NOMINATIONS FOR COUNCILS.

Names of Men Who Want to Run Municipal Affairs.

Many Mayors Elected Yesterday by Acclamation.

Trouble at Berlin-Police Had to Interfere.

MAYORS BY ACCLAMATION. Aurora-W. J. Baldwin. Belleville-L. W. Marsh. Bowmanville-John J. Mason Guelph-George Hastings (re-elected) Hamilton-John I. McLaren (re-elect

1). Harriston—A. Spotton. Hespeler—J. D. Forbes. Kenora—Harding Ridout (re-elected). Kingston—Daniel Couper. Mattawa-George L. Lamothe. Mitchell-T. A. Campbell. Ottawa-Charles Hopewell (re-clect-

Owen Sound-Fred W. Harrison. Oakville-George Hillmer. Renfrew-Arthur Gravelle. Rockland-Dr. Desrosier.

Sault Ste. Marie-T. E. Simpson (re

Welland-W. H. Crowther.

CITIES.

Ottawa-Mayor Charles H. Hopewell Ottawa-Mayor Charles H. Hopeweil was re-elected by acclamation to day for a second term as Mayor of Ottawa. All the members of the present Council are seeking re-election, with the exception of Controller Wilson and Ald. Rosenthal, who are retiring. There will be contests in every ward, and some 45 candidates are in the field. Interest centres largely in the contest for the four Controller. in the contest for the four Controller ships The electors will be asked to express

The electors will be asked to express their opinions on by-laws to establish a civic publicity department, a civic incin-erator, and to make alterations and im-provements to the City Hall. Guelph-Mayor Hastings to-day re-ceived a unanimous nomination for a sec-ond term as Chief Magistrate of the city and was elected by acclamation

T. Jackson, jun. Reeve—Jas. Ford, W. G. Smith. Dunnville—Mayor— Robert Bennett, G. R. Smith, L. Werner. Reeve—Henry Pyle, Thos. Orme. Gravenhurst—Mayor—A. A. Mowery, F. Slater, Dr. Grant, J. Grop, Dr. Mc-Leay, J. D. Vanstone, A. Hill. Harriston—Mayor—A. Spotton (accl.) Reeve—R. F. Dale, Alex. Yule. city, and was elected by acclamation. Chairman S. Carter was re-elected by ac-

Chairman S. Carter was re-elected by ac-clamation to the Light and Heat Com-mission, and R. L. Torrance as a mem-ber of the Water Commission. Brantford—That municipal ownership and operation of the waterworks system is a paying investment for Brantford is shown by the annual report of the Water Commission, issued to-day. In round figures, the revenue for the year was \$51,000, and the operating expenses Instol - Mater Commission
Brantford—That municipal ownership ind operation of the waterworks system is a paying investment for Brantford is shown by the annual report of the Vater Commission[†], issued to-day. In Water Commission[†], issued to-day. In Wayor here for two years, was for Council, 15; Board of Education, 12. Kincardine—Mayor—A. Malcolm, B. Wood, R. Patterson. Reeve—Wm. Hun-ter, W. J. Henry. Meaford—Mayor—Dr. Clarke, E. Y. Goffrey. Reeve—Reave. A. Londry. Matatawa—The Mayor as well as the whole Council declared elected by accla-ation, as follows: Mayor—Geo, L. Lawas \$51,000, and the operating expenses only \$14.000

looked for. Chatham-Mayor-Theodore A. Smith, whole Council declared elected by accla-mation, as follows: Mayor-Geo, L. La-mothe. Councillors-Robt. Small, J. P. Redmond, J. A. Floyd, F. A. Ridout Alex. Ross, B. J. Gilligan, all merchants Mitchell- Mayor- F. A. Campbel

Chas. Austin. Fort Willaim-Mayoralty-Mayor Pel-

Fort Willaim-Mayoralty-Mayor Pel-letier, Ald. Rankin, Ald. O'Donald, H. Harkness, ex-Mayor Murphy, J. H. Ber-ry and John King. Niagara Falls-For Mayor-William Ward, R. P. Slatter, C. N. Clendenning, O. E. Dores, T. F. Vattle, J. P. Rothwell, I. L. Matthews and James Whalen were nominated for Mayor, but the lat-ter is likely to retire leaving Mr. Mat. ter is likely to retire, leaving Mr. Mat-thews to be elected by acclamation. W. C. Doble was elected trustee for the Min-

