THE TORONTO WORLD: WEDNESDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 28, 1887.

ONNO WORLD MAYORALTY CHRONIQUES. robable that Mr. Defoe will Andrew's Hall.

It is quite natural that the Roman Catholic ratepayers should go nearly solid for Mr. Defoe Not considering his claims on the mayorally and the undoubted service he has rendered the elitisons, it would be an act of grace on the part of Toronto to elect a Roman Catholic as its Chief Magistrate.

The men and women with is town will find in Ald. Defoe a wise staw d. Then drop a ballot in the slot for that

The District Assembly of the K. of L. have dopted the fair policy of leaving its members we and untramelled in the coming election.

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Why should Mr. Clarke have any precedure over Mr. Dotoe among the workingmothe Wost Endi Mr. Clarke is a party mat, last and all the time. When he ran t

sonage this time. Mr. Defoe, if elected. Mayor, would be en tirely free of class or sectionalism. This can-not be said of either Mr. Rogers or Mr. Clarke. Mr. Rogers would be surrounded by the moral "chestnuts" who have haunted the Clity Hall during Mr. Howland's administration, and Mr. Clarke has an equally undesirable follow-ing, prominent among whom would be his army of "head-swellers." AS MAYOR FOR 1888.

te Business Outlook. t fall of snow will start busine ountry: the farmers are anxio ir wheat and they will not mi Mr. Clarke, take one more long, deep draught of consideration. Vacate the field, and save yourself the pange of defeat and its accompany-ing disaster to your business interests. Also bear in mind that when you are whipped the "head-swellers" will taket you "N.G."

to out their wheat and they will not miss poortunity of steighing and improved a. A good deal depends upon the amount coduce the farmers have to sell; we shall better in a couple of weeks what that in consequently what the prospect is of busi-In the meantime good judges say that we seen the tightest of the stringency set in some weeks ago, and that an in-ed condition of trade will follow.

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Mr. Rogers is a back member in the municipal parliament. In time he may come to the front with just claims for the office he now seeketh but in vain.

reaking Up of the Faction. ayond doubt that the big raft ha but in vain. In less than five years the laber of running Toronto's municipal machinery has doubled. There is no man in the Council knows this better than Mr. Defoe. The Mayor should be at the City Hall at least six hours every day. How would Mr. Clarke do this and attend to his duties in the Legislature? Oh. Brother Clarke, you are too ambitious by halt. Divide the honors of the town up. Chris Bunting was only "guying" you when he said he would support you with The Mail. You know Chris is fond of "guying" his friends, especially when they show too much ambition. Poor Chris, he was ambitious himself once. and apparently we may say "ditto" nmercial Union party. No, not t, either; for there never was a apporty in Canada y. A faction bearing that name, nites held together, and were presented at the approaching respectable num presented as liament by a respectable bers holding their views—then be called a "party," be they right be called a "party," be they right is break-up has come ere now it do likely that they will ever be able to in the halls of legislation as a "party" During months past their newspaper

During months pass their newspape have been boasting of a strength never was theirs; but now an even lear which must expose their weakness whole country, even to the dwellers in A favorite, the Derby eigarette. Police Court Yesterday. A sneak thicf, James Mooney by name, was found guilty of stealing a cane, hat and over-coat from G. E. Sedgwick, and was sent down for six months. James Graham, alias T. H. Henderson, plead

Lames Graham, alias T. H. Henderson, plead-de guilty to passing bogus checks on the Do-minion that Mr. Chamberlain stood h in need of instruction, and that as re-is tariff matters between Canada and the stariff matters between Canada and the cas he was a regular "Know-nothing." By day it had got new light on the subject, iraised him for his "straight talk" on the nons existing between the Mother Country the colony. If accepted as final Mr. aberlain's opinion "that unrestricted cocity cannot be secured ;" and, as re-a Customs alliance between Great Britain her colonies, pronounced that to be a . In The Globe's view nothing remained balton put to resort to absolute Free ker-up The Globe see ns to take

