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MR. BLAKE AND THE C.P.R.

THE HON. GENTLEMAN ASKS SOME PERTINENT QUESTIONS.

No Written but Some Verbal Propositions—Applications for Divorce—The Duty on Rubber.

OTTAWA, Feb 4.—The house sat an hour this afternoon, and the greater part of the time was taken up in discussing the Hansard reports to be furnished to the press throughout the country. The matter was finally referred back to the debates committee.

Among the important notices on the paper was one from Mr. Blake asking whether any proposals, or suggestions, written or verbal, have been made by the Canadian Pacific railway company, or by any of its officers or directors, to the government, or any minister, for any pecuniary relief, or for the postponing or any alteration in the status of the government mortgage, or for the freeing of any pledged property, or for the purchase by or surrender to the government of any lands, or for the surrender of the undertaking to the government, or for any change of any kind, and if so, what, in the existing condition of affairs.

Sir John Macdonald replied that there were no such written suggestions. Regarding any verbal suggestions he would not make any disclosures at present.

T. McIlroy, jr., of the Parkdale rubber works, accompanied by Messrs. Beaty, Hay and Small of Toronto, had an interview with Sir Leonard Tilley this afternoon about a readjustment of the duties on rubber goods. Sir Leonard promised to lay the matter in its entirety before the government.

The Dominion alliance opens in the city hall to-morrow.

Mrs. Evans, the fashionable dressmaker of Wellington street, Toronto, is suing for a divorce. There are six such cases before the senate.

WEAVING THE WEB.

The Evidence Against Cunningham, the Dynamiter, Growing Stronger Daily.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—It is stated that several persons have identified Cunningham as the man who was seen in the immediate vicinity of each of the recent underground railway explosions directly after their occurrence. The police have obtained special information which will probably warrant an indictment against Cunningham for personally operating the dynamite which caused the explosion near Gower street railway station. The three men suspected of causing the explosion rode in the guard's van at the rear of the train, from which it is supposed the dynamite was dropped. The names of all the other passengers were taken, but these three escaped, but were carefully scrutinized. The guard on the train and the sergeant of police, who examined the passengers, have identified Cunningham as one of the three men who were suspected of having caused the explosion. Cunningham was uneasy during the inspection and kept his hat pulled down in an attempt to evade recognition.

To Defend Cunningham.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—A retainer for the defence of Cunningham has been offered to Mr. Russell, Q C.

Clerkenwell Prison Again Threatened.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—The officials at Clerkenwell prison, where Cunningham and Goodyear are confined, and the Scotland Yard detectives were thrown into a state of great excitement to day by the receipt of fresh information that a formidable attempt would be made to rescue the prisoners by destroying the buildings. The structure was immediately placed under a guard of special constables. An extra force of detectives have beeir detailed to patrol the streets leading from Clerkenwell to the Bow street police court.

The Latest Arrest.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—The man arrested in Whitechapel on Tuesday evening with Cunningham's brown box in his possession and charged with complicity in the tower explosion was kept closely confined in Clerkenwell to day. The police refuse to give his name. Among his effects were found several important clues to the identity of other accomplices.

No formal charge will be made against the man until a minute examination of the contents of Cunningham's brown trunk has been concluded.

Plentiful as Colorado Beetles in Summer

LONDON, Feb. 4.—A policeman found a supposed dynamite machine with lighted fuse attached lying near St. John's church in Pimlico last night. He put out the fuse, immersed the apparatus in water, and took it to the police station.

An examination showed there was nothing explosive about the machine.

Vaporings at Paris.

PARIS, Feb. 4.—At a council of dynamiters held here last evening twenty-six extremists were present. It was unanimously resolved that the English government were primarily responsible for the dastardly attack on O Donovan Rossa, and must consequently bear the consequences. Each member present took an oath that the "authors of this cowardly attempt on the life of one of the purest patriots on earth will have to be paid for by the best blood of Britain, not even excepting the heir to the British throne, who is now in our pistol." From remarks made it seems likely that some attempt will be made against the Prince of Wales, who is now spending two weeks at Cannes.

A Mason's Person Sacred.

PARIS, Feb. 4.—At a meeting of Irish revolutionary delegates to-day it was declared that the person of the Prince of Wales was sacred because he was grand master of the freemasons, who have rendered a service to the cause of freedom.

A Whisky Seller's Bequest.

DUBLIN, Feb. 4.—By verdict of a special jury, the will of James Gorman, spirit grocer, who left about a million and a quarter of dollars to various catholic charities has been sustained. The lord mayor here, who was once his shop boy, contested. The will was sustained mainly through the testimony of Cardinal McCabe, to whom Gorman had said that, as he had derived his fortune from the hard earnings of the poor, he felt that he was their trustee, and to the poor should it mainly return.

THE CONQUEST OF CAMEROONS.

Women and Children Killed and Towns Destroyed by the Invading Germans.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—Reports from Cameroons give details of high handed and cruel proceedings of the Germans. On Dec. 20 the Germans attacked Hickory and fired the houses. In retaliation the chiefs at Fosstown seized Woermann's factory and threatened to kill the sub-agent Pontaniecs, if any of the inhabitants of Fosstown were killed. On hearing of the seizure of Pontaniecs the boats attacked Fosstown, the natives returning the fire until the German's landed. Many of the latter were killed. The Germans were obliged to retire, but being reinforced they again charged and drove the natives from the town Chief Calabar Joss being killed. The natives beheaded Pontaniecs, and carried his head through the town on a pole. The Germans fired the town and retired. Hamilton's English factory was destroyed by a shell. Next day the Germans occupied Cameroons. A German vessel then completed the destruction of Hickory. The Baptist mission, which was erected at Great Cove was destroyed. Many women and children were killed. The number of natives killed is unknown, as all were carried into the bush. The natives now trade only with the English. The action of the Germans in making an attack without declaring war and in searching British ships in neutral territory is considered a flagrant violation of international law.

HERO AND HEROINE.

Mrs. Dudley Denounces the Stories About Her as a Tissue of Lies.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Mrs. Dudley said this morning that she was never confined in an English prison of any kind. The many stories published concerning her were a tissue of lies. She also stated that she had no difficulty in learning Rossa's secrets. Woolwich arsenal, the bank of England, the Carlton club and Sandhurst college were doomed. She denied that she was employed in any capacity by the British government. Further investigation of Mrs. Dudley's antecedents shows that when she learned that she was deceived by a mock marriage to a parson in the south of England, she became mad, but declined to prosecut her betraver. A movement has been started in Nottingham, Eng., to raise a national fund for her defence.

Mrs. Dudley and the Clergyman.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—A lady with whom Mrs. Dudley formerly lived at Barnet says that in 1879 Mrs. Dudley declared that she was a married woman, and that her husband was a Frenchman. The landlady said the child afterwards born was illegitimate, and that its father was a clergyman. Mrs. Dudley declared the clergyman achieved his purpose by placing laudanum in a cup of tea which she drank.

Minister West's Opinion.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—British Minister West to-day said no precautions had been taken by him to prevent an attack of dynamiters upon the legation. He deeply regretted the shooting of Rossa and said it would be suspecting England of being a fool to imagine she instigated the attack upon him.

Rossa Removed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—This afternoon Rossa was removed from the Chambers street hospital to St. Vincent's hospital, which is under the charge of sisters of mercy. There he was given a private room and made as comfortable as possible. The bullet is still embedded in his back, but he is able to walk around.

An Austrian Regret.

VIENNA, Feb. 4—The Fremdenblatt openly expresses regret that Mrs. Dudley failed to kill Rossa, and expresses the hope that some Americans will kill him.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

Congress Petitioned to Have the Votes of a Number of States Thrown Out.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Senator Sherman to day presented the following petition, signed by thirty-seven persons:

Whereas in several of the states, among which are South Carolina, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Tennessee and Ohio and some other states, the charge has been made that many of the citizens have been for a series of years, and during the late election for president and vice-president, kept away from the polls by threats and acts of violence and bloodshed, and a system of government unrebuked by some of the aforesaid states,

Therefore, we, citizens of the United States, respectfully petition and earnestly pray that your honorable body will examine these charges of criminal interference with the free suffrage, and if found true that the entire vote of the states so offending illegally cast for president and vice-president may be thrown out of the final count.

The petitioners say "they could secure an indefinite number of names, but think the above number sufficient to represent what is a universal sentiment."

THE NICARAGUAN CANAL.

A Proposition From England to the United States for a Joint Protectorate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—A foreign diplomat is authority for the statement that Minister West has made a proposition looking to the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaties and building the Nicaraguan canal under the joint protection of England and the United States; the canal to be built by a company and its three per cent. bonds to be guaranteed by the two governments. The proposition will be laid before the state department shortly.

The Negro in Illinois.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 4.—The colored residents of Belleflower have received letters stating that if they do not immediately move away it will be the worse for them. The colored people are greatly alarmed. Some of their children have been driven away from school. It is asserted the colored people of other central Illinois precincts are being badly treated.

Extortionate Elevator Charges.

ALBANY, Feb. 4.—The assembly canal committee gave a hearing to-day on the bill to regulate the charges of grain elevators at Buffalo and New York. The Canal Boatmen's association advocate the bill, and maintains that the elevator people charge extortionate prices for elevating and storing grain.

Rolled Down a Mountain.

SHENANDOAH, Feb. 4.—While a team were climbing the mountain to-day with a carriage containing five ladies the horses lost their foothold. The carriage with its occupants was thrown over an embankment. Two were fatally and three seriously injured.

THE SMALLPOX EPIDEMIC

CONSIDERATION THEREOF BY THE LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

A Ninety Minute Session—Dilatoriness of the Government—Business that Should Be Ready.

The proceedings of the local legislature yesterday were of very little interest, the most noticeable feature being a discussion over the smallpox epidemic in Hungerford township and the action of the provincial board of health in connection therewith. Previous to this, however, there were a couple of interpellations—that is the French term for questions put by members to the administration, and as it fills a long felt want we may as well adopt it. The interpellators—that is our own coinage—were Messrs. Brereton and Ermatinger. The first wanted to know whether the government intended to introduce legislation making it obligatory on county councils to aid high schools and collegiate institutes in towns separate from counties for municipal purposes. To which G. W. Ross replied that he would bring in his high school bill on Monday or Tuesday.

Mr. Ermatinger asked if it was contemplated to discontinue so much of the grant to the Provincial Agriculture and Arts association as is applied to the purposes of the Provincial exhibition and distribute it among district exhibitions. Hon. A. M. Ross said the question was under consideration and that the result would be announced with the estimates.

Mr. Wood moved for a return showing the expenditures made in Hungerford township by the authority of the provincial and local boards of health during the smallpox epidemic, with the number of cases and of deaths, and the duration of the epidemic. In speaking to this motion he disclaimed any intention of attacking the boards of health, but said that the expenditure had been extremely large, that great confusion had prevailed, and that some things had been done for which some person was certainly to blame. He instanced the case of a farmer who was compelled to go to the smallpox hospital, though, as was afterwards ascertained, the disease from which he was suffering was not smallpox. He was detained there, and in fourteen days took smallpox and died.

