TOPICS OF TO-DAY.

Buffalo will soon be visited by Moody, the evangelist. The Bisons need a stirring

An English railway company has est apart a special fund from which to reward acts of bravery on the part of its em-

Typhoid fever in India is becoming s idespread that it is as much feared as cholera, and a Government commission has been appointed to investigate it.

The heaviest taxpayer in Prussia i Krupp, the gunmaker, who is assessed this Most of the Occupants Injured. Five year upon an income of \$1,400,000, an increase of \$300,000 over 1889.

The lances with which the German cavalry are to be armed are to have shafts of hollow steel and to carry small flags in the Prussian colors nailed near the head.

A Fredericton, N.B., dispatch says: Saturday petitions were filed against all six Opposition men in St. John and also against Powell and Stevens in Westmoreland.

Mr. Mercier proposes to increase the representation in the Quebec Legislature by making two counties out of Ottawa, and to give separate members to Wolfe and Rich-

The East Hastings Reform convention held at Canifton, re-nominated Mr. S. B. Burdett, M.P., for the Commons, and Mr. N. Vermelyea, warden of the county, for

Mr. Erastus Wiman lectured in Montreal on Saturday night on the advantage to the Province of Quebec, and more especially to the city of Montreal, of the closest trade relations with the United States.

Lane, a Portsmouth (England) cabman, who became delirious while suffering from an attack of it, rushed out into the street, and after running over a mile dropped dead, the sudden exposure causing acute pneu-

It took 30 years to get the British Museum opened at night, the original parliamentary report in favor of the opening having been made that time ago. The same recommendation made at the same time as to the National Gallery is still to be

nottle labeled "rum" and drank the contents. When too late it was discovered that the bottle, instead of containing spirits, was filled with nitro-glycerine. One of the en died immediately, and the others are in the process conditions.

Hendrick Lunstroe went to a fancy sall in London in the costume of a prince and became so imbued with the spirit of the character that early in the morning he was found by the police knocking at the doors of Buckingham Palace, demanding admittance. After being locked up a while he recovered

Attention has been recently called to the fact that most of the bric-a-brac and other goods of Gladstone were left by him stored in the Prime Minister's official residence in Downing street when he left it in 1886, and have remained there undisturbed ever since, apparently with the idea that they will probably be needed again there by Mr. Gladistone

The vacancy in the Senate, caused by th death of Senator Turner, of Hamilton, has peen filled by the appointment of Mr. Peter McLaren, of Perth, the millionaire lumberman. And George Roach and Matthew Legat are left out in the cold. Assuredly, the influence of the Tory M.Ps. for the Ambitious City is on the wane.

The scheme for sending out an Antarctic expedition under Prof. Nordenskjold, will, it is said, be carried out in the summer of 4891. The expedition will be undertaken at the joint expense of Baron Oscar Dickson of Gothenburg, the Antarctic Exploration Committee of the Royal Society of Victoria, and the Royal Geographical Society of Australasia ciety of Australasia.

Mr. D. Creighton, M.P.P., has been re-Conservative interest at the coming Local Conservative interest at the coming Local elections. In all probability, his opponent will be Mr. Jas. Cleland, ex-mayor of Meaford, who came within a few votes of defeating Mr. Creighton at last election. Mr. Cleiand should win this time, as his opponent has elements of weakness now that were absent in the campaign of 1886.

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In New York, according to the Buffalo Times, Egyptian cats are to be "let out of Times, Egyptian cats are to be "let out of the bag" in the form of fertilizer. Mummied cats by the thousands and sacred animals buried centuries ago are being conveyed to this country for fertilizing purposes. Thus the Egyptian cats are to have the traditional nine lives even if they are spread out on American soil in the form of selery, tomatoes and cabbage. Nothing at the midnight serenade is wholly lost.

A saint's skull is in litigation in Lyons t belonged originally to Saint Jean Soanen. revered by Jansenists because he had pro-ested against the Bull "Unigenitus." In

All Lost.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 17.—News received one yesterday from the west coast of Vanana, and the expectation that hard fight man any rer Island says that a lumber-laden ship had gone to pieces on Vargas Island, at the atrance to Clayoquot Sound, and all the crew were lost. Only one small article was bound which could serve to identify the ressel. This was a leather pouch of the find usually worn by sailors, and contained etters and the discharge of one Hetersen, of Abo, Finland.

