S'XTH YEAR.

FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 20, 1885. THE BANKER'S WIFE.

perfectly straight.

HORRIBLE OUTRAGES.

Number of Horses Butchered in

lownship of Percy.

WARKWORTH, Ont., March 19.-A series

of dastardly outrages were perpetrated in

this township last night. George Thomp-

son and Jacob Oliver put up their horses in

the Arlington hotel shed. The hostler found Oliver's horse bleeding to death, the jugular vein having been severed. A search was made for the misoreant, but without

Bank Statement for February.

supplement to the Official Gazette to-day'

the circulation has enlarged to nearly half

The Toronto World.

PREPARING TO ADVANCE.

A RECONNAISSANCE IN FORCE FROM SUAKIM.

The Rebels Massing in the Valleyssharp Skirmish and Its Result-The Mahdi's Power Waning-A Battle To-sions, involving a study of their character

SUAKIM, March 19 .- The whole force started this morning at 7 o'clock, with a of the world, and whether as to duration, day's rations and a hundred rounds of severity and periodicity they are alike in severity and periodicity they are sinke. In sommunition to each man, in the direction of Hasheen. The troops are now three miles from the city, and the cavalry have been sent to beat up the enemy, and fight-ing is expected. Five hundred of the enemy were seen on the hills near Hasheen. The cavalry, mounted infantry and Indian infantry were sent to reconnoitre, while the guards acted as a reserve. The enemy retreated before the British advance. The head of the British column is now near Hasheen. The sconts reached the summit of the hills and discovered that the Arabs ratio into a position of shelter, but fifty remain-ing in sight. They remained in this posi-tion until the British advance trached the summit of the ardige of hills. The Hadendowah tribe then rushed from their ambush and made an attack. Captain Birch was speared through the shoulder. The Arabs suc-coeded in getting within ten yards of the ammunition to each man, in the direction such countries. The investigations involve

then rushed from their ambush and made an attack. Captain Birch was speared through the shoulder. The Arabs suc-ceeded in getting within ten yards of the British line before the latter opened regular fire, which the enemy promptly replied to. Three of the infantry and several Haden-dowahs were wounded. Four of the in-fantry were killed, including Lient. O'Connor, whose horse was shot from under him.

him. The object of the reconnaissance having been attained, the British retired, the Arabs showing no disposition to follow. The British infantry and guards were left on the road half way between Snakim and the Hasheen hills, supporting the Indian contingent. The Bengal cavalry took many prisoners. It was accertained by the recon-maissance that the Arabs were in large bodies along the entire range of hills, and evidently massing their forces. After the skirmish Gen. Graham's right, consisting of British infantry, Indian in-fantry and the guards, began an advance to sode occurred at the Providence presby terian church, in the outskirts of this city yesterday morning, immediately after the

bers were in the act of extending the hand After the skirmish Gen, Gransm's right, consisting of British infantry, Indian in-fantry and the guards, began an advance to Handoub. The mounted infantry and Bengal cavalry occupied Hasheen and found Osman Digna withdrawing his forces toward Tamai. The concentration of the Arabs was effected in unusually good order. Scouts report that Osman is pre-pared to give battle between Tamai and Tamanieb. It is estimated the Arabs number from 7000 to 10,000. Lieut, O'Conner was hot killed, as previously reported. **Disagreeable Experiences at Eorti.** Korsti, March 19.—It is estimated that reinforcements to the extent of 25 per cent. over the present strength of the troops will be required before the autumn owing to the large number of cases of sickness and death from the hest. The camel drivers of fellowship to about 60 converts, the re.

