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WEDNESDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 3, 1890.

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## PARNELL CALLED A MAN OF DESTINY

### WHO WILL MAKE HIS ENEMIES HIS FOOTSTOOL.

**Indications Which Point to the Retirement of Mr. Gladstone as Leader of the Liberal Party.**

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Nothing was done at the morning session of the Nationalist party to-day, and an adjournment took place until after the debate on the second reading of the Land Purchase Bill.

A sharp controversy took place concerning the cable despatches which had been sent to the delegates in the United States for the purpose of influencing their action. Mr. Kenny admitted he had cabled his own views to the delegates.

Mr. O'Connor declared that the business had not been conducted fairly. He justified Parnell's action in issuing his manifesto and condemned misleading cable despatches that had been sent to the delegates in the United States.

Mr. Campbell described the proceedings of Parnell's opponents as infamous.

Mr. Parnell was appealed to to decide whether the expression used by Mr. Campbell was orderly. He replied the country would decide as to their proceedings.

Mr. Healy described the actions of Parnell's friends as obstructive. Parnell denounced this remark as insolent and impertinent. This statement was greeted with cheers of approval by Parnell's friends, which were answered with cheers of derision by his opponents.

**A Postponed Resolution Rejected.**

Joseph Nolan's amendment, that the question of the retirement of Parnell should be postponed until members had personally ascertained the views of their constituents on the subject, the party then to meet in Dublin and decide the matter, was rejected 44 to 29.

Mr. O'Kelly declared that whatever might be the result of the meeting the question of Parnell's retirement would not be decided at Westminster. A decision ought not to be hurriedly reached. It would be best to give the country time to think. The power of the Liberal party to do anything for the furtherance of the Home Rule cause was limited by the House of Lords, which was always a barrier unless its members feared a revolution. But they would never see a revolution in England based upon Irish claims.

Arthur O'Connor advised Parnell to withdraw, as henceforth it would be impossible for him to be the leader of the party.

Mr. Jordan accused Parnell of sacrificing the cause of the nation to his insensate pride and culpable ambition.

In the course of the discussion Parnell attacked Barry and others for sending despatches to America trying to influence the delegates there.

Mr. Sexton said he became aware last week that a number of messages were being received from the delegates.

Parnell: "Where are they?"

Sexton: "They were from individual delegates to individual members."

John Redmond: Give the names.

Sexton: I received a telegram from T. P. O'Connor requesting me to give my views on the situation. I cabled informing him that a majority favored the retirement of Parnell as necessary both for the Home Rule cause and the security of evicted tenants. I further added that if the envoys saw a way to support the majority substantial unanimity would be secured.

Col. Nolan: Mr. Sexton ought now to withdraw his expression of opinion in that telegram for he made a mistake. It is such an important expression of opinion that probably the telegram from the delegates in America were founded thereon. [Cries of "hear, hear."] Mr. Sexton must now see that unanimity does not follow the delegates voting against Parnell. [Cries of "hear, hear"].

Mr. Leamy: Unquestionably the effect of these telegrams has been to create false impressions at home and abroad.

**A Large-Sized Row.**

Timothy Healy—What's all this discussion about? It seems another piece of pure obstruction.

Parnell—That is a most insolent, impertinent observation. [Cheers.] Yes, most insolent and impertinent.

Barry—I rise—

Parnell—Sit down, Mr. Barry.

Barry—But allow—

Parnell—I will not allow you, sir. Mr. Leamy is in possession of the floor.

Leamy—These telegrams to America certainly produced a false impression in implying that a majority of the leading men of the party were going in one direction.

Mr. Redmond: If any names were sent to the delegates in America all on each side ought to have been given. I hear that the delegates' cablegram was read by certain members of our party in an English club and was received with cheers. If Parnell is to be deposed, in God's name depose him without making it a matter of cheering in an English club [Hear, hear.]

Timothy Healy said he regarded this line of debate as a red herring drawn across their path to delay them in coming to a decision on the main question of Parnell's retirement.

There were angry colloquys between Parnell and J. F. X. O'Brien and Parnell and Healy.

**How The Vote Stood.**

The following voted in the minority on Nolan's Amendment:

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| John P. Nolan. | Joseph Nolan. | Blane. |
| Byrne. | Corbet. | Clancy. |
| Campbell. | Dalton. | Fitzgerald. |
| Edward Harrington. | Hayden. | W Macdonald. |
| | J. H. McCarthy. | Harris. |
| McKenna. | Macroney. | Maguire. |
| John O'Connor. | O'Hanlon. | O'Kelly. |
| Parnell. | Richard Power. | Quinn. |
| John Redmond. | Wm. Redmond. | Shie. |
| Conway. | J. E. Kenny. | Leamy. |

Carew, Gilhooley, P'OBrien, Leahy, Lalor, and Mahon were absent. No demonstration was made over the result of the division. Parnell declared himself more than satisfied. party will resume to-morrow the discussion of Barry's motion for the retirement of Parnell. Parnell's supporters are considering another amendment. Mr. Clancy will submit a resolution suggesting a compromise. It is reported he will propose Parnell retire temporarily from the leadership.

**A Letter from Harcourt.**

Sir William Vernon Harcourt has written a letter in which he confirms McCarthy's statement made at the Parnellite meeting last night relative to what took place between them at the time of McCarthy's recent visit to him. Sir William further says he did not regard Parnell's proposals as practical. He told McCarthy the condition of secrecy was inadmissible—a document accepting the proposals could be of no value to Parnell or any one else unless its contents were made known. Sir William says he did not attach any importance to Parnell's pledge of inviolable secrecy. The Irish party and the Irish nation possessed a higher and more lasting security than any secret negotiations of individual pledges in the unquestionable fact that no party, no leaders, could ever propose or hope to carry any scheme for Home Rule which did not have the concurrence and support of the Irish nation as declared by its representatives in parliament. Sir William says the statements of Parnell relating to his (Sir William's) views and conduct are unworthy of notice and opposed to the truth.

**Harrington Summoned Home.**

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Timothy Harrington, the only one of the Irish delegation here who is in favor of Parnell still holding his position as leader of the Irish Nationalist party, to-day received a telegram from Parnell's supporters calling him home instantly. Mr. Harrington subsequently said: "I have not yet decided what I shall do. I will not return home at once. I will remain with my colleagues here to see if we cannot finish the great work we have in hand."

To his callers to-day Harrington said: "I have full advices Parnell is safe. The man who has handled this great Irish party for 11 years so successfully, often in the face of his own friends, will do it now. He is a man of destiny. He cannot be overthrown. He is invincible, and the Irish people feel it. He will make his enemies his footstool."

**The League Upholds Parnell.**

DUBLIN, Dec. 2.—The regular meeting of the National League was held here to-day. The proceedings were stormy. The names of Sexton and Healy, when mentioned by the speakers, were greeted with groans and hisses. The chairman made a violent speech in favor of Parnell. A Protestant moved, and a Catholic priest seconded, a resolution calling upon Ireland to support Parnell. The resolution was carried with few dissenting votes.

A meeting of National League branches at Ballylanders to-day sent a despatch to Mr. Finucane declaring he must support Parnell or resign his seat in Parliament.

At Abbeyleix, Queen's County, the Board of Guardians resolved to support Parnell. The board declared that while rents were still too high the reduction that had been made was due to the efforts of Mr. Parnell.

**Liberals Confer.**

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Arnold Morley, Sir George O. Trevelyan, Campbell Bannerman, Sir William Vernon Harcourt, Earl Granville and Shaw-Lefevre assembled at Gladstone's residence to-day and conferred for an hour with the ex-premier.

The subject discussed was the retirement of the Liberal leader. It was decided to convoke a meeting of Liberal peers and members of the House of Commons to hear a statement by Mr. Gladstone.

**Drink Winterine, the hot temperance beverage; at all grocers, confectioners and restaurants.**

## IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

**Debate on the Second Reading of the Land Bill.**

LONDON, Dec. 2.—In the House of Commons to-day Mr. Balfour moved that the Irish Land Purchase Bill pass its second reading.

Mr. Ellis moved an amendment declaring the bill was an unsafe measure as regarded the Imperial exchequer, and was unjust to the occupiers of the land.

Mr. Gladstone said he found nothing in the changes made in the bill since the last session that was likely to render its character more satisfactory. There was removal of the 20 years' limit, with a proposal that the county ratepayers have power to vote, whether or not the county funds should become liable for sums borrowed in the purchase of land. Did Mr. Balfour recognize the probability that the ratepayers' vote might stop the purchase of lands in many districts? [Mr. Balfour here nodded assent.] He reminded the House that as peculiar circumstances prevented the presence of Irish members it would be a great mistake to pass a land bill that was opposed to their desires and convictions. The want of Irish authority went to the root of the whole matter and impelled every true friend of Ireland to oppose the bill.

