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PATERSON OF BRANT ENTERS AN UNAVAILING PROTEST.

Amendment on Going Into Supply Re-Jected—Mr. costigan at Sea—The Gen. A Proposal Made to Speaker Clarke for An Amendment on Going Into Supply Re-OTTAWA, March 24.—In the house of

commons to-day Mr. Cameron (Huron) introduced a bill to further amend the crimi-On motion of Mr. Costigan a resolution the house. It ran:

was adopted authorizing the introduction To the Honorable The Speaker: of a bill to amend the general inspection act, and providing that inspectors who have obtained certificates in other districts may be appointed for districts in which may be appointed for districts in which there are no qualified applicants for office, inspectors so appointed to have power to appoint deputies after examination by them; that a deputy inspector having an interest in articles inspected by him shall incur a penalty; that fishermen may be appointed deputy inspectors of fish and fish oils under certain restrictions; that no barrel or package for reception of fish shall be sold without inspection under a penalty for each package so sold; that the several qualities of herrings shall be more precisely defined; that masters of vessels entering or clearing at a custom house shall report all packages of visibled are amounted for districts in which there are no qualified applicants for office, inspectors so appointed to honorable members of the house with the object of corruptly influencing their votes, and honorable members of the house with the object of corruptly influencing their votes, and honorable members of the house with the object of corruptly influencing their votes, and honorable members of the house with the object of corruptly influencing their votes, and honorable members of the house with the object of corruptly influencing their votes, and honorable members of the house in the said honorable members of the house. That the said sum corruptly paid as aforesaid does not belong to the person or persons by whom it was corruptly paid as aforesaid does not belong to the said honorable members. That the said sum corruptly paid as aforesaid does not belong to the said honorable members of the house. That the said sum corruptly paid as aforesaid does not belong to the person or persons by whom it was corruptly paid as aforesaid does not belong to the said honorable members. That the said sum corruptly paid as aforesaid does not belong to the person or persons by whom it was corruptly paid as aforesaid does not belong to the person or persons by whom it was corruptly paid as aforesaid honorable members. That the said honorable members of the house. That the said ho of pickled or smoked fish uninspected on board such vessels; that the fee for inspection of each barrel of herring shall be seven cents and for each half barrel four cents.

An act to amend the steamboat inspec

as to provide that penalties under that act may be collected in any court of competent jurisdiction and also that any person found guilty of smuggling or presenting false or fraudulent invoices shall be liable to fines of from \$50 to \$200 or to imprisonment for terms of from one to twelve months. The bill respecting gas iuspection was

Mr. Costigan moved the second reading of the bill to prevent the adulteration of

food and drugs. Several members asked for explanations. Mr. Costigan looked around, searched his desk for memoranda, and atter a while Sir John Macdonald told langhter from the opposition.

The minister of inland revenue fared little better when he moved the second reading of the bill to amend the weights and measures act. Messrs. Mills and Weldon contended that the subject of the proposed amendment came within the purview of the provincial legislatures. Mr. Costigan appealed to Sir John, who suggested that discussion be postponed. This was agreed

After recess Sir Leonard Tilley moved to

go into committee of supply. Mr. Paterson (Brant) rose to move a amendment in reference to immigration. When the syndicate bargain was entered into in 1881, it was urged that the government would be relieved of the entire expenditure upon immigration. That was the principal argument used in support of that bargain, but now, after four years, it was found that the government's expenditure upon immigration had increased enormous ly, while the syndicate could not show that they had expended a single dollar upon immigration. He quoted figures taken from the Canadian census to show that the country had not been able to retain its natural increase of population, and within the last five years had lost a number more than equal to the entire immigration into the country. Tories having used American statistics to show that the country American statistics to show that the country was being depopulated in 1877 and 1878, were now prevented from impugning the accuracy of these returns when they showed that four times as many people had gone out annually under the present tariff than under the late government. The school returns of Ontario showed a falling off in populating during the past five years, and under the late government. The school returns of Ontario showed a falling off in population during the past five years, and a similar state of affairs was visible in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. The school returns for Nova Scotia showed that the number of pupils enrolled in 1876 was 94,161. In 1879 under the late government the number had increased to 99,094, but in 1882 there were only 95,912, or a decline of 4932 in three years under the N. P. In New Brunswick, the number of pupils enrolled in 1875 was 59,625. In 1879, 70,889, and in 1883 64,581. Under all the circumstances he thought there was no more room for mechanics in Canada, though the government were still spending money in bringing mechanics from Europe to this country. Manufacturers now found themselves obliged to refuse employment to many deserving persons and the government should pay attention to the request of the workingmen of the country as expressed by the memorial of the trades and labor council of Toronto presented to parliament, asking that the system of granting assisted passages to mechanics should be discontinued. All they asked was that taxes paid by them should not be spent in bringing men from Europe to cut down wages in the already overstocked labor market. In conclusion, he moved that the whole subject of immigration required reconsiderausion, he moved that the whole subject of immigration required reconsideration, and that the system of giving assisted passages should be discontinued.