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ly a clerk in the als said that Mr. B then, at Mr. R. Disse

ed that th who do not make a deposit before after to gay the gross price. mith was given the contract for ydrant castings at 31 cents per lb. In a tender to supply scrap brass at r lb, was accepted. mittos reported that since Dec. 3 illons of water had been pumped as of coal, making an average of llons of water in 34 hours and the as of coal. The night inspection per month. In reference to the

hat henceforth the prices, would be that henceforth the prices would be association. Father Sheehy and delegates from this one Nationalist clubs subsequently held meeting and decided to act independently the Fenian members of the Gaelic Ath Association. A committee was appointe association at Thuries. tepeudently of aclic Athletic 29 tons of coal. The night inspection 882.50 per month. In reference to the a of Ald. Royers asking for an estimate alterations necessary to make Bay available for condensation, the cost be \$253. Inspector Doherty, charged being intericated, was kept in employ-on consideration of his signing the pledge. decided to pay Phillip Thourpeon \$29 in

Dust from the Diamond. Freaks is the latest name for phenomenals. No one need he surprised to see Clarkson in a New York uniform next season. Joe Sullivan, the catcher of last year's Lowell ub, has signed with the Newarks.

Joe Sullivan, the catcher of last rear's Lowell omb, has signed with the Newarks. George A. Walker of Hamilton has signed to pitch for Worcester, Mass., next year. Pitcher Mattimore will play with the Phila-dephia Athletics next season much to the dis-gust of the New York manage at. As Dunlay demanded halt, he purchase money in case the Detroit ciub sold him to the Pittsburg club, the Detroit men have decided to release him outright, and the other six League clubs have promised to keep their hands off. So he will have to go to Pittsburg if he wants to play ball in the League. Theoffer of \$15,000 for the release of Carruthese by President Stern of the Cincinnati club is the largest amount ever officed for the release of a professional ball player. Ramesy and Kerins, of the Louisville elab, have been engaged to finish the winter season with the Chicago combination. The Pittsburg club management is trying to purchase the release of Platfer from the Chicago club. Just what was predicted in the rush of the Eastern olubs to San Francisco has happened, and that is a failure. From late reports from the coast it would seem that only the New York club has come cut ahead of the venture. The Boston club has secured the services of William Sowders of the St. Paul club. Beddes JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN. Wm. Burns, the ice man, is making canvass for alderman in St. Andrew

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The Boston club has secured the services of Villiam Sowders of the St. Paul club. Besides eing a great pitcher he is a clever fielder and rong balance. strong batsman. Tom Griffin, the outfielder, has signed with

Rochester, Jackson, an amateur player who was given a trial by Indianapolis last year, will probably sign with London. He is the tallest man in the profession, measuring 6 feet 4 inches in height.

Genera Cassala, the Spanish Minister ar. has won the first prize, \$500,600, in t

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ws, for a fact.

Gessip of the Tarf. The National Jockey Club of Washington announces that its spring meeting will begin on Monday. April 30 and continue five days. The spring meeting of the Maryland Jockey Club at Baltimore will probably take place dur-ing the week beginning May 7. The Washington Park Stakes at Chicago, the St. Louis Jockey Club Stakes at St. Louis and the West Side Park Stakes at Nashville, Ton., will close an Jan. 18. The Coney Ialand Jockey Stakes, which close Jan. 2, for the spring meeting, are as follows: For 2-year-olds, New, Zophyr, Spring, June and Selling. For 3-year-olds, Swift Thisle, Em-porium, Spendbrift and Volunteer Handloap. For all ages, Suburban, Bay Ridge, Sheeps head Bay, Knickerbocker and Universal Han-dicaps, Equality, Coney Island, Rapid, Sport-ing and Selling Stakes and Coney Island Cup.

