HIS FIRST STEP TO VICTORY.

O'CONNOR IN THE LAND OF THE SCULLERS.

His First Race Will Be with Kemp or Matterson—Met by a Crowd at the Dock—His Kind Words of Searle—He Had a Pleasant Voyage—A Match for the Championship.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., March 6.—William O'Connor of Toronto, Canada, the American sculling champion, arrived here to-day on the steamer Austral from San Francisco. He had an unusually good passage, the weather being invariably fine. He suffered little from seasickness and looks in the best condition and will make a great rival to the Australian oarsmen if looks go for anything.

O'Connor spoke with profound regret of the lamentable death of his late conqueror. He had nothing but terms of praise for Searle. O'Connor was somewhat surprised when he learned that a race for the world's championship had already been arranged, and was somewhat chagrined. But by the advice of the Spencers, his backers, he agreed to row the winner for the honor at a date to be fixed later on.

That Canadian scullers are at a premium here, no doubt from the many prolonged visits of the popular Ned Hanlan, was evidenced from the warm welcome the Torontonian received here to-day. All the enthusiasts, the companions of the late H. E. Searle, who had seen the London race, were at the dock to greet the Canadian.

Among the Austral's passengers were Mr. Mulligan, also of Toronto, and Henry George, the New York labor reformer.

Gaudaur Wins a Race.

ORLANDO, Fla., March 6.—Gaudaur won both heats in the one-mile race on Lake Eola yesterday. Hamm was second in the first heat and Teneyck second in the second heat. Hosmer was fourth in both heats. Gaudaur's best time (in the first heat) was 5.50. The quarter-mile dash was won by Hamm in 1.19, Gaudaur second.

Matterson and Kemp Matched.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., March 6.—Neil Matterson and Peter Kemp have been matched for a sculling race for the aquatic championship of the world. These oarsmen met on the Paramatta course on Oct. 20, 1888, when Kemp won in 22.26 4-5.

The race will take place over the usual Paramatta championship course of 3 miles 330 yards on April 25.

The New Orleans Races.

NEW ORLEANS, March 6.—First race, 11-16 miles—Creole 1, Barney Lee 2, Event 3. Time 1.06¼.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Miss Francis 1, Reed 2, Nosegay 3. Time 1.02¾.

Third race, ½ mile—Story Teller 1, Lucille 2, Dakota 3. Time .50¾.

Fourth race, 1 mile—John Morris 1, Churchill Clark 2, Vicegerent 3. Time 1.43.

$24,100 for a 2-year Old.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Over 2000 men attended the sale of the Rosemeade trotting stock of L. J. Rose of Los Angeles, Cal., in the American Institute building yesterday. The bidding was spirited, and in an hour the amount of the sales was about double the total of yesterday, which was $36,635.

Alcazar, 2.20¾, a bay stallion, 7 years old, a son of Sultan and Minnehaha, was purchased by the Uhlen Brothers of Milwaukee, Wis., for $25,800.

Voodoo, a 2-year-old bay colt of Stamboul and Eva, a daughter of Alcazar and Minnehaha, went for $24,100, M. E. Babcock of this city being the purchaser.

Bayonne Prince Sold for $25,000.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The stallion Bayonne Prince, the greatest son of Kentucky Prince, has been sold for $25,000.

How to Kill Horse Racing.

VIENNA, March 6.—In consequence of the Government's action in imposing a tax on bets the Vienna Jockey Club has withdrawn all the prizes it offered. This stops 63 race meetings.

Gossip of the Turf.

There is a light weight jockey in Australia who styles himself "Fred Archer." But the only similarity between him and the famous English jockey that died is in the name. The Australian rides in plenty of races but not many winners.

Riley and Blarney Stone, jr., are doing exceedingly well at the Memphis track, and each is tipped for the Kentucky Derby. There is some doubt about Terra Cotta being able to undergo training, although he is looking exceedingly vigorous. Kitty Cheatham is in good shape, as also is Blue Blazes, in the same stable.

WANDERERS' BICYCLISTS

Annual Meeting Last Night—The Club's Racing Record.

The annual meeting of the Wanderers' Bicycle Club was held last night in their rooms, corner of Alexander and George streets.

