THE CRESCENT CITY FIGHT.

ANDY BOWEN DEFEATS JOE FIELDEN IN 22 ROUNDS.

A Lively Fight Before the New Athletic Club—Hanlan Replies to the Challenge of Wallace Ross—Sport in City Rinks—On Winter Race Tracks—General Sports.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 6.—Andy Bowen and Joe Fielden fought before the new Crescent City Athletic Club last night for a purse of $2000, $300 of which went to the loser.

The men faced each other at 9.30, looking well and feeling confident. In the opening rounds Bowen had the better of the fight, but from the seventh to the fourteenth rounds Fielden had things his way.

Rounds 14, 15 and 16 commenced with plenty of hitting. Bowen landed some hard punches in these rounds. In the 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th rounds there was fairly good fighting, but Fielden complained to his seconds that his thumb was broken. Bowen went at his opponent in round 20, knocked him down three times and nearly put him out, but the gong saved him.

Bowen went at his man in the 21st and punched him in the ropes several times. Fielden was dead game and fell and rose only to be knocked down as fast as he could get up. The gong saved him for the next round, in which he was knocked out with a punch on the neck. He tried to rise, and his gameness, once questioned, was now applauded to the echo.

Jack Ashton Dying.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Jack Ashton, the heavy-weight pugilist, is dying in the erysipelas ward of Bellevue Hospital. The last sacraments of the church were administered to him to-day. Ashton was taken to Bellevue Wednesday in a delirious condition. His case was at once diagnosed as an advanced attack of delirium tremens. He has been unconscious since his reception at the hospital. Ashton is about 30 years old and was in his time a clever man with the gloves. He hails from Providence.

FIGHT MITCHELL AND RETIRE.

Corbett Says He Will Engage in But One More Battle.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 6.—"I expect to make only one more fight before I retire from the ring," said Champion James J. Corbett, while he sat in his apartments at the Chittenden Hotel last night, chatting with a reporter just before the curtain went up on his play at the Henrietta.

"And who is to be your opponent in that fight?" asked the reporter.

"Mitchell, without doubt," promptly replied Corbett. "He will come to America as soon as he is released from jail, I am confident, and at once begin preparations to meet me, unless I am greatly mistaken. We will come together about next October."

"How about Peter Jackson?"

"Well, I am willing to meet all comers. I fought Jackson once when I was not nearly as good a man as I am at present, and I know the American people will agree with me when I say I licked him then. He ought to be satisfied with that. I know I would not have half as hard a fight with Jackson now as before. My fight with him was the first one I ever made before an athletic club, and I was far from having the experience and the staying qualities I have now. The people would not be interested so deeply in a match between myself and Jackson as they would if Mitchell were my opponent. It would be a foregone conclusion that I would win, because I bested him once before. No one knows, on the other hand, what I could do with Mitchell. For myself I think I would have a hard fight with him, and do not believe I could whip him in less than 35 or 40 rounds.

"As far as Goddard is concerned, I don't think I should consider any of his propositions, for he is not in it at any stage of the game."

FIGHTING NEWS FROM FRISCO.

Western Pugilists Seem Wary of Dan Creedon, the Australian.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 6.—Dan Creedon, the Australian middle-weight, who recently arrived here, has not been able as yet to arrange a match. There is, however, a chance of his meeting Jim Williams of Salt Lake. The Australian has made a very favorable impression here. He is a well-built man and shows up well in his fighting costume. His height is 5 feet 8 inches, his chest measures 41 inches, while he tips the scales at 158 pounds. At present he is engaged in training Tom Tracy, who is matched to fight Billy Gallagher. It is rumored that Joe Butler of Philadelphia or Reddy Gallagher may be matched with Creedon. Brooklyn Jimmy Carroll has also been suggested, but Creedon says he did not come over here to fight heavyweights.

A very clever boxer by the name of Dooley will soon have his first professional fight at the Palo Alto Club with "Spider" Kelly. As Dooley recently gave Billy Maher a lively go in private a contest worth witnessing is expected.

