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City of London Election.

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The People's Candidate.

A Standard-Bearer Fallen

Death of Rev. Charles Haddon Spurgeon.

The Distinguished Divine Passes Away at Mentone—Biographical Sketch of the Popular Preacher.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Rev. Chas. H. Spurgeon died at Mentone at 11:05 to-night.

Mr. Spurgeon died shortly after 11 o'clock to-night. He had been unconscious since this morning, and had not recognized his wife and daughter. He refused all food, and although milk was forced down his throat it was not retained. A host of telegrams of sympathy have been received here to-day by members of the dead pastor's family. At 10 p.m. Mr. Spurgeon was seen to be sinking fast, and all hope after that hour was abandoned.

Mr. Spurgeon's end was painless. He remained unconscious to the last. His wife, Dr. Fithenry and Miss Thorne were present when he died.

Rev. Charles Haddon Spurgeon was one of the most widely-known clergymen in the world. He was born at Kelvedon, Eng., June 19, 1834, was educated at Colchester and Cambridge, and afterward became usher in a school at Newmarket. Some of his relatives proposed that he should enter one of the independent colleges, but as he had adopted Baptist views he joined one of their congregations at Cambridge. It was at Feversham, near Cambridge, that he delivered his first sermon in 1850. He was then 16 years old. Soon afterward he accepted an invitation to become pastor at Waterbeach. He soon became a well-known character. The chapel at Waterbeach was filled and he drew crowds that overflowed it. Invitations to preach were sent young Spurgeon from surrounding places. His fame reached London, and he was offered the pastorate of one of the city churches. He first preached in Southwark, London, in 1853, being then 19 years old. He met with so much success that before two years had passed it was considered necessary to greatly enlarge the chapel. The enlargement, however, proved insufficient, and his hearers multiplied so rapidly that it became expedient to engage the Surrey Music Hall. In 1861 the Metropolitan Tabernacle was opened and in this church Mr. Spurgeon preached for 30 years, during which period his fame constantly increased. Mr. Spurgeon published his weekly sermons for 36 years. He also published "The Treasury of David," an exposition of the Psalms in seven volumes. In 1856 Mr. Spurgeon founded the Pastors' College, which has educated over 700 men, afterward engaged as Baptist pastors, missionaries and evangelists. The Stockwell Orphanage, founded in 1867 by Mr. Spurgeon, has received more than 1,000 children. The Metropolitan Tabernacle Colportage Association has 80 or 90 agents, occupying districts in different parts of England. Mr. Spurgeon also established years ago a "book fund" which has distributed free of cost over 80,000 volumes to indigent ministers of various denominations. Mr. Spurgeon was very much loved by his people. In 1879 he received a silver wedding testimonial amounting to nearly $30,000, and in 1884—when 50 years old—another sum of $25,000. He devoted all these sums to charity. No English minister of the Gospel of this generation has approached Mr. Spurgeon in fame, popularity or efficient work. Of late years he had been a great sufferer from gout, and recently the disease attacked his hands and head, culminating in his death, as announced to-night.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—At all the services held yesterday in the Metropolitan Tabernacle, of which Mr. Spurgeon was pastor, the auditorium was packed. Rev. Mr. Pierson and others offered earnest prayers at the services and read to the congregations telegram bulletins from Mentone.

Morning papers contain long memoirs on Mr. Spurgeon. The Chronicle appears with a mourning border. It compares the dead pastor to Martin Luther. The Telegraph characterizes him as a "great, fearless and faithful minister." It adds: "Albeit of homely genius and eloquence, all agree that he leaves a void that will be filled with difficulty."

Mr. Spurgeon's body will be taken to England for burial. Mrs. Spurgeon is bearing her affliction bravely. Early Sunday morning it was evident that there was no hope for Mr. Spurgeon. Once or twice he just recognized his wife. After 10 a.m. he took no food and gradually sank. His friends had been confident that he would recover, because his last attack was milder than the previous one, but the gout reached his head and congestion of the kidneys returned. Between his attacks of suffering on Saturday he was able to speak, and expressed himself as anxious to send a message to his congregation. He thought constantly of his wife.

Steamship Arrivals.

Jan. 30.	At	From
Labrador	Halifax	Liverpool
La Gagscogne	London	New York
Pennland	New York	Antwerp
Fulda	New York	Genoa
City of Chicago	New York	Liverpool

Governor McKinley is seriously ill with inflammation of the bowels.

How Will It End?

Manifesto From the Russian Zemstovs.

The Czar Held Responsible for the Critical State of Affairs.

Siberia and the Jails Filling Up With Suspected Persons.

Great Hostility Shown to Foreigners by the Chinese People—Followers of the Red Flag on Trial in England.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The Daily Graphic puplishes a manifesto which it says has been issued by the Russian Zemstovs (local administrative bodies), which are composed of country gentlemen and land owners, on the famine in Russia and the inadequacy of the Government measures to afford relief. The Globe and other papers, commencing upon this manifesto, declare that it is the most remarkable expression of public opinion Russia has ever given. The lotteries for the benefit of the famine fund, and the way in which public benevolence is systematically thwarted, is especially condemned. The manifesto declares that Tolstoi's efforts to lighten the sufferings of the famine-stricken people are only tolerated because he is a celebrity. It continues:

"The Government, armed with the weapons of a State siege, is filling Siberia and the jails with suspected persons, fearing a revolutionary propaganda. This Government, which has robbed us of all the reforms inaugurated by Alexander I., and which has deprived society from taking any part in public life, has brought to Russia starvation. Such a Government cannot solve the present problem with its own forces. This calamity is only in its initial stage; the spring will disclose its actual proportions. How will it end if the Government does not change its attitude? Society is in a state of bankruptcy, political enfeeblement and dismemberment. Russia, in a popular rising, would be deluged with her people's blood. No one can foresee the end."

Owing to the revelation of extensive frauds in the corn trade, 148 cases of adulteration having been discovered in a fortnight, the Zemestov of the Province of Penza has appointed a special committee to inspect every consignment of corn.

TROUBLE IN CHINA.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 31.—Special telegrams of a disquieting nature have been received here from Ichang, on the Yang-tse-Kiang, 950 miles from its mouth, and from Chung-king, on the same river, 1,250 miles from its mouth. Both these cities are comparatively near the Province of Hunan, from which Province were the prime organizers in the recent disturbances. Ichang was the scene of a riot and massacre of Christians during the late troubles. The telegrams above referred to state that great hostility is being showed toward foreigners, and it is feared that further trouble will follow. The British gunboat Esk, three guns, is stationed at Ichang, and the natives have shown a menacing attitude toward that vessel.

A GOOD EXAMPLE.

LISBON, Jan. 31.—A letter from King Charles is published in which he says that to show an example of the sacrifices necessary to be made in order to retrieve the national financial situation he himself will forego receiving one-fifth of his civil list. The King has a civil list of 365,000 milreis. The Queen has a grant of 60,000 milreis. The total of the grants to the royal family amounts to 571,000 milreis.

FLOODS IN THE SCOTTISH HIGHLANDS.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Severe floods prevail in the Scottish Highlands, owing to a thaw, which has melted enormous quantities of snow and ice in the mountains. A part of the city of Perth, which lies on the right bank of the River Tay, is inundated, and in many portions of the country the railways have been flooded. The valley of Kyle of Sutherland, near the northern extremity of Scotland, has been converted into an immense lake, causing great loss of property and considerable distress among the people.

SOCIALISTS ON TRIAL IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The six men arrested recently in connection with the dynamite plot of the Socialists' Club at Walsall were formally charged Friday morning before the local police magistrate at Walsall, near Birmingham.

The names of the conspirators are Victor Cailes, aged 33, engine driver; Frederick Charles, alias Slaughter, aged 27, clerk; Joseph Thomas Deakin, clerk; John Westley, aged 32, brushmaker; William Ditchfield, aged 33, hame filer, and John Bartola, alias Devanavoofi, aged 30, shoemaker. The charge against them is that they had in their possession or under their control certain explosive substances.

Mr. Young said that the charge was made under the Explosive Substances Act of 1883, the fourth section of which provided that any person who made or had under his control any of the things specified should be guilty of felony, and liable to a period of penal servitude not exceeding fourteen years, or imprisonment not exceeding two years. The fifth section provided that any person who was accessory should also be guilty of felony, and the ninth that explosive substances should be deemed to include any substances for making any material or implement for use in making explosives. It was shown that Charles and Cailes were found at the Socialists' Club; Charles had a loaded revolver; they had a model of a bomb and instructions for the manufacture of explosives. Deakin was arrested outside the Tottenham Court road police station, London, where he was passing with a parcel containing a cigar box under his arm. In the box was found a bottle labeled "chloroform." Deakin, said Chief Constable Taylor, during the course of his testimony, subsequently gave him a written confession of complicity in the dynamite plot and then threw himself upon the floor, crying: "I have done wrong. They will kill me." The chief constable denied that he had used pressure to extort the confession. The specimen bomb produced in court was shown to be of a most deadly character. After some further testimony the hearing was adjourned until Wednesday next.

For several months the chiefs of the criminal investigation department in London had been aware that the details of a scheme of an important nature for simultaneous outrages on the 1st of May in the principal capitals of Europe were being arranged by continental outlaws in England, and the infernal machinery which was intended to be used was, for the most part, being manufactured in this country.

SERFDOM IN RUSSIA.

PARIS, Jan 31.—According to advices from St. Petersburg, the Czar intends to initiate measures for the restoration of serfdom among the peasants. Reports from many district officials have concurred in the statement that the increase of population in the villages is so great that the land belonging to the "Mirs" or local communes is insufficient to support all the members. The Government, with the view of remedying the evil, proposes to allocate to the peasants vast tracts of land under conditions similar to those of serf tenure.

TWENTY DROWNED!

Loss of the British Ship Ferndale and Her Crew.

ASTORIA, Ore., Jan. 31.—The British ship Ferndale, coal laden, went ashore Friday morning, five miles north of the entrance to Gray's harbor. Twenty of the crew, including the officers, were drowned. Three of the crew reached shore alive.

Where the Ferndale went ashore is 70 miles north of the mouth of the Columbia River. The wreck occurred at daylight. Twenty lives were lost, including that of Capt. Blair. The dead body of the mate encased in a life preserver has been found on the beach, but none of the other bodies are yet recovered. The vessel is reported a total loss. She sailed from Newcastle, N. S. W., Nov. 6 for Portland, Ore. The scene of the wreck was a mile from where the Abercorn was wrecked.

KILLED INSTANTLY.

Two Children Meet a Sad Fate—Fatal Collision of Freight Trains.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 31.—Yesterday morning an electric car on Rice street and West St. Paul line ran over two children named Fred and Rosa Keegan. Both were killed almost instantly.

MIDDLEGROVE, Ill., 31.—Two freight trains on the Iowa Central Railroad crashed together at this place yesterday morning. Engineer Jas. Edgar, of Marshalltown, Iowa, was instantly killed. Half a dozen other persons were injured, two of whom may not recover.

AFLOAT AND ASHORE.

Rescue of the Crew of the Tug Webster—Seven Fishermen Saved.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—A dispatch was received at the office of the street cleaning department from Vineyard Haven, Mass., that the crew of the tugboat Webster had been brought into port by the schooner Everett Webster. They were picked up 22 miles southeast of the Highlands of New Jersey. The tugboat sank at that point.

STURGEON BAY, Wis., Jan. 31.—The seven fishermen who drifted out on an ice floe were rescued after being afloat for 48 hours. They were all right.

Hebrew Exiles in New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The steamship Massilia, which arrived here Saturday night, brought 258 Hebrews who had been expelled from Russia. Upon the guarantee of the United Hebrew Charities of this city 198 were allowed to land on condition they would immediately leave for the State of Washington. Sixty were detained as paupers.

Something Wrong with the Tea.

KINGSTON, Feb. 1.—Mrs. Blackwell, of Wolfetown, Renfrew county, is reported to have poisoned the tea prepared for a meal. Her husband detected the fact that there was something wrong with the tea and accused his wife of having placed poison in it. She denied the accusation, and to prove that the beverage was not poisoned she drank a cup of the tea. She was taken ill in a short time and died before a doctor, who was summoned, reached her.

Hidden Wealth Discovered.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Feb. 1.—John Sprengel, a workman in a lithographing establishment here, died last Friday. Yesterday in an old trunk the family found $16,000 in cash, three life insurance policies for $6,000 and a building association account for $800. None of Sprengel's family, with all of whom his relations were entirely happy, had ever been apprised by him of the existence of any of the valuable contents of the trunk.

In Hot Haste, But Too Late.

PARIS, Feb. 1.—There were many exciting scenes at the various French ports yesterday owing to the efforts of shipmasters and consignees to get their cargoes entered at the custom house before the new commercial arrangements went into effect. Several Spanish wine steamers arrived at Bordeaux at a minute before 6 o'clock last night. Their captains had pushed their vessels at their top speed to make port so that the wine they carried might escape the new tariff, and they were indignant when they went to enter their vessels and cargoes to find the custom house closed for the day, business being suspended at 6 o'clock sharp.

Murdered by a Barkeeper.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 1.—At Green Bay, Wis., Saturday night, three young men who went to the saloon of Chas. Van Loonan attacked the keeper, when the latter set his bull dog on his customers and began a fusilade with his revolvers. Chas. View was shot dead and a companion probably fatally wounded and another shot in the arm. Van Loonan was arrested.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 1.—The saloon of S. H. Brenner was wrecked by explosion by dynamite yesterday. B. Davis, bartender, whom Brenner had discharged lately, was arrested, charged with the crime. He confessed he had blown up the saloon for revenge.

A Steamer in Peril.

LONDON, Eng., Feb. 1.—The steamer Eider, New York for Bremen, is ashore on the Atherfield rocks, Isle of Wight. A gale is prevailing and heavy seas are breaking over her. Several tugs and lifeboats have reached her and have taken off the mails. It is believed that the passengers are all safe. The Eider is a first-class ocean passenger vessel. It is believed she had no pilot on board, and that Capt. Heinck lost his reckoning by not seeing the Needle's light, which was obscured by the fog. Government tugs will endeavor to get the steamer off. She is lying in an easy position and no damage is reported.

Twelve passengers have been landed by life boats. Two other life boats have reached the stranded steamer and are giving all the aid possible. The landed passengers report the Eider has sustained no damage. A strong southwest wind is blowing

The Political Situation.

Government Holding Back Writs for Various Elections.

The N. P. Played Out in East Bruce—Minister Thompson to Stump Ontario—Election in Cumberland, N.S.

The bye-election for the House of Commons in Cumberland, N. S., resulted in the return of A. W. Dickey, Conservative.

A private letter from East Bruce states that the National Policy has fallen so low there that none are so poor as to do it honor. The Government candidate, Mr. Cargill, a man who frequently voted for the National Policy in Parliament, has swallowed that policy, neck and crop, and is going round among the Patrons of Industry cackling for free trade. The farmers, however, realize that his conversion is too sudden to last beyond polling day, and Mr. Truax's chances of re-election are reported to be excellent.

It should not be forgotten that the Government is holding back the writs for new elections in many places where they fear a Liberal success. Quebec West, Two Mountains, Vaudreuil, Brome, West Northumberland, East Simcoe, South Perth, Monck, South Ontario and West Huron are samples of such constituencies.

An Ottawa press dispatch says the Minister of Justice received a telegram early this morning asking him to go west to take a hand in the political campaign. He will probably speak in Picton, Prince Edward and in London, but as yet no arrangements have been made to that effect.

C. P. Bill has been nominated by the Conservatives to contest Kings county, N. S., for the House of Commons.

EAST ELGIN WORKING LIBERALS.

AYLMER, Jan. 30.—At the regular annual meeting of the East Elgin Reform Association held in the town hall, Aylmer, yesterday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President for Dominion purposes, J. Campbell, St. Thomas; president for local purposes, Dr. C. Sinclair, Aylmer; vice-president, Richard Locker; secretary-treasurer for Dominion purposes, W. Wickett; secretary-treasurer for local purposes, W. S. Caron. Dr. Wilson's prospects for election are conceded on all hands to be exceedingly bright.

Late Canadian News

Death of the Principal of Forest High School.

Jas. H. Philip, B.A., principal of Forest High School, died at 11 a.m. Saturday.

At Digby, N. S., the heaviest storm since 1886 has prevailed during the past 24 hours, accompanied by a terrific sea.

There were 101 deaths during the past week in Toronto, including 26 from pneumonia and bronchitis and 9 directly from grip.

About 1 o'clock this (Sunday) morning the Presbyterian Church at Prescott, with the manse, was burned. Loss about $18,000; insured for $8,000.

Mrs. Mather, wife of James Mather, architect, dropped dead Saturday morning at Ottawa while talking to her husband in their home. Heart disease.

Mrs. McClement, mother of W. T. McClement, science master in the Collegiate Institute, Ingersoll, has had to have a foot amputated on account of mortification resulting from chilblains.

Hon. J. Bresse, of Quebec, legislative councellor for Laurentides division, died Saturday afternoon in New York. Deceased was proprietor of one of the largest boot and shoe factories in Canada.

The Alexander House, Sarnia, of which David Fitzgibbon was landlord and Andrew Alexander, sen., owner, was burned Saturday morning. The building was insured for $1,500 and the furniture for $2,000.

A dispatch from Gladstone, Mich., says Jacob Utland, employed on the construction of the new docks there, was instantly killed Friday evening, being struck by a quantity of falling coal. Deceased was from Meaford, Ont.

Peter Kiel, of Wolfe Island, aged 80 years, was recently presented with a costly clock by the islanders as a token of esteem.

The new St. Paul's Church at Westport cost $4,000. The debt is $1,000. At the opening service on Sunday 35 candidates were confirmed.

Hon. Oliver Mowat will lecture on "Christianity and Some of Its Fruits" at St. James' Square Presbyterian Church, Toronto, on Friday evening.

The congregation of St. Andrew's Church, Pakenham, are proposing to build a new church. Three of the congregation have offered $1,000 each and two $500 each towards its erection.

Rev. F. A. Gill, Kingston, will be ordained and inducted into the charge of Unitarian Church, Arlington, Mass., on Thursday next. His salary will be $2,000 per year. Mr. Gill has been most successful at college and in the church.

While Mrs. Jacob Brown, who lives near Woodbridge, was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Edward Whittle, the chimney took fire. Mrs. Brown ran for assistance, and being missed after the fire a search revealed her dead body in a neighbor's yard.

Bogus Silver Coin.

LIMA, Ohio, Feb. 1.—Government detectives are swarming all over this section in their efforts to locate a mint which is turning out counterfeit dollars, halfs and quarters, pronounced by all experts to be the best ever turned out. The gang started in Buffalo, and have flooded all the towns along the lake to Detroit during the past three or four days.

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A STARTLING ADVENTURE!

A Young Londoner Fleeced by Mounted Robbers Near This City.

How He Was Attacked on a Lone Highway Near the Asylum—Heroic Effort to Procure Assistance—The Robbers Discovered.

