

Wm. Lush & Son

You Still With-
a Coat?

Choose From Our Showing
To-Morrow.
A old-fashioned Canadian winter
is just around the corner
and will remain with us un-
til 15th March at least. You
will surely need a Coat. Sty-
lish, dressy

Black Coats
Are here, and at prices that
will mean a saving for you if
you buy now, as there is no
possibility of our having any
more at present prices—
\$7.50, 8.75, 9.50, 10.00, 11.75,
12.75 and up.

Something You Need
GLOVES AND MITTS
ARE HERE.

name something mighty unusual
be unable to show you this week
Gloves or Mitts for men or women,
We mention just a few out of

MITTS
or Kid
Gloves,
Knitted
45c.
Knitted
Cash-
perfect
Kid, only
able.
9c.
Knitted
variety.

**GLOVES AND MITTS
FOR MEN.**
Men's Mocha Gloves, \$1
and 1.25.
Men's English Dog Skin
Gloves, for autumn
wear, tan shades, \$1.00.
Men's Scotch Knitted
Gloves, in greys, browns
and black, 39c, 45c.
Kid
Gloves, special English
make, \$1.00.
Men's Lined Mocha
Gloves, Perrin's make,
\$1.25, 1.49.

Guarantee
"TRADE MARK"
BURROJAPS
WARRANTED

label is in every Burrozap "Korret"
Shoe, and stands as a guaran-
tee that the Burrozap Vamp will not
slough before the first sole is worn out.
In event of a Burrozap Shoe wear-
ing out, the retailer who sold the shoe
on these shoes was purchased is
to replace them with a new pair
PACKARD & FIELD
Brookton, Mass.

FOR SALE ONLY BY
WICKETT SHOE STORE.

The Daily British Whig

YEAR 74—NO. 276. KINGSTON, ONTARIO, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1907. LAST EDITION

ROBBED POOR PEOPLE

Italy's King Tricked by Official Thieves.

Funds Contributed for Relief of Earthquake Sufferers Scandalously Misappropriated.

Rome, Nov. 26.—Disgraceful revelations respecting the maladministration of charitable donations to the Italian earthquake sufferers' fund of 1905, are made public, to-day, through a leakage of the facts contained in the report of the parliamentary commission appointed last year to inquire into the matter. Only other news copies have so far been printed for private circulation in cabinet circles, because the government feared that the publication of the report would seriously affect the inflow of subscriptions for the victims of the latest upheaval.

Lengthy extracts from the report printed in the responsible organs of the press attribute some of the worst abuses to the confusion which reigned at the moment, as well as to the primitive isolation of many of the affected hamlets over the vast earthquake region.

In many places, while the genuine needy sat stupefied and weeping beside the ruins, where their families and friends lay dead or dying, the official stockholders were literally sacked by savage throngs of well-to-do individuals utterly unaffected by the catastrophe, who bore off all the clothes and bed coverings. In other places, with the guilty connivance of the local mayors and municipalities, the constructors of shelters, who were to be paid at the rate of \$100 per

NEVER FELT SO WELL.

What Pope Told His Niece Who Visited Him.

Rome, Nov. 26.—The pope received his niece, Gilda Parolin, who came from Rome, where she keeps a general store, fearing that her uncle was not well. The pope, who cherishes her among his other relations, although he has never done anything to raise her from her humble station, entirely reassured his niece. He said he had never felt so well in his life. The air of Rome seemed to be excellent for her, and his attacks here were less frequent and weaker than in Venice, where the dampness evidently contributed to aggravate the disease. This holiness added jokingly that the only thing he regretted was the impossibility of returning to Venice to see his friends, but he was happy to say that many of them came to see him in Rome.

BORN A POOR LAD.

But Ability Soon Put Him at the Top.

Charles Wyman Morse, once the king and even more recently hailed as the king of the coastwise traffic steamship combine was born a poor lad and in early youth sold candy on board the little steamers that used to ply in Maine waters. He is just a year or two over fifty years of age, now and has had a most romantic



Charles W. Morse

STABBED IN THE KIDNEY.

Assailed in Street in Mysterious Manner.

Paris, Nov. 26.—Walking in an empty street last night, M. Noid, a business man, heard quick steps behind him. Before he could turn around he was stabbed twice in the back. He crawled to a hotel close by and fainted on the doorstep.

When his wounds had been dressed he recovered slightly, and declared that Jean Hurstel, a boy of fifteen and an acquaintance, had struck him down. Hurstel was brought from his house, to which he had just returned, and brought before M. Noid. The man, who is declared, will not recover, pointed to him, saying, "Murderer! It is you who have killed me!" and relapsed into delirium. Hurstel appeared utterly astonished at the accusation, but was arrested. No trace of blood or a weapon was found upon him. M. Noid was not robbed by his assailant.

