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THE IRISH DISTURBANCE.

THE EVICTIONS CONTINUED WITH THE CROWBARS.

The Conspiracy Bill Will, Under Certain Conditions, be Applied to Ireland Solely—Tenants Who are Well Off but Refuse to Pay Their Rents.

DUBLIN, Jan. 20.—Several evictions were made at Glenbeigh, County Kerry, to-day. The tenants did not offer any resistance. The crowbar brigade, employed to tear down vacated dwellings, were not used.

The Conspiracy Bill.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—It is learned that the Conspiracy Bill will not be brought before Parliament until a chance arises to push it energetically through all the stages. If the extension of the provisions of the bill to the whole kingdom be opposed the measure will be confined to Ireland.

Not so Poor as Reported.

DUBLIN, Jan. 20.—Maurice Murphy, one of the tenants evicted from the estates of Sir Rowland Winn, at Glen Leigh, owns twenty-seven cows and has £500 in cash. A reporter, telegraphing from Glen Leigh, says the people there are much better clothed and fed than many of their brethren in the South of Ireland, and asserts that the land, though poor, is vastly better than in many other parts of the country. Most of the estate books in the region of Glen Leigh show that the rents have been considerably reduced in the last few years.

An Irish Member Married.

DUBLIN, Jan. 20.—Maurice Healey, M.P. for Cork, was married in this city to-day to Miss Annie Sullivan. The Lord Mayor of Dublin, who is an uncle of the bride, entertained the bridal party at his house.

AFFAIRS IN FADERLAND.

Getting up a War Scare to Help the Army Bill.

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—Emperor William to-day received a committee from the Upper House of the Landtag and repeatedly thanked them for their loyal and patriotic assurance. He said: "You may repeat publicly throughout the country that I was deeply grieved by the vote of the Reichstag on the Army Bill, but you have filled my heart with balm. We had shown the necessity for our demand and did not expect a refusal because the new measure tended to diminish the danger of war."

The North German Gazette, Prince Bismarck's organ, speaking of the organization of the Red Cross Society, says the army may speedily demand its help.

The North German Gazette, referring to the report that France is about to erect wooden barracks on the frontier, states that it is undeniable that France is collecting on the frontier more troops than the fortresses and garrisons are able to shelter.

The Socialists' Campaign Weak.

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—Prince Bismarck having awaited the issue of the Opposition manifesto to the electors, will publish the Emperor's manifesto either to-day or on Monday.

The campaign of the Socialist party has weakened owing to the absence of Bebel, Frohme and Aver, who are in prison. The Socialists, however, are confident of gaining at least two seats in Berlin.

France and the Holy See.

ROME, Jan. 20.—In view of the declaration of M. Goblet, the French Prime Minister, to the committee which is considering the question of the abrogation of the Concordat, that, although he was in favor of the separation of church and state, he thought Parliament and the country would oppose it, Cardinal Jacobini, Papal Secretary of State, has instructed the Papal Nuncio at Paris to remind the French Government of its obligations towards the Holy See, and to intimate that if they were not fulfilled the Vatican would act accordingly.

The Spitalfields Disaster.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—The Rothschilds and other wealthy Hebrews offer a reward for the discovery of the person who gave the false alarm of fire at the hall in Spitalfields on Tuesday night and caused the panic and terrible loss of life which followed. A subscription list has been opened for the relief of the relatives of the victims of the disaster.

They Must Not Evade Conscription.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—It is reported that the German Government confiscates the property of and condemns to prison by default all the residents of Alsace-Lorraine who evade the conscription by emigrating. Forty-seven persons have already been summoned to Wissembourg for evasion. Similar steps are being taken elsewhere.

Pinkerton Men Shoot a Boy.

JERSEY CITY, N.J., Jan. 20.—This afternoon while a number of boys were playing in an open lot, at the corner of Henderson and Eighteenth-streets in this city, adjoining the yards of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railway Company, a fracas occurred between the boys and Pinkerton's men, and Thos. Hogan, 16 years old, a looker-on, was shot and killed by one of Pinkerton's men, who were stationed on the company's property. The shooting caused intense excitement. Three of Pinkerton's men were arrested.

Died of Trichinosis.

STEVEN'S POINT, Wis., Jan. 20.—Silas Philbrick and his wife have died of trichinosis. Philbrick had a pig, upon one of whose eyes a sore extended nearly the whole length. The animal was killed, and after cutting away the diseased part they ate the rest.

Tragedy at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Cabelek, wife of a Bohemian carpenter, this morning murdered her four youngest children and then hanged herself. The woman had been acting strangely for some months past.

Dismissed for Indecency.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Assistant Relief Inspector Baskerville has been dismissed from office because of his fondness for women of bad character.

Big drives in best quality Carpets during the big clearing sale at Petleys'.

CABLE NOTES.

A heavy defalcation in the Gewerbe Bank at Hong Kong is reported.

The French Chamber has rejected a motion that war ships be constructed by private industry.

It is said that an order forbidding the exportation of horses will shortly be issued in Germany.

General Boulanger has decided upon a test mobilization of one army corps, to take place in the spring.

The Austrian painter, Amerling, who died recently, bequeathed his art collection to the city of Vienna.

Emperor William has invested 500,000 marks of his private money in the stock of the German African Company.

The proposition to abolish the office of chaplain in the public hospitals has been rejected by the French Chamber.

The Italian Government has bought the National Line steamer America, and will convert her into an armed cruiser.

General uneasiness in the state of European affairs is having the effect of stopping all speculation in the money market.

The gunboat Firm, which went ashore on the Northumberland coast, and which it was feared would be a total loss, has been floated.

The cholera epidemic is so serious in Montevideo that the authorities have been compelled to make an official announcement of the fact.

The French steamer Gironde, arrived at Pauillac, France, from Buenos Ayres, had two cases of cholera on board and was quarantined.

Sir Michael Morris, at present Lord Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas f Ireland, has been appointed Lord Chief Justice of Ireland.

A despatch from Peniche, Spain, says the steamer Brentford, from Newport for Malta, has been wrecked and that all on board but one were lost.

Henry M. Stanley is flooded with offers from good men to accompany the expedition for the relief of Emin Bey. He expects to reach him in July.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Pretty Miss Fortescue Makes Her Debut at the Grand.

Gretchen,	Miss Fortescue
Faustus, a young monk,	Fred Terry
Gottifried, a soldier, Faustus' friend,	John Findlay
Anselm, a friar,	W. H. Crompton
Dominic, a monk,	Mr. Sheldon
Frederich, a young soldier,	Mr. Hardy
Mephisto,	Newton Gotthold
Martha, Gretchen's aunt,	Miss Kate Hodson

The Grand Opera House was filled to the doors last night with one of Toronto's best theatrical audiences to witness the above cast in "Gretchen," written by Mr. W. S. Gilbert. The reputation of the author and the acknowledged beauty of Miss Fortescue, together with that little affaire de coeur with Lord Garmoyle, was warrant enough for filling the Grand with the fashionable audience which assembled there. The World has not yet heard that Miss Fortescue or her managers claim that she is a great actress; she is not. But the little lady from London is very pretty and everything she does on the stage is nicely done. She has an amiable movement, a pleasing presence and she impresses her audience with a feeling that she is doing her best to entertain them.

The author of "Gretchen" says he took the leading idea of the play from the "Faust" of Goethe. The dialogue, however, does not encroach on "Faust" in any way; there is merely a scene, a love scene, between Martha and Mephisto, in the second act, which was borrowed from that great work. Gretchen is a simple peasant girl, beloved by Gottifried. On the eve of his departure to the wars he introduces to her his friend Faustus, a young monk who thinks more of worldly matters than his priestly ministries. When Gottifried returns, laden with honors, he finds that the young monk has usurped his place in Gretchen's affections, and he seeks to bury his sword in Faustus' heart. In this he is only prevented by Gretchen throwing herself between his sword and the love-stricken monk. The play closes with the death of Gretchen in the presence of her two lovers.

In the support of Miss Fortescue the company is competent all round. Mr. Terry is a brother of Miss Ellen Terry. Mr. Gotthold was especially good as Mephisto.

This evening Miss Fortescue appears as Vere Herbert in "Moths." At the matinee to-morrow "Pron-Frou" will be played, and in the evening "King Rene's Daughter" and "Sweethearts."

Daniel Sully at the Toronto.

"The Corner Grocery," in which Mr. Sully shines with all the lustre of his profession, was the bill of fare at the Toronto Opera House last night. The cozy theatre was well filled, and the audience enjoyed the many flashes of real fun with which the play abounds. The company is good all round. The "Corner Grocery" will run for the rest of the week and there will be a matinee to-morrow afternoon.

Next week the attraction will be John W. Ransone in "Across the Atlantic."

"Saints and Sinners."

"Saints and Sinners," the latest Madison-square success, which enjoyed a six months' run at that theatre, will be played at the Grand Opera House all next week by a first-class company, including the veteran C. W. Couldock, who will portray the hero's part, that of a poor old clergyman. It is said to be a powerful play and mounted in superb style.

The Prices at the Grand to be Reduced.

Manager Sheppard has acted wisely in announcing a reduction in the prices of admission at his theatre. This is a step in the direction of still further popularizing first-class theatrical performances. There has been a sweeping come down in prices in many of the very best theatres in the United States. On and after Monday next the prices at the Grand will be, as announced by Mr. Sheppard on his program last night, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Orchestra and parquette, present price $1, reduced to 75 cents; sofa chairs, present price 75 cents, reduced to 50 cents; dress circle, first two rows, present price 75 cents, reduced to 50 cents, balance of dress circle 35 cents. There will be no reduction in the gallery prices, as no really good attraction can be induced to play under a 25 cent basis. The foregoing prices will be the standard rate from the date mentioned. In making this change the high class of entertainments heretofore given in the Grand Opera House will be rigidly maintained. The first attraction to come under the new schedule will be the Madison-square success, "Saints and Sinners."

Holy Trinity's Concert.

Shaftesbury Hall held a fair-sized audience last night when a concert was given in aid of the school house fund of the Church of the Holy Trinity. The splendid male choir of the church, comprising over forty voices, sang a number of part songs in capital style. The vocal soloists were Miss Berryman and Mr. Cyril E. Rudge, who acquitted themselves creditably. The violin solos of Mrs. Dreschler-Adamson were received in the usual enthusiastic manner. Perhaps the most entertaining feature of the program was a ventriloquial sketch by Mr. Duncan Cameron, whose performance was most amusing.

MASTER BAKERS DINE.

Their First Annual Spread—A Successful Gathering—Speeches and Songs.

For a first annual dinner that of the Toronto Master Bakers' Association held at the Walker House last night was a gratifying success. It was on the temperance plan and everyone spent a pleasant evening. President Joseph Tait was in the chair, and the gentlemen under his charge numbered about sixty, members and guests.