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Ann, and the expectation that hard fight. So German supremacy and the advancement of German supremacy and the advancement of German interests into Southeast Afcica.

London, Feb. 17.—The Pall Mall Gazette ways: The Ministers would like to bury the report of the Parnell Commission fathoms of General Webster in the House of Commons is last week it is difficult to see how they can

Queensland Visited by an Unprecedented Downpour.

Over Four Fest of a Rainfall in Eight Days.

Collapse of a Well-Filled Gallery in a Church.

of Whom May Die.

Buffalo Bill Bluffed-Close of Barnum Big Show in London.

Colliers Decide to Strike. London, Feb. 17.—The Durham colliers have finally decided to go out on strike. The number of men represented at the meetings is upwards of 60,000, and the questions involved are a considerable increase of wages and the adoption by the masters of an eight-hour day.

The Newtoundland Fisheries. (Liberal) has given notice that he will inroduce in Parliament an amendment to the address, praying that her Majesty endeavor to arrange a settlement of the Newtound-land fisheries, and other questions of dis-pute, by judicial arbitration.

The Eight-Hour Movement London, Feb. 17.—It is proposed to have a huge labor demonstration in this city, and a fuge labor demonstration in this city, and at the same time agitate similar meetings in New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Paris, Berlin and Vienna, to begin on May 1. The object of these demonstrations is to force an absolute observance of the eight-hour

Republicanism in Portugal. London, Feb. 17.-A Lisbon correspondent says many symptoms show the Republican cause is increasing in strength daily, and the end of the monarchy might

come at almost any moment.

The ladies' meeting at Lisbon, presided over by the Queen, appointed provincial committees to collect funds for national de-

Fatal Fall. LONDON, Feb. 17 .- As Home Secretary Matthews was leaving his office to attend the Cabinet Council Saturday afternoon and was passing under the skylight two men who were standing on a light scaffold-ing cleaning the glass lost their footing and fell to the tiled floor beneath. One of them grazed Mr. Matthews as he fell, and was instantly killed upon striking the floor. The other was seriously hurt.

Queensland Deluged. Queensland has been visited by rains of nprecedented severity, resulting in many atalities and considerable loss of property.
At Cardwell four feet and an inch of water fell in eight days, and nearly two feet fell the Normanton. The lower portion of formanton was submerged, people being then from their houses in boats. Cattle

were swept away in large numbers. The Parnellite Programme. London, Feb. 17 .- Mr. Parnell will ask in the House of Commons to-day what are the Government's intentions regarding the Commissioners' report. The Parnellites propose to press the Government for the payment of the expenses attending their defense before the Commission. This demand will be made on the ground that the report of the Commission acquitted the accuracy.

insurance association, with an initial capital of £60,000, the owners contributing in the proportion of a half penny for each ton of coal produced in 1889. In the event of strikes they are to receive 18 pence compensation for every ton short of the average production. roduction

Zanzibar's New Sultan. ZANZIBAR, Feb. 17.—The new Sultan Leynoid Ali received all the European residents at Zanzibar yesterday and formresidents at Zanzibar yesterday and formally hoisted his flag. Bwanahiri, with a large force, holds the field against Major Wissmann. Bwanahiri is a territorial chieftain belonging to an ancient family. He has far greater influence than was possessed by Bushiri, the chief who was recently hanged by the Germans.

"Merely a Sop to Cerberus." London, Feb. 17.—John Burns, the organizer of the great dock strike, said yesterday with regard to trades unionism and aristocratic concessions: "I am a Socialist to the bone, and I look upon the concessions that the Emperor of Germany has been making to the democracy in the same light as I view the charitable contributions of wealthy Englishmen to the dock strikers as merely a sop to Cerberus. These concessions will but whet the appetite of the working classes and increase their discontent with the existing order of things."

the report.