Sir Hector Langevin followed, complain

ing that Mr. Paterson's remarks tended to disparage the country. The cost of bringing immigrants into the country now was less than under the Mackenzie administration. The people of the country were satisfied with the present administration and they did not propose to change their

policy.

Mr. Rinfret spoke in French, charging Sir Hector Langevin with failing to fulfil his promise to repatriate those French Canadians who have settled in the United

The debate was continued by Messra. urran, Blake, White of Cardwell and Curran, Blake, White of Cardwell and Charlton until 1 o'clock, when the mem-

bers were called in, and the amendment THE INTEREST ABATING. was lost: yeas 50, nays 101.

The house then went into committee of supply and passed items for various services in connection with the department

GOING FOR THE \$1800.

Its Division.

While the legislature was in session yes terday a petition duly engrossed and tied speaker's hand. It was read by him, referred to the government and passed round

may be placed in their hands under similar circumstances hereafter.

That for obvious reasons of public policy it is not wise that monies corruptly paid to members of parliament and given by them to the speaker should be paid back to these members or to the person or persons who corruptly paid such monies to honorable members.

That something must be done with the money.

lines in Ontario, also adding that the province was too much party-ridden. Meek said he advocated coalition principles, and witness told him that he concurred as to the province being too much party-ridden. Meek gave witness to understand that there had been a good deal of progress made towards forming a coalition government, and that five or six of Mr. Mowat's supporters had consented to join the coalition. He pressed witness The following bills were read a second

Probable Fatal Leap.—Not the O'Cal-laghan—Sneak Thieves Busy.

HAMILTON, March 24. -- Fred Seipe, aged 35, a journeyman tinsmith, while suffering from delirium tremens, jumped out of a window in High's hotel, a distance of eighteen feet to the ground. He was picked up insensible with his head, face and throat badly lacerated, and with a probable fatal injury to his spine, his limbs being partially paralyzed.

James E. O'Callaghan, arrested on sus-

James E. O'Callagnan, arrested on sas-picion that he was the murderer who es-caped from Sandwich jail, was released to-day after putting in several days in prison. Two detectives from Detroit said he was

The police recently found an overcoat in the alleyway near Bowen street. In the pocket was found two patient's tickets from the central hospital, Toronto. It is supposed to have been stolen from the hospital or else lost by a discharged patient.

Mr. Joseph Hobson, chief engineer of the Great Western division, Grand Trunk railway, has purchased the residence of the late Mr. A. Duncan, corner of Bay and Concession streets, for \$6500. Three hundred immigrants passed brough here to-day for the west.

The remains of the late Mr. Isaac R. Buchanan, who died in Denver, Col., will arrive here to-morrow, and will be interred with masonic honors.

One "Prof." Gant will stand up against Popp or Gilmore in their sparring exhibition here next week and endeavor to carry off the \$10 offered to any man who can last

ree rounds. Sneak thieves are busy round the station. Mr. Armstrong, the station master, has lost two overcoats, and many other articles Mr. Bauer, an old and well-known mer ave been stolen. chant, died yesterday in his 60th year after two weeks' illness.

TAKEN FOR SAFE-KEEPING.

Grocer Charged with Stealing \$160 Deposited in His Safe.
STRATFORD, March 24.—J. B. Myers, rocer, was brought up at the police court o-day, charged with appropriating to-day, charged with appropriating a package containing \$1600, placed in the safe in his store for safe-keeping on March 4 by a Mrs. Potteous. The package was deposited in the safe on the afternoon of that day, and was found to be missing about 7 o'clock the same evening, and no trace has since been had of it. A large amount of evidence was taken, and the case was adjourned until 10 to-morrow morning. Bail in \$3200 was accepted.

