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THE BUDGET COMMITTEE PRESSED TO AMEND ITS REPORT.

An Official Denial That Germany Refused to Protect Russians—Italy for Peace—Count Bismarck's Hot Words.

BERLIN, Nov. 23.—It is stated that under pressure from the German and Polish members of the Austrian delegation, the Budget Committee's report has been amended so as to contain a censure of Gen. Kaulbars and to make less emphatic the passage referring to the peaceful character of the relations between Austria and Russia.

The entire press of Germany express delight over the report of the Government's refusal to assume protection of the Russians in Bulgaria on the occasion of Kaulbars' departure.

It is officially denied here that the German consul at Sofia refused to take the Russians remaining in Bulgaria, after Kaulbars' departure, under German protection, when requested to do so by the retiring agent. The official denial states that what happened was this: The Russian Government asked Germany if the official who remained at Sofia in charge of the Russian archives might, in case of necessity, ask the German consul to protect the Russian subjects, and Germany replied: "Yes."

Italy for Peace on the Berlin Treaty.

ROME, Nov. 23.—In a green book just issued by the Government it is shown that Count Derobelant, Minister of Foreign Affairs, has sent a circular letter to each of the powers, assuring all that Italy is desirous of European concert to maintain peace on the basis of the Berlin treaty and the independence of the Balkan states.

Unworthy the Agent of a Great Power.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—A despatch from Berlin says Count Herbert Bismarck had a long interview to-day with Count Schouvaloff, Russian Ambassador at Berlin, in the course of which the latter complained bitterly of the tone adopted by the official German Press towards General Kaulbars. It is reported Count Herbert replied warmly that General Kaulbars' proceedings in Bulgaria were unworthy the agent of a great power.

Kaulbars at Constantinople.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 23.—General Kaulbars visited the Grand Vizier and the Minister of Foreign Affairs to-day. The Turkish Ambassador to Russia has received orders to remain here for the present.

NINE THOUSAND MEN KILLED.

Bloody Engagement Between Portuguese and Natives in Southeastern Africa.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Advices from Durban, Nov. 3rd, state that a general and apparently successful revolt is in progress among the natives against Portuguese authority in Southeast Africa.

An American missionary, Rev. Mr. Wilcox, has arrived in Durban from the Portuguese settlement on the East coast above the Transvaal. He reports as follows: The natives at Inhamban, a Portuguese port 200 miles above Delagoa Bay, rose up against Portuguese taxation and murdered the collector. On October 23 a battle was fought between 8000 Portuguese and friendly natives on one side and 30,000 hostile natives on the other. The Portuguese were defeated and routed, and the loss in killed on both sides is estimated at 9000 men.

Mr. Wilcox says the Governor of Mozambique has gone into the country to endeavor to suppress the revolt and save the port of Inhamban from falling into the hands of the insurgents. The town was barricaded when the missionary last heard from it, and the women and children had been removed to ships lying in the roadstead. The entire country round about the town had already been abandoned by the Portuguese, and arrangements had been made to remove the population of Inhamban to sea if the hostile natives attacked the town in force.

A MEMORABLE CONVERSATION.

Bismarck Announces His Future Policy to Disraeli in 1862.

A new story about Prince Bismarck is told in the recently published memoirs of Count Vitzthum. During the International Exhibition at London in 1862 Prince Bismarck, who was at that time Prussian Ambassador at Paris, came over to a dinner given in London by the Russian Ambassador, Baron Brunnow, and met Disraeli, with whom he had a long conversation. Count Vitzthum says that Disraeli subsequently told him that Bismarck made the following remarkable declaration: "I shall soon be compelled to undertake the leadership of the Prussian Government. My first task will be to reorganize the army with or without the assistance of the Landtag. The King has very justly set himself this task, but he cannot carry it out with his present councillors. As soon as the army has reached the necessary efficacy I shall seize the first occasion to declare war against Austria, to demolish the German Confederation, to subdue the middle and smaller states and to give to Germany a national unity under Prussian leadership. I have come here to tell this to the Queen's Ministers." All the world knows how nearly this declaration has been fulfilled. Count Vitzthum says that Disraeli's comment on Bismarck at the time was: "Watch that man! He means what he says."

Dr. Parker Opposed to Disestablishment.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Rev. Jos. Parker, D.D., pastor of the City Temple, publishes a letter opposing the inclusion in the Liberal party platform of a plank favoring disestablishment. He says that to advocate disestablishment just now would be suicide for the Liberals. All the English aristocracy to a man would join the Conservatives. Until the whole country is educated to the fact that disestablishment to the church is the same as emancipation to the slave, disestablishment will be impossible.

The "Best Hundred Books" being the Pall Mall Gazette extra with an article on "Choice of Books" by John Ruskin, and contributions from many eminent writers, paper cover, 25 cents. Williamson & Co.

CABLE NOTES.

Antwerp has been decided upon as the place where the German steamers which carry the mails will stop.

The Hungarian Budget Committee has adopted the proposed credit for the occupation of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Austria has commenced to issue money orders to England and the British colonies in sums of 200 florins and under.

The Paris Municipal Council is considering M. Labadie's scheme to convert the Seine into a canal in order to make Paris a sea port, the work to cost $200,000,000.

The troops at the Curragh of Kildare, Athlone and Dublin have been reinforced and have been ordered to be in readiness for civil and military duty during the winter.

The British resident at Aden, in behalf of the Bombay Government, has annexed the important Island of Socotra, in th Indian Ocean, and hoisted the British flag thereon.

The Belgium Senate and Chamber of Representatives have agreed to consider a bill making it compulsory for a citizen to enter the military service at the age of 20 years.

Percy Compton, the English actor, has been committed to prison for contempt of court in marrying Miss Pater, a ward in chancery, against the wishes of her legal protectors and guardians.

Prince Henry of Prussia, while attending the marriage of the Duchess Charlotte to the Prince of Reuss at Schwerein, made a proposal of marriage to Elizabeth, the youngest sister of the Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Schwerein.

The Earl of Carnarvon publishes a letter in the Times defending the present Government and strongly approving of the transfer of Sir R. G. C. Hamilton from the post of Under Secretary for Ireland to the colonial governorship.

George Otto Trevelyan, having received pledges of the Liberal-Unionist and Radical vote in the Brighton district, will contest the district for the seat made vacant by the appointment of Mr. Marriott to the office of Judge Advocate General.

Sir Charles Dilke, in an interview with a reporter of the Paris Figaro, in relation to the Crawford divorce case, said he had proved to his friends that he was the victim of a conspiracy, and he would publicly prove the truth of this charge in another suit which he would shortly bring to establish his innocence.

DR. WEIR ARRESTED.

The Oscoda Physician Makes Light of the Grave Charges Against Him.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Last month Dr. Weir disappeared from Oscoda, Mich., where he ran a private hospital, Mabel Clark, aged 20, having made the statement that while under the doctor's care he had repeatedly violated her person. The girl died two or three days later, and a coroner's jury returned a verdict that her death resulted from injuries inflicted by Weir. The town was indignant, especially the ladies, and $2000 was offered as a reward for the arrest of Weir.

