl appeared in the police court on the charge of stealing some hats and waists and was sent down for three months.

An Englishman, William Dallman, was sentenced, to-day, to eighteen months for attempted highway robbery on Christmas night. He met Miss Annie Cameron, on Louisa street, about eight o'clock, last night, and struck her in the face at the same time snatching her chatelaine. He was pursued by the plucky girl and discovered crouching behind some barrels. The chatelaine was found near by.

ANARCHIST A SUICIDE.

Spaniard Previously Tried to Kill Cardinal Pages.

Barcelona, Dec. 26.—An anarchist of the name of Salascomas, who murderously attacked Cardinal Cassanasy Pages, bishop of Urgel, while he was leaving the cathedral on Sunday evening, was arrested and sent to prison. To-day he committed suicide in his cell by taking poison, which he had hidden in his clothes. While dying Salascomas declared he tried to kill the cardinal to avenge the victims of clericalism.

PREFONTAINE'S BODY

Will Be Brought to Canada at Once.

Ottawa, Dec. 26.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier left for Montreal, to-day, to convey his condolences to the family of the late Mr. Prefontaine, and to arrange for the funeral. Mr. Clements, private secretary to the minister, cables that he will leave with the body on the first boat.

Woman Slashed With Razor.

Schenectady, N.Y., Dec. 26.—In the course of a heated family row last night, Mrs. Maria Gonona, forty years old, was slashed on the face and head with a razor by her brother-in-law, Joseph Franz. She was taken to the hospital and is in a critical condition. Franz stubbornly resisted arrest, and was clubbed into submission by officers. In the melee his nose was broken. The cutting resulted in a family row. Franz put his wife out of the house and she sought refuge at the home of her sister, Mrs. Gonona. Her husband went there and threatened to kill the whole family for harboring his wife. In the midst of the quarrel he attacked his sister-in-law with a razor. The injured woman staggered to a nearby police station for aid, covered with blood.

Woman Burned To Death.

New York, Dec. 26.—Sitting beside the fire reading a newspaper, Mrs. Michael Cowan, of Fifty-Third street, Brooklyn, dropped asleep, and her paper came in contact with the stove. The paper burst into flame which set on fire the clothing of Mrs. Cowan and the contents of the room. Her husband, who was lying asleep on a lounge, was so overcome by the smoke that he was unable to assist her. A man who was passing rushed into the room, and carried Mrs. Cowan into the open air. Her burns were so bad that she died an hour later in the hospital. The same man also carried Cowan out of the burning house unconscious. Cowan will recover.

Arrested For Perjury.

Belleville, Ont., Dec. 26.—Silvanus Burnham, an old man of seventy years, was released from the Central Prison, last Friday, after serving a year for obtaining goods under false pretences from Bigelow Bros., Trenton. He was immediately placed under arrest again on a charge of perjury in connection with the same case. He has done time in the penitentiary.

James Smith, an old resident of Little Britain, dropped dead.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

W. H. Hayes, district manager of the Bell Telephone company, at Windsor, has been promoted to the head office in Manitoba, and left for his new home.

A Denver & Rio Grande passenger train was wrecked three miles from Durango, Col. The cars rolled down an embankment, seriously injuring twelve passengers.

Mrs. Martha Flaherty, Toronto Junction, was assaulted, and Daniel O'Brien is under arrest, charged with being the assailant.

Rev. Charles Stube, pastor of the Evangelical church at Ebenezer, a suburb of Buffalo, N.Y., was found dead in his home from the effects of an apoplectic stroke.

Defending his mother against her quarrelsome husband, Joseph Pollock, Philadelphia, Pa., aged twenty-six, struck his father in the face, the blow resulting in death. The husband, who had been drinking, was called to Christmas dinner by his wife.

GEN. OLE HANSON,
One of the most distinguished military men of Norway, has been made commander-general of the Norwegian army.

RED FLAGS FLY

From Kasa and Nicholai Railroad Stations.

Moscow, Dec. 26.—The insurgents attacked both the Kasa and Nicholai railroad stations, to-day, and lively fusilades ensued between the mob and the troops occupying the depots. The stations at Perovo and Liubertsy are in the hands of the insurgents, and red flags are flying from the buildings.

Bourse And Banks Closed.

London, Dec. 26.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph, from St. Petersburg, says that the bourse and banks are closed there. Desperate fighting has occurred between the troops and rebels at Moscow. The revolutionists, apparently, have been successful, as the area of the revolutionists is growing broader.

The Strikers Defeated.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 26, (via Odessa.)—The strike here has practically ended in the defeat of the strikers. Thousands of the men who left their positions are returning to work, owing to the fact that the strike committee is unable to support them, because of the lack of money. Socialists express confidence that the present check to the strike is only temporary, and declare they will be able to bring about in St. Petersburg the same condition which prevails at Moscow.

REFUTES ASSERTION.

Canon Baldwin Claims There Are Deathbed Visions.

