# The Toronto World.

# MONDAY MORNING. JANUARY 28, 1884.

OVER \$2000 WORTH STOLEN FROM

DINEEN'S STORE.

How It Was Done-A Clever Piece of

## FOOTBALLERS IN COUNCIL. ANOTHER FUR ROBBERY

### Two Old Birds Caged for Five Years Annual Meeting of the Ontario Union at

THE FATE OF THE GUILTY.

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Striking Plasterers Convicted. Justice Rose sat until six o'clock in the the Rossin House. The annual meeting of the Ontario assize court Saturday disposing of criminal Rugby football union was held at the business. The crown offe Rossin house on Saturday. The delegates in the case of perjury against Strader and present were: Toronto, E. H. Blake, Oliver Entwhistle, and they were discharged. Work-No Clue and the Police Mysti-fied. The trial of Enginedriver Jeffry, indicted for manslaughter, in connection with the Humber disaster, was postponed until next

Humber disaster, was postponed until next assizes. The community will be rid of the pres-ence of Thomas Herbert and Sam Pillow for five years, that being the term his lordship sentenced them to serve in the penitentiary. James Sullivan, convicted of robbery, got 23 months in the central prison, where he has six months of a for-mer sentence yet to put in. Joseph Noble, James Noble and Chas. Russel, larceny, 23, 22 and 6 months in the central prison respectively. Sentence in the case of Wm. Luderus, assault was deferred. The grand jury made its presentment. In referring to the recent disaster at the Humber, the jury stated that a reform in the Great Western division was urgently required. The question of esplanade dan-

terday and reported it to the police. FOUND IN THE WOODS. A Father Discovers the Skeleton of His Daughter Four Years After Her Disap-pearance. BRUCE MINES, Algoma, Jan. 26.—Four years ago the daughter of Mr. James Mills was lost in the woods. Mr. Mills was living in the township of Kirkwood, newly opened up for settlement, and far away from any neighbor. Early in the after noon, his daughter, aged 14, started with a pail and dipper to fetch some water from a small creek a few hundred yards from their honse. As time passed and she did not return her father became alarmed for her safety, and having obtained assistance a search was instituted, and continued for may days, without discovering anything more than the track of her feet in the soft a soing girl. A few days ago some men working in the woods came upon a human need for stance d for stance d for stance d for wrte d for wrte d for wrte d for stance stance d for stance d for stance d for stance state n for state state n for state state state d or state stat

THE WORLD'S THREE AGES DR. WILD ON THE LENGTH OF THE STONE, BRONZE AND IRON AGES.

PRICE ONE CENT.

The Results of Reading 123 Books-The Disagreement of Scientists-The Bible Proven True and Reliable.

The text was chosen from the erse of the fourth chapter of Joshua; "That this may be a sign among you, that when your children ask their fathers in ime to come, saying, what mean ye by

crossing of the Jordan by the children of Israel, after which God commanded that two mounds of stones-one on land composed of stones from the river; the other in the river's bed built of stones from the shore-should be erected as a memorial of

This nineteenth century, the doctor continued, is characterized by the researches of scientific men among the fossils and remains of extinct races in order to tell of their age and modes of living. During the last few years he had read no less than 123 last lew years he had read no less than 123 volumes (costing about \$2000) on such sub-jects as "the origin of man," "Preada-mites," "prehistoric man," etc. After reading them carefully he found, as a rule, that their authors, while correctly stating facts, drew incorrect and unreasonable in-ferences from them. He now believed that all the present races on the face of the of ap-d the ferences from them. He now believed that all the present races on the face of the earth are descended from one pair and are Adamic in their origin, features and heri-tage. A recent work by an Ameri-lleged can professor groups together some 300 authentic quotations from these various works and shows by their own statements and rules that the bible chron-ology is literally correct; indeed the speak. The past is divided by the scientists into three ages—the stone, bronze and iron, representing the intellectual, moral and social status of man. They allege we are in the latter part of the iron age. The stone age with them is very low—man being al-most on a level with the brute, living in caves, where the bones of the meat they

