What is Scrofula

It is that impurity in the blood, which, accumulating in the glands of the neck; produces unsightly lumps or swellings; which causes paintal running sores on the arms, legs, or feet; which developes ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; which is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or many other manifestations usually ascribed to "lumora." It is a more formidable enemy than consumption or cancer alone, for scrotula combines the worst possible features of both. Being the most ancient, it is the most general of all diseases or affections, for very few persons are entirely free from it. How can it be cared? By taking Hood's Sarsapurilla, which, by the cures it has accomplished, clien when other medicines have falled, has proven itself to be a potent and peculiar medicine for this disease. For all affections of the blood Hood's Sarsaparilla is unequalled, and some of the cures it has effected are really wonderful. If you suffer from scrotula in any of its various forms, be aure to give Hood's Sarsaparilla?

Hood's Sarsaparilla Sold by all druggists. \$1; six for \$5. Prepared on by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mar 100 Doses One Dollar

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Pugilist Slavin Offered \$6,000 to Box with Bruiser Corbett.

No Time for Baseball Magnates to Gloat Oarsmen McLean and Kemp Matched.

W. LEE, Toronto.

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The Buffaic Courier has information which leads it to believe that Buffaio will secure an American Association franchise. The new American Association will most likely be composed of Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington in the east and Columbus. Chicago, Louisville and St. Louis in the west.

There will be more players than needed next year, and salaries must come down. The National League and American Association have made a compact to sign no players at present, and none are likely to be signed until an agreement has been reached about the salary limit.

"The Players' League appeared to have the money, the best players and the confidence, to a large extent, of devotees of the game. But our rivals played a losing game from the start. They did not use good business tact. Tho backers allowed the players to run things, instead of making them confine their efforts to the field. A man may be able to throw curves or bat the ball in first-class style, and still know nothing about business. Pattic an sing, but I doubt if she could manage the auditorium."—[A. G. Spalding.

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twelve inches above the mark. Hence, the reason Mr. Harrison now goes around with his backbone in a sling. After all, Mr. Sullivan may be a football player instead of a play actor.—[Sporting Times.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Frank P. Slavin has received a cable dispatch from the Olympic Club, New Orleans, offering a purse of \$6,000 if he will meet Corbett in a sparring match before that club. Slavin says he will accept the offer if Corbett will make a side bet of £500. He also requires Corbett to make a deposit of £200 forleit with some reputable sporting paper in New York or London. If these terms are acceptable the club may forward the articles of agreement at once for Slavin's signature.

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Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 3.—John Mc.

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Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 3.—John Mc-Lean and Peter Kemp have been matched to row over the Parramatta course on Mon-day, Dec. 15, for £200 a side and the champiouship of the world.

VOICES OF THE PEOPLE.

The People Must Decide.

The relation of the ADVENTISER:

The relation of the City Council to the citizen is one upon which at least one of our aldermen needs some light. It has always been my opinion that the people elect the aldermen to represent them, and that the people's wish should be their law. In fact I have thought that the aldermen should as far as possible find out the people's desires and then have them carried into effect. Eurely this is a correct position. One of our aldermen in speaking of a large petition now being circulated and asking that the people be allowed to vote to a the question of reduction of licenses, said: "The number of petitioners will make no difference to the aldermen (evidently meaning himself); that they would knock the citizens' petition higher than a kite," which means that so far as this one man is concerned the people will not be allowed to will not be allowed to be a strong the citizens' petition higher than a kite," which means that so far as this one man is concerned the people will not be allowed to be the citizens' people will not be allowed to be a strong the content of the content of the content of the citizens' petition higher than a kite," which means that so far as this one man is concerned the people will not be allowed to be citizens' people will not be allowed to be content. than a kite," which means that so far as this one man is concerned the people will not be allowed to vote on a matter that is wholly their own. Would any citizen have dreamed that an expression of such tyranny could be possible in our day, in our own city and by one of our city fathers? This one must learn that the people of London are not under Russian bondage, and that his game at Czarism will only result in his being snowed in very shortly. Voter.

TORONTO LETTER.

Rev. Mr. Carson's Reasons for Leaving—Found Dead in Bod—Contagious
Diseases in the City.
TORONTO, Wednesday, Dec. 3.
The Toronto Separate School Board has decided to replace the secular teachers in St. Helen's school by members of religious

orders.

The Collegiate Institute Board has de-

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When the Board of Education was called to order last evening at 8 o'clock the following were present: Chairman Jeffery, Trustees Rowlands, Cook, Craig, Woodward, Turner, Love, Durdin, Childs, Allaster, Johnston, Tanton, Brady, Yates, Luscombe and Stephenson, Inspector Boyle and Secretary, Abbott.

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COMMUNICATIONS.
From R. M. Graham—Re boundary dions and giving suggestions.

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From Miss M. Flory—Asking appointment as kindergarten teacher in St. George's school. No. 1.

Mrs. Porter—Asking additional pay for cleaning Hamilton road school. No. 1.

From John Fleming—Re payment as contracted Askin street school, complaining

cleaning Hamilton road school. No. 1.

From John Fleming—Re payment as contractor of Askin street school, complaining \$50 had been deducted. No. 2.
From C. W. Hodges—Asking janitorship of Hamilton road school. No. 1.

Mr. John Bland—Asking why recesses had been abolished in Taibot street school, as he considered such procedure unhealthful. No. 1.