Val Flood, who was for years the champion amateur middleweight of New Zealand, is a strict vegetarian. He is a fine, strong healthy man and expects to arrange a match with Charley Turner, the colored boxer.

Jack Hall, the Australian lightweight's, defeat at the hands of Johnson, was due largely to over-confidence. Hall seemed a sure winner up to the sixth round, when he became careless and gave Johnson an opening for a knock-out blow. Jim Burge now wants to meet Johnson.

At the California Athletic Club this month Zellner and Peppers and Purtell and Barron will meet, while the Pacific Club has arranged a match between Reece and Jones. Frank Childs, who defeated La Blanche, will have "Soldier" Walker as his opponent at the Palo Alto Club.

ATHLETICS IN '93.

It Will Be the Greatest Season in Field History—At the World's Fair.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Secretary James E. Sullivan of the Amateur Athletic Union thinks that 1893 will witness the most brilliant campaign in athletic history.

"The World's Fair international tournaments," says Mr. Sullivan, "would in themselves be sufficient to make the season a red-letter one.

"But there are signs of even more important innovations. The leading clubs throughout the union are beginning to realize the necessity of dropping the loafing class of champions and entrusting their representation to unquestionable amateurs. This movement should effectually abolish the wholesale seduction of promising athletes developed by small clubs and lead to wholesome rivalry between organizations on their merits. The anticipated invasion of French, English, Irish, Australian and Canadian teams will give an enormous fillip to the public interest and introduce a patriotic sentiment which will do the grand sport incalculable good. Yes, we will have to do some tall hustling, but the brilliant outlook cannot fail to stimulate the A.A.U. executive to a supreme effort."

A Record Wrestling Bout.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6.—The fifth annual championship meeting of the Amateur Athletic Union began last night at the Academy of Music. A large crowd was in attendance, and some good boxing and wrestling sport was witnessed. All the events were trial bouts. The finals will be decided Saturday night.

In the 125-pound weight wrestling match J. Klund, Warren A.C., Wilmington, threw M. Reilly, Pittsburg, in 7 4-5 seconds. This is the best time on record.

OFF FOR THE FAR WEST.

Harry Senkler Bids Good-bye to His Ontario Friends—Will Locate in Vancouver.

Harry Senkler, well known all over Canada as the champion versatile athlete, bid good-bye to his Ontario friends last night.

He left on the C.P.R. midnight for the Great Northwest, where he intends to make his future home and money in barrelfuls.

Mr. Senkler will locate in Vancouver, B.C., to practice his chosen profession. Yesterday a select party of his friends gave him a farewell dinner at the Board of Trade Cafe, and at midnight they shook the old iron roof of the Union Station with their cheers as the train pulled out with the stalwart athlete aboard.

TROTTING ON ICE.

War Cloud and Polly D. Win Races At Ottawa In Straight Heats.

OTTAWA, Jan. 6.—The Union Ice Club gave the following races to-day:

Named race:

Lepine's ch. War Cloud	1	1	1
Hanrahan's Abdallah	2	3	2
Plouffes' Professor T.	3	4	3
Barber's Rocket	4	2	4

Best time 2.50.

Green race:

Barber's Polly O.	1	1	1
Plouffes' Roger Wilkes	2	3	3
Barns' Rudolph	3	2	4
Hunter's Arklan	6	6	2
Burk's Jubilee Queen	4	4	6
Morris' Joe H.	5	5	5

Best time 2.51.

The Races on Bond's Lake.

The annual races on Bond's Lake take place Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 11 and 12. The program will be: First day, 2.50 trot, purse $60; 2.30 trot, purse $50. Second day: Free-for-all, purse $60; named race, purse $50.

Racing at Gloucester.

GLOUCESTER, Jan. 6.—First race, ⅝ mile, selling—Grand Prix 1, Arapahoe 2, Jarquet 3. Time 1.04¾.

Second race, 6½ furlongs, selling—Magie 1, La Juliever 2, Devisee 3. Time 1.26¾.

