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HORSE FOUND IN THE RUINS. Power Plants Do Not Lower the

Its Groans Attracted the Attention of Soldiers in Messina.

Several Earth Shocks Felt at Reggio To-day.

Volcano Eruption and Earthquake Shocks in Mexico.

is still smoking to-day, smothering the whole town with the smoke and the smell of burning debris. All night long STOLE HIS a close watch was maintained, and the working pumps was continued for fear the flames might break out again.

A cordon of troops is still maintained about the burnt district to be ready in One Who Pleaded Not Guilty

case of emergency.

At a high part of the city soldiers were attracted by groans under some of the ruins, and worked strenuously until a hole was made, through which one of them made an effort to reach the spot from wilence the lamentations came. There he discovered a head of a horse with its body buried under the debris. The proor animal was fed and debris.

MORE SHOCKS.

Reggio, Jan. 20.—Several additional arth shocks at short intervals were felt here to-day.

MEXICAN VOLCANO. Mexico City, Jan. 20.—The volcano near the city of Colmina is in eruption. It is throwing out a great quantity of ashes and pumice stone. Several slight earthquake shocks have been reported that region, but no damage has

Predictions of more severe earthquake

PETROLEA CALL.

KIERAN MISSING.

Buffalo, Jan. 20.—P. J. Kieran, the head of the Fidelity Funding Co., who was in Buffalo yesterday, has disappeared just as quietly as he appeared here, and no trace can be found of him to-day. Neither of his two attorneys, Shire & Jellinck, is in Buffalo to-day to throw any light on their client's movements. It is thought possible that Mr. Jellinck has accompanied Mr. Kieran to New York.

A Big 10c Plug.

Shamrock smoking tobacco in the large plugs is sold three for a quarter at peace's cigar store. Three large plugs of the Black Watch chewing tobacco is sold for 25 cents at 10 king street east.

WATER AT FALLS.

Water Very Much.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Jan. 20 .- The report of the International Waters Comport of the International Waters Commission on its findings with relation to the diversion of water into the Niagara River by the power plants, based on observations made June 14, July 19, and on Aug. 1 last, when the two American plants shut down to permit an inspection, shows that by these two plants diverting 8,000 cubic feet a second, lowered the water only two-fifths of an inch. Messina, Jan. 20.—The area swept yesterday by fire, which broke out among the ruins left by the earthquake, is still smoking to day, smothering the

Identified by Purchaser.

Joseph Midwinter, 57 Liberty street arrested last night by Detective Savers on a charge of stealing an accordeon a horse with its body buried under the debris. The poor animal was fed and watered, as it was impossible to proceed immediately with the excavation, as it was very dangerous for the workers to touch the ruins, the walls above being on the point of falling.

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was committed for trial, and the other nan was remanded a few days for sen-

FATAL EXPLOSION.

Port Dalhousie, Ont., Jan. 20.

GOOD ROADS BY-LAW TO PEOPLE AGAIN.

Will Likely be Voted on Soon---Engineer Barrow Urging For Electric Pumps.

Indications are that the good roads by-is \$300,000, the amount asked for the which was swamped in the municipal law which was swamped in the municipal election will be submitted again early this year, which will make the third time the ratepayers have voted on the question in less than a year. The matter was discussed last night by the Board Works, and the plan that seems to of Works, and the plan that seems to be favored is for the city to conduct a vigorous campaign on behalf of the bylaw. The Council must have money to do roadwork this year, particularly on the streets where the railway company will re-construct its roadbed. The city is in a bad way, financially, and it will be impossible to get the money from the funds at present available. Chairman Allan favors the submission of the by-law again provided all the members of the Council approve of it and agree to take nart in the open-call and the conduct of the council approve of it and agree to take nart in the open-call and agree to take Council approve of it and agree to take part in the proposed campaign. The idea is to hold public meetings in each ward and explain to the ratepayers just what it means. The aldermen say that there is only one other resort, and that is local improvement, if the people will not vote the money to put the roads in proper shape. They say the sum required

City Engineer Barrow to-night will ecommend the Fire and Water Commit-ee to deal at once with the question of new electric pumps for the Beach stanew electric pumps for the Beach station. Mr. Barrow says he will do this to clear himself in case of an accident, as it is a well-known fact that the pumps at the Beach are in danger because of the great strain upon them. It is doubtful, however, if the committee to-night will be in a position to send on to the Council a recommendation to close the contract. City Solicitor Waddell has not heard from Toronto yet regarding the formal power judgment and will be unable to have his opinion ready for the committee to-night. The city officials the formal power judgment and will be unable to have his opinion ready for the committee to-night. The city officials say that in any event it would be impossible for the Council to award the contract for the pumps until the Cataract Power Company approves of the pumps and equipment it is proposed to order. The contract distinctly stipulates that this must be done and, although it was pointed out last year, so far the

OPENING OF PARLIAMENT.

