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EIGHTH YEAR

WEDNESDAY MORNING. MARCH 9, 1887.

LOYAL ULSTER'S CLAIMS

BEPARATE TREATMENT, IT IS SAID, WILL BE ACCORDED HER.

Conference of the Lenders on the Home Rule Question is Reported to Have Re-sulted in the Finding of a Basis for Negotiation.

cable says: A startling thange has come over the political situation during the past twentyfour hours. Prominent supporters of Mr. Gladstone and Lord Hartington have decided to make an attempt to bring the political dead-lock to an end. Confidential meetings with that object in view were held to-day, and the failure of the Tory Government to solve the problem and the necessity of immediate legis-lation in the direction of Home Rule were admatten in the direction of Home Rule were admitted by the Hartington men. Mr. Parnell was taken into the confidence of the promoters of the new movement, and eventually a basis of common action was arranged whereby the daims of Ulster to separate treatment were greed to. Mr. Parnell frankly expressed his islike to the proposal, but in view of the difficulties in the way of the Liberals considered. fishing to the proposal, but in view of the dif-ficulties in the way of the Liberals considered the concession solid enough not to be rejected offhand. A basis for negotiation having thus been found the details have next to be conmade to enlist the rank and file of the being made to enlist the rank and hie of the Liberal dissidents on the side of the promoters of settlement. Considerable difficulty is anticipated with the extremists among the Radicals and Nationalists, who have repeatedly declared that nothing short of an absolutely independent native Irish Parliament will be accepted by them. A Unionist whip was sent at the request of Lord Hartington to test the strength of the dissident side of the coalition. Only eleven members of the party turned up to support the Government. This test measures the effect produced by Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's violent speech last week and the progress of the doctrine of reconciliation among the Liberal Unionists. Mr. Gladstone came down to the House, and in the hope of infunencing the obstructionists declared that the estimates must be passed, and that no possible good could come of further vexatious delay in public business of that character. It is believed the appeal will prove not to have been made in vain, and that greater moderation will be exercised. In Liberal quarters there is great rejoting at the prospect of an understanding between the various wings of the party. It is believed the events of the past twenty-four-hours have brought the country many weeks nearer to a general election, and the triumph of the allied Gladstone Liberals and Parnellites.

Scotland's Secretary of State.

LONDON. March 8.—The Marquis of Lorthin will be appointed Secretary of State for stilling of the state of the state

Soldiers Attacked in Youghal. CORK, March 8.—A mob in Youghal has at-cked the police barracks to prevent the reatened arrest of Father Killeher and ichael Kennedy on a charge of contempt of art for refusing to appear as witnesses in a

THE BULGARIAN TROUBLE.

Russia Has Not Protested Against the
Execution of the Rebels.

London, March 8.—The Moscow Gazette ious state of their country, and against its ion." The Gazette expresses indignat

A Settlement Frobable.

London, March 8.—It is rumored that an agreement has been arrived at between Russia and Austria for the settlement of the difficulties of the Balkan states.

To Summon the Great Sobranje, Soria. March 8.—The Government is about to summon the Great Sobranje. The National party will demand of the Sobranje that greater power be given to the regents. A Rebel Lender Exiled.

RUSTCHUK, MARCH 8—Captain Boilman, a leader in the recent revolt, has been exiled. He is wounded in both legs. Col.Filoff, another of the rebel leaders, is dying from his wounds. The Russian Government, acting through the Roumanian Consul here, has claimed Col. Kiloff as a Russian subject. Russia Has Not Protested.

VIENNA, March 8.—No protest has yet been made by Russia concerning the execution in Bulgaria of officers provided with Russian pasports. In official circles here it is believed Russia will not depart from the policy of inac-tion, which she has hitherto pursued. The Emperor Francis Joseph, conversing with members of the Hungarian Diet to-day, gaid he had every confidence that peace would

The Pope to Deal with Socialism. ROME, March 8.—The Pope is writing an en-clical on the subject of Socialism. He will

goon, March 8.—The Woontho Tsawbwa bmitted to the British, and has agreed to bute and to deliver up his arms. This is has submitted to the British arms. This is pay tribute and to deliver up his arms. This is an important step in the work of pacifying the people of Upper Burmah. CABLE NOTES. Slight earthquake shocks were felt at Mentone

Gen. Castello, Spanish Minister of War, is about to resign.