From letters Weir wrote to Oscoda under the name of R. Anderson, the Oscoda authorities learned that he was in this city and notified the Sheriff and police to that effect, giving at the same time a description of him. In the meantime Weir, who had been hanging around the Fifth Ward a good part of his time playing pool and gaining a reputation for himself as a teller of Dutch and other stories, took a train for the west on Nov. 11, and that was the last heard of him until last night, when he stepped off the evening train from the west at Richmond-street depot and towards night found himself in his London East haunts. He dropped into Appleton's Hotel and got a drink. While walking from there to Westbrook's he was spotted by P. C. Nickle, who was on that beat. Nickle followed Weir into the hotel and calling him out informed him that he was wanted on a charge of murder. Weir took the matter very coolly. He remarked there had been some fuss about a prostitute who had died after being taken from the hospital, but the case could not be serious. He was locked in the cells all night and this morning remanded till Monday.

Weir is an old London boy, having been raised in London Township, and is a brother of Police Constable Weir of the city force. He had about $600 in his possession when arrested. Mr. E. Meredith, Q.C., has been retained by the accused, and he will not go back to Michigan without a stubborn fight.

"MAKE AND BREAK" TELEPHONE.

A New Invention at Rochester to Beat the Bell Company—Still on Strike.

ROCHESTER, Nov. 23.—Neither the Bell Telephone Company nor the striking subscribers have as yet shown any signs of weakening in the telephone fight. This afternoon a test of the new "Make and Break" telephone was made. A line about a quarter of a mile in length was erected the day before and pronounced all right by the linemen. This morning the inventors of the "Make and Break" tested the line before placing their instruments and the galvanometer showed it to be apparently complete. Not a word could be transmitted, however, and an investigation revealed the fact that the wire had been cut during the night, about 100 feet taken away, and the ends placed in water to complete the circuit. The line was repaired, and the new telephone was pronounced by hundreds who talked over it to be the most perfect they had ever seen. A meeting to take steps towards the formation of a new company will be held to-morrow.

French Deputies Reduce Cabinet Credits.

PARIS, Nov. 23.—The Chamber of Deputies to-day voted in favor of a reduction of 625,000 francs in the expenditure of central administration; a reduction of 150,000 francs in payments to the finance ministry. The Chamber referred the question of other reductions to the consideration of M. Sadi-Carnot, the Minister of Finance. After several divisions it was decided to discuss amendments reducing other credits demanded by the Government. The attitude of the Chamber toward the Government has created a sensation. Reports are current that several members of the cabinet are about to resign, and that four under secretaries have already tendered their resignations.

The Adams-Coleridge Scandal.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Mrs. Mildred Adams has instituted an action for slander against her father, Lord Chief Justice Coleridge, because of his hints in justifying his conduct towards her husband, Charles W. Adams, that the latter had managed to induce her to assume improper relations with him before the marriage in order to secure her hand and fortune.

Snow Storms in Austria.

VIENNA, Nov. 23.—There have been heavy snow storms in Upper Austria. Upon the Schneeberg range the snow is six feet deep. Ritter Von Catherin, the secretary of Archduke Charles Louis, was lost in a mountain pass for forty-eight hours. When found he was at the point of death, but he has since recovered.

The President Preparing His Message.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—All the members of the Cabinet were present at the meeting to-day except Secretary Manning. The session was devoted entirely to the consideration of the President's message. It is understood that the message will be much shorter than the one submitted to Congress last year. Secretary Manning remained at his house to-day working upon his annual report.

She Wouldn't Be a Nun.

JERSEY CITY, N.J., Nov. 23.—Mary Hunt, a pretty brunette, 21 years of age, who was an inmate of St. Joseph's Convent, has disappeared. She had been in the convent a year, and six months ago took the white veil. A relative in Hoboken died recently, leaving her $5000, and this, it is said, has something to do with her disappearance. Her relatives say they know nothing of her whereabouts.

Boston's Wholesale Embezzler.

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—This morning William Reed, treasurer of the South Boston Horse Railroad Company, was arrested on a charge of embezzling $100,000 in cash and $100,000 in an over issue of stock of the company. It is charged that the embezzlement has been going on five or six years.

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An Old Man Charged with Wife Murder.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 23.—Judge Hutchens to-day committed old man Wheller without bail for the murder of his wife. Wheller is 81 years old and his wife was 87. They had lived here half a century and each was worth $200,000. Mrs. Wheller was strangled on the night of the 12th inst., and Wheller claims two robbers were the murderers.

McQuade's Jury Cannot Agree.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The jury in the case of McQuade, charged with accepting a bribe in the matter of the Broadway Railway franchise, came into court after a twenty-hour session and reported that they were unable to agree. The Recorder sent them back till 11 o'clock to-night. At 9 o'clock to-night the jury again reported that they were unable to agree. They were then locked up for the night.

A Brutal Attack.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 23.—Harry McGinnis and F. A. Brown, livery stable employes, quarreled about a pair of boots. While McGinnis was washing a carriage Brown sneaked up behind him and struck him with a pickaxe, burying the point five inches in McGinnis' back. The latter will die.

Coopers on Strike at Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 23.—About one thousand coopers are out on a strike here, demanding an advance in the scale of wages of from 10 to 25 per cent. The outlook promises a long lock out.

Imprisoned for an Improper Marriage.

Rev. J. Henry Latrobe Bateman, Vicar of Haile, near Whitehaven, England, has been sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment at hard labor on a charge of having feloniously solemnized a marriage between Robert Little, a youth under 13 years of age, and Mary Jane Cockburn, without license and without previous publication.

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MONTREAL DECIDED UPON.

THE LACROSSE DRAW ORDERED TO BE PLAYED THERE SATURDAY.

Cleveland Taken into the American Association—The Burke-Dempsey Fight at San Francisco—General Notes of Sport.

Last Saturday's draw match between the Toronto and Montreal Lacrosse Clubs is to be played off in Montreal next Saturday. At least the Committee of Management says so, as will be seen from this despatch:

MONTREAL, Nov. 23.—A meeting of the Committee of Management of the Canadian Amateur Lacrosse Association was held here to-night, when the question of the drawn game was discussed. Cornwall was represented by proxy. It was decided that the draw should be played off in Montreal on the Shamrock Grounds on Saturday, the 27th. The representatives of the Montreal, Shamrock and Cornwall clubs voted for this decision. The representatives of the Torontos and Ontarios recorded their votes against it.