Third race, ⅝ mile—Comrade 1, Censor 2, Needmore 3. Time 1.04.

Fourth race, 6½ furlongs, selling—Lee S. 1, Flewellyn 2, John Lackland 3. Time 1.22¾.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Owen Golden 1, Airshaft 2, Battle Cry 3. Time 1.21¾.

Sixth race, ¾ mile, selling—Debonair 1, Turner 2, Montlere 3. Time 1.20.

No Races at Guttenberg.

GUTTENBERG, Jan. 6.—A blinding snowstorm prevented the races at North Bergen to-day.

The Breeders' Association.

Dr. McCully has received hearty responses from all Ontario breeders in relation to the formation of a breeders' association, and the prospects are that there will be a big meeting at the Rossin House, Jan. 18, when the association will be soundly organized.

NOVELTIES IN BIKES.

The National Cycle Show At Philadelphia Opened—The Elliptical Sprocket.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6.—Everything was hurry and bustle in the old Fifth-street market house last evening when the National Cycle Show opened. Many of the 157 exhibitors had not yet got their wheels in place, and the throwing open of the building to the public put them in a flurry. The elliptical sprocket wheel, which is said to have helped John S. Johnson make his mile in 1.56 3-5 at Independence last September, has been adopted by several firms, including the Pope Manufacturing Company, and elliptical sprocket wheel bicycles will be as thick as blackberries this year. Opinion still differs as to its value, but a season's test will decide the matter.

Innumerable new inventions will be placed on the market for the first time this year, including tires, brakes, driving gear and entirely new bicycles. Geared ordinaries will not be such a rarity as last season, and many firms who heretofore have made none but men's wheels will place a ladies' machine on the market.

A. A. Zimmerman, the champion amateur bicyclist, and a few hundred of his prizes are features of the show. The prizes form an imposing group near the centre of the building, while "Zimmy" walks about just like any ordinary man.

Bicycle sulkies, including the "original Nancy Hanks sulky," are on exhibition in connection with almost everything else of any possible interest to wheelmen.

CHESS AND CHECKERS.

Toronto Club Matches—The Annual Meeting—Prizes for a Tourney.

The Toronto Checker and Chess Club met as usual Thursday night. The following is the checker score:

Name.	W.	Name.	W.	Dr.
Gibson	0	Scott	4	2
Kirkpatrick	3	Russell	2	0
Freeman	2	Crawford	2	0
E. Geddes	2	Crawford	1	2
J. Miller	1	Geddes	1	4
Whalen	2	Godwin	1	1
Wylie	1	Asher	1	4
Craig	2	W. Freeman	1	3
Frazier	2	W. Crawford	2	2

The chess matches resulted:

Name.	W.	Name.	W.	Dr.
Hood	0	Davis	3	0
Rusby	0	Rennie	3	0

The annual meeting and election takes place next Thursday. A full attendance requested. A tourney match will be played this month, when the club will be classed into three classes. One prize will be given for the first class and three prizes each for the other two classes.

TO WALLACE ROSS.

Hanlan Will Row the Black Brunswicker Every Day in the Week.

Ned Hanlan was in a merry mood last night when spoken to in regard to the challenge of Wallace Ross. He said:

"If Richard K. Fox will put up a purse of $2500 with his cup I will be only too willing to row Wallace Ross at the time specified in his challenge over any suitable course the donors of the cup may choose."

"As Ross is The Police Gazette champion I do not think that R. K. F. will have any objection to back his champion for $2500 or put up $2500 with his cup, but I cannot afford the time to row simply for the bald-headed cup," continued Hanlan logically.

"I would like to make a race with half a dozen such men as Ross. I could row people of that calibre every day in the week of six days for $1000 a match," he concluded.

SPORT ON THE ICE.

Moss Parkers' Skips Meet—Their Annual Match—York County Curlers.

Moss Park's skips met last night and arranged for their annual match as follows, the first named skip to play for the President:

Friday, Jan. 13—Summerfelt v. Gibson; Slater v. Young.