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LONDON, Jan. 27 .- The wind blew an the Car company and when the department hurricane all last night. Much damage arrived it was impossible to do any effect was done here. Many persons were intive work on account of the dense smoke. At 1 o'clock it was evident the prison was jured. The glass roof of the Westminster tive work on account of the dense smoke. At 1 o'clock it was evident the prison was domed and a company of state militia was called to assist in removing the con victs, of whom 330 were shackled together by chains and removed. The fire spread with remarkable rapidity. Starting at the west end of the prison it soon reached the warden's office and the roms occupied by the guards. It then spread to the offices of the Northwestern Car company. The entire front part of the building was a mass of flames. The kit-chen and eating room of the building were next seized by the devouring element All the above named departments were gutted. How the fire started is a mystery. Chief Joy was overpowered by smoke in the car office. Someone turned water into the room, which knocked him down. He was rescued more dead than alive. Fire-man Dodd saved a convict who was left in a cell at the risk of his own life. One pris-oner was burned to death, but the records of the prison being lost his name cannot be ascertained. The convicts are housed in an adjoining foundry, and are behaving well. They are guarded by the militia. What disposition will be made of them is the puzzling question. The county jails are too untrustworthy usually for the im-prisonment of such as the Youngers and other important convicts. THE CRESTED BUTTE DISASTER. aquarium was demolished, causing a panic among the audience, in which several per-sons were hurt. A printing office in the Haymarket was unroofed and a boy killed. Many vessels were wrecked off the coast Haymarket was unroofed and a boy killed. Many vessels were wrecked off the coast and a large number of lives lost. Reports from all parts of the kingdom agree that the gale on Saturday was one of almost unparalleled severity. At Hast-ings the seas dashed over the streets, mak-ing walking dangerous. At Monmouth the Wye and Monnow rivers overflowed and the highways were flooded. South-ampton and Eastbourne suffered severely. There has been a heavy snowstorm throughout the country. At Torquay were many casualties. Trees were up-rooted and many boats swamped. Shops on the Isle of Wight were closed early on Saturday, owing to the hurricane. At Newry many houses were unroofed. At Leeds the roof of a dwelling collapsed, killing the daughter of a workman. The mail train between Durham and Darling-ton was twice stopped by the gale. The bark Nokomio, Capt. Murphy, which sailed from Londonderry, Jan 19, for Baltimore, and which returned to Lough Foyle for shelter, parted her cables and was driven to sea. It is feared the vessel and all hands have been lost. An iron chapel at Newceastle was demolished. The roof in jalling killed a woman and two children. There have been numerons marine cas.

A PENITENTIARY BURNED.

The Majority of the Convicts Safely Re-

THE CRESTED BUTTE DISASTER. There have been numerous marine cas-ualties around the coast. The Frisia re-Recovery of Nearly all the Bodies of the

Victims.

DENVER, Jan. 26.-Twenty-three more burned bodies were recovered to-day from the Crested Butte mine, making fifty-seven

the Crested Butte mine, making fifty-seven in all. But two remain. Those recovered to-day were all found in chamber number two and in the passage way in the immedi-ate vicinity. Many have arms and legs broken, skulls crushed in, and clothing burned in many cases, so that it drops off in rags when the body is moved. The ap-pearance of the bodies is horrible, and it is not likely that any can be recognized. Many of the faces have coal dust ground into them until they are as black as the coal itself.

# TARIFF AMENDMENTS.

THE PROSPECTS IMPROVING. More Favorable Reports of the Situation mitted to Congress. WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 .- Morrison, chair-