THIS MAN A CUR.

Beat Wife Unmercifully—To Prison For Two Years.

St. John, N.S., Nov. 26.—For unmercifully beating his wife and abusing his children, Frederick Borrell of Hampton was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary with hard labor by Judge Wedderburn.

The woman, who belongs to a prominent Westfield family, could stand his treatment no longer and sought the protection of the authorities, fearing her life was in danger.

Evidence showed that Borrell had dragged his wife from bed out of the house, locking the door against her, while the temperature was at zero. When found by neighbors she was in a pitiable condition. Borrell conducted his own defence and spoke in absolute terms of his wife. He had to be stopped by the judge, who, in a searching address, passed sentence. The prisoner pleaded for mercy, but with no effect.

DIAMOND JUBILEE AMNESTY.

Military Culprits to Be Forgiven.

Vienna, Nov. 26.—The first act of Emperor Francis Joseph's diamond jubilee, on December 2nd, will be the granting of full amnesty to deserters and fugitives from military service, and other military culprits. The amnesty will continue operative for two years, so as to enable Austrians and Hungarians abroad, who wish to take advantage of it, to restore their names at the consulate.

FELL FROM BRIDGE.

Barcelona, Nov. 26.—An express train from Valencia, with many passengers on board, fell from a bridge into the water below, on the outskirts of this city. Sixteen persons were killed and twenty-two others injured.

DECAPITATED AFTER DEATH.

Instructions of Famous Painter Carried Out by Son.

Paris, Nov. 26.—The famous Breton painter, Yan Dargent, who died eight years ago at Roscoff, left instructions that his body was to be embalmed. He also left with one of his sons a letter, which was to be opened on the first anniversary of his death.

This letter instructed the son to have his father's body taken out of the ground and decapitated. The head was to be placed beside the head of the dead man's wife, which was cut off in a railway accident and was buried in another part of Brittany.

The son carried out his father's instructions under the eyes of the village priest, but the daughter of the dead man is now taking action against her brother and the priest.

ROBBED IRISH M.P.

Member For Monaghan Re-Victim of Thieves.

Cincinnati, Nov. 26.—John McKean, Monaghan county, Ireland, member of the British House of Commons, was shown a "river regulator," a device for "regulating currents of the Ohio river," in the basement of the union depot here, yesterday. As he descended the stairs with the "regulator," McKean pictured in his mind's eye all Ireland saluting him as he passed, introduced a bill to apply the "regulator" to the River Thames, but at the bottom of the stairs his dream was instantly interrupted. The "inventor" grabbed him by the collar, pushed him into a corner, robbed him of a thick wad of five-pound Bank of England notes, and then locked him in. McKean reported his experience to the police.

A LETTER SENT OUT

Filled Women's Heads With Nonsense, Said Millionaire.

An Englishman Has Been Arrested at Pittsburg for Offering to Introduce Ladies to English Society or Court.

New York, Nov. 26.—According to a despatch from Pittsburg, Reginald Spaulding, an Englishman, is under arrest at the central station here on a charge of trying to swindle Pittsburg society women by offering to introduce them into London society. It is charged that he mailed the following letter to more than 200 Pittsburg women:

"Dear Madam, I beg to inform you that I am making a tour of the country, arranging with those who are desirous of being introduced into London society or at court. I am also thoroughly versed with all matters of finance in England and on the continent. I shall deem it a favor if you will be good enough to advise me if you are interested in any of the above mentioned matters. If so, I shall be pleased to call and converse any particulars you may desire. I make no charge in any way, my remuneration to be determined by the demands made upon my influence."

Reginald Spaulding.

MAYOR JOHNSON

IS ACCUSED OF DABBLING IN HIGH FINANCE.

Accused of Watering Street Railway Stock to Extent of Six Millions—Wrong Thing to Do.

New York, Nov. 26.—William M. DeLois, while investigating the affairs of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company for the public service commission, declared that Mayor Tom L. Johnson, Cleveland and his friends who formerly owned the Nassau Electric Railway company, of Brooklyn, had watered its stock to the extent of \$6,250,000, and then sold it to the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company. This was alleged to have taken place in a re-organization of the Nassau company in January, 1899.

Questioning Timothy S. Williams, president of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company, about the re-organization of the Nassau company, Mr. DeLois said: "On that re-organization, I find that they increased their bond issue, which had heretofore been \$5,300,000, by an additional \$9,460,960. They made an entirely new issue of preferred stock of \$6,000,000, they therefore having no preferred stock, and they issued \$8,000,000 of common stock they added \$2,500,000, making a total of new issues of \$17,960,960, and your acquisition was after this increase of capitalization. Can you tell me what these new securities were issued for?"

