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WEBBER'S LITTLE WEB.

HOW TP. E MARRIAGE ASSOCIATION SWINDLES ITS VICTIMS.

The Mutual Marriage Aid association of

Canada is the name of a certain institution. with one W. B. Webber as secretary, havling its headquarters at Hamilton, and doing business wherever it can find victims. Its sime are quite philanthropic, one ostensible object of its existence being to provide a downy for its members upon their marriage. Its real, though unexpressed object, however seems to be to make its "little pile" at the public expense. Not a few of those who nduced to go into the scheme have were induced to go into the scheme have depended aropped considerable sums by doing induced, it appears to be a kind of bottomiess pit swallowing up any spare cash a man or maid may happen to carry about with him or her., and it is full time that the eyes of the public were opened to its true

The bylaws provide that an applicant thall pay a fee of \$6 for every thousand dollar certificate; and further that upon the dollar certificate; and further that upon the matriage of any member all the others are to be assessed in order to pay off the matured certificate. No person is entitled to receive any benefit from the institution until he or she has been a member for at least 15 months. As if has not been in existence two years yet, it can be easily understood that though there may have been a little "nigger in the fence" somewhere there has been little enough time to discover him. But complaints are coming in now thick and fast. It seems that the regular agents of the association represented to apthick and fast. It seems that the regular agents of the association represented to applicants that the asserments would not average \$3 per meants but, instead of \$3 for the month of september, members received a notice of seven assessments on forty-eight certific ates; and for October it is still higher, the present call being for eight assessments, a \$12.64 for every certificate. This rapid are of increase can be readily understood when it is remembered that numbers of servant girls and others of limited means, who were induced to become more more approximately and as they "freeze out," the assessment And as they "freeze out," the burden must necessarily fall upon the remaining members. There is practically no limit to the amount a person may have to pay into the concern, and there is no cer-tainty that be will ever take anything out. The bylaws provide that a call must be paid within thirty days after mailing of notice, otherwise the certificates become nall and void. But now a notice has been sent out

the spoils it possibly can before the final collings.

Least illustrate by giving an example.

One person where the final example. Lius idustrate by giving an example. One person, whose assessment notice we have seen, helds three certificates. On these be as assessed \$37.92 for this month. Now take this as an average and multiply it by fiften and add to the product the annual dues, which would be \$48, and the membership fee of \$18, and the 5 per cent on \$750, which is charged for collecting, which would be \$37.50, and you have the handsayers sum of \$672.30, the amount to handsome sum of \$672.30, the amount to be paid in, against \$750, the amount the member would receive at end of fifteen months. That is, he would receive \$77.70

member would receive at end of fifteen mounts. That is, he would receive \$77.70 interest for his money, providing the rate of assessment does not become any higher, of assessment does not become any higher, which it is sure to do, and always providing that the association is in existence at that time, which is doubtful. Now this is the time, which is doubtful. Now this is the scheme which is asserted by its promoters is paying 100 per cent on money invested. No doubt it pays its promoters a good deal higher per cent than that, but its victims were four starters and five heats trotted as follows:

| Well attended on Weunesser S1500, disease were twas the open trot; purse \$1500, disease wided into \$750, \$350, \$250, \$175. There were four starters and five heats trotted as follows:

Killed on the Northern Railway. BARRIE, Oct. 11.—Charles Sugley, aged 22, engineer, was run over and killed this morning by a Northern and Northwestern train half a mile south of Allendale.

SHERBROOKE, P.Q., Oct. 11 .- The trial of Mrs. Coates, charged with poisoning her husband, was cone uded to-day. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

The Halifax Abortion Case. HALIFAX, Oct. 11.—The inquest on Mrs. Bridget O'Connor closed to-day. The jury found that death was caused by criminal

Poisoned in a Photograph Gallery. ST. THOMAS, Oct. 11.-A 2-year old daughter of J. H. Price, grecer, while in a photograph gallery this aft moon drank some liquid used in the business, and died from its effects,

NAPANEE, Oct. 11. - On the opening of court to-day counsel for Sir John A. Macdonald scknowledged bribery by agents and the judges declared the seat vacant. The personal charges were dropped.

