The president, Dr. Adam Wright, read a little from Mr. Edwin A. Smith, of the city pharmacy, offering two prizes for the best essay on (1) the therapeutics of opium and mercury salts and potassium salts: (2) the use of the thermometer i the treatment and diagnosis of diseases On motion of Messrs. Montague and Coulter a vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Smith, to which he made a suitable reply. The president stated that other gentlemen had promised substantial aid.

About fifteen gentlemen were then proposed as members of the society. Dr. Richardson, in taking the chair, expressed his sympathy with the aims of the society, and then called upon Dr. Adam Wright to give his

in which, after thanking the society for electing him president, he announced his intention of dealing with (1) the objects and prospects of the society, (2) the school, (3) their profession. The society would include the teachers, students and graduates of the school, and with the view of encouraging the latter to join, it had include the teachers, students and graduates of the school, and with the view of encouraging the latter to join it had been decided to make them life members on payment of a single entrance fee been decided to make them life members on payment of a single entrance fee. The objects would be literary, scientific and medical. Papers would be read on medical subjects, and clinical cases presented for examination. In point of attendance, he hoped they would show a good example to the Toronto medical society, which could barely muster up an average attendance of twenty. (Laughter.) There would also be a library and reading-room in connection with the society.

Their school, after a vigorous existence of 39 years, still occupied a place in the front rank of the best medical societies in America, a result which was due to the fathful labors of the senior members of the faculty.

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THE STUDENTS AND THE POLICE.

Speaking of the kindly and intimate relations between the teachers and students, attempt to command respect by clubbing students after the manner of those valiant men, the members of the Toronto police force. Later on in the address, he advised the students to refrain from midnight promenades in company with their friends the "biobbies," notwithstanding the moral benefits which the policemen must derive from the association.

(Laughter.)

Speaking of the great change which has taken place in popular sentiment regarding the medical profession, the essayist read an advertisement taken from a paper 300 years old, "Wanted, a sober, steady person in the capacity of doctor, so the capacity of doctor, so the capacity of doctor, so the medical profession and Messrs. Ridgut and Trotter were appointed as representatives on the board of the Toronto industrial exhibition for 1992. advertisement taken from a paper 300 years old, "Wanted, a sober, steady person in the capacity of doctor, surgeon and man-midwife. He must occasurgeon and man-midwife. He must occasionally act as butier, dress and trim wigs. He will be required to read prayers and preach a sermon every day." (Laughter.) But when they looked at the absurd and empirical methods of treatment pursued in those days, they would not be surprised at the low estimate in which the profession was held by the public. The high and honorable position now held by the profession was due to the wonderful advances in the study and practice of medicine made formed with \$400 to the conditions as the proposal extended in the study and practice of medicine made formed with \$400 to the conditions are the study and practice of medicine made formed with \$400 to the conditions are the study and practice of medicine made formed with \$400 to the conditions are the conditions as the proposal extended to the conditions are the conditions are

exciting cause of the disease. One was that it was a poison arising from the decomposi-tion of organic or inorganic substances. The other theory, and that most commonly received, was that it was a specific poison from an organized germ derived from a previous case of the disease. The latter theory was the one favored by the speaker who supported it by a number of remarkable instances. He armived at the following conclusions:

The other theory, and that most commonly received, was that it was a specific poison from an organized germ derived either inside of the safe and broke open all the drawers in the office. The papers and books were all scattered about. The party suspected has made off, it is supposed in the direction of Hamilton,

TE DEUM AT ST. MICHAEL'S. rived at the following conclusions

That the nature of the contagion is such that one case is more than sufficient to use a wide spread epidemic, even a very great length of time after its occurence.

That the prevalence of the fever in this case was predisposed to by the unusal heat and drouth of the season, and that the means by what the infection has in all probability spread include the careless disposal of discharges from the sick, the atmosphere of the city, and the well water used for Laurent addressed the congregation in of the city, and the well water used for drinking purposes; the imperfect drainage and possibly adulterated milk supplied for the residents. Mr. Cleland followed, advocating the de-

Mr. Cleland followed, advocating the de-composition theory, and attributing the disease to defective drainage, &c. Mr. Coulter supported Mr. Montague. He instanced China, where the drainage, &c. was most defective and yet the disease was unknown. He thought the disease

might be imported from meat.

