The Napanee River Improvement Company

AT THIRD LAKE DEPOT 35 MILES FROM CITY.

Available for Continuous Development - By Expending \$50,000 This Power Could be Brought Here. - Matter Before Utilities Commission.

The question of cheap power for Kingston has been and is at present, much "in the air," and the source of this supply is becoming more and more one of considerable concern. The following communication bearing upon this, from A. W. Benjamin, of Yarker, for the Napanee River Improvement company, was read at the meeting of the commission on public utilities on Monday afternoon: --

"It occurs to the writer that you might be interested in getting cheap electrical power for your city, and while I cannot speak with any degree of exactness, I think that we-meaning the Napance Improvement company-could put before you a very tempting development proposition, if here was too, limited for the Hydro you are sufficiently interested to Commission to consider. make a careful investigation.

"Roughly speaking, we have undeveloped power at what is known as Third Depot Lake, but, owing to the geographical location, this power is practically useless for manufacturing purposes. I am credibly informed that a sheer drop of about 65 feet is easily obtainable at this point.

#### Proposition in Detail

"Our engineering reports show that at least 1,000 horse power is available at this point for continuous development, but, by the acquisition of a few thousand acres of land additional, for storage grounds, would involve doubt that this quantity could be increased to at least 2,000 horse-power, dependable for twelve months service. For possibly eight months in the year several thousand horse-power could opinion that this line could be constructed for practically \$1,000 mile. The erection of necessary dams and the acquisition of the addition storage ground, would involve a further expenditure of some \$15,000 It would therefore appear that for an expenditure of \$50,000, you could de liver from 1,500 to 2,000 horse-power. If this amount would be sufficient for your purposes, the proposition might be well worth your investigation. For even if you sold the power at onethird its present value, or say per horse-power, it would give you' revenue of from \$15,000 to \$20,000 per annum on a capital expenditure of \$50. itatively, I do believe that satisfac. sion tory arrangements could be made with the Napanee River Improvement com-

pany for this development." No action was taken on the matter LIVES MAY BE LOST at the time, the letter being filed for the time being.

Mayor Shaw at this point asked for information as to whether there was any possibility of Kingston getting power from Madawaska Falls, which he understood Hon. Adam Beck had secured an option. Some of the commissioners rather discouraged this

### DAILY MEMORANDA

Poultry Show, armouries, this evening and to-morrow. Perry's Peerless Players, Grand opera house, 8,15 p.m Hockey, covered rink, 8,15 p.m., Frontenac Juniors vs. Belleville. Humorous entertainment, young men's class, Cooke's church school room, Tuesday, Feb. 3rd, 8 p.m.

Matinee, Grand opera house, 2.30 p.
m.. Wednesday, by Perry's Peerless Players.
1500 poultry and pigeons, at Ar mouries Tuesday, Wednesday an Thursday, Admission 10 cents.

## The Great Home Month

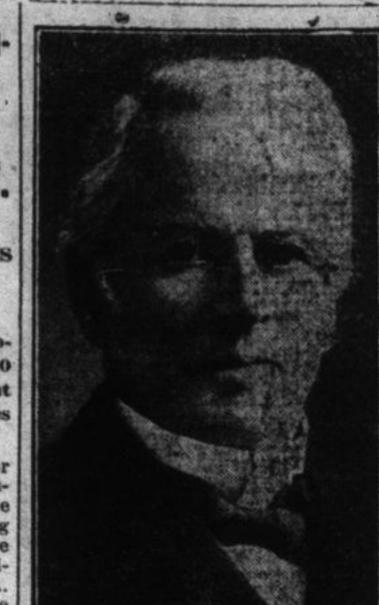
### in the Stores

Merchandising custom has made February the great 'Home Month.

Read the advertising of the merchants these days in the live daily newspapers like The Whig and you will see how vigorously the stores are pressing their offerings of goods that have to do with the furnishing of the home.

Wise homemakers have long since learned the advantage of planning their purchasing along with the tides of the season. It is the policy of "taking advantage of the market"

applied to domestic affairs. Every member of the family -big or little, is interested in the home. So at no season of the year is advertising of greater importance than right now. Those who follow the mercautile announcements in their daily newspapers will be certain to buy to greater advanshop in a haphazard manner.