Canadian Cattle for England ship Corean from Quebec a-rived at Glasgow on Thursday and landed her entire live stock shipme t of 352 oxen and 1171 sheep in good order, with the exception of eight sheep, which died on the voyage. The Alan mail stramship Caspian from Liver-

LATEST SPORTING NEWS. Miss Moulsey ran second in a field of five in a sieeplechase at Chicago on Tuesday last. Carter H. Harrison beat her in 3.03.

At Rat Portage last week C. E. Fory, well known in Toronto, beat Ed. McKeown by ten lengths in a five mile boat race for The Toronto Press lacrosse club will ser The Toronto Press lacrosse club will send the tollowing team down to Montreal tonight to play the press team of that city tomorrow: J. A. McLean, W. D. Auldjo, G. M. Harrington, J. C. Maclean, W. B. Campbell, A. C. Campbell, J. Lewis, J. A. Lowe, Tom McQueen, A. J. Magurn, Jack McLaughlin, W. Baillie, J. A. Ewan; H. J. P. Good, captain.

Best 4-Year-Old Record. LEXINGTON, Ky, Oct. 11. - Ex-Gov. Stanford's Bonita trotted a mile to-day in 2 182, beating Jay-Eye-See's 4-year old time, best on record, by a quarter of a second.

The Rochester Wrestling Tournament ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct 11.-A wrest lin tournament of two days' duration was finished to-night. D. C. Ross took first money, Mervin Thomson recond. Dufur and Flagg withdrew claiming that Hard-ing's decisions were unfounded.

A half mile dash race will take place at o'clock this morning at Woodbine track be tween A. Shield's Ogaterman and W. J. Ward's Chestnut Sam for \$50 a side. A great performance is looked for. The owner of Oysterman says he is going to take the gilt edge off a certain flyer that has got to the front pretty often this season.

the 2 30 class Kirty Van won, 9ttawa Chief 21, Neva 3d; time 2.25, 2.23½, 2.24, 2 26½; 2.30½, 2.30, Jordan won the 3/ minute pacing race, Fritz 2d, John Maloney 31; time 2 23½, 2.30½, 2.27½

follows: President, John L. Blackie, vice president, A. C. Meyers; secretary. C. W. Phillips; auditor, M. Punshen. Managing committee—J. H. Gordon, W. Boultbee, E.
B. Freeland. Match committee—J. H.
Gordon, W. Boultbee, C. W. Phillips.
Meetings will be held every Thursday
evening in the Athenaeum club rooms.

Racing and Trotting at Providence. PROVIDENCE, Oct. 11.-2.17 pacing race to members who failed to meet the call due on Oct. 3, that if their money is not forthorman by Oct. 19 their certificates will be cancelled without further notice. This is pretty good evidence that the association is or its last legs, and is anxious to secure all

and \$200" and got badly feft. They "fixed it" that Tally ho was to beat Miss Archibaid and they stood to win a large sum with their \$200. A third party, who by the way knows something about trading buggies, wert quietly to the jockey of Miss Archibald, gave him \$25 and told him to make the mare win, which of course she could and

Montreal Briving Park Races. The Montreal driving park races v

Time, 2 42½, 2.37½, 2.44½, 2.44, 2.45.

The next race was a mile dash on the flat, with Rienzi, (125 lbs), Raven (125 lbs), Mandamus, (130 lb) and Ely, (100 lbs) as starters. Ely started off with a lead, followed in Indiau file by Rienzi, Mandamus and Rayen in order named. The order was and Rayen in order named. The order was and Rayen in order named.

