AN OPEN LETTER TO THE MAIL.

GENERAL BUREE AND HIS ACCUSERS. To the Editor of the Toronto Mail.

DRAR SIR,—My attention has been directed to a number of letters that have been published in The Mail and that pretend to deal with the speech of General Burke, delivered at the Young Irishmen's concert in Montreal on last St. Patrick's night. I have been cilled upon, by name, by some of your correspondents to rise and explain "those murderous sentiments" which General Burke is alleged to have uttered in his speech and which I am alleged to have heartily endersed. It is not my intention, by the present writing, to enter any plea of exculpation either for the General or myself, nor do I propose to offer any explanation on the subject, for all the attacks and charges, made so far, are without foundation of any sort and are based on pure invention and misrepresentation.

To those who are cognisant of the facts, the letters of your correspondents are lucurations which afford ammement on the one and, while looking pity for the wrathy writers on the other. But to these who are act acquainted with the facts, these letters are well calculated to convey altogether different impressions. It is consequently for the benefit of the latter class of persons that I propose to establish the facts in their true

A Protestant religious daily paper, known as the Montreal Daily Witness, published in its last edition of March 18th, an untruthful report of General Burke's speech. This report put in the speaker's mouth sentiments which the gallant soldier never entertained nor ever expressed, and it made me out as giving them my undivided adhesion and

Unfortunately for the Daily Witness, but fortunately for truth, that false ceport was given the flattest of contradictions by no less an authority than "the only religious daily" itself in the very same issue of the paper. In its first edition the Daily Witness published a report of the speech which was correct, and was void both of misrepresentation and of manufactured "sentiments in favor of murder." Now, with what motives or to serve what purpose, the second report, which was a barefaced calumny, was published in its last edition I leave the public to enquire and

As a proof of the correctness of what I here set forth, I have but to quote the demand I made the day following in the columns of the Montreal Post upon the Daily Witness to rectify its false statements against General Burke and myself, I wrote as follows :-

A FALSE PROPHET.

"The person who pretended to supply a report of General Burke's speech, delivered at the Young Irishmer's society's concert, for the "last edition" of the Montreal Daily Witness, has imposed upon our estemed contemporary, and has made use of its columns to propagate santiments never uttered by the man who was sentenced to be hanged, beheaded, drawn and quartered, because he was ready to fight and sacrifice his life to secure honest and just government for the Irish people. The report of the speech which the Daily Witness publishes in its first edition contains no false statements or misrepresentations of the orator's utterances, but the report in its last edition does, and was en the face of it, made out with a malicious hand and for a malicious purpose. The Daily Witness at reports General Burke as to make its unfortunate readers believe that he was an advocate of murder against landlurds "then we have an advocate of murder against landlurds "who wished to extend their loan and to wring "from the people that which they could not give." It is needless to say that this is an outrageous misprepresentation of the General's sentiments, but apparently, the more foul the lie against a champion of Irish freedom, the more ready is the Daily Wisness to publish it, and thus help to perpetuate, and embitter the prejudices of its benighted readers."

Have not the letters of Mr. John Carry, A FALSE PROPILET.

ergans, amply justified my anticipation that profit or loss, as the case may be. The amount to be paid visiting teams during the season shall calumnies such as invented and published by the Daily Witness would help to perpetuate and embitter the prejudices of the ignorant and the fanatics. Calumny will do its point to demand from each club a satisfactory guarant tee that the amount named by them will be sonous and deadly work even in face of the truth : it cannot be checked, no matter how frequent or how emphatic the contradictions, as has been only too painfully illustrated in the case of Archbishop
Ryan, of Philadelphia, who is still credited Rule 25, add. "Should both or either of the with the paternity of a threat of thirty two years' standing (which threat was never made) to wipe out all religious freedom in the United States as soon as the Catholics became the majority in the nation; and in the case of Cardinal Manning who was recently charged with entertaining bitterly anti-Catholic ideas and sentiments against the Church, her members and her Diactices.