Hon. A. M. Ross appealed to the house to consider the difficulties of the situation. He asserted that when all the facts came out they would reflect the highest credit on the boards of health, and stated that a report on the smallpox epidemic by Dr. Bryce of the provincial board was in the printers' hands. As to the sum expended the portion of it borne by the province was $1600. The township would be responsible for $10,000. There were 200 cases, of which 45 were fatal, and considering the extent of the region affected and the difficulty of causing it to be completely isolated, the scarcity of medical attendance, etc., he did not think that the cost was too great, as but for the measures so effectually applied the disease might have spread to other sections and caused a vastly greater loss of life.

Mr. Morris then gave at some length his experiences in connection with smallpox in Quebec and the Northwest, and dwelt strongly on the necessity of effecting complete isolation of all infected individuals and districts, giving several instances to show how the disease could be checked by prompt measures.

Several other members took part in the debate, which ended by an adoption of the motion, amended so as to include other localities where smallpox had raged and to embrace a wider range of details.

The house rose after a sitting of an hour and a half. The paper contained the following government orders which were allowed to stand:

Second reading bill (No. 60). To further amend the division courts act—Mr. Fraser. Not printed.

Second reading bill (No 61). Respecting the registering of chattel mortgages and bills of sale—Mr. Fraser. Not printed.

Second reading bill (No. 62). To further amend the registry act—Mr. Fraser. Not printed.

House again in committee of supply—Mr. Ross (Huron).

House again in committee of ways and means—Mr. Ross (Huron).

Now, why with all this business before them did the government allow the house to rise after receiving a few petitions, getting an answer to two questions and moving for a return? Why were they not prepared to go on with government business? "Oh, but the bills were not printed," will be the objection of Messrs. Tadpole and Taper of the circumlocution office—masters of the art of "how not to do it." But why are they not printed? Why were they not ready for distribution among members as soon as the address was disposed of? Is there any sense in summoning men from their homes and businesses to sit for an hour or two day after day until the government gets ready to submit its measures? There is no earthly reason, excepting slavish devotion to a bad precedent, why the house should not have sat every night this week upto 10 or 11 o'clock, and made some solid progress with the work of the session, instead of leaving half of it to be rushed through at the close, and the rest indefinitely postponed.

A Muskoka deputation comprising Mr. Bettes, Dr. Howland, J. F. Fauquier, R. N. Hill and others interviewed Mr. Fraser to request a grant for the purpose of making a connection between Fairy Lake, Peninsula Lake and Trading Lake east of Huntsville. The canal connecting these waters is expected to cost between $20 000 and $30,000. Mr. Fraser stated that an appropriation in aid of the enterprise would be made.

Almost a Massacre.

ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 4.—The attack by Osman Digma's followers upon a scouting party of British cavalry proves to have been a narrow escape from wholesale slaughter. The British numbered only 80 men. They were encircled by 5000 Arabs. After severe fighting the British charged in close column through the Arab lines and gained shelter under the guns of Suakim.

The Powers Want More Power.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—There is a hitch in the negotiations for an international guarantee of the proposed Egyptian loan. The German, Russian and Austrian governments demand greater power of enquiry into the finances of Egypt than Lord Granville will concede. It is expected the proposed guarantee of the loan will fail.

The Voyageurs Homeward Bound.

ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 4.—The Canadian voyageurs, whose terms of service have expired, will embark for home to-morrow (Thursday) They were handsomely entertained at the government's expense to-day in recognition of their splendid services.

HORRIBLE CRUELTY.

A Number of Young Men Put an Old Man to Frightful Torture.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 4.—At Portage la Prairie lives an old cripple known as the "Hon. Dr." McFarlane. He is given to drink. The other day while he was inebriated a number of young brutes amused themselves by lighting matches and placing them on the back of his hands, while the sulphur was burning—by this barbarous torture blistering the helpless man's hand in a most horrible manner, and causing him to groan with pain. But not satisfied with this demoniacal and savage amusement, they placed old McFarlane on the floor and sat upon his maimed leg, with the idea of straightening it. This disgusting performance was so painful that McFarlane yelled with agony. His cries attracted the attention of a person—a woman, it is said—who hastily went to ascertain the cause, and who, seeing what was going on, made the men "desist" their inhuman cruelty. A couple of arrests have been made. A policeman is said to have been a passive observer of the barbarous sport. McFarlane is over 70 years of age, and his leg is terribly bent. The attempt to straighten it resulted in a painful rupture.

THE DANGER OF TOBOGGANING.

One Fatal and Several Serious Accidents at Montreal Last Week.

MONTREAL, Feb. 4.—A far greater number of serious accidents happened at the various toboggan sides during the carnival than have so far been published in the local press. An American visitor who received dangerous injuries at the Tuque Bleue slide by coming in collision with a sleigh at the foot of the run has since died, and his body has been taken to his home. A young lady from Boston, who came here with her aunt, met with such serious wounds at one of the mountain slides in a similar way to that of the deceased American gentleman that she has been confined to bed with two doctors attending her since. The sufferer's face is greatly disfigured and her head and body are terribly bruised. The medical attendants have no hopes of their patient recovering for some time. Quite a number of minor accidents are also reported.

Jottings from Hamilton.

HAMILTON, Feb. 4.—Mr. Inglis, of Inglis & Hunter, builders of the new pumping engine for the Toronto waterworks, with Mr. Venables, mechanical engineer of the Toronto waterworks, were in the city to day inspecting Hamilton's water supply system.

Instead of sending the child to a charitable institution the magistrate this morning allowed a woman committed for drunkenness to take her 3 year-old daughter to jail with her for twenty days. The woman's husband wanted to get possession of the child, but as he had been committed for the same offence a few days ago the magistrate ignored his application.

The consecration of the new bishop of Niagara will take place in Christ church cathedral on a date yet to be decided upon.

Rev. Dr. Mockridge of this city, has been appointed temporary secretary to the board of missions of the church of England in Canada, vice Rev. W. F. Campbell, left the limits.

The Reid & Barr Forgeries.

HAMILTON, Feb. 4.—W. C. Bennett of Harley was here to-day to investigate the manner in which his name has been used in the Reid & Barr forgeries. He had some transactions with the firm, but he paid up last May. Two weeks ago he was notified by the bank of Commerce that an over-due note made by him and endorsed by Reid & Barr was held by the bank. The note was sent to the manager of the bank of Commerce at Brantford and examined by Bennett, who pronounced it a forgery. Another note for $1200 which had been retired, and which Bennett supposed was destroyed, was sent to the Brantford branch of the bank last Saturday.

Toronto Crooks Arrested in Montreal.

MONTREAL, Feb. 4.—The city detectives succeeded yesterday in arresting four suspicious characters from Toronto on a charge of being implicated in some of the recent burglaries committed in the city. When searched a full set of burglars' tools was found upon them, besides about $300 and a dynamite cartridge, "Hercules No. Ixx." Some important developments are expected to be made when the prisoners are brought before the police magistrate.

[Inquiry of the police here last night proved that so far they had heard nothing of the arrest.]

A Priest's Undue Influence.

MONTREAL, Feb. 4.—A Mr. Dawson, owner of considerable property on Bleury street, lately died here, and before his death, it is stated, bequeathed his whole estate and personality to a parish clergyman of the Roman catholic church, ignoring completely all his relatives. It is now stated that heirs of the deceased who are residing in the state of California have retained an eminent firm of lawyers to contest the will on the ground of undue influence, so as to obtain their legal rights. The property being so centrally situated is at present very valuable.

The Belleville Defaulter Returns.

BELLEVILLE, Feb. 4.—Robert Yarwood, late teller of the Merchants' bank, has arrived in the custody of a detective, who arrested him in Baltimore. Yarwood left Belleville a defaulter to the extent of $4000. He went to Central America, where he remained until three weeks ago, when he arrived in Baltimore. The authorities having heard of his arrival in Baltimore put a detective upon his track, who captured him and succeeded in persuading him to come back without going through the formality of extradition.

A Daughter's Heartlessness.

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—A heartless tale of cruelty comes from Gloucester township. It is said that the son-in-law and daughter of an old woman drove the latter out and left her in the snow to die. Some parties near by, hearing the moans of the old woman, gave her a night's shelter, and as her friends refuse to take her back, brought her to the Protestant hospital yesterday, where she now lies.

The Orange Bill to be Dropped.

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—A member of parliament, who is also a leading orangeman, states that the grand lodge, which has now the orange bill in charge, will not introduce it again this session.

CANADIAN BASEBALLISTS.

A TEAM TO MAKE A TOUR OF THE UNITED STATES.

Meeting of the Hamilton Cricket Club—The Clippers and their Pennant—A Brutal Purring Match.

It is not expected that there will be any winter trotting meeting this year either at Hamilton or Toronto.

The members of the Toronto snowshoe club, to the number of twenty-five, tramped out to Deer park last night.

Ten rinks of Americans beat ten rinks of Scotchmen on Van Courtlandt lake, New York, on Feb. 2, by 188 to 181.

A number of valuable prizes will be given at a clay pigeon shooting tournament to be held at the byres on Saturday, Feb. 7.

The Clippers of Hamilton have not received the $50 pennant won by them from the Ontario league last year and are beginning to kick. The ten clubs in the league subscribed $5 each for the trophy.

The third annual exhibition of pigeons, poultry and domestic pets, under the auspices of the New York Fanciers' club, was opened yesterday in Madison square garden. There are 2000 entries.

It is understood that the Scholes—Mitchell entertainment will take place in the Adelaide street rink on Monday, Feb. 23. Johnny is suffering just now from a severe cold, but otherwise is in capital trim.

The Primrose baseball club of Hamilton has reorganized under the style of the Primrose baseball and athletic club with the following officers: J. Thompson, manager; J. O'Brien, secretary; J. Jones, treasurer.

Jack Burke and James H. Dalton had a five-round boxing match at Chicago on Monday. Paddy Ryan was referee and gave the match to Burke, who could have knocked his opponent out had he been so minded.

The medals won at the Dog Sports club meeting a few weeks ago will be presented on Saturday next at the Zoo to the owners of the victorious dogs. They are now to be seen in the window of Millar & Co., jewelers, near the corner of King and Church streets.

At the annual meeting of the Hamilton cricket club company on Tuesday evening the following officers were elected: E. Martin, president; Wm. Hendrie, vice president; F. H. Mills, secretary-treasurer; Geo. Roach, R. E. Kennedy, Henry McLaren, J. H. Park, R. K. Hope and A. Harvey, committee. The name of the company was changed to the Hamilton Athletic Park company.