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There was a special trot for a purse of \$750 between Phyllis and Moose. Three heats were trotted, and the race was to have been finished yesterday. Phyllis won the 2d and 3d heats and Moose the lat; time, 2 334, 2.35, 232. Four heats of the standard was and moose the lat; time, 2 334, 2.35, between Mr. Doust's b s

trusted Possada Herrera with the forma-tion of a cabinet Herrera offered Marshal Serrano three minis erial departments for his followers. Serrano decided to consult his party. The result is unknown, but it is thought Camacho, late minister of finance,

seats will be divided among the dynastic of the left and sagasti's supporters.

Parls, Oct. 11—Le Temps says that owing to the resignation of the Spanish ministry, France now considers the difficulty arising from Alfonso's reception in Paris ended. It is understood Camperon will generally pursue Thibaudins policy.

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS.

Highway Robbery-1 Lady Hurt by a Runaway-An Invention to Prevent Railway Collisions. HAMILTON, Oct. 11.—Mr. B. Jarvis, who lives at 7 Gregg street, complained to the police late last night that while he was on his way home, about 11.30 p.m., at the corner of York and Queen streets, he received a sudden and violent blow from behind which knocked him unconscious. When he recovered his senses he found that he had been robbed of his watch and chain. The

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While Mrs. Atkinson, Mrs. Atkinson, ar, and a young man named Midgely were driving, the horse took fright and ran away, and all three were thrown out. The younger Mrs. Atkinson was badly cut about the head and face, and is delirious.

Mr. Sutton, the well known railway contractor, is working at an invention for the prevention of railroad collisions. The idea is to have torpedoes placed on each telegraph pole along the line. These explosives are to be connected by an independent wire, and when a train passes a telegraphic station through the dilatoriness of agent, operator or engineer, disastic may be averted by the application of the electric current, which sets off all the torpedoes along the posts between the two stations.

John Thompson of Stamford was sitting on top of a load of haylon the John street mountain road to-day. The wagen upset, and Thompson was thrown violently to the ground, his head strking on a rock. He was not seriously injured. One of the horses was badly cut on the hind legs.

Boston, Oct. 10—Mrs. J. J. Pryor, the well known actress, who for two years has been with Maggie Mitchell's company, died very suddenly yesterday at the United The Chicage Tretting Races.

Chicago, Oct. 11.—There was a good attendance at the driving park to—day. In the 2 30 class Kirty Van wou, Ottawa Chief 21, Neva 3d; time 2.25, 2.284, 2.24, 2.264; 2.301, 2.30. Jordan won the 3-minute pacing race, Fritz 2d, John Maloney 31; time 2 23\frac{1}{4}, 2.30\frac{3}{4}, 2.27\frac{3}{4}

Terente Ches Club.

The annual meeting for the election of officers was held last night, resulting as follows: President, John L. Blackie, vice-

NASHVILLE, Oct. 11.—The municipal election to-day resulted in an overwhelming victory for the citizens' reform ticket over the candidates for re-election under the old municipal regime. Thereform ticket was com-posed of blacks and whites, democrats and republicans. Party lines were obliterated. For the first time in the history of the city purse \$4000; Princess won, Billy S. 2d, since negroes were invested with citizen-

WAUKAU, Wis., Oct. 11-A. Mr. Tronin 2.27 and 2 25.

Two "Fixers" That Got Left.

Down at Oshawa the other day two well known jockeys of this city "put up a job and \$200" and got badly feft. They "fixed it" that Tally-ho was to beat Miss Archibaid and they stood to win a large sum with their \$200. A third party, who by the way knows something about trading buggies,

Potteemen Should Know it. DANVILLE, Va., Oct 11 .- John Ferguson, who shot Policeman Parks, was acquitted to-day. The jury acted on the ground that there was no legal warrant for the arrest of Ferguson, and, under the instructions of the court, that a man has a right to defend himself, even to killing, if an officer endeavors to arrest him without warrant.

