TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 6, 1893.

An Investigation of Chief Williams' Conduct Suggested.

litteen Hundred Dollars to be Spent on the Camp Grounds.

And Five Hundred Dollars Voted to the flechanics' Institute-Proposal to Change the Civic Holiday Votoed-A Grant to the Eumane Society.

When Ald. Coo rose to present the special report of the investigation committee in the Keary case last night a deep silence came over the crowd in the hall. It silence came over the crowd in the hall. It was nearly 11 o'clock when the report was presented. The vital part read as follows: The committee recommends that the council dispense with the services of Mr.

ity of London."
"I move the adoption of the report,"
added Ald. Coo.
"I second that," said Ald. James Fitz-

gerald.
"I would like to ask what he is dismissed for," asked Ald. Connor; "whether it is on account of his duties as clerk or

indly answer?
Ald. Coo-The committee does not say

Ald. Parnell—We will have to have a reason.

"As a British subject," said Ald. J. W. Jones, "I will never sit at a board that will bring in such an unjust decision. The committee don't know why they discharged him. No jury would have convicted a man on that evidence and in front of Mr. Keaty's own statements. I claim that the whole thing has been done in an urdair spirit and not in a spirit of fair play. There was nothing in the charge made by Crawford, and yet the committee brings in a verdict of dismissal."

Ald. Coo—The committee has not done anything unjustly and I can prove it.

Mayor Essery then made a movement to take the floor, but Ald. Coo held the floor, although someone at his side asked him to

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I am prepared to give my reason," said mayor from the chair.

if it takes all night.
Ald. Stevely denounced the stand taken
by the committee as unfair and not square.
There is a good deal being said in the city "There is a good deal being said in the city that there is a compact and arrangement to condemn this man whether it be right or wrong. The man is entitled to fair play and I will never be a party to condemn him unless it is shown that he should be so treated."

Ald. Coothen insisted upon reading the voluminous evidence. "The committee have not done anything wrong," he added. It is not necessary to condemn Mr. Keary, but now I will condemn him."

These last words were pitched in a high key, and the manuscript in the speaker's

hand word a were pitched in a figure key, and the manuscript in the speaker's hand wont around with a flourish.

Ald. Thomas Jones then moved that the council adjourn and hold a special meeting to look into the matter. It was necessary that Mr. Keary be given a fair and unlighted hearing.

d hearing.
Weltord seconded.
Coo still held the floor, and the mayor was obliged to rule the motion out of order. Neither could the mayor get down to the floor to make a speech, although he appeared to want to very hadly.

Ald. Dreaney objected to listening to the evidence, but Mr. Coo yet had the floor.

There was considerable talk as to whether the evidence should be read, but Mr. Coo would read it, and read it he did. While conversation was going on the mayor remarked that the committee were not afraid, although great pressure had been brought to bear on them.

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Ald. Parnell took exception to the pressure" statement.
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Ald. Parnell—Yes, and you make nois, too, when Ald. Coo got through reading When Ald. Coo got through reading it was nearly 12 o'clock. He only read the evidence touching the first part of the harms. The evidence relative to the the charge. The evidence relative to the second part, as to whether or not Keary second part, as to whether or all when his was in the courtroom at the trial when his evidence was wanted, was, Ald. Coo said, contradictory, and not necessary in his

opinion.

Ald. Coo then sat down and the mayor took the floor. He delivered a lengthy speech in defense of the committee. "I take the responsibility of the committee for the report that has come into this council; upon the evidence given there is no question about it but that the police court clerk did not do his duty to the city of London, and that he should not be kept in is position a single moment or a single London, and that he should not be kept in his position a single moment or a single hour. I moved the resolution myself, and we brought in the resolution with the evidence attached to it. You can do what you like with it."

statement that Mr. Keary appeared to be sorry that he had not been called.

Ald. Thomas Jones—Mr. Keary had not been interviewed by the police after Justice MacMahon's charge to the jury last January. In patting the liame on Mr. Keary we are commencing too low down. We should place it a little higher up where it belonged. I am perfectly willing to discharge Mr. Keary if his services are not required, but not under a brand of this kind.

