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Born, Married, Died.

DIED.

CAVE—In North Dorchester, on Tuesday, 2nd inst., William Cave, aged 75 years, brother of Alfred Cave, of South London.

Funeral from the residence, lot 16, north part con. B, on Thursday, Feb. 4, 3 p.m. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

SING—On Feb. 2, 1897, at 703 Maitland street, Lottie, youngest daughter of Henry and Mima Sing, aged 2 years and 7 months.

Funeral private.

NEWANS—On Feb. 3, 1897, Edith Rose, youngest daughter of C. M. and Amelia Newans, aged 11 months and 3 days.

Funeral Thursday, 3 o'clock, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery; services at house, Riverview avenue, at 2:30 o'clock.

KINCHELLA—At the family residence, 732 Maitland street, on Feb. 2, Thos. Kinchella, late of Woolsley Barracks, in his 51th year.

Funeral at 9 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral. Friends will kindly accept this intimation.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading two cents per word or ten cents per line each insertion.

MOZART SYMPHONY CLUB, OF NEW York—Auditorium, Friday, Feb. 5—Tickets 25c and 50c. Plan opens Tuesday, 2nd, 10 a.m., at Association. 31tf

HERR THEODOR HOCH, CORNET VIRTUOSO, will introduce to London the Roman Triumphal Trumpet at Mozart Symphony Club concert, Auditorium, Friday evening, Feb. 5. 32u

MR. MARIO BLODECK, DA GAMBA soloist, the only instrument of its kind in this country; used 200 years ago. Auditorium, Friday evening, Feb. 5; 25 cents, reserved 50 cents.

CONCERT—ON THURSDAY EVENING, Feb. 4—Knox Church Lecture Hall; excellent programme. Silver collection. 32c

KNOX CHURCH—SOUTH LONDON—Concert, with readings, etc., Thursday, Feb. 4. 32u

HOCKEY MATCH — MEDICAL STUDENTS vs. Forest City Business College, Wednesday evening, 7 to 8, at East End Rink, corner Dundas and Lyle. Price, 10c and 5c. 32u

GOOD SKATING AFTERNOON AND evening Blackfriars Rink. Splendid ice. b

UNIVERSITY EXTENSION — THIRD lecture of course in Auditorium of Y. M. C. A., on Thursday evening, Feb. 4th, by Hon. David Mills. Subject, "The English in Egypt." 32c

PRINCESS ICE PALACE — SEVENTH band Saturday night again by request of many. 33c

PRINCESS ICE PALACE — HOCKEY match, Friday, Feb. 5—Collegiate Institute vs. Collegiate Institute St. Thomas. Admission 15c. Coupons not accepted. 33c

DAISY RINK — CLARK'S BRIDGE—Over one and a half acres good ice. Skating every afternoon and evening; fancy dress carnival Thursday night. Admission 10c. Prizes given. 31k

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—476 Richmond street. Classes meet: Gentlemen Monday evening; ladies, Tuesday evening. Ladies and gentlemen (advanced class), Wednesday evening. Ladies and children, Saturday afternoon, 3 o'clock. DAYTON & MCCORMICK.

VOICE CULTURE—
EVA N. ROBLYN.
Studio, 340 Dundas street. Concert engagements accepted. tx

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz, two-step, court waltz, two-step Jersey and the cycle. Satisfaction guaranteed. Lessons any hour.

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One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Missionary meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Address by Rev. Robt. Johnston, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. b

MEETING OF WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN Association in "Y" rooms, Dundas street, on Thursday, 4th inst., at 3 p.m. b

PAST MASTERS' ASSOCIATION—ANNUAL meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in library. Election of officers and other business. All W.M.s and P.M.s cordially invited. T. R. PARKER, P.M., secretary. 32u

ST. GEORGE'S 42, A., F. and A. M., G. R. C., meets tonight (Wednesday), 3rd inst., in the Masonic Temple, at 7:30 o'clock p.m. Conferring degrees. Visitors welcome. HENRY HAYMAN, W. M.; A. ELLIS, P. M., secretary. b

FOREST CITY CAMP NO. 1, CANADIAN Order Woodmen, meets tomorrow (Thursday) evening, in Duffield Block. Visitors welcome. THOS. HOGG, Con. Com. CHAS. DOE, Clerk. b

Male Help Wanted.