This was expected. The committee consists of Dr. Guerin, the President of the Association, and a member from each of the five first class clubs. At the last meeting, which fixed the date and place of last Saturday's match, Dr. Guerin and the representatives of the Montreal, Shamrock and Cornwall clubs voted for Montreal. The President did last night what he should have done before—refrained from voting. But the Montreal Club got what it wanted just the same, notwithstanding the efforts which the Torontos' and Ontarios' representatives, Messrs. Ross Mackenzie and W. Taylor respectively, must have made to have the match played in Toronto. What the Torontos will do, whether they will go to Montreal next Saturday and play again on an ice-covered field, in a snow storm, and before what is about the meanest and unfairest crowd on earth, is not known and will not be until their committee decides, which will probably be at once. There has been some talk of the Torontos declining to go to Montreal and thus losing by default, for the reasons that the ground is not fit, that fair treatment cannot be had, and that in all justice the match should be played in Toronto or on neutral ground. These are good reasons. Montreal's field (the Shamrock grounds) is a glacier: Toronto's is still a clean green sward, and likely to be so for some days. Montreal's crowd is disgracefully unfair, and so wild with passion that the police of that city cannot control it. The Torontos would be in actual danger of bodily harm were they to visit Montreal next Saturday. A letter received from there yesterday says that the feeling is intensely bitter. Notwithstanding these reasons for not going, there are those who think it would be better for the Torontos to go down, at any inconvenience and at certain hazard, and either win a glorious victory under unfavorable circumstances, or be defeated by what would then be regarded as a better team. The matter should be settled one way or the other at once. The Torontos would prefer to play here next Saturday, or in Montreal in the spring. But the committee has decided, and it must be as they say. The Montreal Club has played here only once, on July 3, while the Torontos have visited Montreal three times in as many months. The former claim that the match should be played in their city because they won the championship last year. The new regulations recognize only two matches in Montreal and these, besides a third, have been played there.

'Tis a pity that Montreal's ice carnival is not to be held this week, for that city has the weather, the snow and the ice; and the announcement of a lacrosse match would be a big attraction. Perhaps the Montreal club would like to have the match played when the carnival does come off.

More Montreal Opinion.

The Star, of all the Montreal papers, was the only one which gave a fair report of the lacrosse match last Saturday. It speaks plainly its opinion of the conduct of the crowd that witnessed the struggle and it recognizes the fact that several of the Torontos were badly hurt. The Star says:

The match didn't start at 2.30, and it was the Montreal fault that it did not, and doubtless the Montrealers are sorry for it now. In the first place the Montreal team turned up quarter of an hour late, and secondly when they did turn up it was discovered that there were no goal posts on the ground, and these had to be sent for to the Montreal grounds. . . . "Chicken" Drynan, the most deceptive-looking player, fairly did two men's work, and time and time again with his wonderful catches, cool checks and jumping-jack throws, relieved the defence of danger when danger looked worst. . . . Now the Toronto men, whether on defence or in the field or on their own home, did not for a time get much thanks for their plucky and skilful play. Good work on the Montreal side was followed from the start with hearty rounds of cheers by the spectators, but on the Toronto side with only subdued applause until after the game was well on. Moreover when members of the opposing teams came into rough collision at any time—and collisions occurred pretty often—the Toronto men were generally heartily hooted, although there was nothing to choose between the teams as to the amount of bad temper ventilated. The hooting and groaning at the outset were in fact simply a disgrace to a Montreal audience. It did not seem for a time as though there was any generous spirit of fair play in the crowd. The Torontos might as well have been baseball umpires, for all the consideration they got. . . . At any rate the Torontos did not do more than their fair share of the slugging. . . . Paton, receiving an ugly cut on the knee in a scrimmage, swings his stick round savagely, and it splits Hubbell's nose; the referee accepts Tom's statement that he did not intend to strike Hubbell, and allows him to play on, which Hubbell does, too, without complaint. Cameron fells Schofield with a blow on the head, and Blight lays Cameron out with an ugly cut on the face, but in both cases it is claimed and allowed that the lacrosses have not been intended to do mischief. Coulson of the Torontos is disabled by a swipe on the ankle. . . . After the game stopped there were some rows in the dressing-rooms and scenes outside, which, again, were not to the credit of Montreal sympathizers. The Montreal players were not to blame, nor any other of the generous spirits of the club. . . . But it was unfortunate that there were other kind of cattle round—perhaps one or two among the Toronto admirers, but dozens on the home side.

The Witness says: Some of the very "best people" of the city were present; and yet they were as completely dominated by passion as the instrument is dominated by him who is its master.

"An Old Torontonian," in a scurrilous letter to the Montreal Gazette, abusing and villifying Toronto and her citizens, says: "Not a Montrealer objected when the referee put a Montrealer off the field, but the whole Toronto crowd howled when a Torontonian was put off." The World will not say that "Old Torontonian" lies, but he certainly was mistaken. The Torontos' friends—there was no crowd—did not howl. They didn't even murmur, nor did the man who was put off. The writer accuses Toronto of vulgarity, braggadocio, swagger, bullying and big-headedness in general. Toronto doesn't feel hurt, but she's mightily ashamed of "Old Torontonian," who should sign himself "Fresh Montrealer."

General Notes.

Mayor Grace has been blackballed by the New York Riding Club.

A Canadian football team will play at Newark, N.J., to morrow and Saturday.

Utica is reported to have signed Ake, the best short stop of the New England League.

Cleveland was yesterday admitted to the American Baseball Association to take the place of Pittsburg.

Gilks, Kappel and Dilworth have been engaged by Binghamton, and it is said that McCloskey, Gladman and Emslie will probably sign there.

The first game between the two Philadelphia baseball clubs now in Cuba was played a week ago last Sunday, the League defeating the Association by 7 to 3.

Scranton agents are in Oswego trying to purchase the franchise of the Oswego club. They will probably succeed. Scranton is two hours' ride from Binghamton and has 50,000 inhabitants.

W. L. Murdoch, the champion batsman of Australia, has decided to re-appear in the cricket field, and has joined the East Melbourne club. J. D. Edwards of the Sandhurst club is giving Murdoch a close race for pride of place.

The horses sent to Queen Victoria by the Sultan of Muscat arrived at Windsor last week in charge of seven native grooms. Four are bays and one chestnut. They are of the finest Arab breed and worth about $5000 each.

A sweepstakes of $10 each with $20 added, one mile on the flat for butchers' horses, and to be ridden by owners, will take place on Friday afternoon at Gates' race course. W. E. Owen will receive entries up to 9 o'clock Thursday evening at 40 King-street west.

Dominick McCaffrey and his trainer arrived at Philadelphia yesterday. McCaffrey looked well and showed no signs of the hard work he had performed in his fight with Golden. His left hand was badly swollen from repeated raps on Golden's neck and jaws.

Two unknown friends and admirers of the Montreal Britannia Football Club have presented the club with a handsome trophy in the shape of a silver cup.

The Liverpool Autumn Cup, run on November 11, had eighteen starters. Melton, the winner, was quoted at 100 to 8 against before the start. He was ridden by Watts.

The directors of the Louisiana Jockey Club have leased the race track at New Orleans to Leon La Mothe for a race meeting which will begin about Dec. 15 and last ten days. Should the weather prove favorable it will be followed by the regular winter races until April.

The record for distance by young birds has been beaten by the Boston bird J. M. Wade, reg. 0216, owned by Henry Wagner of Roslindale. This bird, with eight others, was liberated in London by W. R. Garner Saturday, Nov. 13, and arrived in Boston at 9.30 a.m. the following day. The air-line distance is about 520 miles.

Andrews, first baseman of the Syracuse Stars, has gone back on his contract and will again play with Memphis. Andrews signed the contract with the Stars before November 1, and thus he can escape from punishment in the same manner as Kappel, Knouff and Watson, the other deserters.

