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TOPICS OF TO-DAY.

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Salisbury Scorched by Labouchere Comments of the Press on the

Mr. Spurgeon Sick. London, March l.—Mr. Spurgeon is again

ill with gout.

Russian Crops Ruined.

London, March 1.—The winter crops arruined in all Southern Russia. on having again the services of so popular France Will Be Represented.

A New Allianco Proposed.

London, March 1.—The Times' Vienna special reports Russia is trying to effect an alliance between Servia, Montenegro and Winter has begun in dead earnest in the

Upper Peninsula of Michigan. At the Soo ice is 17 inches thick, and around Escabana British Parliament.

London, March 1.—In the House of Com nons, Mr. Labouchere's amendment pro-The hare shooting season in Ontario ex-

Prisoners in Luck.

MADRID, March 1.—The Queen has decreed an amnesty and a series of reductions

the patron saint of the Welsh and a total abstainer and vegetarian. to celebrate the King's recovery.

Dr. Mackenzie Wins His Libel Suit.

London, March 1.—The trial of Sir

Morell Mackenzie's suit for libel against the dance as a special joy is doomed, going out St. James' Gazette resulted in the jury awarding Dr. Mackenzie £1,500 damages.

The Ameer of Afghanistan, it is said, i about to begin grape culture on an extensiv scale, and has sent to Europe for experts An officer of the German army is to be-

sent to Constantinople with a present of 24 kettledrums for the army of the Sultan, to which such implements of warfare have heretofore been unknown.

Each of the new volunteer batteries re cently organized in England is to be supplied with 150 rounds of shot and shell each year, which it is expected to use up in practice firing. There are to be two com-plements of men to each battery of guns.

A fex driven by the hounds in a recent Walmer Castle bolted right before Lord Granville's eyes through the hall of the le and into the drawing-room, with the rounds in full ery after him. They ran him down and killed him in front of the mantel-

bate and Divorce has just died, leaving a fortune of \$100,090, accumulated from a

that country is a legal wite in England, on the ground that "Japan has long been recognized as a civilized country." A previous decision in a case where the wife was a Hottentot and was married after the Hottentot fashion, had upset the union on the ground that the Hottentots were heathens and polygamists, and did not know what marriage, in the civilized sense, meant.

Speaking of the fears of an ice famine a gentleman remarked yesterday: "It will only be a short time before such a thing will be impossible under any weather eccentricities. Ice must soon be manufactured by the shop-keeper, under a penalty of £5. Chemists and barbers, who will be impossible under any weather eccentricities. Ice must soon be manufactured, cheaply and extensively, wherever it is needed. At present the process is too expensive for general use, but the cost will without doubt shortly be reduced to a minimum, and ice will be possible everywhere in any season.

D. W. Felshfield and C. Dent, two Englishmen who set out to the Caucasus to search for some clue to the fate of Donkin and Fox, the English explorers who were and Fox, the English explorers who were lost there some time ago, have returned, and report that the lost men set out to second Mount Dychtall, which is nearly 17,000 feet high. The searchers attained nearly 11,000 feet, when they came upon the last camping place of the unfortunate men. No doubt remained that they had made a partial descentirom that spot, and then the snow had given way and they had been even into the great lie fosse at the een swept into the great ice fosse at the

Germany has 19,476 postoffices, England, 17,587, France only 7,346. Last year 65,-000,000 postoffice orders, with a value of 4,800,000,000 francs, were forwarded in Germany, and 21,000,000 orders, the value of 658,000,000 francs, forwarded in France. The bad showing of France in postal statistics is in no small degree due to the fact that the postal authorities may found yearly only 25 new postoffices, although almost 2,000 applications for new postoffices are made annually. In Paris a pneumatic postal card reaches its destination between an hour and an hour and a 000,000 postoffice orders, with a value of

LOST AT SEA!

A Fearful Number of Persons Said to Have Perished.

Averted.