One of the Walker's excellent dinners was put where it would do the most good, and then followed the toast list. After the usual loyal toasts that of "Success to Our Association" was proposed, and suitable responses were made by Ald. Carlyle (St. Andrews'), Councillor Goodwin of Parkdale and Messrs. J. D. Nasmith, A. W. Carrick and J. Slattery. "Kindred Associations" was responded to by Messrs. Robt. Mills and D. W. Clark of the Toronto Grocers' Association, and Messrs. I. Chilman and J. Lees of the Hamilton Bakers' Association. Messrs. J. B. McLauchlin, John Brown, Geo. Hamilton and J. Little returned thanks for the toast of "Our Guests," and Mr. R. F. Dale championed "The Ladies." "The Press" was also proposed and responded to. The speeches were interspersed with a recitation by Mr. Thomas Cooney and songs by several others.

PARALYZED BY ELECTRICITY.

How an Electric Light Lineman in New York Met His Death.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The building occupied by the Centennial American Tea Company on Vesey-street was gutted by fire to-day. While the fire was in progress Lineman Simons of the Electric Light Company climbed a pole to cut the electric lines leading into the store. In the act he received a shock which paralyzed him. He fell to the ground, striking on his head, and died in ten minutes. A number of girls working in an upper floor, in a feather duster factory, were panic stricken by the smoke. Several fainted, but all were brought out safely. The fire is supposed to have originated from the electric light wires.

Cardinal Jacobini Resigns.

ROME, Jan. 20.—Cardinal Jacobini has again resigned the office of Pontifical Secretary of State.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

It is said in Washington that Congressmen Floyd and Jones will fight a duel.

It is probable that Washington Territory and Montana will be constituted states at this session of Congress.

The Atcheson, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad officials have let contracts for the construction of 1800 freight cars.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railway Company has compelled each employe of the road to sign the temperance pledge.

Yesterday Nicholas Clements, a locomotive engineer living at Port Jervis, N.Y., committed suicide while mentally deranged.

The marriage of Miss VanZandt to Anarchist Spies has been forbidden until after the Supreme Court has pronounced upon his case.

THE BULGARIAN TROUBLE.

REPORTS OF A EUROPEAN CONFERENCE SAID TO BE UNFOUNDED.

A St. Petersburg Paper Expresses Russian Opinion on the Question, and Says That Bismarck is More Deeply Interested Than is Supposed.

VIENNA, Jan. 20.—The negotiations for the settlement of the Bulgarian question are progressing favorably. They are mainly between Russia, Austria and the Porte on the one side, and between the Porte and Bulgaria on the other. The basis on which they are being conducted is that the Bulgarian Regency shall resign when satisfactory assurance is given regarding a candidate for the vacant throne. Efforts are being made to induce Russia to give the desired assurance. It is proposed that a new Bulgarian Government, representing all parties, shall be formed preparatory to the dissolution of the Sobranje and the ordering of the new elections. The Bulgarians are disposed to accept these terms.

Reports of a Conference Unfounded.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 20.—The reports that a conference of the Powers on the Bulgarian question is about to be held are unfounded. Russia is awaiting the resignation of the Bulgarian regents. When that event occurs a provisional Government, which will be recognized by all the Powers, will be established and Russia will adopt a conciliatory course and propose a candidate for the Bulgarian throne other than the Prince of Mingrelia. Notwithstanding Prince Bismarck's declaration in the Reichstag, it is believed that Germany is not indifferent to the affairs of Bulgaria. Prince Bismarck's reference to Bulgaria is supposed to have been made with the view of encouraging Russia to take energetic steps toward a settlement in Bulgaria favorable to her own interests. Such a Russian policy, it is thought, would probably not be resisted at the beginning, but later Austria, Hungary and England would be unable to remain passive, and a conflict would ensue which would weaken Germany's neighbors and afford Bismarck an opportunity to advance German interests.

Ladies' fine Cashmere Hose worth $1, selling at 50c per pair during the big closing sale at Petleys'.

THE "WHITE CROSS ARMY."

Rev. Dr. Potts Talks About the Purity of the Toronto Press.

The "White Cross Army Movement," the object of which is "to promote personal purity and to raise the tone of personal opinion on this subject," is gaining strength in Toronto, although only recently established. This was evident by the well attended meeting in St. James' Schoolhouse last night, when speeches were delivered by clergymen representing the Anglican, Methodist and Presbyterian denominations. President R. W. Hayles, was in the chair. The Bishop of Toronto spoke of the necessity of the Army and the duty of the Church towards it, while Rev. D. J. Macdonnell explained its objects. Rev. Dr. Potts addressed the meeting on the duty of the press towards public morality. He thought that the press of Toronto, especially the Mail, was pure. Rev. Canon Dumoulin contended that the law of purity was equally binding on man and woman. After a short address by the chairman the meeting was at an end.

Miss Ellice Hopkins, an English lady who originated the idea which has since developed into the Army, is expected to visit Toronto before long.

Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Editor World: Why is cruelty to animals allowed such free swing in our fair city and so publicly? Every day I witness some brutal outrage that ought to waken the sympathy of this humane to make some exertion to stop such cruelty. Why don't the citizens "society for the prevention of cruelty to animals" and do what they can to alleviate the sufferings of the poor dumb brutes that cannot speak in their own defence? I am sure they would be strongly upheld by the humane of the whole city. I am sure if it were agitated by a paper with such a circulation as yours it would not fail to have the desired effect. HUMANITY.

Such a society as that mentioned by our correspondent existed in Toronto several years ago, but it became defunct soon after the death of its inspector, Mr. Cooper. It could easily be resuscitated, and The World would be glad to hear from all those interested in the scheme. If they send in their names to this office, a meeting could be called and the good work begun.

A Wife Deserter Pulled Up.

Edward C. Doty, who some time ago deserted his wife and four children in Buffalo for an attractive young lady named Tillie Bush, appeared in the Police Court yesterday at the instance of his injured wife. Doty first went to St. Catharines, after which he came to Toronto and secured the position of foreman in the Ontario Bolt Works. Miss Bush has been living with him at 294 King-street west. His wife came to the city on Tuesday and laid a complaint against him for non-support. The case was remanded until to-day. Miss Bush, who was a teacher of music in Buffalo, seems to regret her part of the affair.

Why Mr. Nesbitt's Paper was Not Read.

Mr. Wallace Nesbitt prepared a lengthy paper which he was to have read before the Institute of Chartered Accountants last night. The paper deals fully with the important question of adjusting fire insurance losses, and it was desired that a good attendance of fire underwriters should hear the paper. However, as the underwriters are at present holding their annual meeting, and thus engaged in that direction, the reading of the paper was postponed until the next meeting of the institute, on Feb. 17. The annual meeting will also be held on that date.

A Commission Merchant's Sudden Call.

Mr. Alexander Armitage, of the commission firm of Cavanagh & Armitage, 28 Scott-street, ate a hearty supper at his residence in Pembroke-street Wednesday night and then expired. Deceased was at his place of business all day Wednesday. Mr. Armitage moved to Toronto five months ago from Seaforth. Heart disease caused death.

A Footpad in Court.

John J. Flannigan, who has a bad reputation, was before the Police Court yesterday as the man who stopped Mrs. Margaret Wright at 10 o'clock last Saturday night on Dalhousie-street and forced her to give him a parcel she was carrying. He was remanded for a week. Edward Simpson, a suspended accomplice, was discharged.

OUR OWN COUNTRY.

Items of Interest Received by Mail and Wire.

Owing to the depth of snow the ice bridge at Kingston is unsafe.

It has been decided to abandon the ice races as a feature of the winter carnival at Hamilton.

Mrs. Griffith, living on Lydia-street, St. Thomas, fell down stairs on Wednesday and sustained such injuries as may prove fatal.

The firemen of Guelph entertained Mr. Skinner, the retiring chairman of the Fire and Gas Committee, at dinner on Wednesday night.

The Northwest Claims Commission has concluded its labors in Montreal and will shortly hold a final meeting in Ottawa to prepare its report.

The barn and other outbuildings, together with 200 bushels of grain, belonging to John Taylor, Eramosa, County of Wellington, were burned yesterday morning; loss covered by insurance.

An 8-year-old son of Chas. Brown, Collingwood, died last week from the effects of a gunshot wound in the chest, the result of an accident while the gun was being handled by an elder brother.

Valuable water privileges, estimated to be capable of furnishing half a million horse power, have been secured at the Lievres Basin, near Buckingham, Quebec, by a syndicate of American capitalists.

Millinery, flowers, feathers, etc., selling at 50c on the dollar at Petleys'.

HAMILTON AFFAIRS.

Attacked by a Dog—Arrested for False Pretences.

HAMILTON, Jan. 20.—A daughter of Thomas O'Neill, residing on the corner of Hughson and Wood streets, was attacked a few days ago by a Newfoundland dog owned by Mr. Harvey, a hotelkeeper. The girl went to call on Harvey's daughter and was thrown down in the yard by the dog and bitten badly on the arms, hands and side. She has since been confined to bed. The dog was immediately destroyed.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Charlton, Mr. A. R. Kerr, of this city, and Miss Baxter of Burlington will sail for England by the Umbria on Saturday.

George Dietrich, belonging to Detroit, who has been visiting in this section, was arrested to-day just as he was leaving for the West, on a charge of obtaining by false pretences. He hired a cutter at Temple's livery, saying a Mr. Elliott had sent him for it, kept it for two weeks and refused to pay for it. A young woman who was with him insisted upon going to the cells with him, but the officers would not permit it.

A large party of tobogganers from Brantford will be present at the carnival.

Several farmers who have been fined for refusing to pay toll to the Hamilton and Milton Road Company will appeal.

Selling off the whole of our immense stock, to be sold within sixty days. Petley & Petley.

CANADIAN ODDFELLOWS.

Conclusion of the Grand Lodge Session at Hamilton.

HAMILTON, Jan. 20.—The Grand Lodge, C.O.O.F., has been sitting here for the past two days completing the new constitution and financial schemes begun at Drummondville in June last. The sessions were presided over by Grand Master Gearing of Toronto, and among the prominent members present were Grand Secretary Parkinson and Grand Treasurer Boxall of Toronto, P.G.M. Dr. Cameron of Owen Sound, Grand Chaplain Rev. Mr. Osborne of Gravenhurst and Grand Organizer Wade of British Columbia. There were about fifty delegates present. Much business has been transacted during the sessions, and the best of feeling has prevailed. Among the important matters legislated upon are the introduction of an insurance scheme in connection with sick and other benefits, securing $500 at the death of a member, the changing of the composition of the Grand Lodge and the abolition of the Board of Directors. Yesterday afternoon Rev. Mr. Osborne was unanimously elected Grand Chaplain for the balance of the term. The session closed this afternoon.

Overcoats at about half price during the big closing sale at Petleys'.

THE QUEBEC PREMIER RESIGNS.

Rumor that Hon. Mr. Taillon Has Been Called to Form a Cabinet.

QUEBEC, Jan. 20.—Hon. J. J. Ross handed his resignation to the Lieutenant-Governor about 2 this afternoon, and, though not learned authoritatively, it was stated that he was shortly followed by Hon. E. F. Flynn, Solicitor-General. Rumor says that Hon. L. O. Taillon, Attorney-General, has been called to form a Cabinet. It is stated that the course taken by Premier Ross and Solicitor-General Flynn has been in contemplation since last election, but they were only prevented from taking this step through the intervention of Mr. Taillon. Taking all rumors for what they are worth, nothing of a positive nature is known beyond the Premier's resignation.

