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RACE TO RATHDOWNEY.

Lively Episode in the Kilkenny Campaign.

"Suppressed United Ireland" Once More Suppressed.

Election of the Conservative Candidate for Nottingham—Parnell's Name Struck off the List of Edinburgh's Citizens.

A Conservative Elected.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Sir Frederick Milner (Conservative) was returned for Nottingham. He received 4,381 votes against 3,653 for Mr. Mellor (Liberal).

"Suppressed United Ireland" Suppressed.

DUBLIN, Dec. 16.—Upon the application of counsel, acting on behalf of Parnell's adherents, the court here has granted an introductory injunction restraining the publication of the paper Suppressed United Ireland.

The Pope Going Into Politics.

ROME, Dec. 16.—The Pope has appointed a commission to organize and direct the movements of Catholic societies in Italy. This action is regarded as indicating the Pope's intentions, are to take a more active part in politics.

Struck His Name Off.

EDINBURGH, Dec. 16.—The action of the town council in striking Parnell's name off the list of citizens of the town was taken at a full council meeting to-day and the resolution for the erasure of his name was ordered unanimously.

The Koch Remedy.

BERLIN, Dec. 16.—Wm. Degan, the consumptive patient who was brought here by Dr. Wm. A. Taltavall, of New York city, has been admitted to the Augusta Hospital. He is under the treatment of one of Koch's assistants. Dr. Einborn is on his way to New York with five bottles of lympth for use in the German Hospital.

It is stated that Dr. Cornet receives 10,000 marks daily for treating patients according to the Koch method at his private clinic.

Leaped for Their Lives.

DUBLIN, Dec. 16.—The Royal Hotel at Kilke, county Down, was burned last night. The proprietor and his family occupied rooms on the upper floor and could not descend by the stairs. One lad who was thrown from a window by his father was caught by a man on the ground, and escaped without injury. The proprietor and his wife then jumped. They received slight injuries. One girl jumped from an upper window and was so badly hurt that she will die. Other occupants were rescued with ladders.

The New Anti-Parnell Organ.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Suppressed United Ireland, the paper issued by the McCarthyites, made its first appearance yesterday. It contains a letter from Archbishop Walsh supporting the opponents of Parnell. It is a four-page half-penny paper, with the subtitle "William O'Brien's Paper." The leading article, which is headed "Desecration," says: "It would be unjust to the Castle to compare its fiercest attack upon Mr. O'Brien with the cowardly stab dealt him by treacherous friends. That Leamy should have helped to stab this brave, tender heart we would not have believed if an angel from heaven had foretold it."

Parnell in Kilkenny.

DUBLIN, Dec. 16.—Parnell, in an address at Rathdowney, said he was glad to see so many sterling farmers among the people rallying around him. It was an assurance that Irishmen would never more submit to English dictation. The zeal of Kilkenny would be put upon his sixteen years' work. (Cheers.) During the meeting at the hotel Messrs. Davitt and Tanner arrived, and began to speak from wagons in the Market Square. Tanner pointed to Parnell, who was leaving the hotel in a carriage and driving off, he shouted: "He is clearing out now. Tally-ho! The fox has got away!" This sally was greeted with roars of laughter and cheers. Mr. Parnell and party avoided the market square and managed to depart without any collision of the factions.

A Race to Rathdowney.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The Daily News' correspondent at Kilkenny says it was a race between the Parnellites and the McCarthyites to reach Rathdowney, where it was announced Parnell would speak. The utmost enthusiasm was displayed for Davitt, while there was hooting and groaning for Parnell. Four thousand persons attended Davitt's meeting, but only 200 listened to Parnell. After Mr. Parnell's departure Davitt continued his remarks. "Parnell has fled," said Davitt, "as he will flee from Kilkenny next Monday. But I will meet him face to face before this contest is over and ask him to repeat that 'The archbishops, bishops and priests, and that O'Brien and Dillon are the scum of the earth.' This is the Parnell who did not hesitate to accept £40,000 from the 'scum of Ireland.' Which will you have, Ireland or Parnell? (Shouts of "Ireland!") Who is Scully? Why, the son of a landlord who evicted two poor women and kicked one to death." Davitt referred to Gladstone, who he said worked for Ireland while Parnell was inactive. (Cries of "Bravo! Davitt.") At the conclusion of the meeting a number of farmers dragged the wagon with Davitt and others on it through the village in triumph.