The Gazette declares they had better muzzle Attorney-General Webster quickly, as the more he speaks the more difficult it becomes for them to decide what to do with

the report. It is impossible for them to

Death's Doings.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Alexander Dundas
Cochrane-Baillee, first Baron Lamington, is dead. He was 74 years old. The succession of his son, the Hon. Charles Wallace Cochrane-Baillee to the peerage, will make vacant the Parliamentary seat for South St. Pancreas, which the Conservatives won at the last election by a majority of Sol in Additional Park of A200 ority of 261 in a total vote of 6,439.

Sir Robert Kane, M.D., died Saturday. He was formerly president of the Queen's College, of Cork, and is a member of the Senate of the Royal University of Ireland and Board of National Education of Ire-

Barnum's Show Closed. London, Feb. 17.—Barnum closed Saturday night, receiving a magnificent ovation from the immense assemblage, in which royalty was represented. At the conclusion of the show the band played "Home, Sweet Home," whereat the Americans in the audience cheered wildly. There were loud calls for Barnum, who was compelled to make a speech, not a word of which was audible. There was terrific applause when the band played "God Save the Queen." Barnum & Bailey return with money in the treasury. iley return with money in the treasury. For weeks thousands of people have been turned away from each performance. Bailey and Perley will sail on the Trave on Wednesday. The rest of the show will sail on the Furnessia and Ethiopia.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Col. Cody (Buffalo Bill) has received a bluff from President M. Carnot. Col. Cody presented Carnot with a magnificent Rochester lamp, to adorn the vestibule of the Elysee, but which was returned by the President with a note from Car. But we have the president with a note from Car. But we have the president with a note from Car. But we have the president with a note from Car. But we have the president with a note of the president with a n from Gen. Brugere, his secretary, saying that the President thanked the Colonel for his kind attention, but that he could not accept it, having made a rule never to take cept it, having made a rule never to take gifts from anyone, and could not depart from it even in this case. The lamp is nine feet high, made of carved brass and a table of Mexican onyx. 28 inches square, on a plaque of onyx. Fastened to the lamp rod is attached a large buffalo head, captured by Col. Cody on the frontier. The shade of the lamp, 37 inches in diameter, is of scarlet silk, covered with pages great tulle on the state of the lamp. silk, covered with moss green tulle, em-broidered with poppies and corn flowers. The cost of the lamp was 5,000f., and it was made in America expressly for President Carnot. Col. Cody is at Nice. On dit that he is much annoyed at the President's no

Collapse of a Church Gallery. LONDON, Feb. 17.—During service at the Bromley Independent Church last evening the gallery suddenly collapsed, precipita ing its occupants into the body of the church. A cloud of dust obscured the view of the remainder of the congregation for a few minutes but when it cleared it became rew minutes but when it cleared it became obvious that a number of persons were buried under the ruins of the gallery. The fallen debris caused an obstruction at the entrance and prevented any assistance being rendered from the outside, but willing hands were soon at work clearing away the timbers and extricating the unfortunate occupants of the gallery from their perilogs. cupants of the gallery from their perilous position. The gallery was pretty well filled at the time of its fall and about twenty per-sons were buried. Most of the victims of sons were buried. Most of the victims of the accident were only severely injured but five received injuries which may prove fatal. Several had broken legs and arms, while others had internal injuries. The Queen's Troublesome Son-in-Law.

London, Feb. 17 .- Court Gossip that the quarrel between Queen Victoria and her son-in-law, Prince Henry of Batten berg, has broken out afresh with renewed violence, and the Princess Beatrice is having a dreadful time of it, as she loves her hus-Steamer advices from Australia to Jan.

22 state that the Volunteer Artillery
Hotel collapsed in Sydney on Jan.

3. Fifteen people were in the place. Two were killed and several severely injured.

A fire at the wharves of the Tasmania Steamship Company in Sydney destroyed \$150,000 worth of buildings on Christmas Day. The wharves were comparatively new.

Anti-Strike Insurance Association.