SIR HENRY N. BATE. Has donated the deeds to the mag-

the congregation, in memory of being of the opinion that the supply

### Rates For Industries

Upon the request of the civic Bureau of Industry and Information the commission will quote through Mr. trie commission if it is prepared to formed on Mise Rose Jenner, A letter from the city solicitor of Plattsburg.

der the terms of the agreement between the city and the street railway company it is compulsory that! the city shall replace the wooden city will therefore have to take down the poles and take care of the wires when so doing. The city also

en authority to purchasa same. permanent officials to the commis- completely closed sion. Mr. Givens said that the act The patient was put in a plaster | The chief public bequests are was by no means clear on the sub- cast and kept almost motionless for ject of the jurisdiction of the com- six weeks. An examination made this £10,000 (\$50,000), in addition to the mission on the appointment of per- week showed that the wound had same amount given in his lifetime. manent officials. He suggested healed without suppuration and that | To the Royal Victoria College, Monthat Dr. Ross should endeavor to there was no apparent reason why treal, £200,000 (\$1,000,000), "under de-

000. At the regular rates the revenue | The commission was notified that had "taken," the piece adhering, and buildings and site provided by him. would be sufficient to wipe out the the proper set of blanks to meet the all had grown together, giving capital debt within one year. While I accounting requirements would be patient a backbone with several am not in a position to speak author- gubmitted by the Hydro Commis- the vertebrae rigidly joined.

(Continued on page 6.)

## BY ST. JOHN, N. B. FIRE

See top of page 3, right hand corner. In some quarters, incendiaries are is not far behind London in the dedestroyed.

REMARKABLE CASE

### Though Never Bitten is Hydrophobia

the sight of water threw her into offices in the township, including that to be the largest woman's voting said to be dying.

The Late Thomas Darling Thomas Darling died at his late residence, 96 Frontenac street, on Monday, in his seventy-first year. He was WRECKING the eldest son of the late David Darling, of Leeds county. In religion the deceased was Presbyterian. His father came from Scotland. His wife, one daughter, two brothers and one sister survive. The funeral takes place Steamship on Wednesday morning.

The Act Not Carried Welland, Feb. 3 .- The official recount shows that the Canada Tem-

F. C. Courithurst, of Bridgeburg, since November 9th. The steamers of the democratic party in New York. to keep the council right. one of the deputy returning officers that have been salvaged are the Main the temperance act contest has ton, Acadian, Northern Queen, Notbeen arrested.

der of a woman several years ago the rocks or beach as a result of the shape. in Wiltshire, Eng. He asked to be terrible storm that swept the great arrested.

#### HOW FAR TO EUROPE?

Distance to Be Determined by Scien-

Berlin, Feb. 3.-The German Geode-Institute at Potsdam and the on are engaged in an interesting atton are engaged in an interesting attempt to determine on an accurate the distance between America and Europe

The new measurements are based on the theory that the earth is not constructed on a so-called rigid system, but contains a certain degree of elas ticity. Doubts are said to have arisen in the minds of geographers in recent times as to the supposed unchangeability in distance between the continents.

The Washington authorities have undertaken to measure the distance between the American capital and Horta, in the Azores, while the Potsdam Institute will take up the stretch be tween the Azores and Berlin.

#### MADE FINE GRANT.

London, Eng., Feb. 3.-A hundred thousand dollar grant to Queen's University is mentioned in Lord Strathcona's will.

Principal Gordon has, so far, not received any confirmation of the despatch. Lord Strathcona, it was known, was favorably impressed with the local institution

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### Successfully Makes Arti-Protection For Girl's

Plattsburg, N.Y., Feb. 3.-One Folger, rates for power, water and the rarest and most difficult operalight for prospective industries. And, tions in surgery has just, proved "harkening" to the resolution the successful at the Phhysicians' Hospicommission will ask the Hydro-Elec- tal here. The operation was persupply power to this city, and when. Elizabethtown, by Dr. C. D. Silver,

informed the commission that un- Miss Jenner came to Plattsburg six weeks ago. She had tubercular disease of the spine, affecting several of the vartebrae of the spinal colpoles of the street railway with and for five years had been bedridden, deprived of the use of her lower