A few evenings ago an excited individual rushed into the asylum building, grabbed the telephone and yelled for the police station. Into the bewildered ear of Sergeant McGuire he poured such a frenzied tale of woe that the official thought one of the patients had got loose and was exercising some wild fancy on him. By-and-bye one of the residents of the institution took charge of the instrument and informed the sergeant that the "excited individual" was a young man named Richard Williams, and that he and his companion—a son of Lieut.-Col. Dawson—had been waylaid on a sideroad by mounted robbers, who stripped him (Williams) of his pocket-money, while one of them fired a revolver at him, and the bullet had grazed his (Williams') shoulder. The county constabulary were notified and the local machinery of that mighty engine set in motion. Next morning the public were startled by a sensational report of highway robbery a la Jesse James, just outside the city limits. A reporter called on the victim of this strange adventure the following day but he had hardly recovered from the terrible shock and the scribe could obtain no information. His companion, however, volunteered the statement that it was "all a bloody trick."

Detective Allen took the case in hand and after a good deal of trouble ascertained that two of the four horses ridden by the young men interested had been hired from Fulcher's riding school and that the other two belonged to Col. Dawson. Gradually the detective probed into the particulars and it so weighed on the boys' minds that they finally gave the history of the whole affair.

Williams had for some time past been depicting the many thrilling adventures and wonderful feats of which he had been the hero during his life on the Wild West plains. To test his supposed bravery, and probably to put an end to the stirring stories, young Mr. Dawson and two other companions concocted a plan. The three decided that Williams and themselves should go out riding a certain night. Monday, Jan. 18, was the date fixed. Accordingly the intended robbers started out at the appointed time, disguised so that they would not be recognized. On a sideroad north of the asylum they met Williams and Dawson, and while one of them took after the latter the other held up the former and demanded his money, which he promptly got—50 cents. To bring Williams to a standstill a horse pistol loaded with powder only had been discharged, but where the bullet that W. said had grazed his shoulder had come from is unknown. A vivid imagination may account for it. As soon as the would-be robber let him go he manfully recovered and rode like the wind for the asylum to give the alarm, as he knew not what might have happened poor Dawson. His heroic anxiety to procure assistance for his comrade was commendable. The other three followed him and endeavored to catch him, but he was too fast. They then rode to Dawson's barn to see if Williams had returned, but he had not. Dawson then started east on Dundas street, and met him near the city limit. Williams on seeing a horseman coming wheeled around, and only the familiar voice of his friend reassured him.

Williams was kept in utter ignorance of the whole plan of his comrades for four days. The quartet were taken before Crown Attorney Hutchinson, and were threatened with prosecution. They paid all costs and were allowed to go. Very little is heard now about the Wild West.

MILLIONS OF MONEY.

Gold Quarried Like Stone—The Wildest Excitement Prevails Over the Richest Strike Ever Made.

FLORISSANT, Col., Feb. 1.—The first claim located in the Cripple Creek district was the El Paso or Womack claim, which was staked and worked by Robert Womack, the cowboy who left the round-up to dig for gold. This mine is located on the west side of Cripple Creek, a little above the town of Fremont. At the depth of 40 feet Mr. Womack found a thin lead of whitish quartz and talc which assayed above $100, but the vein was thin and soon pinched out.

The claim was indifferently worked all last summer, a day or so at a time, and in the latter part of the summer work was discontinued. A little later Mr. Womack sold the claim and it was subsequently leased to F. F. Frisbie. Mr. Frisbie began work at once at a short distance southeast of the old shaft. He began an open cut in the side of the hill and had gone in but a few feet when he struck good ore. He first found a talcish quartzite in which free gold was found in great richness, assaying as high as $1,000.

Soon a bluish quartz was struck which proved to be tellurium and run on an average $300 per ton. There was a great abundance of this and it was quarried out like stone. The vein was fully fifteen feet thick. Mr. Frisbie run into it an open cut some 20 or 30 feet wide, blasting the rock out like lime kiln work and shipping many car loads.

The closing blast of a few evenings ago opened a vein of almost white quartz, which is sparkling in every part with plasters and pins of gold. It dazzled the eyes of those who saw it by lamp light and it took only a glance to see that it was the richest strike Cripple Creek has yet enjoyed. A large quantity of ore was immediately tested. It proved to carry 240 ounces of gold per ton.

The vein has been investigated. It is seven feet thick. The camp is wild over the strike. Yet those best posted as to the possibilities at Cripple Creek are not at all surprised. Indeed some of the best miners in the State who are here would not be surprised if nuggets weighing a ton were dug out of the smooth, grassy hill, so completely does this camp make an exception to all rules. Colonel Frisbie has gone to Colorado Springs with specimens of his new strike.

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INCIDENTS OF INTEREST.

The News of the Day, Culled and Condensed.

The Archbishop of Canterbury has issued a special prayer against influenza.

The highest tide in the Elbe since 1870 was experienced Sunday at Hamburg.

The United States Supreme Court has decided in favor of Boyd in the Nebraska governorship case.

The Pope celebrated mass in his private chapel on Sunday in the presence of a number of foreign visitors.

The death is announced in his 82nd year of Alex Rizoz Rangabe, the Greek poet, archæologist and statesman.

The Khedive was on Monday invested with the decoration of the Grand Cordon of the Legion of Honor of France.

Election riots are reported from several parts of Hungary. Many men were shot down and wounded by the authorities.

Watchman Love, of the Commercial Guano Works, was shot dead by burglars early Sunday morning at Savannah, Ga.

Eugene Carter is playing great billiards at Vignaux's rooms in Paris. He won the majority of the cushion carrom games from Vignaux last week.

The Journal Le Nord, which was long subsidized by the Russian Foreign Office, has ceased to be published, owing to the death of its editor.

The negotiations for a commercial treaty between France and the United States are dragging along, and it will be another week before they are completed.

The Odessa correspondent of the Daily News says: Hunger typhus is spreading alarmingly. The hospitals are filled and private buildings are being converted into hospitals.

A large force of police prevented the Socialists from holding their projected meeting at Chelsea on Sunday. There was considerable disorder, but the police suppressed the mob.

It is rumored that Prince Hassein, uncle of the Khedive, will shortly be called on to form a new Ministry, in which he himself will take the office of President of the Council and Minister of the Interior.

A dispatch from Rio Janeiro says that another attempt has been made to depose the Governor of the Province of San Paulo in Brazil, but that the uprising was again a failure.

H. H. Winans, a wealthy farmer, politician and church deacon of Franklin, Pa., was convicted of burglary and arson and sentenced to five years' imprisonment Saturday. Winans is 88 years old.

A terrible gale began in Vienna Friday night and prevailed all day Saturday. The wind was so violent that a number of vehicles were capsized and a number of trees blown down. Many people were injured.

A woman 73 years old was hacked to pieces on Sunday morning in Newark, N. J., and $45 stolen from the house. Gus Lynch, a dissolute character, is suspected. The deed was committed during the absence of the victim's husband, who is a night watchman.

Packer colliery, No. 3, at Shenandoah Pa., operated by the Lehigh Valley Coal Company, shut down Saturday for an indefinite period, throwing 600 men out of employment. The crowded condition of the coal market is given as the reason for the suspension.

It is probable, in view of the ravages of influenza, that Cambridge University will be closed, and the undergraduates at various colleges sent down. A don and an undergraduate have died at St. John's College, and this has apparently determined the authorities to act.

Frank Melbourne, the rain wizard, accompanied by his brother, M. E. Melbourne, has gone to Guaymas, Mexico, where they will carry on experiments on the property of E. B. Hathway and his associates, who have lost an immense amount of stock on account of the scarcity of water for the last two months.

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BRANT.

Alanson Harris, at one time head of the well-known agricultural implement firm of A. Harris, Son & Co., was married at Brantford on Tuesday to Mrs. Pawley. Mr. Harris is 80 years of age.

The spring fair will be held in Paris this year on April 20.

BRUCE.

The death is announced at Keppel, near Wiarton, of Ellen McClarey, who was at one time suspected of having been an accomplice in the murder of Jas. Bailey five years ago.

Hugh Clark, editor of the Kincardine Review, is an aspirant for the Kincardine postmastership, left vacant by the death of the late officer.

Alexander Graham died in Kinloss a few days ago, aged 74 years. Deceased was born in Invernesshire, Scotland. In 1849 he came to this country and settled in the township of Lobo, Middlesex, where he lived for a short time, going to Kinloss in the year 1854. The cause of his death was throat trouble, with which he had been affected some six or eight weeks.

ELGIN.

The St. Thomas fire department reports a loss of only $4,805 worth of property in that city last year.

A leap year sleighing party, consisting of about 28 of our young people, left Aylmer Thursday night for the residence of Mr. Teeple, Malahide, on a big bobsleigh, drawn by a pair of oxen. Everything passed off quietly, and a most enjoyable time was spent by all.

It being freely stated in St. Thomas that T. C. Jones, G. T. R. conductor, was circulating reports very injurious to the reputation of Dr. J. H. Wilson as a medical man, in connection with a case in which the doctor had been consulting physician, John Farley, solicitor for Dr. Wilson, has issued a writ against Mr. Jones, claiming damages for slander. The doctor emphatically denies the charges said to have been made by Mr. Jones, and claims that they are prompted by political spite. Jones is a strong Conservative.

A gun club has been organized at St. Thomas to be known as the St. Thomas Gun Club. J. W. Boughner was elected president; J. G. Nunn, vice-president; J. Coffie, secretary-treasurer; E. Langan, manager. The club starts out with a membership of about 50.

The Elgin County Council has decided to adopt the Torrens system of land transfer, and ask that J. H. Coyne, county registrar, be appointed master of titles.

The officers elected at the annual district division of the Sons of Temperance held at Calton were: W. P., E. Fraser, Straffordville; W. A., Minnie Wilson, Colton; scribe, George Ault, Vienna; treasurer, Thomas Hankinson, Vienna; chaplain, W. M. Karstedt, Vienna; conductor, A. Cook, Corinth; sentinel, Merton Hatch, Eden.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders and patrons of the Vienna Joint Stock Cheese Company, held in Vienna, the directors elected were: Thos. McGreer, J. H. Teall, Robert Draper, Fred Prong and S. D. McCurdy; provisional directors, A. B. Backhouse and Joseph Gilliland. The company have a surplus of $223 on hand. It is probable a large amount will be expended in equipping the factory for next season's work.

W. B. Doherty, solicitor for Geo. Brock, arrested some days ago and acquitted on the charge of fraudulently obtaining possession of Edgar Axford's horse, has entered an action against Mr. Axford, claiming damages for false arrest and imprisonment.

Robt. Love, of Aldborough, has entered an action against J. Johnson, claiming $2,000 damages for seduction. It is alleged defendant made over his property to his brother, J. A. Johnson, and he has also been made a party to the suit.

M. D. Carder, St. Thomas, grand recorder for the jurisdiction of Ontario, Ancient Order of United Workmen, has issued his annual report for 1891, from which these facts are gleaned: Cash received during 1891, $361,300 12; paid for death losses, $302,000; applications for membership received, 3,333; insurance written up, $6,666,000; membership in good standing, Dec. 31, 1891, 25,260; number of assessments for year, 13; average number of assessments for thirteen years, 13; cost of $2,000 insurance per member for the year, $13.

ESSEX.

The G. T. R. transfer steamer, Lansdowne, blew out her cylinder at Windsor, causing considerable delay to the expresses. It will take some days to repair the damage.

Capt. F. B. Hackett has purchased the propeller Wales from the Muskoka Lumber Company, of Toronto, and on April 1 will have her at Amherstburg completely fitted out with steam pumps and hawsers, diving apparatus and other things to make her a complete wrecker. The propeller was built in Sarnia in 1881, registers now in Lloyd's Inland Register, A2, tonnage 311, and is valued at $14,000. She will be the best equipped Canadian wrecker on the chain of lakes.

S. S. Wallace, a carpenter, was helping to raise some machinery to an upper story of Orr's mill, Windsor, a few days ago, when he accidentally stepped backward into the elevator opening and fell to the floor below. He got up at once and said he was not badly injured, but the next day he was unable to leave his bed. He grew gradually worse until Friday morning, when he died.

HALTON.

The Halton Agricultural Society has elected the following officers: E. Dixon, president; W. A. Lawrence, first vice-president; Wm. N. Scott, second vice-president; Wm. Clements, secretary and treasurer; directors, Abram Stark, John Stewart, J. T. Elliott, John McDougall, George Bunby, Wm. Harbottle, R. B. Orr, A. C. McMillan, James Reed; honorary directors, T. T. Harris, Peter McCullough, Joseph Harrison, John Lawson, T. N. Campbell; auditors, J. H. McCollam, Johnson Harrison. The society has appointed April 21 for their spring show and Oct. 6 and 7 for their fall exhibition. Receipts for the year, $2,690 96; expenditure, $2,617, leaving a balance on hand of $73 96.

HALDIMAND.

Caledonia is terribly afflicted with grip-pneumonia. There are at present about 30 cases, and 10 deaths have occurred, chiefly among old people. Three days following, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, there were three double funerals, in two of the cases the father and mother being buried together.

HURON.

Thomas Troy, aged 56, a well-known resident of Goderich, dropped dead in the Mechanics' Institute library room there Thursday afternoon about 5 o'clock.

Benj. McKenzie, well known in Hensall and vicinity, who some years ago was sentenced to the Kingston Penitentiary for counterfeiting, has been liberated. He has been in prison three years.

John McAdam, son of Mr. Gordon McAdam, near Seaforth, was employed by Peter Cameron, and while engaged threshing at the residence of Mrs. Ireland, Tuckersmith, something went wrong with the boiler. The young man, who was only 19 years of age, drew out the fire from the fire-box and entered it to repair the break, and while thus engaged one of the plugs in the boiler was accidentally knocked out, and there being twenty pounds of steam on, the box soon filled with steam and the unfortunate young man was terribly scalded. A pair of high boots which he wore hindered the steam from scalding his legs and feet, but they were the only portions of his body that escaped. He was also internally injured. The young man lingered on until Wednesday morning suffering untold agonies, when he was relieved by death. He was well known and highly esteemed.

KENT.

Dr. Samson, Blenheim, and Rev. W. C. Miles, Wallaceburg, are appointed collegiate institute trustees by the Kent County Council.

The new farmers' mill at Tupperville was undertaken on joint stock principles by a number of leading and enterprising residents, and it will very shortly be completed and running. The mill will cost $10,000. It will be 50 barrels capacity and full roller process. The president of the company is B. J. Hershy, and the secretary J. W. Simpson.

At the Burns banquet in Chatham last week Dr. Pace, American consul at Sarnia, referred to the fact that less than 80 years ago General Harrison, the grandfather of President Harrison, had come up the banks of the Thames River with an invading force, camped on a spot within the sound of his voice, and on the following day overcame the forces of Tecumseh at Thamesville and killed the famed Indian warrior. That the grandson of the invading general should be toasted almost at the scene of his victory was a proof of the fact that animosities provoked by war never outlasted the generation.

MIDDLESEX

The body of Brakeman Linden, who was killed near Whitewater, Man., was brought to Lucan for interment.

Byron Ache, Lobo, caught a beautiful silver fox about a week ago. It is a beautiful specimen, and as this color is very rare the fur is very valuable. Mr. Ache has refused $30 for the skin. Competent judges state that it is worth about $60 in Toronto or Montreal.

A few days ago at a meeting of the Tecumseh Agricultural Society, of Lower Muncey, for the purpose of election of officers for the ensuing year, the following officers were elected by a large majority: President, Joseph Waddilove; vice-president, George Tamico; secretary, Scobie Logan; treasurer, Francis Fox; directors, Josiah J. Wilson, Joseph Nicholas, Peter Joes, Joseph Logan, John Douglass, Albert Peter, Eli Snake, Joseph Dolson, Enoch Tomico; auditors, James Fox and Aphas Noah. The society is now in good hands, and everything points to a most prosperous year for the society.

NORFOLK.

At the annual meeting of the new board of directors of the Middleton and Bayham cheese companies the following officers were elected: S. Howey, president; W. Sandham, vice-president; managing director New England factory, E. Buchner; Courtland factory, T. Herron; milk routes, west of New England factory, E. Buchner, S. Howey; Goshen routes, W. Sandham, G. H. Mabee; routes south, east and north of Courtland factory, T. Herron, G. H. Mabee. O. E. Twiss was appointed secretary at a salary of $50. Pounds of milk received by the company during the season, 2,166,750; boxes of cheese manufactured, 2,935; pounds of cheese manufactured, 203,378½; average pounds of milk to pound of cheese, 10.65; average price per pound cheese during season, 9.24 cents; cash received for cheese during season, $18,795 68.

The following is a list of the officers of the Houghton Agricultural Society for the ensuing year: President, John Meharg; vice-president, Richard Corner; secretary-treasurer, John Malcolm; directors, Joseph Cullimore, John Finch, S. S. Smith, Eugene Fish, Geo. Walker, Jacob Day, James McBride, Eber Gale, Colin Matthews; auditors, S. T. Jackson, W. W. Williams.

OXFORD.

The annual meeting of the Oxford Fat Stock Club will be held on Saturday, Feb. 13.

Robt. Park and wife, of Manitoba, are visiting their friends and relatives at Currie's. Mr. Park has been some fifteen years in Manitoba, and now owns about 1,000 acres in the very best section of that great country. Mr. Park works three self-binders, costing him for binding twine alone $200. He harvested 14,000 bushels of wheat beside other grain, and sold 8,000 bushels at 70 cents per bushel. The balance he has held over. It cost him $500 for threshing and a like amount for harvest help.

Mrs. McClement, mother of W. T. McClement, science master in the Collegiate Institute, Ingersoll, had a painful operation performed on Friday afternoon. Some time ago she was bothered with chilblains on one of her feet, and about twelve days ago mortification set in, and spreading rapidly necessitated the amputation of the foot. It is thought she will be able to pull through.

Abraham Edwards, of Ingersoll, who was sentenced to four years in the reformatory some ten months since, has been pardoned.

The Ingersoll Chronicle is alarmed over the growth of the rabbit pest in that district.

Anent the discussion at present going on regarding annexation with the United States, the following resolution was passed unanimously at a gathering of farmers held the other evening in South Blandford: "Moved by S. A. Kipp and seconded by E. S. Eden: Whereas we are deeply impressed with the great advantages annexation would be to the people of this country, be it therefore resolved that this meeting is in favor of any policy that will bring about the desired end." M. S. Malcolm, a prominent farmer, spoke about an hour in favor of annexation, and a Woodstock business man spoke about half an hour.

PERTH.

Rev. Mr. Taylor, St. Marys, has been too ill to continue his duties at some of his appointments during the past week.

The Blanshard Cheese Company last year received 1,500,124 pounds of milk, which made 141,227 pounds of cheese, or an average of 10.83 pounds of milk to 1 pound of cheese. The receipts for cheese amounted to $13,228 20, and the whey was sold for $195 50.

Thos. Oabert, Stratford, was knocked down at a street crossing and had his arm broken. The old man was also otherwise injured.

John Payne, grain merchant, Stratford, has not yet been heard from at Buffalo, where he was marketing a quantity of barley a fortnight ago. It is feared he has been foully dealt with.

WATERLOO.

The 11-year-old son of Christopher Cressman, of New Dundee, while driving the horses on the horse-power for threshing, walked around with the teams in order to keep himself warm, and as he was about to step over the tumbling rod he slipped and fell, and the rod caught his left arm and wound it several times around, breaking it in several places and severing it completely from the body near the shoulder.