Ald. Scarrow—The officials coucht to be

Ald. Scarrow-The officials ought to be Ald, Scarrow—an concase oughs to scharged with neglecting their duty. I don't think it would be right to cloak their sins. The police want to get rid of Mr. Keary. I would advocate that the office be declared vacant and that no reappoint-

had not voted.

The vote was again put and the yeas and nays taken. The amendment was lost by the following division: Nays—The Mayor, the following division: Nays-The Mayor, Ald. Taylor, Heaman, Coo, James Fitz-gerald, Garratt, Dreancy, F. J. Fitzgerald, Parnell and Pritchett-10. Yeas-Ald. Connor, J. W. Jones, Moule, Thos. Jones, Carrothers, Stevely, Scarrow, Welford and Shaw-0.

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The crowd then started to file out of the
hall, and Mr. Keary, who had occupied a
seat in the council chamber, went also.

Ald. Paruell then arose with the follow-Ald, Paruell then arose with the following question: "Would a motion respecting the chief of police be out of order? I believe there is another party just as guilty as Mr. Keary.

The Mayor—If the charges are put in writing then I will allow it to be investigated on the evidence given.

Ald. Paruell—I claim that in view of the fact that this man was the last person

the fact that this man was the last person in Harry Phair's company his evidence should have been called for. I think that the same committee should take up the

question as to why the evidence was not torthcoming.

The Mayor.—A motion to that effect would be out of order.

Ald. Taylor started to object, but the mayor went on to the next order of business.

BOARD OF HEALTH

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Ald. Heaman, chairman, presented the report of the Board of Health. It recommended: 1. On memo from council re the drain on Wortley road from Bruce to Stanley streets, the construction of a tile drain for drainage and sanitary purposes on the Wortley road between Alma and Stanley streets and drain to be built of ten-inch streets, such drain to be built tile (or larger), and that the said put down as a local improvement, and that the cost thereof be assessed to the owners the cost thereof be assessed to the owner between said streets, less the sum o \$3,000, to be contributed by the owner along the line of drain already laid between Bruce and Alma streets for connecting their drain with proposed drain aforesaid between Alma and Stanles streets. 2. Your board begs to submit the report of the medical health officer re tria of O'Brien and North gulley traps, and begt to recommend the adoption of the North to recommend the adoption of the Nort trap for use in the city for sanitary an other reasons mentioned in said report of

edical health officer.
Ald. Connor and Garratt moved that

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Ald. F. J. Fitzgerald (chairman) presented No. 3 committee's report. It recommended: 1. That the communication of John M. Parsons re truck for fire department be filed. 2. That the tender of Messrs. R. Boyd & Sons to furnish uniformatic forms of the state of the second of the secon omitted, for \$17 50 per su Bros.' tender to supply caps for \$1 50 cach, be accepted. Adopted.

NUMBER TWO COMMITTEE'S REPORT

vas presented by Ald. Garratt (chairman t recommended: 1. That the application oras presented: 1. That the appropriate of Wm. Wanless, jun., for use of agricultural hall for drill purposes for two nights in the week until July 1 next be granted for nights that will not conflict with previous engagement. 2. That the petition confidence of me 1. Breaton et al., to place articles of merchandise for sale on pavement on Talbot atreet be filed. No power. 3. That Cronya & Betts' petition against allowing cabs to stand in front of Palmer block on Richmond street be granted. 4. That the communication of A. G. Smyth & Son reservition of vault, be filed for future reference.

5. That the petition of G. H. Thomas et al., for remission of sewer rates on old water course drain from Queen's to Lorne avenues be granted, and hylaw striking rate rescinded on parties assessed on said sewer, signing agreement prepared by city sewer, signing agreement prepared by

and that the amount expended on the construction of the sewer be paid out of the appropriation of cur rent year for sewer repairs, etc. construction
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6. That the police commissioners no requested to instruct their officers to enforce
the bylaw preventing persons from sweeping or depositing paper or rubbish of any
kind upon or in any of the streets of the
city. 7. That the tender of Harding
resthorn to construct drain on Queen
Waterloo streets, from the control of the construct of the construction of the constr we brought in the resolution myself, and when the tender of H construct drain of you like with it."

