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Granada is alarmed at fresh shocks of earthquake. Several land shocks have occurred and ravines have appeared at Albion. Portions of the famous lathing establishment have fallen. Several towns destroyed by the recent earthquake shocks are being rebuilt.

It is stated that Henry Bartop, under arrest as an accomplice of James Cunningham for causing the explosion at the Tower in London, is about to turn informer. Burton is actually ill from terror, resulting from his position, and he has indicated a disposition to give the Government the benefit of all information in his possession concerning the recent dynamite conspiracy.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH PLAN OF THE CAMPAIGN

The Mahdi's Troops Crossed the Bank of the Nile. Wolsley's Position At Korti Serious. WILL RETIRE TO DEBBEH FOR REINFORCEMENTS.

Stubborn and Determined Fighting. Raising Yulan Regiments At Durban. SICKNESS AMONGST BRITISH TROOPS.

England's Decisive Reply to Ras--A Hot Look Out. THREATENED FENIAN RAID ON CANADA. Winnipeg Conservatives to the Fore--Mr. Hamilton Elected.

(SPECIAL TO THE NOR-WESTER) London, Feb. 26.-A dispatch from Korti says that Gen. Brackenbury has destroyed the village of Habel. It also states that Solomon, with five-hundred men, women and children, passed through that village on the 17th, flying northwards towards Sudd.

VICTORY OVER HEDENAOH. SOEKIM, Feb. 25th.-A dispatch says that the tribes of friendly Arabs have won a brilliant and decisive victory against Hadenaoth. The tribes slaughtered 3,500 of the Hadenaoth's. A further dispatch says that the Kassala Garrison is short of food and ammunition, and is hard pressed by the enemy.

KORTI, March 1st.-Despatches state that two Arab merchants from Berber report the rebel army as having crossed to the right bank of the Nile, and are making strong preparations to oppose the English troops. The Mahdi has instructed his troops not to charge the English but to fight at a distance and under cover.

ADDRESS TO THE BLACK TROOPS. Gen. Wolsley has issued an address to the black troops who served under Gordon. He says that he is willing to recognize all promises made to them by Gordon. The Mahdi's troops are greatly disappointed at the small amount of plunder they obtained at Khartoum.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

The Pope III. His sickness results from a recurrence of an intestinal complaint. The Queen has returned to Windsor, and the Prince of Wales has arrived in London. Bagns ten-cent pieces, British in color but of a good ring and well executed, are in circulation at Boston.

The British government will introduce a bill to enable the Australian colonies to organize a confederation. The Knicker cotton mills at Blackburn, England, were burned to-day by loss £100,000. Two constables were killed by falling walls, and several employees are missing.

The Italian troops in Egypt, after strengthening the forts of Mansurah, will occupy the Bogos plateau, in order to protect the trade route from the Red Sea coast to Kassala. The statue of Sir George Carter was unveiled at Ottawa on Thursday last. Speeches complimentary of the deceased were made by Sir John Macdonald and Sir Hector Langview.

Rev. Wm. T. Osmun, of Stamford, charged with rape on a little girl six years of age, was allowed to plead guilty to simple assault, and was sentenced to one year in jail.

In the British House of Commons to-day Sir Herbert Maxwell gave notice of motion for the introduction of measures empowering judges to order offenders under the explosives act to be flogged.

The Irish national convention at Paris to-day decided to establish a press for the purpose of printing manifestos. It is stated that a manifesto has been sent to members of the English cabinet, threatening them with death in the event of the renewal of the crimes act.

A telegram has been received by one of our leading citizens, stating that the Hon. J. C. Cuchon, ex-Governor of Manitoba, is seriously ill. His son, who is attending school at St. Boniface has been telegraphed for. Mr. Cuchon's medical adviser says that his case is hopeless.

Articles of agreement have been signed for the glove contest between John F. Schloer, the champion of the Dominion, and Charley Mitchell, the champion of England. The pugilists are to box four rounds. Police Gazette rules, at the Atlantic skating rink, Toronto, on Feb. 25. The rink will hold over 2,000 spectators. The contest will be over the auspices of the Toronto Fencing Club. Richard K. Fox has agreed to allow Wm. E. Harding to act as referee.

The Russian authorities refuse to allow Simpson, an artist for the Illustrated London News, to return from Russia by way of Amur and Krasnoyarsk, as the latter is the strongest military post in East European region, and likely to play an important part in the probable encroachments of Russia towards India. It is supposed that Russian agents fear that Simpson might report facts about the alleged extension of a Russian railway in the direction of Saraka.

Late Friday night Omer St. Pierre, aged 74, was found senseless on the ice a mile below Gaitneuf Point. When picked up he was found to be covered with blood from several ugly wounds on his head. When his senses returned he said that he had been brutally beaten by two brothers named Herbin, who have long had a grudge against the old man over some land. No doubt the Herbins, who bear an unsavory reputation, intended to murder him. They will be arrested.

Calvin Pierce, an old desperado, was hanged yesterday on the Palmers river, Washington Territory, by a crowd of unorganized miners. Pierce was working a claim in the Hootoo diggings. He provoked W. H. Newcomb, a young miner, into a row. Newcomb, however, declined to quarrel, returned to his claim and commenced work. Pierce slipped up behind Newcomb and crushed his skull with a large rock, killing his victim instantly. The murderer attempted to flee from the camp, but was caught by a pursuing party and brought back. About 100 miners organized immediately as vigilantes. Pierce was given a fair trial and sentenced to death by hanging. He was quickly hung up to the nearest tree and his body left dangling some time and finally taken down and buried. The authorities know of the lynching, but that far no investigation has been held nor arrests made. Pierce had a very bad reputation. Last spring he shot and killed George Curtis, a respectable citizen of Grand Ronde, Or. He was tried, but acquitted on the ground of self-defence. Citizens were so indignant over his acquittal that they threatened to lynch Pierce unless he left the country within twenty-four hours. Pierce is said to have committed several other murders.

Grass block, on Deborn street, near Washington street, Chicago, occupied principally by architects, lawyers and insurance agents, and on the ground floor by the Continental National Bank and the National Bank of Illinois. The fire started about six o'clock, as the employees were preparing to leave the building for the night. As far as learned all escaped. Half an hour after the flames broke out the destruction of the building was considered certain, as the work of the firemen was greatly impeded by the extreme cold. Twenty engines were pouring immense volumes of water into the burning building, yet the flames seemed to defy all attempts to suppress them. At 9:15 the roof fell in. The suddenness of the fire came near resulting disastrously to the valuable books and papers, as the vaults were open, and on account of the panic it was feared the vaults had not been closed. It was found, however, that the vaults had been closed, and no danger to their contents is apprehended. Two of the most valuable law libraries in the city were burned, besides valuable papers in other offices. The loss of the block and furniture will amount to a quarter of a million.

PARLIAMENT OPENED. On the 15th. There was no crowd in attendance, as the police allowed no persons to pass the gates unless able to show they had a right to enter. Gladstone upon entering was loudly cheered.

