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WEDNESDAY, DEC. 11.

MORALS IN UNIVERSITIES.

The action proposed by the president of the Cornell Universities to weed out the drunken and licentious students from attendance at the institution should meet with general approval. It promises of better, conditions, the is apprecedent which might well be fol- treatment of the negroes by whites is lowed by other leading educational in- to-day the monumental problem of the stitutions both in Canada and the South. It is a disgrace to the white United States. It is essential for the people in that part of the country and good of the country that, a high moral to the whole United States. It is, and society code be maintained at without hyperbole, a blot on civilizathese great centres of learning. They tion, After decades of effort the are really the nurseries of public opir- South has proved its complete incomion. The sentiments there developed petence to deal with the negro, and it are very likely to remain through seems to us high time that the Amerthe four to eight years spent in lit- in the matter. erary and professional study-the hab- We read at frequent intervals of its formed there are most apt to con- fresh atrocities committed by the tinue; therefore it is especially neces- whites against the blacks, deeds sursary that the social customs which are surpassing in fiendish cruelty anyobtained in these institutions should thing ascribed to the Boers in South be of a high grade. It has always Africa or the savages in the Philipbeen the intent in all the universities pines. Take the latest case reported of the American continent that dissc- from Alabama. A posse sought to arslute and drunken students should not rest a negro at a turpentine camp. A be allowed to continue their course to fight ensued in which one of the posse the detriment of their fellow-students was killed. Thereupon the blacks and the disgrace of their alma mater, were pursued with bloodhounds, as in but this has largely come to be a the- the good old slavery days. Half a ory of which there has been no suffi- dozen negroes were slaughtered, One ciently practical application. It is of the victims, being leaped upon by coming to be recognized everywhere, the bloodhounds, preferred to blow in all walks of life, that men who ex- his brains out with a pistol. pect to fill places of trust and respon- No crime on the part of the ne ety and honor. This pronounced ex- much to say that the South is undepression from President Schurman serving and incapable of self-governwhich the student life of all educa-

MR. MORANG'S ANSWER.

tional institutions should be attuned.

The statement was made by Hon. Geo. W. Ross in Wingham that there school books in Ontario. The Toronto News interviewed Mr. George N. Morang on the question. Mr. Morang, it will be remembered, sought permission ago to publish one of the text books. Up to the present that permission has port of the ratepayers. not been granted. Mr. Morang has since entered suit against the monopoly for damages for using material for which he holds the copyright. Mr. Morang answered the Premier's statement by offering suggestions to those who desired to ascertain the exact truth. These suggestions are as fol-

1. Look up a list of authorised books as published in the departmental regulations, approved August, 1900. The facts are that the books authorised for the Public and High schools of Ontario are published by three firms, which virtually constitute the ring. here are a few books, however, pubshed by oursiders, but these are of as ology and temperance, and three perance men. r books of l'ttle consequence. Hun-Ross & Co. publish the High Euclid and High school French grammer; Morang publishes the Pubool Agriculture. The books which a rec's general use, such as the Reader, Grammar and Geography, are all under the control of the three worse still for the nursing firms, who have the Government tied y their control of certain copys in the readers.

Let the enquirer after truth the Ontario reader question, and its development during the last six-

teen years. 3. Let him prepare a first-class upb-date text-book to take the place of some obsolete book admittedly unfit rich and more abundant. for use in our schools, and let him make application for its authorisa-

4. Let him have a private interview with the Hon. Richard Harcourt, Minister of Education.

In the foregoing Mr. Morang accurately recites his own experience and that experience conclusively demonstrated to him that the publica-

The Small of the Back

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tion of our school books was in the hands of a ring which the Minister of Education could not or dare not

NEGRO PROBLEM STILL PUZ-ZLES THE SOUTH.

Despite the smooth palaverings of apologists, vague sermonings and This is the formative period- ican federal government took a hand

sibility, either in industrial or profes- groes can justify such unspeakable barbarities. Sca. will be accepted as the keynote to ment, since it cannot govern the negro with justice and mercy.

> This makes us think about the snow by-law.

The editor of the Brantford Expositor prints a long article on "Our is no monopoly in the production of Drink Bill," says the Hamilton Spec. He ought to pay it and say nothing.

Ald. McCoig is the first citizen to announce his municipal candidature from the Minister of Education a year for the ensuing year. Ald. McCoig has earned the confidence and sup-

> The preachers of Toronto are hot after the gamblers. This is only a spurt, for the whole ministration of preachers is a contest with gambling. A large proportion of their congregations gamble on the chances of living worldly, self-indulgent lives and coming out all right in the celestial wind-up of earthly affairs.

> Since the electors of West Huron rendered their verdict there has been but little talk about the Conservative reaction. That reaction is loaded up the other way.-Toronto Globel.

If that is all true, points out the Hamilton Spectator, there is no reaery little importance. The Methodist son why Mr. Ross should be afraid to ook room publishes the Public school keep his promise made to the tem-

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A mother's poor health is bad enough for the mother but

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Ottawa will honor itself by erecting a memorial to the late Henry Albert Harper, the brave young man who died in his attempt to save Miss

President Roosevelt says that a citzen fails in his duty if, seeing evil he merely turns out of its path. According to this opinion, and it seems to be cut out of the solid truth; nine men out of ten are doing their level best not to do their duty.

