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Will The Opera House Be Rebuilt ? This however has nothing to do with the fact that for two weeks longer Baker will continue his sale of smoke damaged gent's furnishings by that time we expect

that the whole stock will be sold; prices lower than ever. R. Uglow & Co's Discount Sale. Friday and Saturday. Discounts 20 to

50 per cent. Great opportunity for good shopping. Sale opens at nine o'clock Friday morning.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Instructing A City Official. KINGSTON, Dec. 29 - (To the Editor) : city buildings for the accommodation of which he had undergone during the recent WOULDN'T HAVE THE MONEY. those who are unfortunate in their circum- | Uganda campaign lost control of his menstances, who, in passing through the city tal faculties and in a moment of aberrain search of work, and without money, de | tion shot Capt. Cooke. The latter officer sire a night's lodgings and deserve some- died shortly after and as the rething better than incarceration in a ceil. sult Capt. Dugmore was arrested. At The city official aforesaid does not sym- the time that he committed the act Capt. pathize with the unfortunates, so Dugmore was at Machakos. He, in fact, he made great fun of the room was being conveyed there by his friends to that has been fitted up for their comfort. be placed under medical treatment. After He pictured its condition, and the condi his arrest he was brought to Mombaea to be did, and for his information and the in- plead. On Thursday, November 100h, formation of all who may have been misled he died, and was buried the same day. by his talk, I submit the following notice The cause of death was, in addition to Eby and others refused to touch the man Bell, the chairman of the committee having the supervision of the room in

"KINGSTON, Dec. 20th, 1898. "Dear Sir-The board of directors of the | pean." house of industry begs to inform you that bona fide Discount Sale of W provision has been made in the city buildings for a nice lodging for the transient poor. Cots, blankets and a comfortable room are available. It is not intended that this provision should be used by tramps, but by the deserving poor. You are invited to send any cases that come under your notice to the city buildings with a note to the sergeant in charge Yours fruly, J. H. BELL chairman."

What a pity it is that the public officials do not know what is transpiring about and within the city buildings - Yours, IRA.

What Is Being Said.

It is said that Alexander O'Brien will make a big run in Cataraqui ward; John McLeod, it is remarked, will also be near the top. Maybe. "Dr. Bell is a sure winner in Cabaraqui," said a citizen. "The papers have not hurt

his campaign much. The race in Rideau ward is between W McCartney, jr., and Henry Taylor. They had a contest last year also.

Two straight tickets are out in Frontenac ward. How will it end? In Victoria ward hard work is being done by all the candidates. Who will be

left is a query. There is a growing feeling that there will only be two candidates largely supported in the mayoralty contest. One of the three will not get over 250 or 300

After Five Years.

Harry Boyle, wine clerk at the British. American hotel, has just received a parcel sent him five years ago. The parcel, conbaining a small silver cup for Mr. Boyle's son, was mailed at Woodstock five years ago, addressed to Belleville, where Mr. Boyle at that time lived. Nothing further was heard of the parcel until a day or two ago when he received notification from the Belleville office that there was a parcel there addressed to him.

Rideau Ward.

James Knapp was nominated for alderman of Rideau ward on Monday in his absence from the city and without his knowl. edge. On Tuesday he was ill and neglected to notify the clerk of his disinclination to be a candidate. His name must go upon the ballot paper, but he so not a candidate of his own wish.

The Big Sale At Fairyland.

All books and holiday goods to be sold out at once at the lowest prices ever known in the book and fancy goods trade. Goods all placed on bargain tables at such prices as to rush them off without delay. We aim to make holiday week one of the busiest weeks of the year. C. B. Scantle-

Secure Your Seats Early.

All who intend seeing Robert Mantell the great romantic actor in "The Face In the Moonlight," at the Victoria theatre, to morrow evening, should secure their seats at Sawyer's without delay, as a packed house will no doubt greet his appearance here.

I ublic School Funds. It is expected that the board of educa-

tion will find it has only a few cents on hand as a result of its estimated receipts and expenditure. The public echool department will have a surplus of \$200; the collegiate institute branch will have a deficit of \$200 Perfected Arrangements.

