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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LON-DON Fresbyterial W.F.M. S. will be held in St. Andrew's Church on Tuesday and Wednes-day next. February 9th and 10th. The first meet-ing of ladies will begin at 3.30 p. m. on Tuesday; the put lic meeting the same evening at 8 o'clock.
when the Rev. Mr. McDonald, of knox Church
St. Thomas, and the Rev. Mr. Patterson, of
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An Unhappy Girl. Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 5.-Alice Mitchell slayer of Freda Ward, when informed by her lawyers that she would escape the gal-

lows, became frantic, and said that she looked forward to the day when she would be hanged as the happiest of all, as beyond the gallows she would once more meet Freda Ward. She became

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overboard and drowned. THE EMBIRICOS DISASTER. A pilot boat brought the news of the period last year. wreck of the Embiricos. The steamer left Cardiff yesterday and went ashore during a dense fog last night on the islands off St. Martinique. At the tide the steamer relief funds and pension funds. damaged that she filled and foundered. It has been learned that ten men instead of nine are missing and very little hope is entertained that they are alive. The Em-biricos sank ten minutes after she floated. The last seen of the captain and mate and OOD HOUSE AND BARN-WITH OR the missing men they were trying to launch without land, Richmond street north, city a boat. It is supposed they went down limits. Apply 740 Richmond street.

A2h-s with the steamer

with the steamer. A LESSON TO BISMARCK. The trial at Berlin of Count Limburg Sterum, a pensioner of the German diplomatic corps, for publishing in the Kreuz Zeitung a series of violent articles against commercial treaties opened to-day in the disciplinary court. The trial is conducted his own defense. He contended his pension and be deprived of his diplomatic title of minister. The sentence of the court is publicly regarded as being due to the influence of the Emperor's desire to give a lesson to Prince Bismarck.

HE TALKED TOO MUCH.

The Socialist agitator, Bernhard Bruns, ARGE FRONT ROOM, WITH GRATE.
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B2dv are powerless—blazing cotton dipped in Geo. E. Foster and Hon. Mackenzie tar. Herr Bruns added:—"See how the Bowell will start for Washington on Mon-DLEASANT ROOMS, WITH BOARD AND English proletariat was armed to resist the day afternoon. DLEASANT ROOMS, WITH BOARD AND Government." For the suggestion of in-

> sentenced to a month's imprisonment at FLOODS IN SPAIN.

A Madrid despatch says: -The year 1891 was marked in Spain by a succession of floods, which destroyed thousands of human lives, drowned an almost countless number of horses, mules and cattle, swept away valuable crops, and did other damage to an incalculable extent. The disaster at Consuegra, where hundreds upon hundreds of people were awakened from their sleep by the inrush of the waters, and who, when they sought safety in flight, were overwhelmed by the mad torrent, is still fresh in the minds of the Spanish people. Already this year there has occurred at Seville a flood in the Guadalquiver which Caused a Terrible Railway Wreck-Three did immense damages, and to-day comes reports from many places in the northern part of the kingdom stating that heavy floods are devastating the country there. from the despatches received it is evident that the floods prevailed throughout all the northern provinces. Already great

sered their frumess, except in the one of hunk securities, which generally declined. Business on the Berlin Boerse was quiet. The mouthly settlement passed smoothly. The Berlin Bankers' Association has been formed, the object being the joint protection of bank rights on the Boerse and the reform and regulation of bank rights.

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as compared with the corresponding tire building and The council of the Russian Empire has approved measures to render the land held

by peasants inalienable, and to establish The German Government has establisned five schools in the Cameroons for the instruction of adult negroes and

arithmetic and singing. OTTAWA NOTES.

Ministers Start for Washington To-day-Strengthening the Cornwall Canal.

service and decreed that he should lose ing of Cornwall Canal and frequent bursts of the canal will be prevented forever. They are building a huge crib and stonework facing to the St. Lawrence side of the canal.

Hon. Mackenzie Bowell has returned to the city. Premier Abbott, Hon. Frank Smith and John Thompson held a conference yesterin a lecture delivered at Berlin a short day morning. A lengthy meeting of the time ago upon the chartist move- Cabinet was held in the afternoon, when, ment in England, in 1848, described the it is undertood, merely routine matters measures taken by the noted physical were arranged, so as to leave Monday clear force chartist Stephens to arm his fol- for a long conference before the three lowers. The lecturer, in his discourse, Ministers go to Washington. Trade relaquoted the saying of Stephens, "There is a tions will, it is stated, be considered on weapon against which rifles and bayonets Monday, and Sir John Thompson, Hon.

Mr. C. H. Mackintosh, M.P., left tocendiarism contained in his lecture Herr day for England via New York. He has Bruns was arrested, and yesterday he was not resigned. Hon. George E. Foster, Sir John Thomp-

son and Hon. Mackenzie Bowell leave for Washington by the Canadian Atlantic train at 2.15 p.m. to-morrow The first of Lady Stanley's Saturday "at homes" was given yesterday. The Court being in mourning the usual quiet dance

afterwards was abandoned. Information has reached Ottawa of a disastrous fire at Vars. S. F. Cheney, dry goods merchant, and George Bell, private residence, were burned out yesterday

morning. Loss, \$5,000. AN OPEN SWITCH

Men Killed and Others Injured.

