Architect Lennox underwent a course of catechising at the Board of Control yesterday which elicited considerable mation respecting the progress of work on the big building which will some day be the glory of the city. The most important item of informaion was that the new Court House and civic buildings would be ready occupancy in January, 1898. The ng will all be completed next nonth, and by Dec. 1 next all the tiling will be done. The architect pro-poses to utilize as much of the rejected stone as possible in the upper part of the tower and other places where it will not be a detriment. He also proed to remove at the earliest oppor-

mised to remove at the earliest opportunity the unsightly fences and sheds which surround the buildings so that citizens may get a glimpse of the building they are paying for.

The structure is now far enough advanced to permit the plumbing and steam heating work to be done, and the Board ordered that the work be advertised in the United States and Canadian papers, tenders to be received on Oct. 8. The estimated cost is \$130,000, and there will be keen competition to get the contract. The building will be lighted by electricity, the wires being conducted through iron pipes in order to prevent danger from fire.

Complaints have been made that the advertising has not been fairly distributed and the Board ordered that all advertisements be sent by the departments to the City Clerk, who will supervise the work of distribution. THE BOARD WILL "THINK."

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When the estimates for the year were prepared the sum of \$2000 was alletted to the Children's Aid Society. The officers of the society appear, however, to have entertained the idea that it was \$3000, and have been spending accordingly. An application was, therefore, made to the Board to ingrease the grant by \$1000. As the wish in this case appeared to have been the father to the thought the controllers decided to let the society continue wishing while they take time to think.

The Harbor Commissioners were advised to apply to the Dominion Government for the annual grant of \$10,000, which, it is claimed, is necessary to dredge the deposits from the harbor.

When the contract with the Bell Telephone Company was entered into in 1891 the company only paid the city percentage on the rents actually received by them after Sept. 1 for the quarter commencing on that date. The company will, at the expiration of their contract, only allow percentage upon receipts up to December next of rents earned up to Aug. 31. As there is a possibility of the city not getting all the percentage which is due it under this arrangement, the Board ordered that the matter be looked into.

A. W. Smith and John Laxton, re-resenting the Gaudaur Reception ommittee, asked for a grant of \$460 enable them to give the champion proper reception. They explained to the citizens were contributing the see which it is proposed to prethim with. Ald. Lamb at once
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the send it over the send it over the send the send it over the send t buy a ticket, to send it over to bring the champion across the lake, and moved that \$250 be granted, but could find no support to his motion.

The other three controllers voted that \$460 be given, and then there was another nasty wrangle upon the question of who should disburse it. Finally it was ordered to be paid to the Mayor, as chairman, and R. L. Patlerson, treasurer of the Reception Committee. buy a ticket, to send it over to bring

CONTRACTS AWARDED. Messrs. McNamee & Simpson secured the contract for piling and filling byer the 900 feet of conduit pipe in Blockhouse Bay, where the sand covering had been washed away by the action of the waves. The footbridge across the Don in Riverdale Park will be built by J. P. Hamblyn at a cost of \$275.

The proposal of the Propert Committee to apply for the Government's ronsent to eliminate that portion of the Crown patent restricting the use of the St. Andrew's market property to market purposes was referred back for further information. The Mayor suggested that the building be converted into a swimming bath.

Ald. Preston's report recommending the construction of bicycle paths on certain streets was referred back.

A PLAINTIVE APPEAL. The Court of Revision completed its labors on the Fourth Ward assessment yesterday. The court had quite a little contest with Alexander Manning, who appealed against the assessment of \$20,958 on about two acres of vacant leasehold land on the southwest corner of the southern prolongation of Avenue-road and the western crescent of Queen's Park. Mr. Manning declared that he had been persecuted and robbed for years in connection with the assessment of this piece of property, and that when other proof property, and that when other pro-perties had been reduced his assess-ment had been kept up. The assessors denied the statement, and backed up their denial by the official records.

Mr. Manning made a big fight to be assessed only on the ground rent, but the court plainly told him that he was treated no differently from other people and would make no reduction The appeal of I. B. Johnson agains

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The Public Library Board met yesterday afternoon; present H. T.Kelly in the chair, Judge McDougall, John Taylor, Frank Somers, T. W. Banting and W. D. McPherson. The library's committee report stated that a letter had been submitted from the Inspector of Public Schools, relative to the library placing in the schools, books for the use of the pupils as supplementary reading. Mr. James Bain, librarian, in his report of his attendance upon the American Library Association at Cleveland, stated that in his opinion little was to be gained by the open shelf system. The library committee recommended the purchase of 903 books, the estimated cost being \$740. They also recommended that the list of donations be accepted, and that the list of donations had committee be instructed to enlarge the cases for new books and place an additional arc lamp for the same, the estimated cost being \$63. The Building and Finance Committee commended the payment of the following accounts: Library Committee's accounts, \$1031.70; total \$2085.85.