The Matority Against the Posts refuse to remain here. The navigation of the Nile is very difficult and the transpor-tation of the wounded tedious. As the British retired after having visit to the White house in quest of a postmastership. "How soon does the in-cumbent's term expire?" inquired the presi; Atered Hasheen the rebels rapidly re-secupied the positions previously evacuated by them. The entire British force with the exception of the Shropshire regiment will parade at six to morrow morning, pre-gious to an advance to Tamai, where it is cut short." "Are there any charges against him ?" "Well, yes. We democrats don't like expected a battle will take place. Gen, ham in a letter to Osman Digna declares that in a letter to Usman Digna detaits that ingland respects all religions and de-sires the friendship of the Arab tribes. He advises the Sheikhs to submit at once and to rely won the mercy of England; otherwise he weatens to destroy the flock and other property of their followers. Tragedy in a House of Ill-R. pute.

DRAW POKER AND THE N.P. WORK FOR OFFICE-SEEKERS. A Big Commission Appointed at Wash Ington to Investigate Depressions. WASHINGTON, March 19,-The secretary A NEW BRUNSWICK M.P. THINKS ONE NO BETTER THAN THE of the interior has approved the plan of operations proposed by Labor Commissioner Wright for the present year. The plan

SCENE IN A CHURCH.

A Plous Lady Denounced as a Conspir-

ator to Steal. SCRANTON, March 19.—An exciting epi

Peter Baker's Daughter.

15, the adopted daughter of Peter F. Baker, of the firm of Baker & Farron,

eloped last night with Justus Siegrist, aged

eloped last night with Justus Stegriss, aged 18, a dry goods clerk. The runaway couple were traced to Cleveland, where they were arrested early this morning. A detective has been sent there to bring them

A Wicked Woman's Wiles.

MILWAUKEE, March 19 .- It is reported

A Fiendish Crank.

The Central American Situation.

Contra -

BUFFALO, March 19. - Mary Baker, aged

Introduction of the Government's Fran-chise Bill—The St. Croix Cotton Mill's Big Customs Debt. and causes, and whether they are contem. OTTAWA, March 19.-Sir John Macdon poraneous in the great producing countries ald introduced the franchise bill. He explained that it was drawn on the same lines as the bill of last year.

the state

Acts relating to the departs secretary of state, to the constitution of the treasury board and to the bank of British Columbia were read a first time. Replying to Mr. Blake, Mr. Pope said the government section of the Canadian Pacific in British Columbia is being utilized for the conveyance of freight and passengers by the contractors who are building the road.

OTHER.

ing the road. Replying to Mr. Patterson, Sir Leonard Tilley said that no official steps had been taken towards developing the trade rela-tions between Canada and Mexico. Mr. Bowell, replying to Mr. Edgar, said the St. Croix cotton mills owed fifteen to twenty thousand dollars duty on machinery. The government were taking steps towards having the debt liquidated. Mr. Casey resumed the budget debate. Mr. Stairs followed, Mr. Gi¹more then succeeded in turning the matter into a burlesque. He said it would not be so bad if the whole inhabitants, from Van-couver to Halifax, were playing draw poker as believing in the national policy. It astonished him how the people con-tinued to vote that way. If bread, cotton and sugar were not cheap he would not take a risk on the lives of the ministerial members. railroad building, etc., have preceded them. The commissioner expects to be able to report next January, and says the plan will involve the employment of three special agents from three to five months in Europe, including the great industrial centres, and eight or ten such agents from four to six months each in the United

Mr. Wood (Brockville) followed and the house adjourned at midnight.

Scraps From the Capital. OTTAWA, March 19.-Arrangements have been made at last with the government

services. The pastor and prominent mem. under which the Canadian Pacific Southwestern railway will be extended eighty miles from Maniton in the direction Clear Water lake, and the Manitoba and Clear Water lake, and the Manitoba and Southwestern continued thirty miles dur-ing the present year. The two extensions will be made under the the charter of the Manitoba Southwestern company. The name of Mr. McCallum, M.P., is connected with the seat in the senate made vacant by the death of Senator Benson. The speaker of the senate has notified the connected with the seat in the senate made vacant by the death of Senator Benson. The speaker of the senate has notified the press gallery that its members will hence forth be admitted to all the privileges in chamber formerly enjoyed by them. A ministerial caucus was held to day or

A ministerial caucus was held to day on the flour duty, but it is understood nothing definite was arrived at. C. P. R. affairs were not touched upon.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

THREE WINS. ONE DEFEAT. Clerk of the Commerce Elopes With His Manager's Wife. ST. CATHARINES, March 19.—An elope-ment took place on Tuesday evening last. THE SCOTT ACT RECORD FOR YES. TERDAY.

