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Saturday, Jan. 9th, at Patsicy Street Methodist Church, address by Rev. R.

J. M. Glassford.

Thanksgiving for families bound together by the love of Christ; for the earnest work carried on by many students in our universities and colleges.—
Eph. iv. 31—32; v. 1—2; Col. 11. IN—22; Deut. vi. 6—9; Ps. cxix. 9—12; cil. 28; 2 Tim. iii. 14—15.

Prayer, that parents may more constantly seek to bring up their children in the fear and tove of God; that greater prominence may be given in Christian households to the study of God's Word and to united prayer; that a special blessing may be outpoured upon universities, colleges, and schools, and that the religious teaching given in them may be thoroughly Scriptural; that Sunday Schools may increasingly become nurseries for God's Kingdom.

It is expected that on the 3rd and 10th sermons will be preached on texts that have been suggested by the parent Society.

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Fred. L. Wood, a convict in San Que in, Cal., prison, who recently inherit is fortune of \$80,900 from the estate its father, a Chicago millionaire, is a ane.

PURCHASE OF FURS.

Friday, January 5th, by Madame Aloni and her distinguish of support, have in every other city in Canada, from Halifrat to this point, teen received by large and delighted and ences. Some papers affirm that Mme A bani's impersonation of Marquerite in the third and fifth acts of "Faust," is deterving of greater commendation than when the madame appeared in the same role so be eight years ago in this country. Mr. Gye, the once leases and manager of the Royal Ital in Opera, London, has carned the good wi i of cities for the way in which he sats the garden and prison sceics. The supporting artistes are said to be picked. Lemprire Pringle, who plays Mephito, has signed since he has been over here to sing at Covint Garden next season. The other artists include Miss Beverly Robinson, soprano, Mr. Braxton Smith, the celchrated tenor from Covent Garden Theatre, London, Eng., Miss Beatrice Langley, a very fine violinist, Signor Armando Seppliii is the conductor. Plan of seats is now open at J. B. Will'ams' drug store.

Immigration Prospec's

Minipeg, Jan. 3.—The Provincial Department of Agriculture is daily in receipt of letter's from people living in the States and eastern Canada asking, for information regarding lands in Manitoba. The greater number of letters from the States are sent by Michigan farmers, who seem to be dissatisfied with their lot in the Wolverine State. Letters also come from nearly all the western and Pacific coast States. If the number of inquiries is an indication of the emigration movement towards this Province next spring there will certainly be quite an influx of new settlers.

London, Jan. 3.—During the last two months Sir Donald Smith, the Canadian-High Commissioner, began an exhaustive

months Sir Donaid Smith, the Canadian High Commissioner, began an exhaustive inquiry into the places of origin of the stream of English emigrants who go to America, with the view of diverting as many as possible of the desirable ones to Canada. In order to assist such a movement he has now arranged that more

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Quebce, Jan. 2.—Hon. Thomas McGreevy died early this morning at the Hotel Dieu Hospital, after a leng and painful lilness. The honorable gentleman had been for a very long time identified with public matters in the City of Quebec. He was a Legislative Councillor from 1887 up to the last general elections, and represented Quebec West in the House of Commons, with the exception of two or three sessions, during which the seat was held by the late Hon. John Hearn. He was expelled from the House of Commons in 1885, following the revelations made by the Hon. J. I. Tarte of his connection with the Quebec harbor works acandals. He contested Quebec West in the general elections of insat June, but was defeated by Hon. R. R. Dobell. The lilness which resulted in his death was contracted about immediately after—he retired from Parliament.

LOCAL NEWS.

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-	Flour (Roller)	\$ 2 15 to \$ 2 40
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t	Middlings	12 00 to 12 00
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1	Hay	8 00 to 8 50
- 1	Straw	3 00 to 8 50
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٠,	Cheese	0 18 to 0 15
. 1	Pork	4 60 to 4 75
. 1	Potatoes, per bag	0 25 to 0 30
. 1	Apples	0 25 to 0 50
	Lambskins	0 80 to 0 40
. 1	Pelts	0 15.to 0 25
.	Hides	4 00 to · 5 00
. !	Fine Wool	0 18 to 0 19
. 1	Coarse Wool	0 18 to 6 19
.	Unwashed Wool	U 11 to U 12
- 1	Turnips	0 07 to 0 08
. !	Timothy	2 00 to 2 50
1	Red Clover	0 00 to 0 00
- 1	Alsike	4 50 to 5 00
П	Wool skins	0 50 to 0 60
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Toronto Mark	ets.
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Oats	0 23 to 0 2
Hay	12 00 to 13 5
Pork	4 75 to 5 40
Barley	0 23 to 0 8
Peas	0 48 to 9 4
Butter rolls	0 15 to 0 16
Forgs	0 20 to 0 2
Potatoes	0 40 to 0 40
Geese	0 06 to 0 07
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GUELPH MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

The following arrangements have been made by the Guelph Ministerial Association for visiting the County Gaol and conducting religious services:

Week beginning
3rd Jan., 1897, Rev. B. B. Williams.
10th Jan., Rev. A. J. Belt, M.A.
17th Jan., Rev. J. C. Smith, B.D.
2th Jan., Rev. Dr. Wardrope.
31st Jan., Rev. Dr. Wardrope.
31st Jan., Rev. Dr. Wardrope.
31st Feb., Rev. J. B. Yager, B.D.
14th Feb., Rev. J. W. Weeks.
28th Feb., Rev. J. W. Weeks.
28th Feb., Rev. S. Sellery, B.D.
4th March, Rev. Wm. Savage.
11th March, Rev. John G. Scott.
18th March, Rev. Mr. Ballard.
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SPEECH BY MR. P. FAHEY

In all this wide world there is nothing so perfect, nothing so pure, nothing so innocent, nothing so lovable as a little child. These little ones here tonight give us the highest conception that we can possibly have of the life and character of Christ. They possess the same innocence of heart and purity of soul that He possessed. When He came to save the world. He came in the guise of a little child, and during the thirty-three years that He labored on this earth the children were His almost constant companions. He loved them because they were like Himself.

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I went to Guelph one day last summer to hear the present Premier of Canada speak. There was a very large audience present, among whom there were between three and four thousand laddes, ranging in ages from fourten up i-well, we'll say thirty. (Laughter.) And just behind and a little above Mr. Laurier there sat a bevy of beautiful young ladies, each of whom held a large bouquet in her hands, and when Mr. Laurier stood up to speak they nearly smothered him in flowers. In acknowledging the compliment, Mr. Laurier said, among other nice things, that he believed that when we had the women with us we had God with us. Well, I am not very sure about that. (Laughter.) You will understand that when Mr. Laurier made this statement, he was not enunciating a principle of his political creed, therefore I am not bound to subscribe to it. But I will tell you what I do believe. I believe that when we have the children with us we have dod with us, or rather, perhaps, when we are with the children we are with God, because of such is the Kingdom of Heaven. "Suffer little children to come unto Me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven." Those of you who are familiar with the contents of this book which I hold in my hand are no doubt well versed in the history of, those two wicked cities, Sodom and Gomorrah, which were destroyed by the direct act of God. But have you ever studied out the real cause for the destruction of those cities? Do you imagine that when God sent His angels to warn Lot of the coming doom that He did not know that there were not ten, nor five, nor two just men in those cities? Of course He did. Sodom and Gomorrah were destroyed by the direct act of God. But have you ever studied out the real cause for the destruction in the coming down that He did not know that there were not ten, nor five, nor two just men in those cities? Of course He did. Sodom and Gomorrah we

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