Parnell Badly Scored by Healy.

DUBLIN, Dec. 16.—In his speech at Kilkenny, Mr. Healy said Mr. Parnell wanted to make men like Dillon, O'Brien and Sexton a holocaust on the altar of his lust. He boasted that he could expel the 53 Justinians (McCarthyites), but he had undertaken a big contract. Mr. Healy accused Mr. Parnell of prostituting the fund for evicted tenants to employ hireling boys to break his opponents' skulls. Parnell was showing wonderful zeal and activity now, but where had he been the last five years? (A voice—"With Kitty." Laughter.) Continuing, Mr. Healy said that during that time Irish members, sorely pressed, had often come to him, saying: "For God's sake let's go to Parnell"; and he had had to confess his ignorance of Parnell's address. The only man that knew was Capt. O'Shea. (Laughter.) When Smith-Barry was evicting tenants Mr. O'Brien spent days in London hunting for "Mr. Fox." Then, in desperation, he was compelled to beg Mrs. O'Shea to give him an interview with Mr. Parnell. Fancy this situation for a man of honor and character like O'Brien. Mr. Healy declared that the statement that Parnell would have retired had Mr. Gladstone asked him earlier was an absolute lie. Mr. Gladstone, he said, could not find Parnell. He concluded by declaring that Campbell had confessed that he was keeping Parnell out of the way when Mr. McCarthy was seeking him to impart Gladstone's decision.

The Antis Jubilant.

DUBLIN, Dec. 26.—The anti-Parnellites are feeling very jubilant on general principles and on account of a dispatch received from Father Murphy, of Kilmanagh, announcing he had joined their forces, though a few days ago he was considered a fierce Parnellite. The rumor of a Conservative candidate is unfounded. The Tories are working hard for Mr. Parnell, even women, foremost among whom is the Marchioness of Ormonde.

THE STINSON CASE.

A New Way to Pay Old Debts—Stinson on the Stand.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

HAMILTON, Dec. 16.—The Stinson election trial began this morning at 9 o'clock. Mr. Stinson was examined by Mr. Osler as to his dealings with Col. Collier, who proposed to pay his old debts by betting on the election. He admitted having interviews with Collier with reference to the matter, but denied that he agreed to reimburse Collier if he was elected. He understood the colonel was to work for him in the ordinary way. He came dangerously near admitting that Collier acted as an agent.

Frank Fitzgerald, secretary of the Conservative Association, was being examined when the court rose for dinner.

JILTED AT THE ALTAR.

Miss Johnson Decides That She Doesn't Want a White Husband.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Dec. 16.—The city was excited last week over the issuance of a license to James Hurst, a white man, with considerable property and four children, to Mary Angelina Johnson, a colored woman. When the wedding guests assembled in the parlors the presents were spread out on a table and the groom waited in the parlor with the minister. Angie's footsteps were heard descending the stairs. Someone told her she was wanted in a rear room, and she went there to find James Russell, colored, an old flame, who had been thrown over for Hurst.

He urged her not to throw herself away on any poor white trash, but to marry him. Angie's heart softened, and she told Russell to come along and they would be married by the minister Hurst had hired. When Angie appeared leaning on the arm of Russell the guests were surprised. She announced:

"Dar'll be a wedding here to-dight, people, but Jim Hurst won't be the groom. Mr. Russell and I will be married. I don't want any white trash husband."

Hurst said he would not pay the minister, and the party broke up, the guests carrying away the presents they had brought. Hurst tried to get at Russell to thrash him, but was held back by his friends. Hurst has $5,000 in the bank, while Russell is a laborer of no means, and very black.

TRAGEDY AT ST. THOMAS.

Lewis Jones Ends His Life with Morphine – Another Man Tries Suicide by Cutting His Throat.

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 16.—Lewis Jones, upholsterer in the Michigan Central shops, who lived at 153 Alma street, died yesterday from the effects of morphine taken with suicidal intent. His wife died last week, and since her death Jones has been despondent, stating that he had nothing to live for now and that he wished he were dead. He has been taking morphine for some days past to make him sleep, and on Saturday purchased twelve quarter-gram morphine powders from a druggist. Sunday he locked himself in his bedroom, and told the housekeeper if anyone called to say he was out. He never left the room all day or night, and yesterday morning about 6 o'clock was heard groaning and moaning. The door was forced open and he was found lying unconscious. He never regained consciousness and died at 1 o'clock. He has been in the city for fifteen years past, was a native of Wales and was a member of St. Thomas' Lodge, No. 76, I. O. O. F.

