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POYS FROM LONDON, ENGLAND.
Who have been sent out to Canada to Mr. William Williams, from the Boys' Home Great Queen Street, Holborn, Farm Scho Bisley, Boys' Home Twickenham, or from at of the Homes or Ships connected with it "National Refuges," London, England, are requested to send their names and addresses the undersigned (who now represents the S quested to send their names and addresses the undersigned (who now represents the Sciety of which Mr. Williams is the Secretary as it is proposed to have a great meeting "OLD BOYS" on January 3, 1884. R. WARD, Superintendent, Shaftesbury Boy Home, HAMILTGN, ONT.

SPECIFIC ARTICLES. WHY PURCHASE IN DIMLY LIGHTED stores when you can buy new fresh goods for less money in the best lighted stores in Canada? PETLEYS, 128 to 132 King street cast. Toronto. WHY PAY SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS per yard for tapestry carpets when you can buy the same for "thirty-five" cents per yard at PETLEYS'?

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Shades at "Fifty Cents" per yard. These
goods are worth from \$1.50 to \$2 per yard, and
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BLACK SILKS-WE ARE SHOWING at 60c., 70c., 80c. and 90c per yard at PET-LADIES JERSEYS IN BLACK, GRENAT, seal and navy, at \$3, \$3.50 and up at

BRAIDED JERSEYS—WE ARE SELL-ING fine Cashmere Jerseys, handsomely ING fine Cashmere Jerseys, handsomely braided, with basque back, for \$6. The same goods are being sold in the city at \$8. PET-LEYS', 128 to 132 King st. West. ADIES' VESTS IN BLACK, GRENAT, seal and navy at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2 and up. Finest stock of wool goods in the city at PETLEYS'. WOOL SQUARES-WE ARE SHOWING wool shawls and squares at 50c., 75c., \$1, \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2 and up in black, grey, white, pale blue, cardinal, grenat and navy at PETLEYS'. CORSETS-OUR STOCK OF LADIES' misses' and children's corsets is without doubt superior to any in this city. Our prices are 50c., 60c., 75c., 90c., \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and up, at PETLEYS.

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Services having reference to the season at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. Subject for Evening:

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CHILDREN'S FINE WOOL HOSE IN grey, brown, white, blue and cardinal, only 10c per pair and up, at PETLEYS'. CHILDREN'S WARM UNDERSKIRTS at 25c, 35c, 45c and up, at PETLEYS'. ADIES' WARM UNDERSKIRTS AT 75c, \$1, \$1.25 and up, at PETLEYS'. RESS GOODS—NEWEST MATERIALS and colourings at 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45c, and up at PETLEYS.

VELVETEENS-IN FINE SILK FINISH, blue-black, at 25, 35, 45, 55, 65, 75c and up, it PETLEYS'. VELVETEENS-IN BLUE, SEAL, NAVY, peacock. myrtle, bronze, grenat, and al, at 50c, 75c and \$1 per yard, at PET-

A DAMS' LARGE BOYS' OVERCOATS— Large choice, \$3, 54 and \$5. A DAMS MEN'S OVERCOATS \$3. \$4 and \$5, Fine overcoats \$6, \$7, \$8, every color and material.

A DAMS' CLOTHING FACTORY IS 327 Yours with respect,

A DAMS' FUR DRIVING MITTS \$1. \$1.50—Real fur caps 50c., \$1; finer sorts \$1.25, 2: sets 50c., \$1; capes 50c., \$1, \$1.50; Persian unb caps \$2, \$2.50, \$3.50, grey and black: heapest furs in Canada.

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Blacksmith, 8 Edward St. ADIES AND GENTLEMEN, YOU WILL not be disappointed by selling tome your Cast off Clothing, as I will always pay the best price for it. Please send postal card to MAX JACOBS, 230 Queen street west. Business confidential.

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DOND STREET LAUNDRY, NO. 84—
Gents work a specialty. Work sent for and delivered.