Ridding for Northern Pacific Bonds. New York, Oct. 11.—A syndicate headed by Drexel, Morgan & Co., Winslow, Lanier by Drexel, Morgan & Co., this tot, has made a proposition to the Northern Pacific railroad for the purchase of eighteen millions dollars worth of second mortgage bonds. The syndicate is composed of practically the

lowed in Indiau file by Rienzi, Mandamus and Riven in order named. The order was changed at the half mile, and at the three-quarters Mandamus fell, throwing his rider. Rienzi, with a lead, was never headed, and though pressed by Ely won by a length; time 2 01

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a special match between Mr. Doust's bs Harry B. and P. Pickle's bs Col. Patchen, jr. were trotted. Harry B. won the lest and 4th and Patchen the 2d and 3d; time, 2 59, 2.57, 2.51½, 2 59. LIMA, Oct. 11, -Major Carvalls, who left

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The senate will have one or two of a democratic majority and the house is estimated at 43 republicans and 62 democrats. Later returns of the legislative ticket indicate that the democratic majority on a joint ballot will not be more than 24.

The second amendment will receive about 300,000 votes and will probably be adopted except the cities go strongly adopted except the cities go strongly against it. The judicial amendment was

The majority of Shermar, republican, will reach 30,000. Complete returns from 59 counties, which include heavy democratic ones, give him 13,300. Partial returns from the remaining counties give him 27,000. His plurality will not be under 12,000. The lower house is close. The republicans now have 54 and the opposition 41. Of the remaining five, the republicans will get three. The senate now stands—republicans 37, opposition 8, in doubt 5.

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Terrific Cyclone in Wisconsin.

LA CROSSE, Wis , Oct. 11.—When the cyclone struck Arcadia on Monday night the air was so charged with electricity that lights could not be made to burb. People rushed to the cellars in the darkness to avoid danger. The outward atmosphere was of a reddish green color, with a strong sulphuric odor. The deafening roar of the tornado was indescribable. Barns and outbuildings were lifted from their foundations and torn into fragments. Trees, bricks and stones filled the air and in some instances were driven through the sides of buildings. Some orchards were destroyed.

Many horses and cattle were killed. State Senator Comstock's Sorgham mill was wrecked. All the injured persons will probably recover.

The President Killed the Assassin. Santo Domingo at Ney bg, Hayti.

Be Likes Canadian Judges.

From the Louisville Post.

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Alian mail st-amship Caspian from Liverpool for Baltimore, via St. Johns, N. F., and Halifax, arrived at Baltimore at noon for Thursday.

Am Excaped Convict Shot Dead.

Port Hoff, O.t. 11.—Last night Constable Rankin and an assistant found McCahe, the prisoner who escaped from the the Kingston penitentiary, at Turner's hots!. McCabe ran, followed by Rankin, who was about to lay hands on him, when who asbout to lay hands on him, when who constable fired instantly, killing the prisoner, whose revolver was afterwards found cooked in his hand. Rankin gave himself up and awaited the result of a coroners in quest.

San Francisco, Ost. 11.—Twelve hunded Chmamen sciled for nome to day.

Sar Petersburg, Oct. 11.—A despaced from the standay of the that is an an an an an attaining the standar petwes not attained as a station on the term was no amendation and refine to move on until midnight on Sunday, he would be observing the letter of the Mosaic and the passengers. In a region of vast dit tunces, railroad travel cannot be stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to support the stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to support the stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to support the stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to support the stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to support the stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to support the stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to support the stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to support the stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to support the support of Sunday, but it, is designed to support the stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to support the stopped on Sunday, but it, is designed to support the support of Sunday, but it, is designed to support the support of Sunday, but it, is designed to support the support of Sunday, but it, is defined to support the support of Sunday, but it, is defined to support the support the support of Sunday, but it, is defined to support the suppor

The Latest and Best News Found in Our

Rowa Remains Republican—The Prohibition Amendment Carried in the Bucks eye state—The Latest Returns.

The returns from Ohio are sufficient to show that the state has made a political some result and is now in the hands of the democrats. Iowa remains republican with decreased majorities,

OHIO.

