simple. Its promoters do not pretend money will be paid. There is no tangle the money has sy that by some device public. Who company before the photic. Who compose it? No one it is not such an offence as is conteminated by the compose it? No one knows of its existence either by presilinews of its existence either by president, directors or constitution. The supposed secretary of the Opera Rouse of the most favorable light, it is simply an attempted evasion of the law of the land. On moral grounds, it is a much a gambling apscularities as much a gambling apscularities as fare at therwing dice. One hundred thousand people, supposition that each constant was tightern divided. One hundred thousand people, supposing that each one hundred thousand people, supposing that each one hundred thousand people, supposing that each one hundred thousand people, supposing the will pay over \$100,000 to the trustees. It is a share number so drawn and to be entangled that each one hundred thousand people, supposite that it is share number so drawn and the share number so drawn to be share number so drawn to de share number numb One hundred thousand people, supposing that each one hays a ticket individually, put in two dollars agrees, and take something like 2,000 chances as against est power to compel him to do it, draw prizes and 98,000 draw blanks. If done. this is not a lottery, then we do not Let us take a few facts and figures

an evasion of the Act. A cloak has been provided under which it is hoped that the immoral effects of public gambling are to be attained without a violation of the law, or to put it still more plainly, it is proposed to perpetrate an offence punishable by law, and yet in this instance, by evading the statute, to be rid

been, by some means or other, induced will know nothing about it? to lend their names as Trustees to hold One point deserves attention, and we certain land, which of course naturally is of such peculiar value that, while the ticket-holders assume it at \$1\$5,000, the promoters will only give \$104,000 for it by way of redemption. The ticket-holders, therefore, buy it from the owners at \$31,000 more than the price at contact and the promoters will only give \$104,000 for it by way of redemption. The ticket-holders, therefore, buy it from the owners at \$31,000 more than the price at contact and the promoters would be a sent and equality of the division, and that the undertaking with everything therewith will be carried out to the letter and to the satisfaction of all concerned.

If you propose to join in this method of division, please send a direction accordingly to the Trustees. than the man in the moon. When the matter. drawn alternately by the trustees, and thus the 2,000 prizes are to be decided and the 98,000 unfortunate ticket-

This is the whole scheme in a nutshell. No one pretends that the land from any company. is to be divided, but the land business is introduced into the circus for the purpose of bringing the case within the provision of the Act which allows joint originators of the Guelph lottery have tenants, &c., to divide their lands by been so modest in their native simplicity lot. The whole affair, divested of its rather transparent covering, comes published prospectus and other papers down to the self-same practical working as was ado ted in the London lottery, have put forward their friends to bear and means that \$100,000 will be divided the brunt of reproach and odium atby chance amongst 2,000 people in tached to the lottery, whilst they have stead of amongst double that number as retreated to the background and found was the case in the London scheme.

A great deal has been said about the have nothing to do, but with the moralty and condemnation. If because one man pockets another man's money, he is house is proposed to be built. liable for embezzlement, and another does precisely the same thing but in a pudiating the most unjust and slander manner of which the law does not take ous attack of the World on those of our cognizance, the moral effect of the latter citizens who were roped into this though he may "go unwhipt of justice." planation.

know what is one. It may not come and see how "thin" this scheme is. Out of the \$100,000 which the lucky individual, who is yet but a figment of gambling chance to win money.

But, on legal grounds, it is said to be fancy, is supposed to retain for the coman evasion of the Act. A cloak has been pany, we will take \$25,000 for expenses, stance, by evading the statute, to be rid still on hand. Allow \$5,000 for the reof the troublesome penalties incurred in muneration of the mighty intellects in Total \$135,000 doing what the law forbids to be done in some different mode. We say this on the strength of what the promoters them. selves assert to be the case. The legal effect of the Act is to be avoided; the moral sense of the community may look out for itself.

The following are the facts in connection with this Lottery, and we will gladdoing what the law forbids to be done in whose fathomless brains this great ention with this Lottery, and we will glad- this large sum yet on kaud? Does any ly be corrected if we make any state- man mean to say that this will not find ment which is not strictly in accord with its way into the pockets of two or three the truth. Several leading citizens have of the promoters, and the world at large