If the calumny against General Burks and myself had been stabled and chained in the columns of the Daily Witness, the harm would have been limited and I would have paid no further attention to it; but the horn. Council—Mesars, Comstock, Fuller, Associated Press and newspaper corres- Woods, O'Loughliu, Sibald, Curran, Bailey, Associated Press and newspaper correspondents as a rule, are not particularly anxious to keep an interesting or sensational falsehood in deserved seclusion, they are rather inclined to facilitate and promote its travels. Thus it was in the present case. Instead of taking their informa-tion from the reports published in all the daily papers, murning and evening of Montreal, these correspondents fastened on to the one false report of the Daily Witness, and sent it, in its entirety, broadcast over the land, and thus was the evil of the defamation made practically universal. Even The Mail's own good faith and spirit of fair play were imposed on by the recklessness if not the dishonesty of its Montreal correspondent. But what is regrettable is the fact that The Mail and the other papers real, which published the slander, in good faith, Ju did not subsequently take cognizance of the contradictions made in the public press and govern themselves accordingly. The London Record, the Toronto Tribune, the Montreal Post and the TRUE WITNESS published denials and contradictions, but no notice was taken of them. The Catholic Record of London was specially explicit and emphatic. It

said:—

"We have no hesitation whatever in pronouncing this so-called report of Gen. Burke's utterances a wilful distortion of the speaker's meaning, made for the very worst purposes. General Burke, like most Irishmen, holds tandiordism in abhorence, but that he advocates anything severing of cowardly murder or assassination we do not believe. He may, indeed, acc much that is extenuating in some of the worst of Irish agrarian crimes, but he is—brave soider as he has proved himself—no advocate of or apologist for murder. The last paragraph of the Montreal despatch gives away the whole case." It reads as follows:

"Mr. H. J. Gloran, editor of The Post, and joint is serotary of the Natimal party, on rising, aid be centiled and the serotary of the Natimal party, on rising, aid be centiled in the serotary of the Natimal party, on rising, aid be centiled in the serotary of the Natimal party, on rising, aid be centiled in the serotary of the said as the General, whose addressified with the greatest outbusiasm."

"Mr. Cloran is a gentleman in every way as respectable, as law abiding and orderly as the Editor of the London Free Press or Toronto Mail, both of which public heat the despatch alluded to for the purpose of doing him injury and casting adium on the Irish catholics of hour all as unsuffishly Christian as any in the Bonnianon."

With the facts trutfully set before them I hope all your correspondents who have been building up very grave charges and indulging in very bitter denunciations either against Seneral Burks or myself, on the strength of a falsehood and a slander, will not now ignore the exigencies of justice, but will make adequate correction and retraction of their

I have the honor to remain Your obedient servant, H. J. CLOBAN. Montreal, April 6th, 1886.

THE SEASON'S LACEO'SE.

THE FOURTEENTH ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE NATIONAL AMATEUR LAGROSSE AS-

Authors, The fourteenth annual convention of the National Amsteur Association of lacrosse players opened at Toronto on Friday afternoon. The convention was held in the parlor of the Rossin House. The following are the names of the delegates and clube they represented:—Brants of Paris, J. Wood, J. H. Fisher; Thistle, of Fergus, J. Anderson, J. J. Crair; Lorne, of Mount Forest, G. Allan; Brants, of Brantford, S. F. Jones, Rev. G. Fuller, R. M. Orchard; Ottawa, of Ottawa, J. C. Whyte, H. Morrison, J. J. McCracken; Ontario, of Toronto, E. H. Gerry, P. Small, G. D., Bailey; Dufferin, of Ingersoll, J. Vanne, W. H. Morrey; Capitals, of Ottawa, T. Prior, T. McVitly; Young Canadian, S. S. Searle, H. A. Nichols; Independents, Toronto, J. Boyd, J. Murphy; Peterboro, W. J. Scott, J. O'Mara; Cornwall, F. Lally, W. C. Allen; Junior, Cornwall, G. R. McLennan; Independents, Windsor, W. J. Sooti, J. Umara; Cornwall, F. Lally, W. C. Allen; Junior, Cornwall, G. R. McLennan; Independents, Windsor, W. A. Merrett; Brockville Junior, of Brockville, E. C. Comstock, A. J. Campbell; Athletics, of St. Catharines, J. S. Carliale, J. D. Chaplain, H. O. Loughln; Excelsiors, of Brampton, J. J. Manning, J. G. Roberta; Renfrew, of Renfrew, E. McKay, A. Andrews; Montreal Lacrosse Club, W. J. Cleghorn, W. H. White, F. C. McIndoe; Brockville, M. Bourke, A. Murray, O. K. Fraser; Montreal Juniors, W. H. Brady, W. Geraghty, R. Norman; Toronto

