The whole town was up in arms.

A VIGILANCE COMMITTEE Was formed at the engine house. The members were told off in pairs to patrol different parts of the city. They separated. At about 9 o'clock the men who were hanged for the crime were found by Messre. Kellogg, Keenan, Reitz and ones on Harrington & Smith's wharf, sereted in the bay. They were taken before Justice Coombs and committed to he county jail. Shortly aiter this the door of the room where they were kept a charge of the officers was broken open the vigilance committee and the hour the prisoners up; but Sheriff Wyckeff and thief of Police McGraw gave their words of the prisoners were then taken by the committee. By 9 o'clock a.m., Wednesday an overwhelming chain of evidence had been collected against the prisoners.

At about 9.30 Jurtice Coombs opened

court in Yeslers' hall. W.H. White and Judge Jacobs appeared for the territory.

It was a strangely quiet meeting; the hall was crowded with men, their faces indicating that stern and swift justice should fall upon the men at the bar, should they be precess guilty.

The prisoners were brought into the hall at ten o'clock. There being no counsel for the prisoners (James Sullivan and Howard) Mr. Holcolm was appointed to defend

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Overwhelming evidence having been adduced against the prisoners, after a brief consultation with his clients, their attorney said that they would not offer testimony, and Judge Goombs said he would commit the prisoners for—. No further words were heard. A

WILD SHOUT AROSE.

The officers were siezed and the prisoners grasped by as many resolute men as could get about them. Resistance was useless, five hundred men being banded together to see that the laws of justice be executed. They were hurried through the alley back of the pavilion to Occidental square, where heavy scantling had been placed between the forks of the trees near Mr. Yesler's sidewalk. One of them made some resistance in the alley, but in the twinkling he was thrown upon the ground and in another was thrown upon the ground and in another moment both men were underneath the bar, a rope already prepared was about the necks of each one, the other end thrown over the timber and in one minute from the time Judge Combs remanded the prisoners-to the custody of the officers, they were atspended between heaven and earth.

THE WORK WAS QUICKLY DONE.

Neither man said a word—or if anything

was spoken, it was drowned in the terrible roar of just indignation that carried them on. Judge Greene attempted to sever the rope that held one of the men with a knife. He was hustled about with much haste and rather roughly treated. When the men were raised to the timber over which the lines were passed, their heads came in violent contact with it. The came in violent contact with it. The many has been hongably discharged as smaller man, Howard, died at once, his meck being broken by the force of the blow. He threw up his hands and grasped the rope as he went up, but they at once fell loosely by his side. He gave after that no indication of life. Sullivan indoubtedly strangled to death. His feet twitched and were several times feet witched and were several times drawn up. Perhaps life in his case was not extinct until the elapse of twenty min

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corridor, where Paine also was, pointed him out and he was seized. The committee trought him down to the square, where I his eyes rested on the ghastly spectacle of two forms suspended from a scantling, with blackened faces and protruding tongues. He gave no sign of fear, except that his face was perfectly colorless. When the rope was about his neck and his hands tied, some one called out from the crowd of eight hundled or one thousand men standing about: "Did you fire the shot that killed Officer Sires?" He cried out, "You hang an innocent man." If he said anything further it could not be heard, for several hundred voices raised a shout that drowned all else, and his body took its place between the murderers of Reynolds. His legs twitched and drew up and his shoulders heaved convulsively for some moments. He evidently strangled to death. Finally his limbs straightened out and the trio hung still and silent—gazed at and commented upon for about forty minutes, when they were cut down and thrown into an express the said and silent—gazed at and commented upon for about forty minutes, when they were cut down and thrown into an express the said and silent—gazed at and commented upon for about forty minutes, when they were cut down and thrown into an express the said sucking.

A committee from the students union began yesterday. Ninety-four association began yesterday. Ninety-four associations began yesterday. Ninety-four association began yesterday. Ninety-four association began yesterday. Ninety-four association obegan yesterday. Ninety-four associations were represented. Judge James Grant of Iowa selected men.ber of the association of the sasting and the association of the seater district board. Several aments t

BRIEF LOUALS.

