

Over the Ocean Blue

The Lively Times at Cork
and What They Portend.

Flavin, the Butter Dealer, Will
Likely Get Parnell's Seat.

2,000 Soldiers to Parade the City
on Election Day.

Movement in Favor of an Eight-
Hour Day.

Alarming Fire at the Pince of
Wales' Residence.

Lady Meux Takes Her Father's Bill
to Court.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—As showing the seri-
ousness of the election rioting at Cork, it is
stated that no fewer than 325 cases were
treated at the different hospitals and in-
firmaries in that city during the election
week. There were four cases treated on
Sunday. Concurrently with the froth and
fury the humdrum election work proceeds
steadily, and the canvassing of voters
confirms the belief that the worthy butter
dealer Flavin, who carries the Tory
Nationalist flag, will be elected by a
triumphant majority. The tactics of the
Tory managers are suspicious. They have
been holding hole-and-corner indoor meet-
ings, not daring to show themselves in the
light of day, and each gathering has passed
a resolution of confidence in the Govern-
ment and in the Tory candidate Sarsfield; but
the whisper of some sudden change of
strategy on the eve of election has be-
come louder and more persistent. It is
said that the leaders have lost control of
the rank and file, and that Sarsfield may
retire at any moment. The meaning of
this, of course, is that the Tories, know-
ing they cannot return their own
man, want to vote for the Parnellite candi-
date, in order, at any cost, to defeat the
moderate Nationalist, and thereby give
heart to their natural allies, the extremists,
all over Ireland. That this desire is real
is proved by the fact that at a Tory meeting
in the assembly rooms Saturday night all the
speakers referred to, and implied those
present to resist the temptation. The
danger would be serious if the Parnellites
were as strong as they profess to be;
but those best qualified to form
an opinion declare that Flavin's
voters will outnumber by at least 500
the combined poll of the Tory and extremist
candidates. The election will take place
on next Friday, and in view of the almost
certain rioting, whatever may be the result,
arrangements have been made for placing
on the streets no fewer than 2,000 soldiers
and police. The unopposed return of an
anti-Parnellite in North Kilkenny is an en-
couraging sign of Parnellite weakness, and
it is believed that the same thing will
occur at the general election in three-fourths
of the Irish constituencies.

THE EIGHT-HOUR DAY.

Sir John Gorst, Under Secretary of
State for India, is one of the ablest men in
the Government, and applies to the leader-
ship of the new Tory Democratic party
which he believes it is possible to organize.
Two years ago he made up his mind that
the general election would bring back
Mr. Gladstone to power, and since then he
has lost no opportunity of posing as the
workmen's friend. He is the most active
member of the Labor Commission, and has
more than once given offense to old-
fashioned Tories and imperiled his
chances of promotion by the broad-
ness of his views on social ques-
tions. Saturday night at Wolverhampton
he talked to an audience of work-
men, and expressed opinions which would
have been called revolutionary a genera-
tion ago. Sir John Gorst is too sensible a
man to advocate a compulsory eight-hour
day for all the trades, but he is prepared to
support the restriction of miners' hours,
and is of the opinion that an experiment on
the same line might be tried with advan-
tage in the Governmental and municipal
establishments at the cost of the taxpayers.
The report which has been current for
some time that the Government has in
hand a scheme for carrying out an ex-
periment, is not well founded, for the
Standard, the Ministerial organ, falls foul
of Sir John Gorst, and remarks:

"It is hard to conceive any step more de-
moralizing than to create a privileged class
of employees endowed with the public
funds."

The Standard forgets in its horror of the
new socialism that clerks in Government
departments, who work from six to eight
hours daily, compared with mercantile
clerks, whose hours average ten to twelve
per day, constitute a "privileged class of
employees endowed with the public funds."

GLADSTONE AND ROSEBERY.