The parties are Malcolm Wilson, accountant in the bank of Commerce here, and Close Fight in St. Thomas-The Mea-Mrs. Hankey, wife of the manager of the sure Beaten in a Quebec County and Carried by Overwheiming Majorities same bank. The manager was in Toronto in Eigin and Lambton. at the time, Wilson being left in charge of the bank. He purchased tickets for Buffalo BEDFORD, Que., March 19 .- The Scot

at the time, Wilson being left in thing of the time, wilson being left in thing of the time, wilson being left in the initial of the second se sided. The minister of education wrote Scott act was carried here to-day by 754 is the largest ever polled in the city. In the county the act is carried by a majority of 1711, with three small places to hear from. SARNIA, Ont. March 19.—The Scott act duction to the public schools.

own wife were unhappy. His accounts are Election of Officers by the City Associa, tion-Police Court Items.

HAMILTON, March 19.-Dundas firemen

will have a big demonstration on May 24. Robert McQuillan, the carter who was driving a lorry on Charles street when it ollided with a coasting party, and caused serious injury to Wm. Moore and Misses Bella and Beatrice Burrows, was commit-ted for trial to day on a charge of malicious injury, bail being accepaed. Joseph Evans of Binbrook was fined \$13.45 to-day for tying a log to a cow's

bridesmaid yesterday at the marriage of Miss Jennie Robb, of this city, to Geo. H. tichardson, of Listowel. The firemen had three runs this morning

Juguar vein having been south that without result. When Thompson returned, he found that his horses had gone. On reach-ing his home he found that they had pre-ceded him. They, too, hore several gashes, showing that their life also had been attempted. This morning the greatest ex-citement prevailed, which was increased when it was learned that a similar orime had been committed about a mile from the village. Two horses and a cow belonging to a farmer named Broadworth were found to have been butchered in a like manner. OTTAWA, March 19.—According to the bank statement for February, issued as a

 banks has fallen off \$7,000,000. The commercial discounts show a reduction of \$8, 000,000. Loans to commercial co-operators are high, being \$2,000,000 over that of last month. Overdue debts are over \$2,000,000 larger than last year. Public deposits has fallen off about \$500,000. A falling off of \$500,000 is noticed in specie, and over \$1,000 000 is noticed in specie, and so that liabilities in February were reduced from \$133,102,000 to \$131,832,000, while the total lasets ran up from \$213, 000 to \$213,111,000, showing a net gain of about \$200,000. ronto is the sneak thieves who strip unoccupied houses of their plumbing appar-Borrowing Any More Court House Funds.

the members of the Ontario assembly anent

REVOLT IN THE NORTHWEST. RUSSIA ASKS A QUESTION. The People Appealing for Arms-An Out-

PRINCE ALBERT, N.W.T., March 19.-SHE WISHES TO KNOW IF ENGLAND Half-breed outbreak is imminent. Riel is 18 MAKING PRESENTS. fanning agitation. People appealing for

PRICE ONE CENT.