Latter's Suspension

an official as Mr. Burton, who is esteemed alike by those employes by whom he is known and by a large number of the West-Berlin, March 1.—France, following the initiative of England, has accepted the invitation of the Berlin conference.

posing the reduction of the credit was defeated 206 to 66.

of sentences of political and other prisoners to celebrate the King's recovery.

directors of the National Line Company, it was officially announced that the missing steamer Erin has been abruptly given up as

Miners' Wages Increased. London, March 1.—The threatened strike of miners will likely be averted. The men

in Durham have accepted an offer from their employers of 5 per cent. advance in Count Von Moltke Upset.

BERLIN, March 1.—As Count Von Moltke was out driving yesterday the wheel of his carriage parted and he was thrown out. He was not injured beyond a severe out. He was not injured beyond a severe shaking.

The German Elections.

Berlin, March 1.—Upon second ballots

for the Reichstag returns thus far show the election of nine Socialists, three National

Liberals, three Radicals and one Prog-Results of the German Reballoting. rote in seventeen of the districts where reballots were necessary to elect members

Americans at court and to society generally during the coming London season in consideration of \$5,000 paid in advance. It is rumored that the Countess is Lady Steadbroke, one of the writers on the staff of the World of which Edmond Yates is the proprietor, but this is denied.

London's Proposed Saturday Half-Holiday. London, March 1.—The retail store-

keepers of London are much exercised by provisions of Sir John Lubbock's new have hitherto been exempt from the pro-visions of the bill are now included in it.

Loss of the Steamer Quetta.

London, March 1.—The British steamer Quetta, which sailed from Cooktown, Queensland, on Feb. 27, has been lost at

Queensland, on Feb. 27, has been lost at sea. The number of persons drowned is not definitely known, but it is stated that a fearful number perished. The Quetta was 2,254 tons burthen.

The Quetta had 27 first-class passengers and a crew numbering 112. She also had mails for England. The managers of the line say they do not believe the report.

The Labor Conference.

LONDON, March 1.—The official programme of the International Labor Conference has been issued at Berlin. The subence has been issued at Berlin. The subjects to be discussed are the regulation of mine work, with reference to the prohibition of the labor of women and children under ground; the shortening of the shifts in particularly unhealthy mines; the insuring of a regular output of coal by subjecting the working of the mines to international rules; the regulation of Sunday labor, and also the regulation of the labor of children and females.

The Latest Steamship Collision.

It ween the steamer Claymore and the ship yearly only 25 new postoffices, although almost 2,000 applications for new postoffices are made annually. In Paris a pneumatic postal card reaches its destination between an hour and a hour and and the Coriolanus struck her admidis delivered within 35 or 40 minutes after mailing. Since the inauguration of a new system of postal wagons for emptying the mail boxes in Berlin, an ordinary city letter reaches its destination in an hour after postal card reaches its destination in an hour after leaving the hands of the sender.

It was then taken, and his opinion was that the evidence was insufficient to justify prosecution. Subsequent-liquid defeated. Calymore and the Ship prosecution. Subsequent-liquid defeated, was obtained, and this rendered the issue of a warrant advisable was regreat that the vicinity to state that Sir Dighton Probyn, after his interview with allows a proposed which and the Coriolanus struck her admidistration in an hour after was running. The Coriolanus was tacking and the Claymore and the claymore and the ship almost 2,000 applications for new posts.

A Glucoso Nuisance.

Coriolanus occurred last Monday 400 miles and the evidence was insufficient to justify prosecution. Subsequent-liquid defeated. Mr. Kenny inderest Mr. Davies expressed regret that the vicinity of Tama City. Costly litigation is expected. The plant is one of the largest in the world and feed several nor communicated with Somerset directly or indirectly. Neither had Lord Salisbury in litigation is expected. The plant is one of the largest in the world and feed several nor communicated with Somerset directly or indirectly. Neither had Lord Salisbury in any knowledge of Somerset's movements to avoid the service of the warrant. Mr. Labouchere's story that Lord Salisbury in late of thi

day in relation to the Cléveland street scandal says the Liberals intend to protest against Mr. Laboucher's suspension in such a manner as to deter the Chairman from again making such a ruling as that of yesterday. The Star also accuses the Government of culpable remissness in enabling "titled criminals" to escape punishment for connection with the scandal.