The principal business was the election of officers for the year. The motion, of which notice was given at a previous meeting, that a racing committee be appointed, was carried and the committee chosen. The officers elected were as follows:

Hon. President—George H. Orr.
President—E. H. Walsh.
Vice-President—Frank McCausland.
Captain—J. H. Gerrie.
First Lieutenant—B. F. Nichols.
Second Lieutenant—W. J. Darby.
First Lieutenant (Safeties)—W. J. Moodey.
Second Lieutenant (Safeties)—Jay Ross.
Standard Bearer—R. Galbraith.
House Committee—J. F. Morphy, W. A. Harstone, G. M. Wells, F. J. Brimer.
Racing Committee—F. Foster, W. A. Hunter, A. Taylor, T. Fane, G. H. Orr, J. H. Gerrie.

The secretary, Mr. A. P. Taylor, the treasurer, Mr. W. A. Hunter, and Hon. President Orr were elected by acclamation.

Mr. A. P. Taylor read the secretary's report, which showed that since the reorganization a year ago the membership had doubled and was now upwards of a hundred. The club holds two Canadian championships—the five-mile and tricycle. The Wanderers' record is without doubt the finest in the country. The club participated in eight contests, starting at Ottawa May 24 and ending at Hamilton in October. Out of 14 places—7 first and 7 seconds—the Wanderers won 6 firsts and 1 second, which is certainly a phenomenal record.

The social season of the club has been most successful. They held three smokers and a dance in the Academy.

The treasurer's report was also very satisfactory. The club has no liabilities and are on a most sound financial footing.

The officers-elect made short speeches thanking the members for the honor. Captain Gerrie gave some timely advice as regards outings for next season and club runs. A vote of thanks was tendered Secretary Taylor for the able manner in which he discharged his duties. A communication was read from the Toronto displaying of members belonging to both clubs.

Cycling in Bowmanville.

BOWMANVILLE, March 6.—A meeting of the Bowmanville Cycling Club was held in the "Big 20" this evening when officers for the coming season were elected as follows: Hon. president, A. R. Dobson; president, Ed Haggith; vice-president, John Maynard; secretary, Neil Yellowless; treasurer, Herb Kenner; captain, Carl B. Kent; first lieutenant, Dolph Nicholls; second lieutenant, Avery Johnston; standard-bearer, John Hellyiar; bugler, Robert Stewart. The club has made a splendid start this year with a membership of 20 members. Not many towns of this size can show such a good standing for a start off.

Pete Jackson Strikes a Snag.

TROY, N.Y., March 6.—Peter Jackson met Gus Lambert here last night. The latter is a 220 pounder and was to get $100 if he stayed four rounds. After the first round it was seen that the big fellow was no slouch. He would hit Jackson and then hug him around the waist. The fourth was a hard round and the black fellow failed to knock his man out. The crowd was terribly excited.

THE CHECKER PLAYERS.

Toronto Draught Clubs Meet—The Club Cup Contest.

The regular weekly games of the Toronto Checker Club were played last night in Temperance Hall. C. E. Jennings plays A. Asher for the cup next week. The following were the results:

FOR THE CLUB CUP.

Name.	W.	Name.	W.	D.
A. Asher	1	R. H. Sheppard	0	3

CLUB MATCHES.

J. Wiley	4	E. W. Duggan	0	0
W. Hogg	4	R. Whalen	0	2
A. Hood	3	C. E. Jennings	1	3
S. D. Baldwin	1	H. Elton	5	0
A. Kirkpatrick	4	J. Currie	2	0
McLean	3	George Phipps	3	0
J. Phipps	2	William Sherriff	3	1
J. Costello	3	R. Brown	3	0
R. Dissett	2	J. Leslie	2	2

THE CLEVELAND MEETING.

National League Magnates Do Very Little Work—The chedule.

CLEVELAND, March 6.—The League meeting set for 10 a.m. to-day was not called to order until nearly noon. The morning was spent in fixing up a new schedule. It is pretty well settled that Indianapolis will not retire. Brush stated this morning that he positively would not get out. President Young and Harry Stern of the Cincinnati Club said this forenoon that they were fully convinced that Indianapolis would not retire and a 10-club schedule would have to be adopted. It is expected the 10-club schedule will be presented and adopted without further discussion.

Hamilton After Detroit's Scalp.

HAMILTON, March 6.—The following telegram was sent to President Mills by Secretary Mackay this morning:

"We don't think you are acting fair by the league. If you think your team is better than any in this league we will put up $1000, best two out of three games with our present team against yours."

