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AWAY BELOW ZERO!

Increased Intensity of the Cold in Europe.

Number of Persons Found Frozen to Death.

Travel Seriously Blocked Both by Land and Sea.

Alleged Anarchist Plot to Sack a Section of the City of Leghorn.

Irish Leadership—Another Alleged Cure for Consumption—Interesting Literary Discovery.

Russia's Last Four Per Cent. Loan.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 19.—The Novoe Vremya announces that Russia has issued her last 4 per cent. loan and that in the future Russian loans will be issued at 3 per cent.

Another Consumption Cure.

PARIS, Jan. 19.—Drs. Bertin and Pich, of Nantes, have recently made an interesting experiment in the treatment of consumption, acting on the fact that goats are not subject to consumption. The doctors, after experimenting on rabbits, injected the blood of a goat into the veins of two consumptive patients, one a boy of 17 and the other a woman of 37 years. Both patients are said to have greatly improved.

Trouble at Leghorn.

PARIS, Jan. 19.—Private telegrams of a most alarming nature have been received here from Leghorn. It is learned that several dynamite cartridges were exploded almost simultaneously Saturday in the immediate vicinity of residences of a number of wealthy residents of Leghorn. The Italian police attribute the outrage to a well-planned Anarchist plot which was to have led to a riot and sacking of a portion of the city where the explosions occurred. General alarm is said to prevail at Leghorn.

France and the Pope's Temporal Power.

PARIS, Jan. 19.—M. Armand, a member of the Chamber of Deputies, during the coming discussion on the situation of affairs in Tripoli, will make a declaration in the name of his colleagues of the Right that the great political party, whose object was to restore the temporal power of the Pope, no longer exists in France. M. Armand will add that neither French arms nor French diplomacy will ever be used in attack upon Italian unity.

Interesting Manuscript Discovery.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—The Times announces that the authorities of the British museum have discovered among a collection of papyrus rolls acquired recently in Egypt the text of Aristoteles' treatise on the constitution of Athens from which numbers of writers of antiquity quoted, but which has hitherto been known only in detached fragments. They can now be seen at the British Museum. The opening chapter is missing and the concluding chapter is mutilated, but otherwise the manuscript is in perfect condition. There is little doubt of the genuineness of the manuscript because nothing was known of the contents of the papyrus roll when purchased.

The Irish Leadership.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—The Daily News says: "In view of the fact that Mr. Dillon is liable to imprisonment his election as leader of the Irish party would be a solemn farce." In regard to Parnell the News says: "His offer to retire if Gladstone will bring forward a big home rule measure is meaningless, because although he admitted at the time that the home rule bill of 1886 was a big one; he now says he did not mean it."

DUBLIN, Jan. 20.—Parnell speaking at Athlone said that at this important turning point he did not doubt the result of Ireland's struggle for home rule. Expressions of opinion, biased by the evil influences prevalent in London and Westminster, were to him as chaff before the wind. Ireland would yet get a better home rule bill than Mr. Gladstone's "maimed and whittled down measure."

The Ice-Blockade in Europe.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—A lady was yesterday found frozen to death in a railroad carriage at one of the stations in London. Heavy ice has blocked the docks at Newport, Monmouthshire. The Hamburg American line steamer Augusta Victoria remains fast in the ice in the Elbe.

A dispatch from Paris says: "The harbors of Toulon and Lascyne are frozen over for the first time on record. The olive crop in the Department of Gard is fast being ruined. Whole communes in the neighborhood of Perpignan, in the Pyrenees, are cut off from communication with the rest of the world, and wayfarers in those districts have been frozen to death. At Saragossa the mercury is 14° Fahrenheit, and snow is falling. The Seine, at its confluence with the Oise, is jammed with pack ice ten feet high. The Loire at Nevers is frozen over. A large number of vessels are ice-bound at Bordeaux.

Away Below Zero.

BERLIN, Jan. 19.—Reports from all parts show that the thermometer touched many degrees below zero, but that the cold is bearable in the absence of wind. The ice here is eighteen inches thick. The ponds are frozen to the bottom. Twenty-one head of deer in the Royal forest at Benrath have died, and the rest are in a miserable condition.

