DETROIT IN THE NATIONAL

SAYS RUMOR FROM CLEVELAND YESTERDAY.

But Al Spalding Opines the Wolverines Must Stay Out—Very Little Done at the Schedule Meeting — Prospect Park Curlers in Ottawa—Racing at Clifton and New Orleans Yesterday.

CLEVELAND, March 5.—It looks very much as if Detroit will be in the League next season. The deal has been worked by Mr. F. K. Stearns, President M. B. Mills and Manager Robert H. Leadley, and they say that it will be consummated. The Detroit people have made an offer to President Walter Hewitt of the Washington Club to transfer his franchise in the League to Detroit and retire. It is rumored that Hewitt has agreed. The Detroit people have plenty of money here on the ground, and it is generally believed that the deal will go through. One thing that stands in the way of the transfer is that it would put six cities geographically in the western circuit, leaving only four in the east. This would necessitate putting Pittsburg in the eastern circuit.

Besides that, President Brush of Indianapolis might consent to leave the League. Should he do so, the Detroit-Washington deal would be frustrated, and an eight-club league would surely be formed for next season. There was no official notice of any such deal in the meeting to-day, but on the outside it was common talk among the magnates, though some of them would not admit it openly.

Mr. R. H. Leadley, manager of the Detroit team, had two conferences with Pitcher Frank Knauss during the day, and his talk with the skilful young twirler went to show that a deal was being made. He told Knauss that if Detroit enters the League it will want to keep him, but if it does not get in it will not want him and will sell him to Boston.

Although the delegates were all on hand shortly after 10 o'clock there seemed to be no desire to begin business in a formal meeting. When asked what was the cause of the delay one of the delegates said:

"Well, the truth of the matter is we don't want to run any risk of getting into a squabble. These people are all sharp business men and they are not going to put their feet in it you may rest assured of that. There are some knotty problems to be solved and they will all be disposed of on the outside so that when we go into formal session everything will be calm and the sailing correspondingly smooth."

John B. Day and the Boston people stuck very close to their rooms this morning and not until the meeting was called to order at noon did they appear in the lobby of the hotel.

The meeting did not open until 11 o'clock this morning, and two hours later when the noon recess was taken, it was given out that only committee business had been transacted. It transpired the morning session was devoted to a discussion concerning the reduction of the number of clubs in the League to eight, but no definite result was reached. It seems to be the general impression that President Brush of Indianapolis will not sell his franchise to the League at a price that would be considered.

President A. G. Spalding was seen during the recess and asked as to the probable admission of Detroit to the League and as to the ten-club schedule. He said the policy of the League was not to increase but to decrease the number of clubs, and there was but little possibility of the admission of Detroit. Regarding the schedule Spalding remarked that the matter was still in the hands of the committee.

The League magnates to-night discussed the schedule. Cleveland, Cincinnati and Pittsburg made objection to the schedule, which is on a 10-club basis, and it was referred back to the committee for revision. The delegates to-night it is said considered the idea of an eight-club league. Brush of Indianapolis to-day said he would sell out. His figures are between $50,000 and $75,000. It is thought Indianapolis and Washington will be bought.

More Suits Again t the Players.

NEW YORK, March 5.—Papers were served on George Gore yesterday in an action in equity for a permanent injunction brought by the Metropolitan Exhibition Company. Keefe was served to-day, and when Danny Richardson comes to town he will be subjected to the awful ordeal. The papers are the same as in the previous cases.

Dust from the Diamond.

Saginaw is not yet a member of the International but may be voted in at the next meeting.

Secretary White is in favor of a club in Buffalo. He says suitable grounds can be secured there.

Fessenden avers that he has signed for London the best lot of players ever captured by that town.

To illustrate what a snap this baseball war has been for the young blood, 25 of the Inter-State League players alone of the season of 1889 have signed with either the Brotherhood, League or Association clubs.—Exchange.

STILL ON THE ICE.

Peterboro Downs Flavelles Curlers by 19 Shots Yesterday.