Inaugural Ceremony at Ottawa To-day---Historical Sk .ch of the Government of the Dominion'



On Parliament Hill, Ottawa, this afernoon a ceremony is in progress which although of comparatively little interest to the jaded optics of the capitalites who are accustomed to that sort of thing, will be one of great historical interest to Canada in years to come.

Canada may be said to have completed declined to elect. Moran pleaded guilty a round of ten Parliaments, and is now said the pair were at his place on York the speech from the throne is read

ment of the Dominion is also an even of considerable personal interest. Si Wilfrid Laurier, the Premier, is in the way of breaking a few records in the

Smith, Inspector of Prisons and

Charities for Ontario, to the effect

that the County Council of Went-

worth will have to take immedi-

ate action in regard to the build-

letter is self-explanatory: Toronto, Jan. 18, 1909.

ing of a House of Refuge. The

To the County Clerk, Hamilton,

Ont.:

Dear Sir.—I have to direct the attention of your County Council to the fact that so far no House of Refuge has been erected in the county of Wentworth. The statute now makes it imperative for every county in Ontario to erect a House of Refuge before Jan. I next, and action should no longer be delayed in the matter. It will take at least a year to build and properly equip a House of Refuge, and on that account it will be necessary for the matter to be settled at the January session.

Kindly notify the department what action is taken by the County Council at the coming session.

ty Council at the coming session.

It would be as well to have your County Council understand that any ratepayer can compel by mandamus the erection of a House

mandamus the erection of a House of Refuge in compliance with the amended statute.

The attention of the Govern-

Refuge beauther delay in your country ther delay in your country obedient servant,
R. W. Bruce Smith.

Start Early

to break up a cold. catching cold get a box of Parke's Laxative Quinine cold cure tablets and take them according to direction. They break up a cold in a very short time, being chocolate coated they are easy to take. Sold at 20c per box at Parke & Parke, druggists.

We have special report on this property, also have photos of samples from the Bartlett, and full information, at room 600, Bank of Hamilton Chambers. E. B. Arthur, representative. Phone 500. Office also open every evening.

-Pastor P. W. Philpott is in Boston

conducting a week of special services in the late A. J. Gordon's Church.

FROM THE BARTLETT

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MINES, GOWGANDA.

cessary for him to win another gen-

eral election.

It might be interesting in this connection to note the names of the various Premiers of Canada since Confederation and the periods for which they were in

Sir John A. Macdonald, July 1st, 1867, Hon. Alexander Mackenzie, Nov. 7th,

John A Macdonald, Oct 17th 1878, Conservative. Sir J. J. C. Abbott, June 6th, 1891,

Conservative, Sir J. S. D. Thompson, Dec. 5th, 1892, Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Dec. 21st, 1894, Conservative. Sir Charles Tupper, May 1st, 1896,

Conservative. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, July 13th, 1896. Liberal.

A TURNING POINT.

The opening of the Eleventh Parliament comes at what might be termed a turning point in the industrial and commercial development of the country and a great deal may be considered to depend as to the future on the character of the legislation turned out by the



Rev. John McNair, of Oakville,
Gets Call to Church.

Petroies, Ont., Jan. 20.—At a well attended meeting of the First Presbyter in Church held here last evenily by Constables Sharp, James Constituting the Martine Angelia Land House of the Canadian State of the Can

LADY LAURIER.

mark time for a period.

MANY NEW FACES.

Many of the men who helped to guide Canada along the right way for years past in her national affairs are again in their seats to-day, prepared to continue the good work on the other hand, there was no overdue interest. Rev John Fletcher, late of Barton, was placed on the list of retired clergymen.

His Lordship thought it was an understood the funds to be well invested and that there was no overdue interest. Rev John Fletcher, late of Barton, was placed on the list of retired clergymen.

His Lordship Bishop Du Joulin reported that the missions of Calbeek and Damascus, Erin, Hillsburgh and Reading, Acton and Rockwood and Fergus were vacant, but the services were being continued and the public being provided for.

Archdeacon Clark reported as to the spiends of clergymen within his archideacon constituting the Maritime Provinces constituting the Maritime Provinces afford the most numerous changes in the personnel of the new Parliament. There are also some mey faces from the Pacific Coast and from Manitoba, but the new Provinces of Alberta and Sassa katchewan sent a lot of new men representing new constituencies, but recently carved out of the great western country which is so full of promise. It will be remembered that these seats—were created during the last Parliament, but were not to be filled until the elections for the succeeding Parliament were held.