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he was elected by acclamation. St. Catharines—Ald. James T. Petrie and James M. McBride will have a straight contest for the Mayor's chair. St. Thomas—Two aldermen, Dr. F. Guest and Gilbert Roche, were nominat-ed for Mayor to-day and will stay in the fight. Deputy Reeve—Wm. Leacy (accl.) Prescott—Mayor—Evanson, Carruth@ ers. Preston—Mayor—M. Mullen, Dr. Scott Hogg. Reeve—C. H. Belt, Dr. Scott Hogg. Reeve—U. T. Thomas—I. R. Layton, Geo. H. Armstrong Reeve—W. T. Thomas.

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Paris - Mayor -J. R. Layton. Geo. H. Armstrong. Reeve-W. T. Thompson. Deputy Reeve-John Brockbank.
Fitz Bridges and R. S. Foster.
TOWNS.
Barrie-Mayor -James Vair and Thomas Reeve-A. C. Garden and J. F. Craig.
First Deputy -S. Caldwell, A. E. Stapleton, R. A. Stephens. Second Deputy.
Berlin-There was some excitement at the nomination meeting here this evening. Ex-Mayor Huber was proposed as a mayorally candidate, although he is no longer an elector. In addressing the exectors he made a viccous attaxis on County Judge Chisholm, who recently dismissed Mr. Huber's appeal regarding fricial capacity, refused to allow the peaker to continue, and he was removed from the platform by police officers. A large number of candidates were placed in the field.
For Mayor -A. Huber, F. Snyder, C. Habba D. Green in the platform by Dolice officers. A staple - Mayor - A. Huber, F. Snyder, C. Habba D. Green in the platform by police officers.
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W. Carnahan. Reeve—J. A. Irwin. Abernethy, W. Doxsee, A. McKeel. Chesley—Mayor—Conrad Krug, A. Bremner. Reeve—Dr. Crown (accl.)

Alex. Ross. Mitchell

Clinton-Mayor-H. Wittse, J. Taylor '. Jackson, jun. Reeve-Jas. Ford, W

Alex, Ross, B. J. Gilligan, all merchants. Mitchell— Mayor— F. A. Campbell (accl.) Reeve—John Avery (accl.) Niagara-on-the-Lake— Mayor— John D. W. Randall, John Eckersley, James Aikins, Fred J. Rowland. Reeve—J. F. Greene, Wm. H. Harrison, T. F. Best. Oakville— Mayor— George Hillmer (accl.) Reeve—J. C. Ford (accl.) Coun-cillors—Joel Kaskinder, W. E. Feather-ston, J. N. Mactiregor L. P. Swyder, P.

Alex

Geo. Hawkins. For Reeve-John Wat son, J. A. Hacking, Jos. Walker, A. W WILLIAM EWART GLADSTONE. Centenary of His Birth---Born December 29,

1809---Died May 19, 1893.

Brand, W. Jungaou. To Deputy Reeve-A. Jackall.
For Mayor-W. C. Goffatt, J. I. Hartt, M. E. Tudhope, R. J. Sanderson. For Reeve-C. J. Miller, R. J. Sanderson, W. S. Frost, Albert Kerr. For Deputy Reeve-Duncan McNabb, R. J. Sander-son, A. E. Mason.
Owen Sound-Mayor, Fred W. Harri-son (acclamation). Reeve-J. Legate, E. W. Thompson. First Deputy-John Mc-Quaker (acclamation). Second Deputy-R. D. Little (acclamation).
Peterboro-At the municipal nomina-tions here to-day for Mayor ex-Ald. W. G. Morrow, manager of Toronto Savings & Loan Co., and ex-Ald. E. F. Mason were nominated.
Petrolea-Mayor-Ed. Pollard, Dr. C. O. Fairbank, G. S. Pitkin. For Reeve-W. F. Wilson, R. Stirritt, Thomas John-stone. For Deputy Reeve-R. Stirritt, James Berry, W. J. Clarke, Dr. C. O. Fairbanks, A. C. Edwards.
Prescott-Mayor-J. C. Caruthers and F. S. Evanson.
Waterloo-Mavor-L. Gravbill, A. reform war days to the secret and ex-tensive suffrage of to-day. It is a study in evolution and adaptation, of a char-acter and a constitution. In his gradual Freebott-Mayor-D. C. Cartanero and F. S. Evanson. Waterloo-Mayor-L. Graybill, A. Weidenhammer, C. Freeblich, Thomas Hilliard, J. B. Hughes. Reeve-George Suggitt, J. Kaufman. Deputy Reeve-Gladstone was typical of England, and, above all, of England in the nineteenth Hilliard, J. B. Hughes, Deputy Reeve-C. N. Huehn (acclamation).
Amherstburg-Mayor-F. A. Hough, J. W. Gibbs, D. H. Terry. Reeve-N. T.
Wilkinson, J. A. Auld.
Aurora-Mayor-W. J. Baldwin (acclamation). Reeve-W. J. Knowles (ac-lamation).

