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Commerce and Finance.

New York Stock Market. Reported by Frank Butler, broker, Masonic

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		Jan. 29.	
Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atchison Ry 111	147	144	144
C. H. and Q 711	745	733	74
C. and N. W 1042	1041	1044	104
Chicago Gas 783	781	771	773
Gen. Misotrio 342	354	315	343
L. and N 514	514	61	518
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Missouria Pacific 23	22	217	211
Pacific Mail 213	251	247	25
Rock Island 68	683	673	68
Meading 261	284	261	26
St. Paul 761	764	761	We 76
Tenn. Coal and Iron, 294	294	291	129
Western Union 834	84	833	84
Distiliery Trust 134	137	139	13
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Tobacco Trust 74	744	731	
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	TORON	TO. Ja	n. 29.

Toronto Stock Market.	
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Toronto	228
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Standard	163
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British America119	116
Western Assurance	156
Canada Life	
Contederation Life	
Consumers Gas	199
Dorwinion Telegraph	122
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Northwest Land Company, pref 50	39
Canada Pacific Hailway Stock 551	55
Commercia! Cable Company 168	187
Postar Telegraph 984	98
Bell Telephone Company	156
Montreal Street Railway 2244	923
Montreal Street Railway (new)	
Toronto Street Rallway 691	69
Dominion Savings and Invest 79	75
Farmers Loan and Savings 90	
Farmers' L. and S., 20 per cent 70	
Huron and Erie L. and S	157
Huron and Erie. 20 per cent	147
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Ontario Loan and Debenture SALES-1 p.m. board-Commerce, 40, 25, 35 1274: Consumers Ges, 20 at 200: Canada cific Stock, 100 at 55. 11:15 a.m.—Commerce, 20 at 1274; Dominion, 10, 5 at 225; Western Assurance, 1 at 1564; Postal Tel., 5 at 98, 25, 25, 25, 50, 25 at 98; Toronto Ry., 25, 25 at

Montreal Stock Market. MONTREAL, Jan. 29.

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Wabash, preferred		-::
Montreal Telegraph	.170	166
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Montreal Street Railway, new		.::
Montreal Gas Company	.1914	191
Bell Telephone		156
Royal Electric	.1414	140
Teronto Railway	. 191	69
Bank of Montreal	.231	225
Ontario Bank	. 85	82
Banque du Peuple		
Molsons Bink		189
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Bank of Toronto	. 231	228
Merchants Bank	.172	169
Merchants Bank of Halifax	.170	164
Quebec Bank		
Union Bank	.110	102
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Canada Colored Cotton	. 50	2:
Dominion Cotton	. 5%	83
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COMMERCIAL

Toronto Grain Market. Toronto, Jam. 29 .- Wheat-The offerings are small, but the demand is slow and the market dult and prices lower. Local dealers sent out orders to their buyers in the country today to reduce prices to farmers 2c per bu, making 4c reduction this week. Cars of red and white sold west today at 77c, and 76c was quoted for more. Manitoba wheat is dull and lower at 92c for No. 1 hard, North Bay, and 88c for No. 1 hard, Midland, and Owen Sound, and 86c for No. 2 at these

Flour is duli and easier in sympathy with the decline in wheat; cars of straight roller are quoted west at

Millfeed is easier at \$7 50 for shorts and \$6 50 for bran, west. Barley is dull and easy; No. 1 extra is quoted at 32c to 33c, No. 1 at 31c, 2 at 27c, No. 3 extra at 25c to 26c, Buckwheat is dull at 25c on the

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prices 1c to the farmers; cars north and west are quoted at 38c to 39c, and middle freights at 39c to 40c.

Latest Montreal Markets.

Oats—In store No. 2 white, 242c to 25c, Feed barley—30c to 31c, Pens—47c to 48o. Buckwheat—33c to 34c. Corn—31c to 32c.

Flour-Manitoba strong bakers, 24 50 to 25 00;

firm at 20c.
Eggs-Weaker; Montreal limed, 13ic to 14c;

Late English Markets.

American Produce Markets.

CHICAGO.

Chloago, Jan. 29.-Wheat opened weak, but

MILWAUKEE. Milwaukee, Jan. 29.—Wheat, each, 723c; May.

Sugar—Raw, quiet; refined, quiet. Petroloum—Quiet; refined all ports, \$5 95 to

Lead -Strong; bullion price. \$2 90; exchange price, \$3 07; to \$3 10.