Kansas City, Mo., February 7.—The the northern provinces. Already great damage has been done, and greater is feared, as the waters shows no sign of subsiding.

THE WEEK ON 'CHANGE.

Discount was in fair demand during the week past. Quotations closed at 2 for three months and 1½ for short. A condition of weakness prevailed on the Stock Exchange throughout, the public holding entirely and in Paris and Roston induced specular.

The seescapes occurred before the walls of arrived from various hospitals. Many physicians whose residences are in the neighborhood were quickly on the scene and did all they could to relieve the injured. Nearly everyone of the 124 rooms which the hotel had on its five floors was occupied last night by guests, both permanent and transient. In fact, all rooms wave four had been taken at one o'clock this morning, when Richard Mears, the proprietor, went to bed. At 3.05 o'clock luminated the sky for miles round and more meet Freda Ward. She became terribly despondent, and fears are enter-terribly despondent, and fears are enter-tained that she will commit suicide. Last night she was watched in her cell by one of her relatives.

SHIPPING.

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American railroad securities were notably sensitive and irregular throughout the week. Yesterday a better tendency prevailed, the market being under the impression that an early rally is inevitable. At Paris the reports of an impending of the passenger train had his arm broken and the engineer of the passenger train had a leg broken. Not a passenger received so much as a time during the week. Afterward prices a time during the week. Afterward prices 'scratch,

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the flance spread quickly to all parts of Guests Awake to Find all Means of Then the ladder was placed against the Escape Cut off.

SEVERAL JUNP FROM UPPER WINDOWS

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to Less Than One Hundred People

troophe, parallelling in horror and perhaps to the thirtieth street station-house and exceeding in loss of life the Park Place afterwards, unidentified, removed to the hour this morning. The Hotel Royal, at numbered four. Several others had drop-sixth avenue and 40th street, opposite ped from windows or slid down ropes with Bryant Park, was completely destroyed by which every room in the hotel was profire and a large number of people were burns, burned, sufficiated and crushed in the while many more had been injured in the ruins. Five burned, crushed and dis- same way, making their escape by fire figured bodies within a short time after the escapes, and were in the hands of ambulbreaking out of the flames were removed ance surgeons, who had been summoned to the Morgue, and it is feared that scores from Bellevue and the New York Hosof other victims are buried in the ruins. pitals. The surgeons had their hands full The fire broke out shortly after 3 o'clock in taking care of the injured and maimed.

CUTTING OFF ALL MEANS OF ESCAPE near the elevator shaft, which was located in the middle of the building.

the cupola on the elevator shaft by an en gineer on a Sixth avenue elevated railroad about to leap from one of the windows on children in Bibical history, reading, writing. train, who stopped his engine directly in the third floor. front of the hotel and blew the locomotive's Ottawa, Feb. 7.-(Associated Press De- cries of "Fire!" So rapidly, however, did to bed shortly after 10 o'clock, and was spatch) - Wm. Davis, contractor for the the flames increase that it seemed an age sleeping soundly when he was rudely Cornwall Canal, was here to-day on busi- before the firemen arrived, although awakened by the cry of "fire," and the being conducted in private. The Count ness with the Minister of Public Works the first appratus rattled up to the scene screams and shouts for help of the inmates. regarding his contract. He states they within a few minutes after the alarm of the house. He ran from his room on that he was guilty of no breach of the officely have already done more than was including the fire became at once apparent to the officely into the half.

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Meanwhile the most saw men and women clad only in their the sidewalks, crushed to death day over his escape. seriously injured. Eye-witnesses of the appearance at the

reliable reports there were ABOUT 150 PEOPLE, ALL TOLD

you follow me," snatched up a coat and

ran into the hallway. He fought his way straight to the staircase, supposing that his wife was close behind him. The passageway was choked with dense smoke which almost strangied him. Then, throwing his overcoat over his head to prevent suffocation, he bent groped his way to the banisters. shooting up from below and which was on the railing was bu his hair singed. HIS SITUATION WAS PERIL