LINDSAY, March 5.—The fourth four-rink match for the Lindsay-Peterboro challenge cup was played to-day. The first two rinks played at Lindsay, the others at Peterboro, resulting as follows:

Peterboro.		*Lindsay.*	
G. Hatton.		P. Morgan.	
G. Dunsford.		J. McMillan.	
S. Clegg.		J. W. Wallace.	
T. Rutherford, skip	20	James Keith, skip	14
D. Bellingham.		W. H. Simpson.	
J. Connell.		F. Knowlson.	
G. Brown.		J. G. Edwards.	
S. Ray, skip	17	A. McDonnell, skip	18
J. Davidson.		J. H. Macdonnell.	
R. M. Dennistown.		H. Gladman, jr.,	
W. S. Davidson.		J. M. Knowlson.	
G. B. Ferguson, skip	26	J. D. Flavell, skip	14
J. McLelland.		T. Sadler, jr.,	
G. Fitzgerald.		J. Matthie.	
T. P. Attrill.		J. A. Macmillan, jr.,	
W. H. Budden, skip	19	W. A. McLennan, skip	17
Total	82	Total	63

Majority for Peterboro 19 shots.

Toronto Curlers in Ottawa.

OTTAWA, March 5.—The Prospect Park Club, Toronto, played here to-day. Ottawa won easily; the score was as follows:

Prospect Park.		*Ottawas.*	
J. Greenfield,		W. L. Blair,	
W. J. Hynes,		W. Stewart,	
J. Lugsden,		C. S. Scott,	
D. Carlisle, skip	13	J. W. Russell, skip	33

Majority for Ottawa 20 shots.

In and Out Turns.

Yesterday morning Ottawa out-curled Almonte by 37 to 23.

The Rideaus of Ottawa defeated Almonte yesterday in a two-rink curling match at the Capital by 38 to 26.

The Episcopalian members of the Granite Club will curl all other denominations in the Church-street rink to-morrow.

At "Headquarters."

Mr. Fred Mossop is now fully installed at "Headquarters" and has gone to a good deal of trouble and expense in making it comfortable for his friends and patrons. "Headquarters," as its name indicates, will always be a popular Toronto resort. 246

YESTERDAY'S RACING.

Horses Earning Winter Oats at Clifton and New Orleans.

NEW YORK, March 5.—The races at Clifton to-day resulted as follows:

First race, 1 mile—John Arkins 1, Eatontown 2, Pegasus 3. Time 1.51¼.

Second race, selling, ⅝ mile—Dead heat between Defendant and Ripley, Harris 3. Time 1.08. Ripley won the run off in 1.10.

Third race, selling, 1 1-16 miles—Gonoud 1, Little Jim 2, Fannie H. 3 Time 1.58.

Fourth race, ½ mile—Eclipse 1, Best Boy 2, Oerise 3. Time 53¾.

Fifth race, purse, ¾ mile—Khaftan 1 Sam Harper, jr., 2, Iceberg 3. Time 1.22.

Sixth race, ⅝ mile—The Sumer 1, George Angus 2, Lizzie M. 3. Time 1.5¼.

In the South.

NEW ORLEANS, March 5.—The races to-day resulted as follows:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Tom Kart 1, Lady Blackburn 2, Harvester 3. Time 1.22.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Creole 1, Friendless 2, Dudley Oaks 3. Time 1.02½.

Third race, ½ mile—Holy John 1, Porter F. 2, Sam Lazarus 3. Time .50.

Fourth race, ⅞ mile—Somerset 1, Bonnie King 2, Harry Ireland 3. Time 1.29.

Many Dollars for Fast Horses.

NEW YORK, March 4.—The great sale of the trotting stock of C. J. Hamlin, held at the American Institute building this morning, was quite successful, excellent prices being realized in many cases. The horses were bred by Mr. Hamlin at the Village Farm, Erie County. The attendance of buyers was large. Automatic, a 2-year-old bay colt, sired by Mambrino King, brought $1550, and Senorita, a 3-year-old bay filly by the same sire, brought $1500. Feroline, blk. m., 9, by Kentucky Prince—Lady Dexter, by Ryndyk's Hambletonian, brought $3500. Carleton, b.c., 6, by Mambrino King—Barbara, by Kentucky Prince, went for $2000. Fifty-two head brought $85,040.

For the America's Cup.

BOSTON, March 5.—The Herald announces that a challenge for the America's cup will be forthcoming. General Pain thinks it will be from Jamieson with the 54-foot centre-board now building. The general opinion here is that the Volunteer will be the defender, but the General would not commit himself.

Mitchell Challenges Slavin.