Murat Halstead says that there is no doubt of Hoadley's election for governor of Ohio by over 10,000 majority. Halstead sticitutes the result to woo', wine and the prohibition amendment. This is a clear democratic victory. At the last election for governor, Foster, republican, was elected by a plurality of 24,309.

The New York Times reports that all departments of the Ohio state government will be under democratic rule for the first will be under democratic rule for th will be under democratic rule for the first time in forty years. The Germans are responsible for the defeat. In the bitterest fight against beer ever known in the state they stood by the republican ticket, while the people in the county districts gave it away.

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New York last night by the State Bar association.

At the school election at Lansington, N. Y.,
Wednesday, 255 votes were cast by women out of a
total of 1000.

The skeleton of Guiteau, assassin of President
Gard-1d, has been placed on exhibition in the Army
medical museum at Washington.

At Woodstock, Ohio, on Wednesday, Eber Perry,
tatally shot Darius Hiels during a quarrel over
Perry's latimacy with Mrs. Hicks.

At Washington yesterday a Belt line street car was
attacked by sympathizers of the strikers. Stones
were thrown, but nobody was hurt.

The re-union of old soldlers at Leavenworth, Kan.,
yesterday was a fine affair. The street precession
was immense. There were 20,000 spectators.

Three dredges and a large number of workmen have was immense. There were 20,000 spectators.

Three dredges and a large number of workmen have arrived at Sandwich, Mass., and work will be at once commenced upon the Cape Cod ship canal.

A reward of £300 has been offered for the recovery alive of Willie Dickinson, a boy stolen from his home in Wisconsin November 1881, and brought to Cornwall

wall.

The steamer Salier, from Bramen to New York on Wall.

The steamer Salier, from Bramen to New York of the North Surah Smith of St. John. The latter sank, and the crew were saved by the Salier.

At Janesville, Wis., yesterday two "wild" freight trains of the Northwestern road collided, demolishing three engines, wrecking twelve cars, and killing the fireman.

IN THE VILLAGE. A fair soft wind is in the sky. The night is warm October;
A rushing train has whistled by
A maiden sad and sober. And she hardly sees the village lights, That I ad to her mother's dwelling: Her thoughts go out to other sights,

The house is full, the play begins, The people watch and wonder
At noble words and gallant deeds,
And widows saved from plunder. The bright haired wouth he sees it not, But runs his thoughts forever To a dark-eyed maid whose fated lot, Is told by one word, Never.

Steamship Reported at Prom
Oct. 11 Ste of Nevada, New York Glasgow
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Oct. 11-Swift and New York Antwerp

EVIDENTLY A LIBEL SUIT. LAMPMAN V. THE WORLD. Sirs: We have issued a writ against you f Mrs, Lampman. Please let us know we pet service for you and oblige yours, etc.,

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LOCAL REWS PARAGRAPHED.

Seventeen new students have already matriculat the Saptist college.

R. C. Hamilton and Alex. Mackie sail on Brittanic for Liverpool to-day.

Mr. Wragge assumed the duties of his new on the Grand Trunk yesterday. on the Grand Trunk yesterday.

A break has occurred in the block pavement Queen street, opposite Cameron.

The Church of the Redeemer has organized branch of the temperance society.

Tom Thumb weighed 57 lbs—Hop o' My Thur (now at Adelaide street rink) weighs 7 lbs. Mr. Walter E. Howard, United States con

The ABC travelers' guide (J. Theo. Robinson, Montreal,) for October is to hand with its usual complete time-tables.

Fobert Baldwin's residence on Cariton street was broken into Tuesday night and a number of knivesa and forks were stolen.

Mr. D. E. Thomson, of Beatty, Chadwick, Thomson & Blackstock, has just returned from a seven weeks' trip to the Nortnwest.

Win. Jamieson was brought in from Stouffville yesterday charged with fraud in the sale of a churn to Rob', Laidlaw. The accused was balled.