The Washington park club, Chicago, announces 62 entries for the American Derby, 67 for the Sheridan Stakes, 54 for the Drexel, 39 for the Englewood, 87 for the Hyde Park, 64 for the Kenwood, 71 for the Lakeside, 42 for the Washington Park cup, 41 for the Columbia Stakes, 105 for the Oakwood Handicap, 83 for the Great Western, 70 for the Boulevard and 111 for the Quicksteep Stakes.

The following challenge was issued in an English paper on a recent Saturday morning: William Ward, the flying guardsman and champion wood chopper of Northampton, is still open to chop wood against any one (bar Gladstone) for three or five days, for £5 a side, or he will give Alfred Tow five hours' start in five days' work for a similar amount.

John A. Graham, a pedestrian and runner of considerable note, succeeded in beating the best four-mile running record on Saturday night at the Central rink, Lockport, N.Y. His opponent skated five miles against Graham who ran four miles. The latter was victorious by the remarkable score of 18.38, beating the best previous record, that of John White of London, England, for the same distance, made in 1883.

Arrangements for a tour in the United States by a Canadian baseball team are being perfected by a Hamilton gentleman. The first game will probably be played in Utica, N.Y., on April 6. Managers in Brooklyn, Trenton, Newark, Philadelphia, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington have made dates for the team, which will likely include Conmee and O'Neil of London; Purvis, Atkinson, and perhaps another from Guelph; Macklin of Toronto; James Wilson, Young and a couple of others from Hamilton.

One of those brutal affairs called purring matches took place at Pittsburg for $200 a side, between Jim Myers, an English runner, and Pat. McLaughlin, an Irish fellow-worker, the other day. The men wore knee breeches, which left the calf of the leg bare, and heavy-soled shoes. At the top of each shoe was attached a piece of iron about as sharp as a table knife. They kicked three rounds, at the end of which both had their legs terribly cut up. Finally Myers fainted from loss of blood, and McLaughlin was awarded the stakes.

Ottawa Winter Meeting.

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—The winter meeting began to-day. In the 2.38 class Tommy B. won, Edith taking second money and Moneymaker third. A protest was entered against Tommy B. on the ground that he had a faster ice record than 38. The race is believed to have been fixed. Tommy threw the second heat to Moneymaker, but the judges declared it no heat.

2.38 class.—St. Jacob, Quebec, first easily, Jennie, Montreal, second, and Charlie, Toronto, third, Mitchell, Owen Sound, last.

A Bad Kind of Spirit.

From the Dominion Churchman.

The spirit of the dynamiter is the spirit of hell.

University Consolidation.

From the Acta Victoriana.

Opposition among Victorian alumni will come from older graduates rather than from the younger.

Even Brother Boyle Calls Him Fiend.

From the Irish Canadian.

We are still of the opinion that nothing could so quickly and effectually check the dynamite fiend—so far as that fiend is Irish—as the granting to Ireland the parliament of which she was robbed by England.

Clergymen Should Vote.

Knoxonian in the Canada Presbyterian.

We believe that every minister should record his vote. He is a citizen, and as a citizen he holds the franchise in trust. The exercise of that franchise in a manly and conscientious way will increase his influence.

Brother Dewart Feels Encouraged.

From the Christian Guardian.

Though once in a while somebody grumbles and complains about something which does not suit him, yet we are thankful to say, that kind and encouraging words in regard to our church paper are far more frequent and numerous than those of a contrary character.

Steamship Arrivals.

At Queenston: Arizona from New York.
At Glasgow: Devonia from New York.
At Liverpool: Lake Manitoba from New York.
At Bremen: Gen. Werder, from New York.

The License Commission.

The reform association met on Tuesday night, Capt. McMaster in the chair. An attempt was made to bring up the question of the recent appointments of license commissioners, but the discussion was ruled out of order for want of notice. Notice was then given, so that it will come up next Tuesday night, when a lively time is expected. Peter Ryan will not act as a commissioner under any consideration, so his friends say. They further say that Messrs. Rose and Thwaite will not serve with Mr. Doherty. Would they serve with Mr. Petley, asked the reporter. The reply was that they would. What we are trying to do, said another reformer, is to smooth the business over and harmonise the two factions. Mr. Doherty has a compact following and they will not see him removed.

A Barber's Bright Idea

A bright and original idea struck Tom Rackstraw, the barber, at 1 o'clock this morning, viz, to test the vigilance of the police. He went to the corner of King and Church streets and whistled and yelled for fifteen minutes, but nary a bobby put in an appearance. Mr. Rackstraw is not satisfied with the result of his test and would like an explanation.

THE ANTI-SCOTT BRIGADE.

Hon. Wm. Kyle's Little Deputation of Hotelmen to Call Upon the Premier.

"Hello! Hello!" said a World reporter to a leading anti Scott act man yesterday, "What about this trip that you and Kyle are going to take to Ottawa? Kyle says several hundred are going; what about it?" "Well," said the anti Scott act man, and he was one of the thoroughbred leaders, "I for one won't go. Those who will go are Kyle's fools—men who are in Kyle's hands, and dare not say boo to him. I can tell you that it is a mistake. What can Kyle do at Ottawa? He represents a few men who deal with him—men who listen to whatever clap trap he may choose to tell them. But one thing I can tell you is this: the best and most responsible anti-Scott act men won't go—why should they? Sir John will follow public opinion; and let me tell you, sir, that at the present time the premier is not going to be bull dozed by any deputation that Mr. Kyle may lead to Ottawa." And so The World left this anti Scott man in anything but a good frame of mind.

But Mr. Kyle and his friends take a different view of the proposed delegation. Said a warm friend of Mr. Kyle's yesterday: "Yes, Mr. Kyle deserves every credit for the manner in which he has organized this thing. He has been in direct communication with every license holder from Ottawa to Windsor, and we shall have a big deputation. Sir John will have to listen to our demands. We are too strong for him. He will not dare refuse us."

From all that can be gained from other sources it is learned that Mr. Kyle has been in communication with Mr. Carling and Mr. Costigan, who have undertaken to guarantee that an interview will be granted by the premier to the deputation. But this is by no means certain. Sir John is to a certain extent (looking at it from a domestic point of view) controlled in matters of this kind by Lady Macdonald, who at present takes a leading part in temperance matters at the capital. If Lady Macdonald says "nay" Mr. Kyle and his deputation will return home sadly disappointed. Mr. Kyle has with the most untiring perservance had committees appointed from all the leading towns and villages in Ontario. From Orangeville comes the prim, white-chokered county crown attorney, J. P. McMillan, one of Mr. Mowat's appointees, who heads from the county of Dufferin a deputation who will lay at the feet of Sir John a humble petition in favor of John Peter's principal friends and supporters. From Guelph comes Geo. Bookless, who is in appearance a second edition of the "boy preacher." But not one of the entire deputation dare tell him so. From Toronto goes, according to Mr Kyle's published program Lem Fisher, M McConnell, Harry Hughes, Jim Douglas, Jack Scholes, John Shannessy, Pat O'Connor, Sam Richardson, and last but by no means least, the gallant Major Dawson of the Bodega. "I shall go myself," said Mr. Dawson yesterday, and in The World's opinion that settled the question. All other places are well represented. On the whole Mr. Kyle's big mammoth, greatest effort of my life, anti Scott picnic to Ottawa promises to be one of the biggest events of the session.

DESTRUCTIVE BLAZES IN NEW YORK

One Million and a Half Dollars' Worth of Property Consumed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—One of the largest fires witnessed in New York for some time broke out at midnight in the wine vaults of Steinhardt Bros., Wooster street. The flames spread with frightful rapidity throughout the building, and owing to the inflammable nature of the contents the department were unable to cope with the devouring element. The fire gained such headway that the entire fire department of the lower part of the city was called out. At 1.30 a.m. the roof of the burning building, which is a six story iron structure extending from 106 to 114 Wooster street, and from 97 to 105 Greene street, crashed in and shortly afterwards the walls caved in, crushing the adjoining houses. Contiguous to the burning structure were a number of tenement houses. The police cleared the inmates out, and there are now about fifty families in the station house. Opposite the burning buildings are a row of tenements. Owing to the intense heat from the blazing structure they have cracked the walls on the other side of the street. At 2 a.m. the entire block bounded by Spring, Prince, Wooster and Green streets was threatened. The loss at that time was estimated at $1,500,000.

A Fireman's Fall.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—A fire broke out this evening in a five-story marble building on Barclay street occupied by Major & Knapp, lithographers; Edward Miller & Co., clock manufacturers; Fritzsche Bros., essential oils; John Wygande, glass and crockery. The lithographing firm occupied the three top floors, where eighty men and boys were working when the fire was discovered. The flames spread so rapidly that several of the inmomost were slightly burned in making their escape from the building. There were seventeen engines and two water towers pouring torrents on the flames, but they were difficult to handle owing to the inflammable nature of the contents of the building. Loss $275,000. Fireman James Smith, who mounted to the top story, lost his footing and fell to the street seventy feet below. He was killed.

Fatal Quarrel Between Schoolboys.

CARBONDALE, Ill., Feb. 4.—White Thos. Prickett and Albert Perry, aged 18 and 19 respectively, were quarreling on their return from school last evening Prickett was shot and killed. Perry has been arrested.

The Payment of Irish M.P.'s

DUBLIN, Feb. 4.—Mr. O'Connor, M.P., addressed a meeting of the Irish national league here to day. He said when the proper time arrived Parnell would ask the people to pay Irish members of parliament for their services, and that the result would astonish the world. Mr. O'Connor made no reference to the recent explosions or to the shooting of Rossa.

Bismarck Makes a Proposal.

LONDON, Feb. 4.—Bismarck has made overtures to Lord Granville to join the agreement already entered into by Germany and Russia for the extradition of dynamiters. The proposal has been referred to the cabinet.

The Irish Forever.

CAIRO, Feb. 4.—The first battalion of the Royal Irish regiment gained Wolseley's prize of a hundred pounds sterling for making the quickest passage from Saraas to Debbeh.

A TRAGEDY AT THORNHILL

JOHN ARNOLD SHOT IN THE HEAD BY A STRANGER.

Death After Twenty-Four Hours of Unconsciousness—James Stewart and J. G. Wesley in Jail for Murder.

The Thornhill shooting case, briefly noticed in yesterday's paper, has as was anticipated resulted fatally. John Arnold, the victim, died at 5 20 p.m. yesterday, twenty-four hours after the wound was inflicted. James Stewart, who did the shooting, and his companion, J. G Wesley, are in the Toronto jail, High Constable Jones went up to Thornhill yesterday and gathered the particulars of the affair as related below.

James Stewart and J. G. Wesley drove into Thornhill Tuesday forenoon, putting up at Symons' hotel, where they had dinner. They were strangers in the village and no one knew their mission, but from the manner in which they "sized up" the stores, the knowing ones suspected that they were bent on burglary. But however that may be, the pair had not been at the hotel long before they struck up an acquaintance with Arnold, and the trio indulged in a round of drinks. Arnold was about 23 years of age and of a social disposition. Born and brought up at Thornhill, he had only been down from the Northwest three weeks and was stopping with some of his family relatives, who are old residents up there.