Another resident of the east end attempted to commit suicide yesterday morning by cutting his throat while despondent from the effects of excessive indulgence in alcoholic stimulants. He will recover.

Postal Regulations.

OTTAWA, Dec. 16.—The Postoffice Department has made a new regulation whereby, upon the issue of the new postal guide in January, third class postal matter, such as papers, maps, pictures, etc., not fully prepaid, will be at once forwarded to the address named, and the shortage thereon collected by the letter carrier or postmaster.

Oldest Married Couple in the United States.

LAC QUI PARLE, Minn., Dec. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Salisbury, probably the oldest married couple in the United States, on Sunday celebrated the 163rd birthday of Mr. Salisbury. His wife will be 101 years old Christmas day. Jan. 12 they will have been married 80 years. Until quite recently they lived alone in a comfortable log house on the Yellow Bank River, Mrs. Salisbury doing the cooking and general housework, while Mr. Salisbury chopped the wood and attended to the chores about the home.

The Third Party.

TALLAHASSE, Fla., Dec. 16.—At a meeting in Jacksonville last night, attended by General Master Workman Powderly and John Davis, member-elect of Congress from Kansas, on behalf of the Knights of Labor, President Polk and others of the Farmers' Alliance, it was decided to have no convention at Cincinnati on Feb. 23, but that in its stead a conference of commissions of five from each organization appointed should be held some time in February, which should go over the ground carefully and without taking formal action practically decide what course should be pursued. This is a decided victory for the conservative element among the Third Party men.

Some Foolish People

allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often says "Oh, it will wear away," but in most case: it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50 cents and $1. Trial size free. At all druggists. ywt

Four Dollars—Ladies' plush rocker at $4. Oak, cherry and Queen Elizabeth. Drum head lounges very cheap, at TRAFFORD'S, 96 King street.

EXIT SITTING BULL!

The "Bad Injun" Reported to Have Been Killed While Resisting Arrest.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 16.—News of the killing of Sitting Bull has been received and apparently confirmed. Gen. Miles received two dispatches last evening, the first from Pierre, S. D., stating that Sitting Bull and his son had been killed. The other dispatch was from Standing Rock Agency, and stated that the Indian police started out yesterday morning to arrest Sitting Bull, having understood that he proposed starting for the Bad Lands at once. The police were followed by U. S. troops. When the police reached Sitting Bull's camp on Grand River, about 40 miles from Standing Rock, they found arrangements being made for departure. The cavalry had not yet reached the camp when the police arrested Bull and started back with him. His followers quickly rallied to his rescue and tried to retake him. In the melee that ensued the wily old chief is said to have been killed, and five of the best of the Indian police were also killed. One of the police jumped on one of Sitting Bull's horses and rode back to the cavalry and infantry, telling them to hurry to the support of the police, and then hurried on to the agency with news of the battle. Nothing later than this has been received.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Gen. Miles started from St. Paul last night for Deadwood. He wired that Two Strike had come in to Gen. Brook's camp at Pine Ridge and surrended with a portion of his band, but that 200 bucks were out.

"He Did It!"

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 16.—Paul Holz, 17 years old, of 404 West Chicago avenue, rushed into the West Chicago avenue police station to-day and said that his father had committed suicide by cutting his throat. When the officers arrived at the house they found Holz lying on the bed with blood gushing from a deep gash in the neck. He raised up on his arm and pointing his finger at his son Paul, said: "He did it. He killed me for my insurance." The son, after being arrested and locked up, confessed that he made the attempt on his father's life.

Railway Wrecks—Four Lives Lost.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 16.—On the Danville road, near Laurenzell's, on Saturday night, a construction train jumped the track and piled up along the rails. J. T. Lawrence, T. Walling, T. Ellis and Robt. Scott, members of the train's crew, were killed. Four others were badly injured.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 16.—A wreck occurred just south of this place yesterday on the Baltimore and Ohio. Conductor Hughes lost a leg and cannot recover; Engineer Hunt's feet were smashed and he may die; Fireman Hunt was badly cut and bruised.

