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Commissioners.

Mr. Mercier Replies to the Lieu-

tenant-Governor.

The Nationalists Prepared for an Ap-

peal to the Country.

THE NATIONALISTS PREPARED.

QUEBEC, Dec. 17.—The Nationalists are mot unprepared. They have taken Mr. Angers at his word, and they will reserve a discussion of his action till they go to the country. They have already their candidates selected and their organization is in a fair way of completion. The dismissal was not unexpected, and already a large amount of campaign literature is in the hands of the county members. The news was received too late for any concerted action, and indeed at a later hour some doubt is cast upon the report of dismissal, and those who profess to know say that the Lieutenant-Governor merely transmitted a copy of the report to Mr. Mercier.

GOVERNOR ANGER'S SOMERSAULT.

Since the Letellier affair, in which Mr. Angers was one of the Ministers sent about their business (says the Globe), it has almost come to be regarded as sound doctrine for the representative of the Crown to seize the first excuse at hand for getting rid by his own mere ipse dixt of constitutional advisers who happen to be opposed to him in a politics. The Letellier coup d'etat and the present one bear an unpleasant resembfance to the goings on in Latin America countries, where the people have not yet learnt how to "run" free institutions. It is very unfortunate for Quebec that it should be so.

The Letellier crisis, as it was called, emtered an acute stage on Feb. 25, 1878, when the Governor, an old-time Liberal, y rote a note to his Tory Premier complaining of certain acts of the Administration. It culminated on March I, when, after a reply from Mr. De Boucherville, the O overnor summed up his grievances against five Government, which had a large majority in both Houses of the Legislature. He drew attention to the enormous outlays, which he deemed out of keeping with sound thance: to the attempt of Ministers to con-

Quebec Press.

Anger's Action

tion of the Lieutenant-Governor, the National party's born enemy and that they had to help him in concluding his scheme? Who can explain the indelicacy of these two men, who, forgetul of the duty imposed on them by the dignity of the magistrate's office, and forgetul of the laws of Judge Jette should have inspired them, came in a hurry to share a responsibility of which the illness of Judge Jette should have inspired them, came in a hurry to share a responsibility of which the Lieutenant-Governor was too much of a coward to accomplish, what would it matter to them whether the report was finished yeaterday or in two weeks? If they were not the willing instruments of the Lieutenant-Governor, and if their judgment was one which in their intention should be scaled with impartiality, why did they display such haste in preparing it? It remains with the Province to inflict on the culprit of Spencerwood and on the low ambitions that inspired him the Province to inflict on the compited against our constitution. In democratic countries like ours the supreme jury, the tribunal from which there is no expeal, is the people, whom we ask to remain despite the many provocations in placed before them. It is the people whom we ask to average its oursged dignity and to sattle down firmly on its base the oscillating constitution. In the comment in political circles at the attitude of the Quebec Chronicle towards De Boucherville, who has been called to form the new Quebec Ministry. The Chronicle is well-known to be ablied to Caron, and its opposition to the new Premier, who is a personal friends of the Minister of Militia, is unexplicable.

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enza, has been stricken with the disease.

The Archduchess Maria Valeria, the youngest daughter of the Emperor of Austria, who was married July 31, 1890, to Franz Salvator, Archduke of Austria-Tuscany, and who expects to be confined in February, is prostrated with the disease.

Berlin, Dec. 17.—The Prince of Meiningen and his wife and daughter, Count Eulenberg and other members of the aristocracy are suffering from influenza. Official State statistics show an increase in the number of cases of the disease, espe-MR. MERCIPES REPLY.

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against the action of his Honor, alleging he against the action of his ionor, alleging he has taken upon himself the responsibility of dismissing his Ministry before having received a complete report of the commission imposed on the Government or himself. Lieut. Gov. Angers so far has refused to let the documents be published. The new Ministry will decide whether or not the papers will be made public. the number of cases of the disease, espe-

cially in East Prussia.

Privy Councilor Loper, a noted German savant, who had been ill with influenza, is

Shot at the Man Who Killed Her and Her Companions—Details of the East Florida Tragedy.

New Smyrna, Fla., Dec. 17.—Miss.

London, Dec. 17.—A number of the British soldiers in garrison at Gibraltar are in the hospital suddering from the disease, and many others have been attacked with a milder form of the epidemic.

the Government, which had a large majority in both Houses of the Legislature. He drew attention to the enormous outlays, which he deemed out of keeping with sound finance; to the attempt of Ministers to concreal the true state of things from him; to their conduct in proposing important measures (one for levying new taxes) in the Legislature without having previously submitted them for his approval; and declared that he could no longer retain them in office. Mr. De Boucherville thereupon made way for Mr. Joly, a Liberal. Mr. Angers, now Governor, induced the Assembly to pass the following resolution: "That the dismissal from office of the Decentral the declaration of the liberties and will of the people."

In the House of Commons, Sir John Macdonald, then in Opposition, moved in amendment to a motion of Supply: "The declaration of the door and received no reply. Then

days belong exclusively to the representatives of the people.

Mr. Tarte, who knows the good and the seamy side of Quebec Toryism as well as the next man, hints that Governor Robitaille, the Tory politician who succeeded Mr. Letellier, did his best to make things uncomfortable for the Joly Administration, and aided in bringing about its defeat by Mr. Chaplean. The murderer shot her through the right check. Another struggle for the possession of the gun must have taken place before death came. The murderer evidently tore it from her grasp, and swinging it around his head, clutching the barrels drove the stock against her face. The blow crushed her skull. Then he stabbed her in the threat

Chapleau.

JUDGE JETTE'S LETTER.

QUEBEC, Dec. 17.—Hon. Mr. Mercier sent a memo to Hon. Lieut. Gov. Angers this morning asking his Honor to give him the letter or a copy of the letter addressed to the Lieutenant-Governor by Judge Jette. The Lieutenant-Governor rafused to give either, as he considered Judge Jette's letter personal. Mr. Mercier's answer to the Lieutenant-Governor is not yet realy. AN ACT OF CONSPIRACY.

The members of the ex-Cabinet are holding a council at Mr. Mercier's residence and are discussing the answer clause by clause very carefully. The opinion prevails here that Mr. Mercier will not accept his dismissal unless a unanimous report is arrived at, and that he is inclined to treat the Government's intervention as an act of conspiracy against his Colinia. conspiracy against his Cabinet.

conspiracy against his Cabinet.

THE NEW PREMIER.

Hen. Mr. De Boucherville arrived at the St. Louis at 12 o'clock. He positively refused to give any information. It is said on good authority that he drove to Spemcerwood, the official residence of the Lieutenant-General, leaving the train at the C. P. R. station at 10 o'clock this morning.

QUEBEC PRESS COMMENTS.

QUEBEC, Dec. 18.—Le Elocteur, in anouncing the dismissal of Mr. Mercier, ays: "The Federal officer whom we call the Government of the Covernment of th Le Governor, trampling under foot the constitution, obeying an order from his master at Ottawa, pursuing a vengemee tweive years old, dismissed from power yesterday the advisers which the Province had given him. He has thus upset all constitutional motions and replaced by fife tyrannical government of one man the general movement which we want to be a support which we want to be a support which was the property which we want to be a support when the support when the support we want to be a support when the support we want to be a support when the support we want to be a support when the support we want to be a support when the support we want to be a support when the support we want to be a support when the support we want to be a support when the support we want to be a support when the support we want to be a support when eral movement which expresses itself by the vote of its members. It is only on the strength of Judges Baby and Davidson's rebort that the Lieutenant-Governor has dismissed his Ministers. What caused the precipitation of these two commissioners? Did they believe that they were the delega-

New SMYRNA, Fla., Dec. 17.—Miss Adeline Hamilton Bruce, who, with Mrs. Hatch and two children, was murdered in the residence of Frank J. Packwood, near

possess, and is a violation of the liberties and will of the people."

In the House of Commons, Sir John Macdonald, then in Opposition, moved in amendment to a motion of Supply: "That Mr. Speaker do not leave the chair, but that it be resolved that the recent dismissal by the Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec of his Ministers was unwise and subversive of the principles of constitutional government." In his speech in support of this resolution Sir John referred to a number of asses in order to show in the words of Bagehot, which he quoted that "the power of dismissal has almost, if no quite, dropped out of the reality of our constitution."

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Mr. Angers came upon the scene again as the signer of a petition addressed to the Governor-in-Council at Ottawa praying for Mr. Letellier's removal. Ultimately, Sir John having carried the Dominion elections of 1878, this prayer was answered and the Governor dismissed as a waxning to others against usurping functions which in these days belong exclusively to the representatives of the people.

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her skull. Then he stabbed her in the throat.

A search was begun at once for the murderer. The sheriff, with nearly 200-men scoured the country from Saturday night till Tuesday noon without success, and the search is being given up.

All the victims were dressed. Necessary household work had been left undone. In the kitchen a batch of yeast bread stood in a pan near the stove, still rising. A ham, half cooked, stood in a pot of water, and everything betokened household preparations for Sunday.

Two Steamers Wrecked. LONDON, Dec. 17.—Advices from Swatow state that the British steamer Yunnan has been wrecked and that her cargo has been lost. The British steamer Tongshan, while endeavoring to assist the Yunnan, went ashore, and will probably be a total loss. No lives were lost.

English Comment on Mr. Mowat's

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rnsh them to a premature solution. Articles known to medical science are used in preparing Hood's Sarsaparilla. Every ingredient is carefully selected, personally examined, and only the best retained. The medicine is prepared under the supervision of thorougly competent pharmacists, and ever step in the process of manufacture is carefully watched with a view to securing in Hood's Sarsaparilla the best possible results. The Purest and Best

MEN OF THE HOUR.

Reciprocity Between the United States Reciprocity Between the United States and the West Indies.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Department of State furnishes the following: For the past two or three weeks negotiations have been in progress between the Department of State and the British Legation, assisted by commissioners from Jamaica, Barbadoes, British Guiana and other colonies, with a right of reciprocity arrange.

by commissioners from Jamaica, Barbadoes, British Guiana and other colonies, with a view of reciprocity arrangements between the United States and the British Indies, based upon section 3 of the tariff act. The last of the commissioners—those from Jamaica—left the city yesterday, and it is understood that a satishatory arrangement has been agreed upon to embrace Jamaica, Barbadoes, the Windward and the Leeward islands, Trinidad and British Guiana. In return for continued free introduction of sugar and coffee into the United States it has been agreed with the colonies named not only to new names to the list and struck off 50. city yesterday, and it is understood that a satisfactory arrangement has been agreed upon to embrace Jamaica, Barbadoes, the Windward and the Leeward islands, Trinidad and British Guiana. In return for continued free introduction of sugar and coffee into the United States it has been agreed by the colonies named not only to greatly enlarge the free list of tariff, but also to make very considerable reductions in the duty on the leading agricultural and other products of the United States. It is expected that the official proclamation on the subject will be published before Jan. I.