Lord Randolph Churchill has arrived at Catania, Sicily.

hree Men Killed and Seven Serious injured.

New York, March &—An socident occurred this morning on the Third-avenue elevated road, resulting from people clambering down upon the foot path alongside of the down track. The trains on the road had been blocked because of a large fire on the Bowery in Nicoll's clothing establishment. The blocking of the trains resulted in a pressure all the stations in but the largest crowds gathered on the Eoutteenth and Eighteenth-street stations on the down-town side. The crowds for the most part consisted of laborers and shop-girls going to work. Between the stations and approached, the family of the dying pastor could be heard weeping and sobbing. Dr. Searle stood by the bedside, bolding one of Mr. Beecher's hands, and at 9.30 he said. Searle stood by the bedside, bolding one of Mr. Beecher's hands, and at 9.30 he said. He trains, suddenly and without the slighest warning, began to move. This caused a panio among those nearest to the platform of the station because of the the track. One of the station because of the the track. One of the station because of the the track. One of the station because of the the track. One of the station because of the the track. One of the station because of the the track. One of the platform he missed his hold and stumbling threw those directly following him into a confused mass, and some fourteen fell off the narrow plank walk into the street. There were no women among the walkers, but those who were on the station set up a strick of the platform he missed his hold and stumbling threw those directly following him into a confused mass, and some fourteen fell off the narrow plank walk into the street. There were no women among the walkers, but those who were on the station set up a strick of the control of the narrow plank walk into the street. There were no women among the walkers, but those who would not be long before she would follow her beloved husband.

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BERTRAYED HIS TRUST.

An English Naval Employe Divutges secrets of His Department.

London, March 8.—A draughtsman named Terry, employed at the Chatham dock yard, has been publicly dismissed for selling information. He is charged with giving foreigners details of the modern improvements in torpedoes and other naval devices adopted by the British Government. Suspicion was excited against the accused by the fact that certain foreign scientific journals printed articles commenting on innevations in the English navy and gave information concerning them, supposed to be in the exclusive possession of the admiralty, and especially by the fact that an American journal printed the exact wording of the confidential specification for the manufacture of a new torpedo appliance still in the draughtsman's office, pending approva.

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It is proved that Terry's revelations went indirectly to the American Legation. Terry addited the truth of the charge against him but eclared he did not know for whom the infortation was intended.

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THE IRISH AGITATION.

Archbishop Croke Sends an Explanatory
Letter to the Pope.

DUBLIN. March & —Archbishop Croke has
written to the Pope in explanation of his attitude
on the rentquestion. He says he has proposed
nothing, nor has he made any recommendation
relative to taxes. He has simply expressed an
opinion concerning the relative value of a notax manifesto and a no-rent manifesto. He
states that it never entered his head to recommend a general uprising against the payment
of taxes. He would trust alone to a constitutional agitation for a restoration of national
rights in Ireland. Under existing conditions
only a knave or a fool, he declares, would trust
otherwise. It is believed that the action of
Archbishop Croke, in offering this explanation,
te the result of pressure from the Pope. The Thrilling Experience of a Buffalo

The Fly Wheel Burst.
CHTCAGO, Ill., March &—At the North Chicago Rolling Mills this afternoon the belt on

The Mississippi Overflow.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 8.—The overflow of the Mississippi has inundated the track of the Memphis and Little Rock road from Hopefield to Marsden, Ark., a distance of forty miles, making travel impracticable. The west bank of the river from the Missouri to Memphis is almost wholly under water. The levees below the city are still intact.

A Vagrant Sold at Auction.

AUGUSTA, Ky., March 8.—A vagrant named

Augusta, Ky., March 8.—A vagrant named Henry Dodson was sold yesterday to the high-est bidder for a term of seventy-five days. H. C. Metcalf, county jailer. bid him in for \$1 and turned him loose. Crowds from every section of the country came to witness the auction. The dollar goes toward defraying expenses of

UNITED STATES NEWS.

The New York Senate has passed a bill appropriating \$50,000 for canal improvement.

