The head office of the Company is situate at Nos. 1 and 2, Great Winchester Street, in the City of London, England.

The amount of the capital of the Company is £300,000, divided into 300,000 shares of £1 each.

The head office of the Company in this Province is situate at Bank of Montreal Chambers, Victoria, and Albert Edward Mct'hillips, Solicitor, whose address is lank of Montreal Chambers, Victoria, is he attorney for the Company.

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(a.) To acquire the mines or claims known at the Silver Cup, Sunshine, and Towser, that in Kootenay District, in the Pronce of British Columbia, in the Dominion Canada, and any mineral claim or claims Ijoining the same or in the vicinity lereof, as to the Company may from time time appear expedient:

(b.) To adopt and carry into effect, ther with or without modification, an greement dated the 29th day of April, 37, between the Lilhooet, Fraser River and ariboo Gold Fields, Limited, of the first lart: William Farrell and Thomas Dunn the second part; and Edgar Assheton ennett, as Trustee for the Company, of the third part:

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(c.) To develop, open, raise ore metals and minerals from and generaly work all rany of the mines, minerals, mining and dineral claims, lands and premises when equired as aforesaid, and to crush, smelt, alcine, refine, manipulate and prepare for tarket ore, metal and mineral substances f all kinds obtained from all or any of he same premises, and to carry on any ther metallurgical operations which may evem conductive to any of the objects of he Company: Company: To construct, maintain, improve,

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d.) To construct, maintain, improve, ork and control any roads, ways, tramitys, railways and other works and contenders which may seem conductive to y of the objects of the Company:

(e.) To carry on any other business which ay seem to the company capable of begoveniently carried on in connection ith the above objects or any of them, or idealated directly or indirectly to enhance evalue, or to render profitable any of the Company's property or rights;

(f.) To purchase, take over, and carry on the whole or any part of the business, roperty or liabilities of any person or ompany carring on any business which the ompany is authorised to carry on, or ossessed of property suitable for the business of the Company:

(g.) To enter into any arrangement for laring profits, union of interest, co-operation, joint adventure or otherwise with hy person or company carrying on or nagged in, any business or transaction, in the execution or management of any ork or undertaking whatsoever which may opear to the Company conductive to the trainment of its objects or any of them, otherwise for its benefit, so as directly indirectly to benefit the Company; and alend money, to guarantee the contracts, or otherwise assist any such company, and sell, hold, re-issue, with or without arrantee, or otherwise deal with the ime:

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exchange, or otherwise acquire any real
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I.) To invest and deal with the moneys the Company upon such securities, and such manner, as may from time to time determined, and in particular to instance of the company and hold shares any other company having objects algether or in part similar to the objects the Company, or carrying on any busies capable of being conducted so as dictly or indirectly to benefit the Company; (j.) To borrow, or raise, or secure, the tyment of money in such manner as a Company may think, and in particular the issue of debentures or depending ock, perpetual or otherwise, charged upon all or any of the Company's property oth present and future), including its

called capital:

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tes; bills of exchange, warrants, tieben-L)To sell, improve, manage, develop, change, lease, mortgage, dispose of, in to account, or otherwise deal with or any part of the propety and rights or any part of the above things, the Company:
m.) To do all or any of the above things, all or in any part of the world, and ther as principals, agents, trustees, contectors or otherwise, and by or through stees. agents, sub-contractors or sub-contractors or any part of the contractors.

th others:

n.) To procure the Company to be referred or recognized in British Columbia d elsewhere abroad, and to enter into aragements with any governments or authorities that may seem conducive to the mpany's objects or any of them, and to tain from any government or extinction. ain from any government or authority rights, privileges or concessions whice Company may think it desirable tain, and to carry out, exercise an

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p.) To amalgamate with any other Company having objects altogether or in partial lar to the objects of the Company:

1.) To remunerate by annual payments, otherwise, any Company or person for vices rendered, or to be rendered, or services or conveniences placed. services or conveniences placed, or to placed, for any period or purpose al disposal of the Company, or for the us any period or purpose of such other pany's or person's offices, officers of

pany's or persons outcos, perty:

1) To do all such other things as areidental or conducive to the attainment
the above objects.

Iven under my hand and seal of office
Victoria, Province of British Columbia,
s third day of December, one thousand
the hundred and ninety-seven.

(L.S.)

8. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

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"COMPANIES ACT, 1897."

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are not distinguished by any mark or sign from coughs that fail to be fatal. Any cough, neglected, may sap the strength and undermine the health until recovery is impossible. All coughs lead to lung trouble, if not stopped.