CITY CANVASSER WANTED ON salary; regular customers. J. MARSHALL & Co., 258 Dundas street.

DRESS GOODS SALESMAN—FIRST-CLASS only. Apply personally. BAYLEY'S, 172 Dundas street. 32c

WANTED—RELIABLE MAN TO UNTAKE the carbonine of city arc lamps. None need apply unless they have a good horse and harness, and understand the business. Steady work to good reliable, sober man. Apply London Electric Company, 363 Richmond street. 31c

WANTED—AN IDEA—WHO CAN think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their $1,800 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

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CHEAP CHICKEN FEED—BEST WHEAT screenings, 25c per hundred, at City Mills, south end Talbot street. 32c eod HUNT BROTHERS.

A FEW SECOND-HAND STOVES—MUST be sold. At Keen's, Masonic Temple, Market Square.

SHEET RUBBER AND RUBBER HOSE, hose nozzels and reels and lawn hydrant, SMITH BROS., 265 Dundas street. x

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 10 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at The Advertiser office, London, Ont. 6tf-3tf

PIANOS, PIANOS—NEW AND SECOND HAND, also a beautiful assortment of music and musical merchandise, and two good organs cheap. Anderson's Book Store, Nordheimer's Piano Agency, 183 Dundas street.

ONE LARGE HOTEL RANGE AND SEVERAL small ranges to be sold cheap, at the Ark, Market Square.

RUBBER STAMPS, SEALS — RAZORS sharpened; guns, rifles revolvers and locks repaired. D. MCKENZIE & Co., 388 Richmond street.

Wanted.

WANTED—LOAN OF A FEW HUNDRED dollars. Good security. Box 124 this office. b

WANTED—25 BICYCLE RIDERS TO get their low frames made high at HUTCHINSON'S, 651 Dundas street.

Agents Wanted.

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JARVIS & VINING, BARRISTERS—73 Dundas street. C. G. JARVIS, JARED VINING.

LOVE & DIGNAN—BARRISTERS, ETC., 418 Talbot street, London. FRANCIS LOVE, R. H. DIGNAN.

W. H. BARTRAM—BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc. Office, 99 Dundas street

GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER—BARRISTERS, etc., London. Office, corner Richmond and Carling streets. GEORGE C. GIBBONS, Q.C., P. MULKERN, FRED F. HARPER

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MCEVOY & POPE — BARRISTERS, solicitors, 402 Ridout street, opposite court house. Telephone 979. Money to loan. J. M. MCEVOY, LL.B.; H. C. POPE, LL.B.

F. W. SCATCHERD—BARRISTER, notary public, etc. Office under Bank of Commerce Buildings, London, Ont. Telephone No. 977.

A. GREENLEES, B. A. — BARRISTER, etc., Canadian Loan Company Buildings, Richmond street, London. Private funds to loan.

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T. FOX, ORIGINAL PAWNBROKER lends money on diamonds, watches and jewelry; business strictly confidential; highest price paid for cast-off clothing. 383 Clarence street.

WANTED—300 SECOND-HAND OVERCOATS—Highest cash prices paid. A. P. SAINSBURY, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to.

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$100,000 TO LEND ON MORTGAGES and notes. TENNENT, MCDONAGH & COLERIDGE, barristers, solicitors, notaries. 78 Dundas street, London. Branch offices, Glencoe, Bothwell and Alvinston.

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SOME MONEY TO LOAN ON MIDDLESEX farm property at 5 and 5½ per cent and on city property at 5½ and 6 per cent. WEEKES & SCANDRETT, solicitors, 98 Dundas street, London.

Settled It.

Siam Apologizes, and Decorates the German Minister.

Rumor That Lady Churchill Is to Marry Again.

The British Educational Bill on Its Passage.

Canada's Contributions to the Famine Fund—Terms of the De Chimay Divorce.

AGROUND IN THE ELBE.