Chicago Exchange.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, Broker, Masonic Templa, 'Phone 1.278.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Jan. 29 .- Hogs, receipts, 22,-

Cattle-Receipts, 3,000; market is

\$4 20; stockers and feeders, \$3 10 to

Sheep-Receipts, 9,000; market easy,

TORONTO HOG MARKET.

Toronto, Jan. 29 .- About 800 hogs in;

market unchanged; singers, 4 3-8c;

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CHICAGO. Jan. 29.

High, Low. Close

Coffee-Easter; No. 7, 910.

Wheat—May... 742-2
July..... 71-1
Corn—May... 233
July ... 264
Oats—May... 18

Oats-May....

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874c. Corn-May, 24c.

Outs-May, 17ta

-Mr. James Gray, buyer for Chan-man & Co., left today for the European markets.

-Andrew Thompson was this morning fined \$2 by Magistrate Parke for furious driving on Queen's avenue. -"Statesmen of Athens" is the subject of a lecture which Prof. Hutton, of the Toronto University, will deliver in the Auditorium tonight.

afternoon meet the Forest City club in the Ontario tankard series. -Another large crowd enjoyed skat-ing at the Princess Rink last night. The band will be in attendance to-

morrow afternoon and evening. -John Hall, of the Gore of London, mentioned by The Advertiser a few Corn is dull at 21 1-2c to 22c west Oats are easier; local dealers reduced their prices 1c to the farmers today; mixed are quoted, f. o. b., west, at 17c, ted for trial by Squire Jarvis on the charge of stealing rails from James C. Jenkins. and white at 18c.

Peas—Buyers here have reduced their

-Albert Fredenburg, another of the young men alleged to be implicated in the outrage on Maud Sizeland, in Seeds are dull and unchanged at \$4 50 to \$5 50 for red clover, and \$1 25 September last, which occurred in a lonely spot on Wellington street, was arrested yesterday in Toronto. Detective Rider left this morning to bring the prisoner here.

-About 1 o'clock today Mme. Wilfrid Laurier, accompanied by the Pre-mier's brother and sister-in-law, passed through the city in a special car. en route to Los Angeles, Cal., where Mr. Laurier has a brother, who went Figur—Manitoba strong bakers, 34 50 to 35 to;
spring wheat pateots. 25 10 to 25 30.
Feed—Bran. \$9 to \$10: shorts. \$11 to \$12.
PROVISIONS.

Canadian short cut, clear, \$10 to \$10 50.
Ham—90 to 10c.
Bacon—74c to 840.
Lard—Purs. 7c to 74c: compound, 54c to 54c.
PRODUCE.
Cheese—Small lot finest held firm at 12c.
Butter—Quiet; finest difficult to obtain, held firm at 20c. there for the benefit of his health, and is now very ill.

-At Osgoode Hall, in Gorrie vs. London Mutual Fire Insurance Com-pany of Canada—W. E. Middleton, for defendants obtain on consent order dismissing action without costs and ordering that moneys in count to are-

The Salvation Army held a "rag" meeting last night, the proceeds of which were devoted to purchasing a rag carpet for the officers' quarters. Late English Markets.

LIVERPOOL Jan. 29.—4:15 p.m.

Wheat — Spot dull, demand poor: No. red poring, 68 6d; No. 1 hard California, 68 6d; futures opened steady, with near positions 2d lower and distant positions 1id lower, later strengthened and closed firm, with May 3d lower, and other months id lower; business heaviest on middle positions; Jan., 68 41-2d; Feb., 68 44; March, 68 54d; May, 68 53d.

Corn — Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 28 83d; futures opened steady, with near and distant positions 3d lower; closed steady, with Jan. 4d lower, May 4d higher and other months unchanged from yesterday's closing prices; business about equally distributed; Jan., 28 83d; Feb., 28 81-2d; March, and April, 28 33d; May, 28 9d.

Flour—Dull; demand poor; St. Louis fancy winter, 9s. Adjutant Cass presided and preached. Capt. Collier gave his experience of rags, and Bandmaster James Pope told what he knew of rags and bones in the old country. Miss Ellen Harwood sang a solo, and the band assisted in the services. The attendance was large. Each soldier brought a bale of rags, to be used in making the carpet. -The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Hannah Cook, of New York City, eldest daughter of the late Noble English, took place this morning from the residence of her nephew, Dr. W. M. English. The service was held at the First Methodist Church, and the interment was at Mount Pleasant Ceme-tery. The Rev. Dr. Daniel officiated, assisted by Rev. E. N. English. The pallbearers were: Sir John Carling, Messrs. J. H. Flock, Samuel McBride,

soon recovered, cables were lower. Corn, firm.
Oats, strong. Provisions, quiet. Opening—
Wheat. May, 741: July, 71. Corn, May, 43ic:
July, 25c: Sept., 26fc. Oats, May, 17fc; July,
18tc. Pork, May, \$7 77t. Lard, May, & Ribs,
May, \$4. Isaac Webster, John Green and R. J. A SHED FOR THEM. "

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J. M. Cousins and Warden Leitch.