The Pall Mall Gazette demands of Lord Salisbury the appointment of a commission of inquiry to decide who is to blame for the escape of the criminals.

The Globe denounced Labouchere, and says his political trade led him to endeavor to connect the Government with a nauseous scandal and to pose as a hero and martyr.

How the Socialist Campaign Was Aided.

[Via Dalziel's News Agency.]

Berlin, March 1.—It is now discovered that the Socialists were greatly aided in

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that the Socialists were greatly aided in their late campaign by the receipt of considerable sums from America, especially from Chicago. They were also greatly aided by their French brethren. Scores of telegrams are daily arriving at the Socialist headquarters here from America and France containing warm congratulations on the great victory. A careful review of losses and gains shows that the Cartel coalition lost 1,000,000 votes, divided equally between the Nationals, Liberals and the Conservatives, while the Liberals gain 200,000 and the Socialists 500,000. It is stated unofficially that the Emperor is neither disappointed. Socialists 500,000. It is stated unonceasily that the Emperor is neither disappointed nor worried over the results in the Reichstag. His Majesty said that he had reason to hope that the new Parliament would strongly support his policy regarding the Socialists. The Kaiser attends the State Socialists. The Kaiser attends the State Council that is considering the labor question eight hours daily, while Bismarck restrains his enthusiasm and is only present an hour or two. From all appearances the Emperor is in the best of health.

London's Great Scandal.

The Lost Erin.
London, March 1.—At a meeting of the

Commons yesterday, Mr. Labouchere spoke to his motion of inquiry into the Cleveland to his motion of inquiry into the Cleveland street scandal. He alleged that the case presented an official attempt to defeat justice. He detailed the facts of the scandal, and contended that the sentence of nine months' imprisonment for Veck was itself a scandal, because of the inadequacy of the punishment. The treasury officials, having full knowledge of the whole affair, had refrained from prosecuting Newlove and Veck until Sir Stephenson Blackwood, Secretary to the Postoffice, had insisted upon taking action against his own subordinates, the postal employes involved. Then, finding themselves compelled to prosecute these two men, the Treasury officials determined to prevent the exposure going any further,

the Treasury officials determined to prevent the exposure going any further, and tried to hush it all up. When Ham-mond fled the police proposed to secure his extradition from Beigium, where they had him watched. Both the Chief of Police and the Secretary to the Postoffice urged the Government to obtain his extradition. The extradition could have been readily The usher of the English Court of Probate and Divorce has just died, leaving a fortune of \$100,090, accumulated from a salary of \$750 per year for 33 years, and from the tips that flewed in upon him in a stream, averaging nearly \$4,000 per year. Suitors, jurymen, witnesses, reporters and lawyers all have to tip the usher in the English courts.

A Dynamite Scare in London.

London that the police have discovered another dynamic plot. Scotland Yard authorities deny that there is any reason for the scare. Detectives are dogging the goings and comings of all Irish-Americans, and Parnell is reported to have expressed her hands.

