

W. L. Galt & Sons
Underskirts
 59c.
 Sateen Underskirts
 almost say, anywhere
 fore to buy good black
 Now, you know the
 reliable, so you had
 59c.
 Morning at 9.30
Give Linens!
 We are still spreading the
 Gospel, by selling Bibles away
 down in price.
 We will continue our sale right
 along. Open every evening until
 9 p.m.
 Discount on every article in the
 shop.
T. McAuley
 For Your Christmas Baking
"Silver Moon"
 THIS YEAR
 It's a Special Flour made by THE
 HEDLEY SHAW MILLING CO., for
 fancy pastry.
 Ask your grocer for
"Silver Moon"
New Goods Arriving Daily
 To-day we have received from
 Dublin a shipment of Jacob's
 Fancy Biscuits.
 Macaroons, per lb., 50c.
 King's Own, per lb., 60c.
 Milk Chocolate, per lb., 40c.
 Puff Cracknel, per lb., 40c.
 Glacier Wafer, per lb., 40c.
 Polo, per lb., 25c.
 Veda Oatmeal, per lb., 30c.
James Redden & Co.
 P.S.—Rowntree's and Cadbury's
 Chocolates have also arrived.
 If you find it difficult being
 fitted with Shoes, come to us
 and it is changed to a
 pleasure.
WEAR ALLEN'S
MILITARY BOOTMAKERS
 82 Brock Street Size of Golden Boot
NOTICE
 We are Selling
 Safety Razors and Straps at \$1.25.
 Also Safety and Corn Razors very
 cheap.
 TWENTY PER CENT off all
 Heating Stoves for cash at
NUGENT & GRAHAM'S
KING STREET.
TO THE ELECTORS OF
KINGSTON:
 Your vote and influence are
 cordially solicited for
J. McDONALD MOWAT
 for Mayor for 1907.
TURK'S HARD UP
 Not for money, but for second-hand
 Stoves, Furniture and Carpets, let us
 know if you have any for sale, and I
 will attend to it at once. J. TURK,
 Second-hand Dealer, 308 Princess St.
 Christmas perfumes, 25c. to \$15. at
 Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

Specials
Furniture
 For Christmas Presents

Couch, \$3.50 to \$50
 Sideboards, \$8.50 to \$100
 Extension Tables, \$5.50 to \$40.00
 Good Oak Leather Seat
 (Diners), from \$18 to \$50
 Music Cabinets, from \$35.00

ROBT. J. REID
 6 Doors Above Opera House

Never In Your Life

Have you had the opportunity of
 buying your Books at HALF
 PRICE as you have right now, at
 McAULEY'S Clearing Sale of
 Books.

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DAILY MEMORANDA.
 Real Furs would be a suitable
 Christmas present for Margie. You will
 find just what will be appreciated at the
 fur store of George Mills & Co., 106
 108 Princess street.

China! China!
 We are at present showing
 the most complete assortment
 ever displayed. No other in
 the city but any where in
 Canada.
 Come in and examine the
 pretty China. You don't need
 to buy, it will please you to
 see them.

Robertson Bros.



The market is full of Furs,
 not good at all, but disguised
 with unusual skill to make
 them look better than they
 really are.
 Good judges of Fur are rare,
 and sensible people will buy
 from a store that has a well
 earned reputation for reliability.
 Ask your friends what they
 think of us, and the manner
 in which we've done business
 these many years.
 All we ask is a chance to
 show what we think your
 money is worth in fine Furs.
 We are showing some beautiful
 Neck Pieces in Fine Dark
 Natural Collarettes, etc.
 \$12 up. Just the most accept-
 able Christmas Gift you can
 select. We box and Store
 until wanted. Any article
 selected now, or send Express
 prepaid to any point in
 Canada.
 Catalogue sent to any ad-
 dress.

JOHN McKAY
FUR HOUSE
 149-153 BROCK STREET
 KINGSTON

**Exhibition of Original Water
 Color Paintings and Sketches**
 BY CHARLES E. WILKINSHALL
 THIS WEEK ONLY.
 December 3rd to 8th inclusive
 AT
KIRKPATRICK'S ART GALLERY
 PRINCESS STREET

B. C. AMAL COAL CO.
 British Columbia Amalgamated
 Coal Co., first stock issue entire-
 ly bought.
BUY NOW AT 50c.
 Will shortly advance to 75c. and
 Remember Owen's Nest Coal
 Co., and act as usual.
Joe F. Swift, Fiscal Agent

For Sale
 \$4,000 BUY TWO BRICK HOUSES
 and one stone barn, on Johnson St., No.
 220 and 222. Call St. Mary's Cathed-
 ral. Apply John McKay & Co., Brock St.

SAME SAUCE
For Both Gander And Goose
Says Lancaster.

MASTERS AND MATES
ON VESSELS, SHOULD BE
BRITISH SUBJECTS.

