The Toronto World.

A One Cent Morning Paper.

He Hit Out Enquiringly.

If the Reform party was desirous of winning the bye-elections, Mr. Mowat's letter was calculated to give great help. If the party manipulators have no purpose more revolutionary than to secure unrestricted reciprocity and remain under the British flag, then his letter contained nothing to give offence. If, we repeat, the party aimed only at a certain fiscal reform, as is alleged, then Mr. Mowat's letter would have been received with applause, for he endorsed that object and offered the great weight of his strength in Ontario to the Federal leaders.

Why then did The Globe fly into a rage and spit in the Premier's face? Why did it develop such fierce anger as to race back several months and tear the mask off Mr. Mowat's "Evidences of Christianity"? It had a bosom friend's opportunity for knowing his tender spot, and it mercilessly aimed the blow. There is but one explanation of the Reform organ's rage—Mr. Mowat's loyalty incensed it.

He declared himself unequivocally with his Federal friends—that must have pleased the party organ. He declared that his Federal friends were opposed to annexation, and that annexation was not now and never could be advantageous to Canada. His whole letter was made up of an exemplification of these two points. It is absolutely beyond dispute that the first point was gratifying to the organ. But it was in a towering passion, and the second point must have provoked the rage displayed. What more evidence is required that Mr. Mowat struck a blow—perhaps an experimental, enquiring blow—at an insidious plot for the transfer of this country to the States? He struck it hard and got such a back-slap that he at least knows it is there.

The Reform organ, as at present inspired, does not want to win the bye-elections, nor to overturn the Government, nor to get reciprocity, restricted or unrestricted. It simply wants to provoke discontent, to aggravate ill-feeling, to stir up all the elements of unrest, to incite illicit desires that will intensify under restraint and denial, until uproar come and annexation will be a convenient escape from a host of vexations and dangerous enmities.

That Counter Petition.

It would be ridiculous for ordinary people in an ordinary cause to do what the active majority in the Ministerial Association are now doing on the Sunday car question. Recently ministers were exempt from criticism as well as taxes, and even now they submit to each with equally poor grace.

They are getting up counter petitions. The aldermen Monday night, with three exceptions, expressed themselves as in favor of a popular vote and that if the petition asking it were sufficiently signed nothing remained but to authorize the vote. Mayor Clarke said that any counter petition, no matter how numerously signed, could have no influence whatever on the course of events.

But a section of the organized clergy is making terrific efforts with counter petitions. For what purpose? It will have a moral effect, they say, to get up a larger petition against the vote than the one asking for it. But here again the ministers descend to a false pretence unworthy of their high calling. The petition asking for a vote is signed only by bona fide ratepayers and the City Clerk is now going over the list, marking out any names that are not indisputably those of ratepayers. Against this honest and fair petition the ministers are preparing one that all may sign—ratepayers and schoolboys and any human being that has a name or can think of one for the occasion. Young men are conjured on peril of church ostracism to take lists and canvass Sunday school classes, young people's societies, shops and factories. They are instructed to get names, for numbers is the great consideration.

Now what moral effect can such a petition have? It will not represent the voting and thinking people of the town in any sense whatever. That the opponents of Sunday cars feel impelled to resort to such means for getting up a presentable petition proves that they recognize the weakness of their voting numbers. If any other body of people in any other cause had acted in this way there would be no impiety in laughing at them.

Keep On Signing.

All bona fide ratepayers who desire the Sunday street car question to be submitted to the vote of the people and have not yet signed a petition for that purpose should do so at once, get others to do the same, and send them in. The council shall be fortified with another armful of names. As Rev. Dr. Thomas and Rev. Alexander Grant said yesterday at the Ministerial Association this demand for a popular vote is but an assertion of the principle of civil and religious liberty. This is the real issue that is being fought out just now. Whether the people shall have cars or not must depend entirely on whether they want cars or not. It is strange that at this advanced day such a question should once more require settlement. Let the voters sign in favor of a vote being taken. If you are not a voter sign the counter petition against a vote being taken. That's where you belong in this contest.