In the house of Lords the government was at once assailed by the Conservatives with a bombardment of questions concerning its intentions in the Sudan. Gladstone stated that the government had left it entirely to Wolsley to decide whether the British force should proceed to attack Khartoum at once or delay the attack until later, say some time next autumn. He admitted that the government believed Wolsley would decide upon a postponement of aggressive operations. Salisbury said everybody should be made to feel that the government would properly meet the present grave juncture in the public affairs of England. He said the statement made by Granville was one which it became the Lords to think upon.

Granville, continuing, said the finances of Egypt and the relief of Gordon, that heroic soldier, whose loss had excited the greatest sympathy and unanimous regret, are the prominent questions before the country. The government had hoped to be able to soon present papers to parliament to show that a complete settlement of Egypt's financial affairs had been arrived at a settlement alike consistent with public engagements and honorable to the country. But just when the government were expecting to hear of a meeting between the British troops in their advance under the leadership of Col. Wilson and General Gordon, the dreadful news arrived that what military strength and fame had failed to succeed in doing had been accomplished by treachery, and that one of the greatest and most gallant of soldiers was no more.

Salisbury said: 'If the country is not satisfied with the government's explanation it will visit better censure on those answerable for so fruitless a policy. We do not propose to anticipate the discussion which must inevitably come later on, but we must hope that England will not retire from Egypt leaving no record of our presence there except the mischief done and the bones of our soldiers.'

O'Reilly, editor of the Boston Post, and an Irish exile, was invited to lecture before the St. Patrick's society, Montreal, last East Granville, British Foreign Secretary of State, and Sir Alex. Campbell, Dominion Minister of Justice, has refused him admission into Canada unless he comes on his own responsibility, when he is 'liable to arrest, as a sentence of high treason is hanging over him.'

Miss Therese Granger, cousin of M. Clovis Hugues, whose wife recently shot Morris, to-day attempted to murder her partner, M. Sonchon, with a revolver. The bullet lodged in the man's lungs, and it is believed he is dying. Sonchon refused to marry the woman. She expresses no regret for the deed. Miss Granger was imprisoned in 1869 for a similar attempt on a former lover.

We would respectfully remind advertisers that hereafter when a contract is made with this paper it is a contract that cannot be dissolved by the mere whim of the advertiser. Several parties have done this in the past, and we have not hesitated upon the strict rights of the publishers. Such leniency will not be repeated in the future. Advertisers will bear in mind that in future they will be required to fulfill the conditions of their agreement, and that annual contracts without liability can only be made by mutual consent between the contracting parties.

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CALGARY, THURSDAY, March 5, 1885.

It is strange our only representative should be working against the interests of this town, by advising the Lieut-Governor to subsidize the bridge of a rival town. Very commendable indeed and to be remembered.

Resident's letter of last week called our attention to civic matters which is explained in another column. We judge his remarks are made from the basis of expenditure, not revenue, which is as well to be remembered by those who attack the present policy of the Town Council. Nothing is to be gained by prematurely denouncing them, for it must be borne in mind that their efforts to build up the foundation of municipal laws is their first duty, and absolutely necessary for our future welfare, irrespective of what or who are the elected. Therefore any suggestions in assisting the founding of such laws would be more manly and acceptable than depreciation at the present time.

"A strong desire has been expressed in almost all parts of the Territories for the establishment of breweries. Personally I am in favor of it, as I believe where people are able to obtain beer much less quantity of strong liquor is consumed, and it would be the means of stopping the illicit traffic in spirits which is now being carried on on a large scale.

"E. DEWDNEY,
Lieut-Gov., N.W.T."

The above is the concluding paragraph of the Lieut-Governor, Mr. Dewdney's, report to the Department of the Interior. In bringing it before the notice of the public we do so to show that in advocating the manufacture and sale of beer in this country it is as a right to the people and they expect it. To-day the American agents in Germany hold up as the principal inducement to immigrants to settle in the States, the fact that they can get their beer, but in the North-West you cannot, they argue, so that we are not only being deprived of a right, but the country suffers the loss of these people as settlers. It must be remembered that a great number of English families are daily seeking new homes amongst us and they look upon the present system of restriction with anything but favor. It is to be hoped the legislative action now underway will speedily terminate in its favor for we decidedly object to being put on a level with Indians, and that is who we understand the law was made for.

Let some one cry out I have found gold in quantities and what an excitement ensues. But far ahead of this is the discovery of natural warm sulphur springs but a short distance from the line of the C. P. R., lying in a spot that commands some of the grandest scenery that mortal could wish to gaze on and adapted in every sense for residences and accommodation for those who wish to try the benefit of sulphur baths. When we consider the great number of people who yearly seek remedy at these places in Kansas and other States, and of those who go from all parts of Canada, we feel no little pride in being able to point out, that in this country of ours we have the same, and superior to the American ones, therefore we expect to hear in the high future of the wonderful hot springs of the Northwest and their curative powers. The public are too well aware of the therapeutic action of such waters for the cure of rheumatism, etc., etc., so there is no necessity for our dilating upon them. We have taken

pains to ascertain from those who have visited them and bathed there, so that there can be no misapprehensions of the fact, that men have used these natural baths, in the open air, during a snow storm. Owing to the warmth of the water no inconvenience was experienced and there is not the slightest doubt that if accommodation of some sort was on the spot, a great many would be now enjoying them. The expense of travelling this distance to them should be considerably less than to Kansas, therefore everything is to be urged in their favor. We shall only be too glad to answer enquiries from correspondents on the matter, as we cannot overlook the advantage to the country by the inducement of visitors—and the remark of the Deputy Minister of the Interior, Mr. A. M. Burgess, when he says: "Calgary bids fair to become the great sanitarium of Canada," coincides with our views. We await the action of some enterprising person who will try and secure them and announce broadcast their efficacy.

Common sense demands we should reply emphatically to the assertions of the Herald and as far as lay in our power prevent the harm that will incur in its circulation. We can state on positive authority that only eighteen lots have been bought on the mission property. Then as to livery stables. They are taxed less than Emerson, which is very low. What does the editor mean by saying the Council are driving out business men—perhaps he will cite who they are—we know them not—and so he tries to score a strong point by saying, "The only thing to show is a by-law for dumping ashes and pounding dogs, etc." Then he states in another column that the probable assessment at \$275,000. These are his figures. Where are the facts to support them. Other men who are equally as well informed as the Calgary Herald have made careful calculation and allowing a margin for error, estimate the assessment of the personal property alone, over \$200,000; and as to the landed property, it may or may not be true that the existing agreement between the Land Company, the Government and railway, that the property of the C. P. R. cannot be assessed, but it is quite certain that the share owned by the Land Company of town sites, which amounts to one half, can and will be taxed. A strange fact that must be patent to readers of the Calgary Herald and all sensible persons, that it was not until the assessment of real property was talked of that the Herald discovered that the Land Company could not be assessed, and it makes curious people speculate as to the reason which has led the Herald to this discovery, people are calling to mind that its editor had been for some time culinary artist for the N. W. Land Company. How far this may have influenced that gentleman's unpatriotic opinion is difficult of comprehension, or whether the chance of bluffing the Council from assessing their property may have induced that powerful Company to make it right for the Herald is open to grave consideration. The gain to the Company would be immense. The course of the Herald is in direct opposition to the principles of a local journal, and his opinion as a soi desant lawyer relative to the right of taxing those parties who have not paid up their second instalment on the plea that those lots are still the property of the Company is so extravagant that there must have been something more than the ordinary notice to have risked such a reckless statement. So corporation was for fire protection only, eh! What about the bridge and other improvements—and he asks where is fire protection to come from, with no money in the treasury? Is it possible the ratepayers of this town could have supposed that wells could be dug, tanks made and efficient water supply secured, and a bridge costing some two or three thousand dollars could be built, out of the ordinary taxes, without having recourse to debentures. Even if