The Telegraph to-night states that Premier Ross resigned on account of ill-health, and that Hon. Mr. Taillon has responded to the call to form a new Cabinet.

THE FLOOD AT CORNWALL.

Great Destitution Exists in the Inundated District.

CORNWALL, Ont., Jan. 20.—The water continues to fall, being now fully six feet lower than on Tuesday morning. It is, of course, too soon for mill-owners to estimate the damage, but it will be very large, though not as great as at first imagined. The weave-room of the Canada Cotton Company is not submerged as at first reported, the water only wetting a portion of the floor and not damaging any goods or machinery there. There seems at present no further immediate danger of another inundation, and as soon as the water recedes measures will at once be taken to get the mills going. There is great destitution among the flooded-out sufferers, and a public meeting is to be held to-night to devise further measures for relief.

Evening Silks sell at 50c on the dollar at Petleys'.

To be Rebuilt.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—The Canadian Institute building, destroyed by fire Tuesday, will be rebuilt. The walls, which are of stone and very substantial, are still standing. Harry Lindley's theatrical combination, which had been playing there, will have a benefit performance at the Grand Opera House to-morrow evening.

Murder in British Columbia.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., Jan. 20.—A man named J. A. Harris, living near the mouth of the Fraser River, was found murdered in his house to-day. Everything of value had been stolen from the house.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Back copies of The World wanted. See dates in another column.

Mayor Howland is still suffering from a cold and unable to be at the City Hall. Ald. McMillan was Acting Mayor yesterday.

Capt. Geddes, A.D.C., called on Miss Fortescue at the Rossin yesterday and escorted her to the regular fortnightly reception at Government House.

The Treasurer of the Home for Incurables acknowledges these donations: S. S. Sheerston, Brantford, per Rev. Elmore Harris, $50; Mrs. Lesslie, Eglinton, per Miss Dick, $100.

A young man entered the Paris Kid Glove Store on King-street east yesterday morning and snatched from the counter a valuable satchel containing about $10, belonging to Miss Cook of Parkdale. The thief escaped.

The trains on the various railway lines running into Toronto are once more nearly on time after the great snow storms. None of them were more than 2½ hours late last evening. To-day will see a still greater improvement.

John Kelly, aged 22, living in Duchess-street, snatched a coat that was hanging outside Martin's "Flags of all Nations" yesterday afternoon and made off. He was pursued by a crowd and caught at Front and George-streets by Constable Archer.

Henry Dalton and the gang who were arrested in his York-street dive early yesterday morning during a row, were in the Police Court yesterday. Dalton has to answer three charges of selling liquor without a license and with assaulting and robbing Mary Brown of $80. The defendants were all remanded till to-day.

The monument about to be erected in Toronto will be for those whom the city lost primarily, but the names of all those (volunteers and Canadian permanent militia) who lost their lives in the Northwest will be inscribed thereon. Photographs of the monument will be for sale at 528 Yonge-street (price 50 cents) for the benefit of the fund.

Henry Howell was brought down from Owen Sound yesterday under a six months' sentence in the Central Prison for assaulting an officer of that town. Detective Brown took him before Magistrate Denison and charged him with stealing $110 from Wm. Stuart of 111 Sherbourne-street, where he formerly boarded. On this charge he was remanded for a week.

Ivanhoe Lodge No. 4, K. of P., Wednesday night elected these officers: Past Chancellor, R. C. Waterson; Chancellor Commander, W. W. Glass; Vice-Chancellor, Geo. Thompson; Master of Exchequer, A. J. Rattery; Master of Finance, H. R. Tilley; Keeper of Records and Seals, T. P. Stewart; Prelate, W. T. Storley; Master-at-Arms, R. Gifford; Inner Guard, T. Mitchell; Outer Guard, W. J. Rowley.

No Mistake About It.

—Who's going to be elected? Sure enough, "Sir John." One thing, the G.O.M. ("Sir John") is just as popular as Strathern, the house-furnishing man, 179 Yonge-street, who is selling toboggans and children's sleighs, etc., etc., at the lowest price of any house in the city, and all the ladies and children give "Strathern" their vote every time, because he gives satisfaction. x

POLITICAL STREET TALK.

THE PARTY MANAGERS BRIGHTENING UP THEIR ARMOR.

Denial of the Report that Mr. Chapleau Has Quit the Cabinet—Prospective Candidates for the Three Torontos—Campaign Pointers.

Politics in the city were livelier yesterday than at any time since the dissolution was announced. The managers of both parties were in great feather over the struggle just entered upon. Down at the Reform Club Sir Richard Cartwright, who reached the city early yesterday morning, was busy all day with numerous lesser lights of the party arranging details of the campaign. The energetic Billy Patterson of South Brant was with Sir Richard most of the day assisting in campaign work and arranging dates for meetings. Sir Richard left the city last evening.

Manager Barwick is one of the busy men on the Conservative side; so is John Small. It was just a bit funny to see "Wee John," as The World heard him called, scudding over the slippery pavements of King and Toronto-streets and Leader-lane. Mr. Small, it is said, talks to more men in five minutes than any other man in town does in an hour, the genial Police Magistrate not excepted.

The Reformers of Centre Toronto seem to be in quite a strait for an acceptable candidate. This division will hold its convention at Temperance Hall to-night. It is said the name of Hon. Edward Blake will be pressed on the convention. Among other names that were freely flying about yesterday are those of J. J. Withrow, J. K. Kerr, Q.C., and S.H. Blake, Q.C.

The Conservatives of West Toronto will meet in convention at St. Andrew's Hall on Monday night. Dr. Beaty was busily engaged yesterday in circulating his address to the electors. A little bird whispers that the Doctor will be the choice of the convention. Other aspirants are A. P. Macdonald, Col. F. C. Denison and A. R. Boswell.

The Labor party is energetically organizing. Committee meetings were held in St. George's and St. Patrick's Wards last night.

The Conservatives of St. Patrick's Ward last night met in Bailey's Hall to appoint delegates to the convention to be held next week for the purpose of nominating a candidate for West Toronto. Mr. F. D. Barwick presided. Eighty-four delegates were appointed, each of the twenty-eight sub-divisions having three delegates.

Has Mr. Chapleau Resigned?

Hon. J. A. Chapleau, Secretary of State, was at Montreal Tuesday when he received a number of Conservatives, including A. Desjardins, M.P., A. J. Ouimet, M.P., B. Globensky. It is well-known, says the Star, that his friends are endeavoring to prevail upon him to take the leadership of an independent party in the province. Mr. Ouimet urged Mr. Chapleau not to resign, as such a move at this time would have a most injurious effect. Whether he would follow his advice or not he was not in a position to say. From the manner in which Mr. Ouimet spoke, he evidently feared there was some grounds for believing that Chapleau had already resigned. The resignation is said to be in Sir John's hands now, but Mr. Chapleau has until the end of the week to reconsider it.

Mr. Chapleau Has Not Resigned.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—It is understood Hon. J. A. Chapleau never proposed resigning his seat in the Cabinet. The trouble, if any at all existed, is said to have been due to the Secretary of State's opposition to bringing on the elections at a period when he would, owing to ill-health, be comparatively handicapped in stumping Quebec. Mr. Chapleau, otherwise, is acting in accord with the other members of the Cabinet.

Campaign Pointers.

In Lambton the other day Mr. Lister announced himself, with an exceedingly wild flourish, as "a bitter enemy of Sir John Macdonald." Mr. Lister is an Ontario Rielite.

It is hinted that Mr. John Gillies is to have the Reform nomination in West Bruce "as a reward" says the Walkerton Herald "for the treachery which he was treated in the North and Centre."

The three Quebec Ministers will stand in their old constituencies: Sir Hector Langevin in Three Rivers, Hon. J. A. Chapleau in Terrebonne and Sir Adolph Caron in Quebec County.

Ottawa Journal: At St. Anne's Church on Sunday Rev. Cure Prudhomme warned Catholic voters to be on their guard during the coming elections against the corrupt methods indulged in by unscrupulous individuals.

Winnipeg Sun: Both political parties in Winnipeg appear to be in considerable of a quandary with regard to selecting candidates to contest the city for the Commons. About the only clear thing in the party horizon is that the Liberals will not endorse Sir Donald A. Smith, and that the Conservatives will also decline doing so unless he becomes a party candidate, which it is pretty certain he will not think of doing.

Sir Richard Cartwright, the nominee of the Liberal party in South Oxford, will open his campaign Monday evening next, when he will hold a meeting at Otterville. The general impression has been that no opposition will be offered to him, but there are some whispers now that a fight will be made against the knight.

According to the Ottawa Journal Sir John Macdonald expects to address public meetings at leading points in western Ontario between now and Feb. 15.

The Conservative Nationalists have formed a political association, with Senator Armand as President, Messrs. F. A. Quinn and J. O. Pelland, Vice-Presidents, L. A. Lefebvre and J. P. Loranger, Joint Secretaries, and A. Masson, Treasurer. The association has taken as its platform the resolutions of the Champ de Mars, and insists in a special manner on the safeguards of the principle of the autonomy of the provinces.

Mayor Langelier will try to "redeem" Quebec Centre for the Grits, having abandoned all hope of being re-elected in Megantic.

The Lincoln Reformers yesterday brought out W. K. Patteson, a young lawyer of St. Catharines, to run against J. C. Rykert.

J. L. P. O'Hanly will run as an Independent candidate for Ottawa.

It is probable that Hon. Wilfrid Laurier will have a walk-over in Quebec East.

A largely-attended convention of the Liberal Conservative party was held at Coboconk yesterday. Mr. Hector Cameron, M.P., received the nomination as the candidate for North Victoria on the first ballot, and the nomination was made unanimous on motion of Mr. Heaslip, warden of the county, and Mr. Wm. McKenzie.

H. H. Fuller, in accepting the joint candidature with the Hon. A. G. Jones for the representation of Halifax, is alleged to have said that he would aid in overthrowing the present Government and then do all he could to get Nova Scotia out of the Union.

There is evidently going to be some fun in Montreal Centre, as a very decided split has already occurred amongst the Liberals in the selection of a candidate. H. J. Cloran has been nominated by a certain clique. Leading Liberals are very much opposed to this nomination, and favor D. Barry. Ex-Alderman J. E. Mullin is also out in the Liberal interest.

General uncertainty prevails as to the selection of a Liberal candidate for Montreal West. Geo. W. Stephens is said to be anxious to secure the nomination, and his friends are working to bring it about. So far, however, Hon. Peter Mitchell appears to be the favorite for this nomination.

Sir Donald Smith announces that he will contest Winnipeg as an Independent. Both the Manitoban and Free Press are supporting him.

The campaign on Prince Edward Island has opened with vigor. Dr. Jenkins promises to faithfully work for the Tory candidate in Queen's county. There is a growing feeling of the weakness of Messrs. McDonald and Muttart, the Tory candidates in King's, and influence is being brought to bear on Premier Sullivan and Hon. Sam Prowse to resign their seats in the Local House and contest that county.