The News makes the most audacious statements against Sunday cars in the hope that they will have a little effect in one place or another. It says a conductor informed it that the street railway employes to a man are opposed to Sunday cars being introduced. A street car driver called at The World to give this alleged fact a straight contradiction. He says that fully fifty per cent. of the men are in favor of the change and do not hesitate to say so. He added that no employe of the company, unless a deaf mute, could have so misrepresented the opinion of the men. Nor have we this man's word for it alone. Of seven street car drivers who, during the past few days were asked: "Well, driver, what do you think of Sunday cars?" four were out and out in favor of the proposal, two did not care as they would only have to work six days a week anyhow, and one was squarely opposed to it. Last year the vast majority of the men were opposed to the change, but the new agreement guarantees them the rights they value, and their ground o objection is removed.

A Challenge.

Everybody who uses the goods of the York Soap Company, limited, now admits their superiority.

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Men, young, old or middle-aged, who are weak, nervous and exhausted, broken down from overwork or from any cause not mentioned, should send for and read the book of Lubon, a treatise on diseases peculiar to man. Sent sealed, secure from observation, on receipt of 10c. in stamps. Address M. V. Lubon, 50 Front-st. east, Toronto

A Good Verdict.

SIRS,—I have great reason to speak well of your B. B. Bitters. I have taken 6 bottles for myself and family and find that for loss of appetite and weakness it has no equal. It cures sick headache, purifies the blood and will not fail when used. I heartily recommend it to all wanting a pure medicine.

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A train every hour, New York to Buffalo and Niagara Falls, by the New York Central.

Enjoying a Blessing.

DEAR SIRS,—Last summer my younger sisters were taken very badly with croup, indeed we were almost in despair, having little hope of curing them. Finally we applied Hagyard's Yellow Oil, and to our great joy it cured them perfectly and they are now enjoying the blessing of perfect health. ANNIE JOHNSTON, Dalhousie, N.B.

$2.50 for an all silk umbrella, ladies' or gents'. We have just opened another case of fine silk umbrellas, suitable for Xmas presents. See them. Treble's, 55 King-street west.

Trustee's Sale of Jewelry by Retail.

Assignee Clarkson announces that the stock of jewelry at Cuthbert's, near the Dominion Bank, King-street, must be cleared out during Christmas week. All goods are marked in plain figures at one-third former price.

IN THE SPHERE OF SPORTS.

ABOUT VARIOUS MEN OF SKILL AND MUSCLE.

Curling, Sprinting, Shooting, Kicking, Fighting—Cornwall Lacrossists Looking Vainly for the Trophy They Won—Curlers and Hockeyists Expectant—Winners on a Winter Track.

The preliminaries of the big prospective prize fight between Sullivan and Slavin will soon begin. The Australian will soon be here to start the usual newspaper controversy and talk. Sullivan has the best of the argument at present, as his forfeit in The N.Y. Herald office is yet uncovered.

The longest football tour in the history of the sporting world will soon be over. On Jan. 9 the Canadian-Americans will have played upwards of 60 matches, covering the entire English season of five months. The undertaking was a mammoth one and shows that Ellis of Ottawa is a young man of determination and extraordinary knowledge of Association football. Of the 48 matches played to date only half of them have been lost—a marvelous record, considering the circumstances. Twelve were won and 12 drawn.

The English professional football player is a badly used individual; at least in one respect. He is only paid to play football and is not permitted to run a foot race as an amateur, while the amateur footballist may be a professional sprinter!

The wonderful scores at pigeon-shooting made recently by E. D. Fulford and Captain Brewer have put into the shade all the great scores made by the champions of the past 40 years. There have been in America pigeon-shooting champions who could compete successfully with the champions of any country. Bogardus proved that fact, but he could not accomplish the wonderful feats with the gun that have made Brewer and Fulford famous. Bogardus has a record of killing 100 birds without a miss, but they were lame pigeons and were shot from H. & T. traps, not under the stringent Hurlingham rules.

Until yesterday there was no January or February frost for the hockeyists and curlers this month, and December stole a march on them—if that was any benefit. Here it is past the middle of the month and Mr. Puck has not been yet molested. The Ontario Hockey Association's special committee met Tuesday night and drafted a schedule, that will be submitted for approval at an early meeting of the Association. Now that Jack Frost has appeared in earnest the score of local clubs will polish up their skates and sticks and start on a prospective brilliant season. The curlers were elated when the mercury fell yesterday and look for many friendly contests this week. It is likely that the much-talked-of match among the city clubs will take place on Saturday.