A Cousin of Lord Lorne Killed.

BUFFALO, Dec. 16.—Yesterday morning just before daybreak an explosion of gas occurred in the Barber asphalt works on Delavan avenue and the building was destroyed, causing a loss of $10,000 to $15,000. Watchman Neil Campbell was struck by the door of the boiler as it flew off, and died shortly after. He was 55 years old and leaves a wife and family. Campbell was a cousin of the Marquis of Lorne. He was at one time an accountant in the Bank of Montreal, but a few years ago removed to Buffalo, and at the time of the International Fair in this city he edited the Fair Journal. He was an artist of some merit and was possessed of decided literary talent.

Gave His Wife to a Friend.

CASPER, Wyo., Dec. 16.—George Spracklin, who runs the largest meat market in town, has given his wife Lucy away to Marshal Buxton, blacksmith, and constable-elect for this precinct. Success in business seemed to have turned the Spracklin family upside down, and for some time past their home has not been a heaven. Spracklin, meeting Buxton on the street, said: "Come, let's go down to the house." Arriving at the house they found Mrs. Spracklin and her baby. Spracklin said: "I don't love her, Buxton. Do you want her?" Buxton answered: "Yes, I always loved her." Spracklin said: "Take her, and I will throw in the furniture." "Thank you, George," replied Buxton, "I will set 'em up when I come up town to-night." Spracklin gave Buxton a bill of sale for the household goods. Mrs. Spracklin is a minister's daughter and is a pretty, intelligent woman of 20.

Curious Recovery of Speech.

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 16.—A little over seven years ago Thomas Walsh, of Erinsville, was admitted to Rockwood Asylum. He had been only four months married at that time, and he and Mrs. Walsh had been a most happy couple. Mr. Walsh became downspirited, however, and showed strong indications of melancholia. At this time he was living in Erinsville. Previous to the time in question he had managed to get together a tidy sum in the mining business, but unfortunately, through unfair dealing, a lot of his hard-earned gains were filched from him. His losses weighed on a naturally nervous disposition, and his relatives and friends deemed it necessary to apply for his admission to Rockwood Asylum. In October, 1883, he was placed in the asylum. His last words in 1883 were in answering a keeper at the asylum, "Yes, I have had my supper." From that time until Friday morning he remained as dumb as an oyster. On Friday he spoke to Mrs. Clark, wife of Dr. Clarke, and greatly surprised her.

Steamers Arrived.

Dec. 15.	At	From
Suevia	Southampton	New York
Werra	Southampton	New York
State of Nevada	Glasgow	New York
Normandie	New York	Havre
Dania	New York	Hamburg
Taormina	New York	Hamburg
Gallia	New York	Liverpool
Gallia	New York	Liverpool

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—The Allan steamship Siberian, from Boston for Glasgow, arrived out on Monday morning with the loss of 22 oxen out of her shipment of 621.

For all kinds of pastry, confectionery, etc., go to W. J. MCGINN'S, No. 519 Richmond street. Everything first-class. Vienna, home-made and fancy breads.

No Humbug.—In connection with my Christmas stock I have a large consignment of samples of fancy goods (no two alike), which I will sell at the wholesale prices. You can secure a genuine bargain if you will call and examine goods and inquire prices. Xmas cards in great variety and very cheap. Pictures, picture frames, boxes of oil and water color paints—all suitable for Xmas presents and very cheap at E. N. HUNT'S, 190 Dundas street.

A full line of public and high school books are at Allaster's.

RECIPROCITY.

Sir Richard Cartwright Speaks to a Great Audience at Mitchell.

MITCHELL, Dec. 16.—About 1,500 people assembled here last evening to hear Sir Richard Cartwright discuss unrestricted reciprocity. Sir Richard was met by fully 500 citizens at the station and escorted to the Royal Hotel by a procession headed by the town band. For fully an hour after arriving at the hotel Sir Richard was kept busy receiving prominent citizens of the town and from all parts of the riding. He was then tendered a banquet. After supper the procession was reformed and marched to the Opera House, which was already packed to the doors. There were a large number of ladies present. On the platform were W. C. Mosscrip, president of the South Perth Reform Association, who took the chair; James Trow, M.P., Mr. W. Buckingham, of Stratford; Dr. Irving, of Kirkton; T. S. Ford, mayor of Mitchell; T. H. Race, editor of the Mitchell Recorder; John Whyte, sen., John Whyte, jun., Dr. Hurlburt, Isaac Hard, Walter Thompson, Alex. Cameron, Geo. K. Matheson, Wm. Kyle, R. A. Bell, Jas. Prindeville, Alex. McLaren, reeve of Hibbert, and many other prominent residents from different parts of the riding.