A very strange monstrosity was born on a farm near St. Jacobs a few days ago. It is a calf with eight legs, four ears and when grown will have four horns. The animal is alive and is in a healthy condition.

WELLINGTON.

George Dryden, a well-known resident of Eramosa, father of Dr. Dryden, of Rockwood, and brother to Mrs. (Rev.) Dr. Torrance, Mrs. J. B. Armstrong and Mr. Thomas Dryden, of Guelph, died Thursday from chronic bronchitis.

Harry Brabson was injured in Goldie's mill, Guelph, on Thursday by a heavy coal truck leaving the track and jamming him against the wall and breaking two or three ribs.

JOHN MURPHY.

A Prominent Montreal Dry-Goods Merchant's Escape from Danger!

How Serious Trouble Was Averted!

The vast army of newspaper readers in Montreal and thousands throughout the Dominion will without hesitation quickly recognize the above cut, reproduced from a photo by Notman.

Mr. John Murphy, of the well-known and popular firm of John Murphy & Co., retail drygoods merchants of Montreal, is a gentleman who is widely known and highly respected in social and commercial life. Mr. Murphy commenced business in one of the stores he now occupies just a quarter of a century ago, and during that long period has seen many changes, not only in the drygoods business, but in the growth and prosperity of the commercial metropolis as well.

The writer well remembers Mr. Murphy's debut—his first appearance in the drygoods trade on his own account—and has watched with pleasure and unbounded satisfaction Mr. Murphy's continued years of success. His premises have been greatly enlarged from time to time, and to-day Mr. Murphy stands at the head of one of the finest equipped retail drygoods stores in Montreal.

Mr. Murphy's motto in life has ever been "Upward and onward," and through years of commercial depression and business adversity Mr. Murphy has always maintained his secure business standing, and has steadily gone forward to greater honor and success.

Mr. Murphy's business career has been an eminently honorable one, and the young men of our country who aspire to become merchants can find no more noble pattern as a guide to business success than John Murphy.

To obtain the confidence of the public—especially of the ladies—and to maintain this binding link unbroken for so many years is, both from a commercial and moral point of view, a grand and noble victory of which any man may well feel proud.

Mr. Murphy in his lifetime has been blessed with a good and vigorous constitution; but, like thousands of other earnest men who at times confine themselves too closely to the many calls and details of an extensive business, had thoughtlessly neglected necessary exercise and rest; he overworked mind and body too much, and ere he was fully aware of the danger Mr. Murphy found himself a subject of nervousness, indigestion and dyspepsia at various intervals. These are serious, annoying and terrible ailments for a business man to contend against. They wrest from the sufferer his vim, energy, snap and true strength, and often are forerunners of alarming and fatal diseases.

Last October Mr. Murphy had a severe attack of nervousness and indigestion, which became so serious that prompt measures were necessary in order to get rid of the troubles. Upon former occasions, when these troubles came upon Mr. Murphy, he found but a small measure of relief from physicians. During the attack referred to, in October, a friend urged Mr. Murphy to use that wonderful and popular remedy, Paine's Celery Compound. The medicine was procured upon his friend's strong recommendation; and now Mr. Murphy's letter to the proprietors of Paine's Celery Compound will give the reader a true idea of its great worth and usefulness, and must prove conclusively its power over suffering and disease.

Mr. Murphy says: "Indigestion and nervousness have been my troubles for years; and, having had a somewhat severe attack in October last, I bought a bottle of your Paine's Celery Compound, taking it in a little water, as directed, four times a day, before each meal, and before retiring at night. I derived almost immediate benefit from its use, and am now at the fourth bottle. I can testify, therefore, from my experience, in all honesty, that it is a first-rate tonic, and am very glad, from my improved health, that I gave it a trial."

It is well known that Mr. Murphy is no advocate or admirer of patent medicines; he has never used them or countenanced them in any way; and here let it be understood that, had it not been for his friend's recommendation, Mr. Murphy, doubtless, would now be under the impression that Paine's Celery Compound was but an ordinary patent, made simply to sell and draw in the dollars of the ignorant, uneducated and unwary of our people.

To-day Mr. Murphy classes Paine's Celery Compound with the most valuable agents known to the medical profession, and would not be without it if it cost ten times its present price. His improved health, his steady nerves, his vigorous appetite, sound sleep and freedom from pain, are to him sufficient evidences of its great worth and usefulness. In addition to all this, Mr. Murphy knows of many of his friends who have been brought to perfect health and strength through the use of this wonderful compound, and he has assured the writer that it will always give him great pleasure to recommend the medicine when he has the opportunity.

To the weary, sick and suffering in Canada, Mr. Murphy's letter will act as an agent of comfort and hope, and will cause many, who now suffer, to seek the only cure that can with certainty bring new life, new strength, new vitality and new joys.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL noon Feb. 15, 1892, for the erection of a brick Presbyterian manse at Delaware. The lowest tender not accepted unless satisfactory. Plans and specifications can be seen by applying to J. L. SUTHERLAND, Mount Brydges.

The Christian's Duty Be Abstinence.

[illegible] Gustafson, author of "The Foundation of Death," etc.

However much we may differ at the outset about the character and extent of the Christian's duty concerning abstinence, we shall be agreed on this point—that it is the Christian's duty to know whether he has any duty in this matter; if so, what it is, and then to do it.

The Bible is the Christian's supreme guide-star to duty, and in it we are told that no drunkard shall inherit the kingdom of God. Does not this make it the Christian's duty to try to save from drunkenness, to combat the drink evil, to seek to prevent it by striking at its source? Drunkenness—all drunkenness—is caused by the drink. Must not the Christian then strike at the source of drunkenness—the drink?

It is necessary to define drunkenness. What does the Bible teach on this point? The first thing we observe is that although the Bible condemns drunkenness as a deadly sin, yet it nowhere defines what it means by drunkenness beyond the use of the word itself. Does not this seem to indicate that the Bible regards any drinking of alcoholic liquids as drunkenness, and therefore rejects moderation so-called as drunkenness, and indorses total abstinence as the only Christian course in regard to the drink question? That moderation so-called is but a degree of drunkenness—moderate drunkenness—from the Bible's point of view, is strikingly emphasized by the fact that the greatest scientific authorities of our day hold this very position. They maintain that what is commonly termed drunkenness is but the condition in which the outward manifestations of the internal poisoning, through the drink, reach their climax. They have proved by experiments that such minute quantities of alcohol (the intoxicating ingredient in drink) as a drop in a pint of water invariably injures the health of living protoplasm (the uniform substance of all living organisms, or, as Prof. Huxley terms it, "the physical basis of life"). They have also proven by experiments on animal and man that so small a dose as a quarter of a fluid ounce of alcohol—the amount found in a tablespoonful of whisky or brandy, half a wineglassful of sherry or port, a small wineglassful of hock or claret—produces distinct signs of narcotic paralysis in the highest nerve centers. And yet what is termed a strict scientific moderation dose is at least six times this amount! Hence, Biblically and scientifically, moderation is a delusion. There is, therefore, in this matter, accurately speaking, only total abstinence and drunkenness, and as no drunkard shall inherit the kingdom of God, total abstinence is an imperative Christian duty. But if Christ, our Master, turned water into wine, no doubt it is perfectly safe for the disciple to try his hand at such experiment, and if he succeeds, to drink the wine; and if Christ drank wine, is it not proper and right for the disciple to imitate him in this also?

CHRIST MADE WINE.

At the time of Christ the Israelites used both fermented and unfermented wines. We know of but one occasion when Christ made wine, at the little village wedding in Cana, when, after the ordinary wine supply had been exhausted and the guests had "well drunk," he miraculously changed water into wine. It is not stated whether the miracle which turned the water into wine included a second miracle—that of the instantaneous production of fermentation—and in the absence of such a statement the Christian who believes Christ came to establish the kingdom of God, from which, by his word, the drunkard is disinherited, is bound to also believe that the wine Christ made was unfermented, innocent, otherwise he could not have been the Christ he proclaimed himself to be.

CHRIST DRANK WINE.

We find two passages in the Bible stating that Christ drank wine. In one he is charged with being a wine-bibber, but there he is also charged with being a glutton and a friend of publicans and sinners—in other words, a miser and a libertine! The other occasion on which it was stated that he drank wine was in the Last Supper, and as the passage is practically the only one which hitherto has afforded a plausible defense of the drinking customs, and further, as it is undeniable that if Christ in the Last Supper used fermented wine, and therefore the Christian in commemorating that event must take the fermented cup, then as long as Christianity lasts will the drink exist, for the fact that it is partaken of at the Lord's table will give its use a special sanction everywhere. Hence it is of supreme importance that as far as possible we should know whether the wine that Christ then used was fermented or unfermented. The Last Supper took place during the Passover feast, from which all leavened, that is fermented, food was proscribed. The law says "There shall be no leaven." Hence leavened, that is fermented, drink as well as food was forbidden. And as regards the use of wine, we find two statutes which prescribe that it must be the "unfermented juice of the grape." But Passover came in spring, before the ripening of the grapes, hence the wine used consisted of diluted grape juice preserved unfermented in the way that the Israelites had learned from the Egyptians. Now Christ was a "conforming Jew," therefore without conclusive proof that he in the Last Supper broke the law and used fermented wine, we must believe that the wine that he used was unfermented. But his words as he took the cup and gave it to his disciples absolutely prove beyond controversy that the wine drunk at that Supper was unfermented. These were his words: "Hereafter I shall not drink the fruit of the vine until I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom." Wherever this expression—"the fruit of the vine"—is employed in the Bible, it always signifies the unfermented juice of the grape. That Christ promised to drink it with his disciples in his Father's kingdom proves either that the wine he drank was unfermented, or that the fermented, the poisoned cup, is to be placed to the lips of the disciple in that kingdom where no drunkard can have inheritance and where nothing can enter that defileth or maketh a lie. But if the poisoned cup can enter there, there, too, must be admitted the defilement and lying which it breeds, the Father's kingdom becoming the devil's kingdom.

If confirmatory proof that the wine used by Christ in his Last Supper was unfermented be needed, we have an abundance thereof in the writings of the early Christian Fathers, for nearly all of them during the first five centuries, when speaking of the institution of the Lord's Supper, declare that the wine Christ used was unfermented. Thus Augustin (second century) writes that the cup was innocent, and might be drunk by the smallest child. Clement of Egypt (same century) says that the cup consisted of "the blood of the grape," and he repeats Christ's words thus: "This is my blood—the blood of the vine," thereby recalling to his disciples his words, "I am the vine, ye are the branches." Chrysostom (fourth century) quotes Christ's words this way: "I will no more drink the fruit of this—the vine." Hence Christ neither made nor drank fermented wine. His example cannot, therefore, be cited in support of Christians drinking any fermented liquors. And as drunkenness disinherits from the kingdom of God, as drinking at all means—Biblically and scientifically—drunkenness, is not total abstinence from drink the Christian's imperative duty?—[Christian at Work.

SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

Temperance and General Life Assurance Company.

Toronto, Jan. 26, 1892.

In presenting you with the sixth annual report and financial statement of the company, your directors have pleasure in calling your attention to the fact that material gains have been made during the past year in every important feature of our business.

One thousand four hundred and seventy-six applications for $1,783,000 of insurance were received. Of these 1,268 for $1,498,000 were accepted and policies issued. At the end of the year 1,239 policies for $1,464,000 were reported as having been placed, and 29 for $34,000 as not having been taken up. In order to maintain the high standard of our business, 161 risks for $213,000 were declined, and final action had not been taken on 47 applications for $72,000, owing to the information given by the applicants or medical examiners having been insufficient for our purposes. Most of these deferred risks have since been accepted and placed on our books.

Our insurance in force at the end of the year was $4,068,271 under 3,000 policies on 2,810 lives, being an increase of $584,268 of insurance, 555 policies and 534 lives during the year.

The classification of our risks is as follows:

In the temperance section there are 2,272 policies for $2,804,224.

In the general section there are 728 policies for $1,264,047.

Our cash income for the year for premiums and interest was $96,875 98, being an increase of $14,037 62 over that of the previous year.

Our assets for the protection of policy-holders were $195,212 36 and our liabilities $112,661 10, as shown by our last year's report, and in this year's financial statement they are respectively $238,695 72 and $148,714 64, which gives us a surplus for the protection of policy-holders of $89,981 08, being an increase of $7,429 32 after eliminating all doubtful assets.

Our death losses for the year were $19,000 under eleven policies on ten lives. Of this amount $2,500 was reinsured, making our net losses $16,500 for the year. Our net death losses were, therefore, four lives per 1,000 of average number at risk and $4 37 per $1,000 of average amount of insurance in force during the year. This is a continuance of the remarkably favorable mortality which the company has always experienced and well indicates the high character of its risks.

Our plans of insurance and policies continue to meet with great favor. Our ordinary life policy is exceptionally popular, as it deserves to be, from its great liberality and safety and its strictly equitable character. We believe this policy is the safest and best policy for insurers generally, and that it fulfills the primary and principal object of life insurance—protection for the home—in a greater degree than any other policy in existence.

Your directors have great pleasure in again bearing testimony to the faithfulness and efficiency with which the various officers and agents of the company have discharged the duties devolving upon them.

A careful and complete audit of the books and accounts and detailed investigation of all securities and papers in connection therewith, except such as are vouched for by the Insurance Department, was made independently and reported upon by both your auditor and the Auditing Committee of the Board. Both reports express satisfaction and will be found appended to the financial statement.

By section 9 of the Act of Incorporation all the directors retire, but are eligible for re-election.

GEO. W. ROSS,
President.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand and in bank, Dec. 31, 1890			$13,372 65
Income—			
Premiums	$90,180 [illegible]		
Less paid for re-instrance	1,266 06		
		$88,913 90	
Interest		6,695 42	
			95,[illegible] 32
Sundries—			
Bills receivable		$ 318 80	
Received on mortgages		3,000 00	
Debentures matured		2,370 74	
Received on debenture premium account		223 45	
Received on agents' ledger balances		146 61	
Received for rents for 1890		500 00	
			6,558 60
			$115,540 57

DISBURSEMENTS.

Investments—			
Debentures purchased		$12,249 69	
Loaned on first mortgages		12,445 00	
Loaned on the company's policies		321 74	
			$25,005 43
Expenses—			
Commissions and salaries to officers and agents		$27,104 89	
Office furnishings, care of office, audit, gas, telephone, etc		567 42	
Postage, expressage, telegrams, exchange, etc		940 34	
Medical fees		5,056 00	
Agents' traveling expenses		1,224 80	
Advertising		1,489 70	
Printing and stationery		1,113 90	
Rents		1,289 00	
Solicitor's charges		686 71	
License fees and taxes		69 45	
			$ 40,630 03
Sundries—			
*Death claims paid	$20,000		
Less reinsurance	2,500		
		$ 17,500 00	
Surrender values		2,679 54	
Valuation fees		10 00	
			$ 20,189 54
Transferred to special deposit, Imperial Bank			25,000 00
Cash on hand and in bank			4,706 [illegible]
			$115,540 57

*Of this $3,000 accrued in 1890.

ASSETS.

Special deposit, Imperial Bank		35,000 00
Debentures, market value		43,902 07
Loans, first mortgages		28,450 00
Loans on company's policies		[illegible] 00
Bills receivable		295 55
Office furniture and fixtures		1,190 00
Interest due and accrued		2,965 45
Agents' ledger balances		1,815 76
Outstanding and deferred premiums	$ 30,458 23	
Less 10 per cent. for collection	3,045 [illegible]	
		27,[illegible]
Cash on hand and in bank		4,706 29
		$198,695 72
Uncalled for guarantee fund		40,000 00
		$238,695 72

LIABILITIES.

Re-insurance reserve, H. M. 4½	$[illegible]	
Less value of re-insurance	186 76	
		$[illegible]
Amount in suspense on mortgage loan account		2,055 00
Medical fees		650 00
Premiums paid in advance		295 67
Death claims unadjusted and not resisted		2,000 00
		$148,714 64
Surplus on policy-holders account		89,981 08
		$238,695 72

The adoption of the annual report was moved by Hon. G. W. Ross, president of the company. He expressed great satisfaction with the progress made by the company during the past year, stating that solid gains had been made in every important feature of its business, and that the future outlook was most encouraging.

Its adoption was seconded by Mr. P. H. Burton, chairman of the Executive Committee, who, in referring to the various features of its financial statement, spoke of the strict care and economy exercised in conducting the business and of the rapidly increasing strength of the company.

Messrs. R. McLean, J. Flett, W. H. Bowlby, Geo. Sutfell and others spoke of their satisfaction with the progress of the company, after which the motion was carried by a unanimous vote.

The usual votes of thanks to agents, officers and directors having been responded to and passed, the old Board of Directors was re-elected without a dissenting voice, and subsequently at a directors' meeting the retiring officers were re-elected to their former positions.

"THE MOUNTEBANKS."

Gilbert and Cellier's New Opera Not Up to the Old Standard.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Gilbert and Cellier's new comic opera, "The Mountebanks," is pronounced dull.

"The Mountebanks" are a picturesque band of Sicilian bandits who undergo various humorous adventures.

The village maiden Teresa sings to her Alfredo:

It's my opinion—though I own
In thinking so I'm quite alone—
In some respects I'm but a fright.
You like my features, I suppose?
I'm disappointed with my nose:
Some rave about it, perhaps they're right;
My figure just sets off a fit:
But when they say it's exquisite
(And they do say so, that's too strong)
I hope I'm not what people call
Opinionated! After all,
I'm but a goose, and may be wrong!
When charms enthrall
There's some excuse
For measures strong;
And after all
I'm but a goose
And may be wrong!
My teeth are very neat, no doubt;
But after all they may fall out;
I think they will—some think they won't.
My hands are small, as you may see,
But not as small as they might be,
At least I think so—others don't.
But there, a girl may preach and prate
From morning six to evening eight,
And never stop to dine,
When all the world, although misled,
Is quite agreed on any head—
And it is quite agreed on mine!

All said and done,
It's little I
Against a throng.
I'm only one,
And possibly
I may be wrong!

Another of the songs is somewhat out of the common run. Bartollo, the clown of the leader of the band, sings:

Though I'm a buffoon, recollect
I command your respect!
I cannot for money
Be vulgarly funny,
My object is to make you reflect!

Other clowns make you laugh till you sink
When they tip you a wink;
With attitude antic
They render you frantic—
I don't. I compel you to think!

A Pup for the Pastor.

A Paducha clergyman tells this: "I married a couple up in Allen county, and after I had pronounced them man and wife the groom took me to one side and asked me what the damage was. I told him that there was no fixed price. He might give me whatever he chose.

"'Parson,' said he, 'I've got five hound pups down home, for which I'm asking $5 apiece, and I'll let you have one for $3!'

"Of course I declined so ridiculous a fee, as I had no use for the hound pups.

"When he got home he must have found his wife better than he expected, for he sent me one of the hound pups, accompanied with a letter saying that he was so happy with Maria that he would [illegible] for nothing."

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—[BROWNING.

London, Monday, Feb. 1.

THE ELECTION.

A Dundas street merchant, whose letter is given in another column, protests against any unnecessary delay in holding the new election which has been forced upon the city. He claims that elections demoralize business, and that as business is none too good now it is better not to prolong the contest a day beyond what the law requires.