An English court has just decided that a wife married in Japan after the fashion of that country is a legal wife in England, on the ground that "Japan has long been in contact of the districts where is all this where the shown. The returns for the Reichstag is known. The returns of the Reichstag is known. The returns of the Reichstag is known. The returns for the Reichstag is known. The returns of the Reichstag is known. The returns of the Reichstag is known. The returns for the Reichstag is known. The returns of the Reichstag is known. The returns for the Reichstag is known. The returns of the Reichstag is known. The returns for the Reichstag is known. The returns for the Reichstag is known. The returns of the Reichstag is known. The returns for the Reichstag is known. The returns for the Reichstag is known. The returns the House districts show that the Liberals have gained six seats and th

tained at the Horse Guards four months' leave of absence to enable him to quit the country. But he did not quit the country. He appeared at the funeral of his grandmother, the Dowager Duchess of Beaufort. Lieutenant-General Sir Dighton Probyn, a promiment member of the household of the Prince of Wales, informed Lord Salisbury of this. Lord Salisbury stated that a warrant to take him into custodly would be issued, but he caused this decision to become known to Somerset's commanding officer, through whom this information was conveyed to Somerset. Thereupon Somerset fled. Somerset was not only allowed to resign and leave the army honorably, but he is still a magistrate for two counties. (Laughter.) Moreover, he did not hide himself. He went to Pera openly and asked for a place at the court of the Sultan. Two men are now in prison for their part in the scandalous occurrences; but they are poor and obscure. Their highly-placed confederate is unmolested. The Government took care that the warrant for his apprehension should not be issued till he was out of the country. (Cheers.) Mr. Labouchere said his charge was plain enough. It was that Lord Salisbury and others criminally conspired to defeat the ends of justice. Therefore, he asked that the committee inquire into his allegations. (Laughter and cheers.) He trusted that leave of absence to enable him to quit th

ends of justice. Therefore, he asked that the committee inquire into his allegations. (Laughter and cheers.) He trusted that the Government, whatever their defense, would not put up a lawyer with a brief in his hand to defend them by special pleading and evasive chicanery. Mr. Labouchere them withdrew his motion.

Attorney-General Webster said he believed the House would agree there was not a shadow of foundation for these disgraceful charges. It was absurd to suppose that

a shadow of foundation for these disgraceful charges. It was absurd to suppose that Lord Salisbury or the treasury officials could have any interest to retard the prosecution of the case. When the evidence was all in it was first collated with a view to a case against Somerset. The opinion of the Lord Chancellor was then taken, and his cripics was that the evidence was insuf-

SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 1890. CANADA'S CAPITAL. Favoritism in the Bestowing

lowered. Many left the vessels without boots or coats. The steamer Queensmore, which was five miles distant, saw the collision and hastened to the rescue. She stood lision and hastened to the rescue. She should be sank. The report that the Coriolanus also sank was seen by the Claymore until she sank.

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to any one regarding the issue of the warrant.

Mr. Labouchere said he could not accept Sir Richard Webster's assurance, nor did he believe Lord Salistury's, whose denials were obviously untrue.

The Chairman here requested the gentleman to withdraw the words calling into question the veracity of the Premier.

Mr. Labouchere declined to withdraw the words, and the Speaker named him for suspension, and called upon the House to adjudge upon the conduct of the member. Upon division the suspension was carried 177 to 96. he scandal.
The Pall Mall Gazette demands of Lord

Mr. Labouchere, in leaving the House, said he regretted the fact, but his conscience would not allow him to say that he believed Lord Salisbury's denial. (Cheers

from the Parnell party.)
Mr. Morley suggested that this subject
be dropped and the House proceed to other

ousiness.

Right Hon. W. H. Smith demanded that the House should express an opinion on the motion, notwithstanding its withdrawal, and should say the motion was improper and the charge false.

The vote against Mr. Labouchere's motion was 163 to 80.

Mr. Labouchere is suspended for one week.

Old World Wirelets.

Galicia is threatened with a famine. The Czar has ordered the increase of the Cossack regiments in order to anticipate the action of the other powers of Europe, which threaten to largely recruit their lancer regiments.

CURRENT CONDENSATIONS.

Eight MacLeod N. W. T., saloon-keepers ave been fined \$100 each for selling whisk

Hamilton property owners will vote on the T. H. and B. Railway bonus bylaw on London, March 1 .- In the House of Friday, April 4.