London, Feb. 17.—The Westphalian Mine Owners' Protective Association have unanimously decided to found an anti-strike insurance association, with an initial capital of £60,000, the owners contributing in the proportion of a half penny for each ton of coal produced in 1889. In the event of strikes they are to receive 18 pence com-

William Means Well. Berlin, Feb. 17. - The Emperor's earnestness and sincerely in the endeavor to ameliorate the condition of the working people are obtaining full recognition and a chorus of praise arises on every side. But the doubts that were expressed regarding he practical value of his intentions as in licated in the receipts, have been strength-med by the speech he delivered before the Council of State. Berlin, Feb. 17.—Cardinal Manning has

BERLIN, Feb. 17.—Cardinal Manning has written a letter to the Deutsche Revu with reference to the rescripts of Emperor William. The Cardinal says: "I think this imperial act the wisest and worthiest that has proceeded from any sovereign of our times. The condition of wage-earners in that has proceeded from any sovereign of our times. The condition of wage-carners in every European country is a grave danger to every European State." After reviewing the hardships of workingmen he continues, "On the domestic life of the people the whole political order of human society. If the foundation is ruined, what will become of the superstructure? The Emperor has shown himself a true, farsichted statesman." sighted statesman.

Old World Wirelets.

Government intend asking a large vote in payment of the Parnell Commission. Though still exciting a deal of talk on the ontinent, Emperor William's proposals of labor conference provoke little interest in

New York, Feb. 17.—A Rochester dispatch says: Irregularities have been discovered in the accounts of City Treasurer John A. Davis indicating a shortage of \$130,000. Mr. Davis, the dispatch says, admits a shortage of \$60,000 caused by advances to contractors and city employes.

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vances to contractors and city employes. A Muskoka Man's Misfortune. A Muskoka Man's Misfortune.

Mr. Upton, of Bordeau (Muskoka), met Wisconsin with a very serious accident a few days ago by a falling tree which struck him in the breast and jammed one of his legs very badly. Two doctors said that there was no used in amputating the leg as he could not live more than 48 hours, and they left him to

the report.

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die. Instead of dying, however, he began to get better, and the doctors were called in to get better, and the doctors were called in to get better, and the doctors were called in the second time to amputate the limb. He is now fast recovering. Mr. Upton is fortunate in having two good industrious sons to building Discussed.

DEATH ON THE RAIL.

Fatal Collision Between a Yard Engine and Hand Car.

Disastrous Results of Misreading a Order-Destruction Caused by a

STAUNTON, Va., Feb. 17.—A yard engine and a hand car collided Saturday evening near here on the Chesapeake and Ohio, killing Edward Slater and Thomas Kidd. Thomas Williams, Peter Tyler, Taylor Johnson, Thomas Bragg and two others were seriously insured.

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WRECKED BY A RUNAWAY CAR.

ASHLAND, Wis., Feb. 17.—The Bessemer and Ashland passenger train on the Wisconsin Central Road was side-tracked at Marengo to allow a freight to pass. While the train was waiting a runaway flat car, loaded with logs, came flying down the grade and plunged into the rear coach of the passenger train wrecking it the wreck. grade and plunged into the rear coach of the passenger train, wrecking it, the wreck taking fire from the lamps. A Mr. Zimmer, of Mineral Point, who travels for a Milwaukee firm; J. C. Mullen, of Morse, and C. N. Lattimer, a traveling man, were initial.

MISUNDERSTOOD ORDERS.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 17.—The particulars of a bad wreck, which occurred at Bairdstown, O., Friday night, on the Baltimore and Ohio Road, have been received here. The engine of the east-bound fast stock train had orders to pass the west-bound local freight at Birdstown, and the west-bound limited express at Bloomdale, five miles east. He misread the order, and started to run to Bloomdale without stopping at Bairdstown. At the MISUNDERSTOOD ORDERS. the order, and started to run to Bloomdale without stopping at Bairdstown. At the latter place his train collided with the way-freight, which was standing on the main track. The shock was terrific. Both engines were demolished and a dozen cars piled in a heap. Both engineers and their firemen escaped by jumping. George Ellison, brakeman of the stock train; Bruce Baversox, a boy of 16, who was riding on the engine, and Charles Reynolds, brakeman on the way-freight, were buried under the wreck and died soon after being taken out. The first two lived at Garrett, Ind., and Reynolds at Chicago Junction, O. Considerable stock was killed.

