ting the 44 shares held by me, wen r. Nelson in negotiating with the Bank of ontreal, and to assist him in getting money om it; otherwise the transaction was a sale and out. I received it as being undoubt-y a loan. If the value of the stock had ne up I certainly would have benefited by I do not know whether the 76 shares e transferred to me or not, as I have er book was produced and the note of insier pointed out,) I made the bargain th Mr. Nelson, but did not read it as reed to writing, as I had perfect confide Nelson and Maclennan. I knew I was to t two years for payment of the money, and as to pay 5 per cent. interest, but I could t say by which of the half-dozen in-rested I was told by. I signed the reement without reading it, but knew nerally the terms of the assignment of the ares to the bank. I did not read the agreemnt, for I did not expect to be cheated by rother-in-law. (A copy of the transfer read in court, in which it was stated at an assignment of 120 shares had been ade to G. W. Yarker, of the Bank of Mont-These 120 shares included ginally held by Mr. Brown and the 76 ken up by him at the time of his alleged reement with Mr. Nelson.) After the syncate arrangement entered into when my other died Mr. Nelson and I held sufficient ck to control the company. As a matter act, Mr. Nelson did hold control. It was necessary that Mr. Nelson should hold an mal majority of the shares in order to hold in or to dismiss me from office. In answer to a query from the bench, it is stated that Mr. Nelson held 247 shares,

Brown 136, Mr. MacLennan 20, and Mr. Mr. Brown continued—If Mr. Nelson had t given his influence I would never have en turned out of the Globe office. He had rcised complete authority, and went in d out of the office as if he owned it. This uence was subsequently exercised by Nel-through Mr. Maclennan. There was ao mentioned in the agreement as to the I should remain as managing editor, but erstood that it was until the profits the business enabled me to pay off the I then incurred. Through Mr. Maclen-I made application to Mr. Nelson for renewal of the promissory note it expired at the conclusion of the two m that the application had been red. I then wrote on the 24th Aug., 1882, et to Mr. Nelson, asking for a renewal of note as a favour but received no answer, note was read in court. It referred g other things to a recent increase in dvertising rates of the Globe, to the disnuation of the special train and the cutdown of expenses, to the competition THE MAIL and to

TROUBLE WITH POLITICIANS. wished to print long letters of no use to party. The writer stated his knowledge is fact that "there were many politi-who would be glad to shelve him, and the Globe for party purposes alone, but would stick to the ship." Then followed equest for a renewal of the promissory equest for a renewal of the promissory

a.) Before my brother's death I was a
ctor on the promissory

be except that of editor. In

1, 1880, a few days after my

ther's death, I assumed the position of

aging director. (The minutes of a meet
of the directors, was referred to and the of the directors was referred to, and the tion, appointing J. Gordon Brown aging director for the current year, was his agent Maclennan was; Maclennan elected to the board the winter following other's death. Mr. Taylor was prefor two or three months subsequer If elected president. Maclennan took a active part in the management of the any than did anybody else. I may have someone of the agreement between my-nd Mr. Nelson, but I cannot say to I accepted by dismissal without re-ance, but continued as a director for e time afterwards. I knew all the ectors but did not like them. At meeting at which I was dismissed I was badly broken up by the severance with a per which I had served for forty years I could not speak. I would not speak e men who had treated me so. I subseently attended the meetings of the direc-s because I received \$5 on each occasion,

I did not know where I was going to get Mr. Osler-It was through Mr. Taylor t I first heard about my intended dismis-but it was through Maclennan that I first ard that action had been taken. When I d Maclennan about the agreement with son he said he did not think that he (Nel-would en orce the claim for \$38,000. I e a perfect recollection of the agreement ween myself and Mr. Nelson. I refused sign the document already referred to until n yielded in the question about increase alary. Maclennau was present during a tion of my interview with Nelson, but I totknow whether he heard the agreement or Before Mr. Nelson left for Scotland he ned several of the officers for the Globe pany, selecting Mr. Taylor for the posi-of secretary-treasurer, and Mr. Watts lead bookkeeper. Nelson received large ts for advances made by him, viz, a life ance policy for \$60,000 or \$65,000 and Bow park stock. The estate got it if

on did not.

r. Robinson for the defendant, and Mr.

r for the plaintiff, addressed the jury at
length. When his Lordship had deed his charge the jury retired, and occuabout half an hour in their deliberations, they returned they presented THE FOLLOWING ANSWERS

questions prepared by his Honour Justice Rose :-Did the plaintiff, Mr. Gordon Brown, hase the 76 shares, representing \$38,000, the defendant unconditionally or commally? A. The 76 shares were pur-

sed conditionally.

If conditionally, what was the conn? A. The condition was Mr. Gordon wn's being appointed managing director salary of \$5,000 per annum.

Did the defendant, as a condition of lase, agree to keep the plaintiff in his

thion as managing director of the Globe mpany? A. Yes. . Did the plaintiff transfer the 44 shares enting \$22,000 to the Bank of Montreal ollateral security for the payment of the 000 note, or was it transferred to enable efendant to raise money for the purpose

e estate? A. - The 44 shares were transed to enable defendant to raise money for purpose of the estate.