Council of War at St. Petersburg. Britain's Fighting Strength-Recru ing for the Army Active

LONDON, March 19 .- A St. Peter The Amounts Submitted by the Trustee despatch says a council of war was held a -How the Money will be Spent. The public school board held its regular St. Petersburgh this week. General officers and chiefs of staff urged an immediate meeting last night. Chairman Roden pre.

advance upon Herat. that parts 1 and 2 of the new drawing-It is reported the Russian ambassador book series were now ready for introduchas been instructed to ask the English government whether it is true that England has supplied the emir of Herat with guns

The chairman made an explanation about three-cornered controversy between a and am Glboe reporter, Trustee Medcalf and him-In moving for a grant for the army in In moving for a grant for the army in the commons this evening, the marquis of Hartington said recruiting was exceedingly active. The fighting strength of the army was 40,000 more than in 1883. There were 70,000 reserves ready for immediate service. He said the regular army now numbers 184,000 and the volunteers 208,000. The newspapers express pleasure at the favorable military showing. self about the cellar of the Morse street school. Dr. Ogden did not think it was of any interest to the board, but the chair-

ESTIMATES FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

man finished his remarks. The report of the finance committee,

The report of the finance committee, authorizing the payment of accounts amounting to \$198, was adopted. The report of the school management committee recommended that a site be purchased for a four-roomed school in the neighborhood of Knox college. The com-mittee did not think two additional rooms were they in favor of taking any action in regard to teaching swimming at the Island baths. They recommended that the Easter holidays extend from April 2 to April 7. Report adopted.

Report adopted. The sites and buildings committee re all. Miss Edith Robb, of Toronto, was enlarged by four rooms; that J. A. Fowler

enlarged by four rooms; that J. A. Fowler be appointed architect of the above school. The estimates of the committee for 1884 were placed at \$50,000, and include a deficit from 1884 of \$3000. The items are: School room and site in St. Matthew's ward \$20,000; enlargement of Market street school \$8000; additional grant for new school on Morse street \$6000; repairs, alterations and improvements \$7000; new school site in St. Patrick's ward \$5000; improvements at Victoria street school \$1000. Tenders were received for the several works necessary in the erection of The firemen had three runs this morning and the total result of all the fires was the loss of a piece of lace. The anti-Scott act association changed its name to day to the Licensed victual lers' association. The following officers were elected :--W. Noble, president; J. S. Lillis, first vice-president; T. Crooks, second vice president; C. Saunders, secoretary ; J. M. Lottridge, treasurer; W. G. Reid, A Ruthven, S. Easter, B. Lester and C. Blasse, executive committee. The association resolved to give every possible assistance to their brethren in Wentworth county towards defeating the Scott act. The four-year-old daughter of W. Pugh, 33 Park street south, slipped down stairs to-day and broke her leg. LEAD PIPE THIEVES. An Increasing Species of Crime That

schools at once. THE BOARD OF TRADE PROTESTS.

The board of trade yesterday issued a memorial which was distributed among

Victims of the Knife at the Hospital Last night there was not much change in the condition of Robert Duplex and John McCuaig, who were so terribly butchered in Terauley street last Sunday evening. Their recovery is yet uncertain. James Smith, who was stabled at Parliament and King streets, Wednesday night, is in a fair way of recovery.

"Can this Be Randolph Mortley ?"

From the Prospectus. The Merchant, a journal of finance and commerce, R. Mortley, editor.

St. Patrick's Day in New York.

From the Sun. So the town was painted green under most favorable circumstances, and yesterday was a great day for Ireland. Oh ! Oh !

From the Week The passion which lascivious exhibit stimulate, while it is the source of our exist ence and chief happiness.

Wiggins as an Immigration Agent. From the Boston Evening Star Wiggins says there's to be a shaking up by arthquakes hereabouts on the 19th instan Just two days for us to catage to Canada

Overheard on Jarvis Street "We are going to have a minstrel tron our family," said one girl to another. "Ah, indeed; learning vocal and instru

"Oh. no; we have a collection of old jokes

No Wordy Wars for William Polymath Houston in the Presbyterian Review.

I have no objection to ins doing this, and as long as we understand each other and avoid mere logomachy, no harm is done by such variations in usus loquendi.

