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THE 5 P. M. EDITION

COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

What is Going On in the Business World—The Markets.

The New Zealand Spectator says that business of the Montreal and Ottawa markets are to be opened in London. It is said that the Canadian Northern Railway will take over and operate the Prince Albert branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway on or about Dec. 15th.

Holding stock to the value of \$15,000,000 is now under construction by the Canadian Pacific R.R. This order includes 150 engines, 50 sleeping dining and parlor cars, 200 passenger baggage cars, and up to ten thousand cattle and freight cars.

The Toronto and Mississauga branch of the C.P.R. will be completed by the end of the year. The property of these cars is now being transferred to the Annapolis Iron Company.

The Annapolis Iron Company, Limited, has purchased in Montreal a site for a new \$200,000 hot and cold water plant to supply the city with water. The plant is estimated at 500,000 gallons per day. The production from the plant is estimated at 500,000 gallons per day. The plant is estimated at 500,000 gallons per day.

JUNIOR CITY LEAGUE.

The Officers Chosen For This Body.

The executive of the Junior City Hockey League met in St. George's hall, on Saturday evening, and the election of officers resulted: Hon. president, Hon. William Hart; Hon. vice-presidents, E. J. B. Penn, W. F. Nickle, H. Richardson; president, Canon Stave; vice-presidents, P. J. Quinn, E. Carter; secretary, James Dyle; treasurer, F. Twigg; executive committee, N. Hunter, A. Haffner, M. Sullivan, A. Sullivan, G. Taylor, J. Grady, D. Ferrance, J. Stewart.

Odessa Occurrences.

Odessa, Dec. 7.—The funeral service of the late Mrs. Alpheus Hartman, aged forty-eight years, was held for several weeks in Kingston general hospital, with typhoid fever, was held at the Methodist church, on Friday afternoon, by Rev. J. A. MacCombs. The remains were placed in Wilton vault. Thomas Graham is recovering from his fall from a scaffold while sheeting his new house. Revival services closed, last Friday night, after a successful three weeks' work. The services were conducted by J. H. McCombs, Toronto. He went from here to Thornhill, Mississauga, where he held at the Methodist church on Sunday, December 9th. The sermons were preached by Rev. J. B. Hicks, M.A., of Kingston.

Athletic Contest At Y.M.C.A.

The school boys' indoor athletic contest took place Saturday morning at the Y.M.C.A. and there was a good attendance. Twenty-four boys entered. The contest was a splendid broad jump and running high jump. The contest will be continued to-day and on Wednesday. The result on Saturday was as follows: Ernest Sitter, 127; Philip Macdonell, 118; Arthur Marsh, 111; Amott Minnes, 102; Willie Goodall, 101. Saturday night the business boys' contest, was held when 25 boys entered. The result in this was as follows: Nelson McCartney, 95, 8 feet 11 inches; John Clow, 89, 8 feet 8 inches; Miller Briden, 8 feet 8 inches.

House Coats.

All our coats and gowns are specially made for us in London and New York, and we receive them direct from the makers. This insures our customers the choicest lines at the most reasonable rates. Jenkins' house coats are noted for their choice designs. A house coat is the present for a gentleman. Try Jenkins' superior house coats and gowns at Jenkins'. Reasonable prices.

Taxes Unpaid Now \$2,500.

Five hundred dollars in overdue taxes were paid into the city treasury department, last week, and now only \$2,500 of this year's taxes remain due. The collector continues to press the delinquents to pay, and allow the year 1907 to arrive with a clean tax sheet.

He May not.

Hamilton Herald.

If Provincial Secretary Hanna had an opinion that all this talk against his prison labor contract was insincere and that he will see the wisdom of revising his opinion.

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FAVOR REDUCTION.

The following resolution was adopted by the Kingston Clerical Club, which comprises the clergy of the Church of England in Kingston and the vicinity:

"That they place on record their opinion that there should be as large a reduction of licenses as possible, and that they will do their utmost to obtain the same. But they cannot consent to make the reduction of licenses the sole issue in the approaching municipal election, as there may be other important issues, which must be taken into consideration in supporting a candidate."

COURT OF ASSIZE.

The assizes in Kingston will be: Jury, March 15th, before Judge Mayne; non-jury, May 13th, before Judge Riddell.

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Opera House To-Night.

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Have you seen Jenkins' Christmas umbrellas?

H. J. Booth, Boston, who put on Zephyr here leaves to-morrow for Peterboro to make arrangements for showing them to the New Year. Mr. Booth is booked to play in the following cities this winter: Peterboro, Toronto, Hamilton, Brantford, London and St. Thomas.

