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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY PROF. McLAREN OF R.NOX COLLEGE ELECTED MODE, LATOR.

A Close Vote Between Him and Dr. Mc-Knight—Dr. Cochrane's Opening Ser-mon—Announcements.

The general assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada met last night in port the nominee, whoever he may be, St. James' square church. The answers to created warm discussion. It was finally

In the absence of Rev. Dr. King, the moderator of the last general assembly, Rev. Dr. Cochrane, his predecessor, opened applied to him by his brethren in the charth court in allusion to the fact that he is physically a "light weight," but ecclesiastically a "great gun." Equally appropriate is the descriptive designation once applied to him by a member of the assembly in allusion to his consuming approx. applied to him by a member of the assembly in allusion to his consuming energy, "a steam engine in trousers." Dr. Cochrane has been for many years the highly-respected pastor of a fine congregation in the city of Brantford, and has been also a very prominent, active and useful member of the general assembly. He has identified himself largely with the promotion of home mission work, and to his personal exertion is due in no small measure the successful propagandism of the presbyterian church in Canada. His sermon last night was appropriate to the occasion, which is one that few men are called a to act on twice. Dr. Cochrane took his text from two passages of scripture:

ssages of script re: Therefore the showers have been with-holden and there hath been no latter rains.— Jorem 1. part of verse 3. and will make them and the places round about my hill a blessing; and I will cause the shower to come down in his season; there

The preacher took these two passages as showing two different conditions of the church, first at times when it had become church, first at times when it had become barren and unfruitful, and, secondly, at times when it was plentifully blessed with refreshing showers of heavenly grace. Coming more particularly to the present soccasion, he said that the great need of the church was carnest preaching of the gospel, fervent prayer without ceasing, and personal religion in heart and in works, both in the pulp t and in the pew. He did not think that their own church had special meed of combatting doctrines tending to infidelity; the professors in the colleges would see to that. More need was there for the touch of the live coal from the for the touch of the live coal from the for the touch of the live coal from the latter to move the preacher's tongue, and so reach the hearts of the people. On this point his drift seemed to be that not re'ifgious error, but personal indifference to all religion, is what the church has most to fight against.

The first duty of the arsembly after being constituted for business was the election of a moderator, and immediately it was seen that in ecclesizatical as well as state politics geographical considerations

it was seen that in eccless a well as state politics geographical considerations may intervene. Prof. McLaren of Knox college had the largest number of nominations by presbyteries, Principal McKnight of Halifax college being a good second, and several others being bunched some distance in the rear. It was evident that the contest would be between the two professors, each of whop' had good endorsers. Dr. McLaren was nountated by Hon. Alexander Morris, and seconded by Rev. J. K. Smith of Galt; Dr. McKnight was nominated by Rev. Dr. McRae of St. John, and seconded by Rev. D. J. Macdonnell of Toronto. The vote resulted in the election of Prof. McLarez. The strongest plea for Dr. McKnight was that he is an eastern man and that the office should, after being held and that the office should, after being held three years in the west, go to the maritime provinces. This appeal won for him many western votes so that the majority for Mc-Western votes so that the majority for me-Lacen was reduced to less than a dozen in a large vote. Had the eastern men, now on their way to Toronto, been all present, Dr. McKnight might have been elected. The new moderator is a gentleman every way worthy of the honor. Scholarly, dignified, and highly intellectual, he will undoubtedly make a model moderator, as he makes a model professor. His voice, though not very pleasant, is sufficiently powerful to control an assembly of grave and learned seniors who are not apt to resolve themselves into a bear garden. In his few opening remarks on taking the chair he touched lightly but deftly the various topics appropriate to the occasion, chair he touched lightly but deitly the various topics appropriate to the occasion, and then left the way open to the reception and disposal of business reports.

The most important matter coming up to-day will be the determination of the subjects to be brought before the assembly and the order in which they are to be taken up. It was approunced as virtually settled up. It was announced as virtually settled that the evening devoted to foreign missions would be that of Friday, and that the

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Slaughter of the Innocents. HAMMERTON, N.J., June 4 .- There is intense excitement here over the discovery of the bodies of twenty-one children buried in pine boxes in a small plot of ground on the outskirts of the town at a mission home opened several years ago by Miss Nivison for the purpose of taking young children to raise out of charity. The death-rate is ascribed to the food, of which Irish moss has been the principal

VERA CRUZ, June 4 .- Locusts are causing much damage in the state of Vera Cruz. Coffee, tobacco and sugar crops are

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 4. - It is reported that the grand vizier has informed Lord Dufferin that the expedition up the Nile is impossible unless England advances part of the funds to meet expenses.