The West End Gun and Dog Sports Club will hold its fall meeting at McFarlane's Hotel, on the York and Vaughan plank road to-morrow. There will be shooting competitions at live pigeons, dog races, fox hunt and other events, for which good prizes are offered. An advertisement in another column tells you how to reach McFarlane's. All persons who want a good day's sport should go.

A special to the Chicago Times from Detroit says that according to President Stearns, of the Detroits, not only the Chicagos but all the members of the League, except the St. Louis and Washington clubs, have consented to give the Detroits a percentage of gate receipts as they did last year. It was in consideration of this wholesale concession that the Detroit club has decided to remain in the League.

The boat race on the Tyne between Hanlan and Hawdon was remarkable for a nice piece of telegraphic courtesy. Within three hours after the match Hanlan received the following telegram from the Marquis of Lorne: "I congratulate you on your success." To which the victorious sculler promptly replied: "Many, many thanks for congratulations. Will have despatch framed as a memorial for my family."

Editor World: In reply to "Observer's" remarks, I would simply state that it is not our desire to impugn Charley Maddock's character. We merely expressed surprise at the unjust decisions given by him, and which favored the Insurance nine. I may here say that we are willing and ready to play the Insurance nine, and are confident of our ability to beat them. J. A. STEPHENS, Capt. John Macdonald & Co. Baseball Club.

Ten thousand people witnessed the fight between Jack Dempsey and Jack Burke at San Francisco Monday night. Dempsey tipped the scales at 158 pounds and Burke at 164. The contest was ten rounds, Queensbury rules, with small gloves, the winner to take 75 and the loser 25 per cent. of the gate money. After ten rounds the fight was declared a draw. Neither of the men was hurt. Dempsey wanted to continue the fighting but Burke refused, claiming that the match was for ten rounds only. The receipts were $10,500.

The St. Louis Sporting News will publish a special edition on Thanksgiving Day. It will be the greatest baseball paper ever published, and will contain portraits of the Chicago White Stockings, champions of the League in 1886; Philadelphia Athletics, champions of the League in 1871; St. Louis Browns, champions of the American Association, and the Detroits. It will also contain the official batting and fielding averages of the League and American Association for 1886, together with other interesting baseball data and matter.

The sale of the late John Forbes' racing stock will take place at Woodstock on Dec. 13 and 14. Among the horses offered are: Salt Petre, Bonnie Duke, Harry Cooper and Oliver B. The first two head performed on the turf this season, but the latter two have not yet faced the starter, although they are said to be very promising colts. The broodmares which consist of Fanny Wiser, Maumee, Bonnie Bird, Bonnie Vic and Galavantress are in foal to Strachino. There are three yearlings, the get of Strachino out of Fanny Wiser, Maumee and Bonnie Vic, said to be fine looking youngsters. Tom Rolph, the trotter, with a record of 2.21¼ will also be sold.

Out of a total of $58,945 won by Mr. Cassatt on the American turf this year, The Bard earned no less than $41,945. Mr. Cassatt's other winning horses were: Maumee, 4, by Vauxhall, $3900; Edgefield, 3, by Enquirer, $3898; Amalgam, 3, by Bullion, $2750; Heel-and-Toe, 6, by Glenelg, $1900; Eolian, 3, by Eolus, $1000; Banner Bearer, 3, by Enquirer, $1000; Straightlace, 2, by Stratford, $853; Lansdowne, 3, by Stratford, $750; Falsestep, 2, by Falsette, $500; Strategy, 3, by Stratford, $250. The amount paid out in entrance money was $7228.

750 doz. pairs Corsets at 30c. per pair, usual price 60c. Duffett, Michael & Co., cor. Yonge and Wilton-ave. 36

AMUSEMENTS.

"Shamus O'Brien" at the Toronto Next Week—Denman Thompson at the Grand.

The Australian Novelty Company performed to a fair house at the Grand last night. Mlle. Aimee's wonderful walking on the ceiling caught the house. Matinee to-day.

Mr. Denman Thompson is billed for the Grand next week. He is an old favorite, and will surely draw well.

McKee Rankin and his company played "The Danites" to a large audience at the Toronto Opera House. There will be a matinee this afternoon. "49" will be played to-morrow night.

For the first three days of next week Mr. Charles Verner, the Irish actor, will appear in the romantic Irish comedy-drama "Shamus O'Brien." The New York News says: The verdict of triumph was long ago scored for this Irish play, so all that is necessary to attract large audiences is to properly portray this best of dramas. Last evening Mr. Chas. Verner made quite a hit by his droll rendering of it.

The choir of the Church of the Ascension, under the direction of Mr. E. R. Doward, gave a concert in the school house last night. A pleasing program was given. The vocalists were Misses Morell and Palen, and Messrs. Sims Richards and C. Kelley, the latter of Brampton. Miss McCutchen and Miss McGraw rendered piano solos.

A concert in aid of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church, Leslieville, will be held in Poulton's Hall, Kingston-road, this evening.

The Philharmonic turned out well last night and rehearsed the "Spectre's Bride." The seats at concerts will be reserved on the principle adopted at the Festival. Probable date of first concert January 25.

Mr. J. R. Clarke lectured in Parkdale Town Hall last night on "The Humor of Gough."

The annual concert of the Irish Protestant Benevolent Society takes place in the Pavilion Music Hall to-morrow night. The object, to aid the Society's charitable fund, is a good one, and the hall will doubtless be filled.

Something of a Romance.

Manager Shaw was in Chicago recently and the Herald of that city tells this story about him: Charles Shaw, Manager of the Toronto Opera House, has been in the city this week settling some Detroit scores with John McConnell of the Columbia Theatre. Shaw was relating to McConnell how he fared when he entered into the paradise of American fugitive bankers. "When I got as far as Windsor, opposite Detroit," said Shaw, "I went to a saloon for a drink. I had been told that whisky was five cents a drink all over Canada, but I didn't seek it for that reason. However, I went up to the bar, called for a drink and threw down a quarter of a dollar. The bartender returned ten cents.

"'How is it, I asked, 'that you charge 15 cents?'

"'You are an American,' the barkeeper returned. 'We always charge Americans 15 cents—natives 5 cents.'

"I said nothing, but pursued my way to Toronto. The morning of my arrival there I went into a barber shop for a shave. I had made up my mind before not to open my mouth, but that infernal Canadian barber succeeded in getting me to talk, and when I left his chair he gave me a 15-cent check.

"'How is this!' I asked of the boss. 'You advertise in your window a shave for 10 cents.'

"'You are an American, from the States,' he said. 'We have two sets of checks. One for Americans, and one for Canadians. You must not think strange of it,' he continued. 'A man who can rob a bank of $60,000 shouldn't kick about a nickel on a shave.'

"I protested that I had not robbed a bank or anybody else, but he said, as he went back to his chair, 'Oh, that's all right; they all say that.' And I had to live in Toronto several weeks before I got the benefit of Canadian prices."

Mr. Anderson Joins the Merchants' Bank.