From Symons' the strangers and Arnold proceeded to Collins' hotel, where they sat down to a game of cards, being joined by Hugh Reid, hostler. In the course of the play Arnold accused Stewart of cheating, which accusation the latter answered by striking his accuser in the face. After a while the parties were pacified and Stewart and Wesley went back to Symons' hotel. Arnold and Francis Hoff were passing this place a few minutes later when Wesley hailed the former and asked him in to drink. "I will, if it's in friendship," was Arnold's reply as he and his companion entered. Walking towards the bar they were confronted by Wesley, who struck Arnold in the breast with his left hand, and immediately afterwards Hoff and Stewart engaged in a tussle. "Go for him," shouted Hoff to his companion, by way of encouragement, and Arnold was in the act of taking off his coat, apparently to tackle Wesley, when Stewart stepped up within two or three feet of Arnold, and drawing a revolver, deliberately fired at him. The ball struck Arnold above the left temple, and he fell forward unconscious into the arms of the man who shot him

Intense excitement immediately prevailed. Some one summoned Dr. Nellis who pronounced the wound of a fatal nature. With all possible speed Dr. W. T. Aikins was brought up from the city only to confirm this opinion. Dr. Langstaff also participated in the consultation. The bullet was probed for without success. All the while the wounded man lay unconscious and the doctors said he could not live.

In the meantime what about the men responsible for the deed? They during the excitement ordered the hostler to bring forth their rig, but he refused to do so, and the two proceeded on foot up the road. When things had somewhat quieted down, the strangers were thought of and James Webster, Michael Horn, Albert Lyons and — Bilton, armed with shot guns, started in pursuit. Half a mile up the road the fugitives were overtaken and surrendered. They had seized a team of horses and sleigh in charge of a boy and would have had a long lead of their pursuers had not the sleigh capsized and left them in the lurch. A dark lantern and a rope were subsequently found at this spot, having no doubt been thrown away by Stewart and Wesley as the pursuing party approached. Brought back to the village, the prisoners were searched. Burglars' tools, powder and two revolvers were found on them, disclosing the object of their presence at Thornhill to a certainty. Isaac Chapman, J.P., held a court, heard some evidence, and forthwith committed Wesley and Stewart for trial on a charge of shooting. Constables guarded them all night, and yesterday they were jailed in this city. Very little is known concerning them. Wesley is a middle-aged man and Stewart about ten years younger. They gave their occupation as coopers. The police do not know them.

Arnold remained unconscious at Symons' all night. At noon yesterday he was removed to his folks' house. The doctors were in constant attendance but the sufferer never rallied and died at 5 20 in the afternoon, twenty four hours after he was shot down. High Constable Jones has made arrangements for Coroner Johnson to hold an inquest at Thornhill this afternoon. The prisoners will be taken there this forenoon.

PERSONAL.

We are informed that Judge Morrison has not resigned.

Rev. J C. Antliff B.D., has left Brantford for a visit to England on family affairs.

Reginald Kennedy of the Hamilton Times, president of the Central fair, was in town yesterday.

S. K. Martin has been elected corresponding secretary of the Mathematical society of University college.

Rev. Kennedy Creighton, although still suffering from his recent stroke of paralysis, is considerably better.

Mrs. Acton Burrows, wife of the deputy minister of agriculture for Manitoba, died at Winnipeg after a lingering illness on Feb. 3.

The emperor of Germany attended the court ball at Berlin on Tuesday night and led the court polonaise. His majesty will be 88 on March 22.

Wolseley in a private letter says, "I have personally known only two heroes in the course of my life. One was Gen. Lee and the other Gen. Gordon."

Rev. T. T. Johnston of Ancaster has been offered the pulpit of the Anderson street church, Savannah, Ga., at a salary of $1200, but has declined it.

C. H. Boyd, B.A. (Victoria) has been appointed professor of physics in the Washington university. Prof. Gould (another Victoria man) is also in the same institution.

Princess Louise, through the governor-general, has donated to the province of Quebec a valuable collection of paintings including a portrait of the queen, by Landseer, the marriage of the queen and Prince Consort. The pictures, ten in number, will be placed in the new parliament buildings in Quebec.

THE WORLD WOULD LIKE TO KNOW

Why the Dude minstrels are not going to have a street parade to-day.

With Mr. Schuch at the head,

And all the members in plug hats and old-markots.

And Morley Punshon playing the drum.

Clearing and Colder.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, TORONTO, Feb. 5, 1 a.m.—*A decided increase in pressure is taking place over the Northwest with much colder weather. It is cloudy everywhere and light snow is falling at most places. The temperature is falling in the lake region and is slightly higher in the eastern provinces.*

Probabilities — Lakes: Fresh to strong northerly winds; partially clearing, colder weather with a few snow flurries.

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THURSDAY MORNING, FEB. 5, 1885.

To Correspondents.

Address all communications to The World, Toronto. Delay has been caused by addressing our letters to The World Publishing Co., or to The World Printing Co., the former of which is a Guelph book concern with a Toronto agent, and the latter has ceased to exist.

The World's Boom.

Our new perfecting printing press is in position, and was started yesterday for the first time in the way of "limbering her up." We hope, in the course of a week, to print The World on it, when we shall be able to catch the early mails without fail and supply the entire city, subscribers and newsdealers, before 6 o'clock in the morning.

"Not for Joe."

The Globe quotes, with approval, something that was said recently at a meeting of the London Workingmen's association. It was resolved:

That, considering how absolutely the industrial prosperity—nay, the existence—of the population of Great Britain, according to its actual rate of increase, depends upon the maintenance and continued growth of our external trade, and considering, moreover, how largely (under the present extreme industrial competit on and prohibitive fiscal policy of foreign countries) an external trade in products of British manufacture is dependent on our colonial markets, this conference recognizes the vast importance and imperative necessity of establishing forthwith an inseparable fiscal and political union or federation, analogous to that of the United States, between the mother country and her colonies by the complete abolition of all tariffs in restraint of free trade throughout the empire, and by the adequate representation of our colonies and dependencies (according to the amount of their civilized population and their share of imperial taxation) in a paramount diet or parliament of the whole empire, which would constitutionally be authorized to utilize and develop by all needful ways and means the boundless commercial and territorial resources of the British commonwealth.

To which we reply, most emphatically, "Not for Joe." We don't want it, and we ain't going to have it. We want no representation in any diet or parliament sitting in London. Nothing of the kind. Our ambition lies in quite another direction.

We want to be represented in London by *one man only*, responsible to the government of Canada. Any division of responsibility would be fatal to our independence. To the workingmen of England our answer is short and sharp. We are going to do our own work, and you have no business whatever to say that you want to do it for us. We take the notion to make machinery, and weave cloth, and to do lots of other things for ourselves. What right have you to say that we shall not?

Fair play to the mother country, of course, no advantage to any foreign country, "not if we know it." But we claim the right of enlightened selfishness. If we are going to manufacture for ourselves, and to adopt a policy leading that way, who objects? The imperial government may object, and we know it does *sub rosa*, but practically the commercial independence of Canada is conceded.

But the workingmen of England want our tariff abolished, eh! Probably they do. The trouble is that we want the work to be done here, not there. The Americans also would like us to drop our tariff so that they could sell more in Canada than they do now.

We present the plump and plain selfish view of it, for Canada. We want a policy that will keep our work for our own workmen, as far as possible. We want to keep work for men in Toronto and Montreal, instead of sending it to Pennsylvania, or Connecticut, or Lancashire, or Yorkshire. We proclaim the gospel of honest selfishness; our own right to our own markets. Who says nay?

Insurance Commissions.

In the case of Powell v. the Quebec and London (England) fire insurance companies, tried at the civil assizes yesterday, an important feature was disclosed. From the evidence adduced at the trial it would seem as if a man, no matter in how humble circumstance he may be, could procure a policy of insurance on his stock, provided he would say to the always present insurance agent that his stock was worth so many dollars in excess of the insurance asked. One-half the fires which occur in Canada and the United States are solely due to the fact that parties have effected larger insurances on their stocks or furniture than they are actually worth, and it would be well if the insurance companies would make it a rule not to accept any risks unless they had been passed as good and reliable by their paid inspectors. Agents often strain a point to get their commissions on insurance policies.

The Western Canada Loan and Savings Co.

This model financial institution held its annual meeting yesterday, and the directors were able as usual to present to their shareholders a satisfactory statement of their affairs. One of the most prudent acts of the manager, Mr. Lee, and one that the directors and shareholders approved, was the setting aside of over $17,000 as a special guarantee or reserve fund to provide against any losses that might occur in Manitoba. In Ontario the company get 7 per cent. on good mortgages; in Manitoba they earn 9 to 10 per cent.; yet as there is some uncertainty in Manitoba values, Mr. Lee, after a visit to that province, decided to recommend the creation of this reserve out of the extra rate paid on loans in the Northwest. Should Manitoba farm investments of the nature of the Western Canada's continue as good as they now are and values hold their own this reserve fund will be distributed among the shareholders at a later date. In the meantime the company has taken the prudent course and the shareholders are to be congratulated on the fact that their interests are so carefully looked after by Mr. Lee.

Our American neighbors fought for independence, and achieved it, about a hundred years ago. So they did, then, but subsequently they have passed under another rule. George the Third did not exact half the galling subjection from his American subjects that the republic pays now to the Irish vote in New York and Brooklyn. Americans are feeling sorely under their chains, but how they are going to get their freedom does not yet appear. Like other conquered peoples, they will have to bide their time, and wait their chances. But an American rebellion against foreign rule may come any day. And when it does come it will be "there."

The natives of Cameroons have a very effective constitution of their own. When their king exceeds the proper limit of his authority they flog him until he recognizes popular rights. It is not surprising to learn that after a recent application of this discipline he entirely changed his mind as to his foreign policy. Most anybody would. This is better than the Russian system. If the czar were subject to an occasional flogging he would avoid many mental pains more excruciating than physical sufferings can be.

Owney Geoghan, a New York tough, died worth considerable money, acquired by all manner of illicit traffic. At his funeral two factions of friends quarreled as to which should do most honor to the corpse, and Owney was buried with all the honors known to his class. Had he remained an honest, laboring man and died penniless none of his relatives would have disputed the city undertaker's right to dispose of his remains. Mighty is money, and every man is its servant.

Montrealers are more than fond of demonstrations and celebrations. They have no sooner got through with the carnival than they propose to celebrate Gen. Stewart's victory in the Soudan. We fail to see wherein that victory differed materially from many other similar achievements by British troops in Asia and Africa which nobody in Canada ever dreamed of celebrating. If Canadians are to make public demonstrations over every victory gained by British arms over barbarous tribes in petty wars we shall have little time left for attention to Canadian public affairs. The chief result of the Montreal "blow out" will be the parade in print of the names of its promoters. And perhaps it is to glorify these rather than to honor Gen. Stewart that it is to be held.

