DIED.

On the 23rd January, John S. McDonald, son of John R. McDonald, of Wallaceburg, aged 32 years 9 months and 3 days.

THE CAPE.

A despatch from Cape Town says that a severe battle has been fought at Leydenburg, and the Boers have taken possession of the town.

The exportation of arms to the Orange Free States has been prohibited.

The position in Basutoland is critical, owing to the defections of the Burghers.

A despatch from Cape Town says telegraph communication with General Colley has been cut off. The accepted explanation of this is that the Boers have sent a detachment to cut the wires at some point between this place and Newcastle. The fact is significant, and fears are entertained that he may yet be surrounded and captured before aid can reach him.

It is stated that Menotti Garibaldi has been requested to accept the command of a corps of volunteers for the Transvaal.

MISTAKEN IDENTITY.

The fame of that mythical peeler who figures in popular minstrelsy in company with a frolicsome member of the genus *capra* is quite eclipsed by the recent performances of two "warriors bold," real, not imaginary, entities. The scene of the epic is the vicinity of renowned Athlone. A belated resident of that district was a few nights ago making his way homeward across the fields, when the sudden challenge smote his ear, "Stand, else we fire!" Thinking those words were addressed to himself, the traveller halted accordingly, but he was a little mistaken. Casting his eyes in the direction whence the sound proceeded, he beheld two of her Majesty's forces, sergents in different arms of the service, forming square in the middle of a meadow. The only foe apparent was a placid cow, which, stirred by some unaccountable vaccine impulse, had made a demonstration in the direction of our heroes. The influences of the hour had evidently caused the pair of warriors to imagine that it was some terrible enemy was moving down upon them. Perhaps they had heard of the wooden horse of the Iliad, and not unnaturally imagine that some such wile was being prepared for their destruction. The cow continued in advance, and the two gallants, exclaiming, "The Hirish murderers will kill us both," immediately fired on the cow. They discharged six rounds at it and then took to their heels, thinking, no doubt, a couple of Fenians were done for. The owner of the cow was made aware of what happened, and closely followed them to the military barracks, where they admitted they had shot something, but that they were attacked. However, they returned with the owner and saw the victim and paid him on the spot requesting him not to speak about it. But the question arises, had the transaction not been seen, would it not be "another outrage?"—*Dublin Freeman.*

A St. Bernard Dog.

L'Impartial des Alpes tells a St. Bernard dog story. Father Nicholas, a monk of the Grande-Chartreuse, once aide-de-camp to the Czar, was returning from Fourvoirie to his monastery, followed by a fine St. Bernard, to which he was greatly attached. As he walked on reading his breviary, he fell down a precipice. The dog presented himself at the monastery, and by plaintive barking and gestures did his best to tell the monks that something was wrong. In the end some of them decided to follow him, and the dog with many manifestations of delight, led the way to the place where he had left his master. Father Nicholas was found, much hurt, but alive.

By the recent death of Prince William of Wurtemberg's infant and only son, the succession to the Wurtemberg throne is again thrown open to the Roman Catholic branch of the reigning family—a fact which appears to be provocative of considerable popular uneasiness in that essentially Protestant realm. Should Prince William die without male issue, the heir presumptive to the crown would be Duke Philip, a grandson of Louis Phillipe, king of the French, and married to a daughter of the Archduke Albrecht of Austria. The children of Duke Philip and the Archduchess Maria Theresa have been brought up Catholics.

THE *Baltimore Presbyterian* sees the necessity for sacrifice in the worship of God. But it does not see that Protestantism has no altar, no victim, no priest, whereas the Catholic Church daily offers up to the great white throne the clean oblation foretold by the prophet, and from the rising of the sun to the going down of the same repeats in the Mass the sacrifice of Calvary.—*Catholic Mirror.*

Pius VII. proved in 1809 England's only friend. That Pontiff refused to exclude, at Napoleon's bidding, British commerce from the Roman States, and suffered five years' imprisonment rather than do a wrong.

Love is circumspect, humble and upright; not yielding to softness or to levity; not attending to vain things; it is sober, chaste, steady, quiet and guarded in all the senses.

He who goes into his garden to look for cobwebs and spiders, will no doubt find them; while he who looks for a flower may return to his house with one blooming in his bosom.

A good character is to a young man what firm foundation is to the artist, who proposes to erect a building on it; he can build with safety, and as all who behold it will have confidence in its solidity; a helping hand will never be wanted. But let a single part of this be defective, and you go on hazard, amid doubting and distrust, and ten to one it will tumble down at last, and mingle all that was built on it in ruins.

We double all the ills of our fate by dwelling on them; a scratch becomes a wound, a slight, an injury, a jest an insult; a small peril a great danger. A slight illness often ends in death from drooping apprehensions.

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Oats		0 95 to 1 00
Peas		0 95 to 1 10
Barley		1 30 to 1 50
Rye		0 80 to 1 00
Buckwheat		1 10 to 1 25
Beans		1 50 to 2 00
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Fall Wheat Flour	℔ Cwt.	3 00 to 3 25
Mixed Flour	"	3 00 to 3 25
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Buckwheat Flour		2 25 to 2 50
Graham Flour		2 75 to 3 00
Cracked Wheat		2 25 to 2 50
Cornmeal	"	1 50 to 2 60
Bran, per ton		12 00 to 14 00
Shorts, ℔		14 00 to 18 00
Oatmeal, ℔ cwt		2 00 to 2 50
PRODUCE.		
Lard, ℔ lb		0 09 to 0 11
Eggs, Store Lots, ℔ doz		0 28 to 0 35
" Farmers'		0 25 to 0 30
Butter, Crock		0 19 to 0 22
" Rolls		0 22 to 0 25
Cheese, Dairy, ℔ lb		0 12 to 0 12
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Mutton, ℔ lb		0 08 to 0 09
Lamb, ℔ lb		0 07 to 0 08
Beef, pr lb ℔ qtr		4 25 to 7 00
Geese, each		0 45 to 0 60
Turkeys, each		0 75 to 1 25
Dried Apples ℔ lb		0 06 to 0 06
Onions, ℔ bbl		0 75 to 1 50
Hay, ℔ ton		11 00 to 13 00
Straw, ℔ load		2 50 to 3 50
Live Hogs, ℔ cwt		3 75 to 4 00
Dressed Hogs		7 00 to 7 35
Chickens, ℔ pair		0 25 to 0 50
Ducks		0 35 to 0 50
Turnips ℔ bush		0 20 to 0 25
Carrots		0 15 to 0 30
Apples, ℔ bag		40 to 60
Potatoes bag		0 65 to 0 80
Tallow, rendered "		0 5½ to 0 06
Wool, "		0 25 to 0 27
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