# The Direction of a Little Bill to be Sub-

CAIRO, Jan. 27.-Telegraphic communiman of the ways and means committee

BUFFALO, N.Y., Jan. 26 .- New efforts STILLWATER, Minn., Jan. 26.-A fire are being exerted by the Citizens' reform caught in the basement of the penitentiary association to close up gambling establishat 11.45 last night. The fire was disments, which recently started up afresh covered by a pedestrian, who failed to attract the attention of the warders and | after a subsidence of the activity of the ran down town and turned on an alarm. The fire caught under the main office of

after a subsidence of the activity of the new police administration. Several notorious places have been closed, the proprietors being warned to get out or take the consequences of indictments. Those with a big bank, and was told by the lose of training agreesters that there was not not for him. He said he would make room, and while de frank Ball came here with the intention of opening a swell sporting house with a big bank, and was told by the lose of the would make room, and while de frains that there was no room for him. He said he would make room, and while de function. The thieves were particular and took only the back. He made a complaint to the police, but when he came on the was a pitiable spectacle. He made a complaint to the police, but when he came on the was a pitiable spectacle. He made a complaint to the police, but when he came on the was a pitiable spectacle. He made a complaint to the police, but when he came on the was a pitiable spectacle. He made a complaint to the police, but when he came on the police.
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BUFFALO GAMBLERS.

The Welcome a New-comer Received from

THE IRON AND STEEL INDUSTRY.

Last Year not so Bad as Generally Re-

ported. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 27.-The secretary of the American iron and steel association reports that the total production of pig iron in the United States last year was 5,147,000 net tons, against a total produc-1882. He says 1883 tion of 5,178,000 in 1882. He says 1883 was not a bad year for the American iron trade. The secretary also reports that the quantity of Bessemer steel ingots produced in the United States last year was 1,654,000

in the United States last year was 1,654,000 net tons, against 1,696,000 in 1882. This is a much smaller decrease than has been generally supposed. It was, however, the first decrease that has occurred in the his-tory of the Bessemer steel industry in this country. Our imports of iron and steel in December were less than any month since

missing girl. A few days ago some men working in the woods came upon a human skeleton and lying near by it were a tin pail and dipper, all plainly indicating the remains to be those of the poor lost girl.

Pacific railway through.

Priestman and Mara.

A communication was received on Fri-

Mr. Beaty's Scheme!

Canada's Greatest Son.

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING.

I am likely to be counted out-The January

What is government going to do with ou solvent bill-The Boards of Trade.

Wait till we see what our majority is before

Wait till the clouds roll by, John A .-- Ed.

Oh, that this too too solid ice would melt-

THE WORLD WOULD LIKE TO SEE

The Northern begin work on the Callende

Mr. Creighton go slow this session. Slouched hats driven out of parliament. The members of the legislature with flower

The electric light burning on Sunday nights FAIR AND MILD.

Lakes and Upper St. Lawrence: Basterly to outheasterly winds; cloudy to fair, milder eather with light falls of snow.

SAFE OVER THE SEA.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, TORONTO, Jan. 28, 1 a.m.

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the Great Western division was urgently required. The question of esplanade dan-gers was dealt with briefly. The jury thought construction of overhead bridges at the foot of York, Yonge and Church streets should be immediately proceeded with in order that other railway fatalities might be avoided. The jury made the customary round of public institutions and found everything in a satisfactory condi-tion. The new protestant orphan's home on the Dovercourt road was in need of ap-pliances for extinguishing fires and the construction of suitable escapes was recom-mended. Fred. Leach and Alex. McCord were put

these stones." The connection of the text refers to the

the miracle.

The governor of Dongola has telegraphed the khedive that many tribes, including a powerful Bycharih tribe, have submitted to Baker Pasha. They ask remissions of six months' taxes, and that they be recom-pensed for losses incurred in the rebellion and guaranteed the free passage of traders' caravans. Other tribes are expected to

falling killed a woman and two children.

ports that she had a rough passage with heavy gales and tremendous seas. The railway station at Elmswell was blown across the rails, blocking the traffic for

some time. Seven bodies have been washed ashore

gas. The slamming of the doors by the wind and the roar of the tempest drowned the voices of the actors. Madame Bernhardt's foot was wounded by fragments from a broken window.

in The Soudan.

PARIS, Jan. 27.-A destructive storm A temporary panic was caused among the audience at the Port St. Martin theatre last night by the sudden quenching of the gas-lights. Cries were raised of turn on the

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FIFTH YEAR.