Mr. Williams contended that the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company, if it had bought \$6,250,000 of water, had subsequently succeeded in it out.

"I cannot agree with you," said Mr. DeLois. "It looks to me like a plain case of stock watering, and the company had no right to charge that \$6,000,000 in its books to the cost and equipment of the road. It was wrong in principle, and if it was not then amended so, the law ought to be amended so as to make such a transaction impossible."

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Syracuse, N.Y., Nov. 26.—Ella and Jennie, aged 12 and 8 years respectively, daughters of Vernon Williams, of Blackman Corners, were killed by a New York Central passenger train near Greenway, on Monday. The girls were on their way to school. The crossing gate was down for a freight train and the girls went under the bars and were struck by a passenger train on another track. The older girl was killed instantly, and the younger lived but a few minutes.

REMEDY FOR DISTRESS.

London, Nov. 26.—General Booth, interviewed here, said he firmly believed that emigration to Canada was the remedy for distress in the home land. He was now occupied with a scheme for sending fifty struggling men to occupy many vacant farms in Eastern Canada. The men would be maintained until self-supporting, and thus receive a serious condition only say "yes" to the proposal of a Canadian provincial minister that the Salvation Army should control the provincial jails.

A NEW TRIBUNAL FORMED.

Liston, Dec. 26.—The government, yesterday, proclaimed the establishment of a special tribunal elected summarily to try political offenders. Such offences will now be considered in the category, as anarchist crimes. The magistrate appointed to preside over this court resigned as soon as he was named.

DIED FROM INJURIES.

Alma, Ont., Nov. 26.—While on his way home, after attending the funeral of the late J. E. Trask, George Miller, of this place, was thrown from his buggy, by running into another rig, owing to the dark night, and died, this morning, from the effects of the injuries received.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

Pain Ointment is guaranteed to cure any case of itching, blind, bleeding or protruding piles in six to fourteen days or money refunded, 50c.

"G.H." Chocolates, "The Red Star," Edwards & Jenkins.

Probabilities
Toronto, Ont.,
Nov. 26, Ottawa
Valley and Upper
St. Lawrence
(10 a. m.)—
Cold, with light
falls of snow or
sleet. Wednes-
day, westerly winds, fair and
cold.

DETERMINED EXCLUSIVENESS

This determination has become interwoven in our very existences to see to it that you will always find in our

DRESS GOODS SECTION

The latest and most stylish fabrics as worn in all large fashionable centres, and let you forget our persistency of purpose, we want to tell you of our latest importations.

EXCLUSIVE WEAVES IN
Chiffon Ninos, Marquisettes,
Batistes, Chiffon Broches,
Eolennes, French Voiles,
Follet Nets, Cord-de-Chiens,
Ninon-de-Chiens, Ninon
Voiles, Novelty Eolennes,
Chiffon Velvets, etc.

Distinctive Dress

No two persons are alike. No two dresses should be. It follows that only the store, which holds to strict exclusiveness can prosper.

Our Dress-Making Dept.

Affords to every woman her rights in the matter, and her joy in the selection of a distinctive gown. We make a specialty of Wedding and Reception Gowns, Evening Gowns, Wraps, also Tailored Suits.

Madame Richard Modiste.

Steacy's

BORN.
FERRIER.—At Kingston, Nov. 25th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Ferrier, a son.

MARRIED.
McQUOWN-FOKES.—At Ogdensburg, on Nov. 18th, 1907, at the home of Mrs. A. S. Gray, 30 Pleasant street, by the Rev. S. T. Dibble, Miss F. E. Leubner, (Miss), eldest daughter of Mrs. E. J. Fokes, of Perth Road, and Wayne McQuown, of Massena, N.Y.

DIED.
HOINE.—At "The Ridge," Wolfe Island, on Nov. 25th, 1907, James Hoine, aged seventy-four years.

ROBERT J. REID
The Licensing Undertaker
Phone 877, 237 Princess St.

ALL HERE.

New Raisins.
New Currants.
New Peas.
New Prunes.
New Figs.
New Canned Tomatoes.
New Canned Corn.
New Canned Peas.
New Canned Beans.
New Sweet Cider.

Jas. Redden & Co.

The Home of Good Groceries.

FOR SALE.
Choice Brick Residence, Dorrie street; all improvements, grand location.
Double Stone Dwelling, Earl street.
Frame Dwelling, Albert street, barn, shed, large lot and many others.
SWIFT'S Real Estate and Insurance Agency.

Don't complain to the neighbors about your children. Their opinions about them is bad enough to start with.
"Malt Extract," fresh at Gibson's Red Cross drug store, Phone 230.
Oysters, "The Red Star."