London, Ont., March 24.—Benjamin Parks, a Grand Trunk railway brakeman, while tugging at the beltrope on top of a freight car, slipped backwards, and fell on the track
between the cars, several of which passed
over him, cutting his body almost in two,
breaking a leg in two places, and also an arm. Death was instantaneous. The remains were buried at St. Thomas to-day.

BERLIN, March 24. Paul Preiderich prother of the grand duke of Mecklenburg Schwerin, having been converted to the catholic faith, has renounced his hereditary rights in favor of his younger brothers and their of spring. If his brothers' families become extinct the throne is too revert to the family of Paul Freiderich provided his successor becomes a protestant.

YESTERDAY'S . PROCEEDINGS THE CONSPIRACY CASE.

> Dr. Cascaden in the Witness Box-Nothing Particularly Fresh in His Evi-dence—Hon. Mr. Morris to be Ex-

The proceedings in the political conspir cy case are beginning to grow stale, in so far as new developments are concerned; but there is still enough interest lett to attract a large crowd to the police court room. When the court adjourned at 4.30. the bail bonds of Kirkland and Wilkinson were renewed by the same bondsmen, Goldwin Smith for the former and Edward Gegg and Thomas Graham for the latter.

An act to amend the steamboat inspection act, 1882, by reducing fees payable on renewal of engineer's licenses.

An act respecting fortifications and military buildings and their maintenance and repair.

An act to amend the customs act, 1883, so

That something must be done with the money. That something must be done with the money. That the press gallery is under modern conditions, an important and almost essential part of the constitution, and is charged with functions in the legislation and in the daministration of public affairs of the province, second only in importance and one rounces to those of parliament itself.

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That the honorable members of the house receive an indemnity for their services in the house, while the press gallery does not.

That perhaps the evolution of constitutional government has not reached that stage in which public opinion would approve of the granting of an indemnity to members of the gallery.

But that the distribution of the said monies paid into your hands amongst the members of the press gallery would meet with public approval signified by the unanimous endorsation of the press of the province,

Wherefore your petitioners humbly pray that you would establish as a precedent the granting to the members of the members of the press gallery of monies placed in the speaker's gallery of monies placed in the speaker's gallery of monies placed in the speaker's this constituents in the weet to did witness that he could resign and he would be given the registrarship of Regina at \$1800 per year and a free house; with \$3000 or \$4000 in cash to pay his expenses up to Regina. Meek suggested that he introduce witness to Bunting, but the former replied that he did not care to know Bunting. Meek said to witness that he could resign and he would be given the registrarship of Regina at \$1800 per year and a free house; with \$3000 or \$4000 in cash to pay his expenses up to Regina. Meek suggested that he introduce witness to Bunting, but the former replied that he did not care to know Bunting. Meek said to witness that he could resign and he would be given the registrarship of Regina at \$1800 per year and a free house; with \$3000 or \$4000 in cash to pay his expenses up to Regina at \$1800 per year and a free house; with \$3000 or \$4000 in cash to pay his expenses up to Regina at \$1800 per year and a free house; with \$3000 or \$4000 in cash to pay his expenses up to Regina at \$1800 per year and a free house; with \$3000 or \$4000 in cash to pay his expenses up to Regina at \$1800 per year and a free house; with \$3000 or \$4000 in cash to pay his expenses up to Regina at \$1800 per

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Mandonald told to be passed in the speaker's pallery of monies placed in the speaker's ment. Mr. Meredith was to be the leader. On Meek pressing his proposals of bribery, witness said he would have to break off the interview. Meek spoke of his prospects in West Elgin, and he (witness) told him that he thought he might possibly carry the riding if he got the Irish vote. Afterwards witness was introduced to Bunting of having sent Meek to him (witness) with corrupt proposals, to he previously the members of the members of the pressing his proposals of bribery, witness said he would have to break off the interview. Meek spoke of his prospects in West Elgin, and he (witness) told him that he thought he might possibly carry the riding if he got the Irish vote.

