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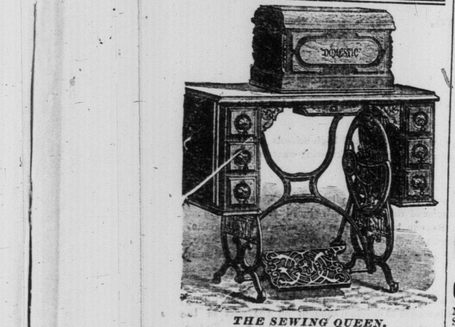

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Opening Hymn.....Orchestra
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Recitation, (Constancy) Miss Lizzie Pullan
Song.....Miss Katie Gardiner
Song.....Miss Bunting
Reading.....Mr. Mignot
Instrumental Duet.....Mr. McKinlay and Mrs. Martin
Song.....Miss Ida Banks
Reading.....Mr. Garlton
PART II.
Signing the Pledge.
Hymn.....Orchestra
Violin Solo.....Mr. McKinlay
Song.....Miss L. Bunting
Recitation.....Miss Katie Gowans
Song.....Miss Katie Gardiner
Instrumental Duet.....Mr. McKinley and Mrs. Martin
Reading.....Mr. Davidson
Song.....Miss Bunting
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The following letter from J. A. Guy of Oshawa, who won the $500 piano given away by James Laut, speaks for itself:
Oshawa, Jan. 4, '82.
JAMES LAUT, Esq., Toronto.
Dear Sir: I received the Piano all right, and was very much pleased with it. It turned out all that your Agent represented it, when buying the package of Tea, and if I had not had the good fortune to win it, would have been fully satisfied, having got value in the Tea.
Yours truly,
J. A. GUY. 46

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Jarvis Street Baptist Church
LORD'S DAY, January 15th.
REV. E. T. WINKLER, D. D.,
OF MARION, ALABAMA,
Will preach. Service at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

SECULAR SOCIETY.
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) EVENING, At 7 O'CLOCK
at
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MEETINGS

THE STUDENT'S UNION
ADJOURNED MASS MEETING.
The adjourned meeting of the above Union will be held at 8 p.m., on Tuesday the 17th of Jan. inst., in Temperance hall, Temperance street. A large attendance is requested, as the terms of the Constitution and other important questions will be discussed.
The Vice Chancellor of Toronto university will act as chairman.
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A YOUTH DESIRES SITUATION AS ASSISTANT bookkeeper. Has had experience in an office. Address Box 156, World office.

A MASON WANTS EMPLOYMENT IN HIS Trade or will take any employment for the winter. Address, Box 84, World office. 56

A SICK NURSE, BY A REFINED WOMAN, capable of attending ladies and infants after confinement. Address, Mrs. E., Box 154 World office. 456123

AS BLACKSMITH — YOUNG MAN WITH some experience, wishes to learn the Carriage Blacksmithing. Address G. S. MILLBROOK, Ontario.

AN AGENCY FOR SOME STANDARD BOOK, cyclopædia preferred. W. W., Box 135, World office. 234

A BOY WANTS A SITUATION IN A PRIVate family to do the work about the house. Can give references. Address, box 177, World. 234

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A YOUNG MAN WHO PERFECTLY UNDERSTANDS engine work. Having been locomotive fireman wishes a situation running or firing a stationery engine or any kind of employment where he can make himself generally useful. Address P. S. M., 38 Bathurst street, city. 123

A PERMANENT SITUATION IN THE CITY of Toronto by a single man that is willing to work, that can write a good hand, is good at figures and can turn himself to mostly anything. Satisfaction guaranteed. Address 187 Argyle street, Toronto.

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AS NIGHT PORTER OR DRIVER, BY YOUNG man. Knows city well. Address J. W. B., No. 8 Carleton Terrace. 5 12

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BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN, WORK BY the day, scrubbing or washing or office cleaning. 158 Little Richmond street west.

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SITUATION AS HOUSEKEEPER BY A RESPECTABLE and reliable woman, middle aged; good housekeeper and best of references given. Address F. A. FERGUSON, St. Thomas.