Auer's Cherry Pecioral Cures Coughs

"My wife was suffering from a dreadful "My wife was suffering from a dreadule cough. We did not expect that she would long survive, but Mr. R. V. Royal, deputy surveyor, happened to be stopping with us over night, and having a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral with him, induced my wife to try this remedy. The result was so beneficial that she kept on taking it till she was cured."

R. S. HUMPHRIES, Saussy, Ga.

"My little daughter was taken with a dis-"My little daughter was taken with a dis-tressing cough, which for three years defied all the remedies I tried. At length, on the urgent recommendation of a friend, I began to give her Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. After using one bottle I found to my great sur-prise that she was improving. Three Stilles-completely cured her."

Trav. Salesman Wrought Iron Range Co., St. Louis, Ma.

THE CAPITAL

dustoms Officers Appointed for Service on the Stickeen—Deputy Warden Fitzsimmons Superanneat.d.

United States Strictly Enforcing the Law Against the Importation of ealskin Garments.

Oftawa, Jan. 11.—John Turner, of the nted to go to the Sticke

where he goes to report Deputy Warden Fitzsimmons, of the Jubas station, then in the hands of tony Mountain penitentiary, who was moved from New Westminster penintiary on the report of a royal comission and afterwards sent to Mani-

Of the public departments approapria-

Mr. Cowan, M.P. for South Essex, is the capital to-day and confirms all ped. hat has been said of American customs ficers capturing all the sealskin garents they can lay their hands on. en ten year old sealskin caps are not epted, and one of the most noted anxationists in these parts, crossing on turday, paid the penalty like all other nders of American law. There is ot any doubt, he says, as to the interation of the law.

ohn Appleton, president of the Trades and Labor Council, Winnipeg, has been d as one of the commissioners Crow's Nest pass railway. Judge

commission has beer appointed to stigate the trouble between the St. wrence pilots and the shipping inter-It consits of Judge Lavergne, Do-Minister Gourdeau and Command-Vakeham.

Mr. Crandall, of the department of culture, who is just back from Engsays that poultry shippers, by nethe departmental instructions send only dressed birds, did not realmuch. English consumers will not

undressed poultry. wenty more Mounted Police leave Wednesday for the Yukon. he interior department has issued imration literature in the form of a se little pamphlet on the mineral rces of Canada. It devotes much to British Columbia.

AT SUFFERER'S SHRINE. ands of Pilgrims Almost Miracu lously Healed by South American

r years I was distressed with dysand indigestion, physicians and es could give me but temporary until South American Nervine commended to me. I procured e and got great relief from the w doses. The swelling and soremy stomach rapidly disappear nd in a very short time I was ab- were \$283,706. Thomas Sullivan, Araprior,

ale by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall

REVOLT AMONG THE SOUDANESE

Renewed Fighting in Uganda-A General Massacre of the Europeans Feared.

An Officer and Missionary Killed-Troops Hurrying to the Front.

London, Jan. 10 .- A despatch from Mom basa, capital of the Coast province, in the British East Africa protectorate, says news of renewed fighting in Uganda has been received there from Fort Lubwas, in the Usoga country, under date of December 19. Lieut. Macdonald, brother of Major Macdonald, the commander of the British forces, and Mr. Pilkington, the missionary, have been killed. Troops are hurrying to the front from Machakos station. It is reported that the garrison at Budda, numbering 300 Soudanese, under two officers, may join the revolters. No further details are join the revolters. No further details are given. Mr. Plikington was one of the leading Englishmen in Uganda. He joined Major Macdonald after the mutiny of the Soudanese to act as interpreter.

The rebellion among the Soudanese soldiers in Uganda broke out in the early part of October last, and the danger has been of a repercel rise of the Soudanese through-

of a general rise of the Soudanese throughout the country and a massacre of the Uganda is about as large as France. The