THE CHICAGO CONVENTION. Applause for Blaine-A Luti in the Pro

CHICAGO, June 4—It was after 11 o'clock when the convention was called to order. Massey of Delaware offered a resolution referring to the committee on resolutions a proposition to enlarge the presidential term to six years. A resolution that all delegates should bind themselves to sup-

the roll call showed that there were present ministers and elders from the extreme east and the extreme west, from places on the Atlantic scaboard and from places far off in the Northwest. The unity of a great church gives one a vivid impression of the geographical extent and solidarity of the dominion itself.

In the absence of Rev. Dr. King, the moderator of the last general assembly,

The sub-committee on resolutions reported to the full committee this afternoon Rev. Dr. Cochrane, his predecessor, opened the assembly in the usual form. Dr. Cochrane is in one sense of the word emphatically not a great man, but he is a more than usually powerful preacher, and hence the double appropriateness of the epithet "ninety five pounder" facetiously like the big hardward in the legislature of Oregon, which will not be senator to the United secure the gain of a senator to the United States senate, and further that Oregon was safe for the nomines of the convention.

HAMILTON, June 4,-The Ontario med cal association commenced its fourth an nual meeting at the city hall to-ray. Dr Daniel Clarke of Toron presided. made a good address, Several papers wer read himmbers.

A few tenders for cedar block pavemen in this city have been received from Toronto contractors.

The new foresters' hall in James street was dedicated to night by J. B. Bucking ham, past high chief ranger, assisted by other senior officers. The ceremony was preceded by a procession through the

treets.
The synod of the diocese of Niagar opened to day with services at Christ church cathedral. Rev. Dr. Mockridge and J. J. Mason were re-elected honorary secretaries. It was reported that the aggregate of the various sums apportioned by the synod to the various parishes and missions of the diocese has fellen several hundred dollars short of what it amounted had a services a service and services. to during the previous year. Bishop Fuller's address was read in the afternoon.

\$14,000; on building, \$7000. The insurance is divided among the following companies: Hand in-Hand, \$2000; Gore Dis rict, \$3000; Waterloo Mutual, \$2000, and Aercaptile of Waterloo, \$4000.

steamer Burned at Beileville. Belleville, June 3.—The steamer Prince Edward is burned. The fire started at 11 o'clock last night and continued until 9 this morring. She is a com-plete loss. She was insured in the Royal and Phœnix for \$2500 each and was valued

Manse at Columbus Burned. COLUMBUS, Ont., June 4.—The manse occupied by Rev. J. A. Carmichael was destroyed by fire this afternoon. A quantity of furniture was saved, but a library and a great many other valuables were

Eno's Trial Postponed. QUEBEC, June 4 .- The case of John C Eno came up for trial to-day. Detective Fahey, who should have been present as witness for the prosecution, did not put in an appearance, and the case was postponed until to-morrow.

Elgin's New School Inspector. ST. THOMAS, June 4.—At a meeting the county council to day W. Atkin of St. Catharines was appointed public school in-spector for the county of Elgin. There were ten applicants for the position.

Lord Granville is preparing a note to Washington in relation to the collection of conspiracy funds within the jurisdiction of the United States.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

Harvey D. Parker has bequeathed \$100, 000 to the Boston museum of fine arts. Aaron R. Crane, a Harvard' senior, died would be that of Friday, and that the usual public meeting in that connection would be held in Knox church, the ladies of which have made preparations for hospitably entertaining the delegates on that afternoon from 6 to 8. It was also announced that an excursion by the steamer Chicora would take place on Saturday nt athlete.