The primater is so or st. Inte or the is seeaning on the increase, and the magistrate should make a thorough example of someone. Yeaterday Policeman McGrau was passing No. 97 Ohurch street, an incorrection of the ontario assembly anent to 'a couple of hundred with other the legislature reinserted, the board of tradeis the sont or the national day of a common father and the method by the committee on private bills of the sont of the one to board of tradeis of the sont or the national day of a common father sort of the sont of the one to be and the notices. The officer pounced on the pain fellows entered the house to carry off their and succeeded in capturing one of them by the legislature of the sont improvident use has already been made of the sont improvident use has already been made of the sont improvident use has already been made of the sont improvident use has already been made of the sont improvident use has already been made of the there will be displayed in fat will amount to 'a couple of hundred will be safeguards that would be interested the board of the use of any further power that might be arried the will amount to 'a couple of hundred if the use of any further power that might be arried to will be arried to will be arready the the sont will be arready the there is a their command in the granted the will be arready the the sont will be arready the the sont will be arready. The further sont is a sont and the location is the sont of the sont and the isolation of the sont and the isolation and the location is the sont of the sont will be displayed in the sont interest is a sont and the location is the sont will be arready been made of the sont will be arready been made of the sont in the isolation in the isolation in the sont interest isolation. When it as a sont have the sont interest isolation. When it as a sont have the sont interest isolation. When it is a sont have the sont interest isolation will be and alterest isolation. When ithe sont isolat a will be arready been is the other the isolat That Incvitable But.

Waning Influence of the Mahdi.

KORTI, March 19.-Generals Wolseley and Buller have returned to Korti. The chief of the Shakiyeh tribe has submitted to the British. A rival of the mahdi has appeared at El Obeid. Scores of despatches in the morning papers confirm the reports of the mahdi's waning power. Several derviahes have denounced him as an im-postor. The despatches had been detained.

French Influence at Cairo. CAIRO, March 19 .- The bitter feeling

shown by the English toward the French is due to the hostility of the Bosphore Egyptien, which is constantly inciting the natives te oppose the Britlsh. The sup-pression of the paper appears to be a mili-tary necessity. The mahdi's adherents tary necessity. The mahdi's adherents declare that before summer is far advanced Lord Wolseley's army will be cut off from

LOYAL LIMERICK.

home. It is probable that a charge of abduction against the young man cannot be maintained as his intended bride ap-The Council Resolve to Present an Address to the Prince. LIMERICK, March 19.-The chamber

pears to have accompanied him of her own free will, but both parties being under age commerce has voted to present an address their arrest was considered in order. commerce has voted to present an address of welcome to the prince and princess of Wales. It is announced that the prince and princess will make a special visit to the city to allow the corporation to make the ceremony of presenting the address an imposing and memorable event.

The German Colliery Explosion. BERLIN, March 19 .- A hundred and thirty-seven bodies have been recovered from the colliery at Camphausen, where Fifty-

the explosion occurred yes erday. one persons have been rescued. CABLE NOTES.

The war with France has already cost

China sixty million taels. A general reduction of sixpence a day in niners' wages has been ordered in Scotland. Rioting was renewed at Lurgan, Ireland, vesterday. Several more arrests were

The British government has provided £25,000 for extra mail facilities across the colored, has been jailed on a charge of "in-

A despatch from Calcutta says Lord beating them until their bodies were cov-ered with wells she poured boiling grease into their hands. She also applied hot irons to their persons. Dufferin has thirty thousand troops at his command that he is prepared to throw across the Afghan frontier on the slightest A State Auditor's Office Forcibly Entered-

Several skirmishes have taken place Several summishes have taken place between the Turkish troops and the Albanian insurgents in the vicinity of Pris-rend. "Two hundred and fifty Turks and forty Albanians have been killed. The British members of the International

Atrican association have ceded to Germany all the territory east of the Upper Congo, bordering on Lakes Tanganyika and Victoria Nyanza, including the station of

Karima.