Another significant sign of Mr. Glad-
stone's confidence in his early return to
power has been afforded this week by the
presence of Lord Rosebery at Hawarden
Castle for several days. The visit was not
an ordinary one of friendship, but one
almost entirely of business. Lord Rose-
bery will be Minister for Foreign
Affairs in the next Liberal Cabinet, and
he and Mr. Gladstone have this
week been settling the general lines
of policy, more particularly in re-
gard to England's relation with the Triple
Alliance and British occupation of Egypt.
The supposition that Mr. Gladstone desires
to settle out of Egypt is not correct. Such
a policy would be very unpopular in this
country, and Lord Rosebery would not
consent to carry it out; but as soon as the
Liberal Government resumes office France
will be informed that the British troops will
be withdrawn when Egypt is fit to run
alone. As to the general European policy
the Liberal principle will be to keep Eng-

land free of all entanglements, understand-
ings, and alliances whatsoever.

TRIUMPH OF SURGERY.

A remarkable case of the successful re-
moval of a piece of metal embedded in the
retina is reported by Dr. Tatham Thomp-
son, the ophthalmic surgeon to the Cardiff
Infirmary. A blacksmith was engaged in
December last at a colliery near Pontypridd
in attempting new tools, when a small
splinter of steel flew off and struck him
in the white of the left eye, causing
irritation and other symptoms which
eventually rendered it necessary either to
remove the eye or to make an attempt
to extract the cause of the trouble. The latter daring experiment be-
ing decided upon, the patient was put
under the influence of ether. The little
wound was then reopened with an instru-
ment known as a cataract knife, and the
curved pole of an electric magnet was intro-
duced. This was then passed across the
vitreous body, as nearly as could be judged,
in the direction traversed by the splinter.
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KISS AND MAKE UP.

Rumors that the Prince of Wales had
quarrelled with his old friends, Lord and
Lady Brooke, have been disposed of by an
ostentatious visit paid on Thursday by the
Prince to that noble couple at Easton
Lodge, their country mansion. The Prince
will remain at Easton Lodge until Monday,
and as the Princess is in Denmark, his
elderly cousin, the Duke and Duchess of
Teck, are also there to "preserve the propi-
eties." The Prince's two sons are still
in Ireland.

SUDDEN GENEROSITY.

In view of the recent reference to the
Duke of Edinburgh's parsimony, it is fair
to quote from the Admiralty Gazette the
following remarkable tribute to his generos-
ity: "The Duke of Edinburgh seems to be
in, for him, an unusual vein of
generosity during his recent visit to Bristol.
He actually subscribed \$125 toward the
fund of the Bristol Hospital and a similar
sum to the St. Agnes Industrial Home.
What in the world is coming over the
Duke? We never remember two such
munificent subscriptions from him heretofore."

CRIMINAL CARELESSNESS.

There is a loud demand from Radical
quarters for the punishment of the naval
officers responsible for the sinking of
fishing smacks at Plymouth by misdirected
shots from warships stationed there. One
man was drowned and several endangered
by this piece of carelessness. The ques-
tion is raised why nothing has been
done about it except to institute one
of those official investigations which never
were known to result in any placing of
responsibility. The Democratic journal
points out that an overworked railway em-
ployee who, by negligence, causes harm to
others, is put into jail, but a different rule
seems to prevail in cases where high officials
are the guilty parties; and especially so
when the crime one is the son of an admiral.
A son of Admiral Fremantle was in com-
mand of the operations at the time the
fishing vessels were sunk.

A LADY AND HER FURS.

Lady Meux has furnished no end of
gossip this week through a row with her
father over the storage of her \$30,000
worth of furs. She is quite a picturesque
character, and was, before her marriage,
Valeria Sussie Langdon. The late baronet,
Sir Henry, who died eight or nine years
ago, and who was paralyzed for twenty
years before that event, was bitterly
opposed to his son Harry's in-
stallation, but had no power to inter-
fere with his allowance of \$100,000 a
year. There was a great sensation
after the marriage of the present
Sir Henry Bruce Meux with Valerie
Langdon was made known. The old
baronet's solicitor, who had been trying to
every way to break up the engagement,
one day received a visit from Valerie.
She sent up her card, which bore the simple in-
scription, "Lady Meux." She was shown
into the office, and the old gentleman asked
her, "Are you Lady Meux?"
"Yes," she replied, "I am, and I have
come to tell you something. You
have had a detective following me
a long time. I want to say to you
that I will never catch me tripping.
I'm not such a fool as I look. I have
caught a baronet, and I mean to keep him.
Good morning."