Following is a brief statement of the value of imports and exports of the countries during the past year: Imports from British West Indies, \$14,800,000; imports from British Guiana, \$4,320,000; exports to British West Indies, \$6,100,000.

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New York, Dec. 17.—A Washington dispatch says: President Harrison has decided to exercise the power vested in him, and issue a proclamation restoring the duties on sugar, coffee, tea and molasses from the countries that have not negotiated reciprocity treaties with our Government.

The countries that will not be included in The countries that will not be included in the proclamation are Brazil, Cuba, Porto Rico, San Domingo, and the British West E. A. D. Morgan, advocate, of Sorel, was findies. The German reciprocity treaty has not been ratified yet, and cannot be until it comes before the German Reich WALKERTON, Ont., Dec. 17.—The trial of the protest against the election of Dr. Landerkin as member of Parliament for South Grey closed here last night.

imported from Venticata Over 1,000,000 pounds of coffee free, but after Jan. I a duty of 3 cents per pound will be added to all coffees imported from that country under the President's proclamation. This will practically shut off Venezuela's coffee trade with the States. The President's proosed action has created a sensation among

Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone in France. PARIS, Dec. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone and Mr. Morley arrived at Biarritz to-day. All the party are enjoying their usual

Senseless Smallpox Scare. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 17.—Assistant Washington, D. C., Dec. 17.—Assistant Secretary Nettleton has received a letter from the secretary of the Board of Health of Quebec, saying the reports published in the United States concerning the prevalence of smallpox in that province are very much exaggerated, and expressing the opinion that there is no reason for stationing a sanitary inspector at Roman

ioning a sanitary inspector at Rouses The Opening of the British Parliament. The Opening of the British Parliament,
LONDON, Dec. 17.—As at present arranged, the Queen will terminate her residence at Osborne on Feb. 8 and proceed to Buckingham Palace. Parliament will be opened by her Majesty on Feb. 9 with the customary ceremonial, and on the evening of that day the Queen will go to Windsor Castle and reside there until her departure for the continent at the end of March.

Steamship Arrivals.

Dec. 16. At. From.
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Fuerst Bismarck. Southampton New York

News about Tewn.

It is the current report about town that Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs is making some remarkable cures with people win are troubled with coughs, sore throat, asthma, bronchitis and consumption. Any druggist will give you a trial bottle free of cost. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure. The large bottles are 50c and \$1.

W. T. Strone, druggist, 184 Dundas prices. A minister was procured and at 8 o'clock in the evening they were made man and wife. At 8 o'clock in the made man and wife. At 8 o'clock in the made man and wife. At 8 o'clock in the made man and wife. At 8 o'clock in the current report about town that to be married. A minister was procured and at 8 o'clock in the made man and wife. At 8 o'clock in the current report about town that to be married. A minister was procured and at 8 o'clock in the was they were killed. Lima, Ohio, Dec. 18.—By the wrecking of the vestibuled truin here two dining-car employes, a bakeman and an unknown man were killed. About 35 or 40 persons were lajured, only a few being seriously hurt. Distributed truin here two dining-car employes, a bakeman and an unknown man were killed. About 35 or 40 persons were lajured, only a few being seriously hurt. In patent medic nes the largest and most the digestive organs. Be sure to get the genuine Angostura, manufactured by Dr. Strone's drug store, 184 Dundas atreet.

J. G. B. Siegert & Sona News About Town.



David R. Culberson, of the Inter-State

Commerce Commission.

Congressman David B. Culberson, of Texas, it is said, is going to resign his position in the House to accept the important office of Inter-State Commerce Commissioner. It is a clear case of the office hunting the man, for so far from seeking it, Mr. Culberson, it is stated on high authority, twice declined the President's complimentary offer. It was only through the earnest advice of his colleagues that he decided to accept. He takes the place of Commissioner Bragg, deceased, and has four years to serve. The applicants for the place included some of the most eminent lawyers of the South. ne most eminent lawyers of the South.

THE POLITICAL SLATE. Two More Members Unseated-Dr. Platt

Nominated by Prince Edward Lib-erals—Sir Hector's Grievance With the Premier. The election of Dr. Mousseau (Lib.) in

ulanges, Que., has been voided. The trial of the election petition against Mr. R. R. McLennan (Con.) M. P., Glen-

Mr. R. R. McLennan (Con.) M. P., Glengary, continues to-day.
Dr. W. Allison (Lib.) M. P. for Lennox has admitted bribery by agents sufficient to void his election.
The Refermers of Prince Edward county have nominated Dr. Platt to contest that riding for the House of Commons.

The Liberals have every reason to be satisfied, for party reasons, with the result of the revision of the voters' lists in South Grey, Dr. Landerkin's constituency. By of the revision of the voters' lists in South Grey, Dr. Landerkin's constituency. By adding names to and removing names from the lists they have made the following gains: In Normanby 47, Egremont 17, Glenelg 15, Durham 10, Markdale 9, Arte-mesia 48, and in Bentinck, up to the pres-ent, 32. When the revision is complete they expect that their gains will amount to 225.

Le Canadien says that Sir Hector Lan-

met at Picton Wednesday, and unanimously nominated Dr. Platt as their standard-bearer at the coming by-election for the Commons.

East Elgin Conservatives propose to go on with the appeal against the judgment of Justices Burton and Maclennau unseating Mr. Ingram on the ground of corrupt practices by agents. The claim is that the parties guilty of the corrupt acts cannot rightly be held to be agents.

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WALKERTON, ORL., Dec. 11.—In that of the protest against the election of Dr. Landerkin as member of Parliament for South Grey closed here last night.

With the exception of the Tocher charge, which was reserved for judgment at Osgoode Hall on Jan. 4, all the charges at Osgoode Hall on Jan. 4, all the charges were dismissed.

The reserved charge is the payment of a

voter's expenses by an agent of the respondent the day after voting. EAST BRUCE LIBERALS NOMINATE TRUAN.
WALKELTON, Dec. 18.—The East Bruce
Reform Association yesterday nominated
Mr. Reuben Truax, the unseated member,

Mr. Reuben Truax, the unseated member, to be again the candidate of the party in the coming election.

Milennan unseated in Glengarry.
Cornwall, Dec. 18.—The election petition protest against the return of Major R. R. McLennan (Con.) M. P. for Glengarry, before Justices Falconbridge and Street, resulted in unseating the respondent, who admitted a corrupt act by an agent—Patrick Darragh—namely, treating. The personal charges were dismissed, respondent paying costs.

MAID, WIFE AND WIDOW

Within Twenty-Four Hours-Tho Ex perience of a Pennsylvania Lady.

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EASTON, Pai, Dec. 17.—By a stern decree of fate, Miss Christians, of Easton, Pa., was doomed to be a maid, wife and widow in 24 hours. Martin Campbell, to whom she was engaged to be married on Christmas eve, was taken ill with typhoid fever and became an inmate of the Easton hospital. His diseases was of the most malignant type. When the doctors informed Miss Christiana that his chances for living were very slim she told Campbell formed Miss Christiana that his chances for living were very slim she told Campbell feankly and then and there they determined to be married. A minister was procured and at 8 o'clock in the evening they were made man and wife. At 8 o'clock in the morning Campbell died.

of Judge Sinclair.

Mr. Louis P. Kribs, of the Toronto Empire, who has been serously ill for the last few weeks, is recovering.

The annual dinner of the Osgoode Legal and Literary Society was held Thursday evening. President Ludwig presided and the principal members of the senior bar were present

were present.

Adolphe Deschamps, son of the farmer of that name in West Templeton township, met his death in the woods on Sorpent River on Wednesday last by being struck by a falling tree.

Judge Sinclair, senior judge of the Wentworth County Court, died Thursday merning at his residence. Death was caused by a stroke of paralysis which deceased received on Tuesday last.

ceived on Tuesday last. John Lewis died at Kingston on Thursday, age 96 years. He was an Irishman, and was supposed to be the aldest Freemason and Orangeman in the Dominion, having joined when he was 20 years of age. A Duck Lake, N. W. T., dispatch says:
Word has just come in from Snake Plains
that Miss Halpin, sister of Mr. Halpin,
Indian agency clerk, has been poisomed. It
was thought she had committed suicide by
taking strychnine.

The new collegiate institute building at
Sarnia was formally coppied. Thursday.

The new collegiate institute binding at Sarpia was formally opened Thursday. There was a large gathering of citizens and residents of the country. The feature of the occasion was an address by Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education.

Robert Langdon, a well-known baseballist, was shot in a disreputable house at St. John, N. B. Tuesday night. It is believed the wound will prove fatal. He says he fired the shot himself, but it is charged that

fired the shot himself, but it is charged that Maud Lindsay, the keeper of the place, did the shooting. All were drunk.

A daring attack was made on Mr. Abbott, Government paymaster at Rideau Canal, Ottawa, Thursday morning. He was in his office alone with \$3,000 of pay money on his person, when an unknown man came in and gave him a heavy blow on the head with a slung shot. Abbott-rallied and the man fied. and the man fled. UNITED STATES.

A dividend of 40 per cent, is to be paid to claimants of the insolvent Malvernack

Bank, of Boston. The lake freight steamer Horisce B. Tuttle was damaged by fire at her clock at Chicago yesterday to the extent of \$20,000. Daniel E. Soper, Secretary of State for Michigan, has handed in his resignation to Governor Winans. The mayor of Lazsing accused him of malfeasance in office.

On Wednesday a burning lamp exploited in the house of E. Ford, a Columbia, S.C., painter. His wife and infant child were burned to death, and he is in a critical con-

John C. Wheeler, keeper of a hovel at Ridge Center, N. H., was murdered ou Thursday night by John Burnell, a Frenchman. Wheeler refused to give Burnell liquor, whereupon the latter seized a whiffletree and dealt Wheeler a savage blow over the head, killing him instantly. Henrietta Dudley, a widow, aged 67, and town pensioner since 1861, died at New Haven, Conn., Wednesday after years of suffering from iethynosis or elephantiasis.