NEW YORK, March 5.—The following cable was received from George W. Atkinson at The Police Gazette office yesterday: LONDON, March 4, 1890. —Charley Mitchell has posted a forfeit with The Sporting Life and issued a challenge to fight Slavin, the Australian champion, with gloves for £1000. Mitchell's challenge to meet Slavin has created quite a sensation.

Spots of Sport.

Wallace Ross, the caryman, is at present in Philadelphia. He will visit Toronto this week.

Slosson defeated Schaefer in the final game in the New York billiard tournament by 500 to 471.

Good and Mitchell, the English pugs, became involved in an altercation in London Monday, when Cholley banged the other fellow over the head with a poker. He was arrested last night.

E. W. Johnston, the athlete who is at present in the city, is wanted to train a boating club in one of the New England Colleges. There is a letter for him with Mr. James Pearson, Adelaide-street.

The C.P.R. has agreed to furnish the Toronto Lacrosse Club with a Pullman car for their British Columbia trip. The boys are working up the affair carefully and will soon complete all arrangements.

FATAL EXPLOSIONS.

Two Miners Killed at Plymouth, Pa.—Fatality at Pittsburg.

WILKESBARRE, March 5.—Two rock miners named Thomas Owens and James Leonard in the employ of the Plymouth Coal Company at No. 1 breaker were injured at noon today. They had prepared a blast to remove an immense rock in the mine. After lighting the squib and before they could get out of the way an explosion took place. The flying rocks struck them and wounded both fatally.

PITTSBURG, March 5.—At noon to-day two workmen attempted to thaw out several sticks of frozen dynamite. A terrible explosion wrecked the blacksmith shop which they were in and instantly killed one of them named David Hayes, and the other, William Snoddy, had an arm and leg broken and will die. The explosion occurred in a fashionable suburb where some trench blasting was being done and a number of buildings were damaged.

Perished in the Flames.

COLCHESTER, Ont., March 5.—The residence of Benjamin Oulch took fire last night about midnight and burned to the ground. When the fire was first discovered efforts were directed to the rescue of the family, consisting of the father, mother and several small children, and all succeeded in escaping, but through the excitement one of the children, 6 years old, became bewildered and wandered back into the house unnoticed and perished in the flames. The family is left in destitute circumstances. The cause of the fire is unknown.

C.P.R. Earnings.

MONTREAL, March 5.—The earnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway for the week ending Feb. 28 were:

1890	$281,000
1889	227,000
Increase 1890	$4,000

The Purchase of U.S. 4s Resumed.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—The Secretary of the Treasury announces that he is prepared to resume purchases of 4 per cent. bonds to such amount as may be justified by the available balance in the Treasury. All offers at 123 flat or less will be accepted.

Charged with Hannah Cole's Murder.

BELLEVILLE, March 5.—William Arnott was brought before the police court to-day charged with the murder of Hannah Cole. The hearing was, after a lengthy sitting, adjourned until to-morrow.

Texas Pacific Earnings.

NEW YORK, March 5.—The annual report of the Texas Pacific Railway shows net earnings of $1,671,744, an increase of $359,027. Balance from the year's earnings $287,335.

The Battleford Dinner.

At a meeting of the Battleford Column, held last night in the rooms of the Q.O.R. Sergeants' mess, it was decided to hold a reunion dinner March 28. Harry Webb will be the caterer. Col. Otter will preside and the following officers and gentlemen are expected to be present: Major Todd (Ottawa Foot Guards), Col. Herchimer (Mounted Police), Major Drury (B. Battery, Quebec), Capt. Nash, Calgary, N.W.T.; Col. Gilmore, M.L.A.; Col. G. T. Denison, R.G.; Col. Hamilton, Q.O.R.; Lieutenant-Governor, Mayor Clarke, D'Alton McCarthy, and Ex-Mayor Manning.

Treasurer O'Reilly Entertained.

Several members of the local branch of the Irish National League entertained Rev. Dr. O'Reilly of Detroit, treasurer of the Irish National League in America, last night at Club Chambers. Mr. P. Boyle presided and a couple of hours were spent very harmoniously. The chairman's speech was a model one and was heartily applauded. Dr. O'Reilly was enthusiastically cheered. The Doctor arrived yesterday from Ottawa, where he has been lecturing, and will doubtless leave for Detroit this evening.

Zion Over the Don.