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I hope there was no miscarriage of justice in that cruelty to horses case.

Ald. Morris says the last Friday night Have the hotel men got the requisit number of aldermen fixed?

I notice that so far this year none of aries boosted. It's a labor of love, any-

I must have been asleep, for this municipal art gallery is something new to me.

No way to make ex-Mayor Stewart pay that overdraft, I suppose?

Good rule to go by-Never talk back

Level crossings are dangerous, so is thin ice. Keep your distance. There are tragedies enough without drowning. The attention of the dotter ment has been specially called to the necessity of a House of Refuge being erected without further delay in your county. Your Mr. Samuel Barker is right when burges parents to teach their children politeness. They should also be taught not to defile their lips with profane language. What about yourself?

The aldermen should not mistake th force of the temperance wave. It is a settled conviction that the city can do better with less drinking.

Blanket your horse.

Some men when they get into a cutter behind a spæking good horse act as if they thought pedestrians had no rights off the sidewalk. Now this is a mistak-en idea and one that the Magistrate may yet have to correct.

Is there anything else likely to happen b London?

Possibly the hotel men may have something up their sleeve. I notice that the bottle brigade did not put in an appearance at the City Hall.

Coming so soon after Christmas, I as imrised to see the merchants doing so well.

place this afternoon at the home of the oride's parents, when Miss Eleanor Maud Leckenby, eldest daughter of Mr. rancis J. and Mrs. Leckenby, and Dr. Emmett Scarlett, of Callender, Ont. ere united by the holy bonds of matri-

The aldermen might save a little money by putting the City Hall on half time these dull days.

Well, we will all miss Mr. Zimmerman from Ottawa this session. He was all time, trimmed with baby Irish lace over white satin and a large bouquet of roses. and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid and a large black picture hat. Mr. and Mrs. Scarlett will leave on the 6.20 T., II. & B. train to-night for New York and Washington, to spend their honey-

Moon.

When the happy couple return to this city Dr. Scarlett will take up a practise

SUNDAY CONCERTS.

Armory Rink to be Turned Into a "Palm Garden."

Mr. Arthur Grayson, a moving pie ture man, has formed a company, the Armory Palm Garden Co., and secured Armory Paim Garden Co., and secured a lease of the Armory rink from April 1 to Oct. 1. The company intends to have the place decorated, and present cheap and attractive programmes during the summer. It also intends to give Sunday concerts, in the afternoons and evenings, a collection being taken at the door.

For Breakfast.

Actional H. O. hominy, parched farinose, Scotch catmeal, Irish oatmeal, laxa food, granola, brose meal, old-fashioned buckwheat flour, malt breakfast food, Pettijohn, Quaker, farina, flaked rice and all the other leading breakfast foods, maple syrup, New Orleans molasses, etc.—Bain & Adams, 89-91 King street east.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.
To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, willasilver and other valuables.

TRADERS BANK OF CANADA farina, H. O. hominy, parched farinose Scotch oatmeal, Irish oatmeal, laxe

DIED FROM HOME.

Woodstock Citizen Meets With Fatality at Halifax.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Woodstock, Ont., Jan. 20.—Word has seen received here of the death by accibeen received here of the death by acct dent, the nature of which was not given of Joseph Maycock, one of Woodstock's earliest settlers, yesterday, at Halifax where he went a few months ago to visit a son. Mr. Maycock was in his 91s year, and settled in Woodstock over 69 years ago, his first residence being now one of the old landmarks. For man, years he curried on a painting and nance years he carried on a painting and paper hanging business, and book and station nanging business, and book and station-ery store. After his retirement, up to the time of going to Halifax, hardly a day passed but he was engaged in some work or other. To his indefatigable in-dustry is attributed his long life and excellent health. He was a member of the Hospital Board, and a worthy citizen in all respects.

FOUR BELOW THE MINIMUM.

Synod Standing Committee Discussed Salaries.

The standing committee of the Synod of Niagara met yesterday at tions for a settlement.

Justice Teetzel announced this morn-

Those present were: Bishop DuMoulin, Archdeacon Clark; Canons Sutherland, Spencer, Abbott; Rural deans Belt, of Milton; Bevan, of Niagara Falls; Irving, of Dundas; Dev. F. E. Howitt; R. Ker, of St. Catharines; E. A. R. Burns, Dr. Miller and N. I. Perry, of St. Catharines; Rev. J. H. Ross, Chippawa. Laymen—G. E. Bristol, J. H. Collinson, Adam Brown, William Nicholson, T. E. Leather, Chancellor Kerwin Martin, H. E. McLaren, C. Lemon, R. R. Bruce, C. W. Heming, W. J. Hobson, E. Kendrick, Ancaster; J. H. Ingersoll, K.C., St. Catharines; A. Gummer, of Guelph.