Moses Oates and sixteen others. to him (witness) with corrupt proposals, and witness told Bunting when the latter and witness told Bunting when the latter commenced to talk about coalition not to proceed one step further. He then d—d Bunting for approaching him. Bunting at once and positively denied having any connection with Meek. There was nothing else of particular interest in Dr. Cas-

ing else of particular interest in Dr. Cascaden's testimony.
Witness was cross-examined by Dr. Mc-Michael and Mr. Macmaster, but his evidence was not materially changed. Witness said that Meek promised him that if the climate of Regina was too severe for him he (witness) could have almost any position he wanted in British Columbia.

Meek was arraigned on a new charge, that of offering to bribe a member of the legislature. A lengthy discussion took place on this charge, between the magistrate and Dr. McMichael, and the court adjourned without a plea being entered, the magistrate in the meantime saying, he would consult certain authorities on the atter. Hon, Alex. Morris will be the next wit-

ess called.
The trial will be resumed at 10.30 this

An Acceptable Gift. BERLIN, March 24.—The emperor Wiliam on his birthday received two Sevres rases from some person whose name not given. The emperor was delighted with the gift, which is elieved to be from President Grevy, of rance. Bismarck referring to the gift expressed the hope that the day was not far distant when he would be able to make France as happy as some one had made the

PROMINENT PERSONS. Auguste Mignet, the French historian,

David Blair, a wealthy Scotchman, has oined the Benedictine monks, and given hem an annual income of £6000. Hou. Neal Dow, the famous prohibiti st, attained his 80th birthday on March 0. He is as vigorous mentally and phys-

cally as most men of 65. The picture of Chief Justice Richards. of the supreme court, painted by his neice, is attracting much attention in the par-liamentary library at Ottawa. A suit for limited divorce has been begun

at New York by Mrs. Edith Allen again her husband, Vanderbilt Allen, grandso of the late Commodore Vanderbilt. The German newspapers charge the queen with parsimony because she has de-cided to attend the marriage of her daughter privately. An English paper says there is good cause for it.

James Hamilton, the largest shorthorn stock dealer in the world, died at Mount Sterling, Ky., yesterday morning. He had on his farm over \$150,000 worth of the finest strain of shorthorns.

THE OLD WORLD IN BRIEF.

Wales is spreading. Copies of Gen. Ed-Din's anti-British paper have been seized at Alexandria. Germany having taken the responsibilit for the Chinese ram Nankin, detained to Great Britain, it has left the Tyne.

The Retterdam Courier arges France, Germany, America and Helland to Inter-fare and prevent the aigning of a treaty between England and Fortugal regarding the Congo country.

BIG TEMPERANCE RALLY. NO FEAR OF A FAMINE.

The U. S. Commissioner of Agriculture Reports Plenty of Wheat in Stock and Growing.

WASHINGTON, March 24.—The report of

the commissioner of agriculture, called for by the senate, sets forth that the area of wheat in this country has doubled in sixeen years, the rate of yield increasing in teen years, the rate of yield increasing in districts where mixed farming and recuperative methods obtain and decreasing in regions of consecutive crops of spring wheat. The average weight of the wheat crop of 1883 is placed at 57 pounds a bushel. The stock on hand in commercial warehouses and farm granaries on March 1 was 150,000,000 bushels. The supply is ample for consumption. The spring seeding and probable exportation prospect for the wheat crop of 1884 is reported favorable.

TILDEN AND TARIFF REFORM.

England Democrats.

Boston, March 24.—The democratic members of the legislatures of New England except Rhode Island in a series of letters to a local newspaper give their preferences for presidential candidates. Tilden ters to a local newspaper give their preferences for presidential candidates. Tilden leads in each state, save Massachusetts, where he and Butler are about even. He is a strong favorite in Maine. In Vermont nearly every democratic member of the legislature is for Tilden. On the tariff question the majority of all heard from are for tariff for revenue only, an overwhelming majority being for the Morrison bill and a gradual reduction of tariff taxation.

The Property of the Propaganda. New York, March 24.—No authentic nformation has been received in regard to the rumored intention of the Italian government to sell the property of the American college at Rome. Dr. John G. Shea, the well-known historian of the catholic church, claims that it is the duty of the United States government to defend so much propaganda property at Rome as belongs to, or was contributed by American Roman catholics. He bases this opinion upon historical precedents.