Constable Logan of Des Moines, Iowa, was shot dead on Sunday night by Joseph Row.

Dr. McGlynn's case has been referred to the Propaganda and he will have to go to Rome. child were drowned on Sunday at Sciplo, Ind.
Oscar Neebe, the Chicago Anarchist, will be
permitted to attend the funeral of his wife, who
died from apoplexy on Sunday.
It is reported that the Executive Committee
of the Western Union Telegraph Company
have recommended that no dividend be declared for the past quarter.
Charles Adams of Avon, Mich., had his wife's
body disinterred a month after it had been
buried and had a photograph of it taken. The
people of the town are very much incensed.
After Sunday's storm the ground at Evansin been issued, amount to \$91,939,500, being a increase of \$905,600.

England and Germany will endeavor to effect an include settlement of the dispute between Portugal and Zanzibar.

It is officially stated that the War Office will becommend the Lee-Burton and improved Lee magazine rifles for a final test.

The Russian Government has sent secret instructions to all Government railway inspectors at the subject of the mobilization and transportation of troops.

John Morley has expressed entire sympathy with the spirit and objects of the proposed Importal Institute. He recalls the Queen's fifty feat of blameless life and orderly, progressive control of the order of the town are very much increased. After Sunday's storm the ground at Evansunday's storm the gr

ELEVATED BAILWAY ACCIDENT. PEACEFULLY GONE HOME

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concur with Mr. Beecher in his views, had no hesitation in expressing their deep regret at his death. As a mark of respect to his memory, flags on all public buildings were placed at half-mast and Mayor Whitney had the City Hall bell tolled for half an hour. The committee appointed by the officers of Plymouth Church to take charge of the funeral made the necessary arrangements this morning. Many years ago John S. Howard g ave Mr. Beecher a portion of his plot in Greenwood Cemetery, and members of Afr. Beecher's family who have died have been buried there, but the committee will probably now select another plot. Nearly a hundred telegrams of condo-ence poured into the household within an hour after the death. President Cleveland and Governor Hill were among the first to send such messages.

Cleveland:

EXECUTIVE MANSION.

WASHINGTON, March 8.

Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher:
Accept my heartfelt sympathy in this hour of your bereavement, with the hope that comfort may be vouchsafed from the Heavenly source you know so well.

(Signed).

GROVER CLEVELAND.

The Funeral Arrangements.
NEW YORK, March 8.—The funeral se NEW YORK, March 8.—The funeral services over the remains of Mr. Beecher will be held at the family residence at 9.30 o'clock on Thursday morning, and at the church at 11.30 o'clock. It is the wish of the family that the funeral shall be as quiet as possible. Rev. Dr. C. H. Hall will conduct the services, in accordance with an agreement made years ago between Mr. Beecher and Dr. Hall, that whoever died first the other should officiate at the funeral.

As a Mark of Ecspect.

ALBANY, N.Y., March 8.—The Senate passed resolutions of condolence and sympathy, and both Houses adjourned as a mark of respect to Brooklyn's distinguished dead.

An English Opinion.

London, March 8.—The Daily News, commonting upon the death of the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, says: "He leaves no system either of theology or of church government. His influence, except as a personal recollection, ends with his life. He was for Americans the great expositor of his time. He was a great preacher, and nothing but a preacher."

The Prince's Present Went Asiray.

Washington, March &—A package has been received at the dead-letter office which was malled in Boston and addressed to the Prince of Wales, London, England. If was held for postage. When it was opened it was found to contain a brass figure of Christ, evidently detached from a small erucifix, and a 'small glass tube containing a white liquid and having two wires running through the tube and projecting from both ends. A paper enclosed contained an incoherent sentence. The contents of the glass tube will be analyzed.

Marblehrad, Mass. Mass. Market and worthy the man. His birth and early history can be no better told than in his own words, given to the occurse," he said, "when I was present, of course," he said, "when I was born, but I haven't the slightest recollection of the event. I haven't the slightest recollection of the eve

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MARBLEHEAD, Mass., March 8.—At middingth Daniel Callahan entered the town house, called out Chief of Police Benjamin F. Browns and shot him. inflicting a flesh wound in the back. Callahan was immediately arrested. The had been convicted of a violation of the fliquor law, and this was probably the cause of the shooting. He first called for Officer Files, but on being told that he was engaged elsewhere, said to Chief Brown: "You will do as well." The would-be assussia was under the influence of liquor.

