# SABBATH READING. | truth and right will triumph. So God has

Oh Changeful Life! Oh changeful life! how early we learn, To bury our hopes in memory's urn; From the beautiful joys of our souls to turn, 'Neath sorrow's withering blight : Only to feel their tender beams, Only to catch their radiant gleams, When weary and sad, we'er hushed in dreams

In the lone still hours of night. Blossems of bliss from our young hearts torn, Leaving us 'reft of their beauty-forlorn,-Breathing no fragrance there. To lay the loved blossom the springtime gave, Faded and torn in the cold damp grave. Never to watch it merily wave, In the summers balmy air

Oh changeful life! how often we must Bury our faces low in the dust,
We come sacred trust
Forever crushed and broken. To hear the music our glad hearts own Dying away in a funeral tone, Chanting its sorrowful strains alone The saddest word e'er spoken.

But glorious thought! beend the tomb There's a life that never is vailed in gloom There flowers in fadeless beauty bloom No blight on their fair leaves lying. And the beautiful joys we saw decay, The radiant hopes that fled away; We'll clasp again in those realms of day-Nor ever know pain or dying.

### The Christian Household. And they constrained him, saying, Abide with us .- LUKE xxvi, 26.

O happy house! where thou art loved the Dear friend and Saviour of our race.

Where never comes such welcomed, honored guest, Where none can ever fill thy place;

Where every heart goes forth to meet thee, Where every ear attends thy word, Where every lip with blessing greets thee Where all are waiting on their Lord.

O happy house! where two are one in heart. In faith and hope are one; Whom death can only for a little part. Not end the union here begun; Who share together one salvation, Who would be with thee, Lord, always-In gladness or in tribulation.

In happy or in evil days. O happy house! whose little ones are given Early to thee, in faith and prayer-To thee, their friend, who from the heights of heaven

O happy house! where little voices Their glad hosannas love to raise And childhood's lisping tongue rejoices To bring new songs of love and praise.

O happy house! and happy servitude. Where all alike one master own; Where daily duty, in thy strength pursued Where each one serves thee, meek and lowly, Whatever thine appointment be, Till common tasks seem great and holy When they are done as unto thee.

O happy house! where Thou art not forgot When joy is flowing full and free; O happy house! where every wound brought,

Physician, Comforter, to Thee. Until at last, earth's day's work ended. All meet thee in that home above, From whence thou comest, where thou hast

ascended. The heaven of glory and of love.

# The Sunshiny Member.

Some one speaks these few good sentences about that member of a family who, dwelling in sunshine, diffuses its warmth and light around: "Let us try to be like the sunshing member of the family who has the inestimable art to make all duty seem pleasant, all self-denial and exertion easy and desirable-even disappointment not so blank and crushing; who is like a bracing, crisp, frosty atmosphere throughout his home without a suspicion of the element that chills and pinches. You have known people within whose influence you felt cheerful, hopeful, equal for anything! O for that blessed power, and for God's grace to exercise it rightly! I do not know a more enviable gift than the energy to sway others to good laying down, when they assume a clothing

# The Family Day.

"Talking of 'family ties,' and family love,' and 'family gatherings,' where would it all

"What do you mean?" I asked. "I mean," he replied, "that the Lord's How much better might we ourselves become, day is the 'family day.' Why, I and thousands of working men would hardly charity which thinketh no evil! know our own children if it were not for that blessed day which brings us all together. We are off in the morning before the little ones are up, and when we get home at night they are mostly gone to bed, or they sprung the blue arch of heaven, and they live by breathing the air. So it is with our are tired, and so are we, and it's not very much we can know of one another at the fag end of the week; but when that best day comes that's all our own, then we can gather together round the table or fireside and talk to one another, and we can go to in which we breathe—there can be no healthy the house of God together, and thank him that he has given us one day in seven as a holy, blessed 'family day,'

# Rejoicing in Hope.

In matters of the present life we some-times have to hope against hope; a parodoxical expression indeed, yet one without meaning. Things may be so adverse that there seems little encouragement to hope in a certain direction; and as hope is a ration. al emotion, how can one exercise it without the needful condition? He cannot. Hope is not always able to lay hold of specific obis not always able to lay hold of specific objests, but it may rest on general principles.
We may not have a sure hope that we shall succeed in a given enterprise, or that our wiews and wishes will be realized. But we per air. may and should always rejoice in hope of the glory of God. He is worthy to be praised,

pe that the rudder of the day.

promied. There may be reverses, things will not always go as we would have them, but the result is sure. We know that frequently what has seemed most dark and forbidding at the time, has in the end come out most propitious; and then we would not have had it otherwise if we could. We may and should rejoice in hope that

wrong and oppression, pride and bigotry, deceit and wickedness in every form will be overcome. The wicked may have a seeming prosperity, but it is not substantial. In our land the war will be overruled for good. Slavery will be destroyed. We have not a doubt of it, since it is in conflict with eternal right and justice. And having such grounds of hope, we may rejoice even in present tribulation.—Morning Star.