MONTREAL, Nov. 23.—G. N. Anderson, late General Manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has been appointed Branch Superintendent of the Merchants' Bank.

Enthusiastically Applauded.

A better pleased audience never wended its way out of the pretty Toronto Opera House than that which listened last night to the excellent entertainment provided for its delectation by McKee Rankin. This sterling actor was greatly impressed with the exquisite appearance of the gentlemen who wore quinn the shirtmaker's lovely neckties.

MORE CANDIDATES IN THE FIELD.

West Northumberland, Kingston, Welland, North Perth and South Waterloo.

COBOURG, Nov. 23.—The Reformers of West Northumberland to-day selected C. C. Field, Mayor of Cobourg, as their candidate for the Local Legislature.

KINGSTON, Nov. 23.—John L. Whiting, Mayor, was to-day nominated in the Reform interest, and Jas. H. Metcalfe, the sitting member, in the Conservative interest for the Local Legislature for this city.

WELLAND, Nov. 23.—At a reform meeting held in Crowland to-day Col. J. E. Morin, M.P.P., was re-nominated as a candidate for Welland County.

STRATFORD, Nov. 23.—The Conservative convention for North Perth met to-day. S. R. Hesson, the sitting member, was re-nominated as candidate for the House of Commons, as was also Geo. Hess, M.P.P., for the Legislative Assembly.

GALT, Nov. 23.—At the South Waterloo Conservative convention held at Preston to-day, Thomas Cowan of Galt was nominated for the Dominion House, and F. Holwell of Petersburg for the Local House. Both nominations were accepted.

Lord Lansdowne's Tenants.

OTTAWA, Nov. 23.—In explanation of the cable despatch that the Governor-General's tenants in Ireland had refused to pay their rent it is stated that Lord Lansdowne's estates are situated mostly in Kerry, and upon his recent visit, finding the tenants in poor condition, he voluntarily made a reduction below judicial rents of 20 to 25 per cent. Lord Lansdowne, however, has other small estates in different parts of Ireland, and on some of these reductions were made, and on others not, as they were not considered necessary, the tenantry being quite able to pay the judicial rents. If a refusal to pay has taken place at all it will be on one of these small estates, where the tenants hearing of the reductions made elsewhere, have concluded that they were being unjustly dealt with.

Battenburg's Boy.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Princess Beatrice, wife of Prince Henry of Battenburg, and youngest daughter of Queen Victoria, has given birth to a son. Both the mother and son are doing well. Lord Randolph Churchill was the minister in attendance at the accouchment.

A great scare was caused throughout the West End this afternoon by the firing of cannon in St. James' Park to celebrate the birth of the Queen's new grandchild. A dense fog was prevailing at the time, and for a while the detonations were believed to be those of some dynamite attack.

Hamilton Reformers Organizing.

HAMILTON, Nov. 23.—The Hamilton Reform Association held a rousing meeting last night. T. H. Macpherson was elected President, the other officers being: Vice-Presidents, J. S. Lillis, Adam Laidlaw, Ald. Jas. Mathews and Andrew Leitch; Secretary, G. F. Jelfs; Treasurer, David McLellan. Mr. Awrey and Mr. Gibson spoke.

The name of the old man accidentally killed at Oaklands Jersey Farm yesterday was Marriott, and not Lobb, as published. Deceased lived in this city.

Rebellion in Afghanistan.

BOMBAY, Nov. 23.—A party of merchants from Ghuznee report that the Ghilzais have beaten the Ameer of Afghanistan's troops, and also say that the rebellion is still rapidly spreading under the influence of religious fanatics who lead the insurgents. Many of the Ameer's troops are also joining the rebels owing to the honorable reception given to the members of the British Afghan Boundary Commission by the Ameer, which gave rise to a suspicion that he intended to yield to British occupation.

Reduction of Rents Demanded.

DUBLIN, Nov. 23.—A large body of tenants on Lord Dillon's estates in Aghamore, Bekan, Knock and other parishes in County Mayo, marched to Lord Dillon's office to-day, accompanied by Fathers Waldron and Kaevany, and demanded that their rents be reduced 30 per cent. The agent agreed to consult Lord Dillon on the subject. The tenants deposited their rents with a trustee.

Britain and the Vatican.

ROME, Nov. 23.—Archbishop Smith of St. Andrew's is visiting Rome on business relating to the affairs of the Scotch dioceses. He had a long conference to-day with the Pope respecting the best means to bring about a renewal of the diplomatic relations between England and the Vatican. It is reported that a special Apostolic Legate will be sent to England with this object in view.

The General at Peterboro.

PETERBORO, Nov. 23.—Gen. Middleton, Lady Middleton and Capt. Wise arrived in town on the evening train by the Canadian Pacific Railway. To-morrow the General will review the City Battalion and unveil the Brown Memorial.

Grand Duchess Cooking Ranges, best in the world. Wheeler & Bain, 179 King-street east

A Blizzard in Northwestern States.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—The signal service reports a fierce storm in Dakota, along the line of the Northern Pacific Railroad. At Fargo and Jamestown a blizzard is in progress with the thermometer at zero. At various points throughout Iowa it is snowing with the thermometer ranging from 17 to 38 degrees above zero.

Welsh Conservatives Organizing.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—At a meeting of Welsh Conservatives held to-day at Shrewsbury, and attended by delegates representing the whole party, it was decided to form a Welsh National Conservative Union Association. Sir Walkyn Wynn will be the first president of the association.

Fruit Drying Factory Burned.

DUNNVILLE, Nov. 23.—Early this morning the building of the Byng Evaporating Supply Company were destroyed by fire, together with a quantity of evaporated fruit ready for shipment. The loss is estimated at $3500; insured for $3000.

The Wrong Letters.

From the Philadelphia Call.

Tom—You have never met my wife, Bob. Permit me.

Bob—Ah, yes—pleased, I assure you. Know you well, though, very well.

The Bride—Sir!

Bob—Tom has shown me lots of letters from his dear Lizzie.

The Bride—Sir! My name is Amelia!

UNITED STATES NEWS.

The Marine Hospital Bureau has been officially advised of the prevalence of cholera in Buenos Ayres.

The Springfield, Mass., people who were made sick by poisoned teas, are recovering. Two detectives are working up the case.

At Minden, La., Elias Simmons, a law-abiding and peaceable negro, was murdered in his house by a party of masked men.

Malignant diphtheria has caused the death of over one hundred children at Logansport, Ind. It is also raging in the neighboring country.

It is now positively stated that Col. R. G. Ingersoll has been retained in behalf of the condemned Chicago anarchists, and will appear to argue the appeal before the Supreme Court in March.

Levi Stackpool of Auburn, N. Y., aged 9, was killed by a calf yesterday. He was holding the animal by a rope, and in play tied it about his neck. The calf threw him and dragged him until death resulted from strangulation.

Mrs. Kate Cutting, the divorced wife of A. K. Cutting, who achieved notoriety in Mexico, was married at Kansas City last night to Sterling Watson. Cutting and his wife were married in 1869, and lived together eleven years.