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Her skin was nearly an inch thick and was
very hard. She was examined by six doctors in 1847 and told that she would not
live a year. They all died years ago.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

The French Senate has passed the whole tarif bill by a vote of 219 to 11.

It is stated that 8,000 Russian troops are

or a suicide is not clear.

It is reported that a state of siege has been declared in many of the famine-sit buying any of the substitutes offered as "just as good" as the great only sure-rop corn prevalence of brigandage and anarchy in the p

ong the starving peasants. It is reported that several mission stations on the Yang-tso-Kiang are menaced.

More men-of-war are imperatively necessary in order to protect the river. The European residents having formed them-selves into a defense league. The demeanor of the Chinese generally is menacing and arrogant.

RAILWAY DISASTERS.

Twenty-six Passengers Injured -- Three Trainmen Killed.

CHERRYVALE, Kansas, Dec. 18.—A south-bound passenger train on the Southern Kansas was wrecked two miles north of here yesterday morning. The express car, two regular coaches and sleepers were all hurled down a high embankment, with about 40 passengers on beard. Twenty-six persons were more or less injured, three of whom may die. Fire broke out, and all the cars ditched were entirely con-sumed.

# TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES CHRISTMAS COODS

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THE PAMIR TROUBLE.

Further Operations Stopped by the Weather—The British Force in Good Condition.

London, Dec. 18.—A Calcutta dispatch says: The question of further operations on the part of British troops against Hunga Niger tribesmen in the vicinity of Gilgit and Fort Nilt, near the Pamir frontier, has been settled for the time being by the weather. Snow has fallen at those places and in the surrounding country to such an extent that military operations are impossible. The officers and men who were wounded infthe recent atorning and capture of Fort Nilt, and the subsequent pursuit of the tribesmen in the mountains are still making good progress towards recovery. The troops are well supplied with food, ammunition, etc., in quantities sufficient to last them until the snow disappears.

TWENTY-SIX PEOPLE PERISH!

Terrible Disaster to a Russian Vessel-

Net a Person on Board Saved.

New York, Dec. 18,—Captain Dexter, of the bark Kentigern at this port, from London, reports that in a terrific gale off the mouth of the Thames, a Russian bark, having a crew of 26 men, dragged her anchor and collided with the Kintergern. The Russian bark's jibboom was broken oil, leaving a hole in her hull, through which the sea poured. The Russian craft swung alongside the Kentigern, where she remained for a few minutes. The shock of the collision brought all hands on deck on swung alongside the Kentigern, where she remained for a few minutes. The shock of the collision brought all hands on deck on both vessels. In the Russian bark all was confusion and fright, some of the crew crying out in despairing voices. In the flaring beacon lights others could be seen kneeling with uplifted hands praying to be delivered from death, as the fierce gale swept over the vessels and lashed their sides with huge waves. In the short time the vessels were together, Capt. Dexter threw out ropes and shouted to the Russian captain and crew to eatch them and clamber on board the shouted to the Russian captain and crew to eatch them and clamber on board the Kentigern, but they did not seem to understand him and made no attempt to get on board. Shortly after the Russian bark swung astern, and the gale drove her on the rocks, where she broke and began to settle. Big seas broke over her and tumbled upon her decks, washing away several of the crew, and in a short time after the bark gave a lurch and went down to the bottom, carrying all hands with her. In such a sea no boat could be lowered, and not a single soul escaped from the ill-fated such a sea no boat could be lowered, and not a single soul escaped from the ill-fated

THE KEELEY DRINK CURE.

A Enilder Dies After Getting One Dose Legal Proceedings Threatened. Logal Proceedings Threatened.

Newfort, Ark., Dec. 17.—The sudden death of a citizen of this place on Saturday at Hot Springs will probably bring the Kleeley cure for drunkenness into court. The man was H. I. Johnson, a contractor and builder. He had been addicted strongly to drink, but blooke off two years ago and hadr not tasted any whisky until about four weeks ago. He was drunk for days, and Frician vevening he was taken by his wife and friends to the Springs to the Keeley Institute.

between the Vatican and the Quirinal.

A shoemaker named Muir stabbed and killed his wife in a jealous rage in the Whitechapel district Tuerday morning.

At a Spanish Cabinet Council it was decided to treble import duties upon a number of articles which are imported chiefly from France.

The magistracy of Vienna, at the instance of the public prosecutor, has issued a decree commanding the closing of the Methodiat Church.

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Source and the doct or had no don't as to a cure. He would a llow Johnson to d, rink whisky until he got tired of it and in he course of the conversation a glass of whisky was a function to a low or a bed. In a few minutes he turned to histfriend who sat near him and said:

"I feel tha hall of my exterior is contracting. Is that the way a fellow feels when

dist Church.

Dunbar Barton (Unionist) has been elected to Parliament in the middle division of Armagh. He was unopposed, as the constituency is a Tory one.

Premier Rudini, in replying to Signor Gulpa, said that in view of the attitude of the United States Government he had every reason to hope for a satisfactory solution of the New Orleans affair.

John Leahy, his wife and grandson were found dead in a lodging house at Bantry yesterday morning. They died from the effects of poiton. Whether this is a murder or a suicide is not clear.

It is reported that a state of siege has been declared in

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WESTERN ONTARIO. BRUCE.

Samuel Fluke, Culross, aged 69 years, is The personnel of the Bruce County Coun-The personnel of the Bruce County Counil will be greatly changed next year, as
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cme twelve of the oldest members have
ecided to retire from public life, and
rominent among whom may be mentioned;
Aceves John S. McDonald, the present
garden; James Gaunt, ex-warden; George
garden; James Gaunt, ex-warden; George
moir, of Culross; John Henderson, of Carrick; J. M. White, of Amabel; D. J.
Lzzard, of Port Elgin; Donald McIntyre, of
Elderslie, and others. All these have been
active members, and their retirement will
be a loss to the county.

The city market fees were put up at auction on Thursday and knocked down to Joseph Burns for \$17. Last year they were sold at \$21 25.

On Sanday evening Rev. Mr. Maider, for some time pastor of the East Ward Baptist Church, Brantford, preached his farwell sermon to the congregation. The reverend gentleman intimated that he had had a call from a church in St. George, N.B., and had resolved to accept it.

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At Winnipeg Saturday Miss H. B, Hossie, daughter of W. N. Hosse, bursar of the Institute for the Blind in Brantford, was married to James Shirritt, of Brandon.

On Saturday last as two isons of Alfred Lewis, one mile east of Barton, were tooling with a gun which was loaded, the younger one of them stepped out to put up a mark. Just as he was in the act the other raised his gun and fired, the charge striking the little fellow, some going through his hands and the rest entering his body. There is slight hope of his recovery.

ESSEX.

The Grand Trunk Railway have so far been the heaviest taxpayers in Windsor. They contributed \$4,981.

Two young sons of Paul Parent, of Staples, were poisoned on Monday by eating wild parsnips. Medical aid was summoned from Comber, but it is feared that one of them will not recover.

moned from Comber, but it is feated was one of them will not recover. J. B. Cousineau will be a candidate for the Sandwich West reeveship. The Windsor Board of Education has engaged Miss Henderson, Miss Drake and Miss Nichols as teachers to fill vacan-

W. J. Gerald, assistant commissioner of inland revenue, Ottawa; John Davis, chief inspector of distilleries; Henry Godson, chief inspector of inland revenue, and John Morran, inspector of inland revenue, are examining the papers of the candidates who wrote in the special class examination at Toronto in August. The examination covers special work in the Department of Inland Revenue, and about 30 candidates by rote. W. J. Gerald, assistant commissioner of

Miss Fothergill, Sparta, has been engaged to teach the Port Bruce school.
Sinclair vs. McCallum—Judgment In action tried at St. Thomas. Action by John G. Sinclair, as grandsone of the late John Sinclair, sen, of Aldborough, to conpel the defendant, Sarah McCallum, a daughter of the deceased, to make discovery of his will, and in the alternative for a declaration of his right to an undivided one-half interest in the lands of the deceased, and to restrain the defendant from a lienating the lands. The learned judge at ELGIN.

Cne of the oldest residents of Stephen Une of the oldest residents of Stephen township is dead in the person of Thomas Rowteliif, of Devon. Deceased was 80 years of age, and had heen ill for some time of infirmity. He was born in England and came to this country and settled in Stephen when Huron was a comparative wildsrness.

Last week a pauper named Mary Brody died in the county jail at Goderich after a long illness. The deceased was consider-ably over 70, and had been for many years ably over 70, and had been for many years a resident of Huren's palatial poor house. The farmers of Hay township had a meeting recently in school section No. 14, better known as Thompson's school house, for the purpore of considering the advisability of organizing a farmors' club. D. Buchanan occupied the chair, and an organization was formed, the following officers being elected: President, B. Phillips; vice-president, D. Buchanan; seoretary, Wm. Thompson; door-keeper, J. Reith. Committees were also appointed for the purpose of drafting a consitution and preparing a programme for the first meeting, which was held last Tuesday evening. The attendance was large, and an addresses were delivered by John McMillan, M.P., and others.

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John McMillan, M.P., and others.

Three parties living near Dangannon received bedily injuries last week. T. Congram and J. Jardine, both of Ashfield, were kicked by horses, Congram on the thigh. At first it was thought his thigh-bone was headen here. broken, but the doctor decided it was not, shough the muscles were badly bruised. Jardine received his kick in the mouth, knocking out several teeth. Wm. Campbell, of West Wawanosh, had his second finger caught in the straw-cutter while at full speed. He instantly jerked back the arm, learning half the finger from the hand. Had to tried to throw the machine out of gear with the other hand it is probable the whole and would have been torn and cut in picces. en, but the doctor decided it was not

and would have been torn and cut in pieces.

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Institute will be held at Clinton on Jan. 22 and 23, when there will be present John I. Hobson, chairman of the board of the Ontario Agricultural College; W. J. Palmer, B.S. A., and A. McD. Allan, who will deliver addresses on various subjects of interest to those engaged in the pursuit of agriculture.

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Wm. Pawson, aged 89 years, and Mrs. John Holmes, aged 69 years, both of Grey township, are dead.

Henry Cook and wife, who reside a short distance from Goderich, met with a serious accident on Sunday while going to church. Their horse took fright and ran away, throwing both out. Mr. Cook had several ribs broken and his wife had her arm freatured.