We have information from Ottawa that the voters' lists were sent to London on Friday last for final revision by the revising officer. That operation can be completed, and the lists printed and ready for use before the end of the week. There is no reason why the writ should not be issued before next Saturday. Politicians may have other views on the subject, but we are inclined to take the business view of it.

RYKERT REDIVIVUS!

The St. Catharines Standard, a paper specially subsidized to carry Lincoln for Mr. Neelon, is already weary of the job. It does not like the look of Mr. Gibson's majority, increased by five-fold, and it mournfully argues, with many former supporters of Mr. Carling in London, that "unless a winning candidate can be secured there is no use of going to the expense of another trial." The terrible condition of affairs may be gathered when it is stated that the same journal regards Mr. Rykert, the disgraced former representative, as the one Conservative who can carry the constituency!

CUMBERLAND.

In Cumberland, N.S., a by-election was held on Saturday to fill the vacancy caused by the unseating of Mr. Dickey (Conservative). Since Confederation this county has never returned a Liberal, and Sir Charles Tupper was accustomed to regard it as his particular preserve. In 1887 he had a majority of 1,668, and in March last Mr. Dickey (Conservative) had a majority of 840. On Saturday Mr. Dickey's majority was reduced to about 800

THE EMASCULATED LETTER.

Mr. W. R. Meredith, of Toronto, has written a letter to Mr. F. A. Fitzgerald, oil refiner in this city, and a portion of the document has been published. For reasons best known to themselves, Mr. Fitzgerald and his associates who are managing the trade restriction side of the campaign have suppressed a portion of Mr. Meredith's letter, and the public are left to imagine what our former townsman had to say regarding the earnest request that he should take Mr. Carling's place as candidate at this time. This suppression is but a following up of the policy of our city contemporary in keeping from its readers every particular regarding the convention. The ADVERTISER, being an independent newspaper, bound to give the news at all times, supplied a full and correct account of the proceedings, obtained from the lips of participants.

With that rashness which has so frequently characterized him when referring to political opponents, Mr. Meredith tells the chief of the oil combination that the trade restrictionist policy must be maintained at all hazards, or Canadians will certainly desire not only freedom to trade with their neighbors but a political alliance with them! Mr. Meredith has certainly a poor opinion of the loyalty of his former townsmen when he feels moved to repeat that exploded "argument" in favor of trade restriction. Last election Sir Charles Tupper visited London and used the same style of reasoning, but our citizens declined to accept his estimate of their attachment to their own country. They refuse to permit the well-paid High Commissioner to bully them into working and voting against their own interests because of Tupper's simulated fears. That they were right is daily being demonstrated. But it is possible to obtain from one of the leading Conservatives in Nova Scotia an effective reply to the slander which Sir Charles Tupper promulgated, and which "the Man in the Cloud" has now repeated. Mr. Dickey, who succeeded Sir Charles Tupper in Cumberland, told the electors the other day that he deeply regretted that Sir Charles Tupper last March, in speaking from the nomination platform, "had charged the Liberals with disloyalty. He wished to say that gentleman was not authorized by him to make any such statement, and he took the opportunity of repudiating it. He would be grieved to think that one-half of the Canadians were disloyal. For his own part he gave the Liberals credit with being as loyal as himself." That rebuke, from a man with the strong party leanings of Mr. Dickey, is significant. He, at least, has learned that the revelations of the census, the smokeless chimneys, the exodus to the States, the disgraceful corruption at Ottawa (yet far from being fully exposed), cannot be kept in the background, as some of the high tax leaders argue, by shouting "You are disloyal!" at one-half of the people of Canada. The trade restrictionists were so admonished by the results of last campaign. They may try it again, as is foreshadowed by their tactics so far, but we know the trend of public opinion in London well enough to inform them in advance that they will fail as signally as they failed in March last. The country needs and will have a change.

A PORTENTIOUS CONFESSION.

Referring to the result in Lincoln, the St. Catharines Star says:

"The vote shows conclusively that the farmers are anxious for a change. There is no use attempting to analyze the vote."

Mark this confession! It was the change in the farming population that doomed the Mackenzie Government. They have learned that high taxes never can add to their prosperity, and that it is always safe to be opposed to the candidate who is supported by the combines. City workers, profiting by experience, can safely view recent developments in the same light.

A PHENOMENAL CROP.

It is now argued by the agents for the combine candidate that despite the formation of a cotton ring, which when completed, will greatly increase the price of that commodity, the fabric is cheap. No thanks to the combinesters. Never in the history of the United States has raw cotton been so cheap. The crop last year was so large that it has proved almost unsaleable at a price large enough to pay for its harvesting. But the cotton lords of Montreal and Cornwall did not foster the crop or lower its price.

THE LIBERAL LEADER.

The host of western friends of Hon. Wilfrid Laurier will be glad to hear that he is speedily recovering from his severe illness. The Montreal Witness of Saturday says:

"Mr. Laurier is greatly improved in health. Accompanied by Madame Laurier, the Liberal leader left this morning over the Grand Trunk for his home in Arthabaska."

WHAT "TRIMMING" LEADS TO.

The very antipathy of the American farmer to reciprocity is the best proof that a reciprocity in farm products would benefit the Canadian farmer.—[Toronto World (Conservative).

The London Free Press insists that reciprocity in farm products would be an injury to the Canadian farmer.

Its friends at Ottawa say that is just the kind of reciprocity they want. What they desire is that with it shall be the stipulation that combine prices in iron, barbed wire, binder twine, cotton, sugar and other necessaries shall continue to prevail.

Get together, gentle enemies, and discover what you want. You are all at sixes and sevens. As the late Hon. Isaac Buchanan was wont to say: "The fact is you don't know what you don't know."

THE Free Press has not yet summoned enough courage to tell its readers why it announced last week that Mr. Carling had definitely withdrawn from the contest in London.

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

THE collection of excise duties in Canada last year cost $378,236 81.

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LONDONERS paid $600 to the Dominion Government for law stamps last year.

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$241,110 49 was spent on pensions by the Dominion Government last year. Of this amount $1,230 went to the veterans of the war of 1812.

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WHAT, pertinently inquires the Hamilton Times, can the N. P. have done for the stove business when the foundrymen confess they cannot keep their shops open and pay their molders as good wages as they did during the Mackenzie regime?

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IT WAS a great struggle between the better element in the Conservative party and Carling as to who should be the victor. Mr. Carling, after a desperate struggle, secured the nomination by a majority of 3. This after three hours of balloting, and after many of the delegates had gone home disgusted with the squabbling.

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THE Free Press persistently refuses to give a report of the Conservative convention, and it expresses its dissatisfaction with the full and correct report in the ADVERTISER. So great was the demand for the information, by Conservatives as well as Liberals, that the complete issue was sold out early in the afternoon. It pays a newspaper to give the news.

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WE HAVE not a very large steamboat fleet on the River Thames at this city, but its owner last year had to pay the Dominion Government $22 88 as "inspection fees." Sarnia paid $648 80 for the same purpose, and Windsor $902 80. Port Stanley used to figure in the list, but it is not expected to do so again till reciprocity revives the shipping interests of the place.

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IN THE Hand Book of Canadian Dates the incorporation of the leading cities in Canada is shown to have been accomplished in the years named below:

St. John	May 18, 1785
Toronto	March 6, 1834
Quebec	June 25, 1840
Montreal	June 25, 1840
Halifax	April 10, 1841
Kingston	May 18, 1846
Hamilton	June 9, 1846
Fredericton	March 30, 1848
London	Jan. 1, 1855
Ottawa	Jan. 1, 1855
Charlottetown	April 15, 1855
Victoria	Aug. 2, 1862
Winnipeg	Nov. 8, 1873

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DURING the last fiscal year, the Customs Department of Canada collected $123,044 32 in "customs fines, forfeitures, seizures, etc.," but as the Government paid out $122,640 36 to the seizing officers and informers the business was not a very profitable one. The excise seizures were even less profitable, as though $2,601 54 was collected, $2,908 69 went to the seizing officers and informers. Some of the officials manage, in this way, to make a much larger income than is drawn by the Premier of Ontario! Londoners obey the customs and excise laws tolerably well, judging by the returns. But $15 75 was collected as fines, etc., by the customs officials here, and of this only $5 25 went to the officers or informers. There were no excise seizures at this port during the year.

A HAMILTON PUN.

[Hamilton Herald.]

The unseated member for London should be very popular with unmarried girls. They all like Hymen.

NEW TITLE FOR MR. HAGGART.

(Brantford Expositor.)

Grip compares the new Minister of Railways and Canals to Bill Sykes. This is worse than anything Principal Grant has said about him.

PROGRESS OF TRADE FREEDOM.

[Montreal Witness.]

Mr. Gibson, the Liberal candidate, is personally very popular, but it is also certain that Western Ontario is very steadily becoming more and more Liberal. Each general election records a gain for the Liberals, especially in southwestern Ontario, which is becoming a sort of "solid south" for that party.

A VAIN ATTEMPT.

[Woodstock Sentinel-Review.]

The political writers on the London Free Press are now working overtime in a vain attempt to blacken Mr. Hyman's character, in the hope of catching votes for that old fossil, Hon. John Carling. The indications are that Mr. Hyman's majority will not be less than 500, and one authority places the figures at 1,000.

HE WILL STAY IN THE SENATE.

(Seaforth Expositor.)

After Mr. Carling's defeat in March last he was appointed to the Senate. He will now resign his seat in the Senate to contest London. Should he be again defeated he will be again placed in the Senate, so that he is all right whether he wins or loses in London. The Senate is a mighty convenient institution for the Government and its friends, but it costs the country a lot of money to keep it up.

TIME FOR A CHANGE.

The Toronto News says it is the leading Conservative organ in Ontario. Whether it is or not it is not for us to say. But at any rate there can be no doubt of its loyal adherence to that party. Yet in a recent issue it said that despite the unusually favorable crop returns last year dissatisfaction and discontent are wide-spread throughout Ontario. Farmers feel the loss of the American market, particularly in the matter of horses. Those be true words.

TWO-ROWED BARLEY.

[Port Hope Times.]

It is reported on the very best authority that the two-rowed barley, which is raised in this country and shipped to England, will not answer for the British brewers, and those who have tried it decline to buy a second lot. The difficulty seems to be that our summers are only about three months, while the barley crop in England has nearly twice as long to mature. Two-rowed barley will only bring feed prices in our market now. What do the Tory papers say about this? They are as mum as mice.

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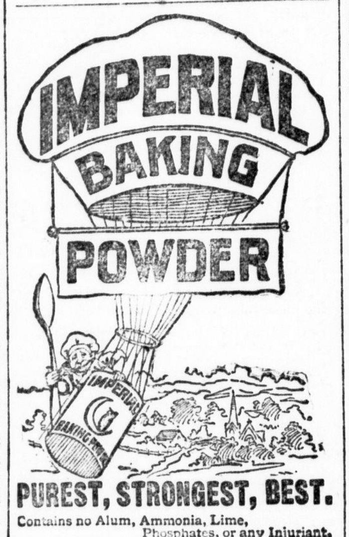

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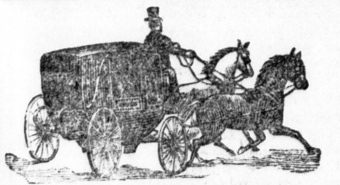

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BASEBALL.

The treasurer of the New York Baseball Club reports that the club lost $5,448 last season.

Fred Wood, one of the famous Wood Bros., formerly of Hamilton, is attending the Dental College here, and is out of professional baseball for good.—[Toronto World.

THE TURF.

Capt. Graham and his deputies were admitted to the Guttenburg race track Saturday afternoon. He had warrants for the arrest of eight bookmakers. They were taken before Justice Lockwood, who admitted them to bail in the sum of $500 each.

Hume Webster, the famous English horse breeder, it is proven, committed suicide, owing to financial difficulties and irregularities.

Charles Frost, of Washington, and four others are about to sue the Dwyer Bros., John Y. McKane and Robert Pinkerton for $100,000 damages, it is said. The suits grew out of the lockout measures at Gravesend last season.

THE WHEEL.

A wheelman traveling in Holland, speaking of the popularity of the bicycle in that country, says: "Almost everyone uses the bicycle here, even more than in England, and some of the riders are most expert. I have seen one on an ordinary machine, without handles, and with his arms crossed, threading his way along a crowded thoroughfare with the greatest ease, going in and out among the people and the carriages as if he and his machine were really one, it being the nearest approach to actual volition that I have ever witnessed."

ATHLETICS.

In no class of pugilists is personal bitterness more forcibly shown than in the lightweights. In America McAuliffe, Carroll, Myer, Gibbons and Bowen are on bad terms. McAuliffe has Myer, Carroll and Gibbons all his sworn enemies. Jem Carney also entertains similar sentiments toward him. Carney and Dick Burge, of England, are at loggerheads. And Australia has Dawson, Mather and Williams as hated rivals. The lightweights the world over are seen to be champion savage haters. If the heavyweights were like them there would be more fighting and less bluffing.—[New York Telegram.

FOOTBALL.

The International football team has returned from Great Britain with a record of 13 games won, 31 games lost and 14 drawn. This team was composed of the best players in Canada and the New England States, and left for England on Aug. 6 last, playing the leading teams of that country, Scotland, Ireland and Wales. The showing made was better than expected by many who prophesied that they would be back soon after their departure, and it is quite evident that they played football for all it was worth while on the other side. Among the reasons for their not making a better showing than they did are that in many cases the referee was unfair and because they were forced to change men about on account of injuries, and a left wing cannot play on the right wing as well as in his own territory. Another thing which figured against them is the fact that they were from different teams and were more liable to play an individual game than when with their own team. Several of the players were offered professional engagements in England, and some remained on the other side.

LACROSSE.

Wm. Anderson, formerly goalkeeper and point for the Ottawa lacrosse team, died on Saturday of consumption. He was 31 years of age.

ATHLETICS.

Harry Gilmore and Jack Collins, of Detroit, will meet again at Detroit in an eight-round contest for points on March 2, Gilmore was defeated in the second round of their last match principally through the authorities, who cautioned him about slugging. Gilmore says he will not be caught napping next time.

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CONDENSED TELEGRAMS

From All Sections of the Civilized World.

UNITED STATES.

The True Blue Marble Company's mill at West Rutland, Va., was burned Saturday morning. Loss $50,000.

A gang of tramps took possession of a Lake Erie and Western train near Celina, Ohio, on Saturday. After a desperate fight six of the ruffians were captured.

An ice locomotive has just been completed at Fishkill Landing (N. Y.) machine works and will be tested on Monday. The inventor is Thos. Mulrey, of New York.

Edward Anderson, a negro, was arrested Saturday morning at Wilmington, Del., for alleged assault on a negro. In his pocket was found a finger, apparently that of a negro woman.

The steamer from Alaska which arrived at Port Townsend, Wash., Saturday reports that ten miners are supposed to have perished of hunger or cold. The party left Janeau in April on the schooner Charley for Lituya Bay and have not been heard from since.

When Jos. Senior, a night watchman at Fouratts hat shop in Milburne, N. J., entered his house this (Sunday) morning he found in front of the stove the body of his wife, who had been brutally murdered during the night. The throat was cut, there were eleven stab wounds in the breast and both arms were frightfully gashed. Robbery was the motive.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

Discount in London was firmer during the past week, though there was no demand.

The Belgian Senate has ratified the commercial treaties of Belgium with Germany and Austria.

H. M. S. Victoria, flagship of the Mediterranean squadron, is ashore at Platen Island. She is leaking.

Election riots are reported from many places in Hungary. Several persons have been killed and many wounded.

In Vienna, since the recent sudden rise in temperature, there has been an alarming increase in the number of influenza cases which are now aggravated by symptoms of dysentery.

The Russian imperial revenue for the first ten months of 1891 is 37,000,000 roubles less than the revenue for the same period of 1890, while total expenditures are 27,000,000 roubles more.

It is reported that Austria proposes, in connection with the resumption of cash payments, to raise a loan of 200,000,000 florins in gold. It was decided to draw the first bullion from the State coffers, Baron Rothschild advising the postponement of the loan until 1893.

East Africa advices under date of Jan. 5 show that Emin Pasha is making a victorious march to his old quarters in Equatoria. He has arrived at Magungo, at the northern end of Albert Nyanza, where he was welcomed by hundreds of his former troops.

"THE OLD FLAG."

The Captain of a Nova Scotia Schooner Creates a Stir at Bridgeport, Conn.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Jan 31.—This afternoon the three-masted schooner Glendon, of St. John, N.B., sailed into this harbor with the Union Jack floating from her mizzen in direct violation of the United States law, which provides that a foreign ensign must be accompanied by the Stars and Stripes. The fore and main masts were destitute of bunting. As the vessel sailed up the harbor the British flag was perceived by the people on the docks, and as the vessel passed the three bridges the abutments were black with excited men, who greeted the British flag with hisses mingled with cries of "Haul it down!" and "Shoot it!" Capt. Trowbridge, of the schooner, drew a pistol and swore he would shoot the first man who laid hands on the halyards. When the vessel finally reached her berth at Sword's wharf, which is just in the rear of the Fourth Regiment armory, there were over 1,000 men on the wharf. They were joined by 75 unarmed militiamen from the armory, who attempted to tear down the flag. They were driven off at the revolver's point by the crew. An American flag was then hoisted on an adjoining schooner amid great cheering. The British flag still floats, but will be forcibly removed in the morning.

Perils of Modern Life.

Contacts with electric wires, railroad accidents, broken car and elevator cables, explosions of steam, natural gas and chemicals, poisons in adulterated food and drink, are a few; but all these dangers combined do not kill as rapidly as slow and sure Consumption. The death rate, however, from Consumption is being yearly cut down since Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., has given to the world his celebrated "Golden Medical Discovery," a cure for Consumption and Throat and Lung troubles that lead to Consumption, if taken in time and given a fair trial. The time to cure Consumption (which is really nothing more nor less than Lung-scrofula), is in the first stages. A cough generally sounds the alarm, and you should take the "Discovery" at once. There is a time when it is too late.

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Tragedy After the Ball.

A Jealous Husband's All-Night Vigil,

And His Deadly Revenge in the Morning.

A New Yorker Kills His Wife and Wounds Her Sister.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The John E. Dunne Association of the fourth district, Jersey City Heights, gave a reception Wednesday night. Among the women in attendance were Mrs. Kate Stocker, of 69 Zabriskie street, and her sister, Mary Tierney. They were both remarkably handsome women, and in their pink silk ball dresses attracted a great deal of attention. The mother of the two women was there with them. Arthur Stocker, the husband of Mrs. Stocker, was also at the ball, but not with his wife. They had been on bad terms for about two months. Many of the young men in the ballroom were attentive to Mrs. Stocker and her sister, but the two who gained most favor in their eyes were John E. Dunne, after whom the association is named, and George Bremner, formerly the city wharfinger of Jersey City. The four were together nearly all the time. They danced together, went to supper together, and after supper danced together again until the band played "Home, Sweet Home," between 5 and 6 o'clock in the morning.