Mr. Chamberlain asked Mr. Balfour if he had calculated the amount required under the bill and by what area it was limited. His estimate, he said, placed the total at less than £100,000,000. He advised Mr. Balfour to withdraw the concession removing the 20 years limit but to adhere to the ratepayers' plebiscite.

Mr. Balfour reported that he estimated the total amount required to complete the purchase at £95,000,000. The bill in providing for an advance of £23,000,000 would make a great impression and would greatly simplify the problem. He would reconsider the question of the twenty-years' limit. The ratepayers plebiscite scheme, he considered, a valuable alteration to the measure. Referring to evictions which might arise from default of the tenants in buying the land Mr. Balfour denied that state would become evictors. That process he stated would be undertaken by the land commissioner acting in the interests of the local authorities.

**Jottings About Town.**

The will of the late John W. Seymour was proved yes'erday at $5918.

A fire at the house of James Morris, 218 River-street, caused by hot ashes, did $150 damage last night.

The final committee meeting of the Meeting of Nations will be held in Temperance Hall to-morrow at 8 p.m.

Rev. J. A. Turnbull of St. Mary's will be asked to succeed Rev. R. Wallace as pastor of West Presbyterian Church.

A fire at Miss Long's fancy goods store, 33½ Yonge-street, caused by an over-heated stove, did $200 damage last evening.

The Master Bakers' Association met last night in Richmond Hall and transacted routine business. B. Goodman presided.

The County Court and General Sessions opened yesterday before Judge Macdougall. After the jury had been charged the court adjourned.

At a meeting of the annual subscribers of the Toronto General Hospital in the Board of Trade rooms yesterday Mr. Walter S. Lee was unanimously re-elected trustee for 1891.

The police go on winter duties to-night. Monday and Tuesday nights the night men were given an hour's rest in the different stations to warm up and eat their lunches.

On Monday evening the Y.P.A. in connection with Berkeley-street Church gave an enjoyable at home in the lecture room of the church. There was a good attendance.

Alfred Hyde, an acrobat, with no home, was arrested last night by Detective John Cuddy, charged with stealing an overcoat, the property of J. M. Fish, 139 Seaton-street.

At the adjourned inquest touching the death of John I. Burgess, held last night in West Toronto Junction, the jury returned a verdict of death from natural causes.

Thieves broke into the Gerrard-street Methodist Church at an early hour yesterday morning and stole several dollars worth of cake and other things left over from the social held on the previous evening.

The council of the School of Practical Science has decided to award Mr. D. B. Dick's annual prize of $10 in books in the course in architecture for general proficiency in the first year.

At the York Township Council on Monday night Ald. E. A. Macdonald applied for a bylaw to equalize taxation throughout the township. Consideration of the application was deferred till the 15th inst.

The Caithness Society held its regular meeting in Shaftesbury Hall last night, Alexander Coghill in the chair. The presence of the Thistle Quadrille Band made the proceedings more than usually interesting.

Oscar Sparrow, nephew of Parliament Buildings Housekeeper Macdonnell, died on Monday night at his uncle's residence of consumption at the age of 17. Although so young, the dead youth at the time of his demise was 6 feet 2 inches in height.

The Canadian Temperance League began their second campaign of the season last night in the West End Y.M.C.A. hall. Joe Hess spoke for an hour to a large audience. His subject to-night will be "Some Incidents in My Life."

The regular meeting of the Gaelic Society was held in Richmond Hall last night, the president, D. Spence, in the chair. John Spence gave an address on reminiscences on the Isle of Skye. A program of vocal and instrumental music was also presented. Four new members were initiated.

Dr. P. H. Bryce, secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, lectured yesterday afternoon before the Engineering Society at the School of Science on "Underground Waters and Sources of Water Supply." The lecture was illustrated by chalk sketches.

About 400 lads, who behaved remarkably well, met in St. Andrew's Church Institute, Nelson-street, last night and were organized into classes for the night school. There was singing and addresses by Mr. Muldrew and Mr. James Strachan. The opening of the baths and gymnasium was posponed till next week.

At the second regular meeting of the Oriental Club, held in Knox College last night, Prof. McCurdy read an interesting paper on "The Career and History of Cyrus the Great," showing the fulfilment of prophecy as to the return of the Jews from Babylon. At the next meeting on Jan. 13 a paper will be read on "The Effects of the Physical Features of Palestine on the Jewish Nation."

Mr. Charles Chamberlin, after 25 years' experience as a practical builder and valuator in this city and more recently connected with a large real estate firm in Vancouver, B.C., has undertaken the management of the Toronto and Vancouver Real Estate Exchange, with offices at Richmond Chambers, 11 and 13 Richmond-street west, in this city, and we have no hesitation in prophesying a successful future for the new company under his management. Their advertisement is in another column.

This resolution was passed by the Eight Hours' League last night: "While expressing no opinion as to the advisability of the city operating the road or leasing it to a company, desires to express its approval of the proposal to make a maximum day of ten hours (for the present) for the employes of any company that may obtain the privilege of operating the street railway in Toronto as a step in the direction of an eight hour day for all workers."

**Public School Notes.**

Parkdale night school has been closed on account of the small attendance.

Kindergartens have been opened in connection with George and Phœbe-street schools.

Hon. G. W. Ross and Mrs. Ross, W. H. Howland, Beverley Jones and Inspector Hughes visited Victoria Industrial School on Monday.

Inspector Hughes has written Mayor Clarke, asking if the city has any unused building that can be utilized temporarily for a girls' industrial school.

Secretary Wilkinson is preparing for the monthly teachers' pay day to-morrow from 4 to 5. It takes on an average $23,000 per month to pay the instructors of the children.

**This is the Weather for Furs.**

The cold, bleak wind that is coming down in all its fury from the icy regions of the north is beginning to stir the people up to buy furs. The fur stores were very busy yesterday and Dineen predicts a lively time if this weather will only hold out. The great demand is for capes, storm collars, muffs, boas and caps, and an unusual supply has been made up by Dineen to meet the wants of the people before the holidays.

**Remember A. O. F. Grand Concert, Pavilion, to-morrow night. Plan at Nordheimer's.**

**At the Hotels.**

J. McCosh, Orillia, is at the Rossin.

Dr. H. L. Cook, Napanee, is at the Walker.

Dr. C. B. Maclean, Meaford, is at the Queen's.

James Masson, M.P., Owen Sound, is at the Rossin.

Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture, is at the Rossin.

F. Mackelcan and wife, Hamilton, are at the Queen's.

W. M. Hendrie and wife, Hamilton, are at the Queen's.

George Hutchinson, farm delegate, Penrith, Eng., is at the Queen's.

**Bell-Smith's collection of Oil Paintings and Water Colors commences this afternoon at the "Mart," Oliver, Coate & Co., at 3 o'clock.**

**Libelous if Untrue.**

If you do not carry a life insurance policy in the Manufacturers' of Toronto is it not a fact that you are compelling your family to run a risk which may result in their absolute and irretrievable ruin?

**A Cold Fact.**

It is a rare thing to-day to find a man who will not acknowledge accident insurance to be a good thing, but there are still many men uninsured. All men are mortal, except yourself, and an accident may happen to ever, body but you, for your occupation is safe. If you doubt this take out a policy in the Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company of Toronto to-day.

**Catarrh—Hay Fever—Catarrhal Deafness.**

A New Home Treatment whereby the worst cases are permanently cured by a few simple applications made fortnightly by the patient at home. Send stamp for descriptive circular. A. H. Dixon & Son, 345 West King-street, Toronto, Canada.

**Lovers of art should not fail to attend the sale of Bell-Smith's collection of Paintings, which takes place this afternoon at Messrs. Oliver, Coate & Co.'s, commencing at 3 o'clock.**

Call at Oak Hall and see their tremendous stock of men's and youths' peajackets suitable for walking and skating. They produce their own goods and guarantee both durability and fit.

## A VERY PRETTY WEDDING AT TRINITY

### THE BURDEN—EATON NUPTIALS ARE DULY SOLEMNIZED.

**The Happy Young Couple Join Hands and Hearts in the Presence of a Numerous Concourse of Friends.**

There was a pretty and fashionable wedding in Trinity Methodist Church last night, and the handsome edifice was crowded with the friends of the contracting parties. These were Miss Maggie E B Eaton, daughter of Mr Timothy Eaton (T Eaton & Co), and Mr. Charles E Burden of the E Harris Company, dealers in artists' materials. Miss Tyner, Miss Burden and Miss Rogers acted as bridesmaids and Mr Edmund Y Eaton as groomsman. Mr G H Parks was master of ceremonies.