The Palisade mountain house at Engle-

wood, N. J., was burned at midnight. Loss over \$100,000. At Passaic City, N. J., Waterhouse Bios., manufacturers of woollen goods, have assigned; liabilities, \$125,000. The schedule in the assignment of James D. Fish shows liabilities of \$4,230,000, and estimated actual assets of \$582,000. Geo. Sheldon of Sheldon & Co., bankers.

in Sherman, N. Y., has left for parts un known with \$15,000 belonging to deposit-The anti-organist of the united presby-terian church have decided to hold a con-vention of anti-organ congregations at

The assignee of the Penn bank at Pitts burg reports the amount due depositors as \$1,466,000, and the amount of overdrafts at

At Philadelphia yesterday the sheds of Malcolm Lloyd's petroleum works and Bosshardt & Wilson's oil works were Bosshardt & Wilson's burned. Loss, \$60,000.

A. W. Dimock yesterday resigned the presidency of the Bankers and Merchants' telegraph company. G. S. Mott, the general manager was elected in his place. R. B. Cable was yesterday re-elected president of the Onicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway at Chicago. H. H. Porter, Cable's candidate for election as a director,

CITY HALL COMMITTEES.

SOME INTERESTING REVELATIONS ABOUT WATERWORKS AFFAIRS.

The Chairman Speaks Out—Extending The Electric Light—Assignments of

Ald. Millichamp (chairman), Adams Barton, Harvie, Maughan, Sheppard, Moore and McConnell attended the waterworks committee meeting vesterday. After a discussion, in which old arguments were again trotted out, the committee rescinded a motion recommending that the hydrants be removed from Mr. Darling's private main or he be charged \$30 per annum. The hydrants will occupy their present positions.
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Ald. Millichamp told the members that they should rigidly scrutinize all accounts as he felt he did not get the facilities which he should have for this work. The aldernen expressed their willingness to back up any effort to fully ventilate the details of city work.

The chairman made another increasing revelation which involves some official. When the experts examined the drawings of the various engines prior to their second report Mr. Fenson to be a plan of a compound pumping engine which was not to the fore the first time he saw the plans. Ald. Some and demanded strict examination as there was corruption somewhere.

Ald. Millichamp and Sueppard were appointed a sub-committee to examine into

he matter.
The chairman read an affidavit from

that when the pumping engine question was first up he visited the pumping house where he saw John Venables, who told him he had prepared plans of the pumping engines which lights & Hunter offered to supply. Venables stated that Inglis & Hunter were to give him \$1000 for use of this plane commission and superintending. his plans, commission and superintending the construction of the engine. He also asserted that the water committee had virtually accepted the tender of Inglis &

After transacting routine business and deferring pipe laying recommendations autil result of bylaw voting is known, the committee adjourned.

Spreading the Electric Light. Ald, Farley (chairman), Adamson, Bar-Ald. Farley (chairman), Adamson, Barton, Brandon, Sheppard, Millichamp, Piper, Elliott, Shaw, Woods and Maughan attended the regular meeting of the fire and gas committee yesterday. Mess. Smedley and Charlton repudiated the Telegram's statements concerning the work of their sections at the Mail fire. The solicitor reported that the city had no alternative but to pay the scale of prices. streets. Ald. Piper also secured the committee's approval of three new

S. E. corner of Queen and S. W. "
N. E. "
S. E. " ing is a list of lamps recommended:

S. E. corner of Queen and Ontario streets.
S. W. Berkeley
N. E. Parliament Power
corner of King and Ontario streets.
S. W. corner of King and Berkeley streets.
S. E. corner King and Purliament streets.
S. E. corner King a d Erin streets.
N. W. corner of Esplansde and W. Marke

S. E. "Teumseth. Queen, opposite Manning avenue. S. W. corner of Queen and Niagara, corner of York and Front, corner of York and Wel ington, corner Yonge and Adelaide. The Property Committee The property committee met yesterds fternoon, Ald. Irwin presiding. Ald. Sheppard, Defoe, Lobb, Blevins, McConconcurred in on the recommendation of the city solicitor. The same gentleman recommended the payment of \$34 to Wm. Milloy, the discharged caretaker of Clarence square.

the discharged caretager of Clarence square, to prevent a suit.

A heavy requisition by the park commissioner was concurred in, although Ald Steiner wanted it reduced one half.

A communication from Homer Dixon giving a long list of claims for damaged done his property, was referred to the city

Cheering News from the Isthmus PANAMA, June 4 .- The city of Aspir wall is in a state of filth that is perfectly ndescribable. It is overcrowded. The indescribable. It is overcrowded. There are no sanitary precautions taken and the police management is of the poorest. Its streets are oceans of mud. To-day it has a population of fully 12,000 souls.