Mr. Paterson after modestly explaining that he was only in the primary class, gave an excellent essay on the CITY'S WELL-WATER

supply, and showed the great danger of contamination from privies, surface water, &c. He said the results of analysis had shown that the city water was comparatively good while the well-water was exceedingly bad.

Dr. Graham after complimenting the previous speakers, spoke of some peculiarities which had characterized the present

Dr. O'Reilly said that nearly all of the large number of cases in the hospital had been traced to privies.

Dr. Cameron said that the vast majority

Dr. Workman made one of his characteristic speeches, full of dry humor, and was enthusiastically applauded by the students. He said he could remember when there was no such thing as typhoid fever in the city.

Toronto he considered was one of the best trustees are inclined to make it over to the missionery and book-room authorities for connection purposes, whilst others are as strongly in favor of selling to any legitimate purchaser, the proceeds, after paying off the debt, to be applied towards the was one of the best erection of a new church in some more.

Wurhele O. C. as lecturer on commercial

whether the drains themselves were not a source of the disease. They were too large and had not sufficient fall. The chairman gave an account of the first typhoid epidemic in the city, which arose from defective drainage in a number of houses near a ravine at the corner of Ann

This closed the discussion. Mr. Duncan after describing the shrinking and timid nature of the freshman in a manner which drew tears to the eyes of every one, moved a vote of thanks to Dr. Richardson, which was seconded by Mr. Cuthbertson and carried amid enthusiastic applause. The meeting adjourned at a little before 11.

BRIEF LOCALS.

How loud can tan bark?
Vital statistics last week: births, 61;
narriages, 42; deaths, 23.
Amber-headed sandals of laurel-pink Amoer-neaded santas of native-places satin are the latest in dancing shoes.

A new tannery is about to be erected on the Don for the manufacture of sole leather.

Cloth is one of the most fashionable manufacture of sole leather. rials for making an over-dress for a plush

Reports of moribund council meetings are moribundant now than at any other eason of the year. Frank H. Gardner's Legion of Honor combination open at the grand opera nouse to night for a week. Both play and players come well recommended by press

evening.
Charles Roberts, jr., who is to read here
next week, is considered one of the first
elocutionists of New York, the press of which city have awarded him very high praise. He will appear under distinguished patronage.

The west end christian temperance so-

ciety held one of their experience meetings in Occident hall yesterday afternoon. About five hundred people were in attend-ance. Addresses were delivered by leading members of the association, after which twenty-six signed the pledge.

The Sherbourne street car-drivers offe

Poultry breeders and all others interest ed will do well to see some member of the Canadian poultry association, before connecting themselves or in any way lend-ing their influence to the formation of an-other society for which there is no need,

as the proposal emenates from a disap-pointed office seeker, and one who is a conwas held by the public. The high and honorable position now held by the profession was due to the wonderful advances in the study and practice of medicine made since that time.

The essayist closed by referring to the great and serious responsibilities which would rest upon his hearers in the profession they had chosen, and resumed his stand great applause.

The chairman spoke of the clinical society formed by the students at Guy's hospital, London, which in a very short time acquired such importance that the regulations of the hospital had to conform to its wishes.

The police seeker, and one who is a constant grumbler.

The police superanuation fund has been formed with \$4000 as a nucleus. Policeman Hall is chairman of the fund, committee and Sergeant Armstrong secretary. The fund has been gathered by stopping two per cent, per annum out of the constable's pay, but it is the intention to petition the city council for a grant, which will obviate any further grant from that quorter in individual cases.

County constable McGlure of Holland Landing, arrived in the city Saturday with a prisoner named Danl. Smith, committed for trial on the charge of stealing a horse

for trial on the charge of stealing a horse belonging to Charles Armstrong of Brampton. The horse is valued at \$150 and was of the epidemic of TYPHOID FEVER in the city. It was opened by Mr. Montague, who said there were two theories of the made the arrest an hour after the sale. Alderman Hallam's warehouse, 85 Front street east, was broken into yesterday afternoon for the third time. The thieves only succeeded in getting about \$12. They smashed the inside of the safe and broke

That typhoid fever arises from a specific poison.