Did the defendant procure the dismissal the plaintiff, or was he instrumental in curing such dismissal? A.—Yes, he was

nental through his agent, Mr. Macne jury was then discharged.

finding of the jury was argued before Justice Rose next day, and judgment re-

TEMPERANCE TOPICS.

mperance convention held in Picton redecided to begin work for the Scott Act is county. A series of township conven-are to be held next month.

vote was taken in Toronto on Monday the passage of a by-law abolishing grocers' nass to sell liquor. The vote resulted in our of the by-law, being carried by a matty of 359. A deputation waited upon or Boswell on Tuesday, requesting him all a special meeting of the Council to by the by-law before March 1st. the day ed for applications to be made for

grand Scott Act meeting was held in bro on Friday night under the aus-s of the Oxford temperance convention, opening exercises were led by Reva-aro and Silcox, after which Mrs. Youmans and address on the evils of our Governatileensing system, basing her remarks on story of Queen Esther. At the close eral questions were asked by the audience, which Mrs. Youmans gave appropriate wers. This part of the county will roll his majority for the Sectt Agt on Mrs.

privileges on the more advanced bands of the Indians of Canada, with a view of training them for the exercise of municipal powers. He explained that the bill provided for the election of an Indian council by the more advanced tribes of Indians similar to municipal councils. Continued from Second Page. cipal councils amongst the whites.

The bill was read a second time and passed way shall be permitted to be constructed within fifteen miles of latitude forty-nine. Afterseveral members had spoken at length, either on behalf of the motion or the amend-

ment, some of them pointing out the unpat-

as to save the Portage and to prevent it from being wiped out. The people, it seems, had expressed their gratitude to the Minister by

expressed their gratitude to the Minister by sending as their representative a gentleman to oppose the Government and the Canada Paci-

fic railway and to decry his own proyunce. (Hear, hear.) The hon. gentleman had referred to the agitation in Manitoba. There was an agitation there, but by whom was it

got up? By political manipulators, who were anxious not to advance the interests of Mani-toba, but to further their own selfish ends.

(Hear, hear.) He was anxious that every complaint of the people of his pro-vince made should be dealt with and

every cause of complaint removed. But nothing was to be gained by following the source of the agitators, which consisted of maligning the Government and threatening secession. (Hear, hear.) The hon, member for Marquette had moved against the Manitoba clause, or, as it was called, the monopoly clause. When that clause was before the House at the time the original contract than and according to the Manitoba members.

was under consideration, the Manitoba mem-bers objected to it. But they were told that

no contract could be made without it. Subsequently, at the general election, an attempt had been made to defeat him (Mr. Scott) in

winnipeg on that question. He then said the Government would have been guilty of a breach of faith had they decided to abandon the limitation clause, and those who wanted

them to abandon it would be the first to malign them for so doing if they did. (Hear, hear.) The attempt to defeat him on the question failed. To-day it would be just as

question failed. To-day it would be just as bad to break faith with the company. (Hear,

division:—Yeas, 49; nays, 112.
On motion for the second reading of the

The amendment was lost on the following

Mr. WELDON moved in amendment the

substitution of the following words after "that:" "The said resolutions be referred back to the Committee of the Whole, with

power to provide as a condition of the pro-posed advance that so long as any part of

such advance or interest thereon remains un-paid, none of the resources of the company

shall be expended towards acquiring interests in railways or railway securities in the

BILLS INTRODUCED.

The following bills were introduced and

read a first time :To amend the Canada Temperance Act,

1878; respecting the liability of carriers by land; to amend the Canada Temperance Act

PRIVATE BILLS.

The following bills were read a third time

Company.—To incorporate the Commercial Bank of Manitoba.—To incorporate the Commercial Capter of Company.—To grant certain powers to the Commercial Cable Company.—Further to amend the Act to incorporate the Commercial Cable Company.—Further to amend the Act to incorporate the Commercial Cable Company.—Further to amend the Act to incorporate the Commercial Cable Cab

porate the South Saskatchewan, Valley Rail

way Company.—To amend the Act incorporating the Bell Telephone Company of Can-

ada. —To amend the Act relating to the Mani-toba and North-Western Railway Company

HON. JOHN COSTIGAN.

Mr. BLAKE asked when it was that Mr.

Costigan tendered his resignation as the Minister of Inland Revenue, and the date upon which he withdrew it.

Sir JOHN MACDONALD-He tendered

his resignation on the 18th and withdrew it

NORTH-WESTERN MAILS.

Hon. Mr. CARLING, replying to Mr. Cameron (Huron), stated that there was no

mail service between Medicine Hat and Fort McLeod, and it was not the intention of the

Government just now to ask for tenders for carrying the mails.