Ethan Allan Maynard, living near Moonsville, Ind., yesterday shot and killed Wm. H. Biddle, a neighbor, after which he walked to his stable and shot himself. There was bad blood between the parties on account of Biddle's wife.

Citizens should remember to buy Toronto-made stoves, and thus furnish employment to their fellow-citizens, by buying at Wheeler & Bain's, 179 King-street east.

DENOUNCED BY A BISHOP.

MGR. LAFLECHE ON THE RIEL AGITATION IN QUEBEC.

His Lordship Cautions the Electors to Be Guarded Against Political Deceivers—A French Canadian Newspaper Placed Under the Ban.

MONTREAL, Nov. 23.—Bishop Lafleche of Three Rivers, in his condemnation of the Rielite agitation, says:

Although we remain outside of political parties, that is not to say, my dear co-workers, that we should remain silent in face of excesses into which political parties may fall.

We are the defenders of authority and of public morals and order. We will not fail in our duty. You know that the revolutionary wind which has passed over the old societies of Europe, and which has shaken them to their foundation, is making itself felt in our country, and menaces it gravely. It is for us to preserve our population from these new ideas, subversive of Christian order and to the rights of the Church, and inimical to the public peace.

I place you on guard, further, against the abuse which is often made of the credit and of the influence of the clergy to the profit of certain political ideas.

Thus we see sometimes on the one hand men imbued with perverse principles and more solicitous about their personal interest than the welfare of the country, who only seek to shelter themselves under the mantle of a better cause to deceive more easily the electors, and turn to their advantage for their own designs the popular sentiments.

To judge properly of these men and of their actions procure the rule laid down by the bishops of the province in their collective letter of September 22, 1875, and the circular which accompanied it.

On the other hand we see men animated without doubt with the best intentions, but carried away, perhaps, by a too strong ardor, who place their energy and their talents at the service of causes which might be just, but which clever adversaries endeavor to turn to their benefit and to the triumph of dangerous opinions.

For my part, I declare to you that I have regretted, and that I yet greatly regret, all the wrongs imposed on the Metis on the Northwest question, but I did not wish to pronounce myself on the best means to take to bring about the reparation of their wrongs, seeing that the most enlightened spirits and sympathetic hearts among the Metis are divided on this point. I exhort you to do the same for the future, and to direct your cure and your work towards the maintenance of good order and the defence of the true interests of society.

In denouncing La Sentinelle, His Lordship says:

It is never permitted to drive the people into revolt, nor to sow among the masses seditious ideas. Authority is a sacred thing, and its representatives, be they who they may, have a right to the respect of their subordinates and to their obedience in all things just. What will become of society if authority is trampled under foot?

I wish to designate particularly a little journal published in this town under the name of La Sentinelle, which has rendered itself conspicuous for some time past by its contempt for authority and by its demagogic tendencies. My attention has been drawn to its attacks, more or less veiled, on the clergy, to its jeering at sacred things, and to its zeal in maintaining a bad cause by raising popular passions.

But the lack of importance of this sheet led me to believe that silence on this subject would answer better than censure. To-day that election needs have given it some development and that its evil spirit shows itself more and more, in spite of the advertisement I am compelled to give it, I condemn it as dangerous. I place you and your flocks on guard against its unhealthy tendencies and its pernicious principles, and command the faithful under your care not to receive this journal.

OUR OWN COUNTRY.

Items of Interest Received by Mail and Wire.

A carload of apples from the States was seized at Sherbrooke last week and sold for infraction of the Customs laws.

The shanties on the Upper Ottawa are reported in full swing. The cut of timber this winter is expected to be very large.

Hon. Wm. Macdougall will address a meeting in the interests of the Liberal candidates for Glengarry at Alexandria, Wednesday, Dec. 1.

At Brantford Monday John Wesley Turner was sentenced to two months' imprisonment for shooting at his brother James Turner, with intent to murder.

Workmen engaged in digging a ditch across the garden of J. B. Poulin, Sherbrooke, the other day, struck a deposit of mineral paint, which very much resembles umber. An analysis is now being made to determine just what it is.

The other day two intoxicated tramps came to the home of John Somers, Woodstock. Mr. Somers, fearing some outrage, told his daughter Nellie to bring him his revolver. She did so, and while examining it to see if it was loaded it went off the ball entering the palm of her hand. The wound is not serious.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Mayor Howland lectured at Brantford last night.

The item in Monday's papers that a hearse of Mr. W. H. Stone's had run away was unfounded.

The argument in the appeal against the conviction of Wm. Kyle of forgery will be heard at Osgoode next Monday.

The body of James Williams, the compositor who was burned to death Saturday night, was taken to St. Catharines yesterday for interment.

Mr. Plummer, the new assistant general manager of the Bank of Commerce, has a salary of $10,000 per annum. He had $7000 from the Merchants' Bank at Montreal.

A city paper published yesterday an item to the effect that P. J. McCormick had been arraigned in the Police Court. Mr. P. J. McCormack, of 83 Ontario-street, writes The World that he has been quizzed as the man, but that he is not the man.

At the Police Court yesterday Edward McLeod, a young but expert till-tapper, was sent to the Penitentiary for two years and a half. William Watson, a chum, not quite so depraved, got sixty days in jail.

750 doz. pairs Corsets at 30c. per pair, usual price 60c. Duffett, Michael & Co., cor. Yonge and Wilton-ave. 36

The Cumberland Cup Competition.

The Royal Grenadiers company competition for the Cumberland Cup was commenced in the drill shed last night, the judge being Major Smith of "C" Company, Infantry School. Four companies were to have competed last night, "B," "C," "E" and "H," but only the last named, commanded by Capt. Trotter, turned out sufficiently strong. It consisted of thirty-two rank and file. According to the rules "B," "C" and "E" have defaulted, but there is a chance of their being allowed to compete next Tuesday. Major Smith put the "H" boys through a variety of movements, some of which they performed well, while others were not so good, because of a few recruits. The remaining companies are to compete to-morrow night.

An Ex-Torontonian's Sad Death.

Mr. John Maguire, who kept a hotel in this city years ago, was killed on the railway track at Niagara Falls, N.Y., Monday evening. He had been on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Rush of Farley-avenue, and was returning to Buffalo, where he had lived for a number of years. He was found on a side track with his feet cut off, and it is supposed that he was knocked down by a switch engine. Mr. Maguire was a member of the Board of Supervisors in Buffalo, and that body adjourned its meeting yesterday out of respect for his memory. He was 60 years of age and leaves a wife and family.

His Leg Broken.

In an altercation last night with a party of men, who are unknown, James Lester, an expressman, residing at 136 Farley-street, was thrown to the ground. One of his legs was fractured. The affair occurred at the corner of Queen and Muter-streets, and was reported at No. 3 station by the doctor who attended the victim. The latter it is said had been drinking during the afternoon with his assailants, whose names he refuses to divulge. He was taken to the hospital.

The Usual Awful Result.

Jones—"You remember there were thirteen at the table at dinner at my house last night."

Brown—"Yes."

Jones—"Well, young De Peyster died this morning."

Brown—"My! is that possible! I was looking for something of that kind."

Jones—"Yes, the poor fellow was talked to death by the Boston girl who sat next him."