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te Guelph Junction Rallway, were drying mite cartridges the other day one of the cidges caught fire. One of the gang ran to guish it but had only gone a fow feet e a thorow Benon, sang with great feener livery was always careful any yan sang with good effect the yan sang with good effect the that Tollest' and "He Was D that Tollest' and "He was D that Tollest' and dis ruat Tollest" and "He Was Despised." In the latter she infused considerable feeling, an added to it a clear and distinct enunciation The bass soles were divided among four of our well known local singers, Mr. Schuch, Mr. Curren, Mr. Blight and Mr. Warrington, con-respective solar A Straight Answer Promised Conditionally, Editor World: 1. A reply I made to "Total Abstainer"; an answer, in the same of a de-nsion or solution, I did not intend to give his justion, "What is good to drink " nor did I hink of evading. I simply refused. Can te-

ousion or solution, I did not intend to give his question, "What is good to drink " nor did I think of avading. I simply refused. Can test totallers be exact? 2. I feel under no con-ceivable obligation to answer, in the above sense, ble questioner, insamuch as he can have no sim in putting his question except to puzzle no sim in putting his question except to puzzle no sim in putting his question except to puzzle no sim in putting his question except to puzzle no sim in putting his question except to puzzle no sim in putting his question except to puzzle no sim in putting his question except to puzzle no sim in putting his question except to puzzle no that I should at all fear the result, but that I refume to be clumally operated upon just for the fun of the thing. 3. I am always will say over my own mane, ab I object on primo-net tak i responsibility of whas I succest against such i responsible discus-no, deeming it bots covardly and fraught writers, and I am fully purposed to continue my protest against such i responsible discus-sion, deeming it bots covardly and fraught with moral danger. 4. Neverbleless, I will relax in this instance, or could that "Total Austainer" will give a "straight" answer to sa much obligation to answer as I am to answer to question of mine, which he is under quite as much obligation to answer as I am to answer to a question of mine, which he is under quite as much obligation to answer as I am to answer to a now pledge myself, when he shall have it now pledge myself, when he shall have it now pledge myself, when he shall have in the singers of later apparent again the shall have it now pledge myself, when he shall have it now pledge myself.

his. I sak : What is good tea? What is good water? I now pledge myself, when he shall have done this, to give him an answer which I think ought to be as satisfactory as it will certainly be brief. Himself may judge of the wit. Ouly, remember it is assumed on both sides, necessarily, that there is such a thing as 'good drink,' for otherwise the attempt to define what does not exist in verum nature would be to make myself a Rabelaisian buffoon, and offend all readers of discretion. If one can sount on tetotallers for anything a we a little safe drinking, I think it will not be defined that this is a perfectly "straight" offer. JOHN CARRT. Port Perry, Dec. 28.

Port Perry, Dec. 23. Government Liquer Made by Canviet Labor. Editor World: During the last thirty years a great deal has been written and printed on the evils of the liquor traffic. Men have lec-tured and worked against its use and manu-facture-some honesity, others getting drunk on the proceeds of their temperance lectures. I have devoted a good deal of time to the study of the stuff. From my observation it is the cause of a great deal of the orime. The paup-erism and starvation of a large portion of our population is due to its use. Manufacturers of liquor have become rich—some of them pions. Others have filled early graves by over in-dugence.

duigence. Trade and labor organizations are opposed to convict labor, the consequence of which is the maintenance of some of the most hardened oriminals in case and luxuries superior to what they would have were they at liberty.

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company are sim when the updataset and they have more than renewed their great triumphs wherever they have appeared. Mr. Charles Locke is at the head of affairs, inving Mr. Wro. Hock as stage director and Mr. Gua-tav Hinrichs as musical director. The Na-tional Opera numbers 300 persons, in-cluding such famons artists as Emma Juch, Amanda Fabris and Bertha Pierson, soprunes; Clara Poole, Agnos Perring and Holen Ludington, contraitos: Bar-ton McGuckin, Joseph Faohe and Charles Bas-sett, tenors; Frank Yetta, Alonzo Stoddard, Andrew Binck, Geo, H. Broderick, Wm. Mer-ton ad Wm. Ludwig, baseos and baritones. The ballet is headed by dancers of world wide renown, and the orthestra and choruses are trained to perfection, while nothing is locking in scenery, costumes, mechanical effects, etc., for the elaboratic production of grend opera. The bill is made up of "Taust on Monday might, "Lobenarin" on Tuesday night, and "The Queen of Sheba" on Wedneday, the sale