Saturday, Jan. 14—Hood v. Scott; Miller v. Clemes.

The oyster supper takes place the following Monday at the losers' expense.

A Victory For Toronto II.

The first championship hockey match of the season took place last night. It was in the Toronto Junior League series, and was played in the Granite Rink between the Toronto second seven and the Granite second team, and resulted in a victory for the former by 7 goals to 1.

Chips from the Ice.

Mr. H. German has presented a pair of curling stones to replace the cup won permanently by Markham for York County curlers' annual competition. This year the curling takes place the week of Jan. 16, the day and place to be named next Saturday. R. Malcolm, 102 Bay-street, will supply particulars.

BASEBALL CHANGES NEXT SEASON.

Chris Von Der Ahe Talks of the Alterations to the Playing Rules.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 6.—Chris Von der Ahe said to-day: "All they are talking about now in baseball circles is the question of increasing the base lines three feet—to 93 feet—and placing the pitcher in the centre of the diamond.

"I have a mass of correspondence on the subject, mainly from baseball officials, and I should judge from it that the bulk of the opinion is in favor of the change.

"In their work on the proposed changes in the playing rules, the Playing Committee is consulting old patrons of the game who understand it thoroughly, and whose opinion thereupon is of some value. They are not consulting players. Mr. Soden of Boston writes me that if the base lines are increased the hunt hit will be shorn of much of its power by declaring a bunt foul a strike.

"The over-running of second and third bases will not be allowed, no matter how warmly it is advocated. Yes; I look for quite a change in the playing rules next year. It will be a novelty, at least. During the year just closed," continued Mr. Von der Ahe, "horse racing inflicted more injury on baseball than any previous season. I am free to confess that if this gambling spirit continues to be the ruling passion in sport baseball will be dealt a mighty severe blow by it. The clubs that above all are injured from the effects of horse racing are the New York, Chicago and St. Louis."

Sporting Miscellany.

McDowall will hold an open shoot at sparrows and blue rocks at Stark's this afternoon. Shooting will commence at 2 o'clock. There will be plenty of birds.

A series of sweepstakes will be shot this afternoon on the H. P. Davies Company's grounds at Findlay pigeons. Shoot will start at 2 o'clock.

The annual meeting of the Middle States Regatta Association will be held February 15. The association now has a balance on the right side for the first time since its organization.

Mr. Abington (George Baird) has paid a retaining fee of £20,000 to J. Watts, the crack English jockey, for the first call on his services for a period of three years.

Warriner's College of Commerce football team will hold their first annual banquet at McConkey's Friday evening, Jan. 13. All the local association football celebrities are expected to be present.

Cards of invitation are out for the Wanderers' sixth annual at home. The popular event takes place in the Pavilion, Friday evening, Jan. 27. Special efforts are being made for the success of the affair.

At Prof. Popp's Olympic Gymnasium tonight there will be a good go between Sim Donaldson and Frank Hart for a purse. Sparring by the best talent in the city, including Arthur Stemmer, Billy Glenfield, Billy Bittle, Tom Dixon, J. Ferguson, Brother Smiths, young Jim Popp, Prof. Popp will back his son Jim Popp, to fight any man in Canada at 115 lbs. weight, from 4 rounds to 10 or to a finish.

The entire trotting stock of the late J. I. Case, except Jay-Eye-See and a few others, will be sold at auction in New York next week. Among the lot are Phallas, 2.13¾; Brown, 2.18¾; Vandal Wilkes, 2.14; Linda Sprague, 2.17½; Victoria McGregor, 2.19¼; Rena Rolfe, 2.19¾, and Clara Wilkes, 2.17.

Catarrh.

A new home treatment whereby catarrh, catarrhal deafness, hay fever are cured both rapidly and permanently. Send stamp for descriptive circular. A. H. Dixon, 41 Bloor-street east, Toronto. 246

Grand Reception.

Prof. S. P. Myers gave his first private reception to his pupils and friends Jan. 2 at his dancing academy, No. 104 Peter-street. About 25 couples sat down to an elegant repast, and after a most enjoyable time was kept up in tripping the light fantastic, the company dispersing at 2 a.m.