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CHRAGO, March 8.—Nina Van Fandt was permitted to enter the County Jail to-day, and for the first time in six weeks had an opportunity to converse with August Spies, the Antender of the converse with August Spies, the Antender of the converse with August Spies, the Antender of the first time in six weeks had an opportunity to converse with August Spies, the Antender of the first time in six weeks had an opportunity to converse with August Spies, the Antender of the first time in six weeks had an opportunity to converse with August Spies, the Antender of the first time in six weeks had an opportunity to converse with August Spies, the Antender of the first time in six weeks had an opportunity to converse with August Spies, the Antender of the first time in six weeks had no proportunity to converse with August Spies, the Antender of the first time in six weeks had no proportunity to converse with August Spies, the Antender of the first time in six weeks had no proportunity to converse with August Spies, the Antender of the first time in six weeks had no proportunity to converse with Aug

the fire, and I didn't ring the bell only because there wasn't any.

"Well, my next move was to Indianapolis. There I had a more considerable congregation, though I was still far from rich in the world's goods. I believe I was very happy during my eight years out there. I liked the people. They were new people—unlearned and uncultured, like the land they lived on, but they were earnest and honest and strong. But the ague shook us out of the state. My wife's health gave way and we were forced to come East."

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His wife, to whom he here alludes, was born at West Sutton, Worchester County, Mass, in 1812. She was of English descent. Her father, Dr. Bullard, was a physician. Her maiden name was Eunice White Bullard. The lovers were engaged for seven years and were married in 1837, when Mr. Beecher accepted his first call at Lawrenceburg. The issue of the marriage was ten children, of whom four are at present living.

It was almost by accident that Mr. Beecher came to Brooklyn. What is now Plymouth Church had first been organized into a new Congregational church. The first services were to be held on the 16th of May, 1847. He happened to be in New York at the time and was asked to preside at the opening of the new church. He did so. A few months later he was called to the pastorate, and on the 10th of October, in the same year, he entered upon his duties.

Of this all-important episode in his career, he said: "I am the first and only minister that Plymouth Church has had since the first day of its organization. Of my career since assuming this pastorate I prefer not to talk. It is familiar to every one, and I would rather be known by my works, How did I become to be a preacher! I was fate, I suppose; that's all. I do not think that I can honestly assign any other reason. I took to preaching, as did all of my brothers, simply because nobody over dreamed of my father's boys doing anything else. That's all there is to it."

**MASHINGTON, D.C., March 8. —Alfred Lee, Bishop of Delaward and Senior Bishop of the Episcopal Church of the United States, is lying very ill at his residence in this city.

DAWSON PROBABLY ELECTED. Fifty Ahead With Six Places to Hear From Two Days More Before Known.

Special Despatch to The World by C P.R.'s Telegraph PORT ARTHUR, March 8, 8.45 p.m.—Belov are the latest and fullest returns by majoritie

West Algoma.

3 Fort William...

10 Murello....

7 Rainy River...

Yet to Hear From.

These places will be heard from in a couple of days and will probably be about even. It is renerally believed that Dawson is elected by about 40 or 50 majority.

DETROIT. March 8.—The recount of the ballots cast in South Essex at the last election was commenced before Judge Horne yesterday. About half the work was completed last night. So far Dr. Bryan, the Liberal candidate, gained one yole.

British Columbia Elections.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., March & Messrs.
E. C. Baker and Noah Shakespeare, Conservatives, were re-elected to-day to represent Victoria in the House of Commons.

Mr. Chapleau's Victory.

Manitoba Sun: Hon. Mr. Chapleau's majority in Terrebonne is 904. For a Frenchman who boldly assumed the responsibility for the hanging of Riel, he certainly has come out pretty well. Mr. Davin Exhorts the Electors.

Regina Leader: And let the people of the Northwest re-echo the voice of sense, reason and justice which the large majority of the people of the older provinces have raised in support of the great man whose banner has led his hosts once more to victory for "It stands in the Comitium Plain for all folks to see

An Ottawa ex-Alderman's Suits.