n sceners, costumes, mechanical effects, sta., by the elaborate production of grand opera. The bill is made up of "Faust" on Monday light, "Lobengrin" on Tuosday night, and "The Queen of Sheba" on Wedneaday, the sale of seats for which commences at Northeimers' ico-morrow forencon. These performances are ires in of to be enjoyed every day and Mana-rer Shaw's enterprise in bringing such an uggregation here deserves to, and doubtless will, be liberally rewarded. The ausonneement that the Toronto Choral Society purposes holding an elaborate mushal festival during its senson of 1888-39 seems to have given general satisfaction. The best eri-ione of this is afforded by the fact that large roon travy contributions to a "guarantee tun have already been made by several prominent sitizans. When it is understood that these offers of assistance succially referred to are from persons now entirely unconnected with the society the popularity of the project will

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Of the Sharoholdors of the Toronto Conserv tory of Music will be held at their general offi-corner of Yonge-street and Wilfon-avenue the City of Toronic on

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trial by Indianapolis last year, will probably sign with London. He is the tailest man in the profession, measuring 6 feet 4 inches in height. Ed. Crane has recommended a Californis pitcher to Manager Cushman. Harry Symon, who Syracuse at one time thought was the equal of Slattery, will play in Rochester next season. The latest additions to the Troy team are short stop Lew Dickerson, third baseman jumy Say, catcher Hiram Wright, pitcher Prod Seering, and left fielder John Milmen. The Associated Press agent at Buffalo is to the effect that/Detroit has secured a control-ling interest in the Tronto club. For the hene-ft of the Imaginative Buffalo man and the stockholders of the Buffalo club, sold to be alarmed at the prospect of uniting the Detroits in Toronate uniforms next summer. The World pives the statement an unequivocal denial, the wine the at the differ of stock has been disposed of to Detroit or other eutside parties. The gentlemen now interested in the Toronto olub have been connected with it dime its for-mation and are not prepared to consider any proposition which would enable any outside parties to obtain control of the dub. **Genut of the Tarf.** 

Thus. Hyons of Soho-street was a prisoner at the charge of neglecting to support his wife.
Ald. Frankland yesterday gave each of the waiter girls at the Albion Hotel a dollar piece for their services at the fat stock dinnor.
Mr. H. W. Johnson, 21 Victoria-street, has been presented by his employes with a diamond plu and an address as a Christmas gift.
Mayor Hewiand acknowledges \$30 from a "Christmas Friend" for the Burnside Hospital, \$1 for the Industrial from Mr. S. Cann and \$1 from Mr. Duncan Macgresor.
Polloeman John Armstrong, No. 6 procinct flundas-street Fire Hall was yesterday reduced from the first to the third-class rank for a breach of disciplice.
Mrs. Lillie Walker, 365 Queen-street, Parkdale, supped on an icy stop yesterday and fell, breaking her leg. She was taken to the General Hospital. The sufferer is over 70 years of age and will be laid up some time.
John Traybey and William Traybey, brothers, living at 27 Simoo-street, ware arrested yesterday by Derective Cuddy for stealing goods from H. A. Wilson & Son's warehouse. A portion of the Ston's warehouse.
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ion of the stolen goods was found in the house.
 Mr. Alfred Macdongall will certainly run as an alderman for St. James Ward. He was late in coming out, but he is making such good use of his time and his friends are doing so well by him that he ought to be one of the three.
 On Satcirday Mr. Richard Brown of the firm of Brown Bros. was the recipient of a handsome gold which, presented on behalf of the staff by Mr. J. T. Hornibrook. In acknowledging the gift Mr. Brown spoke feelingly of the harmony and good-will find has always existed between himself and his employee.
 Toronto Cirele, No. 5. O.C.H.C., has elected these officers: John Thompson, P.L.; W. B. Short, L.; F. Baily, Y.L.; H. J. Hay, Sec.; Wm. Parkhill, Treas; H. Dunlop, F.S.; E. J. Cartis, Chaplahi; Hichard White, Marshal; H. R. Bull, Ward: E. Saunders, G.; A. Gourlay, B.
 Trinity Lodge, No. 275, A.O.U.W., has elected these officers: J. A. MoDonald, Foreman: Those. H. Libetor, Receiver; D. McClay, Overseer: J. Dunlop, T. M. W.; Thomas Morley, M.W.; Geo. W. Carver, Recorder; N. McMullen, Financier; J. A. MoDonald, Foreman: Those. H. Libetor, Receiver, D. McClay, M.C., Butter, J. B., Trinity, Lodge, No. 275, A. O.U.W., has elected these officers: J. Danbar, Guide; Thomas Cockbarn, I. W.; J. Burnes, O.W.; Dr. J. E. Elliott, P.M. W.; representatives to Grand Lodge.