A couple of weeks ago the crew of the American schooner Goodell, after drifting shout Lake Huron for four days in a rowboat, landed below Bayfield. Two of the members of the crew had their feet frozen while exposed, one of them, a boy named Wixon, so badly that it was found necessary to amputate both, which was done last Friday. He is recovering as well as can be expected under the circumstances.

The house occupied by "Rev." Ike Williams, the colored camp meeting director at Buxton, was destroyed by fire on Tuesday night.

Tuesday night.

LAMBTON.

For the first time in Canada oil has been found in white sand. The oil is found near Sherkstown Station, the second from Petrolea, at a depth of 750 feet in the Medina sandstone, is dark green in color, 45 in gravity and pessesses all of the characteristic features of Pennsylvanian oil. It is the first and only oil found in Canada which is free from the peculiar taint and malodors of oil produced from limestone rocks. The oil will, before being refined, be worth from \$2\$ to \$2\$ 50 at the wells, and after refining will be as good oil as can be produced anywhere in America.

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Rev. Mr. Haylock, of Oil City, plucked a dandelion in full bloom last week. Oil City is a blooming village.

MIDDLESEK.

Rev. Mr. McKay has preached his farewell sermon to the congregation of St. Andrew's Church in Napier, and Rev. Mr. McNab is preaching in his place. He will continue with the congregation for three Sabbaths.

The township of London voted a bonus

Sabbaths.

The township of Lenden voted a bonus of \$15,000 towards the construction of the London, Huron and Erace Railway. The debenture was sold to a Scottish company, Sabbaths. and on Tuesday last Reeve Robson and th

and on Tuesday last Reve Robson and the treasurer paid the entire amount into the Canadian Bank of Commerce in London.

NORFOLK.

John Charlton, M.P. for North Norfolk, spoke in Buffalo on Tiuraday evening on "Canadian Relations."

OXFORD. John Dryden, who was arrested at Ingersall on Monday, was given his liberty Tuesday, two of his friends going his security. Dryden, who is a livery keeper, security. Dryden, who is a livery keeper, sold out his mainess to Mr. House, harness-maker, and A. J. McCarthy, hotel-keeper, who holds a note rgainst him, had a capina issued for his arrest to secure him-

declaration of his right to an undivided one-half interest in the lands of the deceased, and to restrain the defendant from alienating the lands. The learned judge at Osgoode Hall finds that the plaintiff has established beyond any reasonable doubt his claim in respect of the lands in question, and is entitled to a declaration of his rights against the defendant. Judgment declaring the plaintiff's rights as against che defendant under the will to the lands in question, and dismissing the defendant's counter claim. No order as to costs.

The charge against D. McGregor, J.P., of busten, of compounding a folony, has been examined into by Lazarus McIntyre, J.P., and a bench of magistrates at Wallacetown and the case was dismissed.

GREY.

Rev. James Baskerville died suddenly at his residence, Flesinerton, recently. He entered the ministry in 1849, and labored successfully in missionary fields, doing 'aithtal pioneer service in many destitute ettlements, and was 'in labors abundant.'' He had been superannuated about fifteen years.

R. J. Doyle, of Owen Sound, and Mr. Smith, his solicitor, were in Dundalk recently to effect a settlement of his taxes for 1891, and the amount in arrears, a total of \$450 68. As some of the lands ware liable to be sold, it was necessary that the affair should be settled, hence Mr. Doyle's visit. If the meantime the municipality has lost sothing by the arrears, as the county treasurer has added 10 per cent. each year to the update amounts.

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stock of f. Powell, Strationd, who assigned some time tago, has been sold to John Roidy, of Toronto, at 602 cents on the

dollar.
An individual giving the name of Walter A. Dawson, and representing himself as a Pinkerton detective, has "confidenced" a Stratford clergyman out of \$20. The same man plied his game successfully a week ago in Essex.

The proceeds of the teamceting at the The proceeds of the teameeting at the recent reopening service of St. Marys Presbyterian Church amounted to nearly \$160, which, together with the Sunday collections, make the receipts of the reopening services foot up to the handsome sum of \$350. The congregation of Knox Church are to be congregationed upon the success attending the reopening of their pretty church, and the fact that the new building is free of debt.

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SIMCOL

Wilber Morden, of Fesserton, was arrested under the Charlton Act on a charge of seducing Nellie Ross, a girl under 16.

He had a hearing before Messrs Harvey and Booth, J.P.'s, Orillia. The mother of and Booth, J.P.'s, Orillia. The mother of the girl took afit in court, from which she may not recover. The case was entarged one week.

Joseph Cox, for 35 years, mail carrier be-

tween Cape Rich and Meaford, died recent-ly near Meaford, at the ripe old age of SI ly near Meaford, at the ripe on age of years.

WELLINGTON.

At the Guelph Poultry and Pet Stock Association exhibition at Guelph there are over 1,200 entries from howmanville, Kingston, International Bridge, Buffalo, Sarnia, Watford, Shakespeare, New Hamburg, London, Woodstock, Milton, Hamilton, Niagara, Toronto, Newmarket, King's City, Guelph, and leading breeders in the Province in other places.

James Poster, Belleville, a young G. T. R. brakeman, fell off a west-bound freight in the driving sleet half a mile west of Guelph on Monday night, and was terribly cut and smashed about the head and had one thumb cut off. Ho will likely recover unless the brain is injured.

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Directions for giving an alarm from above boxes: Unlock the ouiside door and pull it steadily and rmly wide oren. Then grasp the snob or button which is on a crank on the inide door and pull it slowly and steadily to pour right, and doownwards (once only) as far is fiveling. Then release it and it will at once if back to its place.

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> God's in His heaven, All's right with the world. -[BROWNING

London, Friday, Dec. 18.

THE CONSPIRACY AGAINST MERCIER.

As was expected, and doubtless arrange for in secret conspiracy, the gubernatorial tool at Quebec of the Haggarts and Dewdneys and Fosters who misrule at Ottawa has violently and unconstitutionally dismissed Mr. Mercier and his col-

leagues from place and power in Quebec. Mr. Mercier has faults which the ADVER-TISER as an independent onlooker is not

called upon to minimize. But he and his colleagues were presum-ably in possession of the confidence of a majority of the people's representatives in

the Quebec Legislature. Lest some might say this was only a pre-sumption, since the Baie des Chaleurs ex-posures, Mr. Mercier had himself proposed to call the Quebec Legislature together on the 29th of the present month, as it was his constitutional duty to do.

But the band of conspirators whose head is at Ottawa and whose tail is in the city of Quebec feared to await even this interval of less than a fortuight,!

Circumstances often thrust into hands that are not exactly immaculate the flag of

Mr. Mercier is not a Washington nor John Bright, but his enemies have chosen to make him a martyr in the cause of

self-government. They have placed a powerful weapon in his hands, and thousands who are not pre-pared to acquit him of all knowledge of the Baie des Chalcurs affair will yet rally about him as a champion resisting the re-vival of rule by despotism and conspiracy.

What would be analogous to the outrage perpetrated in Quebec would be for the Ottawa conspirators to appoint some tool as Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, and have some charge, true or untrue, raked up against Mr. Mowat; to have a partisan commission appointed by the gubernatorial

tool; to then violently dismiss Mr. Mowat, and call on Mr. Sol. White to form a new

Everybody would exclaim: "Is this Mexico or Peru? Or do we really live under the vaunted system of British esponsible government?"

The people of Ontario would see the Confederation "smashed into its original fragments" rather than submit for an hour to such usurpation.

Yet it is usurpation of this sort of which the first act was yesterday played in a sister

"IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE EQUITY OF THE CASE" day after the Court of Queen's Bench unanimously sustained the validity of the Liberal notices of objection to cer tain names on the London city voters' lists, the Free Press had this to say of the de

"The remark that lawyers are likely to make upon the decision at Toronto is, that while it may not be strictly in accordance with verbal requirements of the form of notice appended to the Franchise Act of 1885, IT IS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE EQUITY OF THE CASE; AND IN THIS ALL WHO ARE NOT VIOLENT PARTISANS WILL FREELY CO-INCIDE. Let us," added our contemporary, "have fair play all round."

This was written two weeks ago, and

This was written two weeks ago, and revised, in accordance with the decree of of the Domini-Chief Justice Armour, Mr. Justice Street and Mr. Justice Falconbridge, so cheerfully coincided in by our contemporary. Some 340 names of persons who have no right to vote in Dominion elections have

been struck off by Revising Officer Fraser.

Not a complaint has been made by any of
the men so dealt with. It is known by everyone that, in justice, these men have no right to have their names on the lists, and as our city contemporary points out only "violent partisans" can cavil at the decision which called for the removal of the names of non-qualified voters.

Only by carrying out this decree to the letter could a fair list be provided, and 'justice be done by all parties," as the law tipulates.

But a coterie of the Conservative party n this city, who have received no authority rom the party as a whole, and whose loings we have reason to know are not indorsed by many men who have hitherto voted for Conservative candidates, are determined, if possible, to have the lists stuffed with bad votes. They have resolved to earn the title of "violent partisans" by carrying the case to the Court of Appeal, with the hope, through some legal quibble on a technicality, to upset the decision that is, as the Free Press asserts,

in accordance with the equity of the case. Their aim, stripped of all disguise, is to put on the city voters' lists the names of hundreds of men who have no qualification whatsoever, thus defeating the object of the franchise, which is that the vote polled at an election shall be a bona fide declaration of the desires of the qualified electorate.

Only "violent partisans," with no respect for "fair play," and with a total lack of faith in their cause would carry the desire to have an unfair list to so extreme an extent.

TOPICS OF THE DAY. THE notorious Toronto man, "Doc" Davis, sentenced to confinement in the Kingston

an irregularity sufficient to void his

fatherless effusions cannot injure those that are traduced. No wonder their authors are afraid to affix their names to the productions.

Hamilton, according to the Times of that city, is quite content that London shall have a fully-equipped Western Univer-sity, but admits that Hamilton is too near Toronto to successfully establish a seat of education of that description, even if it had a charter, which it does no have. What Hamilton needs, it is said, is a boys' boarding school.