this could be done we would oppose this scheme as most unjust to the ratepayers, for by all the rules of fair play those who come after us and reap the benefit of these improvements, should bear their share of the expense incurred. As to whether the Council have done right in not vindicating themselves through the public press, before their plans are matured and they have facts and figures to lay before our fellow citizens is a matter upon which there can be but one opinion. A pretty figure the Council would make of themselves for the public, did they respond to the Herald's challenge by entering upon a guessing match upon the same scale as the ephemeral logician who guides the rash speculations of that paper. What benefit would it be to the town whether the corporation or the editor would be victor in such a childish exhibition. When facts and figures that can be relied upon are forthcoming we have no doubt the Council will meet the ratepayers and like other municipal officers lay the matter properly before them. In our opinion the Mayor and Council have shown good sense and forbearance under the incessant and unjust attacks of the Herald, in not answering until such answer could be made in a businesslike manner.

Our reason for publishing the following letter of January 24th to the St. John's Telegraph is because it was his reply to a previous statement in that journal, copied from the Herald, which belittled this country—which is to be deplored as no good is gained, and readers are led to form an exaggerated idea—consequently our progress is retarded.

From Far Away Calgary, N.W.T.

To the Editor of the Telegraph, St. John, N.B.
Sir,—Your issue of the 10th inst. has reached me, and I find that you have taken notice of my temporary coal famine; also of the Winnipeg account of temperature of our town. I acknowledge that coal was rather scarce for a couple of weeks, but the scarcity was caused by the C. P. Railway not supplying cars to convey the necessary winter fodder to this place from the mines of the Kanaskis Coal Company, which is less than 100 miles from here, and has a seam of good quality of anthracite coal fully twenty feet thick, now open and turning out all the dusty diamonds that our requirements demand.

The mountains along the Bow river valley, through which the C. P. Railway ascends to the summit, are well charged with an inexhaustible supply of this coal, and the above company intend shipping the article east as far as Winnipeg next summer, as the anthracite used there is brought from Pennsylvania and sells at \$15 per ton.

Touching the cold weather, we got our share of it, and I see by the eastern papers that Old Arctic did not forget the Bluenoses. It seems to be as generous to them as to us of Alberta. Our temperature at its lowest was but 28 degrees below the zero. The cold weather has in no way affected the cattle stock; our sheep are all in good trim, and, to use a western phrase, rustle all the truck that they require, and are as fat as butter. This with no shelter save an occasional corral to drop into as far as the climate is concerned, after two years' experience I can safely say that I never felt better in my life.

The natural resources of the country are good. St. Kneut and cowboys pronounce our ranges ahead of Texas, Oregon, Montana or Washington Territory for stock purposes. We can grow as good root and grain as any place in the west, but what we excel in is stock raising. Our herds are increasing rapidly and in that way adding to the wealth of the place.

Geo. MURDOCH,
Calgary, Jan. 24.

Mrs. Pagnire read about a brakeman who had his foot caught by a frog, and was run over and killed by an engine. "Laws of mercy" said she; "I've seen some pretty big frogs down in Illinois, but they were perfectly harmless and never attacked anybody. Why, we used to make pot of 'em, and never thought of their being dangerous; I wonder if they caught the frog."

Sam Edridge was tried in San Antonio for the theft of a horse and found guilty. Judge Noonan requested the prisoner to stand up, and he said to him officially:

"You have been found guilty of stealing a horse, and the penalty has been fixed at five years in the penitentiary. You can take an appeal, or you can waive the appeal and be sent back right now."

"May it please your honor, I would prefer to waive the penalty, if your honor has no objection," responded Sam cheerfully.

Tenderfoot on the train from Durango on the 17th inst., was treated to a very novel incident. As the train was passing the range in the locality known as the "Needle," a large deer was seen on the track doing his best to get out of the way. The snow was deep, and his efforts to gain the mountain side were unavailing. With each attempt, after plunging in the snow, for a time, he would return to the track again. The engineer carried a "Winchester" on his engine, and what was a good shot. He slowed his speed, and, when within short range, fired and wounded the deer. The frightened and bleeding animal then tacked about, and attempted to pass to the rear of the train. The engineer, not to be foiled, reversed the engine, and, being king up, re-passed the deer. It was still wounding hard to escape, when he tried and wound it again. Backing and going several times, and going through his rifle five or six times, he finally brought the deer down, and made a triumphal entry into town with a large "doe" on his engine.



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AGENTS:
H. Harrington, Manitoba House,
L. W. H. Spencer, Indian Head,
A. McDonald, Carleton Place,
J. A. Macrae, Carleton Place,
J. M. Rae, Carleton Place,
T. T. Quinn, Carleton Place,
W. Anderson, Carleton Place,
W. P. Kingston, Fort McLeod.

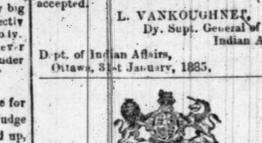
Forms of tender giving full particulars relative to the quality, quantity and points of delivery of flour required, may be had on application to any of the above named agents, or from the Indian Commissioner for Manitoba and the Northwest Territories, Regina; and no tender will be entertained which is not made out on one of the forms in the hands of the Agents or of the Indian Commissioner for distribution to intending tenders. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque, approved by the Indian Agent for the district, for at least five per cent of the amount thereof, which will be forfeited if the tender declines to enter into a contract when called on to do so, or if he fails to fulfill his contract to the satisfaction of the Department. If the tender prefers to do so he may deposit with the Agent, in lieu of an accepted cheque, the notes of any chartered bank in Canada to an equal amount. Cheques or cash accompanying tenders not accepted will be returned, but a cheque deposited by a successful tenderer will be retained until the satisfactory completion of his contract. Each tender is required to show in his tender the full weight of flour which he is prepared to deliver under contract or his tender will not be entertained.

Each tender must, in addition to the signature of the tenderer, be signed by two parties acceptable to the Department, for the proper performance of the contract. Tenders will be entertained for a portion of the whole quantity of flour required at any given point.