Curling in Chatham.

CHATHAM, March 6.—A curling match was played here to-day between Thamesville and Chatham clubs, resulting as follows:

Thamesville.		Chatham.	
Jas. Ferguson, skip	15	A. Kirkland, skip	19
W. Ray, skip	9	Dr. Bray, skip	22
Total	24	Total	41

Majority for Chatham 17 shots.

Curliana.

The annual dinner of the Granite Curling Club will be held this evening. A curling match will be played from 7 to 9½, 10 rinks a side.

Spots of Sport.

Sweet Briar is the favorite for the Lincolnshire Handicap to be run on March 26.

In the University boat race between Oxford and Cambridge the betting is 6 to 4 on Oxford.

Dick Howell has challenged any bicycle rider in the world to ride from 1 to 10 miles for £100 to £500.

Betting on the English Derby is 4 to 1 against Surefoot, 20 to 1 against St. Serf, 30 to 1 against Dulwich.

Roquefort is the favorite for the Liverpool Grand National. Why Not, Emperor and Sweet Bread are being heavily backed.

The annual meeting of the West Toronto Lacrosse Club will be held in Occident Hall next Monday at 7½ p.m. It is expected that the club will organize under a new name. All interested in lacrosse in the West End are requested to attend.

THE WORLD HAS SEVEN BIBLES.

Eulogy of Them All, but Pre-Eminence Given the English One.

A small but appreciative audience greeted Bishop Newman of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States at the Metropolitan Church last night. With a sweet, silvery voice, which would soothe the careless listener to a quiet nap were it not for the interest his thoughtful words excite, and a clear presentation of his theme, Dr. Newman held the close attention of his hearers for over an hour.

His subject was "The Seven Bibles of the World." These as explained by the lecturer are the Koran of the Mohammedans, the Zendavesta of the ancient Persian, the Vaidas of the Hindoos, the sayings and compilations of Buddha and Confucius, the "Book of the Dead of the Egyptians," which may be seen in the Turin museum, and our own Bible. All these are the scriptures which form the basis of the seven great religions.

In rapidly sketching the character of each book he showed that the Christian Bible claims priority in age, and while the other books contain passages of similar import the Holy Scriptures have exclusive possession of three foundation stones to which the world owes its present greatness—the fatherhood of God, the brotherhood of man and the elevation of woman.

Mr. J. J. Withrow presided and at the close of the lecture Dr. Newman was accorded a hearty vote of thanks on motion of Rev. Dr. Dewart and Dr. Potts.

The University Examination Papers.

We have received from the university printers, Rowsell & Hutchison, a copy of the examination papers for 1889. The volume includes an alphabetical list of graduates and under-graduates with their postoffice address.

Re the Central Bank.

The Master in Ordinary yesterday adjudicated in a matter of settlement between the liquidators of the defunct Central Bank and Mr. Sandilands, manager of the Guelph branch. The decision, involving $50, was in favor of the latter.

Jottings About Town.

L.O.L. No. 396 initiated one candidate last night in Victoria Hall. W. Pearson, W.M., presided.

At Toronto Tent No. 5, K.O.T.M., last night, there were four initiations and two propositions.

For theft of a goatskin coat belonging to A. S. Smith James Rogers was yesterday sent to jail for 60 days.

The will of Peter Keefer, farmer, late of Vaughan, was proved yesterday, the value of the estate being $8550.

Albion Lodge No. 1, S.O.E., received several applications for membership last night. There was a visit from Manchester Lodge.

Hope of Toronto, No. 4, I.O.G.T., held its regular meeting last night in Temperance Hall. Four candidates were initiated. Bro. Bell presided.

Probate of the will of the late William Beatty, carpet merchant, King-street east, was granted yesterday. The value of the estate is $73,510.

The new firm on Colborne-street are not behind in the matter of turtle soup. To-morrow and Saturday will be turtle days at the Old House, and a fine turtle it is, exhibited all the week at Gallagher's.

Mr. Stovel, engineering inspector of bridges for the New York State bridges commissioners, was the principal witness in the St. George's accident railway case yesterday. The evidence was purely technical.

The members of the Four-in-Hand Club had a pleasant social gathering last night at Harry Webb's. About 40 couples were present and there was dancing and refreshments. There was a short musical program.