ABOLISH CHRISTMAS?
Dr. Boynton Would and Give His
Reasons.

THE SHAH IS DYING.
Assembly Fears For the Consti-
tution.

A SERIOUS OUTLOOK.
Great Religious Crisis Impending
in France.

UNCULTIVATED ARABLE LANDS.
Ottawa, Dec. 6.—William Melnes, of
 the geologic survey, just returned
 from a geological exploration of
 the tract of country lying to the
 north of the lower Saskatchewan,
 which is in latitude fifty-four, is a
 splendid one for large game particu-
 larly moose which are only disturbed
 by the Indians on the winter hunt.

BRITAIN TO PROBE.
London, Dec. 6.—Foreign Secretary
 Grey, today, announced that in a
 few days the imperial government
 would take steps to put an end to
 the Congo atrocities. In a state-
 ment published in the Times the
 government over, the foreign secretary
 said: "In any case it is impossi-
 ble for Britain to continue indefi-
 nitely to recognize the present state
 of things without a close examina-
 tion of the treaty rights and treaty
 obligations to the Congo state."
The Date Changed.
 London, Dec. 6.—The date for the
 meeting of the colonial conference has
 been postponed from April to May, to
 suit the convenience of the colonial
 premiers.

HOW PRAYER WORKS.
Causes Mercy to Descend Like
Rain.
 Paris, Dec. 6.—Dr. Baraduc, lecturing
 on the curative force observed during
 the last great pilgrimage to Lourdes,
 and the scientific physiology of nar-
 cotics, declared that the chief factor
 was the force of prayer ascending from
 sixty thousand pilgrims, which caused
 a rain of mercy to descend in the
 form of tiny drops, the photo-chemical
 action of which produced the same
 impression on the photographic plates
 enclosed in radiographic paper, which
 were exposed in the grotto of Our
 Lady of Lourdes. Two plates similarly
 exposed in Picina showed an entirely
 different impression, Dr. Baraduc dis-
 played these plates, and also negatives
 made at Lourdes, but not submitted
 to the action of the curative force. He
 also displayed negatives made at a
 pleasure fair in Paris. The latter gave
 no result, which Dr. Baraduc ascribed
 to the non-polarized action of the vi-
 sions of the multitude of thoughts,
 which were not concentrated, as at
 Lourdes.

GIFT OF \$100,000.
There is a happy com-
pany about Queen's College, to-
day, owing to the an-
nouncement of Principal
Gordon, that Andrew Car-
negie, L.L.D., an honorary
graduate of the college has pro-
mised \$100,000 to Queen's
Queen's endowment fund
under easy conditions. Yes-
terday Rev. Dr. Gordon re-
ceived the \$100,000 from Mr.
Carnegie's secretary, stating
that the distinguished
Scottish philanthropist
would be happy to make a
gift of \$100,000 to Queen's
fund to complete the half
million endowment when
the \$400,000 required was
subscribed. Already \$250,
000 has been provided and
it is quite likely that the
other \$150,000 will be
forthcoming at a very early
date. The new building, it is
believed, will inspire zeal to
not only make the endow-
ment a half million, but to
increase it to one million.

HELD LIVE RAT
In Her Hand When She
Awoke.
AWFUL EXPERIENCE
THAT CAUSED A DECIDEDLY
SEVERE SHOCK.
Mrs. H. N. Dunning Had Her Face
Bitten By Rotted-Clutched
Animal in Her Sleep and Held
It Until It Was Smothered to
Death. She Swore.
 Albany, N.Y., Dec. 6.—It's bad
 enough for any ordinary woman to have
 anyone speak of her as a "mouse," it's hor-
 rifying for her to see even a tiny one
 loose in a room with her—but think
 of a woman who, alone and single-
 handed, would capture a big rat alive
 and hold it tight in her grasp until
 her husband could smother it to death
 in pillows.
 Mrs. Henry N. Dunning, wife of the
 pastor of the Clinton Square Presby-
 terian church, is probably the only
 woman in the civilized world who can
 boast of such a feat. She captured a
 rat alive, and held tight to it
 until it was dead under most unusual
 and quite unheard of circumstances.
 Several nights ago Mrs. Dunning
 suddenly woke up from her sleep to
 find that she was clutching a squir-
 ming object very tightly in her right
 hand. She was almost overcome with
 horror, but had sufficient presence of
 mind to awaken her husband.
 Unaided explanation for disturbing
 her and realizing that something
 strange was happening, Mr. Dunning
 sprang from bed and touched an elec-
 tric button which turned on the
 lights.
 If Mrs. Dunning had been frightened
 before, she was a great deal more so
 when, under the light, she found that
 the object in her hand was a live rat.
 Mr. Dunning was stupified for a mo-
 ment. Quickly grasping the situation,
 however, he told his wife to hold
 tight and then he hurried hand and
 rat underneath a pillow. He pressed
 hard on the pillow long enough, as he
 supposed, to smother the rat. Mean-
 while, Mrs. Dunning held tight to
 her. When Mr. Dunning lifted the pil-
 low it was found that the rat had ex-
 pired.
 In the excitement Mr. Dunning had
 failed to notice an abrasion on his
 wife's cheek. After releasing her hold
 upon the rat, however, Mrs. Dunning
 discovered that blood was trickling
 from her face. The effect of the blood
 and the excitement of the next few
 minutes were too much for her wo-
 manly courage and she swooned. Mr.
 Dunning called a physician, and in a
 short time Mrs. Dunning recovered.
 Her husband is a member of the
 consociation. She was ill for two
 days.
 The abrasion on her cheek was un-
 doubtedly caused by the rat's teeth
 when she was frightened. The sur-
 geon, however, believes that the rat
 was running across the pillows and
 Mrs. Dunning suddenly turned her
 head so as to obstruct its passage.
 Becoming frightened and combative,
 the rat bit her cheek and her hand
 instinctively went to her protection,
 and closed upon the cause of her in-
 jury.