The annual meeting of Mount Zion Congregational Church was held last night, when satisfactory reports were presented, both of attendance and contributions. These were the year's receipts: Church and Sunday school, $1117; ladies' missionary society, $35; church members' needy fund, $26; choir fund, $12; total $1190. An excellent musical program was disposed of and refreshments were served. Rev. Enoch Baker presided.

The McDowell Comedy.

The patrons of the Grand Opera House will have the opportunity next week of seeing E. A. McDowell and his charming wife (Fanny Reeves) in a repertoire of successes. The engagement is only for three nights and Wednesday matinee, but during that time the bill will be changed at every performance. "The Private Secretary," "Our Regiment," "Moths" and "The Shaughran" are announced.

The Visiting Masons from York State.

The American Board of Directors of the Masonic Life Association of Western New York arrived in the city yesterday on a visit to the Canadian Board of Directors of the same association. The party numbers fifteen. Major Bishop and Judge Titus of Buffalo were among the party. They were given a drive and entertained at the National Club.

Hon. William Cayley's Will.

The will of the late Hon. William Cayley was entered for probate yesterday. The estate is valued at $41,330, made up as follows: Household goods and furniture, $1500; one cow, $15; money secured by mortgage, $500; money secured by life assurance, $14,500; bank shares and other stocks, $9800; real estate, $15,000.

An Organ for the Church.

At a special meeting in Chalmers' Church last night the congregation appointed Dr. Spence, Dr. Rae, P. McSweyn and R. W. Prittie a committee to assist the young people in their efforts to purchase a pipe organ. The instrument will cost about $4000, over $500 of which has already been raised.

They Are Mutually Agreed.

City Commissioner Coatsworth and City Engineer Jennings have at last arrived at an amicable arrangement in respect to their several duties. Mr. Jennings will take in the street cleanings and tack it on to the street repairing department, now under Commissioner Jones, while Mr. Coatsworth will retain the street watering work.

The Dead.

Mrs. Carolina Donovan, the founder of the Donovan chair of English literature in the Johns Hopkins University, is dead at Baltimore.

Young Abraham Lincoln, son of the United States Minister to England and grandson of the War President, died at noon yesterday. He was 18 years old.

Luxury in Travel.

Elegant new buffet sleeping cars leave Union Station daily, except Sunday, for New York without change by the popular West Shore Route; leave at 4.55 p.m., arrive New York 10.10 a.m. Lunches are served on these cars and every comfort and convenience known to modern travel making a trip to New York a pleasant journey, as all tedious transfers and other annoyances at lunch counters are dispensed with. ed

A HARD BLOW AT THE BALLOT

THE PRESENT ONTARIO SYSTEM IS NOT SECRET AT ALL

And Is Attacked in a Lively Fashion by the Opposition, Led by Mr. Wood of Hastings—The Big Debaters of the Government Take a Hand in—Asking Big Aid for Railways—Sessional Notes.

Two important measures were introduced by the Government in the Assembly yesterday, one by the Minister of Education relating to the Separate School Act, and one by the Provincial Treasurer, having relation to the Assessment Act. Mr. Wood (Hastings) also moved the second reading of his bill to provide for the absolute secrecy of the ballot by introducing into provincial elections the municipal system. This bill created one of the liveliest debates of the session, which was listened to until midnight by crowded galleries.

Mr. Ross, in explaining his measure, said: "It is not desirable that we should look upon the interests of separate schools as adverse to the interests of public schools. No demand had come from separate school supporters for the ballot and therefore it had not been granted. There was also a doubt as to the Government's constitutional right to change the present mode of voting. In view of which they had not seen their way to introduce a bill applying the ballot to separate schools."

In the bill the details or form of notice which a proposed separate school supporter must give before March 1 are dealt with. Of these notices the clerk is to keep a strict record and the assessor is to be guided in preparing the assessment rolls by the indexed book.

Church Buildings and Local Improvements.

The bill introduced by Mr. A. M. Ross to amend the act dealing with exemption from taxation provides for the exemption of church buildings but for the taxation of the land for local improvements. This also applies to universities and incorporated colleges. Another important amendment is that placing the salaries and residences of clergymen under the ordinary taxation of other persons. By the proposed legislation it is optional in the assessment of mercantile stocks for municipalities either to adopt the present law or to provide a business tax to be regulated according to the capital of the building taxed.