GALES IN GREAT BRITAIN

MUCH DAMAGE DONE AND MANY

LIVES LOST.

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Westminster Aquarium Unroofed—A Boy Killed in the Haymarket, London.

The porte has decided to refrain from asking the powers to solve the Egyptian problem. He has instructed the Turkish ambassador at Soudan to negotiate infor-

mally with Earl Granville. Steamers recently sent to clear the Blue nile failed in the purpose. They were at tacked by the rebels with great fury. The latter waded out to the attack and were only repulsed after eighty rockets had been fired into their ranks and after they had only replied after eighly fockets had been fired into their ranks and after they had suffered a heavy loss. El Mahdi left El Obeid nine days ago. His destination is unknown. He has 37,000 men and plenty of ammunition and Krupp guns. El Mahdi lest celle 200 men during the encagement lost only 300 men during the engagement with Hicks Pasha.

uth Hicks Fasha. LONDON, Jan. 27.—Musurus Pasha, Turkish ambassador, has suggested to Earl Granville the pacification of the Soudan with the Turkish army.

A BRUTAL BLUNDER.

### A Nationalist Opinion of the Irish Emigration Scheme,

DUBLIN, Jan. 27 .- A nationalist ing was held at Newport to-day. In spite of the storm fully 10,000 persons were present. A resolution was passed declar

ing the land act inadequate and the em-igration scheme a brutal blunder. At a nationalist meeting at Parsons-town Mr. Harrington, M. P., insisted that the government be compelled to grant larger concessions to Ireland.

At a nationalist meeting at Edgeworths town Mr. Justin McCarthy said Irish men were determined to have their own parliament. Some disorders occurred at this meeting. Several persons were ejected from the platform.

THE POLICE IN IRELAND.

Two Women Felled to the Ground-Unsuccessful Attempt to Arrest a Man.

DUBLIN, Jan. 27.-A national league meeting announced to be held to-day at Killivanlen, Cork, was forbidden by proclamation. Two magistrates with numerous policemen prevented the people as-sembling. Some disorder ensued. One of

sembling. Some disorder ensued. Une of the magistrates was twice ordered to arrest the ringleader, but he could not be secured. The police felled two women, breaking several ribs of one of them. At an informal meeting afterward the con-duct of the magistrates and police was

COLLISION IN THE CHANNEL. A Steamer Sunk and Twenty-Two Lives

Lost. LONDON, Jan. 25 .- The ships City of

worthy of the nation.

says he is working on a tariff bill and hopes to report it to the house shortly. While his main idea is to make a horizontal reduction main idea is to make a horizontal reduction in the several schedules, there will be in-stances where, in the interests of revenue reform, it will be necessary to make very radical changes. If Hewitt's bill contains any points not covered in his bill, and they are not objectionable, they can be offered as amendments to his bill.

An Escaped Nun.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 26.- A variety actress named Nellie Palmer was arrested to day and sent home to Detroit, Mich. She proves to be a nun escaped from an Ontario convent.

Thawed-Out Cartridges.

BIRDSBORG, Pa., Jan. 26 .- A number of giant powder cartridges placed in the Philadelphia and Reading signal tower here to thaw exploded this evening, in-stantly killing James Kenney and serious-ly injuring Benj. Trout. The force of the explosion was heard at a great distance.

Fatal Accident to a Pressman.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.-Dr. John B Wood, a widely known newspaper man, fell from a pier into the Hudsen river this morning about 12.30 and died from the shock

and expositive. His funeral will be conducted by the Press club on Wednesday, and he will be buried in the Press club lot, Cypress

Hill cemetery.

A Bureau of Annual Industry. WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.-The House com nittee on agriculture has reported a bill for the establishment of a bureau of annual in-dustry to prevent the exportation of dis-eased cattle and provide means for the sup-pression and extirpation of pleuro pneu-monia and other contagious diseases among

## The Champion Gormandiser.

STAPLETON, L.I., Jan. 26.-Charles Nash of this place on a wager of \$10 ate vester day 300 cysters, five pounds of roast beef and drank twelve schooners of lager with-out leaving the table. He did not appear uncomfortable after an hour's moderate walking, and said he could repeat the feat within a few days.