Toronto, Dec. 26.—That man died as he lived and that there are no death bed visions, statements attributed to Dr. Osler, of Oxford, University, were denied by Canon Baldwin in his Christmas sermon at All Saints church. He did not know if Dr. Osler had been reported correctly, but could assure his congregation he did not think Dr. Osler was in a position to judge. He knew of many cases in his own experience where those dying had seen visions, and he had absolute proof of these, whereas, he said, Dr. Osler, was hardly the person to whom one would talk on things spiritual. Men did not always die as they lived for in many cases he had carried to those on their death beds the analogy of Moses lifting up the serpent and the crucifixion of the Son of Man. It had been his joy to see these people accept God as their Saviour even at the eleventh hour, although he did not advise them to leave their spiritual welfare till they were on their death beds. Dr. Osler was undoubtedly a marvel in his profession, but he did not think he could claim to have the knowledge of the spiritual visions that were met with by the clergy.

MAN FOR THIRTY YEARS.

Woman Known as "Iron Arm," and Feared for Prowess.

Paris, Dec. 26.—A waggoner was knocked down and killed by a tramcar at Colombes yesterday. When the corpse was being prepared for burial, it was found to be that of a woman.

Her assumption of man's attire was, it is now known, the sequel of a romance that became a tragedy. She was a woman of good family, named Clotilde Filly, and thirty years ago she ran away from home and obtained permission from the police to masquerade as a man.

She was known among her fellow-waggoners as Paul, and was noted for her feats of strength, which gained her the nickname of "Iron Arm."

Most of the men she knew were afraid of her on account of her violent temper, and her readiness to fight. She could box with such skill that few men who saw her fight once cared to stand up against her afterward.

Three-score and twelve, the Whig, today, entered upon its seventy-third year, stronger than ever, in every one of its departments.

THE CANADA ACT

TEMPERANCE PEOPLE WANT TO HAVE IT REPEALED.

And Stricter Prohibition Law Take Its Place—December a Fine Month in P.E.I.—Steamship Route There is Still Open.

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 26.—A Charlottetown despatch says that a movement is afoot, by the temperance people, to repeal the Canada temperance act, which has been in force in the three Prince Edward Island counties for the past twenty-five or thirty years, in order that the stricter prohibition law may automatically take its place. The latter law, which has been in force, in Charlottetown since June, 1901, is for the great advance, but cannot go into effect in the counties until the Scott act is abrogated.

A Charlottetown despatch says that the steamship route to the island is still open for passengers and freight, and three steamers are plying steadily, the two summer boats of the Charlottetown Steam Navigation company, and the government's winter steamer, Stanley. December has been an exceptionally fine month, following a fine summer and autumn.

SLAIN BY STUDENT.

Failing to Pass Examination, Man Becomes Insane.

Lisbon, Dec. 26.—A sensational incident in Colmbra, the seat of the Portuguese university where all the great men of Portugal are educated, is occupying public attention.

One of the professors, Dr. Refolos, was assassinated by four shots from a revolver in one of the chief streets of Colmbra by a former pupil of his, who morbidly attributed his failure in life to the professor. Four years ago he failed in his final examination at Colmbra, and was thus unable to take up his position as a physician.

This failure so preyed upon his mind that he became possessed of the idea that he would take the life of the professor who had examined him.

On Thursday night, as the professor was leaving a bookseller's shop, the maniac, wrapped in a cloak, slipped up to him, and, uncovering his face, said: "Do you remember me?" and before Dr. Refolos could answer, fired four shots.

HEROISM IN A DINGHY.

William Ferrier Saved Shipwrecked Sailors.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 26.—News reached Victoria in the Australian mail, yesterday, of the wreck of the barkentine La Bella, near Weinaboolon, on the Australian coast, involving the loss of seven lives, and rescues by a fisherman, William Ferrier, which caused him to be known all over Australia as a hero. The La Bella struck half a mile from shore. Life-savers failed to reach the wreck. The barkentine was going to pieces, and seven sailors fell to death, one by one. Then William Ferrier put out alone in a dinghy with a single oar. He rescued the captain. Ferrier made another trip, rescuing another man. A lifeboat took off the survivors. Medals and purses have been presented to Ferrier.

EAGLE ATTACKS BOY.

Father Appeared on Scene and Shot it Dead.

Berlin, Dec. 26.—As the little sons of the park-keeper at Palmnicken, in West Prussia, were playing in the public gardens, an enormous golden eagle suddenly flew downwards and attacked the smaller of the two boys.

The older boy, who was about seven years old, began to shout and threw himself over his little brother. The eagle thereupon darted to a great height, and, after manoeuvring a moment in the air, descended on the older boy with great rapidity, lacerating the nape of his neck with his beak.

The eagle then mounted upwards a second time, but just as it was returning to the attack it was killed by a gunshot from the father of the boys.

GAVE HIM A VIOLIN.

Vecsey Receives One From Chicago.