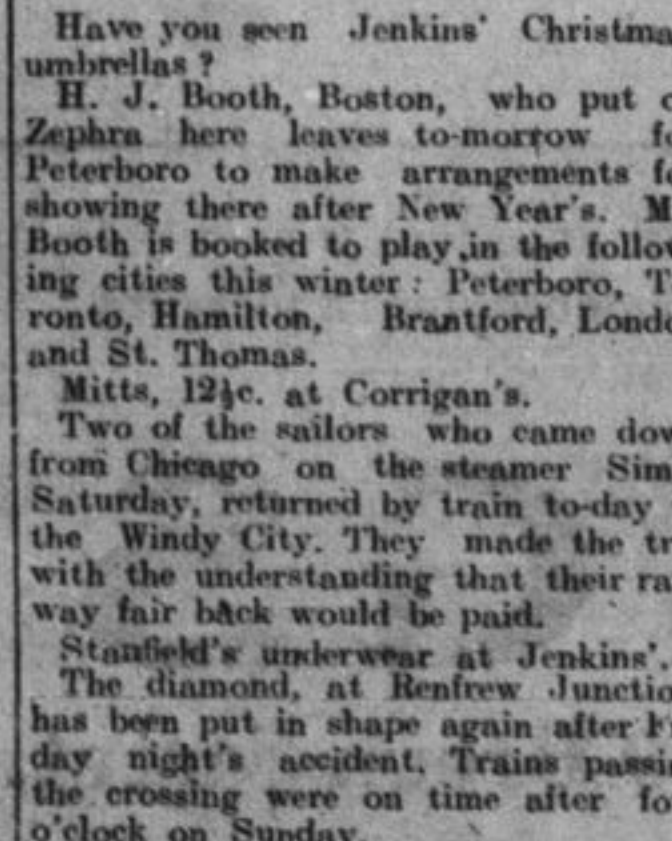
Two of the sailors who came down from Chicago on the steamer Simla Saturday, returned by train to-day to the Windy City. They made the trip back with the understanding that their railway fare would be paid.

Standfield's underwear at Jenkins'.

The diamond, at Newfong Junction, has been put in shape again after Friday night's accident. Trains passing the crossing were on time after four o'clock on Sunday.

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Chalmers' Tea And Sale.

The Y.W. Society of Chalmers' church will hold a tea and sale in lecture hall, Tuesday, December 11th, from four to ten o'clock. Admission, 10c. The served in Japanese tea room.

What Rumor Reports.

The rumor was about the street, to-day, that Dr. A. W. Richardson is to be offered the candidacy for mayor if labor interested in the independent labor movement. Dr. Richardson had nothing to say.

Has Reached Port.

The steamer Fairmont, which went aground near Seven Acre shoal Saturday was released at noon to-day, and arrived at the M.T. company's elevator, about three o'clock, accompanied by the tug Emerson.

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The following statement was made by William Kelly in writing to-day: "Not with the idea of finding a soft spot to 'lie down' on, but with the premature decision of the judge, who would finally decide the matter before us, and being aware that a 'good card' the assertion, 'I cannot, according to the decision of Judge Price, take the seat if elected,' would be, we decided not to stand on a technicality. Within fifteen minutes after this decision was arrived at, we were able to locate a gentleman who, every way considered, is qualified, with the exception of the workingmen, and the independent electors of Kingston, to defeat both Mayor Mowat, and Ald. Hoag who, undoubtedly, are the anomalous candidates of the two political parties. It is a matter of influence has been a have, and a menace to our civic progress, their assurance, dissembling, and braggadocio, notwithstanding."

"Already a caucus has been held, my resignation accepted, and instructions given the special committee to secure a candidate. The gentleman referred to has been presented with a well signed requisition. After carefully discussing the various points involved, and with a keen knowledge of the herculean task assigned him, knowing that he would be receiving the support of his party, he will be resorted to by the enemy, he has expressed the willingness, even at this late date, to accept such a spontaneous, and genuine request, upon receiving the immediate endorsement of the trades council, and the various unions, coupled with the support of all independent electors, who will support the progress and prosperity of Kingston, rather than the dictates of the leaders of two well-trained camps, who care for nothing but their own selfish ends, and who have made Kingston, commercially, and otherwise a byword and a reproach by their senseless party feuds."

"As for myself, I shall bring every honorable influence possible to the support of the independent labor candidate, just the same as though I were in his position, and at the very first opportunity I shall give certain individuals whom I can only characterize as a low type of political trickster, a run for his money."

"A special meeting of the trades council has been called for to-night, to officially endorse these recommendations of the special committee of management."

THE PIANO STRIKE

HAS COLLAPSED—STRIKERS APPLY FOR WORK.

These Who Stood By Employers Will Be Rewarded—750 Applied For Work Before Strike Was Declared.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—With the collapse of the piano strike the men were looking for work to-day. About 200 of the late striking piano and organ workers applied at one factory, this morning, for a reinstatement in their positions, but they were not all taken in.

There were over 750 men at work before the strike was declared off, according to George Merrick, secretary of the Employers' Association, and the full complement is only about 1,100. The strikers will be taken on again in places that are found for them. Mr. Merrick says, but those men who stood by the employers during the strike will be retained in their positions as long as they prove capable and efficient. He will take the time to adjust matters to the new conditions, and the Employers' Association will likely have a meeting to-morrow, to consider the situation. The meantime some of the late strikers are still out of situations.

David Rodger, an iron worker, was instantly killed at the Canada Foundry works, this morning. He was struck on the forehead by the hook of a derrick.

Three children of George Baker, 3 Fuller avenue, a boy and two girls, were suffocated by a fire which destroyed their home this morning. The father was away at work and the mother had gone to a neighbor's, leaving the children alone in the house. It is supposed the children must have been playing with matches. The bodies were found stretched out together on the kitchen floor. The boy was six years of age, and the girls four and two years.

A twelve-story office building which is being erected in New York. No steel is being used in its construction as it is being cast in concrete.

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