A Sunday School Teacher Goes Wrong ST. LOUIS, Jan. 26.-Hiram Post, superintendent of a Sunday school and confiden tial clerk of an agent for the McCormick Harvesting Machine company, attempted suicide last night. He took laudanum without effect and then cut his throat in a bungling manner. The wound is danger-ous. Post confesses that he embezzled ous. Post confesses that \$5000 from his employers.

## The Estate of a Recluse.

KINGSTON, N.Y., Jan, 27-Letters of adninistration have been issued in the estate of Hiram Radcliffe, the recluse, to H. R. Romeyn, tenor singer, New York city, the only heir. Personal property has been Romeyn, tenor singer, New York city, the only heir. Personal property has been discovered of one hundred and fifty thous-and dollars. Half a barrel of pennies was found in the house, also a note for fifteen thousand dollars which had never been

A constitutional sovereign. DUBLIN, Jan. 27.—The nationalists' ful. The orangemen did not hold a coun-ter meeting. Mr. Sexton, M.P., in a speech said he recognized the queen as a constitutional sovereign. Lord Welseley on the British Army. LONDON, Jan. 27.—General Lord Wolf, a first set of the mathematical set of the christian nations.' Starved to Death. NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Jan. 26.—Jas. Murty, an employe of the Niagara Wood Paper company, died last evening at his residence at Suspension Bridge. On ac-count of a shut-down at the mill of the Niagara Wood Paper company, Murty left for home on Friday and was not sent for until the mill was ready to start. No-body had seen him in the meantime. Starved to Death. NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Jan. 26.—Jas. Murty, an employe of the Niagara Wood Paper company, died last evening at his residence at Suspension Bridge. On ac-count of a shut-down at the mill of the big had be recognized the queen as a constitutional sovereign. Lord Welseley on the British Army. LONDON, Jan. 27.—General Lord Wolf, of a first and the one foot in the meantime. of a first and the meantime. Starved to be the start with one foot in the meantime. NIGH Welseley on the British Army. Low provide the set of the start and the set of the s

Lord Wolseley on the British Army. Loxdox, Jan. 27. General Lord Wolse-ley, adjutant general, declares that the British army was more effective to-day than before the Crimean war. England, he said, has never had an army more worthy of the nation.

The Cleveland, O., paper company has failed with liabilities of \$200,000 and assets nominally greater. The twenty-four sewer escape manufac-turing companies of the United States have organized a pool. An aged colored man was found frozen to death on Saturday near the railroad station at Glasgow, N. J.

Report of the British Minister at Wash

The Boston and Albany railroad has given notice of a 25 per cent. reduction in its pay roll, commencing Feb. 1. Orin Carpenter, grain merchant and em-ployer of the girl, has been indicted for the murder of Zora Burns at Hillsboro, Ill.

A fire occurred at 92 White street, New York, A. H. Hart & Co., dealers in yarns and twines, on Saturday night; loss \$90,-000. J. B. Wadsworth of Morrisville, N.

proprietor of eighteen cheese factories, lo ated in several counties has failed; lia bilities \$72,000. The Germans of Wilmington, N.C., in-tend to present Lieut. Rhodes with a gold medal for gallant conduct at the wreck of the City of Columbus:

Railroad Commissioner Fink favors the establishment of a board of commissioners of interstate commerce as a bureau of the interior department at Washington. In the recent fisheries exhibition the United States received 49 gold, 47 silver and 29 bronze medals and 24 diplomas,

equal to more than one-fifth of the entire umber awarded: Dr. Adam Gross, a well known physician of Baltimore, has been arrested on a charge of causing the death of Belinda Dickson by malpractice, which is a capital crime in Maryland.

PROMINENT PERSONS.

The mother of Abdul Aziz, late sultan of Turkey, it dead. Edmond About, the author, has been lected a member of the French academy. R. S. White of the Montreal Gazette has een elected president of the house of comnons press gallery. John Parselle, an old English actor, late of the Union Square theatre, New York, has retired from the stage.