Sir JOHN MACDONALD, in reply to

Mr. Cameron (Huron), stated that the Indian herd of cattle in treaty 27 had been sold. The cattle consisted of 599 head. They were sold on July 23, 1883, to Col. De Winton, at \$35 a head, and \$100 additional for the right to claim any cattle that may be found to belong to the Government at the roundary. The

to the Government at the round-up. The amount realized by the sale was \$20,965, and

GUBERNATORIAL OATHS.

Mr. CASGRAIN moved for copies of the

commission appointing the several Lieuten-ant-Governors of the Province of Quebec, to wit, Sir Narcisse Fortunat Belleau, René Edouard Caron, Luc Letellier de St. Just, and his Honour Theodore Robitaille; also for

a copy of the oath taken by the Lieutenant vernors. He explained that in 1774

there was a form of oath in use which was entirely unobjectionable, but the form of oath to-day was one which nobody but a member of the Church of England could take. Under treaty stipulation the Bishop of Rome had certain eccles-

iastical supremacy, and there were other de-nominations which did not acknowledge that

spiritual supremacy resided in the Crown. Outside of that, however, there was a spirit

of tolerance in this country, under which no one would think of asking from a person an

oath that he could not conscientiously take. Sir JOHN MACDONALD said there

could be no objection to bringing down the papers. As regarded the oath, he did not

think any Governor had found difficulty in

it, he did not see why it could not be changed.

The motion was carried.

The House adjourned at 10 o'clock.

Still if there was any objection to

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.

AGRICULTURAL BANKS.

Mr. ORTON introduced a bill to provide

banking and loaning facilities to those gaged in agricultural pursuits.

The bill was read a first time.

THE FACTORY ACT. Sir LEONARD TILLEY introduced a bill

ployed in factories.

The bill was read the first time.

ompany.

o define certain offences against persons em-

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY BILL.

Sir CHARLES TUPPER moved the second reading of the bill providing for a loan of \$22,500,000 to the Canadian Pacific Railway

was due on April next, had been paid.

all but the last instalment of \$5,495, which

GOVERNMENT CATTLE.

of Canada.

OTTAWA, Feb. 25.

The House adjourned at 1.40.

MANITOBA SCHOOLS. Sir LEONARD TILLEY moved the second reading of a bill to authorize a further advance to the Province of Manitoba in aid of public schools therein.

The bill was read a second time and passed "fouling his own nest,"

Mr. SCOTT expressed his surprise at the conduct of the member for Marquette (Mr. Watson) in opposing the proposals. Some years ago the Minister of Railways visited Portage is Prairie. Subsequently he diverted the line of the Canada Pacific railway so

BRITISH COLUMBIA JUDGES. Sir JOHN MACDONALD moved the second reading of a bill to provide for the salary and travelling allowances of the judge of the County Court of Cariboo, British Coumbia.

The bill was read a second time, and passed

PRIVATE BILLS.

The following bills were read a second To consolidate certain railway companies therein mentioned under the name of the Eastern Railway Company of Canada.

To empower the Sovereign Fire Insurance Company to relinquish their charter, and to provide for the winding up of their affairs. To incorporate the Guelph Junction Railway Company.

Arrest at Port Colborne for an Old Murder
—Escape of the Prisoner—Particulars of
the Case.

Thorold, Feb. 25.—A man named Heffron,
who during the construction of the new canal
at this point a few years ago killed a fellowworkman in a quarrel, was arrested at Port
Colborne to-day for murder. Heffron escaped
at the time of the killing and made his way to
the Michigan pineries, where he has since the Michigan pineries, where he has since worked and behaved himself in a respectable orderly manner. Becoming homesick he re-turned to Port Colborne to visit his parents, and stayed there several days, and was ar-

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ests in railways or railway securities in the United States, with a view to an Atlantic pean terminus in United States territory."

Amendment lost. Yeas, 43; nays, 104. Sir CHARLES TUPPER introduced a bill founded upon the resolutions, intituded "An Act to amend the Act respecting the Canadian Pacific railway and for other purposes."

The bill was read the first time,

Wallace Ross, writing to a friend in St. John, says there will be some lively digging for the first mile in his race with Bubeat. He believes Bubear is the best man in England, but has no doubt that he (Ross) will be able to make up the ten seconds start in the first mile. He thinks there are a dozen

The following bills were read a third time and passed:

To amalgamate the Board of Trade of the city of Toronto and the Toronto Corn Exchange Association.—To amend the Act incorporating the Ocean Mutual Marine Insurance Company.—To incorporate the Halifax Mutual Marine Insurance Company.—To incorporate the Picton Mutual Marine Insurance Company.—To incorporate the Picton Mutual Marine Insurance Company.—To incorporate the Commercial

the protection of shade trees standing on the road side? Ans.—Revised statutes of Omario, chapter 187, applies to the planting and protection of shade trees on the road sides, and to the punishments for injuries done to the same, and section 482, sub-sec. 22, and section 492, sub-sec. 23 of the Municipal Act of 1883 also affect the question of shade trees and ornamental trees planted on the sides of highways and streets. (2) "I own a dock which is not safe for horses to drive on, and I warn those who drive on it that they do so at their own risk; am I liable for any damage that may occur?" We think you are not liable under the circumstances.