above all, of England in the nineteenth century. But there was action and re-action. The rare English combination of democracy with purity, of the pas-sion for progress with the reverence for the past, of hope with memory, and "cotton with culture"—this is the stamp that Mr. Gladstone has given to English Liberalism. Mr. Gladstone was born in the "won-derful year" of 1809, when Tennyson, Mrs. Browning and Charles Darwin also first saw the light. It was on December 29, almost on the threshold of another year, that little William Ewart came into the world at 62 Rodney street, in Seaforth, Liverpool. GLADSTONE'S ORIGIN. clamation, Andreas clamation, Almonte-Mayor-H. H. Cole, Dr. A. Metcalf, Reeve-J. Brynan, F. S. A. Metcalf. Reeve-J. Brynan, F. S. Hern, T. R White. Blenheim-Mayor-L. H. Edmonds, W. R. Greenwodd, Peter Labadie, George Morgan. Reeve-A. Denholm, Jas. Hem-waker meker. Bowmanville-Mayor-John J. Mason (accl.) Reeve-Levi A. W. Tole (accl.) Campbellford-Mayor-J. C. Fowlds, S. Abernethy, W. Doxsee, T. Hortains, W. Carnahan, Reeve-J. A. Irwin, S.

GLADSTONE'S ORIGIN. Mr. Gladstone himself once described his origin with characteristic nicety and precision. "I am a man of Scotch blood only, half Highland and half Lowland, the border." The Highland blo came through his mother, the daughter came through its motiner, the daugnets of Mr. Andrew Robertson, of Stornoway, a former provost of Dingwall. Accord-ing to Burke and other industrious anti-quarians, she had the blood of Henry III, and Robert Bruce in her veins; but the Gladstones do not seem to have tak-en that story very seriously. She died early in Mr. Gladstone's career, and we hear little about her beyond the not very precise opinion of a near friend that she was "a lady of very great ac-complishments, of fascinating manners, of commanding presence and high intel-lect—one to grace any home and endear any heart." But his father, the Low-lander, had a far greater influence on his life. Mr. John Gladstone was a man of eminence in his own right, and well earned the baronetcy which Sir Robert. Peel, perhaps not without a sideof Mr. Andrew Robertson, of Stornoway Peel, perhaps not without a side-thought for his son, gave him in 1845. The chief stock was settled in the parish The chief stock was settled in the parish of Liberton in Claydesdale: but Glad-stone's father came of a branch that had migrated to Lanarkshire and be-come men of business. One of them, Thomas Gladstone, became a corn mer-chant in Leith, and was distinguished by having a family of sixteen children. Of these John was the eldest, and born in Leith in 1763. Entering his father's business the young man quickly rose in the world. Visiting Liverpool for his faster, he was persuaded to stay there as an assistant to Corrie & Co., rose by pluck and industry to be a partner in the firm, and finally, on the retirement of the partners, became the firm himself. The father had many traits of the son-the indenitable energy the width of in-The father had many traits of the son-the indomitable energy, the width of in-terests, and the bent towards polities. He found time to take part in all local

affairs, was a devoted admirer and friend of Canning, and finally entered Farliament from 1819 to 1827. CANNING'S INFLUENCE.