There were several small fires yesterday, but the damage in each case was very slight. A chimney on Victoria-street gave the brigade a short run, and another on Adelaide-street caused some anxiety. While the firemen were on their way to the Victoria-street fire one of the horses belonging to the Aerial truck was killed by being dashed into a telegraph pole. The animal belonged to Hodgson & Co., and was valued at $200.

Personal Mention.

Thomas Flynn, chief detective of the G.T.R. at Chicago, formerly of Toronto, is visiting his old friends here.

Mrs. W. F. Johnston, wife of the superintendent of the Massey Works, died yesterday morning after two weeks' illness from pneumonia.

Mr. T. E. Moberley has been appointed secretary of the Organizing Committee of the Imperial Federation League of Canada, in place of Mr. Castell Hopkins, resigned.

TURMOIL IN THE ASSEMBLY.

THE EMPEROR'S CHARGE OF JOBBERY AND WRONG-DOING.

Oratorical Skirmish Between Mr. Creighton and the Commissioner of Public Works—It Bordered on the Dramatic—The Education Budget—Private Lunatic Asylums—Practical Science at Kingston.

An item of little more than $10,000 in the estimates of the new Parliament building was the cause in the Assembly yesterday of an exciting, almost dramatic, scene. Grave charges had been made of corruption and jobbery by The Empire. These Mr. Creighton endeavored to palliate and the Commissioner of Public Works replied. A few days ago some reference was made by Mr. Fraser to the same matter and yesterday Mr. Creighton seized the opportunity to bring the question before the House. Mr. Fraser, he said, had introduced a subject altogether foreign to what was being discussed at the time. The Commissioner of Public Works had referred to what The Empire had said about the new Parliament buildings and on that occasion chose to make some very strong remarks. "I did not reply then because I noticed the excited state which he was in," said Mr. Creighton. He had been looking through the files of The Empire to see what had been said. He assumed that Mr. Fraser had referred to an article appearing on Nov. 1 respecting the Parliament buildings headed "A Voice from Brockville," making charges of jobbery. "I hold myself responsible for every editorial of that newspaper. And if the Commissioner of Public Works thought that or any article in The Empire relating to the Parliament buildings or Public Works Department charged him with improperly benefiting himself in connection with anything that had been done, there had been no such intention of making any such charge. I personally did not think the Commissioner would be guilty of benefiting himself in anything of that sort. But the transactions in connection with the Parliament buildings can be characterized by no other word than that of job to characterize them properly.

They Went Back On Their Promise.

"The commissioner had declared," continued Mr. Creighton solemnly, "that the Government would not go on with the erection of the buildings unless within the appropriation by the Legislature." He quoted to the House tenders he had received on plans which, he said, had been approved by the Government. The distinct understanding of the House and pledge of the hon. gentleman was that the building would not be gone on with in excess of the sum appropriated by the Legislature. Then the old question of the appointment of Architect Waite of Buffalo as an expert to decide on the plans submitted was brought up. Those plans he had reported against, but his report had never been sent down, on the pretext that it was principally verbal. This man Waite sat in judgment on the Canadian architects, knowing that if he succeeded in demonstrating that these plans were not proper there would be a chance for him and that chance was given to him.

"No word in the English language can characterize this, but the word job," repeated The Empire's editor. He had resorted to Webster for a correct definition of the word "job." That definition was: "To seek private gain under the pretence of public service to turn public matters to private advantage." [Applause from the Opposition.]

Mr. Creighton went on to say that the building of the walls of the Parliament building would cost more than the total estimate. It had developed that while a report from Mr. Waite could not be obtained every detail was required to be perfect by the Canadian architects; they were not given a chance to make alterations; this man from Buffalo makes plans, the work is gone on with and two years after it has been started it is found necessary to make a change. The article in The Empire was perfectly justifiable by subsequent circumstances and if the Attorney-General doubted these circumstances let him appoint a commission. [Opposition applause.]

The Man from Brockville Hits Back.

With all that dignity which characterizes him, the ringing voice and the strong statesmanlike face on which the beaming light of a March day was reflected through the windows of the dim old chamber, Mr. Fraser rose to reply to the accusations. "The explanation given by Mr. Creighton had made matters worse," said the Commissioner. "He evidently did not comprehend the meaning of the word "jobbery." Webster had to be consulted; but Mr. Creighton was too old a journalist, too long in public life, not to understand what that word meant to the public mind. On Jan. 29 there had appeared in The Empire newspaper an article referring to the Parliament buildings and in that article appeared the words:

The whole transaction teems with jobbery and wrong-doing.