The operation was performed has to supply the circular iron opening six inches or more in the bands and insulators to be placed back, exposing the spinal column and around the top of the poles. The allowing the complete removal of the railway must supply all the other diseased portions of the vertebrae. material and labor necessary. The When this was done the gap was fillexpense of these insulators is not ed by a section of bone taken from his grandson, who will eventually be gathering information for a full inexcessive, and the manager was giv- the front of the tibia, or shinbone, of the patient, so shaped as to in-The city solicitor also advised re-close the spinal cord. This was then

RAGE FOR VERDANT WIGS

London, Feb. 3.-The green coiffure has now made its appearance on the St. John, N.B., Feb. 3.-Four men London stage, an actress in Bernard are missing and may have lost their Shaw's playlet, "The Music Cure," lives and twenty were carried out un wearing a verdant wig with the authconscious, and several firemen and or's full approval. Clarkson, the well police sustained minor injuries, this known costumier, states he is being morning, when fire attacked the seven- kept busy meeting the orders he has storey Salvation Army lodging house received from women well known in when seventy men were in there asleep, society and on the stage for There was a great panic to escape. new coiffures. New York, he says, blamed. The building was partially mand. The most popular color is light blue or palish pink. Light greens are in vogue, while for dark women

Third Ex-Warden Dies

the favorite color is deep purple.

St. Catharines, Feb. 3.-The third Physadelphia, Feb. 3 .- Although ex-warden of the county of Lincoln to she declares that she was never bit- pass away in the past month died The Greatest Registration Known to ten or even scratched by a dog or Sunday night in the person of Capt. any other animal, Ellen Brown, 20 William F. Wiley of Louth township. years old, is in a critical condition He was sixty-seven years of age, a lifty thousand women had registered was given over principally to organifrom what physicians have diagnosed veteran of the Fenian, raid of 1866, under the equal suffrage act of Chi- zation, but good progress is being as hydropaobia. From early child- and an officer of the Welland canal cago and it was estimated that be- made in the arranging of classes, hood the young woman has had a field battery for a number of years. In fore night-fall, a hundred and twenty and the undertaking of the industrial great fear of dogs. Recently her addition to having occupied the war- five thousand will be on the rolls as committee promises to be a great sucthroat became terribly parched, but den's chair he had filled many other qualified women voters. It is thought cess. convulsions. Her condition rapidly of reeve, assessor and tax collector, registration in the history of the became worse and to-day she was He was born in Saltsleet, and had liv- world. ed in Louth for fifty years. He was twice married and leaves one son and one daughter.

# MILLION DOLLARS 1912.

## Values Salvaged Sarnia Since Date Of Great

tingbam, Nicholas, Buckley and Mat-

**Jistant** Places.

PRESENTED IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

The Whig's Daily Condensation the News of the World From Telegraph Service and Newspaper Ex- progress. changes.

Sir Rodolphe Forget, M.P., is confined to his house through an attack of appendicitis. Serious charges were made by a Congressman at Washington against navy yard expects.

The late Lord Strathcona, by his will, gave \$1,735,000 to various edu-\* cational institutions in Europe and America. The official count of the ballots

\* the Canada temperance act in Huron county shows a majority of 2,608 for 4 Guthrie Presbyterian church, Alvinston, was destroyed by fire with a loss

of about \$12,000; insurance about \$6, Albert Halverson died of loss of blood on the way to Kenora after an accidental shooting by a trapping companion.

Benjamin F. Funk, vice-president of the Funk & Wagnalls company, New York, died of heart disease in Prof. Irving's gymnasium St. Mary's town council refused the request of a delegation of temperance By men who asked that the number of liquor licenses be reduced from six to

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Lomer Gouin will be the guests of honor at the formal opening of the Montreal Reform Club's pew headquarters on Saturday evening, February 10st. A Cornwall petition is to be forwarded to Hon. J. D. Reid, minister of customs, asking that a customs detective be sent to look into the mat

### STRATHCONA BEQUESTS.

is claimed, is going on along the riv

ter of extensive smuggling which,

Royal Victoria College and Montreal pitals Benefit b. 3.-The

of Lord majority. death as in his life continues his work officer, which gives them a victory. Broder is himself a non-smokof aiding education.

lion pounds sturling are settled upon fraudulent voting was done, and are REDMOND HOLDS KEY come Baron Strathcona. The residue vestigation throughout the county. of the estate, after certain legacies have been deducted, is left to his garding the relationship of the civic grafted into place and the wound daughter, the new Baroness Strath-

To St. John's College, Cambridge, have the legislature define this more the patient should not recover the duction of any payments made in his full use of her legs. The bone graft lifetime, and in addition to the college To the Royal Victoria hospital Montreal, £100,000 (\$500,000).