The officiating clergyman was Rev Thomas Cosford of London, assisted by Rev Dr Hugh Johnston, pastor of the church. Mr Cosford married the bride's parents at St. Mary's. The ushers were Dr E Hartley Robinson, W H Howard Chandler, Fred Sykes, W J McNally, Dr W H Harris.

Miss Eaton's bridal dress was of ivory white silk, the front of the dress draped with Brussels pointe lace, the bodice being ornamented with similar lace and pearls and ostrich feathers. She wore a tulle veil, with chaplet of orange blossoms. Miss Tyner wore a buttercup crepe de cheve, and carried a basket of flowers. A beautiful wreath of roses ornamented her hair. Miss Burden was attired in a nile green crepe de cheve, and carried a basket of pink roses. Miss Rogers' costume was also of crepe de cheve, and she carried a basket of red roses.

Mr. Benjamin K. Burden played the wedding march on the organ in good style. After the ceremony in the church there was a wedding dejeuner at the residence of Mr. Eaton, to which these among other guests were invited:

Joseph Abbott, Mr and Mrs Burden and family of Huron street, Mr and Mrs Burden of Ross treet, Mrs and Miss Bridgeland, Miss Beatty, Miss A Beatty, Mr Burnside, London Eng.; Miss Burnside, Mr and Mrs Barker, Mr and Mrs J P Bull, the Misses Bull, Mr and Mrs Charles Burden, Sonora, Tuolumne Co, Cal; Mr and Mrs Belding, Miss Childs, Mrs Cuthbertson, Dr and Mrs Cotton, Rev T and Mrs and Miss Cosford, London; Mr and Mrs Crabbe, Mr and Mrs Chandler, F Good, CE Clarke, Mr and Mrs St. Clair, Dr and Mrs Dewart, Mr and Mrs C R S Dinnick, Mr and Mrs Evans, Hamilton; J J and R Eaton, Miss S Eaton, Georgetown; Mr and Mrs A Eckardt, Mr and Mrs Robert Eaton, St Mary's; Mr and Mrs John Eaton, Ahoghill, Antrim Co, Ireland; Mr and Mrs W D Forsyth, Mr and Mrs W Firstbrook, Mr and Mrs J C Ferguson, Mr F Freeman, Brooklyn, N Y; Mr and Mrs Gage, Mr and Mrs M Guy, Rev William and Mrs Galbraith, the Misses Good, Mr and Mrs E R Hilborn, Mr and Mrs W H Hammond, Dr Harris, West Toronto Junction; Rev Elmore and Mrs Harris, Dr and Mrs H Johnstone, Mr R Johnston, Mr and Mrs T C Jeffers, Mr and Mrs T M Knowles, Dr and Mrs Jenner, Kingsville; Dr and Mrs James Johnston, Mr and Mrs Kent, Mr and Mrs A Toffs, St. Mary's; Mr and Mrs Lloyd, Mr and Mrs Charles Levey, Miss Kate Lewis, Blairton; Mr and Mrs Ed Lees, Chicago; Mr and Mrs James McGee, Capt McGee, the Misses McGee, Mr McNally, Mr and Mrs James McCullock, Mr and Mrs McMullen, Chicago; Mr and Mrs Merry, Berlin, Germany; Mr and Mrs G Morrison, Victoria, Aus.; Mr and Mrs McMorris, Whitby; Dr. Musgrove, the Misses Pearson, G H Parkes, Mr and Mrs Pease, Charles Pease, Mr and Mrs Thomas E Perkins, Mr and Mrs H Kent Parsons, Ellensburgh, Nash; Mr and Mrs W P Page, Mr and Mrs J Potter, Tottenham Court-road, London, Eng.; Mr and Mrs Philips, Mr J Potter, Dover, Eng.; Rev A M and Mrs Philip, Mr and Mrs H Parmley, Mr and Mrs Robinson, Miss Lillie Robinson, the Misses Robinson, the Misses Rogers, Mr and Mrs Robert Reid, Mrs S Reid, Georgetown; Miss Rice, Mr N M Stephens and family, Miss Stephens, Glencairn; Dr and Mrs Alex Sutherland, Mr and Mrs D G Sutherland, Mr and Mrs G H Smith, Mr and the Misses Small, Mr and Mrs N Lamb, Wharncliffe-road, London, Eng; Mr F H Sykes, Miss Scarff, Woodstock; Mr and Mrs Charles Schmidt, Paris, France; Mr Morris, Mr Stafford, Mr B J Thompson, Douglas, P O; Mr and Mrs Thompson, Mr and Mrs Walton, Miss Belle Wilson "The Grange, Edinburgh; Mr and Mrs Williamson, Mrs Irving Walker, Mr Bert Walker, Mr and Mrs George Young, St Mary's; Mr and Mrs Todhunter, Mr J Pool, Mr George Lewis, Mr H McGee, Mr and Mrs A S Brown, Dr and Mrs Doolittle, Mr and Mrs Hudson, Mr and Mrs William Marshall, Rev J Edward Young Asbury Park, N J; Mr and Mrs Joseph Watson, Dr and Mrs Burns, Hamilton.

The presents to the bride were numerous, handsome and valuable.

Mr and Mrs Burden left at 11 o'clock last night for a two weeks' trip to the United States.

## SECULAR TEACHERS REPLACING.

**Three Nuns to Supplant the Young Ladies of St. Helen's School.**

The Separate School Board met last night, Vicar-General Rooney in the chair. A strong deputation, appointed by the Particular Council of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, composed of M. J. Burns, J. J. Murphy, J. J. Dutton, Theophile Trundell, E. F. Wheaton, waited on the board to press for the establishment of night schools for the better education of the working Catholic youth. The trustees expressed themselves as in strong sympathy with the suggestion, but deferred action until a later meeting.

That three teachers from the community of Loretto be appointed to take charge of St. Helen's school in place of the present secular teachers, duties to commence Jan. 1, 1891.

This clause in the School Management Committee's report caused a breezy discussion. Dean McCann was anxious for the presence of the nuns in his schools, claiming that they gave better satisfaction than the secular teachers. Mr. Hennessy favored the calling of a special meeting to discuss the subject, but it was finally resolved to adopt the clause. This means that the three young ladies now teaching in St. Helen's school will have to find other positions on the first of the year. The recommendation that the girls' high class be transferred from the De La Salle to the Notre Dame Institute was concurred in.

The Printing and Supplies Committee gave in the names of these separate school supporters as returning officers for the coming elections and at these points:

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| St. Matthew's Ward | St. Joseph's School | Thos. Finucan |
| " David's " | 421 Queen street E. | Jas. O'Hogan |
| " Lawrence " | 46 Berkeley street | W. J. Smith |
| " Thomas " | 22 Duke street | John Mallon |
| " James' " | 96 Queen street E. | W. J. Mallon |
| " Paul's " | St. Paul's Town Hall | James Regan |
| " John's " | 784 Yonge street | John S. Kelly |
| " Patrick's " | 164 McCaul street | P. J. Costello |
| " Stephen's " | 606 Queen street W. | W. T. J. Lee |
| " Andrew's " | 717 Queen street W. | W. J. Kennelly |
| " George's " | 683 King street W. | Edward Rush |
| " Mark's " | St. Helen's school | J. W. Mallon |
| " Alban's " | 1066 Queen street W. | P. Temple |

This report, as well as all the other standing committee reports, were adopted without amendment.

**Death of a Centenarian.**

Mrs. Johanna O'Halloran, who settled with her husband Daniel in Little York in 1832, died yesterday morning at her son's residence, No. 23 Melinda-street, at the extremely ripe old age of 100. The O'Halloran family came from county Cork, Ireland, and until 1842 lived in a small wooden shanty on the then lake shore. Daniel O'Halloran then built the small house where his widow died yesterday. He bought the land now assessed for $200 a foot from old Jordan Post for $12 a foot and thought he was paying a big price for it. The husband died in 1847, and his widow hung on to the homestead and raised her ten children, of whom, however, but four survive her, two sons and two daughters. Up to a month ago the deceased was in the best of health, and in fact retained full possession of her faculties until within a few days of her death.

The O'Hallorans have many family connections in Toronto, among them being Michael O'Halloran of the Deer Park Hotel. They had lived in Toronto 58 years.

The funeral takes place to-morrow to St. Michael's Cemetery.

**Important to those who wish to secure some really choice works of art by one of Canada's foremost artists, who should be sure to attend the sale at the "Mart," Oliver, Coate & Co.'s, to-day at 3 p.m., when Bell-Smith's collection of all his important pictures will be sold.**

**The Dominion Illustrated.**

The Christmas number of the Dominion Illustrated is published in Montreal to-day, and is said, by those who have seen advance copies, to be the best number of its kind ever issued from the Canadian press. It contains forty-eight pages of fascinating reading matter, has five grand supplements, and no other holiday issue can compare with it. It is thoroughly Canadian and will meet with a large sale.

