

One of the most remarkable and terrible ever fought. The army of the general whose previous successes had terrified Europe was posted along the ascent with Hougoumont, and the general himself had taken up his stand in a farm house called the "Belle Alliance." The opposing forces were extended over an elevation in the Charleroi Road about two miles from the little village in Belgium which gave its name to the battle. Each commander was thus able to command a view of the whole field. The first general with better equipped and better drilled troops and unable to see the reserve force of the other was over confident. The second commander, supported by the broughold Pression marshall divided his troops into two lines and availed the beginning of the ported by the brave old Prussian marshal, divided his troops into two lines and awaited the beginning of the battle. It was between eleven and twelve o'clock on Sunday the 18th of June, 1815, that the actual engagement began. The action opened with a brisk cannonade on the house and wood of Hougoumont which were held by

OUESTIONS:-Ist. Name the battle referred to in above description 2nd. What two nations were principally interested? 3rd. Give names of two principal commanders. 4th. Did defeated commander ever regain his position? 5th. Where did he die?

> Toronto, February 2nd, 1892. To Whom It May Concern:-

This is to certify that we have this day contracted with the publishers of the LADIES PICTORIAL WEEKLY to ship for them two of the "Heintzman & Co's. Upright Pianos, Style D.," valued at \$350.00 each, to the two successful contestants in their Prize History Competition, and have received their order

Respectfully, HEINTZMAN & CO. for the same. (Signed) A Heintzman Upright Piano, valued at \$350.00, will be given for the FIRST correct answers to the above questions and a PRIZE valued at from TEN TO TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS will be given for each of the next TEN correct answers received.

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POLITICAL SNAP-SHOTS.

the Ontario civil service that "Mice" may feel some interest in, and feel thankful for a pointer. It refers to the Division Court \$11,030.19 NETFED BY A SQUARE DEAL

It is whispered that an important official Also \$100,000 Yearly Spent in is on the point of resigning.

Now, in the ordinary course of events, 'Mice" might see in this a chance for advancement, or at all events an opportunity to extend the limits of his jurisdiction, as he tried some time ago, being foiled, however, by the superior deftness of the official in

However much this might be natural and proper on the part of 'Mice," he is not in it on the present deal, which he will probably hear of for the first time as he reads these lines.

The job as it stands is already hypothecated, and no London Grit need apply. A man from a distance off is the favorite, and he will get the appointment, else there will be no resignation.

All of which is respectfully submitted as a fair specimen of Civil Service methods as adopted by the Mowat Government, but as a statement is less than half of what is whispered in the matter.

Thursday's elections that resulted famously in favor of the Dominion Government candidates' in Lennox and Prince Edward Island took place right in the heart of Canada's barley district. The hearty endorsation of the Government there leaves binging twine to be the only Grit grievance.

The 'Tizer protests against beer and "bear socials." Maybe it's right; perhaps beer goes better with pigs' feet than it does

Mr. Hyman's majority will be two or industries combined. three times what it was last year. If the Sentinel-Review man was in the London betting crowd he would have to wear a MORTAR-SPOTTED SKIN linen duster all next winter.

Grip has a cartoon of Mr. Hyman this week. If Mr. Hyman ever yearned for damages in a suit he never had them placed nearer.

The 'Tizer speaks of charges made by Mr. Lister "on his responsibility as a member of the House of Commons." Whoever heard of such rot? A member of the House of Commons has no responsibility whatever for what he may say. He can say what he chooses on the floor of the House, and no one can call his utterance in question, or hold him responsible for what he says. There was a time when the Tizer was supposed to have knowledge of constitutional law, but it seems to have

Hon. David Mills, who does know something of constitutional law, must laugh in his sleeve as he sees such utter nonsense being paraded as argument. No one knows better than Mr. Mills that no member of the House can be called to answer outside for what he says in the Chamber.

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"The Trader" is the recognized organ of Canadian jewellers, and a lively monthly journal it is. In the February number it hits off a well-known citizen after the following fashion: — "Peter Birtwistle.