California or Mexico.

The Wabash Railway have now on sale round trip tickets at very low rates to southern points, including Old Mexico and California. The only line that can take tourists via Detroit through St. Louis and Kansas City and return then via Chicago (and vice versa) finest equipped trains on earth, passing through six states of the Union. Spend a winter in Mexico, the land of the Aztecs and Toltecs, finest climate and scenery in the world and older than Egypt. Time tables and all information about side trip at new ticket office, northeast corner King and Yonge-streets. J. A. Richardson, Canadian Passenger Agent, Toronto. ed

Through Wagner Vestibule Buffet Sleeping Car Toronto to New York via West Shore Route.

The West shore through sleeping car leaves Union Station, Toronto, at 4.55 p.m. daily except Sunday, arriving in New York at 10.10 a.m. Returning this car leaves New York at 3 p.m. arriving in Toronto at 10.35 a.m. Sunday leaves Toronto at 12.50 p.m.

A Remarkable Case.

Gentlemen,—About five years ago I noticed on my hands a great number of soft, spongy warts, very painful, and which bled when touched. I never witnessed anything like it, and was quite alarmed. We are never without Hagyard's Yellow Oil, and one evening my little girls applied it to each wart. They did this several nights and in the morning the pain and itching were so bad I had to cool my hands with snow, but finally the warts dropped out and I have never been troubled since. Mrs. Wm. Craig, Brighton, Ont. 246

For Newfoundland.

The Allan liner, the Mongolian, leaves Halifax on Monday, Jan. 16, for Liverpool, calling at St. John's, and will carry cabin, intermediate and steerage passengers. This steamer calls at Queenstown. The next Allan mail steamer for Liverpool, calling at Derry, will be the Sardinian, from Portland Jan. 19 and Halifax 21st.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, safe and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock get him to procure it for you.

BEN'S DYNAMITE.

He Would Like to Smash Canada and Her Railways.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—A Washington despatch to The Times says: Secretary Foster went from the Treasury yesterday afternoon to the White House, armed with a report prepared by Assistant Secretary Spaulding, on the question of railroad traffic between the United States and Canada under the Consular Sealing Law of 1864.

The President and the Secretary went over the whole subject with great care seeking for a remedy that may be applied to remove the irritation which has been provoked among the members of American railways by the efforts of Canadian railways to turn the law to their account by depriving the railways of much business to which they consider themselves entitled, and which they feel that the law is enabling the Canadians to rob them of.

The probability is that the President will recommend to Congress a modification of the law of 1864. To say that it cannot be enforced because of the lack of officers at the border, would be a very beggarly excuse and one that would sound ridiculous in view of the acknowledgment that there has never been the loss of a cent of revenue through the sealing law.

The expectation is that the President will recommend that the sealing in the United States to points in the United States through Canada be withdrawn. It might be amended so as to permit shipment to the line of the country where the goods are to be received, thus making it necessary to examine the cargoes and perhaps to reload.

That inconvenience and expense would do much toward overcoming the advantages now enjoyed by the subsidized roads of Canada and give the American roads a chance to regain the traffic they say they have lost.

President Harrison and the cabinet today had before them the facts developed by the investigation in the Treasury Department of the question of commerce to and from points in the United States over Canadian roads. The matter was discussed at some length, but nothing additional to what has already been stated was presented. The President will shortly send a message to the House, in reply to its resolution of July, but what, if any, recommendations he will make have not been decided upon.

Canadian Flour in England.

"Our millers are doing some business in the English market," said Mr. Charles B. Watts, secretary of the Dominion Millers' Association, yesterday, "but prices are not satisfactory. At the same time, however, the return is just as good as we can get from the provincial markets."

Don't Be Swindled.