**Take Your Watch**

to Jorgensen, the Queen-street west specialist. 190 and 190½ Queen-st. west. 136

**Pioneers to Change Their Society Name.**

The York Pioneers held their monthly meeting yesterday in the Canadian Institute. Dr. Scadding presided. The necessary papers for the incorporation of the society, which is being consummated, were presented and received the signatures of the officers. The committee appointed to prepare a membership certificate reported satisfactorily. The name of the organization is being changed to "The York Pioneers and Historical Society."

**Hot Air Furnaces; Steel Plate estimates given; satisfaction guaranteed. Wheeler & Bain, King east.**

"Promptitude the soul of business." The stock of McKenzie & Hamilton was sold on the 25th ult. Trustee Clarkson handed Warehouseman R. Carrie his check of about $24,000 for the hypothecated part on Dec. 1.

**$25,000 Worth of Furs by Auction.**

On Saturday afternoon next at 2½ C. M. Henderson & Co. will begin a sale of furs by auction at 79 Yonge-street, near King. The value of these furs is $25,000, and they embrace the most elegant goods that were ever brought into the Toronto market. The sale is positively without reserve, and will be continued every afternoon.

## MANITOBA HARD.

**How Disputes Arise Owing to Difference of Standards.**

There is trouble between the grain inspectors of Toronto and Port Arthur. It is over the grading of 2000 bushels of Manitoba hard, shipped from Port Arthur and defined as No. 2 hard, but which the local examiner holds does not grade above No. 3. The Government has been wired in connection with the matter and its decision is that as the standard was fixed at Winnipeg the arbitrators there will have to settle the dispute.

"This," remarked one of the grain men on 'Change, "is going into the enemy's country."

The firm to which the consignment was made now refuse to take the grain. Some are of the opinion that it is glad of the opportunity of doing so, as the wheat was probably purchased at about 10 cents more per bushel than can now be obtained for it. It looks as if there is going to be a serious loss for someone.

The matter caused a good deal of discussion on 'Change yesterday morning, the consensus of opinion being that in order to obviate disputes of this kind it will be necessary to grade Manitoba wheat wholly by one standard, whether it be a Winnipeg or Toronto one.

A similar dispute is also pending between a local firm and a Northwest shipper. The former purchased a quantity of No. 2 hard wheat but which the Winnipeg inspector subsequently reduced to No. 3. When the grain arrived at Port Arthur the inspector there restored it to its former status. In the meantime, however, the Winnipeg inspector's certificate had reached the Toronto dealers, and they having already sold the wheat drew on the purchaser for payment at the rate per bushel for No. 3.

## THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

**What is Going On at the Theatres and Concert Halls.**

Robinson's new Musee Theatre, 91 Yonge-street, will not be opened until next Monday.

There will be a matinee of "The Charity Ball" at the Grand Opera House this afternoon. The last performance will be given this evening.

At the Academy of Music this afternoon "The Clemenceau Case" will be given. It will run all week, with another matinee next Saturday.

Do not fail to secure your seats for the Lambeth Choir concerts in the Auditorium on Friday and Saturday evenings. The plans are at Nordheimer's.

At Association Hall last night Prof. Cumnock gave a selection of readings to a good audience. The Professor is an elocutionist of no mean order. A fastidious critic might say that his voice is not altogether musical, but he can vary it sufficiently to get over this defect. The readings were well received.

Mrs. Annie Waldron, the solo pianist of the Agnes Thomson Concert Company, is meeting with great success, being encored nightly at each place visited. Mrs. Waldron was a great favorite as solo pianist in some of the principal cities of England and Ireland, and holds flattering press notices for her rendering of such works as the concertos of Mendelssohn, Weber, Beethoven, accompanied by full orchestra; the Liszt rhapsodies, Chopin's ballades and polonaises, also Raff's concert pieces, etc.

A large audience in the Metropolitan Methodist Church parlor last night testified great appreciation of a program of readings and song. The elocutionist was Grenville P. Kleiser, a talented young Torontonian, who was assisted by Mrs. J. W. Lawrence, soprano; Mr. A. C. Fairweather, tenor, and Mr. B. Ryan, violin. Rev. Leroy Hooker presided.

The Duff Comic Opera Company will begin their series of Gilbert & Sullivan operas at the Grand Opera House to-morrow evening. The repertoire will include "The Pirates," "Iolanthe" and "Patience." "Never in the history of comic opera has there appeared such brilliant stage setting and careful detail. The chorus, always a feature in Sir Arthur Sullivan's music, has been given the most careful attention. Nothing has ever been heard like except in grand opera." The same elaborate treatment which characterized the productions at the Auditorium in Chicago during the past autumn will be given at the Grand.

Having had a glance at the program which Bengough intends to carry out at Association Hall on Friday evening of this week, The World has no hesitation in predicting a rare treat for all who attend, and, by the appearance of the plan at Nordheimer's, the hall is going to be crowded. Some racy off-hand cartoons may be expected on municipal matters and current political topics. The interest of the occasion is to be still further heightened by the appearance of Master Arlidge, the wonderful boy soprano, son of Mr. J. Churchill Arlidge of this city. A few good seats may still be secured.

"Siberia" is still the reigning attraction at Jacobs & Sparrow's, and will run all week, with matinees Thursday and Saturday. "Siberia" is an old friend of the theatre goer, and justly so.

Lewis Morrison and his famous company will appear at the Grand Opera House next week. There is probably no spectacular drama on the stage more interesting than Mr. Morrison's great production of "Faust," and he has given it more than 2,000 times in American theatres with great success. The main features of the production are the scenic effects and the acting of Mr. Morrison as Mephisto. The management claims that this will be without exception the grandest production ever seen in the Dominion and that it will stand entirely on its merits. The fact that Mr. Morrison remains for the entire week is an earnest that he is willing to let his performance speak for itself.

## TELEGRAPHIC TAPS.

**The News of a Night Boiled Down for World Readers.**

John L. Brown, tax collector of East Zorra, is missing.

Four boys have been arrested at Montreal for setting fire to the High School building.

John T. Stokes, C.E., Toronto, has been appointed county engineer of Wentworth.

The petition against the return of Mr. T. Godwin, M.L.A. for East Elgin, has been dismissed with costs.

John Sinclair, watchman at the new Tuckett tobacco factory, Hamilton, has been arrested for wholesale thefts.

The body of an infant which had been suffocated was found wrapped in some old flannel cloth in York-street, Cornwall, yesterday.

The 8-year-old daughter of Francis Barber, Ottawa, upset a dish of boiling water over herself yesterday and died in a few minutes.

Mrs. Baker of Princeton left home to attend Woodstock market on Saturday, since which time no trace of her has been discovered.

Andrew McGuire, who attempted to kill Miss Tucker at Cobourg Monday night by throwing her under a moving train, has been arrested and remanded.

A man named Lafrance was killed while crossing the Grand Trunk tracks in a buggy near Dunville yesterday. Lafrance was found on the smokestack of the engine.

Dr. Mary Walker is dying at her farm near Oswego, N.Y., from heart failure, superinduced by exposure and privation while an inmate of Libby Prison during the War of the Rebellion.

Robert Davis of Chicago, and formerly premier of Manitoba, is being sued by Matilda Bruns for $150,000 for libel and breach of promise of marriage. Davis has been in Chicago nine years and is worth a comfortable fortune.

The Bank of Commerce at West Superior, Wisconsin, closed its doors yesterday and assigned. Its deposits since Wednesday had been reduced from $608,000 to $468,000. The bank could not secure needed outside aid. Among the deposits was $230,000 belonging to the city, secured.

**Will North Toronto Have the Industrial School?**

The council of the new Town of North Toronto met last night in Eglinton Town Hall. Mayor Fisher presided. Councillor J. T. Couch sent in his resignation. It was not accepted. A petition for a sidewalk on the west side of Yonge-street, in old Davisville, was referred to the Board of Works. The Executive Committee made the following recommendations, which were adopted: For the payment of accounts as recommended by the Finance Committee amounting to $302, and by the Fire, Water and Light Committee $203. For a bylaw to provide for holding municipal elections. This bylaw and another to provide money for general purposes were read three times and passed.

Mr. C. D. Warren addressed the council with reference to an opportunity of securing a Girls' Industrial School in the town. Mr. W. H. Howland had told him that North Toronto was thought the best location. They would have to provide a 10-acre site. A committee was appointed to confer with Mr. Warren and the directors of the school.