London, Feb. 3.—The German steamer Lahn, of the North German Lloyd's line, ran aground on the Finkenwarder Island in the Elbe, while on her way to Hamburg.

SIAM APOLOGIZED.

A special from Bangkok says the Siamese Government has apologized to the German Minister for the attack made upon him, and the king has conferred a decoration upon him.

SCORED A SUCCESS.

London, Feb. 3.—All of the daily papers contain articles speaking in terms of praise of the appearance of Mrs. H. E. Abbey at the Strand Theater, in the play, "The Prodigal Father."

THE EDUCATION BILL.

London, Feb. 3.—The House of Commons by a vote of 325 to 110, passed the financial proposal in the educational bill to grant to voluntary schools the sum of five shillings per child.

RUMORED MATCH.

London, Feb. 3. — Among the latest bits of gossip is a rumor that Lady Randolph Churchill is engaged to marry Mr. Warrender, the second son of Sir George Warrender, a wealthy "parti," though not much older than her elder son.

A "CHRISTIAN THEATER."

Paris, Feb. 3.—What is called a Christian theater will soon be opened in Paris for the purpose of producing highly artistic literary and moral plays, which, it is announced, Catholics may attend without having their faith insulted.

RIOTING IN SPAIN.

Madrid, Feb. 3.—In addition to the riots in this city, which the civil authorities were unable to suppress, strikes and riots have also occurred at Aranjuez, the site of the royal residence of Spain in Newcastle, 28 miles from Madrid. Reinforcements of gendarmes were sent to Aranjuez from Madrid, and steps were taken to restore order.

TERMS OF DE CHIMAY'S DIVORCE

Brussels, Feb. 3.—The court at Charlevois, which granted Prince de Chimay a divorce from his wife, on the ground of abandonment and adultery, also appointed the prince guardian of the children. The princess will be allowed to see them once a month, but only in the presence of a third party. She agreed to pay the costs of the action and 75,000 francs annually as alimony to the prince.

MADE UP WITH MICHAEL.

London, Feb. 3.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from St. Petersburg announces that the Czar has cordially received and restored all of the rights of the Grand Duke Michael Michaelovitch, who was banished from Russia and deprived of his uniform by the late Czar for mesalliance. Grand Duke Michael Michaelovitch of Russia was pardoned one year ago by the Czar. He was exiled for marrying the Countess von Torby, a daughter of Prince Nicholas of Nassau by his morganatic marriage with Pushkin's daughter.

CANADA'S CONTRIBUTIONS.

London, Feb. 3.—The success of the famine fund in Canada continues to attract marked attention, and is in everybody's mouth. The opinion is ventured freely that this fund, prompt and generous as it is, means thousands of immigrants, for Canada, quick to the rescue with vast supplies of food, which its fund represents, is already regarded as a land of plenty, and the news is ringing through the length and breadth of the land. Canada is sure to hear from its timely philanthropy, and the friends of Canada are rejoicing at what is considered the most successful popular fund in the history of the colony. A gentleman high up in Government circles said today that every dollar that Canada was giving for India would be paid back a hundredfold.

CABLE NOTES.

Rev. Thomas Bateman, who was twice president of the Primitive Methodist Conference, is dead.

A Vienna dispatch says: Prince Alfred Windisch-Greatz died at Ajaccio, on the Island of Corsica, on Sunday. He was formerly premier of Austria.

A dispatch to the Times from Athens confirms the reports of the conflicts between Christians and Mohammedans in the Heraklion district of the Island of Crete. Additional advices are to the effect that the village of Galata has been burned, and that several of the inhabitants have been killed. Among those known to have been murdered during the outbreak is a Cretan judge.

Smooth Sailing.

The Venezuelan Arbitrators Have Been Chosen,

And the Treaty Signed by Representatives of Britain and the United States.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—The delay in completing the Venezuelan treaty was caused by the difficulty in making up the personnel of the arbitral commission, not so much from objections to persons nominated by either sides as from the trouble experienced in arranging the tribunal so as to interfere as little as possible with the important routine work of the Supreme Court of the United States and Great Britain, from which bodies four of the arbitrators are drawn. Notice, however, was received by cable this morning from London that the Privy Council had finally confirmed the selections made.