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The Mayor—It is no use putting an unwilling witness into the box—one who does not know anything about it.

Ald. Connor—I think the charges are very far fetched. Mr. Keary was not out of the city at all when the case was in progress and could have been called.

Ald. Mole, while admitting the serious nature of the charge, did not feel like supporting the evidence of the report. The committee was evenly divided in the first place, and in the next place he always spoke of poople as he found them. "I move that Mr. Keary be reinstated as police court of the content of

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Clerk, add Mr. Monis, as he took his seat. Add. Connor—I second that.

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Add. Welfor—I did not vote with the sact.

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word was received from the Government guaranteeing permanency.

Ald. Parnell objected to clause 9. He thought that a grievous injury would be done to the carters if the clause was enforced. If the charge was made a drayman living opposite the present stand could keep his drays in the yard and his men on the sidewalk and take all the trade. He read a largely-signed petition in favor of what he said.

Ex-Ald. Thomas appeared in favor of

what he said.

Ex-Ald. Thomas appeared in favor of the passage of the clause. The various hotels and wholesale houses in the neighborhood had put up with the nuisance and stench for 21 years, and they thought that it was very near time that a change was made.

Ald. Scarrow thought that the preson position was the best place in the city for the purpose. He would vote against the clause.

Ald. Stevely moved in amendment that the draymen be restricted to within 40 feet of Mr. O'Mara's place. (Mr. O'Mara was the original complainant.) No

feet of Mr. O'Mara's place. (Mr. O'Mara was the original complainant.) No seconder.

The clause was eventually referred back to the committee.

Aid. Welford here raised objection to people being so careless in signing petitions. He found names of several prominent firms on both petitions for and against.

The mayor then told his pet story about The mayor then told mispes story about a former occupant of the mayor's chair who made a bet with some aldermen that he could get 100 signatures to a petition requesting that himself and the council be hanged. He got the signatures in 60

gram.

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permanent building, or, in other words, that the city grant the \$1,500 originally saked for.

Ald. Parnell—I take the same stand on this as I did some time ago. I don't see why citizens of London should be called upon to pay for these works when they are for the general welfare of the whole of this country. I claim that it should come out of the public purse and not ont of the city and out of citizens who have enough to do to pay their present taxes. The Government find that this is the place where a permanent camp ought to be placed, and when a telegram like that comes into the council I claim that it is a great big sham. The vote on Ald. Dreaney's motion essuited in its carrying with only two dissenting votes. The yeas and nays were as follows: Yeas—Mayor Essery, Ald. Taylor, Coo, Moule, Thos. Jones, Carrothers, Stevely, James Fitzgerald, Scarrow, Garratt, Dreaney, Welford, Shaw, Pritchett—14. Nays—Ald. Parnell and Heaman—2. The report then passed as amended.

That debontures be advertised for in the Free Press. Carried.

Chairman Moule presented the report. It recommended: 1. Accounts of No. 1 committee, \$1,478 58; No. 2 committee, \$5,194 05; No. 3 committee, \$3,993 37; relief accounts, \$118 13. 2. That the petitions of W. S. Wheatley, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. J. Taylor be granted by allowing a rebate of \$8, \$6 50 and \$9 respectively of 1892 taxes. 3. That the petitions of Mrs. Resvely be filed. 4. That the petitions of Mrs. Resvely be filed. 4. That the petitions of Gideon Doupe, E. Sharman and Edward Panton be filed. No. 2 committee to call for tenders. Wm. Nicholas and Mrs. Resvely be filed. 4. That the petitions of Gideon Doupe, E. Sharman and Edward Panton be filed. No power. 5. That H. Gould be refunded amount of dog fine. 6. That the mayor's message re L. and P. S. R. be filed for reference. 7. That the petition of Wm. Scarrow re grent to Mechanica' Institute be referred to the council for consideration. 8. Submitting assessment commissioner's report on municipal exemptions and recommending that it be published in the council minutes. 9. Progress is reported on the petitions of Robt. Aylward, C. Parkinson, Mary Lawrence, J. Evans, et al., C. A. Kingston, re voters' list, re electric street railway and on the communications of W. H. Winnett and P. W. Stanhope. 10. Submitting the auditor's quarterly report for March quarter. NUMBER ONE COMMITTEE.

