THE BANKERS PLAY HOCKEY.

THEIR CHAMPIONSHIP SEASON IS OPENED AUSPICIOUSLY.

The Tournament at the Victoria Rink—A Match on Granite Ice—The University Hockeyists—Peterboro' Curlers Strike Town—Osgoode Hall's Football Club—Sport of all Sorts.

Imperial 7. Dominion 6. Toronto 4
Montreal 0. Hamilton 1. Traders' 0

The Bankers' Hockey Association opened their championship series of matches last night with the above result. At the Victoria Rink two of these were played and also an exhibition game between "C" School and the Vics. It was a grand hockey tourney and the big crowd present thoroughly enjoyed the sport and the fine play indulged in. The band of "C" School enlivened proceedings from the gallery. At the Granite Rink the Imperials and Montreals played a championship match before a large number of spectators.

Imperials Easily Beat Montreal.

The Imperial Bank hockeyists defeated the Montreal seven with the greatest ease last night at the Granite Rink in the bankers' championship match. Creelman, Brown and Chadwick were the best of the speedy lot of Imperials, while Lockhart and Boulton were most prominent on the Montreal side. The teams were:

Imperial (7): Goal, Gordon; point, Chadwick; cover, Milligan; forwards, Merritt, Murray, Brown, Creelman.

Montreal (0): Goal, Macnider; point, Carmichael; cover, Lockhart; forwards, Elwood, Boulton, Webster, Bradshaw.

Referee—J. S. Garvin.

Dominion Easily Downs Hamilton.

The Dominion Bankers defeated Hamilton's seven in their championship match at the Victoria Rink last night by 6 goals to 1. Gillespie 2, Walsh 1, Mitchell 1, Jones 1 and Maule 1 were the men to score the points and Forsyth shot Hamilton's only goal. The teams were as follows:

Dominion (6): Goal, Bethune; point, Bogert; cover, Gillespie; forwards, Jones, Maule, Mitchell, Walsh.

Hamilton (1): Goal, Veasey; point, Ray; cover, Cassels; forwards, Campbell, Hazelwood, Carmichael, Forsyth.

Referee—W. A. Lees.

Traders Succumb to Toronto.

The championship match between the Toronto and Traders' Bank representatives last night at the Victoria Rink was won by the first-named seven, the score standing four to nil at the close. Although not securing a point the Traders played a plucky game and made the winners hustle for their victory. The teams were:

Toronto (4): Goal, Barker; point, Read; cover Johnston, Cotter; forwards, Hargrath, Boultbee, Carlyle.

Traders (0): Goal, Andrews; point, Alley; cover, Muir, Hillary; forwards, Booker, Matthews, Muir. Referee C. K. Temple.

An Exhibition Game at Victoria.

"C" School's seven continued in their career of defeat last night at the Victoria Rink, their victorious opponents being the Victorias, who scored 4 goals to the soldiers' 1. The military men play an admirable uphill game and never quit on account of being behind. The teams were:

Victoria (4): Goal, Wadsworth; point, Swabey; cover, Craig; forwards, Hamilton, Cameron, Jones, Burritt.

"C" School (1): Goal, Heward; point, Laurie; cover, Small; forwards, Evans, Chapman, Galloway, Dewart.

HOCKEY AT 'VARSITY.

Officers of the New University Organization—Look Out for the Students.

An enthusiastic meeting of 'Varsity men was held in room 18, residence, on Tuesday night to consider the formation of a hockey club. The following officers were elected:

Honorary President—Sir Daniel Wilson.
President—A. T. Kirkpatrick, '91.
Secretary-Treasurer—Peter White, '92.
Committee—J. W. Bain, '94, arts; W. E. Crain, '94, medicine; W. A. Harvey, '92, School of Science.

There is every indication that the students will have a strong seven, with such players as the two Whites, Cameron, Lucas, Crain, Gilmour, Clayes, Bain, Thomson and Freeman and a host of others to choose from.

Messrs. Bain and Harvey were appointed to interview the managers of the several city rinks, the lack of a suitable sheet of ice at present being the only obstacle to contend with. This was done yesterday, and Messrs. Bain and Harvey were successful in getting the choice of two rinks, Mutual-street and Prospect Park, on either of which they may practice four times a week, paying therefor the rental of $50. It is understood that the committee has chosen the latter one and will commence practice at once.