The first regular party of colonists from Ontario arrived at Winnipeg Friday, num-

Miss Bertha Wright, the heroine of the illage of Janeville. It is announced that the Manitoba Gov-ernment would bring up its Separate School

ernment would bring up its Separate School Bill next Tuesday evening.

It is stated that W. R. Brock, of Toronto, will be appointed to the Senate in the place of the late Senator Macdonald.

Major Bell, of Bell Farm, Indian Head, N. W. T., says the great depth of snow in the Northwest this year will favor the chances of a good crop next season.

Rev. Humphrey Pickard, D.D., died at Sackville, N. B., Friday night, aged 77 years. He was first president of Mount Allison Institute, and has been connected with it over 30 years.

with it over 30 years.

AMERICAN.

It is estimated at the Treasury Department that the decrease of the public debt during the month of February will amount to about \$3,500,000. to about \$3,500,000.

Dr. Wm. B. Meany, of Chicago, for an English syndicate, has just closed the deal for the purchase of the three breweries at Peoria and others elsewhere in Illinois. The deal involves several million dollars. On the report of the Indian agent that he Lapointe Indians in Wisconsin were starving, Congress recently appropriated \$75,000 to relieve their suffering. It is now stated that the Indians are not in need.

The Rampant Ohio.

EvansyILLE, Ind., March 1.—Ine river is still rising and is now 423 feet. The railroads are experiencing trouble. Enterprise and Souffletown, several miles above, are flooded and the people have been driven to the hills. Thousands of bushels of corn have been ruined.

have been ruined.

A Freight Train Wrecked.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 1.—The "Big Four" passenger train, No. 9, due here Thursday night at 10:45 from Cincinnati, collided with freight No. 55 at "Nigger Hill," east of this city. The passenger engine was smashed, and the wreck of the freight cars was total. Fireman Dillingham, however, was the only person injured. Ex-Mayor Harrison Captures a Burglar CHICAGO, March 1.—Ex-Mayor Harrison caught a burglar yesterday. He was notified by a neighbor that two strangers had entered one of his houses. Leaving the entered one of his houses. Leaving the neighbor to guard the front door the ex-Mayor went to the rear and cut off their escape. Mr. Harrison grappled with one of them and held him until the police arrived. The men had entered the house for the pur-pose of cutting out the lead pipe and brass-

Deadly Result of a Dispute. Los Angeles, Cal., March 1 .- A shoot Los Angeles, Cal., March I.—A shooting affray occurred yesterday at Sangus, on the Southern Pacific Railroad. George Waltham and D. Cook were hauling wood past a cabin occupied by W. A. Gardner and W. E. Carmichael, when the two latter opened fire on them. Waltham was killed and Cook received a wound from which he died. The shooting was the result of a die. died The shooting was the result of a dispute about land. Gardner and Carmichael

Boston, March 1.—Charles Tufts died in the midst of filth in a repulsive room in the rear of 75 Bolyston street, Cambridge, Thursday night. Fully 85 years old and estimated to be worth \$40,000 to \$50,000, Tufts had lived in his den with scarcely any of the commonplace comforts of life. He had lived in Cambridge for 65 years and accumulated his wealth as a shoemaker, paper carrier and manufacturer of shoe blacking.

A Glucoso Nuisance.

Mr. Curran's Amendment to the Orange Bill Discussed—Mr. Lister Lets in Light on the Subject.

> [Special to the ADVERTISER.] OTTAWA, Saturday, March 1. The inevitable dullness of Saturday was roken this morning by an attempt on the part of several pressmen to break into the star chamber seclusion of the Senate Divorce Committee. This committee is the only ourt of justice in the land that sits with

of Pensions.

closed doors, and there is no worse evidence given before it than is nany county assizes. The Clapp case was in progress when the press-men walked by the doorkeeper and took their seats. The Chairman promptly called their attention to the committee rule

called their attention to the committee rule by which all Parliamentary committees may be closed to the public. Mr. Ewan in reply pointed out that this rule applied to all Parliamentary committees, and that in no other case was it inforced. This committee too was not on the basis of an ordinary committee, but was in reality a court of law, and consequently open to the public. The committee were not convinced, however, and requested the newspaper men to withdraw. Mrs. Clapp denies the charge of adultery preferred against her by Mr. Clapp, though admitting that it was attempted by the co-respondent.