That there is no reason for supposing the present epidemic an exception to that general rule.

A special service was held at St. Michael's cathedral last night in "thanksgiving for the liberation of the Catholic church in Prussia from imperial tyranny." The cathedral was crowded to the doors, and the the cathedral was crowded to the doors, and the full specimens of Worth's genius, and the full specimens of Worth's genius, are the chief charm.

M'lle, Rhea is well supported by J. Cathedral last night in "thanksgiving for the liberation of the Catholic church in Prussia from imperial tyranny." The cathedral was crowded to the doors, and the

grievance. They have to buy their own fur caps and gloves, while the officers are supplied with these articles at the city's expense. It is hard to understand why the commissioners make fish of one and flesh of the other. If a distinction is to be made, it should be in favor of the private memhers, whose pay is out of proportion to

that of their superiors.

A large number of the men threaten to leave unless their pay is increased. What are the commissioners doing? It is about time they gave the force some intimation of

of cases which had come under his observation had been caused by drinking the water of wells contaminated by privies.

Dr. Smith, V.S., gave some facts regarding the disease among the lower animals.

Dr. Workman made one of his character.

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THE JANE MILLER.

ment Investigation re the Lost Propeller. A few days after the Jane Miller was ost, Mr. Peter A. Scott, the well known umberman of this city, wrote to the department of marine and fisheries at Ottawa, suggesting that the disaster should be made the subject of a government investigation, as he considered the propeller unseaworthy—in fact "the worst piece of workmanship afloat." In due time Mr. Scott received a reply from the deputy minister to the effect that the minister to the effect that the department was in communication with the inspector of steamboats in regard to the matter. Last week a second letter was admatter. Last week a second letter was ad-dressed to Mr. Scott informing him that that although a rough piece of workman-ship, still the Jane Miller was strong, sea-

worthy and properly appointed for the route on which she was placed.

Mr. Scott is not satisfied to let the matter Mr. Scott is not satisfied to let the matter rest here. He wants a government investigation and writes to The World calling upon Mr. James Beaty, M. P. for West Toronto, to take the case in hand and urge it before the authorities at Ottawa. Mr. Scott selects Mr. Beaty from among the other city members because Mr. Beaty spoke against "floating coffins" at the meeting in this city subsequent to the terrible steamin this city subsequent to the terrible steam-boat disaster at Loudon. Mr. Scott claims the Jane Miller was nothing but a floating and public.

The Canadian evangelization society, of which S. H. Blake is president and Mayor McMurrich treasurer, will bring Mr. Owers, to labor in Toronto.

The annual report of the collegiate institute shows the following facts: Number of teachers 11, salaries \$10,250; pupils for 1881, 406, of which 233 were boys and 173 girls, all passing the inspector's examination for admission.

A large number attended the free breakfast at the temperance hall yesterday morning. A large number signed the pledge. A concert and supper will be given to the poor children at the same place Thursday evening.

SCORTING TALK,

Madame Englo, the champion long-dis-tance female pedestrian of Great Britain, is coming to America. The Bay of Quinte sportman's club have accepted a challenge from the Deseronto club to a pigeon shooting match.

Wui. Elliott, the oarsman, and the freman on the steamer Critic, were seriously injurned at Queenston, by falling down a coal bunker.

oal bunker.

Thirty horses in training for the spring neeting of the Nashville blood horse association have been removed by steamer to Nashville, Tenn,. the race track being in-

indated. A new trotting circuit has been formed taking in Louisville, Cincinnati, Maysville, Columbus, Toledo, Detroit, Jackson, Sagniaw and Grand Rapids, beginning May 2 and closing June 27.

the "bobbies," notwithstanding the moral benefits which the policemen must derive from the association. He told an anecdote of a policeman who was walking arm in arm with an arts student, when the latter said, "Do people ever mistake you for a post, and tie a horse to you?" To which his companion replied, "Not yet, but I've got an ass tied to me now. (Laughter.)