Q.—Did you make any inquiries for Quigley any time during the election?

LIFE ON THE OCEAN WA Buffalo, N. Y.. Jan. 29.—Spring wheat—Dull; No. 1 hard, old, 87c; do, new. 86ic; No. 1 porthern, old, 84c; do, new. 83ic; No. 2 confer with the city authorities re-No. 1 northern, old, \$42c; do, new, \$31c; No. 2 northern, \$13c; do, new, 804c. Winter wheat—UnchangedNo. 2 red, \$94c; No. 1 white, 90c. Corn—Dull: No. 2 yellow, 25c; No. 3 yellow, 254c; No. 4 yellow, 254c; No. 3 corn, 254c. Oats—No. 2 white, 214c to 22c; No. 3 white, 204d to 21c; No. 4 white, 19c; No. 3 mixed, 184c. garding the French gypsies, met In- ley? spector Sanders this morning and recommended that the city grant an-other \$50 to be placed at the disposal of there. of the committee, to erect a rough the election? DETROIT
Detroit Jan. 29. - Wheat No. 1 white each, 8540; No. 2 red cash, 8540; May, 864c. shed for the colony during their stay here. Inspector Sanders will interview the mayor and report to the Toledo. Jan. 29, - Wheat-Cash, 8610; May. county's committee. The party are as comfortable now as they can be under existing circumstances.

THE WATER COMMISSIONERS. The adjourned meeting of the water NEW YORK.

New York. Jan. 29.

Flour—Receipts. 22,352 bbis: sales, 1,600 packages; state and western, quiet but steadier.

Wheat—Receipts. 1,850 bu; sales, 1,105,0 0 bu; options. No. 2 red opened steady in the face of weak cables, and afterwards advanced sharply on covering and foreign buying; May. 8020 to 819c; July, 752c to 78 15-16c.

Rye—Quiet; No. 2 western, 3940, c. i. f., Buffalo. commissioners was held this morning on the mayor's office. A communication was received from S. O. Penry, of St. Thomas, acknowledging the receipt of the resolution re the usaue of debentures. W. T. Hodgens applied for a rebate of \$5 20, an overcharge for water rates, and paid in error, which was granted. His apfalo.

Cora—Receipts. 35,100 bu; sales, 95,000 bu; firm but quiet; May, 29; July, 30 13-16c to 302c.

Oats — Receipts. 56,450 bu; sales, 10,000 bu; quiet but steady; May, 21te to 21te; track white. 20c to 29c.

Butter — Receipts. 4,556 packages; steady; plication for a refund on his office service was filed. The street railway check was ordered to be returned, as the time for payment had expired for which discount was allowed, and as the check was made out for payment state dairy, 10c to 15c; state creamery, 13c to 19c; western creamery, 13c to 20c; Elgins, 20c; factory, 7c to 14c. with discount. The contract for valves required in the alteration of the con-Choese—Receipts, 580 packages; quiet; state large and small, 8c to 11½c; part skims, 5c to 9½c; full skims, 3c to 3½c.

Eggs — Receipts, 5.449 packages; unsettled; state and Pennsylvania, 18½c to 19c; western, dust was given to the London Machine Tool Company. A contract for tile was made with Bowman & Co., and a main i 1-2 inches in diameter was or-dered to be laid on Walker street, west of Rectory street.

MUST STAY IN JAIL

Bail Refused in the Case of the Alleged Forger, Jones, of New York.

London, Jan. 29.-Latimer Riddey Jones, of New York, the horse breeder and speculator, who was arrested in extradition proceedings at Scar- | Carty? borough, yesterday, on the charge of forgery, large amounts being involved, was brought up before Mr. Franklin Lushington, at Bow street police count today.