Mayor McMurrich is in Ottawa. The east side of Yonge street wharf is being repaired.

Corporation men scraped of Yonge street yesterday. Flocks of gulls may be seen skimming over the bay, these mild days. The sidewalk on the east side of George street, crossing Front, needs fixing. Mr. Furry, warden of the county Welland, was in the city yesterday.

The bricklayers on the Sumach street sewer struck yesterday for an advance of mardi grasfestivities. The G. W. R. sent its official car eas yesterday for the conveyance of the Earl of Dunmore who will arrive in the cty to-day.

The children will have a fancy dress carnival at the Adelaide street rink next Monday night. It promises to be a fine Hon. D. C. Macphers of a having plans prepared for a new block that he intends erecting on the northwest corner of Toronto and King streets.

Baptiste is being thoroughly repaired, or we might almost say renewed. She had much need of it. At the meeting of St. James ward reform o review the voters' list and see the sheep hat they might call their own.

The old west point island ferry St. Jean

The portion of the roadway between the street car rails is several inches below the rest of the road on Queen street. Cannot the company be compelled to repair it?

Had a horse and coal cart coming out of Railey's coal yard been two seconds later in getting over the railroad track yesterday a G.W.R. engine would have telescoped it. A number of women and girls pick up large quantities of coal along the railway tracks. Rather a dangerous occupation, but they think it better than doing without fire.

The names of Mr. John Leys, Mr. Æmilius Irving and Judge Sinclair are mentioned in connection with the commission to investigate the charges against the sheriff of

About 8 o'clock last night as a King street car was crossing Yonge, a cartridge, which had been placed on the track, exploded with consideral le noise. No damage done. Company No. 5 of the Q. O. R. marched

ont last night, headed by the bugle band.
They passed through the principal streets
performing company evolutions while

H S. Barnett, a Chicago traveler, arrested on authority of a despatch from the Montreal police, for uttering counterfeit, money has been honorably discharged, a

money has been honorably discharged, a contra despatch saying he was all right.

No appeal from Judge McKenzie's judgment in the Miller extradition case has been made yet. The time allowed between judgment and the execution of a warrant for extradition is fifteen days.

Notwithstanding the rotten condition of the ice on the bay many boys continue to skate to the island. If they don't stop soon we will probably be called on to furnish a more thrilling item, than the present.

Hamilton Times: Detective McKenzie went to Toronto yesterday and obtained from Bertie Brown a \$52 fine and costs, imposed upon her by the police magistrate

sledges. But one door be remained, and it required hard labor to get it open. It was literally battered to atoms, and gave admission to the determined men without. "Where's Paine?" were the first words apoken. The prisoners, who were in the corridor, where Paine also was, pointed him out and he was seized. The committee brought him down to the square, where

to all the world that this was the work of TRICKETT'S DEPARTURE.

THREE MURDERERS STRUNG UP IN
BRITISH COLUMBIA.

A Clerk Killed by Highwaymen at Seattle—Five
Hundred Men do Summary Justice—The
Kheriff Poweries.

From the British Columbia papers which
came to hand yesterday, it appears on Jan.

17. Geo. B. Reynolds, head clerk for D. A.
Jennings of the town of Seattle, British
Columbia, was waylaid and killed by two
thieves.

The news spread as only such a terrible
deed can be carried from one to another.

The whole town was up in arms.

To all the world that this was the work of no mob. It was the result of the uprising for an outraged and long-suffering community
of law abiding citizens, who felt in their
sacred duty to thus show to the world and
all mankind that forbearance with murderers and thieves had ceased to be a virtue
in this community, and that the lives and
property of respectable citizens shall and
will be protected, and that outrages and
attrocities will hereafter be dealt with in a
manner they deserve, without fear or favor.
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BRICK LOWAIS.

TRICKETT'S DEPARTURE.