**A Terrible Risk.**

There are thousands who do not earn enough to be able to lay by any considerable sum against the contingency of their death. And it has been observed that death to all such usually comes with fearful suddenness. You may have every reasonable expectation of thirty years of life—*you may not live thirty days*. Can you afford to run this risk when you remember what the consequences may be to those nearest and dearest to you? The Manufacturers Accident Insurance Co. of Toronto will take all this responsibility off your shoulders, and for a small yearly sum will assume all the risk. If disaster should come, your family would then be provided for, not by charity, but by the fruit of your own prudence and forethought. tf

**Messrs. Oliver, Coate & Co. commence to-day at 3 p.m. one of the best sales of Oil Paintings and Water Colors which has been held in this city. The works are all from the brush of F. M. Bell-Smith.**

**Dr. Pyne on Health Matters.**

The World saw Dr. Pyne, Medical Health Officer, yesterday with reference to the dispute with the Sites and Buildings Committee of the Public School Board about the insanitary condition of Bathurst-street school. The Doctor says the school was not, as claimed by the bishop, in a proper condition. He has the report of the plumbing inspectors to prove it. It is not true either that a report emanated from the Health Department to the effect that it took all their inspectors to look after the schools to the neglect of other work. The inspectors are able for all the work to be done.

For the preservation of the general health the Doctor said he was strongly in favor of the establishment of crematories, the abolition of privy pits and if possible of block pavements.

## LET THE PEOPLE DECIDE

**Whether They Want Sunday Street Cars or Not—Aldermanic Opinions.**

These deliverances on Sunday cars were secured by The World yesterday:

Mayor Clarke: "I am not in favor of Sunday street cars, but the people ought to be allowed to vote on the matter, as being the best judges. I will support such a course."

Ald. Ritchie: "I will support a motion in council to have the question of street cars on Sunday submitted to the people. They know what they want and should be allowed a voice in the matter. Of course no street car employe should be allowed to work more than six days a week."

Ald. G. S. Macdonald: "I will certainly support a motion that the people vote next January on the question. The council would be taking too much on itself to settle this important question itself. However, there should be no working 7 days a week."

Ald. Gowanlock: "I will hold up both hands in favor of the people voting on this important point. They are the best judges first, last and all the time."

Ald. Bell: "It is my principle to let the people act for themselves whenever possible, and in this case they are vitally interested. I say let the people vote whether we are to have street cars on Sunday or not."

**Death of a Balaclava Veteran.**

Henry Hunter, 68 years of age, who resided at 114 Adelaide-street west, died at 8¾ last night from injuries received by falling on the stairs of the Albert Hall billiard room. The deceased was the only man in the Dominion who belonged to the Sixth Inniskillen Dragoons, which was part of the "heavy brigade" in the Crimean war. But for their valor not a man of the immortal "Six Hundred" would have returned home. The Russian brigade broke four times through the Russian lines. Hunter was a steady, honorable man, an energetic member of the Army and Navy Veterans Society. He was in receipt of a small pension, and recently application had been made for an advance on the ground of his age and military services. The day he fell was the first time Hunter had been out of his house for a month. Like most survivors of the Crimean campaign he was a victim of rheumatism. He proudly wore his medal with three bars—"Alma," "Inkerman," "Balaclava," and the Turkish medal. He will be buried with military honors, the Army and Navy Veterans walking in a body. The funeral will take place at 3 p.m. to-morrow to St. James' Cemetery.

**The Churches and Charity.**

This was the subject discussed yesterday by the conference of Associated Charities, Professor Goldwin Smith presiding. The object was to ascertain if charities do not overlap each other so as to encourage pauperism and imposition. Cases of persons making a living out of aid from one church and another and various charities had been known in this city. In the course of an hour's discussion these statements were elicited: Some churches insist on membership as a qualification for receipt of poor relief; others are content with a professed or nominal membership; some give charitable aid irrespective of nationality and creed. No resolution was passed, but many suggestions were made for advancing the object of the discussion. It was generally agreed that ministers were the worst almoners and administrators. Practical, zealous laymen, working together on undenominational lines with due inquiry and tabulation of every alleged case of need, would make the best Board of Relief.

**Mimico Manufactories.**

The Mimico Real Estate Security Co. (Lt'd.) was organized to erect nine factories. Four of the factories are already erected on the lands of the company, and commenced operations Dec. 1, the directors and a large number of capitalists witnessing the manufacture of goods. The factories visited were those of Sheridan Bros., manager of the J. F. Pease Furnace Co.; James Morrison, manufacturer of copper, brass and silver-plated goods; Thomas Macdonald, tinwork and stamping machines: and the Interior Decorating Co. The Security Co. are pushing to completion the spur from the main line of the Grand Trunk to the Lake Shore-road, ½ mile distant, while the electric railway between the city and Long Branch will be carrying both passengers and freight, it is anticipated, next fall. Ground was broken yesterday for the Ontario Steel Sink and Range Boiler Stamping Manufacturing Co.

**Baptist Home Missions.**

The annual meeting of the Fyfe Missionary Society was held last night in McMaster Hall. The annual report was read by Mr. A. P. Macdonald. Fitting reference was made to the deaths of Principal McGregor and Dr. Castle. The report showed that there had been progress in every department of work, and supplied an interesting account of the labor done on the missionary fields during the summer. Rev. Donald Grant, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Montreal, was the principal speaker. He took for his theme French evangelization, and showed that the society had expended not less than $10,000 on the Quebec mission during the year, a quarter of which sum had been received from the churches. A paper was read by Mr. L. McKinnon on "Leading Events in the Mission During the Past Year."

**Non-Residents Will Not be Admitted.**

The monthly meeting of the Collegiate School Board was held last evening. Mr. Warring Kennedy presided. Several communications were read and disposed of, among others being one from the Minister of Education asking for a photograph of the new institute building.

The annual receipts and estimates were considered in committee and passed. They show that the amount needed to complete the Harbord-street building is $25,767. The city will be asked for $12,900 for Jarvis-street school, $14,044 for Jameson-avenue and $500 for the secretary-treasurer.

It was decided that as it was likely that there would be more applications for admission to the Collegiate Institute than could be accommodated it would be well not to admit non-residents.

**Was the Wedding Legal?**

KINGSTON, Dec. 2.—The case of Robb v. Robb, in which an attempt is made to disinherit the Indian daughter of W. G. Robb, was before the Chancery Court to-day and judgment reserved. Robb married a Comax Indian in British Columbia according to the Pagan rites, paying $20 in 50 cent pieces and many blankets for his bride. The daughter surviving is sought as heiress to her grandfather's estate, but it is held that as the marriage was by consent and not in legal form, as prescribed by Canadian law, the maiden is illegitimate. The daughter is now a resident of New York State.

**He Was Tired Looking for Work.**

The body of a Scotchman named Gordon Laing lies at the City Morgue awaiting interment by friends or removal to the medical school. Laing came out from the Old Country not long ago, and after vainly attempting to secure employment as a bookkeeper became despondent and took to drinking. He boarded at No. 8 Teraulay-street and on Monday night appeared there somewhat intoxicated. He lay down on a lounge and apparently slept all night. About 8 o'clock yesterday morning he was found unconscious, and shortly afterwards died. He had drunk two ounces of laudanum.

**Poor Children's Christmas Fund.**

During the past two years a Christmas Evening dinner and entertainment has been provided for the poor children of the city, under the auspices of the Children's Fresh Air Fund. The treat is intended to be general in its character, the 500 or 600 little ones being sought out in all parts of the city and specially invited by the various mission workers. A meeting will be held on Friday afternoon at 4¼ in the Humane office, 103 Bay-street, to make the necessary arrangements. Mayor Clarke has consented to receive contributions for this object, and citizens willing to assist in any way should communicate with Mr. J. J. Kelso. The fund will be known as the "Poor Children's Christmas Fund."

**Not Select Enough for Guelph.**

GUELPH, Dec. 2.—Two citizens of Toronto, known as Prof. Joseph Popp and Prof. Martin, have been trying to rent halls in the city for an exhibition of the manly art of self-defence, etc. The Chief of Police does not think the company bears a very enviable reputation, and so those who had about completed arrangements for renting the halls have concluded not to run any responsibility for a breach of the peace, and so the professors will have to seek new pastures.

**A Revolver Told the Tale.**

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., Dec. 2.—The body of a suicide was found yesterday in a bush 50 yards from Gore-street. In the pockets were found $21.95, a box of cartridges, a pipe and a handkerchief. Nothing was found by which the body could be identified. There was not a particle of flesh on the head or hands and the skull was bleached and dry. A British bull-dog revolver, with one chamber empty, was found in the right hand, and the hole in the skull corresponded with the size of the cartridge.