## The Christian Traveler.

of it, I take it as a mercy that now and then many times some troubles eclipse my com-forts: for I perceive that if I should find too much attention in my inn, too much house, my spiritual kindred, and my lasting thee, my father and my God.

## Flowers.

Of all the minor creations of God, flowers seem to be completely the effusions of His ove of beauty, grace, and joy. Of all the the least connected with our absolute neces sities. Vegetation might proceed, the earth might be clothed with a sober green; all the processes of fructification might be perfected without being attended by the glory with which the flower is crowned; but beauty and fragrance are poured over the earth in blossoms of endless varieties, radiant evidences of the boundless benevolence of the Deity. They are made solely to gladden the heart of man, for a light to his eyes, for a living inspiration of grace to his spirits, for a perpetual admiration. The Greeks, whose souls pre-eminently sympathised with the spirit of grace and beauty in everything, are enthusiastic in their love and lavish in their use of flowers. They scatter them in the porticos of their duties-they were strewed in their conqueror's path-on all occasions of Guards them with more than mother's festivity and rejoicing they were strewn was wreathed with them; and whenever

## Affection.

We sometimes meet with men who seem to think that any indulgence in an affection atc feeling is a weakness. They will return from a journey and greet their families with a ant dignity, and move among their children with the cold and lofty splender of an iceberg, surrounded by its broken fragments. There is hardly a more unnatural sight on earth than one of these families without a heart. A father had better extinguish a boy's eyes than take away his heart. Who that has experienced the joys of friendship, and values sympathy and affection, would not rather lose all that is beautiful in nature's scenery, than be rob Cherish, then, your heart's best affections. Indulge in the warm and gushing inspiring emotions of filial, parental love. Think it not a weakness. God is love : love God. everybody and everything that is lovely. Teach your children to love; to love the rose, the robin; to love their parents; to love their God. Let it be the studied ob jects of their domestic culture to give them warm hearts, ardent affection. Bind your whole family together by these strong cords. You cannot make them too strong.

One thing you will learn fast enough in the world, for it is potent in such teaching --that is to be suspicious. Oh! cast from you forever the hateful lesson. Men do not think how much of true innocence they are to diffuse around us atmosphere of whose texture is guile. Beware of this mock cheerfulness, platy, truthfulness, generosity, protection; for you can hardly use it with-It is not a matter of great out practicing deceit. I do not ask you to talent-not entirely a matter of great energy trust always, but I would have you think but rather of earnestness and honesty, and well of men until you find them otherwise. of that quiet, constant energy which is like When you are once deceived, either by an soft rain gently penetrating the soil. It is acted or a spoken falsehood, trust that perrather a grace than a gift; and we all know son no more. I had once laid down to me where all grace is to be had freely for the as an axiom by a very dear friend (and I am so satisfied of the precepts of its truth as to make it a rule of my life,) that persons rarely suspect others except of things which they are capable of doing themselves. Yes these shadows of doubting are generally be if it were not for a 'family day?'" said a flung from some bad realities within. You are looking at your own image when you see so much vileness in your neighbor's face. charity which thinketh no evil!

Our life begins in the senses. Men walk upon the ground; but above it God has interior life. The material world is the foundation, the grand workshop for our faculties; but if this be all-if there hangs not above it God's invisible realm of truth, living. That a plant may grow, we put manure into the soil; but when the roots have taken hold upon it, and it has shot up into a stem, and leaves, and flowers, we do not pour manure into the white blossom. It holds up its cup, and says, "O Heaven ! send thy light, and drop down thy dew."