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husband is dying actually from want at Mons, Belgium. She appeals for aid, and several -Irishmen have contributed to a fund that is being raised for Stephens. It is semi-officially stated that Bismarck has offered to arbitrate between England and Russia on the Afghan matter.

Wm. Hubbell, a lunatic, at Goshen, WASHINGTON, March 19.—A story that is perhaps apocryphal, but which is good enough to be true, is told of a Missippian's visit to the White house in quest of a postmastership. "How soon does the in-cumbent's term expire?" inquired the prest. WASHINGTON, March 19 .- A story that

J. W. Smith, confidential clerk at St. Helena mine, Sonora, N.M., has absconded with a bar of gold worth \$13,000. "Oh, in about three years, unless it is

Labor Commissioner Peck sailed from New York yesterday on an important mission for the Washington government. "But on what ground do you ask for his removal ?" "On the ground, Mr. president, that eleven millions of people decided last No-vember that they wanted a change." Tragedy to a bimportant mission for the Washington government. It is estimated there are 5,000,000 col-onies of bees in the United States, which annually yield 120,000,000 pounds of The United States constant.

honey. The United States senate has ratified a treaty with Egypt conceding the same commercial advantages as enjoyed by Great Britain. ST. PAUL, March 19.-Mrs. D. M. Brit-

ton, a woman of bad repute, was found M. W. Klein & Co., Johnston, Pa., on dead in her room last night with a man who was also dead. One Bergstorm has been arrested on suspicion of killing them. The dead man has been identified as Harry \$2000 capital started a bank, incurred liabilities of \$40,000 and suspended payment. No assets. The cold in the Hudson valley is reported The dead man has been identified as Harry Kellogg, a former merchant of Neilsville, Wis. The woman's husband is a gambler, but is missing. Bergstorm kicked in the door and reported finding the bodies. Kellogg leaves a wife and five children. The police are hunting for the woman's husbard. to be intense. Every morning this week up to yesterday the thermometer registered from two to eight degrees below zero. rom two to eight degrees been "Hungry Ryan, a confidence man, and "Hungry

Ryan, a confidence man, and "Hungry Joe," another notorious scoundrel, did Thos. Mathews, a Philadelphia youth, ont of \$1500 cash at Chicago by pretending to sell him a panorama in the exhibition of which there was supposed to lie untold wealth. The panorama was a wretched and useless daub.

Preparing Men-of-War. LONDON, March 19 .- The Devonport

lock yard officials inform the admiralty that they can have ten men-of-war ready for service in a fortnight.

A Treasonable Cartoon. LONDON, March 19 .- The attention of morning and still prevails. There has been a heavy fall of snow, and it is being piled up in huge drifts. The railways east and west are blocked and all trains are late. Wiggins is in everybody's mouth.

parliament will be called to a cartoon in United Ireland representing Earl Spencer on his death-bed.

PERSONAL.

The queen has returned to Windsor. that W. H. Spaulding, head book-keeper that W. H. Spaniding, field book keeper of the Racine wagon company, disappeared in February with a disreputable woman after defrauding the company to the extent of \$20,000 to \$30,000. The woman deserted Spaulding in Buffalo and returned here to-day. It is believed Spaulding went to Canada. He has a wife and family here. The Figaro says President Cleveland has requested Minister Morton to remain a Abbe Liszt is engaged on the fourth volume of his memoirs. The work is expected to fill six volumes.

of \$20,000 to \$30.000. The woman deserted Spaulding in Buffalo and returned here to-day. It is believed Spaulding went to Canada. He has a wife and family here. Cowbided her Recreant Husband. PHILDELPHIA, March 19.—Mrs. William Burress created a sensation on Tuesday ight by cowhiding her husband on the street. She is 27 years of age and has not lived with her husband for several years. She says he has been living with another woman and circulating false stories about her, and she determined to stop it.