government stations, about thirty in num-ber, are manned by Soudanese. Perhaps there are 1,800 in all. In the early part of October 300 Soudanese soldiers from the Kanhala garrison at Mongo; capital of Uganda, on the north shore of the Victoria Nyanza, were sent to the Kldoma station, better known as the Ravine. There they mutinied and looted the government agent's store. Then they resolved to march back to Mongo, raising the standard of general revolt to kill the Europeans and establish a Soudanese kingdom in Uganda. They looted the station at Nandia, obtaining 3,000 rounds of ball eartridges. Fortified by this are provided with pienty of ammu-nition, they pushed on to Mongo, looting the stations as they advanced. At Juba station as the stations as the savanced. At Juba station the garrison revolted and joined the mutineers, seized Major Thurston, commander of the fort, and occupied the post. It was at this stage that Mr. Pilkington, the missionary, a member of the Anglican Church Missionary Society, volunteered, at the suggestion of Mr. Wilson, the acting commissioner of Uganda, and with the permission of Archdeacon Walker, to accompany the Baganda (natives) who were being hursed to the Mile to prevent the Social support of the missionaries to the fagenda in resisting the Social support of the missionaries to the fagenda in resisting the Social support of the missionaries to the fagenda in resisting the Social support of the missionaries to the fagenda in resisting the Social support of the missionaries to the fagenda in resisting the Social support of the missionaries to the fagenda in resisting the Social support of the missionaries to the fagenda in resisting the Social support of the missionaries to the fagenda in resisting the Social support of the missionaries to the fagenda in resisting the Social support of the mission who went for medical duty.

Townsend, who arrived from Alaska on the steamer, City of Topeka yesterday, brings the news of the discovery of what is supposed to be the mother lode and quartz origin of the placers of the Klondanies of China with foreign stations by protectionist countries, who would raise customs of China with foreign stations by protectionist countries, who would raise customs of China with foreign stations of China with foreign stat

he department here to look after goods mission, who went for medical duty Mr. Turner will be under Victoria, munication with Major Macdonald, and after a thrilling experience, reached rebels. The camp was pitched near the spot where Bishop Hannington was

Writing under date of October 24 from toba, is to be superannuated. There that point to the central offices of the Deputy Warden Contant, of St. Vin-cent de Paul penitentiary, has been sus-wended. ton and I take our turns at night duty. tion of last session there will be fully if it comes to a fight we will stick to sether. No one knows what will happen, but it will be just right. Of course missext month.

Mr. Cowan, M.P. for South Essex, is

EDISON'S LATSET.

New Metal Which Will Do Away With Process of Making Malleable Iron.

New York, Jan. 11 .- The Herald says the Edison has accidentally discovered what he believes will be a new metal which will do away with the slow and costly process of making malleable iron. Exhaustive experiments will be made, and if successful it is promised that full details will be given to the public.

TELEGRAPHERS' GRIEVANCES. Discussed at a Meeting of the Canadan Pacific Railway Directors.

Montreal, Jan. 11.-The Canadian Pacific directors discussed the telegraphers' grievances at the monthly meeting held yesterday, but nothing was given out. Canadian Pacific will grant the small advance asked for by the men.

FOREIGN MISSION BOARDS.

First Session of the Sixth Conference Opens in New York This Morning.

New York, Jan. 11.—The first session building at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The there was great excitement in out stations, 242 Canadian missionaries, 506 native laborers, 112 native churches, and 9,141 communicants. There were 1,040 additions last year. The native contributions last year were \$23,339, and the contributions in Canada last year



Legislation in Quebec-Toronto's Population-J. Burnham's Estate.

CANADIAN BRIEFS.

Quebec, Jan. 11.-After a long and exciting debate, the legislative council, by partment in charge of a responsible minister. Principal Adams, of Lennox ville, R. E. Love, pastor of St. Andrew's church, and many other prominent opponents of the measure were present to watch its death.

The loan resolutions, which authorize the government to borrow a million and a balf dollars, passed on division. Toronto, Jan. 11 .- The new directory of Toronto for 1898 contains 75,000 ames, and the customary basis of three ersons for each name gives a popula-

John Burnham, ex-M.P., who committed suicide on December 28, was sup- would make an important announcement state is in very bad shape. His downfall has brought down a couple of houses of which he was the principal backer, namely, Fairweather & Co., hats and not added to its reputation by its recent furs. Toronto, liabilities \$45,000; and E. treatment of Crete. He declared that E. McGaffy, retail dry goods, Lindsay, it would be better to have a third-rate labilities, \$20,000. The latter has governor of the island than none at all, liabilities, \$20,000. The latter has governor of the island than none at all made an offer of 70 cents on the dollar, and that it was strange the concert could which will probably be refused.

here of the Great Northern rail- campaign-a campaign way, has been appointed general Euro- than the Afghan war of 1879." pean agent of that railway, with head-quarters in London.

What Is Supposed To Be the Mother Lode and Origin of Yukon Placers.

A Ledge About 18 Inches Wide Generously Speckled With Free Gold.

and the fourth somewhere in the twenties on Bonanza creek.