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H. Brady, W. Geraghty, R. Norman; Toronto
Lacrosse Club, R. B. Hamilton, J. S. Garvin,
W. Hubbell; Shamrock, of Montreal, T. Butler,
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The annual report of the treasurer reviewed the year's contests under the rules of the association. The council considered that the want of success of the series avatem was due to some extent to the smallpox epidemic at Montreal The necessity of amendments to the rules governing disputes was strongly urged. During the past year the secretary had received letters from the Australian Lacrosse association and the Newfoundland club, inviting Canadian teams to visit them. The association finances were in a satisfactory con-dition, a small balance remaining after all expenses being paid.

Mr. Hamilton's motion to amend rule 25, section 3 so as to make five matches with each instead of three, giving each club preference of ground, according to its championship standing was carried,

It was moved by Dr. Guerin, "That article X. remain as it is, except that the time be changed to five days instead of ten as the time in which to make complaint; also, that five days be allowed to respond to said complaint, and that the time be changed from fourteen to five days for the secretary to register the decision of the council. Moreover, that a deposit of \$50 be deposited with the secretary of the Association by the client making complaint, said deposit to he forfeited if the complaint is not held good by the council of the Association. Also that the complainant be allowed to reniv to defendant's statement, and must not introduce any new

matter. The deposit for intermediate clubs to be \$25. Carried.

The following, as proposed by Mr. D. A. Rose, were then placed in the form of a motion and carried.

and carried:—
Rule 25, Sec. 4. Strike out and insert, "The Have not the letters of Mr. John Carry, "Voritas," Mr. Wilfrid Wisgast, and of others, which you have published in the solumns of the Mail, as well as the articles of Prof. Goldwin Smith in The Week, and those of the Orange Sentinel and other such the ground are named by profit or loss as the case may be. The amount paid." Any club making default in any cham pionship match shall be ruled out of the series for the season, and a fine of \$50 will be imposed by the association until the date is cancelled by

> teams taking part in any match not be ready to commence play at the hour advertised, then the referee shall impose a fine of \$10 on the team or teams late, the amount of the fine to be at once remitted to this association, and to be used for its benefit."

It was moved by Mr. John Lewis, of Montreal, that rule 7, section 1, be amended by omitting the word 'alone' in line 9 of the section; also, that rule 19, section 2, have the words "without stopping the play" inserted after the word "offence" in line 4. Carried.

The officers for the ensuing year were then elected, and are as follows:—President, Dr. Guerin; vice-presidents, R. B. Hamilton and Dr. Allan; secretary-treasurer, W. J. Cleg-O'Meara, Ballantyne and Craig. Next convention in Montreal.

THE HOREDULE OF GAMES. TORONTO, April 11.-The committee of the National Amateur Licrosse Association to pre pare the schedule of games for the coming season concluded their labors last night with the following result:—

May 24—Toronto and Ontario, at Toronto.

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September 11-Toronto and Ontario, at Toronto. September 11-Monteal and Cornwall, at Cornwall. September 18-Shamrock and Toronto, at

Toronto. September 25-Shamrock and Ontario, at Turonto. September 25-Montreal and Toronto, at Montreal,

October 2-Montreal and Shamrock, at Mon-October 2—Cornwall and Ontario, at Toronto. October 9—Shamrook and Cornwall, at Corn-

October 9-Montreal and Ontario, at Toronto.