London, March 24.—The vatican organs declare the report that the pope will leave

Rome is not true. The rumor is believed to be a manoeuvre to wrest a concession from the Italian government in regard to Attempted Assassination of a Governor Springfield, Ill., March 24. — While Gov. Hamilton was in his office at the state house this afternoon, a pistol bullet was fired through a window in the execuive mansion. A man at work in the neighborhood said the shot was fired by a boy shooting at pigeons, but from the fact that an occurrence of the same nature preceded it a short time ago, there are ap-

WASHINGTON, March 24,-In the case the Liverpool, New York and Philadelphia steamship company against the commis prising "head money' levied on immigrants by the state of New York, The decision will govern also similar levies in California Maryland, Massachusetts and Louisiana.

Buffalo, March 24.—The longshorem are in a high state of excitement over the actions of the various transportation line who have decided to employ Italians and non union men to handle their freight durng the coming season at the rate of forty 15c extra for all over time.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 24 .- 1 reight train went through a culvert near Canon Falls this evening. Ten person were injured. A wrecking train sent to their relief met the same fate in another culvert. Both trains were very badly wrecked.

DUBLIN, March 24.—Three soldiers the Scots guards stationed at Dublin bar racks have died from drinking impur water. Four others are dangerously

WASHINGTON, March 24. - Messrs. Con nelley and Robinson, lawyers from Detroit, visited the state department to see what can be done toward enforcing the provisions of the extradition treaty with Canada, so that minor criminals of the two countries may not find so accessible a haven by crossing the river. Mr. Connelley says Detroit is the sanctuary for lesse Canadian criminals, while Americans of the same class find a harbor at Windsor ont. Secretary Frelinghuysen has promised to bring the subject to the attention of the British minister, and thinks satisfactory arrangements can be made.

Would Sacrifice Herself for Her Father's Body.
Pocahontas, Va., March 24.—The ex eitement on Friday night, when an indig nation meeting was held to endeavor t compel the owners of the burning mines to compet the owners of the burning mines to reopen the same and recover the bodies of 152 miners, has subsided in a measure. Yesterday the belle of the village jumped upon a barrel and offered to marry the man who recovered the body of her father. The appeal met with no response.

NEW YORK, March 24.-The provi trade produce exchange, at a meeting to day, adopted amendments to rules, by which a more thorough inspection of mess pork will be ensured for the future. Pork must bear the private mark of the inspector who examines it and the ware house receipt must show the certificate o

Newfoundland Whalers Ready. WASHINGTON, March 24.—The chief sig nal officer has received a telegram saying the whalers at St. Johns, N. F., are very anxious to go in search of the Greeley party if it be made worth their while. Mrs. Greeley is understood to be very desirous that the co-operation of the whalers

ROUSING MEETING IN FAVOR OF PROHIBITION.

Speeches by the Bishop of Toronto, Hon. G. W. Ross and Bishop Baldwin—The Pavilion Packed.

If in the past the temperance people mplained that the church of England did not enter into their work, they can do so longer. Last night the members of this hurch rose bodily and presented a broad shouldered front, not only against the Marquis of Queensbury rules. Mr. George habit of drinking, but against the great evil itself—taking no half measures, but striking against the root of the evil by declaring for prohibition pure and simple. Seldom has the pavilion at the horticultural gardens contained such a congregation of people as that which docked into it last night and filled its every corner. The platform was filled with the eading lights of the church of England and the meeting was presided over by the bishop of the diocese. After the singing of All Hail the Power of Jesus' name, and prayer by the bishop, his lordship struck the key-note by a short and forcible speech in which he defined his position as a temperance man and struck out the temperance platform for the church of England in the future-which was pro-

of England in the future—which was prohibition. No half measures, no moderate
drinking—nothing short of total prohibition—the destruction of the liquor interest
by one fell swoop.

Hon. G. W. Ross, minister of education,
followed. To give a report of his speech
in a small space would be impossible. His
was a bold business-like review of the
liquor question. He held that the vested
rights, so-called, of the liquor dealers were
given to them by society and society had a
right to take away these vested
rights when it saw fit. His speech
was frequently interrupted with applause, and when he sat down the applause continued for some minutes. blause continued for some minutes.