Governors at McGill have written for a date on which to play their brother-students in Toronto, and it is not at all unlikely that old Varsity's pets will journey as far as Kingston to cross shinnies with Queen's and the R.M.C.

Peter White, the secretary, is very anxious to hear from the other city clubs, U.C.C. and Granites in particular.

Sir Daniel Wilson, besides giving a liberal donation to the club, is greatly in favor of the formation of the club, and yesterday he informed the president and secretary that, if they were unsuccessful in their endeavor to get a rink, the men might have a large open one on the campus, but it is doubtful if this kind offer will be taken advantage of, owing chiefly to the lateness of the season and the time lost in getting such rink ready.

FRIENDLY CURLING.

Peterboro' Defeats the Granites in a Closely Contested Game.

The Peterboro' Curling Club was represented by six rinks in Toronto yesterday. In the afternoon the whole force invaded Granite ice and won a keenly contested game by six shots. The score:

PETERBORO'.		TORONTO.	
R. B. McKee.		G. W. Anderson.	
M. Hamilton.		D. L. Van Vlack.	
G. W. Hatton.		D. A. Willicle.	
Dr. Boucher, skip	9	T. G. Williamson, skip	21
A. Stevenson.		J. B. Miller.	
Dr. Edwards.		C. A. B. Brown.	
R. S. Davidson.		J. Bruce.	
W. G. Ferguson, skip	18	James Hedley, skip	5
D. W. Dumble.		J. Oliver.	
W. Salisbury.		G. R. Hargraft.	
H. Mallin.		W. C. Matthews.	
T. P. Attrill, skip	18	W. Lawrence, skip	15
G. S. Mathews.		C. H. Edwards.	
D. Bellingham.		A. P. Scott.	
Adam Hall.		W. J. McMurtry.	
C. McGill, skip	17	A. Bertram, skip	18
D. Baptie.		C. Dempsey.	
G. Edmonson.		J. Kilgour.	
R. M. Dennistoun.		G. G. L. Kelso.	
T. Rutherford, skip	17	C. C. Dalton, skip	12
H. Neil.		G. H. Gooderham.	
E. E. Bradburn.		J. C. Lander.	
G. Brown.		F. McEachren.	
S. Ray, skip	25	J. E. Hodgson, skip	12
Total	94	Total	88

Majority for Peterboro, 6 shots.

Toronto Won by 12 Shots.

Peterboro' was less successful in the game in the morning at the Victoria Rink, when the Toronto curlers won by the following score:

TORONTO.		PETERBORO'.	
James Harris.		D. M. Dumble.	
A. G. Hodgetts.		W. Salisbury.	
George McIlturrich.		W. M. Allen.	
J. S. Russell, skip	15	T. P. Attrill, skip	13
A. W. Godson.		R. Neil.	
John Riddell.		T. E. Bradburn.	
Robert Myles.		George Brown.	
John Wright, skip	17	S. Ray, skip	7
W. Stewart.		M. Stevenson.	
F. O. Cayley.		E. B. Edwards.	
W. B. Smith.		R. S. Davidson.	
John Bain, skip	14	W. G. Ferguson, skip	8
R. C. Dickson.		R. S. McKee.	
C. E. Ryerson.		R. M. Hamilton.	
John Shanklin.		G. W. Hatton.	
W. F. Davidson, skip	7	Dr. Boucher, skip	13
Total	53	Total	41

Majority for Toronto, 12 shots.

Malcolm Has No Luck.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—A goodly crowd went up to Van Courtlandt Lake yesterday to witness the National Curling Club tournament for the Mitchell gold and diamond medal. The ice was in fair condition when time for the first tie was called, but later in the day numerous puddles of water covered the lake. About 75 representatives from the following clubs took part: John O'Groat, Mosholu, Utica, Empire City, Thistle, Yonkers, St. Andrew's, Manhattan, Caledonian, Jersey City, New York and Amenion, all of New York; Ivanhoe, Paterson, N.J., and Four Brothers, Canada. As the games proceeded it was seen that the clubs from the northern cities were badly handicapped by the soft ice, while the local clubs had everything their own way. The winners of the first ties were Empire City, Thistle, Yonkers, Manhattan, Caledonian, Ivanhoe and the John O'Groat clubs. David Foutis was the umpire. It was John O'Groats that licked the Canadian curlers as follows:

FOUR BROTHERS.		JOHN O'GROATS.	
J. Richardson.		George Manson.	
Thomas Gibson.		George Williamson.	
Andrew Fleming.		George Bain.	
Robert Malcolm, skip	12	George Ong, skip	13

Majority for John O'Groats, 1 shot.

