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D'ALTON McCARTHY INTRODUCES HIS PET MEASURE.

The Abolition of French as an Official Language in the Territories—His Reasons for the Bill Explained at Length by the Member for North Simcoe—Col. Denison Named as Seconder.

OTTAWA, Jan. 22.—Mr. McCarthy's bill for the abolition of French as an official language in the Northwest Territories was introduced this afternoon. He named Col. Denison as his seconder. Contrary to the usual custom here Mr. McCarthy made a lengthy address in asking leave to introduce the bill. He spoke for nearly an hour, very temperately and dispassionately, and was listened to with the greatest attention by the whole House. He was constantly interrupted by expressions of dissent from the French members, great and small, who exhibited a good deal of irritation at the attack upon the perpetuation of their mother tongue. There will evidently be a warm discussion when the bill comes up for second reading. Mr. Chapleau may be depended upon to deliver an oration upon that occasion, judging from the copious notes he took to-day and the eager attention with which he listened. It will be some little time before the second reading can be moved, as six bills, including three or four of general importance, are on the order paper ahead of it.

In opening his address Mr. McCarthy said he felt that no defence or apology was necessary, but some explanation was in order. It seemed most extraordinary that in 1877 the dual language should have been imposed upon the territories without any consent of Canada. First of all it needed explanation how we came to find this clause in the Territories Act. The act was passed in 1877, when the member for Bothwell was Minister of the Interior. The bill he had then brought in to amend the Territories Act did not contain the clause imposing the French language. It was inserted in the Senate. How this came about he had no personal knowledge, but he was assured that it was at the instance of Senator Scott, then leader of the Senate and a member of the Government. Though he had positive assurance it seemed scarcely credible that this could be so, for when the bill so altered was returned to the Commons Mr. Mills, as appeared by the Hansard, expressed regret that the amendment had been made, but asked the House to adopt the bill as it stood, because were it again altered and sent back to the Senate it would be impossible to have it passed that session.

Mr. Mills had expressed his belief that it was inadvisable to call for the use of the French language. Almost all of the residents of the territories, he said, spoke Cree, and if the ordinances were to be published in the most prevalent language then they should be published in Cree. The bill seemed to have been passed without much consideration or any protest. He did not know whether he was himself present on the occasion, but if not present he should have been, and so shared the blame equally with the other members.

An Anomalous Provision.

It was strange that any one ever proposed to perpetuate two official languages. No explanation was to be found in the treaty of cession, although a very large number of persons seemed to think that by that document the right of language was conceded to the conquered French.

"Conquered! Ceded," interrupted a member opposite.

"Ceded then," agreed Mr. McCarthy, "but I always prefer the word conquered." No explanation was to be found in the Quebec Act, for that act in restoring to the French their laws did not deal with the question of language. At the organization of Lower Canada in 1791 French was not provided for though the French nevertheless soon after took the right by resolution of the Assembly. At the time of the rebellion in 1837 Lord Durham reported that the troubles largely arose out of the use of two languages, and a clause was inserted in the act of 1841 absolutely prohibiting use of the French language, but the law was repealed in 1848 and 1849.

In the British North America Act the French language is for the first time authorized by statute, but only for the Dominion Parliament and the Province of Quebec. He did not think it of importance that the French language should be not permitted perhaps, but it should not be fostered and encouraged in the Dominion. An investigation upon the subject would show that no country could be prosperous where the people were divided by differences of language.

"How about Switzerland?" asked Mr. Mills, and Mr. McCarthy was proceeding to say that everyone knows that Switzerland is an exceptional case when he was interrupted by derisive laughter from Messrs. Desjardins, Bergeron and other of the French members. Seemingly annoyed, Mr. McCarthy asked those who interrupted him to remember that there was a grave matter before the House and said he hoped that they would do something more than laugh. They were assembled here for the purpose of promoting national unity, not of sowing the seeds of dissension. ["Hear! hear!" and laughter.]

Mr. McCarthy continuing said he trusted he would be given a quiet hearing as he had his own opinion on this subject and intended to adhere to it. We had, he said, expended an immense amount of money in attempting to build up a nation and why should we seek to make dissension and division by fostering two languages not only in Quebec where they already use it but in the new territory as well? If not to build up nationality then we had no object in making a sacrifice to secure this new territory.

Language Thicker Than Blood.

He quoted from Freeman the contention that without community of language there could not be true national unity; from Prof. Muller, who said that as blood is thicker than water it may be declared even with greater truth that language is thicker than blood and a common language even without common blood makes the whole world feel akin. Prof. Powell declared that the ideas of race and nationality had taken such a hold founded on language that all other considerations were lost sight of. It had been the experience everywhere that the people of acquired territories readily took up the language of a new government.

"Alsace and Lorraine seem to be an exception," interrupted Mr. Mills, and Mr. Chapleau endorsed the remark with an appreciative "Hear! Hear!"

Continuing, Mr. McCarthy said he was glad to see that upon this question, as upon most others, Mr. Mills had now taken a decided stand. Though when it was passed he had said that he disapproved of the bill, he had apparently determined now to stand by it even though he were on the wrong side. Dissensions of race were calculated to rend the Dominion in twain. If in the past Canada had pursued the wise policy of encouraging only one language the French-speaking people would not now form so large a proportion of the community. The descendants of the original French settlers would have been English speaking, just as the descendants of all emigrants to the United States, no matter whence they came, speedily learned to use only the language of the country.

"Not the French," dissented Mr. Bergeron, and cries of "Hear! hear!" and applause from the French members greeted his remark.

Simulating surprise Mr. McCarthy remarked: "I see there is a good deal of feeling on this subject; more than I expected." This declaration provoked general laughter.

Mr. McCarthy then proceeded to quote from Lord Durham's report on the troubles of 1837 to show that the national view and the prevalence of the French language had caused all the ill-feeling that prevailed. He thought this testimony of Lord Durham's should be accepted without question, coming as it did from an impartial observer sent to make it his special business to enquire into the matter.

"Lord Durham did not write the report himself," objected Sir John Macdonald.

"Perhaps not," said Mr. McCarthy. "The report has been ascribed to Mr. Buller, but he was quite as able and intelligent a man as Lord Durham and has made his observations on the spot. At all events Lord Durham approved of the report or he would not have presented it."

Mercier and Laurier.

Mr. McCarthy next took up the National movement in the Province of Quebec and his references to this were particularly interesting, especially when, in giving themselves the name "National," the party who had adopted it intended it to be understood that they meant the French nationality. Their leader was Mr. Mercier, Premier of the province. Not only was he the head of the Provincial Government, but Mr. McCarthy did not hesitate to say here in the presence of the Quebec members of the Federal Administration that Mr. Mercier was also the leader of the French people of the Province of Quebec. His ascendency was undisputed. Speaking not long ago in the presence of the leader of the Dominion Opposition, Mr. Mercier had made some notable declarations, to which that gentleman had not taken exception.

Mr. Laurier here interrupted, declining to be held responsible. "I spoke for myself," he said. "You cannot expect me to be responsible for what others say."

Mr. McCarthy reiterated that though present Mr. Laurier took no exception to the Quebec Premier's utterances. Mr. Mercier had declared: "We are still French and will remain French in Canada," and had vehemently urged the perpetuation of the French language here. It was true that in Toronto some weeks later, Mr. Laurier had made a disclaimer of Mr. Mercier's sentiments. It might have been better, perhaps, had he so expressed himself in Quebec. There was no doubt a good reason why he had not done so. He might remember still that he was not very cordially greeted by the Quebec press when he went back from Toronto.

Mr. Laurier laughed. "Hear! hear!" he said. "I don't pander to prejudice."

Mr. McCarthy then proceeded to read Nationalist sentiment as proclaimed by La Verite. At this Mr. Laurier and others laughed derisively which led Mr. McCarthy to remark that perhaps he was belittling Mr. Mercier to quote him first and then attempt to back him up by the French papers. The article quoted exhorted the French to stand firmly by their nationality and not to perish miserably in an all-Canadian arrangement. He had no doubt that these papers correctly expressed the views of a very large proportion of the people of Quebec. He recognized with regret that the French race or, to be more accurate, those who speak the French language were now so numerically strong that the difficulties which should have been foreseen were now fully upon us. He regretted that there was a difference in this House as there was in the country.

A Cause of Disloyalty.

This difficulty of race was observed not only in Canada but was patent to outsiders as well. He had in his hand a copy of a magazine publication, The Month, introduced to the House last session by the Minister of Justice as an authority on such questions, and in it he found a very interesting article on "Canadian Difficulties of Race." It described at length a latent hate declared to exist between the English and the French, or rather between the French and the Irish, for the difference of tongue had made more enmity than the difference of religion.

He also read from The Catholic World, a New York publication, which declared that the growth of the French in Canada was the chief cause of the annexation language commonly heard. This contention was no new thing, for he had heard it over and over again.

"Have you become an annexationist, too?" enquired Mr. Laurier, banteringly.

"No, I don't think I incur that suspicion," replied Mr. McCarthy. Both from within and without the general opinion prevailed that this question of language had come to a point where it must be solved to avert difficulty in the Dominion. On this occasion he was dealing only with what this Parliament was competent to deal with, dual language in the Northwest Territories.

He had been forwarded a copy of a petition from the Legislative Council of the Northwest Territories by which they almost unanimously asked for the discontinuance of the French language. Not only were they so unanimous, but he believed every newspaper in the Northwest had urged the same thing, that is every paper which had mentioned the subject, for one distinguished journal, The Regina Leader—[laughter]—had not considered it worthy of notice.

He had thought it well to make this explanation upon introducing the bill, so that before the general discussion occurred when it came up for second reading the House might be informed as to its ground of action, and he might then have an opportunity of answering the arguments brought against him. He desired to disclaim any hostility against the French race or against their representatives in this House.

[Cries of "Hear! Hear!" and "Thank you!" from French members.]

His greatest wish was to see Canada one race, with one national life and one language common to all.

La Riviere Talks in French.

Mr. La Liviere rose next and commenced to speak in French. No sooner had he uttered the words "Monsieur l'orateur" than a chorus of members called upon him to speak in English. "I'll speak English when this French question is disposed of," was Mr. La Riviere's retort. Then proceeding in French he asked why, if the French language were so great an evil as it was represented, Mr. McCarthy had not taken the more courageous course of striking at the root of the evil, its use in the House of Commons, in place of seeking to deprive only the few halfbreeds of the Northwest of the privilege they enjoyed. He thought Mr. McCarthy had been very unfair in insinuating anything against the loyalty of the French Canadians, who had shown how loyal they were when the country was in danger of falling into the hands of strangers.

Sir John Macdonald said the bill just introduced was one of much importance, but in addition the whole line of argument of the member who had introduced it was of a kind to involve the most serious and grave questions, so that it became necessary to take full time to consider what his contentions led to and the consequences that would follow if they were adhered to by the House. He would therefore ask that the discussion end here, as before the second reading the bill would be in the hands of every member and all could have given the matter earnest consideration.

Mr. Chapleau said he did not desire to prolong the discussion, but he wished to quote without delay the opinion of an experienced statesman who had given warning of the impolicy of all such attempts to denationalize the French. "If successful, he had said," what would be the result? You may Americanize but you can never Angl se. Let them feel that their rights and privileges are respected and the last hand that waves the British flag in the Dominion will be that of a French Canadian." Those were the words of Lord Elgin, and he asked the House to remember and deliberate upon them.

The Opposition Leader.

Mr. Laurier agreed that further discussion was not called for at this stage. It would have been better if Mr. McCarthy had not in his explanation introduced a good deal of controversial matter. There were many who might perhaps favor the bill, but could not endorse the words with which it had been introduced. In accordance with the general practice he would not express any opinion upon the bill until, having been given to all the members, it was proposed for a second reading. He desired, however, to give Mr. McCarthy a piece of information. That gentleman had asked what but a racial question had caused the defeat of the Liberal candidate in Richelieu. As he always understood the real cause was the bank notes of the defunct Mechanics' Bank. [Laughter.]

The bill was then introduced and read the first time.

Having spent 1½ hours in passing motions for returns of little interest except to the movers, the House adjourned at 5.45.

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THE TWO DEPARTED DOCTORS

IN MEMORIAM RESOLUTIONS FOR MESSRS. YEOMANS AND M'KAY.

The Final Sitting of the Provincial Board of Health—Sanitation re the Dead—The Importance of Ventilation—The Acme of Perfection in the New Bank of Commerce Building.

The Provincial Board of Health concluded its quarterly meeting yesterday afternoon. There was a depression amongst its members, primarily caused by their ranks having been thinned by the death of two of their number and in a lesser degree by reason of a touch amongst them of "the present distress" of influenza. Those present were Dr. Rae (chairman), Dr. Cassidy, Dr. Macdonald, Dr. Covernton, Dr. Bryce (secretary).

In Memoriam Tributes.

Moved by Drs. Covernton and Macdonald and resolved:

That the Provincial Board of Health having heard with deep regret of the death of Dr. Hugh M. McKay, one of its members, takes this, the first opportunity, to express its sincere sorrow at his unexpected removal. His friends and coadjutors of the Board beg to convey to his widow and family their warm sympathy in their affliction. Dr. McKay's amiable disposition had endeared him to his associates at the Board, while his professional attainments and his ready zeal in the duties incidental to his position had impressed them with the utmost esteem for their deceased friend as an accomplished physician and a helpful officer. In the presence of the greatest family affliction the Board will not venture to speak of its own loss by the removal of two of its youngest and most active members, but, in their absence, it will miss esteemed friends and earnest fellow-laborers.

Moved by Drs. Covernton and Cassidy and resolved:

That the recent lamented death of our esteemed colleague, Dr. Yeomans, calls for the expression of the deepest sympathy of the members of this Board, who, from the first creation by the Provincial Government of Ontario, experienced the greatest pleasure in the frequent intercourse that the work of the Board afforded them for gaining an intimate knowledge, not only of his great worth as a man, but also of his professional acquirements, which were of the highest order.

His pleasant, genial manners, aptitude in debate and experience in municipal laws were of the greatest possible assistance to the Board, and during the period of nearly eight years he was ever found to be a careful and intelligent worker in the trust committed by the Government to the members appointed for the special purpose of diffusing among the people of this Province an intelligent knowledge of the sanitary precautions requisite for guarding the people from the spread of infectious disease.