Women, do you suffer from painful periode? If so, it is wrong, and Warner's safe cure will, by restoring the delicate organs to their

LET CANADIANS READ THIS

RECORD. Continued from first page.

It is only a few months ago that a Catholic was nominated to fill the position of postmaster at Arthur. Did he receive it? I emphatically say no, he did not! And why? emphatically say no, he did not! And why? because the present Postmaster General at Ottawa, Sir Alex. Campbell, is a notorious Orange bigot. It is a well known fact that whenever Catholics are to be appointed in any position under the Crown the Orange lodge meets and pass resolutions protesting in the strongest manner possible. It is then forwarded to the Prince. Sir John Macdonald. at Ottawa. Who Prince, Sir John Macdonald, at Ottawa. Who was it that introduced the Orange incorporation bill at Ottawa? White, of Hastings, another Orange Conservative. Hon. Alex. Mackenzie had no Orangeman in his Cabinet, and there is not much likelihood of Blake taking any in. Who is supposed to represent the Catholics of Ontario in the Orange Cabinet? Frank Smith. Why, he made a statement to the

effect that nearly all his employes on the street railway, were Oraugemen. It is said that he would sooner assist an Orange-man than a Catholic. Shame on such a figurehead as this. The Irish Catholics of this city held a public meeting previous to the last general elections to protest against such representatives as Costigan and Smith. Now, the latter gentleman was present on this occasion, and got upon the platform to address the audience. But they would not listen to him. And why? because he was nominated by the Orangemen to fill the position of a Cabinet Minister. And I dely him to name one Catholic in any of the Government Departments at Ottawa, or elsewhere, that he ever used his influence tor or has appointed. Yet Sir John Macdonald has the audacity to insult the Irish Catholics of this country by telling them that Frank Smith is their representative. Fellow Catholics, can you ever forget the abuse that the Grange organ, the Mail newspaper, poured forth against our venerable Archbishop during the Marmion controversy. Look at the treatment ex-tended to M. W. Kirwan, who sacrificed his time and money to write up the last campaign for that Prince of Tricksters, Sir John Macdonald. And how was he rewarded? to 21c; black 21 to 22c. Deceived and betrayed in the most outrageous manner by the Orange Cabinet. He was appointed a major in the last rebellion, but appointed a major in the last rebellion, but General Middleton protested against his appointment on the ground that he was an Irlahman and a Catholic. The Hon. Sir Adolphe Caron was the French Catholic Minister who appointed him, but he shortly afterwards cancelled it. Where was Costion and Smith at this time? If they Costigan and Smith at this time? If they were the Irish Catholic representatives that they are said to be, why did they allow his appointment to be cancelled. Because they yielded to Orange influence. Therefore, it is the duty of every Irish Catholic to vote against the Orange Government at the next general elections.

What did Sir John Macdonald do after the rebellion was over? Like an assassin who has committed an atrocious crime, he takes his flight for Europe. When he finds the excitement over he returns. Had Canada's administration been properly conducted by Sir John and his Ministry, there would have been no rebellion and Louis Riel would be alive

to day. Remember, you Frenchmen of Quebec, the injustice that has been done you, by executing ouis Riel. Remember the traitors Langevin Chapleau, Caron, Smith, Coatigan, Campbell and Co.

Every Irish Catholic in Causda should subscribe for THE POST. It comes out candidly, and there is no "beating around the bush." like some so-called Catholic journals. P.S. I enclose you my card.

IRISH CATHOLIC. Toronto, April 8th, 1886.

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COMMERCE.

Markets.

The movement in the country is lessened owing to the bad state of the roads. Failures are 33s 91, which is the lowest rate this generally are comparatively few. The general trade in the city is slightly improved, and a splendid spring business is doing. FLOUR, GRAIN, &c.

FLOUR.-A fair local demand has been experienced during the past week, but prices have not wavered much since our last report. We quote:—Patents, Hungarian, per brl, \$5 50; do, American, \$5 50 to 5 75; do proper condition, soon remove it and give you say 15 to 4 25; Extra Superfine, \$3 85 to 3 90; to \$8 00 for pressed.