Why pay 20 or 25 cents for a pound or a package or tin of poisonous alum baking powder when you can buy "The Borwicke," which is proven by the Dominion Government to be an absolutely pure cream of tartar powder, at the same price? 135

Sore Feet.—Mrs. E. J. Neill, New Armagh, P.Q., writes: "For nearly six months I was troubled with burning aches and pains in my feet to such an extent that I could not sleep at night, and as my feet were badly swollen I could not wear my boots for weeks. At last I got a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil and resolved to try it, and to my astonishment I got almost instant relief, and the one bottle accomplished a perfect cure."

At the Academy.

"The Private Secretary" closes its week's engagement at the Academy with a matinee this afternoon and performance this evening. The company have been playing to good business all week and will doubtless have two more big houses.

There is danger in neglecting a cold. Many who have died of consumption dated their troubles from exposure, followed by a cold which settled on their lungs, and in a short time they were beyond the skill of the best physician. Had they used Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup before it was too late their lives would have been spared. This medicine has no equal for curing coughs, colds and all affections of the throat and lungs.

Local Jottings.

The estate of the late Rev. Dr. Crawford was yesterday sworn in the Probate Court to amount to $225.

The Cattle Market fees and feed privileges will be offered jointly at the City Hall today at noon.

The general stock of Mrs. Fisher of Bolton, invoiced at $6900, was sold at Suckling's to J. Taylor, at 47c on the dollar.

James Kettyle, an ex-policeman, was yesterday committed to the Central for six months for assaulting Lizzie Murphy.

The Reformers of No. 2 Ward met last night in Prospect Park for the purpose of selecting delegates to the forthcoming convention.

Mary Hunter, Foxley-street, was yesterday sent to jail for 10 days for theft of three silk handkerchiefs from the Eaton Company's store.

Alf Birrell, an old offender, was yesterday committed to the Central for six months for thefts of marine glasses from Captain Jackman and watch from F. J. Burns.

William Riley, Gladstone-avenue, was yesterday charged with defrauding the Dominion Express Company to the extent of $108. He was remanded till Thursday next.

Joseph Everest, an employe of Chapman, Symons & Co., 232 Queen-street east, was arrested yesterday charged with carrying home a leg of mutton.

A 14-year-old girl named Annie Moncton, living at 489 Front-street east, is under arrest at Police Headquarters charged by Nathaniel Fowler with defrauding him out of a pair of boots.

The buglers of the 48th Highlanders are arranging for a first-class concert to be held in the Pavilion on Feb. 2. The best talent in the city will take part in the entertainment.

James Hance, 58 Tecumseth-street, was arrested yesterday afternoon by P. C. Sifton suspected of stealing several pounds of candy from a Queen-street west candy store.

Street Commissioner Jones will start his snow-shovelling brigade this morning on the sidewalks which have not been cleaned by their owners. The cost will be charged back on the property.

The Street Railway Company has notified the city that the snow was thrown into the gutters by its employes without its knowledge and that it will not be allowed to occur again.

The Lake Simcoe Ice Company has written the Medical Health Officer to the effect that it will lay ice down on the track at 50 cents a ton, at the breweries at 65 cents and packed at 70 cents.

A charge of embracery, or influencing jurors, came up in the Police Court yesterday. John Burns was the defendant and the charge relates to County Court proceedings last September. The case was adjourned for a week.

Patrick Lyons, Elizabeth-street, was yesterday fined $20 and costs or 30 days for breach of the Liquor License Act. Immediately on the judgment being delivered he and a man named Hackett, one of Lyons' witnesses, were arrested for perjury in connection with the case.

The Veterinary Medical Society met last evening, when the following program was given: Essays, J. P. Stover, Rosring; M. J. Forain, Surgery; O. Verscheider, the Successful Practitioner; James Airth, Foot and Mouth Diseases; J. H. Mittlen, Red Water Communications; O. Verscheiden, Paraplegia; J. H. Mittlen, Injured Foot; E. H. Humphry, Ovariotomy.

Rev. Wilbur F. Crafts of Pittsburg, Pa., will be the speaker at the meeting of the Canadian Temperance League in the Pavilion to-morrow afternoon. This will be Mr. Crafts' second invitation to the Pavilion this season, a compliment to the undoubted ability of this well-known advocate of reform. Miss Davis of Hamilton and Mr. Love of city will assist in the musical exercises.