The four arbitrators, it is understood, will be Chief Justice Fuller and Justice Brewer, of the United States Supreme Court, and Lord Herschell, and Sir Richard Henn Collins, Knight, Justice of her Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature. The fifth arbitrator in case of need will be named by King Oscar.

By the terms of the treaty the agents of the two Governments, Great Britain and Venezuela, must deliver the complete cases at Paris, where the arbitration tribunal will meet, within eight months of the ratification of the treaty, with three months additional allowed for the submission of the counter cases, so that the entire arbitration probably will occupy a year and a half.

London, Feb. 3.—Baron Herschell, who was Lord Chancellor in the Rosebery Cabinet, and Justice Richard Henn Collins, Q.C., of the High Court of Justice, have been selected as the British members of the Venezuelan arbitration commission. Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador at Washington, and the Venezuelan plenipotentiary there, are expected to sign the arbitration treaty today.

BRITISH BYE-ELECTION.

A Tory Majority Cut Down by 1,703 Votes.

London, Feb. 2.—The election held yesterday in the Rolford division of Essex, for a member of Parliament to succeed Mr. Money-Wigram (Con.), who recently resigned his seat, resulted in the return of Mr. Louis Sinclair (Con.), thus retaining for the Government a seat which had returned a Liberal from 1885 until the general election of 1895, when Mr. Money-Wigram defeated the Liberal candidate by 1,828 votes. The polling yesterday was as follows: Mr. Louis Sinclair (Con.) 8,156, and Mr. Raphael (Lib.) 8,031; Conservative majority 125. Consequently there has been a falling-off of 1,703 votes for the Conservatives in the constituency.

THE MELANCTHON FIREBUGS.

Shelburne, Feb. 3.—In connection with the Melancthon arson conspiracy ten charges have thus far been investigated, and the five prisoners now stand committed for trial on nine out of the ten charges.

COUGHS AND COLDS ARE OFTEN OVERLOOKED.—A continuance for any length of time causes irritation of the lungs or some chronic Throat Disease. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES are offered, with the fullest confidence in their efficacy, giving almost invariably sure and immediate relief. 25 cents a box. xt

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GENERAL STOCK FOR SALE—IN ONE of the best towns in Canada. About $5,000, principally staples and all seasonable goods; 65c on the dollar if sold at once; an exceptional chance for any one wanting to secure a live business. Address G. MACLEAN, Blenheim. 32u

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SMALL OFFICE TO LET—ON FIRST floor Edge Block. Apply W. T. EDGE. 32c

TO LET—BRICK COTTAGE—SUITABLE for small family; in good order; rent moderate; good locality. Apply 394 Richmond street. 28tf

Real Estate.

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S. CHADWICK & SON—REAL ESTATE Agents. Homes. Investments. Speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

Massage Treatment.

MISS SHUFF—GRADUATE OF DR. S. Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish movements. 497 King street, London, Ont. Phone 502.

WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION by Mr. J. W. Jones, at his rooms, 242 Dundas street, London, on Thursday, the 4th day of February, 1897, the stock of gentlemen's furnishings, etc., of Geo. F. Burns, London, amounting to $1,166 78
Shop fixtures, etc 610 00

Total $1,716 78

Terms—One-quarter down, balance 2, 4 and 6 months, interest at 7 per cent., approved security.

Premises can be had—one of the best stands in London. A first-rate opening for party who understands the business, with light capital.

Stock sheets on premises and with GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER, Trustee's Solicitors, London, Ont.; C. B. ARMSTRONG, Trustee.

Also at the same time and place the stock of A. F. Parker, of Woodstock, as follows:

Tweeds and cloths $610 86
Tailors' trimmings 168 28
Shop furniture 116 92

Total $896 06

Terms—One-half down, balance in two months, interest at 7 per cent., approved security.

Stock may be seen on the premises on application to Messrs. Finkle & McMullen, Woodstock. Stock sheets on premises, and with GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER, Vendor's Solicitors, London, Ont. 30c tzx

Partnership Notice.