The committees having charge of the reception to be held next Monday night in the Whig hall, under the auspices of the young men of St. James' congregation, met last evening and perfected arrange-

ments for the event.

New Attraction. F. A. Parent, late of the opera house block, will open for business on Saturday with an up to date bowling alley, billiard and pool room, Wellington street, back of Seven Cent store. B:cycle repair shop and Gendron bicycles.

## Desirable Xmas Presents.

We have them in a great variety, and among them let us suggest the following:

The Latest Puff Tie-the Fashoda-50 cents. Beautiful Neck Scarfs 25c to \$3.00. Silk Embroidered Suspenders \$1.50 and \$2.00, Fleece and Fur Lined Gloves 50c to \$5 00. Initial Silk Handkerchiefs 50c and 75c. Artistic Cuff Links 25c to \$2.00.

## ALEX. O'BRIEN,

#### CAPTAIN COOKE'S

HE WAS SHOT DOWN BY A COM. RADE.

Comrade-The Murderer Died Before His Trial Could Take Place-This Version Confirmed.

The Daily Times, of Moncton, N.B., has the following item concerning the death of Capt. Cooke, a graduate of the Royal military college, who sought distinction in South Africa :

The family of the late Capt. William Cooke, of Moncton, are in receipt of further particulars surrounding the sad death of that young officer in East Africa. The London Telegraph, Mail, Post and Chronicle, of December 16th, contain an extract from the Central News to the effect that Capt. Cooke was not shot by a native, as at first reported, but by a brother officer, who was suffering from temporary insanity at the time. The Daily Chronicle, under the heading, "Captain Kills A Brother Officer," Pays

"Tho Central News says news has reached London of a terrible tragedy which occurred at the end of September in the Uganda protectorate. It appears that Some days ago a city official, according to Capt. Dugmore, late of the Royal a report in your paper, showed a reporter navy, and an official of the protectorate, a room which has been fitted up in the owing to the excitement and hardships

tion of the cots and bedding after they had await his trial. While at that port, howbeen used a few times by the "tramps." ever, his illness became more serious and He did not know as much as he thought it was found impossible for him to brain disorder, hemplegic and general ex-

> "Capt. Dugmore had been in Uganda for a very long time, and was better acquainted with the country than any other Euro-

> Mrs. Cooke is also in receipt of a very kind letter from H. Farnell, of the British foreign office, London, detailing substantially the same account of her son's death. Mr. Farnell says Capt. Dugmore had at first apparently recovered from his mental aberration, but while sitting with some comrades, Capt. Cooke among the number, the officer suddenly sprang to his feet. seized a rifle and fired before a hand could be raised to prevent him. The shot took effect on Capt. Cooke, who was killed in-

Bells For St Andrew's.

A reporter met N. T. Greenwood, trea surer of the St. Andrew's bells fund, and jokingly asked him as to the chime. Mr Greenwood took the matter seriously and said that be wished the committee would call a meeting and do something towards the purchasing and placing of a chime of bells in the church tower. Mr. Greenwood's idea is to put in a "Westminster chime" (five belle). This chime is a beautiful combination attributed to Han-

del. The treasurer has made some enquiries and thinks the bells can be manipulated by the clock, ringing the chime each quarter hour and striking the hours of the day. Mr. Greenwood has been instrumental in raising the fund, and saye: "This matter has been long standing, and if a meeting of the committee was called at once this or some other arrangement could be completed by Easter Sunday, April 2nd. This is only fair to the subscribers."

A Happy Family.

The annual gathering of the Haffner family took place at the residence of E Haffner, Williamsville, on Monday. The day was enjoyed with vocal and instrumental mueic, also games of every descrip-A Christmas tree was tastefully arranged and draped with numerous and costly presents. At five o'clock Santa Claus arrived and distributed the presents day season at Niagara before return among the children and adults. Dinner ing. George Crabbe has removed to and tea were partook of at the usual hours. Mr. and Mrs. E. Haffger are to be congratulated, as there is not a broken link in the family circle. The number of guests totalled thirty four, and amongst them were two newly married couples.