THAT 4-CLUB LACROSSE LEAGUE.

A "Bust" Certain Next Year—Cornwall Wants her Trophy.

CORNWALL, Dec. 16.—Here is the championship trophy our lacrosse team won this season? is the question asked around here just at present.

There is something remarkable about the workings of the four club league and a bust is not only probable but certain next year. The old time five club league may be in existence, and if so better lacrosse and more enthusiasm will depart of each and every match.

The league of last season was not successful, and now with the snow on the ground nothing has yet been done towards awarding the champions the $250 trophy which they richly deserve. They won their matches and should have been given their pennant long ago. It is said to be Ottawa's fault. The Capitals, Shamrocks and Cornwalls made their deposit of $37.50 each early in the season for a trophy, but Ottawa held back and has yet to be heard from.

The Only Winter Track.

GUTTENBURG, Dec. 16.—First, ¾ mile—Claymore, Ottawa, Nabeclish; 1.18. Second, ⅝ mile—Inferno, Sir George, Ballarat; 1.02¾. Third, ⅞ mile—Manhasset, Bletzen, Emperor Otho; 1.29¼. Fourth, 6½ furlongs—Autocrat, Volo, Badge; 1.22. Fifth, ⅝ mile—Azrael, Monthol, Catlan; 1.03. Sixth, 1 mile—Perlid, Chartreuse, Duke John; 1.43¼.

Jackson and Slavin Next May.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—Peter Jackson has received from the National Sporting Club the articles of agreement for his fight with Frank Slavin for which he has been impatiently waiting for several weeks. Within a few hours of the receipt Peter had affixed his signature under that of his coming opponent and forwarded them by mail to London. They agree to box 20 rounds, with four ounce gloves at catch weight for a purse of $10,000, divided as follows: Winner, $6700; loser, $1300. The contest to take place at the National Sporting Club on Monday, May 30, 1892.

A Great Line.

In Toronto there are a great many enthusiastic admirers of the games of chess, draughts, checkers, etc., and as a good player likes a handsome and substantial board and men, it is a pleasure to be able to announce the arrival at the store of Messrs. H. P. Davies & Co., 81 Yonge-street, of a shipment of this class of goods, including inlaid chessboards, complete sets for playing chess, dominoes, card games, table golf, etc. The goods are real works of art and worthy of inspection. 246

Sporting Miscellany.

Half a dozen turfmen saw the yearling colt by the imported sire Dandie Dinmont, out of Moonlight, tried at the Gravesend race track Saturday morning. The colt, carrying 114 pounds, ran three furlongs in 36 seconds, and worked out the half mile in 50½ seconds with the boy stopping him at the end. Immediately after the move which was a very good one, the youngster changed hands, Trainer Matt Allen buying him for Mr. Frank Ehret for $10,000.—N.Y. Sun.

The Royal Canadian Yacht Club having received a challenge from one of the prominent city clubs to play a match at whist, it is proposed to organize a whist club, for which purpose a meeting will be held in the new card room at the Town Club on Saturday next at 3 o'clock p.m., when it is hoped that all members of the club who are interested in this game will endeavor to be present.

Oh, What a Cough! 246

Will you heed the warning! The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c, to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails.

Toronto Vocal Society.

The committee of this society has decided to open the upper gallery at 25 cents per seat for the concert to-night, so that all may have an opportunity to enjoy the fine program. The concert will be given at 8 o'clock, the doors are to be closed during the performance of the opening numbers.

A Cheap Trip to Detroit and Chicago.

The Canadian Pacific Railway are running a cheap excursion to Detroit and Chicago on Dec. 23 and 24—the round trip for single fare—all tickets being good to return until Jan. 6, 1892. Any of our readers wishing to spend Christmas in either of these cities should take advantage of this offer.

Are you thinking of spending Christmas in Detroit or Chicago? If so, be sure to travel via C.P. Railway, who are offering round trip tickets for single fare on Dec. 23 and 24, good to return until Jan. 6, 1892. See the nearest C.P.R. agent.

Is there anything more annoying than having your corn stepped upon? Is there anything more delightful than getting rid of it? Holloway's Corn Cure will do it. Try it and be convinced.