And the light glows, and the dew falls,

So man's life must begin in the material He must first learn how to live as an animal, he comes to the blossoms of faith, and hope, and courage, he needs other aliment. They must unfold, and be nourished in God's up-

of God. The first hour of the morning is was shot some time since about two hundred

## MISCELLANEOUS.

The Sea Serpent Caught at last It will be remembered that the Cape colonists, although profiting perhaps more largely than any of our foreign possessions by their connection with the mother country, magnanimously refused to vote a shilling to the sending over contributions or commissioners to the Great Exhibition. A private individual, Mr. Ghislin, of Hatton-garden, has endeavored to some extent to make up for this want of colonial liberality. Mr. Ghislin's contributions are all contained in two small cases, but they are not without interest, the more especially as one of them professes to solve the mystery (as long a piece de resistance with the American newspapers) of the great sea serpent. Mr. Ghislin asserts that the monster that has frightened mariners both young and ancient A black cloud makes the traveler mend is nothing but a species of sea weed, which his pace and mind his home; whereas a when forced to the surface in occanic complair day and a pleasant path waste his time motions does about in masses cometimes a motions, floats about in masses sometimes a and steal away his affections in the prospects of the country. However others may think agination, presents the appearance of the sea-monster which from the days of Bishop some clouds intercept my sun, and that Pont-Oppidan down to the present has been the subject of so many marvelous descrip-tions. Mr. Ghislin, nothing daunted by the traditions, has boldly seized the leviafriendship from the world in my pilgrimage than, brought him to land, and, having through it, I should soon forget my Father's squeezed him into a substance called "laminite," has turned him into excellent hanheritage. Travelling in the land of pits, 1 dles for knives and razors, and put him to beseech the, O Lord my God! to show me various other purposes to which gutta percha the way everlasting; and to lead me in a india-rubber, and, more commonly, German plain path, because of mine enemies. Teach staghorn have been hitherto employed. As me, Jesus Christ, the true and living way to the supply is inexhaustible, this laminite may turn out to be a very valuable contri-bution to the material of industrial art.—

## The Nova Scotia Gold Mines.

The excitement which attended the discovery of gold in the quartz formations of Those persons who had left their farms and abandoned other pursuits in order to delve for the precious metal, had mostly returned experience of mining, satisfied of the truth of an old adage, 'all is not gold that glitters.' But a healthy reaction has also taken place. Our mines are now being developed by organized companies with ample capital, and every day accumulates the gratifying evidence of their productiveness. Some of adventurer, whose earthly possessions com- Hawkers and Peddlers. prise only a pick and shovel and a fit-out of necessary in order to work them with profit. and that Samuel McLellan and John Rath, they wished to throw beauty, and to ex- Wine Harber and Sherbrooke seem at pres- see the same properly expended. press gladness like sunshine, they cast flowers.

Wine Harbor and Sherbrooke seem at pressure property expended.

Doctor Spencer of Clayton presented that fields, and we hear of gold in large and be had been assessed for a village lot occusmall quantities arriving in the city almost daily from these places.—Letter from Halifan assessed to the owner, and paid by both

# News Items.

nays. Some amendments have been made and it goes back to the Senate.

The alleged murderer, Coultier, having been surrendered to the Canadian authorities, was conveyed to Toronto from Detroit

In St. Thomas, on Thursday last, a little bed of the hidden treasures of his heart? age, while playing in a foundry, swallowed a quantity of oil of vitriol. was speedily summoned, but to no avail. After about nine hours' of intense agony the little sufferer expired.

A disgraceful outrage occurred in Hamilton on Saturday evening last. Two respectable mechanics in the employ of G. W. R., named Currie and Barry, while proceeding quietly homeward, were attacked by five 18, William Giles; 4th and 5th Con: 19 to

Four persons have been convicted of treasfor resisting the arrest of deserters in that

A letter from Washington says the opinion in the great Almaden quicksilver Alex. Snedden Jr.; 10th line, 1 to 6, D. case, which has excited so much interest, is Miller; 7 to 16, East, Gavin Hamilton; nearly completed, and will be delivered in to 16 West, David Arkenhead, 17 to top, a few days. It is ascertained that the de- John Stewart Jr.; Almonte James Rosa eision will be in favor of the Almaden Com- mond; 11th line, 1 to 8, D. Stewart; 9 to pany and against the government.

It is at last intended to make the Thames Tunnel something more than a damp, un- top, Thos. Ryan; 12th line, 1 to 7, John pleasant show. A railway is to run through it, and thus connect the railways whose termini are at the northern side of the river with those to the South. Nearly all the Republican members of the

Indiana Assembly withdrew on Wednesday last, and left the body without a quorum. It was done to pevent the passage by the Democratic majority of a bill to strip the Governor of all power over the State militia. Gen. Halleck is reported to have recently said that there were upwards of twentytwo

Potomac. The other armies in the field have been equally affected by this evil. On Sunday night an accident occurred

thousand deserters from the Army of the

A late gunboat reconnoissance in the dir ection of Fort Sumpter showed that the rebels had removed their lower tier of guns and placed them en barbette, doubtless with the intention of destroying the Federal ironclads by means of plunging shot.