Mr. McCready, ex-Ald. Mullin and Mr. H. J. Cloran are spoken of as possible candidates against Mr. Curran in Montreal Centre. If Mr. Cloran runs it will be as a "Home Rule and National Liberal" candidate.

"If both Messrs. J. Hodgson and H. Mackay decline to accept the Reform candidature for Montreal West, it will be tendered to the Hon. Peter Mitchell, who, it is believed, will accept." So said a Liberal to the Witness. But it is hardly probable the ex-Minister of Marine and Fisheries will forsake his beloved Northumberland for the sea for an uncertainty in Montreal.

Mr. Dalton McCarthy's opponent in North Simcoe will be Hon. T. W. Anglin.

The Conservative candidates in Provencher—Messrs. Royal and Clarke—have agreed to leave the question of their respective candidatures to a meeting to be held next week.

The Halfbreeds of St. Laurent, St. Louis de Langevin, Batoche and Duck Lake have determined to support a candidate favorable to the Government.

Capt. Labelle is out as an Independent Conservative candidate in Richelieu County against Dr. Ladouceur, the Rouge nominee. Mr. Massue, the late member for the county, has retired in favor of Capt. Labelle.

The Montreal veterans of 1866 and 1870 will issue circulars to each candidate for parliamentary honors, asking, in case of his return, if he will support the movement of the veterans towards procuring recognition for the services rendered by them during the Fenian raids of '66 and '70.

Sunday meetings are announced in several Quebec constituencies.

THE COURT HOUSE SCHEME REVIVED

Ald. Jones' Committee Launches Out in a Desirable Direction.

At a meeting of the Court House Committee yesterday afternoon that body committed itself to a new line of action. The members present were Ald. Jones (Chairman), Boustead, Galley, Gillespie, Carlyle (St. An.), Hill, Hunter, Johnstone, Harvie and Morrison. Chairman Jones said he agreed with Mayor Howland with reference to the desirability of an amalgamation of the Court House and City Hall. The extra amount needed for these buildings could be secured by authority from the Legislature or by the submission of a bylaw to the people. He thought the appointment of a sub-committee should be made to thoroughly investigate the matter, and to prepare a statement of the estimated cost.

Architect Lennox presented, for the inspection of the committee, the plans of the original Court House, and likewise the proposed new buildings. He explained that the latter were intended to include office room for all the civic departments, the Police Commissioners, the Police Court and Public School Board. He estimated that the new building would be one-third larger than the original, having altogether an area of 40,000 to 50,000 superficial feet. By utilizing the basement for offices, however, 12,000 feet could be saved. The cost of the buildings he placed at $700,000.

City Solicitor McWilliams was heard in relation to the proper mode of procedure with reference to raising the money needed. He said an application could be made to the Ontario Legislature or by a submission of a bylaw to the ratepayers. As the city was liable to be indicted for Court House purposes he would recommend that he be instructed to make the application, which would have to be done by Friday to ensure its being dealt with at an early date. The city could decide later on what means it would take to raise the money.

A discussion of the subject showed that the members generally favored the scheme for a combined Court House and City Hall, and it was decided to appoint a sub-committee to go thoroughly into the cost, etc., the members being Ald. Galley, Harvie, Hunter, Jones and Hill. The City Solicitor was instructed to make the necessary application to the Legislature for authority to raise the money, and Architect Lennox was ordered to prepare plans for the proposed new structure, which it is claimed, will effect a saving of $200,000.

Big bargains in all the departments at Petleys'. Prices only a secondary consideration, as the entire stock must be sold within sixty days.

THE FRIENDLY FAILURE A BAD ONE.

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Trustee Clarkson, to whom A. Friendly & Co., of Front-street assigned on Monday, is busily engaged in preparing a statement for presentation to the creditors. If rumor is true, it will be found that Friendly ran his business and assigned on the regulation pattern in such cases. The firm's liabilities are, so far as the present entanglement of affairs

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FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 21, 1887.

An Unjust and Unpatriotic Admission.

While an attempt is being made at Washington to bulldoze Canada, it is the duty of every Canadian to refrain from affording the bulldozers the slightest aid or comfort directly or indirectly; but, true to its recent record the Globe seizes this as the occasion for saying that it is "not certain that the means employed to maintain our right to protect our property, or the manner in which they were employed, was judicious." It founds this unpatriotic and unjust insinuation upon the plea of certain Yankee skippers to the effect that "they did not intend to violate our laws or to trespass in our waters." The acceptance of such a plea would open the jail doors for half the criminals in the land. Canada is engaged in a struggle with a powerful and unscrupulous neighbor for the maintenance of her natural and treaty rights, and to the maintenance of those rights not only a bold front toward the aggressor but also a firm grip upon British sympathy are necessary. When the aggressor reads in the chief organ of one of our great parties the admission that we have acted improperly he will immediately reproduce that admission in his own organs, while the politicians of Great Britain will thereby have their minds diverted from the true issue, and perhaps be led to believe that Canada has been unreasonable. Any Canadian who lends himself to the creation of such an impression in either the United States or Britain is an enemy of his country. But such an enemy the Globe has often proved itself. There is no estimating the damage that journal has done Canada abroad by looking at every question through the goggles of party prejudice.

The Mail has not yet indicated the way in which it proposes to reform that "scandal," the Senate. Mr. Blake is equally reticent. He and Canon Farrer ought to hold a convention of two and decide upon a policy.

Henry Fonquier, a Parisian journalist, advocates inducements to Frenchmen to marry young and rear large families, for in the family he recognizes the seat and safeguard of the state. Strange how opinions differ. In this country the Mail denounces the French Canadians for marrying early and giving many hostages to fortune. It has actually proposed a constitutional convention to devise some method to prevent this sort of thing, to the infinite amusement of the general public. The literary workmanship of the Mail's diatribes has undoubtedly been much better than the judgment which inspired them, but the able writer who advocates the limitation of the contents of the family quiver in a country of unmeasured unoccupied acres is open to the suspicion of designedly rendering ridiculous the case he has been engaged to plead.

There will not be much of a Queen's jubilee in Kerry county or the Isle of Skye.

The penalty of imprisonment for life for capital offences is likely to be abolished in Michigan, and a return made to the death penalty. A life for a life—what is sauce for the goose ought to be sauce for the Michigander.

Though Mr. Bunting is still suspected of Conservatism, he does not manifest any very violent symptoms of the disease. By the way, why not run him as a temperance candidate in one of the Torontos?

With the assistance of some "literary feller," John L. Sullivan will publish a book of reminiscences. Its frontispiece, after the manner of its author's, ought to be illustrated by upper cuts.

Prof. Proctor estimates that in about 16,000,000 years there will not be a drop of water left on the earth. Now we understand why some men are so careful not to drink any of the vanishing fluid. Their forethought for posterity does them proud.

A Dakota widower has married his mother-in-law, much to the surprise of the Eastern press. But there remains to him the hope that she may be blown away by next summer's cyclones. People are not such stagers in Dakota as elsewhere.

The Syracuse Standard says that "she (Canada) may shut out our countrymen from the fishing grounds she practically commands, but she will have to eat most of the fish she catches." Well, you won't have to eat the fish you do not catch. If the matter admits of such an easy settlement what are you raging about? Why do you not resume your garments?

Buffalo is much moved by Mr. St. John's statement to a Toronto audience that that city is one of those "in which Barabbas would have received a majority over Christ." The News is pathetically remonstrative, and pleads that "Buffalo always treated ex-Governor St. John well." But you should not treat at all. We have known Canadians who went to Buffalo and got well treated to come back next day with a bilious headache and a poor opinion of Buffalo's treatment.

The Mail's organic usefulness in this country having departed, it ought to seek a more congenial sphere in Berlin, where Prince Bismarck needs somebody to assist him in his fight against Herr Windthorst, the Roman Catholic leader; but perhaps the Mail people would object to locating in a city which is always on the Spree.

The London Speaker will speak no more, because it is defunct. Talked itself to death. Butchered to make a gabby holiday.

The Chicago press regards August Spies' willingness to wed within the shadow of the gallows a moonstruck heiress as an additional reason why he should be hanged.

An exchange tells about "the great feat of a shorthand reporter." Great feet and short hands must constitute a picturesque contrast.

We could not believe that a baby had actually been seized at this time of day had we not been solemnly assured of the fact by so respectable a paper as the Glasgow Mail, published as it is in a country where journalism is a much more serious business than it is in America. Alexander Macdonald, sheriff, found it his duty to seize the effects of William McRae of Portree, for rent due Lord Macdonald. The inventory as published by the Glasgow Mail contains this item: "One cradle and child, sixpence." A puppy dog that had also been seized is entered as worth one shilling—just twice as much as the cradle with the child in it. We are disposed to suspect that the itemizing of the baby along with the cradle is due to the stupidity of some sheriff's deputy Dogberry, but what can the Christian people of Britain and Ireland be about that they tolerate laws under which the cradle and the grave are both made to contribute to the rapacity of men who have neither moral title to the land stolen from the clans, nor compassion for either years or sex?

DOMINION ELECTIONS.

Mr. James Beaty, Q.C., to his Constituents.

Mr. James Beaty, Q.C., has just issued his platform to the electors of West Toronto. We extract the following opinions expressed on some of the more important topics discussed in his manifesto.

The Riel Question.

This agitation and rebellion, with their ultimate war and bloodshed, were as groundless of merit as anything could well be. The present agitation and disregard manifested for even-handed justice and the maintenance of law and order, are less meritorious than the rebellion itself, for there is not even the semblance of a basis for them. Happily it is only confined to a portion of the people, even in Quebec itself; and we know the zeal exhibited is for the most part a partisan zeal, to promote the triumph of a political party at the expense of justice and authority. A great body of the people of Quebec, notwithstanding the inflammatory appeals to sentiments that touch their nationality and religion, stand faithful to constituted authority and regard for law and order and to their patriotic leaders, who of all men specially deserve the sympathy and high esteem of their fellow-subjects over all the Dominion. Sir Hector Langevin, Hon. J. A. Chapleau and Sir A. P. Caron, will be remembered so long as duty and fidelity are recognized among men. No act of Government in this country ever required more firmness and courage to be loyal and true to the Crown and to the country.

Capital and Labor.

A living question at the present day is the adjustment of the *differences between labor and capital*; to promote the common interests of employer and employed; to give capital its fair products, and to labor the fruits of lawful independence and earnest industry. It is in many of its phases puzzling. All reasonable men deplore strikes, and think, except as a last resort, they should not be participated in, and then only within the limits of law. The object should be to find a practical and amicable application of the great injunction expressed in the words, "Masters give unto your servants that which is just and equal." Voluntary arbitrations are always open to contestants. Arbitrations in cases of disputes between the capitalist and the mechanic are authorized by statutes (Revised Statutes, Ont., chap. 134). Co-operative societies can be formed under chap. 158. These do not seem always to meet the emergencies of business, and a procedure might easily be added to obtain a judicial determination of differences. Whatever enactments might be necessary to do so should be passed to authorize the incorporation of trades unions or guilds, as in London. Give them a legal standing. In a city like Toronto one or two corporations would be all that is necessary, giving mechanics, factory hands or employes a corporate union at a trifling expense, and then have a legal, official and responsible mouthpiece when difficulties should arise. If each class wished to have an incorporation let it be had as cheaply and easily as possible. Very little, if any, legislation is required for the purpose. Complaints could be made and answered in writing, and an issue raised at short notice, when the whole matter should be tried by a Judge designated by the High Court of Justice, and immediately, without waiting for any assize or sittings. Then the judgment and decrees of Court could be enforced against the individual employer or company, and against the trade corporation; no appeals to be allowed unless in special and peculiar cases. This would be effective and legal, and at small expense would settle all important questions. Judgment to stand for a long or short time, as the nature of the case would require.

