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"The Supreme Grand L. O. L. ef British America," Bro. D. Tripp. "The Provincial Grand Lodge," Bro. W. B. Walker, D. C. M. "The Hackett Benefit Lodge, No. 805," Bro. S. H. Wood, P. D. M.

"The Army, the Navy and the Volunteers," Bros. J. E. Showler and H. Wooster. "Our Sister Societies," Bros. A. Butler and D. Tripp.

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[From The London Advertiser of Feb. 12, 1871.] Rev. G. M. Innes will deliver a lecture

before the Church of England Y. M. A. in Bishop Cronyn Hall next Monday evening; the subject, "The Life of Peter the Great."

Moffatt as skip, played a game with the who was recently elected a school on the ice here next Monday.

ly attended, many ladies being among Mrs. Tunks. the audience. The subject of debate was BUSY WEEK FOR D. D. G. M. that, in the event of a separation of the colonies from Great Britain, "Resolved. that an independent form of government would be preferable to annexation." The affirmative was supported by Messrs. Gibbons and Meek, and the negative by Messrs. Land and Knowlton. By a vote of the meeting, the question was decided in favor of the affirmative.

GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES Messrs. McNab, Gibson and Howard, law students, of this city, passed creditable examinations before the Benchers in Toronto this week

> The London railway deputation held a meeting in the town hall, Kincardine. on Wednesday, the 8th inst. R. Baird,

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A rink of the London Club, with Col. Mr. Alian B. Tunks, of Brick street, Strathroy curlers last Wednesday, de- trustee for that section over Mr. Allan same size. The premium on pure, a long-haired man, or a short-haired feating them by 4 shots. The Thames Bogue, entertained about 75 of his honest, industrious, upright manhood woman, I duck." Club, of this city, will play for the friends and supporters on Friday was never so high in the world's his-Caledonia medal with the Chatham Club evening. A supper was served by Mrs. was never so high in the world's history as it is today. We have lawyers, better thing than a good son-in-law, and the death of the death The London railway deputation, after lections by Messrs. Sumner and Cartheir triumphant tour through Huron roll; violin solos, Mr. W. G. Blinn; than a king or a president. He is the Rests With the Boys. and Bruce, returned home today. The vocal solo, Mrs. Blinn; recitation, by biggest thing in God's universe, extrip was enjoyed immensely by the Master Frank Baker; addresses by cept God, who made him. whole party, and all unite in praise of the country and the people up north. A C. E. Wilson, chairman of the school meeting of the board of trade will be board; reading, Miss Elsie Baker;

district, last week paid several official clan. visits to lodges under his jurisdiction. "What we want today is an embodi-On Monday, the Tuscan Lodge here ment of manhood and moral stamina. night, Prince of Wales Lodge, at Law- sense to know that it is right.

on Wednesday, the 5th inst. R. Baird, members as a mark of the esteem in Esq., reeve of Kincardine, occupied the which they hold his very successful "Then there is the state of the esteem in R. W. Bro. Dr. Webster.

DEATH OF MR. J. LILLIMAN.

Mr. John Lilliman, a well-known and passed away at an early hour this have now." of trust in the stockrooms of the Mc- "Eight-Ceni" Christians. Clary Manufacturing Company, having At this stage of the address Sam been for sixteen years in the firm's Jones took a rap at the saloon-or, employment, and had only recently re- more particularly, at the people who turned from a vacation spent with his tolerate the existence of the saloon. daughter in Toronto. He was at his Being informed by a person in the aupost on Saturday, a week ago, though dience that London was the model city

had been troubled with what he supposed was only a severe cold, but in spite of good care and medical treatment he could not shake off his disease, which proved to be pneumonia, and after a week's suffering death conhis relief. Mr. Lilliman, who was a

member of the Anglican denomination. was a man of sterling integrity, and was esteemed by all with whom he was associated. He came to Canada from Nottinghamshire, Eng. The surviving members of his fam'ly are Mrs. Smithson, of Toronto; M Rourke, of South London, and Mr. John S. Lilliman, of 91 Cartwright street. One son died quite recently in Rochester, N. Y. The funeral arrangements will be an-

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Sam Jones, the Georgia evangelist, was in the city over Sunday, having come in connection with the twentyeighth anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. He spoke three times. On Saturday evening he was at the Auditorium, and dicussed morals and money. the place was filled. Yesterday morning he was at the Dundas Street Methodist Church, and in the afternoon he held forth at the Opera House, where fifteen hundred persons heard the unique character.

Morals and Money.

at the Auditorium on Saturday night is the use of making a man and woman on "Morals and Money." Here are a live together when they can't get few of his spicy sayings:

chattels than character, more of mam- ages that are performed. mon than of man. "Really, we have run short of men,

and yet every married woman in town thinks she has got a great man for a husband, whereas she has not got a waddling around.

A very interesting incident took place yesterday at the Hellmuth Ladies' College. About 130 young ladies assembled in the reception rooms to do honor to the Dean and Mrs. Hellmuth, whom they undoubtedly regard with reverence and true affection. There was a presentation made of an elegant set of markle with the matter of the deal and the second of an elegant set of markle with the markle work that mortal can do.

—After an absence of eighteen years, of your country will give for a hundred ing.