Havana advices state that the re-establishment of the blockade of Charleston and Galveston had been published in the official paper, it having been communicated to the Governor by the Spanish Minister at Wash-

the comes to the blossoms of faith, and hope, and courage, he needs other aliment. They must unfold, and be nourished in God's upper air.

An Elk's Antlers, weighing twenty-nine and a half pounds, and measuring from tip to tip nine feet, were exhibited years the largest we have seen, and were viewed by a large crowd with considerable curiosity.

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The Inspector of Houses of Public Entertainment presented his Report.

Mr. Marshall presented the Petition of the Merchants of Almonte and others, praying that Pedlars and Hawkers, may be required to pay a Tax or License in proportion to resident Traders.

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Mr. McLean presented the Petition of Henry Stafford and William Forgie, praying for a reduction of Shop License.

Mr. Marshall presented the petition of John Scott and others, praying that assistance may be granted to James Hart and his wife; an aged couplain vary indigent circumstances.

Eight Petitions were presented in favor houses of public entertainment, viz., W. Lewis, John K. Cole, Duncan McGregor, Patrick Riley, David Snedden, Ozias Ban-ning, J. H. and J. Gemmill, and George

Moved by Mr. Marshall, seconded by Mr. Moffatt, That the By-law for the appointment of Townships Officers, for the year 863, be now brought up and read a first Carried. The By law was read a first time.

Moved by Mr. Marshall, seconded by Mr Moffatt, That the council do now resolve tself into a committee of the whole, to consider and decide upon all such matters as may be laid before it. Carried.

The Council in committee Mr. Dickson in the chair, to whom was referred the pe titions read in Council, and the filling up the blanks in the By-law read a first time. Petition of John McCarton, presented 2nd December last and ordered to lay over, this Province has now nearly died away. was taken up, and again recommended to lay

The applicants for Tavern Lincenses, hav ing all been recommended by the Inspector, to their ordinary avocations, after a season's as having the requisite accommodations &c. this committee recommend that Licenses be granted in compliance with the request of the Petitioners

Petition of Henry Stafford and Wm. For The Petition of the Merchants of Almonto and others, having been under consideration these companies have declared handsome and the law in connection therewith, recom-

dividends. One-the Metropolitan-has mend that the clerk communicate with the paid a dividend of 12½ per cent., on the first clerk of the County Council to ascertain if six months' operations, and has now quiet the County Council have adopted a By-law, a large amount of gold on hand. But it in accordance with the 3rd subsec. of the should be borne in mind, that to the needy | 277 sec. of the municipal act as respects The Petition in favor of James Hart and

slight inducements. Capital and skill are meantime that Twenty dollars be granted

parties. Ordered that Doctor Spencer be refunded the amount paid by him. The blanks in the By-law read a first The Conscription Bill which has already time be filled up as follows: Assessor for

passed the Senate, passed the House of Representatives by a vote of 115 years to 49 monte, David Campbell, Collector William Gilmour. Fence viewers, Willam Robertson, Patrick Corkery, Robert McFarlane, John Parterson and John Steel. Pound Keepers, Wm. Sturgeon, Wm. R

Sutherland, James Patterson, Joseph Houston, Wm. Barker, Joseph M. Williams, Alex. Sutherland, Isaac Mansell, Patrick Rielly, George Colvin, Daniel Drummond son of John Armstrong, about five years of 12 Con., Peter Syme and Gillan McLean. PATHMASTERS.

1st line, 1 to 12, Adam Turner; 13 to top, William Scott; 2nd line, 1 to 9, John Warren; 10 to 15, John Taylor; 16 to 21, top, George Gunn; 4th line, 1 to 7 Joseph McCreary; 8 to 13, Daniel Lynch; 14 to rowdies and severely maltreated, one being unable to see, and both receiving severe injuries.