Hops.—There is no change in this market.

Fancy, \$3 75 to \$3 80; Spring Extra, Hops.—There is no change in this market.

\$3 75; Superfine, \$3 45 to 3 50; Fine, \$3 20 to 3 00; Middlinge, \$3 00 to 3 10; Pollards, \$2 75 to 2 85; Ontario bags, strong, h.i., \$1 85 to 1 90; do, apring extra, \$1 70 to 1 80; do, apperfine, \$1 55 to 1 85; city bags, delivered, \$2 40 delivered, 22 40.

OATMEAL. - The firmness previously mentioned in this market is maintained under a fair enquiry, and prices are higher, bags being quoted at \$2.05 to \$2.25 \$ 100 lbs, as to quality. In barrels, prices range from \$4 25 to \$4.35 for ordinary, and at \$4.60 to \$4.70 for granulated. Cornmeal is quiet and steady at \$2 95 to \$3 15 per brl. Moullie \$23 00 to \$24 00 per ton. Fearl barley \$6 00 to \$6 50 per brl, and pot barley \$4 25 per brl; split Peas \$3 50 to \$3 75 per brl.

MILL FEED -Further sales of bran have been made in car lots at \$15 to \$15.50 and at \$16 to \$16 50 for smaller quantities. Shorts are quiet but firm at \$16 to \$18,50 as

to quality. WHEAT.—In this market we quote May delivery as follows:—Canada apring and white winter 880 to 90c, and red winter 89c

SEED WHEAT. - White Fyfe wheat is quoted

at \$1.00 to \$1.20, and Red Fyfe at \$1.00 to \$1.20 per bushel. White Russian \$1.00 to \$1.15. PRAS -In sympathy with the depression

in the English market, prices here have receded fully le per bushel. OATS -The market rules quiet. Offerings are free at 311c May, but buyers are not

eager to take hold at 34c. RYE.—There is no particular change, prices remaining nominal at 65c to 68c. BARLEY. -The demand is confined to a small enquiry at 56: to 58c. We quote 55c

to 60c for malting and 45c to 50c for feed SEEDS.—In timothy seed a fairly good business has been done at \$3 to \$3.50 per bushel for Canadian seed, which continues scarce. American timothy has sold at \$2.60 to \$2.80 per bushel. In red clover seed there

is no change. In Western Canada sales have taken place of red clover at \$7.15 per bushel. Alsike \$6 to \$7.25 per bushel. Wool. -There is still a very fair enquiry f r domestic graies. Prices are still held steady at quotations below: Cape, 14 to 1623; Natal, 17 to 20c; Australian, 22 to 30c. Domestic, A super, 27 to 38c; B super,

22 to 24c; unassorted, 21 to 22c; fieece, 19 FURS-Business locally is quiet, and receipts, aside from some few lots of fox, 75c to \$1.00; Muskrat, large winter 12c; Otter, per skin, \$8 to \$10; Raccoon, per skin, 500 to 50c; Skunk, per skin, black,

\$1 25; half black, 90c.; full stripe, 60s, white, SHORE AND LEATHER. - Shoe men are fairly busy with sorting orders, and in some cases are already getting up fall samples. We quote: —Spanish sole B. A., No. 1, 24 to 262; do No. 2 B. A., 21 to 23c; No. 1 ordinary Spanish, 23 to 24c; No. 2 do 21 to 22c; No. 1 Chins, 22 to 23c; No. 2, 21 to 22c; do Baffalo sole, No. 1, 21 to 22c; do No. 2, 19½ to 21c; hemlock alaughter, No. 1, 26 to 27c; cak sole, 45 to 50c; waxed upper, light and medium, 33 to 39s; do, heavy, 32 to 36c; grained, 34 to 37c, Scotch grained, 36 to 42c; splits, large, 22 to 28c; do, small, 16 to 24c; calf splits, 28 to 32c; calfskins (35 to 46 lbs). 70 to 80c imitation French calfakins, 80 to 85c; russet sheepskin linings, 30 to 400; harness, 24 to 330; buffed cow, 13 to 160; pebbled cow, 12 to 154c; rough, 13 to 28c; russet and bridle, 54 to 55c. METALS AND HARDWARE .- Though the