Bishop Baldwin of Huron was the next Bishop Baldwin of Huron was the next speaker. A stately, sturdy and commanding figure he stood out boldly for the new platform. He took the religious view of the question and in nervous sentences described the misery and shame which the liquor traffic entailed on the christian church. He attacked the moderate drinker and in scathing language held him up to derision as the false beacon that lured millions to ruin. While the speech of Hon, Mr. Ross roused the audience to of Hon. Mr. Ross roused the audience to enthusiasm Bishop Baldwin's words sank below the surface and created a tempest of feeling in the furthermost heart of the vast

Rev. J. M. Cameron of the East presby terian church followed with a few earnest remarks, and after a short address by S. H. Blake, Bishop Sweatman pronounced the

There was a fair audience at the Grand pera house last night, when Harry Weed's Power of Money company made heir first appearance in this city. The pest part of the entertainment was the best part of the entertainment was the scenery, which was very fine, the Mammoth cave, Kentucky, and the Horse-Shoe bend in the Alleghany mountains being artistic and attractive. Of the melo-drama itself and the company the audience did not seem to form a very favorable opinion, and the applause, where it did occur, was quite mild. The engagement continues all week, with Wednesdays and Saturdays matinees.

Peter Small Said So. MR. EDITOR: The World this morning

commissioners for \$10. I never made such an assertion. DOMINION DASHES. The Latest and Best News Found in Our

Canadian Exchanges. The salvation army is doing a big busi ess at Oshawa.

Strawberries all the way from Florida are selling in Montreal at ninety cents a quart. What a chance for poor folks! Fresh eggs have been held at 75 cents dozen all winter at Edmonto Sheriff Her of Essex has received from Washington the papers for the extract of the wife murderer, Phipps.

A mining and prospecting company has been formed in Nelson to make trial bor ings in various localities in the neighbor A son of Mr. Evans, Chatham, aged 17, crushed his finger last week, and in a few days lockjaw set in. The finger was amputated, but the boy is likely to die from the effects.

A company has been formed in Montreal to preserve beef and mutton, and contracts have already been made for shipments to England and for the Canadian Pacific railway.

The skeleton of an unknown man was found last week in the woods near Essex Centre a few rods from the railway track. The skull had been pierced by a bullet, and a revolver was lying under the body. Forty-nine cars of sugar were shipped Saturday from Halifax to Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and other western places, and Moncton refinery shipped 1244 barrels in three days last week to western cities

There is a good deal of enquiry in Brandon, Man., for horses for farm purposes just now, and as good horses are somewhat scarce in Ontario, it is expected that prices will rule pretty high. They say that from \$400 to \$500 will be the usual price for and horses.

good horses.

The promoters of the Duluth & Winning in the direct peg railway are again moving in the direction of galvanizing this enterprise into life. Duluth and St. Paul papers point to an early resumption of the work, now that there is a prospect at no distant date to have an air line to Winnipeg.

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The residence of Capt. Young near Brandon, Man., was destroyed by fire last week. His brother narrowly escaped with his life. He remained in the stable all night after the fire, and in the morning ran two miles to a neighbor's house in his bare feet. He had his foot frozen during the journey, a severe blizzard being on at the time.

A number of immigrants are arriving sirous that the co operation of the whaters should be secured.

A Writ Against Wm. Redmond.
Londen, March 24.— A government drop warrant has been issued against Wm. Redmond for a seditious speech which he delivered prior to his departure for Australia.

A number of immigrants are arriving daily in Winnipeg from England, Germany, Norway and the eastern provinces. Ninety-five per cent of them pass right through to the west, not desiring to stay over in the city. Foreign immigrants report the Merthwest becoming well known through the speeches of the marquis of Lorne, late governor-general of Canada.

Somewhat Tame Ten-Round Glove Contest in Albert Hall,

Albert hall was packed as full as it ould hold last night to witness a ten-round bout with soft gloves between Harry Gilmour and Sam Bittle of Guelph, who has been working as a machinist at the Massey works for some time past. This was Bittle's second appearance in public before a Toronto audience. Last night's match was for the receipts of the house, rounds of three minutes each and four minutes for the last, with one minute between acts

Bittle.

An exhibition of club-swinging and a three-round-bout between Paul Patillo and Pat Hughes preceded the event of the

Pat Hughes preceded the event of the evening.

