

# THE MART.

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## TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1882.

at 2.30 p.m., in the rising

# TOWN OF SELKIRK!

Every one knows Selkirk to be a real town not entirely, yet to be, but with a present population of 700 inhabitants which number is rapidly increasing.

Its importance has been recognized by the C.P.R. Syndicate which has decided to build a branch line from the City of Winnipeg, 25 miles distant, for which Selkirk has granted a bonus of \$70,000, and the line must be completed by Aug. 1st, this year.

It is the chief point in navigation in Manitoba being the head of deep water navigation from Lake Winnipeg and Hudson's Bay, and the Hudson Bay Railway Co. has made it the terminus of this road to connect with the H. B. Transportation Co., which will very soon carry immense quantities of produce from Hudson's Bay across the Atlantic.

Arrangements are also being made to vote a bonus for a railway bridge across the Red River at this point to make a direct route for through traffic on the C.P.R.

It is the County Town of the County of Lisgar, surrounded by fertile country with great forests of fine timber to the East. It has also extensive quarries of the best building stone, &c., &c.

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## JAS. COLCLEUGH.

### ALARMED AT THE EXODUS

Getting up a Long List of Ontario Farms for Sale.

On Saturday a deputation composed of Messrs. A. H. Campbell, W. H. L. Gordon, H. S. Howland, Sutherland Stayner, R. M. Wells, M.P.P., and J. R. Adamson waited on the Hon. A. S. Hardy, provincial secretary. Mr. Campbell explained their object. He first drew attention to what he termed the "alarming exodus" from Ontario to Manitoba at present going on, and the public necessity for Ontario to do something to offset the emigration. The large number of farmers leaving the province must necessarily, he pointed out, be a very great loss to an agricultural community. In order to meet this the Canada west and land agency company had been formed to undertake the sale of farm lands, to promulgate information regarding Ontario, and to circulate a list among intending immigrants of farms for sale. Since its formation they had placed on their list upwards of \$1,500,000 worth of farms in Ontario. To find purchasers for these was the object of the company. This object they expected to accomplish through the tenant farmers. In order to do that an extensive system of advertising would have to be adopted in Great Britain and Ireland, besides circulating from five to ten thousand copies monthly of their farm lists. Perhaps the government might see its way to assist in this advertising to the extent of a thousand dollars in connection with the bureau of emigration. The company had agents in Great Britain to place a list of improved farms which they could not prevent the exodus to Manitoba to place a list of improved farms which they might at least fill up gaps created by it.

Mr. Gordon also addressed the secretary, illustrating how gentlemen within his own knowledge were refrained from settling in Ontario through a lack of reliable information, and a list of improved farms in which they might invest. They asked that government might instruct its agent in Great Britain to place a list of improved farms which they could not prevent the exodus to Manitoba to place a list of improved farms which they might at least fill up gaps created by it.

Mr. Hardy asked several questions as to their scheme, and said that perhaps the suggestion might be worked out, and he would be glad to consider the proposition favorably, without pledging himself or the government in any way. The suggestion with reference to their agent in Great Britain might be carried out. He added that he had now in press a small pamphlet on the climate of Ontario, and they were circulating in Great Britain the report of the three tenant farmers of their visit to Ontario.

TIME FOR A FACTORY ACT.

The Toronto women's literary and social progress club report that to 111 circulars sent to firms employing the labor of men and to firms urging on them the necessity of providing in their establishments separate conveniences for each sex, they have received nine replies. Those nine state that they have all proper provision named in the circular. This is satisfactory. But is it to be assumed from the silence of the 102 others that so very large a proportion have not yet attended to the health and comfort of their employees? If so, the sooner the factory act acts' bill comes to law the better.

### THE MUNICIPAL LAW.

Police Commissioner Meetings to be Open to Press--Three-Year Term for Aldermen Thrown Out.

The municipal committee of the legislature met on Saturday morning. The Bill amending the municipal act introduced by Mr. Morris, based on a petition from the Toronto city council, was taken up. The first section, providing for the election annually of three aldermen for each ward, one retiring each year in rotation, was struck out without discussion.

Section 2nd read, "All meetings of the board of police commissioners in cities shall be held open to the press and the public, except on special occasions, when it may be otherwise decided by the unanimous vote of the board."