WORK WANTED AROUND A STORE OR house in any capacity. G. B., Box 49, World office.

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A SUCCESSFUL TEACHER OF MUSIC WISHES for some music pupils—terms moderate. Address Miss E., care of MISS COADY, 26 Shuter street, city.

A SMART YOUNG GIRL TO DO GENERAL work in a small family. Appl 64 St. Patrick street.

A SHORTHAND LEARNER WOULD LIKE TO know of some one who would read for an hour every evening. Address R. M. PILSWORTH, Yorkville. 561

A SUCCESSFUL TEACHER OF MUSIC wishes for some more pupils; terms moderate. Box 152 World office.

BY A YOUNG MAN—A SITUATION—TO ASsist in warehouse, store or to deliver goods. Best of references. Salary moderate. A trial solicited. Box 161, World office.

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STOVE MOUNTERS—WILLIAM BLACK, VICTORIA FOUNDRY, Brantford.

A RAILWAY HORROR.

Nine Persons Killed Near Albany Last Night.

A PITCH IN COLLISION.

LIST OF THE KILLED AND WOUNDED.

PASSENGERS BURNED TO DEATH.

The Cars Full of Assemblymen and Senators.

A SAD BRIDAL TRIP.

POKEEPSIE, N. Y., Jan. 13.—The Tarrytown passenger train ran into the special N. Y. express which left Albany at 2.40 p.m., in the rock cut on Spuyten Duyvil and Portmarris road at 7 o'clock this evening.

Park Valentine, aged 21, his wife 19, of Remington, Vt., and a lady supposed to be from Philadelphia, were killed. Their bodies are at Kilcullen's hotel. Four bodies burned to a crisp are at King's Bridge station. Oliver B Keely, aged 56, of Springvalley, Pa., is fatally injured. Mary Daniels, residence Sherwood House, Fifth Avenue, is badly injured but will recover. It is stated that D L Ransom, of the Hoffman House, is among the killed.

Valentine and wife, who were killed, were married on Wednesday. Valentine is a nephew of Trenor W. Park and was in business with his father, one of the wealthiest citizens of southern Vermont. His wife was Miss Gaylord of North Adams, Mass. They were en route to Florida on a bridal tour. It is also reported that Senator Wagner was killed and forty more injured. There were at least 500 passengers on the train, and the horrors of the occasion were increased by the two rear cars taking fire, some occupants being roasted to death in sight of hundreds. The occupants of the houses in the vicinity of Spuyter Duyvil at once came to the assistance of the wounded and tried to quench the flames in vain with water. Two women were seen clasped in each others arms and jammed between the frame work of one of the cars and the colliding engines, and the flames quickly lapped them in their fiery embrace.

Facts of the accident are as follows:—The Western express from Chicago to New York reached Albany twenty-three minutes late. Owing to the great crowd of legislators and others who desired to leave the capital fifteen additional cars were put on, eight of them being palace coaches. Two extra engines were also attached. The train got under way. It was filled with all men of note and prominence, both republican and democratic parties. The Tammany delegation was about the last to arrive at the depot, and as all the other cars were filled they took the rear car (Empire.) In the car were Police Commissioner Nichols, Edward Kearney, Senator Browning, assemblymen Cullen, Sheehy, Robb, Costello, McManus; ex-assessman M. J. Holahan and alderman Levy, also commissioner of immigration Ulrich, assemblyman Chapen of Brooklyn, George J. Spinney, N Y times, A W Lyman of the Sun, Augusta Dell, Joseph Doyle, and two ladies of Albany whose names are unknown. At East Albany a signal to stop was received and the palace car Idlewild from Troy was hitched on at the rear of the train. There were some ten passengers on this car. Spuyten Duyvil junction was reached at 7 o'clock when a heated axle necessitated a stoppage to give time to cool. Conductor Hanford ordered the breakeman to signal the Tarrytown special, which left Tarrytown at 6.35 p.m., and Spuyten Duyvil station at 7.07. The latter train was in charge of conductor Every. The breakman Malley by mistake, apparently did not signal properly and Tarrytown special which ran at the rate of 25 miles an hour, came round the curve of Cullen's cut and struck the palace car Idlewild in which were 12 passengers. The engine ran under the platform into the car and drove the Idlewild into the Empire with such terrific force as to render it necessary to cut it out with saw and axe. The stove and lamps in the parlor cars were upset and ignited the woodwork and upholstering. The passengers were jammed between the seats and sides of the car and held while the flames rose around and enveloped them. Of the 12 passengers in the Idlewild 9 are dead; one being taken to the hospital, probably fatally injured. Another passenger Miss Mary Dunlap of New York, who was returning from a visit to Vermont, is badly scalded about the arms and breast. Oliver B. Kealey, stove manufacturer of Spring city, Pa., had his right arm burned to a crisp, and was also burned about the body. He was taken out alive and died at midnight. A. B. Valentine, father of Park Valentine, escaped uninjured.