Mrs. Dudley says it was the easiest thing imaginable to obtain O'Donovan Rossa's secrets. Even dynamiters are not proof against the wiles of a pretty woman, and it is strange the knowledge of this fact has not previously been used to get into the confidence of the brotherhood. To onlookers it begins to appear very much as if, after the fashion of the nihilists, who are said to have agents in the very palaces of the czar, the explosive faction, if they have no active workers, have at least sympathisers very close to police headquarters.

Fair play is a jewel. If the United States is to be held responsible for harboring O'Donovan Rossa and his crew, France, in simple justice, must be called to account for the shelter she is affording at Paris to a branch of the villainous crowd. The latest reports are to the effect that an attempt is to be made on the life of the Prince of Wales now on a visit to Cannes. If the report be true the leaders are scarcely so shrewd as the world at large has hitherto given them credit for being, for they must know that any outrage committed or attempted in the land that gives them refuge must lead to their expulsion from that land.

The London Standard, a cablegram says, advises Mr. Parnell to take the fate of Rossa to heart, and says stranger things have happened than that he too should find his Nemesis. This is very like the priest's advice to Pat not to hit an antagonist with a brick, and has somewhat the appearance of an instigation to murder.

For Allen Pringle's Benefit.

Editor World: In reply to Mr. Pringle, I would say that dynamiters, etc., being members of murderous and secret societies are not catholics. Because all members of such societies are under the ban of the church and as a necessary consequence are deprived of all christian rites, while remaining under the ban; and if the gentleman wishes to be enlightened on catholic doctrines on the subject let him purchase Butler's cathechism (price five cents) and read what is forbidden by the fifth commandment, and if he needs further information, any of our clergymen will be happy to enlighten him. THOMAS CATHAIL.

A Word for O'Donovan Rossa.

Editor World: Permit me, now that the phials of wrath are being so plenteously poured out on the devoted hero of Rossa by the press on both sides of the Atlantic, to throw a little light on the character of this man. The first position which Rossa occupied whilst still living on his father's farm was relieving officer in the Skibbereen Union, county Cork, which he held from '47 to '50. As a matter of course his whole time was spent amongst the poor, who were starving by the thousands, whilst sheep and cows, shaking with flesh, were quietly browsing in the fields all round. It was the woeful sights which he daily witnessed that forced the young enthusiast into the revolutionary ranks. He was arrested in '67, convicted of high treason, and sent to Dartmoor prison for life. Here, not being able to perform the work allotted to him, he was sent to the dark cell. For more than four years he was subjected to the most cruel treatment, kicked, spat upon, and even whipped repeatedly, and ultimately his hands were ironed behind his back, and in this position he was left for twenty-eight days. Not even when food was set before him were the "darbies" removed and he was obliged to lap it up like a dog. The investigation before Mr. Poland, police magistrate, when all this came out on oath was held some thirteen years ago. Granted that Rossa is a brute who or what made a brute of him?

FAIR PLAY.

Fight the Devil With Fire.

Editor World: Should murderers be murdered? Should assassins be assassinated? Should dynamiters be themselves blown up with dynamite? Should we fight the devil with fire?

I answer, yes—a thousand times yes. Show mercy to a tiger. The more fool you. If you are such a consumed old fool as to debate about the rights of the tiger, then, I say, let him eat you up. He will do it. After you are dead and gone your descendants may find out that it was a most infernal mistake to nurse a tiger at all, and to coddle him, and pet him, and so on.

Still, before you die, while it is yet time, just take a look at the tiger's claws and see how they work. Are we to be merciful to tigers? That is the question. MAC.

O'Donovan Rossa's Advertisement.

Editor World: It seems to me that the newspapers are playing into this scamp's hands. Is not the whole thing a put-up job? Could the woman have helped killing him if she had wanted to? Read his own deposition, and it looks very like a job. Besides the coward who could walk half a mile to the hospital professes that he had not pluck enough to take the pistol away from the woman but lay on the ground crying until she had finished. My own impression is that his pals had found out his cowardice and cast him off, and so in order to awake sympathy from the public he wrote himself threatening letters, then publicly proclaimed that he was going to be shot and a few days afterwards got this woman to fire this toy through his coat tails. TRUE BLUE.

A Very Plain Question.

Editor World: Why should it be that Gladstone and Forster, and other public men in England, dare not move a foot without being strongly guarded? They are in danger of their lives at every step.

Meantime Parnell goes about safe and sure. Is this right? We say it is not. If one bullet threatens Gladstone, another of about the same size should threaten Parnell. If you are able, give us one good reason why Gladstone or the Prince of Wales should be shot or Parnell spared. There must be shooting both ways to make it even. AROS.

An Excellent Report.

Hon. Jos. G. Goodridge of Brooklyn, N.Y., writes: "I cannot express myself in sufficiently praiseworthy terms of Burdock Blood Bitters which I have used for the past two years with great benefit."

Local Produce Markets.

THE FARMERS MARKET.—The receipts of grain on the street yesterday were small and prices unchanged. About 1000 bushels of wheat offered and sold at 81c to 82c for both fall and spring, and 66c to 68c for goose. Barley firm, with sales of 600 bushels at 60c to 72c. Oats firm at 34c for 300 bushels. Peas are nominal at 57c to 60c, and rye at 56c to 57c. Hay firm; thirty loads sold at $7.50 to $10 for clover, and at $12 to $15 for timothy. Straw sold at $7.50 to $10 a ton. Hogs steady at $5.75 to $6, but a few very choice sold at $6.10 to $6.25. Beef, $4.50 to $6 for forequarters, and $6.50 to $8 for hindquarters. Mutton, carcase, $6 to $7.25. Lamb $7 to $8 50.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.—This market was fairly active yesterday, and prices steady. Beef, roast, 10c to 13c, sirloin steak, 11c to 12c; round steak, 9c to 10c; mutton, legs and chops, 10c to 12c; inferior cuts, 7c to 8c; lamb, per pound, 12c to 13c; forequarters 7c to 8c; veal, best joints, 10c to 12c; inferior cuts 7c to 8c; pork, chops and roast, 9c to 10c; butter, pound rolls, 20c to 23c; large rolls, 15c to 17c; cooking, 12c to 13c; lard, 11c to 12c; cheese, 14c to 15c; bacon, 10c to 12c; eggs, 20c to 23c; turkeys, $1 to $2; chickens, per pair, 55c to 70c; geese, 85c to $1; ducks, 80c to $1; potatoes, per bag, 40c to 45c; cabbage, per doz., 40c to 50c; onions, per bush., 75c to 80c; apples, per brl., $1.50 to $2.25; beets, per bag, 50c to 55c; carrots, per bag, 30c to 35c; turnips, per bag, 25c to 30c.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Cotton quiet and unchanged. Flour—Receipts 14,000 bbls., steady; sales 11,000 bbls.; superfine $2.50 to $3.00, double extra $5.60 to $5.75, rest unchanged. Rye flour unchanged. Cornmeal easier at $3.00 to $3 20. Wheat—Receipts 41,000 bush.; spot ⅜c to 1⅛c options 1c to 1⅛c higher; strong; sales 4,248,000 bush. futures, 94,000 bush. spot; exports 147,000 bush.; No. 2 spring 93½c, No. 2 red 92c to 92⅞c cash, 90½c Feb., 95⅞c May, No. 1 red state $1.00½, No. white state 92c. Rye, barley and malt unchanged. Corn—Receipts 130,000 bush.; cash ½c to 1c, options ⅜c to 1c higher; strong; sales 816,000 bush. future, 320,000 bush. spot, exports 217,000 bush.; No. 2 49⅞c to 50½c for cash and Feb., 49½c May. Oats—Receipts 40,000 bush., quiet; sales 225,000 bush. future, 66,000 bush. spot, No. 2 37c for cash, 36½ for May, mixed western 36c to 38c, white state 39c to 40c. Hay, hops, coffee, sugar, molasses, rice, petroleum, tallow and potatoes unchanged. Eggs dull, easier; state 26c. Pork, beef, cut meats and middles unchanged. Lard firm at $7 22½ to $7.25. Butter firm. cheese dull at 9c to 12½c.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Flour steady and unchanged. Wheat active and higher, owing to reports of bad weather and war rumors. About noon a brisk bull movement sprang up on reports of damage to winter wheat and an advance of 1c was recorded, with active covering by shorts; Feb. closed 78⅜c to 78⅝c, March 78⅝c to 79c, May 84⅜c to 84½c, No. 2 spring 78½c to 78⅝c. Corn stronger; cash 36½c to 37c, Feb. closed 36⅝c, March 37c, May 40⅝c to 40⅞c. Oats, samples shade higher; No. 2 29c to 29½c, speculative grade firmer; May closed 30⅝c, Feb. nominal, March 27⅝c. Rye quiet; No 2. 61½ to 63½c. Barley nominal. Pork higher; cash $12 35 to $12 40, Feb. closed $12 40 to $12 42½, May $12 62½ to $12 65. Lard quiet and unchanged. Boxed meats steady. Whisky firm. Receipts—Flour 29,000 bbls., wheat 88,000 bush., corn 264,000 bush., oats 188,000 bush., rye 10,000 bush., barley 75,000 bush. Shipments — Flour 22,000 bbls., wheat 21,000 bush., corn 210,000 bush., oats $1,000 bush., rye 10,000 bush., barley 34000 bush.

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE WESTERN CANADA LOAN AND SAVINGS CO.

The Annual Meeting of the Western Canada Loan and Savings Company was held yesterday at their offices, 70 Church street, Toronto. A large number of shareholders were present. Hon. Geo. W. Allan, President, in the chair; the Manager, Mr. Walter S. Lee, acting as Secretary. The twenty-second Annual Report of the Directors was then read as follows:

The Directors in laying before their Shareholders their Twenty-Second Annual Report, are enabled to present a very satisfactory statement of the past year's business.

The profits of the year, after deducting all charges, amount to $158,217.52, out of which have been paid two half-yearly dividends at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, amounting together with the income tax thereon to $120,994.50. The sum of $17,223.02 has been placed to the credit of a Manitoba Guarantee Account, and the balance, $20,000, to the Contingent Account.

The total amount entrusted to the Company by Investors is now represented by the large sum of $3,151,615.59; being Deposits, $1,111,302.60, Debentures $2,040,312.99.

The demand for money has been sufficient to keep the funds of the Company actively employed; the amount loaned on Mortgage during the year is $1,110,550 25; and there has been paid back by borrowers the sum of $938,346.36.

The repayments on Mortgage Loans have been satisfactorily met during the past year, both in Ontario and Manitoba and the Directors are glad to be able to report that the repayments in the latter Province have been made with more than average punctuality.

The Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account, together with the Auditor's Report, are submitted herewith.

WALTER S. LEE, Manager. G. W. ALLAN, President.

Statement of Liabilities and Assets of the Western Canada Loan and Savings Company, 31st December, 1884:

LIABILITIES.

To Shareholders.