10, William Glos, 4th and 5th Con. 15 to top, Robert McLellan; 5th line, 1 to 5, Wm. Hamilton; 6 to 13, Daniel Drummond; 14 to 18, Reuben Giles; 6th line, 1 to 8, Wm, Henry; 9 to 13, John Paul Cauchon will give a satisfactory reply to all to 19, Anges Sutherland; 20 to top, the statements in the Report of the Ottawa John Stewart; 7th line; 1 and 2, James Nowlan, 3 to 13, John Houston: 14 to top. James Black; 8th line, 1 to 11, James on in the United States Court of Indiana, John Robertson; 8th and 9th lines, 1 and 2 Henry Young; 9th line, 3 to 19, William Hawkins; 11 to 16, Joseph Rea; 17 to I. 14. James Duncan: 15 and 16, John Bris nahan: 17 to 20, John Shaughnessy; 21 to Teskey; 8 to 11, Geo. Thompson, 12 to 20. Charles Symington; 21 to top, Leonder Lalone; 4th and 5th lines, 22 to top, Bellamy Road, James Smith; Perth Road, Mi hael Foley and John ONeil. COUNCIL RESUMED.

Moved by Mr. Marshall, seconded by Mr. Moffatt, That the report of Committee as minuted be adopted. Carried. Moved by Mr. Marshall, seconded by Mr. Moffatt. That the By-law for the appoint ment of Township officers for the current year, with the blanks filled up, be read a

second time, short, and passed. Carried. The By-law was read a second time short Moved by Mr. Marshall, seconded by Mi on the Pennsylvania Railroad, caused by a land slide. The engine and tender, bagin the Carleton Place Herald. Carried.

> The Woodstock Times says :- An inquest was held on the body of a poor woman, found dead on Wednesday morning, in a vacant room in the house of Patrick Clark, in this town. Dr. A. Scott made a post mortem examination, from which it appears that death was caused by suffocation, but by what instrumentality is not known. The jury adjourned for further evidence.

> the United States Post-office, while on his way to the State prison of Michigan, leaped from the window of a car, while the train

Daring attempt at Highway Robbery.

On Friday a farmer in the vicinity of Guelph, named Ralph Hynes, paid a visit to Toronto for the purpose of making arrangements about the purchase of some property, and the payment of the monay for it amounting to over \$500. Finding that the transfer of the deed had not been prepared, he made arrangements to return home by the Grand Trunk train in the evening, and learning that the train would not dead the depot about six in the evening, and learning that the train would not all section ald's cab and told him to drive him round the city a short distance. After a short time the cab drew up in front of Burns' ray
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Norison, Carling, Chapais, Sylvain, Cockbarn, Beaubien, Dostaler, and the Mover. On Motion of Hon. Mr. Morin, an addition of the Municities of Brockville, Elizabethtown, and Canada, entitled to the Company to the to the shares in the funday, voted to the following members are the funday, voted to the following members are to the seming for, or holding \$20,000 or upwards, shall be, ex-officio, one of the Directors of the Company in addition to the barrangements to return home by the last censure and county comprised altogether of lands of the Crown, is entitled to under the said Act.

Mr. Pierce moved for the appointment of a special committee to enquire into and report upon the fishery Act, and other matters relating to fishery and fisheries, to be composed of the following members.—Messrs. Huot, LeBoutiller, Robitaille, McKellar, Morison, Carling, Chapais, Sylvain, Cockbarran, York street, and here it seems Mr. House treated the driver and some persons dead to the driver and some persons of the following members.—Messrs.

On Motion of Hon. Mr. Morin, an addition to the barrangements are the same time the purpose of the Company in addition to the Directors of the Company and ounty comprised altogether of After driving about an hour the cab sud- modification of the Laws.

top of his adversary, and drew a clasp knife commission.

from his pocket. He then ordered Sinclair

On motion of Mr. White, an address was prisoner to Smith's tavern, on Bathurst On motion of Mr. Fortier, an address On Saturday forenoon he called at the City On Saturday forenoon he caned at the City
Hall police station, and gave the particulars of the assault and attempted robbery, furnof the assault and attempted robbery, furnwith a description of the cabman and County of Beauharnois.

by Mr. Hynes. The Police Magistrate will investigate the case to-day. Mr. Hynes states that he had \$516 in his possession when that he had \$516 in his possession when the mover of the committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Evanturel, be registered at the principal office of the committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Evanturel, be registered at the principal office of the committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Evanturel, be registered at the principal office of the committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Evanturel, be registered at the principal office of the committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Evanturel, be registered at the principal office of the committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Evanturel, be registered at the principal office of the committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Evanturel, be registered at the principal office of the committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Evanturel, be registered at the principal office of the committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Evanturel, be registered at the principal office of the committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Evanturel, be registered at the principal office of the committee consisting of Hon. Mr. Evanturel, be registered at the principal office of the committee consisting of Hon. acted throughout with the greatest "pluck"