The third and fourth ties in the Mitchell medal curling match for the champion rink were played at Van Cortlandt Lake yesterday. Empire City beat Manhattan, 18 to 17, and Frazier Rink beat Yankers, 24 to 12. In the fourth tie John O'Groat beat Empire City 10 to 9, and the Fraziers had the bye.

Hockey Puck.

The interest in hockey is now at fever heat, and many matches are being arranged between the banks and city clubs, with what result only the end of the season can tell. The popular place for supplies for this game is H. P. Davies & Co., sporting goods house, 81 Yonge-street. This is also the bureau for supplying the rules of the Ontario Hockey Association.

Chips From the Ice.

In the first Tankard match in group seven the Hamilton Caledonians beat Brantford by 49 to 42.

In the Tankard match at Thorold yesterday Niagara-on-the-Lake was beaten by the locals by 5 shots.

Entries are coming in favorably for the Toronto-Ontario annual match which will likely be a lively contest this season.

A Tankard match took place at Wingham yesterday between Kincardine and Wingham, the home curlers winning by 2 shots.

The Ontario-Quebec interprovincial curling match is off. The lower province men wanted too much arrangement, which the west would not stand.

L. Rubenstein, the Canadian, will take part in the fancy figure skating contests to be held in New York under the auspices of the National Skating Association.

Rates had been made for the curlers of the Ontario branch by the railways which the latter now refuse to live up to. The chances are that a resort to law will be made by the Branch.

A large attendance is expected at the Mutual-street rink this evening to witness the hockey match between the Banks of British North America and Commerce. The game starts at 10 p.m.

At Chatham yesterday Detroit was beaten in a two-rink match by 16 shots. Chatham also beat Thamesville in the afternoon by 11 shots. The matches were for medals presented by the London Curling Club.

Owing to alterations and repairs in their rink the Walkerton C.C., Tankard winners of '90, did not get started until the first of the new year, but they are practising hard and are in it to stay, judging from their victory over Lucknow the other day. The Granites and other city clubs had better keep their eye on the farmers and use the broom with more effect than last year.

What They Think of Fitzsimmons.

Jim Corbett—Fitzsimmons is the greatest man in the world at his weight.

Pat Duffy—I am awfully sorry for Jack, but this man is a wonder.

Major Frank McLaughlin—I was satisfied after the McCarthy fight that Dempsey wouldn't be in it.

Jim Wakely—It's too bad. I would have given up a thousand rather than see Jack whipped.

Gus Tuthill—I was never more surprised. This fellow is a phenomenon.

Jake Kilrain—He's the greatest middleweight in the world.

Billy Muldoon—It will take a good, clever heavyweight to whip him.

Parson Davies—I had it right, but he's a greater man than I thought he was.

Billy Myer—The greatest man alive in his class.

Frank Stevenson—It's too bad, but Jack was clearly outclassed.

Bud Renaud—A world-beater.

For the Middle Weight Championship.

Thomas Riddle and Arthur Steineyer will contest in a 6-round glove fight to-night at the Olympic Gymnasium, opposite Grand Opera House. Both men are in good form and the betting is about even. The men are in the same class, and an excellent 6-round contest will be the result. The balance of the entertainment will consist of tug-of-war, boxing, wrestling, singing, club evolutions and other feats of athletics. Prices to-night are 50c and $1.

Prof. Joe Popp's Academy, Yonge-street.

There will be a rattling go to-night between Joe Martin and Tommy Curtis. Martin undertakes to stop Curtis in six rounds or forfeit the receipts of the house and a bet of $25 a side that he stops him in the six rounds. Sparring by the following talent: Ted Cook, Jack Chapman, Tom Collins, Arthur Schraun, Pete Cordet of Yorkville, Alf. Grinstead, the amateur. Young Jim Popp and Billy Brown of Yorkville spar four rounds.

The Home-Fielder will be Banqueted.