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FIRE AT MARLBOROUGH HOUSE.

At 7 o'clock Sunday morning some
passers-by observed that the top floor of
the Prince of Wales' residence was on fire.
An alarm bell was promptly rung, and soon
people were hastening to the scene from all
parts of the neighborhood, and the greatest
excitement prevailed. An hour later the
whole upper part of the building was in
flames, and in a few minutes the roof col-
lapsed with a tremendous crash. The reflec-
tion of the flames was visible for miles around.
Several fire brigades were on the scene, and
were assisted by hundreds of volunteers.
The fire was under control by 11 o'clock.
The second and third floors of the building
were gutted and their contents destroyed.
The lower rooms were greatly damaged by
water. The total amount of damage is es-
timated at £15,000. The servants were pre-
paring the house for the arrival of the
family, and it is supposed that the fire was
caused by a spark from a fire which smould-
ered during the night.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.

A telegram received at the Russian Em-
bassy at Paris announces the issue of a
ukase in Russia prohibiting from to-day
the exportation of all cereals excepting
wheat. Vessels still loading will be al-
lowed to complete their cargo provided
they are within three days. The Russian
Government has assigned another 32,000,
000 roubles to the distress fund.

STARVING GERMANS.

Advices received at Berlin state that
350,000 German colonists in the fami-
ne-stricken districts of the Volga, distributed

among 29 parishes, are perishing unaided.
In addition to the suffering caused by the
want of food the Volga districts are being
ravaged by epidemics of scurvy and
typhus fever. The starving peasants at
tack houses and all other buildings in
which they are likely to find plunder in
order to secure the means of obtaining food.

PERSECUTIONS IN RUSSIA.

The London Chronicle publishes a dis-
patch from Tiflis, in Russia trans Caucasia,
saying that the procurator of the Russian
synod has finished his career of persecution
by the arrest of the chief leaders in the
Protestant movement—Messrs. Bagdasarian,
the leader of the Protestant
Armenian Kalait of the German Baptists,
Mayasoff, the Russian, and Lenzhoff,
Methodist, who were all torn from their
families and sent secretly for a term of
five years to a mountain district on the
Russian frontier. Hundreds of members of
these sects have been cruelly harassed and
driven to the condition of paupers. Their
friends are afraid to leave for fear that they
will be compelled to share the same fate.

GERMAN ARMS.

When the German Reichstag resumes its
sittings on Nov. 17 the Social Party Bill,
the Austrian and Italian commercial
treaties and the demand for new military
credits will constitute the principal
business to be considered. The military
credit which it is expected will amount
to 180,000,000 marks, and will be
distributed over several years, will be asked
on the ground that there is necessity for
reform in the artillery service, and for
changes in the clothing outfit of the army.
The question as to whether new cannons
should be made of bronze or steel has been
decided in favor of steel. The extended
use of guns of small calibre has also been
decided upon. There will also be presented
to the Reichstag a report advising the re-
inforcement of the navy by German waters
and the number of ships in German waters
and on the South American and Chinese
stations.

A CASE OF DOG AND DOG.

A pamphlet is in circulation defending
the Jews against the charge of exporting
money from the Russian peasants. The
writer of the pamphlet says that the real
enemy of the peasants is the class of rich
peasants who in some way have accumu-
lated money, and who loan it at rates that
would be ashamed to charge, exacting
from the hapless agriculturists both principal
and interest to the last farthing. The
extortioners are known as "money lenders,"
and are hated and dreaded by their victims.

OTHER CABLE GOSSIP.

Lord Coleridge presided Saturday at the
unveiling of Bruce-Joy's bust of Matthew
Arnold in the Westminster Baptistery.
There was a large audience.

Cardinal Lavigne is seriously ill at Al-
ger. The Pope has sent his blessing to the
cardinal.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie have
sailed for New York.