The great ability and scholarship displayed by Dr. Yeomans, associated with other members of the Board, in preparing a manual of hygiene specially intended for teachers, scholars and the general public, was more particularly conspicuous. Our lamented friend, it may also be mentioned, took more than ordinary interest in the hygiene of schools, every needed particular of which was most carefully studied by him, as was instanced in an admirably written essay on this subject, read on the occasion of the twelfth annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, convened in the month of October, 1887, in Toronto, the terse but yet thorough treatment of this subject being most highly commended by the members of the association assembled from every State of the Union, as also from the different provinces of the Dominion of Canada, and subsequently published in the 13th volume of their transactions. In the various inquiries into the causes of outbreaks of disease in various parts of the province that from time to time were assigned him the same searching and patient spirit of investigation were uniformly displayed.

In the sudden loss of a valued a colleague we fully recognize that this painful deprivation of so loving a husband and father must be to the bereaved widow and family, to whom the members of this Board respectfully desire to tender their deepest sympathy, and that the secretary be requested to send a copy of this resolution to the family of our deceased colleague.

Malarial Miscellany.

This included reports and action respecting various outbreaks of infectious disease, unsanitary districts and premises. Pig-sty nuisances will have to be abated at the village of Hickson and at Seaton Village. An agreement between the town of Chatham and a company whereby the latter contract to supply the town with water for fire, business and drinking purposes, the quality to be approved by the Provincial Health Board, was read by Secretary Bryce. The company intend to sink wells to the rock near the Thames River and twelve miles from the town. The agreement was approved of by the board with the suggestion that if river water is used for fire purposes, different pipes be laid down.

The committee on drainage and water supply reported having visited the Agricultural College at Guelph, where the system of precipitating sewage by means of porous carbon is in use. The committee report that the system is giving great satisfaction.

Dr. Cassidy was requested to prepare a report on the advisability of introducing gymnastics and calisthenics more generally into Ontario's school curriculum.

Sanitation re The Dead.

Secretary W. H. Hoyle of the Ontario Undertakers' Association had written to Secretary Bryce, stating that the association is considering the propriety of seeking a a provincial enactment on the following lines and asking the endorsement of the Board:

1. The establishment in Toronto of a school for instruction of undertakers in organic chemistry, sanitation, the art of preserving bodies between death and interment, and in the requirements of Boards of Health in all matters pertaining to the disposal of bodies of persons dying of contagious diseases.

2. The Board to engage qualified medical men of Trinity or Toronto schools of medicine to impart such knowledge, and grant degrees to all undertakers who pass the required curriculum.

3. Medical practitioners to furnish undertakers with causes of death before the latter proceed to inter bodies. Where a post-mortem is required an undertaker holding the provincial diploma may be present to carry out the doctor's instructions.

The report of Drs. Macdonald, Covernton and Bryce, the committee which had considered this application was discussed at length, and the proposal generally approved by the Board.

The Importance of Ventilation.

On the motion of Drs. Covernton and Macdonald it was decided to call the attention of the Government to the fact that while the Board has power to employ sanitary inspectors in unorganized districts there is no provision for the remuneration of such inspectors.

The subject of ventilation of churches and public buildings was next discussed. Most large halls are defective in this respect. The great desideratum is to keep the rooms free of vitiated air, and in doing so prevent the dangerous draughts of cold air.

Drs. Bryce and Rae reported having examined the ventilation of some of the large churches of New York. Their report was of a technical nature. Dr. Hall's Fifth-avenue church was the best ventilated of any the committee saw.

In this connection Dr. Covernton asked the members of the Board if they had read in The World of Saturday last the description of the ventilation of the new Bank of Commerce. Judging from the report he should say that the bank's ventilation is complete. It certainly seemed an excellent system. The Doctor suggested that the committee report thereon. Secretary Bryce thought it doubtful if the directors would permit this, or the contractors supply any further detailed information than The World had been able to obtain. Besides private enterprises were without the sphere of the committee's inquiries. Dr. Rae concurred in this and the subject dropped.

The proposed trunk sewer was the next topic discussed. The result was that the Board thought, however good this scheme might be, and it had many good points, it would not give the sanitary relief claimed by its upholders. There would still be the possibility of Toronto's sewage being washed back into the sewer. Other systems, such as deodorization and precipitation, should be looked into by the City Fathers and the ratepayers before a million and a half of dollars was spent on a trunk sewer.

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IS "FAGAN" A TRAITOR?

The Damaging Evidence That Was Collected at New York and Washington Against The Mail's Editor.

About eight days ago a young man whose blonde tresses were surmounted by a "plug" hat boarded the sleeper of the Erie flyer in Union Station and was whisked off to New York. The young man said to some of his newspaper friends that he was going into the country for a few days' rest and to nurse the attack of la grippe with which he had been seized. The voyageur was none other than L. P. Kribs, the Crown Prince of The Empire staff. His journey lay not, as he had given out, towards the setting sun or the County of Waterloo, the place of his birth, but rather in the direction of certain large American cities in the east and south, notably New York and Washington.

His mission was to "clench" the rumors that had gone abroad that Editor Edward Farrar of The Mail had been before Senator Hoar's committee at Washington and had furnished that body with the startling and traitorous information that if Reciprocity were withheld from Canada she would be coerced into Annexation, body and bones, political and commercial, with the Great Republic.

The Empire's commissioner got back to town on Tuesday and yesterday he printed nearly four columns, about half of which was made up in "headings" and "leads," of the result of his mission. But he collected some very damaging and conclusive evidence against the editor of The Mail.

Senator Hoar's committee is composed of:

Senator Hoar, Massachusetts.
Senator Hale, Maine.
Senator Dolph, Oregon.
Senator Pugh, Alabama.
Senator Butler, South Carolina.

The first three are Republicans and the other two are Democrats. This committee has now been in existence a year, but has not yet reported to Congress the result of its investigations, and is not likely to do so this present session.

In Washington the commissioner saw Senator Dolph. He was asked by Mr. Kribs:

"Is it true that Mr. Farrer of The Toronto Mail, has made statements to the Senate Committee on Canadian Relations to the effect that if the passage of the Butterworth Bill or any legislation by the Congress of the United States looking to general reciprocity with Canada were deferred, Canada could be coerced into consenting to Annexation to the United States?"

Senator Dolph replied: "The first part of the question is true, but that statements have been made to our committee that if we in the United States did not accept Reciprocity with Canada she would before very long be willing to be annexed to our Union, but these statements were in the nature of secret communications, and I cannot give you any more than this general outline of them."

This question was asked:

"Did Mr. Farrer make such statements?"

Senator Dolph replied:

"As I have said, that matter has been held as a secret one, but while I cannot give you a fuller epitome of what Mr. Farrer, who was down here, laid before the committee, I can tell you that he made such statements."

At New York the Commissioner saw Mr. Erastus Wiman. Said the latter:

"You may say for me that I am strongly of the opinion—that I have thoroughly satisfied myself—that not only did Mr. Farrer, as representing The Toronto Mail, furnish the Senate Committee secretly with a mass of information all tending to strengthen the Annexation theory, but that he impressed upon them the fact that if Congress would refuse all overtures of Reciprocity Canada would quickly be glad to annex herself to the Union."

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A Dakota Blizzard.

HURON, S.D., Jan. 22.—A severe wind and snow storm has prevailed here since daylight. Trains are delayed. The temperature is falling.

A Non-Partisan W. C. T. U.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 22.—About 100 delegates representing a dozen states met this morning for the purpose of organizing a non-partisan W. C. T. U.

Chicago Physicians Puzzled.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22. — Seventy-nine deaths from la grippe and kindred diseases were reported up to noon to-day, notwithstanding the cold weather. The doctors are puzzled.

The Rubber Concession Cancelled.

PROVIDENCE, R.I., Jan. 22.—A cablegram from Para states that the provisional government has cancelled the concession of 20 reis per pound on rubber granted recently to the mercantile companies.

Good Furs.

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THE OLD MAN AT CHESTER.

A VIGOROUS SPEECH WITH A WIDE RANGE OF TOPICS.

The Portuguese Question—A Slap at Turkey—Gigantic War Preparations Deplored—The Judgment of the Parnell Commission Discounted—The Final Triumph of Home Rule Predicted.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—Mr. Gladstone speaking at Chester to-day declined to criticise the cause of Lord Salisbury in the dispute with Portugal until he is more fully informed as to the details of the case. He considered it his duty to avoid cavilling at the foreign policy of the Government. Turkey appeared again as inviting England to intervene to protect the suffering population of Crete and Armenia, but he warned the Sultan that England's reply would involve a reference to that mockery of justice the trial of Moussa Bey, and the reply would be that he would not obtain British sympathy in times of trial and difficulty unless he governed with humanity and justice.

Referring to the United States and the plans for an enlarged navy, Mr. Gladstone said that country is still enjoying the blessings and comforts of a restricted trade and would therefore pay 40 or 50 per cent. more to build a navy than it would if contented to compete on equal terms with other nations. But its resources are so great that it can afford to pay for the luxury of protection. The worst of it was that while America would cite England's example for enlarging her navy, England will give a similar excuse for further naval increase. It is a matter of deep sorrow to reflect that the very ostentatious addition to the defences of a country made under a real or pretended necessity is made an apology for the increase of the burdens of every other country. Under profession of an additional security the policy of goverments thus tended more and more to jeopardize the peace of the world.

The country would be likely soon to hear much about the Parnell Commission. Without anticipating the judgment or breathing a word of suspicion of the judges, he felt the subject must be probed with the deepest attention of the country and of parliament. His opinion was that the cumbrous proceedings constituted a case of oppression practised upon an individual by a tribunal chamber and Executive Government without a parallel since the evil times of the reign of Charles II.

He commended Scotland's unvarying support of Liberalism. If Scotland demanded Home Rule neither Tories nor dissident Liberals would blow the war trumpets against it in the name either of the Union or the integrity of the Empire. Ireland had a good claim to Home Rule because the Tory majority assisted a handful of Scotch members to outvote the Scotch majority. The conflict for home rule is a terrific struggle of powerful influence on one side against conviction on the other side. It is the principle of Liberalism to trust the people qualified by prudence, it is the principle of Torydom to distrust the people qualified by fear. He was confident of the ultimate judgment of the country. If ready to meet dissolution but without impatience for it, it was because he felt strongly the justice of the cause and knew it must triumph.

Funeral of Prince Amadeo.

ROME, Jan. 22.—The funeral of the Duke of Aosta, formerly King of Spain, occurred to-day at Turin. The ceremonies were remarkably modest and simple, but evidences of grief and affection for the popular Italian Prince were almost universal.

A Blow at Disaffection.

BELGRADE, Jan. 22.—The Government wishing to strike a blow at the disaffected portion of the army has placed Colonel Povlovics, commander of the Belgrade division, and Colonel Vanlici on the retired list.

Davitt Loyal to Parnell.

DUBLIN, Jan. 22.—Michael Davitt in an address at Cork last night declared his unabated confidence in Parnell and his steadfast loyalty to him.

Not a Field for Commerce.

PARIS, Jan. 22.—Captain Trevier, the French explorer who crossed from the west to the east coast of Africa, is of opinion that no commercial ventures are possible in the country he traversed.

Portugal's Little Boycott.

LISBON, Jan. 22.—Senhor Gomez says that the movement to boycott everything English promises to be a lasting one, and that if it results, as it probably will, in the development of Portugal's internal resources it will prove in the end advantageous in the extreme to the country. The great trouble is the lack of capital and the absence of technical skill among the natives. There are beds of coal at Valongo and metals in other parts of the country, but English capitalists have liens upon all of any value, and Vega, and other Portuguese, now in Paris, are endeavoring to induce French financiers to assume the incumbrances and work the mines under new auspices

Cable Flashes.

The Duke of Veragua, the new Spanish

The Belfast shipbuilders' strike has been amicably settled.

Minister of Commerce, is a descendant of Christopher Columbus.

A Portuguese meeting at Rio Janeiro resolved to suspend business with English people, and to telegraph to Lisbon that the republic is prepared to make any sacrifice for their native country.

It is stated that Princess Clothilde asked the Duke of Aosta, her brother, just before her death, to speak to the King about the relations of Italy to the Vatican, and the Duke did speak earnestly in favor of a reconciliation with the Pope.

Captain O'Shea's motion to commit The Star, Freeman's Journal and Herald for contempt of court was on hearing in London Tuesday and adjourned. An affidavit by O'Shea denying that he had been a complaisant husband was read.

The Sultan of Turkey has ordered the Minister of Finance to prepare the budget for 1890-91. He has consented to a reduction of 15 to 20 per cent. in the salaries of State officials, and a reduction of the Imperial household expenses of $5,000,000 yearly. It is expected the deficit will amount to $20,000,000.

Jumped and Broke His Leg.

As George W. Palmer, a farmer residing at Malvern, and an acquaintance named Gooderham were driving down Logan-avenue, near Smith-street, yesterday morning the horse ran away. Palmer jumped and broke his right leg near the ankle. He was taken to the Hospital. Gooderham remained in the buggy and was uninjured.

Steamship Arrivals.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From.
Jan. 22.	Servia	New York	Liverpool
"	Circassia	Moville	New York

PUT IN AT HALIFAX.

HALIFAX, Jan. 22.—Three more steamers put in this morning short of coal after encountering fearful weather. They are the Torrento, from Hamburg for New York, 24 days out; the Rhaetia, from Hamburg Jan. 5 and Havre Jan. 7 for New York, and the Egypt, from London, Jan 2 or New York.

MARRIAGES.

LYON—DWYER—On Jan. 22, at the Church of the Ascension, by Rev. H. G. Baldwin, Stewart Lyon, formerly of Port Glasgow, now on the reporting staff of The Globe, to Miss Josephine Dwyer, daughter of the late Robert Dwyer of Sandhills, Peel County.

DEATHS.

DUNN—At the residence of her sister-in-law, 591 King street west, on the 20th inst. Mrs. Mary Dunn, aged 65 years.

OUT IN WEST YORK.

The Conservative Association Holds Its Annual Meeting and Puts in Some Sledge Hammer Ideas.

If enthusiasm and perfect unanimity count for anything, the annual meeting of the West York Conservative Association held yesterday afternoon in Eagle Hall, Weston, augurs well for the Conservative candidate for the Ontario Legislature.

President D. W. Clendennan opened the meeting and then retired in favor of Dr. Orr of Maple, who took the chair pro tem. These officers were elected by acclamation for the ensuing year:

President—W. J. Smithson.

Vice-Presidents—A. H. Royce, George Wood, C. H. Boon, E. Smith, York township; J. H. Taylor, George Pearson and Arthur Jackson, Etobicoke; James McNeik, Charles McLean, Alfred Keffer, S. McClure, Vaughan; D. McKenzie, Woodbrige; David Rowntree, Weston; R. N. McCormack and Peter Laughton, West Toronto Junction; W. Cook and J. W. St. John, Toronto; R. Carey, Parkdale; J. Armstrong, Brockton; J. W. Elliott, Richmond Hill.

