

### The Daily Press of Toronto.

The Toronto daily press seems to have taken a new lease of life, and the three leading dailies there—*Globe*, *Mail* and *Telegram*—have recently added to their plant the latest and most approved machinery, in order to place their different editions promptly before their patrons. The Scott Rotary Web Perfecting and Folding Press—a description and cuts of which are given elsewhere—has been introduced into all three of the above offices within the last few months. But we wish to speak particularly of the youngest member of the fraternity—*The Telegram*—which is only four years and a few months old, having only come into existence on the 18th April, 1877. This fledgling bids fair (if it has not already) to outstrip its older and more experienced rivals. This year it commenced and completed a new building specially adapted to its requirements, and has just added to its outfit the very latest and best labor-saving appliances that could be found. Mr. J. Ross Robertson has displayed an unusual amount of perseverance and pluck, and the present commanding position of *The Telegram* is owing solely to his indomitable energy and good management. We trust it may still go on and prosper to the end that its proprietor may reap a rich harvest. A longer notice, including a sketch of its career, has been unavoidably crowded out of this issue. Possibly we may find room for it at some future time.

### The Ontario Printers' Emporium.

We were unable to call attention to the advertisement of Messrs. Gwatkin & Son, which appeared in our last issue, but desire to do so now. This firm has unequalled facilities for filling orders for printers' materials, being agents for the only Canadian foundry and manufactory of printing presses, as well as for the celebrated "old country" type foundry of Messrs. Stephenson & Blake, of Sheffield, England. We hope Canadian printers will see to it that this house receives a fair share of their orders. The mere fact of their coming forward in support of the only Canadian typographical journal published, should have some weight, especially when it is taken into consideration that they can be as well and cheaply served and with as good material as elsewhere. We bespeak for Messrs. Gwatkin & Son a hearty response to their business announcement to be found in our pages.

### Reportorial Enterprise.

Mr. John F. Hennigar, of this city, an enterprising reporter attached to the *Daily Telegraph* staff, has got out a very full and correct report of the trial in the ship-scuttling case. It is entitled, at length: "Trial of Captain William H. Tower, charged with feloniously scuttling the barque Brothers' Pride, of St. John, N. B., on the 7th of May, 1879, in the Gulf Stream, off the coast of Florida." The report makes a pamphlet of 200 pages. It is illustrated with portraits of Chief Justice Allen and of all the counsel concerned in the cause, as well as of Capt. Tower and Mr. Thomas. The report is a valuable record. The more important parts of it are official, or semi official. The book will be mailed to any address by Mr. Hennigar on receipt of 35 cents, or \$1 for three copies.

### A Printer's Skeleton Found.

A party who started to walk up Mount Washington from the Glen House, New Hampshire, through Tuckerman's ravine, on July 14th, discovered the remains of a man behind a rock, within a mile of the summit, near the old bridle path from Crawford's. They reported the fact on their arrival at the Summit House, and a large party went down and made an examination. They found a skeleton and portions of a suit of woollen clothes, in the pocket of which was found a pocketbook marked "Harry W. Hunter," a printer's rule, and a printers' union certificate of membership, dated Sept. 12, 1874, bearing the same name. Hunter left the Willey House, Sept. 3, to ascend the mountain, and nothing was heard from him after he passed the Crawford House. His father offered \$400 reward for the recovery of his remains.

Messrs. Barber & Ellis, notwithstanding that they have unequalled facilities for the carrying on of their extensive business as papermakers, bookbinders, wholesale stationers and envelope makers, find it necessary to enlarge their premises and greatly to extend their facilities for manufacturing. This firm is decidedly popular in the west, and for the past few years has gained great honors in the Maritime Provinces through their popular traveller, Mr. P. T. Perrott. We trust they may be well rewarded for their enterprise in making use of the pages of the *Miscellany*, and to that end would bespeak the consideration of our friends in the Dominion.