At a largely attended meeting of city
magistrates to-day it was decided to erect a
bust of the late Conservative leader, Wil-
liam Smith, First Lord of the Treasury.
The site selected for the statue is in the
Town Hall of the Strand borough.

The newly adopted small-bore rifle will
be introduced into actual use in the Italian
army to-day.

Four persons were killed Saturday by the
escape of carbonic acid gas in a refinery at
Denmark.

Fifteen miners were buried by the col-
lapse of a coal pit at Dombrowska, Poland,
Saturday, and as yet the efforts to ex-
tricate them have been unavailing. It is
feared that only two or three, if indeed, they
were not killed at once.

The Portuguese mail boat from East
Africa, which has arrived at Marseilles, re-
ports a recent collision between British
and Portuguese soldiers.

Two Portuguese were killed and fifteen
injured.

The British steamer Stella has been
wrecked at Batoum and six lives lost.

The action of the Queen in conferring
the dignity of knighthood upon the famous
in Lahore under trying circumstances, has
Metropolitan Fire Brigade, caused much
satisfaction. To-day Captain Shaw took
leave of the officers of the brigade with
whom he has been so long associated.

The hon. Prussians at an opportune moment
of his birthday.

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24,000 Victims!

Terrible Results of the Earth-
quake in Japan.

Twenty-Three Thousand Houses in
Ruins.

Fire and Shipwreck Swell the
Awful Death Roll.

Which is Estimated to Include 24,000
People.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Dispatches from Hilo,
Japan, say the terrible earthquake which
occurred in that country Wednesday night
destroyed the towns of Nagoya, Gifu and
Okazaki. All the public buildings and most
of the smaller structures in those places
were thrown down. A fire which started
among the wrecked buildings in Nagoya
completed the work of destruction in the
most crowded quarters of the town.

It is estimated the total number of per-
sons who lost their life by disaster exceeds
24,000.

Many vessels are reported to have been
wrecked in the vicinity of Hilo, and dur-
ing the disturbance the waters of the lakes
in the surrounding country were violently
agitated. A few portions of the Nippon
Islands escaped the earthquake, and Kobe
suffered comparatively little damage. The
number of Europeans who lost their lives
by the

TERMINAL VISITATION

is small. The various wagon roads are
blocked by immense heaps of debris.
Traffic on the different railroads is sus-
pended, and all the telegraph lines are
entirely prostrated, thus shutting off almost
all communication with the devastated
district. In consequence all details cannot
be learned for several days to come.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—A private dispatch
received here from Japan says that the
loss of life by the recent earthquake, which
shook the Island of Honshu and other
places, is estimated to be very great.
Over 2,000 persons were killed and about
18,000 houses destroyed in the Province of
Nagoya, on the Island of Honshu, the
capital of which is Nagoya, a city of 130,
000 inhabitants. In addition to the great
going, 5,000 houses were destroyed and
5,000 persons killed by the earthquake in
Gifu. The towns of Kano and Kasa-
mautsu are also reported to have been de-
stroyed, together with 60 miles of rail-
road.

It is presumed that the fire, which started
among the wrecked buildings at Nagoya,
may have a great deal to do with the great
loss of life. As the loss of life of Kano and
Kusamutsu is not mentioned, and these
towns are said to have been destroyed, it is
estimated that the total loss of life may
eventually be shown to be over 10,000.

Additional advices confirm the news
that there have been wrecks about the
Island of Honshu, as one of the consequences
of the terrible disturbance. The severest
of telegraphic communication with the
devastated districts continues to prevent
accurate details being gathered as to the
extent of the calamity.

24,000 LIVES LOST.

A later Yokohama dispatch announces
that the lowest estimate of the killed and
drowned by the recent earthquake is placed
at 24,000. Nowhere were the efforts of the
Japanese officials adequate, and there is but
little doubt many thousands more might have
been saved had there been anything like a
systematic relief service.

TENNESSEANS TERRIFIED!

Over 800 Convict Miners Let
Loose.