Cheap Food

Dyer's Improved Food for Infants is made from pure pearl barley, is highly nutritious, and costs only 25 cents. Try it, druggists keep it. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

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DEAR SIRS,—My mother was attacked with inflammation of the lungs, which left her very weak and never free from cold, till at last she got a very severe cold and cough. She resolved to try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, and on so doing found it did her more good than any other medicine she ever tried. MRS. KENNEDY,

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DEAR SIRS,—I have been troubled with Lame Back for about 6 months and thought I would try Hagyard's Yellow Oil, which cured me. Am now free from all pains and recommend Yellow Oil very highly. FRANK PALMER, Winona, Ont.

Local Jottings.

George P. Adams was yesterday sent to jail for 30 days for theft of tools.

Miss Jessie Alexander and choice program of music in Carlton-street Methodist Church to-night.

During the past year 1444 men and 547 women have applied for a night's lodging at the House of Industry.

The propeller T. D. Stimson has discharged her cargo of coal and is tied up for the winter at Yonge-street wharf.

The Young Bachelors' Club had a most enjoyable at home in Dingman's Hall. One hundred couples were present.

On a charge of embezzling $50 from Baker Lowe Driver Michael Sullivan was yesterday committed to the Central Prison for three months.

Surrogate Court proceedings took place yesterday in these estates: Late County Engineer John Thomas Stokes, $31,613; William New, Montreal, $4000; Mrs. Catharine Hanna, $450.

Albertus Albertie of Yonge-street and Mrs. McGavin of Sackville-street were each yesterday fined $2 for breach of the Lord's Day Act in selling candy to children on Sunday.

The annual dinner of the Osgoode Legal and Literary Society, which takes place this evening at Webb's, promises to be more than usually successful. It is expected that the Hon. C. H. Tupper, Minister of Marine, will be a guest at the dinner.

A very successful concert was given in the Ruth-street Presbyterian Church by the Knox College Glee Club, assisted by Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Farrants, Mr. Dickson, Mr. Milne and Adelaide Secord, elocutionist.

Col. Denison lectures to-night at the Auditorium on National Spirit. He will answer Prof. Goldwin Smith on Jingoism. The subject is one that ought to attract the attention of all patriotic Canadians.

Mr. John Fogg is out as a candidate for fourth deputy reeve for the township of York. He is an energetic and pushing young man and the ratepayers of the township will secure a good representative if they elect Mr. Fogg next January.

Catalogs of the special sale of rare and expensive books to be sold by Mr. Shaw at 151 Yonge-street to-morrow and Saturday afternoon can be had at the store. This is perhaps the finest collection of choice books ever sold here.

There were three requisitions presented to ex-Ald. Galbraith by the electors of No. 1 division requesting him to stand for alderman. Mr. Galbraith thanked the deputations but declined the honor on account of business engagements.

The insolvent dry goods and millinery stock of I. Powell, Stratford, Ont., who assigned some time ago to John Lawrence, representing John Macdonald & Co. of this city, has been auctioned at Sucking's to John Roddy of Toronto at 60½c on the dollar.

Vineberg & Co., wholesale clothiers, Montreal, are again reported in financial difficulties. Vineberg was formerly associated in business with a Mr. Burnett and was at one time interested in a clothing store at Toronto.

Messrs. E. T. Grammon and James E. Spencer of Barbadoes, West Indies, were introduced on the floor of the Grain Exchange yesterday morning by Mr. N. Weatherston of the Intercolonial Railway. Closer trade relations with the Dominion is the object of their visit to this country.

This evening at 8 o'clock at the Canadian Institute the public are cordially invited to attend at the reading of the following papers: "Notes on the Discovery of the Great Falls of Labrador," by David Boyle. "Gibraltar, Historical and Descriptive," with photo illustrations, by John G. Kidout, late of that garrison.

An entertainment, successful and pleasing in every particular, was given in the First Unitarian Church, Jarvis-street, last evening. After a tasty supper, provided by the ladies, had been done full justice to, a program consisting of musical and literary selections was given. The pastor, Rev. T. C. Jackson, presided.

A service of song was held in connection with the Church of St. John the Evangelist, Stewart-street, last evening. Those who took part were: Miss Matthews, Mrs. Capt. Thompson, Mr. H. Hadden, Mr. J. H. Winters and Mr. J. Alexander. A choir of 40 voices assisted the soloists. An offertory in aid of church improvements was taken.