The fell w with squeaking boots who goes out between the acts should not go to the theatre. There was a couple of 'em at the Grand last night.

A large number of Italians were in the city yesterday en route for Michigan. They were all smal sized men and carried huge loaves of bread.

All the papers except The World went wrong in the name of the man who attempted suicide Wednesday. It is Weisgerber, not Weisberger.

The members of the mayor's party say they were very hospitably entertained at Louisville. Gilmore's band played God Save the Queen at the exposition. One of Mr. Yorke's laborers fell into the bay a One of Mr. Yorke's laborers fell into the bay a the foot of Jarvis Street yesterday morning. A ellow-workman threw him a chain and drew him

out.

Frank Ap'john, who officiated as returning officer at R.:t Portage in the rec.nt Lyon-Plummer election, is in the city. He made it a point to register from Rat Portage, Ondario.

Geo. Weisgerber, the would-be suicide, is doing well at the hospital. Mrs. Freeman, who was nearly killed in the William street row Monday night, is also recovering.

The case of Bergen against Cosgrave completely collapsed in the police court yesterday. The magistrate observing that there was not the slightest evidence of fraud against the defendant.

Fifty dollars was voted yesterday by the executive

dence of fraud against the defendant.

Fifty dollars was voted yesterday by the executive committee to lunch the court of revision, which opens on Oct. 26. This is in economic contrast to the lunch bills of this court in days gone by.

Plunger Mackie drove along King street yesterday on the top of his new bus. He was so high up that people could not very well make out whether it was the Plunger or Dandy that held the reins.

at the old Great Western station the other day, were interred at St. James' cemetery yesterday afternoon. Deceased leaves eight children, four of his sons being locomotive engineers.

The trustees of the new orange hall have decided to issue a circular to the various ledges in the city calling for subscriptions to whee off the debt of \$2000 now resting on the lot, so that building operations may be commenced forthwith.

The evidence in the case of Small v. Lyon was concluded in the assize court yesterday, when Justice Gilt directed the jury to find a verdict for defendant, on the ground that the plaintiff was bound by the agreement which he had signed.

Mr. D. K. Brown, managing director of a mining company at Rat Portage and formerly a journalist in this city, was dangerously ill for some days past at Rat Portage, but is now reported to have taken a turn for the better and is expected to pull through all right.

The non-jury cases at the assizes will be commenced to-day, the following being the peremptory list: Landry v. Mayhew, Hamburger v. Williams, Hamburger v. Silliman, McDonald v. Lowery, Forbes v. Black, Knott v. Griffith, McMichael v. Sparks, Clarkson v. O'Brien.

An old woman named Demetti fell out of a second story window at Nicholas C. nnessa's house, 142 Portland street Wednesday and struck on the side walk, the distance being about eighteen feet. Several ribs were broken and the woman was severely shocked. Her recovery is doubtful.

James Flintoff, a young man who managed a bianch mantle store of Geo. H. Furner at 158 Yonge street, w s handed over to Polloeman Leggatt last night by his employer. Flintoff is charged with embezzling \$100 from Mr. Furner, which the latter stated had been spent in spreeing. Flintoff was locked up at No. 2 police station.

The bridge in the bonded freight shed foot of Yonge street, which was the cause of Conductor Johnson's death the other day, ought to be removed and a higher one put in its place. A bridge is absolutely necessary as well for the convenience of the comm

The annual meeting of the 'Varsity Stock company was held on Weinesday evening in Moss ball, about thirty shareholders being present. The The treasurer read a satisfactory annual statement showing, for the first time, a b-lance of receipts over expenditure. After several changes in the institution, including the addition to the list of officers of two associate editors the following were elected for the year 1883-4: President, R. E. Kingsford, M.A., L. L. B.; vice-president, R. E. Kingsford, M.A., L. L. B.; vice-president, R. E. Kingsford, M.A., L. L. B.; vice-president, R. E. W. Creelman, B. A.; ballake, B.A., and A. H. Campbell, B.A.; business manager, G. F. Cane; secretary, John McGillivray; treasurer, J. F. Edgar; directors, IV. year, J. M. McLeod; Il., B. B. Gron, R. A. D. Grocks; I., A. G. Smith, T. H. Hislatead. The 'Varsity now stands at the head of Canadian college journalism, and has shown steady improvement, and if it fulfils the promises given in its first number of this year, is deserving of the support of every graduate and undergaduate of Toronto university. A call has been market through convocation to the graduales, and it is to be hoped it will be well responded to.