Mr. James Trow, M.P., occupied a few minutes in briefly outlining the scheme of unrestricted reciprocity, and the enthusiastic manner in which he was received testified to his undiminished popularity.

Sir Richard on coming forward was received by a perfect storm of applause. For 1 hour and 45 minutes he held the large audience almost spellbound by his array of hard facts, and he was cheered repeatedly as he pointed out how the farmers had been misled and how the rural population had diminished, the value of both farm and town property decreased and the national debt piled up during the past twelve years under the policy of protection. He delivered a masterly address bristling with facts that cannot be gainsaid.

About the middle of the address Mr. Thomas Ballantyne, M. P. P. for South Perth, entered the hall, and was heartily cheered on his way to the platform. After Sir Richard had concluded his address, Mr. Ballantyne came forward and thanked the audience for the handsome majority that they had given him last June, thereby returning him to the Local Legislature for the sixth time to support the Government of Hon. Oliver Mowat. He also spoke briefly in favor of unrestricted reciprocity, and then took his seat amid the cheers of the vast crowd.

Mr. Hugh Campbell then proposed that a standing vote of thanks be tendered Sir Richard for his able address. Dr. Hurlburt seconded the motion, and the audience rose up in a body amid the clapping of hands and loud hurrahs. After three cheers for the Queen one of the largest and most enthusiastic political gatherings ever held in South Perth dispersed.

TELEGRAMS IN A NUTSHELL.

The Italian Minister of War has resigned.

Toronto City Council has voted against running the street cars on Sunday.

The Swiss Government has ordered the expulsion of six Anarchists from Geneva.

An outbreak is feared among the Indians on the line of Childress and Deer counties, Texas.

Prince Christian of Denmark and Princess Margaret of Prussia are shortly to be betrothed.

Major-General Alfred Terry died this (Tuesday) morning at New Haven, Conn., after a long illness.

Fifteen hundred Piute Indians in Ingo county, Cal., are on the point of uprising. The whites are terrified.

The Clearfield (Pa.) county bank closed its doors this (Tuesday) morning. Liabilities $350,000; assets $65,000.

The bonus bylaw granting $25,000 to the C. N. and P. Railway was carried at Warkworth by 220 majority, 33 votes being cast against it.

A box of giantpowder exploded in the Sunday Lake mine at Wakefield, Mich., on Monday, killing two men instantly and fatally wounding two others.

James Howard pleaded guilty at the Toronto Police Court to stealing 250 copies of a local newspaper from a delivery wagon and was sent to jail for ten days.

Rev. Thos. E. Bowen, of Iowa, formerly pastor of the Congregational Church at Belleville, has been ordained into the Episcopal Church under Bishop Ferry.

On Saturday night John Kellar was attacked by robbers at the corner of Frederick and Front streets, Toronto, knocked down, beaten badly, and robbed of $9 20.

Alfred Markle, a G. T. R. brakeman, of Little York, had an arm badly crushed while coupling cars at that place yesterday morning, and was removed to the hospital.

A big collection was taken up in Grace Methodist Church, Winnipeg, on Sunday; $2,400 cash was put on the plates and about $1,000 more subscribed to pay off the debt on the church.

The resignation of Rev. P. Clifton Parker, of the Peterboro, Ont., Baptist Church, has been accepted. Mr. Parker has received a call from the First Avenue Baptist Church, Toronto.

Mr. James Stewart, head of the well-known stove manufacturing firm of James Stewart & Co., in Hamilton, Ont., who is 80 years of age, was stricken with apoplexy on Sunday. His right side is paralyzed.

Patrick J. Burns, one of the oldest soldiers in Canada, died Sunday at Kingston, Ont. When 11 years of age he joined the Roal Canadian Rifles. He was bugle-major, and retired after 22 years' service.

Capt. O'Shea says he is taking measures toward securing the needful consent of others to produce documents to refute Mr. Healy's statements about the election contests at Liverpool in 1885 and Galway in 1886.