Prohibition.

A very important question is how to dispose of the evils of excess in drinking intoxicating liquors. If persons did not get drunk and violent from liquors there would be little said about them. The immediate and striking cause is the excessive use of ardent spirits—whisky, gin, rum and brandy. This is admitted. It may also be admitted that drunkenness may result from the excessive use of beer and wine, but not so rapidly nor to the same extent, nor usually with the same injurious results. Try first the experiment of partial prohibition—the prohibition of spirits as a beverage. Let the Scott Act be extended so that there may be an option between the law as it stands and the law as it might be made. I prepared a Bill and introduced it last session, adapting the Temperance Act to that end. Any municipality could then adopt the Act as it is by a vote, or, as an alternative, the Act prohibiting spirits. The important enacting words are: "No person shall manufacture, import or bring into such county or city, expose or keep for sale, or sell or barter or exchange to or with any other person, or give to any person, or purchase, keep or use directly or indirectly, on any pretence or by any device, any gin, rum, brandy or whisky or other distilled liquor or spirits, or any porter, beer, ale, wine or any liquid or fluid mixed therewith, capable of being used as a beverage. Provided always that in any county or city where this section comes into and is in force, porter, beer, or ale or wine, cider or other vinous or other fermented liquors of the standard of alcoholic strength recognized for such liquors, may be sold, purchased, kept and used as a beverage as at the time of the passing of this section, under license," etc. This was not designed to affect any county where the Scott Act has been adopted.

I am strongly of the opinion, too that provision should be made to make drunkenness an offence against law, and the person guilty of drunkenness to be liable to arrest and confinement in such way as might be deemed most conducive to reformation and the safety of individuals, families and the community at large. The key-note is: "Be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess."

Irrespective of these views, and without further elaboration, I can state in a sentence my position. Prohibition with compensation I would support; prohibition with confiscation I must oppose.

It must always be remembered that the revenue side of this question means about four millions of dollars, as well as the amount necessary for compensation. This the country must be prepared annually—for the improvement expected—to meet in some way. I am prepared for my share.

The Orange Bill.

The Bill for the incorporation of the Orange body was, to my mind, a simple act of justice and equality. The liberty to join together for benevolent and patriotic purposes should not be denied to one body and granted to another; all classes should stand on the same footing before the law. One may not agree with all the features of all the institutions incorporated, but legislators should not make prejudicial distinctions where general rights are involved. I supported this Bill as I did the one immediately before it on the order list for the incorporation of some Roman Catholic institution in the Northwest, understood also to be of a benevolent and quasi-religious character. Freedom of speech, of action and of benevolent co-operation ought not to be obtained for one class of subjects and denied to another.

Church and State.

There should be no junction of Church and State, unless there was only one Church in the State. In that case the system might be tolerated, although both State and Church are better disjoined. In this country, at all events, that point should be considered settled forever. In 1854 the Parliament of Canada, in passing the Clergy Reserve Act, expressed the irrevocable opinion of the people of this country that hereafter the semblance of connection between Church and State should not exist in Canada. This must be adhered to and contended for as a part of the Constitution. It does not matter what religious body makes the aggression; give us all equal justice and fair play, and no special favor.

Reciprocity.

There is on our statute book a proposal for a Reciprocity Treaty with the United States. This is a very desirable object to be obtained. The disposition of the people on the other side of the line is, I believe, tending in that direction. The recent discussion on reciprocity in the United States developed the fact that of seven daily newspapers in New York six supported the general view, that there should be reciprocity. The amicable settlement of all questions arising out of the fisheries and this one combined would, as far as possible, dispose of all cases of irritation between us and our neighbors, which, for the trade and prosperity of both countries, as well as the good feeling and neighborly dealing which should exist, would be a permanent and lasting benefit. Ores, coal, animals and other natural and raw products of both countries might well be the subjects of consideration, and ultimately of a satisfactory treaty.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

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THURSDAY EVENING, Jan. 20.

The stock market this morning was quiet and prices steady. Montreal was 241 bid, and Ontario 116, an advance of 1 point for the latter. Toronto was 1 lower at 213 bid, and Merchants' unchanged with buyers at 130. Commerce ¼ easier at 124¼ bid, and Imperial sold at 135½ for 5 shares. Federal ¼ easier at 107½ bid, and Dominion was steady with sales of 60 shares at 222½, and closing at that price bid. Standard sold at 127½ for 5, and at 127 for 20 shares. Loan and miscellaneous shares quiet. British America Assurance sold at 120 for 20 shares, and Gas was unchanged at 194½ bid. Montreal Telegraph weak, the best bid being 90. Northwest Land sold at 61½ for 30, and at 61½ for 100 shares. Canada Permanent sold at 207 for the old, and at 196 and 196½ for the new stock. Union Loan was 131½ bid, and Can. Ld. Credit easier at 126½ bid. London & Canadian was wanted at 161½, and Dominion Savings at 109½, without sellers. British Canadian Loan 101 bid, and other stocks unchanged. The market was dull in the afternoon, with bank shares irregular. Montreal ¼ easier at 240½ bid and Ontario ½ lower at 115½ bid. Commerce firmer, with buyers at 124½, and Imperial closed at 134½ bid. Federal is higher, with sales of 10 shares at 107½, and 30 at 108, the stock closing at the latter price bid. Dominion weaker, 60 shares selling at 222½, and Hamilton ½ higher in bid at 135½. British America Assurance higher, with a sale of 25 shares at 121½. Dominion Telegraph was 89½ bid, and Montreal Telegraph 95½ bid, with sellers at 95¾. Northwest Land, new, at 196, and Imperial Savings at 118½. The balance of the list is unchanged.

The closing prices on the Montreal Stock Exchange were: Bank of Montreal, 241½ and 241¼, sales 25 at 241¼, 101 at 241; Ontario Bank 117 and 114; Banque du Peuple, 100 and 99; Molsons Bank, 145 and 140; Bank of Toronto, 218 and 213; Banque Jacques Cartier, asked 92; Merchants' Bank, 130½ and 130; Union Bank asked 92; Bank of Commerce, 125½ and 124¾, sales 55 at 125; Canadian Pacific Railway, 68 and 67½; Montreal Telegraph Company, 96 and 95½, sales 25 at 95½, 50 at 95¾, 400 at 96, 125 at 95¾, 25 at 95½; Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company, 65½ and 64½; City Passenger Railway, 270 and 240; Montreal Gas Company, 223½ and 223, sales 250 at 223, 25 at 223½; Canada Cotton Company, 82½ and 77½, sales 50 at 80, 25 at 79½; Dundas Cotton Company, 75 and 61; Northwest Land Company, 65s and 61s.

Foreign exchange was quoted by Gzowski & Buchan to-day as follows:

IN NEW YORK.	Posted.	Actual.
Sixty days' sterling	$4 83½	$4 82½ to $4 82¾
Sterling demand.	4 87½	$4 86 to $4 86½

TORONTO.	Between Banks. Bid.	Asked.	Counter.
New York Fnds	⅛	¼	⅛ to ¼
Sixty days' st'g.	8⅞	9	9¼ to
Demand do,	9⅝	9¾	10¼ to 10½
Cables do.,			10½ to

The receipts of grain on the street market today showed an increase. About 1000 bushels of wheat sold at 80c to 82c for fall, 82c to 84c for spring, 72c to 73½c for goose. Barley firm, with sales of 2500 bushels at 48c to 50c. Two loads of oats sold at 33c and 34c. Peas nominal at 54c. Hay in fair supply, with sales of 50 loads selling at $13 to $18 a ton for timothy, and clover nominal at $10 to $12. Straw sold at $10.50 a ton. Hogs firm, with sales at $6.20 to $6.25. Beef, $3 to $4.50 for forequarters, and $5 to $7 for hindquarters. Mutton, $5 to $6.50. Lamb, $6.50 to $7.50.

St. Lawrence Market was quiet to-day and prices as a rule are unchanged. We quote: Beef, 12c to 14c; sirloin steak, 13c to 14c; round steak, 10c to 11c, and chops, 12c to 13c; inferior cuts, 7c to 8c. Lamb, 7c to 9c, for front, and 12c to 13c for hindquarters. Veal, best joints, 12c to 13c; inferior cuts, 6c to 8c. Pork, chops and roasts, 10c. Butter, lb rolls 21c to 22c; large rolls, 16c to 18c; inferior, 10c to 12c. Lard, tubs, 10c, pails of new, 11c. Cheese, 12c to 15c. Bacon, 10c to 12c. Eggs, 21c to 23c. Turkeys, 75c to $1.50. Chickens, per pair, 35c to 40c. Geese, 60c to 75c. Ducks, 45c to 60c. Potatoes, per bag, 35c to 85c. Cabbages, per dozen, 30c to 35c. Apples, per barrel, $1.50 to $2.50. Turnips, per bush., 35c to 40c. Carrots, 30c to 35c. Beets, 50c.

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Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 9½c, do. Orleans 9 11-16c. Flour—Receipts 24,500 bbls.; heavy, with dull trading; sales 12,500 bbls. Wheat—Receipts 41,200 bush; exports 169,400 bush.; spot shade lower; options opened firm, and advanced ½c to ¾c, later weakened and declined ½c to ¾c, closing steady; sales 3,512,000 bush future, 259,000 bush spot; No. 2 red 92½c elevator, No. 1 red 95c, No. 1 white 92½c to 93c elevator, No. 2 red Jan. 91½c to 91¾c, Feb. 91½c to 92½c, March 92½c to 93½c, May 95 5-16c to 96 1-16c. Corn—Receipts 9000 bush; cash firm, quiet; options opened shade lower, closing trifle better; exports 68,300 bush; sales 512,000 bush future, 84,000 bush spot; No. 2 48½c to 49c delivered, No. 2 Jan. 47¾c, Feb. 47½c to 48c, May 50c to 50½c. Oats—Receipts 23,600 bush, ½c to ¼c lower; sales 210,000 bush future, 112,000 bush spot, No. 2 35c to 35½c, mixed western 36c to 37c, white do. 38c to 42c, No. 2 Jan. 35½c to 35¾c, Feb. 35½c to 35¾c, May 36½c to 36¾c. Sugar quiet; refining 4 9-16c to 4 11-16c, standard "A" 5 7-16c to 5½c, cut loaf and crushed 6⅛c, powdered 6c to 6¼c, granulated 5¾c.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Wheat was nervous and unsettled to-day, with a lower tendency. Corn and oats weak and lower. Pork opened 2½c to 5c higher, fell off 15c to 17½c, rallied 20c to 25c, and closed at yesterday's figures. The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Jan. 77½c, Feb. 77½c, May 81½c. Corn—Jan. and Feb. 35¾c, May 40¼c. Oats—Jan. and Feb. 25¼c, May 30½c. Pork—Jan. and Feb. $12.07½, May $12.32½. Lard—Jan. and Feb. $6.45, May $6.67½. Cash quotations: Flour dull and unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat 77½c, No. 2 red 78½c. No. 2 corn 35½c No. 2 oats 25½c to 24c. Pork $12.07½. Lard $6.45. Short rib sides $6.15 to $6.17½. Dry salted shoulders $4.90 to $4.95. Short clear sides $6.50 to $6.55. Receipts—Flour 15,000 brls, wheat 15,000 bush, corn 56,000 bush, oats 58,000 bush, rye none, barley 24,000 bush. Shipments—Flour 22,000 brls, wheat 4000 bush, corn 35,000 bush, oats 53,000 bush, rye 1000 bush, barley 15,000 bush.