Concert At Glepburnie.

A tea meeting and concert was held las evening at Glenburnie, which proved a most enjoyable event. Dr. W. W. Sands presided, and announced a very interesting programme, in which these took part Violin solos by W. Craig; solo, John Mc-Callum; recitations, Eugene McCallum, Gertie Craig, Cuthbert Hay and Alice Doyle; club swinging. Frederick Vanar num; choruses by the Sunday school scholare, and a couple of well rendered dialogues. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Supply Of School Necessities. The supplying of school books for the past term has been very successful. The secretary is now receiving and distributing supplies for next term. The small fee exacted has saved the board much money as hitherto the supplies to poor children totalled a good sum. The fee system has

reduced the requests to very few. Broke Bis Left Ankle.

While attempting to lift car axles at the Grand Trunk freight shed this morning Alexander Sinclair, driver for the Shedden company, had the misfortune to break his left ankle. He was prying under one of them with a hand truck, which slipped, resulting in breaking his ankle.

Prof. Martin Ranqueted.

Prof. I. E. Martin, of the Royal mili bary college, Kingston, was banqueted in royal style at the Hotel de Quinte, Picton, on Monday night. Mayor Fitz Horrigan read an address and presented him with a cane from his Picton friends. Reception Of Resignations

The law governing municipal nominations, elections, etc., read that all resignations must be handed in to the city c'erk

before noon on the day following nominations. Were the resignations received by the clerk here after that hour legal ? Had A Rappy Reception. Doepite the fact that a part of the roof of their club house was burned off, the members of K. U. held a pleasant recep-

tion last evening. Five old members were in attendance. The evening was profitably and pleasantly spont. Bargain Tables. All holiday goods in the store have been placed on bargain tables at prices which

114 Princess street, next to Haines & Frontenace asked the Wellingtons, Toronto, for a match for Monday morning next, but the Wellingtons, having a match on with the Collingwood team, were obliged to refuse the offer.

will make them very interesting. Come

and see for yourselves. C. B. Scantlebury.

DIED AT CARDTABLE.

Told His Friends He Had Taken Polson But

Thay Laughed At Bim Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 29.-John Townsend invited a number of his friends to a card party in his rooms Capt. Dugmore, an Insane English Officer, at No. 1,804 east Lehigh avenue on in a Moment of Aberration Killed His | Monday night, and before secretly taking a dose of prussic acid, he calm-'y told his triends that he was a member of a suicide club, and having drawn the fatal card, he would end his life that evening.

His friends, who had known him for a long time, and knew that he had nothing to make him untappy, took the announcement as a loke. "You are only joking, John," re-

marked one "and, so far as your belonging to a suicide club is concerned, why such a club never really exist-

The conversation was then dropped, and the game went on. At midnight the players arose from the table. Their host was sitting in a chair, with his eyes closed. His friends thought he was asleep, and were trying to arouse him when it was discovered that he was dead. The men sent for a physician, who thought Townsend had probably died from heart dis-

The case was reported to the coron er's office, and Dr. Cattell went to the morgue and performed an autopsy. He found that Townsend had died off. from prussic acid poisoning.

Rev. Dr. Eby Refused & Donation From A

Theatrical Entertainment. Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 29. - Cheers are rather unusual in a church, but there was a rousing roar of applause in Homer street Methodist church on Sunday evening, when during the course of his sermon, Rev. Dr. Eby informed his congregation that he had refused to take the \$20 part proceeds of the Savoy theatre entertainment The theatre, which is really a music hall, gave a benefit entertainment and realized \$120, which was given to dif-"devil's money."