OTTAWA. March 8.-The suits brought by on Ald. Brown against a number of prominent citizens, charged with repeating their votes in titizens, charged with repeating their votes in the recent mayoralty election, came up in the Division Court this morning. Judge Daniel, who presided, dismissed the first four in which the evidence was offered, and the remainder were then withdrawn by Brown. The Judge held that it was not sufficient to prove merely that a voter had twice applied for mayorally ballots to secure conviction, but it must be proved that he twice marked those ballots and deposited them. Brown had announced a couple of days ago that charitable institutions were to get the net proceeds of these suits, each of which was for \$50.

Woodstock, March 8.—About 1 o'clock this WOODSTOCK, March 8.—About 1 o'clock this morning a fire was discovered in the cellar of Tuthill's grocery store, which was fortunately soon subdued, but not without considerable loss to stock and building, and also to Perry's photograph stock, immediately above. All are insured in the Waterloo, Western and Economical.

Economical.

Steel wire Mats are now in use in all our principal churches, achools, banks and public buildings. Offices and factory, 6 Wellington west.

A Conductor Killed.

Natural Paris Ont Month 8. This more

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., March 8.—This morning Angus McDonald, a conductor on the Michigan Central Railway, while stepping from one car to another slipped and falling upon the track was so badly injured by the car wheels that he died in a short time. He leaves a widow and family.

Rome, March 8.—Cardinal Gibbons shows a marked tendency toward choosing Santa Maria in Trastevere as his titular church. The church is the oldest and most interesting of the Roman basilicas. The Cardinal will take possession probably on March 20. OUR OWN COUNTRY.

The daily output of the Cascade coal mines near Banfi, N. W. T., is nearly 500 tons.

Sergeant Smith of the Hamilton Police Court is been promoted to be sergeant major, at a lary of \$1000. salary of \$1000.

The St. George's Society of Hamilton will celebrate the Queen's Birthday by a public demonstration at Dundurn or the Crystal Palace.

The journeymen tailors of Hamilton are still on strike. A new proposition from the bosses was not entertained. Six firms have agreed to the revised scale.

NO BUSINESS ON THE BILL

when he expected to bring down the estimates Hon. Mr. Ross: "In a few days."

for the strange break which the lords of Pulptower and their organ are making.
Said one: "The late John Riordon got badly 'squeezed' in Mexican silver mines, in breweries and in newspaper ventures. I think the Mail is in the market. It has been in the market before, and I remember when the sheriff offered it to a syndicate of Grits for \$17,000. They almost made up their minds to buy it, just for the purpose of shutting its abusive month."

Another of the party followed suit. He thought that after all the Mail wanted to sell out.

Then the quartet separated, all avowing that the Mail newspaper was in the market. The Standing Committees. The Standing Committees were org resterday, with these chairmen: Private Bills—Col. Gibson (Hamilton).

Public Accounts—Col. Clarke (E. Wel.). Standing Orders—Dr. Widdifield (N. York). Privileges and Elections—Mr. Harcourt Monckl. Railways-Hon. T. B. Pardee.

Speaker Baxter gave a dinner party evening at his quarters. Covers were for 23: for 23:
Speaker Baxter.
Hon. G W Hoss.
Col. Clarke, P.P.
Col. Merch MPP.
G W Monk, MPP.
G W Monk

WM. B. LUSH'S WAYWARD BRIDE. Palmerston Butcher's Matrimonial Woes

—She Skips With \$250.

William B, Lush, a good-looking, middle-aged man, who recently came to this city from Palmerston, is in trouble, and all because of his young wife, to whom he was married only his young write, to whom he was married only ten days ago. He was a prosperous butcher in Palmerston, and owned property in that town and in the county near there. Three or four months ago, while on a visit to Toronto, he beand in the county near there. Three or four months ago, while on a visit to Toronto, he became acquainted with a widow only 20 years of age who boarded at 12 Alice-street. Her name was Mrs. Martha Pitkin. Acquaintance ripened into love, a lengthy correspondence ensued, and the week before last Mr. Lush removed to Toronto, having sold his business and property in Palmerston. A week ago Friday they were married by Rev. John Pearson of Holy Trinity Church. The couple boarded at No. 12 Alice-street, and Mr. Lush purchased a business at 33 Agnes-street.