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. QUEBEC, March 4, 1863. The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock The following Bills were read a first time:--Hon, Harmonus Smith: Bill to incorporate a Jewish Congregation in the City of Hamilton, Hon, Ferguson Blair Hugh Bowland; 22 to top, T. Blair; 3rd line, 1 to 8, John McGee; 9 to 16, John Wilson; 17 to 21, Thos. Hillard; 22 to subject of the Oneconstant and Grimsby

subject of the Queenstown and Grimsby Macadamized Road. In reply to the Hon. Mr. Holton, Mr. Tessier said that the original construction of the Ottawa buildings had not formally been cancelled as to the past, and that the Government were disposed to adhere generally to the report of the commissioners. It was intended to enter into new contracts with the original contractors. at the price proposed in the report, without inviting public competition. As to a question whether it was intended to make a settlement for the work already done, at the price already indicated in the report, he might say that the point was under consideration, and that it was not possible to state what would be the precise result. Hon. Mr. Cameron moved that the Circulars and Departmental orders that may Foreign Postage or any other administrative with a list of the names of all persons who have been dismissed or employed in the Post Office Department since the prorogation of Parliament last year, with the salary of each individual, a note of his duty, and the reason for such dismissal or employ-The Lewis Sisters of Charity Incorpora-

ment -Carried. tion Bill was read a second time, and the

Legislative Assembly. Quebec, March 4, 1863.
The Speaker took the chair at 4 o'clock. The Speaker appointed Friday next at 11 'clock for the first meeting of the general

Committee on Elections. On motion of Mr. Benjamin the petition of Robt. McFarlane complaining of an un-due election and return for the County of Perth was referred to said Committee. On motion of Mr. Sicotte a writ was ordered to be issued for a new election for

Loranger's acceptance of a puisne judgeship of the Superior Court. On motion of the Hon. J. S. Macdonald the report of the Select Committee, appointed to strike the standing to Committee was

Laprairie, to fill the vacancy caused by Mr.

adopted.

The following bills were then introduced and read for the 2nd time. Mr. Powell: to amend the municipal Act

of Upper Canada; to amend the Act entitled "an Act to regulate the culling and measurement of lumber. Mr. O'Halloran:

the city a short distance. After a short time the cab drew up in front of Burns' tavern, York street, and here it seems Mr. Hvnes treated the driver and some persons of Motion of Hon. Mr. Morin, an ad-

dress was voted for the copies of all cor- one of the Directors of the Company, in adwho were in the tavern to a glass of liquor. When he left the tavern and again entered the cab, a young man named alexander Sinclair, well known to the police, got on the box with the driver. The cab the drove off and continued passing though the streets until the passenger inside though the twas time to be at the depot. He accordance between the Militia Department and Major Pierre Octave Roy, of the 2nd battalion of Leinster, and also a further address for the copies of all correspondence between the Militia Department and Major Pierre Octave Roy, of the 2nd battalion of Leinster, and also a further address for the copies of all correspondence between the Militia Department and Major Pierre Octave Roy, of the 2nd battalion of Leinster, and also a further address for the copies of all correspondence by the Share and Bondholders, and shall have the same rights, powers and duties as any of the Company.

2. That at all meetings of the Company the holders of bonds of the Company shall have the same right of voting thereat either address for the copies of all correspondence or have respondence and Bondholders, and shall have the same rights, powers and duties as any of the Directors chosen by the Share and Bondholders, and shall have the same rights, powers and duties as any of the Company.

2. That at all meetings of the Company shall have the same right of the Company sh it was time to be at the depot. He accordingly shouted to the driver, who address for the copies of all correspondence by person or by proxy, which would be conserved him "it was all right," but Mr. between the Provincial Secretary and ferred by stock or shares in the Company of Hynes being of a different opinion, tried to open the cab door but found it fast outside.

Thomas K. Ramsay, Esq., heretofore one of the Secretaries to the Commission for the for an equal previous period, and all rules

After driving about an hour the cab suddenly stopped, the door opened, and Mr.

On motion of Hon, Mr. Cameron, an ers or Proprietors at any such meeting shall Hynes was told to alight. To his astonish- address was voted for a return of the num- be interpreted as applying to the total num-Hynes was told to alight. To his astonishment he found he was outside the city near Colonel Wella's hill, and far away from any dwelling. He remonstrated with the driver of the cab—a young lad—for bringing him to such a place, when Sinclair came forward to such a place of the persons who since the ber of votes given the road to such a place of the public departments of the Province with the purposes of this Act all Steeling Bonds of the Company shall be company and four shillings and four places. and struck him a violent blow in the face.