Stockades Burned—The Guards Make
No Resistance—Serious Character
of the Situation.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 31.—Three hun-
dred and twenty convicts were released at
Briarville last night and the immense
stockade burned.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 31.—Beyond a
doubt the stockades of the Tennessee Min-
ing Company at Briarville, and of the
Knoxville Iron Company at Coal Creek
have been burned. The convicts employed
in these mines to the number of 320 have
been released and are now at large.

Most of them are reported to have
gone towards the Kentucky line. It
has been ascertained that large num-
bers of suits of citizens' clothes were pur-
chased several days ago, and it is now cor-
tain they were for the use of the discharged
convicts whose escape would be facilitated
by discarding their striped clothes. The
greatest excitement prevails in the surround-
ing country owing to the convicts being at
liberty in such large numbers, and the
further trouble that is anticipated in any
attempts that may be made to en-
force the penitentiary laws. Guards
at the stockade made no resistance, feeling
that it was useless. It is believed here that
no lives were lost.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 31.—Up to 10:20
a. m. nothing has been received from Briar-
ville, nor has the Governor taken any steps
in regard to ordering out militia.

LINK AND LEVER.

Semi-Annual Meeting of the Grand
Trunk Shareholders—Friendly Relations
between the Grand Trunk and the
Substantial Improvement.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Yesterday the Grand
Trunk meeting was held. Sir Henry Tyler
was received with a few hisses mingled
with cheers. The proceedings generally
were devoid of spirit of opposition to the
Board. The report was unanimously
adopted. Mr. Hubbard, deputy chairman
of the Great Western Railway of England,
was elected a director to represent the
general body of proprietors. Sir
Henry Tyler, in moving the adoption
of the report, said they had had a miserable
year, a year of unmitigated gloom. The
results were due to trade depression and
low rates. Referring to the coal question,
he regretted that the negotiations for re-
ciprocally were postponed for the present.
The coal duties, which cost the Grand
Trunk alone \$100,000 yearly, bene-
fited one little corner of Canada at the ex-
pense of the whole Dominion. His only

allusion to Sir Charles Tupper's attack was
a statement that the year was one of politi-
cal disturbance. Some politicians not con-
tent with fighting each other wanted to
fight the company. All this had passed
away. There were signs of substantial
improvement; the St. Clair tunnel, the
humblest harvest and better accommodation
at Toronto all warranted hopes of bet-
ter things. As a result of his visit to
Canada he assured the meeting that the
rolling stock was never in better condition
and the line was never better prepared to
deal with traffic.

In the course of the discussion, amid
loud cheers, Mr. Baker attacked Sir Charles
Tupper for his article on Imperial Federa-
tion in the Nineteenth Century. Seeing
the past attitude of the Government to-
wards the Grand Trunk he held, should
be to leave such subjects alone and apply
himself to assist the railways to earn their
dividends, and thus restore Canada's credit
among English investors. Mr. Baker
among English investors. Mr. Baker
stated that those who opposed the Board at
the last meeting had decided not to renew
the hostility, seeing that the Board was
meeting their views. Six or seven of other
speakers strongly urged that the Canadian
speakers be prevailed upon to secure friendly
relations and higher rates. These speeches
were much cheered.

Sir Henry Tyler, replying, declared that
the presidents of both companies were on
the best of terms personally, and were
quite agreed as far as possible to maintain
rates.

Mr. Household repeated Mr. Baker's
assurance that the former opponents of the
Board would assist in the new policy. The
report was unanimously adopted.

NOTES.

The Canadian Pacific Railway returns
for September show the gross earnings to
have been \$1,835,658; net profits, \$825,240.
In September, 1890, the net profits were
\$712,002.

A gang of men have begun to lay 80-
pound steel rails on the east-bound track of
the M. C. R. from the west end of Kettle
Creek bridge to a point a mile and a quar-
ter west of St. Clair Junction.

THE DAY'S DOINGS CONCISELY
CHRONICLED.

A Well-to-do Farmer Drowned in a Well—
Two Murders in New York.

CANADIAN.

The apple crop of Prince Edward county
this year is very fine. Prices, \$1.50 to \$1.75
a barrel.