As Dr. E. P. Gordon, the well-known home-fielder of the Toronto Lacrosse Club, will set out within a few days to enter upon his new duties as surgeon of the C.P.R. steamship Empress of Japan, a complimentary banquet will be tendered him on Tuesday evening next at Webb's by the officers and team of the club. Those who desire tickets should communicate with Mr. J. S. Garvin at 18 Wellington-street east by Monday afternoon at latest.

A Few Sweeps at Col. Wells'.

A few sweeps were shot at Col. Wells' hill Thursday afternoon last, when the following scores were made:

First shoot, three prizes—R. A. McCready 10, G. Spiller 8, T. Boswell 8, J. Tizzard 5, H. Haines 5. Ties—Spiller 1, Boswell 0.

Second sweep, three prizes—G. Spiller 9, T. Boswell 9, R. A. McCready 9, D. Beatty 9, H. Haines 8, J. Tizzard 8. Ties—Spiller 3, Boswell 2, McCready 1, Beatty 0.

Ross and Plaisted Will Show Their Skill.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Wallace Ross and Fred Plaisted, alias "The Joker," have made arrangements with Hyde & Behman of the Brooklyn Theatre to give exhibitions of their skill on rowing machines next week. Ross will show what hard work in a rowboat is, and Plaisted will imitate prominent oarsmen and the antics of a novice.

Fred. Mossop's Hostelry.

There has been a marked change at "Head Quarters" since Mr. Fred Mossop took hold of the ribbons. The entire establishment has been redecorated and finished in handsome oiled woods, with plate-glass electric-reflecting mirror bars, which are without a doubt the most brilliant in Canada. The best brands of liquors and cigars are always kept in stock. F. W. Mossop, proprietor. 246

BERLIN'S FOOTBALL MEETING.

The Western Association Will Continue Securing Players for the English Trip.

BERLIN, Jan. 16.—The committee of the Western Football Association met here to-night. Those present were the president, Mr. Dewar, A. Mueller, J. Starr, W. Grant, H. J. Crawford, H. Bowell and D. Forsyth.

The first on the program was to consider the sending of a team to England and Scotland this year. Quite a sum has been subscribed in the Old Country for games there as guarantees. The committee were asked to continue securing players, then report to their English representative their intentions.

The question of changing the cup competition from semi-annual to annual was under discussion but not finished.

Osgoode Hall's Rugby Club.

From present indications Osgoode Hall will have the big Rugby football club of the city next season. An enthusiastic meeting of the law students was held yesterday afternoon at the Hall, when the Osgoode Hall Rugby Football Club was organized and these officers elected:

Hon. President—Hume Blake.
President—E. C. Senkler.
Vice-President—J. H. Moss.
Secretary—Hal B. McGiverin.
Treasurer—J. S. Johnston.
Committee—D'Arcy Martin, W. Cross, J. H. Senkler.

A general meeting of the club will be held at an early date for the purpose of considering bylaws and for outlining their delegates' program for the Rugby Union meeting Jan. 31.

Barney Trafford Will Captain Harvard.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 16.—B. W. Trafford, '93, has been elected captain of Harvard's football eleven. He played full back on the team for two years and on the baseball nine. He is president of his class.

NOT WANTED BY THE ASSOCIATION

Toledo, Rochester and Syracuse Bought Out—The International.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The baseball magnates occupied their time yesterday principally in discussions. Boston blocked proceedings. The Association wants a club in the Hub and the League strongly objects.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The American Association bought out Toledo to-night for $8500, Rochester for $8300 and Syracuse for $7000. The Boston Players' League Club, Chicago and Washingtons have been admitted to fill the vacancies. A stipulation has been made that Boston must charge 50c admission, and other arrangements have been made in regard to the disposition of the players.

[This leaves a clear circuit for the renewal of the International. Toronto is open for a club as a baseball centre. But not a man or a syndicate here at present could be induced to take hold of what they consider a white elephant. The chances are that Toronto will revel in local amateur baseball or at most a Canadian League team the approaching season.]

ON JERSEY'S TRACKS.

Particularly Large Fields at Clifton Yesterday—The Winners.

CLIFTON, Jan. 16.—The track was good and the fields large. The fields were particularly large. Summary:

First race, ⅝ mile—Dixie won, Ecstasy 2, Laymond 3. Time 1.04.

