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All orders for new pumps or repairs mountly attended to.

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ter.
reditors are requested to file their claim
re me within one month.
WILLIAM J. PATERSON,

2wd Assignee Dated at Guelph this 15th day of Oct ber, 1872. NSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

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Ane stock consists of Boom Papers, valued at... Window Papers "istationery & Envelopes ... Vrapping Paper ... igars, Notions, &c......

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To Gas Consumers.

Town and County News belonging to the bankrupt estate of E. T. A. Porry, and the Messra, Macklin's advertisement in reference thereto will appear in to-morrow's issue.

the market a fine fat cow and 2 year old steer, belonging to Mr. Swanston; Era-mosa, and which together weighed 2,790 lbs. We understand their destination is

COMPLIMENTARY SUPPER.—We regret to COMPLIMENTARY SUPPER.—We regret to learn that Mr. James Murphy, merchant in this Town, and as old and respected resident, is about to leave for Seaforth. A number of his friends, desirous of tęstifying their esteem for him, have made arrangements for giving him a complimentary supper, which will take place at Deady's Wellington Hotel, on Monday evening next.

prevailed all the way across. Mrs. Stewart, after an absence from "Auld Scotia" of some twelve or fourteen years, much enjoyed her little trip to the Land of

have so generally made against this Fund. They complain of compulsion—that they are denied the privilege of voluntary subscription. Since 1854 they have been continually solicited in the Journal of Education, to subscribe to the fund; and the Government itself has raised its yearly grant to it, from \$2,000 to \$6,500. Still teachers keep aloof, so that of 5,165 teachers in Ontario, only 131 are pensioners on the Fund. I believe that, in most cases, there is far more honor, and our sincerity is far less liable to suspicion, by objecting at once to the payment of money itself, than by inventing untenable objections about mere nodes of payment. The laying up of something for old age is a necessity which will then be fully understood, if that something for old age is a necessity which will then be fully understood, if that something for old age is a necessity which will then be fully understood, if the something for old age is a necessity which will then be fully understood, if the something happens then to be wanting. If a man does not wish to stay in the business loager than it shall have enabled him to rise one step higher towards the real object of his ambition, \$2 a year is a mere moiety for the privilege of intrusion. Doctors and lawyers do not allow quacks and petitiogges to usurp their professions; but teaching, the most important of all, is the nursery of all professions, and the dernier resert of differences on the dernier resert of every craft. The Fund has now an income of \$17,500 a year, and it would, ask Government to rescind the obnoxious cause, and forfeit the grant. The conceding to such a petition would, in my view, evince some Parliamentary passiveness. There could not be a better test throw how many intended to follow teaching for a lifefong avocation, for any such teacher could not rationally object to, the Fund.

hour after, but life was extinct.

FOUR BAILORS DROWNED LAY PORT COLORIS,—On Thesday hight just as the achooner Madeira was being towed out of the harbor, and four men were working with the anchor, one of them, brother-in-law of the captain, fell overboard. A boat was lowered and the three remaining sailors descended into it, but the boat capsized and they were all drowned before assistance could be rendered.

THE Hamilton Times says
the most fashionable wedd
has ever taken place amongs
people in that city for many people in that dity for many years, oc-curred at the Synagogue in Hamilton on Tuesday. The bridegroom was Mr Men-dle, a merchant, residing near Ottawa, and the blushing bride Miss Burnstein second daughter of the Jewish Rabbi of Hamil-ton.

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O'Brien's circus has left some diseased and deceased horses along their route.
One died at Bartonville and a couple more in the neighborhood of Grimsby. The caravan, after swindling the tollkeepers at Bartonville and Stoney Creek out of part of the toll, halted at the Canada House; at the latter place to water. While doing so, some scoundred connected with the caravan entered Captain William's barn, carried off a whip, a watering pail and cut a set of harness to pieces for the sake of the buckles and strings in it.

Furs.—The prices of fine furs

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Funs.—The prices of fine furs are expected to be much higher this season than they were at any time last winter. There is not a large supply in the market at present, and the demand for fur clothing is expected to be greater this year than ever, notwithstanding the high prices. Fur traders are securing their stock of goods and traps preparatory to making their rounds through the back settlements and among the Indians who trap and hunt on the tributaries of the north shore of the Ottawa. Shantymen are purchasing traps to take with them And coloral, solded from Teneday (any out of the Coloral and Araba (and the Country and the Coloral and the Country and the Coloral and Col

Superannuated Teachers' Fund.

To the Editor of the Mercury.

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Fund.
Yours, &c., John Irrland.
Eramosa, Oct. 12th; 1872.

Scarlet lever is becoming prevalent in Quebec again : one family lost three children yesterday.

days.

A traveller who has just refengland, says the first thing on arriving in London was him the Company of the Compan

Local and Other Items. THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES Shooting Case in Mexico. Racing in California.

Froude's First Lecture.

Board of Arbitration, who arrived here yesterday, in an interview with a Herald reporter last night, said the est-tlement has been a great success, and one of which we should feel proud. Fifteen millions is a large sum, but it is not so much the money value of the not so much the money value of the award as the point settled by the con

fair dividend.

Should the stockholders conclude to try the experiment of having the rink used exclusively for ourling and curlers during next season, the report suggests that once r week or once a fortnight a skating carnival might be given at small cost for entrance fee, which would meet the degives of the skaters as far as a want cost he will be given at a small cost for entrance fee, which would meet the degives of the skaters as far as a want as the serious loss, having had his hay and a quantity of oats destroyed by free, and requesting the Council to grant

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On Wednesday afternoon a deputation from the British Templars, consisting of the Rev. A. M. Philips, Most Worthy Grand Chief, Rev. G. A. Mitchell, Wor-Grand Chief, Rev. G. A. Mitchell, Worthy Grand Chief of Ontario, and P. H. Stewart, Esq.. Worthy Grand Secretary, conveying the fraternal greetings of those bodies, and introducing the subject of "union" of the British American and British Templars were cordially received, and a committee appointed to confer with the deputation on the subject.

On Wednesday evening a public meeting weak add in the Templars' Hall when

ing was held in the Templars' Hall, when addresses were delivered by the G. W. C. T., E. Rose, Esq., D. Shoff, Esq., Rev. J. Howie, Rev. G. A. Mitchell, W. G. C. T., British Templars, Rev. A. M.Phillips, M. W. G. C. T., and Rev. W. Bradley, Grand Worthy Lecturer of the British

American Order.
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This (Thursday) morning London was fixed as the next place of meeting.

The following were elected Grand Ofcers of the British American Order of Good Templars and duly installed:—Jas. Somerville, Lucknow, G. W. C. T.; Alex. Rodgers, Woodville, G. W. C.; D. Shoff, McGillvray, G. W. V. T.; Rev. James Howie, Guelph, G. W. C.; H. Campbell, Mitchell G. W. S.; J. Wauless, Varna, G. W. T.; C. Eaerlit, Rodgerville, G. W. M.; S. Ranton, Dryden, G. W. A. M.; J. Grandy, Zurich, G. W. I. G.; W. T. Reid, Rosedale, G. W. O. G.; E. Rose, Kingston, P. G. W, C. T.

A basis of union agreed upon by the joint committee of British American and Bristish Templars was submitted and adopted. H. Campbell, J. Somerville and D. Shoff were appointed a Committee to meet with a Committee from the British Templars to further discuss the subject of union.

After the usual votes of thanks to Railway Companies, &c., the Grand Lodge adjourned to meet in London on the 21st of October, 1873.

Council met on Monday, 14th Octo