The porte has aecided not to despatch proops to the Soudan, but will ask the powers to settle the Egyptian question. Frank Hugh Hugh Ocahan O'Donnell, M. P. for Dungarvan. a home ruler, will make a literary tour in America after the

prorogation of parliament. Mario and Grisi once declined a very re-Mario and Grisi once declined a very re-munerative engagement for a night or two because he heard the hotel was not quite up to the mark. He was luxurious and expensive in his personal habits.

Cardinal McCabe writes to the Dublin branch of the peace society that he has no hope of the success of its aims. "The christian world once recognized such a tri-bunal, and was prepared to enforce its decisions; but although the arbiter still exists, his authority is ignored, and hence the sword must settle the disputes of chris tian states, to the disgrace of the christian name and the misery of christian nations."

rom the fact that the receipts from the sale of postage stamps at St. Stephen N.B., in 1883 amounted to \$24,000. This for a town having a population under 2500 is somewhat remarkable seeing that the receipts from the same source for the city of St. John, N.B., is only \$35,000.

IMMIGRATION INTO THE STATES.

ington.

OTTAWA, Jan. 27.-British Minister West at Washington was some time ago request ed by the imperial government to make a return of the immigration into the United States from the British isles and Canada. The minister's report corroborated the

The minister's report corroborated the Washington statistics as to the exodus from Canada to the United States. The Can-adian government have persistently refused te accept these statistics as anthentic. Sir Alexender Campbell stated in the senate the other evening that the British minis-ter's report was largely made up from in-formation obtained from United States newsmapper newspapers:

SUICIDE OF A WINNIPEGGER. A Real Estate Dealer Shoots Himself of

Account of Business Troubles. WINNIFEC, Man:, Jan: 27:-Great sun rise was expressed here to-day when it became known that James H. Emslee of this city had committed suicide by shooting himself at the Winslow house, St. Paul, Minn. He) was one of our most prominent and respected citizens. He was a heavy real estate dealer. In common with everybody else in the same line of business the past year has been a disas-

trous one to him, and it is supposed that business troubles drove him to make away with himself. BURNED BEEF.

## instone's Fluid Beef Establish

Destroyed by Fire. MONTREAL, Jan. 27.-Johnstone's fluid beef factory, situated on the Lachine canal near Point St: Charles, was burned down to-day. There were three solid buildings three stories high, each filled with ma-chinery, and all with their contents were

chinery, and all with their contents were consumed. The origin of the fire is un-known. The loss will be heavy, an ap-proximate estimate being from seventy to eighty thousand dollars, which is well covered in British insurance offices.

### THE DUTY ON WHEAT.

The Ontario Members Decide to Urge the Government to Make No Change. OTTAWA, Jan. 27.—A meeting of Ontario ferred. As soon as Sullivan returns from San Francisco Pendergast says he will give embers supporting the government was held yesterday at which it was decided not to urge the government to change the duty on wheat. him the first choice.

Herr Lasker's Obsequies. BERLIN, Jan. 27 .- In the procession

which followed the remains of the late Herr Lasker from the station to the synagogue this morning was a large number of

members of the upper and lower houses of the Prussian diet, two brothers and three sisters of the deceased, and numerous carsisters of the deceased, and numerous car-riages containing private citizens. The last carriage contained wreaths deposited on the coffin in New York. A large crowd of spectators with uncovered heads lined the route. At the synagogue a coffin was placed in a handsomely draped chamber. The members of the Jewish community will hold a funeral watch until the burial.

Roving Round.

Guelph Mercury: The emigrants sent ere from Toronto yesterday, as choppers, received money from the corporation to return to Toronto. Those who had suf-ficient funds went through to the States, and a portion returned to Toronto.