Off for England.-Farewell to Canada-Bon Voyage

A large number of citizens gathered at
the G. W. railway station yestarday afternoon to witness the departure of the exchampion for England. Mr. Trickett rechampion for England. Mr. Trickett rechampion for England-Farewell to Canada-Bon Voyage

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the citizens in their work. Warin of Toronto. He says the shell as a beauty, weighing, rigged, 25 pounds. The ex-champion leaves behind him a very large number of enthulastsc friends and admirers, which he has won by his straightforward manly manner. In speaking of his visit to Canada, he says he has been greatly impressed both by the people and climate, and has many mementoes to recall his pleasing sojourn among the Canadians.

POLICE NEWS.

terday for assaulting Bernard McKenna, a The charge against Isaac Grayson of in decent assault on one Mrs. Graham was dismissed for want of a prosecution.

David Davis was fined \$5 and costs yes

The charge of embezzlement of \$47 from Geo. F. Howarth against Wm. Robinson was not pressed in the police court yester day, and the accused was discharged. Edward Fossett charged at the police cour yesterday with defrauding John Cook out of \$90 in a house on Bay street at draw poker, was further remanded until the 16th.

Bernard Walker, a young man of 21, was landed at police headquarters yesterday by Mr. Fred. A. Plaisted, the oarsman, who laid a charge against him of having stolen from him a revolver and a scaripin. He will be tried to-day.

John Heaslip was in the police court yesterday on a charge of stealing three dozen pair of pants and other articles from the store of Fred Ratcliffe, St. Lawrence market. As there are other prisoners to be tried by a jury, was remanded till to-day. As a young woman named Elizabeth Giles was passing along John street last night, a man named John Flood, somewhat intoxicated, tripped her. She arose and spoke resentfully to him, when he struck and knocked her down. P. C. Woodhouse arrested and took Flood to No. 2. He will appear this morning charged with assault Frank Easthope was charged with keepriank Easthope was charged with keeping liquor for sale without a license at his place, No. 90 Albert street, to which he pleaded not guilty. The police found a keg of lager in the cistern, and Easthope said that recently when he was sent to jail he left the layer in the house and when he he left the lager in the house and when he came out he put it in the cistern to thaw out. The defence stood and the prisoner

Tony Rossi appeared to answer to the charge of having stabbed Frank Brown and also with having robbed him of \$10, Mr. Fenton added the names of Agliolo, Coneo and Donato Glionetti to the list of defendants, the complainant having included them in his charge. He alleges that the two last named prisoners put up a job to get him into Rossi's house, so that Rossi could rob him. Rossi was remanded

until to-day. About 6 o'clock last night a drunken old woman turned up on Queen street, just get her to walk, but without success, and she was taken in a van to police station No. 3, where, upon examination, her pocket was found to contain nine cents. Her clothes were ragged and she had nothing on her fact, though a basket she carried constant. her feet, though a basket she carried con-tained a pair of shoes and other indiscrimin-ate articles. She was a perfect wreck. Another drunk kept her company for the night at No. 3.

GRAND OPERA HOUS

The production of The Two Medallions The production of The Two Medallions by Amy Lee's comic opera company drew a very fair house to the Grand last night. Miss Lee's singing was well appreciated, but she was evidently suffering from a slight cold, which prevented her from doing full justice to her beautiful songs. Miss Ettie Elselle as Clotilde was a success, and was deservedly applauded for her rendering After Howard and—Sullivan had been told that they were to be hanged and that mothing couli save them from the gallows; that even as the last testimony was being a more thrilling item, than the present. Hamilton Times: Detective McKenzie from the gallows; that even as the last testimony was being a firmer from which they would shortly awing had been put in its place, they admitted that they were the men who had mardered Geo. Reynolds last night.