THE Bureau of the American Republics has received information that the Government of Brazil has appointed special commissioners to represent the interests of the Government in submitting to the arbitration of the President of the United States the boundary question between Brazil and the Argentine Republic. No one ever hints that a peaceable settle-ment of the matter will not be reached. This is a vast improvement upon the old methods of disposing of international quarrels, which called for the expenditure of vast sums of money and the shedding of human blood to a revolting

wonderful organization of which she is a well as young folks, and make Boleader, when they come to London. schee's German Syrup the favorite While she is meeting with phenomena! family medicine.

success on this continent, her father, General Booth, has been warmly wel-comed in Australia. He has had one series of ovations. In Melbourne he wa entertained at a clerical banquet, and had conferences with the Charity Organiza-tion Society, the Trader's Hall Council, and the Congregational Union in order and the Congregational Union in order to meet objections to his emigration proposals. At a service in memory of Mrs. Booth he was handed a check for £10,000, the proceeds of the week of selfdenial in Australia and New Zealand, in aid of the Darkest England fund. The Trade and Labor Council, however, passed a resolution disapproving of the over-sea scheme, as far as Australia is concerned, as being detrimental to the "workingman's paradise," and it calls on the working classes to be prepared to resist any such encroschment on their domain inch

NEW BOOKS.

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[N. Y. Sun.]

The marriages of the Princess Louise to the Marquis of Lorne and of the Princess Louise of Wales to the Duke of Fife were moves in the right direction. The blood of the Guelphs sorely needs enrichment, for not once in 200 years has it produced a man of first-rate parts or a woman of great beauty. The Duke of Cumberland, the victor of Culloden, had some aptitude for military affairs, and the Princess Charlotte, married to Prince Leopold of Saxe-Coburg, was what is called a pretty girl. But that is all that can be said for the house of Hanover.

WOMEN AND VOTING.

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[Wives and Daughters.]

The sex which is first in the Sunday school and last in the jail, which is most strongly represented at church, and at prayer meetings, and at missionary meetings, and most feebly represented in the liquor saloons and tobacco shops of the land, which does the least of the world's preaching and the most of its practicing, which makes a poor figure in a battle between Christian nations, and a splendid figure in a battle between right and wrong—such a sex forms a very large part of the power that makes for righteousness. To turn this purifying stream away from polities is equivalent to asserting that politics have no need of righteousness.

The notorious Toronto man, "Doc" Davis, sentenced to confinement in the Kingston Penitentiary for life ten years ago, has been released by order of Sir John Thompson, Minister of Justice. This decree is commented upon unfavorably in circles where the orimes of Davis are known.

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The Advertiser regrets to learn of the serious illness of Judge Sinelair, of Wentworth county. Three years ago he was stricken with paralysis, and on Tuesday night he was again stricken by the same malady, and at last accounts he lay at death's door. Judge Sinelair formerly practiced law in Goderich, and has many friends in the West.

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D. W. Allison, M. P. for Lennox, has discovered that an agent of his was guilty of an act that might be construed into an irregularity sufficient to void his

\*\*The Mob Shot Into Empty Beds.\*\*

of an act that might be construed into an irregularity sufficient to void his election. He therefore resigns the seat, believing it is easier and less expensive to win the seat anew than to engage in a prolonged election court struggle.

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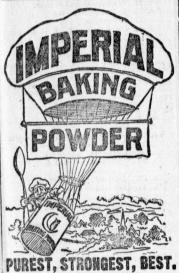
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Hamilton, Dec. 17.—The attendance at the frait growers' meeting yesterday was lerger than on Tuesday. L. B. Rice, Port Huron, Mich., and Mr. Willard, Geneva, N. Y., spoke briefly as visitors.

John Craig, of the Ottawa Experimental Farm, read a paper upon "Recent Advances in Dealing with Fungus Diseases of Fruit." He stated that he had now the means of controlling the large number of the fungus diseases affecting our fruit-bearing plants. The loss in Canada from these fungi was very large. Dr. Craig gave several remedies for getting rid of them. In spraying fruit stocks to prevent powdery mildew and leaf blight Bordeaux mixture and ammoniacal copper carbonate would rid the

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Thomas Beall, Lindsay, presented the report of the committee on apples suited for culture in various districts of Ontario. The lists for Western Ontario were as fol-

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yohn L. Sullivan Poses as a Comedian Records of Local Horses—Col-lision at a Trot—General Sporting News.

The lists for Western Ontario were as follows:
District No. 7—Wellington, Waterloo, Wentworth, Halton, Duferin and city of Hamilton. (M. Pettit, Winona, director.) Summer—Yellow transparent, early harvest and Duchess of Oldenburg. Autumn—Gravenstein, Colvert and wealthy. Winter—Golden russet, Ontario, Blenheim pippin, Baldwin and cranberry pippin.

District No. 8—Lincoln, Welland, Haldimand and Monck. (A. M. Smith, St. Catharines, director.) Summer—Duchess of Oldenburg and red astrachan. Autumn—Gravenstein and wealthy. Winter—Blenheim pippen, Ontario, Princess Louise, golden russet and cranberry pippen.

District No. 9—Elgin, Brant, Oxford and Norfolk. (J. K. McMichael, Waterford, director.) Summer, Duchess of Oldenburg and early harvest. Autumn—Gravenstein, twenty-ounce and fall pippen. Winter—Blenheim pippin, Ontario, Baldwin, R. I. greening and golden russet.

McD. Allan, of Toronto, discoursed in a most effective manner upon "The money value of fruit and ornamental trees, shrubs and plants." During the morning N. Awrey, M.P.P., and C. C. James, deputy Minister of Agriculture, were introduced to the association. ATBLETICS.

At the Bush Street Theater, San Francisco, John L. Sullivan made his reappearance as a commedian in the title role of Brodick Agra," termed a romatic Irish comedy. Little can be said of the merit of the play either in dramatic construction or as a comedy. The play was, no doubt, constructed for the athlete-actor-comedian, as there are several sentences regarding lost lights. In the third act he was at home in so far as his experience showed itself in a round bout with Jack Ashton. It was the event" of the evening.

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France."

Some time before the opening hour not a sent was to be found in the church, and those who did not care to stand left disappointed. The colors of the Salvation Army were prominent in every direction, but Methodists, Baptists, and members of almost every other denomination were present. In the choir gallery sat the brass

bands,
Sharp at 8 o'clock "La Marechale"
stepped on the platform, accompanied by
Staff-Captain Peyron, of France; Commissioner Rees, commander of the Salvation
Army forces in Canada; Col. McKie and
Staff-Captain Plant, of England, who are
on a tour around the world, and Rev. A. C.
Courtice, who occupied the chair. On the
appearance of Mrs. Booth-Clibborn the
applause was deafening, the members of the
army cheering heartily.

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Mr. Courtice's opening remarks were very brief. "The best books need the least introduction," said he.

Mrs. Booth-Clibborn is a distinguished-

Mrs. Booth-Clibborn is a distinguishedlooking lady of medium stature, and was
attired in the trim and neat army costume. She is about 30 years of age.
Her command of the English language is
good but the French accent, which stands
out so prominently, prevented many from
catching every word. Her earnest and impressive deliverance kept every eye rivetted
on her. At times the audience enjoyed a
season of laughter as the result of some
overly-excited soldier making good use of
his lungs. One old man seated in the west
transcept seemingly felt the vigor of youth
returning, and several times during the
evening he shouted with all his might.
This was something entirely unexpected by
those who were not accustomed to the proceedings of Salvation Army meetings.

INGIDENTS OF INTEREST.

The News of the Day, Culled and Condensed.

A snow blockade exists in New Mexico. Judge Sinclair, of Hamilton, has had an

attack of paralysis.

Mr. T. G. Furnivall, an old resident of
Hamilton, died Wednesday.

All hope of recovery has been abandoned in the case of Cyrus W. Field.

Belleville will vote on the question of reducing the number of liquor licenses.

Rev. Mr. Maider, of Brantford, has accepted a call to a Baptist church in St. George, N.B.

The millers of North Dakota have donated \$50,000 worth of flour to the starving Russian peasants.

ing Russian peasants.

Colored families who emigrated from Georgia to Liberia are returning to their old homes in a destitute condition More than 10,000 young seals were found dead from starvation recently at the Seal Island rookeries. The indiscriminate slaughter of female seals is given as the

cause.

Last evening a masked man entered Bancona's fare room at Marysville, Cal., while a game was in progress, and covering the dealer with a pistol, took \$275 and escaped.

There are two factions at present la Hawaii, one favoring the establishment of a republic and the other advocating the maintenance of monarchy with the reform of existing abuses.

of existing abuses.

In New York on Wednesday Judge Martine fined twenty talesmen who failed to appear for jury service in Part III. of the General Sessions \$100 each yesterday. Fines imposed upon delinquent jurors are collected newadays.

Russell Sage's nephew. Russell Sage, jun., age 50, lies at death's door, antiering from fever and delirium, brought on by the attempt on his uncle's life. For years it has been well understood that he was to sneezed to the fortune of his childless millionaire relative.

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intends to bring an action for breach of promise.

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London Money Market.

London, Dec. 17—12:30 p.m.—Consols (35-16 money, 93\); for account; U. S. 4s., St. Paul 81\); Erris seconds, 169; Eric 31\); cific Central, 58\); Reading, 19\); Canadian cific, 92\; New York Central, 121\); Illinois intral, 110\); Bank of England rate, 3\); por int: open market discount, 1\(\frac{1}{2}\).

Toronto Stock Market.	
TORONTO, Dec.	17
Ask.	Off.
Montreal223	220
Montreal	110
Ontario1121	110
Molsons	227
Toronto230	150
Merchants	1354
Commerce	190
Imperial	248
Dominion250	170
Standard	175
Hamilton,178	98
British America	
Western Assurance150	149
Canada Life	-
Confederation Life	-
Northwest Land Company 81	801
C. P. R. Bonds	-
Canada Pacific Railway Stock 905	90
Canadian Favings and Loan ex-div. 126	-
Dominion Savings and Loan ex-div. 94	91
Farmers' Loan and Savings	123
Farmers' L. and S. 20 per cent	113
Huron and Erie Loan and Savings	
Huron and Erie. 26 per cent ex-div	145
I ondon and Canada, L. and A130	128
London Loan	110%
London and Ontario	-
Ontario Loan and Debenture 65	64
SALES-C. P. R. Stock, 20 at 901.	

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LOCAL MARKETS.