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W. C. VAN HORNE,
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January 5th, 1887. 5135135

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Editor World: Should The World reach Chatham on the same day as published?
C. E. W.

Detroit, 352,000; Toronto, 120,000.

Editor World: Please give the population of Detroit and Toronto. SUBSCRIBER.

P. Lesueur, Ottawa.

Editor World: I am desirous of passing the Civil Service examination, but do not know list of studies required, or to whom to write for a curriculum. Who is the proper person to whom to apply for the information. STUDENT.

They Are Separate and Distinct Regiments.

Editor World: Will you kindly inform me if there are two cavalry regiments in the British service, one known as the 2nd Dragoon Guards and the other as the 2nd Life Guards, or are they one and the same regiment?
LADY READER.

About 30,000.

Editor World: You did not understand my question. I did not want to know how many votes were polled for mayor. I want to know how many votes are on the voters' lists for municipal elections for Toronto. TOM SAYERS.

About Returning Officers.

Editor World: (1) Who is the returning officer for the Dominion? (2) Who appoints the deputy returning officers? ENQUIRER.

[(1) Mr. Richard Pope, Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Ottawa. (2) The returning officer for the electoral division, who is appointed by the Government.]

A Catch Bet.

Editor World: A bets B he can buy American quarters in Canada for 12 and 13 cents. Does not A win the bet? A claims 12 and 13 cents is equivalent to 25 cents. How is it?
Suspension Bridge, Jan. 13. C. J. R.

[This looks like a catch bet. Of course A can buy U. S. quarters for 12 and 13 cents added together, or 25 cents. And in the same way 12 and 13 cents, or 12 plus 13 cents, is equivalent to 25 cents.]

Precis Writing.

Editor World: Kindly let me know what "precis writing" is. It is a subject in the Civil Service examinations. J. S.

[Precis means a summary or digest. For instance, a Deputy Minister passes a file of letters to a clerk and says: "Give me the substance in brief of these communications in proper sequence, and without the omission of any important point," or something to that effect. It requires the exercise of judgment to make a good precis.]

Arithmetic and Business.

Editor World: In order to get a fair situation how far is it necessary to go in arithmetic or have you to go through the book.
LITTLE SCHOOLING.

[For a trade a thorough knowledge is necessary of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, and a few of the simpler problems, such as, "If 3 be added to 6 and the whole taken from 15, how many will be left?" For a business a thorough knowledge of all the intricacies of figures is essential to success. But in either case a great deal depends on one's own inherent ability and faculty of profiting by the lessons of every day life.]

A Good Use for the Drill Shed.

Editor World: I notice by your paper that there is a likelihood of the present drill shed being abandoned on account of its being too small. If this is so, I beg to suggest that this place, if fitted up, would make a good public gymnasium. Surely there are enough young men in Toronto to keep one public gymnasium going. J. T. T.
Toronto, Jan. 19.

The Riverdale Toboggan Slide.

Editor World: Was not the Riverdale Toboggan Slide only allowed to be erected by the city corporation on the understanding that it would be open to the public one night in the week? If so, what night is it open?
RAMBLER.

[It was a misunderstanding given currency through the papers that the slide would be open to the public one day in the week. When some of the members of the club were discussing the scheme with the Property Committee one of the aldermen remarked that he supposed they would give the boys a free slide about once a week. The matter went no farther, and as the membership fee is low the club does not feel called upon to open the slide free at any time.]

Prematurely Aged.

—Many a woman is robbed of those charms which the gentler sex value so highly, and made old before her time by functional irregularities. To such the bloom of youth may be restored by the use of a remedy which has stood the test of time and which to-day is acknowledged to be without an equal as a cure for all female weaknesses—Dr. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription." By all druggists.

The Bulgarians at Rome.

ROME, Jan. 19.—Prime Minister Depretis received the Bulgarian deputation to-day. He advised them to avoid giving offence to Russia, but said he must abstain from counselling them about Bulgaria's difficulties, which could all be easily surmounted, he thought, by the exercise of prudence and by endeavoring to abide by the terms of existing treaties.

—When the eyes become weak or the lids inflammed or sore, a disordered system or a scrofulous condition of the blood is indicated, for which Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best remedy. It invigorates and vitalizes the blood and expels all humors. d

—Ayer's Hair Vigor improves the beauty of the hair and promotes its growth. It prevents the accumulation of dandruff, cleanses the scalp and restores a natural color to gray hair. Have you received Ayer's Almanac for the new year?

On the Ear.

From the Boston Post.

I heard of a pathetic outgrowth of nervous sensibility yesterday. A professional man who lives at the West End, and who is not only a painfully self-conscious man, but also one given to observing things about him with great minuteness, has become so acutely susceptible to the essential ugliness of the human ear that he scarcely sees anything else in the people about him than their ears. To a physician, an expert in nervous affections, whom he was wise enough to consult, this gentleman told his story somewhat after this fashion: "It was as many as five or six years ago that the sight of a particularly hideous pair of ears, one of which had been slit in a ghastly manner in some accident or fight, set me to reflecting on the extraordinary caprice of Providence in setting in the most conspicuous place upon the head of its curious earthly achievement, such utterly absurd and unsightly contrivances as human ears. The ear is useful, no doubt, but might not an infinite ingenuity and an omnipotent choice have provided man with an auditory appliance less hideous than this convoluted excrescence? I was led to ask myself, is there any such thing as a beautiful human ear?

"I looked up all the passages in which the human ear is referred to, and found not only that such passages are extremely few, but that the beauty referred to—all the comparisons of delicate, pink-edged feminine to the translucent interiors of sea-shells and the like—are simply comparative. No poet ever thought, so far as I can find, of finding absolute beauty in the ear. It is only as a pendant or an accompaniment, less hideous than usual, to the beautiful head and face of a lovely woman that the actual ear itself, apart from the faculty of hearing, ever becomes tolerable in poetry.

"In art the ear is a thing to be dissembled; no realist was ever so unblushing as faithfully to paint the ear as it is. Photography reveals it in all its ugliness; but photography bears the same relation to art that the dissection of the body does to the love of humanity.

—Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup stands at the head of the list for all diseases of the throat and lungs. It acts like magic in breaking up a cold. A cough is soon subdued, tightness of the chest is relieved, even the worst case of consumption is relieved, while in recent cases it may be said never to fail. It is a medicine prepared from the active principles or virtues of several medicinal herbs, and can be depended upon for all pulmonary complaints.

The Pacific Railway Company have established a train service on the Algoma Branch, between Sudbury Junction and Algoma Mills.

—World's Best. West's Liver Pills, a sure cure for liver complaint, dyspepsia, sick headache and indigestion. 30 pills 25c. All druggists. ed

Robert J. Halle, a former resident of Chatham, is seeking a divorce from his wife in Chicago. Frank Rice of Chatham eloped with the woman to Cleveland, where they are now living.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

The Annual Meeting of the Grand Division at Brampton.

The annual convention of the Grand Division of Ontario Sons of Temperance was opened Tuesday in Brampton, with a large attendance of delegates from all parts of the province. The Grand Scribe reported that during the year 153 divisions reported, and the number of members reported was 7217. The aggregate of the year's work is as follows:

Number of new members admitted	3580
Number of members reinstated	169
Number of members withdrawn	991
Number of members suspended	934
Number expelled for violation of the pledge	109
Number expelled for other causes	215
Number died	34
Number violated the pledge	131

The G. W. Treasurer's report states that the total cash receipts of the year, including $115 from the National Division for propagation purposes, was $1100, and the total payments $963, leaving a balance of cash in hand of $137. There are some outstanding accounts, however, of $594, which have to be met.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: G.W.P., Thos. Webster, of Paris, by acclamation; G.W.A., S. Holland, Bradford; G. Scribe, W. E. Bewell, Whitby; G.T., George M. Rose, Toronto, by acclamation; G. Chaplain, Rev. H. S. Matthews, Pickering; G.C., L. W. Tye, Brampton; G.S., J. S. Johnson, Kingston.

—There is danger in neglecting a cold. Many who have died of consumption dated their troubles from exposure, followed by a cold which settled on their lungs, and in a short time they were beyond the skill of the best physician. Had they used Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup before it was too late, their lives would have been spared. This medicine has no equal for curing coughs, colds and all affections of the throat and lungs.

A despatch from Berlin says the candidature of Prince George of Leuchtenberg for the Bulgarian throne is approved everywhere.

The men arrested at Cabercoulish, Ireland, for resisting the evictors, have been discharged.

—Worth its weight in gold. West's World's Wonder, the cheapest and best liniment in the world; cures more cases and goes farther than any other medicine. Rheumatics try it. 25 and 50c. All druggists. ed

The Fat Party's Hat.

From the Chicago Herald.

A fat man with a new plug hat was laughing merrily in the Northwestern depot yesterday afternoon. "Just beat this road from Milwaukee to Chicago," he said, with a roar. "I wanted to get to this town the worst way, but I didn't have a cent. It was too cold to steal a ride, so I made up my mind to get into the best car of the train and trust to luck. We had just got out of Bay View when a queer scheme struck me. Raising the window I ran my head out and began sniffing the cold air. My plug hat, which was not the best in the world, was for obvious reasons tilted on the back of my head. The conductor came down the aisle of the car. Never before did a ticket-puncher make such rapid progress. He flitted from seat to seat like a butterfly. Pretty soon I felt his hot breath on the back of my neck, and then I heard him yell, 'Ticket, please!' I was too much interested in the passing scenery to pay any attention to the hoarse, rasping voice. There was a moment of intense silence, during which my heart beat a loud accompaniment to the puffing of the engine, and then I felt the conductor's hand fall heavily upon my shoulder. The concussion was so great that my plug hat fell off into the snow. The conductor stood aghast when I withdrew my uncovered head and looked angrily into his pale face.

"'You've done it!' I exclaimed with a fierce air.

"'I didn't jostle your hat off, did I?' he asked.

"'That's what you did.'

"'But your ticket wasn't in it?'

"'Certainly.'

There was another moment of silence and then the conductor said:

"'I'm sorry, but you'll have to pay your fare.'

"'I have no more money,' I replied; 'my all was in that hat. Can't you stop the train?'

"'The tile is a mile behind us. It's against orders, but I'll let you through without additional charge. Next time keep your head in the car.'