Secretary—W. J. Bull.

Treasurer—A. J. Griffiths.

Addresses were made by the President and Mayor St. Leger, West Toronto Junction. Dr. Orr gave an enthusiastic address, in which he overhauled the Ontario Government for their position on the license question. The hotel-keepers, he said, are afraid to open their mouths in election times because they are afraid of losing their licenses. He warned his hearers against the agitators for Commercial Union and Annexation. As true Conservatives, born under the British flag, they should set their feet upon such treasonable agitations.

Mr. Clendennan, the Conservative candidate for the Legislature, made a rousing speech approving of the policy of W. R. Meredith. The meeting concluded with speeches from H. C. Fowler, John Goulding, J. L. Peake, William Medland, Robert Wallace and William Johnston, all of whom were enthusiastic in their support of Mr. Clendennan.

COLTER GOES TO THE WALL.

His Appeal Dismissed by the Supreme Court—Another Election in Haldimand.

OTTAWA, Jan. 22.—Mr. Colter's prospects seemed bright when, in the Supreme Court this morning, Chief Justice Ritchie led off with an elaborate judgment, which it took him half an hour to deliver, declaring that though Haslett was clearly a briber it had not been shown by the evidence that he was an agent of Colter's, and that therefore the latter should not be held responsible. The Chief Justice thought the appeal should be dismissed with costs.

As the judges speak according to their seniority Justice Strong came next. He was not present, being yet ill, but his written judgment was read by the Chief Justice. It was a model of brevity: "For the reasons stated by Mr. Justice Falconbridge, which I adopt in their entirety, I think the appeal should be dismissed with costs."

Justice Taschereau was entitled to speak next, but he asked to be passed over.

Then Justice Gwynne said that as the evidence did not clearly show that Haslett was not an agent he must adhere to the practice of the court and decline to interfere, thereby leaving the appeal to be dismissed with costs.

Judge Fournier, who was on the bench, had not been present when the case was heard, so said nothing.

Judge Patterson said sufficient reason had not been shown for interference by this court. If Haldiwand had not such familiarity with elections there might have been greater doubt as to Haslett's agency, but the policy of the association in which it copied the teaching of another on a different side of politics was evidently to so conduct the business that there would be no written evidence. The Supreme Court should not upset the finding of a trial judge unless it was clearly wrong. And he thought the petition should be dismissed with costs.

Justice Taschereau then announced that he had grave doubts as to Haslett's agency and would have asked for more time make up his mind were it not that a majority of the court were agreed to dismiss the appeal.

The Chief Justice then declared the appeal dismissed with costs, and that the usual return should be made to Speaker Ouimet, who was himself among the auditors in the court-room. Mr. Colter had been, but he went away when the Chief Justice began delivering his judgment. Of course his seat in the House was vacant this afternoon. It is understood that the writ for the new election will be issued immediately and the earliest possible day fixed.

Mr. Colter, who has been in the capital since the opening of Parliament, says he will certainly contest the county again, and says further that under the revised lists he can carry the day.

The Doctor on Deck.

DUNNVILLE, Jan. 22.—Dr. W. H. Montague was jubilant when he learned that Mr. Colter had been unseated. He says that he expected it from the first. The doctor will again try conclusions with his old opponent, and like the latter thinks he is sure of winning. Dr. Montague's friends, anticipating to-day's decision by the Supreme Court, have been at work for a number of weeks perfecting organisation.

RUINED AND ONLY 19.

Spoiling a Farmer's Daughter—Assize Court Cases.

James Sloan of Vaughan Charged With De-

If any of the three cases set down for the Civil Assizes to-day are extensively gone into there will most likely be some spicy developments. Third on the list is Porter v. Sloan. The action is brought by William Porter, a farmer residing in the township of King, against the defendant, James Sloan, who lives in Vaughan. It is alleged that in the month of December, 1888, the defendant seduced the daughter of the plaintiff, Mary Porter, who is only 19 years of age. The alleged misdemeanor took place at the residence of the defendant's sister. A child was born in August. The plaintiff claims $3000 and costs. The allegations are denied in toto by the defendant.

The first case on the list is that of McLaren v. Archabold. The plaintiff, Mrs. McEaren sues for damages on account of alleged malicious and false arrest on a charge of keeping a disorderly house in Richmond-street west. The Police Magistrate dismissed the case. The defendant is Staff Inspector Archabold.

The case of Taylor v. Johnston, which has already been so thoroughly ventilated, also occupies a first place on the list.

There was little business done yesterday The most important case taken up was that of Goodfellow v. the city. William Henry Goodfellow and his wife, Mary Ann Goodfellow brought an action for $3000 injuries sustained by the plaintiff, Mrs. Goodfellow Feb. 14, 1889, while crossing Yonge-street at Richmond. The sidewalk was in such a dangerous condition owing to the ice remaining upon it that the plaintiff fell, sustaining the injuries referred to. The other plaintiff, William Goodfellow, claims $500. Mr. Wallace Nesbitt appeared for the plaintiffs and City Solicitor Biggar for the defendants. At 6¼ the jury announced that they could not agree.

Thomas Christie v. Catharine Ardagh, an action to recover a commission of $250,

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THURSDAY MORNING, JANUARY 23, 1890.

Mr. Mulock's Motion.

Mr. Mulock has given notice of an address to the Queen protesting the unswerving loyalty of her Canadian Commons to Her Person and the loyalty of the Canadian people to British Connection. Her Majesty is implored, somewhat after the manner of Codlin, not to believe any stories that may be floating about to the contrary, as they are "wholly incorrect." The address also recalls another incident of Dickens', Mrs. Micawber throwing herself into the arms of her beloved Wilkins and telling him that she never shall desert him.

But why does Mr. Mulock feel called on to thus so much protest?

1. He may desire to repudiate the conduct of the Young Liberals of Toronto, who at a recent dinner declined to drink the health of Her Majesty.

2. Or he may not be adverse to the honor of knighthood, and as long as these distinctions are going The World would certainly like to see the member for North York on the list of those with handles to their names.

3. Or he may desire to repudiate the course of The Globe. That journal has repeatedly jeered, hooted and snorted at British Connection, its second article of yesterday being an especially offensive one in this respect. It is so strong that the two things appearing on the one day will force either Mr. Mulock to disown any responsibility for the organ's utterances or the organ to repudiate Mr. Mulock's motion. Certainly the first thing that will be flung at Mr. Mulock when he gets up to make his speech will be the newspaper article of yesterday and a long string of extracts from its predecessors.

The World does not question Mr. Mulock's loyalty. He has not been afraid to put himself on record as favorable to continuing as "Americanizing" this country. We believe he cordially detests Annexation. But he has some queer customers for political companions and his motion gives them a good opportunity of explaining themselves.

A Chinaman has been found in New York who lived sumptuously off the rich viands set before the great Joss to propitiate him. They say the Chinaman is crazy. He may be, but he got decidedly the best of it on the provender question.

Frenchmen notice a close relation between the phase of the moon and the price of grain. Superstition? Not a bit of it. The dealers are supplied by poachers, who cannot work on dark nights to the same advantage that they can when the moon is shining. Moon, low prices; no moon, high prices.

To the Attorney-General.

It is no secret around the Court House and in some daily newspaper offices that there is something very "queer" about the way in which the recent Grand Jury decided to throw out the bill against Ross, charged with obtaining $3000 worth of diamonds by fraud. It would not be out of place for the Attorney-General to institute an inquiry into the matter, and that at once.

The mild winter has tended greatly to keep down the running expenses of the railroads, but neither the general public nor the railway employes will benefit from this.

A curious use has been made of the phonograph in England, in the interest of medical science. The patient, a lad of ten, and English by birth, is unable to speak his native language but a jargon which cannot be understood; many doctors have examined him, but could not exactly diagnose the cause of the phenomenon, and it was questionable whether the lad spoke the same thing twice in the same way, and the only way to discover whether he did so or not was to get him to speak to the phonograph. The lad, in the presence of several gentlemen, was asked to speak the Lord's Prayer and the alphabet. Several cylinders were made in this way, and when a comparison was instituted between the various phonograms it was found that there was no variation in the spoken words and that it was quite possible for the language which the boy speaks to be understood by simply learning the various sounds.

The Fad in a Bad Way.

The Globe, trying to ease the failure of the C.U. or U.R. fad, says that The Mail's conspiracy with the Republican members of the Senate committee was the cause. That had something to do with it; but the fad went to pieces the moment its own inherent weaknesses were found out. When the Yankees saw that it was a scheme to open their markets to Canadian farmers, they had, in their own words, "no more use for it." "If by C.U. you mean that Canada is to open her markets to our products (of factory and farm) and that ultimately Canada is to come into the Union we are in for it; but if you only mean that Canada is to have the benefit of our markets for her produce, and that she is to be benefited by it, then we give you to understand that we are not doing missionary work." The trouble with The Globe and Mr. Wiman was that at one time they told the Americans that they were to be benefited; the next day they told the Canadians that the advantage would be on their side, and between the conflicting statements and their double-faced policy they came to the ground.

And so the one plank of the Reform party proves to be a rotten one, incapable of carrying them or any one else into power.

There, therefore, remains for the advocates of "closer commercial relations" between the two countries the straight and understandable project of Annexation. There is no indefiniteness about it. It is plain as a pikestaff. The Mail sees this and it has openly thrown the Wiman fad overboard, and it has by its articles and by its special editorial emmissary to Washington taken up Annexation straight. The Mail deserves recognition for its frankness if not for its loyalty; The Globe, however, practically continues to advocate Annexation while denouncing the "traitorous Mail" for the same course. The Globe may denounce Mr. Farrer's disloyal mission, but we have good reason for saying that the strongest argument that that disloyal man submitted to Senator Hoar in favor of Annexation was the attitude of The Globe newspaper and some of the Liberal leaders, and that he relied on these facts more than anything else to prove his contention that the Canadian plum was ready for the pulling.

An enterprising watchmaker has got up a new contrivance which he calls an "appointment reminder." A small dial is set into the watch's face and on this the hands can be set to any hour required, to indicate an appointment. But what is there to remind the absent-minded one to look at his watch?

Three lunatics have died within the past few months in the Belleville jail, while ten others are still confined behind the bars of that institution. This is a disgraceful state of affairs, the more so as in the great majority of cases the patients confined in jails are acute, while the asylums are crowded with chronic cases that could as well be treated outside of an asylum as in. As a matter of fact they are not treated at all—do not need treatment. They are simply harmless imbeciles, while those in the jails are dangerous and do need treatment.

The Globe is quite as anxious for the annexation of Canada to the United States as is The Mail. That The Globe did not go quite as far as The Mail is not because The Globe had more prudence but because it had less nerve.

Mr. Farrer may congratulate himself that he lives in the nineteenth century. They used to chop people's heads off for that sort of thing a couple of hundred years ago.

The Mail as a Traitor.

We are afraid The Mail is in deep water. It betrayed its party and now it has been caught red-handed betraying its country. People recall the part its managing director had in the plot to depose the Mowat Government some years ago; they also recall things in the personal history of certain individuals that they do not mention publicly. The result will be that the business men and the reading public will discard The Mail. This last episode ought to settle the policy of business men and especially of the citizens of Toronto toward this journal which has turned Turk on everything Canadian and is working in the interests of the American rivals of this metropolis.

The Mail for a long time has been threatening to show up Sir John and his party and it is not unlikely that Mr. Bunting will seize the present opportunity to tell all he dare confess without implicating himself. At all events the usefulness of The Mail is gone, and even its Equal Rights platform will be suspected as being in the interest of bringing on the deluge rather than the promotion of better government.

The ultra-fashionables of New York have formed a Browning Club on a peculiar basis. They meet and pay an expounder $2 per hour each to have pointed out to them the hidden gems of the poet's works. People so shallow-brained as to form such a club would not be able to discover a hidden meaning in an idea if the meaning were dug out and placed on a plate before them.

M. Choquette, M.P. for Montmagny, says that the proposed railway from Quebec to the Labrador coast is backed by well-known capitalists, who will ask for no government aid of any kind. Then let the railroad be built, if only as a curiosity.

Stormy Times at Sea.

We hear that there is, or was, an unusually stormy time on the Atlantic. We do not profess to explain this, but perhaps it is connected with an important change in the anti-trade winds in the Northern Hemisphere, which indicates the return of a cycle of warmer summers and colder winters than those which have prevailed lately. Such a change is about due now, so the "scientists" say, and it need not surprise us should it put in an appearance very shortly. This is merely a guess, but there is some pretty good weather science to sustain it.

Emperor William has given orders that two papers that have offended him shall not be admitted to the Palace. It is a terrible blow at the stability of the press when two papers published in the same town each lose a subscriber at one fell swoop.

From freeze to thaw, from thaw to freeze,
With intervals between to sneeze.

A Slack Time at Ottawa.

According to prevailing accounts, they are having rather a slack time at Ottawa, and there are Senators who propose to adjourn for ten days or so, until there is something for their chamber to do. Just now is a great time for petitions, which are coming in by the cartload, so it is said. Of course the unusually slack time makes a good chance for somebody; and it is likely to be improved, too. It ought to be a good time for getting in petitions to both Houses, and it is likely to be improved, too.

There are, however, those who think that just now is the calm which precedes the storm. The fight has not yet commenced, but it will be hot enough when it gets a-going, so it is said. We see no reason for withdrawing from our opinion already given, that the fight of the Session will be a question of our relations with the United States. The Globe and The Mail, and their aids, have made that the question to be discussed in Canada these times, and we hope they will get enough of it before they are done with it. It seems to us that it is going to be the economical question, rather than the one of race and religion, which is going to be this *piece de resistance* for this session of Parliament. One reason why we think so is because it will help some members to escape for a while having to face the religious question—which a good many of them would rather postpone doing for a while. The present seems rather a favorable one for the millers, we should say; and we hope they will push their case the best they know how without delay.

The passing of the millers' demand for a dollar a barrel on American flour would bring down like a thousand of brick the pretence that Canadians want to be joined to the States. It would prove, by trial, that this country is quite able to produce all the bread required to feed her own people. And the sooner we challenge the schemers with this appeal the better. The sooner the Government face the difficulty the easier it will be for them, so we believe. Have it settled and done with, is what we have to say about it.

The Americans, as well as we, have those among them who have to buy their flour from the far West; yet they have no trouble about keeping on a protective duty on flour. We mean—a duty which really does protect, and which effectually keeps out the foreign article. There is no good reason why we cannot do just the same. We can do it, of course, any time; truly there are some among us who are afraid to try.