CURRENT CONDENSATIONS.

The Montreal Subway Bill has been hrown out by the Railway Committee of he Quebec Legislature. Good coal is said to have been dis-covered 85 miles northeast of Ignace sta-tion, which is 150 miles west of Port Arthur.

In St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, on Sunday, Rev. W. T. Herridge declared in favor of the revision of the Westminster Confession.

A child of Mr. Donglas Wilson, of Quebec, was killed by a fall of snow and ice from the top of a house while the child was playing in a sleigh below.

Fire on Saturday at Orangeville destroyed a brick terrace on Mill street, occupied by J. Hughson, J. W. Ferguson and J. Glover. The terrace was owned by J. Hughson. Loss, \$2,000; insured for \$1,500.

Miss Wright has heard from Mr. Mercier with reference to her appeal for protection in the pursuit of her evangelization work in Hull. The Quebec Government will vindicate the authority of the law.

The Ottawa contractors and builders have adopted a resolution to pay carpenters and joiners by the hour instead of the day

and joiners by the hour instead of the day as formerly. This change has been adopted to meet the demand made by the men for a nine-hour day.

At St. George's vestry meeting, Guelph, the following motion was carried without a division: "That in the opinion of this vestry the interests of the church in this parish require that the parish of St. George's Church should be divided, and that a new parish should be formed out of a portion of the old parish as it now exists."

Lieut. Col. Robinson, late of H. M. 44th

the old parish as it now exists."

Lieut.-Col. Robinson, late of H. M. 44th Regiment, died at Fredericton, N. B., on Saturday. He was a native of that country, and at the age of 21 years received a commission in the army, and served with distinction in the Crimea and the Indian mutiny. He wore the Victoria Cross and British, French, Turkish and Sardinian modals for service.

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A Seattle (Washington) telegram says
The heavy snows this winter assure large
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The wife of Edward Lippincott, proprietor of the Haddon Hotel, Atlantic City, N. J., is charged with having secured \$75, 000 on forged notes and mortgages. Mrs. Lippincott was the real manager and attended to the finances.

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On Sunday morning the steamer Louise, of the Jacksonville, (Fla.) and Mayport Line, ran into an obstruction near Hunter's Mill, and was sunk in less than three minutes. One man was drowned, and the six other passengers and crew of seven barely escaped.

Murdered the Girl He Wanted to Marry Hastings, Minn., Feb. 17. — Mary Dielzen was shot last evening by Louis Sommers, whose proposal of marriage she refused. The murderer escaped. Steamers Arrived.

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Probability of Opening the New Building Next October.

Preserving the Old Lines of the Noble Pile-Sympathy With the Authorities.

TORONTO, Feb. 17 .- On Saturday morn TORONTO, Feb. 17.—Un Saturday morning the trustees caused an examination of the walls of the burned University buildings to be made by competent experts, and found that it will be possible, should the financial assistance be forthcoming, to retain the old lines and restore in all its perfection the noble pile of which this Province is so justly proud. The extent of the loss is perhaps less than was at first anticipated, but yet most serious, and if the University is to be rebuilt and continue its important work in connec-

and continue its important work in conne tion with higher education, assistance come not only of the Province and of the city, but from individuals as well.

city, but from individuals as well.

IMPROVEMENTS CONTEMPLATED.

Experts have examined the walls and have found that their general condition is better than was expected. They are for the greater part substantial, as they stand at resent, and will be used in the plan of reconstruction. A new and larger convocation hall will be built, and various improve tion hall will be built, and various improve-ments that have been considered necessary during the past few years will be carried out. There will be accommodation for ladies and for a larger number of students than in the old University. The building will be generally on a much grander scale.

SYMPATHY.