Thus the young Gladstone was brought up in the midst of affairs, for it was in William Ewart's early youth that his father was turning from his obsorption in business to the political romance of his life, his devotion to Commence Gaming was often being Canning. Canning was often Join Gladstone's guest at Liverpool, and John Gladstone took the lead in invit and ing him to Liverpool and retaining him as the member. Cruel history re-lates that the cldest boy was Canning' chief favorite among the children, but the young lad who was to be after wards four times Prime Minister

Bright's Disease and Diabetes

Under the Auspices of the Cincinnati Evening Post, Five Test Cases Were Selected end Treated Publicly by Dr. Irvine K

To-morrow British people the world over will commemorate in some form or other the birth of the great statesman, on December 20, one hundred years ago. It is worth recalling a few facts about his life in that connection. Mr. Gladstone's life, spent almost from dawn to eve in strenuous labors, ran through not only the whole Victorian the year of the battle of Coruma, when George III. had still ten years to reign, he lived to see the sixtieth year of Queen Victoria. His life covered the whole de velopment of modern democracy, from the registion and apiece of another. Born in the set the shale of the preceding two reigns and a piece of another. Born in the year of the battle of Coruma, when George III. had still ten years to reign, he lived to see the sixtieth year of Queen Victoria. His life covered the whole de velopment of modern democracy, from the repression and corruption of the pre-reform war days to the secret and ex-tensive suffrage of today. It is a study

connected with that name governed the polities of my childhood and of my youth; with Canning I rejoiced in the removal of religious disabilities, and in the character which he gave to our policy abroad; with Canning I re-joiced in the opening which he made towards the establishment of free com-mercial interchanges between nationsmercial interchanges between nations with Canning and under the shalow with Canning and under the shalow of the great name and under the sha-dow of the yet more venerable name of Burke, I grant, my youthful mind and imagination were impressed. In development and story—all ex-cept Canning's sudden early death— there is a strange similarity between the two.

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It was not only the influence of Can-ning that was giving to the young Gladstone a Conservative basis. There was the bias of comfort and upbring-ing. Mr. John Gladstone was not only rich, he was also both munificent and wise. He refused to make his death half welcome by clinging to the totality.

wise. He refused to make his death half welcome by clinging to the totality of his riches until he had passed be yond their control, and handsomely endowed all his sons—some say, to the extent of $\pounds100,000$ each—during his ow extent of £100,000 each—during his own lifetime. Of these sons there were four— —the eldest, afterwards Sir Thomas, who died at eighty-four; Robertson, who became a Liverpool merchant in his father's footsteps, and died at seventy; John Neilson, who becamp'a captain in the navy and a member of Parliament, dying comparatively young for the Gladstone family, in 1863, and also two daughters—Ann and Helen. All these were children of John Giad-stone's second wife, his first dying without issue.

SCHOOL LIFE AT ETON.

 Conserved in the Art ETON.
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Many Special Sales To-morrow

FOR to-morrow, Thursday and Friday The Right House has prepared many special reduction sales. Included in these will be several special purchases which will be well worth your attention. Instead of holding back these sales for special offerings in January, we have recovered quickly from the Christmas rush and have marked the sweeping reductions for this week. Many of our patrons will want to make special New Year's purchases.

Continuation of the Great **Reduction Dress Goods Sale**

volved in the stirring sale are of such a wide and up-to-date variety that there is sure to be something to please each patron. These values should not be overlooked—or passed by. Take advantage of them. Se cure a dress length or two right now; it means the saving of money.

39c, reduced from 75c and 85c 69c, reduced from \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 79c, reduced from \$2.00 88c, reduced from \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50

Sharp at 9 o'clock to-morrow we begin a great clearance reduction sale of surplus quantities of 65 pieces of fancy Colored Dress Goods in the new shadow stripe worsted and two-tone effects in Panamas and Cheviots in plain and fancy stripe weaves in the fashionable shades of navy, brown, witavis old rose Compendence reseds there and vistaria, old rose, Copenhagen, reseda, taupe and awn. The widths are wide. Be on time.

Three Days' Black Dress Goods Sale

-Main Floor, East Aisle

B EGINNING to-morrow morning sharp at 9 o'clock will be a great three days' sale of rich Black Dress Goods and Silks. This sale has been especially brought about so as not to conflict with any great special offers in other lines in January. Every yard offered is fashionable and thoroughly up to date in weave and pattern.

RICH BLACK DRESS GOODS, GREATLY UN-DERPRICED-Several hundred yards of wide, double widths, rich black silk stripe Voiles, stripe Venetian, Armure Suitings, and also all wool Poplins, Taffeta Cloths, Serges and Panamas.

69c is the sale price for the \$1.00 value. 79c is the sale price for the \$1.00 value.