In Holland and Belgium the severity of the snowfall has put a stop to railway and tramway traffic. Thousands of men are out cleaning the roads. On the coast of Holland the sea is frozen for a great distance, and there is a bank of ice on the shore of extreme beauty.

Only the harbors of Rotterdam are accessible to vessels.

Advices from Naples report the death of two persons from the cold. The Italian rivers are encumbered with ice.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—Reports of snow storms and increasing cold weather come from various parts of the continent. Dispatches from Cettinge, Montenegro, say a heavy fall of snow has cut off communication between that city and the interior. It is feared many deaths have occurred, and that the loss of live stock will be very heavy. A large number of travelers are snowed up at various postroad stations.

From Valencia, Spain, comes news of a violent hurricane. Many vessels are unable to leave port on account of the fierceness of the storm.

BERLIN, Jan. 19.—The roof of a school for boys at San Demetrio gave way beneath its burden of snow and ice Saturday and the whole mass went crushing into the school room below. Twenty-two pupils were injured. On the frontier near Geneva a man wes found frozen to death. Several vessels have been wrecked on the Bay of Biscay and a number of lives have been lost. The gales throughout Europe are the severest in 30 years.

Several steamers in the ice-blocked river Elbe have lost their propellers by dashing against ice floes. A number of vessels have parted their anchors and are drifting helplessly in the stream. The strongest tug cannot leave Cuxhaven on account of the ice and the citizens are assisting the military to blast the ice with melinite.

PARIS, Jan. 19.—During Saturday and Sunday the most intense cold of the winter was experienced throughout France. A man was found frozen to death in his lodgings in the city. Wells are frozen at Perpignan, where a man has been found frozen to death in the streets. A woman has been found frozen to death in her bed at Ethal, where the thermometer indicates 4° below zero.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—There is little or no change in the severity of the weather prevailing in and about Europe. The ice floating on the River Thames between London bridge and the Tower of London is so packed that the movements of lighters' barges and all craft of that description have ceased. There is, consequently, considerable delay in loading and unloading of vessels.

UNDER THE SEMAPHORE.

Earnings of the Canadian and Missouri Pacific Systems.

H. E. Davis, of the Chicago and Grand Trunk, has been elected president and R. E. Dowling, of Detroit, secretary of the Michigan Passenger Association.

Canadian Pacific traffic returns for the week ending Jan. 14 were $282,000; for same week last year they were $219,000. Earnings on the New Brunswick railway are included in both years.

The gross earnings of the entire Missouri Pacific system for the year ended Dec. 31 were $25,452,497, against $23,493,469 last year, an increase of $1,959,012. The St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern Railway also reports gross earnings for the calendar year of $10,873,038, against $10,033,434 last year, an increase of $839,614.

Fire at Exeter.

EXETER, Ont., Jan. 20.—Sunday night the barn of Same Essery, con. 3 of Osborne, was burned with a quantity of hay, oats, seed grain and some farming implements. The fire originated from a lantern being upset while Mr. Essery was feeding the sheep. The building was insured for $600. Loss light.

Montreal's Growth.

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—The report of the building inspector shows that there were 937 buildings erected in Montreal last year, valued at $3,308,606, as compared with 1,033 buildings, valued at $3,608,500, in 1889, a decrease of $299,894. The tenements included in these 937 buildings numbered 676, and stores 126.

Death of a Veteran.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Jan. 20.—Captain John McGowan, U. S. N. (retired), aged 86 years, died here Sunday night. Captain McGowan commanded the steamer Star of the West, which received the first shot fired in the rebellion in 1861. He was engaged in the service throughout the war. He was retired in 1882 at 53 years' service.

New Postoffices.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—The following new postoffices were established in Ontario on Jan. 1: Oak Lake, East Peterboro; South Bay Mouth, Algoma; Wade House, East Grey. The offices at Harmony, North Oxford, Victor and South Norfolk have been closed. The name of Salmondville postoffice, Peel county, has been changed to Terra Cotta.

Newfoundlanders Starving.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., Jan. 19.—A dispatch from Cape Race says the people of Trespassy, Nfld., are in a very destitute condition and in danger of starvation. James Butler walked from Trespassy to Cape Race, a distance of 40 miles, to obtain enough provisions to keep his wretched family from perishing.