The usual number and variety of motions were on the paper. Some were allowed to stand, some returns were asked for and all that were asked for were ordered.

Then when Mr. Wood of Hastings moved for the second reading of his bill to provide for the secrecy of the ballot in elections to the Assembly the Government followers chuckled themselves down to a hard fight and got it. Mr. Mowat was on deck and scored the usual number of points.

Not a Secret Ballot.

"The present system is not absolutely secret." Such is the objection of Mr. Wood. In explaining the system of ballot he went away back to—not pre-historic, but at least ancient, times—up to the courtly time of Charles II. Then to our more familiar day of "closed constituencies," "stuffed ballots," "impersonation," etc., journeyed the member for Hastings. John Stuart Mill was mentioned and the latter's essay on Liberty was probably strong in the speaker's mind when he said "but above all the great advantage to be gained is the right of the individual. In order to accomplish this we must have an absolutely secret, not a partially secret ballot." [Applause.] Them from eras and time Mr. Wood branched off into distance and took the members off on a trip to South Australia, Great Britain and some of the United States. Then, though not concluding there, he said: "In Ontario the system is a very peculiar one. We have two systems, the municipal and the provincial. Of the two systems one is entirely secret; the other can be traced. ["Hear, hear," said the Opposition.] The present ballot, through not being absolutely secret, has influenced electors."

Mr. Mowat said Mr. Wood had charged him with not being a friend of the ballot and it was somewhat extraordinary that he should complain of the present ballot. The Ontario ballot, the Premier continued, was more secret than any proposed by the hon. friend. He had stated that there had been no scrutiny. If there had been no scrutiny it proves the efficiency of the present law, for if there had been no scrutiny then no scrutiny had been required. The present law guarded against all abuses, ballot-box stuffing, personation, bribery. And until the hour of 6 p.m. did the Premier endeavor to disprove the assertions made by the member for Hastings.

Continuing the Debate.

At the evening session all the galleries were densely crowded to hear the continued discussion on Mr. Wood's bill to secure the secrecy of the ballot. The measure has evidently awakened public interest. The Attorney-General proceeded to further discuss Mr. Wood's bill. In doing so he did not fail to bring forward his own ballot bill. Of course it was all that could be desired, and in detail the Premier explained it. According to Mr. Mowat's explanation they are far more efficacious in securing secrecy than are those contained in Mr. Wood's measure.

Mr. H. E. Clarke had the floor next. The Premier had referred to Sir John Macdonald, and properly so, for the latter was "the most notable figure in Canadian politics, probably the most notable figure in Canadian history." So said Mr. Clarke. He delivered, as usual, an able speech and was followed by Mr. Fraser. The Commissioner of Public Works delivered his second important speech this session. All his force of delivery remains and though apparently suffering from a severe cold his repudiation of Mr. Clarke's charges verged on the dramatic, as when on Tuesday he offered to give up public life should a certain charge be proven against his department. "When," said Mr. Fraser, "he takes the floor and insinuates that this law is kept in force because the Government wishes to tyrannize over the people he is making an accusation which he himself knows has no foundation in fact, and it is an indecent accusation." [Applause.] Later on he continued: "I say the secrecy of the ballot very largely depends on the honesty of the men who have to administer it."

The Cry Goes Up for More Secrecy.

Mr. Meredith's was an able effort and a splendid reply to Mr. Fraser. He ably reviewed all the points in the case. Speaking of the Scott Act he said it was a well-known fact that in certain Scott Act cases respectable people swore in the box to that which was not true. Then to the main theme: We had throughout the country a serious cry for a more secret ballot. So much had the Attorney-General recognized this fact that he proposed certain amendments, but those were all a mere empty farce. [Applause.]

Mr. Hardy replied. The Commissioner of Crown Lands is eloquent and witty, and in opposing Mr. Wood's and in supporting the Premier's bill he exhibited his customary ability. The House adjourned at midnight.

AFTER RAILWAY AID.

The First of the Session Puts in an Appearance—Gossip of the Galleries.