Paul Strafford, colored, has been con-
victed of firing Mrs. Curry's barn at Am-
herstburg.

John Courtney, a St. Catharines farmer,
was drowned in the Welland Canal on
Saturday night.

Robert Lehigh, of Brockville, a G. T. R.
brakeman, was badly hurt at Kingston on
Sunday morning.

Departmental notices in Saturday's Ga-
zette were signed "J. C. Abbott, for the
Secretary of State."

The Hochelaga cotton mills in Montreal
were damaged by fire on Saturday night to
the extent of \$30,000.

Dr. Howe, for 33 years principal of Mon-
treal High School, was presented with a
purse of \$5,000 by his old pupils on Sat-
urday.

At Owen Sound on Saturday the bylaw
to grant J. G. & A. Hay, of Woodstock, a
loan of \$15,000 to establish a chair factory
was carried, 822 for, 7 against.

Richard Percival, a farmer residing near
Lyn, Ont., was trampled to death by one of
his horses in the stable Friday morning. He
was 60 years of age, and leaves a grown-up
family.

A Hamilton carpenter named Wm. Rob-
ertson, while working on a roof on Friday
afternoon, slipped and fell to the ground, a
distance of 25 feet, and landed on his head.
It is doubtful if he will recover.

UNITED STATES.

H. A. P. Carter, Hawaiian Minister to
Washington, died yesterday.

Over 1,000 men are at work on the new
cruisers in the United States naval yards.
Twenty-one States of the neighboring
union now grant the school ballot to women.

It has been decided to hold the next
Catholic Congress at Chicago on July 1,
1893.

John L. Sullivan denies that he is trying
to arrange a fight with him and says he
will continue to be an "actor."

B. F. Hutchinson, "Old Hatch," late of
the Chicago Board of Trade, on Saturday
applied for membership in the New York
Produce Exchange.

The delegates to the Woman's Missionary
Society Convention at Washington were re-
ceived by the President

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women of to-day powdered their hair to be easier to bang. Small doses of digested Dyspepsia under the curative influence of Burdock Blood Bitters are but one of the

Parton, in a little talk about Kingsley at the latter's letter to the London Advertiser in 1879, declared that "Alton Locke," up in a garret, gave him more pain than he had ever had before of a harrowing way the delineation of

commended B. B. B. for stomach troubles, says Mrs. Lewis of Windsor, Man. One of dyspepsia, indigestion and

purge signed the abstinence pledge. Unfortunely he has been used in communion service as the Metropolitan

action of the Bowels is the foundation. Secure and remove Com- from the system. The Bowels have responded to participate in the World's

Mr. Williams, 45 Bloor street, Toronto, has been advised to take Burdock Blood Bitters and pain in the head and from the second dose.

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

BRANT.

A writ has been issued at the instance of James Walker, of the town of Paris, against the municipality of that place for damages for falling down an unpropped excavation.

Jacob Smuck, South Dumfries, has a gold on which has been raised nearly 50 bushels per acre of wheat, barley, peas and oats this year.

Richard McCornyn, a Paris publisher, has been acquitted on a charge of attempting to take his own life.

Rev. Mr. Brown, Paris, is reported very low, an unfavorable change having taken place in his condition.

The Brantford Cordage Company has placed in the hands of the public, having changed hands, having been purchased by the Consumers' Cordage Company, of Montreal. The price paid is understood to have been \$150,000.

A letter has been received in Brantford from the Dominion Cotton Mill Company, which controls both the winery and cotton mills there, stating that unless they get their exemption from taxation they will be forced to curtail the number of men employed.

The Paris High School was visited during the week by one or more vandals, who have since used tables and distributed the chemicals in Mr. Pagley's room about the floor.

ELGIN.

James Haight, Sparta, has raised a blood 104 inches long and 22 inches round at the top.

John Sullivan died a few days ago at the Elgin House of Industry, aged 36 years, of Bright's disease.

Mr. W. A. Lilly died recently in Dutton, aged 72 years. She resided in St. Thomas 45 years ago, and has since lived in Port Stanley, Walscotown and Dutton.