George William Curtis it is understood escaped

THE OTHER TRAIN.

R. H. Stillwell of Oswego who was on the Tarrytown train says that when the Albany train passed there it was running fast and there seemed to be a wheel on fire. I spoke to one of the men in the depot, and he said, "Those brakes are down." The first intimation I had of danger was feeling the air brakes had been suddenly put on. I felt there was something coming, and I braced myself against the seat. Then came the crash. The men and women in the car were thrown headlong over the seats. The stove was upset and so was the water cooler. The excitement was intense for a few minutes. Women screamed and men swore. Two or three men were burned severely, although not dangerously. Some were cut by glass. Every one got out of the cars immediately and went forward to the Albany train.

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING.

Abolish the local legislature! outrageous! Why, I'm a member—D. D. Hay.

Perhaps I don't know much about legislation, but you ought to hear me give the house a medical lecture—Dr. Robinson, M.P.P.

Hay is a soothing speaker, I slept through it all—T. B. Pardee.

CANNOT AVOID ADMIRING.

Port Hope News: The Toronto World is displaying a degree of ability and enterprise, that even those who do not agree with its principles cannot avoid admiring. Its editorials are written in sharp, trenchant sentences, and it must make its influence felt in the metropolitan city of Ontario.

Moreau Pays the Penalty.

RIMOUSKI, Jan. 13.—Moreau was hanged in the jail yard at 8.30 this morning. He mounted the scaffold with a firm step, knelt down, and stood up without aid. He did not say anything in reference to his crimes. His lips continually moved in prayer. The fall was nine feet and death was instantaneous. His neck was broken and the head nearly severed from the trunk. The body was cut down two and a half minutes after the fall, the trunk bleeding profusely. Moreau has not said anything lately about his accomplice.

An Ottawa Jeweller Missing.

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—E. Freidenberg, a Sussex street jeweller, has been missing since New Years eve, and it is feared that he has met with an accidental death. His family are very much troubled over it and have reported the matter to the police, who are doing all in their power to clear up the mystery.

Rev. J. P. Newman's Pastorate.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Gen. Grant yesterday paid $1000 for a pew in the Madison-square Congregational church, of which Rev. J. P. Newman has become pastor. Russell Sage and Shepard Knapp also bought pews.

Three Brothers Arrested for Murder.

SYRACUSE, Jan. 13.—Three brothers named Newport (coloured) have been arrested at Sodus Point for killing Hall and burning his house a week ago for plunder.

Loss of Life in Sweden.

CALMAR, Sweden, Jan 14.—A Swelish mail steamer, sunk in the Sound while on a trial trip. Fifteen persons were drowned.

—Now that winter has well commenced we would advise our readers against using pills containing calomel and other injurious substances, as there is great danger of catching colds after their use. An excellent substitute for pills is a vegetable preparation known as Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, a family medicine that, from all accounts, will soon take the place of every other purgative and blood purifie. Smith & McGlashan agents for the Bitters here.

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

The Debate on the Address—Synopsis of the Speeches of the Mover and Seconder.