The first of the railway aid deputations came to the front yesterday, when a strong party representing the Board of Trade waited on the Government. They were Henry W. Baird, Robert Jaffray, D. W. Alexander, R. W. Elliot, William Christie, A. B. Lee and John Leys, M.L.A. They asked for aid in the construction of a railway 230 miles in length, extending from Burke's Falls to Sault Ste. Marie and also for a branch to Sudbury, 30 miles long, making in all 260 miles. The sum of $840,000 has already been set aside by the Legislature for the construction of a line connecting the points named, but the promoters ask for an amount exceeding that sum. The Attorney-General will further consider the matter.

Mr. Stewart proposes to ask whether it is the intention of the Government to cause an investigation to be held with a view of ascertaining what has become of the large sum accountable for by the late police magistrate for Dufferin from fines imposed by him for 1886 and 1887.

Mr. E. F. Clarke yesterday introduced an amendment to the Liquor License Act. It is in the direction of having saloons closed on holidays, if the ratepayers so decide, after the matter has been submitted to and voted upon by them.

Dining at Government House.

These gentlemen were invited to dine at Government House last night:

Hon. Oliver Mowat.	Hon. Charles Drury.
Hon. A. S. Hardy.	Professor Ellis.
William Houston, M.A.	Kivas Tully.
Judge McDougall.	Aubrey White.
Professor Hutchison.	R. G. Dalton, Q.C.
Arthur H. Sydere.	Mayor E. F. Clarke.

And the following Assemblymen:

James H. Metcalfe.	Joseph Rorke.
John Dryden.	Isaac Gould.
Charles Clarke.	James W. McLaughlin.
Thomas Blezard.	Alfred Evanturel.
Robert A. Lyon.	John Pell.
Isaac Master.	Walter Meacham.
John Leys.	Donald Guthrie.
H. L. Clarke.	Dr. James McMahon.
William P. Hudson.	Andrew B. Ingram.
George Hess.	Falkner C. Stewart.
A. F Wood.	William Garson.
William Morgan.	Dr. W. A. Willoughby.
William C. Caldwell.	J. S. Cruess.
E. W. B. Snider.	Alexander Robillard.
William Kerns.	Robert Ferguson.
James E. Morin.	John Blyth.
Peter Graham.	Archibald Bishop.
William Mack.	John Waters.
George B. Smith.	Hugh Smith.
George F. Marter.	James P. Whitney.
Thomas Wylie.	William Lees.
James Clancy.	Richard Tooley.

The Speaker Also Entertains.

These gentlemen were invited to dine with Speaker Baxter last night:

Hon. J. M. Gibson.	
Mr. Stratton.	Mr. Morgan.
Mr. Ingram.	Dr. Clarke.
Mr. Ostrom.	Mr. Davis.
Mr. Field.	Mr. Miller.
Mr. Dack	Mr. Marter.
Mr. Hudson.	Mr. Wood.
Mr. Hayslde.	Mr. Hammell.
Mr. Hess.	Mr. Blyth.
Mr. Waters.	Dr. Bryce.

Cold Weather in Austria.

VIENNA, March 5.—The weather is bitterly cold throughout Austria-Hungary, the thermometer ranging between 12 and 15 degrees centrigrade below zero. At Klangenfurt it was 20 degrees below zero.

Jottings About Town.

James Rogers is held at headquarters, charged with stealing a rug. He has no particular address.

Fifteen additional charges have been registered against Carpenter William Lax, making a grand total up to date of 56.

In the Police Court yesterday Henry Wood was sent to jail for 60 days for stealing machinists' tools from workmen in W. Dill's shop, 134 Richmond-street west.

More evidence of a technical nature was given yesterday in the St. George railway accident case. It was testified that stub switches were dangerous for trains at a higher rate of speed than 30 miles an hour.

Fire broke out at 8¼ o'clock last night at 131 and 133 Clinton-street, in houses owned by J. W. Lang of Provost-street, East. The fire was owing to a defective grate, which set fire to a cushion. The damage to the premises is estimated at $400.

The usual weekly service in St. Andrew's Church varied last night by a "service of praise." The musical part of the program was supplied by the choir and Organist Fisher, George F. Taylor, Guiseppe Dinelli, and Mrs. C. A. Bignell.

One of the principal organizers of the Old U.C. College Boys' Association is arranging for a meeting of the ex-collegians on the question of preserving the grounds as a public square. The petition to this effect issued by the Public Places Association is being rapidly signed and will shortly be presented to the Legislature.

Among the Fraternities.

L.O.L. 412 initiated two candidates last night.