SUBSCRIBER, Princeton.—Qu.—"The gate of a railway fence was left open and my horse got on the railway track and was injured, can I recover damages?" Ans.—If the gate was left open by the railway company, or if it was the duly of the servants of the company to close it and it remained open with their knowledge, the company will be liable, not otherwise. Negligence on the shown.

shown.

M. T., Colenso,—Qu.—"If a trustee obtains the consent of a man and wife to draw trust moneys out of a safe institution, and invests the moneys with their consent in a concern which fails in a cupie of years. Can the trustee be held responsible for the loss ?" Ans.—If he was simply trustee for the man and wife, he would not be responsible for acting upon their directions. His responsibility depends upon the nature of the trust instrument, and for whom he was trustee, and whether he was obliged to accept or act upon the advice of the man and wife.

S. F., Ontario.—Qu.—"I have held possession

upon the advice of the man and wife.

S. F., Ontario.—Qu.—"I have held possession of a piece of land for eleven yearn, am I the owner of it, and if so, can I obtain a deed from anyone?" Ans.—The owners may have been during that time or a part of it, under some legal disability. They may have been infants or lunates. If so, the statute of limitations (if it had not commenced to run) would not run against them. Or the land may have been in a state of nature when you took possession. If so, the statute of limitations would only run from the time your adverse occupancy came to the knowledge of the owners. Or you may have given some acknowledgment in writing, or have occupied as a tenant. You cannot get a deed in any case.

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J. A. M., Utoria.—Qu.—"Where a horse strays away from its owner and gets on to the farm of another person, what is the duty of that person? Can he keep the horse in his stable without advertising him, and charge the owner for the keep of the horse?" Ans.—Unless some by-laws have been passed in the municipality affecting the question, the Act respecting pounds, R.S.O., cap. 195, applies. The person on whese premises the animal strays, instead of giving such animal to a pound-keeper, may keep it in his own pessession, provided he gives the notices prescribed by the said Act, and makes no claim for damages. If the owner is known to him he must forthwith notify him. If the owner is unknown he must within forty-eighs hours notify the clerk of the municipality describing the animal, and if the animal is worth over \$10, must publish such notice in some newspaper published in the county. He must feed and care for the animal, and may recover from the owner a reasonable allowance for all of these things in a summary way before a justice of the peace, and if the animal is not claimed within the time provided in the statute, it may be sold at the time and in the manner therein provided, and the provessed shall be applied as therein directed.

Subscriber, Markdale,—The provisions of the Line Fences Act are too lengthy to publish in this column. You will find them in the Line Fences Act are too lengthy to publish in this column. You will find them in the Line Fences Act are too lengthy to publish in this column. You will find them in the States. Can I sue him in Oxford county?" Ans.—Yes; but the suit must be brought in the County Court, or one of the Superior courts, (2) What is the lowest amount for which af execution against lands can be obtained? Ans.—\$40-sec. 165 R. S. O., cap. 47, the Division Courts Act.

J. H. T., Monkton.—Qu.—"A gives B a promissory note for \$100, payable in one year, at the

Courts Act.

J. H. T., Monkton.—Qu.—" A gives B a promissory note for \$100, payable in one year, at the end of the year he pays the interest and allows the principal to run on for two months, can he then compei B to accept the principal" Ans.—Yes, by paying or tendering principal and interest to date of payment or tender.

Act respecting the sale or partition of real estate, H.S.O., Cap. 101, if the father has been dead six months. The Judge of the Surrogate Court who is made the "real representative," under the Act will make the partition. The Superior Courts have jurisdiction to order a sale or partition apart from that statute. The first step is to have guardians appointed to the infants. The executors of their grandfather's will have nothing to do with it.

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J. S., Greenwood.—Qu.—"A purchased land sold at auction by an agent of B, and arranged to complete the sale with B's solicitor, by letter. Is there a binding contract and if so can A recover damages if B refuses to carry out the contract?" Ans.—The first consideration is:—Had the agent and solicitor authority to sell and make a binding contract? If they had, then the next question is:—Did they make a valid written contract with A? We cannot answer either of these questions without seeing a paper; if there is a binding contract A can enforce the specific performance of it or he can recover such damages as he has sustained by reason of the breach of the contract, for instance, the increased price the vendor may have received from another purchasor, his expenses, searching title, clo.

G.H., Palmerston.—On. "Convergence."

price the vendor may have received from another purchasor, his expenses, searching title, cto.

G.H., Palmerston.—Qu.—"Can a collector of taxes distrain any goods and chattels found on the premises whether such goods and chattels belong to the person who ought to pay the taxes or not?" Ans.—The collector may distrain the goods of the person whoquaght to pay the taxes, or any goods and chattels in the possion of such person wherever the same may be found within the municipality, or any goods and chattels found upon the premises.

J.M., Howick.—Qu.—"Is a will valid without a seal?" Ans.—Yes; see see. 12. cap. 106, K.S.O. the Wills Act; (2.) "Does a mistake in the name of a devise.—E. g.—writing the name "James" instead of "Jones" invalidate the bequest or will?" Ans.—No; it is simply a latentambiguity, and parol eyidence is admissible to prove that the person intended is Jones.