The Orange Bill will stand first on the order paper on Monday, and its promoters hope that a vote will be reached before the Bleus get back from Quebec. There is little doubt of the bill passing, because of a bargain and sale between Clarke Wallace and the French Tories, in which the Government is a go-between; as a member put it the other day: "Clarke Wallace did not desert the Thirteen and vote for the Thompson amendment for nothing."

reasonable account.

Sir Richard Cartwright pointed out also that the pension was larger by \$55 than the whole pay of the man.
Sir Adolphe Caron said that the pension
was granted at the instance of the commission which had the whole matter in

Sir John Macdonald said that while it was quite true that Valiquette had a pay as sergeant of only \$300 his loss was greater to il his relatives than his pay indicated. At the same time he agreed with Sir Richard Cartwright that this principle could not be always carried out. But he did not in dicate in which cases it should be set aside.

Mr. Blake said the debate on this subject il last year had left him with the impression that the pension given to Valiquette could not be justified under the Queen's regulations. He suggested that the papers on the subject should be laid before the House.

Without waiting for a decision upon this point, Mr. O'Brien brought up the case of Charles T. Hurrell, late of the 90th Battalion, who had contracted rheumatism below:

Toronto, Feb. 28—11 p.m.—The depression developed over the Middle States last night now covers the Ottawa Valley. Another disturbance is situated off the Alantic coast, and the pressure continues very high throughout the western portion of the continent. Rain has fallen heavily in the Lower Lake Region and the St. Lawrence Valley, and snow over the Upper Lakes. Minimum temperatures: Prince Albert, 42° below zero; Minnedosa, 38° below; Winnipeg, 34° below: Toronto, Montreal and Quebec, 34°; Halifax, 24°. PROBABILITIES.

For the next 24 hours for the lakes: charge. Sir John Macdonald said that while it

Charles T. Hurrell, late of the 30th Battalion, who had contracted rheumatism during the rebellion, and was permanently incapacitated from earning his living. He complained of the Government's failure to pay the amount which he had been awarded.

During the discussion on this matter During the discussion on this matter someone in the ladies' gallery exclaimed: "Yes, he has a wife and can't support her." The debate continued, and the interrup-tions in the gallery were repeated, when it was discovered that Hurrell was the dis-turber, and he was bounced. Finally the item was allowed to stand, though Sir Adolphe Caron strenuously urged its pass-age at once.

After recess the House went into committee on the Orange Incorporation Bill.

The bill was agreed to in committe and re-

mr. Curran then moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee, with the instructions that a clause be inserted to provide that this association shall not hold public processions in any Province where Party Procession Acts are now or may be hereafter enacted. Mr. Curran said that the bill would inevitably become law, but he wished it to pass with the amendment he had proposed. Mr. Curran went on to refer to the regretable occurrences in Montreal at the time of the Hackett tragedy. He quoted the Quebec Provincial Act of 1888, entitled "Party Processions Act," prohibiting party processions in the Province of Quebec. He justified his proposed exemption of the Province of Quebec from the operation of the act on the ground that they should legislate in the interests of peace and harmony in the Dominion and in the light of events. The objects of the society as defined in the bill were all good things if they could dissociate them from some other things, but they could not. In view of the facts of history he appealed to them to take precautions to prevent a recurrence of the regretable events which disturbed the public peace in Montreal years ago.

Mr. Wallace said he wondered when listening to Mr. Curran whether they were living in the nineteenth century or in the middle ages. He could never consent to accept this humiliating proposition. He Mr. Curran then moved that the bill be

middle ages. He could never consent to accept this humiliating proposition. He would rather see the bill defeated.