The event itself was very tame, Gilmour merely playing with his opponent from beginning to end. Bittle made no scientific display, although he took the punishment inflicted on him till the windup with a good deal of gameness. Gilmour made every attempt to draw him out of his corner and force the fight, but was only successful two or three times and then Bittle got back as quickly as he could. There was a little lively play in the last round, and the men pummelled each other all over the stage, but Gilmour made his points in rapid succession. No record of points was kept, but it is safe to say that Gilmour got 40 out of 50. Gilmour left the stage with one slight scratch, while his antagonist had his right eye beautifully decorated and his face was somewhat disfigured.

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It was announced that Jack Stewart and Joe Popp would spar with blackened gloves in the same hall Friday night for the receipts of the house.

D. C. Koss Defeats McLaughlin. CLEVELAND, O., March 24.—Duncan C Ross beat Col. J. H. McLaughlin in a Ross beat Col. J. H. McLaughlin in a mixed wrestling match here to-night. Ross won the first fall, Graco-Roman, in 15 mins. Col. McLaughlin captured the second, collar-and-elbow, in 8 mins., and Ross won the third, catch-as-catch-can, in 20 mins. Twenty thousand dollars changed hands. The betting was even The men are to meet again in three weeks in a mixed match for \$2000 a side.

Serachiki Scores a Success.

NEW YORK, March 24.—In the wrestling natch for \$500 a side between Capt. James Daly and Matsada Sorachiki, the Japanese champion, here to-night, in presence of several hundred spectators, Daly won the toss, and decided to try the American style first. In fifty-six seconds he was lying flat on his back. In the second bout, according to Language when was on the floor ing to Japanese rules, he was on the floor in ten seconds. He refused to wrestle any more, and the match was awarded to Sora-chiki. Daly weighed 220 pounds, 35 chiki. Daly weighed 220 pounds, 35 pounds more than his antagonist.

PORT RICHMOND, Pa., March 24.—Hugh McConnell and John McCormick fought a prize-fight of thirty-nine rounds for \$200 a side near here last evening. Both were badly punished by the twenty-fifth round, and upon the call for the fortieth round McCormick was unable to respond. McConnell was declared the victor. The fight lasted two hours and ten minutes.

Mr. Wm. Oill of St. Thomas, has been engaged during the past two months in playing a game of chess by mail with Mr. G. A. Laidlaw, mayor of Cherokee, Kansas. Each player makes one move per day, communication between Cherokee and St. Thomas being kept up by postal card. It is calculated that the game will last four or five months yet before either contestant will succeed in checkmating his opponent, as both are first-class his opponent, as both are first-class

UNITED STATES NEWS.

Epizootic prevails at Dayton, O., to remarkable extent. The disease is wors han ever before. An effort being made by Texas to gob ble 2400 square miles of Indian territory has greatly incensed the red men and may lead to trouble.

In the assembly at Albany a bill has

been passed authorizing the Rathbun lum-ber company, a Canadian corporation, to do business in New York state. Capitalists and cattle men run the whole of Northwestern Nebraska and do their best to freeze out settlers. They also devastate the government lands of the grow-

Governor Crittenden says there is not case of foot and mouth disease in Missour Experts pronounce the prevailing complaint frozen feet, and assert that the dis

Sallie Himmelreich, aged 13, was thrown into a trance at a revival meeting in Reading, Pa., on Friday last, and remains in a condition of religious exaltation, during which she describes the beauties of heaven. H. J. Blythe, attorney, Topeka, Kan., read a paragraph announcing the death of his uncle in San Francisco. He made inquiries and has just succeeded in proving his heirship to the estate valued at 4,000,-

The Molly Maguires are again active i the Pennsylvania coal regions and threate obnoxious bosses. Detectives are watchin, their movements. There are said to b many desperate men and murderers among the Mollies.

A provident German has hit upon a idea for obviating the embarras de richesses in which newly married couples find themselves on account of their wedding presents including many duplicate speci mens. Thus a bride finds, to her regret mens. Thus a bride finds, to her regret, that she has become the possessor, among other articles, of three biscuit dishes, seven butter plates, and perhaps a couple of opera glasses. An elegantly dressed gentleman calls upon brides in Berlin, it would seem, and offers to exchange or purchase for cash any superfluous presents. They are sold again by similar private means as wedding presents, or to shops; and according to a German paper, there are about half a dozen persons in Berlin engaged in this branch of trade.

SAFE OVER THE SEAS.

KHARTOUM SURROUNDED

GEN. GORDON IN A DECIDEDLY

e Call for the Eritish Army—Communication Destroyed—Expected Return of the Troops to England.