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The Distinguished Actress, MISS ADA GRAY,

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Usual prices of admission. Box plan nov

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Notice is hereby given that a special general meeting of the shareholders of the Toronto silver plate company will be held at the offices of the company, King street west, Toronto, on Monday, the 31st day of December, 1883, at 9 a.m. to consider a bylaw passed by the directors for the purpose of creating a loan capital upon the credit of the company by order of the board. J. A. Watts, president. SUNDAY SERVICES.

REVD. B. D. THOMAS, D.D., Pastor: LORD'S DAY, December 23rd.

Bond St. Congregational Church. REV. JOSEPH WILD, D.D., Pastor. SUNDAY, DEC. 23, 1883.

Subject for Evening: "A GREAT WORK." Midland Railway of Canada

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAYS The Midland Railway of Canada will issue Return Tickets between all Stations on the 21st to the 25th December, inclusive, good to return up to December 31st.

And also on 28th December to 1st January next, inclusive, good to return up to January 7th, at SINGLE FARE.

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GEG. A. COX, Gen'l Manager.

room and stores, which are without doubt superior to any in Canada. We also invite the large number of persons who daily come to the city to visit our stores, and will consider it no trouble to show them through our immense establishment. PETLEY & PETLEY, 128 to 132 king street cast. Toronto.

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A DA M.S. YOUTHS OVERCOATS - St. John's Ward.

Gentlemen, if you see fit to elect me as nd makes overcoats to order Alderman for 1884 you can rely on my best efforts to promote the interests of the

PARKDALE.

W. C. BEDDOME Business confriential.

SKATES—JOB LOT, NEW, FOR SALE cheap. DORRIEN PLATING CO., 771 as Councillor for 1881. It having been found absolutely impossible to finish the work I set

PENDENT masonic monthly in Canada; on real estate at lowest rates of interest.

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REAL ESTATE—FOR SELLING CITY Lots or farm lands, for business chances, stores and houses to let and quiek transcord business, call upon THOMAS LOTALEY, real estate agent, corner of Adelaide and Victoria streets.

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Trade Across the Border.

Hubbard Bros. & Co., bankers and brokers, he be a called. Gordon, Barkey & Co., millers, Sparta, Ill., have made an assignment; liabilities \$160,000.

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DYNAMITERS CONVICTED.

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of the Glasgow dynamiters has retired. The judge occupied three hours in delivering his charge.

The jury found five prisoners guilty of all the charges and five guilty of the first charge. Only five were sentenced to penal servitude for life, the remaining five being sentenced to imprisonment for seven years. Terence of the local press. The matter, Joseph Medill of the Tribunes suggested places where valuable testimony could be found. M. T. Stone of the News said head to imprisonment for seven years. Terence of the local press. The prisoners were all arrested in Glasgow on Seyt. 12, where they were committed to prison and held until their transfer to Edit burgh last week. Their full names are: Terence McPermott, Thomas Devaldy, Patrick Deans, James O'Denntilly, James Kelly Dennis Casey. Poler Callaghan, Henry McCane, Patrick McCulloch and Patrick McCane. They were charged, in connection with Timothy Featherstone and John Dalton, both of whom were convicted in Liverpool last September, and also with J. E. Kearney, who has fled the country, with causing the explosion of the Tradeston gasometer, the Blowing up of the States of the Caledonia fallway station in Buccanan street, and the attempt to destroy the canal bridge over the Possil road on January 20 last. They were also charged with conspirace by thus acting against the law of the land, by force or constraint, to compel her majesty to change her measures or counsels in relation to Ireland, and also in order to put force or constraint upon or in order to intimidate or overawe both houses or either house of parliament in relation to legislation affecting leviant.

The judge in his charge said it had never fallen to his lot in all his legal experience to investigate a more abominable and despicable outrage. The juty recommended Kelly, McCabe, Deams, Donnelly and Casey to the leniency of the ceut as they were not aware of the extent of the operations of the femilians of the femil

A WELL ADVERTISED BOOK.

Paris, Dec. 21.-Mile. Colombier has written the Figaro regretting that she wrote th to the Figaro regretting that she wrote the Memoirs of Sarah Barnum, because the book has caused such discussion. She declares Bernhardt was wrong in supposing herself to be the imaginary heroine alluded to in the book. Colombier continues, "Neither her dagger, nor her horsewhip, nor the cutlass of M. Richepin touched me. From a concealed window curtain I witnessed all that passed."