Mr. Arthur Gill, for the defense made an application for bail. In so doing, counsel said that since the alleged offense Jones had been to the United States, and that for three years past the thad been in communication with Mr. Benjamin L. Ludington, the Broadway lawyer, who is said to have advanced Jones from \$100,000 to \$300,-Otherago, said. 23.—Hogs, receipts, and ooo on motes bearing forged indorsements; light, \$3 35 to \$3 55; mixed, \$3 30 to \$3 56; theavy, \$3 20 to \$3 47 1-2; different formula of the company of the Company country. active organizer of the Orange county Steady; beeves, \$3 50 to \$5 15; cows and company, and the United States heifers, \$1 75 to \$4 20; Texans, \$3 10 to Dredging Company. The warrant upon which Jones was arrested charges him with forgery to the amount of £22,000, and counsel asserted that his client had already paid Mr. Ludington more than one-half of this sum. Mr. Lushington, however, refused bail, and the prisoner was remanded until Feb. 6.

FESTIVITIES AT SPRINGBANK.

Band Tonight and Tomorrow Afternoon is all wrong? and Night-Good Car Service.

Festivities will begin at the Springbank rink this evening (weather permitting), and the band in all its glory will be down there. The ice was never in better condition, and those who have taken advantage of this opportunity to enjoy themselves on such a large expanse speak in glowing terms of it, and of the arrangements for the comfort and convenience of patrons. Tomorrow afternoon a band concert will be given, and cars will leave the corner of Dundas and Richmon streets every half-hour. The band will give another concert in the Three Men Fatally Hurt and Eight evening, when several large skating parties go down to enjoy themselves under the electric illumination. The ice was cleared of snow this morning. and everything put in good shape.

The heavy ice in the Ohio has caused

(Continued from Page 3.)

Friday Afternoon.

The interest in the trial, judging by the attendance, does not seem to dimtrish in the least. It is seldom pos--The Chatham and Thamesville sible to secure a seat at any session, curling clubs are in the city, and this unless one is sharply on time. A number of enthusiastic spectators bring their dinners every day, and dine in the court room, which they strew with crumbs and paper. This assures them a good seat if not a good meal-and they prefer the former.
Up to 1 o'clock this afternoon, Mr.

Nelson Butcher, the official stenodays ago in connection with having grapher, had accumulated \$20,400 words starved his horses, has been commit-perhaps the longest trial in his experience; certainly the longest election case. The court resumed at 2:05 p.m.

Judge Ferguson said they had decided not to issue the warrant for Doty immediately. However, on the first day of the court's adjournment, if witness did not answer to his name, the warrant would be issued. ALD CARROTHERS.

iAlid. Carrothers was called by the defense to answer the Quigley charge. Witness said he did not see Pat Quiguey the night before the election. He saw Quigley the week before the election, but had not seen him in rehathon to election matters, except when Quigley came to witness' house. Q.—Quigley says you sent for him to go to your house?

Witness denied this. Quigley came to his house one evening in the week before the election. Quigley said: "I'm going to vote for Mr. Beattie this time, although I'm working at the Asylum. out to defendants' solicitors. I told them I was going to vote for Mr. Hyman.

Q.—What else?
A.—Quigley said he was voting for Mr. Beattle on the school question. Q.-Winat religion is ine? A.—Roman Catholic. Q.—What did you reply?

A.—I said I was glead to hear it. Q.—What did Quigley say ? A .- He asked me if there was any money in this election. I said: "Not that I know of." Quigley asked for \$5, as he was hard up and would like to get some. I told him he couldn't get no money from me. Q.—Did you give him any money?

Witness said Quigley's statement that witness gave him \$5 was a lie. CORNERING THE ALDERMAN. Mr. Osler then took Carrothers in

Q.-Had you been out at the asylum that week? A .- Yes; at Hiram Shane's tavern. Q.-Did you know Quigley worked

Q .-- Where did you inquire for Quig-A .- I inquired at Shane's if Quigley

Q .- You weren't looking for votes in A.—Not very much.
Witness said he had lent Quigley money for his bed, and had given him 40 cents to help buy a ticket for In-

Q.—Did he pay you back? Q.-Did you ask him for it? A.-Yes. Q.-When? A .- A week ago Tuesday.

gersoll. This was in the fall.

Q.-You knew he was to be a witness, then? Q .- Will you swear you never lent him any other money?

A.—To the best of my recollection.

Mr. Osler—That won't do. Will you swear it? A .- Yes. Q .- Never gave him any money or left it where he could pick it up? Q.-Why did you hesitate?

A.-I have known him so many years might have had dealings with him Q.-Did you know E. J. Carty? A .- Yes. Q.-Were you in Toothe's office with him in the past month?