communications of W. H. Winnett and P. W. Stanhope. 10. Submitting the auditor's quarterly report for March quarter. The council acted on the advice of clause 7 and discussed the request of the Mechanics' Institute for \$1,000 as a grant. The city solicitor's opinion was read. There was nothing in the bylaw of the city solicitor, and the lawfully made There was nothing in the bylaw of the city whereby a grant could be lawfully made to a trades or labor council. If a grant was made to the Mechanics' Institute—which could be lawfully dono— a new bylaw would be required directing the levying of an additional rate.

Ald, Paraell disapproved of the idea of the grant.

the grant.
Col. Lewis and Mr. Scarrow spoke in

favor of the grant.

Ald. Moule moved that \$500 be given as a grant provided that the library and reading room he thrown open to the public to e end of the year.
Ald. Heaman seconded.
Ald. Parnell then raised the question

Where is the money to come from?"
Ald. Moule replied that he did not think
nat the estimates were cut down so fine that the estimates were cut down so fine that they could not pay the grant.

The motion carried on the following division: Yeas — Mayor Essery, Ald. Taylor, Connor, Heaman, Coo, Moule, Jones, Carrothers, James Fitzgerald, Scarrow, Garratt, Dreaney, Wolford, F. J. Fitzgerald, Shaw and Pritchett. Nays—Ald Parnell and Stevely.

Clause 9 reported progress in the petition of Rev. Robert Aylward, who asked for a grant of \$500 to the Humane Society.

Mr. F. W. Matthews acted as spoksman for a deputation consisting of several

Mrs. R. McNab and Wm. Baskerville—
Re taxes. No. 1.
Daniel Nolan—Re sewer rates. No. 1.
George Slade—For refund of dog impounding fee. No. 1.
John Cue—Re assessment. No. 1.
A. O. Graydon—Re moving out of sidewalks on 66 feet streets. No. 2.
E. Sutton—Use of Queen's Park for grocers' picnic on either Wednesday, July 26 or Aug. 2. No. 2.
Thomas H. Warren—Re concerts by band of First Hussars. No. 2.
Thomas & Buchner—Re Baldwin vs. City. No. 2.
Geo. Taylor—Re erection of addition in tear 181 Dundas street in contravention of bylaw. No. 3.
Wm. Clarke, et al—For watering Horton street, Wellington to Clarence. No. 3.
John W. Fraser, M. D., et al—Complaint

Wm. Clarke, et al.—For watering Horton street, Wellington to Clarence. No. 3.
John W. Fraser, M.D., et al.—Complaint as to nuissnee from hides at corner Talbot and York streets. Board of Health.
John Pearice—For admission to Aged Men's Home. Referred to the mayor and Inspector Bell with power.
John Fairbairn—Re nuisance on Colborne street. Board of Health.
Fred. J. Appleton—For permission to erect a swing in Queen's Park. No. 2.
Ed. Horseman—Against location of eab stand. No. 2.
R. Kirkpatrick—Re numbering of store

R. Kirkpatrick-Re numbering of store n Dundas street. No. 2. W. D. Buckle—For use of Queen's Park on 22nd inst. for band concert in aid of R. C. T. Y. P. S. C. E. during camp

Franted.
H. O'Hara & Co.—Re purchase of local improvement debentures. No. 1.
R. M. McElheran—Claiming on behalf
of Board of Education the full estimates

submitted. No. 1.

Wm. Bell—Re new desk in office. No. 2.

H. O'Hara & Co., Toronto—Asking if the city could make \$300,000 debentures payable in gold coin. Filed.

E. Meredith and others—Asking \$100

E. Meredith and others—Asking \$100 towards dredging the river below the forks. Ald. Stovely and Ald. Moule moved that the prayer of the petition be granted. Ald. Carrothers—I ask your ruling, your Worship.