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eported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

London, Thursday, Dec. 17.

eipts were good to day, the principal dees being oats, corn and wheat. Corn was and in light demand. Oats steady at the condition of the corn was also with the condition of the corn was also with the corn was also was

Wheat. spring per 100 108	90	to	99
Oats per 100 lbs	95	10	1 05
Peas per 100 lbs	95	to	9.
Corn per 100 lbs	85	to	1 60
Barley per 100 lbs		to	1 25
Rye, per 100 lbs	9)	to	0,5
Buckwheat 100 lbs		to	1 18
Beans per ub	1 00	10	
PROVISIONS.	18	to	20
Eggs, retail, per doz	16	to	18
Ergs, basket, per doz	14	to	
Eggs, store lots, per doz	15	to	18
	14	to	16
Butter per lb, large rolls or crocks		to	14
Butter per lb, tubs or firkins	10	to	10
Lard per lb	10	to	103
Cheese per lb	40	to	70
Chickens per pair	50	to	75
	70		1 50
Turkeysper lb. 9c; each	10	to	1 30
MEATS, HIDES, ETC.	#1	40	54
Beef, quarters, per lb	6	to	
Mutton, quarters, per lb		to	6
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Lamb, quarters, per 1b	19		. 8
Lamb, quarters, per lb	00	to	5 40
Hides No. 1 per ib	4.4	to	41
Hides, No. 2, per lb	31	to	31
Hides, No. 3, per 1b	21	to	24
Calfskins, green, per lb	5	to	6
Sheepskins, each	60	to	90
lambskins, each	CO	to	90
Wool, per lb	16	to	19
Tallow, rendered, per lb	51	to	6
Tallo w.rough, per lb	24	to	3
VEGETABLES AND FRUI	T.		9 3
Apples, per bag	35	to	50
Grapes, per lb	6	to	10
Mellons, Citron	00	to	0.
Pears, per bu	90	to	1 0
Onions, per bu	70	to	3
Carrot, per bu	25	to	
Parsnins, per bu	40	to	4 2
Turning per bu	20		
Radishes, per doz. bunches	20		3
Colory per doz	90		4
Cabbages, per doz	15		
Conliflowers, per doz	50		6
Sounshes each	0		2
Pumpkins, each	9		1
Potatoes, per bag	40	to	5
HAV SPENS ETC.			
Hay per ton	00 01	to	11 0
Straw, per load	m 00	10	4 0
Wood, hard, per cord	4 75	to	5 0

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### SECRET AND OTHER SOCIETIES.

INDEPENDENT ORDER ODDFELLOWS-It is reported that Grand Sire Bushee

Grand Sire Busbee has so far recovered from his illness that he may be expected to return to the duties of his office some time in January.

The enterprising Oddfellows of Mount Brydges, not content with putting up the finest building in the village, are now preparing to institute an encampment. They expect to have this new enterprise under way in a very short time.

Dauncey Lodge, Thedford, has been defunct, practically, for some time, but there are good prospects for its resurrection. A few active members have the matter in hand, and the order will soon be revived in the village.

A lodge in the jurisdiction of New York \$1.50 to \$1.60 \$1.50 to \$1.60 Mrd 740 to 74c; bacon, \$16 to 164c; hams, 10c to 14c; theces, 164c to 16c; batter townships, 19c to 14c; theces, 164c to 1fc; ergs, 144c to 16c.

Rugistra, 180 to Frict eggs. 140 to 10c.
Rugitah Markets.
Beschohm's Report by Cable.
LONDON, Dec. 17.
seting cargoes... Wheat easier; corn none,
rgoes on passage... Wheat very slow, corn
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Mark Lans—Spot good No. 2 club Cal, wheat 250 2d, was 250 6d; present and following month 250 3d, was 305 6d; do, good Danied American corn 32s, was 250 6d; good Danied American corn 32s, was 250 6d; good mired American corn 32

Teely; corn steady, demand improving.

Toronto Market.

Toronto. Dec. 17.

WHEAT—Manitoba hard. No. 1. SI 62 to \$1 62:
Manitoba hard. No. 2. Spe to \$1: Manitoba
hard. No. 3. Sic to 156: spring. No. 1. Sic to 52c:
red winter. No. 2. 52c to 53c.
PAHLEY—No. 1. 55c to 55c: No. 3 extra, toc
to 52c: No. 2. 52c to 53c. No. 3, 48c to 59c.
PEAS—No. 2. 62c to 53c.
CORN—10c to 71c.

1891, at London, J. D. McIlwain, commander.

A great many often wonder why British or Canadian veterans do not organize after the manner of the United States soldiers. South of the boundary line there is nothing that keeps patriotism alive more than the Grand Army of the Republic, and one of the most inspiring sights is the annual parades on Decoration Day in the several cities.

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\$\frac{1}{16}\$ HOGS deressed \( -\) \\$5 to \\$5 40.

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RYE - 91c to \\$92c.

HAY - Timothy, \\$11 50 to \\$12.

BUCKWHEAT - 55c to \55c.

Sales - No. 2 fall outside at \\$9c; buckwheat outside at \\$25c; No. 3 barley outside at \\$48c, and \\$No. 3 \extra at \\$44c to \\$5c; peas outside at \\$1c\$ to \\$6c; oats on track at \\$35c, and large sales outside at \\$1c.

American Markets.

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BETROIT, Dec. 17.

WHEAT-No. 1 white. 2de bid cash; No. 2

red, 9ije cash and Dec., \$1 1ij May.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 17.

WHEAT-Quiet; 83c cash and Dec., 92ic
May.

OSWEGO, Dec. 16,
WHEAT—Unchanged; white State at \$1 02;
red State at \$1 03.
CORN—Dull; No. 2 western at 67c.
OATS—Market inactive; No. 1 white at 45c.
CANADA BARLEY—Market dull and lifeces; extra No. 2 Canada nominally at 57c.

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CHICAGO, Dec. 17.
WHEAT—Dec., 60\(\)c; May, 90\(\)c; CORN—Dec., 48\(\)c; Jan., 43\(\)c; May, 90\(\)c;
ORN—Dec., 32c; May, 22\(\)c; CORN—Dec., 32c; May, 22\(\)c; PORK—Jan., 811 10; May, 81 55 to 811 57\(\)\text{J.ARD—Jan., \$817\(\); May, \$6 36\(\)\text{J.ARD—Jan., \$817\(\); May, \$6 36\(\)\text{J.ARD—Jan., \$817\(\)\text{J.May}, \$6 36\(\)\text{J.May}, \$6 88\(\)

Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, Dec. 17.—Oil opened to-day at \$1 321, and closed at \$1 33.



Corn. 150,000 Oats. 173,000

Hye. 30,000 Barley. 44,000

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.

FLOUR—Unchanged and weak.

WHEAT—Receipts. 160,500 bus: exports,
388,583 bu; sales, 2,032,000 bu futures, 199,000 bu
spot: spot irregular; No. 2 red, \$1.04; to
\$1.051, store and elevator; options closed firm;
\$1.052, bus red, \$1.052; March, \$1.052;

Jam., \$1.052; Feb., \$1.052; March, \$1.052;

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April, \$1.083,000 bu futures; 114,000 bu spot;
spot higher; No. 2, 57c to 69c, elevator; 58c to
60c afloat; ungraded mixed, 47c to 58c; options,
December closed 2c over yesterday; other
months firm, \$c. to 13 advance; Dec., 594c; Jam.,
548c; Feb., 534c; March, 53c; May, 514c.

OATS—Receipta, \$8,150 bu; sales, 435,000 bu
futures; 114,000 bu spot; spot stronger; options
firmer; Dec., 408c; Jan., 395c; May, 395c; No.
2 spot, 40c to 414c; mixed western, 38c to 414c;
white do, 39c to 445c.

SUGARt—Easy; standard "A," 4 3-16c; cutloaf and crushed, 54c; powdered, 45c; granulated, 43c to 44c.

master's degree in Virginia lodge, Halifax, in 1813.

In 1813.
At the regular meeting of Barton Lodge, Hamilton, Monday evening, Robert Hobson, W.M., was presented with a beautifully-illuminated congratulatory address, felicity illuminated congratulatory address, felicitating him upon his recent marriage. The presentation was made by Dr. Reynolds, and Mr. Hobson suitably repiied. Among those present was Bro. John Hobson, father of the worshipful master, and engineer of the great tunnel at Sarnia, who was specially honored by the lodge.

An eminent Masonic writer says that 100 years ago there were not 2,000 lodges and scarcely 50,000 members in the world. Now there are over 20,000 lodges and some 3,000,000 members, the income from all

3,000,000 members, the income from sources being about \$30,000,000.

Georgia has over 500 Masonic lodges.

London—Good shipping No. I Cal. promote self is 8d. was 4is; nearly due 43s ed, was 4i

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SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

Mr. Krikwood, the new mehrer of the Outario Legislature for East Wellington. New Brunswick Sons of Temperance report a net loss of 683 members for the past year, but the grant is a separade the part war, but the part war, but the part was the part war, but the field.

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Perfoles, Dec. 17.—Oil opened to-day at \$1 \$2], and closed at \$1 33.

Live Stock Markets.

Buffelo, N. Y. Dec. 17.—Cattle—Only a few lots of stragglers on sale. Market nominal. Calves higher for choice vessis also at 74.

On Oct. 31 the total number of Maccabees in Michigan was \$1,000.

NATIONAL UNION.

The regular monthly meeting was held on Wednesday evening, Dec. 9, a large of which were Canadas, and 15 cars Canadas came in late. Market fair, and some fine Canada fambs sold up to \$5 t

Quartermaster-Genoral.

The familiar proverb, "what is good for man is good for his beast" is fully understood by all horsemen from the turf to the farm, from the stable to the saddle. Very high authorities on the subject of horse and cattle ailments, concur in the opinion of General Rufus Ingalls, late Quartermaster-General, U. S. Army, who says "St. Jacob's Oil is the best pain-cure we ever used. It conquers pain." This department has the custody and treatment of army horses and mules, and thousands are treated.

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MASONIC.

Word has been received of the death of W. Bro. Hugh Noble, master of Qu'Appelle Valley Lodge, Man., which occurred on Saturday bec. 4, and the remains were interred with Masonic ceremonies on Monday.

A Masonic lodge in New York has a Chinaman for senior steward. The Celential was initiated, passed and raised in the same lodge. There are Freemasons in every civilized land throughout the world.

Hon. Samuel Chipman, who celebrated his 101st birthday on Oct. 18, and died on Nov. 10, is believed to have been the oldest freemason in the world, having taken a fixed part of the day. Judge Sinclair also acquired considerable reputation as an author, and several works from his talented pen are new in use as legal text books.