C. P., Toronto.—Qu. "Can a person who has secured a patent for a fluid compound to be used in graining and wood decorating, to be applied with a sponge and putty, prevent another from using the sponge and putty, prevent another from using the sponge and putty, they have been used for years in graining and wood decorating."

Ans.—A person cannet patent an article, machine, contrivance, compound, or appliance which has been in public use without the applicants permission for more than a year before the application, and if a patent under the circumstances is obtained it will be valueless. See Patent Act of 1872, and cases decided thereunder.

T. P., Wingham.—Where there has been no

worked and behaved himself in a respectable orderly manner. Becoming homesick he returned to Port Colborne to visit his parents, and stayed there several days, and was arrested to-day. The constable was taking his prisoner to Welland, and when at the depot the latter cleverly tripped up his captor and effected his escape. He is probably by this time safe in the United States. The sileged crime was almost forgotten except by the police authorities, who have constantly been on the look-out for his return, but have made no effort to follow him to the States.

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ternational fracas between Irishmen and Italians who were employed in the quarries near here. During the fight one of the Italians was killed. A man named Stewart, with Heffron and others, were prominently identified with the Irish party, and it is alleged that either Stewart or Heffron struck the blow which caused the man's death. Stewart was arrested and tried for the crime, but received only a short imprisonment for complicity. Heffron escaped.

An effort is to be made to get Ross and Courtney to row a race for a purse of \$1,000, when the new regatta course at Oak Point, Long Island, is opened.

Wallace Ross, writing to a friend in St. John, says there will be some lively digging for the first mile in his race with Bubeau.

the property you can.

C. R. H., Toronto,—Qu.—"Am I liable to punishment for having pointed an unloaded pistol at a person who assaulted me?" Ans.—The Act says, "whoever, without lawful exercise, points at another person any firearm, &c.," shall be liable, on conviction, to a fine of \$20, or imprisonment for a term not exceeding 30 days.

A. M. Paterbord. On "When first mile. He thinks there are a dozen American soullers who could defeat Bubear, starting from the scratch.

A. M., Peterboro,—Qu.—"The trustees of a school section paid the school moneys to an unqualified school teacher. Can the moneys be recovered from them by a ratepayer?" Ans.—Their successors may recover the money—an individual rategayer has no right to sue. Two ratepayers may do so by a summary application to the judge of the County Court on affidavit setting out the facts in the manner prescribed in sections 231 to 235 of the Education Act inclusive. cap. 204, R.S.O.

C. AND S.; Wallaceburg.—We think that under the circumstance detailed in your letter there has been no election of school section in which he is proposing to vote. Sec. 2, cap. 34, 42 Vic., Ont. Stat., 1879.

J. F., Pelee Island.—Qu.—"Is there an act for the protection of shade trees standing on the road side?" Ans.—Revised statutes of Ontario, chapter 187, applies to the planning and protection of shade trees on the road sides, and to the full of the property, which has passed through several hands since the owners death. Have the children send epiction. The uncles take through several hands since the owners death. Have the children been deprived of their inheritance by those proceedings? Ans.—No.

passed through several hands since the owner's death. Have the children been deprived of their inheritance by these proceedings? Ana.—No. The uncles had no power to sell, and could give no title. The Court of Chancery only can sell the estates of infants, and in that case security must be given by those to whom any part of the proceeds is paid oct, and every dollar must be accounted for. Any sale not authorized by the court is no sale at all. Those who took possession of the personal estate must also account for every dollar of it.

Subscriber, Belmont.—Qu.—"Is a bondsman of a township celerk?" Ans.—There does not appear to be any such disqualification in the Municipal Act, but it is not desirable that the clerk should be security for the collector.

J. B., Britton.—Qu.—"Is it lewful to grant a liquor liconse to a house adjoining a Public school?" Ans.—The License Commissioners should not grant a license to any tayern or saloon situated in the neighbourhood of a Public school.

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J. G., Essex.—The treasurer of the municipality must furnish such security as the Council may require.

J. M., Colebrook.—Qu.—"Can widows possessing the necessary property qualifications vote at school meetings and elections?" Ans.—Yes. Women are not expressly named in the Act, yet the voters' qualification clauses are wide enough to include unmarried women and widows possessing the necessary property and other qualifications.

W. A. W., Asphodel.—Qu.—"I made application for an insurance and received an interim receipt, but did not receive a policy before my premises were burned. Can I recover the insurance?" Ans.—Yes; the receipt covers the risk until it is accepted or rejected. If you were not notified that your application had been rejected you had a right to think it had been accepted.

T. B., Stayner.-See answer to A. B., Thorold. Susscriber.—Were Thomas Sayers and John Heenan ever in the United States or Canada giv-ing sparring exhibitions? Ans.—No. R. W., Skipness.—Who appoints the lieuten-ant-governors for each of the provinces in the Dominion? Ans.—The Dominion Government. J. S. Chatham.—How far is Brook's monu-ment from Clifton and from Niagara falls ans.—Four miles from Clifton and six from the falls.

side.