unpertainty which has prevailed as regards duties is about settled, business has not received any impetus, from the present indications it is thought that it must remain quiet until navigation is tairly open. In general hardware travellers are doing only a moderate business. We quote: Summerlee and Gartsherrie, \$18 50; Langloan and Colt-ness, \$18 50 to \$19 00; Shotts, \$18 00 to \$18 50; Eiginton and Dalmellington, \$16 50 to \$17; Calder, 18 00; Carphroe, \$17 50 to \$18; Hematite, \$18 to \$20; Siemens, No. 1, \$17 50 to \$18; Bar Iron, \$1 60 to \$1 65; Best K-fined, \$1 90; Siemens bar, \$2 10; Canada Plates, Blaina, \$2 30 to \$2 40; Penn &c., \$2 40 to \$2 45. Tin Plates, Bradley Char-cual, \$5 75 to \$6 00; Charconi I C., \$4 25 to \$4 75; do I.X., \$5 50 to \$6 00; Coke I.U., \$3.75 to \$1; Galvanized sheets, No. 28, 51 to 7: according to brand; Tinned sheets, coke, No 24, 610; No. 26, 7c, the usual extra for large sizes. Hoops and Bands, per 100 lbs., \$1 90 to \$2; Boiler Plato, per 100 lbs., -Staffordehire, \$2 25 to \$2 50; Common Sheet Iron, \$2 00 to \$2 10; Steel Boiler Plate, \$2 50 to \$2.75; heads, \$4; Russian Sheet Iron, 10 to 11c. Lead, per 100 lbs.—Pig, \$3.75 to \$4; Sheet, \$4 25 to \$4 50; Shot, \$6 to \$6 50. B-st Cast Steel. 11 to 13c, firm; Spring, \$2 75 to \$3 00; Tire, \$2 50 to \$2 75; Sleigh shoe, \$2 to \$2 25; Round Machinery Seed, 3 to 310 per lb; lugot tin, 24 to 25c; Bar tin, 27c; Ingot Copper, 121 to 131c; Sheet Zinc, \$4 50 to \$5 00; Spelter, \$4 to \$4 50; Bright Iron Wire, Nos. 0 to 6, \$2 40 per 100

PROVISIONS. PORK, LARD, etc.-A moderate volume of business is reported in pork and lard. Lard remains about the same as last quoted. In emoked meats a slightly better husiness is mentioned. Some movement in tallow is reported at 5 to 51c. We quote: Montreal short out pork, per bri, \$13 50 to 14 00; Chicago short cut clear, per brl, 13 50 to 14 00; Mess pork, Western, per brl, \$13 00 to 13 50 Mess pork, Western, per bri, \$13 00 to 13 50; India mess beef per tee, \$22 00 to 22 50; Mess beef per bri, \$14 00 to 14 50; Hams, city cured per lh, lle to 12c; Hams and flanks, green, per lb 0 to 0c; Lard, Western, in pails, per lb, 9c to 9½c; Lard, Canadian, in pails, per lb, 8½c to 9½; Bacon, per lb, 101c to 11c; Tailow, common refined per lb, 50 to 62.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

BUTTER, -The market continues exceedingly bare of good merchantable goods. Prices of old butter are firm as follows :- Oreamery butter 24 @ 26:; Eastern Townships choice 21c @ 22c; fair to fine 15 @ 20; Morrishurg choice 190 @ 21c; fair to fine 14 @ 18; Brockville choice 19: @ 20: fair to fine 13c@ 17c; Western Weekly Review of Montreal Wholesale S. @ 15., as to quality. Low grades 70 to Rolls 120 to 180.

CHEESE .- Prices are firm as follows :- Fine to finest white and colored 910 to 100, and summer goods 7c to 9c. Portland freights winter.