The Wallaceburg Sensation.

WALLACEBURG, Jan. 20.—New York newspapers are on the lookout for another Birchall sensation. The New York Herald, for instance, has had a couple of reporters in this section for several days scouring the country for traces of the missing Englishman Wadsworth. One of them got disgusted, wired his paper that all he could ascertain was that the man was a dead beat, and started for home.

Shot His Wife.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Jan. 10.—John Barker shot his wife, a teacher in Basset school, in this city yesterday morning. They had lived unhappily together, and a short time ago she separated from him. Yesterday morning he went to the house of her sister, and taking his 16 months' old baby in his arms proceeded to the school house, and in the presence of the children fired five shots, all of which took affect. He then jumped out of a window, got into a cutter and drove rapidly toward the south. The woman is still alive. The police are in close pursuit of the murderer.

Disappeared from Ridgetown.

RIDGETOWN, Ont., Jan. 19. — Young Temple Sinclair, age 18, has disappeared from this place. He was dressed in light tweed suit, no overcoat, hard felt hat, rather undersized and stout, chunky boy of very bashful, retiring address, weighing probably about 140 to 150 pounds, carries himself erect, with head slightly to one side. He wandered from home while in a state of temporary aberration, caused from the effects of la grippe and overstudy, last Monday morning and has not since been seen. The family are highly respected, his father being pastor of the Baptist church here, and they are very anxious for his safety. It is supposed he went in the direction of Parkhill or Arkona.

Mr. J. R. Allen, upholsterer, Toronto sends us the following: "For six or seven years my wife suffered with Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Inward Piles and Kidney Complaint. We tried two physicians and any number of medicines without getting any relief, until we got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. This was the first relief she got, and before one bottle was used the benefit she derived from it was beyond our expectation."

W. T. Strong, druggist, has secured the agency for Hasley Bros.' Homœpathic Remedies. These celebrated remedies have the largest sale on the continent, and can be had at W. T. STRONG'S, 184 Dundas street. 14-tf

THE DAY'S HAPPENINGS

Chronicled and Summarized for Busy Readers.

King Kalakaua Dying—Baron Wissmann Gone Crazy—Alarming Prevalence of Diphtheria in Newfoundland.

CANADIAN.

John Rogers was sent to jail for 60 days by a Toronto magistrate, for imposing on the public by pretending to have a broken arm.

Diphtheria still prevails to an alarming extent in Newfoundland. Over 400 cases were treated in St. George's Hospital, St. Johns, last year.

Judgments were given in several cases by the Supreme and Exchequer Courts at Ottawa yesterday. The Quebec rock slide claims were thrown out by the latter.

An express train on the Welland division of the G. T. R. ran off the track near Thorold yesterday. The express messenger, Philip Grobb, was somewhat seriously injured.

It is learned that the brigantine Lantana, from New York for St. Johns, was cast ashore at Shayrock, St. Mary's Bay, in a howling snow storm, and all hands perished.

The death rate of Montreal is at present very low. During the week ending Jan. 17 the total number of deaths amounted to only 76. Of these only six were caused by contagious diseases.

The Board of Trade of Vancouver has passed a resolution indorsing the bylaw to grant $100,000 for a day dock there. A mass meeting of citizens subsequently held backed up the Board of Trade.

Thomas and Lewis Sanford, employed by Wallace Millichamp, Toronto, were yesterday fined $1 and costs or ten days each for violating the Sabbath Observance Law, by laying a tile floor at the Musee Theater on Sunday.

At the inaugural meeting of the new Kingston City Council Monday a deadlock occurred on the question of the selection of the different standing committees. The Council is composed of an equal number of Reformers and Conservatives.

Attorney-General Martin, of Manitoba, is in Ottawa to plead in the Supreme Court the famous tax case on behalf of the Province. The appellants dispute the legality of a Provincial statute which permits municipalities to charge 10 per cent. interest on all unpaid land tax. Thus far the Province has won.

UNITED STATES.

The City of Almosa, Colorado, was almost destroyed by fire yesterday.

King Kalakaua, of the Hawaiian Islands, is lying at the point of death at San Francisco, suffering from Bright's disease and other complications.