THE wholesale chemical and drug business heretofore carried on at the City of Montreal, under the name and style of Kerry, Watson & Co., and at the City of London, Ont., under the name of the London Drug Co., which firms were dissolved by the death of the late John Kerry, Esq., will be continued by the undersigned, under the one name, style and firm of Kerry, Watson & Co.

DAVID WATSON,
W. S. KERRY.

Montreal, Jan. 1st, 1897. 32u

Tenders for Brick and Tile Sewers.

TENDERS will be received at the undersigned office up to 5 o'clock on Thursday, Feb. 18, for the construction of 2,180 feet of 18-inch tile sewer on the Wharncliffe highway, and for 3,332 feet of brick sewer on King, Ridout and other streets. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ALD. E. PARNELL, Chairman Board of Works.

A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer, London. 31h zxy

The Two Premiers

Magnificent Demonstration in Brantford.

A Welcome of Which Any Statesman Might Be Proud.

Incidents on the Trip Down From East Simcoe

Brantford, Feb. 3.—The Premier of Canada and the Premier of Ontario addressed one of the greatest and most effective campaign meetings ever held in Brantford last evening. The election of a member for South Brant has been contested with a heat and bitterness that will not soon be forgotten, but the visit of Mr. Laurier and his statesmanlike speech gave a decidedly higher battle-ground. Petty issues are forgotten, and it is upon the broad questions of policy that divide the Liberal party from the Conservative that the electors of South Brant will vote tomorrow if they heed the appeal of the Premier, and that the appeal will be effective when the electors are alone with the ballot was evident from the close attention with which the arguments of the Premier were followed by the thousands of citizens who crowded last night's meeting. Mr. Hardy also was in splendid campaigning form, and made an extremely effective speech. Mr. Paterson, also, made a telling oration, and the declarations made by all the speakers that Canadian industry has nothing to fear from the Liberal Government were received with the utmost satisfaction. The appearance of Mr. Marcil, one of the best orators of Quebec, was made the occasion for a splendid display of the spirit of unity that has drawn very closely the bonds of brotherhood between the Liberals of French and English-speaking Canada. The audience in the drill hall numbered at least 7,000 persons.

INCIDENTS OF TRAVEL.

Mr. Laurier had spent a long and wearisome day in the journey from Penetanguishene, on the shores of the Georgian Bay, to Brantford. The slow-going local on which he made the first stage as far as Barrie left Penetanguishene before 7 o'clock. The Premier climbed aboard unattended, and in a few minutes was chatting away in French to a fellow-passenger who had addressed himself to a lady-companion in the tongue of Quebec. At the next station an eminent divine of the Presbyterian Church came aboard and paid his respects to the Premier. In flattering, but evidently sincere words he told Mr. Laurier that he was glad to see the Gladstone of Canada make his first tour in Central Ontario as Premier, in such a democratic fashion. With a flush of pleasure Mr. Laurier bowed his acknowledgements, and said he was always glad to meet his fellow-countrymen. The next visitor was an employe of the road, who had last seen Mr. Laurier five and twenty years ago, when he first entered the Quebec Legislature. Visitor succeeded visitor, and each was received with kindliness, and that dignity which is so characteristic of the Premier. One of the callers was Mr. Noble, of Collingwood, the alleged unjust seizure of whose fishing outfit by the agents of the late Government has been ventilated on the floor of Parliament. "I will get justice now," was Mr. Noble's comment after the interview, "and I do not want more." At Barrie, Mr. McCarthy came in, and for a time exchanged opinions with the Premier. At Toronto he was met by Premier Hardy and Mr. S. H. Janes. The journey to Brantford was made in the same democratic fashion as that from the north, and many persons took the occasion to bid the Premier Godspeed in his work of giving Canada an honest and capable Government.

BRANTFORD'S RECEPTION.

On his arrival at Brantford Mr. Laurier was driven to the residence of Hon. Wm. Paterson, where he rested for a couple of hours. Meanwhile the preparations for the demonstration were completed, the streets began to fill up with citizens and visitors, and the headquarters of the Reformers became crowded to overflowing. Long before 7 o'clock the drill shed, in which the meetings was to be held, began to fill up. A special train came in from Paris, loaded with cheering Liberals. The central portion of the huge building was occupied by ladies within a few minutes after the doors were opened. The hall was gaily decorated with palms, evergreens and bunting. Behind the platform were portraits of the Liberal leaders. Every point of vantage in the huge building was occupied by mottoes.