We are compelled to remind the manufacturers that the protection of flour was an expected part of the N. P.; and until that has been added to the tariff, the N. P. has not been carried out. But we hope that this accusation of unfairness will not long rest, either against Canada's economical system or the Government that is responsible for it.

Now that Colter's appeal has been dismissed, Haldimand will have another election. Election contests cannot be much of a novelty in Haldimand by this time, but if as much money is spent each time as is said to be, the vote industry down that way must be a profitable one.

That beautiful glossy sheen so much admired in hair can be secured by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. There is nothing better than this preparation for strengthening the scalp and keeping it free from dandruff and itching eruptions.

The Fur Sale.

The citizens of Toronto seem to be taking advantage of the great auction sale of furs now going on at G. & J. Rogers' store, No. 79 Yonge-street, near King. Judging from the large crowds that daily attend, the name of Rogers is a sufficient guarantee to those purchasing. Several elegant mantles will be offered this afternoon with a full line of fur goods. The sale is positively unreserved and under the management of Mr. Chas. [illegible] this [illegible] at 2 o'clock.

The Twenty-Sixth Annual Statement of the Affairs of the Perth Mutual Fire Insurance Company, Stratford, Ont.

To the Members of the Perth Mutual Fire Insurance Company:

GENTLEMEN,—The twenty-sixth annual report of the Board of Directors on the affairs of the Company's business for the year ending December 31, 1889, together with a summary of the year's transactions, statements of the profit and loss account, assets and liabilities, losses paid and auditors' report are herewith submitted, with the hope that the facts and figures presented are such as will meet with your approval.

We are also pleased to be able to say that we begin the operations of the year 1890 with a clear sheet. Every dollar of losses has been promptly adjusted and paid, and the claims which unfortunately we were obliged to resist in 1888 have also been satisfactorily settled or disposed of, still leaving us a balance of $3930.48 to place to our reserve fund, which fund now stands $40,905.94.

The following exhibits a summary of the policies issued and amounts written during the year:—The total number issued were 2,155 policies; the amount at risk, $2,398,294; 1048 policies, and $1,272,095 in the amount written, being on the mutual plan, and 1,109 policies, and in amount written $1,026,199, being on the cash plan; the total in force on the 1st Jan. 1890, being 5165 policies and $5,547,529 in the amount at risk, covering $422,616 on specials, $1,314,302 on mercantile risks and $3,810,611 on non-hazardous property.

By a perusal of the statement of assets it will be observed that our immediate available cash is municipal debentures and cash in bank $33,379.27; assessments, accrued interest, agents' balances and short-date due bills (which have since been mostly paid up) $3,801.20, and furniture, goods plant, $1,134.46, or a total of $40,315.09, and with the premium-notes, amounting to $105,434.01, makes our total assets and securities to our policyholders $145,749.10, and, after providing for the re-insurance of all current risks on the cash plan, leaves the sum of $137,021.39 as security for our premium-note policy-holders.

The retiring Directors are Messrs. James Trow, Alexander McLaren, William Davidson and Joseph Saikeld, who are eligible for re-election.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) JAMES TROW, President.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT ENDING DEC. 31, 1889.

To balance from 1888			$37,369 46
First payment on notes		$11,990 09	
Premiums on cash system		11,864 16	
Assessments		16,176 15	
Extra premiums and transfer fees		381 78	
Interest		1,602 15	
			42,074 33
			$79,443 79
By paid losses 1888	$1,083 95		
By paid losses 1889	20,457 14		
By Minnie claim	1,600 00		
By rebate and abatements	2,125 25		
By reinsurance	1,714 53		
		$26,970 87	
By agents' commission	$ 6,167 13		
By law costs	1,111 03		
By salaries, Directors' and Auditors' fees	2,408 00		
By printing and advertising	890 81		
By postage, office account	213 91		
By postage, agents	82 17		
By telegrams and express	67 08		
By adjusting losses	399 44		
By traveling expenses	176 65		
By statutory assessments	155 97		
By rent and taxes	268 80		
By fuel and light	26 98		
By telephone, exchange, Dominion	204 44		
		$ 12,166 98	$39,137 85
Balance			$40,305 94

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES, THIS ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1889.

Debentures—Stratford	$14,500 00	
" Town of Mitchell	6,000 00	
" County of Perth	3,000 00	
" Township of Downie	1,995 00	
First mortgage on farm	4,000 00	
Bank of Commerce Savings Bank	3,108 37	
Bank of Commerce current account	804 90	
Accrued interest	880 00	
Assessments, 1889	3,072 61	
Bills receivable	592 26	
Agents' balances	1,286 49	
Office furniture	634 76	
Goods plant	509 70	
		$40,315 09
LIABILITIES.		
Agents' balances	$ 9 15	
Amount required to insure all current risks on the cash system	8,718 56	
		$ 8,727 71
Cash balance after re-insuring		$ 31,587 38
Premium notes, after deducting all payments thereon		105,434 01
		$137,021 39

To the President and Directors of the Perth Mutual Fire Insurance Company:

We, the undersigned Auditors, hereby certify that we have made a detailed audit of all the books of the Company for the year ending 31st December, 1889, and all securities, vouchers and documents relating to the same, and have compared the Company's balance sheet, together with their profit and loss account, with the said books, all of which have been found correct and satisfactory.

(Signed) JOHN PEARSON, Auditors.
(Signed) G. G. EWART,
Stratford, Jan. 21st, 1890.

We have appointed the undersigned as our Agent for Toronto.

WM. ALLAN,
Room 5, Building & Loan Chambers, 15 Toronto-street.

Dyspepsia or indigestion is occasioned by the want of action in the biliary ducts, loss of vitality in the stomach to secrete the gastric juices, without which digestion cannot go on; also, being the principal cause of headache. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills taken before going to bed, for a while, never fail to give relief and effect a cure. Mr. F. W. Ashdown, Ashdown, Ont., writes: "Parmelee's Pills are taking the lead against ten other makes which I have in stock."

Food for Laughter.

Two of a kine—Twin calves.

What every one likes to C—A $100 bill.

Every lad should have a buoyant disposition.

The icemen will have a high old time next summer.

The faster a loaded gravel cart travels the more ground it loses.

Arbitration can settle a good many things, but it won't work on muddy coffee.

American Traveler (on his first visit to European city): "Who is that man in the carriage that everybody's running to see?"

Native (proudly): "That is the King."

American Traveler (disappointed): "Shucks! Is that all he is? I thought may be that he was some fellow that had just hung a jury."

McFingle: "Why do you call that horse Regulator?"

McFangle: "Because all the other horses go by him."

Irate Wife (to collector): "Don't be insolent, sir. I'll tell my husband and he'll kick you all over town."

Collector (confidently): "I just guess not. My name's Bill, mum, and he never footed one in his life if he could help it."

A.: "Dr. S. is very sick again."

B.: "Why, I heard that Dr. W. treated him successfully, and that in consequence he was restored to health."

A.: "Yes, that's so; but it worried Dr. S. so much that Dr. W. cured him that he had a relapse.

Ministers, lawyers, teachers and others whose occupation gives but little exercise should use Carter's Little Liver Pills for torpid liver and biliousness. One is a dose. Try them. 246

Bargains in Diamonds.

Yesterday a World young man paid a visit to the diamond broking office of Mr. Fred Woltz, 41 Colborne-street, and was there shown some really beautiful specimens of the precious gem, both set and unset. Mr. Woltz has of late made some heavy diamond sales, the purchasers admitting the value given to be first-class. At present Mr. Woltz has some fine rings in stock, great bargains. Anyone desiring a really fine ring at a low figure should call on Mr. Woltz.

A SECOND HUGH MILLER.

Dr. Carlyle Tells of His Schools and School-Masters—Others Give Reminiscences—A Successful Opening.

The formal opening of the Normal School took place yesterday afternoon. The opening lecture was delivered by Dr. Carlyle. There were present Mr. Marling, Deputy Minister of Education; Inspector Fotheringham of South York, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Kirkland, Mrs. Carlyle, Mrs. Paton, the teachers of the Normal and Model Schools and others.

Principal Kirkland presided and introduced Dr. Carlyle. The lecturer gave a vivid description of his early "Schools and School-masters," which bore not a little resemblance to those of Hugh Miller. He described his early attempts at teaching, his student days at the Toronto Normal School under Mr. Robertson and Dr. Ormeslin. He paid an eloquent tribute to these eminent men and their influence on the education of Ontario. The lecture was full of interest and instruction and was listened to with great attention.

The principal followed with a few remarks, pointing out that the advantages of the present day brought with them corresponding responsibilities, that the last words had not been said on education and the teachers of the future would be expected to make as great an advance on the present as those of the present day had made on the past.

The Deputy Minister of Education, on behalf of the Education Department, welcomed the students and said that the department would always be glad to aid them in every way in its power.

Inspector Fotheringham gave his early experience in an old log school-house, where the ventilation was perfect, but the heating was behind the times.

Mr. McIntosh, head master of the Model School, gave some good advice on methods of teaching. The regular work of the school will begin this morning. There are 120 students present, 97 ladies and 23 gentlemen, from all parts of the province.

Behring Sea

Contains the great seal of the American Republic, and Burdock Blood Bitters contains the virtues of roots, barks and herbs from our fields and forests, making it a wonderful remedy for constipation, dyspepsia, biliousness, bad blood, scrofula and all skin diseases.

The Jewelers' Section.

At a meeting of the jobbers and manufacturers of watch cases, jewelry and silverware yesterday, (members of the Board of Trade), those present unanimously decided to take advantage of the existing bylaws to form a section of the Board. The membership shall embrace all engaged or interested in the jewelry, clock and silverware business either as manufacturers or jobbers (members of the Board). E. Scheuer was appointed chairman pro tem and this committee on bylaws elected: Messrs. Fudger, McNaught, Copp, Ellis and Scheuer. W. K. McNaught was unanimously chosen as the nominee of the section to represent the jewelers at the approaching elections for the council of the Board. This makes the tenth section of the Board and admits to eligibility from 25 to 28 new members. Thus does the Board grow and prosper and the active members rejoice thereat.

Holloway's Corn Cure is the medicine to remove all kinds of corns and warts, and only costs the small sum of twenty-five cents.

A MANDAMUS THREATENED.

Ald. E. A. Macdonald Still Lays Claim to That Chairmanship.

The trouble over the appointment of a chairman of the Toronto Street Railway Franchise Committee is not yet over. Yesterday morning Ald. E. A. Macdonald dropped in on the City Clerk and requested him to call a meeting of the committee. To this Mr. Blevins replied that the call could only issue on the authority of the chairman, Ald. Gillespie. Ald. Macdonald denied that the member from St. George's Ward was the chairman, but that he himself, by virtue of having moved the resolution appointing the committee, was really the presiding officer. Again Mr. Blevins refused to issue the call, and the alderman left stating that he would compel the City Clerk to obey his order by applying for a mandamus.

Later in the day the City Clerk put his refusal into writing and sent it to the Junior representative from St. James' Ward. Mr. Blevins told The World that he would not recede from his position until compelled to do so by the courts.

The World asked Ald. Gillespie what he thought of the trouble and whether he would give up the seat to Ald. Macdonald. "By no means," he replied, "Mr. Macdonald waived his right to the chairmanship when he offered to retire in favor of Ald. Moses, and subsequently seconded the motion, making me chairman. I certainly maintain that I am the legal chairman of the committee."

It was reported around the Hall last evening that the mandamus would issue to-morrow and that Ald. Macdonald proposed proceeding against Ald. Boustead for defamation of character.

A Business Report.

Mr. James McCarty, of Rounds & McCarty's Collecting Bureau, Drumbo, Ont., states: "Have used several bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters for kidney disorder and find it a wonderful remedy. Previously I had been taking pills, thinking I had liver complaint, but now I am quite well and will always praise B.B.B.

A Question of Privilege.

There is a quiet little row agitating the Separate School Board and it has its origin in St. Patrick's Ward. When the various enumerators were appointed Trustee Walsh, V. G. Laurent's colleague, nominated as his right one of his supporters to the position of enumerator and the Vicar-General, not to be behind, acted the same kind part with a friend. The appointees have dragged the board into the dispute between the cleric and the laymen, both claiming the right to do the work and get the money for it.

Jacob H. Bloomer of Virgilia, N.Y., writes "Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil cured a badly swelled neck and sore throat on my son in forty-eight hours; one application also removed the pain from a very sore toe; my wife's foot was also inflamed—so much so that she could not walk about the house; she applied the oil and in twenty-four hours was entirely cured.

Why Two Addresses?

Ex-Separate School Trustee P. Curran crossed King-street yesterday to give The World this grievance. "You see," he said, the board of 1889 passed a congratulatory resolution to Archbishop Walsh and ordered that it be engrossed. It is all ready for presentation now, and here at the last meeting of the board of 1890 they go and order another one to be engrossed. Two addresses to the Archbishop from the same source looks like a waste of public money."

Caswell, Massey & Co.'s Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, with Pepsin and Quinine, is recognized as the best preparation known. Prescribed by the leading physicians. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

Discussing the Local Improvement.

The Mayor, Chairman Shaw and the City Solicitor had a consultation yesterday afternoon, as to how best to modify the local improvement provisions, so as to make them more workable, and to enable the work to be commenced with less delay than under the present cumbersome system. The illness of the City Engineer prevented his presence at the meeting.

Among the Societies.

Court Cairnmore I.O.F. assembled last night in Shaftesbury Hall and initiated one candidate. Bro. J. Bland presided.

The Marine Engineers' Association met last night in Shaftesbury Hall, Mr. S. S. Malcolmson in the chair. There was to have been an election of officers, but several members being ill with the grippe epidemic the ceremony was postponed.

Crimson Banner Lodge Prentice Boys had a good meeting last night in Victoria Hall, Mr. James Edwards in the chair. Routine business was transacted, after which the members discussed oysters upstairs. Grand Master Jackson and District Master Lackie were invited guests.

The annual meeting of the Toronto Temperance Reformation Society was held last night in Temperance Hall, President James Thompson in the chair. The annual report was presented and approved, after which there was a short musical program and refreshments. Several prominent temperance workers addressed the meeting and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Lodge Middlesex No. 2, S.O.E.B.S., held the first meeting for the year under the presidency of the new officers on Tuesday night. This lodge has a membership of nearly 500 and the accounts show: Invested funds and balance in treasurer's hands, $6389.99; liabilities, $338.05; net assets, $6051.94. La grippe has caused a payment of $160 during the past month, as against [illegible] last year.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY.