The New York Democratic caucus nominated Governor Hill by acclamation for United States Senator, and the Republican caucus nominated Wm. M. Evarts.

Last season 8,401 steamers, 3,896 sailing vessels and 54 rafts passed through the International bridge at Fort Erie, a total of 12,351, against 11,425 the preceding year.

The arrest of Rose Zoldosky, a young Polish milliner, on the charge of poisoning Ella Mally, a well-known young lady, has caused a great sensation at Richard Center, Wis.

Jesse Engels, a bishop of the United Brethren Church at Hope, Kan., and an extensive land owner and farmer, has assigned. Liabilities $55,000; assets about half as much.

Judge J. A. Warder shot and killed his son-in-law, S. M. Fugette, cashier of the South Chattanooga, Tenn., savings bank, Sunday. The judge is said to have been mad with drink when he did the shooting.

Monday McFarland, a negro barber, has been arrested at Lincoln, Neb., charged with murdering John Sheedy, a wealthy gambler. He confessed the crime, and said Sheedy's wife hired him for $2,000 to do the job. Mrs. Sheedy, it is said, wanted to marry another man.

The stockholders of the Edison General Electric Light Company at New York yesterday ratified the action of the directors in increasing the capital stock from $12,000,000 to $15,000,000. It is stipulated that $1,000,000 shall be kept in the treasury as a reserve fund.

President Harrison has approved the act of Congress making an appropriation to enable the Secretary of the Interior to carry out the provisions of the act to divide a portion of the Sioux reservation into separate reservations and to secure the relinquishment of the Indian title to the remainder.

FOREIGN.

The Parnellite committee meets to-day in London.

Prof. Tyndall, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

Baron Wissmann has been recalled because he is suffering from a cerebral affection.

A dispatch from Bangkok, the capital of Siam, says a portion of the city was swept by fire Monday. The damage is $500,000.

The late Duke of Bedford's income was over £300,000 a year. He was the richest man in the peerage except the Duke of Westminster.

Dr. Windthorst, the leader of the Clerical party in the German Reichstag, who celebrated his 90th birthday on Saturday, is seriously ill.

It is expected that the Tariff Committee of the French Chamber of Deputies will recommend the abrogation of the duty on American pork.

Owing to the reports of trouble in the Argentine Republic, the securities of that country have fallen 1½ per cent. on the London Stock Exchange London. Influential business firms are reported to be in financial difficulties.

There is no improvement in the state of affairs in Chili. The action of the insurgents has rendered impossible the loading and discharging of vessels in Chilian ports. A portion of the British South Pacific squadron has been ordered to leave Panama for Chilian waters without delay.

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhœa, cholera and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teething.

BEHRING SEA.

The Canadian Case Before the U. S. Supreme Court—The British Minister's Views.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—A Washington dispatch to the Herald says: "In the freedom of private intercourse with diplomats and other public men, the British Minister speaks firmly and hopefully on the application lately made to the Supreme Court in the Behring Sea case. He scorns the suggestion that any affront to the Executive Government of the United States was intended or implied, either by the application or the manner or time of bringing it forward. He explains the application as one originating with and conducted only by the Government of Canada in the exercise of a proper discretion respecting the interests of a large body of its citizens and an important Canadian industry. As the British Minister expresses himself to friends, the application to the Supreme Court is the very opposite of a surprise. On the contrary, he treats it simply as the latest and most natural step in a regular and normal settlement of the controversy, raised by the capture and condemnation of the British vessels. The Government of the United States, has long declined to entertain the claims of aliens to damages, for acts committed under the authority of the Government.

THE INDIANS.

Three Carlisle School Pupils Killed in Recent Skirmishes.

CARLISLE, Pa., Jan. 19.—Capt. Pratt, manager of the Indian school here, has received news from Pine Ridge Agency that three of the Carlisle pupils named White Horse, Little Bull and Kulchi were killed in one of the recent skirmishes, and that Clayton Brave, another pupil was wounded. The letter does not state on which side these pupils were engaged.

KINGFISHER, O., Jan. 19.—The principal of the Indian school at Anadorka last week punished a Kiowa pupil for misconduct. The boy persuaded two other Indian pupils to run away from school with him. The truants were found Sunday twenty miles from the school frozen to death.