Second race, 1⅛ miles—Vosburg won, Brian Boru 2, Baltimore 3. Time 1.09¾.

Third race, ⅞ mile—Beeton won, Baychester 2, Roseville 3. Time 1.19.

Fourth race, 6½ furlonge—Autocrat won, Glory 2, Silver Prince 3. Time 1.24¼.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—MacBeth won, Joe Courtney 2, Golden Reel 3. Time 2.05¼.

Sixth race, 1 mile—St. Luke won, J.J. O'B. 2, Bradford 3. Time 1.47½.

Jackstaff Won the Run-off.

GLOUCESTER, Jan. 16.—First race, ⅝ mile—Mamie Hay 1, Harrisburg 2, Chambly 3. Time 1.21¾.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Vocaletta, 1, Alfred B. 2, Sonoma 3. Time 1.23.

Third race, ⅞ mile—Kismet 1, Cenwood 2, Hemet 3. Time 1.37.

Fourth race, ⅞ mile—Chieftain d.h., Jackstaff d.h., Umpire Kelly 3. Time 1.36. Jackstaff won the run-off in 3.37.

Fifth race, 1⅛ miles—Crispin 1, Aftermath 2, Lotion 3. Time 2.04.

WINTER BICYCLE SPOKES.

The Torontos will Proceed Towards Incorporation—Wanderers' At Home.

The conversazione to be held in connection with the Toronto Bicycle Club in the Academy of Music, Feb. 3, is likely to prove a great success, as the committee have already received a number of acceptances to their invitations. If any member of the club has been overlooked he may be supplied by making application either to the secretary or H. Bruce Brough, chairman, R. J. Hall, H. English, W. West, F. B. Robins, James Mason, J. Whatmough, E. Y. Parker, secretary of committee.

Members of the Glee Club and orchestra will note the early date of the conversazione, in which they are expected to take a part, and will therefore make an effort to be present at the practices to-night.

As it is desirable that all members of the club should sign the papers transferring their interest in the club property to the officers for the purpose of incorporation, a copy of the transfer has been placed in President Webster's office at 88 Yonge-street, and all members who have not already done so are requested to call and sign the same as soon as possible, so that the committee will be able to have the whole matter adjusted before the regular meeting on the first Monday in February.

The snowshoe brigade have been enjoying pleasant tramps during the last couple of weeks, and the number attending them has considerably increased. The regular tramp from the club house will take place this afternoon at 2¾.

MISCELLANEOUS SPORTING.

Famous Sprinters Matched—Lacrosse, Baseball and General.

Lewis and Leonard wrestle Jan. 26 in Buffalo.

William Bottenus, the clever young fielder late of the Toronto and Toledo teams, has settled in this city.—Buffalo News.

Peter White, '92, captain of the 'Varsity lacrosse team, has called a meeting of the club to arrange for a spring tour.

The annual meeting of the Ontario Cricket Association will be held at the Walker House, Toronto on Tuesday evening, Feb. 3, at 8 o'clock.

Webb has charge of the catering, and the arrangements for the success of the "at home" are being attended to by an efficient committee.

A baseball league to consist of the towns of Greensburg, Scottdale, Jeannette and Connellsville is under contemplation. A meeting of the persons interested will be held shortly and the circuit established.

Dennis Gallagher writes from Buffalo: "I have accepted Mr. R. N. Harrison's challenge and will wrestle on Jan. 26 in Toronto. We wrestle for police championship of United States and Canada. I will bet from $100 to $500 I can defeat him."

Cal McCarthy, the Jersey City champion, who is matched to fight George Dixon before the Puritan Athletic Club in Long Island City next month, is hard at work getting himself in condition for the battle. He is being trained by Jack O'Mara.

Mr. George Henry, undaunted by Mr. Dowland's fine shooting in his recent match for the McDowall cup, has challenged him to shoot for it. Henry was defeated by Dowland for this cup in December, but thinks he can catch up with him this time. The match will be shot Saturday afternoon, Jan. 24.

Zoe Gayton, the actress tramping from San Francisco to New York, has reached Chicago, where she will rest several days before entering on the final long lap in her race against time. Unless an accident occurs Zoe will win the wager of $3000, besides expenses and a theatrical engagement at $500 a week.