**$5.00 Excursion to New York via Picturesque Erie Ry. on Dec. 6, '90.**

Take the good old reliable double track road to New York. Magnificent Pullman sleepers from Toronto, a dining car attached for meals, and you have four trains daily to choose from, which leave Suspension Bridge as follows: 3¼ a.m., 9 a.m., 3¾ p.m. and 8.10 p.m., and will only cost you the small sum of $5, Suspension Bridge to New York and return. Tickets can be purchased from agents or at Suspension Bridge. For full particulars apply to G. T. R., or to S. J. Sharp, 19 Wellington-street East, Toronto.

**The Colonel Will Have His Salary.**

Messrs. Delamere, Reesor & English, acting for Police Magistrate Denison, yesterday issued a writ against the city of Toronto claiming six months' salary, viz., from June to December of the present year, $2000, and interest thereon from Dec. 1, 1890.

## STILL ANOTHER CURLING RINK.

### THE LATEST ADDITION TO BIG PLEASURE RESORTS.

**The Moss Parkers Likely to Locate in the Alexandria—Railway Rates and Battles on the Ice.**

There will be no curling on the Moss Park rink this winter, which will be entirely given over to the skaters. But the Moss Park curlers have not forsaken their favorite sport; nor will they commingle with the members of the many other city clubs. A meeting will be held next Monday, when the club will discuss the advisability of removing to the Alexandria rink, King-street west, where they will be joined, by a number of West Enders, including the Caer-Howell bowlers, all of whom should make a curling club both strong in numbers and playing material, and able to cope successfully with any of the other big city clubs. It is their intention to retain the name of Moss Park.

**In and Out Turns.**

Matches between chosen sides and individual struggles are the order of the day and night at the rinks, all of which contain splendid surfaces of ice.

The annual meeting of the Toronto club for the electing of skips for the season, set down for last night, was postponed until Friday.

Secretary J. S. Russell of the Ontario Branch will soon have The Curling Annual ready for distribution. It will contain the usual records of Canadian clubs, matches and other data interesting to the patrons of the stane and besom.

The Ontario Branch is progressing favorably in its fight with the railways for reasonable rates during the season. If suitable arrangements are completed the Interprovincial match between Ontario and Quebec will surely take place and also the big match of Toronto v. Province of Ontario. If the rates demanded be not secured these with many other matches will be necessarily postponed.

## HOCKEY IS THE SPORT.

**Many Clubs Organizing—Power House Hockeyists Elect Officers.**

Hockey promises to flourish in Toronto this winter. Already several new clubs have been organized. The law students count among their numbers many wily chasers of Mr. Puck and will form a club this evening.

A general meeting of the St. George Hockey Club will be held in Keachie's to-night at 8 o'clock. Every member is requested to attend, as important business is to be transacted, also election of officers, etc.

The guests of the Power House met last evening and organized a hockey club to be known as the Alexandria Hockey Club of Toronto, with the following officers:

Hon. President—H. B. King.
Secretary-Treasurer—N. T. Rolph.
Captain—William Turnbull.

As this club combines some of the best players of eastern and western cities they expect to give a good account of themselves before the winter closes. They will start practising at once in the Alexandria Rink.

## GUTTENBURG'S TURN.

**Four Out of Six Favorites Win on a Good Track and in Fair Weather.**

GUTTENBURG, Dec. 2.—In the first race Meriden was strong first choice at 3 to 5 and finished third. All the other events were taken by favorites except the last.

First race, 6 furlongs—Salisbury 1, Can't Tell 2, Meriden 3. Time 1.16.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Evangeline 1, Bush Bolt 2, Sir Rae 3. Time 1.10.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Mohican won, Queen Hattie 2, Fabian 3. Time 1.18.

Fourth race 1 1-16 miles—Folsom won, Lela May 2, Can Can 3. Time 1.50¼.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs—Kenwood won, Painkiller 2, Iago 3. Time 1.23¼.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs—Anomaly won, Sour Mash 2, Oarsman 3. Time 1.31½.

**Gossip of the Turf.**

For the present racing at New Orleans will only be conducted on three days of the week, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

The entries for the Coney Island Futurity Stakes for 1893 will close on Jan. 2 next. The added money has been increased to $17,500.

Hermit, Oberlin, Macbeth II., Palisade and Bellsarius at Gloucester Park, and Napa II., Winner, Davis, Henry Hordy and Buckler at New Orleans won yesterday.

At Gloucester on Nov. 20, Bookmakers Stone & Co., who had marked up a point more than their fellow-pencilers against Darling, decamped without settling when the filly won.

## THE AUSTRALIAN OARSMEN.

**What Local Sculling Experts Think of the McLean-Kemp Match.**

Ned Hanlan says that John McLean will defeat Peter Kemp on the Paramatta Monday, Dec. 15, in their sculling race for the world's championship. Ned always had a high opinion of Stanbury's vanquisher even before he won his last race.

Fred Mossop, the genial proprietor of Headquarters, cannot see how Kemp can lose. He believes Stanbury was off when beaten and that McLean has sprung up too quickly.

"Yes, I think McLean will win," said Joe Rogers yesterday afternoon. "A good young 'un is better than a good old 'un, and Kemp will be the under dog. The match is a genuine one," continued Joe, "as bitter factions are backing the two men. Should Peter lose he need not come to this country, because we want none but champion visitors. Of course, O'Connor would just as soon row Champion McLean as Champion Kemp, or any other world's champion for that matter."

**Cycling Sparks.**

The Wanderers' regular monthly meeting takes place next Thursday evening.

The Wanderers' second smoking concert of the season takes place about Dec. 18, when the celebrated Emerald vocalists, without fail, will sing "The Irish Jubilee."

McDowell of Philadelphia has been refused membership in the L.A.W., having once been reinstated and then broken out afresh by competing in a skating race for money. McDowell was once a "boy wonder" in six-day races.

**Spots of Sport.**

The Canadian cities do not favor the idea of reorganizing the International Baseball League.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Evan Lewis and Joe Acton have signed articles for another wrestling match for $500 a side, to take place in San Francisco Dec. 9. The match is to be catch-as-catch-can, best 3 in 5 falls.

Washington can secure an American Association franchise without difficulty and will likely be represented there next season with Sam Trott as manager. A stock company with a capital of $20,000, half of which is already subscribed, will be formed.

Hanover will be the city to which the eyes of the crack bowlers of America and Germany will turn next June. The German-American bowling championship will then be decided. There are to be 28 alleys. Director Kabelitz of Hamburg is already receiving entries.

The party of Toronto football men that visited New York last week took in the Guttenburg races on Saturday and, recognizing that Evangeline was owned by a Canadian (G. Forbes), one of the number bought a 5 to 1 ticket on the mare for the second race, which she pulled off easily ahead of Calcium and Servitor. It was his patriotism that won.

Some California sportsmen are trying to arrange a battle between a Russian bear and the grizzly captured by Allen Kelley in the Rockies. The Russian animal was caught in the Ural Mountains and after being taught how to box and dance he chewed up his master. A short time ago a large cinnamon bear was placed in the pit at the Woodward Gardens, "Frisco," and in a little while the Russian bear crushed his opponent's skull with a sledge-hammer blow.

**City Hall Small Talk.**

Mr. Benjamin Smith is in the field for aldermanic honors for St. Mark's Ward.

The two temporary clerks employed in checking over the voters' lists for 1891 are the brother and son of respective aldermen.

Commissioner Jones closes down all street repairs on Monday next. This means that 250 men will be thrown out of employment.

The Waterworks Department took in over the counter for the past six months' water rates $170,000. On Saturday $15,871 was received.

The Minister of Militia has informed the Mayor that he accepts the city's terms in the matter of the new drill-shed, that is, that when it ceases to be used for military purposes it reverts to the city free of cost.

Building permits were issued yesterday: G. M. Collins, pair 2-story brick dwellings, Trinity-square, $2500; James T. Snook, three attached 2-story brick-fronted dwellings, Salem-avenue, $4200; Sturdy Bros., pair attached 2-story brick-fronted dwellings, $2800; J. Sturdy, 5 attached 2-story brick dwellings, Czar and St. Nicholas, $10,000.

**This is Intercession Day.**

The Bishop of Toronto, in issuing a circular to his clergy appointing Wednesday, Dec. 3, as a day of intercession on behalf of missions, writes as follows: "There never was a time when the cry of the mission field was more importunate, the openings for missionary enterprise more numerous, the demand for missionaries more urgent, and consequently the need of the earnest intercessions of the church greater."

**Jurgenson Watches.**

If you carry a "Jurgenson" don't risk a large depreciation in value by allowing it to RUN TILL IT STOPS. Ed. Beeton, High Grade Watch Specialist, 25 Leader-lane.