PINE RIDGE AGENCY, Jan. 20.—There is increasing nervousness noticeable among the Indians, occasioned by the difficulty experienced in agreeing upon the question of turning over their arms and in submitting to the degredation of the several tribes and the manner in which they are to be treated by the Government, only 104 guns having been given up. The news of the murder of Few Tails and four of his band, and the wounding of his wife, has tended to inflame the Indians. The Indians have rounded up their ponies, and herded them near their village, while the Indians themselves hang around the tepees discussing the questions of the day and silently watching the agency. Gen. Miles is greatly annoyed, and has put off indefinitely the date of his departure from this place.

THE WORLD OF WORK.

Thirty Thousand Workingmen in Procession—Fifth Week of the Scotch Strike.

A Glasgow dispatch says the Southwestern Railway employes, having refused to rejoin the strikers, the men are losing heart and gradually returning to work.

The greatest discontent still prevails among the laborers on the London docks, and the police have to exercise great vigilance to prevent a serious outbreak. Saturday the strikers attacked the men at work, firing volleys of stones and other missiles at them.

A monster procession of trades unionists, estimated to have been composed of 30,000 men, marched through the streets of Edinburgh Saturday. This display of Edinburgh's workmen was a demonstration in sympathy with the railroad employes who are out on strike. The processionists behaved in the most orderly manner, and were enthusiastically cheered by tens of thousands of people who lined the streets along the line of march. The different trade divisions were headed by brass bands, bagpipes or fife and drum corps, while banners bearing such mottoes as "No Surrender," "Fight for Your Rights," "Fair Pay for a Fair Day's Work," were carried above the heads of the marching trades unionists. There seems to be no prospect of an early termination of Scotland's great railroad strike. This is the end of the fourth week of the trouble.

The Black Eagle.

BERLIN, Jan. 19.—At the annual chapter of the Order of the Black Eagle, held yesterday, Emperor William invested Chancellor Von Caprivi, Count Von Halzfeldt and others with the decoration of the order Count Von Moltke was present.

Mary Mason's Many Marriages.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 19.—Mary Mason, aged 24, who has buried four husbands already, was in the city to-day on her way to Philadelphia, where she will become a bride for the fifth time. Mary is an Elmira girl, who at 17 married J. M. Coleman of Tioga. Coleman was kicked by his horse before he had been married a year, and was gathered to his father's. Mary then married Samuel Rucker, a butcher, who lived at Bingham, N. Y., but Samuel's wedded bliss was abbreviated by smallpox, and he died in a few months. After a short widowhood Mary became the bride of Edward Ailing, of Buffalo, a saloon keeper. Edward died in less that a year, and this time it was typhoid fever which made Mary a widow. She listened next to the wooing of J. S. Manson, of Brocton, but he died also. Now Mary will mary Joseph Armstrong, of Philadelphia, who is a grocer and sugar dealer.

Paralysis Cured by Shock.

BEAVER FALLS, Pa., Jan. 20.—For several months Miss Hattie McPherson, aged 20 years, daughter of Dr. P. G. McPherson, of this place, has been sick in bed and unable to move, with paralysis of one side. The other night, at 10 o'clock, when the doctor and his wife were at the theater, it was discovered that their house was on fire. In the house was the sick girl, a young woman friend, and a servant. The latter hurried to the theater, while the friend ran down stairs to send an alarm by telephone. In the meantime Miss McPherson arose without difficulty, put on a wrapper and a pair of slippers, and rushed down stairs and out the front door. She was running along the icy pavement to the theater for her parents when she was met by her astonished father. He hurried her into a neighbor's house, where she was immediately put to bed. To-day she seems almost well. The fire was a slight one.

FOR A DISORDERED LIVER try BEECHAM'S PILLS.

TORONTO LETTER.

Press Men Sleigh-Riding — A Bold Burglary—Suit for Slander.

TORONTO, Tuesday, Jan. 20.