There will be two attractive meetings for young men held at the Y.M.C.A., the first to-night by the Rev. Dr. Ball. The new pastor of Zion Congregational Church will deliver a special address upon the subject, "Looking at the Stars," and to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock Mr. J. W. Bengough will give an illustrated talk on the subject, "A Happy New Year."

INSTRUCTIVE TO OFFICERS.

Col. Otter's Valuable Lecture at the Old Fort Last Night.

A representative gathering of local militia officers mustered at the New Fort barracks last night to hear Col. Otter's long-looked-for lecture on "The Administrative System of a British Battalion and its application to the Canadian Militia." The commanding officer of every corps in the city was present as well as the senior officers of all the regiments.

The lecture was a success in every particular. Col. G. T. Denison, Col. F. C. Denison and Col. Hamilton discussed the points of the lecture. Major-General Herbert and Capt. Streatfeild, A.D.C., were present. The General also gave his views on the subject of the evening. The night was a red-letter one in the history of the New Fort.

SMELTING WORKS.

A Letter Written to the Mayor On This Important Subject.

Mayor Fleming received a letter yesterday from Mr. Joseph L. Thompson regarding the establishment of blast furnaces in Toronto. He asks the Mayor to enlist his active sympathy and points out that pig iron can be manufactured here for $13.66 per ton, the Dominion cash bonus of $2 a ton reducing the cost to $11.66. This includes $1 per ton for interest and renewals of plant. The current price of pig iron per ton is $18 to $20. Mr. Thompson says he has a tender from a Pittsburg firm to erect a complete smelting plant with one furnace of a capacity of 75 tons a day for $150,000. This includes switches, sidings, mineral sheds, etc. There is, he says, a market in Canada for 1000 tons per day.

"The form the city's assistance might most reasonably take (in addition of course to a free site, free water, taxes and so on) would be a large subscription to the capital stock of the company. One hundred thousand dollars would be sufficient to give the enterprise a good start."

A SERIOUS CHARGE.

A Britisher Who May Make it Hot for the Tail-Twisters.

BUFFALO, Jan. 6.—George Salter, an Englishman, is suing the City of Niagara Falls and county to recover $25,000 damages for alleged false imprisonment, and he has the support, he says, of Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Minister at Washington.

His case is that his landlady borrowed board money in advance, then had him arrested for debt to her; that he had $10 when in court to pay a fine, that he was sent to jail for 30 days and had to break stones with the chain-gang.

HE HAS SOME SENSE.

The Hon. D. O. Mills Gives Good Advice to Young Canadians.

RIDGETOWN, Ont., Jan. 6.—Hon. D. Mills addressed the Young Liberals here to-day. He said that he believed in a gradual change of our fiscal policy out of consideration to our manufacturers. He contemned annexationists in scathing terms and urged the young men to maintain their nationality and prove themselves worthy of their great heritage.

Bradstreet's Report.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: Dominion trade generally is quiet. A new feature, however, is found in the stimulation of the demand for dry-goods, clothing and boots and shoes at Montreal by the present cold weather. Travelers in those lines are already starting out.

Stock-taking is the most notable feature aside from the above. The result of 1892 appears to have been generally satisfactory, and the outlook for 1893 is regarded as favorable.

At Toronto wheat is active and sugar is higher. Bank clearings this week at Halifax, Montreal, Toronto and Hamilton aggregate $21,474,755, 8.3 per cent. more than last week, and 8.2 per cent. more than in the week of 1892. There were 27 failures in Canada this week, against 29 last and 46 last year.

The Street Commissioner's Work.

Street Commissioner Jones has constructed 30 miles of wooden sidewalks during the past year. The cost of sidewalk extension was $1453.57. In the scavenging department 112,163 loads of refuse were removed, of which 19,580 loads were cremated. Street sweepings aggregated 75,690 loads. It took 132,354 loads, or 62,266,070 gallons of water, to sprinkle the streets. Last winter snow was removed from 199 miles of sidewalk at a cost of $3516.