Dr. Eby in his sermon said: "This pretty little theatre is simply one half of a twin institution run by the men who operate the worst-dive in Vic toria and have come here to bring in the same money making, vice-produc ing tactics as far as they can, into the city of Vancouver. The other half of the institution is one of the most dis reputable dens in the city to-day. This money was a bribe to the clergy to shut their mouths in reference to the villainy already done on the sly, and being prepared for in larger doses when this city is educated to it and the churches are sufficiently gagged If I took that money I should feel as if I had sold my Lord very cheaply and as if I had hanged myself for all work of reform."

The By-Law Doomed. Fredericksburgh, Dec. 29 .- The bon us by law is much discussed both for and against, but if one can judge the beat of the public pulse correctly the project is sure to meet a reverse at the polls. James Russell sold his farm of 100 acres to Archibald Parks. a neighbor, for \$5,200, spent the summer in Manitoba and so well satisfied was he that it is his intention to return in the spring to re there permanently. school meeting on Wednesday W. R. Smith was re-elected to serve a third term. W. B. Perry, Moscow, is spending the holidays at home. The nominations at the town hall Monday passed off with a degree of energy. The following candidates' names will appear on the ballot: For reeve, Hiram Huffman and Herman Meng; for councillors, Archibald Fairbairn, William Goodman, John N. Hough, George R. Parks, M. A. Sills, Allen Wagar, Willard Woodcock, Benjamin Young. The tea meeting at the Brick church Monday evening was a success in every respect. The attendance was large, the programme excellent and the bill of fare good, Proceeds \$67. George Perry has two hay presses in opera tion about Napance and is shipping from that point. Mr. and Mrs. sl F. Vanalstine expect to spend the holi Napance. Mrs. Urquhart has moved into the premises Just vacated. T. B. German, Napanec, spent Christmas at

LOVING HUGS WERE FATAL.

. H. Schell's.

Aged Woman Dying From Effects Of Embraces Of Friends.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 29. - Mrs. Charles Duey, aged sixty five years, residing at this place, lies at her home probably fatally hurt, from the hugging of several young girls. The lady is very frail and puny. She called upon some of her friends and was warmly greated.

The daughters of the family, strong, robust girls, wished her a "Merry Christmas" and proceeded to embrace her. Mrs. Ducy esked the girls to release her, telling them that they were hurting her.

The young ladies, not thinking they were doing any harm, kept on until the old lady collapsed.

A physician was called, when it was as. certained that she had several ribs and her breast bone fractured, besides being bruised and injured internally.

Murdered His Sweetheart.

Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 29.-A dis trict school house about two miles from the village of Clare was the seene of a terrible tragedy yesterday. whereby May Thomas a popular young teacher, lost her life. A young man came to Clare on the northbound Rock Island passenger train, hired a horse and drove out to the school house, where Miss Thomas teaches. He entered the building and they con versed for some time, finally walking out together. After going down the road a short distance, the man drew a revolver and shot her, killing her almost instantly. He then shot him self and died a few hours later. The but it was learned that his name was Harry Garvey. He had been keeping company with Miss Thomas, who refused him further attentions.

Kuights Templars. The annual assembly of Hugh De Payen premier preceptory, No. 1, K.T., was held at their asylum on Wednesday, December 28th, when the following Sir Knights were duly elected for the ensuing year, viz: W. J. Renton, preceptor; W. J. Macnee, past preceptor; W. B. Skinner, constable; W. S. R. Murch, marshal; Allan McLean, treasurer (acclamation); Robert Hendry, jr., registrar; Joseph Fortescue, chaplain; Thomas Donnelly, sub marshal: E. Ball, from a defective flue. The loss will total guard. This preceptory is in a flourishing about \$50, covered by insurance. condition, having had much business during the past year.

A Neat Little Booklet.

The C.P.R. company are distributing Goldie & McCulloch Co., accidentally fell some very handsome little booklets descriptive of their elegant and comforts ble tourist sleepers. It is entitled "Travelling the fall and she died this morning without heavy calendar paper, with a handsome duplex cover, bearing a pretty design. It is beautifully illustrated and very readable. her.

LATE AFTERNOON EVENTS. 41T

AND THE NEWS TOLD IN BRIEF FASHION.