J. T., Grimsby,—1. Was the Dunkin Act ever passed in the county of Halton, and if so, how long aince. 2. Is it still lawful to submit to the people? Ans.—1. Address the County Clerk of Halton. 2. Yes. long since. Z. Is it still lawful to submit to the people? Ans.—I. Address the County Clerk of Halton. 2. Yes.

Subscriber. Warkworth.—Four are playing euchre. One plays a lone hand; can one of the opposing parties play it alone against him and in any way make four points, either by taking three tricks or all the tricks? Ans.—No.

INQUISITIVE.—Where can I get a list of unclaimed property and money in England? 2. The address of good lawyer in London, Eng. Ans.—Address E. Preston. I Great College street, Westminster, S. W., England. 2. Enquire of same.

E. M. N. F.—Has Mr. Trevelyan, the present Secretary for Ireland. a seat in the British Cabinet? If so, what date did he obtain the same! 2. Did Edward Hanlan give an exhibition of rowing at Aston Lower grounds. Birmingham, during his visit to England to row Boyd. Ans.—Mr. Trevelyan is not a member of the British Cabinet. & Cannot say.

R. A. W., Ingersoll.—Three horses start in a race. Each horse wins two heats. On the seventh heat two horses make a dead heat (the three horses starting) J, bets W. that the horse behind the other two (who make a dead heat) has to go to the barn and is not entitled to compete again, leaving the race to be decided between the other two. Who wins? Ans.—J. Wins. Subscriber. Belleville.—Previous to the last general election for the Ontario Legislation.

side. Who wins? ARE—B wins.

SUBSCRIBER, H. M.—L. Which are considered best, the English or American Illustrated papers? 2. Will you be kind enough to give the title and terms of subscription of one or two of the leading ones of each kind? A. L. The English papers. 2. London Graphic, \$10 per annum; London Illustrated News, \$3 per annum; Harper's Weeldy. New York, \$1 per annum; Frank Leale's, New York, \$4 per annum.

M. Panmura—1. What is meant by the Fifth Parliament, second essaisn. 2. How many years was Mr. Mackensie in power? Ans.—L. Exacty what is said—the second sitting of the fifth Farliament. Each parliament is elected for a term of years, and during these years may be called to meet as often as deemed, necessary by the Government. 2. From Nov. 7, 1873 to Oct. 18, 1878, three weeks short of five years.

T. Walkerton.—It is reported that Mr. Ste-

called to meet as often as deemed necessary by the Government. 2. From Nov. 7, 1872 to Oct. 18, 1878, three weeks short of five years.

T. Walkertom.—It is reported that Mr. Stephen, president of the Canada Pacifa Railway Company, has recently built a house in Montreal at a cost of one million dollars; also that he has purchased a house in England for four hundred thousand. Is there any truth in these reports. Ars.—Mr. Stephen has recently built a house in Montreal. What it has cost him we do not know, probably quarter of a million. We do not know whether he has bought a house in England.

Subscriber. Tottenham.—I. Where is Callendar. 2. What is its population. 3. Is it on any navigable stream or lake. 4. How would a person get there from Collingwood—Please give all particulars. Ans.—I. Callendar station is on the Canada Pacific railway at the east end of lake Nipissing, 25 miles west of Ottawa. 2. Cannot say, 3. On or near lake Nipissing, 4. Unless there is some local route of which we know nothing, you would have to go a long way around by rail, of which you can get definite information from ticket agents.

J. A. Goderich.—I. In what village in Lower Canada was Lieut. Weir murdered in the rebellion of 1837-38 ? 2. In what village in Lower Canada was Lieut. Weir murdered in the rebellion of 1837-38 ? 2. In what village did the rebels take refuge in a church when pursued by the lat Royals after the murder of Lieut. Weir, which church was safer to each durn't Ann.—According to the official report of Lieut.—Col. Wetherall commanding the lat or Royal Regiment, the church of St. Eustache was fired by Globensky's volunteers (20 A Statislion. Montreal Volunteer Rifles) who were co-operating with the Royals after the murder of Lieut.—Col. Wetherall commanding the lat or Royal Regiment, the church of St. Eustache was fired by Globensky's volunteers (20 A Statislion. Montreal Volunteer Rifles) who were co-operating with the Royals in the attack.

Alberron.—A debating club is organised, the constitution providing that an

JONES-At 121 Denison avenue, on the 9th inst., the wife of J. T. Jones, of a daughter. MOCKRIDGE-On the 25th inst., in Hamilton wife of the Rev. Dr. Mockridge, of a son. WARREN—At Deer park, on the 22nd inst., the wife of Charles D. Warren, of a son. Good—At 264 Simcoe street, on the 18th inst., the wife of H. J. P. Good, night editor of the World, of a son. KIELY-At 524 Jarvis street, Toronto, on the 24th inst., the wife of G. W. Kiely, of a son. FULTON-On the 23rd inst., the wife of Dr. J. Fulton, Toronto, of a daughter. SPRAGGE—At Newmarket, Ont., on the 21st ost, the wife of the Rev. Albert Warburton pragge, B.A., rector of Newmarket, of a son. Parkridge—On Feb. 22nd, at Spencer avenue, Parkdale, the wife of W. H. Partridge, of a son, POWELL—At "Caer Howel," Guelph, on the 18th inst., the wife of J. Bleecker Powell, of twins, son and daughter.