The trend of the vein is northwest by west. Westerly from the dome it is found about 30 feet below the surface and under a muck and alluvial deposit. makes a uniform width. It is generous-

ly speckled with free gold. Mr. Jones brings down samples of ore, and every one who has seen them says acter as that found in southeastern Al-

THAT ENCYCLICAL.

The Pope's Views on the Manitoba School Question Made Public in Toronto.

Toronto, Jan. 10.—The full text of the papal encyclical on the Manitoba school question was published here to-day. His Holiness says among other things: "As regads especially the Catholics of Manioba, we have every confidence that with Gcd's help they will succeed in obtaining full satisfaction. This hope is founded in the first place on the righteousness of the cause, next in the sense of justice and prudence of the men at the head of the government, and finally in the good-will of all upright men in Canada. "In the meantime, until they are able to obtain their full rights, let them not refuse partial satisfaction. If, therefore, anything is granted by law or custom or by good-will which will render the evil more tolerable and dangers more remote

it is expedient and useful to make use of such concessions and to derive there-Grand Chief Powell will see Mr. such concessions and to derive there-Shaughnessy to-day. Mr. Powell does not anticipate a strike, but expects the possible. Where, however, no remedy can be found for the evil, we must exhort and beseech that it be provided against by the liberality and munificence of their contributions."

THE ESTERHAZY CASE.

Paris, Jan. 11 .- This was the second day of the court-martial of Major Count f the sixth conference of the Fereign Ferdinard Walsin Esterhazy, and the Mission Boards of the United States proceedings were secret. Col. Picquart and Canada was held in the Methodist continued his testimony and, it is said, report shows that there are six foreign when Col. Picquart was confronted with missionary societies in Canada, whose General Conse, sub-chief of the general work includes 89 principal stations, 227 staff.

Major Estterhazy was unanimously acquitted.

I had the rheumatism so badly that l could not get my hand to my head. I tried the doctor's medicine without the least benefit. At last I thought of Chamberlain's Pain Balm; the first bottle re-lieved all of the pain, and one-half of nre.-W. J. HOLLAND. Holland, Va. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is equally rood for sprains, swellings and lameness, well as hurns, cuts and bruises. For sale at Langley & Henderson Bros., drug store. Wholesale Agents, Victoria and

BALFOUR ON THE POLICY IN CHINA

a vote of 13 to 9, killed the Marchand educational bill, the main feature of which was to place the educational de-Address to His Constituents at Manchester.

> If Russia Is Ceded an Ice Free Port It Must Be Open to C mmerce.

London, Jan. 11,-Mr. Balfour, government leader in the house of commons, addressed his constituents at Manchester who, recently came from Ohio. Every last evening. It was expected that he posed to be a wealthy man, but the of the government policy in China, but he confined himself to generalities. Mr. Balfour said the concert of Europe had which will probably be refused.

H. G. McMicken, one of the best erical He culogized the bravery displayknown railway men in Canada, and the ed by the British troops in the Indian

Turning to China, Mr. Balfour said British interests there were commercial, and not territorial. Except as a base for possible warlike operations, the territory would be a disadvantage, because is would involve responsibilities and expense in money and men. He dilated upon the fact that the extent of our trade in China gives us a special claim to prevent her pursuing a policy that would discou-rage trade, and added: "But the deepest traditions of our policy preclude us from using any trading privileges as weapons t) exclude our rivals. If we ask freedom of trade, it is not for England alone, out for the whole world."

There was no objection, said Mr. Balfour, in conclusion, to Russia having an ice free port, providing England was not excluded, but the government would do

third one in Nugget Gulch on No. 36 | of the absence of definite statements: The Morning Post says:

minister on a great occasion has whetted the appetite of a people ready to give him a large and generous vote of The Daily News says: "Mr. Balfour's exposition of Lord Salisbury's policy is

The ledge is about 18 inches wide, and excellent in intention, and the only fear is that the execution may fall short of the intention." With reference to the New York Times' "expression of regret that lack of appetite has succeeded to England's traditional earth hunger," the the rock is precisely the same in char- Daily News says: "Such regrets in an American journal are piquant, indeed, But our American friends must not be uneasy. Our interests, which are identical with theirs, can be protected in China by other means than territoral annexation."

THE CHINESE LOAN.

Negotiations With Great Britain Said to be Progressing Favorably.

