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Next in order and agree of warmth was Aid. Haliam's appeal to the Mayor, as "supreme Magistrate" of the city, to com-bine with the Sonettor to work out a solu-tion. "Council," he confessed, "had never been in earnest on this matter. It wanted hackbone, Everyone is entitled to a seat in a street car. Mr. Keating, when City kneineer, determined that a surplus of bu in a street car. Mr. Keating, when Gity ingineer, determined that a surplus of bo per cent, could stand up. [Laughter,] "If he could say that," argued Aid, Hal-lan, "then this Counci, through the pre-sent Engineer, can abrogate that and give everyone a seat." Aid, Sheppard clung to the Idea of the surficiency of present knowledge of the agreement, with its provisional penalty of \$10,000 for any breach. Aid, Russell told the Mayor how the people were unanimously executing the En-gameer and himself for their want of back-bone.

one More Chance for Rust. One More Chance for Rust. Then "Fighting Jim" Gowanlock jumped into the melee. He proposed that Ald. Howman withdraw his motion, for, like Ald. Sheppard, he felt that the Engineer's pow-ers were clearly enough defined, "I think Mr. Rust has the backbone if Council would stand by him," was his estimation. "Let Mr. Rust report to Council his posi-tion. Let Council then endorse him. If Mr. Rust doesn't act, then I, for one, will act, Let Mr. Rust have one more chance to declare himself. Ald. Frankland was at still higher pres-sure. "If Mr. Rust, as City Engineer, will not do the bidding of Councid," This exceptional fervor induced a like attitude from Ald. R. H. Graham, "If the Engineer does not do his daty, then we should pet somebody who will. "And," he added, "Mr. Rust should be toid of our determination. But give him one more

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Houses Damaged and Some Col-lapsed-50 Children Injured. Athens, Jan. 23.-There have been fresh earthquake shocks to-day in the Provinces of the Peloponnesus, particularly in the Districts of Kyparissia and Filiatra, in the Department of Messenia, on the Ionian coast. In the town of Kyparissia, a num-ber of houses damaged by yesterday's shocks collapse this afternoon, injuring many. In one village 50 children were in-jured.

A Minstrel Concert. Lodge Stafford, S.O.E.B.S. and their friends were, entertained last evening by the Dusky Star Minstrel troup, who are connected with the lodge. The affair was very successful and the efforts of the various artists were fully appreciated by the large crowd present. Those taking part in the program were: Messrs. T. C. Balley, H. Watson, T. H. W. Balley, H. D. Pitcher, W. Smith, Joseph Waiters, J. Harper, George Baker, George Harrison, R. G. Bailey, T. Dudley, J. Watson and the Hisson brothers. A Minstrel Concert.

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Fire in the I. C. R. Coal Shed. Moneton. N.B., Jan. 23.—About, 10 o'clock to-night fire broke out must the engine in the coal shed of the I.C.R. yards, and soon spread. It almost total-ly destroyed the building, which was of wccd. The loss will be about \$1500. Some excitement was caused in town by the big glare, creating the impression that the I.C.R. shops were on fire.

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not-but blumeworthy at any fite, because of its carelessness. Mr. Foster was repre-sented as having said he had no use for independent men. Most of those present had heard Mr. Foster, and they knew that he had not said anything which could be tortured into such a statement. Mr.Wright read from Mr. Foster's speech, showing that Mr. Bertram had grossly misquoted hm. Mr. Bertram had said that he thank-ed the Conservatives who had voted for bin. Well, if any had done so, he could not have had the confidence of the Liber-als, for he had received 200 fewer votes than Mr. Lount at the previous election. Mr. Bertram now took the ground that the tariff should not be considered in an aca-demic way. In this he is right, but Mr. Wright remembered when he met Mr. Bert-ram in 1873, that was the only way in which he would discuss it. Then he was crammed to the anuzzle with Mill and Faw-cett. Ricardo and Bastiat, and Adam Smith. Then, Mr. Wright had labored with him, and tried to show him that the tariff was a source of gratification to learn that his labors had not been in vain, but that Mr. Bertram was at least partially convert-ed. Mr. Bertram's claim that the Liberals had redeemed their tariff pledges was evi-dence either that he had a low opinion of the intelligence of his addience or a large opinion of their swallowing capacity. Re-cently it was said that Sir W. Van Horne, when about to make a speech, had request-ed the newspaper men present not to make notes. This was one way of avoiding dis-agreeable and embarrassing responsibility, but it was not equal to the plan of the labore had been fulfiled. **Prosperous Through the X. P.** Mr. Wright was gliad to be able to agree C. W. Cyclists all over greatly interested International Cyclist the world's meet and the O.W.A. c real committee ha regarding the arr Irwin, who is a World'y Meet Con holder of several wheeling arena, re ing from Montree wheeling arena, r ing from Montrea World that the O. World that the C. Montreal Commit standing on Saturd is now running s wheelmen are very thing points to the being the most suc the International \* Mr. Inwin says 1 accepted by the that Louis Ruben president of the \* ceive any oppositi Names of other been mentioned f

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John Young Reid, 87 Pembroke-street, died last night. He was 76 years of age, and was born in Berwickshire, Scotland. The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Croup Quickly Cured. Mrs. J. Sins, Mt. Pleasant, Vancou-ver. B.C., writes : If there ever was an unfailing remedy for a disease, it is Griffiths' Menthol Limiment for croup. We have frequently administered it to our children, even the baby, and never knew of its failure to cure in a few minutes. No home should be without it. 25 cents at druggists. John Young Heid, 87 Penbroke-street, and was born in Berwickshire, Scotland. More Practical. More Practical. She: I don't believe you think hadf so mech of me as Tom Binsley does. He tells me be could die for me. He: That's nothing. I love you well enough to live for you,