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The sale of portiere curtains at A. Screaton & Co.'s, yesterday was a success, for the crowd continued all day, and many were the exclamations of delight and surprise at the magnificent display and cheapness of the day. Judge several works from his talented pen are new in treatment of the death of W. Bro. Hugh Noble, master of Qu'Appelle Valley Lodge, Man., which occurred on Saturday on the several works from his talented pen are new in treatment of the death of W. Bro. Hugh Noble.

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BURNED OUT.

Bristol, Tenn., Dec. 17.—Two pistol shots attracted the police to the Belt Line car sheds last night, which they found burning. Jack Overstreet, the watchman, was found in the ashes, and it is thought he was murdered. Loss, \$20,000.

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Business Troubles.

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then I said that she was an active young person; and now about the other one, Erle?"

And Fay, standing close in her little form, whispered softly, "No, no, my honny Herle?"

Well," Erle began again, but this time he utterly broke down; for how was he to describe this girl with her beautiful frank mouth, and her soft smiling eyes; he had mever found out their color at all; would Fay understand if he told her of the prightliness and sweetness that, in his opinion, made Fern so peculiarly attractive to him. But, to his astonishment, Fay grasped the whole situation in a moment. "Oh, you need not tell me, you poor boy," she said, with a knowing nod of her end; "so it is not the young lady with the go in her, though she does dance like a bird; it is this other one with the fair hair and the pretty smile. "How do you know, you little witch?" returned Erle, staring at her with an honest boyish blush on his face; "do you know you speak so rudely, is niece to a somess?"

FlyCell, what of that?" responded Fay, soorniuly; "if your lady-love be poor, Erle, you are rich anough for both;" but he lastrupted her with an alarmed air. "That is the worst of chattering to swonan," he said, in a lofty way. "If you give them an inch, they take an ell; who said I was in love with either of them? Do you know my uncle has spoken to me about Miss Selby; he says she is a fine girl and after his own heart; and he has given me a strong hint that an engagement with er will be greatly for my interest." But Fay turned a deaf ear to all this. "And the fair-haired girl with the protysmile; if you marry her, Erle?"

"In that case, my uncle would refuse to have anything more to do with me. No fouth the would disjnherit me as he did his neir. Ah, it is all very well talking, Fay," and here Erle looked at her rather gloomly. "In have never learned to work, and I should make a pretty mess of my life; it would be poor Mrs. Trafford's experience over again. And he shook his head when have nough to derest her and would refuse to have anything more to d

over again," And he shook his head when Fay suggested that Hugh should let him have one of his farms. He knew nothing about farming; a little Latin and Greek, a smattering of French and German, were his chief acquirements. "I should have to turn boatman, or starve. No, no, Fay; I must not swamp my own prospects for a mere sentimental idea; and after all, Miss Selby is every nice."

Selby is very nice."

Fay was very angry with him when he said this, for she had taken a curious fancy to this Fern Trafford, but Erle would not listen to her; he got up and shook himself, and walked to the window, and then very gravely proposed a game of snow-balling in

Fay thought he was serious, and expressed herself much shocked at the idea. Hugh would not like it, she was sure; one of the gardeners might see them. As it was, Hugh had told her that he was afraid the servants were not sufficiently in awe of her ever since they saw her playing hide and seek in the hall with Nero.

She confessed that she was very fond of it though, and had snow-balled Nero last year in the Daintree garden, and Aunt Griselda had not been shocked at all.

Griselda had not been shocked at all.

"Don't you sometimes wish you were back at Daintree?" asked Erle, turning round from the window and contemplating the pretty flushed face rather curiously.

"Oh, no," she returned, quickly; "how pan you ask me such a question, Erle? I could not imagine life without Hugh. Does it not seem strange?" she continued, seriously; "I have only been married about five months, and yet I find it impossible to imagine myself back at the cottage without Hugh."

"Do you know," observed Erle carelessly, as he sauntered back to the fireplace, "that I have been here ten days,
and must begin to think of my return? If
there be one thing I hate, it is outstay my
welcome. I should be afraid of boring you
both if I stayed much longer. Well, what
now?" breaking off in some surprise.

"Ah, Erle!" exclaimed Fay, sorrowfully,
the smiles and the dimples disappearing in
a moment, "you are surely not going away
yet. What shall I do without you?" continued the poor child. "Who will ride and
drive and skate with me when you are
gone?"

"Why your byshand to be sure." Ter-

"Why, your husband, to be sure," returned Erle, lightly; but he was watching her as he spoke, "You have not forgotten your husband, you naughty woman."

Fay never knew why a sudden sharp pang shot through her at Erle's carcless remark.

It had never occurred to her simple mind

LONDON CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC to question her husband's right to keep so entirely aloof from her, and to give her such fragments of his time. But now, as Erle speke, a dim unconscious feeling came

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THE RESURRECTION.

was risen from the dead? A truth broken gently, lest a too great surprise should be disastrous; hinted at first in the stone rolled from the grave; then in the empty tomb; then in the orderly arrangement of the grave-clothes; then by Christ himself, but by Christ disguised—as the gardener, as the stranger chancing to meet disciples on the road, as a fisherman upon the beach; at last with all disguise thrown off, and with the wounded hands and feet exhibited in demonstration of his personality.

When the disciples had recovered from the shock of surprise, there came next, gradually dawning upon them, the new demonstration which the resurrection affords of the power of Christianity, and the new interpretation of what Christianity

new interpretation of what Christianity means. If the reader will turn over the pages of the Book of Acts he will see that in the earlier sermons of the apostles little or no mention is made of the sacrificial character of Christ's sufferings and death. The atonement is scarcely mentioned. Little is said either of Christ as a teacher or Christ as an example. These are the aspects of his life which fill our modern thought; but they lay all in the background at first, and the prominent background at first, and the prominent truth was the truth of Christ's resurrection: "Whom God raised up, having loosed the pangs of death;" "Whom God raised from the dead, whereof we are witnesses;" "Him God raised up the third day, and gave him to be manifest, not to all the people, but unto witnesses that were chosen before of God, even to us;" "But God raised him from the dead, and he was seen for many days of them that came up with him from Galilee to Jerusalem;" "Whereof he hath given assurance unto all men in that he hath raised him from the dead." This is the burden of the early apostolic teaching.

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If Christianity is, as many men seem to imagine it to be, a system of ethies, a new and better promulgation of Thou shalt and Thou shalt not; if Calvary is only a new Mount Sinai, from which issues a purer law, enforced not by penalty, but by love, then there was no need of authentication. The resurrection would then be a mere spectacular incident. Belief in it would be of accordary moments almost none at all. For lar incident. Belief in it would be of secondary moment; almost none at all. For the final sanction of moral law always is, and always will be, in the conscience. No "Thou shalt" atter utter from without the soul can reverse the "Thou shalt" uttered within. But if Christianity is a promise, not a law, if Jesus Christ came to bestow, not to command, to offer pardon colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

During the greater part of December Mercury, Mars, Saturn and Uranus are morning stars, and Venus, Jupiter and Neptune evening stars.

"My father was nearly covered with Bolls. Burdock Blood Bitters cured him, and he has not been bothered since." F. Harris, Otterville, Ont.

The West End Railway of Boston is to treat its patrons to double decked street cars.

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Gradually grew out of the disciples' joy-ful realization of Christ's resurrection, a joyful realization of immortality with him. I enter into no disputed domain, I hazard no intelligent contradiction, in saying that prior to Christ's resurrection there was nowhere in the world any witalizing disprior to Christ's resurrection there was nowhere in the world any vitalizing faith in immortality. Pagan philosophers agreed philosophically in its possibility or probability, as pagan philosophers do now; but it afforded as little eomfort to Cicero as to John Stuart Mill, as little inspiration to Seneca as to Professor Clifford. Hope of immortality never painted a rainbow of promise on pagan tears. It never engraved a motto of hope on a pagan tombstone. There are isolated verses in the Old Testament which indicate that occasional prophets of Isreal, in moments of old Testament which indicate that of casional prophets of Isreal, in moments of supreme inspiration, experienced a moment ary hope respecting the future; but these isolated utterances are like gleams of sunshine breaking through a tempestnens sky, while the wind still sweeps through the skeleton trees, and the rain still falls in dreary torrents. There is not a patch of blue sky—not even in the Psalms of anguine David of the visions of hepired lasish.

Isaiah.

Christ's resurrection brought life and immortality to light. It converted the fabric of a dream into a historic reality; it transformed a dispairing hope into a calm assurance. To the believer in Christ's resurrection, immortality is no longer a hope. He looks in through the open door and sees the world of light beyond, Once every woyager on the unknown sea was a Columbus, setting sail for he have not what. Now every Christian toyager is an

International Sunday School Lesson for Dec. 20, 1891—John, xxx, 114

AMAS TABLES CORRECTED TO NOV. 15, 1891.

Silverware,

English Plate, A novel wager is to be decided in Belfast, Me., where one man has bet \$5 that no man can drive a pig a mile without the porker turning to see who is driving, and another man has risked his dignity and \$5 to prove the contrary.

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KARNOHAN—WEBSTER—On Dec. 16, 1891, at the residence of the bride's mother, Maple Grove, London township, by the Rev. John Webster, uncle of the bride, assisted by the Rev. Heber Crews, George F. Karnohan, of this city, to Harriet Alice, daughter of the late Robert Webster, and niece of the Rev. Thomas Webster, D.D., of Newbury.

\*\*VORKE—RALPH—On Dec. 16, 1891, at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. st. Adams, Harrietsville, Kenry H. Yorke, to Jennie E. Ralph, both of Harrietsville.

STATE—On Wednesday, Dec. 16, iu London township, Mrs. Mary Draper State, wife of the late James State, daughter of William Draper, Esq., of Rosconnish, Rosconnion nounty, Leitrim, Ireland, aged 66 years.
Funeral will leave her late residence, lot 13, con. 4, London township, on Saturday, 31, con. 4, London township, on Saturday, 31, con. 4, London township, on Saturday, 32, con. 4, London township, on Saturday, 25, con. Funeral will leave the state of the saturday of the satu DIED.

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TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 17—11 p.m.—Fine cold weather and higher pressure is now throughout the lake and eastern districts. In the Northwest normal pressure and comparatively maid, fair weather prevails.