During all this time Stocker was in and out of the ballroom. He took no part in the festivities, but stood near the door or leaning against the wall. Every time his wife passed leaning on the arm of either Dunne or Bremner he glared at her, but she paid no attention to him. Stocker paid frequent visits to the bar downstairs. About 4 o'clock he went home alone and retired to his room. His wife and her sister reached home about 6 o'clock. They were escorted by Dunne and Bremner.

The house is owned by John Tierney, the father of the two women. Mrs. Stocker, Miss Tierney and the two men went into the front room, which is fitted up as a parlor. They had a bottle of whisky with them, and when that was exhausted they sent out for beer. They talked about the ball and the people who were there, and drank and sang.

At 6:30 o'clock Stocker came down stairs and went into the dining-room, which is just back of the parlor. Before sitting down to breakfast he took a look into the front room and saw the party there enjoying themselves. He looked annoyed, but said nothing. After breakfast he started out to go to work about two blocks away from the house.

At 8 o'clock he returned home, telling his mother-in-law it was too cold to work. The visitors were not yet gone. They and their entertainers had had breakfast and had returned to the front room. Stocker sat down in the dining-room and tried to read, but he was evidently worried and excited. Every few minutes he would get up, stride into the kitchen, where his mother-in-law was attending to household duties, and then slide back again. Occasionally he would take a look into the front room and then return gritting his teeth. When sounds of laughter and singing reached him from the front room he would get up and pace the floor.

The carousal in the front room continued until after 12 o'clock. Mrs. Tierney had prepared dinner, and was about to set the table when Stocker went up-stairs to his father-in-law's room. There was a 38-caliber five-chambered self-cocking revolver hanging up on the wall. Stocker took it down, put some extra cartridges in his pocket and went down stairs. His mother-in-law asked him to sit down to dinner but he gruffly refused. Walking over to the door dividing the front room from the dining-room, he threw it open and surprised the revelers. Confronting his wife, he began to upbraid her for her conduct. She resented his language, and he pulled out the revolver.

There was an immediate stampede. The two men got down the front stoop in two jumps and ran in opposite directions. Mrs. Stocker ran toward Summit avenue. Mrs. Tierney went out the back way and concealed herself.

As Stocker came out on the front stoop he discovered Miss Tierney crouching near the side of the building, and fired a shot at her. Without waiting to see its effect he pursued his fleeting wife up the street, and overtook her about 200 feet from the house. He fired three shots at her and she fell dead. Two of the shots struck her in the right side of the head and the other in the elbow.

The next moment Stocker saw Dunne walking rapidly toward Summit avenue and started after him. Dunne looked over his shoulder and seeing him coming broke into a run. Stocker also began to run. Before Stocker could fire Dunne darted into Adolph May's grocery store at 569 Summit avenue. May's family live in the rear of the store.

Mrs. May was behind the counter waiting on a customer when Dunne made his abrupt entrance. She was too much startled to say anything. Her husband was just coming out of the back room when Dunne flung open the middle door, nearly knocking him down. At that moment Stocker dashed open the front door, flourishing a revolver and shouting, "Where is he?" Mrs. May and her customer both began to scream.

May seized Dunne, and said if he wanted to fight he would have to go somewhere else. Dunne was struggling to get into the back room, and May tried to push him out. In the struggle they got turned around, so that when Stocker ran in with his revolver May was between him and Dunne. This probably saved Dunne's life. The Mays say that Stocker went into the back room, and that he and Dunne exchanged a few words. A moment later Stocker came out saying, "Well, I'm satisfied."

Stocker went back down Labriskie street, where his wife's body was still lying in the road. He stooped down and kissed her and was crying bitterly when Richard White stepped out from the crowd that had gathered and arrested him. Stocker went quietly to the police station, and on the way surrendered his revolver to White. Four of the five chambers were empty.

Mrs. Stocker's body was carried into the house. Her sister was taken to Christ Hospital in an ambulance. There it was found that the bullet had entered her back just under the right shoulder and lodged in her neck. Her wound is dangerous, but she has a fair chance of recovery.

Police Superintendent Smith and Capt. McNulty took Stocker to Christ Hospital to have him identified by his sister-in-law. Miss Tierney identified Stocker at once, and said he had shot her.

"You needn't deny," she added, "you killed my sister and shot me."

"I don't deny," Stocker answered sullenly.

"You were always fighting with her," exclaimed the wounded woman. "I heard you threaten to kill her several times, and now you've done it. If you couldn't live with her peaceably why didn't you leave her?"

Here Superintendent Smith and Capt. McNulty ended the interview, and took Stocker back to the police station. The prisoner declined to make any statement.

Mrs. Stocker was 26 years old, three years younger than her husband. Her sister is 24 years old. The couple were married five years ago, and have one pretty little daughter 4 years old. Mrs. Stocker was of a lively disposition and fond of society.

Mrs. Tierney says she was in the kitchen when the shooting began and did not hear the quarrel in the front room. Stocker and his wife boarded with her, but they had occupied separate apartments for two months. They sometimes spoke to each other, but were not on friendly terms. Mrs. Stocker paid her own board. The trouble between them, Mrs. Tierney says, was chiefly due to the fact that Stocker was not able to support his wife as she wished. She earned her living at dressmaking.

While the reporter was talking with the grandmother the little girl said: "My mamma is dead; papa killed her." The old woman took the child in her arms and bade her be quiet.

SILENCE IN HEAVEN.

The Inestimable Value of Half an Hour — Talmage's Sunday Discourse.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 31.—Dr. Talmage's sermon to-day was on a subject of special interest to many, the subject being one on which few preachers have had much to say: "There was silence in heaven about the space of half an hour"—Revelations, viii., 1.

The busiest place in the universe is heaven. It is the center from which all good influences start; it is the goal at which all good results arrive. The Bible represents it as active, with wheel, and wings, and orchestras, and processions mounted or charioted. But my text describes a space when the wheels ceased to roll, and the trumpets to sound, and the voices to chant. The riders on the white horses reined in their chargers. The doxologies were hushed and the processions halted. The hand of arrest was put upon all the splendors. "Stop, heaven," cried an omnipotent voice, and it stopped. For 30 minutes everything celestial stood still. "There was silence in heaven for the space of half an hour."

From all we can learn it is the only time heaven ever stopped. It does not stop as other cities for the night, for there is no night there. It does not stop for a plague, for the inhabitants never say, "I am sick." It does not stop for bankruptcies, for its inhabitants never fail. It does not stop for impassable streets, for there are no fallen snows or sweeping freshets. What, then, stopped it for 30 minutes? Grotius and Professor Stuart think it was at the time of the destruction of Jerusalem.

First of all, we may learn that God and all heaven then honored silence. The longest and widest dominion that ever existed is that over which stillness was queen. For an eternity there had not been a sound. World-making was a later day occupation. For unimaginable ages it was a mute universe. God was the only being, and, as there was no one to speak to, there was no utterance. But that silence has been all broken up into worlds, and it has become a noisy universe. Worlds in upheaval, worlds in conflagration, worlds in revolution. If geologists are right (and I believe they are) there has not been a moment of silence since this world began its travels and the crashing and the splittings and the uproar and the hubbub are ever in progress. But when the supernals of voice cried "Hush!" and for half an hour heaven was still, silence was honored. The full power of silence many of us have yet to learn. We are told that when Christ was arraigned "he answered not a word." That silence was louder than any thunder that ever shook the world. Ofttimes, when we are assailed and misrepresented, the mightiest thing to say is to say nothing, and the mightiest thing to do is to do nothing.

Learn also from my text that heaven must be an eventful and active place from the fact that it could afford only 30 minutes of recess. There have been events on earth and in heaven that seemed to demand a whole day, or whole week, or whole year for celestial consideration. If Grotius was right and this silence occurred at the time of the destruction of Jerusalem, that scene was so awful and so prolonged that the inhabitants of heaven could not have done justice to it in many weeks. After fearful besiegement of the two fortresses of Jerusalem—Autonio and Hippicus—had been going on for a long while, a Roman soldier, mounted on the shoulder of another soldier, hurled into the window of the temple a firebrand, and the temple was all aflame, and after covering many sacrifices to the holiness of God, the building itself became a sacrifice to the rage of man. The hunger of the people in that city during the besiegement was so great that as some outlaws were passing a doorway and inhaled the odors of food, they burst open the door, threatening the mother of the household with death unless she gave them some food, and she took them aside and showed them that it was her own child she was cooking for the ghastly repast. Six hundred priests were destroyed on Mount Zion because the temple being gone there was nothing for them to do. Six thousand people in one cloister were consumed. There was 1,100,000 dead, according to Josephus. Grotius thinks that this was the cause of silence in heaven for half an hour. If Mr. Lord was right in supposing that this halt in heaven took place in 311 between the close of the Diocletian persecution and the beginning of the wars by which Constantine gained the throne, and this silence was during the Diocletian persecutions, by which 844,000 Christians suffered death from sword and fire, and banishment and exposure, why did not heaven listen throughout at least one of those awful years? No! Thirty minutes! The fact is that the celestial programme is so crowded with spectacle that it can afford only one recess in all eternity and that for a short space. Heaven spared thirty minutes once, but will never again spare one minute.

Heaven is full of children. They are in the vast majority. No child on earth who amounts to anything can be kept quiet for half an hour, and how are you going to keep five hundred million of them quiet half an hour? You know heaven is much more of a place than it was when that recess of 30 minutes occurred. Its population has quadrupled, sextupled, centupled. Heaven has more on hand, more of rapture, more of knowledge, more of intercommunication, more of worship. The most thrilling place we have ever been in is stupid compared with that, and, if we know we have no time to spare, we will then have no eternity to spare. Silence in heaven only half an hour.

My subject impresses me with the immortality of a half hour. That half hour mentioned in my text is more widely known than any other period in the calendar of heaven. None of the whole hours of heaven are measured off, none of the years, none of the centuries. Of the millions of ages past, and the millions of ages to come, not one is especially measured off in the Bible. The half hour of my text is made immortal. The only part of eternity that was ever measured by earthly timepiece was measured by the minute hand of my text. Oh, the half hours! They decide everything. I am not asking what you will do with the years or months or days of your life, but what of the half hours. Tell me the history of your half hours and I will tell you the story of your whole life on earth and the story of your whole life in eternity. The right or wrong things you can think in 30 minutes, the right or wrong things you can say in 30 minutes are baleful, inspiring or desperate. Look out for the fragments of time. They are pieces of eternity. It was the half hours between shoeing horses that made Elihu Burritt the learned blacksmith, the half hours between professional calls as a physician that made Abercombie the Christian philosopher, the half hours between his duties as school-master that made Salmon P. Chase chief justice, the half hours between shoe-lasts that made Henry Wilson Vice-President of the United States, the half hours between canal boats that made James A. Garfield President. The half hour a day for good books or bad books, the half hour a day for prayer or indolence the half hour a day for helping others or blasting others, the half hour before you go to business, and the half hour after you return from business, that makes the difference between the scholar and the ignoramus, between the Christian and the infidel, between the saint and the demon, between triumph and catastrophe, between heaven and hell. The most tremendous things of your life and mine were certain half-hours.

Again my text suggests a way of studying heaven so that we can better understand it. The word "eternity" that we handle so much is an immeasurable word. Knowing that we could not understand that word, the Bible uses it only once. We say, "For ever and ever?" But how long is, "For ever and ever?" I am glad that my text puts under our eye heaven for 30 minutes. As when you would see a great picture, you put a sheet of paper into a scroll and look through it, or join your forefinger to your thumb and look through the circle between, and the picture becomes more intense, so this masterpiece of heaven by St. John is more impressive when we take only 30 minutes of it at a time. Now, we have something that we can come nearer to grasping, and it is a quiet heaven. When we discourse about the multitudes of heaven, it must be almost a nervous shock to those who have all their lives been crowded by many people, who want a quiet heaven.

But how will you spend the first half hour of your heavenly citizenship after you have gone in to stay? After your prostration before the throne in worship of him who made it possible for you to get there at all, I think the rest of your first half hour in heaven will be passed in receiving your reward if you have been faithful. In your first half hour in heaven in some way you will be honored for the earthly struggles in which you won the day. Stand up before all the royal house of heaven and receive the insignia while you are announced as victor over the droughts and freshets of the farm field, victor over the temptations of the stock-exchange, victor over professional allurements, victor over domestic infelicities, victor over mechanic's shop, victor over store-house, victor over home worriments, victor over physical distresses, victor over hereditary depressions, victor over sin and death and hell. Take the badge that celebrates those victories through our Lord Jesus Christ. Take it in the presence of all the galleries, saintly, angelic and divine! While all heaven chants: "These are they who came out of great tribulation and had their robes washed and made white in the blood of the Lamb."

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New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1—1 p.m.—Stock market rather heavy; American Express, 116; Atcheson, 39½; C. B. and Q., 108½; Canadian Pacific, 90; Canada Southern, 60½; Delaware and Hudson, 126; Delaware and Lackawanna, 145½; L. and N., 73½; Lake Shore, 122½; Michigan Central, 107½; Northern Pacific, 23½; preferred, 67½; Northwestern, 118½; New York Central, 115½; R. I., 92½; St. Paul, 79½; preferred, 124½; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, 115; Union Pacific, 46½; Western Union, 85.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Feb. 1—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 95½ for money, 95⅝ for account; Mexican Central, 73; St. Paul, 82½; Erie seconds, 102½; Erie, 31½; Mexican seconds, 30½; Pacific Central, 57½; Reading, 21½; Canadian Pacific, 92½; New York Central, 118; Illinois Central, 111½; Bank of England rate, 3 per cent.; open market discount, 1⅞

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Feb. 1.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	223¾	221
Ontario	112½	112
Molsons	155	—
Toronto	—	—
Merchants	150	148½
Commerce	134½	134¼
Imperial	190	188
Dominion	—	263½
Standard	175	172
Hamilton	177	175
British America	—	86
Western Assurance	142½	—
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation	—	—
Northwest Land Company	80½	79½
Bell Telephone Company	160½	159½
Canada Pacific Railway Bonds	—	108½
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	90½	90
Canadian Savings and Loan	125	—
Dominion Savings and Loan	94	93½
Farmers Loan and Savings	—	124
Farmers' L. and S. 20 per cent	—	131
Huron and Erie Loan and Savings	—	—
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	—	—
London and Canada, L. and A.	131	130
London Loan	109	107
London and Ontario	—	114
Ontario Loan and Debenture	128	126½

SALES—Commerce, 7 at 134; Standard, 3 at 172; C. P. R. stock, 25 at 89⅞, 25 at 90.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Feb. 1, 1892.

The market was very quiet this morning. Only a few bags of grain offered and one load of straw. Quotations:

GRAIN.		
Wheat, per standard bush	$ 84	to $ 84
Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs	1 40	to 1 45
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	1 40	to 1 45
Wheat, spring per 100 lbs	1 38	to 1 45
Oats per 100 lbs	90	to 92
Peas per 100 lbs	95	to 96
Corn per 100 lbs	85	to 85
Barley per 100 lbs	80	to 1 00
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 20	to 1 25
Buckwheat 100 lbs	90	to 95
Beans per bu	90	to 1 00
PROVISIONS.		
Eggs, retail, per doz	18	to 20
Eggs, basket, per doz	17	to 18
Eggs, store lots, per doz	00	to 00
Butter per lb., pound rolls	18	to 20
Butter per lb, large rolls or crocks	17	to 18
Butter per lb, tubs or firkins	10	to 16
Lard per lb	10	to 10
Cheese per lb	10	to 10½
Chickens per pair	40	to 70
Ducks	50	to 75
Turkeys per lb 10c; each	70	to 1 50
Turnips, per bu	20	to 25
Radishes, per doz. bunches	15	to 30
Celery, per doz	30	to 50
Cabbages, per doz	25	to 50
Cauliflowers, per doz	00	to 00
Squashes, each	5	to 10
Pumpkins, each	4	to 10
Potatoes, per bag	35	to 50
MEATS, HIDES, ETC.		
Beef, quarters, per lb	4½	to 5
Mutton, quarters, per lb	6	to 7
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	to 6
Lamb, quarters, per lb	7½	to 8
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs	5 00	to 5 75
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4½	to 4½
Hides, No. 2, per lb	3½	to 3½
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2½	to 2½
Calfskins, green, per lb	5	to 6
Sheepskins, each	60	to 90
Lambskins, each	60	to 90
Wool, per lb	16	to 19
Tallow, rendered, per lb	5½	to 6
Tallow, rough, per lb	2½	to 3
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.		
Apples, per bag	40	to 50
Grapes, per lb	6	to 10
Mellons, Citron	00	to 00
Pears, per bu	90	to 1 00
Onions, per bu	70	to 70
Carrots, per bu	25	to 25
Parsnips, per bu	40	to 40
HAY, SEEDS, ETC.		
Hay, per ton	10 00	to 11 00
Straw, per load	2 50	to 4 00
Wood, hard, per cord	4 75	to 5 00
Wood, soft, per cord	2 50	to 3 00

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Orders promptly attended to.

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Don't form bad habits the first half of your life, or it will take you the whole second half to get rid of them.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Feb. 1.

WHEAT—Spring, No. 2, 91c to 92c; red No. 2, 90c to 91c; Manitoba hard, No. 1, $1 04 to $1 04; Manitoba hard, No. 2, 99c to $1; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 91c to 92c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 55c to 56c; No. 2, 50c to 51c; No. 3 extra, 48c to 49c; No. 3, 46c to 47c.

PEAS—58c to 60c.

OATS—No. 2, 32c to 33c.

CORN—53c to 55c.

FLOUR—Extra, $3 80 to $3 85; straight roller, $4 to $4 05.

HAY (timothy)—$12.

HOGS (dressed)—$5 to $5 60.

Market quiet. Sales—No. 2 hard outside at equal to $1 here; No. 3 hard at equal to 92c; No. 2 barley west at 48c.

Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, Feb. 30.

FLOUR—Receipts, 900 bbls.; market is quiet and unchanged; Patents winter, $4 90 to $5 10, do. spring, $4 90 to $5 20; straight roller, $4 60 to $4 70; extra, $4 15 to $4 25; superfine, $3 80 to $4 00; strong bakers, $4 60 to $4 90; Ontario bags, $2 00 to $2 25.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, 98c to $1 00; corn, 68c to 70c; peas, 72c to 74c; oats, 34c to 36c; barley, 60c to 63c; rye, 90c to 93c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $2 10 to $2 20; cornmeal, $1 50 to $1 60.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $15 50 to $16 00; lard 7½c to 7¾c; bacon, 9c to 10c; hams, 10½c to 11c; cheese, 10½c to 11c; butter townships, 18c to 21c; western, 16c to 18c; eggs, 15c to 17c.

English Markets

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Feb 1.

Floating cargoes—Wheat very heavy; corn none.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat and corn very dull.

Mark Lane—Wheat turn easier; corn steady; flour turn easier; spot good No. 2 club Cal. wheat 36s, was 36s; present and following month 36s, was 36s 3d; do. good Danube corn 29s 6d, was 30s; prompt 25s 6d, was 26s; do. good mixed American corn 22s 3d, was 22s; good straight Minn. flour 27s 6d, was 28s; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. wheat off coast 39s 6d, was 40s; do. red winter off coast 38s, was 38s 9d; do. Australian off coast 39s, was 39s 6d; present and following month 39s, was 39s 6d; do. Chilian off coast 38s, was 38s 6d; present and following month 38s 3d, was 38s; do. Walla off coast 38s, was 39s; present and following month 38s 6d, was 39s; do. mixed American corn present and following month 21s, was 21s 3d.

