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School Examination in Guelph Township.		

BY ATLANTIC CABLE. London, Jan. 7--Lord Stanley, acting upon the remonstrances of the Sublime Porte, has prepared a deepatch protesting against the alleged intrigues of Russian agents in Roumania. St. Petersburg, Jan. 7th-Reports have been received here from Siberia of the discovery of richy and extensive gold de-posits on the Amoor river. The natives were flocking to the gold regions by the thousand. Troops had been sent by the divernor of the district to preserve order and guard the mines. Bloody conflicts had taken place between the natives and the soldiers.

American Despatches,

Destructive Fires.

Cincinnati, Jan: 7—A fire this evening consumed property to the amount of over \$110,000. \$110,000. Chicago, Jan. 7—The greater portion of the Young Men's Christian Association building, erected last year at a cost of \$170,000, is in ruins. The entire loss will approximate \$300,000.

Banking House Collapsed.

Dubuke, Jan. 7—The banking house of H. Maskell & Co., suspended payment to-day. Liabilities \$65,000.

South America.

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Presentation.

Washington, Jan. S.-President John-on was yesterday presented with a cane hade from the old Charter Oak. The resentation was made by citizens of Con-tecticut.

The Island of St. Thomas.

The Island of St. Thomas, New York, Jan. 8—The *Times'* special ays the subject of the purchase of the is-and of St. Thomas has been postponed ill the result of the views of the people if the island on the question is ascertain. A. The election takes place on the 9th Senator Cox is promised the Austrian

The U. M. Debt. New York, Jan. 8-The report of Com-ssioner Wells is published. In suggesting an estimate of our national an nual evolution at \$140,000,000 for or discovered by \$130,000,000 for interest diac resentiture at \$150,000,000 for or-diac beness, \$130,000,000 for interest and \$30,200,000 for reduction of the prin-cipal of the debt, he infimates his heliet that it would be easy for the whole country, with its labor and expital restor-ed to productive employment, to meet this annual expenditure by means of a per capita taxation of \$8,73, which, con-tinued at the same rate, would extinguish the principal of the debt in less than 20 years.

Township of Guelph Mutual Fire In-surance Company.

The annual meeting of the members of he Mutual Fire insurance Company of the Township of Guelph, for the election of D rectors and other business, was held in Blyth's Holel, Marden, on Saturday last, W. Alexander, Eeq., President, in the chair. The Scenetary having read the following report, on motion of Mr. Black the following report, on motion of J Blyth, seconded by Mr. George Atkins it was unanimously adopted :

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WITHOUT any exceptions, the Barcian Sever Double MAP ! That George Pirie, Esq., be re-elected school trustee for the East Ward for the proposed by Mr. John Jackson, seconded Before T. W. Samders, Esc., Police Magistrate,

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REPORT FOR THE SEVEN MONTHS ENDING 81st DECEMBER, 1867.

BIST DECENTIES, BARNEN MONTH'S EXDING BIST DECENTIES, 1867. The members of the Company have been called together for the election of Directors at this time in accordance with a resolution passed at the annual meeting in June last, it being deemed more con-venient for the members to attend at this season of the year than on the first Mon-day of June: The Directors have great pleasure in informing the members that no loss has been sustained since their meeting in June last, and that since then several new members have been added to the Com-pany, while all Policies expiring have been renewed, with only one exception The amount of paperty insured in the past seven months amounts to \$40,200, the premium Notes to \$1,947, and the cash payments on said notes to \$77.26. Without specifying each description of property insured suffice it to state that past sevent months amounts to \$40.200, the premium Notes to \$1.947, and the cash payments on said notes to \$77.36. Without specifying each description of property insured suffice it to state that this total amount insured at this date is \$216,709, The Premium Notes in the Treasurer's hands amount to \$10,116, and the balance at the credit of the Company, as shown by the annexed financial state-ment, is \$201.02. All which, &c. W. ALEXANDER, President, W. MUITELAW, Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT. DR 8245 14 Wilkinson for advertising Melagan & Innes. Geo, Price for printing and advertising R. Elliott's loss. Directors' expenses. Belance on hand...... 83 50 # 50 $\begin{array}{r}12 & 62\\ 4 & 00\end{array}$

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A Ballot having been taken, it resulted in the reselection of the retiring Director's viz: Messrs. Wm. Alexander, Thomas Hood, John Card, John Laidlaw, John Bolton, Wm. Logan, and John Holson, The Directors having subsequently met, W. Alexander, Esq., was re-elected President, and Wm. Whitelaw, Esq., Secretary.

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