Capital Stock	$1,200,000 00	
Reserve Fund	600,000 00	
Contingent Account	$20,000 00	
Manitoba Guarantee Fund	17,223 02	
	37,223 02	
Dividend, payable 8th January, 1885	59,640 00	
		$1,896,863 02

To the Public.

Deposits	$1,111 302 60	
Debentures	2,040,312 99	
Interest on Deposits, due Jan. 1st, 1885	23,300 00	
Interest on debentures accrued and due	36,153 29	
Sundry Accounts, chiefly amounts retained from loans to meet incumbrances	3,393 17	
		3,214,462 05
		$5,111,325 07

ASSETS.

Loans	$4,888,052 37
Municipal Debentures	33,851 50
Office Premises	16,043 76
Cash in Office	890 62
Cash in Banks	93,932 42
Cash in Bankers' hands in Great Britain to meet Interest and Debentures maturing January, 1885	78,534 40
	$5,111,325 07

PROFIT AND LOSS.

Cost of management, including salaries, rent, inspection and valuation, office expenses, etc.		$25,613 60
Directors' compensation		2,775 00
Dividends and tax thereon		120,994 50
Interest on deposits and debentures accrued and due		136,385 08
Agents' commissions on loans and debentures		12,762 35
Carried to contingent account	$20,000 00	
" " Manitoba guarantee fund	17,223 02	
		37,223 02
		$335,788 55
Interest on mortgages, etc		$335,788 55

WALTER S. LEE, Manager.

To the Shareholders of the Western Canada Loan and Savings Company:

GENTLEMEN,—The Auditors hereby certify that they have completed the annual detailed audit of the accounts of the Company for the year ending 31st December, 1884.

They verify the correctness of the Profit and Loss Account and the Balance Sheet herewith presented, having carefully examined the same, and compared the securities held with the various accounts.

W. R. HARRIS, FRED. J. MENET, } Auditors.

Scrutineers having been appointed, a ballot was taken and the retiring Directors, Messrs. Samuel Platt, George Gooderham, George W. Lewis and Alfred Gooderham were unanimously re-elected.

These gentlemen, together with Messrs. the Hon. Geo. W. Allan, Thos. H. Lee and Sir David Macpherson, C.M.G., form the Board of Directors.

At a subsequent meeting held by the Board the Hon. George Allan was re-elected President, and George Gooderham, Esq., Vice-President.

Danger in the Air.

—In the chilling winds, the damp atmosphere and suddenly checked perspiration, colds are lurking. Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam cures colds, coughs, asthma and bronchitis, and all complaints tending towards consumption.

Just Like Some Railroads.

From The Wall Street News.

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"Yes, a small one."

"Business must be pretty good!"

"Oh, fairish, but nothing to brag of."

"Must be a good demand for axehelves when you can declare a dividend of 7 per cent."

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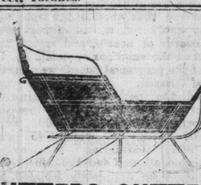

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"Yes, Auntie, I'll get the cherries. I am sure I wish Mr. Melville had been in that London he is so fond of talking about, with his 'cousin, the duke,' and his 'friends, the earls and countesses,' pouted Clare. "And I would rather one look from Jack Hall's eyes than the fine compliments Mr. Melville's manufacture in a year."

Clare tripped away, blushing at her confession, and a few minutes later I looked from my window she stood under the cherry tree holding the basket, Jack Hall was standing half-way up the ladder plucking the great clusters of delicious cherries from the branches he had given him, and as he leaned over to drop them into the little basket, whispering something—I did not hear what—but I guessed it was it brought a richer, riper color to that of the beautiful fruit into Clare's sweet face.

Clare was rich old Farmer Allen's daughter, and Jack Hall was—he was but a hired man! And I—well, I am only her "maiden aunt" and have taken charge of her in particular and my brother's house in general, ever since her young mother died leaving her helpless little baby to my charge.

I am not going to describe Clare's personal appearance. You have seen a more faultlessly beautiful face, more symmetrical and graceful figure, but you never saw truer eyes, a better indicative of pure and lofty thought, a mouth more expressive of gentleness and quiet decision of character. It is a face that made you glad to look upon, its perfect healthful happiness, the girlish gaiety and mirthfulness that lightened it a mouth ago had been softened and toned down into an expression of deep love by the magic power of the transforming love.

When in the spring Jack Hall had come a stranger and without recommendations seeking work, Robert Allen had taken him at once, for he saw in him the vitals of a good workman; but Clare's clear eyes and womanly intuition saw more than this, for they looked through the outward appearance and saw the true gold within. His honest, noble nature immediately won her respect, and subsequent conversation showed that he was highly educated and a gentleman in the truest sense of the word. His favorable formed opinion was confirmed as the days rolled on and she saw more of him. The bright day I opened my old eyes to the fact that she regarded him with more than respect or platonic friendship, that her love was reciprocated with an ardor bordering on worship. This did not make an unsatisfactory state of affairs. I knew the young man's worth, and was satisfied that my darling would be happy with him.

But with a very different eye did Robert Allen regard the matter when he looked upon the unwelcome fact that a poor and obscure young man had aspired to the hand of his daughter, and the fact was doubly heavy when he found that his wealth did not discourage him.

Thirty years ago he had left his native Argyleshire to seek in a new country the opportunity to rise which would have been impossible in conservative Britain, and that characteristic industry and economy which makes the Scot the bravest and most successful pioneer, he had toiled and prospered, late, and the rich and productive farms of western Ontario yielded a bountiful harvest, and now he was the owner of one of the most productive farms in one of the richest farming districts in the world. All his care now was that his idolized daughter should be comfortably settled in life, beyond the necessity for that toil which had shortened his young wife's life. It was therefore, was his indignation and wrath at discovered the young man's love for his daughter, but the matter came to him so preposterous that he dismissed it himself with a decided refusal. He would hear other word of it, and kindly but firmly told that as Clare had always proved herself an obedient child she would at his command give up her love for Jack Hall,—and Clare, poor girl, had put a complete stop to the matter. Besides, he had an earnest desire that his little Clare the wife of the wealthy English widower, Arthur Melville, who had lately purchased the farm adjoining his own, and, who noticing the attention that had sprung up between his daughter and Clare, had taken it into his head that she would make an excellent second wife for them and fill the empty place in their heart and home, and had asked her father Clare's hand in marriage.

When my brother entered the room I was accompanied by Mr. Melville. I read in his daughter's bright face, in his manner, "Where's Clare?" He was standing at the window that overlooked the garden, and as he spoke the words his eyes sought the pair under the cherry tree, and his brow scowl darkened his usually pleasant face.

"What insolence! How dare he, when I have forbidden him, speak to her? But I'll soon put a stop to this fine fellow," he muttered as he left the house and crossed the orchard fronting Clare, he said shortly to her, "You can go into the house, Miss Clare," turning to Jack, he went on, "I warned you before. You are a pauper. Take yourself off my premises and I presume to look at my daughter. You, without money or position, are utterly unworthy of her."

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Clare had gone to her room. The day passed over very quietly. The evening of the evening was gloomy enough. My brother did try to keep up a sort of conversation respecting the affairs of his own and his neighbors. But as Clare did not put in an appearance Mr. Melville took his leave. He was inhospitable enough to be glad of it. As soon as he had gone I sought my darling and found her at the open window, with widened eyes that expressed far greater depths of sorrow than floods of tears. I came noiselessly

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My thoughts flew quickly back to the old time in the old land when I had said good-bye to the man I loved—a last good-bye, for he sailed away across the sea and never came back. "He cannot come to me, and I shall go to him." And I said to Clare: "Yes, darling, you shall see him before he goes, and your father need not know anything about it. Leave it to me."

The soft arms thrown around my neck, and a shower of kisses told the thanks she could not find words to express.

I left her then, and a few minutes after I saw Jack, who was removing his trunks from the house, and, unseen by my brother, contrived to speak a half dozen words to him. An hour later when my brother, who always retired early, was sleeping peacefully, Clare and I slipped quietly out of the house together, and ran down to the bottom of the orchard where Jack was patiently waiting under a gnarled old apple tree—the patriarch of the orchard, Clare called it. I loitered at a little distance, plucking a few cherries here, some berries there, and keeping a sharp lookout for intruders all the while. The parting between the lovers was brief and sad, yet hopeful. The thought never entered either head that they might run away and be married secretly, against the old man's will; for eloping with coaches and hired men was not "the rage" in those days.

Jack simply said: "I shall go away to-morrow, I do not yet know where, and shall not return until I am able to claim you; it may be a long while but it is not likely to be, for with my strength and ambition and my incentive to action, I am bound to succeed and that speedily. I suppose there is no use in my writing to you for your father would object to your receiving my letters. And so, farewell, Clare darling; I will not wrong you by asking you to be true to me." A parting kiss, and he was gone.

Three years later one sunny afternoon Jack, stalwart, sun-burned, and handsomer than ever, walked into the kitchen where I was baking. After a hearty greeting he inquired for Clare. "I think you will find her in the orchard, Mr. Hall," I said, and he started off in search of her, smiling at the involuntary "Mr." that his altered look and bearing called forth.

As he drew near the bottom of the orchard he descried Clare sitting on a rustic seat under the same gnarled old tree where they had parted three years before, but at her feet knelt Melville. What a sight for a lover returning from a long absence to claim his promised bride! Was she false? But the expression on Clare's face made him glad that he had driven the unworthy thought from his mind at once, and the red blush of shame for his doubts chased away the paleness of fear for her truth. Melville's earnest, pleading voice fell on his ear:

"Miss Allen, you have avoided me, nay, you have even refused me already; listen to me now; I have sought you long and have not wearied; will you not reward my patient waiting?"

Clare's answer came distinctly: "Mr. Melville, how can you ask or expect me to love you when I have already told you that my heart is given to another?"

"But, Miss Allen, you do not mean to say you still care for that fellow Hall! You seem so aristocratic in manner that I cannot believe you could stoop to marry a plebeian like him."

Clare's cheek flushed hotly, as she rose to her feet and waved him from her with scorn.

"Sir," she said, "we have no plebeians in Canada but the base, the dishonorable and the wilfully wicked—and our aristocracy are the true and honorable, whether they are found behind the plow, at the forge or in the senate."

"The deuce they are!" was all Melville found voice to mutter, taking a hasty departure as Jack suddenly appeared on the scene. As a matter of course, in another minute Clare was sobbing out her joy, clasped in Jack's strong arms, and Jack was lavishing kisses and tender names upon her.

A short interview with farmer Allen set matters all right. When Jack explained that he had gone to Manitoba after leaving them (that was in '78), and that a town had rapidly sprung up around him he was able to sell his property for enough to make a reasonable man independent for the rest of his natural life, the farmer withdrew his opposition, the more readily as he he now saw that his favorite Melville's case was hopeless.

That was three years ago. Jack and Clare are married now, and very happy; and who knows but that little Jack, now playing on his father's knee, and just learning to lisp his mother's name, may yet be president of Canada.

