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A GREAT SENSATION

CAUSED BY A NEWSPAPER PUBLICATION IN CLEVELAND.

Some Three Millions Paid out Without the Approval of Law—Queer, Crooked Proceedings.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 15.—A morning paper publishes a statement submitted by an expert book-keeper showing irregularities in the old accounts of the city of Cleveland aggregating about \$3,000,000. Nearly all this money was paid out by the city without the approval of the council, although the laws of the state of Ohio distinctly require every claim to be included in the regular claims ordinance. The publication creates a great sensation. Nearly a year ago the city council authorized the board of revision to examine the books relating to the city's financial history. The disclosures then made were startling in the extreme but in the board's report, although, if any reference was made to the council, one of the experts sent to the council a communication asking that his name be stricken from the record, saying he had been induced to sign the same under the false representation that the former investigation was not completed, and that if given access to the books again he would make a full exposure of the cost to the city. His communication was referred back to him with the remark attached to it that the matter had better be allowed to rest. After the council adjourned he gave the press a complete statement of the irregularities occurring during the period named, amounting to \$3,000,000.

Walker Blaine Recently Ill. BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Walker Blaine, solicitor of the state department, is reported to be seriously ill this morning. He took a severe cold several days ago, and as it has developed pneumonia his family and friends are very much alarmed.

A London Banking Firm Bankrupt. BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—Arlotta Bank, foreign bankers with offices in London, Paris and Moscow, have been declared bankrupt. Liabilities 400,000 pounds.

LOCAL MATTERS. For additional Local News see Last Page.

THE PALACE RINK—There will be a skating party at the Palace rink to-night.

NO LEPREUX REPORT—There has been no lepreux report from Point Lepreux for the past two days. Has "la grippe" struck them?

RAILWAY STOPS—Another siding is being laid from the bank Northcap Mill street to run to the new siding on the railway near York Point slip.

TRAVELERS IN ITALY.—The young people's association of Saint John's, which will hold the first public lecture of their course on Thursday evening, when Rev. L. G. Macneil will describe some incidents of his travels in Italy.

A VERY BAD FIRE—Sarah Jane Sheelton told a heartrending story to the police to-day about the doings of her husband. She alleges that her better half, William Sheelton, a well known coal vendor who resides at north end has threatened to take her life. A warrant was issued this afternoon against Sheelton charging him with attempting to cut his wife's throat with a razor.

THE ROBIN'S GAME. A Great Gathering of the Class in This City.

Outlets from all parts of the province are flocking to the city, for to-day the maritime hospital committee, Frederickton, has sent its delegation, New Glasgow, Truro, and St. Stephen broom manipulators are on hand in numbers. The Halifax "hobbies" are expected this afternoon. Moncton and representatives of other cities will be here before to-morrow, and will unite with the local contingent in a time, such as only experience of this most exhilarating of winter games can enjoy.

The Thistles and St. Andrews rinks are the scenes to-day of abundance of Scotch and Canadian enthusiasm. Many of the visitors have not seen the Nova Scotia rinks before. Old friends are welcomed back and new comers are received with a heartiness which only the real game inspires.

At St. Andrews rink this afternoon the following rinks are playing: Thistle, St. John, vs. St. Stephen. F. R. Titus, skip vs. St. Stephen. F. R. Titus, skip vs. St. Stephen. F. R. Titus, skip vs. St. Stephen.

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IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF ITS DISOLUTION HAS CAUSED A SENSATION.

Ministerial Papers Timidly Bury the Issue. The House of Commons has just adjourned. The announcement of the dissolution of the House of Commons has caused a sensation throughout England, and there is scarcely a paper in the country which does not discuss the possibilities which it opens up.

AS HAVE AS SHE IS PRETTY. She put a Masked and Armed Robber to Flight with a Poker.

Manchester, N. J., Jan. 11.—There are few prettier and more intelligent girls and certainly none braver, than Miss Charles at Lapeer, Ontario county. The girl, who is the daughter of Mr. Charles, a well known farmer, was at the house of her father, the Rev. E. C. Cowles, pastor of the Methodist church, when she was present at a "donation party." Chief among the gifts was a purse filled with greenbacks. This was probably the chief incentive to an attempted robbery. On the night following the donation, at about midnight, the inmates of the parsonage were aroused from sleep by a banging at the front door. The pastor arose, and after partially dressing, he opened the door. A big man, dressed in gray clothes, and with his face concealed by a mask, thrust a pistol into the pastor's face, and said: "Give me all the money you have got in the house and be quick about it."

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