trustees, in the room of the late Canon Blackeney. General Grant revised enough of his book A Fiendish Crank. LYNGHBURG, March 19.—Ellen Crank, colored, has been jailed on a charge of in-numanly treating her two children. After humanly treating her two children after as the use of coccaine has been discontinued. His wakefulness is attributed to mental excite-

Sir Stafford Northcote will withdraw fro by Stational Northerse will what a wh

While to the discontent of the many memoers of the conservative party. He will be succeeded by Sir Michael Hicks Beach.
The prince of Wales, Prince Albert Victor and the duke of Edinburgh have arrived at Berlin. They were met by the crown princes and princess and staff of the British embasys.
The greeting between the crown princess and her brother and nephew was very affectionate.
Whitelaw Reid, the editor of the New York Tribune, is a society man. The other night he was tending a full dress party at one of the most fashionable houses in New York, when, as was end a fair woman's dance card, a giggling girl sidled up with the tender inquiry: "Oh, Mr. Reid, are you taking notes for a report in the Tribune?" All newspaper men are familiar, to their infinite disgust, with this species.
Lord Charles Dougles Hamilton has been received in the catholic church at Nice. His tordship is the younger and only brother of the title. Lord Charles is Sy sears of age, and having entered the 11th Hussars was aide-de-camp to Lord Napier of Magdala during the Abyssinian war. His mother was a cousi of Napielan II., and his only sister was married four years ago to Count Festetics of Hungary. DES MOINES, Ia., March 19 .- The gov. ernor with a file of militia took forcible possession of the state auditor's office today by breaking in the doors. Auditor Brown was arrested. Much excitement prevailed. SAN JUAN DEL SUR, March 19. It is the Nicaraguan and San Salvadorion troops

Killed on the G. T. R.

Big Wiggins and Big Mouths

Quadruplets and Then Twins.

returning officer.

LONDON, Ont., March 19 .- About

Her Maternal Feeling Too Strong. SHEFFIELD, Ont., March 19.-Albert Weaver and Mellissa Rush have been committed for trial on a charge of man. slaughter. Weaver drove Miss Rush to a slaughter. Weaver drove Miss Rush to a house, where she left her child on the doorstep, and it was found frozen to death. They denied criminality at first, but at the sight of the child the girl broke down, threw herself on the open coffin, kissed her dead infant again and again, while her cries were pitiful to hear. She said she was not able to get work while she had the child Weaver angreated to her thay

was not able to get work while and had the child. Weaver suggested to her they would leave it at Clelland's, where it would have a good home; that he drove her up there, and acting upon his advice she left it at Clelland's; that after leaving

Clelland's they stopped and looked back to see if anyone came out for it; that she to see if anyone came out for it; that she saw a door open and some person come out, and she supposed the child had been taken in. In this she was mistaken, for the light was at Nelson Cummin's stable, which is in a line with Cielland's house. Weaver admitted driving the girl.

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for his men. Just after dark two young
fellows entered the house to carry off their
fallows entered the house to carry off their
plunder. The officer pounced on the pair
and succeeded in capturing one of them,
Jo Sheehan, will be arraigned in court this
morning. The damage done at the house
twill amount to 'a couple of hundred
dollars.
LOCAL NEWS PARAGRAPHED.
Remember the concert at Knox church
this evening at 8 p.m.
Notwithstanding the severe weather,
the past few days.
John Griffin, aged 29, of 27 Duchess
street, was arrested on a warrant last night on a charge of stealing several articles of furniture from his mother.
The potstorace at the roller rink last night was won by Dave Thompson. To ingint Mr. Rennie, the Goor manager, will have his benefit, when a number ef stractions will be offered.
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The bursting of a water main on We WOODSOOCK, March 19.-This afterno a native of Denmark, aged about 40, fell off the tender of a freight train at the Grand the tender of a freight train at the Grand Trunk crossing, where he had concealed himself. Both legs were shattered below the knee, and he died in a state of collapse from which he never recovered. His name is unknown, but the following address was found in his bundle: Mrs. Elistone, No. 386 Forty-sixth street, New York.