Court Davis No. 187, C.O.F., initiated two candidates last night. Bro. Childs presided.

Lodge Queen of Canada No. 5604, A.O.F., transacted routine business last night. H. C. Wilson presided.

Mayflower Lodge No. 4, I.O.G.T., had a visit last night from Mount Lebanon and St. John lodges. There was a musical program and addresses were delivered by the visiting brethren.

The funeral of Emil Hueber took place yesterday afternoon from 215 Elizabeth-street to the Necropolis, where the remains were interred. The cortege was followed by members of Court Harmony, No. 7045, A.O.F.

Norfolk Lodge No. 57, S.O.E.B.S., had its second annual concert and social last night in Shaftesbury Hall, which proved thoroughly successful. These ladies and gentlemen took part: Miss Smith, Miss Hutchins, Prof. Spacey, Bro. Hubble, Bro. T. Darling, Bro. Cooper, Bro. Miles, Bro. Jenner, Bro. Haywood, Bro. C. W. Aldred and Bro. Waite.

Personal Mention.

E. G. Nelson has composed a spirited patriotic song entitled "Up with the Union Jack." It will be popular at national gatherings. It is published by and for sale at Nordheimer's.

Mr. Adam Hudspeth, M.P., fell on the icy pavement near the Parliament buildings at Ottawa Tuesday night and broke his left arm. Hon. Mr. Foster also fell and received a bad shaking.

Police Constable Davey (145) who died at his late residence, 532 Queen-street east, of inflammation of the lungs, will be buried to-morrow afternoon. Many of his colleagues will attend the funeral.

Mr. Henry Boulier, the Allan Line agent for Western Canada, who has been confined to his house for over a month by severe illness, is rapidly recovering. He will be down town again in a few days.

INEVITABLE RESULT OF CATARRH

Catarrh in Its Destructive Force Stands Next to and Undoubtedly Leads on to Consumption.

It is therefore singular that those afflicted with this fearful disease should not make it the object of their lives to rid themselves of it. Deceptive remedies concocted by ignorant pretenders to medical knowledge have weakened the confidence of the great majority of sufferers in all who advertise cures. They give way to a life of misery and refuse to further listen at remedies. But this will never do. Catarrh must be met at every stage and combated with all our might. In many cases the disease has assumed dangerous symptoms, and if let alone, it eats into the very vitals and renders life but a long drawn breath of misery and diseases. Of those afflicted and of perseverance, William Young, who resides at 120 Bond-street, in this city, may be cited. Mr. Young is 25 years old and had for two or three years been a sufferer with catarrh; his head was continually stopped up, he felt dizzy and had become very weak, had headache, his appetite was gone, had dull pains in back, shoulders and head, all ambition was gone, pulse had run up to 110 and the disease had made such progress that the right lung became affected. After trying several remedies without receiving any benefit he was induced to consult the physicians of the Medical Institute, located at 198 King-street west, and after being treated by them for four months the result was that he was entirely cured and is to-day a well man and will converse with any one about his case that may wish to call on him. This institute treatment is mild and agreeable and based on scientific principles.

Besides treating catarrh they treat dyspepsia and all chronic diseases. They especially invite cases which have been treated by other physicians without being cured.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Brickmakers at the Humber, in the Township of Etobicoke in the County of York, under the name and style of J. & J. Simpson, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to James Simpson at Humber Bay Postoffice, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to James Simpson, by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at Toronto this 4th day of March, A.D. 1890.

Witness: E. T. Malone of Toronto, Barrister-at-Law. JOHN SIMPSON.
JAMES SIMPSON.
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TORONTO POSTAL GUIDE, DURING THE month of December, 1889, mails close and are due as follows:

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G.T.R. East	6.00	7.30	7.45	10.30
O. and Q. Railway	7.30	7.45	8.00	9.00
G.T.R. West	7.00	8.30	12.40	7.40
N. and N.W.	7.00	4.40	10.00	8.10
T., G. and B.	7.00	8.45	11.00	8.30
Midland	6.30	3.30	12.30	9.30
C.V.R.	7.00	3.30	9.00	9.30
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
G.W.R.		2.00		12.35
	6.00	4.00	10.30	2.00
	11.30	9.30		8.30
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U.S.N.Y.	6.00	4.00	9.00	
	11.30	9.30	10.30	5.45
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