The Mayor—The city cannot legally grant any money outside the city.

Ald. Moule raised a protest, but the mayor had ruled.

mayor had ruled.

Ald. Scarrow—I appeal against the rul-

ing of the chair. The vote was taken and the chair was

The vote was taken and the chair was sustained.

A tolegram was received from Acting Minister of Militia Bowell as follows: "London has been solected by the Department of Militia as one of the places at which permanent annual camps are to be held; city authorities to provide accommodation such as may be agreed upon by military and municipal authorities." Deferred until No. 2's report was read.

London Convalescent Home—Asking for annual grant to the home. No. 1.

John McClary and others — Against change of position of cab stand. Deferred for No. 2's report.

A largely-signed petition was put in asking that the civic holiday be changed from third Monday in August because Toronto's holiday conflicted with it. A vote was taken, but the holiday will stand as it is.

Residents of Maple street, between Talbot and Richmond streets—For street watering facilities. No. 3, with power. MOTIONS.

By Ald. Pritchett and F. J. Fitzgerald—
That dehentures be added.

That debontures be advertised for in the Free Press. Carried.

By Ald. F. J. Fitzgerald and Welford—
That the question of electric lights for Queen's Park be referred to the engineer with power, lights not to exceed \$3 per night. Carried.

By Ald. Shaw and Pritchett—That the matter of Wortley road drain be referred

obliged to dismiss him."
Ald. Moulo and Coo moved that the County Council would be requested to join the city in erecting a new bridge over the river at the Wharpoliffe.

It was now within 5 minutes to 1 o'clock, and the electric light had gone out. It was shortly followed by the council.

Every member was present.

NO CLUE !

The Edy Massacre as Much a Mystery as Ever.

CLARENCEVILLE, Que., June 5.—No solution has been arrived at yot in the case of the mysterious murder of the Edy family at Beach Ridge, ear Clarenceville. The inquest on the remains was commenced to-day and adjourned till June 15. The bodies were buried this afternoon in the cemetery. The funeral was attended by hundreds of people from all parts of the surrounding country.

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No clue has been obtained as to the perpetrators of the outrage.

The estate of the murdored man, which is valued at \$20,000, will revert to the son, Mr. H. O. Edy, of Montreal, and the daughter. Mrs. Burt Hawley, of Plattsburgh, N. Y.

Frank Leslie's Complaints. Newburg, N. Y., June 6.—In the evidence taken in the suit of Mrs. Erank Leslie for a divorce from William C. Kingsbury Wild, the allegations referred to th intemperance and shiftlessness of the husband. Mrs. Leslie is tired of paying his liquor bills and supporting him in idleness.

AYLMER, June 5.—At a general meeting of the East Eigin Reform Association to-lay the following delegates were elected to utend the convention to be held in Ottawa. attend the convention to be neid in Ottawa on June 20 next: Dr. Wilson, ex. M P., J. S. Brierly, ex. officio; J. C. Dance, Kings-mill; John Farley, Q.C., St. Thomas; A. McCrimmon, St. Thomas; Geo. Poliock, Yarmouth, and Dr. Sinclair, Aylmer.

Mand-Why do you think she's astrong-ninded woman? Ellen-Her children al-

came involved yesterday in a dispute with his trainer. The Count infuriated with the trainer rode his horse at him, the horse knocking the man down and trampling upon.him. The Count then wheeled about and again rode over him. The trainer was very seriously injured. As yet the Count has not been arrested.

Devastating Floods.
VIENNA, May 5.—Excessive rains have wollen the rivers of Buckowina. The Pruth has arisen so high near Czernwitz as

Pruth has arisen so high near Czernwitz as to inundate the suburbs. The Ceremosez broke over its bank at Wiznitz last night and ran in torrents through the streets of the village. Sixteen houses collapsed and many others were rendered uninhabitable, Eleven persons were killed by falling timber or were drowned in the flood. Scores of families had to flee for their lives.