By half-past 7 the crowds had become so dense that it was almost impossible to force a way into the hall, and it was very evident that few of those who had remained outside to join in the procession could get places in the drill shed. The procession had been formed at the Kerby House, and for blocks around the streets were lit up by the torches of the enthusiastic Young Liberals. The procession was headed by the bugle band of the Dufferin Rifles. Then came the torch-bearers and the C. O. F. Band. The central point of interest was the carriage in which sat the two Premiers and Messrs. Paterson and Heyd. As the procession moved by George and Dalhousie streets to the drill shed a magnificent display of fireworks and crackers were lit and rockets discharged. The rear of the procession was formed of citizens in sleighs, and the Paris contingent, headed by the Paris Band. Before the vanguard of the procession reached the hall hundreds of people had been turned away. Amid a scene of the wildest enthusiasm the Premier entered, and was greeted with three mighty cheers and the waving of handkerchiefs by the ladies. With difficulty he was hoisted to the platform from amidst the cheering throngs. Then Mr. Hardy, Mr. Paterson and Mr. Heyd were also elevated. The platform was crowded with many of the most prominent people of Brant.

Cheers for the Queen and the Liberal leaders closed the meeting.

Mr. Henry held a very well-attended meeting in the opera house, at which he himself was the principal speaker. The statement that Dr. Montague would take part in the campaign seems to have been without foundation.

What you want when you are ailing is a medicine that will cure you. Try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and be convinced of its merit.

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--For Colds,
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For all Affections of the Throat and Lungs,
Tolu, Tar and Tamarack
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CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS,
216 Dundas St., London, Ont.
Branch—Corner Richmond and Piccadilly.

ROBBERY AT FLORENCE.

Mr. Unsworth's Bank Broken Into—Spoiled the Safe.

Mr. Isaac Unsworth, private banker, of Florence, Ont., spent last night with Mr. J. F. Sangster, of this city, intending to take the train this morning for Sarnia.

Just before leaving here he received a telegram from home, saying that his private bank had been robbed last night. No particulars were given. He left at once for Florence.

An unsuccessful attempt was made once before to burglarize this bank, but Mr. Unsworth has a burglar proof safe within the vault, which defied them then.

It is since learned that the burglars last night spoiled the safe, but Mr. Unsworth says that not much money was taken.

CUBA'S CONDITION.

Ruin Likely to Follow on the Heels of War.

Bluffton, Ind., Feb. 2.—Hon. Hugh J. Dougherty has returned from Havana, where he has been a guest of Consul-General Lee. He says the business situation in Havana is so desperate that a panic will sweep two-thirds of the merchants into ruin if the war lasts a few months longer.

About all the money they get is from the soldiers, and the Spaniards take most of that away in the shape of taxes.

The situation of the insurgents is desperate. They are brave soldiers, but lack the power of organization. With a statesman as a leader, Cuba might maintain an independent existence.

IN FLAMES!

Pennsylvania's Handsome Capitol Building Doomed.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 2.—Fire broke out after 1 o'clock in the Senate wing of the State Capitol, and at 2 o'clock the building seems doomed. The fire is supposed to have started from an electric light wire. Officers in the department buildings, adjoining the Capitol, are preparing to move. Several men have been hurt by falling timbers.

Three p.m.—The entire house is in flames. Every effort is now being made to confine the flames to the Legislative halls.

Four p.m.—The fire will be confined to the Capitol Building. The loss is placed at $1,000,000; insurance $400,000. The loss of valuable records is great. They can never be replaced.

WITH AN AXE.

Probable Murder in a Commercial College at Halifax.

Special to The Advertiser.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 2.—Joe Handley, aged 25, janitor at Whiston & Fraser's Commercial College, struck Edgar Kaulbach, teacher of mathematics, with a meat-axe this morning and split his skull open. Kaulbach will probably die. Handley was enraged because Kaulbach asked him to make less noise.

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