London—Good shipping No. 1 Cal. wheat prompt sail 39s 3d, was 40s; nearly due 39s 3d, was 40s; No. 2 red winter prompt steamer 38s, was 38s 9d; present and following month 38s was 38s 9d.

French country markets mostly turn cheaper. Weather in England mild.

Liverpool—Spot wheat depressed, corn weaker; No. 1 Cal. 7s 11d, American red winter 7s 8d—both 1d cheaper; Indian 7s 5½d—½d cheaper; spring 7s 9d—1d cheaper; flour 27s 6d—6d cheaper; corn 4s 5½d—¾d cheaper; peas 5s 10d—unchanged.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 1.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	Jan. 29.		Jan. 30.		Feb. 1.	
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Spring	7 11	7 11½	7 10½	7 11½	7 9½	7 10
Red Winter	7 10	7 10½	7 9	7 9½	7 8	7 8½
Kan. winter	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
No. 1 Cal.	8 1½	8 2½	8 0½	8 1½	7 11½	8 0½
Corn	4 7½	0 0	4 6	0 0	4 5½	0 0
Peas, per c.	5 11	0 0	5 11	0 0	5 11	0 0
Pork	52 6	0 0	52 6	0 0	52 6	0 0
Lard	34 6	0 0	34 6	0 0	34 3	0 0
Bacon, h'vy	32 6	00 0	32 6	00 0	32 6	0 0
Bacon, light	33 0	00 0	33 0	00 0	33 0	0 0
Tallow	26 0	00 0	26 0	00 0	26 0	00 0
Cheese, wh.	57 0	00 0	58 0	00 0	58 0	00 0
Cheese, col.	57 0	00 0	58 0	00 0	58 0	00 0

Wheat easy; poor demand; holders offer freely; corn quiet; demand poor.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.

Wheat ruled dull and lower to-day. The news was nearly all bearish, local sentiment being in accord, and the offerings were in excess of the demand. Corn showed considerable firmness in the early part of the session in spite of weak cables and selling by the Pardridges, but it weakened later in sympathy with the weakness in wheat and provisions.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—No. 2 Jan., 86c; May, 90½c.

CORN—No 2 Jan., 38½c; Feb., 38⅝c; May, 40⅛c.

OATS—No. 2 Jan., 28½c; May, 30⅝c.

MESS PORK—Jan., $11 67½; May, $11 97½.

LARD—Jan., $6 40; May, $6 67½.

SHORT RIBS—Jan., $5 72½; May, $6.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

No. 2 spring wheat, 86c; No. 2 red, 89c; No. 2 corn, 38¼c to 38½c; No. 2 white oats, f. o. b., 30½c to 32c; No. 3 white, 29½c; No. 2 oats, 29c; No. 2 rye, 79½c; No. 2 barley, 56c to 58c; mess pork, $8 45 to $8 50; lard, $6 40 to $6 42½; short rib sides, $5 72½ to $5 77½; dry salted shoulders, $4 62½ to $4 75; short clear sides, $6 to $6 05.

Receipts—			
Flour	10,000	Wheat	72,000
Corn	125,000	Oats	158,000
Rye	14,000	Barley	48,000
Shipments—			
Flour	17,000	Wheat	32,000
Corn	214,000	Oats	257,000
Rye	3,000	Barley	24,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.

FLOUR—Weak.

WHEAT—Receipts 45,000 bu; exports, 130,000 bu; sales, 680,000 bu futures, 17,000 bu spot; spot weak; No. 2 red, $1 01½, store and elevator; ungraded, 90c to $1 04½; No. 1 northern, $1 04½; No. 1 hard, $1 06⅝ to $1 06⅞; options closed: No. 2 red, Feb., $1 01½; March, $1 02½; April, $1 02½; May, $1 01½; June, 99½c; July, 97½c.

RYE—Dull; western, 93c to 94½c.

BARLEY—Dull; No. 2 Milwaukee, 69c to 71c.

CORN—Receipts 112,000 bu; exports, 4,000 bu; sales, 315,000 bu futures; 36,000 bu spot; spot weaker; No. 2, 49½c, elevator; ungraded mixed, 45c to 50½c, steamer; mixed, 48½c to 49½; options firm; Jan., 49½c; Feb., 49⅝c; March, 49½c; April, 49½c; May, 49½c.

OATS—Receipts, 92,000 bu; sales, 32,000 bu spot; spot weaker; options dull; Feb., 35½c; March, 36½c; May, 37c; mixed, 35c to 36½c; white do., 37c to 42c.

SUGAR—Steady; standard "A," 4½c; cut-loaf and crushed, 5½c; powdered, 4½c to 4¾c; granulated, 4c to 4⅛c.

TALLOW—Easy; city, 4½c.

EGGS—Steady, 25c to 25½c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.

WHEAT—May, 90½c.

CORN—Feb., 39½c; May, 41½c.

OATS—May, 30½c to 30⅝c.

PORK—Feb., $11 40; May, $11 87½ to $11 90.

LARD—Feb., $6 40; May, $6 65.

SHORT RIBS—May, $5 92½ to $5 95.

TOLEDO, Feb. 1.

WHEAT—Quiet; 91½c cash and Feb., 95⅝c May.

CORN—40c cash, 42½c May.

OATS—32½c cash.

DETROIT, Feb. 1.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 92½c cash; No. 2 red, 92½c Feb.; 95½c May.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 1.

WHEAT—Quiet; 82½c cash and Feb., 87½c bid May.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 87 loads through, one sale; steady and firm with but few here.

Hogs—Receipts, 39 loads through, 65 sale; steady for light grades; good heavy, strong; heavy grades, $4 85 to $4 90; packers' and mediums, $4 75 to $4 80.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4 loads through, 25 sale; market 10 to 15 per cent. lower for lambs; sheep, barely steady; sheep, extra fancy, $5 50 to $5 75; good to choice, $5 15 to $5 40; lambs, good to extra, $6 50 to $6 75; fair to good do., $6 to $6 40.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500; best grades steady; others strong; natives, $2 90 to $4 30; stockers, $2 to $2 75; cows, $1 50 to $2 90.

Hogs—Receipts, 22,000; market slow; lower; rough and common, $3 95 to $4 05; mixed and packers, $4 30 to $4 45; prime and butchers' weights, $4 40 to $4 55; light, $4 25 to $4 45.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; market steady; no change from yesterday's quotations.

MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Jan. 29.—About 25 milch cows and strippers offered on Viger market to-day, and trade was slow, only about half a dozen sales being made up to 11 o'clock. Three of the best cows on the market were sold—one brought $47 and two others $95. Two or three of the small bossies were sold at from $25 to $30 each.

News About Town.

It is the current report about town that Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs is making some remarkable cures with people who 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. zxv

Better not go into business for yourself before you've learned how to help others with theirs.

Every mother, wife and daughter should use Strong's Baking Powder; 25 cents per pound, guaranteed strictly pure, made fresh daily and sold only at STRONG's Drug Store 184 Dundas street. ytf

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Public School Inspector Carson is suffering with la grippe.

—Mrs. Baeyertz began evangelistic work on Sunday in Kingston.

—The street railway tracks are being cleared in order to run the regular cars.

—City Engineer A. O. Graydon has been elected a member of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers.

—Mr. R. Logan, of the G. T. R. station staff, was on duty for the first time in a long while to-day. Grip.

—The principal fires during January were those at Spencer's oil refinery, Ross' bakery shop and Moule's grocery store. The losses are $3,900, $3,000 and $1,000 respectively.

—Rev. Ira Smith referred very feelingly to the death of Principal Huston, of Woodstock College, from his pulpit Sunday morning. Mr. Huston had supplied for him a few Sundays ago.

—Detective Allen arrested John Ryan, of Lucan, this morning on a charge of assaulting, beating and wounding Aaron Bell, of the same place. He was bailed to appear before Squire Smyth on Wednesday.

—Wm. Collins and Chas. Baker, of Westminster, were tried by Squire Smyth this afternoon on a charge of evading paying toll at gate No. 1, Proof Line road. A. Cosant, of London township, was the complainant.

—The local societies of Christian Endeavor will commemorate the eleventh anniversary of the organization of the first Society of Christian Endeavor by a union meeting in St. George's Church, London West, to-morrow evening.

—According to the registrations at the city clerk's office there were 49 deaths in the city during January, ten of which the physicians certify were due to la grippe. Maternity was the cause of a 15-year-old girl's sad demise. The births numbered 40 and the marriages 35.

—The relief authorities gave four passes to Hamilton this morning. One man was a Jamaican, anxious to get to the seaside and thence work his way home, another was on his way from Essex to Montreal, and the other two were going to Toronto from the Western States.

—An Ottawa dispatch says: "The opinion here is very generally expressed, even by Conservatives in private conversation, that Mr. Hyman will increase his majority in London. The Government know this, and will issue the writ immediately, as they desire Mr. Carling's retirement from the Cabinet, which must follow his second defeat.

—Mr. Thomas Johnston, a much esteemed citizen, died this morning at his late residence, No. 460 Adelaide street, from the effects of an attack of grip which had confined him to the house for about three weeks. Mr. Johnston, who was born in Scotland, came to this country some 40 years ago, and had lived in London almost ever since. He was employed in the tin department of the McClary Manufacturing Company, and enjoyed the esteem both of his employers and fellow-workmen. He was also an active member of Court Stella, A. O. F., under whose direction the funeral will be conducted. Deceased was a brother-in-law of the late W. W. Butcher, and one of his sisters, Mrs. Davis, was housekeeper at the Tecumseh for thirteen years. One brother, John, is a resident of Birmingham, Mich., and another, William, is settled at Brandon, Man. This is the sixth death in the family which has occurred within three years, Mrs. Johnston, mother of deceased having died less than a year ago. Mr. Johnston was 48 years of age and unmarried.

The Runaway Victim Doing Well.

Old Mrs. Mitchell, who was knocked over by a runaway horse Saturday morning, is now doing very well at the hospital. The chances for her recovery are bright, the only drawback being her extreme age. The members of her family have been notified, and some of them are expected. Her son-in-law, John Edwards, of Windsor, whom she was trying to reach before he died, has since passed away.

South Ontario Pacific Extension.

W. J. Grant, secretary of the South Ontario Pacific Railway Company, said today that he wouldn't be at all surprised if active operations on that road were begun this spring. Engineers are now at work between Woodstock and the bridge making the final survey and definitely settling the route before they report to C. P. R. headquarters. If the road is commenced in the spring it will be completed before the summer is over.—[Hamilton Spectator.

A Former Londoner Killed in Iowa.

In a railroad disaster near Council Bluffs, Iowa, last Wednesday Robert McNamara was one of the killed. Four years ago last May he left this city, having learned his trade, cigarmaking, in McKay's factory. At that time he was 23 years of age. Since that time his parents, who live at 20 Wharncliffe road, have received three letters from him. A telegram was received by the Cigarmakers' Union in this city last Thursday that a young man named McNamara, whose home was supposed to be in London, had been killed. The family were at once notified and telegraphed for information. Saturday afternoon they received a letter from the president of the Council Bluffs Cigarmakers' Union stating that the body would be buried by the union on Sunday. The parents feel the sad affliction very keenly. The father of the deceased has been a resident of London for 40 years.

Recalcitrant Trustees.

BERLIN, Ont., Feb. 1.—Judgment was given on Friday evening at Ayr by Messrs. Howell and Watson, justices of the peace, against Messrs. Henderson, Rannie, and Gerbig, three members of the Ayr Public School Board, for neglecting to perform their duties as trustees by leaving a meeting of the Board called for the purpose of organization, on January 20 last, as required by law, and declining to take part in such meetings. The excuse given by the defendants for their conduct, which was not denied, was that A. D. McCrae, a member of last year's Board, who was present at the meeting, and who intended taking part in the proceedings, had by his absence from the meetings for three successive months vacated his seat, and with Mr. McCrae present the proceedings would be illegal. There was evidence, however, that while this was their alleged excuse, the real reason for the defendants acting as they did was because they were afraid that Mr. Willison, reeve of the village and a member of the Board, who was objectionable to them, would be elected chairman. The defendants were each fined $20 and costs. There is some talk of an appeal, but the counsel for the parties, Mr. King, Q.C., for the prosecution, and Mr. Ball, Q.C., for the defendants, not being present when the decision was given, it is as yet uncertain whether anything further will be done.

$146,000,000 for Pensions.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Commissioner of Pensions Raum appeared before the House Appropriation Committee and recommended that $146,956,000 be appropriated for pensions for the fiscal year of 1893.

A TERRIBLE DEATH.

Conductor George Hawthorne, of This City, Smothered in the Tunnel.

Particulars of the Sad Affair—His Train Breaks and He Is Left Behind—His Companion Recovers—The Body Brought Home.

The body of George H. G. Hawthorne was brought to his sorrow-stricken home in this city yesterday. His death was a terrible one.

Mr. Hawthorne was one of the railway men chosen to run through the St. Clair tunnel, and he has been a train conductor there since it opened. He left the American side at 4:20 a.m. yesterday. It is not an infrequent thing for a train to be divided in the tunnel. For the first half of the journey it goes speedily down grade, and in the check received by the commencement of the ascent to the other side couplings sometimes break and cars are parted. Such was the case with Mr. Hawthorne's train, and he was left with Brakeman Joseph Whealen on the rear part. As is customary, the locomotive took the cars that remained attached and shunted them on a sidetrack outside the tunnel. Brakeman Aldridge then returned with the engine to the tunnel, connected the cars that had been left behind and started towards the Canadian side, when the train once more separated. The cars that remained with the engine were again taken outside and a second return made. Aldridge noticed that neither Whealen nor Hawthorne made their appearance, and he commenced to look for them. He was horrified to find the former lying on the track apparently suffocated, and a moment afterwards came across the other in the same condition. The bodies were instantly put on the locomotive and brought to the tunnel station. Medical aid was at once summoned and physicians made every effort to revive them. They succeeded in resuscitating Whealen, who lives in Point Edward, but poor Hawthorne was beyond human aid, and passed away without a gleam of consciousness to brighten his last moments. The remains were placed on No. 40, due here at noon, in charge of Conductor John Wilson, of this city, whose run is also in the tunnel. They were met by a number of his friends, including about 25 members of the Order of Railroad Trainmen, and conveyed to the family residence, 527 King street, after having been coffined at Ferguson's establishment.

The gas arising from the combustion of coal, the smoke and the natural lack of ventilation in the great underground passage had been too much for him and his companion, and there was no one near to aid them before they were overcome by the dense atmosphere. It is said they were in the place two hours before being taken out. A huge air pump is used to ventilate the tunnel, but it does not usually pump air into it while the trains are en route.

Deceased was very well known and highly esteemed in the city. He was a member of St. John's Lodge, 209a, A. F. and A. M., of the Canadian Order of Foresters, and of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen. A wife and two young children are left to mourn his departure. His father, Mr. W. Hawthorne, of Belleville, formerly proprietor of the Hub Restaurant here, has been notified and left at once for London. Deceased had been connected with the G. T. R. for thirteen years and was a first-class railway man. Personally he was possessed of many fine qualities of heart and head that won for him a large circle of admiring friends. He will be buried by the Railway Brotherhood. Mr. Hawthorne was 32 years and 7 months old.

CAPTAIN KERR BANQUETTED

And Brantford G. T. R. Employes Present Him With a Handsome Gold Watch.

Capt. J. Kerr was banquetted at the Butler House in Brantford by his numerous friends. A large number attended and a magnificent gold watch was presented to him, bearing the following inscription: "Presented to Captain Kerr by the employes of the G. T. R. shops, Brantford, as a mark of their esteem, January, 1892." The address spoke in warm terms of the feeling of good will towards the recipient, who replied feelingly. He said he had been with them 22 years, and there had been nothing to mar the harmony of their work. They had assisted him to conduct the company's work; he had always found it possible to deal with them fairly and do justly between his superiors and them. He wished them all success. He advised them all to fight the battle of life manfully, and success would attend them. Let them prepare themselves by knowledge, for knowledge was power. When he landed in Canada in 1855 he knew nobody, and had nothing but his head and his hands, and he had always tried to make his head save his hands. The first winter he was in Canada they worked outside in the snow. They had no shops in those days. Their shops were now comfortable and convenient, though he did not find it so just now in London. The burning of the buildings some time ago had wrecked the shops, and much had to be done outside. It was to be hoped that they would soon have shops there and that the men would be housed as they ought to be. He had many old and trusted friends in Brantford. He did not expect to make such friends in London as he had made in Brantford. If it were ever in his power to do them a kindness he would do so. (Loud cheers.)

A long list of toasts were duly honored, every speaker having some kind words to say of the honored guest of the evening.

Capt. Kerr may be assured of as much appreciation here as in Brantford. His reputation has preceded him, and the employes of the G. T. R. are fortunate in having so excellent a man placed in charge of the works in this city.

THE FIRE RECORD.

BRADFORD, Feb. 1.—A large portion of the business part of Bondhead was destroyed by fire this morning about 3 o'clock. The fire started in a vacant building, formerly used as a hotel, and extended to St. Clair's general store, Carter's general store, containing the postoffice, Great Northwestern telegraph office, telephone office, G. Robinson's boot and shoe store and other vacant buildings. It is supposed that the old hotel was set on fire. The loss is as yet unknown.

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 1.—A fire in the stable of Caron & McCully, veterinary surgeons, yesterday morning did damage to the extent of $500. Flames were discovered about 11 o'clock in the loft, but how it caught is a mystery. The horses, rigs and harness were got out. Two tons of hay, two loads of straw and 700 bushels of oats were burned. The building was owned by George Penwarden. The loss is covered by insurance.

A New York boiler maker has been working with his heart exposed to view

THE HORSEMAN.

Doble jogs Axtell and Nancy Hanks seven to ten miles a day.

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Jockey Isaac Murphy has blossomed out as an owner of thoroughbreds.

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Arion's weanling half-sister by Palo Alto is jet black and has been named Aerolite.

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Of the mares that are booked to Direct, 2:06, it is said that over a dozen have records of 2:20 or better.

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Charles Marvin, the world-renowned trainer, used, in ye early days, to run a threshing machine in Buchanan county, Iowa.

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Sidney has twenty sons and daughters that have trotted 2:30 or better or paced in 2:25 or better, seven of the number having beaten 2:20.

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Giving pacers standard rank with trotters, says an exchange, is like giving lawyers rank with clergymen. It won't work to advantage.

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The custom of having colts come early seems to be gaining in favor with the breeders. Foals that are expected to beat 2:20 as yearlings must be foaled early in order to get the training necessary to them to perform so great a feat.

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The rapid increase of extremely fast trotters is demonstrated by the fact that in the stable of the veteran trainer, Budd Doble, this coming season there will be three trotters, anyone of which will in all probability be able to beat 2:10. Two years ago but one such trotter could have been found in existence.