Rosina Vokes This Evening—"Held By The Enemy"—Herrmann's Vaudevilles.

This evening that charming little comedienne, Rosina Vokes, accompanied by her talented associates, will commence a brief engagement at the Grand. The bill will comprise three pieces which have never before been presented in Toronto, viz.: "The "Old Musician," "Wig and Gown" and "My Lord in Livery." In consequence of the length of the program Miss Vokes respectfully requests the audience to be seated punctually at 8 o'clock.

Herrmann at the Academy.

Herrmann's Trans-Atlantique Vaudevilles will be the attraction at the Academy next week, including matinees on Wednesday and Saturday. The company is the same as they appeared at the Union-square Theatre, New York. Among the hits of the program may be mentioned the great Trewey, juggler, balancer and shadowgraphist; the funny and popular comedian, Gus Williams; Les Freres Tacchi, the Parisian wonders, Harry Pepper, tenor, and Author Lepetit; Freddy, the child phenomenon from the Folies Bergeres, Paris; Herr Tholon, the electric clown, and his singing dog, Pas de Quartre; four Gaiety danseuses eccentrics; Mlle. Newham, Anna Allen, Katie Athol and Louis Thomson, the marvellous pinsuds fantastic pantomimists; dainty Katie Seymour, the original skirt dancer; the Athols (from the Empire Theatre, London), known as the "Spider and the Fly"; Eunice Vance, character vocalist; "Tottie Coughdrop," Ross and Fenton, refined character sketch artists, and others. The sale of seats begins to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock at the Academy.

"Held by the Enemy."

Mr. Gillette's great military play, "Held by the Enemy," will be at Jacobs & Sparrow's Opera House all next week. The play is well known in Toronto. The New York Times says: "Paradoxical as it may seem, there is good authority for the statement that every audience which has yet witnessed Gillette's great war play has left the theatre after the performance literally 'Held by the Enemy.' The reason for this, as explained by one of Mr. Gillette's really honest looking advance representatives, is the inherent fascination of the play for all beholders. This is unquestionably the truth, while the remarkably successful record of the piece clearly proves. The play in plot, execution, dramatic effect and thrilling climaxes is more than its managers modestly claim for it. It has a story of intense interest, pure and refined in tone, told to take advantage of the thrilling events of American history, and placed before the public in a manner which only careful attention and a large outlay of money can secure."

This is the first time this attraction plays at popular prices.

Mr. Kennan's Lectures.

The lecture of Mr. George Kennan at the Pavilion to-morrow night on Siberian topics promises to be extremely interesting and unique. The lecturer possesses an immense fund of information from which to draw, and it has not been gained while quietly sitting in his study but at the expense of years of toil and danger passed in that terra incognita. He has visited it twice and each time spent some years, studying their customs and language and latterly their political convict system.

Leading physicians recommend Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Old and young take it with perfect safety. It cleanses the blood, strengthens the nerves and vitalizes the system. Popular experience has long placed this medicine at the head of tonic alteratives.

A Nun's Funeral.

The remains of Sister Mary Claver O'Brien, who died at St. Joseph's Convent on Monday last, were yesterday interred in St. Michael's Cemetery.

The funeral took place from the convent and was largely attended by friends of the deceased, chiefly from the parish of St. Mary's, where she was well known as a teacher. Very Rev. Vicar Rooney conducted the funeral mass, and among the priests who assisted were Rev. Father Hours of St. Michael's College, Rev. Father Hand, Rev. Father Jeffcott and Rev. Father Morris. The chief mourners were Mr. and Miss O'Brien, (brother and sister of the deceased) Guelph, and numerous other relatives.

Sister O'Brien was 44 years of age and had been ill for some time with consumption. She was a Canadian by birth and had been a member of the community of St. Joseph's for 18 years. She was also head teacher in St. Mary's School for nearly 10 years and was beloved by all.

Torments of Toothache.

I can recommend Hagyard's Yellow Oil as a sure cure for toothache. I suffered for several days, then I heated my cheek and rubbed the Yellow Oil on it and was immediately relieved.

MRS. DAVID G. ARNOTT, Russel, Man.

Bail For George Sheehy.

Chief Justice Galt yesterday made an order for the discharge of George Sheehy from Owen Sound jail, where he is confined on a charge of criminal assault. Bail was fixed at $1000, Sheehy in $500 and two sureties of $250 each.

Mrs. Henry Sheldon of Farmersville, was cured of Canker of the Stomach by Burdock Blood Bitters when her friends had nearly abandoned all hope.

From Police Blotters.

James Bain reports an overcoat stolen from the Metropole Hotel.

Jessie Lawson was arrested yesterday, charged with vagrancy.

W. B. Nichol, 22 Toronto-street, reports a South Sea sealskin cap stolen yesterday.

David Hall, 4 Shuter-street, reports two gold rings and a locket stolen from the above address.

Thomas J. Pirie, Queen and Dundas-streets, reports a coat stolen from the above address day before yesterday.

Nelson Skeats, 40 Adelaide-street, was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with neglecting to support his wife.

Detective Watson arrested John Potter yesterday on a charge of stealing a bank book from his room-mate, John Maynard, at 1229 Queen-street east.

Thomas Rackstraw, 173 Jarvis-street, was arrested yesterday on a charge of assaulting P. C. Pogue. The officer was arresting a drunk when Rackstraw is said to have taken a hand in the arrest and hit the officer on the cheek.

James Richardson was arrested yesterday afternoon, charged with stealing $2.25 from the till in Wilson's candy store, Queen-street west. Shortly after Charles Watson was taken in custody on a charge of stealing money from Watson & Wright's store, Bathurst-street.

HANGING.

A New Treatment for Nervous Diseases That is not Likely to Become Popular.

France has a new treatment for the cure of nervous diseases which is, to say the least, somewhat harsh. It is only a little hanging, but those who have been treated in this way speak of the sensation as being far from pleasant.

At first, the patient is suspended but a few seconds, and the time is gradually extended until the limit of about a minute is reached. The operation is always conducted by a medical attendant, but one patient, to save expense, undertook to conduct the hanging himself, with the result of sudden death.

Those who suffer the agonies of nervous diseases are willing to try even hanging, if it holds out hopes of cure. But that severe treatment is needless. Paine's Celery Compound will give relief. It is a tried and true remedy for nerve and brain disorders. Thousands of people in the Dominion have proven its merits by actual use, while it has cured hundreds of cases that had baffled the best physicians. Nature's true restorative, it is a pure preparation of life-giving herbs that cannot harm the most delicate. Use it, and the brain will become clear, the eye again sparkle, the cheeks take on the rosy blush of health, the muscles grow hard, the step elastic and health will again regulate the vital functions.

There are multitudes of deaths every year attributed to typhoid fever, dyspepsia, consumption, and heart disease, which have weak nerves for their cause. A weakness of the nervous system brings on such a condition of the body that it readily receives the germs of disease. This should be a warning to us. The least weakness of the nerves should be carefully noted and promptly checked. This is the [illegible] and [illegible] Paine's Celery Compound [illegible] the nerves, [illegible] the blood, and [illegible] health. [illegible]

GEO. DOWNARD'S FUNERAL

The Remains Interred in Mount Pleasant—An Imposing Cortege—Many Beautiful Floral Tributes.

Under the auspices of the Masonic order the funeral of late Public School Trustee George Downard took place from the family residence, at 339 Crawford-street, yesterday. All that could contribute to soften the grief of mourning relatives was present in the beautiful floral tributes and the sympathy of many sincere friends, colleagues of the deceased on the school board and representatives of the Orange fraternity, of which he was a prominent member. Many of the school teachers were also present, among them being the following with their respective schools: W. J. Hendry, Jesse Ketchum; L. J. Clarke, Victoria-street; H. Clarke, Duke-street; A. Morrison, Borden-street; J. Campbell, Bolton-avenue; Wm. F. Chapman, Niagara-street; Edward Byfield, Church-street; A. McMillan, Phoebe-street; E. A. Stephens, Manning-avenue; C. Ferrier, Louisa-street; J. Boddy, Bathurst-street; A. Muir, Gladstone-avenue; T. Armstrong, Elizabeth-street; Mr. Bennett, Dovercourt; Mrs. Arthurs, Dewson-street.

Representing the City Council were the Mayor, Ald. J. E. Verral, Bell, Vokes, Graham. There were also present Police Inspector Johnson, Armstrong, Breckenreid and Hall. Among others were G. W. Murphy, Wm. Kerr; Robert, John and James Dunlop; A. E. Cameron; John Munn, President of the Army and Navy Veterans; James Phillips, J. Nelson, S. B. Windrum, T. A. Gregg; William Riddell, John McKellar, School Inspector J. L. Hughes, Secretary Wilkinson and nearly all the members of the school board. The Orange and Masonic lodges were well represented; there being members from the County Orange Lodge, St. George's Masonic Lodge, West Toronto District Orange Lodge, the Orange Battalion L.O.L. 342; Home Circle and Royal Arcanum and various other lodges, including the Scarlet Knights, No. 2 division, and Crimson Knights No. 2 division.

The casket was piled with floral tributes many and varied: An anchor from the relatives of the deceased; a royal arch, inscribed "Our Brother," from L.O.L. 342; broken wreath from St. George's Masonic Lodge; wreath from No. 12, Home Circle, bearing the inscription "Brother!" lyre from the principals of St. Stephen's Ward public schools; pillow bearing the word "Rest," from Manning-avenue School and Miss McQuirr; anchor from Dewson-street School; wreath from Bathurst-street School inscribed "Not Lost But Gone Before"; anchor from T. W. Dudgeon; anchor from Miss J. A. Cruise, and cut flowers from other friends.

The plate upon the casket was inscribed:

GEORGE DOWNARD,
Died Jan. 20, 1890,
In his 38th year.

The chief mourners were the brothers-in-law of the deceased, Robert C., George, Joseph and William Vaughan; the brothers of deceased, James Downard, and nephew James Downard.

The pallbearers were H. A. E. Kent, Frank Somers, James Boyd, William McSpadden, Frank Brown and Captain Thompson.

Rev. George Webber of the Euclid-avenue Methodist Church conducted the burial services and at about 3 p.m. the funeral cortege consisting of nearly a hundred carriages, followed the remains to Mount Pleasant Cemetery where the interment took place.

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

First Intermediate Law Examination.

These law students passed their first intermediate examination held on Tuesday last: J. C. Cameron and R. J. Robertson (seq), W. B. Taylor, W. L. Wickett, J. R. Milne, R. F. Cascallen, J. E. Varley, E. Harley, H. F. Gault, F. M. Harrison, L. H. Lafferty, S. D. Shultz, G. G. Duncan, A. B. Jones and W. H. Cairns.

At The Hotels.

R. Scott, Galt, is registered at the Palmer.

Thomas Murray, M.L.A., Pembroke, is at the Rossin.

J. D. Rose, Montreal, is staying at the Queen's.

D. G. McBean, Montreal, is booked at the Walker.

Arthur Boyle, M.P., Dunnville, is at the Rossin.

James Burns, London, is registered at the Palmer.

J. Burridge, Winnipeg, is staying at the Walker.

C. F. Sise, Montreal, is booked at the Queen's.

W. C. Hamilton, Regina, is staying at the Rossin.

T. G. Holt, Montreal, is registered at the Queen's.

"It Saved My Life"

Is a common expression, often heard from those who have realized, by personal use, the curative powers of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. "I cannot say enough in praise of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, believing as I do that, but for its use, I should long since have died from lung troubles.—E. Bragdon, Palestine, Tex.

About six months ago I had a severe Hemorrhage of the Lungs, brought on by a distressing Cough, which deprived me of sleep and rest. I had used various cough balsams and expectorants, without obtaining relief. A friend advised me to try

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

I did so, and am happy to say that it helped me at once. By continued use this medicine cured my cough, and, I am satisfied, saved my life.—Mrs. E. Coburn, 18 Second st., Lowell, Mass.

I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for over a year, and sincerely believe I should have been in my grave, had it not been for this medicine. It has cured me of a dangerous affection of the lungs, for which I had almost despaired of ever finding a remedy.—D. A. McMullen, Windsor, Province of Ontario.

Ayer

THE CALEDONIAN CURLERS.

THE ANNUAL MATCH OF PRESIDENT V. VICE PRESIDENT.

Results in a Victory for the Latter by Only Four Shots—The Skips of That Club—The Parkdale Colts Dance—The Winners at Clifton—Hockey in the City—A Challenge to Montrealers.

The President v. Vice-President match of the Caledonian Club was played at the Mutual-street rink last night, the latter winning by 4 shots. In the absence of the president, Mr. W. J. McCormack, who was ill, his place was taken by Mr. W. D. McIntosh. The score:

President.		Vice-President.	
Jas. Pringle,		T. Rennie,	
J. Carruthers,		J. Rennie,	
W. Christie,		F. Foster,	
W. D. McIntosh, skip	12	R. Rennie, skip	16
W. Burns,		J. Graham,	
R. H. Ramsay,		W. G. Prentice,	
W. Davidson,		T. McIntosh,	
D. Prentice, skip	17	Dr. Ross, skip	17
Total	29	Total	33

Majority for Vice-President Rennie 4 shots.

The Caledonians' Skips.

A special general meeting of the Caledonian Curling Club was held at the Mutual-street rink last night, vice-president R. Rennie in the chair. The Caledonians being drawn against Woodbridge in the Ontario Tankard competition it was decided to play the match on Monday next. The Caledonians will play the Torontos on Saturday for the Caledonian Tankard.

The following skips for the season were elected: R. Rennie, W. J. McCormack, John Carruthers, Dr. Ross, W. Davidson and D. Prentice.

Northwestern Curling Tournament.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 22.—The Northwestern curling tournament for the winter opened here yesterday. Fifteen rinks on a side contested for the Morgan Medal, Milwaukee and Chicago playing against the Northwestern clubs from Columbia county, Wis.; St. Paul and Minneapolis. The men of the Lake Cities were defeated. This gives the medal to the Northwest, which has won it three times out of five. A St. Paul rink, skipped by A. Meccoloch, made the highest score against its opponent, 31 to 14, and under the rules will hold the medal.

PARKDALE CRICKETERS.

The Colts Have a Successful Ball in the Academy of Music.