To the extension fund of Queen's university, Kingston, £20,000 (\$100,000). To the principal of the Church Canada Presbyterian College, Mon-

Shaw's Playlet Prompts New Society tren , £12,000 (\$60,000). To Yale University, £100,000 (\$500).

To Aberdeen University, for a chair of agriculture, £5,000 (\$25,000). To Leanchoil Hospital, Forres, Scot-

land, £10,000 (\$50,000) To the Streatham Home for Incura- planned a gala time. bles, £2,000 (\$10,000) The London University College, £2, 000, (\$10,000).

To Middlesex Hospital, £2,000 (\$10, To the Church of Scotland for infirm ministers' funds, £10,000 (\$50,000). The executers of the estate are Lady Stratheona, J. W. Stirling, gf Uew York, and Messrs, William and James the start off. Garson, of Edinburgh, Scotland.

## 125,000 ON ROLLS.

the World.

302 Killed by Autos in Year. New York, Feb. 3 .- In 1913, according to the report of the National Highways Protective Society, 202 persons were killed by automobiles New York city, an increase of 81 over

For the same perior, 108 were fatal ly injured by trolley cars, and 132 by waggons.

Demand Murphy's Retirement. New York, Feb. 3.-Amid riotous

Ice in Good Condition The ice at the covered rink, is

#### OPERATION ON W. T. WHITE. was a Minor One to Ear, Follow-

Ottawa, Feb. 3.-It will be several days before Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance, is back in his seat in

A week ago Monday, after having had a severe cold for two days, he went to his department to keep some engagements made with people from Difference Of Opinion As To a distance, and on his return confracted a chill, resulting next day in a slight congestion on the right lung.

This has cleared, but there has also been an infection of the passages leading to the ear, which necessitated a minor operataion Sunday. This was performed by Dr. R. S. Minnes, ear specialist, assisted by Dr. Mayberry. Mr. White is resting easily at his apartments in the Chateau HOLD THAT TARIFF SHOULD NOT four stories in height, including the Laurier, and expects to make good

#### **\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*** GLADSTONE BLAMELESS.

London, Feb. 3. - The postmaster - general, the rica of the strike leaders. He declared that no responsibility for this act attached to Viscount Gladstone, the governor-general, because under the constitution of South Africa his assent was not required and was not asked.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\* WELLAND DEFEATED

# People Will Appeal To The

is in a turmoil of excitement over ment in Canada. He has ascertain- agement stated that arrangements the declaration made yesterday by ed that at least fifty men were hang- had been made with Thomas Hackett the returning officer that the Canada ed in England and afterwards found to fill the ice house. temperance act was defeated by a to be innocent. One of his own ances- Miss Lillian Lambert has resigned

at the counting up of ballots here discussion as there are many strong port of the Empire wing from its in-yesterday for one ward in Bridge- debaters on both sides of the questburg, where the deputy returning of- lion ficer had signed and given out a cer. Andrew Broder, of Dundas, will board. tificate stating "for the act, 20; at an early date move for legislation The wing will cost \$45,000 and in against, 54; spoiled, 1," which re- which will prevent the manufacture; modernly equipped in every way. The versed the dry majority into a wet importation or sale of cigarettes. furnishing of the rooms will be looked

Temperance people have the state-his intentions did not crystalize in o opening will take place about March and intend to place the matter in er. The Scotch estates and half a mil- court. They claim a great deal of