"'But my hat,' I exclaimed with a bold air. 'I lost it through your rudeness and I must be indemnified.'

"'Indemnified nothing. There's no hat store on the train.'

"'But you have got to get me a hat just the same.'

"'Oh, I guess not.'

"'Well, I guess yes.'

"'What are you going to do about it?'

"'Report you to Marvin Hughitt,' I yelled, with defiant mien.

"'That's a chestnut. Go to sleep. I'll wake you up when we get to Chicago.'

"This is what I did, and when I woke up (the train was then passing Rose Hill Cemetery) I found this new tile on my head. You can see by the initials just above the sweatband that the hat belonged to the conductor. I didn't see him again during the rest of the trip, but I'll bet dollars to clam shells that that fellow would kick himself from here to Sturgeon Bay if he knew how beautifully he had been sold."

—M. A. St. Mars, St. Boniface, Manitoba, writes: Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is a public benefit. It has done wonders here, and has cured myself of a bad cold in one day. Can be relied upon to remove pain, heal sores of various kinds, and benefit any inflamed portion of the body to which it is applied.

The Irish police are watching Mr. O'Brien very closely, expecting him to proceed with the plan of campaign.

The recent elections in Greece give the Government a majority of 100.

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During the strong wind Tuesday afternoon two children of Mr. P. Gallagher, Division-street, St. Catharines, were entering their house, when the eave-trough, which was filled with ice, fell and broke the leg of the little girl, 4 years old.

—Thos. Sabin of Eglinton says, "I have removed ten corns from my feet with Holloway's Corn Cure." Reader, go thou and do likewise.

The Health Inspector of St. Thomas has requested the trustees of Grace, Methodist and St. John churches to close their Sabbath schools until diphtheria abates. The Separate School has also been closed.

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The Pigeon Shoot at St. Kitts—Letter in Vindication of Decker—Montreal Chess Tournament—Ice Racing at Newcastle.

The thoroughbreds wintering in Toronto are all looking well, and some of them can be seen any day exercising in Queen's Park.

W. E. Owens' string, consisting of Lelex, George L., Felix, Bonnie Duke and Baffle, are doing trotting exercise on the snow under the watchful eye of Billy. The first three are stabled in the rear of the Owens' mansion, Adelaide-street west. Old Lelex is acting like a 2-year-old, and is in good condition. He will likely be seen in the hunting field this spring and may perform between the flags during the summer. George L., the bold son of Vigil, looks remarkably well; he is big and strong, and should give a good account of himself before another twelve month. Felix, the grey sprinter, was in rather hard luck last season. After the Jockey Club meeting here in July he went to Saratoga, where he took sick and was let up in his work. After recovering he was brought back to Toronto, where he has remained ever since. He has gained a considerable amount of flesh this winter, and, barring accidents, he will prove a hard one to beat this year. Bonnie Duke and Baffle are stabled at Bond's. The favorite for last year's Plate has improved wonderfully and is a fine looking colt. Under Owens' care and owned by Lucky Bond of Blanton fame he will be a dangerous one in the Plate. Baffle, by Bill Bruce out of Goldfinch, is a promising 3-year-old. He was first trained last fall and shown to be very fast. His owner will not race him for another year.

Harry Cooper, who was purchased at the sale of the late John Forbes by "The Chemist," is wintering at Gates' livery stable, Nelson-street, and is at present under the care of Allie Gates. This colt has gained considerably in flesh since he came from Woodstock. He resembles the old horse Long Taw very much in looks and as John Halligan would say, "He is as game as a peach." If this colt falls into good hands he will give his opponents an argument for the Guineas.

Mr. A. Shield's stable of horses are wintering out his farm at Davenport. The veteran steeplechaser Repeater heads the list. It will be remembered he went amiss while undergoing preparation for the Grand National Steeplechase at Rockaway last spring, which was the commencement of the ill-luck that stuck to Mr. Shields throughout the season. Repeater's enlargement in the leg has disappeared and he looks as well as ever. Mr. Shields will probably send him to Rockaway with the rest of the string. Braewood, another unfortunate who disabled himself while racing at Brighton Beach last summer, is roughing it. Although he has not had the care that the others receive he is in good health and strong. Mr. Shields does not spare the oats and intends to have them capable of handling the cross country weights. Unlucky Cyclone is as full of his tricks as ever. It can truly be said that he never looked better. He will be a representative of the Toronto Hunt at the Rockaway meeting in May. Blizzard is doing general purpose work in the city and will not be seen on the turf till later on in the season. At present the horses are being driven but as soon as the snow disappears Mr. Shields will have them at work under the saddle. They will go to Rockaway in April.

The Wellington Stable has dwindled down to Willie W. and Blanton. Both had been doing gentle exercise in harness until lately, when they were laid up for repairs, Willie W. having a light blister applied to him and Blanton receiving the firing iron. They will no doubt represent Mr. Nixon at the Spring meeting here.

Charlie Phair's cross country performer, Bob Lookwood, is stabled at Gates' race course along with the unreliable Williams. Both horses are looking well and will commence slow work next week.

Charlie Butler dropped into town yesterday and reports his charges all doing well, with the exception of Moss Rose, who received a severe kick some time ago, but is now doing nicely. Charlie says if she comes all right to the postpone Guineas will again go to Milton. The remainder of the stock comprises Wild Rose, Augusta, D.W.C., Trustee and Sir Charles. As a lot no horses have wintered better in Canada. Augusta and D.W.C. are candidates for the Plate. The former Charlie puts great faith in. Trustee and Sir Charles will likely perform over the timber.

The stable of which Mr. D. W. Campbell is proprietor, is wintering on his farm at Bronte.

Mr. Wilson of Brampton is said to have a dark one for the Plate in Trapper, a 3-year-old by Long Taw out of Evelyn Carter. Jonathan says they won't all beat him.

The Veterinary College is represented for the Plate by Inspire, and, if breeding goes for anything, he should not be far out in the coming contest. He looks big and strong, and should be train up to form he may surprise some of the knowing ones.

Mr. Wm. Hendrie's lot, seventeen in number, are stabled at his farm near Hamilton. They are composed of 2 and 3-year-olds, and are reported all in good health and doing well.

The season promises to be a most brilliant one for the thoroughbreds in Canada. Commencing with the Ontario Jockey Club meeting in May, and closely followed by Hamilton, London, Ottawa, Montreal and Glen Grove, the Canadian horsemen should be kept busy this year.

A Letter in Vindication of Decker.

Correspondents of some sporting papers have been freely accusing Decker, Toronto's new catcher, of all manner of tricks and frauds on baseball managers to raise the wind. While anonymous charges carry little or no weight, they are at the same time exceedingly annoying to the party accused. Decker is tired of seeing and hearing his name thus bandied about, and writes that unless the papers in question let up, he will make it hot for them. The writer of the appended letter in vindication of Decker will be recognized as a former well known Torontonian:

CHICAGO, JANUARY 11, 1887—*C. H. Cushman, Esq.*—DEAR SIR: Being in a position to deny the charges brought against Mr. E. H. Decker in the papers, I think it only fair to that gentleman to do so, and to characterize them as being without foundation. Mr. Decker has roomed at the Douglas House almost continuously since his arrival from Washington, and as clerk I have seen and spoken to him daily. His hours were most regular, and at all times his bearing was that of a gentleman. I might add that I superintend the delivery of the mail to the guests, and at no time has Mr. Decker received any matter except such as was addressed "E. H. Decker."

Very truly, SAM E. PETTIGREW, Clerk Douglas House.

The Montreal Chess Tournament.

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—At the Canadian Chess Association tournament the following games were played to-day: N. M. McLeod won from J. P. Cooke; C. P. Champion won from J. Wright; McLeod won from Wright; J. Barry won from J. A. Robertson; Champion won from McLeod; Hurlbert won from Champion; McLeod won from Hurlbert; Champion won from R. Short; Robertson won from Wright; G. Barry won from Hurlbert.

The score up to the present is: J. B Hurlbert won 2 lost 3; C. P. Champion won 3 lost 4; N. M. McLeod won 5 lost 3; W. H. Hicks won 2 lost 1; J. Wright won 2 lost 3; J. S. Cooke won 1½ lost 3; G. Barry won 4 lost 1; J. A. Robertson won 1½ lost 2; Robt. Short won 1 lost 1.

Blackbird Sweeps at Eglinton.

Several sweepstakes were shot at blackbirds at Eglinton yesterday. The first three sweeps were at nine birds and there were two at six birds each. There were two prizes in each event.

Sweep 1: N. McDowall 6, G. Carruthers 5, C. Duncan 4, I. Baillie 3, T. Loudon 2.

Sweep 2: Carruthers 7, Duncan 6, Loudon 5, McDowall 5, Baillie 4.

Sweep 3: Duncan 7, Loudon 6, Carruthers 5, Baillie 4, McDowall 3.

Sweep 4: Loudon 5, McDowall 5, Carruthers 4, Baillie 3, Duncan 3. Loudon beat McDowall in the shoot off.

Sweep 5: Carruthers 6, McDowall 4, Baillie 4, Duncan 3. McDowall defeated Baillie in the shoot off.

The Pigeon Shoot at St. Kitts.

ST. CATHARINES, Jan. 20.—The following is the result of the second day's shoot for the sweepstakes of $300:

Fourth squad: Dalton, 9; Woodruff, 4 retired; D. J. Beldon, Toronto, 10; J. Gibson, St. Catharines, 2 retired; E. George, Niagara Falls, 3 retired; J. Swartz, Buffalo, 3 retired.

Fifth squad: J. Weyper, Buffalo, 7 retired; J. Koch, Buffalo, 4 retired; B. Tolsman, Buffalo, 4 retired; J. Thomson, 2 retired; George Rogers, St. Catharines, 9; H. Clatterbuck, St. Catharines, 6 retired.

Sixth squad: R. Stroud, Hamilton, 7 retired; D. West, St. Catharines, 1 retired; J. Smith, Pt. Colborne, 3 retired; A. Jackson, Buffalo, retired.

This ended the squad shooting, and then began the clearing of ties. For first place, J. E. Stroud, Hamilton; C. Forsyth, Dundas; and J. Clark, Buffalo, each of whom scored 11 yesterday, tried conclusions, with this result: Stroud 3, Forsyth 3, Clark 2. Forsyth defeated Stroud for first. The first three prizes were awarded: Forsyth first, Stroud second, Clark third. W. Stroud, Hamilton; Hutchinson, Syracuse; and Belden, Toronto, divided for fourth, fifth and sixth prizes.

Toronto Flyers at Newcastle.

NEWCASTLE, Jan. 20.—Two thousand people witnessed the second day's races on the ice.

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COLT RACE.

Dolly Wilson	1	1	1
Sam Jones	2	3	2
Rex	3	2	3

Best time 2.53.

Yes.

Editor World: Is Dunlap, the second baseman, still a member of the Detroit Club? J. P.

General Notes.

They play lacrosse on roller skates at Boston.

Connemara is rapidly recovering from her attack of lung fever.

Frank O'Sullivan, an old time lacrosse player, died at his home in Montreal Tuesday.