The debate was opened by D. D. Hay (North Perth), in a very lengthy and prosy speech. Although he assured the house that the speech contained sufficient matter for thought to furnish a very long speech, he deliberately proceeded to drag in Dominion politics and made a number of rambling remarks on the national policy. He denied that the prosperity of the country was in any way due to or had been promoted by that policy, and ascribed it altogether to the increase in the exports of the forests and the farm. He quoted figures to show this, but omitted to mention the increased export of manufactured goods. In response to ironical hear hears he warned the opposition that they would not feel like laughing by the time he was done. In his opinion the late depression was due to over production. Instead of the times being better for the working classes they were worse, for the purchasing power of the dollar had decreased. For the benefit presumably of the opposition who are not readers of that journal he epitomised the Globe's figures on prices of farm produce, but neglected to give the paper credit for them. He dealt in an able manner with the boundary question, putting the case of Ontario clearly before the house. He strongly condemned the vetoing of the streams bill as an unwarranted interference with the powers of the legislature. He charged the conservative party with a desire to abolish the local legislaturps. The report of the agricultural commission he considered invaluable, and urged the government to follow it up with the organization of an agricultural and industrial bureau. Mr. Hay closed by attempting a peroration in eulogy of the late President Garfield, but pathos is not in his line.

Dr. Robinson (Cardwell) in seconding the address dealt with the boundary award, condemning the action of the Dominion government. The disallowance of the streams bill he also condemned. He spoke highly of the good work done by the agricultural commission and hoped the house would see its way to passing legislation looking to the abolition of market fees. He then entered on a long dissertation on small-pox, vacination, typhoid fever, sewerage and the necessity for ventilation. He touched on and condemned the cramming system in schools, and claimed that the curriculum in our colleges and universities was far from being well adopted to advance the cause of science. The recent sale of timber limits met with his approval. He hoped that those who returned next session would meet in new parliamentary buildings. He thought free libraries might be a good thing in large cities, but the Mechanics' institutes fairly met the necessities of smaller towns. He also attempted a peroration on Garfield which scarcely came up to the standard. He closed by declaring that Guiteau was quite sane enough to hang well, and expressed the hope that he would hang accordingly.

On motion of Mr. Mowat the house adjourned till Monday.

MORE MONEY

Is What the Ontario Civil Service Want—The Act of 1878.

Example, whether good or bad, is always contagious. The attempt lately made by the government employees at Ottawa to procure an increase of salary, abortive though it proved, has been followed by a somewhat similar attempt on the part of the members of the Ontario civil service here. A petition has been for the last two weeks going the rounds of the various departments and Osgoode hall, and has been very largely signed, praying the government either to grant a general increase of salary, or to bring into force the civil service act of 1878.

This act provides for the division of the "inside" service into "ordinary" and "special" classes. The latter class comprises the occupants of such offices as require some special qualifications such as those usually attained in the professions, etc., while the "ordinary" class embraces the host of clerks and others forming the remainder of the service.

Officers of the "special" class are to receive such salaries as may be assigned to them by order in council and voted by the legislature.

"Ordinary" clerks are divided into first, second, third and fourth classes, with a rising scale of salary attached to each. Government clerks who enters the service in the ordinary way is placed in the fourth class and is allotted a salary of not more than $400 per annum. He receives an annual increase of $50 until his salary reaches the sum of $650, by which time he will have been five years in the service. He is not eligible for promotion to the third class until he has served in the fourth class for four years. On being promoted to the third class he receives a salary of $700 to begin with, and an annual increase of $50 until he is in receipt of $950 a year. He has to serve five years in this class before he becomes eligible for promotion to the next. When he enters the second class he is given $1000 a year, and the usual increase of $50 a year besides being eligible for promotion at any time. A first class clerk gets $1200 to start with, which with the $50 a year increase brings him in four years to $1400 a year. This is the maximum amount, unless he has capacity and good fortune enough to be made head of a branch, in which case his annual dole will be $1800. No further increase is open to him, unless he have the still greater good luck to be made deputy head of a department. This is the highest position in the service open to him, and the amount of his salary in this capacity, is in the discretion of the lieutenant-governor in council.

The rule of promotion both in the "ordinary" and "special" divisions is by seniority, though it may be set aside under special circumstances. Promotion from one class to another is in all cases optional with the head of a department. The act also provides for the appointment of examiners whose duty it shall be to investigate into and report upon the fitness of candidates for office, though nothing in the way of "competitive examinations" is contemplated.