COUNTRY PRODUCE. Eggs.-Under a steadily increasing de-

mand the late heavy stocks here have commenced to assume more controllable proportions, and sell at 13 to 13 c.

HAY AND STRAW .- In pressed hay the feeling is steady, although stocks are ample 35 50; do, American, \$5 50 to 5 75; do Ontario, \$4 25 to 4 75; Strong Bakers', American, \$4 75 to 5 00; do, Manitoban, \$4 70 to 4 90; do, Canada, \$4 15 to 4 30; Superior Extra, \$4 05 to 4 10; do, choice, \$4.00 to \$13 00. Straw is quiet but firm at \$1.00 to \$1.00 per 100 bundles and at \$7.00



The great successful hit of this Spring is S. Carsley's New Dress Goods, acknowledged by the trade.

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MAPLE SUGAR .- Receipts continue to keep ahead of the demand, and sell at from 90 to 103. Old sugar has been sold at 63 to 71c. MAPLE SYRUP. - Sales of syrup have been large at 70c to 80c. Poor mixed lots have been disposed of at 50c to 60c per can. ASHES.—The market is very quiet with sales of first pots at \$3.30 to \$3.35 per 100

LIVE STOCK.

There were large offerings of cattle at Point St. Charles yards, the quality of which averaged good all round. A considerable number of buyers was present, who bought freely, which resulted in active business, nearly all the offerings being cleared off. Expert cattle were in good request at firm prices, fair sales being made at 410 to 410 per ib. live weight. Butchers also figured as good buyers, who absorbed nearly all the cattle on the market. Choice beeves went at 40 per lb, and lower grades may he quoted at 3c, although none were offered. Sheep were in light supply and firmer, selling higher at 40 to 440 per lb. Spring lambs were more plen-tiful and in good demand at \$3 to \$3 each as to size. There were larger offerings of calves. but prices ruled steady under a good demand at \$1 to \$10 each as to quality and size. Live hogs were in light supply and firmer at 540 to 5%c per cent.

NOTHING VENTURE- NOTHING WIN. As a phase of life in the Crescent City, it will instruct many to know that certainly the 190th Monthly and the Grand Quarterly Drawing of The World-Famed Louisiana State Lottery came off, with its accustomed promptness, at New Orleans, on Tuesday, March 16th, when \$522,500 was showered everywhere. The result will interest at least the winning parties, the rest can wait until the next time for their share of luck. The First Capital (\$150,000) was sold in tenths at \$1.00 each—won by No. 73,040-two of which (\$30,000) was collected tor the account of Merchants' Nat'l Bank of Cincinnati, O.; one (\$15,000) was held by Olaf Anderson, No. 410 Chestnut St., San Francisco, Cal.; another tenth was paid to Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Bank, San Francisco, Cal; the remainder went to parties in Omaha, Neb., etc., etc. The Second Capital Prize of \$50,000 was won by ticket No. 10,057 and was collected as a whole for a party by Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Bank, San Francisco, Cal. The Third Capital Prize (\$20,000) was won by No. 46,742—was sold in tenths at \$1.00 each-one to John Graves, No. 418 E. 79th st., New York City; one to C. Kurtz, Cincinnati, O.; one to C. L. Young, London, Ky., paid through First National Bank of Stanford, hy.; one to J. C. Martin, St. Helena, Cal.; another was deposited as cash in Canal Bank, N. O., La., etc., etc. The Fourth Two Capital Prizes (\$10,000 each) won by Nos. 44,231 and 54.154-sold also in tenths at \$1.00-one to J. E. Prescott, San Antonio, Texas; one to Ely Oppenheimer, Columbia, Mo.; one to Frank Tisser, 339 Jefferson at., Chicago, Ill.; one to John Cartwell, Evansville, Ind.; one to Max Wendt, 1509 Leavenworth st., San Francisco, etc., etc. The next Grand Monthly (the 192d) will take place on Tuesday, May 11th, 1886, of which M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, La., on an application will give any one all particulars. Nothing venture—nothing

A VALUABLE FIND.