The second annual ball of the Parkdale Cricket Club Colts was held last evening in the Academy of Music, and a most enjoyable affair it was. There was a comfortable attendance of dancers and everything passed off most pleasantly. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gooderham, Mr. and Mrs. Postlethwaite, Mrs. J. G. Gibson, Mr., Mrs. and Miss Grant, Miss Nickinson, the Misses East, Miss Wingfield, Miss Pyke, the Misses Massey, Miss Capon, Miss Berkenshaw, Miss Cheeny, Miss Broderick, St. Thomas; Miss Charlton, Miss Thompson, Miss Dunn, Miss Archibald, Miss Wedd, Mrs. Wedd, the Misses Hunter, Miss Staunton, Mrs. Lamilto, Miss Morrison, Mrs. Bert Brown, Miss Wright, Miss Riddell, Miss Strong, Miss Drew, Mrs. and the Misses McCuaig.

The lady patronesses were: Mesdames C. Sheard, W. H. P. Clement, W. P. Atkinson, A. M. Lynd, Gray, Wedd, C. R. W. Postlethwaite, G. H. Gooderham, and P. Routh. The committee were: W. A. Clark, W. M. Fahey, C. J. Farr, H. Jeffrey, O. F. Donelly; J. T. Thompson, president; L. E. Wedd, honorary secretary.

Harry Webb had charge of the refreshments, so it is needless to say the supper was served in excellent style. Corlett's orchestra furnished suitable music.

A Gotham Cricket Association.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—A meeting of the cricket clubs in this vicinity was held last night for the purpose of forming an association. The clubs represented were: Manhattan, Staten Island, Berkeley, Cosmopolitan, New Jersey, Kings County, New York and Bedford. A committee was appointed to frame a constitution, which will report next Tuesday.

Benefit to Prof. Reid.

Prof. Reid, instructor for the Toronto gymnasium, takes his benefit to-night in the club's rooms in York-street. A program will be given, consisting of fencing, boxing, single stick, quarter staff, swordsmanship, feats of strength, gymnastics, etc.

Guthrie to Pattillo.

SPORTING EDITOR WORLD: I hereby accept Mr. Paul Pattillo's offer to spar for the receipts of his house on Feb. 1.

Fergus, Jan. 21. DICK GUTHRIE.

The First Hockey Match.

A very interesting match of hockey will be played in the Victoria Rink on Saturday evening starting at 7 o'clock sharp between the Granites and the St. George's teams. As the game is to be stopped at 8 o'clock sharp it is to be hoped every man of both teams will be on hand at 7. The following will represent the St. George's: Forwards, W. Crawford, captain, W. McGee, C. K. Temple, R. J. Kearns; cover point, F. W. Jackson; point, A. G. Shaw; goal, A. Hurst. Mr. Louis McMurray has kindly consented to umpire, while it is expected that Mr. A. H. Collins will referee the match.

A Challenge to Outside Hockey Clubs.

SPORTING EDITOR WORLD: As the St. George's Hockey Club are about to begin their season's matches they would be glad to arrange games with outside clubs. We think we could make a fair showing against some of the Montreal teams and are desirous of hearing from them. C. K. TEMPLE, Secretary.

Moisons Bank, Toronto, Jan. 22.

In Memoriam.

HENRY ERNEST SEARLE, CHAMPION OF ALL ROWERS.

Just twenty-three, thou rower chief,
Who lent'st alone the unconquered oar,
Returned victorious from abroad
Death's victim on thy native shore:

Old Charon saw the victor's shade
Had reached Acheron's flood of gloom,
His sculls with envious frown resigned,
And took the stern to give thee room.

—ESCU. REREY IN GRIP.

At Clifton Yesterday.

CLIFTON, Jan. 22.—The results of to-day's races were:

First race, 1¼ miles—My Own 1, Banbridge 2, Monte Cristo 3. Time 2.14½.
Second race, 5 furlongs—King Hazem 1, Golden Rod 2, America 3. Time 1.03¼.
Third race, 7½ furlongs—Prodigal 1, Melodrama 2, Red Light 3. Time 1.38.
Fourth race, 1⅛ miles—Miss Cody 1, W. Daly, jr., 2, Philip D. 3. Time 1.57½.
Fifth race, 7½ furlongs—Ofaleo 1, Little Jake 2, Henry George 3. Time 1.37.
Sixth race, 1 mile—Van 1, Swift 2, Gounod 3. Time 1.44½.

THE INTERNATIONAL.

To-day's Meeting at Buffalo Should Determine its Destination.

Toronto will not be represented at the special meeting of the International League at Buffalo to-day, but President McConnell wired Mr. Mills yesterday that he was totally in accord with the league and would do all in his power to assist. In case Toronto's vote is required it will be given by telegraph. Mr. McConnell says that if the places of the two deserters are not filled he will agree to a six-club league. However, to-day's doings at the Genessee House should determine whether there will be a continuance of our old institution or not. If matters turn out satisfactorily Toronto will at once begin negotiations for several new players and lay down terms for the reserved men.

Dust From the Diamond.

Treasurer Peat has "Varsity's financial report ready for submitting to the annual meeting. The club's disbursements last season were $630 and assets $30 less.

The Toronto Baseball Association has decided to solicit subscriptions for a guarantee fund of $5000 against loss.—London Advertiser. The Toronto Association has done nothing of the kind. They will issue season tickets, as stated in The World, but other subscriptions they will not seek.

Spots of Sport.

Joe Popp has accepted Dick Guthrie's challenge and will box him here on Feb. 1.

PORCINE GRIP.

Twenty-Four of a Drove of Thirty-Two Hogs Die in one Night.

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 22.—Messrs. R. & T. Hepburn, of Port Stanley, have sustained a loss of between $300 and $400 by the death of 24 out of 32 hogs owned by them. The animals were found dead, and one of them was dissected by Dr. Evely, V.S., who is of the opinion that death was caused by a disease of the lungs. The hogs, it is believed, could not have been poisoned, as all the feed was locked up. There does not appear to be anything wrong with the eight hogs remaining of the thirty-two. The Provincial Board of Health will be notified of the matter so that if the disease be a contagious one, measures to stop its spread may be taken.

Losses Caused by Flames.

ORILLIA, Jan. 22.—Fire at 3 o'clock this morning gutted the store of P. W. Bell & Co. The stock is a total loss, but as Mr. Bell was in Toronto figures cannot be obtained. Said to be insured for $9000. The building was owned by T. Kern and was insured.

COBOURG, Jan. 22.—At 1½ o'clock this morning fire broke out in Plews & Co.'s photograph gallery. The losses will be heavy, the firms suffering being L. Woodcock, Thomas York, Gowans & Co., Plews & Co., Sentinel-Star, P. J. Lightburn, all fully insured. Another blaze at the same hour did $300 damage at the gas works—insured.

To-day's Election at the Board of Trade

To-day is nomination day at the Board of Trade, and the members are manifesting more than usual interest in the result. A provincial weekly opines that to hold office as president of the Toronto Board of Trade is of almost equal importance to that of mayor of the great city. This is a tribute to our growing and influential board, which is deservedly a power of no unimportant magnitude in the land, an index to the city's prosperity and a credit to the country.

Competition will be keen, and certain it is that the men who get in will be capable administrators of responsible offices. In addition to the offices of president, first and second vice-presidents and treasurer, the provisions of the act of incorporation call for the election of a council of 15, a board of arbitration of 12 members, 2 on the Harbor Trust and 3 on the Industrial Exhibition Board.

The Earl of Carnwath in Town.

This name was written on the register of the Queen's Hotel last evening:

"Earl of Carnwath, Great Britain."

Robert Harris Carnwath Dalzell, Earl of Carnwath in the peerage of Scotland, was born in 1847. He is in his 43d year and is widower. He succeeded to the earldom and estates in 1887. Lord Dalzell, who was born in 1877, is his heir. The earldom of Carnwath was created in 1639, in the reign of Charles I. In the 24 years of that unfortunate monarch's reign 105 peerages were conferred, that of Carnwath being the 67th. Dalzell is the family surname and also title of courtesy of the eldest son. The late earl was 83 years old at the time of his death.

Toronto Y.M.C.A. Entertainment.

Instead of giving a gymnasium exhibition, which was the next in order in the course of entertainments, the committee have arranged for a first-class concert, when the following artists among others will take part: Miss Waltz, prima donna soprano; Mrs. Nicholson, soprano; Mr Alexander Gorrie, tenor; Mr. E. T. Coates, basso; Mr. Herbert Stewart, reader; Messrs. Levian and Parkes, guitar and mandolin; Mr. A. Depew, piano. Mr. Hodgson will also play selections on the grand organ. Tuesday, Jan. 28, is the date and the plan will open to-morrow at Nordheimer's.

A Service of Song at Elm-street.

At Elm-street Methodist Church last night another enjoyable service of song was given by the choir under the able management of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blight. A. S. Vogt, organist of Jarvis-street Baptist Church, favored the audience with a number of organ solos, which were much appreciated. These ladies and gentlemen assisted the choir: Mrs. Blight, Mrs. Woodcock, Mrs. Davidson, Miss Scott, Miss Granger and Messrs. Blight and A. E. Dent, The pastor, Rev. D. G. Sutherland, presided.

The Elder Will Depart.

Elder Rufus Smith, the venerable evangelist who has been assisting Rev. J. M. Wilkinson in his Shaftesbury Hall labors, leaves this morning for Buffalo, where he will conduct special revival services. During his two weeks' stay in this city he has made many friends and his efforts have met with success. His meetings in the People's Tabernacle and Christian Institute have been largely attended.

A Blasphemous City.

Rev. W. H. A. French of Cookston, Cuba, addressed about two dozen ardent missionary enthusiasts in St. Alban's Cathedral crypt last night on foreign and domestic missions. He referred to Toronto as the most blasphemous city he had ever visited. Said he: "I never heard as much blasphemy in my life as I heard last Sunday on the streets of Toronto. It is something disgraceful." The Bishop of Toronto and Rev. Canon DuMoulin assisted at the service.

Look Out For Saturday.

The Police Commissioners held an hour's session yesterday afternoon. Policemen Hastings and Brett handed in their resignations which were accepted. Judge McDougall was asked to report upon the newsvendors bylaw, as to its legality. An informal discussion on the question of increasing the police took place, but a definite conclusion will not be arrived at until Saturday next when the Board will have another session.

It is no longer necessary to take blue pills to rouse the liver to action. Carter's Little Liver Pills are much better. Don't forget this. 246

For Walking on the Track.

A couple of prominent West End citizens and a visitor from Oshawa were greatly astonished last evening when they were arrested for walking on the railway tracks near Parkdale. They had to furnish bail for their appearance on a charge of trespass. They were arrested by officers of the railway companies. The latter, it seems, have made up their minds that the public will not be permitted to use their tracks as a thoroughfare and thus multiply the chances of accidents and costly suits at law.

Personal Mention.

Ald. J. M. Norwak of Cleveland, O., was in town yesterday visiting his old friends.

Dr. Snelling, Q.C., has been appointed Chancellor of the Diocese of Toronto, vice Hon. Edward Blake resigned.

Mr. Arthur Boyle, M.P. for Monck, registered at the Rossin House yesterday. Mr. Boyle has been confined to his home at Dunnville for several days from an attack of la grippe, but has now fully recovered except that he is minus 15 pounds of flesh. He leaves for Ottawa this morning.

Should Not be Submitted to Arbitration.

In the grain arbitration case of Goodall versus McCuaig decision was given in favor of Mr. McCuaig. The expenses in connection with the arbitration, amounting to $19, are to be paid by Goodall, McCuaig to pay his witnesses' expenses. In his award Umpire William Galbraith took occasion to discourage the submission of any such case to settlement by arbitration in future.

Dyspepsia in its worst forms will yield to the use of Carter's Little Nerve Pills, aided by Carter's Little Liver Pills. Dose, one of each after eating. 246

Walter Hamill Discharged.

Chief Justice Galt yesterday made an order for the discharge of Walter Hamill from the county jail, where he was committed for disorderly conduct at West Toronto Junction.

A. W. Morris & Bros. Assign.

MONTREAL, Jan. 22.—Messrs. A. W. Morris & Bros., cordage works, assigned to-day at the demand of Bushnell & Co., with total liabilites amounting to $569,000. The principal creditor is Molsons Bank, with $92,386 secured and $37,828 unsecured.

IN JOINT SESSION.

The Esplanade Committee Gets Together and Discusses Important Matters—The New Railroad to Buffalo.

The Joint Esplanade Committee met last night in the Council Chamber. There were present Chairman Boustead, Allen, George Verral, Small, Hallam, Lindsey, Gillespie, McMullen, Gibbs, Booth, Lennox, Lucas and the Mayor for the corporation; D. E. Thompson, Elvas Tully, Davidson, John Galt, W. R. Brock, and Elias Rogers for the Citizens' Association and the Board of Trade; John Armstrong and Harry Parr for the Trades and Labor Council. Mr. Thompson, on behalf of Mr. Hugh Blain, stated that gentleman was unable to attend through an attack of influenza.

The old sub-committee deputed to interview the railroads on the viaduct scheme composed of the Mayor, Ald. Gillespie and Boustead, D. E. Thompson, E. Gurney, D. R. Wilkie, Hugh Blain, John Armstrong, R. Glockling, and A. B. Lee, were re-appointed, notwithstanding the contention of Ald. Booth that the City Council was not fairly represented on it.

Ald. Allen brought up the question of diverting the eastern line of entrance of the G.T.R. from its present curve to a line with the Winchester-street bridge so as to come down the right bank of the Don. He held that this would save money for the company, benefit the city, and go far towards saving human life. The sub-committee was instructed to interview the G.T.R. on this subject.

The chairman referred to the rapid rate of speed made by the trains in the west end of the city, and the sub-committee will take this point also into consideration.

Ald. Lennox brought to the notice of the meeting the circuitous route of entrance from the west proposed by the Buffalo, Toronto and Hamilton Railroad. The chairman replied that the committee had already determined to fight this road on its present line of entrance.

Mr. Kivas Tully thought that some action should be taken to compel the Grand Trunk to establish a loop line north of the city. This also was handed to the sub-committee.

In view of the fact that the West End is vitally interested in the viaduct scheme and kindred matters, Ald. Booth was added to the sub-committee.

It was resolved to have a plan drawn up of the deviation scheme suggested by Ald. Allen.

Below in the Executive room was placed a model of the proposed viaduct, 8 feet by 18 feet, on a scale of an inch to 16 feet. This was viewed by the committee and on motion of Ald. Gibbs it was decided to place it in some prominent store on one of the public streets for the information of the citizens.

"Old King Cole
Was a merry old soul,
And a merry old soul was he."