London, Jan. 11 .-- The Chinese loan negotiations are progressing. Great Britain has informed China that she is willing to find the money required, and the details are being discussed. The amount will probably be £20,000,000. Great Britain is asking for centain changes in the administration of China, including the restoration of Li Hung Chang to power.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Lord Ava, Expected-Bound for the

Klondike Gold Fields. Winnipeg, Jan. 10.—Lord Ava, son of the Earl of Dufferin, is expected in this city this month on his way to the Yukon. Five young Ottawa men passed through the city on Saturday on their way to the Yukon gold fields. They were Dennis Pulford, Charles Parker, Dr. Matthewman, Harry Street and J. B. Dorion. W. Parker, of Toronto, also was a mem ber of the party.

'Sir Charles Tapper was banquetted, with Hon. Hugh John Macdonald, at

Morden this afternoon. Sir Charles eaves for the East on Wednesday. A large and well-equipped party Manitobans will leave for the Yukon about the end of the month. The party will number from thirteen to eighteen

The Woodbine hotel property, on Main street, has changed hands at a good

WELCOME TO AN IRISH LEADER.

New York, Jan. 9.- John E. Redmond the Irish political leader, received a rous-ing popular welcome in the Broadway theatre to-night. Mr. Redmond spoke on the rebellion of 1798. He described rising and its failure and eulogized its leaders. When Mr. Redmond told of the cruelty of the British soldiers in Ireland, many of the women in the audience

wept. "The triumph of this cause may not come in our day," he said, "but we believe

ON THE WARPATH.

Seminole Indians Cause a Reign Terror in Oklahoma Towns.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 2 .- A special to the Times from Shawnee, O. T., says: Trains on the Choctow branch of the Frisco railroad have brought to this city every woman and child from Earsboro, a town of some 200 people near the border of the Seminole nation.

The burning at the stake of McGeisey and Sampson, Seminole halfbreeds, so enraged the Seminoles that they are panded together and running over the country around Maud and Wewker in a wild rage, killing stock. A party of about 200 savages, half-

breeds and other toughs rode into the neighborhood 18 miles south of Earsboro and began shooting through the doors, and windows of the bonse of a manperson, in the house is reported to be People who came in on the train from

Earsboro say that about 10 o'clock yesterday a regular pitched battle occurred. terday a regular pitched battle occurred. There is a general uprising. Messengers 0N have been sent to the military stations demanding immediate aid and protection

CHINESE-GERMAN AGREEMENT. Representatives of Foreign Powers Ex-

press Their Satisfaction. Berlin, Jan. 12.-It is alleged that representatives of Russia, Austria Hun-gary, the United States, Italy, Spain, Belgium and the Netherlands have expressed to Prince Tsung, president of the Tsung Li Yamen, the satisfaction of their respective governments with the China-German agreement as to Kino Chau. In order to permit regular communication between Kiao Chau and Shanghai for mails, etc., the government has engaged two trading steamers now employed in the Chinese coasting service. drafts from other British regiments are This is intended to allay the anxiety growing out of the rumor that the German forces at Kino Chau found their quarters uncomfortable.

Cyclone Tears Through Fort Smith, Ark., Leaving Death and Destruction in Its Path.

Fifty Persons Reported Dead and More Missing-Scores of Homes Wrecked.

at 11 p.m. last night. The report here states that 15 victims are now in the

Rumor has it that the death list will gripman came to the help of the con reach 50. It is impossible to verify tor, who was having a desperate fight with this statement as all the wires to Fort the robbers in the car. Smith are down.

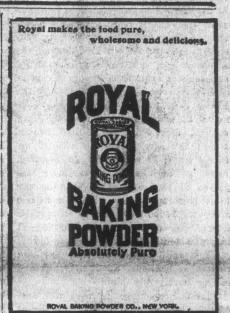
STRIKE ON THE CHARLESTON. Large Body of Rich Ore Discovered on a Slocan Property.

Whitewater, B. C., Jan. 12.—The Charleston mine, at a depth of 300 feet, struck forty-two inches of ore carrying 700 ounces of silver and forty-three per cent. of lead. It is by far the largest body of the same grade of ore ever struck in the Slocan. The mine is owned by Winnipeg and Kaslo people.