GETTING IT ON ALL SIDES. Five Hundred Egyptians Massacred CAIRO, Dec. 21.—The king of Abyssinia is

massing troops at Adua, threatening Massowah. It is stated about Dec. 1 some Abyssinian chiefs attacked an entrenched Egyptian-position near Massowah and massagred 500 Egyptians. It is reported Abyssinia is making war preparations on a large scale.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 21.—The Englishman (newspaper) states that a concordat has been arranged between the Indian government and the Anglo-Indian association whereby no

All that is Left of Them. IRKUTSK, Dec. 21.—The remains of Com-mander De Long and his comrades of the ill-The remains were borne in pro the streets to-day escorted by a detachment of

Strike of Sailors at Marseilles.

MARSEILLES, Dec. 21.—The strike of sailors and steamship firemen is becoming serious. Several steamers, including the trans-Atlantic, mail boat, has been obliged to engage ordinary laborers at five francs per day before being able to sail. A committee of sailors and strikers has protested to the authorities against the employment of foreign day laborers on mail boats.

Attempted Abduction of a queen.

ZANZIBAR, Dec. 21.—A letter from Admiral Galiber, the French commander in Madagasear, states that during the night on Nov. 16 the Hovas attempted to abduct the queen of the Sukalvas from Majunga. The attempt was frustrated by fire from a gunboat and the landing of a party of riflemen.

The Good St. Nicholas.

Belgrade, Dec. 21.—At a feast given in honor of St. Nicholas, King Milan pardoned 400 peasants convicted of being implicated in the recent revolt. The royal commission has passed severe sentences upon the clergymen and teachers guilty of compliciting in the rebellion.

The Fate of the St. Augustine. London, Dec. 21.—The survivors of the steamship St. Augustine state 38 men were aboard when the four boats put off. It is feared all were lost. A heavy sea was running, the vessel was all afire, and had no other boats.

LONDON, Dec. 21 .- Detectives are watching

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE IS RE SPECTFULLY solicited for A motion is to come up in the French chamber to exclude American pork for a year. ber to exclude American pork for a year.

Fourteen hundred cotton operatives in Lancashire are idle in consequence of the strike.

A number of Atlantic steamship companies have inaugurated a rate war on inimigration business.

SATURDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 22, 1883.

CORRUPTION IN CHICAGO.

The Sentence for Seven Years

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EDINEUROR, Dec. 21.—The jury in the case of the Glasgow dynamiters has retired. The dage occupied three hours in delivering his thange.

The common council a week ago of an ordinance granting the Chicago and Evanston railroad the right of entry into the heart of the city give rise to a riffered to the heart of the city give rise to a riffered thousand dollars having been raised and placed in one of the city hotel safes, to be distributed among councilmen on the final adoption of the criminates. As a result the grant july subprenaed nearly all the propries. Those testifying yesterday threw little lighton.

JERSEY CITY, N.J., Dec. 21.-Capt. G tenced to five years' hard labor and a fine \$1000. who abducted Addie Bresnan, has been sen-

UNITED STATES NEWS.

Geo. Franks and Adolph Shuma ary surgeon, quarrelled over a cat delphia. Franks killed Shuman. netpina. Franks killed Shuman.

The salvation army has been getting into frouble. Capt. Harris is under arrest for per jury and Sergeant Oxford for assault.

Papal nuncios have been instructed to request the powers to take measures for the protection of christians in the far east. The Chicago, St. Paul, Minnesota and Omaha railway has declared a quarterly dividend of 13 per cent, payable on Jan. 21.

John Joseph Ryan has forfeited his naturalization papers because "American citizens are strung up in England without protest." The last spike in the Pittsburg, Clevelan and Toledo railroad was driven yesterday This is an important link in the Baltimore an

Prof. Brooks of Phelps, N. Y., says the comet of ISI2 is now visible to the naked eye. The comet will grow brighter until the latter part of January, its perihelion passage occurring on Jan. 25.

Daniel and M. ring on Jan. 25.

Daniel and Mary Cronin were found guilty at New York yesterday of denouncing Father McCarthy during his service at church. They accused him of starving a priest to death and of enticing away their daughter.