There is a large and dangerous element in the isthmus, one that may yet cause trouble, and that will lead to the interposition of foreign powers to protect the rights of their subjects.

The canal company have discharged nearly 1000 men at Aspinwall during the past fortnight. The wet season has ar-

past fortnight. The wet season has arrived. What the company will do with the 10,000 men on its pay rolls is a prob-

Indignant Orangemen. DUBLIN, June 4.-The government he decided not to permit counter-demonstrations on the part of the orangemen to b tions on the part of the orangemen to be held at the same time and place as the nationalist meeting. It will not interfere with counter demonstrations provided they are held at such times and places as will not bring hostile bodies into collision. The decision exasperates the loyalists in the north of Ireland.

Earl Dufferin's Danger. CONSTANTINOPLE, June 4,-The horses attached to the carriage in which Lord Dufferin, the British ambassador, was rid-Dufferin, the British amoassador, was ruing last evening, took fright, and becoming
unmanageable, dashed through the
crowded streets. Lord Dufferin jumped
from the vehicle while it was at full speed, and was thrown to the ground, but es-caped serious injury.

The Roar of Burning Beasts. LONDON, June 4 .- The East London aquarium at Bishopsgate was burned this morning. Some of the wild animals were removed, others were shot, and seme were burned. The roaring of the burning beasts

vesterday.

At Boston yesterday—Bostons 9, New At New York yesterday Cincinnati

The repairs and improvements to Kingston race track cost \$2000. The Forest City bicycle club at London has disbanded on account of internal dis

Hamilton's second eleven and Upper Canada college play a cricket match here Saturday next. Rain stopped yesterday's Chicago-Buf-falo game at Chicago in the sixth innings. Chicagos 5, Buffalos 4.

At Kingston Monday J. F. Clancy and F. Crosby ran 100 yards for \$10 a side. Clancy won by five yards.

In a cricket match at Dublin Festerday between the Americans and one Gentlemen of Ireland team, the former won by 220 to

John Brooks, London, has deposited \$50 for a right with John F. Scholes or Jack Stewart, and wants them to "put up, or forever take a back seat." John Clarke of Hamilton has offered to back E. T. Case against Dave Bennett of Toronto to run five miles for \$500 a side, race to take place June 30.

Humphrey Davis forfeited \$250 to S. Hewitt because his 2 year-old colt was not ready to trot a colt backed by Hewitt Tuesday last as had been agreed. Both belong to Biantford.

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between Chas. Lange, champion heavy weight of Ohio, and Michael Dempsey, for \$500 a side, was declared a draw after three rounds had been fought.

Mr. Mulock, the popular member of North York, has been elected president of the Ontario lacrosse club, and he will be on the Jarvis street grounds on Saturday to see his boys play the Torentos. see his boys play the Torentos.

The Mail in its report of the Hamilton trotting meeting charges Alf. Brown, the driver of Jennie Arthur (the horse of Mr. James Mackie of Toronto), with withdrawing that horse for "some unaccountable reason." Brown drew the mare because the drivers of the other horses had run into him in the first two heats and did their best to jockey him on several occasion.
The judges were not up to their business.

Trotting at Chicago.
CHICAGO, June 4.—The trotting ra here to-day were interrupted by rain and postponed until to-morrow. In the first race for the 2.30 class, Mambrino Sparkle won the first and fourth heats, Secret the second and third; time 2 25½, 2 24¾, 2.24¼, 2.26. In the second race for roadsters, the first heat was won by Horsemont Boy, second and third heats by Shepherd Boy, the fourth heat by Blue Bull Pilot; time 2.40, 2.38½, 2.38¾, 2.50.

HAMILTON, June 4.—The second day's races at the Hamilton June meeting were well attended. In the 2.34 class C. Walmoney, C. F. Dunbar's (Homer) b. m. Pina-tore 2d, and O. Nolva's b. g. St. Patrick 3d. In the 2.50 trot Ben. Gould's (Drum-mondville) blk. g. Jet took first, E. James' (Homer) blk. g. Carlisle 2d, and A. Baines' (St. Catharines) b. g. Tom Brown 3d. The local trot was not finished.

lay. Summary 2.25 class, purse \$600 di-

Grady's b. g. Elmer.
P. Whaley's b. m. Nellie Bryant.
W. Russell's b. g. Will Benham.
D. Marsh's b. g. George A.
H. Dere's b. m. Galates.
Time—2.30, 2.254, 2.264.