The remains of Queen Way, partner in the Youn Kee shoe factory, which with several other San Francisco boot and shoe and cigar factories were burned Saturday, were taken from the ruins Monday, as were those of a Chinese cook. It is believed at least three or four Chinamen lost their lives.

Corns! Corns!

Tender corns, painful corns, soft corns, bleeding corns, hard corns, corns of all kinds and of all sizes, are alike removed in a few days by the use of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Never fails to cure, never causes pain, never leaves deep spots that are more annoying than the original discomfort. Give Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor a trial. Beware of substitutes. Sold by druggists everywhere. Polson & Co., Kingston, proprietors.

Buttered Snowflake Pop-corn. Try it A. MOUNTJOY, City Hall.

THE WORLD OF SPORT.

Sunol Will be in Marvin's Hands Next Year—The Champion Sculler.

THE TURF.

Mr. Bonner has just received a letter from Charles Marvin, superintendent of Senator Stanford's stock farm, in which he says:

Sunol is doing well, getting big and stout. I have jogged her double with a gentle horse, and she acts well; and, Mr. Bonner, I do hope you will deny yourself the pleasure of driving her on the road just one more season, and let me try to lower her record.

Mr. Bonner has complied with the great colt trainer's request, and Sunol will remain in his hands. Mr. Bonner will have to put up with Maud S. for his own use for another year.

CHECKERS.

Reed, the checker player, defeated Ed. Kelly Saturday night at Winnipeg.

THE OAR.

John McLean, who won the championship sculling match with Peter Kemp, on Monday, at Sydney, N. S. W., is a little over 31 years old, and until last year had pulled only in small local regattas in the odd moments he could spare from tending his patch of sugar cane and providing for the wants of a large and yearly increasing tribe of young Macs. Toward the close of 1888 he was matched against George Perkins, the Englishman who had beaten Kemp. This was his first race, and McLean won easily. He rowed with Christian Nielson, July 4, 1889. McLean had the race practically won, but he ran into Nielson, and the race was given to the little Dane on the foul. His next race was a victory over Chas. Stephenson, champion of New Zeland. He beat Neil Matterson last March and was himself defeated last May by Peter Kemp. He "took on" Stanbury last month and disposed of him thoroughly, Stanbury quitting before the distance was covered. Then he went at Kemp again, the result being Monday's victory. McLean is a trifle over six feet high and rows at a little over 160 pounds. Hanlan saw a great deal of promise in him and declared that he would inevitably reach the top of the tree.

A message was sent Monday night offering McLean a race in America for the championship and £300 a side if he is willing to meet O'Connor, and guaranteeing the winner £1,000 additional.

LACROSSE.

The Cornwall Club won the majority of games in the Canadian Lacrosse League series of 1890, but having won them with the assistence of Jacques Leorux, who has been declared a professional, it is ruled that the club is not entitled to the championship, and the 1890 championship will not be awarded.

POLITICAL POINTS.

The Conservatives of East Huron meet in convention at Brussels on Thursday.

Sir Richard Cartwright addressed a large audience at Mitchell last night on reciprocity.

Hon. Mr. Laurier, Hon. L. H. Davies and other Liberal speakers addressed a meeting in St. John, N. B., last evening.

The Collier charges occupied the time of the election court at Hamilton yesterday, the "colonel" himself being under examination five hours.

EPPS'S COCOA — GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately-flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly-nourished frame." (Civil Service Gazette. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Sold only in packets, by grocers, labeled—"JAMES EPPS & CO., Homœopathic Chemists, London, Eng." zyx

Bingo—If I were rich for just one little hour! Kingley—I should like to know what good that would do you. Bingo—Well, I'd spend about 55 minutes in making my property over to my wife.

Mr. W. D. Boyce, M. C. R. agent at Rodney, has been moved to Waterford, and Mr. J. S. Robinson, agent at Bismarck, goes to Rodney.

A Dinner Pill.—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment it becomes a poison to the sytem. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convert the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with Indigestion or Dyspepsia.

Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when, by the timely use of Buckle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided? This Syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc.

Mr. Geo. Banting, teacher of school section No. 9, Blenheim, is about to sever his connection with that school, having secured a situation near Woodstock.

A petition in behalf of stricter observance of the Sabbath day has received a large number of signatures in Goderich. The petition is to be sent to the Senate and House of Commons.