Though the act was passed in 1878, it has so far remained a dead letter, owing to the optional character of its provisions, the wording of the clauses relating to the annual increase being "may" in lead of "shall." The classification required by the act has been regularly made every year, but this course confers no benefit upon the service, the salaries being left untouched. The effect of the application of the act would be a general rise in salaries, and the service base their prayer upon the ground of the increased cost of living, whether from the fiscal policy of the federal government or not they do not pretend to say. They further allege in support of their petition that the effect of the act would be to relieve ministers from the annual importuning for a "rise" to which they have now to submit; to hold out an incentive to faithful work in the shape of speedy promotion from one class to another and to place all servants upon an equal footing without regard to that political influence which they state at present to be no inconsiderable factor in promotion. It is at least doubtful whether the first of these results would be attained by the act, as ministers would probably have to undergo as much badgering for promotion from class to class as they now have for an increase of salary. The general effect of the act, however, would undoubtedly be to improve the financial position of the service.

Three delegates, one each from the education, the crown lands, and the treasury department, have been appointed to lay the petition before the attorney-general, and it is expected that this will be done at an early day.

Taking in the Farmers.

QUEBEC, Jan. 13.—A great fraud was committed at the expense of farmers in Kamouraska county last fall. A well-dressed sharper, under the assumed profession of grain dealer, went from farm to farm to purchase oats at 60c per bushel, to be delivered in January. Contracts were signed in duplicate, and it appears that the duplicates in the purchasers hands were nothing else but promissory notes which have been transferred to other parties in Montreal who want the immediate payment. The farmers' surprise and excitement at the reception of the notices can hardly be expressed. It appears that over eighty car loads of oats were ready for shipment, the farmers having threshed their oats with diligence, in order to fulfil their contract and receive their well-earned money. The farmers of St. Anne, Rivière Ouelle, St. Denis and Kamouraska have been the most imposed upon. Those having sold, for instance, four hundred bushels of oats have signed notes for $60.

Suicide a Result of Remorse.

ROCHESTER, N Y., Jan. 13.—The man found hanging in the woods near Churchville proves to be Wm. S. Fairbanks, a clerk for Jacus & Co., of Buffalo. He has been missing four weeks. The cause of the suicide is supposed to be chagrin upon detection in an unpleasant escapade.

DAVIDGE CONCLUDES.

Guiteau's Interpellations and Obstructions—Reed to Speak To-Day.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Davidge continued his address to the jury on the part of the prosecution. In the course of it Guiteau called out:

"Thank you Davidge," (sarcastically), "I am glad you are beginning to think so. A great many other people think I'm the greatest man of the day, but I don't care a snap what they think. I haven't got a bit of egotism."

In answer to the prisioner's claim of divine inspiration, Davidge read with impressive effect from the first chapter of the epistle of James 13th to 18th verses inclusive.

In a few minutes Guiteau shouted loudly, "Confer not with flesh and blood. That was Paul's idea, and that's mine. I got my advice from the deity, not from flesh and blood. That's the way Paul got his work in, and that's the way I did mine. The trouble with you is, Davidge, you don't know anything about the deity. He knows about you, though, and you will know something about him when he gets you down below.

Davidge continued: "Your countrymen and all christendom are waiting for your verdict. I thank you, gentlemen, for your attention.

Guiteau:—"And I thank you, Davidge, for your speech. It is a very light one. I hope Porter will give us as light a one. He had better see the president before he commences. I wrote the president about this matter a day or two ago.

Reed stated that he would prefer to begin and end without a break and thought he could finish his speech by one o'clock to-morrow. Adjourned.

IMMORALITY.

Meeting in Shaftesbury Hall—The Work of the Magdalen and the Haven—Mr. Fenton's correspondence with Chief Draper—How they manage in Kingston and Ottawa.

There was a meeting yesterday in Shaftesbury Hall of those interested in the question of suppressing houses of ill-fame.

Mr. Clarke Gamble read a report regarding some correspondence with the Minister of Justice, and Mr. James Thompson referred to the expenses of the meetings.