A .- Yes. O .- Were you in Graydon's office with him? Q .- Will you swear? Witness (after a pause)-Yes.

Q .- Did you know there were charges with reference to E. J. Carty? A.-Yes. Q .- Did you speak to Graydon about

Carty? A.—No. Q.—Did you remember an envelope

being left with your wife for E. J. A.-No.

Q .- You saw Carty in Toothe's office twice? A .- Two or three times. Q.-After the trial started?

A .- A few days before. IMPORTANT ADMISSIONS. Q.-Do you know Arthur Ray and James Murphy?

Q .- Did you ever speak to Arthur Ray about his vote? A.—I will not swear. Q.—Did you speak to James Mur-

Q.-Where did you speak to Ray

A.—I can't swear. Q.—Try.

A.—I think it was on the market.
Witness said he did not canvass
Ray for his vote. He knew Ray was Q.-And you never tried to persuade him to vote for Beattie?

Q.—Did you ever send a message by him to James Murphy?

Q .- And if Murphy says you met him by appointment through Ray, he

Q.—And if Murphy says you gave him \$5 for his vote, you say he is all wrong?

Q.-And you measure your oath against Murphy's? A.-Yes, Q .- And against Ray's? A.-Yes. Q.-And against Quigley's?

More Badly Injured.

The heavy ice in the Ohio has caused way, thirty men were thrown from a Knoxville, Tenn., Jan. 29.—At mi total suspension of navigation. All car. Edward Balson was killed; two night last night the thermometer r

BEHIND THE BARS.

falcolm Cameron, of Parkhill, in the Toils.

Malcolm Cameron, of Parkhill, was brought here by Chief Mains, of that place, and confined in the county jail yesterday afternoon. Cameron, it is alleged, is one of the parties who assisted Edward Ellis in the assault on Samuel Peck, of Parkhill, on Dec. 15, 1894. Since that time Cameron has kept out of the way. He was arrested on his return to Parkhill on Wednesday. An indictment against both these men was found by the grand jury at the June assizes here in 1895. The trial of Ellis was postponed until the December sessions, when he was convicted and sentenced to eleven months in the Central Prison. Came-XXXX XXXX ron will come up at the next sessions. which open on March 15.

THE OIL MEN

Oppose Any Reduction in the Tariff on Imported Oil

Special to The Advertiser. here today, and asked that no change in the duty of 6 cents on the imported article take place. The delegation was introduced by Mr. Fraser, M. P. for East Lambton, and Charles Mackenzie, ex-M. P. P. for Sarnia.

The delegation gave an array statistics, and argued that the whole industry of Petrolea would be destroyed if the duty was interfered with.

BRAKEMEN STRIKE.

Refuse to Ride on Top of the Cars in Cold Weather for a Dollar a Day.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 29. — Cold weather and low wages have brought on a partial strike among the brake-men of the Georgia road. The brakemen had begun to seek shelter on the engine and in the caboose, sallying out when the time came to go down grade or slow up at a station, and the management issued an order recently to the effect that the rule as to niding on top must be strictly complied with. It was this order that thinned the ranks of the brakemen. They are paid \$30 a month, and many of them are unwilling to undergo the exposure

for \$1 a day. Halifax, Jan. 25.—The strike at Springhill coal mines has broken out again. The trouble this time is over member of the Connecticut legislature, bethe employment of Henry Rea, an overseer, who was dismissed, the men say, because the was a member of the P. W. Lodge, and they refuse to go to work unless Rea is reinstated.

LIFE ON THE OCEAN WAVE

It Is Different.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 29.-A message was received by John G. Hall & Co., this morning, that the British bark Corrivrechan, Capt. Hammond, Java to Boston, loaded with sugar, was at anchor between Hastings Ledge and Minot's Light, with both her anchors and all her cable out and her entire crew so benumbed with the cold and so badly frost-bitten that they were unable to raise the anchor. Capt. Hammond requested the com-pany that men be sent to the vessel to work her into port, as, aside from her crew being disabled, the Corrivrecahn's sails were blown to ribbons during yesterday's gale.

\$25,000 WORTH OF LOVE

Said to Have Been Alienated From a Husband.