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What Arion will do as a 3-year-old is problematical. As a 2-year-old he was the greatest colt that ever stood on iron, and if he trains on, as he is licensed to do, as we have Senator Stanford's word that he is sound, he will come as near being the two-minute trotter as any yet born. While there is no direct authority for the statement it is more than likely that if the colt is trotted this year it will be under the direction of the master reinsman, Doble.

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The discussion of the development question touched mainly on its advantages or disadvantages as applied to animals intended for reproduction, but by studying the results of the annual sales of trotting stock, many of which take place during this season of the year, one is enabled to see where development of parents is a decided advantage. It will be noticed that the get of an undeveloped sire or of a sire whose get have not been developed are not sought after at paying prices. Unless a breeder has a sire whose turf performances have made him popular or his get has been developed and shown a considerable amount of speed, he will do well to keep them at home rather than to sacrifice them at a public sale, where the majority of the buyers base their judgment on the performances of the sire or his get. Development is demanded by buyers and the time will soon come when every breeding establishment will feel compelled to train and develop its youngsters to such an extent that in a few years an undeveloped sire will be as much of a rarity as was the developed sire twenty years ago.

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A JUST REBUKE.

There is a stallion in Ohio called Allerton, which fact demonstrates the bad taste of his owner. It is invariably the case, however, that when some trotter makes a national reputation his name is at once appropriated for the benefit of from one to half a dozen other trotters, the majority of whom would be choked to death if tied behind the prominent horse's sulky when he started to go a mile at top speed. Since the days of Flora Temple, the first trotter to beat 2:20, this practice of tacking on to inferior animals the name of a celebrated performer has been in vogue, and to say the least it is the acme of cheek and bad taste. If the Ohio man who has named his stallion Allerton has a horse of any merit as an individual or a trotter the animal will not do himself credit any quicker or to a greater extent because he is labeled with a name that has been made prominent and famous by the performances of another horse. On the contrary, the grab-bag system of naming horses will deteriorate such animals in the eyes of sensible men, and on general principles it would be the part of wisdom to decline to patronize any horse that is named for a world-beater. A Sunol that cannot beat 2:40 was trotting in Canada last year, and the record books show that the names of Rarus, Goldsmith Maid and other champions have been duplicated in a disgustingly frequent manner.—[Breeders' Gazette.

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DR. TALMAGE ON CRUELTY TO HORSES.

In a sermon on horses Dr. Talmage said among other excellent things: But what shall I say of the maltreatment of this beautiful and wonderful creation of God? All honor to Professor Bergh, the chief apostle of the brute creation, for the mercy he has demanded and achieved for this king of beasts. I do not believe in the transmigration of souls, but I cannot very severely denounce the idea, when I see men who cut and bruise, and whack and whelt, and strike and maul, and outrage and insult the horse, the beautiful servant of the human race, who carries our burdens and pulls our plows, and turns our threshers and our mills and runs for our doctors. When I see men thus beating, and bruising, and outraging that creature it seems to me that it would be only fair that the doctrine of transmigration of souls should prove true, and that for their punishment they should pass over into some poor, miserable brute, and be beaten, and whacked, cruelly treated, and frozen, and heated, and overdriven, an everlasting stage horse, an eternal traveler on a tow-path, or tied to an eternal post in an eternal winter, smitten with eternal epizootic.

It ought to be that if any man overdrives a horse, or feeds him when hot, or recklessly drives a nail into the quick of his hoof, or rowels to see him prance, or puts a collar on a raw neck, or unnecessarily clutches his tongue with twisted bit, or cuts off his hair until he has no defense against the cold, or unmercifully abbreviates the natural defense against insectile annoyance, that such a man as that himself ought to be made to pull and let his horse ride.

Carried the Secret 25 Years.

JUNO, Tenn., Feb. 1.—Harry Armstrong died from the grip the other night, and when the neighbors began to prepare the body for the grave it was discovered that the dead man was a woman, who had worked for 25 years as a farm hand in this community, and during all this time had not disclosed her sex. Physicians examined the corpse of Henry and found a well developed female about 42 years of age.

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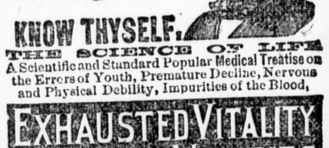

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Fate of Sir Hugh.

"What a delicious night; how white that patch of moonlighted road looks where the trees do not cast their shadows so heavily. I like this quiet road. I am quite glad the boarding-house was full; I think the cottage is much cozier."

"Cozier, yes," laughed the other; "but that is a speech that ought to have come out of my middle-aged lips. What an odd girl you are, Crystal; you never seem to care for mixing with young people; and yet it is only natural at your age. You are a terrible misanthrope. I do believe you would rather not dine at the table d'hote, only you are ashamed to say so."

"I have no right to inflict my misanthropy on you, dear Miss Campion; as it is, you are far too indulgent to my morose moods."

"Morose fiddlesticks," was the energetic reply. "But, there, I do like young people to enjoy themselves like young people. Why, if I had your youth and good looks; well"—with a change of tone sufficiently explicit—"it is no use trying to make you conceited; and yet that handsome young American—wasn't he a colonel?—tried to make himself as pleasant as he could."

"Did he!" was the somewhat indifferent answer; at which Miss Campion shook her head in an exasperated way.

"Oh, it is no use talking to you," with good-natured impatience. "English or American, old, ugly, or handsome, they are all the same to you; and of course, by the natural laws of contradiction, the absurd creatures are all bent on making you fall in love with them. Now that colonel, Crystal, I can't think what fault you have to find with him; he was manly, gentlemanly, and as good-looking as a man ought to be."

"I do not care for good-looking men."

"Or for plain ones, either, my dear. I expect you are romantic, Crystal, and have an ideal of your own."

"And if I answer, yes," returned the girl, quickly, "will you leave off teasing me about all those stupid men? If you knew how I hate it—how I despise them all."

"All but the ideal," observed Miss Campion, archly; but she took the girl's hand in hers, and her shrewd, clever face softened. "You must forgive an impertinent old maid, my dear. Perhaps she had her story too, who knows. And so you have your ideal, my poor, dear child; and the ideal has not made you a happy woman. It never does," in a low voice.

"Dear Miss Campion," returned Crystal, with a blush; "if I am unhappy, it is only through my own fault; no one else is to blame, and—and—it is not as you think. It is true I once knew a good man, who has made every other man seem puny and insignificant beside him; but that is because he was so good and there was no other reason."

"No other reason, except your love for him," observed the elder woman, stroking her hand gently. "I have long suspected this, my dear."

"Oh, you must not talk so," answered Crystal, in a tone of poignant distress; "you do not know; you cannot understand. Oh, it is all so sad. I owe him everything. My ideal, oh, yes; whom have I ever seen who could compare with him—so strong, so gentle, so forgiving? Oh, you must never let me talk of him; it breaks my heart."

"Come away, Margaret," whispered Raby, hoarsely, in her ear. "I have no right to hear this; it is betraying my darling's confidence. Take me away, for I cannot trust myself another moment; and it is late—too late to speak to her to-night."

"Hush! they are going in; we must wait a moment. Crystal is crying, and that kind creature is comforting her. We did not mean to listen, Raby; but it was not safe to move away from the trees."

"You heard what she said, Margaret—her ideal. Heaven bless her sweet innocence; she is as much a child as ever. Do I look like any woman's ideal now, Margaret. I always think of those lines in 'Aurora Leigh,' when I imagine myself

"'A mere bare blind stone in the blaze of day,
A man, upon the outside of the earth,
As dark as ten feet under, in the grave—
Why that seemed hard.'

And yet, she really said it; her ideal. Ah, well! A woman's pity sometimes makes her mad. What do you say, Maggie?"

"That you are, and that you ever have been Crystal's ideal." And after that they walked back in silence.

"You and I will go again to-morrow morning," Raby said to her as they parted for the night; and Margaret assented.

Raby had a wakeful night, and slept a little heavily toward morning.

Margaret had already finished her breakfast when he entered the long dining-room, and one of the black waiters guided him to a place. Raby wondered that she did not join him as usual to read his letters to him, and make plans for their visit; but a few minutes later she joined him in walking dress, and sat down beside him.

"Have you finished your breakfast, Raby?" And, as he answered in the affirmative, she continued, with a little thrill of excitement in her sweet voice—"Miss Campion had gone down to the springs—I saw her pass alone. Crystal is writing letters in the parlor—I saw her. Shall me come, my dear brother?"

Need she have put the question. Even Charles, the head-waiter, looked at Mr. Ferrers as he walked down the long room with his head erect. A grand-looking Englishman, he thought, and who would have imagined he was blind. Margaret could hardly keep up with the long, even strides that brought them so quickly to the corner house; at the gate she checked him gently.

"We must be quiet, Raby—very quiet—or she will hear our footsteps. She is sitting with her back to the parlor door—I can see her plainly. Tread on this grassy border."

And as Raby followed her directions implicity, restraining his impatience with difficulty, they were soon standing in the porch. The door stood open for coolness, and the little square hall, with its Indian matting and rocking-chairs, looked very inviting. Margaret whispered that the parlor-door was open, too, and that they must not startle the girl too much; and then, still guiding him, she led him into the parlor and quietly called Crystal.

"We are here, dear Crystal." And as Crystal turned her head and saw Margaret's sweet, loving face, and Raby standing a little behind her, she sprung from her chair with a half-stifled scream. But before she could speak, or Margaret either, Raby was beside her; another moment his arms were round her, and his sightless face bent over her. "Hush, darling, I have you safely now; I will never let you go again," Margaret heard him say as she left the room, quietly closing the door behind her. Her turn would come presently, she said to herself; but now she must leave them together.

CHAPTER XXXV.

RABY'S WIFE.

Yet, in one respect,
Just one, beloved, I am in nowise changed;
I love you, loved you, loved you first and last,
And love you on forever, now I know
I loved you always.
—E. B. Browning.

Crystal never moved as she heard the sound of the closing door. Only once she tried to cower away from him, but he would not release his hold; and, as his strength and purpose made themselves felt, she stood dumb and cold, until, suddenly overcome by his tenderness, she laid her head on his breast with a sob that seemed to shake her girlish frame.

"Raby, Raby! oh, I cannot bear this." Then in a tone of anguish, "I do not deserve it."

"No," he said, calmly, and trying to soothe her with grave kisses; "you have been a faithless child, and deserve to be punished. How do you purpose to make me amends for all the sorrow you have caused me?"

"Oh, if I could only die," she answered, bitterly; "if my death could only do you good. Raby, the trouble of it has nearly killed me; you must not, you must not speak so kindly to me."

"Must I not, my darling; how does a man generally speak to his future wife?" and as she trembled and shrunk from him, he went on in the same quiet voice, "if you are so ready to die for me, you will not surely refuse to live for me. Do you think you owe me nothing for all these years of desertion, Crystal; was there any reason that, because of that unhappy accident—a momentary childish passion, you should break my heart by your desertion?"

"I could not stay," she answered, weeping bitterly; "I could not stay to see the ruin I had made. Oh, Raby, let me go, do not forgive me; I have been your curse, and Margaret's too!"

"Then come back and be our blessing; come back in your beauty and youth to be eyes to the blind man, and to be his darling and delight. Crystal, I am wiser now—I shall make no more mistakes; indeed, I alway loved you, dear; poor Mona was no more to me than any other woman."

"You loved me, Raby?"

"Yes, most truly and deeply; but you were so young, my sweet; and I did not think it right to fetter your inexperienced youth—you were so unconscious of your own rare beauty; you had seen so few men. 'Let her go out into the world,' I said, and 'Let her power and influence. I will not ask her to be my wife yet. How could I know you would never change, Crystal—that your heart was really mine?"

"It has always been yours," she murmured; but, alas! those sweet blushes were lost on her blind lover.

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CENTRALIA, Jan. 23, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I must write and tell you all about my visit to Exeter last week. I was up to grandma's, and it was quiet, and there was not much fun there, so Aunt Emma and I went out in the country to see Uncle George, and Aunt Edith. We just had a big time. Uncle Henry was home from Toronto; he has been living down there for a year or more. I tell you he is quiet a dude. He just thinks he is somebody. The school teacher boards there too. He is a nice fellow. His girl lives in town. She is a clerk in a candy store. Aunt Grace lives there too. We did not have much fun with her. She is like most other old maids. Aunt Edith is full of fun, but it is too bad she is blind in one eye. She wears glasses, and it is not noticed so much. I guess Uncle George will get on the blind side of her sometimes, but he is good to her. He takes her to all the concerts that come along, and he goes out to town quite often. I guess he takes her for a cutter ride sometimes too. He cuts quite a swell when he gets out. Uncle George is a great man for stock. He has lots of the biggest sheep I ever saw, and lots of cattle and horses. Well, I will close for this time. I am 11 years, and I go to school most of the time. From your little niece

MATILDA BROWNING.

[Don't you know that a little girl who possesses the same name as the great poet, Robert Browning, should not talk about "old maids." There is no such thing nowadays. A great many women remain unmarried of their own choice, because they will be happier.]

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WATFORD, Jan. 19, 1891.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I thought I would write to you to let you know how I spent my Christmas holidays. I was up to Plympton at my grandma's and stayed two weeks. They took me to the rest of my friends and I had a good time. I am 8 years old now. I had a birthday since I wrote to you before. I didn't start to school yet. We have a long way to go. My teacher is Mr. McGibbon; he is the same teacher as we had last year; he is a good teacher. My sister is going and she likes him real well. I am going to start in a few days now. Wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy new year, I will now close. From your loving niece,

KATE DELL.

[Thank you, dearie. I did have a very merry Christmas.]

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DE SMET, S. D., Dec. 20, 1891.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I thought I would write to you for the first time. I am a girl ten years old, and my pa is a farmer in South Dakota. He has taken the ADVERTISER for eight years and could not do without it. I am going to school for six months and most of it is in the winter. I live about 60 miles from the Sioux reservation. When Sitting Bull started the ghost dance I got so much afraid that I destroyed my doll; but if I was sure I would get the carriage I would make mamma buy me a new one. I am not afraid now, for I saw Gen. Miles going on the train with the troops, and he brought them to time. I have a great time in corn-planting season snaring and killing gophers. I live near a lake and the name of it is Lake Thompson, and in the spring the geese come from the south, and the fields are covered over with them, and pa shoots lots of geese, and I have a great time pulling the feathers off them. Dear Aunt Prudence I would like to tell you of the blizzard, and if you were here you would say it was the worst day and night you ever saw, but my letter is getting too long, so I must close, wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy new year. From your loving niece,

FLO McDONALD.

[Now, you must write me another letter again, and tell me all about the blizzard and the Indian rebellion. With two such exciting topics you should be able to make a very interesting letter.]

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AUBURN, Jan. 16, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I thought I would like to have you for an auntie, so I am going to write. I am going to school, and I am 13 years old. I am in the Fourth book. My teacher's name is Miss Dey, and I like her very much. Now, dear auntie, I think I have written a long enough letter this time. Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain, your loving niece,

BESSIE ROWED.

P.S.—I have three sisters and three brothers.

[It did not strike me that your letter was long enough. I could have read another page from you with pleasure.]

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BLAIR, Jan. 17, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I have been reading the little girls' letters in the ADVERTISER, so I thought I would like to write one two. I am 9 years old, my birthday is in August. I go to school every day, and am in the Second Book. I had not a very nice time on Christmas, I had a toothache. I got three teeth drawn. I got a lovely glass slipper from my sister for a New Year's present. I go to Sunday school. We got lovely cards at Sunday school. We have a library in our Sunday school. I am going to get a book to-day. We have to learn verses out of the Bible for our teacher in Sunday school. Well, as it is near dinner time, I think I will close. From your niece,

EMMA UNGER.

[Well, little Cinderella with the glass slipper, let me know when your prince comes. I would be interested to know.]

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HALLOCK, Jan. 15, 1892.

DEAR AUNT PRUDENCE:

I have been reading the letters in the ADVERTISER, but I have never seen any from this place. We live in the northwest corner of Minnesota. I came here when I was 2 years old, I am 13 years old to-day. We live on a farm. Papa says farm work is easier here than in Ontario. All the machinery runs on wheels and has seats on so that we can ride, except the drags, and I wish they had too. We put our grain in with a four-horse drill. We live on the river bank. I have skating and snowshoeing. Mamma says that I can go as fast as an Indian on my snowshoes. If you think this letter is worth while printing I will tell you about a bear we had next time. I will have to close. Your loving nephew,

WILFRED COSENS.

[I wish I lived near you, then I should ask you to teach me how to use snowshoes. It must be such fun. Yes, do write and tell me all about the bear.]

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LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division—Going East.

	Leave London	Leave St. Thomas.
North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	11:50 p.m
N. Y. Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	3:00 a.m
American Express (except Monday)	9:50 a.m.	11:15 a.m
Atlantic Express (daily)	9:50 a.m.	1:50 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:05 p.m
N. Y. and Boston Express (daily)	2:25 p.m.	4:45 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:00 a.m

Canada Southern Division—Going West.

North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	7:28 a.m
Chicago Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	4:20 a.m
Chicago L't'd Exp. (daily)	9:50 a.m.	10:55 a.m
American Express (except Mondays)	9:50 a.m.	1:30 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:15 p.m
Pacific Express (daily)	2:25 p.m.	6:00 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:40 a.m

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MAIN LINE—Going East

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
*Limited Express (A)	3:35 a.m.	3:45 a.m
Mail	......	6:00 a.m
Atlantic Express (A)	12:05 p.m.	12:10 p.m
Day Express	10:50 a.m.	2:20 p.m
*St. Louis Express (A) (D)	4:20 p.m.	4:25 p.m
Mixed—No. 24 Freight (C)	5:45 p.m.	6:50 p.m
Erie Limited	11:20 p.m.	11:40 p.m

MAIN LINE—Going West.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
†Chicago Express (A)	5:10 a.m.	5:30 a.m
†West End Mixed	......	6:45 a.m
†Erie Limited	11:30 a.m.	......
†St. Louis Express (A)	11:20 a.m.	11:25 a.m
†Accommodation	12:40 p.m.	2:15 p.m
†Pacific Express (A)	6:50 p.m.	7:10 p.m
Mail	9:55 p.m.	......
Accommodation	......	7:20 p.m

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Limited Express (B)	3:20 a.m.	......
Atlantic Express (B)	11:50 a.m.	......
Accommodation	2:15 p.m.	......
Accommodation	8:45 p.m.	......
Erie Limited (B)	11:35 p.m.	......

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (B)	......	5:20 a.m
Accommodation	......	7:35 a.m
Erie Limited (B)	......	11:35 a.m
Accommodation	......	2:30 p.m
Pacific Express (B)	......	7:00 p.m

London, Huron and Bruce.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Express	10:15 a.m.	8:05 a.m
Mail	6:50 p.m.	4:35 p.m

London and Port Stanley.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
Mail	......	6:40 a.m
Accommodation	7:20 a.m.	9:30 a.m
Mail	2:10 p.m.	1:50 p.m
Accommodation	6:35 p.m.	5:00 p.m
Mixed	6:55 p.m.	......
Mail	11:15 p.m.	......

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mixed—Mail	11:20 a.m.	7:35 a.m
Express	1:50 p.m.	......
Express	5:50 p.m.	2:30 p.m
Express—Mixed	9:25 p.m.	6:05 p.m

Toronto Branch.