James Alex. Sproul, of Orangeville, says he has found Burdock Blood Bitters to be the best medicine he ever took for kidney con plaint, with which he was long suffering. He declares B.B.B. without a rival.

To his surprise, a Wisconsin minister was dismissed from an orthodox pulpit because he built a fire nuder a balky horse.

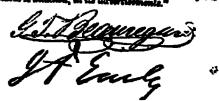
THE WRONG PLACE FOR SCALES.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 6, 1886.—In the spring of 1881, had a slight eruption, particularly on the hands, itched intensely, Spread to my face and my eyes swelled, and nearly closed. Face and hands covered with scales. Consulted physician with no relief. When I had given up hopes of recovery, took twenty bottles of Warner's safe curer which completely cared me. It is one of the greatest remedies of the age. - CAPT. W. B. ROBINSON,



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THE TORONTO WHOLESALE MAR-KETS.

Business is very good in the general lines. trade, but still there is nothing to report since our last.

Boots and Shors.—Trade is by no means

brisk. Travellers are awaiting a more favorable time than the I resent to go out on the road with sorting up samples. Money is in most quarters hard to collect.

HARDWARE —Ingot tin is firmer and, if anything, higher. There is more activity in

tin plates. A better feeling is apparent in almost all lines of raw material and manufactured goods due, doubtless, to the labor troubles. Payments are said to be improv-

HIDES AND SKINS -Owing to some slight local disturbances in the hide market, one dealer has put up the price of hides, ateers now quoting at 8%; cows, green, 84c; cured and inspected 9...

GROCERIES -Business in this department is generally reported up to the mark. Teas are solling fairly well, while augure are moving with much more briskness since the change in the tariff. Extra granulated is held at 6%c to 70, and Canadian refined 5%c to 64c. We alter our figure for Booth's old Tom gin to \$7.25 to \$7.20. There is nothing further of a special feature to note. Money comes in fairly well.
GRAIN, WHEAT.—Wheat is tending lower

and there is little trading being done. The opening of navigation might brighten matters up somewhat. Corn and rye continue nom-

FLOUR AND MEAL,-We bear of few or no transactions in flour on which to base quotations; our previous figures stand, but may be culled nominal. Ostmeal and cornmesi are also quiet at former quotations. Bran is lower, \$11 being bid.

WORTH REMEMBERING.

In a long letter from John H. Hall, of Baddick, Cape Breton, N S., he says : "I believe were it not for Burdock Blood Bitters I should be in my grave." It cured me of kidney and liver complaint and general debility, which had nearly proved fatal.

DIED.

McARTHUR-At Cote St. Paul, on the 5th April, Colin McArthur, sr., aged 73 years. DOYLE-in this city, on the 9th inst., of basilar meningitis, Herbert Leo, aged 2 years, 4 months and 17 days, only son of P. S. Diyla. GIROUX—In this city, on Tuesday, April6. Amelia, eldest daughter of the late Joseph Giroux, of The Cedars, aged 62 years.

DOOLEY .- At Richmond, on the 8th, Mary Ann Kelly, wite of the late John Dooley, sged 63 years. New York papers please copy.

HAYES—In this city, on Tuesday. April 6th, Ellen T. Hayes, aged 22 years, eldest daughter of the late Martin Hayes, a native of City of Limerick, Ireland.

MokNiGHT—At Quebec, on the 5th inst, Edward M. J. Moknight, aged 19 years five months and seven days, eldest son of P. W. Mo-Funeral takes place from his father's rest-

dence, No. 39 Victoria street, on Monday, the 12th inst., at 9 a.m. Friends and acquaintance are requested to attend. MASSON-In this city, April 8th, Augusta

Adolphe Masson, merchant, aged 52 years and 9 months, son of the late Mr. Damase Masson, and partner of the firm of D. Masson & Co. SENECAL—In this city, on the 9th inst, Marie Veronique Bertha Alina, aged 5 years and 7 months, beloved daughter of Charles

Senecal.