THE INSOLVENT ACT.

Many persons desire to see the pre sent Bankruptcy Act amended in a good many provisions, and the Montreal Board of Trade recommends its amendment in several important-re spects, such as having the assigne sen by a majority of the creditors and the insolvent to make affidavit that his statement is correct, as in more than one instance there has been a good deal of trickery carried on by a nominal bankrupt who wishes to get rid of the obligation of payment of just debts, and b gin life again unembarrassed. The Montreal Board also desires the following amendments made in the Act : The creditors to have power to appoint three of their number as inspectors, with power to ascertain, at any time, from the assignce, the situation of the estate : that the judge have power to suspend the discharge of an insolvent for three years, if he has been guilty of misconduct in the management of his business, by extrava gance in his expenditures, reckless ness in endorsing or becoming securi ty for others, or in incurring debts without a reasonable expectation of paying them; with a number of other suggestions for the prevention and punishment of fraud. At a meeting of the Board of Trade

of Toronto, on Monday, it was proposed by a few of the members to take steps to have an entire repeal of the Act, and suggesting that in this case it would be necessary to pass an other against preferential assignments. The Telegraph, speaking of the meeting, says: "While a very respectable number of the most influential members of the Board of Trade expressed themselves strongly in favor either of total repeal, or the suspen sion for five years, of the existing bankrupt law, the majority of those present 'took what, we think, was ore cautious and wiser view of the situation. Every mercantile man of good standing and sound reputation perceives the abuses which have grown out of the working of the Act Fraudulent debtors have got white washed by the easiest possible process Honest traders have been run down by the competition of dishonest traders who have gone through the Court by paying the merest fraction of a divident to their creditors, and have then set up in business anew with their goods marked ten and twenty per cent. below the current maket COALOIL. rates. All this is well seen and known; but the question for the Board of Trade to consider -and tle the majority considered it prudently -was whether the law was not susceptible of amendment, Mr. Worts, the able President of the Board, and others, favored inquiry before coming to a decision ! and a committee of inquiry less accordingly been named.

THE NORTH WEST .- The proprictors of the Hudson's Bay Com? pany met in London, on the 24th of March, to discuss the proposition made to them by Lord Granville.—
The ignorant, fussy men, who talk anonsense at English ratiway meetings, were there in force, and were numerous and influential enough to secure apostponement of the final decision until Tuesday last, the 7th April.—
The report from Hudson's headquarters in C mada, received last week, that the proposal of Lord Granville had been accepted by the Company, was therefore premature. It may have been founded, and probably was, on a knowledge of the views of influential shareholders. The Chairman of the Company strongly recommended acceptance; and all the Lordon papers we have seen take the same course.

Guelph, 7th April.

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is projected. It is said that orders have been issued to push forward the construction of this road during the present spring. A Detroit raper says: "The stock of the road will be divided into 200 shares, or such number as will enlist a sufficient amount of capital to carry the road into the valley of the Red River of the North, for which it is estimated \$10,000,000 will be required. This account ished, they will then appeal with confidence to Government for aid to carry the road beyond the Rock Mountains.—Preparations are already being made for commencing the work. It will be commenced at the head of Lake Superior, in accordance with the terms of the charter."

ONTARIO MEDICAL COUNCIL

ONTARIO MEDICAL COUNCIL .- A held in Toronto on Tuesday, when Dr. Clarke presented a report to the offect that the new bill had passed through the Legislature. It cmbodies all the amendments which the committee were directed by the Council to precare, with other amendments and improvements, which they believe will be of the utmost benefit to the whole profession, and will also be satisfactory to the public. A special committee was appointed to deaff a by-law for the civilin as contemplated by the new Medical Bill, to be submitted at the next meeting of the Council—said committee to consist of Drs. Clarke, Drk on, Bronse, and the President. Some discussion, then took place on the next meeting of the Council—said committee to consist of Drs. Clarke, Drk on, Bronse, and the President. Some discussion, then took place on the next meeting of the Council—said committee.

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Mr. Hincks was once asked why he did not get John Sandfield to reply to the attacks so frequently and flercely made upon his government by Wm. Lyon McKenzie. Hinck's reply was that he (Sancfield) was a popinjay, a mere verbose twaddler, without solid sense, and no match for McKenzie. He has improved over the left since then.

The New York Democrat make's some hard hits. Here is one: 'Boutwell's discharge of seventy handsome female clerks from the Treasury Deputment at Washington is a disgreeful autrage on more than sixty members of Congress and Senators, whose mistresses must henceforth be boared at private rather than public expense.'

EXPORT OF SILVER.—Mr. Weir states that owing to the neglect of a large number of subscribers to the guarantee fund to pay up amounts promised, he has been obliged to discontinue shipments of silver for the present. Altogether four hundred thousand dollars have been exported making an improvement of from one to two per cent in the rate of discount.

FOGARTY.—At Guelph, on the 5th inst., the wife of Mr. Thomas Fogarty, baker, of a daughter.—CLASK.—In Guelph, on Tuesday the 6th inst., the wife of the Rev. W. Warner Clark of a son.

MARRIAGES.

inst, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. W. S. Ball, Mr. John Cleghgno, farmer, Pasiley Block, to Je muna; daughter of George Piric, Esq., editor Gleigh HERAL.

OBBEL—BALGER.—On the 6th inst., at the Wellington hotel, Guelph, by the Rev. J. Wurster, Nicholas Gobel of Morriston, to Mary Balzer of Preston.

New Advertisements. Speed Lodge, No. 180.

The Regular Meeting of Speed Lodge will be held in the Masonic Hall, on UatSBAY EVENING, the 15th instant, at 7½ o'clock, Guelpn, 8th April.

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QUELPH BOARD OF TRADE.

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