Tenders residing near one Agency but desiring to tender for another within another Agency further district, may deposit the tender and samples for the most distant of the nearest of the Agency's specified above, or with the Indian Commissioner at Regina. Samples of flour will be returned if desired, to an acceptable tenderer on their application, and the sample submitted by a successful tenderer may be counted by him as a delivery on account of his contract.

In all cases where transportation may be required, the tenderer must make proper arrangements for their flour to be forwarded at once from railway stations to its destination in the Government Warehouse at the point of delivery. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

L. VANKOUGHNET,
By. Sup. General of Indian Affairs.
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, 24th January, 1885.



PUBLIC NOTICE
All persons, including licensees of grazing and logging, are hereby notified to take notice that the cutting of timber on the public lands without authority from the Minister of the Interior, or the Local Crown Timber Agent of the Dominion Lands for the District, is forbidden by law, and all timber so cut without authority is liable to seizure, and to be dealt with as the Minister of the Interior may direct.

Persons who have already cut timber without authority, must pay the dues thereon to the Crown Timber Agent at his office, on or before the 1st of May, 1885, otherwise the said timber will be confiscated under the provisions of the Dominion Lands Act.
(Signed) A. M. BURGESS,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior

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STOCK ITEMS

The stockmen are holding meetings at their headquarters, formulating bills which they intend to introduce through the legislature. As two have been presented and all objectionable. The bill for the importation of infected territory, levies a tax of one cent on stock to meet any cost necessary to keep contagion beyond our borders. As long as the protection of stock is upon alone, there ought not to be the part of others.

Sheep and stock generally here, the hills being quite bare, the weather has been very dry. A heavy wind sprang up last night, and a slight appearance of snow.

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There is no denying the fact that the throughout Southern Montana severe time of it just now. Cattle, as a rule, are in good condition, but should this section experience stormy weather the loss will be reported less than far has been.

There will be 50,000 head of cattle on our ranges within after the passage of the river.

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Col. J. H. Rice and family from early in March.

Colonel Rice recently made cattle purchases on the Shon.

There is quite a large quantity of fine stock, and our daily feeding will do the most to raise a good animal.

My advice to anyone who is investing in the cattle business to some of the ranges, is that they should buy cattle after a long continued time of the cattle being heavy to lay down and pass by the winter. In my opinion, it is in favor of the stockman half of their herd this winter is a nice business to raise a good, close by a base breed. Mountain raising will give you a fine result.

The Missouri has broken into Galpin, the effective weather here there. On Dec. 15 heavily incensed, prevent access to the grass, from which with the intense cold, four-fourth of the cattle on the recently purchased, and as undoubtedly meet the same fatigues ten days longer.

Cattle in the vicinity of the area are doing well on some poor and thin stock. A novelty in the matter of range cattle, has been time by Dull Bros., of I who have a ranch with head of cattle in La Salle of the Mexican line. Owing to the summer of 1884, very few steers engaged men to be sent to the States, thus enabling a beautiful supply of range milk to be had. Mr. Dull Bros., who has had some success in raising a good range posture for three or four drops of water, other than that obtained by eating the cactus.

It is reported that the steers were visiting the Jersey Livestock show for a grander brood sent. Whether it tended to be used as an ornament or for riding, is not clear, but it is a novelty in the matter of riding if she ever expects to tour of America, and of course, Live Stock Journal.

Bob Kendei says that of beginning the round up at that cattle have shed that time so, that brands are being washed; cattle are also being branded, and it is the branding required, has the weakening effect of the brush.

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bred Devon bull; eleven weights 600 pounds. This best cattle for the range, where other cattle fail to early and make splendid (Texas) stockman.

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 sheep. The entire property has been sold for
 \$1,500,000 to the United Land and Invest-
 ment company.
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 Cattle, as a rule, are in good condition yet,
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 reported loss thus far has been small.
 There will be 50,000 head of additional
 cattle on our ranges within twelve months
 after the passage of the reservation bill.
 From Mr. T. F. Morgan we learn that stock
 of all kinds are doing well in the Judith. The
 extreme cold weather has had the effect of re-
 tarding animals in flesh, but during the past
 week or two they have commenced to pick up
 again.
 Col. J. H. Rice and family are expected in
 Helena early in March. We learn that the
 Colonel has recently made quite extensive
 cattle purchases on the Shonkin range.
 There is quite a large demand in this coun-
 try for fine stock, and our ranchmen are evi-
 dently feeling alive to the fact that it costs
 more to raise a good animal than it does to
 raise a "scrub."
 My advice to anyone who has thought of
 venturing in the cattle business, is to pay a
 visit to some of the ranges and watch the
 men that every sunny day has upon the
 hills after a long continued cold spell. Then
 in the time the cattle begin to get weak, and
 they lay down and pass in their checks
 by themselves. In my opinion the chances
 are in favor of the stockmen losing at least
 half of their herds this winter and spring. It
 is a nice business to raise cattle with a lead
 penit, close by a base burner; but try it on a
 Montana prairie you will then know what
 cattle raising means.
OLD RANGERS.
 The Missouri has broken up twenty-five
 miles above Galpin, the effect of the late warm
 weather near there. On Dry Fork the snow
 is heavily recruited, preventing cattle getting
 access to the grass, from which cause, com-
 bined with the intense cold, it is estimated
 one-fourth of the cattle on that range have
 recently perished, and as many more will un-
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 tinued ten days longer.
 Cattle in the vicinity of Stand Off are said
 to be doing very well on the whole, except
 some who were thin stock.—McLeod Gazette.
 A novelty in the matter of supplying food
 to range cattle, has been practiced for some
 time by Dell Bros., of Harrisburg, Penn.
 who have a ranch with 10,000 to 12,000
 head of cattle in La Salle county, Texas, near
 the Mexico line. Owing to the drought last
 summer it was very scarce, and these gen-
 tlemen engaged men to burn thorns off the
 scrub-shrubs, thus enabling cattle to obtain
 a bountiful supply of most prickly pear. Mr.
 Millitt, who has had some experience in that
 region, says he once saw a mustang pony in a
 stamp pasture for three months, without a
 drop of water, other than what the pony ob-
 tained by eating the cactus.
 It is reported that when Mrs. Langtry
 the actress was visiting Mr. Olerich's
 ranch the "Jenny Lilly" expressed a
 wish for a gramine broncho and it has
 been sent. Whether the animal is
 intended to be used as an ornament, or a pet,
 or to be utilized for riding purposes does not
 appear, but if Langtry intends to keep him as
 a saddle animal we would, on general prin-
 ciples, advise her to hire a jockey to do her
 riding. Especially should she "let out" the
 riding if she ever expects to make a "farewell
 tour" of America, and of course she does.—N.
 W. Live Stock Journal.
 Bob Kendel says that one good point about
 beginning the round up as late as June 1st, is
 that cattle have shed their winter coats by
 that time so that brands are easily distin-
 guished; cattle are also better able to stand
 the heading required, having recovered from
 the weakening effect of the winter's severity.
 Ernie Larist.
 Harry Johnson, of Kinney county, has sold
 his cattle at \$20 around. He has a thorough-
 bred Devon bull, eleven months old, that
 weighs 600 pounds. Thinks the Devons the
 best cattle for the range. Says they keep fat
 and make other cattle fat to get a living, mature
 early and make splendid beef.—San Antoni
 (Texas) Stockman.
 The Salazar ranch sold to John Cable, of
 Pueblo, thirty-five head of two and three year
 old steers at \$32 per head. They were gather-
 ed off the range and were in good condition
 for this season of the year.—Huerfano Cactus.
 A band of Mexicans recently plundered a
 ranch in Dimmit county, driving off a num-
 ber of horses, cows and calves. Sheriff Stein-