Rev. John Barton read the report of a committee appointed to visit the existing institutions for the care of fallen women, and moved a resolution to the effect that the present institutions only required to be made widely known and more liberally supported in order to afford ample provision for the reclaiming of fallen women; also that the committee be continued with instructions to keep up its correspondence with such institutions. Mr. Fenton suggested the advisability of giving the inmates of the magdalen an interest in the proceeds of their works. Mr. Clarke Gamble referred to the necessity for classification. The motion was carried.

Mr. Fenton then read the correspondence between himself and Chief Draper from which it appeared that he had repeatedly asked the chief for the names of the houses and their keepers; that as the chief had withheld the information Mr. Fenton had decided to take no further action. Also that Mr. Fenton thought that the law as it stood was quite sufficient for the suppression of houses of ill fame. Rev. John Smith read letters from the chiefs of police of Kingston and Ottawa. The former said that such an evil (houses of ill fame) did not exist in Kingston, and gave the methods he used to get rid of them. He also said that in his opinion the law gave ample power to suppress the evil. The Ottawa chief said the law was found to work very well. He was not aware of any house of ill-fame in Ottawa, though there were one or two upon which suspicion rested. His modus operandi was to have the houses watched.

On motion of Principal Caven a committee was appointed to wait upon the mayor and request him to take action in his capacity of mayor as the city, with the co-operation of the council.

A COURTEZAN'S MURDER.

After Two Years the Slayers of Emma Hamilton are Detected.

MONTREAL, Jan. 13.—Emma Hamilton, a courtesan, was terribly beaten and kicked about two years ago in a low dive in this city, and subsequently died in the hospital. The woman insisted that she had fallen from a hay cart, and that her death was the result of the fall. The public, however, thought differently and were fully convinced that she had been attacked by roughs. The whole story now comes out. A girl, who had been a companion, knew something of the affair, but could not be made to speak as her man was concerned in it. The man having now died she comes forward and tells that one evening in July, 1880, Emma Hamilton, with several other girls, was carousing in a Colborne avenue house. Some objectionable roughs were present, and Emma ordered them away. She was thereupon attacked by the ruffians, and was kicked and beaten by them until senseless and bleeding. She lay there until the morning, when she managed to be taken to the police office, staggered in, and laid her story before the officers as given above. A man named Livernois was arrested last night, and two other of the assailants are in the St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary serving a term. They will be at once questioned.

FIRE IN KINGSTON.

Knitting Works Burned—Row of Dwellings also Destroyed.

KINGSTON, Jan. 13.—At 5 o'clock this evening a lamp exploded in the building occupied by the Kingston Knitting Co., situated on King street west, setting fire to the premises which were entirely destroyed, together with a row of dwelling situated on the opposite side of the street. Sixty persons were employed in the factory and a number of them barely escaped with their lives. The factory was a frame building and together with the machinery on premises was valued at about $30,000; insured 10,000. Row of tenements owned by Mr. Doran; loss $1000; partly insured. The old Garrett homestead was also destroyed; loss about $3000; partly insured. Manufactured goods to the value of over $5000 were destroyed.

WIFE MURDERER HANGED

Moreau Expirates His Crime at Rimouski.

RIMOUSKI, Que., Jan. 13.—Moreau was hung in the jail yard at 8.30 a.m. He mounted the scaffold with a firm step, knelt down and stood up without aid. He did not say anything in reference to his crime. His lips continually moved in prayer. The fall was nine feet and death was instantaneous. His neck was broken and his head nearly severed from the trunk. The body was cut down two and a half minutes after the fall, the trunk bleeding profusely.

Moreau has not said anything lately about his alleged accomplice.

OTHER EXECUTIONS.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 13.—Thadieus Baber and W. Ward, colored, were executed this morning. Ward was buoyed by religious fervour and believed he would go direct to heaven. Baber was more apathetic, but professed to believe also. Up to the last moment both men kept their eyes on the Bible. Baber shot and killed his mistress and her mother. Ward shot and killed his sweetheart.

SUICIDE IN CHURCH.

A Lunatic named Walsh Creates a Panic.

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—A startling sensation occurred in the basement of Notre Dame cathedral to-day