CHAT ACROSS THE CABLE.

Classes for the study of a visions of the Average will be opened in several divisions of the Average will be opened in several divisions of the Earl of Buckinghamshiro recently offered for sale has been purchased by W. K. Vanderbilt. It is stated that when the French Chamber meets an effort will be made to induce the Gavernment to take action against the Copper

really Government to take action against the Copper larceny Syndicate. The Paris Univers says that the offerings al-ready received for the Papal Jubilee mass amount to \$200,000. The mass will be celebrat-tealing ed at 7 a.m. in Rome and 7.30 in Paris.

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(34.200) The stakes opened by the Brooklyn Jockey Club to be run at the spring meeting, and to close Jan. 2, are as follows: For 2-year-olds. Clover, Bedford and May Stakes. For 3-year-olds, Gazelle, Falcon Stakes, and Fort Hamfl-ton Handicap. For all ares, Brookly Jockey Club, Brookdale, Parkway and Lawnview Handicaps, Brooklyn Cup, St. James Hotel and Myrtle Stakes. The added money is \$20.000. The Waldo Park Association of Kansas City amounce the following stakes to close Jan. 2. The Commercial, Hyde Park, Glenwood and Snowden stakes, for 2-year-olds; the Kansas City, Derby, the Waverly Stakes and Hanover Stakes, for 5-year-olds, and the Home Stakes, for horses foaled or owned in Missouri and Kansas. McBride, the well-known 'steeplechase rider and trainer of the Red Bank Stable of Montreal, who went to Kenucky about two weeks ago. to make a purchase, has returned without a thoroughbred, not being able to find anything to suit him. Since his return he has evidently found a partner in life to his taste and has en-tered, in the matrimonial state. The bride hails from Three Rivers, Que, and the happy found. Mr. Wm. Hendrie, President of the Ontaria. tour, Mr. Wm. Hendrie, President of the Ontario Jockey Club, has returned from Europe and has sent for his trainer, K. Alcock, who is stopping at Sheepshead Bay, to come to Hamil-ton, that he may advise Mr. Hendrie what stakes to enter his coits in at Sheenshead Bay and other meetings which close Jan. 2

the U.S. enters into a union with the English Empire size may be swallowed up by it. This Canada of ours is a small country in popula-tion, but our population is not composed of the soum of European cities, as a large part of our neighboring republic is. Ours is composed of steady immigrants from English, and the farger part by native born Canadiuns. Canada is prospering. Canada is increasing in strength, therefore Canada will be the greatest and most powerfal part of the British Empire. i.e., if she continue her present status. But if she join the U.S. our country will be ruined by their great manufactures, our trade centres be destroyed, and our farmers impoverished. Let all Canadians look at the two prospects-one power, peace, pleuty : the other ruin, de-population and impotency. L.V.F.