tions will be offered. Since the close of the mission at the church of the Redeemer Rev. Mr. DuVer-net has been the guest of the Rev. Dr. Sheraton, Wycliffe college. He proceeds to-day to London to conduct a mission in the Memorial church. The bursting of a water main on Wed-nesday night caused the flooding of the

ST. JOHN, N.B., March 19.—A heavy northeast storm commenced early this morning and still prevails. In the has been a heavy fall of snow, and it is being piled

Suffocated by Meited Tar. NONTREAL, March 19.—A man named Cassidy, employed in the gas works at Hochelaga, lost his life last evening by falling into a tank of melted tar. Before he could be extricated he amothered. Cast. Dickson's Stables Browning of the stables

of attending a workmen's socialistic meet. Dickson's stables were totally burnt this ing, neglected for a week or two to attend afternoon, all his carri ges, harness, &c., being lost in the fire. the meetings, and the following dialogue took place between master and man. Mas-ter-"Well, John, and how is it that you have not kept up your attendance at the socialistic meetings?" John (rather con-fusedly)--"Well, sir, I don't think I shall "But how is that Boston, March 19 .- The night force of the Bankers and Merchants telegraph company struck to night. Receiver Butler offered them 70 per cent. of their arrearages

Mrs. Hendricks-He took table board on for a little while, but he found the locatio rather inconvenient. Did he refer to hoar ing with me! Dumley-No, not directly. He gave me prescription, and, when I asked him if should take it before or after meals, he said wouldn't make the slightest difference.

Still Economizing From the Wall Street Daily News.

While the public continues to hope that the opening of spring will be the beginning of better times, it is noticeable that prudent men are still practising economy. We hear of a prominent Wall street bull who has had an

prominent Wall street bull who has had an old cost "jimped" with new tails, and there-by saved \$20, while a prominent bear has had thirteen pairs of pantaleons patched up be-hind, and proposes to wear them out before her runs another tailor bill. Economy is like-wise the watchword among the poorer classes. A workingman who bought an apple off a street stand and bit into it to find a worm was not at all displeased. He carefully saved the insect for June fish-bait.

The Leg Show Must Go.

The Globe : The late exhibition of ostenta-tious indecency, real or anticipated, which took place in this city had this redeeming fea. Sheraton, Wydiffie college. He proceed to day to London to conduct a mission in the Manorizal church.
 The bursting of a water main on Wed, but to committee on private bills be not prove be greated the corporation of the intervent of the second to the boll (a users of Yongs and King strees, or Yongs and the order of Yongs and King strees, or Yongs and Yongs a

dend on the estate har yet work determined by the assignee.
 B. B. Osler, Q.C., for the defence, en-deovored. to connect the prosecution of Mr. McKim with the attempted bribery at the legislative assembly, but Chief Justice Wilson would not allow the evidence. The case will be continued to day.
 Death of Andrew Fleming. Andrew Fleming, the well-known crier the legislative discount diad at his residence.

Steamship Arrivals. At New York: State of Nevada from Glas

gow. The Allan steamship Greciau from Boston arrived at Glasgow on Wednesday and landed her entire shipment of 300 oven in good order

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issued. Nominations will be at Cobourg on Tuesday, March 31, and polling on Tuesday, April 7. Mr. Roebuck will be Richly Served. NAPANEE, March 19 .- At the court of assize (Justice Rose presiding) Wigar, charged with rape, tried at last assizes, the

West Northumberland election has been

LONDON, Ont., March 19.—About eighteen months ago considerable interest was aroused at the birth of juadruplets at the house of Mrs. Stockwell, all of whom died. On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Stockwell gave birth to twins—a boy and a girl. Both doing well. West Northumberland's Writ Issued. OTTAWA, March 19.-The writ for the



Strike of Telegraph Operators,