From N. A. Tully, et al.—Asking grant of \$25 on behalf of paper which the Collegiate Institute pupils intend to issue.

From J. C. Stewart—Asking establishment of a kindergarten at Talbot street school as piano had been furnished.

Granted.

From A. C. Mounteer—Re formation of elocution classes in schools. No. 1.

From Miss L. V. Porter—Resigning position as teacher. Accepted.

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From Mrs. Eliza Hamilton — Asking extra remuneration on account of night school at Hamilton road. No. 2.

From Mr. A. McQueen and Misses Macklin, L. Westland, A. Robertson, Maud Reid, McKenzie, D. D. Robertson, Evans, McLeod and Kate Cameron—For increases of salary. No. 1.

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Leod and Kate Cameron—for increases of salary. No. 1.

Some discussion arose over the grant to the Collegiate Institute pupils. Trustees Luscombe, Cook, Love and Yates strongly recommended that the amount asked for (\$25) be granted, as an encouragement to the laudable object the students had in view, and also as a means of advertising the institute.

WATCHING A COMPANION.

Watch and Address — A Compliment-ary Banquet Concludes the Programme.

done away with.

Trustee Love agreed with the previous speaker. Lorne avenue school, in his opinion, was one of the best equipped in the city. opinion, was one of the best equipped in the city.

Trustee Allaster said Lorne avenue school was already too full. There was not much room for more children.

The clause was finally adopted.
On clause 4 Trustee Childs suggested they had better wait until the principal came, and then lay it over for the new Board to deal with, although Mr. Little's remuneration for his services as acting principal should be granted. His motion to that offect was lost.

Trustee Brady's amendment to make the salary \$1,100, with \$200 for the acting principalship services was also lost, and the committee's clause adopted.

Trustee Luscombe handled clause 5 without gloves. He didn't see why they should beg the ratepayers for money to purchase pianos when they had plenty of money to raise salaries and build schools. His amendment that the kindergarten privileges be extended to all the city schools, was carried.

The names of Misses Johnston, Morris

ary Banquet Concludes the
Programme.

The committee appointed by the Grand Chapter at Kingston in July to procure and Capter at Kingston in July to procure and Capter at Kingston in July to procure and Capter their mission last evening. The presentation took place in the Blue Room of the Masonic Temple and was witnessed by the royal companions of St. John's and St. George's Chapters. The brethree were honored by the presence of M. Ex-Comp. Mason, grand Z.; pc. Z. M. Ex-Comp. M. William of the Commission of the Comp. St. Thomas; W. Abernatic Q. McLeyd, Ext. Comp. A. Ex-Comp. M. William of the Commission of the Comp. Sargent, pc. Z., J. J. Mason, G. Z., D. McLellan, G. S.E., J. S. Dewar, pc. G. S. N., and A. B. Munson, P. C.S., the waited on Ex-Comp. Magneric and equested him tea accept a handsome is a gold with the provided of the proceedings were to brought to a close to the composition of the Composition of the Comp. Sargent, pc. Z., J. J. Mason, G. Z., D. McLellan, G. S.E., J. S. Dewar, pc. G. S. N., and A. B. Munson, P. C.S., the waited on Ex-Comp. Magneric and the provided of the proceedings were to bank the death of the provided with the grand C.; pc. S. N., and the provided with the grand C.; pc. S. N., and A. B. Munson, P. C.S., the waited on Ex-Comp. Magneric and the provided pro His amendment that the kindergarten privileges be extended to all the city schools, was carried.

The names of Misses Johnston, Morris and Porter were proposed as additions to the list on clause 6, but were voted down. Clause 8 passed after a little kicking. The ninth was also adopted and Miss Veda Miller and Miss Case appointed assistants in the Simoes street and Talbot street schools respectively. The report was then adopted as amended.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Trustee Stephenson reported having interviewed the Collegiate Institute teachers regarding the time of notice to be given the Board in case of a teacher leaving. They were unanimous in asking one month's notice instead of three, as at present. The request was granted.

It was decided to give Messrs. Wilson and Woodburn the title of principals in future and drop the prefix "acting."

It was now about 11 p.m. and the members began to file out until there was within one of a quorum present. Trustee Cook coaxed Trustee Brady back and carried a motion to the effect that one half of the fees for first and second-class and university work be returned to successful candidates.

Trustee Love also succeeded in getting a bare quorum, while he moved that No. 2 Committee be empowered to furnish the janitors with anow shovels and other winter necessities. Carried.

Chairman Jeffery wound up the meeting by moving that Trustee Stephenson arrange for the signing of agreements with the city teachers on the one month's notice question.

Ex-Comps. M. Walsh and J. Woolson, Ingersoll; N. W. Ford, St. Thomas; W. Abernethy, Moore; T. M. Davis, Hamilton, and Ex-Comp. Curado, of New York.

"The Grand-Lodge of Canada" was the last toast on the list, and was coupled with the names of A. B. Munson, D.D.G. M.; George C. Davis, G.J.W.; J. S. Dewar, P.G.J.W., and Rev. Bro. Davis, F.G.C., each of whom briefly replied.

Companions A. D. Holman, Capt. Robson and C. W. Davis contributed songs during the evening, and after several "healths" had been proposed and responded to the proceedings were brought to a close the Grand Chapter of Canada

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John Seid, 16 years of age, was instantly
killed on the Michigan Central Railroad at
Francisco, Jackson county, Friday night.
Seid attempted to board a moving train.
His head was crushed and his left arm