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Have a cup of tea at Best's. See Bibby's \$2 fur-lined gloves. Never judge yourself by the faults of your neighbors. Stawing oysters, 40c. Carnovsky's. Shaving sets and shaving mirrors at Chown's drug store. Fancy knitted gloves, 50c. Bibby's. Perfumes for children's presents, 25c. at Best's.

Fountain pens for Christmas gifts, at Chown's drug store. See Bibby's 50c. silk handkerchiefs. See the Northline piano at Kirkpatrick's art store before purchasing elsewhere.

See the special \$3 fountain pen for \$1. at Chown's.

The North bridge can safely support a weight of 84,000 tons.

We have the finest showing of men's gloves in Kingston. Bibby's. 100 pairs for \$4 to \$5, \$6 to \$25, at R. J. Reid's.

It's a good idea and was carried out to perfection last Christmas. The special delivery of high class candy from Gibson's Red Cross drug store on Christmas morning.

Dr. Jagger's pure wool slippers, the warmest and best made. For sale only by the Lockett shoe store.

A package of candy without the name of the maker on it is like a bottle of medicine without a label. Beware of it. Huyler's and McConkey's high class candy sold in sealed packages only at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

See Bibby's \$1.25 neck scarf. Handsome perfume cases filled with delicate and exquisite odors at Best's. New Grenoble walnut, shelled and unshelled, at Carnovsky's.

You can lead some men to the bar, but you can't make them refuse to drink.

Some nice genuine alligator club bags at the Lockett shoe store.

Look over every page in the newspaper and count the stores who tell you the makes of candy they sell. Most of them have no name but Huyler's and McConkey's are sold at Gibson's Red Cross drug store in sealed packages only.

Andrew Carnegie has donated \$50,000 to the library fund of Washburn College, Topeka, Kan., on condition that \$100,000 additional be raised.

Handsomeness of note paper 25c. up at Best's.

Some English kit bags from \$10 up to \$25 at the Lockett shoe store.

A new lot of military brushes just received at Best's, \$1.50 to \$5 a pair.

Official advices received at Washington, regarding the famine in North China, "confirm the stories of suffering, and want in that section. An urgent appeal is made for aid for stricken who number many millions. Foss, of Boston, and Gunther, of Chicago, makes of the finest and purest of chocolates. These goods are sold at Best's.

Yemenites at Honey Falls, N.Y., on Wednesday morning blew the safe in the post-office, wrecking the strong box of the building.

Smoking sets in pretty cases for Christmas at Best's.

Children's mitts, black, red, and navy, 15c. all sizes. Stockings, especially strong, 20c. and 25c. New York Dress Reform.

Choice chocolates from Boston and Chicago for Christmas at Best's.

Chocolates in bulk or boxes at Best's.

The Boston fire is under control. The loss is estimated about \$100,000.

Children's felt slippers at 25c., 50c. and 60c. at the Lockett shoe store.

See the range of "mailable gifts for Christmas" at Chown's drug store. Finest chocolates, 25c. Crawford's.

THE WHIG - 73rd YEAR

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Daily Whig.

Strange Mixing Of Ideas.

There is something about the Garrison case, reported from Belleville, that is simply incomprehensible. Garrison was arrested for a public disturbance at Atonville, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment. The telegram says that Judge Deroche, in reviewing the case, for the alleged offender was released after he had served two weeks, found fault with the arrest, and said the penalty was too severe.

"But,"—and here is the point that is most astounding—"to protect the justice, and constable from an action for damages, he would confirm the conviction and sentenced Garrison to one more day in jail."

The press has been timid about criticizing the judges, not because the gentlemen who occupy the bench are considered infallible, but because it is not desired to lower the dignity of the court. Yet this decision of Judge Deroche is remarkable. The whole case seems to have been out of joint. The judge found that the officer who arrested Garrison, "made a mistake."

He was the cause of the first breach of the peace. The prisoner suffered unduly. Still, in order to save the blundering justice and constable from a suit for damages the whole wrongdoing had to be condoned.

The reasoning seems to be absurd, and the result contrary to justice and common sense, and one is forced to the conclusion that there has been a confusion of facts, or a strange misunderstanding of them.

He Is Not A Crafter.

Attention is being concentrated on Lewis S. Chauler, who was elected lieutenant-governor last month of the state of New York, and will presently accept office as the ally of Mr. Hughes. When he was nominated as the running mate of Mr. Hearst people said it was because he was rich, and Tammany Hall wanted to tap his barrel of money. That was not a correct statement of the case. There was another reason.

Chauler is rich. He is a descendant of the Astors. His mother was the granddaughter of the original Astor, the one who laid the foundation of the family's wealth and greatness. He is a scholarly man, and a lawyer, and it is reported that after a foreign tour, during which he studied in the colleges and law schools of England and married a London lady, he began the practice of his profession. He did not need money and so took up the cause of the poor. He became their constant and untiring advocate. He dispensed his rich relatives because of this, but he kept on doing charitable and philanthropic service without stint. He justifying it on the ground that he wanted to get to the front and discovered, like Roosevelt, "that one cannot do this and be the duke."

Herein is the secret of the choice of this man for political preferment. Whether or not it was according to his design it was the fact nevertheless that his popularity with the democracy made him a shining light. Hearst was playing for the same vote and would have got it had he been as sane and reasonable as Chauler. Of course he had the "sugar" (as the vulgar politician puts it), and he no doubt contributed of it freely in the interest of the cause which he espoused.

Chauler stood out prominently, however, as the man who had served the people faithfully, and was willing to serve them still, without waiting to discuss what there was in it for him.

A Word To The Electors.