Wittespread and sincere will be the sympathy of the Canadian people for Hon. A. G. Blair and his family in the heavy bereavement which has fallen upon them in the sad death of the bright engaging girl who was drowned in the Ottawa river on Fri-

The Guelph Herald quite properly draws attention to the lack of wisdom of a Provincial detective who to make an arrest and secure a victim entered into a false correspondence with a young man and encouraged him to try to deal in counterfeit

On Sunday night in Chicago the immense auditorium could not begin to hold the people who assembled at a meeting there in order to tell Great Britain that she must stop the Boer war. For some reason or other, Roosevelt was not called on to close the Philippine struggle.+ No doubt this emission was an oversight and will be attended to at another gath-

SMIFF'S RECOMMENDATION. Bobcaygeon Independent.

The fact-that Queen Wilhelmina is a total abstainer, increases Mr. Smiff's sympathy for her in her dcmestic troubles. A taste of her native schnapps would be most comfort-

HERESY IN THE SCHOOLS.

Toronto Star. come to our knowledge that there are some young boys attending the public schools of Toronto who do not believe in Santa Claus. This is a sad state of affairs, and we suggest that Inspector Hughes should consider what steps ought to be taken in the

THE MARKETS.

Phanet Office, Tuesday evening, December 10. John Waddell, of the firm of J. B.

Stringer & Co., gives The Planet the

GRAINS. Wheat market is active and higher, in-sympathy with the boom in the U. S. markets. The street price is 75c to-day and all eagerly taken a Re-ceipts are quite small. Railroad receipts help to make good the dei-

ciency on the street. Coarse grains are booming also. Corn, oats, and barley in great demand for local points throughout Ontario and Quebec, for feeding purposes chiefly, varues being above an export basis, Business in that direction is at a standstill at present. Prices are rather better than a week ago. Corn shows most liberal receipts, barley and oats being now very light in supply. The street price for corn is 52 to 55c, as to quality, etc., oats, 43c to 45c, and barley 95c to

Beans are having a good rest late-\$1,05 per cwt. ly. Enquiry is very light for time of year. Some enquiries are coming in from U. S. eastern points for handpicked, Offers, however, figure out very low and disappoint the dealers, considering the cost they are put to for stock. The shipments are reported very light in Michigan also. prices range between 90c and \$1.10 per bushel, as to sample. Dressed hogs are a large trade at this time of the year, and last week

a very heavy business was done. The market advanced to \$7.75 and in some cases to \$8.00 last week. east has not responded well to this to-day \$7.75 is a top quotation. and an easier feeling is the result, and While receipts have been heavy, de-mand has not kept up as well as looked for, concessions being required to make sales.

Wheat 75c. Shelled corn, 54c. White outs, 44c. Mixed oats 43c. Buckwheat 40c. Barley, \$... per cwt.

SEEDS.

"The seed market," says Nelson Stringer, "remains steady. There has been a good crop of clover seed this year, which has been marketed freely at prices ranging from \$4.50 to \$5.50 all season. Alsike has been a short crop to the

number of acres sown. The price has ranged from \$6 to \$7.

The seed crop has been about two-thirds marketed this season, the most of which will go for export. Last year some seed had to be imported from the States, while this year we will exports a good deal.

Our native furs, the mink,

coon, and skunk are being used in the manufacture of the most stylish and fashionable furs. Furs are coming into the local mar-

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Millet seed, 35c.
Red Clover, \$4.50 to \$5.00. Alsike, \$6 to \$7

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WOOL AND HIDES. Wool, washed, 12c cash, 13c trade. Wool, unwashed, 7c cash, 8c trade. Calf skins, 6c to 7c per lb. Lambs and shearlings, 25c to 40c. Cow hides, No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 4 1-2c. Pelts, 25c to 50c Horse hides, \$1 to \$2.50.

FURS. Coon skins, 10 to 75c Fox skins, 75c to \$1.25. Dog skins, 25 to 50c.

HAY. The following are the prices: Hay, clover, \$5.50 to \$6. Hay, baled, \$6.50 to \$7.50 per ton. loose, \$6 to \$7.

Pork, 9 and 10c. Mutton, 7 and 8c. Live hogs, \$5 to \$5.25. Dressed hogs, \$7.75.

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Respectfully yours, W. H. BENSEN. TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD No. 2.

Ladies and Gentlemen, I am a candidate for the position of School Trustee in your ward, and respectfully solicit your vote and influ-

Yours respectfully, L. E. TILLSON.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM.

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Sec'y-Treas. Blenheim

WANTED!-School Teacher for S. S. undersigned not later than Saturday, 21st inst. David Thorp, Sec'y-Treas, Lot 1, Con. 12, Oungah P. O.

TEACHER WANTED-For S. S. No Hodgson, Sec.-Treas., Wheatley,

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feet, \$1,000.
Farm in Howard, 32 1-2 acres, house, stable and orchard, \$1,000.
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