The new Blood and Skin Purifier and greatest of Humor Remedies, internally (to cleanse the blood of all impurities and thus remove the cause), and Cuticura, the great Skin Cure, and Cuticura Soap, an exquisite Skin Beautifier, externally (to clear the kin and scalp and restore the hair), cure every species of agonzing, itching, burning, scaly and pimply diseases of the skin, scalp and blood. following fashion: - "Peter Birtwistle, jeweller, of London, figures very prominently in the London election trial, in which Mr. Hyman was unseated. Peter got in his work amongst the Italians in the Ward, and according to his own statement spent about \$100 in trying to turn the Conservative Government out. As the election trial failed to accomplish this end, Peter is out of his mone, but he gained considerable experience."

Mr. James Findlay, of Pembroke, one of the prominent Reformers of Eastern Ontario, has kicked over the traces, and protests strongly against the appointment of certain civil servants by the Ontario Government. Mr. Findlay has always been a prominent man in the ranks of the Reform party of Renfrew, and in all elections for both Houses takes a very active part. He has a large following, and if he should come out as a candidate will probably receive their support as well as that of a majority of the Conservative party, and would defeat Mr. Barr, the Grit nominee for the Local.

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The Stratbroy "Dispatch" very tritely says: -- "It does not seem to be at all neces- GRAND OPERA HOUSE. sary for anybody to borrow trouble about Mr. Carling's election in London. As a Minister of the Crown, and probably the RITE'S BEAUTIFUL EXTRAVAGANZA best friend London ever had, we believe the Forest City will on the coming occasion prefer him to anything savoring of pickled-well, you can guess the rest.

P. C. Donnelly, of Brantford, received a telegram from Otterville at 8.45 on Thursday morning to arrest a Parnado boy named Herbert Leach, aged 18 years, who was wanted for stealing \$110.09 from Mr. Chas. Wade, a farmer of North Norwich. GRAND OPERA HOUSE He arrested the boy at 9 o'clock, and the money was found on him. The owner followed the message to Brantford, and the prisoner was arraigned at the Police Court forthwith and in a little over an hour from the time the telegram was received, had been sentenced to four months in the Central.

There were three burglaries in Stratford Wednesday night. One man is supposed to have done all the burglarizing, and he escaped with something less than \$100, all

QUESTION ANSWERED.

There is now a little deal on in regard to The Military School Site, and What the City Gained By It.

A correspondent asks the FREE PRESS to tell over again what took place in respect of the Military School site, as some are saying that the city lost by it, and there being a dispute, they would like to

know the truth.

In reply, the facts are to be thus stated: -The site of the Military School, 51 acres in extent, was bought by the City Council trom Hon. Mr. Carling for the sum of torty thousand dollars, and given over to the Government in exchange for the ordnance lands lying between Wellington and Waterloo streets, south of the present drill shed. This land was placed in the hands of the London Trust and divided into building lots and sold by them. The ordnance lands, from being merely the site of certain stables and a powder magazine, are now ornamented with some of the finest modern residences

The sum which the London Trust have realized from the sale of the lands has been altogether \$51,030.19, as may be seen on referring to the balance sheet of the Secretary. Mr. Andrew Dale.

it will thus be seen that, instead of the city losing by the deal, it has profited to the extent of no less than \$11,030.19.

This in reply to the question that has been asked. How it has been proposed to dispose of this surplus amount will do to relate in a future issue. It will be found to be of general interest.

But in the meantime it with bear's meat. It is all a matter of as a result of the deal with the Govwith bear's meat. It is all a matter of taste.

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The Woodstock Sentinel-Review says

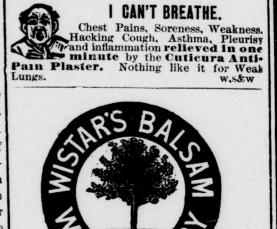
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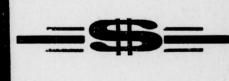
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