89c is the sale price for \$1.25 and \$1.35 values

BEAUTIFUL BLACK SILKS OF QUALITY

-Main Floor, East Aisle .-

R ICH black reversible weave of Peau de Soie and Drap de Lyon Cord Silk-the kind that is so fashionable for blouses and entire dresses-all this will be included in the great Goods and Silk Sales which start to-morrow morning. Dress

Weaves and qualities which will wear wonderfully well and which are now marked at very special Three Days' Sale prices comprise this lot. \$1.00 qualities to-morrow for 87c \$1.50 qualities to-morrow for \$1.13

Corner King and Hamilton THOMAS C. WATKINS, LIMITED Ontario ESTABLISHED SIXTY-SIX YEARS

FOR HOTEL MEN Chatham Restaurant By-law Upheld by the Chancellor.

m. The hydaw compels the restaurants to and from 7 o'clock Sunday evening until 5 o'clock Monday morning. The restaur-ant keeper was supported in his attack

5 o'clock Monday morning. The restaut ant keeper was supported in his attack on the by law by the hotel keepers, who, at first glance, would appear to be likely to benefit by the closing of the restaut ants. Counsel for the city of Chatham they preferred to be rid of the catering the travellers' wants, finding it more con-venient to send them to a nearby re-

iaring men." and said that however con-venient it might be for them to be able to send late guests to a restaurant they could not rid themselves of their obliga-tion to furnish food and shelter for trav-gave them a lien on the effects of their usets. Should hotel keepers fail in their duty, gavests. Should hotel keepers fail in their duty, points out the chancellor, it is for the municipal authorities to see to it and let them know that they do so at the peril of their licenses. of each. He then addressed himself t the task of explaining the working of local option in his home, Toronto Junc tion. The growth, progress and eviden benefits in other ways, of the plac since local option had been in force, wa graphically and convincingly depicted in support of which manufacturer merchants, bankers, butchers, baker and other business proprietors were nam DUNDAS. and other business proprietors were ed as proving his statements. A Lively Runaway—Toronto

ton, have been placed in the Methodis Church, on each side of the choir loft A memorial service in honor of thea-two brothers, who for very many year so liberally sustained the cause of Meth odism—and for that matter all goos causes—will be held in the church next

by the Chancellor. Hotel Men Must be Ready to Supply Meals. Toronto, Dec. 28.—The liability of hotel keepers to provide food and lodgr ing to travellers at any hour of the night or day they may be called upon is re-called by a judgment delivered yester day morning by Chancellor Boyd on an application oy one James Karry, a re-staurant keeper, of Chatham, to have guashed a by-law restricting the hours during which restaurants may be kept hours the second t

this new block, if in keeping with hi enterprise in other respects, will be credit to the town. Among holiday visitors who have pn in an appearance are Mrs. D. M. Find layson, Miss Ada Garnett, Frank Haine and Bert Baker, from Detroit, and Joh Huuter, from New York. Special Christmas services were hele on Saturday in St. James' Churches. The third of a series of public meet ings in furtherance of local option wa held in the town hall on Sunday after moon. The attendance was fully up t

vennent to send them to a nearby re-staurant. The chancellor refused the application. The chancellor refused the application, formerly town clerk of Toron to Junction So much has been heard o local option in Toronto Junction tha do business. His Lordship also referred to the four-teen hotels of thatham "instituted for the convenience of passengers and way-taring men," and said that however con-tage in the instituted for the for them to the back-tage in the instituted for the for them to the back-tage in the instituted for the convenience of passengers and way-taring men," and said that however con-tage instituted for them to be added the first part of his address was take

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Uxbridge-Mayor-W. Foster.
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C. Hahn, D. Gross, jun., J. C. Breit-haupt, A. L. Breithaupt, J. F. McKay,
F. G. Gardiner, First Deputy Reeve-N. Asmussen, J. F. McKay,
C. H. Nic, C. Kelly, Reeve-Mulls. Second Deputy Reeve-Trich. Third Deputy Reeve-trich. J. H. Schnarr, F. G. Gardiner.-Brockville-Mayor A. M. Patterson,
W. M. Mowat, G. C. McClean.
Cornwall-Dr. P. J. Moloney and Dr. W. D. Murro for Mayor, Archie Denny,
J. E. Chevier and W. C. McGuire, D. V.
S. were nominated for Reeve. William Pollock was elected Deputy Reeve by ac-lamation.
Culturgend Mayor, Law, C. McKay, D.
C. Mayor, J. F. Merker, D. V.
C. Mayor, J. K. Mayor, J. C. Breit, M. J. Jernyn, W. M. McKay, J. S. Marge, J. M. Jonney, J. J. C. McKay, Jone
M. J. Mayor, J. Moloney and Dr. Williby-Mayor-J. H. Downey, Jackson, Jas. E. Willis, Welland-Mayor- W. H. Crowthe (accl.) Reeve-L. V. Garren, Join Goor win. Deputy Reeve-A. D. McKay, Jone
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Collingwood-Mayor-John Birnie, Hugh A. Cur ald C. Barr Currie, Fred T. Hodgson, Don-