berg with a posse made an unsuccessful effort
 to capture the thieves.—Breckenridge-Texas.
 A cattle raiser of this county began busi-
 ness twenty years ago with a cow, for which
 he paid \$500. He has sold descendants from
 her for \$30,000, and has \$10,000 worth of the
 same stock left.—Las Vegas Optic.
 Very few cattle died from the effects of the
 late storm, and those are along the fences,
 where they were stopped in their instinctive
 travelling to keep warm, and chilled to death.
 —Texas Panhandle.
 John A. Anthony bought 150 head of cattle
 from Mr. Wm Jackson this week for \$30 per
 head. The cattle are all in good order, and
 are above the average grade.—Alamosa In-
 dependent.
 The number of horses in Colorado at the
 close of the year was estimated at 180,000.—
 N. W. Live Stock Journal.
 Prime Canadian steers are worth in Liver-
 pool 14 cents per lb.; fair to choice, 13c;
 poor to medium 9c to 11c.
NOR-WESTERS.
McLeod.
 Recent events near Helena must have
 brought old timers back to the days of the
 fa-ons 3-7-77 and the vigilance committees.
 Con. Murphy, who recently escaped from
 jail, was surprised by two police officers in
 a small cabin about fifteen miles from Helena
 and recaptured, along with his brother, who
 was with him. They had four revolvers,
 and two shot guns, and Murphy afterwards
 stated that if he had not been surprised he
 would never have been taken alive.
 They were taken from there to a house on
 the road, and while one of the officers went
 to look up the team the other watched the
 prisoners. A Con. acted suspiciously, the
 officer Bahaw turned to go to the door to
 guard against any escape, and when he
 turned around he looked into the muzzle of
 a revolver and was told by Murphy to hold
 up his hands. The officer had his hand on
 his revolver at the time, and pulled it out
 and levelled it at Murphy. The latter fired
 and the ball passed through Bahaw's hand.
 They then exchanged several shots, none
 taking effect, and Murphy retreated to a
 small room upstairs. One of the officers got
 outside and shot the room full of holes, and
 then Murphy wanted to surrender. His
 brother went up and brought down the
 pistol, and Con. Murphy then surrendered,
 and was securely bound.
 They started for Helena, but were met by
 a quiet but determined mob, who demanded
 the prisoner. Resistance was useless, and
 the prisoner, Con. Murphy, was taken to a
 telegraph pole, the noose adjusted, and the
 other end thrown over a cross piece. When
 he was pulled up this broke, and he was
 then taken to a bridge on the Northern Pa-
 cific, the rope was passed over a beam,
 the crowd pulled the other end, tied it, and
 left Murphy dangling in the air, with the mys-
 terious figures, 3-7-77 tacked to his clothes,
 a terrible and gasty warning to evil doers.
 We have to congratulate the Calgary
 Nor-Wester on its decided improvement,
 both in appearance and tone. It looks as if
 there had been a change of the man at the
 wheel.
 [Thank you! Yes, we hope for a better
 w-h-eal with the change.—Ed.]
 Roller skating is the rage both in the
 United States and Canada. The man who
 will put up a rink at McLeod will make a
 good thing while the rage is on, and after it
 has gone he can take up the floor, and use it
 in the winter as a skating rink and continue
 to make it pay well.
 Potatoes are worth, at retail, about two
 cents per lb. In large lots 1 1/2. There is a
 large surplus in the country for which there
 is no demand at present. Those who can
 afford to hold their potatoes, we would ad-
 vise to do so. As the spring and summer
 pass, and before the new comes in, the
 present supply will become exhausted and
 the price should improve.
 A letter from Mr. Charles Capmael, Sup-
 erintendent of the Meteorological office,
 Toronto, received last mail informs us that
 the instruments for the McLeod meteorolo-
 gical office, have been sent from Toronto
 by express. They should be here in a week
 or so. C. E. D. Wood, of the Gazette, has
 been appointed observer. As soon as the
 instruments can be put into position, a reg-
 ular weekly report will be published in the
 Gazette.
 Sunday was fine; Monday was the day
 of the storm reported elsewhere. Tuesday
 morning was glorious, but in the afternoon
 there was a cold wind, and snow fell in light
 flurries; the evening was cold, with a north
 wind. Wednesday morning it was warmer,
 but still on the cold side, and rather raw.
 Thursday was still milder, and very pleas-
 ant. Friday was a beautiful day, with a
 gentle breeze from the south-west, and
 warm as spring. Open doors could be seen
 in all directions. Saturday was cooler.
Fert Assiniboine.
 Matters in general are quiet at the post.
 We are having another stage of cold and
 snow; we did hope the mild chinook would
 last until spring.
Qu Appelle.
 Mr. L. McQueen shot four silver grey
 foxes, about six miles from here one day
 last week.
 Messrs. Goldie & Butchard have dissolved
 partnership, the business will be carried on
 by Mr. Goldie.
 Messrs. Fraleigh & Dillon, of Indian
 Head, tinsmiths, intend erecting a place of
 business in our town, which is to be com-
 pleted by the 1st April next.
Prince Albert.
 Times.
 The alarm of fire was raised this morning
 about half-past eight, a little east of the
 mission, and it was found that the roof of
 Mr. James McKay's house was in a blaze.
 The application of a few pails of water soon