Sciatica.

Sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, gout, lumbago, etc., permanently cured by taking Kern's Rheumatic Cure. Try it. It will not fail to benefit you. For sale by all druggists. Price, $1 per bottle.

First Dude—That's an awful bad-fitting hat you have on. Second Dude—Yes, but I attended a swell ball last night, and my head isn't built to fit any and every hat.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Passenger—Which of the fool questions you hear every day tires you the most? Conductor—That one.

Nothing impure or injurious contaminates the popular antidote to pain, throat and lung remedy and general corrective, Dr Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It may be used without the slightest apprehension of any other than salutary consequences. Coughs, rheumatism, earache, bruises, cuts and sores succumb to its action.

Anticipated Agony.—Harry (at the window)—Will I be a man when I grow up? Mother—Yes, dear. Harry (pointing to a dude passing)—Is he one? Mother—Yes. Harry—Say, mamma, must I be a man?

Christmas Gifts.

PERFUMES,
ODOR CASES,
SHAVING CASES,
MANICURE CASES,
BRUSH and COMB CASES.

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE
CHEMISTS, ETC.
256 Dundas Street, London, Ont.
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BORDER STATE BRIEFS.

Rev. W. H. Osborne, rector of St. Andrew's Church, Detroit, has received a call to St. Paul's Church, Lansing.

The town of Potts, which has about 400 inhabitants, will probably be ruined by the Potts failure.

Nelson Shearer, of West Cooper, went to Kalamazoo Wednesday morning with his grandson and another man. He was walking on Main street at noon and fell dead. His age was 78 years. He leaves a widow and two children. Paralysis of the heart was the cause.

Captain Roberts was killed Wednesday morning while riding up on the cross-head above a laden bucket in North Tamarac No. 3 shaft, Calumet. He failed to signal the engineer before starting and got his head crushed against timbers above. He was a most experienced miner. He leaves a widow and five children.

James Murphy was killed Friday night at South Bay City by a switch engine on the Flint and Pere Marquette Railroad backing over him near the depot. Murphy leaves a wife and six children. Nearly every bone in his body was broken.

Martin Debos, aged 21, was convicted in the Superior Court, Grand Rapids, on Friday, of criminal assault upon Nellie Leyes, aged 9 years, a couple of months ago, and was sentenced to Ionia for seven years. When he was sentenced his aged father made the room ring with his cries of anguish.

The State Grange has elected the following officers for the next two years: Worthy master, Thomas Mars, of Berrien; overseer, Minor T. Cole, of Lenawee; lecturer, A. J. Crosby, of Oakland; steward, A. P. Gray, of Grand Traverse; assistant steward, W. E. Stocking, of Washtenaw; chaplain, John Hassmore, of Genesee; treasurer, E. A. Strong, of Kalamazoo; secretary, Miss Jennie Buel, of Little Prairie Ronde, Cass county; gatekeeper, George L. Carlisle, Kalkaska; pomona, Mrs. W. E. Wright, Genesee.

The father and brother of Robt. S. Smith, who shot and instantly killed his brother Jude in Garfield township, Bay county, called at the county jail, Bay City, on Friday to see him. Robert undertook to excuse himself by saying he didn't mean to shoot Jude, but was simply aiming at the oxen. The father told Robert that his mother was suffering from the shock and would probably die from the effects, and that Jude's widow was having hysterics and might also die.

Two Little Children Burned to Death.

SAGINAW, Mich., Dec. 16.—The particulars of the burning of the residence of Louis Holnagel, in the township of Buena Vista, Saturday afternoon has been received. The family lived in a small frame building. Saturday morning the father went to work on an adjoining farm, and during the afternoon the mother went a short distance to a neighbor's house on an errand, leaving her two little boys—Herman and Charley—aged 3 and 1 year respectively, at home playing. After conversing a few moments, Mrs. Holnagel opened the door of her neighbor's house to return home, and was horrified to see smoke and flame issuing from her house. The mother and her friend hurried to the little home, but by this time the fire had gained such headway that the ladies could not enter the building, and they were forced to stand by and hear the cries of the babes gradually die away until death overtook them. The charred remains of the children were found side by side where stood the window on the east side of the house. The supposition is that the eldest boy dragged his little brother to the window and vainly attempted to escape.

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