It was moved by Judge McDougall, seconded by Mr. Taylor, that the closing of the Northern and Eastern branches of the library be postponed until Dec. 1, pending an interview with the Board of Control by Messrs. Kelly and McPherson. Public Library Board.

The lawn adjoining the east wing of the University is under process of improvement by being considerably raised between the gravel roadway and the building. A granolithic walk will be run the full length of the building on that side with an approach to the east entrance. When properly sodded, the appearance of this part of the lawn will be much improved. On the other side of the roadway the knoll is being levelled down to make room for another tennis court, which is badly needed.

Two features of 'Varsity life are holding the attention of the students just at present. One is the annual supplemental examination, and the other is Rugby football. Both combined have drawn a large number of the students back to the city, and the educational metropolis of Ontario presents its usual college appearance. The exams, began on the 15th and end on the 25th. A somewhat smaller number than usual are writing. Practice in football has begun in earnest. All the old men are back, except Joe McDougall and Courtney Kingstone, who will be ready for practice on Monday. Regret is expressed that Bradley will not be able to resume play this fail. He had typhold fever last spring and has been ailing ever since. Mr. A. S. Mackay, '96, has secured a scholarship in Boston University, and will leave for that institution next week to take post-graduate work in philosophy and theology.

AS RUSSIA WOULD LIKE IT.

Have Joined France and Russia Against England.

ITALY'S FLEET ALSO. London, Sept. 18.—A special despatch received here from Rome says that Vicé-Admiral Canevaro, with the fly-ing squadron, leaves for the Levant

CRUISER CINCINNATI SAILED. New York, Sept. 18.—The United States cruiser Cincinnati sailed yesterday for the Bosphorus. RELATIONS STRAINED.

Rome, Sept. 18.—It is stated upon emi-official authority that the com-nunications between the Italian Government and the powers show that their relations are strained to the peint of rupture, and that a Cabinet Council has been summoned to disuss the situation MR. GLADSTONE'S HOPES.

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London, Sept. 18.—Mr. Gladstone has written a letter in which he expresses the hope that the memorial upon the Turkish question which it is proposed to present to the Czar will awaken the mind and heart of that monarch to a realization of the fearful mischief which the policy of his recently deceased Foreign Minister (Prince Lobanoff) has done so much to promote.

Twelve dollars is the price of all weight overcoat at Oak Hall. The oat is made of the best imported Ve etian cloth, trimmed with the finest armer's satin, silk sewed, and put ogether by the most competent tailors The style and finish leave nothing be desired. Other prices range down from \$10 to \$5. Oak Hall is exactly posite the Cathedral entrance on King-street east, and is the leading tore for fine clothing at low prices.

Mr. Thomas Thompson is going to he Old Country and has sold his seautiful residence, The Maples, Roselale, to Mr. Haney, and instructed lessrs. C. J. Townsend & Co. to sell he whole of his magnificent houseld furniture on Tuesday, 29th Sepember. This is a rare chance for arties requiring really good furniture.

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The appeal of I. H. Johnson against the income assessment of Mrs. Beart of more was successful, the assessor of feel method from \$1000.

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n Y.W.C. Guild Hall, 21 Mc-Gill-street.



Kilties Parade.

Last night was to have been the second Last night was to have been the second street parade of the Kilties for the season but owing to the rain it was postponed, and a review was held in the Armoury instead. There was a good turnout, about 200 being present. Both galleries were filled with spectators. On Saturday, Sept. 28, the fifth annual rifle match of the regiment will be held on the Long Branch rifle ranges, commencing at 9.30 o'clock. INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM-M

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S. Ackerman, commercial traveler, Believille, writes: "Some years ago I used Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for Inflammatory Rheumatism, and three bottles effected a complete cure. I was the whole of one summer unable to move without crutches, and every movement caused exeruciating pains. I am now out on the road and exposed to all kinds of weather, but nave never been troubled with rheumatism since. I, however, keep a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Oll on hand, and I always recommend it to others, as it did so much for me.

Edward McPherson and Thomas McDonald, the men charged with as-saulting Michael Cashman of The Globe, pleaded not guilty in the Police Court and were remanded for a week.

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Ladies' Dongola Button Boot, pointed toe, patent tip, welted sole, sizes 2 1-2 to 7, regular \$3, special Monday
Ladies' American Kid Button Boot, tipped or plain opera

toe, sewed sole, regular \$1.50, Monday Misses' Laced Boot, sewed or rivetted sole, pointed or round toe, solid and durable, for school wear, sizes 11 to 2, regular price \$1, Monday. Child's Tan Button Boot, round toe, turn sole, sizes 4 to 10, regular price 75c, special Monday Infants' Button Boot, wine color and red, pat. foxed, turn sole, sizes 1 to 4, special Monday

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