The Very Latest From City And Continent -The Gatherea! Lines By Kepurters And the World's News Wirea To the Canadian Press

Lieut.-Col. Drury is confined to his room with illness. C A Stockton, a well known lawyer of

Sc. John, N B . is dead. See Robert Mantell at the Victoria theatre to morrow evening. A bread and butter dance occurs at

Hotel Frontenac this evening. The theatre San Carlo, one of the largest in Europe, has just been opened at

The latest Yankee trust is in sashes, doors and blinds, with headquarters at Milwaukee Judge Hamilton Ward, of the supreme court of the United States, died at Wells.

ville, N Y , last night.

Chief Horsey was able to return to his duties this morning after three days' of illness. He suffered from the grippe. The hockeyists of Preston want a match with Frontenace on Tuesday night. If a guarantee is given the match will come

See Robert' Mantell at the Victoria theatre to morrow evening. Senor Romero, Mexican ambassador ab

Washington, bas undergone a surgical operation for append'c tis and is in a criti c.l condition. D J. Lewis has been appointed chief of the Brantford fire department, to fill the

vacancy caused by the death of the late chief D G. Calder, Bolemia have turned from Catholiciem Protestantism because of political antagon-

ism to the Slave. Miss Daunt's c'ass held an assembly at the rooms on William street last night. There were a good many present, and a

good time was spent. See Robert Mantell at the Victoria theatre to morrow evening. Rev. Amos Fair, a British Columbia c'ergyman, married a couple at Victoria

last Sanday and omitted the work "obey" from the woman's pledge. Cape. Lennox Irving, B.A., Pembroke, s graduate of Queen's, has been appointed major of the 12ad battalion. H J. Mackie

becomes captain and adjutant.

F. Evans and wife, Watertown, N.Y., and A. Evans and wife, spending Christ mas with their parents at Portsmouth, returned to Watertown on Monday. On Christmas day Bruce and Alice, children of Tilman Milks, of Maple Grove township, Michigan, were cremated in

s ence of the parents John J. Day, QC, the oldest lawyer connected with the bar of Montreal, died this morning at the good old age of ninety four years He had been suffering from pneumonia for some time.

their home, which took fire during the ab-

The London Daily Mail announces that the chief beneficiaries under the will of the late baron Ferdinand de Rothechild, are his brother, baron Albert de Rothschild, and his sister, Miss Alice. The bockey game played at Orillia last

evening between the Aberdeens, of Ottawa,

and Orillia resulted in a victory for the visitors by a score of eight to one. The game was a very poor exhibition of the News has been received of the death at Sorrento, Italy, of signor Pier Delasco, the well-known Toronto basso and musical

instructor. Mrs. Dalasco was with her husband when he passed away. His real name was l'eter Robinson. Edward Fa., a bartender, who shot man named Rollins and a deputy United States marshal in the saloon attached to The present Mrs. Hall is not the girl's the Royal theatreat Skaguay last Janu-

ary, has been found guilty of manslaugh. ter. He claimed self-defence. Major Lord, who has just returned from Manila, tells how a Philippine band, being requested to play the American national anttem, struck up "There'll Be A Hot Time In The Old Town To night." The Yankee bands played that air so often the

natives took it for the national anthem. Mr. Roberts, the Mormon elected to congress from Utah, against whom some opposition has been raised at Washington owing to religion, writes to say that he will be on hand at the proper time to defend himself and his creed. He says polygamy is not adultery, and therefore not a sin at all, basing his argument on the ex

ample of the ancient Israelites.

St. Paul's Church, Sandhurst. A reredos with panelled side wings o antique oak, beautifully designed and executed, the production of the Carnoveky workshop, has been erected and was in place in the chancel of the above church on Christmas day. A carved cross pro jecus from the face of the central panel. Beneath the retable and between the brackets supporting it are the words "Holy, Holy, Holy," The altar also is new, the humble pine box which served for the holy table, having been replaced

by a stately structure, carved and moulded of the same material as the reredos. The front consists of three panels, the large central panel containing the Agnus Dei, the side panels the Alpha and Omega monograms. Between the panels and at the corners are round columns with carved caps and moulded bases. On the projecting base of the altar there is the following simple inscription, "In Memoriam, Oct. 2nd, 1892; Oct. 12th, 1896 " These bandsome and valuable church ornaments have been presented by the daughters, of the late Robert Neilson in memory of their father and mother.