On Mouday morning Mr. Lush handed his wife \$250 and the shipping bill for some furniture which he had sent on from Palmerston. She went out and he has not seen her since. The shipping bill was afterwards found in the house and the furniture was safe at the freight shed.

Mr. Lush notified the police authorities, and the detectives set to work and traced the missing woman to Suspension Bridge, as they supposed. But yesterday afternoon Mr. Lush received a note from his wife, dated the same morning and written in Toronto. He is satisfied that she is in the city and he hopes that she will return. He does not mind the loss of the money so much as the loss of confidence in his newly made spouse.

A BIG CAPTURE AT HAMILTON.

A Party of Toronto Thieves and Their

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Deputations from Kingston and Montreal waited on the Government at Ottawa yesterday to ask for the complete removal of tolls from the Welland and St. Lawrence canals.

Mr. S. Barker, Geaeral Manager of the Northstern and Northwestern Railway, has been perform the Welland and St. Lawrence canals.

Mr. Marker, though still unable to leave his being the strike of the though still unable to leave his being the strike of the though still unable to leave his being the strike of the Hospital yesterday. The fracture is a bad one.

Frank Mavan, printer, aged 22, of 66 Shuterstreaty afternoon on suspicion of stealing from the Medical Policy and trying to sell in a pawnshop. How a booked up in the Agnesstreet Police Station. Last night a young man named Watson, who said he was a fellow boarder with Mayan, called at Headquarters and said that the latter had been begave him the overcoat and dap to play.

A Befaulting Church Official Arrested. Early yesterday morning a despatch was received at Police Headquarters from Berlin describing John Wenzel, a young man named Watson, who said he was a fellow boarder with Mayan, called at Headquarters and said that the latter had also the limited of the play the strike of the play that the play the strike of the play th

Mortality in Toronto.

—The mortality in Toronto has during the last few days increased to an enormous extent, thousands of deaths occurring, and on enquiry it was found the direct cause was, so many people are buying "Tron English Bedsteads" and "bugs" can't live in them. Strathern has just received a large consignment of them, and for ease cleanliness, comfort, everlasting wear and tear and cheapness, can't be equalled in Canada. On view at 179 Yonge-street.

ROADWAYS AND SEWERS.

THE LEGISLATURE STILL WAITING
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THE LEGISLATURE STILL WAITING
FOR SOMETHING TO DO.

The House Passes a Credit of \$250,000 to Carry on the Civil Government—The Commissioner of Public Works and Mr. Creightion's Returns.

The Government had no business ready for the House yesterday, and the sitting only lasted half an hour. A message was read from the Lieutenant-Governor asking for certain grants to carry on the civil government of the province. The House went into Committee of Supply and then into Committee of Supply and then into Committee of Ways and Means (Col. Gibson in the chair) and passed a credit of \$250,000 through two stages for the purposes named in His Honor's message pending the bringing down and passage of the estimates. The credit is limited to April 15 next. The credit will receive its third reading to day.

Mr. Meredith asked the Provincial Treasurer when he expected to bring down the estimates.

Mr. Meredith "This week!"

Business at the Works Committee—Applications as assistant city engineer agitated the Board of Works at its meeting yesterday; but after hearing the supplicants read a sub-committee, consisting of Ald, Carlyle (St. Thomas), Baxter, Jones and MoMilian, was appointed to report on the best six aspirants for the position. They will meet Thursday at 2 o'clock. Those who sent in applications are:

R. H. Gamble, Lima, Ohio; W. M. Brown, Weston, R.I.; T. C. Hatton, Wilmington, Del.; Wm. Smith Parker, Toronto; M. Dean, Indiasy, Ont; G. W. White, Toronto; Kelly Evans, Toronto; J. T. Gilyeat, Leeds, Eng.; Henry McCulloch, Toronto; Kelly Evans, Toronto; W. R. Dawson, Montreal; B. Webber, New York; R. Crewe, Toronto; Villiers Sankey, Toronto.