But his royal majesty would never have been so merry had he suffered from constipation, or deranged liver, or dyspepsia, or piles, or any other complaint that comes from a system out of sorts and causes impurities of the blood. If you suffer from any of these things you will feel morose, melancholy, mournful, grave, mad, or anything else but merry. To be merry you must be well. To be well take Dr. Pierce's world famed Pleasant Purgative Pellets. Easy to take, purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, prompt and pleasant in their action; only one for a dose.

A Paper Worth Reading.

A representative of the well-known firm of Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont., proprietors of Nasal Balm, is in the city to-day in the interests of his firm, and among other advertising matters is distributing a paper which may be regarded as somewhat of a curiosity. It is called The Golden Age, and purports to be printed in the year 1998, and is filled with items and paragraphs of events that may reasonably be expected to occur at that date. It deals also with the transition of Canada from its present condition to an independent republic and its gradual absorption of the United States, and this article, to say the least, is ingenious. All the matter is breezy, spicy and readable, and much of it decidedly novel. We would advise our readers to get a copy of The Golden Age and give it a careful perusal. Any of our readers who have not received a copy of this paper can do so by sending their address to Messrs. Fulford & Co.

The charming resort of our fashionable citizens, The Arlington Hotel, Toronto, has just opened its new east wing for inspection. The arrangements, and furnishings of the rooms are exquisite. 246

Perth Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

This sound and reliable company, which has its headquarters at Stratford, Ont., although not doing perhaps as extensive a business as some other institutions is well known as one of the soundest in Canada. Its annual report just issued shows its affairs to be in a highly prosperous condition, all its losses paid and a reserve fund of $40,305,94. The company have appointed as their agent in Toronto, Mr. William Allan, of Building & Loan Chambers, 15 Toronto-street. Mr. Allan is a man well posted in insurance matters, and as he has a good sound company to represent he will no doubt receive a fair share of Toronto underwriting for the Perth Mutual.

Show Cases and Store Fittings.

Millichamp Sons & Co. the pioneer manufacturers of Canada, is the firm to buy your counter, wood and metal cases from. First class work and lowest prices. Bank, store and office fittings a specialty. Telephone 855. 31 Adelaide-east, Toronto. 246

Dr. Wild and the "Scoopers."

EDITOR WORLD: I notice in your paper this morning an account of a meeting of a Congregational Church in the West End, for which Dr. Wild acted as chairman, and on which occasion he is reported to have said that if the practice of one man "scooping" (a gentlemanly word from a scholar) was changed so that *two* should perform that duty it would result in the church getting one-third more money. I do not know what sort of morality Dr. Wild possesses in his heart of hearts to have such an opinion of the generally responsible members of the church who perform the "scooping" act, but taking his own words for it and coupling with them two little quotations from a source whose dictum the Doctor will scarcely in his present position impugn, we may get some insight into Dr. Wild's innermost soul, and how he would act if the "scooping" duty devolved upon him. The quotations I refer to are: "As a man thinketh in his heart so is he," and, "To the pure all things are pure." Dr. Wild does not pay a very high tribute to the character of the managers of the Bond-street Church.

I trust the Doctor was wrongly reported.

SCOOPER WHO DOES NOT SCOOP.

Toronto, Jan. 22.

There is nothing equal to Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator for destroying worms. No article of its kind has given such satisfaction.

Notes of the Epidemic.

Principal Kirkland told The World yesterday that one-third of teachers and scholars of the Model and Normal Schools are suffering from the prevalent epidemic.

These mariners are reported sick: Captain Joseph Jackson, Captain David Sylvester, Captain Solomon Sylvester, Captain Goffin, Captain William McClean, Captain McCorquodale.

La grippe has taken quarters at McMaster Hall. He has paid a visit to most of the students.

Daily influenza and pneumonia patients are received at the Hospital.

Andrew M. Sinclair, grocer, Baldwin-street, died yesterday morning of la grippe.

The members of the Provincial Board of Health state that the influenza epidemic is very widespread. Pneumonia is prevalent, and there are many cases resembling the veritable la grippe.

Derangement of the liver, with constipation, injures the complexion, induces pimples, sallow skin. Remove the cause by using Carter's Little Liver Pills. One a dose. Try them. 246

Presbyterianism in the West.

The session report of Chalmers' Church shows a membership of 512, an increase of 86 during the past year. The receipts had increased 34 per cent. Pastor Mutch's salary is increased by $200. The managers elected for 1890 are: Messrs. Hunter, Tate, Scott, Medill and Dr. Rae.

Great Bargains in China.

Some of the greatest bargains that have ever been seen in Toronto are now being had at Lydon's Mart. A lot of goods which should have been here before Christmas are now being given away—so to speak—in china, dinner, tea, dessert and toilet ware, with thousands of other articles. Sale today a 2.30.

HAMILTON'S FINANCES.

A Big Balance on the Wrong Side—An Unnatural Father.

HAMILTON, Jan. 22.—The state in which the new Finance Committee finds the city finances caused some consternation among the members of the committee. Two years ago the council started in with a balance of $48,500 against it and that amount has been increased to $169,185 largely by the extensive public works entered into.

Nicholas Flood Davin, M.P., arrived in town this morning, but it was decided in consequence of the grippe to postpone his lecture until some later day. Mr. Davin left for Ottawa to-night.

At the police court to-day a plasterer named William Mapham was committed for trial on a charge of criminal assault upon his 16-year-old daughter Alice. The girl said that her father had conducted himself wrongly toward her for the past two years.

Late yesterday afternoon John McLeod, a young man about 28 years of age, whose home is at 44 Crooks-street, dropped dead on York-street.

The representatives of the Toronto bottle manufacturers found a small number of the missing bottles at Sherk's factory. Summonses were issued and the cases will be heard to-morrow.

A THEFT OF TIME.

Thirty-Three Watches Stolen from a St. Thomas Jeweler.

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 22.—M. A. Payne, jeweler, Talbot-street east, left for supper last evening at 6 o'clock, or a few minutes afterward. He forgot to fasten the back window, and when he returned before 7 o'clock he found the window open, with a stick of wood under it to hold it up, and the lamps he had left burning when he went to tea were out. An examination showed that 33 watches had been stolen, 28 of which were repaired or awaiting repairing and were hanging on the watch-board, and 5 from the show case. One of the watches was a gold one. The thieves carried off every watch in the shop. No clue to the thieves has been secured.

Played the Bogus Check Racket.

VICTORIA, B.C., Jan. 22.—Calthorpe, alias Mullahy, said to be a brother-in-law of Attorney-General Webster, is under arrest here charged with swindling by means of worthless checks.

Any ache or pain relieved by Carter's Smart Weed and Belladonna Backache Plasters. 246

City Hall Small Talk.

The Waterworks Committee has been called for Monday and the Local Board of Health for to-day.

Superintendent Hamilton is preparing an exhaustive report of the work in progress in his department and what new work ought to be proceeded with.

The Doty Ferry Company, through their solicitor, write to the Mayor requesting that the city take immediate steps to provide proper wharves at Island Park.

Late last year the city paid the Drill Shed arbitrators their fees, amounting to $4295, under protest pending its being taxed. Yesterday at Osgoode Hall it was reduced to $4128, and now the arbitrators have to return the difference to the city.

How to Obtain Sunbeams.

Every one should have them. Have what Stanton's Sunbeam Photographs. $1 per dozen. Studio southwest corner Yonge and Adelaide streets. 462

Jottings About Town.

The new organ in St. James' Cathedral will be "opened" on the last Sunday in February.

It was Marcicano's Orchestra that furnished the music at the conversazione of Doric Lodge on Monday night last.

The Geological and Mining Section of the Canadian Institute will meet this evening at 8 o'clock. A paper will be read on the copper ores of Sudbury by Mr. C. Gordon Richardson.

The funeral of the wife of G.T.R. Detective Day took place from her late residence, Parkdale, yesterday. The body was conveyed to Hamilton for burial.

The ball in aid of the Infant's Home, which takes place to-night at the Academy of Music, promises to be one of the most brilliant events of the season. Only a few tickets remain which may be had at the Academy.

Police Sergeant Kerr of St. Andrew's Market Division, who has been on the sick list since Oct. 1 last, returned to duty yesterday. Sergeant Kerr was detailed for service at headquarters in assisting with the books. It is not likely that he will ever do active duty again.

Distress after eating, dyspepsia, etc., relieved by Carter's Little Liver Pills. 25c. 246

UNITED STATES NEWS.

It was 6° below zero at Chicago yesterday morning.

Influenza is sweeping off 20 people a day in Chicago and the death rate continues abnormally high.

By an explosion of natural gas at Pittsburg yesterday John Slip was killed and several other persons injured, some fatally.

Charles H. Hunter of Middletown, N.Y., has been awarded $8000 damages against the New York, Ontario and Western Railway for the loss of a leg.

Mrs. Elma C. Whitehead, a wealthy widow residing near Lafayette, Ind., is charged jointly with Rev. Fred Pellett with murdering the latter's wife.

JEALOUSY AROUSED.

The jealousy of the general practitioner of medicine in Toronto has been aroused by the success of the advertising specialists, and is the sole reason why they take the negative side of the question, "Is it right for doctors to advertise their specialties?" This question is wrong and can only be taken on purely selfish grounds, as any one with common sense knows that a specialist who makes particular diseases his special study will be more competent to deal with them than the general practitioner, who treats all the diseases known to man. Below we give an illustration wherein a party was perfectly cured by an advertising specialist. Mr. John Stitt of No. 236 Ontario-street, had been for years treated by general petitioners of medicine, and had grown from bad to worse until his case was to him hopeless. He was so bad he had to abandon his work, but he noticed the advertisement of the Medical Institution for the cure of Catarrh, Dyspepsia and Chronic Diseases, located at 198 King-street west, and resolved to give them a trial. Mr. Stitt had chronic dyspepsia, his appetite was gone, he had nasty pains and burning sensations in his stomach, attended by occasional vomiting, was bloated, had palpitation of the heart, headache, dizziness, pain in the back, felt worn out on the least exertion, had no ambition. After a short course of treatment he was entirely cured and is now a well and happy man. He can be seen by any one who wishes to call on him and will gladly tell his story.

We have hundreds of similar testimonials which can be seen on application at our office. No testimonials published without consent of patients. Medical Institution, 198 King-street west. Office hours, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Sundays, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

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BUSINESS CARDS.

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WHITEWASHING AND KALSOMINING Orders promptly attended to. C. H. Page No. 35 Temulay-street.

UNWIN, FOSTER & PROUDFOOT, PROvincial land surveyors, civil engineers, draughtsmen and valuators, corner of Bay and Richmond-streets (next to City Registry Office). Telephone No 1836.

GEORGE EDWARDS, CHARTERED ACcountant, insurance adjustor, auditor, trustee and liquidator. Office, 20 Wellington-street east. Contracts for periodically auditing and balancing business books at special rates.

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A. D. PERRY, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc.—Society and private funds for investment. Lowest rates. Star Life Office, 32 Wellington-street east, Toronto.

ALFRED JONES, BARRISTER, HAS REmoved to his new offices at Victoria Chambers, 9 Victoria-street (ground floor). Telephone 2088.

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CANNIFF & CANNIFF, BARRISTERS, SOLicitors, etc., 36 Toronto-street, Toronto. J. Foster Canniff, Henry T. Canniff.

CLARKE, HOLMES & CO., BARRISTERS Solicitors, Notaries, &c.; money loaned. 78 Yonge-street, Toronto. 246

DELAMERE, REESOR, ENGLISH & ROSS, Barristers, Solicitors, 17 Toronto-street, Toronto.

DOUGLAS, GEORGE H., SOLICITOR, NOTARY Public, Conveyancer, etc., 27 Adelaide-street east. Telephone 1134.

G. L. LENNOX, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, Conveyancer, etc. Money to loan. Room 1, Equity Chambers, 24 Adelaide-street east.

HANSFORD & LENNOX, BARRISTERS, Solicitors, etc., 17 Adelaide-street East, Toronto. J. E. Hansford, G. L. Lennox.

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MACLAREN, MACDONALD, MERRITT & Shepley, Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, etc.
J. J. Maclaren, J. H. Macdonald,
W. H. Merritt, G. F. Shepley,
W. E. Middleton, R. C. Donald,
A. F. Lobb, E. M. Lace,
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MICKLER & BRADFORD, BARRISTERS AND Solicitors. Special attention to patent litigation. 60 Adelaide-street east, opposite Court House. M. S. Mevcer. S. H. Bradford.

MEREDITH, CLARKE, BOWES & HILTON, Barristers, Solicitors, etc., 24 Church-street, Toronto. W. R. Meredith, Q.C., J. B. Clarke, H. Bowes, F. A. Hilton. 6

MULLIGAN, JAMES A., BARRISTER, SOLicitor, Notary, etc. Office—15 King-street west, Toronto. Money to loan at lowest rates.

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ROSS, CAMERON, MCANDREW & CANE, Barristers, London and Canadian Chambers, Toronto. Hon. G. W. Ross, M. G. Cameron, J. A. McAndrew, G. F. Cane. edi2mo

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MEETINGS.

NOTICE.—THE GENERAL ANNUAL MEETing of the shareholders of the Toronto Silver Plate Company will be held at the Company's offices, King-street west, on Monday, the 3d day of February, 1890, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving the directors' annual report, election of directors and other business of the Company.
By order of the Board,
JNO. C. COPP., Sec.-Treas.
The above meeting will be adjourned till Monday, February 10th, at the same place and hour.
JNO. C. COPP, Sec.-Treas.

WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's offices at Toronto on
FRIDAY, THE 21ST FEBRUARY, 1890,
at twelve o'clock noon, to receive the Annual Report, for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing year, and for such other business as may come before the meeting. By order of the Board.
J. J. KENNY, Managing Director.
Western Assurance Co.'s office,
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MARKETS AND EXCHANGES.

REGISTER OF THE RESULT OF TRADERS' TRANSACTIONS.

On the Local Stock Exchange—The Local Money Market Unchanged—Grain and Produce — The Street Market Fairly Active—Foreign Markets—Big Batch of Business Troubles.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, Jan. 22.

