ed.

After a protracted trial the Jury brought in a verdict of aggravated assault against the family for their treatment of deceased. His Lordship said a more frightful case of cruelty had never come come before him, and he wished he had he power of ordering fifty lashes to Gaines and his son George. He defers passing sentence for the present.

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THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 18, 1872

MANITOBA L. GISLATURE.

The Local Legislature for the Province of Manitoba was opened by the Lieut. Governor, on Wednesday, the 17th mst., with the usual formalities. His Excellency congratulated the members on the prosperity which the Province has enjoyed, on the abatement of the small-pox, and on the improved prospects of the Indians and half-breeds. He refers to the Fanjan wild and the program. dians and half-breeds. He refers to the Fenian raid, and the prompt manner in which the people turned out to repel the thieving crew. He refers to the efforts made for inducing immigration into the Province, to the satisfactory progress of the surveys, to the wisdom and adaptability of the laws passed last session, and recommends that measures be adopted for security and purity of elections, and for the efficient working of the judiciary. He also recommends that something be done to prevent the careless firing of the prairies, which have caused so much damage. He confidently anticipates, in conclusion, that the result of the present session will be looked back to with pride and satisfaction.

The New Mere pleased to see, not long since, in one of our exchanges, some retty severe remarks addressed to severate present provide and statesting an interesting lecture by Rev Jno S C Abbot, kept a coalineous coughing, which prevented them. Mr. Bnown-Saquand experimented about them.

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ports England owns no less than 89. The remainder is divided between France and Germany: Yarikee enter-prise being entirely unrepresented. American statesmen are gradually awakening to the fact that they have smothered the ship-building industry in endeavoring to effectually protect it.

It is quite indefinite when the Dominion Parliament will be called together. In official circles two reasons are given. The first is that the Cabinet wishes to wait until the Washington Treaty is discussed in McCongress, in order to let the Americans show their hand. Another reason is said to be that the Pacific Railway surveys are not sufficiently advanced to enable the Cabinet to definitely settle on the route and come down with a scheme.

New TERRITORY .- The new Territory of Ojibway, which it is proposed to set off in the northern part of Dakota, will contain about 74,000 square miles, being nearly one half of the present area of fertile and well-wa-tered lands, but its inhabitants con-sist almost entirely of Indians, # It sist almost entirely of Indians. It will be crossed midway, however, by the Northern Pacific Railroad, which will build up settlements and towns rapidly along the route, and from the line of the railroad population, agricultural development will be diffused in all directions.

THE SILVER MINES OF LAKE SUPERIOR The most wonderful reports are circulated of the richness of the silver and gold mines upon the northern shore of Lake Superior. At the Silver Island mine enormous quantities of ore are taken out every day, the amount being limited only by the force employed. The quantity of silver seems inexhaustible, and it is believed that several million dollars worth will be taken out this winter. Several other mines are coing very well. The number of labourers employed in and about all the mines, is about 450. Gold-bearing quarts has also been found in the neighborhood. The total population in the vicinity of the mines is about \$0,000, but it is believed that in a short time the people of the region will number 100,000. ver and gold mines upon the north-

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Gold Diggings in Australia.—The Australian gold fields still offer inviting prospects to investors. The Melbourne Argus of Nov. 6th says that it would appear from fine discoveries of new auriferious ground which are made from time to time in Victoria that nearly the whole colony is suriferous, and that gold will be extracted from it for all time to come. Only recently a payable gold-field was found at Stockyard Creek, near Port Albert, in the most south-eastern portion of the colony, far from the region of what had hitherto been termed gold country, and now reports come to hand of the discovery of gold quartz reefs in the south-western portion of Victoria, at some distance beyond the existing western gold-fields. The locality of the new field is in the vicinity of the Grampian and Victoria, at and 46 miles north of Hamilton. Some stone which was struck within three feet of the Saydane has been marked. In the control of the saydane has been marked. stone which was struck within three fee of the, surface has been mustyzed, an found to contain gold at the rate of on oance to the ton.

GUELPH POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistra Jan. 14.

Jacob R. Karacher was charged with elling liquor on Sunday last at Crieff. Fined \$20 and costs.

Win Johnstone was charged with being drunk on the Market Spuare yesterday. Fined \$2 and costs or 20 days in Jail at hard labor. Committed, Just from Jail.

15 The Mayor of Montreal has impounded the Grand Duke's cheque for \$1,000 given to the poor of that city, until the Conneil consents to pay the little 'ill for H. I. H.'s entertainment, about wheth there is such a tuppeny ha'penny row.

15 A lawyer once wrote "rascal" in the last of a brother lawyer, who, on his discovering it, entered a complaint in open court against the trespasser, who, he soid, had not only taken his hat, but had written his own name in it.

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"Mrs. Thornton, wife of the British
finister, was the only lady not dressed
a silk, satin, velvet, or the three combied, at the recent grand Executive receion
in Washington, and was voted "awally plain" by the gorgeous dames of
the American court.

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EDITORIAL ITEMS.

Five marriages occurred in one family in Ottawa within 36 hours.

Tris reported in Ottawa that Lieutenant-Governor Howland will not be re-appointed at the expiration of his term of office.

M. C. Cameron is to lead the attack on the Government benches. He will not make much impression on the firm ranks of the Reformers.

Of the 118 ocean steamers plying between New York and European ports England owns no less than 89 The remainder is divided between.

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—Thursday before the Guelph Fair,
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Second Monday in every month
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Mar, July, September and November
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Monday in January, April, July and First Tuesday in February, May, -First Thursday in every month. First Friday after the Guelph Fair.

MARRIED.

— HAMILTON—On the 10th inst, by the Rev Reid, at the residence of the bride's pa-nic, Mr. Robert Beaty, of Chinguacousy, Miss Mary Hamilton, of Erin, riv — MCCO LEMAX — On the 3rd inst, by der R ROYCE, at the residence of Mr Win, shott, Mr James McArthy, of Erin, to Miss fy McColeman, of Eramos,

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Dissolution of Partnership THE partnership heretofore existing between the Undersigned, was this day dissolved by mutual coacent. Mr Martin will continue the business, collect all debts, and pay all accounts of the partnership.

THOS. H. TAYLOR, DAVID MARTIN. Witness: Robt Mitchell. Guelph, Jan 10th, 1872

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DLANS and Specifications can be seen at School
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Guelph, Dec 19, 1871

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MESSRS. DOUGLAS & BANNERMAN,

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