Free for all pacers, \$600 divided-Billy 1st, Princess 2d; time 2.231, 2.181,

Brighton Beach Races BRIGHTON BEACH, June 4.-First race purse \$250, 4-mile - King Fan never headed; time 1.16\(\frac{1}{2}\). Second race, purse \$250, 1\(\frac{1}{2}\) miles, Jim Nelson lst, Bavaria and Lute String dead heat for second place; time 1.58. Third race, Brighton Beach stakes, for 3-year-olds, 1 mile—Tattler 1st, Tornado 2d, King Tom 3d; time 1.45]. Fourth race, purse \$250, 1½ miles—Miss Brewster 1st, Mike's Pride 2d, Flower of Meath 3d; time 2.11½. Fifth ware sures \$250 handican steenlechase race, purse \$250, handicap steeplechase over short course—Buckra 1st, Captain 2d, Compromise 3d: time 2.471.

Jerome Park Races. NEW YORK, June 4. - The fourth day of the spring meeting of the jockey club at Jerome park. Track fast. First racemile, for three-year olds and upwards, Orator 1st, Glideaway 2d, Tattoo colt 3d; time 1.19. Second race—Free handicap sweepstakes for all ages, mile, Jim Ren-wick 1st, Reed 2d, Euclid 3d; time 1.47. Third race—Handicap sweepstakes, mile furlong and a half. Waliflower 1st, Jenfurlong and a half. Walflower 1st, Jennings 2d; time 2.09. Fourth race—Selling race, mile and half furlong, Checkmate 1st, Nitot 2d, Lytton 3d; time 1.56‡. Fifth race—Handicap hurdle, mile and three-quarters, over six hurdles, Beverwyck 1st in common canter by ten lengths, Clonmel 2d; time 2.51‡.

ons of England C. C. v. St. George's C. C The above clubs met on Garrison com mon yesterday. The S. O. E. men went nto bat first, but owing to the excellent fielding and bowling of Farnan for the St. George's, they were all disposed of for the small score of 24. The only one to make a stand was A. Heseltine; he was batting very steady for a length of time before he was able to break his "duck," when a change of bowling took place for the worse. He soon began to drive the leather, but after making 4 runs he had the misfortune after making 4 runs he had the mistortune to have to leave his wicket, owing to a dispute, the umpire not giving his decision. On St. George's men going into bat it was thought the above score would be beat with but little trouble, but Griffith and Hezeltine; who had the handling of the leather, were dead on the wicket. When the leather, was in St. George's wanted 2

SPORTING NOTES. Louisville 6. Brooklyn 3, at New York

no connection with the article that recently appeared in The World signed Temperappeared in The World signed Temperance. That letter was as reprehensible to us as it could be to our opponents, and we trust there is enough of right and justice in our cause to make such an unjustifiable

in our cause to make such an unjustifiable imeans of verbal contest unnecessary.