"Dickie" Pearce, the veteran ball player, wants an International League umpireship.

Just before the fight Harry Gilmore offered to bet Jack McAuliffe $500 that he would defeat him.

Mr. Abbot Bassett of Boston has been elected Secretary-editor of the League of American Wheelmen.

The trotting horse owned by Thos. Kaid of Jarvis, Ont., was sold last week to a gentleman from Michigan for $3500.

Free Press: Three rinks of the Toronto Curling Club will visit London on Friday to compete for the Col. Walker medal.

In his tax declaration Frank Harper of Lexington the other day assessed Ten Broeck and Longfellow at only $2500 each.

Wm. MacFarland of Detroit challenges any curler to a match for $500 a side, to take place any time this month at Detroit.

Prof. Arthur Clampatt, the Australian natator, is now in America, and is willing to open negotiations to swim any one for the championship.

The Montreal Hunt Club has elected Mr. Hugh Paton Master, in place of Mr. Baumgarten who retires on account of pressure of business.

Marr Phillips, Hamilton's new short stop, has arrived there. He brought his wife along, and intends to go into the housekeeping business at once.

William Marshall of Kingston skated John Kelly of Renfrew five miles on an ice rink at Renfrew Monday night. Marshall won by half a mile.

The London Driving Club turned out with twenty-five sleighs Wednesday, led by a four-in-hand, and created quite a sensation in the Forest City.

The match Sam Bittle had arranged with Gallagher, at Cleveland, with hard gloves, is off, Gallagher having failed to put up the requisite forfeit money.

Since signing with Eau Claire Dillon, who played with the Maple Leafs last year, has received an offer from the Nashville, Tenn., Club for next season.

President Robertson of the Cleveland Club is negotiating for Morrison, one of the new pitchers of the Metropolitan club. Morrison pitched for Hamilton last year.

F. A. Campbell, V.S., has sold his gallant charger Dancing Master to Harold Smith of the Kentucky stables. It is thought that Mr. Smith has found a purchaser for him in Montreal.

Sweeney, the well-known pitcher of the Providence Club, has been signed by the Clevelands, and the latter club is greatly strengthened thereby. He will cover first base, as his arm will not permit of his pitching.

Mr. W. L. Scott's pair Charity and Florence Fouso joined J. H. McCormick's string at Brighton Beach a few days ago. McCormick will train both fillies next season with a number of 2-year-olds for Mr. Scott.

The Eastern League is now composed of Hartford, Waterbury, Bridgeport, Newburg and Danbury. Kingston and New Britain have applied for membership, and it is probable that Poughkeepsie will make the eighth club.

A New York despatch says that C. H. Cole, owner of the yacht Dauntless, has accepted the challenge of Capt. Bush, owner of the Coronet, for a race across the ocean to Queenstown next March for a wager of $10,000.

The Park Baseball Club at Kingston will be reorganized. It is understood at present that C. McConville will succeed Jas. Little, who has joined the Lowyllies, as first baseman, and that Walker will be placed on second.

The Capital Lacrosse Club of Ottawa will place another strong team in the field next summer. The officers of the club, it is said, have received offers from crack players who are desirous of living in Ottawa next season.

New York Sun: Fred Lewis was one of the greatest batters and fielders in the Association, but when Cincinnati let him go because of his bad habits no other association club would have him. He has signed to play with Rochester.

The Quebec Turf Club has elected these gentlemen stewards: James P. Dawes, Dr. Craik, Lieut.-Col. Ouimet, M.P., Hon. M. H. Cochrane, James O'Brien, Hugh Paton, Duncan McIntyre, Chas. Cassils, Hugh A. Allan, Hector Mackenzie.

Among the high scores that have been made by Shaw's team and their opponents in Australia are: Horan, 117; Barnes, 109 and 84; Shrewsbury, 100; Barlow, 86; Houston, 68; McShane, 65 and 42; Morris, 54; Flowers, 52; Gunn, 47, and Lyons, 43.

Secretary White has approved of the following contracts: Toronto with Pitcher Ed. Crane, late in this country, is open to serious objections. The great Colonies of Australasia and the Dominion of Canada are doing more to strengthen the Empire by developing the great fields for emigration that they possess than this building up powerful British communities, and expanding the trade of this country, than any direct contribution to the support of the army or navy would effect. Nor must it be forgotten that we annually expend large sums of public money in training and equipping a large defensive force, which would be placed at the service of the Empire whenever and wherever the necessity should arise.

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onds. There is a small hill at the foot of the slide near Yonge-street. A small boy being on the north side and seeing the toboggan coming ran across to the south side. The quartet struck the hill with such force that their toboggan shot through the air, went over the boy's head and continued on to the street, the distance it covered in the jump being 31 feet.

At last some definite information has been received regarding the course of the English ocean race in honor of the Queen's jubilee for a prize of one thousand guineas, offered by the Royal Thames Yacht Club, and it is now in order for American yachtsmen who propose to honor the occasion to begin making preparations for the event. The race will be sailed early in June over a course extending over two thousand miles around the United Kingdom, starting from the Thames and keeping Great Britain and Ireland on the port side and finishing in the English Channel opposite Dover.

According to the London Sportsman the Municipal Council of Paris has passed a vote for 50,000f. ($10,000) for the Grand Prix, a grant which the council, generally speaking, is greatly inclined to reject. As a set-off, however, against this more than usual favor, Citizen Joffin proposed to let the bookmakers an inclosure at Longchamps for 600,000f. ($120,000). He made a statement to the effect that some unauthorized person or persons levied taxes on the bookmakers, which, he said, belonged to the city. After a prolonged discussion a modified proposal was made by M. Humbert that the inclosure should be let to the bookmakers by the city, and this was referred to the Budget Committee. The bookmaker is evidently to be made to pay pretty highly for the privilege of betting his money against other people's. In England the prospects of the poor bookie do not seem much better, for there the members of the fraternity are to be charged an income tax on their winnings.

CONVENTION OF EDUCATORS.

The Young Teachers of South York Receive Some Educational Pointers.

The teachers of South York opened their first half-yearly convention in the Parkdale County Model School yesterday. About 120 teachers were present besides a number of school trustees and others interested in education. Membership in the Teachers' Institute and attendance at its half-yearly meetings are made compulsory by the Education Department, so that young teachers may be encouraged and stimulated in their work. Dr. McLellan was appointed some time ago by the Government as director of these institutes. He has made the training of the mind a life study, and in addressing teachers he speaks in an easy, conversational manner, and always presents to them the possibility and grandeur of the human intellect. His subject yesterday was "The Art of Questioning," and he showed that the first thing the teacher must do is to cause the children to think. Their interest and sympathy must be excited. An important point was to teach children to express themselves in appropriate language, for as words were useless without thoughts, so thoughts were useless without words.

The convention opened at 10 o'clock and was presided over by the Inspector of South York, Mr. David Fotheringham. He urged the teachers to make themselves at home, take notes and be sociable with each other. Mr. J. A. Wismer welcomed them to Parkdale.

The program carried out during the day was as follows: Mr. R. H. Sampson of Eglinton—Lesson in Reading, Second Book Class. Mr. J. Hand of Stouffville—Exactness in the Schoolroom. Dr. McLellan—The Art of Questioning. Mr. R. W. Hicks—Lesson in Writing, Fourth Book Class. Mr. R. Cowling of Davenport—Uniform Promotion Examinations. Most of the gentlemen explained their views by means of classes of children, and the different points were afterwards discussed by the teachers. Miss L. K. Curtis of Parkdale explained her system of teaching phonetic reading to beginners, and it was admitted to be far superior to the old method. A number of children from Mr. Hicks' class enlivened proceedings by singing several times during the day. A discussion took place as to the advisability of forming a branch of the Ontario Educational Society (the object of which is to elevate the standard of the teaching profession), but it was thought best to leave the matter over until the next convention.

In the evening Dr. McLellan delivered a lecture in the concert room of the school on "National Education." As it was open to the public, there was a good attendance of enlightened Parkdalians, who thoroughly appreciated the lecture.

The convention will resume business at 9 o'clock this morning, and it is expected will get through about 5.

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AGAINST IMPERIAL FEDERATION.

Sir Charles Tupper Declares the Scheme to be Impracticable and Visionary.

Imperial Federation of January 1 contains the following letter from Canada's High Commissioner:

9, VICTORIA CHAMBERS, LONDON, S.W. Dec. 3, 1886.

MY DEAR SIR: In reply to your letter, I beg to say that you are quite right in supposing that I take great interest in the movement advocated by the Federation League. I fear, however, that it will not be in my power to comply with your request that I should write an article on that subject for your January number. As the High Commissioner for Canada, I am unable to speak with any authority, except where I can do so with the sanction of my Government; and, as you are aware, it has never taken any action upon this subject for my guidance.

I have given this important question a great deal of consideration. It is beset with much difficulty, which I hope may not prove insuperable. I confess I do not see any probability of a Parliamentary Federation in our day, as it seems to involve the creation of a supreme Parliament over the present Houses of Lords and Commons, and what would be almost equally impracticable, the cession of some portion of the powers of self-government by the autonomous Colonies.

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Jackson Forth, the Herb Man.

From the Hamilton Spectator.

Old Jackson Forth, alias Dr. Jackson, will be seen around this city no more, he is dead. On Tuesday his body was found hanging in his own house in Welland. He had been dead long enough to be frozen through. It is but a short time since he was in this city, and the last time he was here he was arrested for drunkenness and sent to jail—where he had been many times before—for a term. Some years ago he was one of the most powerful negroes in this part of the country, and gave the police a good deal of trouble when he got too much to drink. He was known by his two satchels which he invariably carried across his shoulder. The satchels appeared as old as himself, and it was seldom that any one but himself got a peep into them. One always contained a stock of roots and herbs with which the "doctor," as he styled himself, professed to be able to cure all manner of diseases. The other satchel contained a book of testimonials from people all over the country, who had been cured of long-standing diseases by one treatment of the herb cure. There was a striking similarity in the hand-writing of all these testimonials, and Forth was always alluded to in them as "Dr. Jackson, M.D." Within the last five or six years Forth's great strength left him, and he became quite old-looking and feeble. Some years ago he lived in this city in a caravan in the west end. His place was burned down and he was forced to leave there. While living here he tried to commit suicide, and came very near doing it by cutting his throat.

No Prayers for the Politicians.

From the Week, Jan. 20.

At the Evangelical Association, of which he has been deservedly elected President, Mr. Mowat complained that while there were special prayers for all other conditions of men there were none for the poor politician. But, suppose the prayers were offered and were heard; suppose, through the operation of divine grace, an end were put to corruption, jobbing, gerrymandering, boycotting, pipe-laying, and all the other tricks of the trade, what would remain of the politician? The idea of Sir John Macdonald and Mr. Mowat suddenly reduced, as the effect of prayer, to a state of primitive innocence, quite overpowers the imagination.

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MARRIAGES.

JAMES—CROSSEN—On Tuesday, 18th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Cedar Hedge, Cobourg, by the Rev. Prof. Raynar of Victoria University, Charles C. James, M.A., Professor of Chemistry, Agricultural College, Guelph, to Fannie, third daughter of James Crossen, Esq. 135

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