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lege, Ringerstein-P. M. Bankler, Hamilton. Jece-president-P. M. Bankler, Hamilton. Jommittee-T. H. Stinson, Hamilton; W. Jones, Trinity college; A. C. Macdonell, yal military college, Kingston; E. H. Blake, pronto; J. P. Nutling, Ottawa; -Cronyn, pronto university, and G. Gordon, U. C. C. A vote of thanks to Mr: Irish for the se of the room closed the meeting. as to what Mr. Mackenzie really did say the other day, on the occasion of a presen-tation to him by the officers of the insur-

THE CHAMPION AT CHESS. Dr. Zukertort Plays Twelve Blindfold

Games Simultaneously. Dr. Zukertort played a blindfolded game with twelve players at the Athenæum

rooms on Saturday. The score was : Goodwin Gibson, Toronto. Board No. 1 won J. H. Gordon, Toronto...Board No. 2 lost E. B. Freeland, Toronto...Board No. 3 lost H. J. Rose, Toronto...Board No. 4 lost W. M. Stark. Toronto...Board No. 5 lost W. M. Stark. Toronto...Board No. 6 lost Dr. Ryall, Hamilton...Board No. 7 won W. A. Littlejohn, Toronto...Board No. 8 lost C. W. Phillips, Toronto...Board No. 8 lost W. Boultbee, Toronto...Board No. 10 won W. H. Judd, Hamilton...Board No. 11 won H. Kittson, Hamilton...Board No. 12 won Zukertort thus won 6 games, the players 5, and one was drawt: rooms on Saturday. The score was :

This is one of the best contests played

This is one of the best contests played since the champion began his tour in America. He labored under the disad-vantage of a cold room : he said the cold caused a rush of blood to his head making the twelve boards to swim before his eyes. In the game with Mr. Gibson by an over-sight he left his queen in a position to be taken and resigned. Mr. Gibson generous-ly suggested that the doctor withdraw his last move and save his queen, but he de-clined, saying that after 20 years of chess he must decline to take back a move, a noble example for other players. The next game the champion lost was with Dr. Ryall. By an oversight he allowed Dr. Ryall to queen a pawn and thereupon com-plimented him saying that had he (the champion); been the is place, he would have resigned long ago. The gaint with Mr. Boultbee was well contested ; after ten minutes consideration the champion re-Old Mr. Beaty says Ald. Turner would have no need of issuing city stock to build the trunk sewers if exempted property was made to pay taxes. Wipe out the exmptions. From the Oshawa Reformer. Canada's greatest son is undoubtedly Hon. E. Blake. Whether it be on the stur non. E. Blacc, whether it be on the stur or in the house he is to-day without a pee Never was this more evident than on Frid when he delivered his telling and felicito address in reply to the speech from the thron It was tirbane, humorous, good-naturedly sa castic and logically coherent.

Mr. Boundee was were contested; after ten minutes consideration the champion re-signed. Mr. Phillips' game was a draw and was probably the best of the lot. Judd and Kitton of Hamilton both won hard fought battles. The marvellous powers of the doctor astonished everyone who wit nessed the play: He leaves to-day for Ottawa and the east.

Pendergast to Sheriff and Sullivan. WEST BRIGHTON, L. I., Jan. 27 .- Dick Hollywood, trainer of Joe Pendergast, said to-day that he would post \$500 forfeit within a day or two to fight Wm. Sheriff, the Prussian, who is coming east with Par-son Davis to match Pendergast with gloves or knuckles for from \$1000 to \$2500. Pendergast has a standing challenge to fight any that in the world, Sullivan pre-

## OLD WORLD IN BRIEF.

Furious gales continue throughout Great Britain Russia has made a formal der Turkey to pay the £250,000 still owing of the indemnity exacted after the Turko-

Russian war. Canton advices state that the American or that city were wrecked by a native mob on Dec. 16. Property was destroyed, but no lives.