In Winnipeg, recently, the people supported the best men for the council—mayor, controllers and aldermen—regardless of any consideration except their fitness for office. This caused the Free Press to remark:

"The candidate of to-day finds that his qualifications are more carefully and dispassionately weighed that used to be the case with the candidate of yesterday—more particularly his qualifications for the office to which he seeks to be elected."

"The average elector gives serious consideration to the fitness of the candidates, and he votes in increasing numbers, for the one who he believes to be best fitted for the work which he will have to do. In marking his ballot, the elector is guided, precisely the same considerations that would influence him if he were voting in the election of directors of a business enterprise in which he had his money invested."

"This is one of the results of the broadening of the functions of 'conviction.' Every time the business of the people is vitiated by the addition of a public utility, the electors are brought to regard their own function of selecting the managers of the business. The fact of a candidate being a

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS

Case Of "As You Were."

Brantford Examiner.

When Sir William Mulock was minister of labor he introduced a bill in the house of commons providing for compulsory arbitration in disputes affecting railway corporations. He found that such a measure was too much in advance of the times, and he finally modified it so as to provide for compulsory investigation. Now his successor in the department of labor, Hon. R. Lemson, is proposing to extend the same machinery to strikes and lockouts affecting coal mines. Pending such an investigation, and until a finding has been made, the parties are to be restrained on pain of penalty from striking or striking.

We are inclined to think such a proposal not too drastic and that it might be safely applied to all labor disputes affecting public utilities. It is high time that both labor and capital were made to understand that as regard industries of this class the public has some claim to consideration.

Partizan Commissioners.

Toronto News.

It does not like these investigations by partizan commissioners in the conduct of public officials. Is it necessary that such inquiries in Ontario should always be conducted by committee of the judiciary? It is best not to involve the judiciary in these proceedings, and yet it is difficult, if not impossible, for a liberal official to get justice from a board appointed at the demand of conservative partisans and constituted of conservative partisans. Moreover, its action is bound to be challenged even when substantial justice is done. Surely it cannot be disputed that what we need is an independent non-partizan civil service board, before which any official can get a fair hearing, and whose judgment will be accepted by the general community.

Justice Is Expensive.

Ottawa Journal.

An honorable preacher can set up his own pulpit anywhere. An expelled union man can try to find non-union work at his own trade, or set up in business for himself if he can. But in Ontario the lawyer or doctor who offends his fellows can be wretchedly kicked out of the business by them. It does not seem to be a sufficient offset that he can go to the courts at his own expense to ask justice.

Doctor's Not Angelic.

Toronto Globe.

Men distinguished in the medical profession are the best judges as to the propriety and honesty of the conduct of brother practitioners. But whether they are the best qualified to sit in judgment, to exercise authority, or to pronounce a sentence of expulsion, is an open question. They are human in spite of their free gifts of discoveries to the world, and when they attempt to sit in judgment on a brother the complicated influences of their various human interests may create the need of a disinterested tribunal. Power is always a dangerous thing, and unless the power of the medical council is exercised with extreme care and discretion it will, of necessity, be curtailed.

Go It Seems.

Hamilton Times.

The license in Toronto changed hands the other day at a price between \$23,000 and \$25,000. There's unearned increment in that deal.

A Christmas Tip.

Chicago News.

Mail addressed to Santa Claus will go to the dead letter office. Anxious correspondents would do well to send their letters in care of some wealthy uncle.

It Certainly Will Not.

Ottawa Citizen.

The alive is in the mines and will remain there till taken out by the managements. If some of the water in the stock is pressed out in the process country will be none the poorer for the fact.

Bound To Be Cranky.

Toronto Mail.

In France people who never went to church before now go twice every Sunday, that is, if there are enough places of worship kept open in violation of the law to accommodate all to whom a prohibition is an impulse.

Cigar jars, with moisture and handsome gold top at Best's.

THE ORANGE MEAT CO.

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Children's Slippers, in colored felt, 25c., 35c., 50c., to 75c.

Hockey Boots—For Men, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.

For Boys, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2 and \$2.25.

Women's Skating Boots, \$2, \$2.50.

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Overhoes—\$1.75, \$2, \$2.25 and \$3. Low Overshoes—\$1.50.

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CAME FROM LONDON.

Edward McKenna to Serve Five Years.

Deputy Sheriff Benjamin Watterworth and Constable Shaver, of London, advised in the city early this morning with Edward McKenna, better known as "Red," who was arrested by Magistrate Love, of London, to five years in the Kingston penitentiary, for burglary. McKenna served two years in the penitentiary less some ten years ago, on a charge of theft.

McKenna has been living in the United States for some time, but he was born in London, and when he arrived in that city recently, he was arrested on suspicion. It was a breakfast residence, second floor, which number of articles of jewelry and other valuables.

McKenna commenced his criminal career with the gang known as "The Forty Thieves," in the northeast end of London, many years ago, and following it up he has spent years in the bars of different prisons in Canada and the United States. He was sent for five years to St. Vincent, I. Pail penitentiary, from Montreal, a charge of burglary. Later he was sent to Kingston from London, on burglary and since his release he was imprisoned in Michigan.

In passing sentence, the magistrate said that to show mercy to such a criminal would be out of reason. McKenna is well on to middle life, and on account of his apparent poor health it is said that he may not survive five years in prison.

Chocolates And Fancy Creams.

Finest Chocolates, 25c.; bon-bons, 20c.; Turkish Delight, 20c. Crawford's.

Button-neck sweaters at Bibby's.

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Hand mirrors, all shapes, in ebony and rosewood at Chown's.

Cardigan jackets, special \$17. Bibby's.

McKenna's fur house open to-night a very bright light Christmas.

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