d C. Barr. Reeve-M. H. Clark, W. A. Tom. Deputy Reeve-J. A. Brown, Carmichael. Wm

Carmichael. Cobourg-For Mayor-David Ewing, Frank M. Field, Harry Field, John L. Grosjean, Geo. Guzumow, Chas. A. Mun-

son. For Reeve—John H. Davidson, D. Ew-ing, Geo. Gummow, J. L. Grosjean, Wm. J. Maher. For Deputy Reeve—F. M. Field,

George Greer, Geo. Gummom, J. L. Grossjean, J. D. Haig, C. A. Munson, Galt-Mayor-Thos. Patterson, Dr. Hawk, T. E. McLellan, F. S. Scott, J. H. Radford, J. P. Jaffray, Wm. Cowan.

Kastner, S. J.

Parke. Wingham--Mayor-- Thos. Gregory, Wm. Holmes, Geo. Spotton, Dr. R. C. Redmond. Reeve-Dr. A. J. Irwin

Reuthout, A. V. H. Downey, Jas. Whitby-Mayor-J. H. Downey, Jas. Rutledge, Dr. F. Warren, Reeve-A. W. Jackson, Jas. E. Willis, Welland-Mayor-W. H. Crowther (accl.) Reeve-L. V. Garner, John Good-

(accl.) Reeve-L. V. Garner, John Good-win. Deputy Reeve-A. D. McKay. Jos.
 C. McMillan, Councillors-E. L. Garner, C. H. Reilly, W. E. Mann, H. L. Hall, Wm. Jackson, A. D. McKay, Geo. O. Minor, Chas. Grassie, Jos. C. McMillan, J. E. Cutler, L. Racher, J. O. Boyle, Geo. W. Sutherland, Robt. McQueen, John H. Cross, H. A. Rose, sen., Jos. R McCollum. Water Commission-J. F. Grass, W. J. Best,

FOR GLADSTONE.

New South African Governor-General First to Accept Title.

London, Dec. 27. -It is understood in Hawk, T. E. McLeilan, F. S. Scott, J. H.
Radford, J. P. Jaffray, Wm. Cowan.
Reeves—F. S. Scott (acclamation).
First Deputy—A. E. Buchanan (acclaming).
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M. Edwards, Adam Thomson, James
Ingersoll—For Mayor—Dr. J. A. Neff,
W. H. Jones, Walter Mills, Justus Miller,
T. J. R. Coleridge, Joseph Gibson and
T. A. McKay.
For Reeve—S. M. Fleet, M. T. Buchanan and J. R. Coleridge. For Deputy
Second Deputy, J. A. Buchanan and J. R. Coleridge. For Deputy
Reeve—F. G. Walley, J. A. Buchanan and R. Harris.
Listowel—For Mayor—Andrew Foerch,
J. N. Hay, A. W. Featherston, A. St.

Mott, Free of Charge.

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tates in Demarara had become the cen-tre of notorious scandal in the Aboli-tion agitation, and Lord Howick had es-pecially attacked them in the course of his speech. Filial indignation gave him a vioce, and his first speech won him a place in the new House. Mr. Glad-stone was no defender of slavery. But he believed in gradual emancipation com-obser It has sometimes been said that Mr. It has sometimes been said that Mr. Gladstone had no sense of humor. That is by no means the case. What is true is that he was so much in "carnest on any subject that moved him deeply as to give the impression to superficial observers that he was deficient in humor —an impression strengthened by con-tract with his great opponent, Disraeli, whose wit and humor were more con-spicuous than his carnestness. The truth is that Mr. Gladstone was in private life full of playfulness, and fun, and humor.