Stocks on the local exchange to-day were quiet and irregular. Transactions totaled 466 shares. Quotations are:

BANKS.	12 M. Asked.	12 M. Bid.	3.30 P.M. Ask'd.	3.30 P.M. Bid.
Montreal	223	222	223¼	222¾
Ontario	134	131	133	131
Molsons	165	157	160	157
Toronto	220	216	220	216
Merchants'	143	141½	143	141
Commerce	139¾	138¾	139¾	139¼
Imperial	168¼	166	168	165
Dominion	227	225	227	225¼
Standard	140¼	139¾	140¼	139¾
Hamilton	...	150	...	150
MISCELLANEOUS.				
British America	107	104	...	104
Western Assurance	138¾	137	138¾	136¾
Consumers' Gas	...	174	...	174
Dominion Telegraph	...	85¾	...	85¾
Montreal Telegraph	86¾	85¾	86¾	85¼
Northwest Land Co.	119	118	...	...
Can. Pacific Rail. Great Bonds				
LOAN COMPANIES.				
Canada Permanent	...	200	...	...
Freehold	161	158	...	...
Western Canada	185	180¼	...	...
Union	150	...	...	...
Can. Landed Credit	108	...	...	...
B. & Loan Association	...	115	...	...
Farmers' L. & Savings	158	152¼	...	...
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	...	163¼	...	...
National Investment	...	167¼	...	...
People's Loan	...	117	...	...

Transactions: In the morning—40 of Commerce at 139¼; 30, 20, 20 and 30 of Western Assurance at 137¼; 20 and 50 of North-West Land at 83¾; 100 of C. P. R. Stock at 76¼; 1 of Freehold at 159¾; 10 of London and Canada (reported), 15 at 159¾; 10 of London and Canada at 153¾. In the afternoon—100 of C. P. R. Stock at 76¼ (reported); 30 of London and Ontario at 113.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

MONTREAL, Jan. 22, 10.35 a.m.—Montreal, 220 and 222½; Ontario, asked, 136, People's, 103 and 100¾; Molsons', 165 and 158; Merchants', 143¾ and 142; Commerce, 140¼ and 139¾; Mont. Tel., 87¼ and 86¾; Richelieu, asked, 63; City Passenger, 199 and 195; Gas Co., 203¾ and 202¾; C.P.R., 76¼ and 75¾.

MONTREAL, Jan. 22, 8.15 p.m. — Montreal, 223¼ and 222¾; Ontario, 136 and 132; People's, 105 and 101; Molsons', 165 and 156; Merchants', 143¾ and 142¾; Commerce, 140¼ and 139¾; Mont. Tel., 86¾ and 86¼, sales 20 at 87¼, 25 at 87¼, 25 at 87¼; 50 at 87¾, 50 at 98; 25 at 98, 50 at 98¼, 100 at 98¼, 50 at 98½, 25 at 98¼, 50 at 98½; 100 at 98¾, 50 at 98¾; Richelieu, 62 and 59; C.P.R., 76¾ and 76¾, sales, 50 at 76½, 25 at 76¼, 25 at 76¼.

LONDON STOCKS AND BONDS.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—Consols, 97 3-16 money; 97 7-16 account; United States 4's, 129½; United States 4½'s, 107; Erie, 27¼; Erie 2ds, 103¼; Canadian Pacific, 78¾; New York Central, 109½; Illinois Central, 138.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market is unchanged. Call loans on bonds are firm at 6½ to 7 per cent. Commercial paper is discounted at 6 to 8 per cent. Rates in New York are firm to-day at 6 per cent. The Bank of England rate is 6 per cent.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Local rates reported by John Stark & Co.

BETWEEN BANKS.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Counter.
New York Funds	Par	1-16	¼ to ½
Sixty days' Sterling	9 3-16	9 7-16	9¾ to 9⅞
Demand do	9 9-16	9 5-16	9⅞ to 9¾

RATES FOR STERLING IN NEW YORK.	Posted.	Actual.
Sixty days' Sterling	4.82½	4.81½ to 4.82
Demand do	4.87	4.86

* Bank of Montreal 4.83.

RATES FOR DRAFTS.

C. S. Gzowski, jr., stock and exchange broker, 24 King-street east, quotes rates for drafts as follows:

France on Paris, Bordeaux, etc.	20	21
Marks on Berlin, Hamburg, etc.	20¼	20
Roubles on Warsaw, St. Pet'rsb'rg, etc.	23¾	25
Guilders on Vienna, Hungary, etc.	40½	41
Lire on Naples, Rome, etc.	20½	21¼
Sterling on London, Edinburg, etc.	4.87	4.88½

PROVISIONS.

Provisions are quiet and unchanged. Quotations are: Bacon, l.c., 7¾c to 7⅞c. Lard—American, 8¼c to 8⅜c; Canadian, 6½c to 6¾c. Smoked meats—Hams, 11c to 11½c; bellies, 11c to 11½c; rolls, 8½c to 9c; backs, 10½c to 11½c. Butter—Creamery, 22c to 26c; large rolls, 14c to 16c; dairy tubs, 15c to 16c; store packed tubs, 10c to 14c. Cheese, 10½c to 11c.

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GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

On call at the Board of Trade to-day 87c was bid for No. 2 red winter wheat. There were no takers.

THE STREET MARKET.

This market was fairly active to-day with prices steady.

Wheat—Steady, with sales of 400 bush. at 88c. for fall and red winter, at 85c to 87c for spring, and 72c to 71½c for goose.

Barley—Unchanged, there being sales of 2000 bushels at 38c to 48c.

Oats—The market is steady, with sales of 800 bushels at 29c to 30c.

Peas—About 200 bushels offered and sold at 55c to 56½c.

Hay—Receipts to-day were moderate and prices steady; 25 loads sold at $11 to $13 for timothy and at $7 to $9 for clover.

Straw—Easier, with sales of 6 loads at $7 to $7.75 for bundled.

Dressed Hogs—The market was steady to-day; heavy sold at $5.20 to $5.30, and light at $5.50 to $5.75.

OSWEGO BARLEY MARKET.

OSWEGO, Jan. 22, 11 a.m.—Barley firm. No. 2 Canada held at 56c; No. 2 extra 60c. No. 1, 64c.

OSWEGO, Jan. 22, 1 p.m.—Barley unchanged. No. 2 Canada, 56c; No. 2 extra, 60; No 1, 64c.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 22.—Wheat firm; demand poor; holders offer moderately. Corn easy. Spring wheat, 7s 5d; red winter, 7s; No. 1 Cal., 7s 4d. Corn, 4s 01d. Peas, 5s 9d. Pork, 54s 0d. Lard, 32s 3d. Bacon, long clear, heavy, 29s 6d; light, 30s; short clear, 29s 6d. Tallow, 25s. Cheese, white and colored, 52s.

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BEERBOHM'S REPORT.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—Floating cargoes — Wheat and corn inactive. Mark Lane—Wheat, hardly any demand; corn, turn easier; flour, feeling appears weaker; spot goods: Danube corn, 21s, was 21s 3d; prompt, 20s 9d, was 21s; do. mixed American corn, 20s 5d, was 20s 6d; P.C. flour, 22s 6d, was 22s 6d; good cargoes Walla wheat off coast, 34s 3d, was 35s; present and following months, 34s, was 34s 3d; do. mixed American corn, prompt steamer, 19s, was 19s to 19s 3d. French country markets firm. Liverpool—Spot wheat firm, corn steadier.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 22.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat, Jan. 76¼, Feb. 76¾, May 80¾. Corn—Jan. 29, Feb. 29¼, May 31¾. Oats—Jan. 20¾, Feb. 20¾, May 22¼. Pork—Jan. $9.90, Feb. $10, May $10.42½. Lard—Jan. $5.92½, Feb. $5.97½, May $6.20. Short ribs—Jan. $4.90, Feb. $4.90, April $5.10. Cash quotations were: No. 2 spring wheat 76¼; No. 2 red 76¼; No. 2 corn 29; No. 2 oats 20½c; mess pork, $10; lard, $5.92½ to $5.95; short ribs, sides, $4.85 to $4.90; dry salted shoulders, $4.30 to $4.50; short clear sides, $5.10 to $5.15. Receipts—Flour, 15,000 barrels; wheat, 25,000 bushels; corn, 174,000 bushels; oats, 131,000 bush.; rye, 8,000 bushels; barley, 67,000 bushels. Shipments—Flour, 18,000 barrels; wheat, 16,000 bushels; corn, 352,000 bushels; oats, 108,000 bushels; rye, 215,000 bushels; barley, 32,000 bushels.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Cotton—Steady, ½c up, quiet; uplands, 10 15-16c; gulf, 11 3-16c. Flour—More active, weak. Wheat—Receipts, 8250 bush.; exports, 16,000 bush.; sales, 2,456,000 bush.; futures, 78,000 bush.; spot; spot firmer, quiet; No. 2 red 89¼ to 89½; elevator, No. 1 northern 93¼ to 93½. No. 1 hard 96¼ to 96¾; options fairly active, ⅛ to ⅛ up, firm; No. 2 red, Jan. 89⅝, Feb. 89¾, March 87¾, April 88¼, May 88⅝, June 87⅝, July 86¾, Aug. 84⅝, Dec. 87½. Barley—Steady; Canada, 38 to 75. Corn—Receipts, 169,800 bush.; exports, 32,804 bush.; sales 1,256,000 bush. futures, 142,000 bush spot; spot moderately active, firmer, unchanged mixed, 37 to 40¾; options less active, ⅛c up, steady; Jan. 37⅝, Feb. 38, March 38⅝, April 39¼, June 39⅝, July 40¼. Oats—Receipts, 111,000 bush.; sales, 740,000 bush. futures, 158,000 bush. spot; spot stronger, fairly active, options active, firm, higher; Jan. 29⅝, Feb. 29, March 29¾, May 28; spot No. 2 29¾ to 31; mixed western 27½ to 30; white western 30 to 34. Sugar —Firm, fair demand; standard A 6⅝c, cut loaf and crushed 7¼c, powdered 6⅞c, granulated 6½c.

Business Embarrassments.

Henry Walburn, builder, Toronto, who assigned some time ago, has settled with his creditors at 15 cents on the dollar.

J. D. Tait's St. Catharines house also went up, in the failure of Tait, Burch & Co., as reported yesterday.

The stock of White & Petter, insolvent lacemen, will be sold to E. O. White on valuation mutually arranged between him and his nominee and the inspectors—terms one-fifth cash and balance on satisfactory security. Mr. E. O. White is about to establish a new lace and embroidery business. The creditors here and in the Old Country were in sympathy with Mr. White in his unfortunate position.

Langford & Clay, general merchants, Ashburn, have assigned to Charles Langley, accountant, Wellington-street east. The liabilities are said to be $3000. A meeting will be held next week.

A. D. Myers & Co., general merchants, Parry Sound, have assigned to Gibbon, Leverett & Co. of Toronto. The creditors are principally in this city.

The creditors of P. A. McIntyre, general merchant, Woodville, met at Clark, Barber & Co.'s office yesterday and gave the debtor three days to make an offer.

F. Kiernan & Co. have made a formal assignment to E. R. C. Clarkson to expedite the settlement of 55 cents on the dollar.

Thomas O'Brien, housefurnishings dealer, 343 Yonge-street, has assigned to George B. Meadows of Chown & Cunningham, the chief creditors. A meeting is called for the 31st. Liabilities are about $3000.

These financial difficulties are reported in Ontario to-day: Aurora—B. Richardson, jeweler, assigned; Cobourg—A. J. Campbell, shoe dealer, assigned; Cornwall—John McCutcheon, jeweler, offering to compromise; Dutton—J. T. & E. S. Sifton, general traders, assigned; Delhi—H. W. Eagles, general merchants, assigned; Gravenhurst—William Pelmer, general merchant, assigned; Hamilton—William Hover, tailor, assigned to E. R. C. Clarkson, Toronto; Hamilton —Mrs. E. L. Hubbard, milliner, assigned; Napanee—Charles A. & S. R. Cornell, hotel-keepers, assigned; Peterboro—A. D. Martin, livery-keeper, assigned; Toronto—R. A. Gilmour, paint dealer, etc., assigned to G. M. Gardner; Woodstock—Samuel M. Douglas, shoe merchant, assigned.

EXTENSION

-OF-

Sherbourne-st. and Erection of Bridge Over the Ravine.

To whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that at the expiration of one month from the date hereof the Council of the Corporation of the City of Toronto will pass the following bylaw for the extension of Sherbourne-street northerly from the present terminus thereof across the Rosedale Ravine and for the construction of an iron bridge across the said ravine:

PROPOSED BYLAW

for the extension of Sherbourne-street northerly from the present terminus thereof across the Rosedale Ravine and for the construction of an iron bridge across the said ravine.

Whereas by Report No. 31, of the Committee on Works, 1889, as amended by Report No. 32 of the said Committee, adopted in Council on the 9th day of December last, it is recommended that an iron bridge with stone abutments and iron piers according to a plan prepared by the City Engineer, a copy of which is hereto annexed, marked "B" should be constructed across the Rosedale Ravine at the head of Sherbourne-street, and that Sherbourne-street should be extended northerly from the northerly limit of Bloor-street, as shown on the plan hereto annexed, marked "A." And whereas in the opinion of this Council, the constructing of the said bridge will benefit the municipality at large and it is inequitable to raise the whole cost thereof by local special assessment.

And whereas no sufficiently signed petition has been presented to the Council against such improvement;

Therefore the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Toronto enacts as follows:

I.

That Sherbourne-street, in the Ward of St. Paul, in the City of Toronto, is hereby extended and opened up from the present northerly terminus thereof across the Rosedale Ravine, as shewn on the plan marked "A." hereto annexed, prepared by Villiers Sankey, Esq., City Surveyor, and dated January 11, 1890.

II.

That the following lands and premises are hereby taken and expropriated for the purpose of said extension.

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises composed of part of Lot 20 in Concession 2 from the Bay, formerly in the Township of York, now in the City of Toronto, more particularly described as follows: Being a strip of land 66 feet in width lying immediately to the eastward of the following described westerly limit and measured at right angles thereto;

Commencing at a point on the southerly limit of said Lot 20, being the northerly limit of Bloor-street where it is intersected by the production northerly of the westerly limit of Sherbourne-street, said point being distant 2660 70-100 feet measured easterly along said limit of Bloor-street from the east limit of Yonge-street; thence northerly in a straight line to where the northerly limit of Lot No. 21, as shown on registered plan No. "293" a subdivision of part of said township lot No. 20, is intersected by the production southerly of the westerly limit of that part of Sherbourne-street lying south of Elm-avenue according to said plan, in all a distance of 710 feet more or less, together with the triangular portion of lot 21, aforesaid, lying to the eastward of the above described strip, the whole being shown in pink on plan hereto annexed marked "A."

III.

That an iron bridge with stone abutments and iron piers, according to the plan prepared by the City Engineer and hereto annexed marked "B," be constructed across the Rosedale Ravine upon the extension of the said street, and that the sum of $30,000 be paid by the city at large towards the cost of said bridge.

JOHN BLEVINS,
City Clerk.

Toronto, January 23d, 1890. 4

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