MITCHELL—On Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 36 Huron street, the wife of A. Mitchell, builder, of a careful.

MARRIAGES MANTLE—STRUZHERS—At St. Matthias'church, Toronto, on Feb. 20, by the Rev. Charles Darling, James Mantle, to Marion Struzhers, both of To-ronto.

James Mantie, to Marion Struzhers, both of Toronto,
RIDOUT-FRODSHAM—At Portage la Prairie,
Manitoba, on the 28th ult. by the Rev. A. L.
Fortin, rector of St. Mary's church. Joseph Lionel
Ridout, son of the late T. W. Ridout, Esq., of
London, Ont. to Emily Ada, fourth daughter of
the late E. P. Frodsham, Esq., of Hanmer, Filntshire, England.

SINGLAIR—ARMSTRONG—On the 20th inst., at
the residence of Capita. Orangie, uncle of the
bride, by the Rev. ht. J. Mariodonicalis, E. M.
Donald Sinclair, to Miss Emma. Stewart Arm
strong, both of this sit;

OHET—THOMPSON—AD the Church of the
Assension, on 20th inst. by the Rev. H. G. Baldwin, J. J. Ohrt, of Bunington, Lowa, to Emily
Edith, second daughter of W. A. Thompson, Toronto.

HENRY-CARRUTHERS On Wednesday, the 20th inst. at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. R. Rodgers, Walter James Henry, of Windsor, and Levina Frances Carruthers, eldest daughter of Wm. Carruthers, of Collingwood.

wood.

STOKES—CASEY—At the C. M. parsonage, Elm street, Toronto, on the 20th February by the Rev. W. H. Laird, James H. Stokes, of Little Britain, to Lazie, second daughter of Alexander Casey, of Valentia.

Lindsay papers please copy.

BOWES—SCHLENKER—At the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. R. P. McKay, B.A., Mr. Wm. Bowes, of Toronto, to Mary Anneddest daughter of Mr. Jacob Schlenker, Malvern.

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Walker.—Dixon.—On Wednesday, 20th inst., at the residence of A. R. Dougall, Q.C. (brother-in-law of the bride), by the Rev. E. W. Sibbald, of Christ's church, John H. Walker, of Toronto, to Coralle Victoria, youngest daughter of the late Anthony Dixon, collector of H. M. Customs, Belleville. GUEST-ARDILL—At the residence of the bride's father, North Gwillimbury, Feb. 13th, by the Rev. G. Nesbitt, M.A., assisted by the Rev. John Gibson, B.A., incumbent of Norwood, William Guest, of Adjala, to Mary E., second daughter of W.R. Ardill, Esq.

daughter of W. R. Ardill, Esq.

FORSTER—COATES—At Cambray, on the 20th inst., by the Rev. J. E. Cooper, Rev. John W. Forster, of Selby, to Emma, eldest daughter of A. B. Coates, Esq., of Cambray. No cards,

FINLAY—CHANDLER—At Christ, Church. Port Stanley, Feb. 13th, by the Rev. J. mes Strong, J. T. C. Finlay, J.P. and Custom-house officer, Port Stanley, to Emma, daughter of the late Thomas Chandler, of the same place.

CAMPREL—CARMINIAN—At the residence of CAMPBELL—CARMICHAEL—At the residence of the brides father, on the 19th inst., by the Rev. H. G. Baldwin, F. A. Campbell, to Marie Eliza-beth, only daughter of Robt. Carmichael, Esq. SHEPPARD—POWERS—On the 23rd Feb., at St. Stephen's church, Toronto, by the Rev. A. J. Broughall, M.A., Maxfield Sheppard, of London, barrister, to Lucie Mariette Burton Powers, of Toronto. DEATHS.

DAYMAN.—At McKellar Village, on Monday, February 18th, 1884, of typhoid fever, Thomas H. Dayman, son of Wm. Dayman, of Walters Falls, in his 26th year.

Scott—At 333 Berkeley street, on the 26th inst., Jeannie, infant daughter of James C. and Elizabeth Scott, aged I year and 5 days. beth Scott, aged I year and 5 days.

THORP—At Old Grange, Picton, Ont, the residence of her late brother, David Barker, on Sunday, Feb. 24. Lydia Jane Barker, widow of David Lewis Thorp, aged 73 years.

ROSE—In Newcastle, on Tuesday, 26th Feb., David Rose, son of the late Dr. W. N. Rose, aged 38 years.

Lincoln, England, papers please copy.