stone was no defender of slavery. But he believed in gradual emancipation, com-bined with education and training, and with full compensation to the planters. His defence of his father must be put down unreservedly to his credit, though the cause was unfortunately a bad one. In the same session he spoke on the Irish Church Bill and opposed the Bill for opening the Universities to Dissenters. His speeches began to make a mark, and already he was clearly heading for of-fice. In 1834 came the collapse of the fice. In 1834 came the collapse of the Whig Government, and the last exer-cise of the royal percogative by William IV. The Melbourne Ministry was dismiss-How Little Girl Was Saved

IV. The Melbourne Ministry was dismiss-ed, and Sir Robert Peel took their place. Mr. Gladstone must clearly be included-ed in the new Government, and he was chosen as a Junior Lord of the Treas-ury. Newark returned him without an election, and immediately after the meeting of Parliament he was promot-ed to the Under-Secretaryship of the Col-onies. But the Government could not en-dure long with a Liberal majority against it, and when it fell on April 8, Mr. Gladstone went with it once more into Opposition. into Opposition.

PARLIAMENTARY ORATOR.

When one speaks of Gladstone as a parliamentary orator, one is immedi-ately tempted to a comparison between bim and the other great parliamentary ately tempted to a comparison between him and the other great parliamentary orator of our time-the late John Bright, wrote a contemporary parliamentarian. It was a comparison which Bright him-self used to resent; pointing to the vast and almost infinite variety of Glad-stone's powers as compared with the limited range of his own. And the statement was accurate. For whereas Bright was able to make a great speech on a great occasion better than anyon a great occasion better than any-body-better even than Gladstone-

HURLED TO SAFETY.

at Sea.

New York, Dec. 27 .- Captain Edgar Bigelow, his wife and small child, and the four members of the crew of the American schooner Eugene Borda, which was storm-wrecked on Nov. 29 while carrying a cargo of lumber from Nova Scotia to Philadelphia, were Nova scotta to Finaderpina, were brought to port to-day by the Red Star line steamship Vaderland, which effected their thrilling rescue while on its last eastward trip. The captain's wife, in speaking of the rescue at sea, said that the small boat from the Vaderland could get only with in twenty feet of the storm-stripped schooner, and that from that distance

schooper, and that from that distance her four-year-old daughter was hurled from the deck of the Borda to the Vader-land's rescuing crew.

The Vice President-The cashier's run The Vice President—The cashier's run away with over \$500,000—he's gone, cleared out. Bank President— Why are you so excited? Vice-President—Fifty dollars of it was my money —Boston Globe.

Junction Man on Local Option. Dundas, Dec. 27 .- A runaway of th very liveliest description took place on

Friday just before midnight. Stanley Kromport was on his way home in West Flamboro with a spirited horse attached to a new cutter. When near the Leon-Flamboro with a spirited norse attached to a new cutter. When near the Leon-ard mills, on King street, the cutter slewed around into the ditch, which up-set it and frightened the horse, which proceeded up street at a furious gait with the cutter upside down. Coming into context with telegraph poles and

proceeded up street at a furious gait with the cutter upside down. Coming into contact with telegraph poles and other obstructions, it was soon badly the worse of the adventure. The horse turned around Sutherland's corner to colborne street, up which it ran for three or four blocks, and then brought up in the back yard of a residence. The horse and the occupants escaped without in yiry, but the cutter was a compict wreck. Following after the horse, the genoming tired of carrying it while in pursuit of his horse, he fift it at M⁷. Sutherland's store door. On returning or it, after securing the horse, it was gone, and has not yet been recovered. During the past week two windows, in memory of J. B. Grafton and J. S. Graf-

one feature being the Christmas da road race. The course was about te miles in length, and sharp at 2.30 th race commenced. At the start the run ners numbered sixteen, but a few drop ped out before finishing. James Cord ners numbered sixteèn, but a few drog ped out before finishing. James Cori ery, of Toronto, came in first. On Sunday Christmas services wer held in all the village churches. In th evening Rev. W. K. Allen, an old Buu lington boy, who is home from his wor in the west on furlough, had charge of the service in the Methodist Church. During the week the water commit sioners expect to make a test of the ne waterworks system.

Burlington

The holiday brought many old friend and strangers to the village. Neverthe less, Christmas day passed quietly, th one feature being the Christmas da

vaterworks system. The annual Sunday school entertai

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