Fine Art in Toronte.

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There is nothing which offers a more accurate test of the progress of Toronto than the rising taste for genuine works of art that prevails in our midst. It is not very long ago when our citizens were content to admit into their homes cheap-chromos and roughly made lithographs, forgetful of the fact that the pictures on their walls afforded as true an index of their taste as the books in the library revealed the extent of their literary culture. The great advance of the last few years is largely due to the pers steat efforts of the Ontalio society of artists. As one proof of this, a visit to the pictures now on exhibition at Roberts' gallery of art in King street will show such a collection as was never before brought together in Toronto. The pictures are few in number, but they seem to have been selected by metally drawn, and cglored with a vigor and force that we have but seldom had an opportunity of seeing.

It is to be hoped that cur citizens will do all they can to encourage every effort that is made to asset the standard of our taste in art, matters and to present our midst such work as is calculated to a promote a closer study of human life, and adverse on every side:

There is nothing which offers a more accurate test of the policy and counted.

Magistrate Denison lad eleven drunks up before him yesterday. Jane Gleeson, 70, keeping disorderly house, \$10 or 60 days. Ann O'Connor got 40 days for 50 days for assaulting Louisa Berkeley. Heory of 60 days for

THE CITY IN A COLUMN.

REPORTED RESIGNATION OF THE LEGISLATURE'S LIBRARIAN.

The Cathedral Case-Condition of Dr Denik-Other Local News.

It is understood in we'll informed quarters that Rev. Wm. Inglis has sent in his resignation as librarian of the Ontario legislature. It will be remembered that some time ago he succeeded the late Mr. Watson.

Hon. Oliver Mowat, Mrs. Mowat, Miss Mowat and Miss Ewart went to New York by the 3.35 train yesterday afternoon. The ladies sail on the Britan to-morrow and wid pass the winter in Italy.

Midland Railway The treffic of this railway for the week ending Oct. 6, 1883, was as follows: Passengers and mail \$10,110.41, freight \$19,316.22, total \$29,426.63 as

Dr. Sheard's Case.

The blood poisoning in the case of Dr. Sheard was the result of a cut on the right finger with a was the result of a cut on the right finger with a scalpel while he was dissecting a body. This happened a month ago and knowing the danger, he h d incurred the doctor applied the remedies usual in such cases. Two weeks ago he experienced a severe pain in his right shoulder, and not long after a large pain in his right shoulder, and not long after a large absers developed itself in the armpit. An operation was performed Wadnesday, the result of which will not be known for several days. The patient was reported to be easier.

The NewAthlette Grounds The opening of the new grounds at Rosedale to orrow will be celebrated by some fine athletic con

Festival of the Atonement. The Hebrew population of the city have duly ob-erved this feast during the past forty-eight hours-The service began at 5 o'clock Wednesday evening

The action in the chancery division involving the title to the rectory lands in this city was continued and when this is clearly established it is understood secondary evidence will be given to prove the ocr-rectness of copies now in existence. The authentic-ity of the canons proven, the plaintiffs will then have established their position as duly appointed incumbents of the churches, when the main question of whether the funds should be divided or not will arise.

The annual fall hunt of the club opens to-day, at least a party of them set out for Muskoka provided with all the accessories of a hunting camp. In the

The great melodrama, the Lights o' London, which had such a successful run at the Grand last season, will open at the same theatre on Monday

From the St. James Gazette.

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