antiquated the flames, but not before
 quite a large hole had been burnt. Mrs.
 McKay was lying in the house dangerously
 ill, and has been so for the last month.
Moosomin.
 Courier, Jan. 24.
 [Here, Mr. Nor-Wester, is positively the
 first mention we ever made regarding the
 population of Assiniboia: 'British Colum-
 bia was represented in the Dominion Par-
 liament with a population of 12,000; it
 would seem politically insane, if Assiniboia,
 with a population of nearly 65,000, cannot
 be represented by something near an ag-
 gregate.' The Nor-Wester may be a good
 reader of exchanges, but good reading does
 not always produce good understanding.
 Keep the Courier on file Mr. Nor-Wester,
 an occasional look at it will revive your
 memory like a newly opened bottle of green
 seal.]
 [As the new editor of THE NOR-WESTER
 we cannot speak on the above subject, but
 regret distance prevents us from exchanging
 seal's mumm.]
 A petition has been sent to Ellice for sig-
 natures for the extension of the Northwest
 Central from Rapid City to Fort Ellice.
Montana.
 Sin River Sun.
 The stockmen will not give their annual
 ball this year as usual.
 Thirteen carloads of sheep were frozen to
 death last week within a few miles of Chicago.
 Evidently there are other cold places as well
 as Montana.
 Horses in the upper San river country are
 suffering from some sort of lung disease.
 Mr. Michael Oxart, one of the prominent
 stockmen of the South Fork country, was in
 town this week and favored us with a call.
 Mr. Oxart is a very affable gentleman, and
 favors the organization of a horseman's as-
 sociation.
 Our Chinamen have enjoyed themselves
 greatly during the past week. Five-socks,
 whiskey, opium, cigars and roast pig was free
 to all callers during their holidays.
New Westminster.
 Guardian.
 The weather is again moist. It made an
 effort to snow yesterday but equally failed.
 The Robt Dismuir arrived from Nausimo
 via Burrard Inlet on Wednesday last. She
 leaves for Nausimo this morning.
 Business in this city is slightly improving.
 The train arrived from Victoria yesterday,
 and returned same day.
 A remarkable suit for seduction was before
 the Supreme Court in Victoria—Wark v Ray-
 mur—the first in this Province, in which the
 jury awarded \$6,500 to the plaintiff. Raymur
 has been arrested on a capias, and is now in
 goal.
 Affairs look very favorable at Port Moody.
 The steamer Reliance goes up to Chill-
 wack this morning.

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CIRCULARS,
INVITATIONS,
PROGRAMMES.

Canadian Pacific
RAILWAY.
WESTERN DIVISION.
 Winter Time Table.
 On and after Dec. 7th, 1884, trains will
 move as follows:—

Going West.	Going East.
8.30 Leave Winnipeg	Arrive 6.50
11.05 Portage la Prairie	8.00
3.00 Brandon	12.30
11.00 Broadview	p.m. 2.00
5.25 Regina	1.00
5.25 Moose Jaw	5.30
3.40 Swift Current	7.55
p.m. 9.40 Maple Creek	1.25
2.15 Medicine Hat	8.15
p.m. 1.30 Arrive Calgary	Leave 3.50
1.10 a.m. Laggan	8.45 p.m.

 Trains between Winnipeg and Brandon
 daily, except Sundays. These trains a
 week between Winnipeg and Moose Jaw,
 leaving Winnipeg on Tuesdays, Thursdays
 and Saturdays; returning, leaving Moose
 Jaw Sundays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
 Once a week between Winnipeg and Laggan
 leaving Winnipeg Tuesday, returning, leaving
 Laggan on Friday. Train between Calgary
 and Laggan subject to cancellation at any
 time without notice.

Going East.	Going West.
7.30 Leave Rat Portage	Arrive 7.20
3.05 p.m. Ignace	a.m. 10.45
2.00 a.m. Port Arthur	p.m. 13.30
1.00 Arrive Port Arthur	Leave 1.30

 Train for Port Arthur leaves Winnipeg on
 Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; return-
 ing leaves Port Arthur Sundays, Tuesdays
 and Thursdays.

Going South.	Going North.
Leave	Arrive
8.05 Winnipeg	7.00
10.50 Emerson	94.15
8.50 Winnipeg	7.00
9.15 Morris	7.00
10.30 Gretna	8.05
11.40 Manitoba	a.m. 4.00

 Daily except Saturday.
 Daily except Monday.
 Trains run daily between Winnipeg and
 Gretna.
 Train leaves for Manitoba Mondays, Wed-
 nesdays and Fridays only, returning
 leaves Manitoba Tuesdays, Thursdays and
 Saturdays.
 Train leaves Winnipeg for Stonewall Tues-
 days, Thursdays and Saturdays at 9.30 a.m.,
 arriving at Stony Mountain at 10.30 a.m.,
 and Stonewall at 10.55 a.m. Return same
 days leaving Stonewall at 1.30 p.m., and
 Stony Mountain at 2 p.m., arriving at Win-
 nipeg 3 p.m.
 Train leaves Winnipeg for West Selkirk
 Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 4
 p.m., arriving at West Selkirk at 6.00 p.m.,
 and returning leaves West Selkirk Mondays,
 Wednesdays and Fridays at 7.00 a.m., arriv-
 ing at Winnipeg 8.50 a.m.
 Trains east of Brandon will run by
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 Brandon by Mountain Standard Time. Cen-
 tral Standard time is one hour faster than
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Calgary Theatre—Negro Minstrels. Card—Ambros S. aw. Card—City Bath House and Barber Shop. Agreement—Town Bakers.

THE NOR-WESTER.

CALGARY, THURSDAY, March 5, 1885.

FARMERS are seeding already down High River way.

We understand that Mr. Sparrow will commence killing beef again next week.

W. C. J. KRINE of Sheep Creek is in town. He speaks highly of how stock are looking.

We are enjoying exceptionally fine weather, and the fur cap is at a discount decidedly.

Mr. HANBURY has gone east as far as Winnipeg in connection with the Company's affairs.

SEVERAL new buildings have been commenced. The noise of the hammer resounds around.

Mr. Z. W. LOAST, of Minneapolis, is registered at the Royal, also Mr. J. Plummer of the same place.

MESSES O'BRIEN & GOTTKE have dissolved partnership. Mr. Goyette will carry on the restaurant in future.

D. W. MACPHERSON of High River is smugged at once again casting his eye around for next summer's operations.

Mr. T. H. DUNNE has moved his house from the other side of the Elbow to a lot on Stephen avenue, east of the theatre.

THERE is some 8,000-pounds of freight for Edmonton lying here for shipment. Our friends to the north seem to be doing a good business.

Oh! you awfully awful! volatile fellow, you really must, you know. The boys were scared when they saw the decorations in that room. Ha! ha! ha! ha! ha!

THE C.P.R. are engaging extra men for the several sections east and west of here to get the track in the best condition for the expected heavy traffic this summer.

LAST Saturday Mr. J. Butland had to shoot two more horses belonging to Mr. May, on account of glanders. We are very sorry to see the bad luck Mr May is getting.

Mr. R. WOODS, who for some years was connected with the Hudson's Bay Co., Winnipeg, and now of the C.P.R., passed up west Thursday last on business. Bob is looking as plump and well as a partridge.

THE performers in the minstrel show that is shortly coming off should not forget that this is the place to "blacken up" plenty of (printer's ink). How does this strike, ye wretched of old Black Joe.

On Sabbath evening next the Rev. J. Dyke will preach a special sermon in the Methodist Church. Subject "The Great Peril and the Remedy." Service will commence at 8 p.m. Seats free. All are welcome.

PARTIES advertising in our paper should not forget that in giving them the right of advertising advertisements it is necessary we should have their memo on Mondays, as our first side goes to press that evening.

A HEAVY train load of C.P.R. freight hands from the Mountains passed down Saturday morning. Owing to the line being so free of snow this winter there was hardly any occasion for using the Tote road and thus the reduction.

THE son of the Chief of the Stoneys has returned after a year's absence hunting in the Rockies. We cannot find out what he got in the shape and quantity of furs, but no doubt he has found a solid bed of gold suspended from a tree.