The unanimous opinion of the committee was that the board should have the option of either holding their meetings publicly or privately.

Mr. Bell thought that the election of the word "unanimous" would meet the case. A vote was taken on the general principle of the advisability of admitting the press representatives, resulting as follows:--

Yeas--Bell, Mack, Sinclair, Broder and Waters--5.

Nays--Hardy, Lees, Waterworth and Appleby--4.

The section was then amended so as to make it read, "shall be open to the press and public unless otherwise decided by the vote of the board," the word "unanimous" being struck out.

The clause conferring power to license such vehicles as do not conform to the provisions of the by-law regulating the width of tires and wheels was struck out.

The following clause was passed:--Giving power "for appointing inspectors and providing for the inspection of milk, meat, poultry, fish, and other natural products offered for sale for human food or drink, whether on the streets or in public places or in shops."

Mr. Hardy stated that it was doubted whether councils in places where there was no board of police commissioners had the power to regulate the licensing of carriers, etc. A clause amending the municipal act so as to make this power clear was drawn up and passed.

---WORSE THAN WAR.---"The throat has destroyed more lives than the sword," by imprudence in eating and intemperance in drinking; but when the health becomes impaired the miserable dyspeptic may find relief in Burdock Blood Bitters. It purifies the bowels, acts upon the liver and kidneys, purifies the blood, and stimulates the secretions to a healthy action. Let all men who have old sewing machines and new ones call at the Wanser dechines, 82 King st. west, and see the light put, Wanser & Co. pay no duty on their machines and are therefore more liberal in selling in this city than any other make, because they are lighter running, noiseless and have most valuable improvements. 246

---WHAT EVERY ONE SHOULD BE TRUE.---"What every one who has tested its merits speaks warmly in praise of Hagar's Pectoral Balm as a positive cure for all throat, colds, coughs and colds, and colds, sore throat, bronchitis and incipient consumption.

### THE OPERA BALL.

The farewell performance of the Toronto Opera company in the form of a masked ball took place Friday night, and was in every respect a success. To say that the costumes were tasteful gives no idea of the fairy like effect of the scene, and we venture to say that Albert Hall has never before presented so brilliant an appearance as it did last night. Almost every epoch of the world's history was represented, and it was singular to note the odd contrasts between those who danced together.

The party was one of the jolliest kind, for mostly of those present were acquainted with each other, and yet the recognitions were few and far between them, until at twelve o'clock the band sounded, and every one unmasked. There was a scene beyond description. Some had been dancing and flirting with their wives, others had been familiar and chatty with folks with whom they were on "bad terms" and altogether there was much merriment, merriment of the hatching, and laughter. Space forbids giving the names of all present, but amongst them were: Miss Carlisle, as Cigarette; Miss Or, Dolly Varden; Arthur Archbold, Pirate; Archie McDonald, Courier; Miss McDougal, Francesca; Miss Davis, Gipsy; Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison, as the sailor and his bride; Miss White, Suliana (one of the prettiest altogether in the room); Miss F. Carlisle, Turkish lady; Mr. C. Dunning, King of Portugal; Mr. Ed. Sullivan, Courier; Mr. Rogers, Romeo; Miss Rogers, Night; and a fairy whose name was lost.

The music was supplied by the Italian orchestra, and the children of the sunny South, under the leadership of Alessandro Marciano, discoursed music that would have put dancing into the heels of a Trappist monk or a rheumatic patient. The supper table was arranged and catered by Mr. Wilding, who gave both himself and the company entire satisfaction.

A play bill dropped from the gallery of the Volks theatre, Copenhagen, took fire from a gas jet in its fall, and, alighting on a lady's head, burned off her bonnet and nearly all her hair before the flames could be extinguished.

---DESERVING OF PRAISE.---Too much cannot be expressed in favor of that unsurpassed remedy for coughs, colds, asthma, croup, sore throat, and all lung complaints. If you suffer from neglected colds, try Hagar's Pectoral Balm. The cost is trifling, only 25 cents.

---A REAL NECESSITY.---No house should be without a bottle of Hagar's Yellow Balm in case of accident. There is no preparation offered to suffering humanity that has made so many permanent cures, or relieved so much pain and misery. It is called by some the Good Samaritan, by others the Care-all, and by the afflicted an Angel of Mercy.

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