Six hundred employes of the West Shore railroad were discharged at Buffalo yester day, and 1100 or 12000 near Syracuse. The severe weather, it is said, makes it impossible to work. It is, however, still necessary to live.

A Pullman car was telescoped on the Chi-cago, Burlington and Quincy railroad at Glad-stone, Ill., Thursday evening. Richard Som-ers, superintendent of the dining car service, was killed and six passengers seriously in-jured. The American schooner S. J. Watts was boarded off Port au Prince by Captain Cooper and crew of the Haytian war vessel Dessaline. They threatened to shoot the captain and his crew if their papers were not all right. Their papers were right, and Capt. Cooper withdrew after telling them he was a son of rear admiral Cooper of the United States Navy.

THE WORLD AT LARGE. A daily medical journal has been started in

in England.

In 1865 there were but two total abstainers in the house of commons, the late sir Edward Baines, M. P. for Leeds, and Mr. Whitworth, M. P. for Droghedra. At present there are 35. A recent parliamentary return shows that since the year 1850 sixteen baroneteies and thirty-four knighthoods have been conferred upon the physicians and surgeons of Great Britain and Ireland.

Britain and Ireland.

Girard college will not hereafter lease any property to be used for bar-room purposes. The receipts of the college for eleven months of this year reached \$423.185.50. The institution is educating 1098 orphan boys.

Dr. Domingo Frere of Rio Janeiro claims to have discovered the yellow fever fungus. He has named it Cryptoccus Zanthogenicus, and finds that animals inoculated with it, soon show all the usual signs of the disease before death and dissection.

The Thames is about to have a second tun-

ondon, Dec. 21.—Detectives are watering a surgeries of three Irish doctors between olborne and the Strand. Every patient is anned as he enters or leaves and is followed suspected. The object is a mystery.

The Clergy and the Fentaus.

Rome, Dec. 21.—The American bishops before leaving agreed upon the policy to be adopted by the catholic clergy of the United States towards fenians.

THE OLD WORLD IN BRIEF.

The British troop-ship Euphrates has been floated.

The village of Venio, Switzerland, has been burned.

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In August the town clerk of Bottle, Liverpool, embezzled, "made tracks," and committed suicide; and now Mr. Phipps, innior partner in a large Liverpool firm, and justice of the peace at Bottle, has disappeared, as also, it is said \$250,000. There has been an exceptional amount of this sort of thing in England lately.

A curious story is told by the Academy of a rare bibliographical find in a London auction room a few weeks ago. A bundle of odd books was put up for sale in which, unspecified in the auctioneer's catalogue, a little volume of great rarity lay hid—a copy of the English Pentateuch Bible, without (fenesis, printed by Tyndale at Marburg in 1530, in its original binding. More than one of the buyers in attendance had discovered the volume, so that Mr. Quaritch, who had hoped to buy the lot a low figure, was obliged to pay \$200 for it.

MONTREAL, Dec. 21 .- L'Etandard this morn ing states that Charlebois, contractor for the parliament house, has assured his friends that he gave the premier \$5000 in connection with the contract. The same authority says that the treasurer Mr. Wurtelle has resigned in disgust over the De Deaufort bribery scandal.

Desnoyers, police magistrate here, will run for the county of Laval, and if elected will be taken into the cabinet as attorney-general.

THE FALL OF SONTAY. 4 THE CITADEL TAKEN BY THE FRENCH WITH SLIGHT LOSS.

in the fighting before Sontay on Dec. 14.

Admiral Seyron, minister of marine, has received the following dispatch from Sontay:

dated Dec. Ir. "Sontay is ours. The outer enciente was carried by assault on Sunday at 6 ofcheck in the decining. The attaick began at 11 in the morning. The assault was made at 5 in the ovening with bravery above all praise by the foreign legion, together with the marine, infantry and sailors. The Flotilla as sisted the bombardment. The citadel was executed diving the night by its defenders and was occupied on the morning of Dec. Ir without fighting. We do not yet know whither the Black Flags, robel Annamites and Chinese have fled. It is impossible to learn their losses. We lost about fifteen killed, including one officers. Sixty were wounded, including five officers.