Those present at the board were: Ald. Carlyle (Chairmani, Hunter, Baxter, Jones Admilian, Shaw, Morrison and Woods. Tenders for sewers, etc., were opened, and contracts awarded as follows:

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The Government notices of motion ratifying the recommendation of the Provincial Secretary to include the Belleville Hospital and the Petarboro Protestant Home among the charitable institutions receiving provincial aid, as provided for in the Charity Ald Act, were allowed to stand.

Mr. Meredith said he did not oppose this recommendation, but he was of opinion that this class of public expenditure was growing very large. He would like time to look at the Public Accounts to obtain information, under this head, which would be of benefit to the Marchan shout the new Parliament Buildings. Mr. Creighton wants more information than Mr. Fraser maintains is in the possession of his department. He told the member for North Grey that it was merely child's play to move for any more returns. The return brought down on Monday, and ordered to be printed, wousibly be Mr. The House rose at 3.40.

THE WELLAND CANAL

At a special meeting of the Board of Trade.

At a special meeting of the Board of Trade at noon yesterday these gentlemen were elected members: W. H. Lackie, coal merchant; Joseph J. Davies, brewer; James Hewlett, of Hewlett & Bell, real estate dealers; Duncan d'E Cooper, Canadian agent Lehigh Valley Rail; road; George Trimble, contractor; Geo. Gall, June 1988, 19 Cooper, Canadian agent Lenigh Valley Androad; George Trimble, contractor; Geo. Gall lumber merchant; Geo. T. Macdougall, coal merchant; Fred. W. Armitage, grain merchant, President Ince was in the chair.

Mr. H. N. Baird, of Crane & Baird, laid before the Board this letter which had been received by his firm:

MONTERAL March 3, 1887—Messrs. Crane & Baird,

by his him:

MONTERAL, March 3, 1887—Messrs. Crane & Baird,
Toronto: DEAR SINS,—Yours of the second received.

Since writing you I have been in correspondence with
Mr. Ellis, Superintendent of the Welland Canal, and

presentation to the Government at Ottawa setting forth the great loss that will result from so late an opening. The resolution was carried unanimously.

A request in compliance with Mr. Baird's resolution, was sent to the Department of Railways and Canals, at Ottawa last evening.

TWENTY-EIGHT NEW POLICEMEN.

The Commissioners Make a Robust Addition to the City Forre.

The Police Commissioners met yesterday afternoon and selected twenty-eight new men to strengthen the force, which now consists of 11% men and officers. Judge McDougell and Police Magistrate Denison were present, the Mayor being detained elsewhere. In the Police Court chamber were gathered over fitty fine-looking, stalwart young fellows who wanted to wear the dark blue uniform and carry a baton. Other Grasett had a high epinion of them, and afterwards remarked that they were magnificent specimens of mandood. The Commissioners considered each applicatian carefully and elsected these, the pick of the lot, who were instructed to appear at 2 o clock today for pysical explications after which they will also sure:

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Steel wire door mats will not wear out.
They require no shaking as they clean
themselves. They do not fill with dirt and
dust; all dust falls through and can be
readily swept up. 136

The Engineering Seciety.

The Engineering Seciety at the School of Science yesterday afternoon. Mr. W. J. Withrow read a thoroughly scientific paper on "Petroleum," dealing with the localities and strata in which it is to be found, and the different methods of boring. A paper, contributed by Mr. C. W. Starn, on the subject of "Iron Bridges," was also read. Mr. Stern, who is a graduate of the School of Science in this city, is now in the employ of the Passiac Rolling Mill Company. He is thoroughly conversant with bridge building in all its details. The society extended to Professor Galbraith its thanks for the gift of several valuable publications which he has added to the library of the institution.

buffalo robe from M. B. Douglas, Sharon, on Jan. 22.

A Maiden's Queer Revenge.

Martha Young is a stout, fine looking young woman of 22 who spent last night in the Agnes-street Police Station. She was arrested for smashing windows in the house of Mrs. McGarry, 34 Agnes-street, and for using vile language. She says that she lives at 101 Elmstreet and that Mrs. McGarry invited her to her house last night. She was put out by a man in the house and smashed the windows for revenge.

A Pointer.