11,000 Seamen Out.
 Odessa, Dec. 6.—The suppression of
 the seamen's union, by the government
 has been followed by a strike of the
 seamen, with the result that the busi-
 ness of the shipping companies is com-
 pletely tied up. About 11,000 men are
 out.

Another College Gift.
 Toronto, Dec. 6.—The trustees of the
 late Hart A. Massey, have given Vic-
 toria College \$100,000 and have made
 the gift of another \$100,000 to the
 church raising an equal amount.

Big Literary Prize.
 St. Petersburg, Dec. 6.—One million
 five hundred thousand dollars is offered
 as a prize for a literary composi-
 tion here to-day. The award will be
 made on December 6th, 1905 to the
 writer of the history of Alexander of
 Russia. Arkadiy, founder of the
 military colonies of Novgorod, left a
 fortune of 50,000 gold roubles to pro-
 vide for the unique prize. The prize
 giving day will be the centenary of
 (Czar Alexander's death, by which
 time the money will have increased to
 \$2,000,000.

Has Been Testing Pipe.
 Superintendent Hewitt, of the water-
 works, has been in Hamilton testing
 pipe for the Russell street main. The
 pipe will come down early next week,
 being to this continued cold weather,
 it is doubtful if the Russell street
 main can be completed this year. If a
 mild spell sets in, there will be some
 chance.

Police Inspector Shot.
 St. Petersburg, Dec. 6.—Police In-
 spector Sherenchiff, who after the
 anti- Jewish outbreaks at Bialystok,
 in June last, for which he was said
 to be responsible, was transferred to
 St. Petersburg, was shot and mortal-
 ly wounded, today, by a workman.
 A dispatch reports all telegraph
 wires down west of Toronto, in the
 Niagara peninsula.

A SENSATIONAL MOVE.
In the McGill Case—Charged With
Theft.
 Toronto, Dec. 6.—A new and sen-
 sational move made in the case
 against Charles McGill, formerly man-
 ager of the Ontario Bank, when his
 case was called, this morning. The
 crown laid another case against Mr.
 McGill, charging him with the theft
 of \$1,150,000 from the Bank of Onta-
 rio, between the years of 1901 and
 1906. The object of this charge is to
 secure the appointment of a commis-
 sioner to go to New York, and examine
 a number of stock brokers there with
 a view of finding out something of
 Mr. McGill's financial transactions
 there. Mr. McGill pleaded not guilty,
 and was allowed out on \$100,000 bail.
 He is already out on \$100,000 bail on
 the other charges against him. The
 only witness, this morning was A. E.
 Ames, broker, who identified several
 cheques drawn on the Metropolitan
 Bank. The case was adjourned for a
 week.

A WAGE INCREASE.
Demand By Locomotive Fire-
men.
 Chicago, Ill., Dec. 6.—The Brother-
 hood of Locomotive Firemen, repre-
 senting 63,000 members, yesterday
 discussed a demand for a wage in-
 crease of fifteen per cent, from forty-
 seven trunk lines in the north-west,
 south-west and middle west. Grand
 Master A. J. Hanrahan presided. De-
 mands for an eight-hour day, and
 better working conditions also will
 be made. Resolutions were passed de-
 clarating the cost of living has increas-
 ed forty per cent. Mr. Hanrahan de-
 clared there was no talk of a strike,
 as he felt certain the roads would
 grant the demands. Committees will
 remain in Chicago, to confer with
 Chicago representatives of the roads-
 affected.