A couple of dozen of the members of the business department of the Globe Printing Company, along with representatives from each of the other departments, took advantage of the fine sleighing with which Toronto is now favored, and went in sleighs the other night to Scott's Hotel at Lambton Mills, where a hot dinner was in waiting. Mr. James Watt, secretary-treasurer of the company, presided, and Mr. George L. Wilson, of the advertising department, was in the vice chair. Mr. C. Rowland Orr, Toronto representative of the London ADVERTISER, was a guest, having at one time occupied a position on the Globe. After the sumptuous dinner was disposed of, the usual toasts were drank. "The Globe Printing Company, Its Directors and Managers," were toasted, and Mr. Watt, in replying, referred to the kindly relations which exist between all departments of the newspaper and the many changes that have been made during his nineteen years in their service. He spoke of the seven years when Mr. John Cameron was the general manager, and said that during all that time he was certain every person under him liked him, and never had anything but good words to say of him. "We are better housed now," he added, "our quarters are superior to any in Canada, and we shall all be glad to welcome Mr. Cameron to them or any of his staff, and not being able to have him here we have his Toronto representative. I am sure under Mr. Cameron's management the ADVERTISER will prosper." Closing, Mr. Watt proposed the toast of the London ADVERTISER and its staff, coupled with the name of their representative, Mr. Orr. Mr. Orr responded in a cheerful manner and said it afforded him great pleasure to be with the Globe men, and especially to hear such kind words spoken of his employers. He was glad to say that the London ADVERTISER was prospering. The circulation had increased by over 2,200, and he was sure it would continue to grow. After three cheers for its success, and a few other toasts being responded to, the company adjourned to the fine hill near by, where a couple of hours were pleasantly spent in coasting, after which they returned to the city. Mr. C. W. Taylor, the business manager, was prevented from being present on account of sickness in his family.

A daring burglary was committed in a house on a lane off Jarvis street Sunday morning. Two men entered a room where Mr. and Mrs. Lavine, of Bothwell, were sitting up nursing a sick brother of Lavine, who is an occupant of the house, and demanded money and a watch, which the Lavines were frightened into surrendering. Last night the police arrested Jas. Curran as one of the burglars.

Rev. Wm. Hancock, retired Presbyterian minister, died Sunday at his home in Parkdale, aged 82 years.

A writ was issued against P. L. Van Wormer and George H. Stephenson by the liquidators of the Central Bank on 145 promissory notes amounting to $33,200.

The Alliance Bond and Investment Company of Ontario, has issued a writ against Dr. Rea, of Toronto, claiming $10,000 damages for libel and slander. The allegation is that Dr. Rea made a statement reflecting on the standing of the company.

The inaugural meeting of Toronto City Council was held yesterday morning, when Mayor Clarke delivered his fourth mayoral address. He expressed himself in favor of the reclamation of Ashbridge's Bay by the city fathers, rather than by a private syndicate, and of the carrying out of the whole of Ald. McDougall's civic reform scheme. The Council passed a motion in favor of submitting the question of Sunday street railway traffic to a vote of the people by 30 to 9.

Counsel acting on behalf of Mary E. Hadden, of Stouffville, issued a writ yesterday against James Hadden, her husband, of Orillia, claiming $50 per week interalimony. Mrs. Hadden is a daughter of Major Strobey, late of Toronto, and now of Detroit, Mich., who is worth between $200,000 to $300,000, and holds a big interest in the Canadian nickel mines at Sudbury. Jas. Hadden, the defendant, is president of the Hadden Lumber Company, of Orillia and Montreal, and is worth $500,000. There are four children, the issue of the marriage, and the parties have been separated only two weeks. There are two charges of cruelty and adultery alleged.

BRANDED LIKE CAIN.

A Young Man's Forehead Tattooed with a Cross While Under Chloroform.

SHOUSETOWN, Pa., Jan. 20.—Charles Buss, last Sunday night, was chloroformed in his room while sleeping and a cross tattooed upon his forehead in indelible ink, leaving him a marked man for life. About nine months ago he married a young woman of Brownsville. Six months ago they agreed to separate. From time to time since then Buss has received communications warning him to leave town at once. The notes invariably said that if he did not take warning he would regret it.

Buss paid to attention to the missives, which were invariably signed with a cross. Whoever committed this outrage were evidently experts, for they did one of the neatest pieces of tattooing ever seen in this vicinity. They began at the point of his nose and ran the India ink up as far as his eyebrows, where they made a cross. They then began work at the top of the forehead, but did not finish, as they only pricked it and did not use the ink on it.

