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BAPTIST, Preaching every Sabbath at 2:30 jabbath School at 1:30 p.m. REV. D. DACK. P.

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Preaching every Sabbath at 11 a Bible Class on Sabbath evening at Sabbath School at 10 a.m. Pr Meeting on Thursday evening at 7.2 REV. A. HENDERSON, M.A., Pa

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## **Business Directo**

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A Specialty. Full lines funeral goods always on hand.

H. F. BUCK, Wallace St.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

\* WASHINGTON, Jan. 3, 1890. The New Yearsun did not shine upon the National Capital Wednesday. It was anything but a lovely day externally, and outdoor feativity was at a heavy discount. In spite of all drawbacks, however, the occasion seems to have been generally enjoyed and the ELMA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY,

The Proposed Township Hall.

The annual meeting of the Elma Agricultural Society was held at Wynn's hotel. Newry, on Thursday, Jan. 9th, at 2.30 p.m. After the usual preliminary meeting of the Directors and the reading of the minutes the meeting additional and the meeting additional and the meeting additional and the meeting additional and the second second

MONDAY'S GALE.

Considerable Damage done all along the line.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Lord Napier, of Magdala, has died from influenza. Peter's pence for 1889: From North America, \$37,000; from South America,

There were 122 deaths at Montreal last week. Twenty of these were from pneumonia.

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states are not at all interested in this feature of the matter, but you can see what an inconvenience and loss the holiday recess is to the hotel-keeper."

About all that is talked about the hotel lobbies during the holiday recess is the tariff question. The hearings before the Ways and Means Committee has had the effect of bringing to the city all classes of manufacturers, and although the Committee has extended in invitation to all the different interests, those whose business is benefitted

al Marine Conference. h has been in session here since ber, and which has adjourned, sine was an able body of practical scien-whose labors, it is hoped, will add by to the convenience and safety ean commerce and travel.

e customs department at Guelph d and destroyed twenty-five copies to Detroit Sunday World, one of lost doubtful papers of the kind. Iging from the discussion at the nations in Bruce county the poor e scheme does not meet with the loval of the ratepayers, and for the nat the proposition will have to be d.

at some definite point for the purpose of furthering the advancement of the Society we may safely say that its existence is not of long duration and its death is only a matter of time and short time at that. Humbly submitted

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A lengthy and profitable discussion on the subject of erecting a suitable Hall in Atwood, to be used by the Elma Agricultural Society and Elma township Counci!, the latter ensured to work in conjunction with the former.

It was moved by Jas. Duncan, seconded by E. Hill that the President, Vice-President, and Wm. Forrest, Jas. Irwin and John Gray be a delegation to wait on the Municipal Council at their first meeting to ask for a grant toward building a Hall, suitable for an Agricultural Hall and Council room, and that a special meeting of the Directors of this Society be held on 20th inst., at 7 p.m., to hear the report from the delegates. Carried.

The following officers were elected for 1890:—Jno. B. Hamilton, President; Wm. Horn, Vice-President; Jno. Morrison, Sec.-Treas.; Directors, James Duncan, Wm. Lineham, Robt, Morrison, Y. Coulter. Jno. Graham, J. W. Boyd, Wm. Forrest, Conrad Heller, James Irwin. Auditors, Thos. Fullarton and Geo. Richmond.

The meeting then adjourned.

the other way three feet apart and weighted them with stone carried up by a pulley.

I opened the silo and began to feed on the first of December—feeding it with an equal amount of cut straw. I now feed a half bushet of ensitage morning and night, with the same amount of cut straw and about three quarts of bran to each feed to my milch cows with hay at noon. The cows are doing remarkable well, and have made considerable increase in their flow of milk. Before I commenced feeding the ensilage I fed them good hay and four quarts a day of corn and oat meal, in the proportion of two bushels of oats to one of corn. The ensilage comes out perfect—not a particle of waste to the top, and only a small amount, say not to exceed two inches, of waste near the wall, and that only near the doors. Both as a saving of labor and economy of feeding I have no question about the value of ensilage, and shall, another year, sow my corn in drills, and put in sufficient to fill my silo, which will hold two hundred tons.

I about week her condition became alarmelic ved her sufferings.

The Picton Times tells the following story of a young man's experience:—A young man who lives on the East Laker road one night recently found a number of sheep broken into his field. He drove them to the pound and left them with the pound-keeper The latter was unable to find an owner for the sheep broke into the pound and left them with the pound-keeper The latter was unable to find an owner for the sheep broke into the pound and left them with the pound-keeper The latter was unable to find an owner for the sheep broke into the pound and left them with the pound-keeper The latter was unable to find an owner for the sheep broke into the pound and left them with the pound-keeper The latter was unable to find an owner for the sheep broke into the pound-keeper The latter was unable to find an owner for the sheep broke into the pound and left them with the pound and left them with the pound and left them gord or sheep broke into the pound and left them gord or