"There can," said the commissioner, "be no worse charge than that against the Government or any member of the Government. He is charging the department with jobbery and with corruption. I say if he makes that charge and takes the responsibility upon himself of asking for a commission he will get a commission. On Oct. 10 or 11, 1888, there appeared in the same paper an article headed 'Canadians not wanted.' In this appeared the words relating to the same work, 'but subsequent events presented one of the most crooked chapters in the crooked administration of the Mowat Government.' And another article from a correspondent also appeared charging me with having been on intimate terms with the architect Waite. No such relations had existed. I have never been in Waite's house; I did not know his nationality at the time of his appointment." Since then he had learned he was an Englishman. It had once been suggested by a paper that the appointment had been given because Waite was a co-religionist of his. Neither was this true. He had been selected as an expert on account of his experience, reputation and character. He was an honorable man and would lend himself to nothing dishonorable. The position of an editor did not confer special privileges; on the contrary an editor should be more careful that no lie, falsehood and slander should be spread.

The Evening Session.

The discussion was renewed at the evening session by Mr. Creighton. Mr. Fraser replied briefly.

Mr. Meredith followed. In view of the repeated charges made against the grey-haired chieftain of the Conservative party and his Cabinet the Opposition leader considered Mr. Fraser somewhat thin-skinned in his repudiation of what he inferred was a charge of corruption and jobbery. He regretted that Mr. Fraser had found it necessary to repudiate a charge of personal corruption. Nevertheless tenders for a portion of the work of the Parliament buildings had been asked for because they were afraid to give the whole cost to the public.

Mr. Mowat replied and at the outset objected to the statement that his colleague had found it necessary to reply to a charge of personal corruption. No such charge could be made. The employment of Architect Waite of Buffalo showed their liberality in engaging a man of another country when public interest demanded it. When the Premier was speaking of the buildings Mr. Meredith asked: "What is it going to cost?"

Mr. Mowat: "I dont know." [Satirical laughter from the Opposition.]

"I don't know," repeated Mr. Mowat, "and it would be an extraordinary thing if I could estimate it, but it will be such as will be satisfactory to the country." The item was passed and other estimates gone on with. A number of items were passed and at 10 p.m. the House adjourned.

"DAN" MACKENZIE'S SOFT THING.

Mr. Clancy Calls the Asylum Storekeeper Down—Notes from the Gallery.

In supply yesterday the Opposition objected to a certain item granting to Storekeeper Dan Mackenzie of London the sum of $200 for rent while he was living at Hyde Park, five miles out from London. Mr. Clancy understood that Mr. Mackenzie simply drove in leisurely from his suburban residence to the asylum when it suited his convenience. It is whispered that "Dan," who is an ex-M.L.A., proposes to run on the Reform ticket at the next elections against "Uncle Dick" Tooley the Conservative member for East Middlesex. Perhaps this has something to do with the kick. On more reliable authority, however, "Dan" is an applicant for the position of registrar in East Middlesex, and considers that a bigger piece of pie than a seat in the Ontario Assembly.

Rents were the objective ground of the Opposition. George England gets $60 for rent as gatekeeper at the London asylum. He is handy at elections too. Mr. Creighton said that while he received this $60 for rent he really lives in a house belonging and attached to the asylum. Mr. Hardy and Mr. A. M. Ross both said they knew nothing about it.

ONTARIO EDUCATION.

Interesting Statistics as To the Progress of Education in the Province.

The Minister of Education yesterday brought down the report for 1889. The school population of the province of 1877, as compared with 1888, was respectively 494,804 and 615,353, and the total number of pupils registered for the same years were 490,360 and 493,333.

The average attendance of rural pupils was 46 per cent. of the registered attendance, while in towns it was 59 per cent. and in cities 62 per cent. The County of Waterloo furnishes the highest average—53 per cent.—for the rural districts; the town of Pembroke furnishes the highest average—viz., 72 per cent.—for the towns; and the city of Hamilton the highest average—viz., 71 per cent.—for the cities. The other extremes are reached by the districts with 36 per cent., Sault Ste. Marie 41, Gravenhurst and Penetanguishene 42 per cent., and Belleville 56 per cent. The average for the province as a whole is 50 per cent., the same as last year. The divisor used to ascertain this average attendance is, in all cases, the legal number of teaching days.