Dying by Thousands.

CONTAININGLE, June 5.—Reports from

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 5.—Reports from several cities of Asiatic Turkey say that several cities of Asiatic Turkey say that the cholera has appeared in many districts and is spreading rapidly. Along the lower Tigris and the Shat-el-Arab River, people are dying by the thousands. Whole villages have been deserted by those flee-ing from the pest. The panic has become so great that few families wait to bury their dead or even to nurse their sick, but flee to the next towns to escape the infection. The fugitives from stricken towns are apreading the epidemic with appalling apreading the epidemic with appalling rapidity. Letters from Bassora city say that 70,000 persons have fled from Bassora province alone.

British Parliament. London, June 5. —In the House of Com-mons to-day Sir William Vernon Harcourt, Chancellor of the Exchequer, stated that Attorney-General Sir Charles Russell received £2,000 for six weeks' services as sounsel before the Bering Sea tribunal of

The Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain The Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain brought up the question of discovery of grave errors in the excise accounts which almost obliterate the £500,000 with which Ireland, according to Mr. Gladstone, was to begin her home rule career. Mr. Chamberlain asked whether the Government had completed the inquiries being made upon the subject.

Prime Minister Gladstone replied that the estimates upon which the financial

Prime Minister Gladstone replied that the estimates upon which the financial clauses of the Home Rule Bill were based were being revised, and would shortly be presented to Parliament.

Immediately after the House went into committee to consider clause 3 of the Home Rule Bill, Mr. Gladstone accepted the amendment proposed by Sir Henry James, that the Dubin Legislature be forbidden to interfere in proceedings for the extradition of criminals.

Gerald Balfour (Conservative) moved that the Irish Government be forbidden to

appoint judges and magistrates.

Mr. Chamberlain said that the acceptance of this amendment would tend to satisfy opposing the bill but favoring local elf-government. (Ironical cheers.)
Mr. Morley, Chief Secretary for Iroland,

Mr. Morley, Chief Secretary for Ireland, opposed the amendment.
Mr. Gladstone said the Government intended that the appointment of judges in Ireland should remain in the hands of the sovereign, but the Irish Government could not be prevented from making recommend-

John C. Clancey (Parnellite) protested that his party would not bind themselves to accept Mr. Gladstone's suggestion. This was a question for Ireland to decide. The amendment was rejected by a vote of endment was rejected by a vote of

291 to 255. "THE WHITE CITY."

The Exhibits of the Queens of England and Italy Arrive in the Fair Grounds. CHICAGO, June 5.—The individual ex-ibit of Queen Victoria arrived at the

hibit of Queen Victoria arrived at the World's Fair grounds this morning. Along with it came the individual exhibit of Marguerite, Queen of Italy.

The quaint exhibit of Japan in the fine arts building was opened this afternoon.

Edwin Booth's Condition. New YORK, June 5.—Mr. Booth's con-ition continues critical. It is extremely mprobably that he can rally. Failure of a Montreal Newspaper.

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MONTREAL, June 5.—The publishers of
L'Etendard, the French local organ in this
city, have assigned with liabilities of some
\$70,000; assets estimated at about \$33,000.

Among the creditors are the Canada Paper
Company \$14,000, and Hon. L. P. Pelleier,
Provincial Secretary, \$4,500.

An Aeronaut Killed. An Aeronaut Kilfed.
TRENTON, N. J., June 6.—Charles Y.
Richnond, an aeronaut, 35 years old,
from Springfield, Ill., made a 3,000-foot
accension here to-day and lost his
life. The affair took place at Cochrane
Park, a plenie ground on the Deleware,
near Trenton, and 4,000 speciators saw the
tragedy. Whenheeut loosefrom the balloon
the parachute failed to work properly, and
Richmond fell with lightning rapidity,
making revolutions in the air as he came
down:

Bank of Montreal.