London, March 24.—The Times' Alexandria despatch says that if Zoebehr Pasha refases to go to the Soudan as governormeral, nothing but the arrival of the British army at Khartoum can prevent the nurder of General Gordon.

Latest advices indicate that the whole ountry south of Berber is in revolt. The rebels have surrounded Khartoum on all sides and cut off communication. The situation of Gordon is considered serious but

The Daily News says it is consider probable that the British troops now in the Soudan will return to England within a fortnight, leaving a garrison at Suakim.

Col. Ashburnham will act as governor at Suakim in the absence of Admiral Hewitt, who will soon proceed to Abyssinia. A missionary writes from Assouan that the slave traffic has been carried on of late to double its former extent. In Kordofan slaves such as formerly brought 80 thalers can now be procured for 5 thalers.

Osman Digma has assumed the dress of a dervische. His followers, estimated at from 1000 to 5000, are exhorting him to fight a third time with promises of success. It is expected a battle will be fought tomorrow. robable that the British troops now in

morrow.

Admiral Hewett has disbanded the Abyssinianscouts because they thrashed the Egyptians. He has liberated the female slaves and ordered runaways to be restored to their masters on the ground that the Egyptian convention allowing slavery remains in force. mains in force.

Osman Digma tells his followers he has a charmed life against English bullets.

London, March 24.—In the commons lay the marquis of Hartington moved the econd reading of the franchise bill. Lord John Manners, conservative, moved as an imendment that the house decline to pro-eed further with the bill until it has before it the entire scheme of reform contemplated. Mr. John Bright spoke in support of the bill, advocating a perfect and full representation of Ireland in the house of

Spanish Advances to England MADRID, March 24.-The British an assador is going to London to report the proposals of the Spanish government for a commercial treaty and for an agreement regarding Morocco. This last project is induced by the suspicious movements of

A Reaction in Ireland. DUBLIN, March 24.—The nationalists ave been defeated in many places in electably the case at Ballinglass, Parsonstown and Tullamore, where great efforts were made to oust the anti-Parnellites. The British Premier.

London, March 24.—The Pall Mall azette says the only foundation for the tatement made by the Post that Mr. Gladstone's resignation was withheld at the request of the liberal association, is the fact that Mr. Gladstone's illness is more serious

MANCHESTER, N.H., March 24.-A famly of French Canadians, who dined on pork yesterday, became seriously ill and vomited blood. Six have partially recovered. The seventh is in a critical con

The French Finances. PARIS, March 24.—At a meeting of the republican union to-day M. Rouvier explained that the financial situation was good. The deficit of 37,000,000 francs for 1885 could easily be covered by various

DR. McMICHAEL'S LITTLE JOKE. Dr. McMichael is among the legal lights of the city who are given to an occasional joke, While cross-examining Dr. Cascaden yester-day, the Doctor said he had made a careful study of dominion politics and the only con-clusion that he could come to was that they formed a circle with two sides. Without waiting for the magistrate or the reporters calling on him to explain, the Doctor very dryly added that the "outs" and "ins" composed the two sides of the circle, and Mr. Mc-Master gave color to the "joke" by looking at the joker and saying: "Especially the 'ins,'

THE WORLD WOULD LIKE TO KNOW. Where P. Burns gets his big hats. When King street is to be cleaned.

If Mr. Bunting is a model journalist.

Why the Globe should gloat over the scan-

If Mr. Peters has heard from Kirkland, Where Lynch is stopping.

Why so many young fellows are joining the If it is because the entrance fee is likely soon be doubled. What the hens are doing for Easter.

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING. I'm getting all broke up.—The Ice in The But I'm good and solid—The Ice on King

Ladies come and see us—The Spring Styles. It's all up with the senatorship—C. W. And my county judgeship—Ed. Meek.

This is my first state trial—Col. Denison.
It is a first rate trial—The reporters. IT REMAINS TO BE SEEN. I see Mr. McKim was offered a registrar

Yes, my son. Which he refused, father. Yes, my son. ta Tke one later on from Mr. Mowat, father? That remains to be seen, my son. RAIN AND CLOUDS.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE,
TORONTO, March 25.1 a.m.,
Lakes: Light to moderate winds from
rutheast and northeast; partly cloueather with local rains by night; sligh