The Hamilton Times.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1839.

THE RUMOR FACTORY,

The Toronto World had a very merry Christmas. The political dish provided for it by its faithful and trustworthy Ottawa correspondent contained the dismissal of Mr. Tarte and Mr. Sifton from the Cabinet, the resignations of Sir Henri Joly and Mr. Dobell, and the appointment of Sir Richard Cartwright to the Lieutenant-Governorship of Ontario, which would make a vacancy in the Department of Trade and Commerce. The World's category in the Department of Trade and Commerce. The World's category in the Department of Trade and Commerce. The World's category in the Department of Trade and Commerce. The World's category in the Department of Trade and Commerce of two more sessions of the House before two more sessions of the House before the election, but he had not any doubt that "Sifton and Tarte must go forthwith." The Liberal Government would not be greatly embarrassed by the resignation of all the Ministers named by the World's imaginative correspondent, for it so happens that

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The Winnipeg Free Press points out that Hon. Geo. E. Foster helped to start and contributes to Ottawa Events. That may account for the pected that Mr. Foster would spend his good money to make the way of his good money to make the Tory pilgrims in the wilderness more rocky.

Will Sir Charles Tupper's "millionaire friend," generally supposed to be Mr. Graham, of the Montreal Star, come forth from his obscurity to "insure" the second contingent? Or will he conclude that there is not enough party capital in the venture?

A MONOPOLY ADVOCATE'S SQUEAK.

delightfully "independent" course of that organ. It can hardly be extended that organ. It can hardly be extended that the river still divides the oppos-

ulating trade through the large amount of money being circulated and the general fealing of more prosperous times which results. The condition of trade is sound and there is of a warm reception if they ever not speculative buying. Traders are set foot on Canadian soil.

Fenians would get far from the boundaries of their own State in the audience's demands were not satisfied until she gave another solo playing the accompaniment herself. Wr. W. E. Green, one of Hamilton's most promising singers, was heard to every most promising singers.

buying liberal quantities of goods to meet the requirements of their business, but sales this season have been

There was a time when the term "Liberal" stood for political freedom. It meant equality of treatment and the spread of liberty. But the new leadership has changed all that,—Mail and Empire.

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with the Boers, and many of them said the plays. say they have not the slightest objection to going farther than a The mere expression of sympathy. It is The Boer official story that they have since the fight at Colenso brought to numerous other cities, and that nine captured guns across the river would seem to dispose of the rumor that Buller's men had recovered the ordnance. Buller explained that one was damaged and another lost in was damaged and another lost in quicksand; these with the nine taken tive in land league affairs and the dones do the most prominent leader of the invasion over thirty-three on the north side yet; that Buller on the north side yet; that Buller on the river, and that the river still divides the opposing forces.

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MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

WESLEY CHRISTMAS CONCERT. WESLEY CHRISTMAS CONCERT.

The Christmas concert under the auspices of the Wesley Church choir was one of the best patronized attractions in the city last evening, the church being filled with an appreciative audience to listen to an excellent programme Mr. Grenville Kleiser, who has not been heard in Hamilton for some years, was given a hearty welcome, and upon him fell the laurels of the evenlag. He proved himself worthy of the excellent reputation he has earned as a reader and imper-

young man he has a voice to be proud of, and much is to be expected of him. His encore number was "The Soldiers of the queen." Miss Grace Walton, contraite, always a favorite, was ably assisted by Mr. Green in a duet, "Maying," a portion of it being repeated as an encore. The choir was only heard in one chorus, "Taily-Ho," which it sang well, and showed thorough training. A competent orchestra under C. L. M. Harris' direction played several selections capably. The accompaniments of the soloists were played by C. L. M. Harris and Jos. Morris. CHRISTMAS AT THE STAR.

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