The number of teachers for 1877 and 1888 respectively were 6468 and 7706. Of these 3630 were males and 3448 females in 1877 and in 1888 there were engaged 2824 males and 4972 females. The highest salary paid in 1877 was $1100 and in 1888 the highest salary paid was $1500.

There are now 5626 school houses in the province, distributed as follows: 5209 in rural districts, 220 in towns and 187 in cities. The log school house is fast disappearing, there being only 384 in 1888, as against 1466 in 1850. In the same period brick school houses have increased from 99 to 2086. Five thousand four hundred and ninety-seven school houses are freehold and 129 rented. The number of maps now used amounts to 44,971. In 1850 there were only 1814.

The total receipts for 1877 and 1888 respectively were $3,405,081 and $4,456,352, and the total expenditure for the same years was respectively $3,073,489 and $3,859,365. The average cost per pupil was for the same years respectively $6.26 and $7.75.

Notwithstanding the large expenditure for school sites and buildings and the large increase to the teaching staff of the country the cost per pupil has but slightly increased in twelve years. In 1888 it was 16 cents per pupil more than in 1887. The average cost per pupil on the number enrolled in 1888, for counties was $6.96, for cities $12.87, and for towns $7.56, or an average of $7.75 for the province. In 1887 the average cost was for the counties $6.01, for cities $7.52, for towns $6.51, or an average of $6.26 for the province.

The total receipts for Roman Catholic separate schools for 1877 and 1888 respectively were $120,266 and $273,114, and expenditure $114,836 and $260,003; number of pupils 24,952 and 31,123 for the same years respectively. In 12 years separate schools have increased by 68, the expenditure increased by $145,197 and the number of teachers increased by 189.

The total receipts for high schools, including collegiate institutes, were in 1877 and 1888 respectively $211,607 and $684,268, and expenditure $845,716 and $657,035.

County model schools were first established in 1877, and since that time have been attended by 15,382 teachers. The normal and provincial model schools are also doing good work.

There are now five Training Institutes in the province, viz., one at Guelph, Hamilton, Kingston, Owen Sound and Strathroy. The attendance in 1889 was 47, the number who wrote at the final examinations was 103 and the number who passed 38.

The number of Mechanics' Institutes reporting for 1883 was 92 and 179 for 1889. There is a corresponding increase in members. The number of free libraries has also greatly increased.

During the past six years (1884 to 1889 inclusive) the Mechanics' Institutes and Free Libraries have issued 3,885,893 volumes, and their total receipts amounted to $629,966.55.

Private Asylums.

The Provincial Secretary has brought down the twenty-second report of the Inspector of Prisons and Public Charities dealing with the provincial lunatic and idiot asylums.

There are some interesting clauses in the proposed amendments to the Private Lunatic Asylums Act introduced by Mr. Ross of Huron. The following is a sample:

If any person gives, conveys or supplies to any patient or inmate of any private asylum any rum, brandy, whisky or other spirituous liquors, or morphia, cocaine or other drug without sanction of the medical superintendent obtained in writing, such offender, being duly convicted thereof before two justices of the peace, shall be fined a sum not exceeding $40.

A Kingston Deputation.

A Kingston deputation yesterday waited on the Cabinet with a view to securing the establishment of a School of Practical Science at that city. The delegates were Mayor Drennan, Ald. Gildersleeve, ex-Mayor Thompson, William Robinson, Walter Woodruff of Frontenac, Mr. Pense, editor of The Whig, and a number of the eastern members in the Assembly, one of whom, Mr. Medcalfe, introduced the deputation to the Attorney-General. The object of the delegates was set forth by Ald. Gildersleeve of Kingston. Mr. A. B. McCallum, Mr. A. F. Wood, M.L.A., and others also spoke and advocated the object of the deputation. The Attorney-General replied that their representations would receive due consideration.

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Tenders will be received up to and including the 10th MARCH, 1890, addressed to the Executors of the Estate of the late Mrs. Skinner, at Deer Park P.O. Any parcel, or the whole property, or both may be tendered for. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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