The Commercial Travelers' Association. My Dear Martin: Referring to our conversa-tion on the proposed amendment to our bylaws I would like to call your attention to the fact that since our permanent executive came into office all negotiations between the railways and the association have terminated in favor of the former; in saying this I cast no reflection on our Secretary or those associated with him in the matter, but that our privileges are not as good as five years ago is beyond question and no crassen gives why it is a. The proposition to set aside annually the sum of \$10,000 to meet losses that may occur through negligence of railways to samples (losses that uner common have the railways ahoud pay) is certainly not in the interest of the members at large, the majority of whom are "grip sack" or non-sample men. Again, to say that any member who shall not comply with the pro-visions of the bylaw and ferego his right of action against the railways for loss of his hag-grage, shall forfeit his certificate and member-ahin is an arbitrary mensure framed in the in-test of the railways, not of the traveler, and it is doubtal if the association has the power in onforce it. The traveler is body of the members at a structure railways, not of the traveler, and it is doubtal if the second pay of the members at a structure railways in the structure and it is doubtal if the second pay is and the railways in the structure and it is doubtal if the second pay of the members at a structure and the second is the power in the railways in the second pay is an arbitrary mensure framed in the in-test of the railways is possible traveler, and it is doubtal if the second pay of the traveler is an arbitrary mensure framed in the in-test of the railways is possible traveler.

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vici habor to its manufacture. It can be done without a convict getting one drink a year. Let the Government appoint officers for the sale and retail atores, with powers to selze and confacets all ingoers in whole-sale and retail atores, with powers to selze and confacets all ingoers in the self self self self would call for the discharge of the Govern-ment officer in charge of the said business. By a law something like this pure liquor would be sold where the party or parties manu-facturing and solding would have no interest in the profits arising out of the manufacture and sale. The profits derived from the sale and manufacture would be suffi-ciently large to pay for the administration of justice, justice, on a fair trial of the shove system a vole of the people could drive it out of existence altogether, as the people's inter-est is the only one at stake, and the Govern-meat, I think, would be ouly too glad to see it cleared away out of the country allogether. M. Howis. Canada's Tutures. Editor Would: I wish to say a few word re G.U. In regard to the profit which it is said we would receive by C.U. with the U.S. I A streets: torms, \$1 per day: street toor, V. T. BERO, Proprision. COMMERCIAL HOTEA, 56 Jarvie-s ronto. Harry Keeble, propristo ollar per day. Warm rooms, goo ren under 15 visit any day pular lecturer. Mr. Fisher, their visit as pleasant and

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Canada's Future. Dittor World: I wish to say a few word re G.U. In regard to the profit which it is said we would receive by G.U. with the U.S., I think that has already been disposed of, but it seems to me that very little has been said about British connection. I think it would be much better to belong boanation that is one of the very few nations in the world that are prosperous. If we must have C.U. let us have it between our-selves and not with aliens who have continu-ally Shown a disposition to annoy us as in the fishery question. All nations of Europe, or cept Great Britain, are exhausting themselves in ondeavors to keep up immense armies. When a war does come these nations will be so ex-hausted that Great Britain will be enabled to go on in her career of conquest without any interference. Mistress of nearly one-quarter of the land surface of the globes he is continu-ally gettending her conquests over the best parts of this earth. In truth, unless in some near time the U.S. enters into a union with the English Empire she may be swallowed up by it. This Canada of ours is a small country in popula-Theotography. Everyone nowadays hoseases a shoto, if not isomethers, of their friends. The string reach first-class productions of Mr. Lemaine, and you street. A visit to his studie will wan the street ion, even during the dog days. All who desire photographs in really ligh class style and finish should patronize Mr. Lemaine, whose reputation is so we known. A Herry Yimas to All. What could anyone wish for in the way of an Xim present more suitable than a dozen of R. Lane's can ince photos at \$200 per dozen. or 4 throps for 256 Kreyone knows the place, if you way to an Xim present more suitable than a dozen of R. Lane's can here botos at \$200 per dozen. or 4 throps for 256 Kreyone knows the place, if you way to an Xim the source is the strength of the serves.

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