The table in Sir Daniel Wilson's study i The table in Sir Daniel Wilson's study is loaded with telegrams and letters from men of distinction in the learned professions in every part of the continent expressing sympathy in the destruction of the Toronto University. The heads of the principal universities in the United States and Dominion of Canada raphed their expressions of sym-eathy with the authorities in the loss they pathy with the authorities in the loss they had sustained. Among those from whom telegrams were received are the Governor-General, President Elliott, of Harvard University; Yale University, and Sir Wm. Dawson, principal of McGill University, Montreal. A telegram expressing sympathy on the great loss sustained by the was received from the graduates at Wi

The Bishop of Huron (Dr. Maurice Baldwin) telegraphed from London:
Accept my sincerest sympathy with you in your and the country's loss.

WORK RESUMED. The classes will be resumed this morning in that part of the University not destroyed, and in Knox College and Wycliffe College, where accommodation has been considerately placed at the disposal of the Toronto University professors by the management of those colleges.

agement of those colleges.

No EFFECT ON FEDERATION.

Hon. G. W. Ross, when asked if the recent disaster would have any effect on the federation scheme, replied that it would have none whatever. The reconstructed university would be just as suitable for the federated colleges and universities—in fact, more so, as there would be a number of improvements made such as accompany. improvements made, such as ditional lecture rooms and better accommodation for lady students. True, the loss of the library might be used as an argument against federation, but this loss was not altogether an irreparable one, as in nearly every case the books can be replaced. There was the \$50,000 insurance money, and if \$20,000 were invested now and \$20,000 next year the library would soon be in first-class condition again. It was expected to have the new building completed for the opening of the autumn session next October. ditional lecture rooms and better ac

Offered the Pastor a Dring Offered the Pastor a Drink.

HUBSON, Feb. 16.—An intoxicated man entered the Methodist Church to-day during services and passing up to the pulpit offered the pastor, the Rev. John Tressidder, a drink. The divine took the bottle and filed it away for future reference, while the introder was run of fat the relation.

intruder was run off to the calaboose Sam Jones Moves to Kentucky. ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 17.— Rev. Sam Jones announces that he will soon move with his family to his farm near Eminence, Ky. The Rev. Sam has for long years made his home at Cartersville, this State, where he has a beautiful suburban home. He gives no reason for the above. gives no reason for the change, and the an nouncement creates great surprise through

try, and at the age of 21 years received a commission in the army, and served with distinction in the Crimea and the Indian mutiny. He wore the Victoria Cross and British, French, Turkish and Sardinian medals for service.

A pastoral letter from Archbishop Duhamel was read in all the Catholic churches at Ottawa on Sunday, as well as in the Catholic Church at Hull. His Grace expressed regret for the recent outrage at Hull, and said that such outrages cannot be countenanced by the church in Canada. The pastoral also enjoins the faithfult to use their influence to prevent a recurrence of the troubles on Tuesday night, when Miss Wright visits Hull.

AMERICAN.

Fire did \$40,000 damage to the insane asylum at Little Rock, Ark., on Sunday morning. No lives lost.

A Seattle (Washington) telegram says

Smashup Near Brookfield.

Welland Junction, Feb. 17.—A collision took place on the Grand Trunk Railway on Saturday morning one-quarter of a mile west of Brookfield and between Welland Junction and Brookfield. Two trains met about a quarter of a mile west of Brookfield, going at full speed, and several cars loaded with general freight were piled up in the wreck. The accident is said to have been caused by a misunderstanding of orders between the dispatcher and operator. Conductor McHaffie was in charge of the east-bound train and a Hamilton conductor of the west-bound. The Fort Erick Market of the west-bound. The west-bound are the provided the moving train. His right when the wheel broke and Brouk market of the moving train. His right when the wheel broke and Brouk market of the moving train. His right when the wheel broke and Brouk market of the moving train. His right when the wheel broke and Brouk market of the moving train. His right when the wheel broke and Brouk and the moving train. His right when t ductor of the west-bound. The Fort Ericauxiliary arrived and cleared up the wreck ing. World's Fair Probabilities.