### A COMING MASONIC EVENT.

Knights Templar, of Kingston,

Receive the Visitors On Friday next, P. D. Gordon, of Montreal, who is the present supreme Grand master of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada will pay a fraternal visit to Hugh de Payens, mond, the Irish nationalist leader, Premier Preceptory of Knights Temp- and Augustine Birrell, chief secretary lars, of Kingston. The provincial for Ireland, were closeted with Pre- THE DAILY DDITICH WHICH grand prior of Kingston-Ottawa dist- mier Asquith at his official residence rict wil also pay his official visit on

this occasion. Mr. Gordon will be accompanied from Montreal by D. J. Evans, a member of the Kingston Preceptory, and another effort to conciliate Ulster also other members of the Montreal

of being the oldest in the dominion, vince of Irelandhaving been instituted in 1824 and It is generally thought that met at the home of George Millward. Redmond holds the key to the posiknown by the sign of the old King's tion, and it is pointed out in some head. The local members have quarters that if he is willing to go

## AT INDUSTRIAL CLASSES.

ducted by the Board of Education Premier Asquith riding for a fall were opened on Monday night, with before the Home Rule bill is again

classes in dressmaking and millin-exclusion of Ulster even for a

The attendance at the men's classes for shop arithmetic and mechani- might. be reached. cal drawing was fifty, made up of Chicago. Feb. 3 .- At noon, to-day, both young and old. The first night A MOTHER TOOK CARBOLIC

#### NOT LIKELY TO RECOGNIZE Two Resolutions Passed by the City

Council.

Two resolutions passed on Mon-children day evening by the City Council are likely to receive the cold shoulder from city officials. The engineer and the fire chief were instructed to Three Cases Before the Court Tues- Phone 706. sign a permit for a crtain street sign. As the doing of this would be a vio-

resolution was out of order. The other action of council, which fine of \$1 and costs was imposed. Sarnia, Feb. 3.-Over a million dol, adopted a resolution demanding the which the city solicitor reported a member of the "prohibited list," perance Act to be defeated by six lars in steamship values represents the retirement of Charles F. Murphy, chief The auditor has to see that things was taxed \$10 and costs salvage operations at this point of Tammany Hall, from the leadership are done 'according to Hoyle." and Joseph Cole, gathered in for drunk-

### The Health of Two Statesmen.

Toronto, Feb. 3 .- It is expected With the Frontenacs. Special G.T.R. thew Andrews. With the exception of first class condition for the game this that Sir James Whitney will, within train leaves at 5 o'clock running "Alfred Kimberly, Englishman, the Andrews, all of these can be evening. There was no skating on two weeks, be well enough to be re-right into Belleville city; returning confessed to the police of the mur-classed as wrecks, and were cast upon Tuesday'so as to keep the ice in good moved from the hospital to his home. 11,30; fare round trip \$1.50, On the other hand Sir George Ross is considered to-day to be showing no White Rose flour stocked by all improvement whatever.

# **Wheat Duties**

BE REVISED.

Bill to Abolish Corporal Punishment top flat will contain a large assemand One to Prohibit Manufacture,

terial caucus of the session was held coursed, rock-faced, ashler masonry Right Hon. H. L. Samuel, & this morning and was attended by with cut stone dressings. It will speaking at Harrogate last supporters of the government from be lighted by electricity and heated night made reference to the south houses. Premier Borden got a by steam, with the air-line system. deportation from South Af- warm reception He impressed upon The roof will be covered with asbeshis followers the desirability of close attendance to sessional duties.

The question of the tariff came up in a general way, but Hon. W. White, minister of finance, is confined to his home. A considerable difference of opinion prevailed that the present college can be dison the question of removal of wheat duties, certain of the western members expressing the opinion that this could be done with prejudice to eastern interests.

An opinion prevailed among the eastern members that in view of TEMPERANCE ACT dropping revenues, and the necessity of increased expenditure on large public works it would not be wise at the present juncture to contemplate - Temperance any general revision of the tariff.