## ABOUT HOISTS.

**Supt. Hamilton Has Something to Say About Their Waste of Water.**

The Waterworks' fortnightly report was issued yesterday. It shows that for the two weeks ending Nov. 22 there was pumped at the main station 275,698,152 gallons of water and 566 tons of coal consumed; St. Alban's station, 16,762,619 gallons, 45.100 tons; high level station, 25,369,944 gallons, 18.1284 tons. There were 2110 services put in to date. The question of supplying water for hoists and elevators is referred to as follows by Mr. Hamilton:

These hoisting machines all require a 4in. and in some cases a 6 in. service, and when you consider that last year we put in 48 services of this kind it will be readily seen that these services not only waste a lot of water, which passes into the sewers the moment it has done its work, but will materially reduce the pressure on the mains in that locality, causing the necessity for increased supply mains.

What I think should be done is that the city, in the case of a hoist or elevator, merely supply through a 2 in. service say, and that parties requiring hoists should supply their own power. The hoists at The Mail building and Canada Life are worked in this manner. This, I am sure, would save a very large amount of water.

The expenditure of the department shows a balance on the wrong side of the ledger of $60,084. Touching the new conduit, Mr. Hamilton expects it will be finished before the meeting of the committee to-day. He will then submit it to a hydraulic test, which, if found satisfactory, will result in the dirty water being pumped out and the pipe thoroughly cleansed. The other test, that of emptying it, cannot be done until next spring, when the manholes will be placed and the cribs sunk and filled with stone.

## THE BUSY BOARD OF WORKS.

**Miscellaneous Matters Before Ald. Shaw's Committee.**

The Board of Works met yesterday. There were present: Ald. Shaw (chairman), Small, Hewitt, Peter Macdonald, Lucas, Lennox, Bell, Irwin, Carlyle (St. And.), George Verral. On recommendation of the Assessment Commissioner, and in compliance with a petition to that effect, the board recommended that the city should pay at the rate of $50 a foot for the 23 4-12-foot lot on the northeast corner of Wells-street and Howland-avenue, required for the widening of the latter thoroughfare. Mr. Maughan also recommended that $4500 be tendered Contractor Dick West and H. L. Hime $33 for land necessary for the extension of Barton-avenue, these sums to cover all land damages. The board coincided, and a resolution based on this will be sent on to council.

Touching the construction of the northwest branch of the Garrison Creek sewer Contractor A. W. Godson wrote, refusing the city the privilege of entering upon his lands for the purpose of constructing the work unless paid $2.50 per lineal foot for such trespass. The engineer added that the demand was unreasonable and recommended legal measures to secure the desired entrance, and stating that 20 cents per lineal foot was about the proper figure. The board resolved to resort to law, as advised by Mr. Jennings.

Mr. Ewart Farquhar is desirous of becoming a candidate for aldermanic honors in St. Thomas Ward, but his city contracts have so far proved a bar. In full discharge of these Mr. Farquhar offered to deposit a marked check for $4000 with the City Treasurer, and the City Solicitor advised that this be agreed to and Mr. Farquhar released from his obligations, so far as the city is concerned. The board gave its consent. Patrick Reidy, a laborer in the employ of the city for the past 27 years and now dying of lung trouble, sent in a pathetic appeal to the board asking for a grant of a sufficient sum of money to enable him to die in peace. The matter was referred to the engineer.

This letter was referred to the Engineer and Solicitor:

DEAR SIR,—Under agreement between this company and the city of Toronto the Dundas-street bridge was to be rebuilt by the city, this company paying $11,000 towards the cost of such rebuilding. It was expected by this company that the bridge would at any rate have been built this year, but such has not been the case, and it has now become necessary to make substantial repairs to the bridge over the N. & N.W. Division within the next four months at a cost of $500.

As this amount would not have been incurred had the city carried out its agreement, I presume there will be no objection to a reduction of the amount of $11,000 to be expended under the agreement by the amount now required in consequence of the failure of the city to construct the bridge.

EDMUND WRAGGE, Local Manager G.T.R.

In reply to Ald. Carlyle the chairman stated that the bylaw providing for the block-paving of the lanes would be submitted at the next meeting of the board. Ald. Allen made an effort to have the Amelia-street assessment opened up again by having it referred to the Court of Revision but failed. Ald. George Verral asked that the bylaw providing that storekeepers be not allowed to sweep the refuse from their stores into the streets be enforced. Ald. Small moved that the streets be swept from 12 o'clock until 5 on Sunday morning, but the Sabbatarian aldermen raised such a storm about his ears that he was glad to withdraw. Ald. Bell protested against the removal of the Kiely homestead, near the line of the new Sherbourne-street bridge as an unecessary expense, and the board referred the matter to the Engineer to deal with as he sees fit.

The engineer's report passed without amendment. On his recommendation the board resolved to ask that Col. G. T. Denison be paid the sum of $350 and relieved of all cost of the construction of the northwest branch of the Garrison Creek sewer for the privilege of entering upon his lands to lay down a section of it.

**The "Bell" is Ringing.**

Perhaps never since the ready-made clothing business became one of the prominent businesses of this city has there been such excitement among the various dealers as there is at the present time. Tremendous efforts are being made to catch trade. Our reporter ran across a man yesterday who professes to know the reason of this unusual excitement. The man was Mr. McKenzie, manager of "The Bell," the new clothing store in Yonge-street, near King.

"Can I tell you why they are all in such a frantic state of excitement?" said Mr. McKenzie. "Why, of course I can!" "Have you noticed when the excitement commenced? It was exactly one week after 'The Bell' commenced business. The fact of the matter is these old line clothing stores tired the people out with their bombastic advertisements and their old fogy ideas. Tremendous bounce and poor value seems to have been their secret motto, but now that a real live clothing concern has come here, and come to stay, mind you, the people have commenced to find out the hollowness of their way of doing business. No doubt some of them are cutting prices, but the fact is, they had to, and if it had not been for a lucky purchase 'The Bell' has just made, they would have given us a little trouble. You will see by our ad to-day that one of the biggest wholesale clothing houses in Canada have sacrificed a big portion of their stock to us at about half price. We are working night and day to get it into shape, and on Saturday morning next will commence the biggest ready-made clothing sale that this town has ever seen."

**Swansea Saved.**

The Junction people and those of Swansea have at last concluded that the fates never destined them to be one. A final meeting was held at the Queen's Hotel yesterday, at which were present Mayor St. Leger, Councillor Bruce, Solicitor Going and others for the Junction, Solicitor Denton to watch proceedings for the city and Messrs. Worthington, Ellis, Childs, Chapman, Gemmell, Pardoe, Coe and others representing Swansea. A number of knotty questions were discussed and there was a failure to agree on any of them. On each successive disagreement the awkward question was put as de temporarily in order to take up the next and find if it was possible to agree on anything. A new condition was raised by the Swansea people, that the Junction was to bind itself not to give aid to any factory of a similar kind to those already established at Swansea, except upon condition that the present Swansea factories should receive a similar amount of aid. The Junction people could not stand that, coming as it did after a number of other stalwart conditions. A motion was put to the Swansea people and carried to the effect that they considered this proposition vital. Negotiations thereupon ended and the conference adjourned sine die.

**Big Water Mains in Contemplation.**

Superintendent Hamilton strongly urges the immediate construction of the new water main in Yonge-street, from King to Bloor, the cost to be $17,000. The present main along this piece of street consists of:

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| Esplanade to King | 6-in. new main |
| King to Queen-street | 8-in. old main |
| Queen to Agnes | 9-in. old main |
| Agnes to Isabella | 10-in. old main |
| Isabella to Bloor | 6-in. new main |

In the matter of King, a water main is asked for both sides of the street. At present there is a 12-inch main on the north side, from Sherbourne to Simcoe-streets, and a 6-inch main the balance of the distance. This is to be duplicated on the south side at a cost of $13,500.

**Steamship Arrivals.**

| Date. | Name. | Reported at. | From. |
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| Dec. 2 | Werra | New York | Bremen |
| " | Majestic | Queenstown | New York |
| " | Alaska | " | " |

**To-Day's Weather.**

*Strong winds and gales, mostly easterly; cloudy and milder with snow.*

**DEATHS.**

O'HALLORAN—At 23 Melinda-street, Mrs. Johanna O'Halloran, aged 100 years, native of county Cork, Ireland, a resident of city for 58 years.

Funeral Thursday morning at 9 o'clock to St. Michael's Cemetery.

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## SONS OF S. ANDREW MAKING MERRY

### BEAUTY, MUSIC, HISTORY HAPPILY BLENDED AT THE PAVILION.

**A Night of Piping and Scottish Dancing—Some of the Mementoes of the Society—"Auld Lang Syne."**

President—Dr. Daniel Clark.
First Vice—Dr. J. Thorburn.
Second Vice—Allan Cassels.
Secretary—George Kennedy.