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Gen. Millot's force in Tonquin will eventually number 22,000 men. The amount spent on the Tonquin expedition so far is 43,000,000 francs. It is thought a loan is inevitable.

A telegram from Dr. Hernand says King Hiephena has been succeeded on the throne of Annam by Kienphua, a youth of 15. CRAIG AND HIS COMPANIES.

The Affairs of the Exchange Bank Inex-tricably Involved. MONTREAL, Dec. 21.—The financial troubles of the manufacturing companies fed by the absent president of the Exchange bank out of the funds of that institution are the chief topics of conversation here. Everything seems to be so inextricably involved that there is no such thing as unravelling them. The number of enterprises he palronized for his own profit, but out of the funds of the bank, was legion, and all will turn out to be heavy losers to the shareholders. Deposit receipts on the insolvent bank are offeredat 60 per cent of their face value.

For the Benefit of Speculators.

The Montreal Gazette says: The public lands in the United States are a prey for speculators and capitalists, if we may judge by the report of the secretary of the interior, who says that the "homeslead and pre-emption laws, designed to secure to the actual settler lands at a reasonable price, have become agencies by which the capitalist secures large and valuable acres of the public landat little expense. In the last fiscal year the large amount of 19. 430,632 cares of public land was disposed of in the United States, the cash receipts from which aggregated \$11,713,833, or rather more than fifty cents an acre. No less than 7,600,000 acres were covered by pre-emption and timber culture entries, the greater part of which are believed to be in exasion of the law, and for the benefit of speculators.

ed to wait upon the dom ent. and ask for a removal of the f ment, and ask for a removal of the latinustry grievances, and a deputation was also appointed to wait upon the local legislature for the same purpose. An amendment to the offect that instead of sending delegates to Ottawa, they be sent to the imperial government, for the purpose of asking separation from the dominion, and the formation of a new western federation of territory, was moved by Mr. Stewart and seconded by Col. Atwood, and voted down.

The Latest and Best News Found in Our Canadian Exchanges.

Belfast, Ont., is sighing for a shoemaker. Mr. Cameron's exact majority for West Mid llesex is 32.

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The number of children attending the Aurora public schools is 756.

Malcolm Duffy, a farmer of Nottawasaga, was killed Tuesitay last by his team running. ect with the American systems school, Hamilton, and stole all the prize books.
A by-law raising \$15,000 for the establishment of an industrial bome and farm is to be voted on at the same time as the municipal elections take place in the county of Oxford.

Masked robbers entered the store of James Campbell, Iona, Ont., and at the point of the pistol made him give up his cash-box, containing \$70.

The latest rumor is that Mr. J. T. Hawke is to take hold of the London Telegraph-Herald and nake out of it a lively one-cent competitor of the Advertiser and Free Press.

The body of the late Wm. Vansickles, who was found in an insensible condition north of Brantford, was exhumed yesterday and taken to the city morgae for a coroner's inquest.

John Counter, a Grand Trunk freight conductor, has skipped out of St. Thomas very mysteriously, leaving alarge number of money creditors. It is said there was a woman in the case.

right.

Messrs. G. W. Ross and D. M. Cameron attended a banquet in their honor at Glencoe last evening. There was a large attendance and much enthusiasm over the recent dual victory in West Middlesex.

Thursday evening a team of horses belonging to George Gardner, a Hamilton pickle pedlar, ran away at Guelph and fell into a cattle guard. An approaching train was signalled just in time to avert a serious disaster.

Port Eight. Sceretary, Mr. L. P. Kribs, Walk-erton, treasurer, Mr. J. Rittinger, Walkerton, The objects of the association, as set forth in the constitution, are, "to abolish starvation and misery among the printers and publish-ers of the county, and to cultivate a more fra-ternal feeling between the members of the fourth estate." It was agreed to draw up a price list and lick to it.

donia, assigned in trust. T. P. Blackwell, grocer, London, estate to be sold by sheriff.