"I like the fellow who is going to do

-In spite of the mild winter, an exceedingly beautiful ice bridge has of a great father to make a great man, often. If you can, appeal to them in

and the Michigan Central is carrying ulation in the financial world. The that will give credit to a man who is Many Turned Away. -The death occurred in Chatham a speculator. No church has any re- The Opera House was crowded to the other day of Mrs. Robert Martin, spect for the preacher who speculates its capacity yesterday afternoon, when

name was McConnell. Robert Martin, this country of advanced criticism able to obtain admission. her husband, died suddenly in the have me down where they think I will Ald. Wyatt, president of the Y. M. township of Mosa seven years ago. have to part with the Bible or the C. A., occupied the chair. The pro-Mrs. Martin is survived by several other preachers? Well, the preachers gramme consisted of scripture reading "I never hear a scientist sporting ed by Mr. C. F. Southwell.

The whist party at the Liberal Club cannot swim you have got him. professions—little teachers, little law- his parting words to his son Solo yers, little preachers, little doctors. Some of his saysings were: Why, they come out of seminaries and "I like a manly man, and a woman universities just like round sausages by woman, but I hate a womanly man out of a machine. They are all the or a manly woman. Whenever I see Tunks, after which a programme was doctors, teachers, merchants — any- and the devil never shoved off a worse carried out, including gramophone se- thing you want except men. We have thing than a drunken no-account son-

"Whatever we hold dear today has held on Monday afternoon, at the usual vocal solo, Miss Susie Wilson. Among come to us as a heritage from the men hour and place, to receive the report of the guests was Miss M. Fair, of who stood up for right. We don't owe Petrolea, a former teachers in the sec- anything to politicians. Take the poltion. The evening concluded with a liticians of Ontario—if they all died tothe fauna of the isthmus ought to be The debate in the rooms of the London vote of thanks (moved by Messrs. C. night and trooped down to the gates of mind like your mother makes up the Literary Society last evening was large- W. Baker and N. Bilyea) to Mr. and perdition, the devil would peep beds—every morning. You'll never through the keyhole, and when he saw who they were he would shut up shop. I have no respect for, or confidence in, R. W. Bro. J. A. Tancock, of this politicians. A dangerous citizen in city, D. D. G. M. of London Masonic Canada is the demagogue and politi-

> was given a call; on Wednesday, Mal- The boy that will win is the boy that ahide Lodge, at Aylmer, and on Friday has courage to do right and has the rence Station, received a visit. At each "With all our advantages, we are not and every lodge his reception was a producing the men in the world today flattering one. 'Tonight Bro. Tancock that our fathers and grandfathers prowill pay a visit to Union Lodge, No. duced. Just look at all the seminar-380, of this city. At the last regular les and sources of information! You meeting of McColl Lodge, No. 386, would think that with them all, men West Lorne, Rt. V. Wor. Bro. Becker, should be as thick as the stars of heasecretary of the lodge, was presented there. Those old log schoolhouses with a past master's jewel by the turned out more men than do the mod-

"Then there is the good old-fashioned efforts in behalf of Masonry. The pres- religion. There is not much of it in entation was made by P. D. D. G. M. Canada today. You have churches enough in Canada to save the whole world, and I see something to the effect that they are going to unite. But I much-respected citizen, who had been wonderfully or you will not drive the a resident here for the last 25 years, devil out of Canada with the gang you

not feeling very well, and he started of Canada, he calculated from figures for work again last Monday, but furnished him that the saloon busithought it best to rest for a day. He ness here netted the city \$4,000 a year,

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RELIGION IN THE COUNTRY TODAY

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whereas a 200-pound hog would sell for \$16." "Any man in this town who fosters the saloon deserves to have his sons die drunkards and his daughters die as the wives of drunken husbands "The preachers preach about the sweet by-and-bye. I think we had bet-At twenty-five and fifteen cents a head ter hitch up to them and talk about the now-and-now. How they do preach to you 8-cent Christians! "The whole secret is, the devil is in the people. Keep the devil out of a

person and he is a right good fellow. Let him get into anything and he is real bad.

"I used to be opposed to divorces Mr. Jones talked for over an hour but now I am in favor of them. What along? Whom God hath joined together. "One mistake the world has made is let no man put asunder. I believe in that it has put gold before God. We that, but I don't think God had anythink more of gold than God, more of thing to do with one-half the marri-

Raps Society Women.

"I have been asked more than once why I don't score the society women I don't think it worth while. They man at all—just a pair of old breeches are foolish things. Good Lord, deliver waddling around. waddling around.

"The only thing you can make men out of is the little boys. The biggest in two minutes—but give me a slow in two minutes—but give me a slow job God ever gave to men and women girl—one that will go about a mile a

and true affection. There was a presentation made of an elegant set of marble statuettes from the pupils of the college. There was a presentation made of an elegant set of marble made up, the richest chapters in it will root, hog or die, the same as they had not be along the lines of our develop-ment commercially, agriculturally or volume? It is the making of a month LONDON AND DISTRICT ment commercially, agriculturally or financially. One true, splendid, real man will give more history and chartant dollars and cents amount to noth-

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Sam Jones addresed an open meeting. London 71 years ago. Her maiden "Do you know, there are preachers in Hundreds were turned away, being un-

> some preachers, he will not get much, quartet, and the Glory Song, conductaround but I want to spit on him and Sam' Jones was at his best. His lecdrown him—and if you find one that the mass of homely illustrations, a lot "The great trouble today is the world of good advice was given. He deals

> > "Got never shoved off on a man a

"Boys, God Almighty, or his angels or your sweet-faced mother, can do nothing for you until you deliberately choose to be somebody, and get at it." "Some of you old deacons and stewards, and elders imagine you are soldiers of the cross, when you are as

amount to anything.' of rathers. Some men would rather be drunk than sober, indecent rather than decent. Happy is the man who has got his rathers fixed up right. Boys. get your rathers so fixed that you would rather do right than wrong. "The most dangerous thing in this world is to be a tremendously pretty

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