Fellows #1 t.on. Fellows, Dec 28.-Our snow reached us just one day too late to make sleighing for Christmas. Miss Haggerman, Water town, visited at her uncle's, Edward Haggerman. Mrs. James Wright has return. ed from visiting in Mentreal. James Martio spent Christmas at T Y. Denyes'. George Briden and fam ly, Kingston spent Christmas at Marshal l'arrott's. Quite a number attended Miss Fox's concert last Wednesday evening Sidney Fellows is quite poorly. Seldon Ketchieon, wife and family, Sidney, were guests at James Donycs' last week.

The Ulub House Afice Shortly after six o'clock last evening the club house of the K U., located on Barrie street, was discovered to be afire. The brigade was promptly called out, but before the firemen arrived the flames were pretty well under control. A portion of the roof surrounding the chimney was burned away. It is thought the fire caught

Fractured Her Skull

GALT, Ont , Dec. 29 -Mrs. Wilson, wife of Cornelius Wilson, late traveller for the while going down cellar at her residence last night. Her skull was fractured by recovering conscionances. Mrs. Wilson was about forty five years of age. Bes des her husband a grown-up family survive

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FAKE OR ROMANCE, WHICH? Pretty Story Of Lost Daughter Found Is

PEORIA, Ill., Doc. 29.-A paper publishes a story to the effect that Capt. William C. Hall, a conductor on the Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis railway, has just discovered his daughter, whom he had sup-

pored to be dead twenty years. She had been adopted by state senator Bulla, of Los Angeles, Cal., and lived with him until her marriage to a man named Mr. Hall denies the romantic part of

the story, but Mrs. Geppard does not.

However, she, in common with every new goods and stock-taking. We member of the family, refuses to give any It is not known here how Mr. Hall lost his daughter. He recently returned from California with her and claims that some Can fit any foot. wag of a travelling man has added touch of romance to an ordinary visit.

mother. Evacuated The Place.

MANUA, Dec. 29 - Details regarding the occupation of Iloilo by the ineurgents have just been received here. American expedition commanded brigadier - general Miller rived here early yesterday and found that the Spaniards had evacuated the place on Saturday on board the steamer Churnea and had been transferred to the island of Mindanao, in accordance with an agreement arrived at with the in-

The latter entered Iloilo and occupied the trenches on Monday at noon. They immediately established a municipal governmentand placed guards over foreign property. The insurgents were fairly quiet and orderly, although there was some looting at night. But five of the natives were shot, which had an exemplary effect upon the rest. The only foreign warship in

the harbor was the German second-class cruisor Irene. Vanderbilt-Fair. NEW YORK, Dec. 29 .- The Herald says: The engagement of Miss Virginia Fair and William K. Vanderbilt, jc., was formally announced yesterday. Mies Fair is a sister of Mrs. Horman O'Elty. She came to New York soon after the marriage of her sister and with her mother passed a good deal of her time with Mr.

and Mrs. O Elty. Board Of Conciliation.

LONDON, Dec. 29 -A board of conciliation, formed of representatives of coal owners and coal miners, has been formed to adjudicate upon future mining disputes. Lord James Hereford has been invited to accept the chairmanship.

Elected A Member. CHICAGO, Dec. 29 - Father Walsh, a Catholic prices of this city, has been elected a member of a local lodge of l'ythias. An enormous iron and steel auditorium,

seating 5,000 people, will be erected at

Oberammergau for the presentation of the

"Passion Play." Dr. Gustav H. Bobertz 251 Woodward Ave., DETROIT, Mich., has by his great success proved himself to be

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