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The executive committee of the National association of amateur oarsmen met on Saturday at New York. The report of the committee to consider the advisability of sending the Hillsdale crew to England decides that the crew should go, while being of the opinion that the Hillsdale's are eligible to row in any race, they deem it undignified for the association to enter the Hapley regestle, under the present unjust

enne. The Detroit Every Saturday thus speaks of the great French actress:—M'lle. Rhea possesses a graceful figure, an expressive and intellectual face, and a clear, recentration. penetrating though not resonant voice. Her English is but slightly betrayed by her French accentuation. She is extremely natural, both in acting and speaking, and never a word of declamation or of stage elecution is heard from her lips. "Intensity" with her is not merely vocal, outward and muscular; it is the intensity of her own conception and possession of her part, and one suffers with her as with real suffering that must be respected, not applauded as mimicry. Her realistic method is her chief charm.

M'lle. Rhea is well supported by J. New-ton Gotthold, W. F. Clifton, Mrs. J. W. costumes are described as perfectly beautiful specimens of Worth's genius, and her diamonds are worth \$100,000.

ASSIZE COURT.

In the malicious arrest case of Phlilips v. Flynn the defendants said the proceedings for the arrest of plaintiff for his deficiency were taken with great reluctance, and upon the legal advice of Mr. Kerr, crown attorney at Cobourg. When the case came before the police magistrate it was dismissed on the ground that the case was one of a civil rather than a criminal nature. His leadable hald that the taking of the advice bishop.

Pontifical high mass will be sung at the athedral Wednesday morning next at 9 cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of reasonable and probable cause, besides which Mr. Phillips had advice was evidence of the control of the cont Pontifical high mass will be sung at the cathedral Wednesday morning next at 9 o'clock, previous to the meeting of the diocesan synod.

Cause, besides which Mr. Phillips nau auticular than the deficiency. He therefore entered judgement for the defendant. Dr. Mc-Michael for plaintiff; J. K. Kerr, Q.C.,

The privates on the police force have a rievance. They have to buy their own fur aps and gloves, while the officers are sup-Grand Junction railway as civil engineer. He testified that the defendant had claimed that he had lost so much time through an accident while in his service, for which he had been paid \$800 by the township of Otonabee, he did not owe him anything.

The jury gave him a verdict for \$450. Dr. Snelling appeared for the plaintiff, R. S. Appelbe for defendant.

A LADY'S CLEVER HIT.

A CHURCH TO BE CLOSED.

Rev. I Tovell writes that several familes belonging to the Richmond street Methodist church intend to leave at the end of his pastoral term, on account of distance, and unite with the control of distance, and sometimes of the control of the control of distance, and sometimes of the control of the control of distance, and sometimes of the control of the co

Toronto he considered was one of the best derection of a new church in some more drained cities in America, but he doubted suitable locality.

Wurbele, Q. C., as lecturer on commercial law in McGill university. Thursday night.

BRANDON.

The Great Valley City of the Wondrous West (From the London Advertiser.) Who has not heard of Brandon, the valley city of "our wondrous west," pleasantly situated on the west bank of the Assin boine river, and commanding an extensive and enchanting view of the famous Grand valley, eastward, the beautiful Brandon valley of the Little Saskatchewan, westward. Centrally located in an extensive area of fertile land, well watered and with good natural drainage, its position is one of the most promising for a great city or the line of the Canada Pacific railroad. The C. P. R. syndicate, in May last, denipeg being 145 miles, and from Portage 1

induced them to survey and sell the site, reserving a strip of land through the town, one mile in length and 300 feet in width. for railway purposes. A large block of land was reserved for workshops, which at prices ranging as high as \$400.

A large number of mechanics are employed in railway operations and building

Prairie 80 miles. Its favorable position the west bank of the Assiniboine rive

construction, but many more would be built if the lumber could be got in. It was thought that the opening of the railroad to Brandon, which took place on the 15th October, would bring in an abundance o building materials, but the immense quan tities of supplies required for the constru tion of the line westward permitted only a imited amount of assistance to Bran

most encouraging prospects for a wonderful oine at the foot of First street (1st street) to be built during the present winter, con-nects Brandon with the splendidly settled

and the present season closes with the

The Brandon mills, Millford, and Elliott settlements all pass over this portion of Brandon by the south-east trail. Brandon is the county town for the county of Brandon; and the Land office at the Souris mouth and the registry office at Millford will in all probability be removed to Brandon, for the greater convenience of

of which will commence in the spring, is a fine country, and is rapidly settling up. This road opens up and passes through the immense coal and iron deposits recently discovered in the famous Souris valley dis-