Lou Myers of New York and Harry Darrin, champion of England, have signed articles of agreement to run three races within the next six weeks at a place to be mutually agreed upon. The distances will be three-quarters of a mile, half a mile, and a thousand yards, respectively. The stakes, $2500 a side, were deposited with a stakeholder. The winner must be the victor in two of the races.

Secretary James E. Sullivan of the Amateur Athletic Union has been asked to referee the Boston Athletic Association's games Feb. 14. The events to be contested are 75, 300, 600 and 1000 yards and mile flat races, 300 yards high hurdle, mile walk, high jump, pole vault, three-standing broad jumps, putting the shot and mile regimental team race.

One of the prettiest invitations we have seen this season announces the advent of the Wanderers' Snowshoe Club's fourth annual "at home," to be held in the Pavilion Horticultural Gardens on the evening of the 30th inst. The Grenadiers Band has been engaged and will play for the first time in public among its numbers a new jersey by Mr. R. S. Davidson (a member of the club), entitled "Wheeling," and dedicated to the Wanderers.

Toothache cured instantly by using Gibbons Toothache Gum. 246

ON THE NICK OF TIME.

Detective John Cuddy Does the Right Thing in the Right Place.

Detective John Cuddy made an arrest yesterday on general principles which turned out to be the right thing in the right place. While studying horseflesh in Grand's stables he saw a pretty little chestnut mare offered for sale, for which the "owner" was willing to take $75 and then $50. Being a good judge of horses Cuddy thought that the man must be either crazy or crooked to be willing to part with the little beauty at so low a figure. She was worth fully $150. He bought in the animal and after everything had been satisfactorily settled he took the seller to Police Headquarters to more properly explain the pedigree of the horse. He was searched and a rather handsome revolver was found in his pocket. While this was in progress a telephone message was received from Ancaster, near Hamilton, to the effect that a chestnut mare had been stolen from John Robb, a farmer of that place, the night before.

Of course the man was held to await the arrival of a constable from Ancaster with a warrant. The prisoner gives his name as George Steves, and his address 634 Palmerston-avenue. He rode the stolen animal all the way from Ancaster to Toronto, about 45 miles, a bridle being the only ornament which the horse carried.

At the Police Court.

Joseph Morgan was yesterday sent to jail for 30 days for theft of sealskin caps from Messrs. Dineen. George Swalwell was committed to the Central for three months for robbing Joseph Connolly of his watch in Church-street. For two breaches of the liquor law Ellis Vinberg, York-street, was fined $100 and costs or six months. Mrs. Sinclair, restaurateur, Yonge-street, for a similar offence, was fined $20 and costs or 15 days. Henry Oldfield, Henry Brown, Hugh Thompson, Robert Henderson, working tinsmiths, were each fined $1 and costs or 10 days for working at Morgan's restaurant early on Sunday morning. They commenced the job at 7 p.m. Saturday and could not finish it before 3 a.m. Sunday.

Want Their Buildings Enlarged.

The board of management of the Industrial Schools Association met in the Y.M.C.A. buildings yesterday afternoon. There were present Mrs. Aikins, Mrs. W. C. Matthews, Miss Wilkes, F. J. Stewart, Beverley Jones, W. C. Wilkinson, W. J. Hendry, Superintendent McKinnon. Two accounts, one of $2537 for maintenance and another of $517 for permanent improvements, were ordered to be paid.

A committee was appointed to wait on the Government with a view of obtaining funds for enlarging the buildings. Additional room is needed owing to the many urgent demands for admittance. A deputation will also wait on the Government and ask for additional land at Mimico on which to build a new school for girls. Mr. F. J. Stewart was chairman of the meeting.

Paris et les Parisiens.

Prof. George Coutellier's lecture on Paris et les Parisiens, delivered at the Y.M.C.A. building on Thursday evening, was attended by several hundred ladies and gentlemen, the hall being crowded to the doors. Prof. Coutellier delineated in a fluent manner the peculiar characteristics of the city and also the citizens of the French capital. Life on the boulevards, the theatres and the Bois de Boulogne received special attention. The audience, by frequent applause, showed high appreciation of the theme and lecturer. At the close of the lecture Prof. Coutellier spoke in English and evinced much laughter in relating his experiences when first visiting America.

A Legacy From Absconder Henry.