Mr. Kenny indorsed Mr. Curran's views.

Mr. Davies expressed regret that the amendment had been proposed which he declared was not only useless but persicious.

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was quite evident there had been an arrangement with the Government, and that it was promoting this bill in order to placate the Orangemen, who were angry at the Government because of their action on the Jesuits' estates affair. Mr. Lister went on: "We find gentlemes on the Government benches nominally opposing the bill, but in reality consenting to it. That is part and parcel of the compact entered into by the leader of the Government with his ultra-Protestant followers. (Cheers.) They say, "Don't blame us for the Jesuit Estates Act and we will give you Orange incorporation.' Sir, the leader of the Government is trifling with the Orange body of this country. The Right Honorable Premier is trifling with the body of which he is such a distinguished member. The Orangemen knew that if the Premier had been honest in his promises to them, all he had to do was to introduce this as a Government measure and the men who are behind him would have supported it. (Hear, hear.) But he voted for it, yes, but Sir Hector Langevin voted against it. He trifled with the Orangemen for years, but now he knows he has got into a little scrape, and he arranges to have this bill go through. When Mr. Wallace gets up and says the Orangemen have united in asking for incorporation he shows to withdraw. Mrs. Clapp denies the charge of adultery preferred against her by Mr. Clapp, though admitting that it was attempted by the co-respondent.

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Business of the House.

OTTAWA, Friday, Feb. 28.
In the House of Commons when the orders of the day were called Mr. Foster at once moved for Committee of Supply, and the Speaker put the resolution while Mr. Perry and Mr. Tisdale were on their feet desiring to bring up questions of privilege. The Speaker, however, declared the mation for supply carried and left the chair.

On the item, "Pensions payable on account of rebellion of '85 to militia men, on the item, and the feel of the paper of the Militia Act, he not being the main support of the people to whom the pension was a piece of favoritism, for which the Minister last session has been brought to task, and for which he could give no reasonable account.

Sir Richard Cartwright pointed out also that the pension was larger by \$55 than the with the feel and he he raranges to have this bill and he arranges to have this bill and he arranges to have this bill and he arranges to have the knows he has got into a little scrape and he arranges to have the knows the he arranges to have the knows that he is not acquainted with the facts. There is a great difference of opinion among Orangemen of Outario asking for incorporation from this Government or this Parliament. They know it is a sop thrown to the proper of the say of the say of the proper of the

cept the measure. (Applause.)

The time allotted for the consideration of private bills having expired, the further consideration of the measure was laid over and the House again went into Committee

Montreal and Quedec, when the PROBABILITIES.

For the next 24 hours for the lakes:
Fresh to strong west and northwest winds;
mostly fair; considerably colder, with snow

A Mysterious Failure.

A Mystorious Failure.

ELIZABETH, N. J., March I.—The liabilities of the Century Rubber Company, which failed this week, are \$200,000. Who comprises the Century Company is a mystery. The stock and machinery, if sold at auction, will not cover one-fourth of the liabilities. Many of the men are unpaid.

A Long Lock Ahead.

New York, March I.—It is stated that Chauncey M. Depew is laying wires for the Presidential nomination in 1892, and that in furtherance of the scheme he will resign his position as president of the New York Central and Hudson River Railway. Cornelius Vanderbilt, it is supposed, will be his successor.

Cold Enough.

GENESEE, IA., March 1.—Wednesds morning the thermometer fell to 42° below, zero. C. B. Moore, commercial travelet from Chicago, had his cars frozen; Samue Bramhart, of San Francisco, another commercial traveler, had his nose and ears badly frozen. Stock are dying by the hundreds.

hundreds.

Austin, Tex., March 1.—A cold norther prevailed Thursday night, and the mercury went to 20. Growing corn, oats, fruits and vegetation generally were destroyed, causing very serious loss to farmers. Hundreds of fig trees loaded with fruit were killed.

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