When Buss awoke in the morning he had a terrible pain in his head, and there was a strong odor of chloroform in the room. He called one of the inmates of the house, who, shocked at his appearance, asked him what he had been doing to his face. A glance in the mirror revealed his condition. Soap and water were used, and then a physician was called, who told him that it would be practically impossible to remove it. Last night he received another communication from the same source, telling him he must leave the place inside of 24 hours or he would be a corpse. He informed Detective Cook, of the Lake Erie road, about the matter, and employed him to work up the case. Buss asserts that he has not one known enemy in the world, with the exception of his wife.

BUILDINGS BURNED.

BUFFALO, Jan. 19.—Walbridge & Co's. extensive wholesale and retail cutlery and hardware store, a large five-story building, was burned to the ground Sunday morning. The fire lasted less than twenty minutes and caused a loss of $200,000.

T. T. T.

Tolu, Tar and Tamarack Cures Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, etc., and all affections of the Throat and Lungs. Buy it and try it. Price, 25 cents.

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POLITICAL POINTS.

The Ontario Liberal Convention—The Hamilton Case.

The convention of the Liberals of Ontario is to be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 17 and 18. The Auditorium at Toronto, which has accommodation for between 2,000 and 3,000 persons, has been selected as the place of meeting.

It is stated that the Hamilton election case will be carried to the Court of Appeal should Mr. Stinson be unseated.

A convention of the Liberals of South Brant will be held at Brantford on Saturday next.

Kingston has eleven Liberal and eleven Conservative aldermen.

A Reform convention for the county of Welland will be held at Crowland on Jan. 28 to select delegates to attend the Liberal convention to be held in Toronto in February, and also to nominate a candidate for the Commons if deemed advisable.

A convention and mass meeting of the Reformers of North Bruce will be held in Vandusen's Hall, Tara, on Tuesday, Jan. 27, at 11 o'clock a.m., to nominate a candidate to contest the riding for the Local Legislature. Preliminary meetings will be held in the various polling sub-divisions Friday evening first to select delegates.

FINANCIAL TROUBLES.

A Big Montreal House in Difficulty—Heavy Bank Failure in Kansas City.

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—The wholesale dry-goods firm of McLachlan Bros. is financially embarrassed, and if it goes into liquidation the amount involved will be between $600,000 and $700,000. It is by no means certain that they will be obliged to take this extreme step, but if they do the assets are so considerable that the creditors will be well covered. A representative of Bradstreet's said that the banks could hardly afford to have such a collapse take place, and they may come to the rescue. Lindsay, Gilmour & Co., must follow suit, with liabilities of $300,000. They have dealt largely with bankrupt stock, and have agencies all over Canada handling the goods.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 20.—The National Bank examiner took charge of the American National Bank of this city yesterday. The capital stock of the bank is $1,250,000. As a result of the failure there is a great run on the Kansas City Safe and Savings Deposit Bank, which is in the same building. Liabilities about $1,000,000. The deposits of the bank are about $1,200,000. Since Oct. 1 the deposits have decreased from over $4,000,000 to the present amount. The bank owes over $800,000 borrowed money.

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—A compromise is being effected between Messrs. S. & C. Ruthven, grocers, Yonge street, and their creditors at 60 cents on the dollar. The liabilities are $4,700 and the assets about the same. Mr. W. M. Wordley, butcher, Carlton street, is settling with his creditors at 50 cents, his liabilities outside of mortgages being $1,600 and his assets $500.

Poisoned Herself and Daughter.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 19.—Mrs. Mollie Barry gave her 8-year-old daughter Mattie a dose of "Rough on Rats" yesterday afternoon and then took a large quantity of the poison herself. The mother died last night and the child cannot live.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The "Advertiser's" Record.

Readers of the DAILY ADVERTISER are surprised and alarmed at the increase of serious and fatal accidents reported in its columns of late. Could they realize the suffering and degradation caused by the absence of financial relief in such cases the wisdom of securing a safeguard against it would be at once apparent. The best safeguard is an accident policy in the Manufacturers', of Toronto. b

Mr. G. F. Robertson, who has represented the Confederation Life Insurance Company in this city, is now to be found at 650 Dundas street, where he has opened out in the book and stationery business. yvt

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