The English treasury department ha abandoned the further prosecution of Wm. Wolf and Edward Bondur on the charge of illegally being in posse

explosives. The London Globe says the officials of the Irish national league denounce the in-stitution of Patrick Ford's "emergency fund" Notwithstanding their protests,

Jan. 26-Germanic. Jan. 26-Canada.... Jan. 26-Rhein..... an. 26-Austrian.... Jan. 26-Frisia..... it is believed large portions of the league's funds have been virtually placed at Ford's

000. Mr. Pope promised the matter con Mr. Mackenzie's Speech. There is considerable talk on the inside

years ago, and he along with others teach that man was pre-glacial! Others deduct evidence to show that man is post-glacial. None of these writers agree, but if a man finds an apparent error of twenty years in the bible he sends a letter to him (Dr. Wild) and asks, "How is that?" whereas it is as a drop to the ocean compared to the errors made by some scientists. If integrity and truth are wanted, read the bible. The works of several eminent scientists—such as Lubbock, Lyle and others—were criti-cised for their outrageously incorrect figtation to him by the officers of the insur-ance company of which he is president. No reporters were there, but those who heard him state that, among other things, he said that he had received more generous treatment from political opponents (Hon. Alex. Morris made the presentation) than from political friends. It is also stated that he said the country must see the Besific arilway through. cised for their outrageously incor ures; in fact Lyle had changed his his on the age of man in every edition of his work. If a man wants his faith taxed, he has only to believe what some men say. The bible however is within the bounds of

Reference was made to the eighty theories proposed before the French institute up to 1806, each hostile to christianity, but not one lives to-day while the bible stands forth brighter and clearer and more majes-A communication was received on FII-day by the stock exchange from Wm. Mara, saying that he desired them to re-move the name of Joseph Priestman from the defaulter's register, placed there at his request. The request was complied with. As one broker put it, we "post" no one; we only "register" them.

tic than ever before. The infidel says it is hard to believe the The infidel says it is hard to believe the story of the flood and that the world was twice repeopled, yet an eminent reologist running from the Silurian age to the pres-ent time affirms that there have been twenty-seven different and original crea-tions of plants and animals, following each time some geological disturbance which destroyed every living thing. The three ages overlap each other, the doctor continued, and have been and are now contemporaneous one with another.

abortor continued, and have been and are now contemporaneous one with another. People are living in caves and using stone instruments to-day in India. Does that imply there is no iron in existence? It New York were to be submerged and years after a geologist were to discover one of the huts of Shantytown and then Vanderbilt's mansion not and then Vanderbilt's mansion not far away, what would he say? Excepting the instruments for circumcision, the He-brews used flint. Some of the stones in the oldest pyramid are clamped together by iron braces—a pyramid that is 4000 years old. The work on the ancient tem-ples could not have been done by stone in-struments. In a mosque near Delhi is an iron pillar forty feet long and five feet in circumference. No foundry in Toronto could cast such a piece. It proves the bible to be true as to the origin of man, and disproves the assertion that these an-cient people were illiterate and ignorant. Several modern instances were given in conclusion to prove that the deductions of

Several modern instances were given in conclusion to prove that the deductions of scientific men widely differ, and the audience were enjoined to have an abiding faith in the word of God. "The Inspiration of the Bible" will be

next Sunday evening's subject, by the re-quest of a number of young men.

## Victoria College and Toronto.

I can tell you this much, said a prominent methodist last night, that there are negotiations going on looking to the removal of Victoria college to Toronto, but the matter is of such a delicate nature that it would not be wise at this juncture that it would not be whet at this in a far the second seco the methodist body, including Dr. Nelle of Victoria, but in a few days you may hear of it being talked of more generally. I am further convinced that when the mat-is laid before the methodists of Toronto they will generally come foward with more than their share of the money necessary to erect suitable buildings. There is even a scheme on foot for taking the Cobourg buildings off the hands of the denomi nation, which will be satisfactory alike t the college and to Cobourg. nation, which will be satisfied to Cobourg.

Business Troubles. Business Troubles. J. L. Perkins, grocer, Ingersoll, assigned in trust. Bennett furnishing company, London, closed under execution. Alexander Mortimer, bookbinder, Ottawa, assigned in trust. Charles Flanagan, harness, Paris, assigned in trust. J. Nixon, boots and shoes, Winnipeg, assigned in trust.