To run down the stairs for tv meant death and so he swung his the hand rail and dropped 20 fe so floor, landing on his feet with bone. He then made his will street. Mr. Mears was among the leave the burning building, and made his arit the first floor. meant death and so he swung hi made his exit the first fire engi yet arrived. But even in those few minutes the flames had gotten their grip on the fated structure, and fire was shooting from

all the windows of the upper floors. When In Mr. Mears reached the street he realized that his wife was not with him. At that moment a book and ladder arrived. Mears implored the firemen to save his wife. A ladder was quickly placed in position to a window which he said was his wife's room, and up Policeman Merritt ran. The window selected was not the right room. It it was an unknown woman, who quickly stepped out on to the ladder window of Mrs. Mears' room. A young man ran nimbly up to help save the woman, who had alreay stepped upon the ladder. Mears ran up the ladder, too, and stepped off to the roof of the verandah, over the entrance to the office, to steady his wife when she came down. She was very nervous, and in making the descent slipped and fell to the sidewalk. She was picked up with a sprained ankle, and was otherwise badly bruised. Before the fire companies arrived one man, whose name

is not known. SPRANG FROM A THIRD-STORY WINDOW below. People turned their faces away, horrified at the sight. This was on the Sixth Avenue sile of the building. A moported Unaccounted for-Only window on the 40th street side, and was moment later another man leaped from a Free Bodies Mesevered - Heart instantly killed. Shortly afterward two reading Scene and Thrilling Esnned from windows on th Sixth Avenue side and were dead when New York, Feb. 7.-An appailing catas- picked up. Their dead bodies were taken

English imports for January increased this morning and spread with fearful All this time the fire was raging fiercely, and it was plain to be seen the building the corresponding to the structure burned like. was doomed. The structure burned like so much kindling wood. The work of for the guests rooming in the upper stories were taken from the windows by firemen of the building. The origin of the fire is and policemen. Sergeant Ward and patrolman Phillips, of fire patrol No. 2, went into a room on the fourth floor front The flames were first seen pouring out of the cupola on the elevator shaft by an en

whistle loud and continuously. This unusual sound awoke many of the sleeping people in the hotel and brought policemen

FREDERICK UHLMANN'S EXPERIENCE.

Mr. Frederick Uhlmann, the hops dealer, has been a guest at the Hotel Royal to the scene, who at once sent out a fire for years, and lived with his brother alarm from a near-by single box. Mean- Simeon and wife. The two latter yesterwhile the employes of the hotel on night day went to their country residence at duty sought to arouse the guests by their Lakewood, N.J. Mr. Uhlmann had gone Fire Chief in charge, who promptly rung He found it filled with smoke, and three more alarms in quick succession. was forced back into his room. Again he made an attempt, and falling HEARTRENDING AND SICKENING SCENES over some obstruction in the passage way that appalle t even the experienced firemen one flight of stairs to the street. He and police were being enacted. The horror-escaped with only an overcoat to cover his stricken crowd that had quickly gathered makedness. Mr. Uhlmann lost everything in the street about the doomed building in his room, including \$12,000 in cash, saw men and women clad only in their night-clothes jump from the upper stories business documents. Despite his loss, and fall upon the stone flagging however, Mr. Uhlmann was cheerful to-

AMONG THE NARROW ESCAPES upper windows of terror-stricken men and was that of Mr. H. C. Thompkins, of this women, who, unable to find escape, fell city, who was a transient guest at the back overcome by the smoke and flames. \ hotel. He was awakened from his slumbers Every window of the building seemed fill by the cry of "fire." He got up and ed with men, women and children crying went into the hallway, but escape out piteously for those below to save tnem. down stairs was impossible. Mr. Thompkins Some of these were certainly burned to kept his senses about him, and collecting death, as the police say that they saw them all his valuables escaped out of one of the suddenly disappear from view, while great windows down a rope. In descending the masses of flames and smoke on the instant flames from the second floor windows burst out of the windows where the wretch- burned his hands slightly and scorched his ed victims had just been standing. The hair. Mrs. F. Knapp, of Chicago, had a first hook and ladder company reached the room on the fifth floor. She had presence scene about seven minutes after the flames of mind enough to wrap a wet towell were discovered, and the firemen lost no around here head to prevent being time in running up their ladders to suffocated and went to the win-the windows for the work of dow and waited until rescued rescue. Alike firemen, policemen and by a policeman. Mrs. Kueper and daughcitizens mounted ladders and carried down ter, of Flemington, N. J., occupied a room women and children to places of safety. on the third floor front. They registered at Their work was necessarily done with the hotel yesterday. They were taken wonderful rapidity, for by this time the from their room down a ladder by a fire staircases and elevator shafts within the man. They lost all their clothing save the building were completely enveloped in night-dresses which they had on. Mrs. flames. The fire escapes in the rear of the Kueper suffered from the shock, and building afforded a means of escape to Miss Kueper's long black hair was singed some, whilst the fire ropes provided in all by the flames which burst over her head as rooms were utilized by many male guests she stepped on the landing. Mrs. Knight, in reaching the street. According to most of West 40th street, made a temporary hospital of her flat, and had no less than nine homeless people there at one time. Among those who accepted of this hos sleeping in the hotel last night. How pitality was a young man named Levy, Chicago, bound for Kansas City, left many of these were lost may who slid down a rope, tearing the Centralia at six o'clock this morning be- not be ascertained for several days flesh from his hands to the bone hind time. Before reaching Larabee, five Soon after the fire broke out ambulances These escapes occurred before the walls of