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AT THE BOYS' HOME.

The Annual Meeting—An Institution Doing a Good Work.

Ladies and gentlemen interested in the management and welfare of the Boys' home filled the new and spacious hall of the institution on George street yesterday afternoon, when the annual meeting was held. W. B. McMurrich presided, and among the gentlemen who participated in the proceedings were Bishop Sweatman, Rev. Dr. Castle, Rev. Elmore Harris, Rev. Dr. Thomas, Rev. S. J. Hunter, Rev. H. M. Parsons, Rev. Manly Benson, Col. Gzowski, A.D.C., A. McMurchy, J. J. Withrow, James Brown, Wm. Gooderham, Rev. Septimus Jones, G. D. Scott, Dr. Wilson, Rev. John Neil, Henry O'Brien, Dr. Thorburn, Rev. Dr. McLaren, Rev. John Philp, R. J. Tackaberry, Rev. John Pearson, Hon. G. W. Allan, Rev. R. W. E. Greene.

After prayer Mr. McMurrich expressed Mayor Manning's regret that pressure of civic business necessitated his absence. The annual reports were submitted.

The inmates last year numbered 191. Of these 13 were sent to situations, 26 removed by parents, 50 received temporary shelter, 13 ran away and 89 remain in the home. At present there are 67 boys serving terms of apprenticeship with farmers. During the year 5 boys completed their terms of service, and have received the money held in trust for them by the managers, amounting to $748.

No deaths occurred in the home during the year, and the boys have been particularly healthy since their occupation of the new home. Boys to the number of 1501 have been taken care of since the institution opened twenty-five years ago, and in this long period only 11 deaths have occurred.

The balance on hand January, 1884, and the receipts for the year amounted to $9945, disbursements $8356, balance $1589. The boys apprentice fund has reached $1275.

Encouraging and congratulatory speeches were made by a number of gentlemen. Praise was bestowed upon the lady managers, Miss Scott, the new secretary, Mrs. Robt. McMaster, treasurer, and Dr. Thorburn, medical officer, for their faithful and gratuitous services during the year. Mrs. Munro, matron, and Miss McKay, her assistant, also came in for a good word.

Lovely wide Ponje Silk Embroidery, worth $4 a yard, for $1.50, at the Bon Marche.

Champagne Peter.

Peter Ryan is to sell a large consignment of champagne on Friday, the article to be freely sampled during the sale. "How Peter can square his temperance conscience with selling the article is what bothers me," said the Hon. Peter Small to the Hon. Joseph Power last night. When the auctioneer was asked about it he simply said that he'd sell anything consigned to him, and that dealers and consumers who wanted a good article in quantities from a case up ought to attend the sale.

The Anti-Exemptionists Mean Business.

The executive committee of the anti-exemption society held a meeting last night to consider the course of action to be taken in view of the attitude assumed by Mr. Mowat on the question. It was resolved that a deputation should wait upon the city members and request them to introduce and support a bill for the abolition of exemptions in accordance with the opinions of the people, as expressed at the municipal elections.

Police Court Business.

Edward Switzer, stabbing Chas. Baker, remanded till to-day. Robert Blaikie, neglecting to support his family, 60 days. George Bennett, held as an accomplice in the Dovercourt road burglaries, discharged. Frank Russell, the theatrical swindler, five months in the C. P. John Elder and Wm. Mines, larceny, three months and 20 days respectively. Edward Jackson, stealing money from his employer, two years at Kingston.

Go to the great slaughter sale of Dress Silks at the Bon Marche.

Island Thieves.

F. W. Rolph's house on the Island was entered by thieves on Wednesday night, who succeeded in getting away with about $50 worth of wearing apparel. Mr. Bennyworth, steward of the Royal Canadian yacht club, who witnessed the burglary, gave chase to the thieves who, however, managed to escape arrest. The bag in which the bundle was secured was found. There is a "kloo."

A Salvation Soldier's Warning.

Editor World: We wish the public to understand that the statement made by Miss Wilson that the person who formerly boarded with her, and went under the name of Grange, was a companion of Miss Cairns, is false. She is not and never has been acquainted with her. We warn the above party not to repeat the offence.

A SALVATION SOLDIER.

Judge Boyd's Court.

In the suit of Clarkson v. Oliver before Judge Boyd yesterday a verdict was rendered for plaintiff for $77 47. Judgment was reserved till to-day in Lawson v. Martin. Kennedy v. Meldrum will be continued this morning. Maguire v. Maguire was adjourned till next sittings of the court, and in Parsons v. Sheppard a non-suit was entered.

No trouble to show the bargains now offering at the Bon Marche.

County Orange Lodge.

This lodge elected the following officers Tuesday night: Frank Somers, county master (re-elected); Robert Birmingham, D.C.M. (re elected); Bro. Guest, chaplain; Marcellus Crombie, treasurer; William Lee, secretary; James Hughes, director of ceremonies; Bros. Thompson and Dobson, lecturers.

There are 1750 active orangemen in the county of Toronto, and the hall fund amounts to $11,162.

Montford's Museum.

Muldoon's Picnic is pleasing the patrons of the museum, judging from the audience which nightly crowds this popular place of amusement. You first laugh and then cry for joy at the antics of Muldoon and Mulcahy. The specialties at the opening of the show are good. Matinees daily.

Joined Hands Again.

As will be seen by an announcement in our business columns Charles M. Henderson and R. A. Smith have again entered into partnership. James A. French also enters the new firm, which with the trio should prove a strong one.

AN IMPORTANT INSURANCE CASE.

The Question of What Really Constitutes the Goods Covered by a Policy.

A most important case regarding the responsibility of insurance companies on the value of property insured was tried at the civil assizes yesterday before Justice Rose and a jury. The plaintiff, Joseph Powell of Phelpston, Ont., brought joint action against the Quebec and London fire insurance companies on policies issued by these companies of $2000 each on his stock. The insurances were effected in December, 1883, and the premises were burned down in the January following. The plaintiff claimed that at the time of the fire he had goods in stock amounting to from $13,000 to $15,000. Before applying for the policies in question plaintiff had already insured his stock for $6900, and the defendants had granted him the further insurance on the ground that his stock would average throughout the year $14,000. On Jan. 6 his premises were destroyed by fire, and a board of arbitration was appointed to determine the value of the goods destroyed. The arbitration found that only $7000 worth of goods had been destroyed, and defendants claimed that the value of stock put in by plaintiff at the time of the fire was excessive.

The ground for the present action was that plaintiff in good faith, and not knowing the amount of his previous insurance, had, at the solicitation of insurance brokers, agreed to further insure his stock, which he did, as was shown in evidence, beyond its insurance value. Plaintiff claimed when he effected the insurance that it was not to cover the value of the goods he had on hand, but what he was likely to have during the year. A number of witnesses were called for the defence, to show that plaintiff had ignored the fact that a music hall existed over his store when the insurance was effected, which would increase the value of the insurance premium; and also that in making up his statement of assets disposed of he had omitted several important items.

Justice Rose charged strongly in favor of defendants, and the jury brought in a verdict for the insurance companies with costs. The case was ably conducted by Donald McMaster, Q.C., and W. A. Foster for plaintiff, and B. B. Osler, Q.C., and F. W. Hill for the defence. The latter was congratulated on his able argument for defendants, it being his maiden speech as a barrister.

LOCAL NEWS PARAGRAPHED.

The alimony suit of Magurn v. Magurn is before the court of appeal.

The Parkdale methodists will erect a new church on Cowan avenue.

Fred. Collins has been convicted to stand his trial for escaping from the Central prison.

The case of Clark v. Schooley noticed in yesterday's paper was decided by Judge Rose in favor of defendant.

The Eglinton Y.M.C.A. has elected the following officers: President, J. J. Gartshore; vice-presidents, Ambrose Kent and J. C. Laidlaw; secretary, T. J. Douglas; treasurer, C. H. Kerswill.

Ontario College of Pharmacy.

Neil C. Love presided at the semi-annual meeting of the council of the Ontario college of pharmacy held at their rooms, Scott street, yesterday. Wm. Saunders, London; Ed. Harvey, Guelph; W. B. Saunders, Stayner; J. E. Kennedy, Cobourg; N. C. Poulson, Kingston; J. E. D'Abignon, Windsor; L. Yeomans, Belleville; Ed. Gregory, Lindsay; R. W. Elliot, Hugh Miller, W. Robinson and George Hodgetts, registrar, all of Toronto, were present. After the minutes of the previous meeting had been read the meeting adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning, as the various committees had not their reports ready.

For a bargain in a Winter Mantle go to the Bon Marche.

A Watchman Wanted.

Turner, Valiant & Co., whose place of business is at 17 Jarvis street, have frequently had to mourn the loss of goods taken from their store by midnight marauders. One young man who made away with seventeen pairs of boots stolen from their establishment last week got fifteen months in the Central prison. On Monday night the place was again visited and $200 worth of boots and shoes taken. The robbers are supposed to belong to a gang of professionals from Chicago who are at present in the city.

County Council.

At yesterday's meeting of the York county council the following members were appointed on the court house committee: Messrs. Tyrrell, Rowan, Jackson, Duncan, Porter, McMath, Davis, Robertson and James. The total assessment of county villages showed: Parkdale $1,275,000, Newmarket $515 000, Aurora $331,000, Holland Landing $95,000, Richmond Hill $176 000, Stouffville $190 000, Weston $267,000, Woodbridge $145,000. The council adjourned to pay their annual visit to the lieutenant-governor, who royally entertained them.

Licensing Plumbers.

Ald. Saunders was on the streets again yesterday, looking well after his trip to New Orleans. He doesn't think much of the Crescent city on the whole, but got a wrinkle in civic affairs there which he intends to bring before the council, viz, the licensing of plumbers. In New Orleans the plumbers are subject to license and have to give a bond with two sureties of $1000 as security for their work, which is inspected by city officials whose orders the plumbers must obey.

Against the Assignee.

Judge Galt has given his decision in the case of the Morgan Envelop company against J. B. Boustead as assignee of the estate of Campbell & Son. Boustead seized some goods which were sold to Cambell & Son, and which were on the way to that firm from plaintiffs. Meantime the firm went into insolvency, and the suit was to recover the goods shipped. Verdict was given for plaintiff.

A Break Down.

A rather dilapidated looking sleigh, on which was loaded a 4 horse power engine and boiler, broke down at Church and Adelaide streets yesterday afternoon. The boiler was badly broken, and was finally removed from the street about 5 o'clock.

Straws.

A vote was taken in a prominent down town hotel yesterday on the Scott act. The result was, seven in favor of the act and one against it. The loser purchased the cigars.

The Amateur Minstrels.

The performance at the Grand to-night is the talk of the town. Don't miss it. You will hear some good local hits, and be otherwise amused and entertained.

PORTUGAL AND THE POWERS.

Bismarck Proposes an Anglo-German Alliance Regarding the Congo.