Mr. Hynes who is between sixty and appointed to any of the public departments. Mr. Hynes who is between sixty and appointed to any of the public department of the amount so to be ascertained shall for the seventy years of age, quickly returned it since the same date, with the annual salary said purposes be taken and co.tsidered as it, knocking his opponent down. The cab of each; also the names and numbers of drove off. Sinclair, who is a stout-built feldrove off. Sinclair, who is a stout-built fellow about twenty-two years of age, again came forward, and one or two blows were vestigation or inquiry with the sums fixed palities shall not be entitled to vote in reexchanged, when the parties "clinched" under each commission for expenses, thereand fell. Mr. Hynes managed to get on of, distinguishing the amount under each

to get up from the ground, and taking him voted for a copy of reports and statements by the collar with the left hand, the knife connected with the recent inspection of eing open in his right he conveyed him a ports by Messrs. Worthington & Bravel.

street, a distance of three quarters of a mile was voted for the copies of all corfrom the place where the encounter took respondence between the Government and place. As he could get no assistance to the ex-Crown Lands Agent C. C. Sheppard, ters of the holders of all the bonds already take his prisoner to the Queen street Police | Esq., and also a detailed account of the issued or which may be hereafter issued by Station, he reluctantly let him go, and took amounts remitted by him to the Governup his quarters at Smith's for the night. ment by turning officers since the year 1848. On motion of Mr. Jobin, an address was

with a description of the cabinal and County of Beautiarnois.

Sinclair. Sergeant Major McDowell and On motion of Mr. Chapais an address was papers published in the Town of Brocky described Detective Crow were put in possession of the voted for a statement in regard to the Compor

at once sus- mission on the Consolidated Statutes pected Sinclair as being one of the parties Mr. Jas. Dufrenze moved the appointimplicated. A visit was paid to Smith's ment of a select Committee to take into said bonds to register the same. tavern by the officers, and they had their susconsideration the state of Colonization in said bonds to register the same.

4. No vote shall, at any meeting, be repicions confirmed. About two hours after their return to the city they apprehended Sinclair while he was walking down York

| Consideration the state of Colomization in Lower Canada, to be composed of the Honorables Mr. Cartier, Loranger, and Eventural, and Messrs. Beaubien, Desaulted to the consideration the state of Colomization in Lower Canada, to be composed of the Coived in person or by proxy, in respect of any Bond, unless such Bond shall have been registered, at least one month prior to such street. McDonald was apprehended on the niers, Herbert, Gagnon, De Boucherville, meeting, at the principle office of the Com cab-stand opposite the Rossin House, and both men conveyed to the City Hall police station, where they were instantly identified Fortier, Dawson, Dunkin, Price, De Cares,

and Cauchon, and Messrs. Langevin, Joly, Gagnon, Sylvan and the mover, to enquire land, as aforesaid, in the name of the bearer when his advanced age is taken into account. into the working of the law improvement of

PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT. voted for all reports of Engineers and others office, but no such registration shall, in any estimates of cost, and generally all papers that have reference to the re-building of the Court House and Gaol. of the district

of the Lamouraska. On motion of Mr. Simpson, an Address was voted for the statement of the entire Stockholder, and no person shall be entitled expenses which have been incurred from the commencement of the work up to 31st December, in preparing the Welland Canal, to receive a supply of water from Lake Erie, a statement of the further sums of money or left at the principal office of the Company and length of time which will probably be necessary for the entire completion of that work, and a statement of a difference of tonnage between the largest class of vessels which now pass through the said canal, and shall continue in office until the the largest class of vessels which will be

## Special Meeting of County Council.

A meeting of the Council was called by day of and on the day of request of the Committee, specially to take in every succeeding year, a board of Direcnto consideration matters connected with the B. & O. Railway.

by his legal adviser, Mr. Galt, Q. C., of of his wife, Shares or Bonds, or both, to the Toronto. Deputations from the Council of nominal amount of one hundred and twenty Brockville and Elizabethtown were also five pounds. the new arrangement proposed by Mr. company are now in operation, and although Richardson, were circulated amongst the the remainder has been surveyed for locamembers of Council. Perhaps it will tend tion, and great expenses incurred thereon, to the better understanding of the proceed and considerable progress made towards coming of Council to here give a copy of this pletion thereof, yet the means at the pres-