mention it in simple justice to those back, even although they are actually represent the affair as a stock paying for it with the ticket-holders' company to build an opera house, and noney. Each purchaser of a \$2 ticket | mentioning some names as the trustees is to become a joint tenant in this pro-perty. Mr. J. L. Murphy, law student, they would lend their support, and if is the party through whom the land is to they were willing if asked to youch for be conveyed to the Trustees, and he is the financial standing of these so-called contracting party. trustees. The reply was invariably Three-fourths of the ticket-holders "yes," and nothing more was thought of may request the Trustees to con- it until their names were found figuring wart the whole affair into a money as promoters of a lottery. Surely this lottery, and the prizes will then was not a manly or an honest way of be money instead of land, which in getting leading merchants, manufacturact is the real object of the scheme. ers and others into disrepute by using How is the consent of three-fourths of their names as patrons of a gambling the purchasers of tickets to be obtained? scheme without any explanation having Simply enough. When a man buys a been first given as to the details. Propticket he signs a request to the trustees erly and promptly most of these men to convert the lottery into a cash affair. have repudiated both the scheme and its He is then no more a joint tenant, and promoters, and do not hesitate to say he has no more intention of being one that they were grossly misled in the We venture to say that it the required number have signed the redetails of the plot had been explained to quest, and the man who has received these committee and reference men, the cash hands over \$104,000, not his honestly as they should have been exown but the people's money derived plained, the lottery would have gone befrom the sale of tickets, the trustees are fore the world without that borrowed to go through the well known plan of and false respectability which it at first drawing prizes. Numbers are to be received from the unwarrantable use of placed in two wheels or boxes, and the names of many of our leading citizens. To shew in one particular how incorrect the representations that were made, are, we have but to allude to the holders are to be sent empty away, fact that the so-called trustees were not the trustees of the Opera House Co., but of the lottery scheme as totally distinct

We "point a moral and adorn a tale" by calling the attention of our readers to the singular fact that the two principal as to withhold their names from the in connection with the affair. They themselves safe in the cool shades of A great deal has been said about the legality of this affair. With this we two individuals should thus blush unseen and waste their sweetness on the of it, we, as well as the people at large, desert air, which in considerable breezes have much, both in the way of criticism is likely to howl for some time to come over vacant lots on which the opera

We quite agree with the Herald in re is just as bad as that of the former, al-

the THE LOTTERY PROSE

BATURDAY EVE'G, JUNE 30, 1881.

The Guelph Lettery.

The promoters of the Grelph Lottery scheme have appealed to the public as large for support, and the whole affair becomes in consequence a proper subject of discussion. When the people are asked to contribute to such an object as the one proposed, it is but fair to them that they should be placed in a position in which they can judge for themselves as to the merits or demerits of the undertaking laid before them. There is no person provided for to whom this money is to be paid in the first instance. The receiver of \$300,000, a large sum even in the hands of a directorate, is, so far as the ticket holders are concerned, a may he. Who is he, by what means is he'd be accountable, in he a man or a disoustion of what is now known as the Guelph Lottery, which is said to be connected in some insertable way with the building of an Opera House in this city.

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the building of an Opera House in this city.

First and foremost, let us clear away the mist surrounding this scheme, and say plainly that it is a lottery, pure and simple. Its promoters do not pretend simple. Its promoters do not pretend to the protection of the trustees. No one has any guarantee into whose hands the money will be paid. There is no tangle the shareholders may be as follows:—

A division of the trust property being requested by the shareholders, the trustees will make a partition by lot in second the trust deed in that behalf. The method provided and proposed by the shareholders may be as follows:—

TO BE BY LOT. The property numbered as in the trust deed and prospectus to be allotted amongst the shareholders.

Tickets numbering from 1 to 200,000 to be placed in wheel (80, 1).

Tickets representing allotments numbered cond wheel (80, 2).

After such placing, wheels to be revolved and a ticket to be drawn from each simultaneously.

Allotments so drawn to go to the holder of share number so drawn, and to be an

1 \$30,000 30,000 1 \$30,000 \$0,000 2 10,000 20,000 3 5.000 15,000 5 2,000 10,000 10 1,000 10,000 50 200 10,000 100 10,000 20 10,000 10 10,000

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Applications may be made to the True ses for allotments immediately after th tees for allotments immediately after the result.

Lists showing the results will be published in the leading newspapers.

It is almost unnecessary to mention that certain land, which of course naturally belongs to the promoters. This property whose names have been dragged into is of such peculiar value that, while the print as members of a committee and is of such peculiar value that, while the print as members of a committee and is of Reference are a sufficient guarantee to the shareholders of the absolute fairness

John Robertson.
Wm. Smith.
On behalf of a number of Shareholde

THE Brantford Telegram announce that "ever since the advent of Timothy Anglin into the staff of Toronto journal ed with vile treason to the constitution of this grand Confederation." then the Telegram and other Tory papers have been saying the same thing shout the Globe for the last thir

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