Minimum and maximum temperatures.
Calgary, 26°—66°: Edmonton, 36°—50°; Qu'Appelle, 18°—40°; Winnipeg. 2° below 26°; Port Arthur, 4° below—18°; Toronto, 3°—15°; Kingston, zero—36°; Montreal, 4° below—8°; Quebec, 8° below—14°; Halifax, 18°—39°.

Local temperatures—Highest, 16°; low-Local temperatures-Highest, 16°; low-

est, 13°.

To-day's probabilities.

Toronto, Dec. 18-1 a.m.—The indications for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: East to south winds, fair weather; higher temperatures.

London Advertiser.

Telephone Numbers:

167. Business office, 154. Editorial Rooms.

-One drunk was in the Police Court g—One drunk was in the Police Court dock yesterday morning.

—Michael Lalley, a cigarmaker, living in the castend, was remanded for a week by the policemagistrate yesterday morning on a charge of stealing an overcoat from James' Hotel Wednesday.

—The sum of \$42 65 contributed in London in the interest of Algoma and Northwest Evangelical and Colportage Mission is gratefully acknowledged by George Buskin, missionary.

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gratefully acknowledged by George Buskin, missionary.

—K. R. Robinson, Portage la Prairie, formerly of this city, writes to a friend saying that he had been caught in a northwest blizzard recently and had his hands, ears and feet badly frozen, but is now geting around all right.

—"An Old Subscriber" (Wyoming) asks if there are any children in the children's homes of London under 18 months old, as he wishes to adopt a baby girl about that age. Would the secretaries kindly supply the information for publication. References are promised in due course.

A. Smith & Co., cigar manufacturers of London, having purchased the piant and stock of the Globe Tobacco Works, intend to give their long experience in the tobacco business for the furtherance of their new undertaking. Owing to the fact that the goods placed upon the market will be of the finest quality only.

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A. Smith & Co., cigar manufacturers of legs, "greasing the track," as he says. His real name and residence are unknown.

—Rev. George Boyd, city, will preach the lamb exposed for sale on the market a feed dedicatory sermons on Sunday morning in the new Methodist Church at Ilderton, Rev. F. Ballantyne, Lobo, in the afternoon, and Rev. B. F. Austin, St. Thomas, in the evening; and Thomas McCormick, city, will be chairman at a tea meeting on Monday evening, when addresses will be decided on the discontinuous control of the first the condition of the lungs of the lamb exposed for sale on the market a few days ago by William Sanders, of West-minster, that it certainly had tuberculosis (consumption). He examined it carefully with a microscope, in conjunction with Dr. J. D. Wilson, and both agreed on the discontinuous conditions of the lungs of the first the condition of the lungs of the lamb exposed for sale on the market a few days ago by William Sanders, of West-minster, that it certainly had tuberculosis (consumption). He examined to carefully with a microscope, in conjunction with Dr. J. D. Wilson, and both agreed on the discontinuous consumption with Dr. Sanders of the lungs of the lamb exposed for sale on the market a feed days ago by William Sa

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-Rev. J. A. R. Dixon, B. D., Ph. D.,
president of the Ontario Provincial Y. P.S.
C. E., is announced to preach in St. James'
Presbyterian Church a week from next

after the new year.

—Oscar Orr, Battleford, and William
Orr, Mosomin, who have been in the
Northwest about fifteen years and give a
glowing account of the prospects there, are
the guests of their brother-in-law, John
Sussex, city, this week.

livered by Rev. Messrs. Courtice, Russell, Birks, Ballantyne, Middleton, Thompson, Kennedy, Carcy, Diehl, and others. Pro-fessor Birks, city, will conduct the musical

-The closing exercises of Talbot street —The closing exercises of Tabor stree-school kindergarten took place yester-day in the presence of interested friends and relatives of the young participants. Marches and songs by the little ones were executed to everybody's admiration. Rev. Ira Smith and School Trustee A. O. Jeffery then handed useful and A. O. Jeffery then handed useful and ornamental presents from a Christmas tree to delighted recipients. The former made a few remarks and voiced the general regret at the departure of Miss Campbell, the directress, who has gone to Tilsonburg, Her assistants, Misses Shopland, Taylor and Dennis, were complimented for their excellent services in the past term.

—The applications of Misses Irwin, Effic Johnston, M. Hawken, Kate Colquboun, M. K. Sharp and L. Brett for positions on the city teachers' staff were referred to the inspector to reportupon by No. I Committee of the School Board Wednesday. Inspector Carson was exonerated from blame in connection with the King street school examinations. It was shown that he had credited pupils with passing, complaint having been law in this removed.

yesterday morning.

— James F. Burke, formerly secretary to the water commissioners, is in the city on a visit for the holidays.

— "Young Liberal" — If you address Pernin Shorthand Institute, Detroit, you will probably find what you want.

— All the snowplows were out yesterday for the first time, though not early enough to suit the convenience of many pedestrians.

— William Kennedy, of Detroit, formerly connected with the Advertiser establishment, is making a brief stay with his London friends.

— Wm. Anderson, of London West, has been committed to jail for not paying the terms of the properties of the properties

been committed to jail for not paying the \$1 fine imposed on him a few days ago by Squire Lacey.

—Elijah Ninham was allowed out on bail by the police magistrate yesterday on a charge of perjury. The trial was postponed until Dec. 23.

—Pablic school teachers are rapidly signing their contract agreements with the Board of Education for 1892, Saturday being the limit for so doing.

—The two new electric lights in South London will be placed on the corner of Edward street and Tecumseh avenue, and the corner of Queen street and Garfield avenue.

—Rev. J. A. R. Dixon, B. D., Ph. D., provided a Seventh Battalion intend to give a support of the

Sabbath.

—John Redmond, of Strathroy, was brought to jail yesterday morning. He was remanded by Police Magistrate Noble on a charge of assaulting, beating and wounding Jane Kerr, also of Strathroy, on Wednesday.

—The anniversary of St. Andrew's Church Sabbath school and presentation of medal by Mr. Hyman, M.P., to J. A. Bland, which was to have been held on Tuesday evening, has been postponed until after the new year.

Inibitions of tancy drill and other specialties have been prepared. To assist them the services of Sim Fax have been the secured, and that means a good supply of mirth. He has a provincial reputation as a humorist. "Sim Fax," says the St. Catharines Journal, "to use an old but trite phrase, was a whole show in himself, only a little more so," Alice Galbraith, the clever local dancer, and other first-class talent will contribute to the programme.

Dedicating a New Hall.

The new Oddfellows' Hall at Mount

turnished. The attempts to recover the valuables will be contiqued and if they are found the case will not be proceeded with.

—City Clerk Kingston has made another change in the locality of the polling booths of the municipal elections. Voters in subdivision 4 of Ward 5 will mark their ballots it the residence of J. A. Matthews, 921 Dafferia avenue, instead of at Thomas Tuxtord's house, as advertised.

—The grocers are not giving Christmas presents to customers this year. The custom has been discontinued by the majority of the grocers in this city for several years past, and this year they will all fall into line. Customers can, therefore, depend on getting full value for their cash, but no houns.

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that the sheep became over heated when being driven into the city, and aftewards caught a cold. The doctor says that tuber-culosis will not come in a day, or a week, or a month, but it takes time and is the development of genuine disease. In justice to Mr. Sanders it is alleged that the animal was purchased from a prominent breeder in Dunwich, the stock being apparently fine and healthy.

minimum; and no person will have the feeling that he is paying more than another person for the same opportunities of publicity in these columns.

Let it be understood, then, that the canvassing and other business representatives of the "Advertiser" Printing and Publishing Company are not authorized to vary rates, but that they will be happy to place their experience, their skill, and their best business suggestions at the service of our patrons in every other respect.

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James Gilmour, Mr. Saunders, R. M.
McElheran and others. The occasion was farmers' Institute meeting.
The Vetoria Bridge Damage.
Ald. Connor, chairman of No. 2 Committee, has taken action to prevent further touble at the south end of Victoria bridge. He has sent for Mr. Crouse, bridge builder, and the probability is that work will be at once begun to provide a stone abutment of a permanent character. Unless this is well done, there is a probability that a large portion of the bridge indigent the southern foundation of the bridge indigent the monocommissioned officers of the Seventh Battalion intend to give an an entire the services of the Seventh Battalion intend to give an sent the services of the Seventh Battalion intend to give an intended to the service was held on Tuckino, cannot be added to the service was held on Tuckino, cannot be added to the service was held on Tuckino, cannot be added to the service was held on Tuckino, and the southern foundation of the bridge in the service was held on Tuckino, and the southern foundation of the bridge in the service was held on Tuckino, and the southern foundation of the bridge in the service was held on Tuckino, and the southern foundation of the bridge in the service was held on Tuckino, and the southern foundation of the bridge in the service was held on Tuckino, and the service was held on Tuckino, and the southern foundation of the bridge in the service was held on Tuckino, and the southern foundation of the bridge in the service was held on Tuckino, and the search of the security of the church and the southern foundation of the bridge in the security of the church and the southern foundation of the bridge in the municipal current would be washed away before spring, and the southern foundation of the bridge in the southern foundation of the bridge in the security of the church was taken the security of the church was taken the work with the security of the church was taken the work with the security of the church was taken the security of the church was taken

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Masonic Celebrations. Masonic Celebrations.
Wednesday night R. Wor. Bro. Robson, of Ilderton, paid an official visit to St. John's Lodge, 200a, city. He was received with the grand honors and cordially welcomed by Wor. Bro. Stephenson, the retiring W. M. The D. D. G. M. at the close of the work expressed himself as thoroughly satisfied with what he had observed. An adjournment was afterwards made to the adjournment was afterwards made to the

adjournment was afterwards made to the banquetting chamber, where a pleasant hour was spent.

At the regolar communication of King Solomon Lodge, No. 378, A. F. and A. M., London West, Wednesday, the attendance of visitors and members was large. Among the former were V. W. Bro. Hess, W. Bro. Karl and Bro. B. Drake, from St. Thomas lodges. After routine, W. Bros. Burke and Thornton were named scrutineers, and the election of officers took place as followsand Thornton were named scrutineers, and
the election of officers took place as followsI. P. M., W. Bro. H. C. Symonds; W. M.,
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Spence; treasurer, R. W. Bro. John Simpson; secretary, Bro. Wm. Nicholis; representative to the Benevolent Poard, W.
Bro. B. J. Nash; auditors, Bros.
Essery and Bartram; tyler, Bro. W.
H. Greenway. It was announced
that the officers would be installed in the
Masonic Blue Room, city, on St. John's
Day evening. The breaken were

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