CONFIDENCE IN WILLIAM. Berlin, Jan. 12.—The correspondent of the Frankfort Gazette says the Sultan has issued a secret irade declaring the greatest confidence in Emperor William's policy and exhorting Turkish officials to disregard the intrigues working against Turkey, the object of which are "to spoil our excellent relations with tried

O. W. O. Hardman, when sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., was at one time, almost prostrated with a cold. He used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and was so much pleased with the quick relief and cure it afforded him, that he gave the following unsolicited testimonial: "To all who may be interested, I wish to say, that I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and find it invaluable for coughs and colds." For sale by Langle7 & Henderson Bros., Wholesale

Agents. Victoria and Vancouver. Why don't you try Carter's Little Liver Pills? They are a positive cure for sick headache, and all the ills produced by dis-crdered liver. Only one pill a dose.



Reported That Large Drafts from British Regiments Are Preparing for Service in Egypt.

Treaty With King Menelik Secures Immunity from Blockading of the Egyptian Advance.

Dover, Jan. 11.-The greatest enthusiasm and activity prevails at Shorncliffe, from which camp the Third Hussars have been ordered to Cairo. Large

also peparing for foreign service. London, Jan: 11.-The Birmingham Post, the organ of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary for the colonies, says: "The treaty which Mr. Jas. Rennell Rodd, the principal secretary of the British agency and consulate-general in Egypt, negotiated with Kink Menelik of Abyssinia, contains a clause binding Menelik not to allow any obstacle to emanate from Abyssinia territory with the object of blocking the Egyptian advance upon Khartoum. As quid pro quo Kink Menelik secures a certain rectifi-cation of the frontier when Khalifa is

FIGHT OF A PLUCKY WOMAN.

Miss Williams of Chicago Prevents the Robbery of a Conductor. Chicago, Jan. 9,-Two men who last night St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 12.—Information tried to rob Conductor Warren of a Blue just received here states that a cy- island avenue cable train were folled by a woman passenger named Miss Sadie Williams. Besides Miss Williams there were three other passengers, another woman

Neither the male passengers nor the

The cyclone came from the north and pased through Fort Smith between 10th and 11th streets, demolishing everything in its path.

From one large boarding house on the path of ther cyclone 15 bodies have been taken out. It is believed here that the loss of life will reach 25. The names of the victures or further particulars could not be obtained.

Fort Smith, Ark., Jun. 12.—One of the most terrible storms that has ever struck this section of the country, tore through the city shortly before midnight last right.

Everything is in confusion as a result of the destruction of life and property. It is impossible to give anything like a proper estimate of the killed or injured. Pifty persons are reported dead and many more are missing.

Homes were wrecked by the score, and hundreds of people are without food or shelter. Two of the largest houses of worship in the city, the Baptist and Central Methodist churches, were completely destroyed. The Browns-Comb of the high school building were blown church was damaged, and the towers off.

Just as the robbers were getting the best of the laght Miss Williams concluded to take a hand Grabbing her long hat pin, that fastened her hat to her halt to her halt to her halt of the thrust and the man screamed with hain. He released his bid on the conductor and turned on Miss Williams concluded to take a hand Grabbing her long hat pin, that fastened her hat to her halt on her halt of the thrust and the man screamed with hain. He released his bid on the conductor and turned on Miss Williams.

She track him again and he unit the faght. Miss Williams went for the next man and she made a throst for the next man and she made a throst for the next man and she made a throst for the seven. The point of the pin struck his cheek.

Take her off," cried the robber. He turned to look for his companion, who by that time was on the platform, making for more vital parts than his faces. The conductor was then bleeding and in a half dazed condition.

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The cyclone came from the north and of the fight Miss Williams concluded to

The New City Council— Date of the On-tario Elections. Saturday Hon Mr. Hardy, answering Mr. Whitney, said as to the report in the Globe that the elections would be held on February 24, that paper is generally accurate, but he could not say as to the elections as the government had not yet decided.

Quite a brilliant inauguration of the new city council took place to-day. The prospoke of the transmission of cheap electric power generated at Niagara and the en-couragement of manufacturing here. There were keen aldermanic competitions amongst the aldermen for positions on the board of

MRS. STERNAMAN'S FATE. Preparations for the Execution of the Con-

demned Murderess Proceeding. rying out of the death sentence on Mrs. Sternaman approaches, preparations are steadily going on to make ready every-thing for the appointed time. Mrs. Ster-naman, realizing the terrible position in which she stands, has made a disposition of

THE ENGINEERS STRIKE.

Lendon, Jan. 10.—There are signs that the end of the great strike in the engineering trade of Great Britain is approaching. Large numbers of Glusgow engineers applied to-day for re-instatement, while the meeting of the engineers of Fairfield accided to continue work in spite of their previous threats to leave work when the first 25 per cent, of their number were locked out.