Mr. F. Schivera, the great evangelist, is holding evangelical meetings in Yonge-street Methodist Church every evening this week. Mr. Schivera's efforts in these meetings are for the benefit of his fellow-man, irrespective of class, creed or politics. The services are therefore of a most interesting character. All are invited to attend.

Rev. Dr. Sutherland of Hamilton lectured Tuesday night in Association Hall on "An Evening in European Cities." A large number of lantern slight views were presented to illustrate the lecture, and many of the renowned buildings and beautiful scenes of the Continent were thrown upon the canvas. The lecture was one of the Y.M.C.A. course.

Attention is called to the meeting of the Institute of Chartered Accountants advertised for this evening at Association Hall. A paper was read before the Institute last month, somewhat taking in view the Johnston Co. Act, and the present meeting held to discuss this paper promises to be both amusing and instructive. The members of the legal profession should show up and an invitation is extended to all.

An adjourned meeting of the Toronto Letter Carriers' Benevolent Association was held in Shaftesbury Hall last night with the president, R. H. Cox, in the chair, James Barnes in the vice chair, with a large number of members in attendance. The following were elected for ensuing year: James Barnes, president; R. Durston, vice-president; T. A. Miller, recording secretary; J. Knowlton, financial secretary; J. A. Weston, treasurer. Mr. B. Spicer gave a few selections on the piano. The charter was ordered draped in memory of J. H. Watson, our late comrade.

We call attention to the genuine clearing sale of furs by Bastedo & Co., 58 King east. They are carrying a very large stock owing to the mild season, and now will sell at less than wholesale cost. The firm manufacture all the goods they sell, and are well-known as among the best manufacturers in America. Their stock is especially large in beaver, sable and mink capes, collars and muffs, seal and sealette garments of all lengths. The goods are all new made this season in the very latest patterns, and buyers will find much better satisfaction than in purchasing unsalable stock worn goods. The factory and warehouse is at 69 Bay-street.

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A select party for California will leave Toronto at 2.45 p.m., Jan. 11, in one of the Canadian Pacific newly fitted tourist cars. This will be a personally conducted excursion and will go via Detroit, St. Louis and Great Southern route. This will be a good chance to visit the Pacific Coast at low rates. For further particulars call on your nearest Canadian Pacific Ticket Agent. d

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The doctors treat every variety of disease and deformity and will perform all surgical operations free this month, viz.: The removal of cancers, tumors, cataract, polypi, etc. All diseases of the eye, ear, throat, lungs, heart, stomach, liver, kidneys, bladder and all female difficulties arising from whatever cause, nervous prostration, failing vitality and all diseases originating from impure blood are treated with the greatest success.

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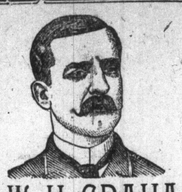
Invalids will please not take offence if they are rejected as incurable. The physicians will examine you thoroughly free of charge, and if incurable they will positively tell you so. Also caution you against spending more money for useless medicine.

Remember the date and go early as their offices are crowded daily. Hours from 9 a.m. to 5, and from 7 to 8 p.m. Sundays from 2 to 4 p.m. 26 14



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Writs Against the City.

W. H. Graham, a driver of a street car during civic operation of the road, has issued a writ against the city for $5000 for injuries sustained in an accident in Yonge-street.

Frederick G. Lee has issued a writ against the corporation claiming $5000 for damages sustained to his property on account of the raising of the grade in Moutray and Sheridan-streets by the alleged construction of an improper sewer.

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MEETINGS.

Institute of Chartered Accountants OF ONTARIO.

The regular monthly meeting of the members of the Institute will be held at Association Hall, Yonge-street, Toronto, on Thursday evening, 17th December instant, at 8 o'clock, when a discussion, based on a paper read at last meeting, upon the Ontario Joint Companies' Act will take place.

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4. La Sonnambula (Fantaisie Brilliant)....Bellini — Miss J. Scott.
5. Witches' Dance.....Vincent Wallace — Miss Thom.
6. All in a Garden Fair..... — Miss M. Whitney.
7. Nocturne.....Leybach — Miss H. Shortreed.
8. Carmen (Fantaisie Brilliant).....Bizet — Miss J. Bell.
9. Lohengrin (Transcription Operatique)....Dorn — Miss G. Spink.
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