The first arbitration in the new Board of Trade building was held yesterday afternoon. It was to settle a claim of shortage of 400 bushels of oats and 200 bushels of peas in cars sold Norris & Carruthers by Mr. George A. Chapman. The latter bought the grain in dispute from Henry, the Cantham grain dealer who absconded a few weeks ago, and handed over the cars as he got them to Norris & Carruthers. He now holds that he is not responsible, as, according to the bill of lading there were the stipulated number of bushels. The arbitrators, Messrs. W. J. Matthews (chairman), William Galbraith, J. H. Hagerty, have not yet made their award. The sum of money involved is about $300.

Mr. Kiely Gets $42,500.

Judge Morgan, sole arbitrator in the Sherbourne-street bridge arbitration as between the city and Mr. W. T. Kiely, handed out his award yesterday. The city had offered Mr. Kiely $36,000, but this he refused and chose arbitration instead. Judge Morgan gives Kiely $42,500, $6000 more than is offered by the city.

Fifteen Months Free.

"Fifteen months ago I had a healing breast. I tried many remedies but got no relief, I then tried Hagyard's Yellow Oil, which gave me instant ease. It is the best thing I ever used for all kinds of pains or colds." MRS. JOHN CONRAD, St. Mary's, Ont.

On the Free Library Board.

On motion of Ald. Saunders and Shaw Mr. John Taylor was appointed the council's representative on the Free Library Board at last night's meeting.

Income and Outlet.

The three important outlets of disease are the skin, bowels and kidneys. See that they perform their functions properly and use Burdock Blood Bitters to insure this proper action.

Workingmen's Chance

at McKendry's great January sale. There are offered men's wool socks, 10c a pair; men's wool undervests, 39c and 50c, worth 75c; boys' wool shirts, worth 50c, for 25c; men's wool cardigans, were $1.50 and $1.75, for 75c and $1; and bring your wife, who can get a dolman or ulster as low as $2. A wonderful sale at 278 Yonge-street.

Mr. Thomas Ballard, Syracuse, N.Y., writes 'I have been afflicted for nearly a year with the most-to-be-dreaded disease, Dyspepsia, and a times worn out with pain and want of sleep, and after trying almost everything recommended, I tried one box of Parmelee's Valuable Pills. I am now nearly well, and believe they will cure me. I would not be without them for any money."

Cod Liver Oil.

This valuable medicine for weak lungs and debility is frequently rendered unavailable by its strong odor and taste. Caswell, Massey & Co's. Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, with pepsin and quinine, entirely overcomes these objections. See letters from leading physicians. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal, and all druggists. ed

Plews' Flour Mills Burned.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—The east end flour mills, the property of William Plews, were totally destroyed by fire at 7 o'clock this morning. Loss $19,500, insured in the Millers' Mutual for $3000 and Citizens' for $4000.

Severe colds are easily cured by the use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, a medicine of extraordinary penetrating and healing properties. It is acknowledged by those who have used it as being the best medicine sold for coughs, colds, inflammation of the lungs and all affections of the throat and chest. Its agreeableness to the taste makes it a favorite with ladies and children

Messrs. Stott & Jury, chemists, Bowmanville, write: "We would direct attention to Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, which is giving perfect satisfaction to our numerous customers. All the preparations manufactured by this well-known house are among the most reliable in the market.

City Hall Small Talk.

The past year's vital statistics show that there were registered with the City Clerk 4706 births, 1686 marriages, 3511 deaths, or a death rate on a basis of 180,000 population of 19.05 per thousand. In 1889 the births were 4835, marriages 1754, deaths 2872.

The Court of Revision met yesterday afternoon to pass upon vacancy appeals. The court also took the opportunity of confirming the vexed Toronto-street asphalt assessment, and now the only recourse the property-owners interested have is the County Judge.

All the 39 aldermen elected to the council of 1891 have qualified up to date except Ald. F. K. Leslie and Ald. Farquhar.

The council of 1891 meet on Monday at 1 p.m. for the usual inauguration formalities.

Good Advice.

If you do not want to injure your liver and kidneys, don't buy baking powder in bulk. Buy the Priscina or Sorwicke, both are absolutely pure and as cheap as the bulk powders. Purity, of the Priscina and Sorwicke proven by the Dominion Government and equally severe declaration with each package.