MR ALEXANDER, of the N.W.M.P., just in from McLeod paid us a visit. George is an old Montreuil, and it did us good to take up some of the queer reminiscences we have passed through when that city knew our august presence.

MR STEEL, who has been staying with Mr. Fullerton, has now completed his house on his own farm and will move in. He intends to have a fine place, and with pride shows his father, who has just joined him, what a fine country this is.

THE Carnival held last Thursday evening at Mr. Fraser's skating rink was well attended, considering the rainfall during the afternoon made many think it would have been postponed. But for all that the ice was in splendid condition.

MR J. BUTLAND leaves for the east a week from next Saturday to purchase milk cows, hogs and chickens. Parties desirous of getting up stock should see and arrange with Mr. Butland before he leaves and by this means reduce the expense of freight.

THE seam of Hammett iron discovered some little time ago at Silver City has proved upon investigation and the assay made by the Barren Iron Mines on Lake Superior to be of far superior quality and increased percentage to that being worked by them. The superin-

tenant of the Barren mine intends visiting Silver City as soon as snow disappears and satisfy himself personally. If satisfactory the company will take hold and work it.

THE first of the assemblies got up by Mr. Dunn took place Tuesday evening, when dancing was indulged in from 8 till 12. Owing to the want of publicity more would have taken advantage of joining in the light fantastic. Keep your eye open for the next.

MR. J. HEWITT, who has been working the Fish Creek coal mine during the winter, has now ceased operations owing to the softness of the roads for hauling. Mr. Hewitt is a practical and clever miner of long standing. He has another mine in view, but is very reticent as to its locality.

THE Minstrel show will take place Monday evening at Boynton Hall, when as shown by the posters the public will be treated to something novel and amusing, and we have no doubt but that very little standing room will be got that night. So secure your seats ahead, my friends.

MR. FULLERTON met with an accident at his ranch up the Elbow last week. It seems while chopping wood the axe slipped, cutting his left foot badly. He is liable to be laid up for some time. He feels the restraint, owing to being unable to take advantage of the fine weather for seeding.

MR. SADE BANNEBMAN is in from the Red Deer country. He took up land at the crossing of that river, which appears now to be owned by some Colonization Company who want to put him off, even not willing to sell him the land. It seems strange they should object to selling their lands. What next?

MR. BOTTRILL, who kept a hardware store in town last season and left to carry on the same business in Medicine Hat, has again returned to us and thinks of permanently settling in the stock raising line. There are a good many more looking favorably towards rustic pursuits as being the best and surest livelihood.

MR. VANOUVELAND, an old timer here and well known to all, underwent a painful surgical operation at Dr. Henderson's sanatorium on Saturday afternoon for the removal of a wen on the back of his head. It was neatly performed by the doctor whilst the patient was under the influence of ether, and now Van goes around winking when it was done and how. We hope to see you hearty and well. We can't spare the big V.

It is reported that the supposed murderers of Beard have been captured at Wallula in the States. It appears they traded off their horses to an Indian at the Columbia crossing for his canoe and food, and thence down the river. The firm, Messrs. Eddy & Hammond, who employed Beard, offered a reward of \$1,000 and put detectives on who traced them to Wallula. In attempting the arrest one detective was shot and one of the other party. So says the report, but it remains to be authenticated.

MR. VOTRIERE was in town Monday and kindly gave us some items of interest relative to ranching. He says he never saw stock looking better in his life, and from his knowledge of the Western States he must be in a position to judge as to this country being, as he remarks, ahead of any other place he ever struck. He will commence seeding about the 15th of this month, putting 80 acres under crop. You can't tell him that this part is no good for grain growing, and he is right. Don't you forget it, to use an idiom.

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Several of the legal profession who were not fortunate enough to get appointed by the Council to some kind of a billet have entered into a compact offensive and defensive; object, to give the Board as much trouble as possible; the weapons to be used, the general actions of the Council, all chance words that may be dropped in their ordinary conversation, and if suitable, actions or words are not forthcoming to create such in their own visionary brains. In this laudable undertaking they are aided by two Justices of the Peace. They have decided that the newspaper which has always been opposed to the present Council will not be sufficient, so both are pressed into the service and the campaign begun by the illiterate croakers of the Herald staff interviewing the prominent one who calls himself Calgary. Between them a dike is compounded that will at once overthrow the Council, and it does not do this it will at least do our young town more injury than a little with those outside who have no idea that a combination of cranks has leagued to do as much harm to the place as possible, and they cannot be affected in the least personally not having collectively in this place the interests that one of the members of the Council have.

Their programme so far has been to reduce the value of the real estate in their own minds about three hundred per cent.

The stock in trade of our business men is handled in the same manner, buildings lost; a young with them as they have had no experience in that line.

The Council has employed five men whose salaries combined total to \$1,970, which amount will bankrupt the place. What our prominent friend says if he were asked to devote all his time for one year for that amount. I ask him this and at the same time assure him one of those who get a share of this is blessed with a much greater supply of legal knowledge than he has, and in addition common sense.

The Council is by them expected to provide

seem not to take any notice of the matter. Wonder why?

The Gleichen people are becoming excited about the branch railway north to start from there, also the oil wells being drilled north of that town. Gleichen in addition to C.P.R. station and telegraph office, has an express office of the Dominion Express Co., under the management of Mr. Jean E. Flaherty, the popular agent of the C.P.R. There is also established a signal office where the weather reports and observations will be made. Mr. Flaherty is also observer and electrician. He is said to be an experienced hand in all these offices. Mr. Flaherty though only coming to the place a short while ago has made every one his friend by his courteous and affable manner, but it appears he always is known for this being an old employee of the Company.

At Strathmore we observed M. C. Moriarty in charge of the section. This place has become famous as the place of two weeks this winter.

Old friend Atwater, a brother typo, holds the fort at Langdon. More anon.

PHIL.

TOWN COUNCIL.

The town council met last night in the council chamber. Present—The Mayor, Councillors Hogg, Millward and Clarke.

The minutes of the last meeting having been read were adopted.

Moved by Councillor Hogg seconded by Councillor Millward that the conduct of Mr. Caley in neglecting for two consecutive meetings of the Council in not returning a letter concerning the N.W.M.P., be censured.

Mr. Caley explained that it had unfortunately been lost; he deeply regretted it, and apologized for the same.

The explanation was accepted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Finance reported that the accounts of the Kanamankis Coal Co. and L. S. Freeze be accepted.

Moved by Councillor Hogg seconded by Councillor Clarke that the report of the Committee be received and assented to.

Moved by Councillor Hogg, seconded by Councillor Clarke, that the report read be received and laid on the table for further consideration. Carried.

Councillor Millward gave notice that he would introduce a by-law at the next meeting concerning sanitary matters.

Councillor Hogg gave notice that he would introduce at next meeting a system of fire protection and also a resolution to meet the same.