Charity Distribution.
The great White Duke has been slaughtered and his royal quarters and sides adorn the front of H. R. Frankland's ample meat Stalls in St. Lawrence market. The head of the mode Duke, who attained the remarkable in St. Lawrence and in St. Lawrence and mobile Dirke, who attained the remarkable weight of 2110 lbs. in 343 days, has been tasted weig society to learn that Messis. Use & Worts, the stock brokers, have purchased the carcass of the Duke for distribution among them. Mr. Wm. Ryan's \$200 bullock is also on exhibition at Frankland's. He will be distributed as follows: I quarter each to the house of providence, the St. Vincent de Paul society, the orphan's home and half a quarter each to the girl and boys' homes. Mr. George Hood of Guelph instructed Mr. Frankland to divide a magnificent specimen of mutton between the house of providence and the orphans' home. Mr. Frankland will carry out minutely the instructions of these generous citizens. Mr. Frankland's display of meat is, as usual with this firm, very line and large:

According to the speeches at the seventeenth annual dinner of the Foronto lacrosse club last night the team of this year was the best all-round team in the history of the club. It had many draw backs to contend against, but young players came forward equal to the occasion, and they closed the season with bringing the flag to Toronto, and it graced the head of the room last night. Capt. Hamilton presided and made a number of happy and appropriate speeches. The attendance at the dinner was not so large as at some previous dinners, but it was enthusiastic and enjoyable. Mayor Boswell made a neat speech, and hoped he would be re-elected. Any number of good songs were suug. The dinner was served, in the rooms of the club, Harry Webb being the caterer.

Foreman Murphy of St. Lawrence ward yesterday made an examination of the drain of West Market street, into which all the refuse of the city hall and adjacent buildings is supposed to find its way. He found that the Grand Trunk had closed the mouth of the drain by building a wooden kerbing in front of it. The result being that the fifth and refuse, finding no outlet, welled back from whence it came, filling the city hall and other buildings with disgusting and unhealthy odors. Officials who have paid big doctors bills for sickness contracted at the city hall talk of entering suit against the railway company to recover the amount of the same:

Certainly one of the cleverest variety companies that ever appeared in Toronto is the Howard Athenaeum company now at the Grand opera house. Every member is a star, and there is not one single weak point. There will be a matinee this afternoon, and the concluding performance will be given to-night.

PROMINENT PERSONS. Bismarck is in favor of universal suffr Mr. I. Suckling, sr.; has returned to town after a short visit to British Columbia. Miss Emily Faithfull is to go to Colorado

Parnell has paid off mortgages on his estate amounting to \$67500, and has about \$125,000 of his testimonial still on hand.

A daughter of Minister Sargent is making a specialty of the eye in her medical studies at Zurich. Miss Sargent is a graduate of an American medical college.

Sarah Bernhardt has scored a triumph in her new play Nana Sahib. There are several revolting murders in the drafma, but it is yet pronounced the success of the season.

Peter Algernon Brown, son of the queen's John Brown, is reported to be engaged to Miss Cleveland of Cincinnati. He is roung, well bred, and "moves in excellent circles."

In endeavoring to perform the duties of both the agricultural and railway departments the health of the Hon. J. H. Pope has been badly shattered, and his physicians have prescribed absolute rest.

Should Sir Charles Tupper take his seat in the house of commons at the coming session, it is stated legal action will be taken to recover from him penaltics for violation of the independence of parliament act.

When the crown prince was leaving the pope he said his only mission was to express the warm desire of the emperor and Bismarck for the restoration of religious peace in Germany compatible with the laws and institutions of the country.

The Pall Mall Gazette thinks rather enthusiastically that if the Italian painters and poets had had the great Australian clippers, whose red bowsprits overhang the quays of London, they would not have been content with crank caravels and tales thrice told.

Snow use-A wooden shovel. Christmas tied—A wedding on Dec. 25.

Great cry and little wool—A new born lamb.

A clause within a Claus—When St. Nick and energetic young butchers of St. Lawrence areade, have quite celipsed their former disciplines appear to him much finer in the control of the horse a continguous continguo The dictionary is not as big as the postoffice, but it contains more letters to the square inch.

ce a year. water to lather with,

Some one interrogated little Georgie in regard to his big sister's betrothed: "How old is hef" "I don't know." "Well, is he young?"
"I think so—he has no hair yet."