London, Dec. 26.—Little Franz Von Vecsey, the violinist, has just received from America the gift of a new violin. It was presented to him by the well-known Chicago maker, Knute Reindahl. On the back there is a beautiful scheme of decoration, consisting of an excellent likeness of Vecsey, surrounded by scroll work and flowers in colors, while the end of the fingerboard is carved into a splendid likeness of Dr. Joachim.

Vecsey is delighted with such a charming present, and is practising upon it, with a view to maturing its already fine tone.

At Beamsville, the nine-year-old son of Grand Trunk Ticket Agent McIntyre, was drowned while skating.

A SERIES OF

FREE LECTURES

ON

Steamship and Navigation

(ILLUSTRATED BY DIAGRAMS)

Will be delivered in one of the Rooms of the "Old Collegiate Building" opposite Chalmers church, on every Monday and Friday Evenings during the months of January, February and March 1906, commencing at 8 p.m.

Special attention will be given to the Rule of the Road, for and distress signals and the correction of compasses and in view of a probable change in the standard examinations for Coasting Inland and Minor waters, those who contemplate securing a certificate for any grade will derive much benefit by a steady attendance at the classes.

F. GOURDEAU, Deputy Minister of Marine & Fisheries, Ottawa.

Office of Examiner of Masters & Mates, Kingston, December 26th, 1906.

HOUSE TO-LET.

COLLEGE STREET, NEAR UNION street, Stone House, in good repair 10 rooms, stable and out houses, 2 acres land, suitable for garden and pasture. Possession immediately. Apply at McLeod's Drug Store.

The Aftermath of Christmas Shopping

Now the happy holiday season is over and we get back to our regular business, but the ordinary bargains will not prevail. In fact we must be busier than ever. The upset and completely disarranged departments, the holiday remnants, all will combine offering you the values extraordinary. Profits and past prices are to be forgotten, and if articles have not been sold at a price, will make a price that sells. Whenever we have a real bargain chance people will know of it and can rely upon the values offered. Don't forget—READ OUR ADVTS.

Handkerchiefs--Hundreds of Handkerchiefs

Out of our Handkerchief Department comes piling scores and scores of slightly mussed or creased and marked articles. And the order comes with them to clear at give-away prices. Will the shoppers of Kingston realize the magnitude of awaiting bargains? They will, when they read this short list:—

LADIES' FANCY EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS, guaranteed pure Irish linen, to go at **10c.**

ALL THE REGULAR 20c. Handkerchiefs, to go at **12½c.**

ABOUT 120 of the regular 25c. Handkerchiefs, to go at **15c.**

Actual Half-Price Sale Ladies' Mantles

The biggest sale of 1905 will be the present one of Ladies' Mantles, at exactly half the regular price. Whether in need of a Coat at once, or a decision has been made to wait till next season, it's to your interest to examine the offerings at this sale.

Every Mantle shown is of this year's make, finish and style, and nearly all blacks in the three-quarter length, in sizes from 32 to 44. Regularly our lowest value was $5 and our highest $15.75—now they range from only

$2.50 to $7.88

½ WOULD YOU BE WITHOUT ONE NOW? ½

Sweeping Reductions in Furs

25% Off

This news concerns some of the finest exclusive styles in fur garments produced this season. Every piece in the elaborate offering here presented was selected for our own regular stock. Each garment was chosen for beauty of the style, the excellence of the fur, and the fine workmanship. They represent the best products of the world's best furriers. Now we offer them at just 25 per cent below their regular price.

FUR COATS—Of finest material and finish, in Astrachan and first quality Electric Seal, from ..... 29.25 to 37.00

FUR RUFFS—All styles, one special in double Sable, at 11.00
Others in all Furs, from ..... 1.88 to 17.63

FUR MUFFS—All styles, and Furs to match the Ruffs above, from ..... 6.72 to 10.88

FUR-LINED COATS—Muskrat and Alaska Sable Collars and Revers ..... 28.13 to 33.75

Daring Cuts in Ladies' Wear

This is one of the departments that must be cleared up in the double-quick order, and to insure such the prices have been mercilessly slashed down to a fraction of their regular amount.

LADIES' FANCY KNITTED SKATING GLOVES, regular 25c. and 30c., your choice now, each ..... 15c.

LADIES' UNSHRINKABLE UNDERWEAR, vests and drawers to match, guaranteed natural wool, each ..... 50c., 75c., 90c.

LADIES' WHITE CASHMERE VESTS AND DRAWERS, winter weights, extra special, each ..... 75c. and 90c.

LADIES' BLACK WOOL TIGHTS, special at 75c., 90c., 1.25

LADIES' BLACK OVERSTOCKINGS, made from Scotch Fingering Yarn, both with and without heels.

CHILDREN'S OVERSTOCKINGS, both black and red.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S CLOUDS..... 25c., 35c., 75c., 95c.

JOHN LAIDLAW & SON
170 Princess Street, Kingston.

SKATING BOOTS For Ladies.

We have a few Empress $3.00 Tan Blucher Cut Lace Boots, made of good, strong calfskin. Just the thing for a skating boot.

2.50 a Pair.

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