Hamilton—Depart—

a.m. *6:30	a.m. 7:00	a.m. 11:05	p.m. 12:30	p.m. 4:10	p.m. 5:10	p.m. B*6:55	p.m 9:25

Hamilton—Arrive—

a.m. †12:30	a.m. †9:00	a.m. †10:25	p.m. B†12:25	p.m. 4:00	p.m. 6:25	p.m 8:1[illegible]

* These trains for Montreal.

† These trains from Montreal.

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Going East.

DEPART—			
London	4:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	5:35 p.m
Woodstock	4:46 a.m.	8:50 a.m.	6:33 p.m
Galt	5:40 a.m.	9:50 a.m.	7:30 p.m
Guelph	9:20 a.m.	11:05 a.m.	8:40 p.m
Toronto	8:15 a.m.	12:00 noon	9:55 p.m
Peterboro	11:45 a.m.	......	12:13 a.m
Kingston	4:00 p.m.	......	9:40 p.m
Ottawa	5:45 p.m.	......	6:00 a.m
Montreal	7:55 p.m.	......	8:15 a.m
Quebec	6:30 a.m.	......	3:00 p.m
Portland, Me.	8:30 a.m.	......	8:35 p.m
Boston	8:10 a.m.	......	8:50 p.m
Halifax, N. S.	11:10 p.m.	......	......

Trains arrive from the east at 11:25 a.m., 7:00 p.m., 10:00 p.m.

Going West.

DEPART—			
London	7:00 a.m.	11:35 a.m.	7:05 p.m
ARRIVE—			
Chatham	10:00 a.m.	1:05 p.m.	8:52 p.m
Detroit	......	2:45 p.m.	10:40 p.m
Chicago	......	10:15 p.m.	7:20 a.m
St. Louis	......	7:45 a.m.	6:15 p.m
Kansas City	......	6:10 p.m.	9:20 a.m

Trains arrive from the west at 3:55 a.m., 5:25 p.m., 10:15 p.m.

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ERIE & HURON RAILWAY.

Trains South.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix	Mix
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Sarnia (G. T. R.)	----	5:10	7:40	....
Courtright	----	5:40	8:20	....
M. C. R. Junction	----	5:45	8:22	....
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	....	7:45	10:35	3:30
Chatham (C. P. R.) dep	7:45	....	10:40	4:40
Fargo (M. C. R.)	8:13	----	2:35	5:10
Blenheim arr	8:25	....	11:20	5:35

Trains North.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix	Mix
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Blenheim dep	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fargo (M. C. R.)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chatham (C. P. R.) dep	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
M. C. R. Junction	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Courtright	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sarnia (G. T. R.)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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GARSIDE—On Saturday morning, Jan. 30, John Garside, aged 23 years and 5 days. Funeral will leave his late residence, 23 Mill street, London West, on Monday at 3 o'clock; services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

HAWTHORNE—On Sunday morning, at St. Clair tunnel, George H. G. Hawthorne, aged 32 years. Funeral notice later.

MOORHEAD—On Jan. 31, 1892, at the family residence, 317 Queen's avenue, Thomas Moorhead, late engineer on the G. T. R., in his 64th year. Funeral on Tuesday, at 3 p.m.; services at 2:30. Friends will please accept this intimation.

WHEATCROFT—On Sunday, Jan. 31, Minnie Emily, daughter of John and Mary Wheatcroft, aged 10 months. Funeral on Tuesday, Feb. 2, at 3 o'clock, from 206 Wellington street; services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this invitation.

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THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 31—11 p.m.—The pressure is low over the Atlantic coast and in the Western States, and about normal or a little above elsewhere. Heavy rain has fallen in Nova Scotia, attended by a northeasterly gale. In other parts of Canada the weather has been generally fair.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 4°—38°; Swift Current, 12°—28°; Winnipeg, 12°—34°; Toronto, 28°—36°; Montreal, 14°—20°; Quebec, 6°—16°; Halifax, 22°—30°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, Feb. 1—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: Generally cloudy and mild, with rain in most places.

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—Rev. G. W. Henderson, city, preached quarterly sermons yesterday in the Paris Methodist Church.

—Fred. J. Glackmeyer, sergant-at-arms of the Ontario Assembly, was at the Tecumseh House Saturday.

—The Western express trains on the Grand Trunk last night conveyed a number of immigrants to the Western States.

—The anniversary entertainment of Pride of the East Circle, Companions of the Forest, has been postponed until Feb. 18.

—If the weather this month be as good as that of January the winter of 1892 will have been above the average of the last few years.

—Mrs. A. H. Mackay, of Portland, Oregon, is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Flock. Mrs. Mackay was called to London because of the death of her mother, Mrs. (Dr.) Stone.

—The funeral of the late Joseph Westman, father of Mr. Westman, this city, took place in Toronto on Saturday. It was largely attended by his friends and acquaintances.

A. Smith & Co., cigar manufacturers of London, having purchased the plant 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 Mr. Smith will personally superintend the works, the public may rest assured that the goods placed upon the market will be of the finest quality only. zxv

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—He had a poem accepted,
By a magazine at that,
And down the street the poet went
And bought a larger hat.

—The firemen had fifteen runs during January.

—Mrs. J. Gammage, of Oxford street east, is very ill with the grip.

—Sam Grigg will conduct evangelistic services at Petrolea on Friday.

—Senator Frank Smith, of Toronto, was in the city on Saturday afternoon.

—The wise merchant these days puts sawdust on his sidewalk and advertises.

—H. C. D. Gibbens, of this city, has installed the officers of Court Parkhill, I. O. O. F.

—Earl Alberti, advance agent for Rice's Evangeline Company, was in the city last night.

—Al. E. Davidson, formerly of this city, is now manager of the Bay City Opera House.

—Mrs. Geo. Collins, Mount Pleasant avenue, has been seriously ill, but is recovering.

—Mr. Fitzgerald, of London, grand chancellor of Ontario, Knights of Pythias, will visit Red Cross Lodge, Hamilton, this evening.

—George C. Gibbons, Q.C., will address mass meetings in Aylmer to-morrow and in St. Thomas on Thursday evening. He will deal with the trade question.

—Mr. Frank Watson, Grey street, wishes it understood that he is not the Frank Watson who has been and is now figuring in police circles, as the above gentleman bears an exemplary character.

—Rev. Mr. McIntyre, pastor of Askin Street Methodist Church, has almost recovered from his attack of the grip. He was able to conduct the services last night. Rev. Mr. Crews, sen., preached in the morning.

—Dan Shea was bound over to keep the peace for three months at the Police Court this morning. He was charged with using threatening language to Mrs. Hattie Robinson. Two drunks arrested on Saturday were discharged.

—At Sunday's services in the Queen's Avenue Methodist Church Rev. Mr. Learoyd, of Windsor, was the preacher, and the congregations were large. The singing by the choir has greatly improvedof late, the orchestral feature lending a pleasing support to the voices.

—Mr. Carling is like Patti in one respect. He is ever making farewell appearances. "Let me see," said a gentleman musingly on Saturday, "Carling has told me at least six times when canvassing my vote 'that it was the last time he would ask me.' Wonder will he have the same chestnut to retail this time.

—The word "unanimous" will in future be expressed in the Free Press office by the figure "3." After "3" hours Mr. Carling secured a majority of "3." This, in the words of the Free Press, was the "unanimous" nomination accorded Mr. Carling. The Free Press continues to keep the report of the convention suppressed.

—The Y. M. C. A. boys organized a lyceum Saturday night. R. Kirkpatrick was elected president, D. Rougvie vice-president, and Oliver Leslie secretary. A paper will be read on "The best way to conduct a lyceum" by the president, and Messrs. Rougvie, Hobbs, Cameron and others will discuss "The Future of Canada" at the next meeting.

—A free concert was given at Mr. Hyman's central committee rooms on Saturday evening. The vocalists were members of the Young Liberal Minstrels, and they gave a first-class entertainment. Several hundred young men listened to the melodies and witnessed the step-dancing, and hundreds were unable to gain admission. It was a night off with the young men, but next week they will continue their ward canvass. The most encouraging reports come from every portion of the city.

—Mr. Alex. Findlay, waterworks engineer, attended the banquet of the Scottish Rite in Hamilton on Friday night. It was one of the largest gatherings in the interest of higher Masonry ever held, nearly 300 sitting down to the repast. There were representatives from every city of any importance in Canada, and from Buffalo, Cleveland, and elsewhere. Mr. Findlay had a most cordial reception, and several of the 32° brethren in Hamilton accompanied him as far west as Harrisburg.

—Mr. Thos Uttley, for some years identified with the newspaper business in this city, latterly with the Farmers' Advocate, is removing shortly to the London, Ont., office of the publication, on the staff of which he continues. He will carry with him the best wishes of many Winnipeg friends. He will be succeeded in his present position here by Mr. C. M. Richardson, a gentleman of experience and integrity, who for several years has been connected with the Farmers' Advocate.—[Winnipeg Free Press.

—The limelight exhibition at the Young Liberal rooms drew so many thousands on Saturday evening that it had speedily to be adjourned. The crowd was so great that traffic was impeded. It is not probable that the entertainments will be continued on Saturday nights, but several will be given during the evenings of other week days. Some good pictures of public men were shown. Those of Mr. C. S. Hyman and Hon. Wilfrid Laurier were loudly cheered. The funny cartoons caused much goodnatured laughter.

—The Knights of Pythias are about to branch out in South London, and it is understood that a new lodge will be instituted on or about Feb. 17 by S. D. D. G. C. Alex. Gardner, of Prospect Lodge. The new lodge will start with a charter list of not less than 40 new members and four old knights of the order. There is every reason why this should not be one of the best K. of P. lodges in the city. They have procured the new hall from the A. O. F. and will meet twice a week. The grand chancellor of the State of Michigan is expected to be present at the initiative proceedings. The grand chancellor and other grand officers of the Grand Lodge of Ontario are also to be present.

—Mr. Hyman is meeting with remarkable success in his canvass. He is holding all his former friends, and finds hundreds of accessions to his standard. "London was well represented in his last session of Parliament," confessed a moderate Conservative on Saturday. "Mr. Hyman boomed popular interests and aided in hunting down the rascals, as could only be done by an able and independent member. I see no occasion to vote against him in this bye-election. I want to see him serve out his term. We never cut off a mayor with a one-year term if he proves a success. Mr. Hyman is a credit to his native city, and he is moderate in his views on public questions. I for one believe in giving him a chance. Mr. Carling we can keep in the Senate. It is a nice quiet place for the old man."

—London artists were successful at a recent entertainment in St. Thomas, according to the following eulogistic paragraph in the Times: The first number consisted of an organ solo by Professor W. J. Birks, organist of the Dundas Street Methodist Church, London. His rendition was graceful and finished, and fresh laurels were added to his already provincial reputation. This was followed by a duet, "Rest in the Lord," by Mrs. Celeste V. Keltie and Mr. Wm. Skinner, members of the London local quartet The duet elicited well-merited applause from the thrilled audience. Mr. Percy T. Carroll followed in a solo, entitled, "Why must we say good-bye?" He has a well cultivated tenor voice, full, clear, rich and distinct. Mrs. Keltie sang Benedict's "I'm Alone" in a clear soprano voice. She received loud plaudits from her hearers.

—Speaking of a meeting of the Hamilton Scientific Association Thursday, the Times says: "The principal business of the meeting was the reading of a learned and lengthy paper entitled "Man Scientifically Considered," prepared by J. Alston Moffatt, of London. It was an able exposition of what science has revealed man to be, and drew forth complimentary observations from the president, Mr. Witton, and Dr. Burns, the latter eulogistically referring to it as one of the finest pieces of reasoning he had ever heard. The reverend doctor remarked, incidentally, that its deductions were remarkably like those of a recent article in the Century, but Mr. Moffatt said he had not read or seen the article in question.

Engineer Thomas Moorhead Dead.

Thomas Moorhead, a well known and respected G. T. R. engineer, died at his home in this city yesterday. For a number of years his run was on the Sarnia branch, and there he was a general favorite. For a long time his health had not been good, and to improve it he took a trip to England a few months ago. The prevailing grip seems to have attacked him and to have been the ultimate cause of his death. George Moorhead, of the census branch, Ottawa, was a member of the family of grown-up sons and daughters he leaves.

A Notable Old Settler.

J. J. Spettigue, who has been very ill at Cedar Springs, Kent county, was visited during his sickness by a fine specimen of an octogenarian Englishman. His name is Burk, and he has been a resident of Harwich township, about four miles from Blenheim, since the early 40's. Mr. Burk is now 86 years of age, yet he is hale, hearty and in possession of all his faculties. He can see to read the smallest print without the aid of spectacles. He is a splendid conversationalist, and has a most retentive memory. He has no fewer than 201 descendants, largely settled in his neighborhood. Mr. Spettigue doubts if his visitor has a match, in point of possessions, in Ontario.

A Business Man's Protest.

"Dundas street merchant" writes: "I am a Conservative, and I was opposed to the unseating of Mr. Hyman unless he could be disqualified, because I believe Mr. Carling cannot unseat him, and had better remain in the Senate. But now that a new election is decreed, I hope the Ottawa Government will have mercy on us business men, and rush the contest as speedily as possible. Contests of this kind are always demoralizing to business and annoying to employers of labor, and they should last no longer than possible. Why should it not be all over in three weeks? It is largely a personal contest, and coming so soon after the last election there is no need for delay."

Bishop Baldwin to Young Men.

St. James' Episcopal Church, South London, was crowded last evening to hear the Bishop of Huron discourse especially to young men. The worthy divine spoke principally against infidelity, basing his remarks on facts and evidences of historical, geographical and personal incidents, as contained in the Bible. He closed with an eloquent and very urgent appeal to all young men to study the Scriptures and believe in Christ as a power who would lead them safely through the trials of life, and insure them eternal rest. The choir, under Mr. Fred L. Evans, rendered good music, and at the close of the sermon Miss Mamie Orrell sang Gounod's appropriate hymn, "There Is a Green Hill Far Away," with unusual sweetness. Rev. Mr. Rhodes, of St. Paul's, read the lessons of the evening, and also preached the morning sermon.

Presentation to Mr. McIlwain.

On Saturday the Grand Trunk employes and friends of Mr. J. D. McIlwain, late superintendent of the car shops, presented him with a valuable gold watch and chain, the former suitably engraved. An address was also read expressive of the subscribers' good-will and respect toward that gentleman and congratulating him on his advanced prospects in assuming the position of manager of the Harvey steel car works, Harvey, Ill. The presentation was acknowledged by the recipient in a few well-chosen remarks, much regret being expressed in severing a connection of nearly ten years' standing. Mr. McIlwain has been in Harvey for the past few weeks and had just made a flying visit to the city. He left last night for Buffalo, going thence to Cleveland, and other places before settling down. Mrs. McIlwain and family leave about March 1 for their new home.

Found in a Trunk.

During the afternoon of Jan. 10, Mr. and Mrs. James Bloomer, of this city, drove out to Dochester Station, stopping on the way at Graham's hotel on the Hamilton road. On arriving at Dorchester Station Mrs. Bloomer missed her gold watch, which she supposed she had brought with her. They hunted through their cutter, and on not finding it drove hastily back to Graham's hotel. Here it was not to be found either. A thorough search at Mr. Bloomer's hotel resulted in nothing. Detective Allen was employed, and his frequent appearance at the latter's hotel intimidated somebody, for yesterday the watch was found in a trunk underneath some clothing. Mrs. Bloomer, in her hurry, had left it in her dressing case and someone had coveted it and taken it. The watch was a gift from a relative and was dearly prized by its owner.

The County Crown Attorney Replies.

The following open letter is addressed to the warden of the county of Middlesex:

Re resolution of Council demanding my discharge from office,—I beg to ask you, and through you all members of the Council, and the public generally, whether it was consistent with fair play to condemn me unheard and to deny me the opportunity of vindicating my conduct, if able so to do? I would like also to be informed in what other part of the world, outside the limits of the county of Middlesex, and not excluding that despotically-governed European country, to wit, Russia, an old county official of 34 years standing, who has so far held his official name above reproach, would be treated as I have been by a public body, representatives of the people undoubtedly, but who in undertaking thus to condemn an old public servant unheard have traveled far beyond the powers committed to them. Happily, no doubt, for me, I intend to ask the newspapers to publish this letter, so that the true position of the case may be made known, and, I hope, understood everywhere. Yours truly,

CHARLES HUTCHINSON,
County Crown Attorney.

Phonograph Concert at Dorchester.

A phonograph concert was given in the Methodist Church, Dorchester, on Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Epworth League. The Rev. Alfred Fowler, B.A., president of the league, occupied the chair. Mr. F. Lawrason, city, with his phonograph, gave a varied selection of songs, duets and instrumental band music, all of which were well received. A very pleasing incident in connection with the evening's entertainment was the presentation by Mr. E. Rogers and Mr. R. Duffield, on behalf of the congregation, of two easy chairs and music portfolio to the leader of the choir and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. McCann. Mr. McCann expressed his appreciation of the handsome present in a neat speech. Solos were interspersed by Miss Duffield (Dorchester), Miss Brodie (Gladstone) and Rev. Alfred Fowler, B.A. Dr. Flock, a welcome visitor at Dorchester, gave several readings, which were well received. Everybody enjoyed a pleasant and profitable evening.

Principal Huston's Burial.

The funeral of the late W. H. Huston, B.A., principal of the Woodstock College, well known in this city, took place on Saturday afternoon at Woodstock. It was the largest funeral that has been seen in that town, showing that he was very highly esteemed by all. Long before the hour arrived for the services the chapel room of the college was packed to overflowing, the residence being too small to accommodate the large crowd. The street was crowded with citizens, and there were fully 4,000 people in attendance. The services were presided over by Rev. W. E. Dadson, pastor of the Baptist Church, and on the platform were Professors Farmer, J. I. Bates, Thompson, Robertson, Clark, McKechnie and Rev. H. Bewell, Galt; Drs. Rand (late principal of Woodstock College), and Goodspead, of McMaster Hall, Toronto; T. Trotter, Toronto; J. Trotter, Peterborough; M. Carlyle, public school inspector for Oxford; Rev. Mr. Barker, pastor Baptist Church, Ingersoll, and others. After a feeling address by Pastor Dadson, the beautiful hymn, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," was sung by the large congregation. Rev. Mr. Trotter and Professor Thompson conducted the devotional exercises, after which gentlemen from the various educational departments paid a very high tribute to the general worth of the deceased. Among those who spoke were: Professor J. I. Bates, acting principal, on behalf of the college, and Dr Rand, on behalf of the McMaster University. Professors Farmer and Thompson also eulogized the deceased. The procession was formed in the following order: Pastor, hearse, bearers, mourners, faculty students (about 150), public school teachers of the town, Y. M. C. A. and citizens. There were quite a number of old students present. The pall-bearers were: Professors Clark and McKechnie, representing the college; Drs. Rand and Goodspead, McMaster Hall, Toronto, and Messrs. H. H. Hurley and J. McCaw, representing the students. The procession was over a mile in length.

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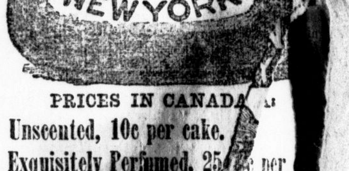

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