Brandon will undoubtedly become a large

and prosperous city in a few years. Its central position will necessitate a branch and intertecting lines of railways with the trunk line, and the splendid bridge now be ing constructed across the Asiniboine just east of the town, will be utilized for a great southern line to connect with the North-western road. As a distributing point it will have no equal outside of Winnipeg in the Northwest. The syndicate have let contracts for an immense immigrant shed to be built at the foot of Second street, and intend using it as an outfitting station for emigration, which will be the largely increasing the business in this rapid-ly rising city. It will also be the terminus of the Canada Pacific railway for next season, and the point from which all syndicate supplies will be shipped. All steamers running between Winnipeg and Fort Ellice stop at Brandon. Plans for "a grand palace hotel," containing 140 bedrooms have been prepared by a Minneapolis firm, and work on the same will be commenced early in the coming spring. The materials for the construction are now being shipped from Miuneapolis, so that no delay will occur in hastening the completion of so laudable an enterprise. The building alone will cost \$75,000, and will have ten stores underneath, six of them facing Princess avenue, and the other four on Park street.

POLICE NEWS.

Ald. Love and Alex. Henderson presided t the police court Saturday.

Jennie Mills, a street walker, was sent own for three months. Thomas Mathers requested the bench to send him down, as he could not secure work. He got three months.

John Mackenzie stole a bunch of keys

and a silk handkerchief from John Platt. He was remanded until to-day. He was remanded until to-day.

James W. Miller, alias James Ryan, the convict who escaped from the penitentiary in Clarion county, Pa., was brought up on the charge of carrying a revolver. Mr. Murphy argued as the case had been partially heard by Colonel Denison Mr. Love had no jurisdiction in the matter. The prisoner was finally released on his own bail in the sum of \$500 to appear for trial to day. He was then re-arrested by Detec-tive Burrows on a warrant charging him with robbery and shooting with intent to murder. The matter will probably be brought up before the county judge, when the evidence of Edward S. Wright, the Warden of the penitentiary will be taken. John McGowan, Robt. McGowan and Jane McGowan were arrested on a warrant Saturday night for committing an aggravated assault on J. Y. Egan. An old man named George Grey was arrested on suspicion of stealing a pair of pants, a shirt and other articles which were found in his possession.

PUBLIC OPINION.

Ottawa Free Press: If confederation, as administered by the conservative party, means the dismemberment of Ontario, and means the dismemberment of Onta the destruction of provincial and legal rights, it is time we know it, in order that steps may be taken to secure a final settle-

Kingston Whig: Every merchant and commercial man in Canada should help the movement setting in with force for the repeal of the bill stamp act. It is one of those things which are far more bother than they are worth.

THURSDAY NIGHT'S FIRE.

In a fire like that at Gillespie, Mead & Co's, the police should close up the street at either end so as to prevent vehicles from running over the hose. Considerable damage was done the rubber from this neglect on RETAIL CLOTHING.

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At the meeting of the Canadian institute on Saturday, President Langton in the chair, Ald. Hallam advocated the free li-brary scheme. The meeting passed a re-solution that the Canadian institute, besolution that the Canadian institute, be-lieving that the establishment of free pub-lic libraries would be of great benefit to this province, approve of any well consid-ered plan for their institution by the imposition of a tax for that purpose. The pre-sident read a paper on the Hittite inscrip-tions, written by Professor Campbell of

Montreal.
Commanner Cheyne addressed the meeting on his well-known plan for reaching the north pole by means of balloons. Several ons were put by members, and replied the commander. A resolution was to by the commander. A resolution was passed, commending the proposal as one worthy of consideration and a vote of thanks was tendered to the speaker.

CANNIFF.—On the 15 inst., at the residence of his son, Dr. Caniff, Jonas Canniff, aged 92. Funeral on Tuesday at Belleville on the arrival of the morn-

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