One of the committee of the Forester's concert last night said: "Those little black line advertisements in The World did more for us than all our other advertising."

PRICE ONE CENT

SUSPENSION OF THE MARITIME

PANIC IN NEW BRUNSWIC

BANK OF ST. JOHN.

nancial Disaster Overtakes Several Lead-ing Firms Down There and Business Circles Are Almost Paralyzed by the Shock.

St. John, N.B., March 8.-A great se the doors closed and no particulars obtainable. Though it was known that the bank's business had been drying up for a considerable time, the suspension, when it did come, caused great surprise. For some days past all sorts of rumors have been afloat as to the stability of several prominent firms here, and some of our commercial men seemed to be struck with a panic, principally due, perhaps, to the fact that the banks had been shutting down on many small traders whose credit depended largely on the prosperity of the large houses. The failure of Cully, Brunning & Wood and its attendant circumstances was a bad blow, and when a few days ago the assignment of Samuel Schofield was announced the shock was complete. No person seems to know much of his affairs as his heavy creditors are in Britain. The failure is said to be due to the decreased valve of shipping. His liabilities are variously stated at from \$75,000 to \$100,000. To cap the climax two preminent grocers are rumored to be in trouble. The failure of the bank was largely precipitated by Schofield's failure. This is its second failure in a few years. The bank was originally established by James Domville, ex.M.P., and his friends. It failed owing to the St. John fire in 1879 or 1830, but was re-established in 1831 under the presidency and management of Thomas McLellan and the directorship of John H. Parks, Jeremiah Harrison, Dr. Boteford and Howard B. Troop. It re-opened with assets and working capital of about \$150,000 above its liabilities. Its position at the end of December last, as shown in the bank statement, was as follows: Capital paid up, \$22,300; reserve fund, \$60,000; notes in circulation, \$231,000; Dominion Government deposits, \$234,500; deposits payable after notice, \$482,000; total liabilities, \$1,276,000. It is believed that the note-holders will be protected in full.

failure was the sole topic in business circles to-day. Only about \$10,000 of stock is held in Nova Scotia, of which \$6000 is in Halifax. Very few of the bank's notes are in circulation in this

A STRIKE AT HEINTZMAN'S. Discharging Workmen Because they Belong to the Knights of Labor. Fifteen polishers in the Heintzman plano Fifteen polishers in the Heintzman plane establishment, in King-street west, went on strike at noon yesterday by order of the District Assembly, K. of L. One of the strikers said last night: "Several weeks ago three men were discharged by the firm, the reason given being that they were incompetent. The discharged employes appealed to the District Assembly and said they were discharged on account of being Knights. No action was taken at the time, but a fourth man having been discharged, and the Knights not being able to get any satisfaction from the firm, the polishers were ordered to quit work, which they did."

A Small Blaze at the Albany Club. The Reform Club had its fire a few days ago and not to be outdone by its political rival th Albany got up one last night. It occurred a

gh the slushy streets.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN. The cock and dog fighting cases were can the Police Court yesterday and further

are at the Rossin.

Lieut.-Col. Gravely of Cobourg is registered at the Queen's.

Mr. W. H. Bowely, County Crown Attorney, Waterloo, is a guest at the Rossin.

Mr. W. C. Caldwell, Mrs. Caldwell and Miss Ida and Maxie Caldwell and Boyd Caldwell, jr., of Lanark are registered at the Rossin.

The Duchess of Richmond is dead at London. Paul Henry Corentin Feval, the French nov-elist, is dead at Paris. enst, is dead at Paris.

Mr. W. H. Fraser, Dominion Appraiser, died at Ottawa yesterday after a lengthy illness, aged 60. Mr. Fraser was well known in Toronto, where he resided when appointed to the appraisership in 1879.

Sir John's Little Joke.
Nicholas Flood Davin wired to Sir John that if he did not succeed this time he would expect to go into the Senate. In that case, said Sir John, you will be come Old Nick.

Weather for Ontario: Southeast, veering to veet and northwest winds, mostly fair; decidedly mild weather during the day, with light falls of steet or rain in a few places; slightly lower tem

Steamship Arrivals.

At New York: Devonia from Glasgow.
At Liverpool: Alaska.