A Hint to the New Street Car Conductors.

Perhaps when the extra conductors are put on the cars, they may notice the horses want to stop opposite 179 Yonge-street. The reason is so many people get off there, and especially lately, to buy their "stoves," and there will be more this week, as Mr. Strathern is clearing out the whole lot at prices "away, away down," to make room for other goods. x

Y. M. C. A. ANNUAL MEETING.

Addresses by Chancellor Sims and Other Christian Workers.

A large audience was present at the twenty-second anniversary meeting of the Toronto Y. M. C. A. which was held last night in the Metropolitan Church. The chair was occupied by Mr. S. Caldecott, the Vice-President, in the absence of the President, Hon. S. H. Blake, who had been called out of town. In the course of his remarks the chairman referred to the erection of the association's new building, which would better answer the modern requirements of the work, affording them ample space for the various amusement features which were contemplated. He entertained no doubt of the ladies accomplishing the object they had in view of raising the money needed for its furnishing. The Queen-street rooms could still carry on its vigorous work. The society's membership had doubled in the past year, averaging sixty or seventy a month, and they would not rest content until the list was increased to 2000. He declared that taverns were responsible for the downfall of many young men, and public opinion would soon demand their removal.

In a very carefully prepared and interesting address, the Secretary, Mr. McCulloch, recounted the efforts made by the association during the past year. The outlook of the times was uncertain and gave just cause for alarm, basing the opinion upon the Henry George movement, the leader of which advocated revolution. The drifting into the large cities of young men who soon became the victims of vice, was a menace to the population, and it was to this class the work of the association was chiefly directed. During the past year the association had assisted numerous young men in securing boarding houses; forty-nine had been furnished with employment; fifty pledges had been taken, and a large amount of miscellaneous but important work performed. On each Sabbath various services were held, and classes of Italians and Chinamen were being instructed by young ladies.

Able addresses were delivered by Chancellor Sims of Syracuse University, N.Y., and Rev. G. M. Milligan, commending the good work of the association. Upon the conclusion of the meeting a vote of thanks was tendered the speakers, the choir and the trustees of the church.

Free Homœopathic Dispensary.

At a meeting of the friends of homœopathy held last evening at the Rossin House for the purpose of forming an association to establish a free homœopathic dispensary, Judge McDougall was called to the chair. He pointed out the desirability of supplying to the poor of our city free medical and surgical treatment according to the principles of homœopathy. An association for this purpose was formed, to consist of the subscribers to its funds. The following officers were elected: President, Chief Justice Wilson; Vice-President, Judge Wilson; Secretary, Mr. M. Lough; Treasurer, Mr. G. W. M. Burnside. A board of twelve directors was appointed.

The 'Varsity Dinner.

A meeting of the undergraduates of Toronto University was held yesterday afternoon to arrange for holding their annual dinner. After some discussion the Rossin House was selected as the place, but no definite date was fixed for the event. The following Committee of Management was elected: Chairman, J. S. McLean; First Vice, J. O. Miller; Second Vice, J. H. Moss; Secretary, F. A. C. Redden; Treasurer, J. S. Johnston. It is probable the dinner will be held at an early date, within a fortnight at the outside.

A Young Torontonian Complimented.

At the Hamilton Assizes Monday, Mr. Justice Rose, on the conclusion of Mr. H. S. Osler's argument for plaintiff in Kennedy v. Myles (it being his first brief since his call to the bar), paid him a high compliment in referring to the ability he displayed in the cross-examination of witnesses, and his argument of the legal points of the case. His Lordship referred to the eminence attained by Mr. Osler's father, Mr. Justice Osler, and his uncle, Mr. B. B. Osler, Q.C., and foreshadowed for him a not less brilliant career. Mr. Osler is practising in Hamilton.

Davitt's Alleged Danger.

Prominent city members of the Irish National Land League, when questioned yesterday in reference to the telegraphic statement of the danger surrounding "the Father of the Land League," placed no credence in the report. Mr. Davitt, they said, whilst here had made no mention of the supposed dangerous element, which is said to be after his scalp, and they looked upon the report as having no foundation in fact. The versatile American correspondent must have been playing with his imagination.

A job lot of Damaged Blankets, all wool, large size, only $1.90 pair. Duffett, Michael & Co., cor. Yonge and Wilton-ave. 36

At the City Hall.

The Executive Committee were called to meet yesterday afternoon to consider the appointment of a Lord High Commissioner, but there was no quorum. Some of the members say they did not receive a notice. The Exhibition Committee met for a few minutes and passed some accounts.

The retail butchers are vigorously working against the proposed license tax on their business. They intend to swamp the Markets and Health Committee with petitions at its next meeting.

Christmas Poultry Show.

The Toronto Poultry Association has fixed the date of its annual show for December 28 and three following days, at Robert Hay & Co.'s building, King and Jordan-streets. Mr. J. Y. Bicknell, the well-known poultry expert of Buffalo, has been engaged as judge, and all birds will be scored according to the American standard of excellence. The directors intend to make the show a success.

The Fate of a Fortune Teller.

Mrs. Phœbe J. Wilson, an old woman who for years past has been doing business as a fortune teller, was arrested at her home, 40 McCaul-street, last night by Detective McGrath. The warrant charges her with having received money for telling the fortune of a girl named Alice Burton. She is also accused of selling small vials of a liquid guaranteed to influence the affections as to produce love. The arrest was made under the Vagrant Act.

A Boodle Alderman in Toronto.

Ex-Ald. Sayles, a member of New York's boodle board of 1884, came up from Montreal last week and spent a few days in the city. He went back yesterday. He reported the fugitive colony at Montreal as flourishing, and hinted that he and his companions had come to Canada to stay. Sayles spoke bitterly of Fullgraff and Duffy, the squealers.

Temperance Students.

At the meeting of the Toronto University Temperance League yesterday afternoon, Dr. Wilson presided. Vigorous addresses on temperance were delivered by Rev. Father McCann of Brockton, and Mr. N. W. Hoyles and Mr. F. S. Spence. There was a large attendance of students, and much interest was evinced in the proceedings.

The "Old Boys" on Deck.

Quite a number of the "old boys" of Trinity College School gathered in one of the parlors of the Rossin House last night and made preparatory arrangements for forming an alumni association. It was decided to inaugurate the association by a dinner to be held on Dec. 16.

D. J. Will Make Affidavit.

Mr. D. J. O'Donoghue said yesterday in reference to Mr. Meredith's denial of his statement of the latter's overtures to him for the overthrow of the Mowat administration, that he would, as soon as he could find time, make affidavit to the truthfulness of his allegation.

Parkdale to Have Street Cars This Week.

The street railway track through the Parkdale subway is almost complete and cars will be running this week. Six cars will be put on the line between St. Lawrence Market and the Parkdale terminus.

Over the Wall and Far Away.

A man named Fryer escaped from the Central Prison yesterday. He was working in the reformatory yard and managed to get over the wall. He came from Belleville.

Christmas Cards for Nothing.