BERLIN, Feb. 4.—The North German Gazette, Bismarck's organ, urges that an Anglo-German squadron be despatched to the Congo to vindicate the neutrality laws and the character of the international African association. It is expected at Paris that Portugal's action in the Congo country will lead to an imbroglio. King Leopold's delegate to the Berlin conference had a lengthy consultation to-day with M. Ferry in relation to a settlement of the disputed Congo points.

Earl Granville has received no official confirmation of the reported seizure by Portugal of the banks of the Congo river and of the contested territory on the west coast of Africa. The report, however, is credited by the foreign office. The summary action of Portugal is felt to be a snub to England and in defiance of the international association and the powers represented in the Congo conference. The situation is further complicated by the fact that the English ministry several months ago agreed to a treaty with Portugal recognizing her right to the territory she has now seized. Her claim to the territory is based upon the right of discovery, and it may be a difficult matter to dispute her pretensions without actual warfare, which none of the powers are believed to desire. It is stated Bismarck has been asked to arbitrate between Portugal, France and the association.

For Velvets and Velveteens see the prices and the stock at the Bon Marche

Give Him a Rouser.

Great preparations are in progress for a benefit to Manager Dill of the Adelaide street roller skating rink. The event takes place Wednesday of next week. There will be an exhibition of fancy riding on the bicycle by W. G. Hurst, a two mile race on rollers for a handsome cup, and other attractions out of the ordinary, the whole to wind up with a dance. Courteous and obliging to all Mr. Dill is deservedly popular with the hundreds that patronize the rink, and they will no doubt give him a rousing benefit.

Concealed Weapons.

Michael Christie, a Grand Trunk yardman, had a narrow escape yesterday morning from being instantly killed at the hands of an Italian named Joseph Augina. The latter was in the habit of stealing coal, and when Christie endeavored to arrest him the son of sunny Italy drew a revolver and threatened to shoot. His case will be heard at the police court today. The charge will likely be modified to one of carrying concealed weapons.

Investigation Into the Beauleigh Case.

The county attorney having called the attention of Mr. Winchester, inspector of public offices, to the reports in The World as to the Beauleigh jury having been tampered with, that official has decided to investigate the matter, having already notified the sheriff to that effect. The investigation will commence next week.

At the Grand.

"A Cold Day When We Get Left went off last evening with shouts of laughter. It is full of fun and go. A description would be useless. It is a long series of funny situations and startling gags." So says an exchange in reference to the piece to be played at the Grand to-morrow night and Saturday matinee and night.

The Doc's Drug Store.

Go and see it. It has just been opened up at 122½ King street west by Jas. D. Matheson. The furniture and fittings are of the best cherry and the walls are handsomely hung, the whole being finished in elegant style. The little store is a gem.

A Good Record.

—Among the many thousand bottles of Hagyard's Yellow Oil sold annually in Canada, not one has ever failed to give satisfaction. It cures rheumatism, colds and all painful complaints and injuries. 246

Deep-Water Fishing.

From the Hamilton Times.

This is not a very pleasant season for fishing, but those who make a living by fishing can't afford to wait for the pleasant season. Many of the beach fishermen had their nets out during the long cold spell. It was impossible to reach them while the weather was so cold, not because of the storm, but because the seas dashing against a boat and freezing on her sides would soon make her so heavy that she would sink. The Foulds crew went out on Friday for their nets, which they had not been able to reach for 22 days. The nets were set twelve miles down the lake, and the floating ice had carried away the buoys so that the nets had sunk and could not be found. The crew drove to Winona on Saturday and taking grapling-lines and Paddy Hand's boat went out in search of the nets. Such was the fishermen's knowledge of the lake that they found the nets and raised them from above 100 feet of water. The nets alone were valuable enough to pay for the search, but the crew was further rewarded by finding 6000 fish taken in them.

Mr. and Mrs. Gainsborough.

A very pretty story of the domestic life of the artist Gainsborough is related by Fulcher. He says: "Scon angry, he (Gainsborough was soon appeased, and if he was the first to offend he was the first to atone. When he spoke crossly to his wife, a remarkably sweet tempered woman, he would write a note of repentance, sign it with the name of his favorite dog 'Fox,' and address it to his Margaret's pet spaniel 'Tristram.' Fox would take the note in his mouth and duly deliver it to Tristram. Margaret would then answer: 'My own dear Fox, you are always loving and good, and I am a naughty little female to ever worry you, as I often do; so we will kiss and say no more about it. Your own affectionate Tris.'"

The Retort Courteous.

An English gentleman being at a brilliant assembly of the elite of Vienna recently, was much annoyed at the conduct of a distinguished lady of that city, who amused herself and a small circle of friends by saying smart, but generally uncourteous things to him and others. "By the way," added she, "how is it that your countrywomen speak French so imperfectly? We Austrians use it with the same freedom as if it were our own native tongue." "Madame," retorted he, but with the blandest manner possible, "I know not, unless it is that the French army have not been twice to our capital to teach it, as they have at yours."

To Our Readers.

—If you suffer from headache, dizziness, backache, biliousness or humors of the blood, try Burdock Blood Bitters. It is a guaranteed cure for all irregularities of the blood, liver and kidneys. 246

DOMINION DASHES.

The smallpox is said to be stamped out in Seymour and Campbellford.

E. Armstrong of Little Stony mountain, Man., has been fined $100 for neglecting to kill a horse suffering with glanders.

The provision store of J. P. Crocker and the fancy goods store of Mrs. McEachern at Barrie were burned out yesterday. Both were insured.

The amount of customs duties collected at the port of London, Ont., and outports during the year was $512,651.17, and the total expenditure of the same port for salaries, rents, etc., was $12,207.32.

Mrs. Nicholls of Peterboro has purchased a handsome property, which she offers to hand over fully furnished to the town and county corporations for a protestant hospital, with $10,000 as an endowment fund.

Henry Esau was fined at Winnipeg the other day for exposing for sale a sheep that had died of starvation. Head included the carcass of the animal, which was full grown, only weighed fifteen pounds.

London has repealed the bylaw obliging property-holders to keep their sidewalks clear of snow. Snow plows have been introduced as a part of the municipal machinery, and everybody is pleased with the result.

George A. Cox has bought the whole of the late J. C. Rogers' estate, including water privilege, a flour and saw mill, a planing mill and a woollen factory in the village of Ashburnham, and property in the town of Peterboro, for $42,000.

There is claimed by some to be an anticipated shortness in the Quebec deal market, and a feeling of uneasiness is said to exist owing to rumors of attempts on foot by some of the shipping firms to make a corner. The cut of most of the mills for the coming season has, it is alleged, been secured, while contracts are being made with the principal mills for the cut of 1886.

Thos. A. Stevenson, mayor of Wakefield, planted five acres in turnips last spring. This fall, when they were harvested, it was found that they averaged one thousand bushels per acre. Many of the turnips weighed as high as nineteen and a half pounds each. This proves that the Ottawa valley will compare favorably with any part of the world as a root growing section.—Brantford Expositor.

CABLE NEWS.

The Austrian reichsrath has granted the demands of the newspaper reporters and boycotting has ceased.

John Lee, the valet who murdered Miss Key, a wealthy resident of Babbicombe, near Torquay, Eng., because she declined to marry him, has been sentenced to death.

A number of German and English-speaking strangers visited a dynamite factory near Turin recently. It is believed the explosives used in England were obtained there.

Great excitement prevails at Tripoli and Bengazi over the designs of Italy in regard to the occupation of the northern coast of Africa. Several Italians making large purchases of land have been arrested

What the Methodists Must do.

An Anxious Alumnus in Acta Victoriana.

After thoroughly weighing the question as far as light could be obtained, I have come to the conclusion that methodism must do one of two things in order to control her own students and do her duty to her graduates: she must either place Victoria on an equal footing with all others in the confederation of colleges, or she must establish Victoria in Toronto with an endowment equal to that of University college—removal to Toronto in either case.

For Gloves and Hosiery go to the Bon Marche.

The Canadian Ranches.

The Montreal Herald is in receipt of details dated Calgary, Jan. 17, of the most gratifying and encouraging nature. The correspondent speaks in glowing terms of the health and condition of all the important herds in the vicinity of Calgary and Fort McLeod, special reference in these particulars being made to the Cochrane ranch company, situated near Kootenay river and the British American ranch company, located near Calgary, on the Bow river. Reports from both Mr. Cochrane's horse and sheep ranches are also most favorable, no casualties worthy of mention having occurred among the horses or cattle, and very few among the sheep. The large band of the latter animals, new in this district last year, have so far wintered well, and show no visible signs of having suffered the least inconvenience from the last cold snap. The only losses up to date were among the young lambs, which amounted to but a small percentage. The weather is described as bright, clear, very mild and snow disappearing rapidly. These well authenticated facts go to show that the Canadian Northwest, even in the most severe winters, is a more desirable locality than more southern sections. In a recent edition of one of our contemporaries an effort was made to lead the public to believe that unfavorable reports concerning the condition of the cattle in the Canadian Northwest were in circulation. This is purely imaginative, as nothing but reports of the most cheering and favorable nature have come from reliable sources regarding the Bow river region; nor has anything of the kind found its way into print of which we are aware.

Pastimes.

When the mercury is monkeying with zero,
And the water-pipes are bursting far and near,
Then the hopeful plumber poses as a hero,
And he calls for "extra dry" instead of beer.

Poker is the name of the champion quarter-horse in Montana. It is not stated what his height is in hands, and whether his jockey straddles the blind.

"Lasso competitions" are among the amusements in Texan frontier settlements. They ought to be reported under the head, "Sporting Noose."

"No," said a Vermont deacon, "I don't approve of hoss racin', but when another member of the church becomes so godless as to try to pass me on the road comin' home from meetin' I feel it my duty to let out a little on the reins, just to keep him from puttin' his trust in earthly things."

HELP WANTED.

A LITTLE GIRL WANTED—87 KING street east, upstairs.

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LAGER BEER.

DEATHS.

HARDING—At the residence of his niece, Mrs. Geo. Mickelborough, 69 Dundas street, George Harding, plumber, in the 70th year of his age, second son of the late Wm. Harding, Brockton.

Funeral will leave the above address at 3 p.m. on Thursday, 5th inst.

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THERE ARE WORSE PEOPLE THAN T. Pearl, so an effort will be made with small hope of success. Wire as to your certainty about the matter; also as to the chances of meeting any one who should not be met. Longer warning should have been given. GO TO.

WANTED—THE THREE GNETLEMEN that saw the lame gentleman with walking stick retire from the bar of Armstrong's saloon, corner of King and Simcoe streets when requested on the evening of 14th January, to send their address to 464 Adelaide street; all expenses for trouble and time paid for.

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Plans, specifications, etc., can be seen at this office, and at the Clerk of Works' office, new post office building, Brockville, on and after Monday, 2nd proximo.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an *accepted* bank cheque, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, *equal to five per cent.* of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract when called on to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

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