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DEATH WAS HIS BRIDE.

A Pedlar Killed by a Snowplow on the Eve of His Marriage.

CAMPBELLTON, Jan. 14.—Mitchell W. Miller a Scotch pedlar, was driving his team across the track on the Dalhousie branch railway, when a wing snowplow struck the team throwing him on the plow. He was thus carried some miles unobserved into Dalhousie station. When found there he was still alive and exclaimed, "My God, I am dying!" and immediately expired. He was to be married in a few days to Miss Chambers of Broadlands. His mother and brother are living in Scotland.

The Master Grants His Fiat.

The master in chambers yesterday granted the fiat in Macdonald v. Clarke allowing the relator, E. A. Macdonald, to serve notice of motion calling upon Mayor Clarke to show by what authority he exercises and enjoys the office of Mayor of Toronto, and to show cause why he should not be unseated. The grounds alleged are those published in yesterday's World. The recognizance is entered into by E. A. Macdonald in the sum of $200; John Arthur Macdonald, agent, and Duncan Campbell, drover, each in $100; to answer the costs of the respondent Clarke and as a guarantee that the matter will be prosecuted.

Mr. Wallbridge stated that it was his intention to take out appointments immediately before John Bruce, special examiner, for the examination of these witnesses in support of the quo warranto proceedings, viz., C. R. W. Biggar, Thomas Moore, F. H. Newton, John McMillan, James Smith, A. Treacan, William Crichton, J. C. Morgan, C. J. Wilson, H. M. Blight, E. F. Clarke, R. R. Clarke, C. H. Clarke, J. Y. Reid, S. F. Wilson, William Lee, J. A. Doris, Thomas O'Brien, E. N. Williams, D. Coulson, Daniel Rose, jr. The motion is returnable on the 24th inst., but it is unlikely that the parties will then be in a position to proceed.

Dr. Robert Hunter of New York and Chicago, the founder of the practice of treating throat and lung diseases by medicated air and who has made a specialty of the treatment of these diseases for over 40 years, has, in association with Dr. James J. Hunter, opened an office for Canada at 109 Bay-street, Toronto, where catarrhal, bronchial and consumptive diseases are now treated by medicated air as successfully as in New York or London.

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Island v. Irwin Park.

Ald. Shaw and George Verra moved that hereafter the name of the Island Park be changed to and called by the name of "Irwin Park, Centre Island," and that authority be hereby given to introduce and pass a bylaw in the terms of this resolution and that hereafter all resolutions and bylaws inconsistent herewith be rescinded and repealed.

This resolution was presented and passed by an almost unanimous vote, the only opponent being Ald. Macdonald. Later a bylaw was introduced covering the terms of the motion, but Ald. Macdonald got it relegated to next year on the point of order that a bylaw should be printed before passing through all its stages.

Cases of Alleged Malpractice.

A motion to dismiss the action of W. A. Willcott against Dr. Doolittle came up before the master in chambers yesterday to dismiss the action for want of prosecution, but was enlarged for one week at the request of the defendant's solicitors. In this action the plaintiff sues for damages for malpractice.

Before the Chancery Divisional Court yesterday a motion was made for a new trial in the case of Wilson v Tamblyn, tried at the last Barrie assizes. At the trial the plaintiff was awarded $300 against the defendant, a physician practising at Barrie, for malpractice. The court granted a new trial.

A Hotel Gutted by Fire.

MONCTON, N.B., Jan. 16.—Fire broke out this morning at 8 o'clock in the kitchen of the Brunswick House. Some 37 rooms were gutted by fire. The employes of the house lost considerable in clothing. Guests lose about $1000. Damage to furniture estimated at $4000; damage to hotel $5000.

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Death of Oxford's Giant.

WOODSTOCK, Jan. 16.—The death is announced of Mr. Thomas Hockey of Ostrander, Dereham township, from pneumonia, in his 36th year. He was the tallest man in this section, being nearly seven feet high.

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The 17th day of January, 1891,

at 8 o'clock p.m., to consider, sanction and confirm bylaw passed by the Directors on the 3d day of January, 1891, to increase the capital stock from ten thousand dollars to fifty thousand dollars. To consider, sanction and confirm a bylaw to increase the number of directors from nine to twelve, and to increase the qualifications of the directors from three shares to ten shares.

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