LayeLL—At Kingston, February 26th, Dr. C. PECK—On Saturday, 23rd inst., Alice, the beloved wife of Ogie R. Peck.
JOSLIN—On the 23rd inst., at his residence, 113
Simcoe street, Robert Joslin, aged 26 years. VIDAL—On the 19th February, Kate, wife of Major Vidal, Infantry School Corps, aged 35 Brown—On Thursday, February 21st, at his brother's residence, 1,126 Yonge street, North Toronto, James E. Brown, in the 41st year of his

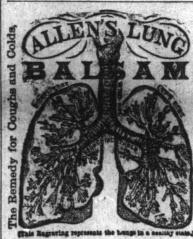
Johnson—On Tuesday evening, February 19 at his late residence, "Chiefswood," Tusearora Chief G. H. M. Johnson, of Six Nation Indians in the 68th year of his age.

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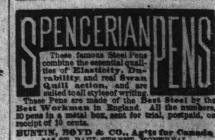
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INDIAN GOVERNMENT.

Sir JOHN MACDONALD moved the sec-

A division was taken and the motion for Nays 111, yeas 52.

The House then went into committee on the bill, and it was reported without amendment.

Yes, by paying or tendering principal and interest to date of payment or tender.

B. C., Ontario.—Qu.—"If a judgment debtor is committed on the order of Division Court judge must the judgment creditor pay for his keep while in gao!" Ans.—No. The judge may commit the debtor for disobedience to the orders of the court for a period not exceeding 40 days.

ENQUIRER, Northumberland.—Qu.—"Where minors signed off their shares to an estate in favour of their older brother, not knowing that it was to be treated as a final settlement of their affairs, are they bound by it!" Ans.—Any settlement of the family property executed by those of the family who are under age cannot be binding on them—they are incapable of executing releases until of age.

"J. C. O., Yarmouth Centre.—Qu.—"B owned 50 acres of land, purchased for him by his father's executors, and died intestate, leaving two sons, aged respectively 10 and 18, when and by whom must the property be divided?" Ans.—The land may be divided or partitioned as provided in the

Ans.—Four miles from Clifton and six from the falls.

SARMA.—The story, "Romance of a Black Veil," published in The Weekly Mail about a year ago, is not issued in book form so far as we know,

J. P., Rockton.—What is the meaning of the phrase Chiltern Hundreds in the Bradiaugh case? Ans.—See fourth page, 7th column, last week's MAIL.

A. B., Thorold.—Where can I obtain a curriculum for the Civil Service examination? Ans.—Address Secretary Civil Service Board of Examiners, Ottawa.

C., Meaford.—A bets B that according to last census the population of London, Enz., was under four millions. Ans.—A loses, The population of London by last census, 1881, was 4.764,312.

H. G., Scarboro.—L. Are the waters of Hudson

H. G., Scarboro.—1. Are the waters of Hudson Bay fresh or salt? 2. Whose dictionary is the best, Worcesters or Webster's? Ans.—1. Salt. 2. It is a matter of opinion. Both are standard works.

J.M., Orillia.—What are the rules in a two mile skating race as to passing a man, Can you pass a man on the inside, or does it matter which side you pass on? Ans.—You must pass on the outside.

SUBSCRIBER, Believille, Previous to the last general election for the Ontario Legislation, which took place in February, 1833, I was ap-

H. Lavell, eldest son of Dr. M. Lavell.

SMITH—After a protracted illness, on the 25th of February, William H. Smith, only son of Henry Smith, Esq.

Hewson—In Cobourg, on Feb. 25th, of congestion of the lungs, Frances, wife of A. Hewson, in the 65th year of her age.

MAY—At Minden, on Sunday, Feb. 24th, Maggie Hatton, wife of H. May, and eldest daughter of J. H. Delamere.

DENNISTORM—At San Gabriel, California, on J. H. Delamere.

DENNISTOUN—At San Gabriel, California, on the 19th Feb., 1881, George Alexander Dennistoun, third son of Judge Dennistoun.

CROSSY—In Uxbridge, on the 22nd inst., Keziah Crosby, relict of the late Henry Crosby, of Markham, and daughter of the late Hon. John Wilson, of Winoms, aged 34 years.

BRYMNER—At Ottawa, on the 24th inst., Jean Thomson, wife of Douglas Brymner, Esq. years.

KENNEDY—In the county of Waterloo, Mrs.

Kennedy, beloved mother of D. and J. Kennedy of this city.

McMULIN—At 88 Scollard street, on the 22nd inst., James McMullin, J. P., aged 87, years. EASON—On Thursday, the 21st February, Janet Williamson, relict of the late John Easson, in the 80th year of her age.

COOTES—On the 21st inst., at his residence, 34 Eastern avenue, John Cootes, aged 65, native County Tyrone, Ireland.

FORD—At the General Hospital, Toronto, on 20th inst. Thomas Ford, aged 20 years (late of Morrisburg, Ont.) MOFAYDEN-At Caledon East, Ont., on the morning of the 8th February, 1884, John McFayden, third son of the late Donald MeFayden, Esc., of King, Ont.

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