Deaths are being made to continue the publication of a paper at West Lorne, since the removal of Mr. Colwell to Leamington.

A Baldist, St. Thomas, purchased a 3-year-old dog nineteen years ago from John Goring, and as it seemed determined to live forever, it was killed the other day and will be studied.

One of the dead in Aldboro are reported as follows: E. McCall, 50 acres to W. Tenison; Wm. Hookway, his farm to Henry Hill, and Robert Currie, his farm to John Henderson.

ESSEX.

Rev. L. Ryckman, of Allegheny, Pa., has accepted a call to the Colored Baptist Church of Windsor.

Tilbury West has sixteen justices of the Peace.

One of the largest deals in Windsor real estate that has ever taken place was the sale Wednesday by J. C. Patterson to Daniel Scott, of Detroit, of the Chappell farm. It lies lying on the Detroit River, consisting of over 40 acres, runs back as far as the Malden road, and the price paid was \$40,000, or a slight fraction less than \$100 an acre.

On the farm is a magnificent gravel pit that itself is a fortune to the owner. On the front of the farm stands the old red-roofed house familiar to Detroiters who delight in a fish and frog supper.

Mr. Scott will turn the entire property into a magnificent stock farm. Thousands of dollars will be spent upon it, and nothing but the finest stock purchased, as it is the intention of the new owner to have the premier stock farm of Canada. For this purpose it could not be exceeded, as the situation is of the best, and a number of springs abound on the place. Mr. Patterson has realized a handsome profit by the sale, as it is known that he purchased it for about \$20,000 a year ago.

The new Episcopal Church at Kingsville was opened for divine service on Sabbath. The service is now out of the hands of the \$3,000, and that is none other than the elegant Christian man Rev. J. W. Ashman, who came many thousands of miles to assist at the opening. The church is a model of neatness and modern improvement, and is heated and lighted by natural gas, the whole costing about \$8,000.

KENT.

The East Kent Teachers' Association met in Ridgeway was well attended. The forenoon session was devoted to the transaction of business. After this the report of the delegates to the Provincial Institute was presented by R. Sanderson, H. S. Clark of the Toronto Conservatory of Education, took up the remainder of the forenoon in addressing the teachers present on the subject, "Reading and how to teach it."

He stated the poem in the Fourth Reader, entitled "Before School," and from this taught an imaginary class, illustrating to the teachers his method of teaching the subject. At the afternoon session Mr. Clark read his discourse on reading, and for a couple of hours he not only instructed the teachers but furnished them with a great deal of information. Burton Graves, teacher at Guile, read a paper which he had prepared for the occasion on the subject "How we might improve." He treated his subject intelligently and suggested many valuable methods of improving both the condition and position of the teaching fraternity generally.

At the concert in Ridgeway in connection with the Teachers' Association, Prof. Clark, Toronto, gave readings and recitations of very high merit, and all the numbers on the programme were excellent.

N. Young, Bowtell, has an aggregation that knocks Squires, of Glenora, silly. He grinds music out of eight instruments at one time.

LAMBTON. Dr. Westell has removed with his family from Point Edward to Sarnia, being required nearer the tunnel to examine the stock passing through.

The ram, Kincaidine, visited his brother, Francis Graham, Luckinham, a few days ago. The brothers had not been before since the winter of 1858, although living only 50 miles apart.

MIDDLESEX. The inquest on the death of Benjamin Barnes, of West Williams, and a new-born child of Frances Garraway, who lives in the same house, was held by Dr. Cav, coroner, of Parkhill, on Wednesday night.

It was shown by the post-mortem examination that the old man had died from disease of the kidneys of a very aggravated kind, and the child was so malformed that it was impossible for it to have lived. The top and front bones of the infant's skull were wanting, and the diaphragm was not

formed, so that nearly all of the abdominal viscera were forced up in the throat and chest. The jury returned a verdict of death from natural causes in both cases.

After a term of service of 42 years in the department, Daniel Sheff, postmaster at Glendale, has resigned. Mr. James Carter, of London, has received the appointment.

OXFORD.