No matter how reckless a poet may be in point of rhythm, he will not attempt to coin a rhyme for "Christmas." It is one of those things that are too good to use in that manner.

It is said that there are only two men in America who make hand organs. Now let some rich philanthopist offer \$5000 for their discovery and well nip the nuisance in the bud.

"Don't you think that this half mask is very college, Temperance street, yesterday, Elliott, V. S., St. Catharines, president, in the characteristic who make hand organs. Now let some rich philanthopist offer \$5000 for their discovery and we'll nip the nuisance in the bud.

"Don't you think that this half mask is very becoming to me?" inquired a young lady of a rival at an Austin masquerade party. "Well, res; if hides at least a portion of your face."

A sentimental writer interrogates to this taking in the mass.

LEGISLATION AND LABOR

PROCEEDINGS OF THE TRADES
AND LABOR COUNCIL.

As Miss Ada Gray will be the holiday attrac ion at the Grand next week in East Lynne Miss Ada Gray has never been equalled by any

in lateral distribution. Pneumonia and co

stalls, is a credit to the business tactics of these young men. Every animal they slaughted this year is a prize one. The Fuchia Duchess, calved Sept. 5, 1876, and weighing 2250 lbs. when killed, is descended from a noble line of sweet-tasting beeves, and she was certainly the finest animal shown at the late cattle show. There is nothing in the line of the choice meats and poultry that cannot be obtained at Britton Bros. Everything fresh, clean and in good order. There will undoubted by a great rush at stalls 13 and 15 during the feasting days which are now at hand. Be sure and see their display.

The annual meeting of this association

remerally occurs at 5 o Cook, and ensoines its father to get up a very hearty appetite for breakfast.

"So Miss Skimps and Mr. Limps are to be married. Well, I declare! That aged couple! Why she is old enough to be his mother." It deed she is. And as for him—why, he is old enough to be her father."

A medical writer asserts that women are so constructed that they cannot jump. Just for the sake of argument we should like to induce the doctor to let a mouse into the same room with his wife and close the door. Science doesn't know everything yet.

SEASONABLE WEATHER.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, TORONTO, Dec. 22. 1 a.m.—Lakes: Fresh to strong winds from the northwest and northeast; fair, decidedly cold weather.

SAFE OVER THE SEA.

Date. Steamship. Reported at. From. Dec. 21—Seythia Queenstown Dec. 22—Seythia Queenstown Dec. 23—Seythia Queenstown Dec. 24—Seythia Queenstown Dec. 25—Seythia Queenstown Dec. 25

PRICE ONE C

LOCAL NEWS PARAGRA City council meets this after Yesterday was the shorte. The Globe job room is tra

The arrivals at the hotels ery small.

C. J. Smith has donated 20 cone mayor for distribution amount

Farley & Co. will keep open. Christmas eve till ten. Their stally, and the bargains they on

THE YOUTHFUL TENOR,

and other domestic animals, moody goat possesses a beard, it that the juvenile hand makes very long one, and probably it is goat is a butter that the same hand make eyes very large and round, so that the may see properly and have a fair show fight. The hoofs of the horse are made in the same room, where a seri-and songs were given by the I the progress of the entertainment the mind displayed itself in another dis-brother and sister were called to a

WHAT THEY SLEPT ON. Neither Mr. nor Mrs. Biggs enjoyed rest last night. Mr. Biggs had been to vious in bringing the material for the Claus racket on Monday night, and so h to hide it as best he could from the inquis the suspecting little Biggses. The or of real security was the domestic and bed, and between the mattrass and the sleigh, a woolly horse, a musical doll skates for the family, and a large qu taffy. Mr. Biggs bore the l placently enough till Noah's ark got into the small of his back, when he jumped from the bed with a shriek and, reaching for the offending antedeluvian toy, lost his hand in the head of the big drum. Mrs. Biggs sat up in bed, vainly pulling the taffy out of the covering of the wooly horse.

WHAT THEY ARE SAVING. I'll make my calls with the cutter after Mr. S. Claus. The Whale.

What became of those quals that Bingham hung out at the Hub door the other day. If John Herbert considers himself a good wing marksman.