ENTERTAINED MANAGERS.

The members of the Board of Manage The members of the Board of Management of St. John Presbyterian Church were the guests, last night, of the chairman of the Board of the chairman of the Board, Mr. Arthur Eastman and Mrs. Eastman. A short vocal and instrumental programme was given, and a very pleasant time spent.

The members of the Board of Management of Management of St. John Presbyterian Church were the guests, last night, of the chairman of the Board of the chairman of the Board of Management of the Work of the Volcano of Lagnas last night, was not eruption, but merely a great cloudburst over Mount Banahai.

The area damaged by the storm is apparently very wide. The governor of

HARVARD PRESIDENT.

Boston, Jan. 20 .- The Board of Overres of Harvard College to-day confirm the nomination of Professor Abbott Lowell as president of Harvard Uni-rsity, to succeed President Eliot. d the nomination of Professor Abbott

COMPANY DID RIGHT THING.

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Steel & Iron Company Commended at Assize Court.

Italian's Action For Malicious Prosecution Was Dismissed.

Another Case of Personal Injuries Heard To-day.

Judge Tectzel dismissed the action of Frank Gollasi, an Italian laborer, who sought to recover \$1,000 damages for false arrest and malicious prosecution from G. Danza, yesterday afternoon, Gollasi alleged that Danza had maliciously had him arrested on a charge of attempted murder, on Sept. 20 last, on Danza's wife. He was acquitted in the Police Court. It was shown that there was bad feeling between the two, and that Gollasi feeling between the two, and that Gollasi made threats. After hearing the evidence, His Lordship nonsuited the action, holding that Danza had sufficient cause for asying the charge. T. C. Robinette, K. C., for the plaintiff, and Geo. Lynch-Staunton, K. C., for the defendant. The case of J. Southorn vs. the Hamilton Steel & Iron Company was laid ever for the time heigh gending needing.

financial overloading of large institutions and organizations, which brought about a financial panic. Canada felt the feffect less probably than any other country, but the associations were too close between the two countries to permitt of a complete escape.

That depression is not a matter of record, and once more Canada is getting back into the forward trend which it was pursuing with such confidence when the halt was called and the country was compelled, not without impatience, to compelled, not without impatience, to

Liquor in New Ontario.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Jan. 20 .- The first liquor Hense to be issued in New Ontario has cense to be issued in New Ontario and been granted by the License Department to H. I. Kert, of Englehart. Some time ago the local License Commissioners re-commended to the License Department in Toronto that the license be granted, but the recommendation was not acted upon. Since then Mr. Kert has promis-ed to "keep hotel," and as the railroad construction work in the vicinity of Enis completed the license was

BIG CLOUDBURST

In Luzon Thought to be a Volcanic Eruption.

Manila, Jan. 21 .- Late despatches to day from Tryabas Province, in the southwestern part of Luzon express the opinion that what was believed to have

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The area damaged by the storm is apparently very wide. The governor of the Province reports fields ruined, highways impassable and bridges destroyed. Detachments of constabulary have been ordered to ascend the mountains to in-

POLICEMEN ACTIVE IN LATE ELECTION.

Mayor McLaren Brings Matter Before Commissioners---Chief's Annual Report.

Mayor John I. McLaren started his work as a Police Commissioner at noon to-day, at the annual meeting, with a boast that will ring in the ears of several unfortunates for some time to come. After the regular business had been cleaned up his Worship addressed Chairman Jelfs and Judge Snider as follows: "There is Smith."

alty candidate they were working for if I took the trouble," announced Mayor McLaren calmly.

"Why don't you bring these men up?" said the magistrate.

"The rule is there and they broke it. Why don't the police bring them up?" asked the mayor.

"I don't know who they were or I would bring them up," said Chief Judge Snider as follows: "There is Smith. something I would like to call your H. O. buckwheat, H. O. oatmeal, H. O. attention to here. It is a breach of the rules for any member of the force

Jim Clark was working hard all day," said the Mayor. He stated further that the sergeant he was speaking of might say he had a right to rent his rig, but he had proof that the sergeant in ques-tion had paid Harry Headland's son \$1

for driving the rig. or driving the rig.

"These men ought all to be brought up," said the Judge.

"Will you name them, and we will make the police department hunt up the evidence," said the Magistrate.

evidence," said the Magistrate.
"I'll talk it over with the Chief, said
the Mayor. He said that he did not
want to cause treatible for the men, but
that he wanted them to understand that
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