Whereas, The Brockville and Ottawa should be finished without delay, Railway Company have expended large Therefore be it enacted, That so soon as an sure, been raised by Loans from Munici palities and from other persons who have advanced money on the Bonds of the Company, issued under the provisions of the different Acts of Parliament relating to the said company: And Whereas, the Municipalities of Brockville, Elizabethtown, and Lanark and Renfrew have loaned to the Brockville and Ottawa Railway Company certain moneys, amounting in the whole to £338,000 Currency: And Whereas, by the Original Act of Incorporation of the said Company, the clause relating to Municipal-

Proceedings of Ramsay Counci!

Ramsay, Feb. 27th, 1863.

The Council met this day in the Town Hall pursuant to public action. Council all present, the Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read, approved, and signed by the Reeve.

A Circular fom the Provincial Secretary

Mass against the same to the purpose of the deed had not have the same transfer of the deed had not have the same to the same transfer of the deed had not have the same transfer of the deed had not have the same transfer of the crown in Canada, entitled to the Crown in Canada, entitled to the shares in the funds, voted to the townships of Lower Canada by the seignior at the same to the same to

at any meeting of the Company so long as they are represented as hereinbefore provided.

3. It shall be the duty of the present Di rectors immediately after the passing of this Act, to open at their office in Brockville and also at the place in London, England, where the interest or principle money of any of the Company, and such registers shall contain the numbers of the said bonds and the ishing the police authorities at the same time D. K. Lighthall, Esq., Registrar of the shall cause notice to be published in the Canada Gazette, and in one or more news-

pany in Canada or in London, England, as aforesaid, in the name of the person or Company in Canada and in London, Eng or in any name or names registered by the the Harbor at Quebec.

On motion of Mr. Baby an address was

Bearer, and the registrations so made, at either office, shall be reported to the other

> pal money or interest secured by such Bond 5. The proxy for the holder of Bonds may be mutatis mortandis, in the same form, or as near thereto as may be, as that for a to vote as a proxy for any Shareholder or Bondholder, unless the instrument appointing such proxy has been transmitted to, or lodged with the Secretary of the Company. not less than forty-eight hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting at which such proxy is to be used.

enabled to pass through it when the work referred to is completed.—Carried.

of next, when they blank to be elected under Board of Directors shall be elected under of next, when they shall retire, and the provisions of this Act, and shall hold office until the day of they shall retire, and on the same

6th. That the present Board of Directors

tors shall be elected who shall hold office for one year; that in case any vacancy shall The Council met punctually at 10 o'clock occur during the year among the Directors, on the morning of Wednesday, the mem- other than the ex-officio Directors, the conbers all being present with one or two tinuing Directors shall nominate some duly qualified person to fill such vacancy, and the person so nominated shall hold office Esq., Warden, who briefly explained the object of the meeting. Mr. Richardson, the representative of the English Bondholders Director, other than an ex-officio Director of the Company, was present, accompanied shall be holding in his own right, or in right

present. Printed copies of a bill drafted 7. And whereas, although between sixty y Mr. Galt, and embodying the terms of and seventy miles of the Railway of the said bill. It is as follows:

AN ACT FURTHER TO AMEND THE equate to complete the same, and it is ent disposal of the Company are quite inad-ACTS RELATING TO THE BROCK- sirable for the interest of all parties concern VILLE AND OTTAWA RAILWAY od that the said Railway should be con COMPANY, AND FOR THE PUR-POSES THEREIN MENTIONED. pleted as soon as possible, and especially that portion of the said railway from

Railway, which sums have, in a great measure, been raised by Loans from Munici be lawful for the directors to grant a Lease

of Upper Canada; to amend the Act entire of "an Act to regulate the culling and measurement of lumber. Mr. O'Halloran: to abolish the office of Inspector of the Common Schools in Lower Canada. Hon. Mr. Wilson: respecting the payment of the Crewn's witnesses in the criminal cases in Upper Canada; respecting stamps on the Law proceedings in this Province; and respecting also stamps in lieu of the registration dues in Lower Canada.

On motion of Mr. Pierce, an address was Original Act of Incorporation of the said original act of Incorporation of the said original Act, "embracing sub-sections 75, 76, 77, 78 and 79 of the said original act is incorporated in Council, and that no such lease shall be pecting also stamps in lieu of the registration dues in Lower Canada.

On motion of Mr. Pierce, an address was