A COUNTER PETITION
Entered By Conservative Against
Liberal.
 Toronto, Dec. 6.—David Marshall,
 the wealthy farmer of Aylmer, who is
 conservative member in the Dominion
 House, for East Elgin, has entered a
 counter petition against Granville H.
 Haight, the defeated liberal candi-
 date. Charges of bribery by Haight
 and his agents are made in his
 petition. Haight charged Marshall and
 his agents with bribery and corrup-
 tion.

WILL ANTICIPATE PAYMENT
On Bonds, Owing to Money
Market Stringency.
 Dec. 6.—Secretary
 Shaw, yesterday, decided to anticipate
 the payment on government bonds for
 the next six months. The disburse-
 ment, if fully made, will amount to
 nearly \$12,000,000. The secretary's de-
 cision is due to the stringency in the
 money market.

Seated On the Senate.
 Ottawa, Dec. 6.—Hon. George W.
 Ross has been one of the two
 vacant senatorships for Ontario, and
 will, it is said, take his place on an
 early date in the arena of federal
 politics, where his services are sure
 to prove of considerable strength to
 the liberal party. The formal ap-
 pointment has not yet been made, but
 this will be announced as soon as
 Mr. Ross has signified his acceptance
 of the proffered honor.

Trustees On Advisory Council.
 Toronto, Dec. 6.—The government
 has appointed Messrs. John B. Dow,
 Whitby, and John H. Laughton, Park-
 hill, to represent the school trustees
 on the advisory council of education
 and the trustees of the Ontario
 Educational Association, when the
 trustees' section of the body will
 elect their representatives.

INDEPENDENT
LABOR CANDIDATE
For Mayor, 1907
FELOW ELECTORS—
 In accepting this nomination, I ap-
 peal to you to set aside the bondage
 of Party and to support the prin-
 ciples of Independence in municipal
 government.
No Party Politics in municipal gov-
ernment.
 Equal Rights to all classes of citi-
 zens, and
 A More Prosperous Kingston.
William Kelly.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.
 Toronto, Ont., Dec. 6.—(10 a.m.)—
 High easterly winds, with snow or sleet.
 Friday, high, northerly winds and colder
 again.

Christmas Gifts

Between now and Christmas
 every day means more busi-
 ness, more bustle in the
 store, more work for sales-
 people. It rests with you,
 whether the strain of Xmas
 selling is distributed over
 the sixteen shopping days
 before Christmas or comes in
 one big wave at the last
 moment.
 Will you help us by shop-
 ping now? In the morning
 if possible.

Gift List No. 2

LADIES' EMBROIDERED
HANDKERCHIEFS
 hemstitched edge. The best
 at the price, 12½c. to 25c.

GENT'S NECKWEAR
 hundreds to choose from, all
 new at 25c.

LADIES' GIRDLE BELTS
 Plaids and Roman Stripes,
 very special, 50c. to 90c.

LADIES' BEADED FURSES
 sample lot, beautiful designs
 \$1.35 to \$3.

MEN'S LINED GLOVES
 Mocha and Reinsder, Special
 \$1.25 to \$3.

LADIES' UMBRELLAS
 tasteful handles, well made,
 \$1 to \$5.50.

KIMONA HANDKER-
CHIEFS
 6 in box, with making in-
 structions, 75c. to 90c.

MEN'S UMBRELLAS
 Special for gift givers, \$1 to
 \$7.50.

BEAUTIFUL NECKWEAR
 for ladies, all Xmas novel-
 ties 25c. to \$1.50.

Watch This Space Daily
It Will Interest You
Steaey's

ROBERT J. REID
THE LEADING
UNDERTAKER
 Phone 577. 227 Princess St.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

TO-NIGHT
 LINCOLN J. CARTER'S
 Latest Scenic Marvel
"THE EYE WITNESS"
 Replete with Startling
 Situations and Mechanical Effects
 The most Sensational Melodrama of the
 Season.
SPECIAL 15-25-35-50 NOTHING
PRICES
 Seats now on Sale.
 Dec. 15th.—"GUNGES TOM'S CABIN."

AGAIN BEAUTIFUL
ZEPHRA
Grand Opera House
Friday Even'g Dec. 7

For the Benefit of the
 L'Hotel Dieu Hospital
 Prices—75c, 50c, 35c and 25c.
 Seats now on Sale.

LAND TENURE BILL
 Passes Its Second Reading in the
 Lords.
 London, Dec. 6.—The House of
 Lords, last night, by unanimous vote,
 passed the second reading of the land
 tenure bill, the object of which is to
 ameliorate the conditions of the
 tenant farmers in England and Scot-
 land.
 My heart and hand another claimed,
 His plea had come too late,
 It's ever thus with people without
 pluck and vim,
 Take Rocky Mountain Ten, don't get
 left again,
 Sit of the Buckingham Que., striv-
 ers were committed for trial, at Hull,
 on the charge of manslaughter.

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 In accepting this nomination, I ap-
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 of Party and to support the prin-
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 zens, and
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