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Mrs. Pinkham

It is a sad but true fact that every year brings an increase in the number of operations performed upon women in our hospitals.

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George Northedge, an obscure real estate man, and hermit of Marinette, Wis., has become the talk of the great east, one in Montreal, the other in England.

Weatherproof Cartridges

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MEN AND WOMEN

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

A heavy snowstorm is raging in Ottawa.

A train on the Northern Pacific RR. was wrecked near Beach, N.D., on Sunday night.

One feature of the sailing of the Pacific fleet not 'played up' by administration newspapers is that fully seven hundred enlisted men deserted after the vessels reached Hampton Roads.

A train on the Southern railway ran into an open switch at Tallapoosa, Ga., on Sunday night.

At Wilkesbarre, Pa., nine firemen were injured and damaged to the extent of \$250,000 was done by a fire which originated in the dry goods store of Langfield brothers on Sunday.

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ARRESTED AT SYRACUSE

Is Charged With Misappropriating Funds of Society.

Syracuse, N.Y., Dec. 23.—Charles W. Arthur, formerly a Congregational minister of Toronto, was arrested in this city, charged with grand larceny, in misappropriating the funds of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, for which he was a worker.

BLEW OUT HIS BRAINS.

Student Commits Suicide in Winnipeg Hotel.

Winnipeg, Dec. 23.—John Grafton Herald, a medical student from Kingston, Ont., who came here December 9th, blew out his brains in the Strathearn Hotel. It is said to be due to a love affair.

Ask For A Stay.

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—The Railway Commission is to ask for a stay of the effect of its order for a stay of the application to the price council.

Burned To Death.

Fort Smith, Ark., Dec. 23.—Fire, yesterday, destroyed the Haglin office building, the American National Bank and two other buildings.

Nominations in Toronto.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—Seven men were nominated for mayor of Toronto, to-day, and there are fifteen candidates for controller, four to be elected.

Steel Mills Close For Holidays.

Joliet, Ill., Dec. 23.—Nearly the entire force of the Joliet steel mills will have a vacation during the holiday week, most departments closing until January 15th.

Very Little Interest.

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—Voting in the by-election, to-day, by its lassitude, shows the interest in the contest.

Black Watch

MET HIS DEMANDS

WEALTHY CONGREGATION REBUKED BY DR. AKED.

After Plain Talk Fifth Avenue Pastor Demands \$7,000 and Gets It.

New York, Dec. 23.—Addressing his wealthy congregation at the close of the formal sermon, yesterday, Dr. C. F. Aked, who recently came from Liverpool to become pastor of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church here, declared somewhat emphatically that he would not contemplate a permanent ministry in the church if the system of finance

broken their habit of going to Arthalasville to spend their Christmas. They will see the festive season through at Ottawa.

At James H. Staffing, Prescott, died Saturday night, aged fifty-one. He was appointed about five months ago to a position of fish and game inspector of this district.

David Boyle, curator of the provincial museum, Toronto, has received a coveted distinction, being made an honorary member of the Society of Anthropology and Ethnology of Italy.

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SMALLPOX SPREADING, BUT ALL CASES ISOLATED.

Brookville, Dec. 23.—There is a marked spreading of smallpox in Brookville, five cases having been reported since Friday last, which, with two previously under treatment at the pest-house, makes a total of seven.

To Have A Senior Team.

The 14th Regiment has taken their two teams out of the O.H.A., but Kingston will have a city team in the senior series.

Bade Good-Bye To Him.

Capt. R. H. McKay, who for the past twelve years has spent the larger part of his time in Kingston, left this afternoon for Fulton, N.Y., to spend a short time with his son.

Stole Small Article.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—Lottie Scott, a widow, sixty-five years of age, of Prince Edward County, and worth twenty thousand dollars, was convicted before Judge Macdowell, last morning, of stealing a dollar's worth of small articles from the store of T. Eaton company.

Judge Champagne Dead.

Montreal, Que., Dec. 23.—Judge Champagne, who for a number of years represented the county of Two Mountains in the Quebec legislature, died Sunday, after a long illness.

Alaska Sable.

Many people who were down street on Saturday night had very narrow escapes from serious injury from ice and snow falling off the buildings.

The High Court Sittings.

Kingston, jury, March 31st; non-jury, May 26th.

Many Came Over.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements Of The People—What They Are Saying And Doing.

Miss Helen Walker has left to spend Christmas at her home in 'etina.

Stanley Lake, New York, is in the city with his parents on Queen street.

Arthur Ravens, Montreal street, will spend Christmas with relatives in Brookville.

Henry Bailey, Union street, returned from the west, to-day, to spend Christmas with friends.

Mrs. Little, King street, left, this morning, for Buffalo, to spend Christmas with her daughter.

Allan Lemmon, Earl street, is able to be around again, after being operated on for appendicitis.

Miss Lottie Timms, many friends will be pleased to hear she is rapidly recovering from her serious illness.

C. W. Timmerman, of Montreal, was in the city, to-day, en route to Odessa, to spend the holidays with his family.

Mrs. W. Stevens, Pine street, leaves, this evening, to spend a month in Niagara Falls and Buffalo, visiting relatives.

Miss Viola Armstrong, Johnson street, returned Saturday after a two months' visit with friends in Danville, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. James Acton, Earl street, left for Berlin, this morning, to spend Christmas with their son, Capt. Acton.

Lieut. Nellie Pollitt, of the Salvation Army, Berlin, Ont., will spend the Christmas holidays with her mother, 40 Quebec street.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Gray, Bagot street, left on Saturday, for Montreal, to spend Christmas and New Year's with relatives.

Miss Daisy Evelyn Carroll is down from St. Margaret's College, Toronto, to spend her Christmas holidays with her parents, William and J. K. Carroll, this city.

The scholars of the Stratford Collegiate Institute, on Thursday last, said good-bye to A. Stevenson, the popular English master of the school, who leaves for Kingston in the near future to assume similar duties here, and presented him with a handsome sectional book case.

The funeral of the late Mrs. M. B. Baker, Wellington street, occurred Monday morning, Rev. C. A. Sykes, conducted the service, Principal Gordon offering the prayer.

Better Mail Service.

Col. J. P. McMillan has reported to the Cornwall board of trade that further benefit has followed the delegation, which worked on the postmaster-general last summer.

The Nurses' "Bill" Glenn.

William Glenn, of the general hospital staff, has been forty years in that institution, and is again wishing his many friends the compliments of the season.

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The steamer New Island Wanderer brought about seventy-five passengers from Cape Vincent to-day.



By candle light, or morning bright, Seal Brand Coffee brings delight.

Its fragrant steam, a golden dream, With gastronomic pleasures teem.

Its flavor too, will just suit you, So buy it, try it, drink it, do.

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