At about 1 o'clock the fire-bell gave three times three taps, calling the committee together again. The tapping of the bell carried to Benjamin Paine, the murderer of an inoffensive policeman, who was shot down by Paine some months ago, his doom. About 500 men went to the jail, tore down the tall fencing on the south side and gained admission to the yard. The bolt was chopped out of the door casing, and the first door to the jail swung open. The second one was harder to conquer, but it yielded to the repeated blows of the sledges. But one door 'yet remained, and it required hard labor to get it open. It

New Orleans, Feb. 9.—Ryan is suffering considerably from a contusion of the neck, but turns his head about and conneck, but turns his head about and converses without apparent effort. He looks much better than could have been expected after the severe punishment he received. Dr. Perkins says Ryan will be all right in a day or the property of the prop day or two. Ryan will not leave the city

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THE PARIS BOURSE. Demoralized Financial Centre-Attacking the

Paris, Feb. 9.—The bourse is very ad to-day owing to sales on the part of overladen buyers, who are completely disouraged; the bears are now directing pperations against the credit establishments, whose shares are mach offered. There is a The fall on the bourse during the early nours was caused by unfavorable rumors concerning the credit establishments. The

perations of the bears were principally di rected against the credit foncier shares, which opened at 1500 francs, having closed at 1535 yesterday. The rumors proving groundless they recovered, closing at 1510. There is still practically no business in the outside market account. were numerous defaults. Several fres failures are expected.

LATEST CABLE CHAT.

Dr. Kennedy has been released from jai Louis Archard, an East India merchant f London, has failed. Liabilities £200,000 Thrie hundred Jewish refugees from Russia sail from Liverpool on Saturday for the United States. The Porte rejects the arrangement of the Greek frontier at Analepsis, as settled

It is declared in official circles that there has been no communication between Ger-many and Russia relative to the speech of Skeoeloff in favor of panslavaism.

Three panslavist agitators from Russia were arrested at Jaroslaw yesterday.

Rutherian cathedral has been searched by

A warrant has been granted against the Marquis of Huntly for obtaining £2418 from Benj. Nicholson under false pre-The London Standard says the unfavor-

able rumors circulated yesterday regarding the position of the Vienna Lander bank are entirely unfounded. AMERICAN TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

Harlow Spencer & Co., commissi Wm. R. Preston & Co., extensive operators in grain and cotton, New York, are reported suspended.

Thos. McDonnell, who kicked to death

Thos. McDonnell, who kicked to death his mistress, Maggie Donnelly, at New York, was sentenced for life yesterday.

Charles Weller, sentenced to hang on March 10, hanged himself in a cell last night with strips of blanket at Benton, Mo.

At Cincinnati yesterday the stove mannfacturer's convention agreed upon a general advance in all cases of manufactured goods, but did not fix the amount of the advance.

At the womans' union missionary society At the womans' union missionary society meeting at New York yesterday addresses were made by Mrs. Youngman of Japan, Mrs. Baldwin of Cyprus, and Mrs. Bainbridge of Calcutta.

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parade on St. Patrick's day and give an entertainment in the evening, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the cause

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Sir Henry Parkes, the prime minister of New South Wales, arrived here to-day. He will address the chamber of commerce on Wednesday next.

COOKSTOWN, Feb. 9.—The nominations for South Simoe for the house of commons took place to-day. Col. R. Tyrwhitt and Mr. John S. Lucas, conservative and reformer respectively, were the only nomined.

Fatal Hand-Car Accident. Waco, Texas, Feb. 6.—Major Wash. burn, superintendent of part of the Missou-ri Pacific railway, and the wife of Stoll-head, a contractor, were killed by a hand-car accident last night. Stollhead was ser-jourly injured. ously injured. Dining a Judge.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—Mr. Justice Taschereau, of the supreme court, and who is now presiding in the court of exchequer here, will be entertained on Saturday even-Mrs. Smith Wants \$50,000 Damages.

BROOKLYN, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Smith of Montreal, companion of Miss Carlin, who died on the cars near St. Albans, Vt., while on her way to New York, sued the physician who stated the The Terrible Elevator. PORT HOPE, Jan. 9.-Jas. Stevens,

young man of 21, was instantly killed yes-terday at Winslow's brewery, by being crushed under a heavily laden elevator, the machinery of which gave away when it was half way up the building.