St. Andrew's ball at the Pavilion last night drew attention to what almost might be called the antiquity of the society. It celebrated its fifty-fourth anniversary as well as the day of its patron saint. In a prominent position on the platform was the magnificent sheepshead snuff-box presented by President John Ewart in 1837, and inscribed on which was the name of each succeeding president. Before it was the picture of the Earl of Elgin and Kincardine presented by himself to the society in 1849. Displayed on the wall at the back of the platform were the society's banners, the St. Andrew's Cross, presented by Hon. William Allan, the first president, and the Rampant Lion and the Scottish Coat of Arms, which long ago came into the possession of the society. Then Dr. Kennedy, the secretary, has held the position for 35 years, and Mr. T. Gilmor has held the treasurership for about the same period.

Like many another ancient and deep-seated institution it has its traditions. Every celebration of this society must be a success. For many years the celebration has taken the form of a ball and dinner alternately, but the result has been the same, and last night's was no exception. The Pavilion was gaily decorated with maroon and white bunting in festoons. Around the galleries were white shields bearing such Scottish names as Dundee, Aberdeen, St. Andrews, Edinburgh, Paisley, Glasgow, Ayr, Perth, Stirling, Inverness. At the end of the hall over the platform were two enormous St. Andrew's crosses in maroon and white. The conservatory filled with flowers and lighted by Chinese lanterns, formed a nice retreat after dancing. Music was supplied by Corlett's excellent orchestra of 20 pieces, and Webb supplied the refreshments. Dr. Clarke bestowed on friends the contents of a box of heather sent by Miss Michie, whose brother Mr. James Michie, was once president. Mr. Robert Swan distributed with a lavish hand heather brought by himself from Scotland lately.

The ball opened shortly after 9 with a set of lancers, preceded by a grand march, headed by the society's piper, Charles Munro, in costume. Those who took part in the first set were:

Dr. Thorburn and Miss Strange.
G. R. R. Cockburn and Miss Thorburn.
D. R. Wilkie and Mrs. Bankes.
H. Cawthra and Mrs. Cosby.
Col. Sweny and Mrs. A. Cassels.
N. M. Cosby and Mrs. W. R. Meredith.
S. Hubbard and Miss Pope.
A. Cassells and Mrs. Cockburn.

The ladies wore these costumes:

Miss Strange—White satin, draped with Campbell tartan.
Miss Thorburn—White satin brocade, Cairn Gorum jewels.
Miss Bankes—White satin brocade with silver, diamonds.
Mrs Cosby—Black velvet, diamonds.
Mrs Allan Cassels—Black satin, lace, jet and pearl ornaments.
Mrs W R Meredith—Black velvet, jet.
Miss Pope—White silk and roses.
Miss Cockburn—White brocade, oriental lace, diamonds.

The piece de resistance of the dance program was the highland reel. It was danced with great spirit and delighted the hearts of the native Scots. Those who took part were:

G. S. Michie and Mrs. A. B. Cameron.
Cecil Gibson and Miss Bunting.
Forbes Michie and Mrs. Cecil Gibson.
Dr. F. Cowan and Miss Alex. Michie.
Lieut. Evans and Miss H. Dixon.
Capt. Macdougall and Miss Dixon.
J. H. Moss and Miss Drynan.
Lieut. Laurie and Mrs. Macdougall.
J. McPherson and Miss Dawson.
C. C. Ross and Miss Wragge.

Several congratulatory telegrams were sent out to sister societies, to which enthusiastic answers were received. Among those that responded were Detroit (W. H. Muir, president), Alexandria, London, St. Louis, Cornwall, Quebec, Montreal (Sir Donald Smith, president) and Brantford.

Besides those already mentioned The World noticed: Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, Mr. H. and the Misses Bethune, Miss Barker (Hamilton), Miss Benson (Port Hope), Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Armour, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barwick, Lady Cartwright and Miss Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cameron, Miss Dunlop (Hamilton), Dr. Ferguson, M.L.A., Miss Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Foy, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gooderham, Mr. T.P. and Mrs. Galt, A. M. Howard, jr., Mrs. and Miss Howard, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hendrie, jr. (Hamilton), Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Kerr, Mr. and Mrs Frank Mackelcan, Lt.-Col. and Miss Hamilton, Mr. and Miss Sherlock Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. P. Jamieson, Mr. A. H. and Mrs. Nairn, Miss Nairn, Mr. A. and Mrs. Nordheimer, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Macdonald, Mr. Thomas McGaw, Mrs. J. F. Michie and Miss S. Michie, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Merritt, Mrs.; Miss and Mr. J. Moss, Mr. W. R. and Mrs. Meredith, Mr. G. W. and Mrs. Torrance, Mr. D. Plews, Mr. S. Heward, Mr. Dalton McCarthy, M.P., Mr. G. B. Smith, M.L.A., Mrs. Austin Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Ryerson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rogers, Mr. H. and Miss Ryan, Mr. and Miss Rutherford, Mrs. and Miss Riordan, Dr. and Miss Trow, Mr. and Mrs. J. Enoch Thompson, Mr. David, Mrs. and the Misses Walker, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pope, Miss J. Proudfoot, F. B. Polson, Judge and Mrs. Morgan, Mr. D. and Mrs. Moison, Mr. J. B. Miller and Mrs. Miller, Mr. Robert and Mrs. Simpson.

Col. and Mrs. Dawson, Col., Mrs. and Miss Otter and the officers of C School, Hon. R. and Mrs. Harcourt, Hon. J. B. Robinson, Mr. C. W. and Miss Bunting.

There could not have been less than 400 present. All the arrangements for dancing were excellent and reflected credit on the floor committee, G. S. Michie (chairman), G. McMurrich, G. M. Mitchell, M. Mackenzie, R. C. Dickson, C. M. Henderson, A. B. Cameron, Capt. Forsythe Grant, B. Jennings, J. B. Macdonald.

## DR. CASCADEN RESIGNS.

**A Brief Reign as Superintendent at the Mimico Asylum.**

Dr. J. Cascaden of Iona, ex-M.L.A. for West Elgin, did not hold on to the position of superintendent at the Mimico Insane Asylum very long. He was only appointed six months ago, and yesterday he sent his resignation to the Government.

There were various rumors in circulation as to what brought about the Doctor's resignation so soon after his appointment. By some it was said the Government could not any longer carry a man with such a record as his, especially after it had been quite recently given out in the press. By others it was alleged that things were made so hot for the Doctor that he was forced to quit.

Here is the Doctor's own statement of the resignation, as told to The World in the Rossin House last night:

"Oh, I never was superintendent! When I was appointed I thought I would be the head of an independent institution, but instead found myself merely the resident physician of a branch establishment under Dr. Clark. Being of an impetuous disposition I could not submit to dictation, and in order to avoid friction tendered my resignation. The Government has not yet acted upon it. I have a fine practice waiting me and will probably return to it. The institution may some day be independent and offer one some scope, but I can't wait."

## HIS DEATH CAUSED BY A KICK.

**That's What Killed Patrick Foley, Says the Doctor.**

The enquiry into the death of Patrick Foley, who was found dead in his bed on Sunday morning, was resumed at the Police Court last night by Coroner Duncan. Garrett O'Gara, George Ross and Joseph Thompson testified to having seen James Williams eject deceased from the Britannia Hotel, Queen and William-streets, but their evidence did not show that unnecessary force was used in doing so. The evidence of W. Williams, the bartender, merely referred to deceased's unruly conduct.

Policeman Stewart testified to having seen deceased at Queen and William-streets. He was then intoxicated. While requesting him to go home a young man named W. Pickens came up and offered to accompany deceased there. Considering Pickens a suspicious character he refused to allow him to do so. He then went up William-street and the officer stated that he watched him turn into a lane leading to Simcoe-street. Later on William Williams, a brother of the manager of the hotel, met Pickens going eastward in Queen-street at a rapid rate in the direction Foley had taken.

Mrs. Fallon, the dead man's landlady, said deceased had only worked 3 days last week, drawing in all $4.72, paying out of this $3.25 for board.

Dr. McPhedran, who made the post-mortem examination, considered injuries to the abdomen the cause of death. The injuries were caused by violence, probably in the nature of a kick. A fall or blow from a fist would scarcely do so.

As the attendance of two material witnesses, W. Pickens and James Harrington, is wanted the inquest was adjourned till Monday next.

**Frank Cayley Offers For Sale**

A semi-detached residence in St. Alban-street, containing 11 rooms; decorated, painted and papered throughout; the house is in perfect order, situate near new Parliament Buildings; lot 30x200 to a 20 ft. lane. For further particulars apply at his office, 65 King-street east.