Disease in the West End.

Dr. McKeown, inspector for the western part of the city, has finished his report. The number of cases reported in his section during the year were: Typhoid fever, 265; diphtheria, 863; scarlet fever, 326. It is an improvement on the previous year's report.

No Cholera in Arkansas.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 6.—Dr. Geldings of marine hospital service has completed his investigation of the epidemic at the penitentiary and forwarded his report to Washington this morning. He failed to find a single cholera germ in the discharges of deceased convicts. The disease was caused by the filthy condition of the penitentiary, which has been thoroughly cleaned and fumigated.

Indians Attacked by Wolves.

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 6.—A story comes from the north to the effect that a pack of wolves, driven by the intense cold and deep snow from the woods to seek food, attacked an Indian village near the east shore of Lake Winnipeg, and several Indians, while attempting to drive them off, were terribly bitten by the ferocious animals. A squaw and a child were also horribly lacerated and not expected to live.

Hard on Hog Island.

FAR ROCKAWAY, L.I., Jan. 6.—The high tides which have accompanied the storm during the past 36 hours almost overwhelmed Hog Island, as the outer beach of this place is known.

From the Red Sea Shores.

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East York Conservatives.

The annual meeting of the East York Liberal-Conservative Association is to be held at Markham on Wednesday afternoon next at 2 o'clock.

What this warm weather suggests is something that will boil the kettle, cook an egg, or fry a beefsteak in a hurry. Harvie's kindling wood is just the thing. Try a crate for a dollar delivered c.o.d. Harvie & Co., 20 Sheppard-street. Tel. 1570. 136

Personal.

Dr. Ryerson has returned to town after a short holiday trip in the United States, and now feels in trim for the coming election fight.

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A Musical Competition.

The Toronto Vocal Society has concluded to offer a prize of $25 for the best musical setting, as a four-part song, of the following words:

EVENING.

Now sinks the sun,
The day to sleep has gone;
And as its eyelids gently close
The murmuring breeze lulls it to sweet repose—
And all is still.

The lights grow dim,
And golden fades to brown,
As far across yon western sky
The shadows fainter, fainter grow, then die—
And all is gloom.

So in this life
The world in youth is love;
Alas! the sorrows come as years roll by,
Then rich and poor alike lie down to die—
And all is still.

Our lives depart,
Leaving but mist and gloom behind:
But as the sun, sinking to shine with stronger light,
So in our lives, we die, die but to live in realms more bright—
Where all is love.

These words are by Miss Esther Talbot Kingsmill, daughter of the late Mr. George Rodon Kingsmill, a well-known Canadian journalist.

The setting must have musical value and be suitable for public performance by the society at its second concert of this season, and must be composed by a resident of Canada.

Each composition forwarded to the secretary, Mr. J. N. Sutherland, for competition must not have been previously published and must be accompanied by a motto chosen by the composer. The composer should also enclose, in a separate envelope addressed to the secretary and marked on the outside "Evening Competition," his or her name, address and the motto chosen. This envelope will not be opened until the selection by the judges has been agreed upon. The judges will be Mr. J. F. P. Aldous, conductor of the Hamilton Philharmonic Society; Mr. Joseph Mischka, conductor of the Buffalo Vocal Society, and Mr. E. W. Schuch, conductor of the Toronto Vocal Society.

The competition will close Feb. 15.

The composition winning the prize will become the property of the Toronto Vocal Society in all its rights.

How Fear Acts On the Heart.

The Paris Faculty of Medicine are drawing some interesting conclusions from their examination of the body of Crampton, the murderer who was guillotined the other day. Crampton was the picture of terror when he went to his death. The doctors found that his heart had contracted remarkably under the influence of fear. They speak of it contemptuously as a coward's heart. They argue that the popular notion that the heart is the seat of courage, as in the phrase "a stout heart," is founded upon a physiological fact.

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