And now at the outset, for there will be no attempts at delusion in these letters, we must acknowledge a fact that there is no gainsaying, and that is that a majority of the business men of Oakvillegis opposed to the Scott act, and profess to believe that it has injured business and has proven a failure. But while admitting this, we wish to protest against the very unfair advantage that is taken of this fact. Our opponents try to make outsiders believe that these business men are hostile to the act because it has proven a failure and has injured business, and that the fact that these men are hostille is of great significance and an incontrovertible proof of the failure of the act. But that which they would nave people believe to be of the greatest importance is, in reality, of no importance at all. ple believe to be of the greatest importance is, in reality, of no importance at all. Every one in Oakville knows that probably without an exception these same men who now say the act is a failure opposed the act with all their influence when it was first submitted; they have opposed it ever since; they have done all that lay in their power to frustrate its administration, not because it is a failure, or has injured business, but because from the beginning they have felt and manifested towards the act a deeply scated and un reasoning hostility, for which hostility impartial observers can assign no their cases, affect either their pockets or their appetites. We cannot see how reasonable men, men who have one spark of fair play in their composition, can or daretoso insult the intelligence of the people of Halton, as to ask them to believe or be influenced by such a distortion of facts. And just here we might refer to the noteworthy and very significant fact that most of the attempts to make capital out of such statements are not openly made in Halton, but in other and far distant counties. These men seem to have a wholesome dread of the public sentiment of the county. statements are not openly made in Halton, but in other and far distant counties. These men seem to have a wholesome dread of the public sentiment of the county, and are not over-anxious to face the music at home. For i.stance, a couple of weeks ago a public meeting was held in Oakville to discuss the success or non-success of the Scett act in Halton, and its effect on the trade of Oakville. The meeting was called by the friends of the act, and, though public discussion was challenged, not one of these men who make such a noise and talk so glibly elsewhere was present to defend his position. They know too well that if the same statements were made here that are made in other counties, the people would simply laugh at them for their pains; for here the facts of the case are too well known for such unmanly attempts to succeed. At the meeting above mentioned—a meeting composed of representative men of the town and the immediate vicinity—when a vote was taken on a resolution, which stated that the act is a success and has not injured business, almost the entire audience rose in favor of it; and although a very few refrained from voting at all, not a man voted against it. That does not look much as though the people of Oakville were disgusted with the act and were anxious for an opportunity of repealing it.

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gusted with the act and were anxious for an opportunity of repealing it.

Our position then is this, that the hostility of so many of the business men towards the act proves nothing, because they were just as hostile at the beginning, before they knew anything about what the effect of the act would be; and one very strong proof that they themselves do not believe what they say is the solicitude they show in shunning discussion of the subject in their own town. In our next we will discuss the effect of the act on the trade of Oakville.

Oakville, June 3. Oakville, June 3.

From Another Friend of the Act.

To the Editor of The World. SIR: You need not be informed that or county is the battlefield of the great temperance cause, hence it is that here the Rum-fiend delights to hurl his artillery. leather, were dead on the wicket. When the last man was in St. George's wanted 2 runs to win, and owing to an overthrow by one of the fielders, 3 more were added, which made them winners by 2 runs, the last man being caught off Heseltine on the next ball. The S. O. E. men went in for their second innings, but were all disposed of for 36, when time was called. Of this number—Griffith 11, Hezeltine and Sharp 7 each—were the chief scorers. Although the scores were small, the fielding and bowling of both teams was a grand exhibition. Farnan bowled excellent for St. George's, as did also Heseltine and Griffith for the Sons of England. We fear not the contest; evil in its mani

SCOTT ACT IN HAITON.

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A CONSERVATIVE.

Oakville, June 3, 1884.

Remember to vote to-day for the By-law for permanent im-provements.

love and remembrance from your friend ever, Henry Irving."

Edward Simms, organist of St. Michael's church, Coventry, in England, who has held that position since 1828, was born in 1800, and performed his first service when only 10 was and 10 was ald Sizes that the same lot is the dwelling place of Wm. A. Acheson and wife.

For a while back Anketell and Acheson has been same lot in the dwelling place of Wm. A.

1800, and performed his first service when only 10 years old. Since that date, a peried of seventy-four years, he has continued in the constant exercise of an organist's duties, and still conducts a full choral service without assistance.

Anson Phelps Dedge and Ven Hugel.

Mr. Anson Phelps Dodge, who at one time sat for North York in the dominion house of commons, is at present in the city, the guest of Governor Robinson. Mr. Dodge has been warmly greeted by his many old friends in Toronto and they all say he is looking heartier than ever. He is now engaged in building a railroad through the state of Kentucky, and it is more than likely that he will invite the mayors of the towns and cities of Ontario to take a trip through the blue grass country some time this summer. Von Hugel was happy in a new white plug hat, and a black frock coat and light pants. Mr. Dodge affects a grey tweed frock.

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The interests of the city requi es that the deb-nture by-law should be carried to-day.