Mail the Morse Soap Co., Toronto, 10 Morse's "Mottled" wrappers for set No. 1, Christmas cards, or 20 wrappers for set No. 2. 31x

A new book on "Political Economy" by Professor Simon Newcomb, L.L.D. The author has endeavored to exclude all mere views and substitute independent investigation for argument, cloth, $2.75. Williamson & Co.

—Dineen—the hatter and furrier—corner King and Yonge-streets. x

REDUCING THE LICENSES.

ALD. FLEMING'S BYLAW ENDORSED BY THE YOUNG PROHIBITIONISTS.

Meeting of the Club Last Night—Reformed Drunkards Confronted With Tavern Doors—How Saloons are Bunched.

About sixty members of the Young Men's Prohibition Club met last night in Temperance Hall to give Ald. Fleming and his liquor restriction bylaws their favorable consideration. It was to have been a mass meeting, but the "mass" didn't turn out. The great benefit a curtailment of drinking places would be to the citizens was ably argued by the young men. Peter McIntyre pointed out that a reformed drunkard was continually being confronted with a tavern door. He further explained that where there were five saloons a tippler considered it his duty to have a drink at each of them, whereas if there was only one house he would only take one drink. "No," interposed a member, "he would take the whole five drinks in the one place." A freak of nature that suggested itself to another earnest young prohibitionist was the way saloons were bunched. On York-street there were seventeen; on Adelaide-street, from the Postoffice to Church-street, five; and four within a stone's throw from Queen and Esther streets. A resolution favoring and supporting the bylaws was passed, several members at the same time expressing regret that it was not a clean sweeping away of the whole curse.

Judges Coming to Town.

The revising barristers of Ontario will meet in the County Council Chamber, Court House, at 11 to-day. Several of the revisers arrived last night, among them being Judge Woods, Kent, and Judge Lane, Grey, at the Rossin House; Judge Wilkinson, Napanee; Judge Sinclair, Hamilton, and Judge Macpherson, Owen Sound, at the Queen's.

PERSONAL.

Mr. O. J. Phelps, Phelpston, is at the Walker.

Mr. John Carnegie, M.P.P., Peterboro, is at the Queen's.

Mr. D. Creighton, Owen Sound, is at the Walker House.

Mr. Justin McCarthy, M.P., left for Seaforth yesterday morning.

Mr. W. J. Lynch, of the Patent Office, Ottawa, is staying at the Rossin.

Mr. J. Listock Reed, Prince Albert, N.W.T., is registered at the Rossin House.

Mr. Donald Sinclair, Registrar of Bruce county, is at the Walker House.

Mr. S. B. Foster, editor of the Shareholder, Montreal, is at the Queen's Hotel.

Mr. E. A. Macfarland, agent for Denman Thompson, is a guest at the Walker House.

Baron de Staal, the Russian ambassador at London, will start for St. Petersburg Thursday.

Rev. Dr. Rose is seriously ill, having been for some time suffering from a carbuncle on the neck.

Mr. D. J. McKeown, Canadian Pacific Railway agent at North Bay, is a guest at the Rossin.

Mr. Robert Wright, Montreal, Treasurer of the Grand Trunk Railway, is staying at the Queen's.

Mr. Geo. A. Cox, West Peterboro's Reform candidate for the Dominion Parliament, is at the Rossin House.

General Kaulbars is, in private life, a good natured man of studious habits and quiet manners, and devoted to his family.

Rev. F. R. Beattie, of Brantford, has been granted the degree of Doctor of Divinity by the Presbyterian College at Montreal.

Ex-President Arthur's will disposes of $2[illegible]000, of which half is in real estate and half securities, and nearly all goes to the children.

Cardinal Jacobini, who has just resigned the Papal Secretaryship of State, is 55 years of age and sorely afflicted with dropsy. His successor will probably be Cardinal Czachi.

Cardinal Manning is now verging on 80, and growing weak. How he lives is a mystery. He eats a few crackers and swallows a cup of coffee daily, and occupies the rest of his time in work.

Count Eugene Zichy, whose anti-Russian speech at Buda-Pesth has been printed at length in the German papers, is a personal friend of Prince Alexander and of King Milan, who frequently visits the Count's estates in the Banat for bear and boar shooting.

THE WORLD WOULD LIKE TO KNOW

What all the talk is about the pumping engine.

If John Ross Robertson really said it was a failure.

What Superintendent Hamilton thinks of it.

If Ald. Frankland is out in East York.

If Mayor Howland is going to run for the Assembly.

Why Reformers don't run Ald. Boustead for the local house.

The Dead.

Kompert, the novelist, is dead.

H. M. Hoxie, First Vice-President of the Missouri Pacific, died at New York yesterday. Mr. Hoxie was a prominent figure in the big strike on Gould's Southwestern Railway system.

Ex-Judge Henry Alker died at New York yesterday. He had served three terms on the Marine Court bench.

Count Louis Charles Emanuel Coetlogon is dead at Paris aged 72. He was distinguished in military history and was an officer of the Legion of Honor.

Mr. O'Donoghue's Independence.

Evening Telegram: One thing that has not been made quite clear is this—if Mr. O'Donoghue was, as he alleges, an independent member, owning no allegiance to either party, how in the name of all that is Irish could he "betray" Mr. Mowat? Mr. Meredith denies the whole story.

Leave Brother Dewart Alone.

From the Christian Guardian.

The Toronto Mail has shown a discreditable readiness to make itself the channel of spiteful untruthful, and unjustifiable attacks, by anonymous writers, on the editor of this paper. Is it decent or courteous for the Mail to pursue this course towards one who is minding his own business, doing the work assigned him by the Church faithfully and independently?

A Remedy for Ants Wanted.

Editor World: Can any of your readers give me a remedy for effectually exterminating ants from a house? HOUSEHOLDER.

Decidedly Colder Weather.

Weather for Ontario: Strong winds and gales from west and northwest, fair, decidedly colder weather with snow flurries.

Steamship Arrivals.

At New York: Erin, Richmond Hill from London.

At Moville: Devonia from New York.

At Antwerp: Rhynland from New York.

She Demanded an Encore.

From Life.

He sat on a bicycle as straight as an icycle, and see on a tricycle rode by his side.

He talked like a jolly fop and naught could his folly stop, with all kinds of jolly pop enlivening the ride.

At last incidentally, more instinctively than mentally, he grew sentimentally saccharine sweet.

And he told with intensity of love's strong propensity, it force and immensity, its fervor and heat.

Just then o'er some hummocks, he sprawled ou: kerflummux, and she thought what a lummux to tumble just then!

But he climbed to his station, while she said with elation: "Renew your narration; say it over again."

The Office He Wanted.

"Now that we are together wed,
There's something, wife, that should be said;
For certainly 'tis for our good
That all at first be understood:
Would you through life as President,
Or as Vice-President be content?"
"Neither, my love, if I can be
Controller of the currency!"

The Bee.

George Birdseye in Detroit Free Press.

What cares the bee for the flower he woos,
When his careless wings her beauty blur!
Her tears of perfume, her smiles of hues.
Her garments' tremulous, passionate stir,
Her wounded heart and its scatter'd dews;
'Tis but for her wealth he rifles her!