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New York, Feb. 17.—A Washington special says: The New York congressmen are watching the various phases of the World's Fair complications with sharp interest. The impression is that there will be no fair in New York at least. Representative Belden yesterday received a telegram from Chauncey M. Depew, asking him what the sentiment of the House regarding the fair was. Mr. Belden replied that the belief here was that if New York did not secure the location there would be no fair; that the representation were watching the course of the Albany Legislature, and that the majority would be indifferent about the fair if New York were not chosen.

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CANADA'S CAPITAL.

The Dual Language Question the Topic of the Hour-The Hull Hoodiums Will be Looked After.

[Special to the ADVERTISER.]

The Hull riots have brought the Quebec authorities to the scene of action in quickstep time. Judge Dugas, of Montreal, is re, and will meet the Hull Councilors tonight to see what precautions had best be aken. Judge Dugas has charge of the police regulations of this district, and his means that the Mercier Governmen has taken determined steps to preserve

I am told that it is the intention of the overnment to press for the adoption of Davin's amendment or one similar. Mr. Davis, of Alberta, will move an amendment oposing that action be delayed until the Cerritories be divided into Provinces.

It is expected that the dual language deate will not close to-day, mainly because the Government has not yet decided what course it will be safest for it to pursue. There was a rumor that a caucus would be held this morning, but the absence of a large number of the Bleus rendered such a gathering futile. Mr. Laurier has possession of the floor at the opening of the debate this afternoon and the of his speech will have much to do with the result of the discussion. It is said that Mr. Chapleau will follow the Opposition leader, when the French case will be pretty well before Parliament. Dalton McCarthy evidently intends to demand his right by the laws of courtesy to close the debate.

The Dominion Dairy Association opened this morning in the Ottawa City Hall and vill sit for three days.

Deputy Speaker Wood will be entertained at dinner this evening by his supporters in Brockville. Mr. Peter McLaren is appointed to one

of the Senate vacancies. I am in a position to state that the modus vivendi will be renewed on the ground that the American Government is disposed to settle all international differences amicably.

Capital Notes.

Mr. Scarth says that in Manitoba the Mennonites form a large and deserving portion of the agricultural population, and, as they cannot read English or French, he desires that experimental farm literature should for their benefit be printed in Mennonite in future. He thinks a similar connonite in future. nonite in future. He thinks a similar con-pession should be made to Swedes and Icelanders.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Feb. 16-11 p.m.-An area fof Toroxto, red. 10-11 p.m.—An area on high pressure extends from the Northwest States and Canadian Territories to northern Ontario, accompanied by low pressure, central in Wyoming, extends to the southern part of the lake region, accomsouthern part of the lake region, accompanied by mild weather. In Quebec and New Brunswick the weather is fine and cold. Minimum tempertures this morning: Calgary, 24° below zero; Qu'Appelle, 28° below; Winnipeg, 28° below; Prince Albert, 42° below; Toronto, 10°; Montreal, 2° below; Quebec, 8° below; Halifax, 10°.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES YESTERDAY.

For 24 hours ending 8 p.m.—(Observations taken at 3 a.m. and 8 p.m: Highest, 38°; lowest, 17°; mean (daily), 32°.

FROBABILITIES.

For the next 24 hours for the lakes: Winds, mostly east and north; cloudy weather, with local falls of sleet or snow.

The Sawtelle Tragedy.

Boston, Feb. 17.—Isaac Sawtelle has partially confessed to the murder of his brother Hiram. He denies that he did the killing, but implicates "Dr." Blood and one Ed. Russell, a Boston criminal. Isaac maintained that he did not know where the head was, and that he would if he could give the officers aid in finding it. The police express the opinion that Sawtelle is still lying and that, though the prisoner was aided and advised up to the point of committing the crime, he did the deed him. committing the crime, he did the deed him-

A Brakeman's Mishap.

Hamilton, Feb. 17.—A serious accident befell John Brown, a brakeman on the G. T. R., yesterday afternoon. He was putting the brakes on a freight car at Burlington when the wheel broke and Brown was pitched from the moving train. His right arm was terribly crushed and he sustained a severe scalp wound. It was found necessary to amputate the crushed arm. Brown is a married man and his home is at 429 Dufferin street Toyonto. Late State

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