#### Corporal Punishment Bill.

real, is securing evidence to support Gilbert, J. A. Minnes, George Mills. Welland, Feb. 3 .- Welland county his bill to abolish corporal punish- The report of the committee of mantors was hanged, drawn and quartered the position of dietitian, to take effect The reports since the election un. at York because he would not turn in April. til to-day have been that the vote Protestant. It is expected that the James A. Minnes, chairman of the was carried by twenty majority, but Bickerdike bill will provoke much building committee, submitted a re-

Richard Blain, of Peel, a few years after by a committie of the board and

# TO ULSTER SITUATION

#### To Said That He Can Avert The Threats Of Civil War In Ireland

London, Feb. 3.-John E. Redin Downing street yesterday afternoon, and it was understood that the government had determined to make before the debates in parliament fan into a flame the admittedly danger-The local body has the distinction ous situation in the northern pro-

to the same lengths as Premier Asquith and the members of the house cabinet are ready to advance in order to placate the north of Ireland. Very Large Attendance at Opening the threat of civil war in that country can be averted. Unionists say The industrial classes being con- they would not be surprised to see an exceedingly good attendance for reached, in case the Irish leader should refuse to make the concessions Ninety-four women gathered in necessary by them. They say that if the Board of Education rooms for the Mr. Redmond should agree to the cified term of years an agreement

# TO LEAVE MORE FOR FAMILY

Catharines, Feb. 3 .- "Well, our money is nearly all gone, and 1 thought there would be more for the children if I went," was the pitiful story of Mrs. George VanVlack, aged thirty, who took carbolic acid and is at an hospital where death may ensue. She has a husband and several

AT THE POLICE COURT

day Morning The long standing case of a couple lation of the by-law those two offic- of Princess street dealers for havials have no intention of carrying ing signs projecting too far over the out the request of the council, whose walk was disposed of in the police court on Tuesday morning, when a scenes, the National Democratic Club may be held up by the auditor, is Frank Darlis, remanded from Monin the early hours this morning, with regard to a tax refund, against day on a charge of being drunk while

> enness, was dismissed Come to Belleville Thursday

NEW REGIOPOLIS COLLEGE.

Description of the Building to Be Erected.

Tenders are now out for the erection of the new Regiopolis College building, which is to be erected on Russell street, and tenders have to be in by the 28th of February. The building is to be seventy-three feet by sixty-two feet and will be basement. There will be eight class rooms, besides rooms for the staff, cloak rooms and toilet rooms. The bly room, while the two storeys to Importation or Sale of Cigarettes also have large corridors. The buildbe used for the school proper will Ottawa, Feb. 3 .- The first minis- ing will be constructed of regular

tos shingles. As soon as the contract is awarded the work will be commenced for the erection, which it is hoped will be finished by next September. posed of, and everything readiness to move into the new struc-

## GENERAL HOSPITAL BOARD.

Takes Over Empire Wing-Formal Opening March 1st. The board of governors of Kingston

general hospital met on Monday af ternoon, the following members being present: A. F. Charn (chairman), Lieut.-Col. James Massie, Prof. D. H. Marshall, W. B. Dalton, T. Mck. Ro-Robert Bickerdike, M.P., of Mont- bertson, Archdeacon W. B. Carey, J.

handed the building over to the

A vote of thanks and appreciation was extended by the board to Mr. Minnes for the excellent work he had done in connection with the Empire

B. W. Robertson and Dr. R. J. Gardiner were appointed visiting governors for the present month,

Come to Belleville Thursday With the Frontenacs. Special G.T.R. train leaves at 5 o'clock' running right into Belleville city; returning

11.30; fare round trip \$1.50, White Rose flour for all purposes,

## I HE NAILT RKI 124 MAIR IS ON SALE AT THE FOLLOW

ING CITY STORES Bucknell's News Deput .. 205 King E. Clarke, J. W. & Co. ....353 Princess College Book Store ..... 160 Princess Coulter's Grocery ...... 909 Princess Cullen's Grocery, Cor. Princess & Alfred Frontenae Hotel ..... Ontario St. Gibson's Drug Store .. Market Square McAuley's Book Store ....93 Princess McGall's Cigar Store Cor. Prin. & King McLeod's Grocery .... 51 Union St. 'W. Medley's Drug Store 260 University Ave Paul's Cigar Store ....... 70 Princess Prouse's Drug Store ....312 Princess Valleau's Grocery ..... 308 Montreal

MARRIED.

ERMAIN-FOOTE-At St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston, on Jan. 20th 1914, by the Rev. Father Hanley. Mrs. Foote, Kingston, to John Germain, Kingston.

DIED.

DARLING-In Kingston, Feb. 2nd. 1914, Thomas Darling, aged 71 Funeral from his late residence, 36
Frontenac St., Wednesday, at
10.30 a.m.
Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

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