Montreal, June 5.—The annual general meeting of the liank of Montreal was held to-day, Sir D. Smith presiding. The annual statement read by M. Clouston, the general manager, showed the affairs of the bank to be in a very flourishing condition. There is an addition to the amount brought forward this year of 9125 869 20, making altegether \$691,-425 53, in addition to the rest of \$6,000,.000, or 50 per cent. of the actual capital. The following were elected directors: Sir Donald A. Smith, Hon. G. A. Drummond, A. T. Patterson, Hugh McLennan, E. B. Greenshields, W. C. MacDonald, Sir John Abbott, R. B. Angus grad 17. H Meredith.

A Young Man Drowned at Chatham.

Sudden Death of a Wealthy and Well-Known Resident of Belleville.

Mr. F. F. Archambault, Q.C., died or

T. D. Cumberland, barrister, of Winnipeg, has been appointed in Judge Walker's

The reciprocity convention at St. Paul,

Minn, will be attended by fifteen delegates from Winnipeg.

Judge Walker, of Western Manitoba, has been appointed to the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Ardagh.

Bertie, about 12 years of age, and only daughter of Zenus Neff Cooper, was on Monday drowned in the mill pond at Green-

Monday (1997) And Market Monday and highly respected resident of Belleville, fell dead on Pinnacle street Monday. Heart disease was the cause.

The Toronto police department has de-cided that the pool rooms must be closed up in spite of the decision of the courts that the business is not an illegal one. Henry Colbeck, for 25 years a member of the Hamilton posteffice staff, and until a few years ago assistant postmaster, died at Castle Morpeth, Eng., on May 30, aged 69. At Ottawa he case of the crown against John Butler, charged with killing Lawrence B. Murphy by pushing him from a street car of which he was driver, was begun Monday

of which he was driver, was begun Monday before Judge Ross.

Mr. G. T. McDougall, coal merchant, Toronto, has been forced to assign as a result of the recent failure of the Ontario Coal Company. The liabilities are put roughly at \$15,000.

Bradstreet's reports the following assignments in Ontario: Wm. Diack, boots and shoes, Hamilton, assigned to W. Anderson; Birchard & Ralston, grocers, assigned to C. T. Scott.

signed to C. T. Scott.

The Mooretown Salt Company commenced the manufacture of salt on Monday. The well is the only one in Ontario that is cased to the bottom, which, in this instance, is 1,693 feet, thus insuring pure Dr. Hobley, Amherstburg, has been ap-

Dr. Hobley, Amherstburg, has been appointed an associate coroner in the county of Essex. Donald McDonald, Toronto; Frederick D. Boggs, Cobourg, and A. T. Thompson, Cayuga, have been appointed notaries public.

Eli Currier was drowned on Monday morning at Chatham while crossing the river. He was on his way to work, and in attempting to change his seat upset the boat. Deceased was about 22 years old. The body was recovered.

The body was recovered. Bogus 50-cent pieces dated 1871 are in circulation in Toronto. One business man has received two of them within the past

week. Although an expert in silver he was deceived in the cein. The coin is silver-plated. It is lighter than the genuine coin, but has the ring of the real article. It is said they were put out in the city during the race week.

The C. P. R. steamer Manitoba left Owen Sound on her up trip on Saturday, and when about 75 miles on her way she ran aground on the Bear's Rump. The steamship Athabaska, on her down trip, sighted the Manitoba, and took off her passengets, carrying them to Owen Sound, whence they were taken to Toronto. The Athabasca spent fifteen hours in a truitless effort to

were taken to Toronto. The Athabasca spent fifteen hours in a truitless effort to pull the Manitoba off. pull the Manitoba off.

A Windsor dispatch says the first move in regard to the purchase of the right of way for the proposed canal from Lake St. Clair to Lake Erie has just been made. C. Wyatt, chief promoter of the scheme, having secured an option from Banker John Curry for the property that is to form to Lake St. Clair could and inlet. The property has a lake frontage of over eighth of a mile just west of Stoney Point.

A \$10,000 Mare Ruined by a Nail. SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 5.—The mare Esperanza, valued at \$10,000, was fatally injured to-day by a nail tearing open an artery in her neck. Her rider, Albert Sharp, was thrown to the ground and sustained a broken jaw.

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