Peterboro, Ont., Jan. 29.-A great sensation has been created here by the announcement that W. A. C. Baldwin, late of Quebec city, and now in business here as a broker, has issued a writ against J. J. Lundy, a prominent resident of Peterboro, chaiming \$25,000 for alleged allenation of the affections of his wife. It appears that Mrs. Baldwin, who is a sister of the defendant, left her husband at the time of his financial difficulties in Quebec, and since then, with her ohlidren, has been living apart from him. Mr. Baldwin charges Mr. Lundy with having been the cause of this action on the part of his wife, and has issued the writ above mentioned against him. Efforts are being made to settle the matter without having it threshed out in the counts, but as yet without

BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

any prospects of success.

Dun and Co.'s Weekly Statement of Trade in Canada.

Toronto, Jan. 29.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s

weekly statement of trade in Canada In Montreal there are indications of improved demand in some lines of staple goods, and when the country roads get into better shape a freer movement is looked for, with improv ed collections. As yet there is a notable degree of general activity in trade. The very cold weather has improved the sorting demand from the country for seasonable drygoods, and a fair proportion of orders for spring goods is also being booked. City re-

tail trade has been dull throughout January.
The improvement in trade at Toronto this week has been slight. The weather is more seasonable and the condition of roads has been greatly improved by snow. Retail trade at country points will be benefited by an increased movement of produce, and in turn wholesale business will likely increase. The feeling is hopeful, and the assurances given with respect to

the Government's trade policy are likely to produce good results. The number of failures has decreased, and after the first week of February a change for the better is confidently expected. The failures for the week were 57, as against 70 for the same week of last year.

IN THE "SUNNY" SOUTH.

Mercury Hovering Around Zero at Chattanooga.

Chattanooga, Jan. 28 .- The mercury registered 6.2 above zero at 7 o'clock this morning, breaking the record for Grafton, W. Va., Jan. 29.—At the Goriga mine plant, near Flemington, by an accident on a coal incline rail-Knoxville, Tenn., Jan. 29.-At midof mice. A husband's authority could the upper and lower boats have tied others were fatally, and eight seri- gistered zero in this city, which is the bover scare her.

YOU SHOULD USE THE BEST PAPER

-and envelopes that can be pro-cured for writing to your friends.

The best costs very little more
than the poor kind if you buy

Carrie's.

FRIGHTENED TO DEATH.

Child Scared Into Convulsions by False Face.

Williamsport, Pa., Jan. 29.—Two-year-old Walter Priest, of Muncy, was Ottawa, Jan. 29.—The Canadian coal oil men from Petrolea appeared in full force before the Tariff Commission by 8-year-old Margaret Colley, last night. The latter had playfully don-ned the mask and rushed into the Priest home, to frighten the older peo-

> and gave a shrick of fright and sank sobbing on the mother's breast. Two physicians were summoned, but the convulsions continued until this morning, when the child died.

A PIONEER EDUCATOR.

Monors For the Venerable Dr. Henry Bar-

Dr. Henry Barnard, who is known as the father of American education, will see on Jan. 24 the eighty-sixth anniversary of his birth, and there is some talk of having a celebration in his honor. Dr. Barnard, who is an extremely modest man, opposes the project, but there are so many who realize the extent and importance of his work that it is possible his objections may be overruled.

Few men have so persistently turned their energies toward one purpose as has Dr. Barnard during his long lifetime. From earliest manhood until the present day he has worked for the cause of education in this country, and the record of his accomplishments is a long one. He was graduated from Yale in 1830, admitted to the bar in 1835 and two years later, as a



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gan his educational career by advocating reforms in the common schools. He effected a reorganization of the public school system in that state, introducing schoolhouses of improved construction, high schools, teachers' institutes, a normal acad-

amy and new methods of instruction. But Dr. Barnard was working for the nation and not for Connecticut alone. He went to Rhode Island and, in the face of much opposition, introduced similar improvements there. In 1842 and 1843 he visited every state in the Union except Texas, working in the interests of education. He spoke in more than 60 citles and appeared before 17 legislatures. Subsequently he corresponded with the leading men in all parts of the Union, and school reforms followed, everywhere. In 1857 he accepted a position as president of the University of Wisconsin, putting that institution on a sound educational basis.

His greatest achievement, however, was the founding of the national bureau of education. For several years he agitated the subject and finally got the bill through congress. President Johnson appointed bim commissioner of education and he held the position for three years. Dr. Barnard has also been a most voluminous writer on educational topics, and his books are standard works. He has published 52 volumes, comprising over 800 separate treatises. He founded the Connecticut Common School Journal, the Rhode Island School Journal and The American Journal of Education. Dr. Barnard was born in Hartford, where he still lives and works almost as energetically as he did a quarter of a century ago.

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