A large number of spectators gathered at the synagogue yesterday afternoon to witness the nuptials of Mr. Coleman Finn and Miss Annie Blume. The ceremony and Miss Annie Blume. The ceremony was performed by Rabbi Phillips. A peculiar feature of the ceremony was the gathering of the bridal party under a canopy and the breaking of a thin glass goblet by the bridegroom. The act is intended to symbolize the lasting nature of the marital relation, the idea being that the separation of the parties is as improved. the marital relation, the local cease the separation of the parties is as improbable as the re-uniting of the broken fragments of glass. In the evening the newly married couple gave a reception at Occident hall.

held at No. 4 station last night for assault and trespass, the complainant being Mrs. Alkins of 198 Berkeley street. The trouble arose because Mrs. Alkins would not leave her husband and go with Edwards, who is an old admirer. The lady was, however, not that kind of a person, whereupon the accused got mad and struck her.

A young man last night found a bas ket on Major street. He also found a baby. The baby was in the basket, wrapped up in a shawl. The finder notified the police, who caused the waif to be removed to the infants' home.

Vote for the By law - more fre protection.

HALIFAX, N.S., June 4 .- The annual communication of the masonic grand lodge of Nova Scotia opened here at noon to-day.

The election of officers resulted in the appointment of Major General J. Wilburn of Oakfield as grand master, Jas. Dempster of Halifax as grand treasurer, and Benj. Curren, D.C.L., of Halifax as grand secondary.

The amateur athletic champions, L. E. Myers, A. Waldron and H. Fredericks of the Manhattan club, and E. P. Murray of the Williamsburg club, sailed yesterday from New York for England, where they are to compete with the English champion athletes this summer.

Joseffy, the eminent planist, appears in the Gardens to-night.

The authorities took the clerk Cliff into oustody and he was at the inquest. Mr. Gainor considered him competent to take charge of the store. Cliff has been about three years in the drug business. Mr. Gainor could not account for the reason why prisoner did not give the boy rue, instead of yellow jessmin.

Application was made by Mr. Murphy to allow Cliff out on bail, but County Attorney Fenton objected, and the coroner refused to grant it, the accused being removed to the jail. The enquiry was adjourned till Tuesday next.

Remember to vote to-day for the By-law for permanent im-provements.

A BLOODY BATTLE.

Mr. Irving sent to Mr. Barrett, upon the evening of the latter's farewell performance in London, the order of St. George worn by Edmund Kean as Rishard III. Attached to the gift was a note that read: "My dear Barrett—Sometimes just wear this around your neck as a token of love and remembrance from your friend ever, Henry Irving."

Edward Simms, organist of St. Michael's Church street, a small brick house at 565

in the face and twice in the chest. A cheson fared worse. He received two large scalp wounds and was badly cut over the right eye. Mrs. Acheson's only injury was a cut beneath the eye. Mrs. Roberts was not hurt. So the battle ended.

Then the officer arrested his three assilants and marched them to St. Paul's police station. A charge of aggravated assault was entered against Acheson. Dr. Johnson dressed his wounds and ordered his removal to the hospital, whither he was taken at 9 o'clock. The women were bailed out by Mrs. Roberts' husband, a well dressed and intelligent looking young man, who felt very bad over the affair. The Roberts live at 136 Brook street. The worst injury Policeman Anketeli received.

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Brief bag is quite the correct name for those ittle leather satchels carried by a me of our eminent barristers. The interest manifested by the profession in The World articles on by the profession in The World articles on them is remarkable. Staid judges, as well as budding law sprigs, are alive to the subject. The World gained some further information yesterday. Mr. Marsh, who loves to display a blue bag, and is fortunate in the number of briefs that he hol's, thinks they are professional dudes who affect them. Mr. King ford and his hilmet, on the contrary, said they were "deuced handy," while Willie Foster volunteered the information that Charley Riordon had promised to bring him one out the last time he was in England, but had neglected to do so. Charley ought to do served, up one of the sub-lanes off Leader line, also armed with one of these badges of barristerial distinction. A Hansard r porter who had known Æ. Irving in his parliament ary days, swore that he had seen that eminent Q.C. emerging from a butcher shop on Kirg street west with the indispensable bag in his hand. W. Lockhart Gordon of his in Aberdeen. Attorney-General Miller is to bring one out for Henry J. Scott, Q.C. A pleasant-faced lady came in the office during the day a d asked when the list was going in. The comsaked when the list was going in. In a plete list will not be published for some days, she was told. Oh, that's all right then; I've ordered one for my hubby, and he'll have it in two days. He's just got his first brief. And she went out happy.

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