Moved by Councillor Hogg, seconded by Councillor Clarke, that the committee of the whole reconsider By-law No. 16 relative to horses and animals of little worth, and that it read now ponies and caysse be sold in ten days instead of twenty days. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Hogg, seconded by Councillor Clarke, that the Council now adjourn. Carried.

THE SILVERTON REPORT.

To the Editor of THE NOR-WESTER:

Sir,—The eloquacious little sheet, the Calgary Herald, was lately publishing a report of a meeting held at Silvertown for the purpose of discussing certain matters of common interest to all the citizens here. On the occasion the little Herald comes down with a shower of uncharitable insinuations as to the "gallic brilliancy" of a certain portion of the report, the style of which might have been defective although expressive of practical ideas which conveyed the opinions of the meeting.

What a merciless critic the little editor of that sheet must be! With what admirable dexterity did he on that occasion, shoot his murderous arrows against the writer of the report! Nevertheless, Mr. Editor, please give me access to the columns of your estimable publication in order that I may tell my illustrious friend of the Herald that he should excuse me for signing against rules in a language which is not mine and with which, I confess, I am not familiar.

On the other hand, the caustic satirist of the Herald, the illustrious journalist and formidable wrestler in literary tournaments should give me the credit for having known how to accomplish a feat which he himself didn't attempt, that is to say, to have acquired a certain knowledge (very moderate but useful) of a foreign language.

If I was granted the privilege of writing the language which I heard spoken from my youth, perhaps then I could express myself in such a way as to defy his criticism. Far be it from me, however, to depreciate in public opinion a man like the editor of the Herald, whose eminent services rendered to society as a journalist are well known to all.

In fact everybody knows that since its apparition in the literary world, the little sheet has faithfully fulfilled its mission, which has been and will always be that of crawling in the mity, muddy path of vulgar criticism. Allow me to state that in his comment the famous editor has been amiable and pleasant in every respect. Why has he shot forth a badly disseminated grudge against the citizens of Silvertown? Because, on or about last spring, they did not favor his petty scheme of a piece in Silvertown, and refused him the help of their subscriptions? Come, my friend of the Herald, you must not pout; you must not look like the vexed child, who having in his power so other means of taking revenge sits at your face. Receive from me the assurance that the citizens of Silvertown have no bad feelings against you, although you have more than once extremely tried their patience with your impudent misrepresentations.

You are largely engaged in endeavoring to make your sheet interesting at any rate, and your device in the execution of that lofty piece of work is that of the Yankee. "Make money honestly if you can, but if you can't make it honestly, make it anyway."

There has been and there are men that could charm the ears by the beauties of elegance; but I fear very much that you will give your readers the niceness by your indigestible productions. Let your thunder crash, my friend, let it crash! Always tell the truth; tell —; no matter! We are in a free country. But, nevertheless, don't you ever say that there is no silver around Silvertown, that would be telling too tangible a — which would have no other effect but to corroborate what I have previously said, that you are nursing up feelings of antipathy for the peaceable citizens of Silvertown.

The physiognomy of the citizens of Silvertown is of a rather rough and repulsive aspect to you, my friend of the Herald, isn't it. I am with you. They are men, and men in the full acceptance of the word; and I can well conceive that their rather wild appearance might ensue or give cold to persons made to be women rather than men. Moreover, my friend of the Herald, you must admit that appearances are fallacious and deceitful, and that deducting your judgments of men from looks or other considerations of a like nature would consequently lead to wrong conclusions.

You have the impudence to affirm that there is no silver around Silvertown; you even go so far as to insinuate that there is no mineral at all there. My friend, see how and to what an extent your insatiable rancor against us has effected your mind—naturally in a bad state of health! In order to refute the malice which has raised and created all your false assertions about Silvertown and its mineral resources, I will refer you to a specimen of copper and silver ore sent last year to the Dominion Land Office at Calgary. I also refer you to a specimen of gold and silver ore sent last fall to Rensselaer's stadium, in New York, and will produce on demand the certificate of assay which reports the ore as yielding \$101 to the ton of 2,000 lbs. I will refer, at last, to the Alberta Mining Co. and there you will be shown specimens, I should say tons, of mineral ore, that will enforce silence on your gratuitous utterances on Silvertown. You must repress these responsible feelings, which up to this day you have nursed against the good and industrious inhabitants of Silvertown. Finally, you must be more consistent with yourself, my friend of the Herald. Were not you last winter the advocate of Messrs. Grew & Patton? Were not you laboriously pettifoggery in their favor? Have not you been the zealous architect, furnishing them with plans and devices for the building up of their shaft? Did not you vehemently blow your trumpet about Silvertown and its resources at the time? You did undoubtedly; the fact is well known abroad.

Have not you been one of the promoters of the H-me-Stake Mine scandal? Did not you try with all your might to throw dust in the eyes of the public at the time by the rollicking productions of your sheet? Did not you help along, in the full measure of your loquacity, the carrying out of that most hideous fraud?

The Silvertown of to-day reposes upon the actual discoveries of real facts, whilst the Silvertown of the Grew & Patton fabulous days was composed of nothing but the whim and fantastical conceptions of hasty heads.

It is with grief, my friend of the Herald, that I proved the fact that your head turns with the wind. The cause of your sudden alteration of your music regarding Silvertown and its resources is derived from the fact that Messrs. Grew and Patton were then munificently paying money to the greedy editor to make him bark, whilst to-day the sensible and practical citizens of Silvertown refuse to give him even enough to buy himself a good mess of steak instead of 'barbotte.'

A SILVERTONIAN.

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You have the impudence to affirm that there is no silver around Silvertown; you even go so far as to insinuate that there is no mineral at all there. My friend, see how and to what an extent your insatiable rancor against us has effected your mind—naturally in a bad state of health! In order to refute the malice which has raised and created all your false assertions about Silvertown and its mineral resources, I will refer you to a specimen of copper and silver ore sent last year to the Dominion Land Office at Calgary. I also refer you to a specimen of gold and silver ore sent last fall to Rensselaer's stadium, in New York, and will produce on demand the certificate of assay which reports the ore as yielding \$101 to the ton of 2,000 lbs. I will refer, at last, to the Alberta Mining Co. and there you will be shown specimens, I should say tons, of mineral ore, that will enforce silence on your gratuitous utterances on Silvertown. You must repress these responsible feelings, which up to this day you have nursed against the good and industrious inhabitants of Silvertown. Finally, you must be more consistent with yourself, my friend of the Herald. Were not you last winter the advocate of Messrs. Grew & Patton? Were not you laboriously pettifoggery in their favor? Have not you been the zealous architect, furnishing them with plans and devices for the building up of their shaft? Did not you vehemently blow your trumpet about Silvertown and its resources at the time? You did undoubtedly; the fact is well known abroad.

Have not you been one of the promoters of the H-me-Stake Mine scandal? Did not you try with all your might to throw dust in the eyes of the public at the time by the rollicking productions of your sheet? Did not you help along, in the full measure of your loquacity, the carrying out of that most hideous fraud?

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Calgary, March 2nd, 85.

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