COMMERCE, Mich., Feb. 9.—While Frank Wix was skating on the lake, pushing a sled on which Miss Brecken, a school teacher, and Miss Wilson were sea ed, the ice broke. Wax and Miss Brecken were drowned. Wax might have got out, but struggled heroically to save the girls. Quebec Political Rumors.

QUEBEC, Feb. 9.—Le Canadian says it is rumored that at the expiration of his present term of office Lieut.-Governor Cauchon will again contest the county of Montmon The local government is again discussing matters connected with the approaching

A Celestial Hanged. WINNEMUCCA, Nevada, Feb. 9.—Charley Hing, a Chinaman, was hanged to day for the murder of Ah Lick. On the scaffold he said he committed the act in self-defence, and he committed the act in self-defence, and claimed \$600 was used to bribe witnesses to swear falsely. When the trap was sprung the condemned fell with a scream, which was cut short by the dislocation of his neck.

THE TRAIN AND TRACK.

The trunk line executive committee yesterday resolved that the emigrant rates be restored to the old basis of \$13 from New York to Chicago, commencing on Feb. 15. The disagreement between the Boston and Albany railroad and the Central Vermont, which prevented the increase assenger rates going into effect, have been

settled.

Hamilton Times: The following paragraph has been going the rounds and it is needless to say that it is thoroughly without foundation: It is stated upon pretty good authority that the Grand Trunk railway authorities intend if possible to get an entrance into Hamilton. The proposition is to acquire the Hamilton and Dundas railway property, the confection with the way property, the conflection with the Grand Trunk system being made at Cale-Montreal Gazette : Of the suits said to

have been commenced against the Grand Trunk in connection with their Chicago and other lines, the company, it is ascertain-ed on enquiry, have had no notice. The plaintiff is said to be Mr. Alex, McEwan, who has been conspicuous as a speculator in Grand Trunk securities, and it is thought that this is simply another of his moves to affect the price of the company's stocks and

ROYAL OPERA HOUSE.

The Twelve Jolly Bachelors were greeted with a very large and enthusiastic audience at the Royal last night. The music is very lascinating and the singing far above the lascinating and the singing far above the average comic opera companies. Miss Jennie Winston as Prince Cosmo, received a number of well-deserved encores; her singing and acting were both pleasing and effective. Miss Amy Gordon as Princess Floria was a decided success; her singing and acting fairly captivated the audience. Her duet in the second act with Miss Winston was rendered in an artistic style. It would be impossible for any bachelor to remain so after seeing the charming and sprightly Miss L. Bradley as Dods. Racaboc, Mr. A. H. Bell; King Myops, F. M. Howard; and Von Teufel, J. F. Raymond, kept the audience in continuous laughter by their ludicrous jokes and dancing. The choruses were very good, the piece proving a decided success. The same piece will occupy the boards for the the piece proving a decided success. The same piece will occupy the boards for the remainder of the week, with a matinee on Saturday.

THE STUDENTS UNION.

A meeting of students was held last night and a number of matters was discussed such as the purchase of books, to. It was decided to advertise for tenders for booksellers to make special rates. It was also decided to call on the different booksellers in the city and see what terms they would be prepared to make for large orders of fifty books and upwards. The next meeting will be held next Tuesday in Shaftesbury hall at 4 p.m., when other matters will be at-tended to and the date of the next mass meeting fixed.

THE TORONTO OPERA COMPANY'S

The final meeting of the Toronto opera company was held in the Union hall last night. There was a large number of the company present. The photographs of the entire company, tastefully arranged in an elegant frame, which was originally intended to be presented to the late conductor, Mr. W. F. Tasker, was disposed of by being presented to Mr. A. J. Macdonnell. It was the was best entitled to it, and consequently the result was very satisfactory. The recipient in a neat speech thanked the company for the tribute they had paid him. if the members that

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