Rev. Robt. Dennis, who has been in the Baptist ministry for the past few years, has been compelled to give up his duties at the Drumbo church, owing to ill-health, and is now lying quite low at his father-in-law's, Peter Snell, Springfield.

Rev. G. Mauro leaves Embro on Wednesday and will be inducted in Harrison on Friday.

One of the most progressive farmers' institutes in the Province—that of West Zorra—will meet on Wednesday evening to organize for the winter's work.

Wm. Morgan Burgessville, has a 3-pound 6-ounce potato.

The dedication of the new Methodist Church in Beechville has been postponed until Thursday, Nov. 19.

Mrs. Judge, aged 91 years, died in Thamesford a few days ago.

The Tripp farm of 210 acres, was offered by the executors at public auction recently, and the highest bid was \$9,150. They did not sell at that, but as for tenders, and succeeded in selling it to James Stevens for \$10,050. He subsequently sold 130 acres of it for \$8,110 and the remainder to W. E. Galloway for \$4,250.

The James Stewart Manufacturing Company are inviting tenders for the construction of their foundry in Woodstock, which is to be an immense building. The site for the works is first unsettled.

Frank Cavanagh, Ingersoll, has organized a fire company with twenty men and 500 feet of hose with fire hall and hose tower to protect their factory and assist at town fires.

Following the example of other municipalities, the West Zorra Council have instructed the tax collector to charge 5 per cent. on all taxes not paid on or before the 14th day of December next.

Frank Cavanagh, Ingersoll, fell from an apple tree on the farm of Geo. Wilson, near Verschoyle, on Saturday and broke his right arm. This is the second time the arm has been broken in the same place, the first time being four years ago when he fell from the roof of a building.

Neil McKay, a well-known Woodstock carpenter, died on Thursday in Nova Scotia, his former home. Deceased left Woodstock for Chicago, but finally went east, where he contracted a cold and died of consumption. He leaves a wife and family.

John H. McKay, son of the Rev. W. A. McKay, of Woodstock, has severed his connection with the Leamington Post, and will remove to Chicago.

Mrs. Geo. Braisher, of Tilsonburg, met with a very severe accident on a chair lifting. She was standing upon a chair fixing curtains, and having completed her work stepped down, missing her footing and falling backwards upon the floor, breaking her collar bone.

Mayor Douglas, Woodstock, and Mr. Sutherland, M.P. for North Oxford, were standing the other day in front of Farrell's Hotel in Woodstock, when a loose brick from the top of the building fell on to the sidewalk at their feet. It was a narrow escape for both.

The West Oxford cheese factory has undertaken to manufacture an enormous cheese in 1892, to weigh 18,000 pounds. The factory for the World's Fair at Chicago; 225,000 pounds of milk will be required to produce the curd in the manufacture of this cheese, and will require the milk from 11,250 average cows.

The Wolcott Milling Company's storehouse at Drumbo has been completed. J. W. D. Rouse, Plattville, publisher of the Echo, has sold his business to his foreman, W. T. Buggin, owing to ill health.

PERTH.

Tavistock has sold \$10,000 worth of building this year.

John Meyer, Milverton, died the other day, aged 76 years.

J. R. Williamson, lively stable keeper, Stratford, has resigned.

Dr. E. H. Edits was married in Stratford on Wednesday to Minnie, daughter of John Road, manager of the Stratford Electric Light Company.

WELLINGTON. Wm. Fisher is carrying a broken arm in Guelph, the result of an assault on him by Ben Workman, who has been arrested. Both are colored.

Palmerston Connell pays \$45 for injuries caused by a defective sidewalk.

WATERLOO.

John Messner, of the Bloomingdale Hotel, Berlin, has returned from Walkerston after purchasing the Hartley House, of that place, for \$8,000. Mr. M. will take possession of it about the middle of November.

The family of Mrs. Little, Galt, narrowly escaped death from suffocation, caused by a few nights ago. Two stoves connected with one pipe which failed to carry off the gas.

Hazen, of Berlin, Stutzengruber Seltschak was an action to have defendants, who have a rifle range in the outskirts of Berlin, enjoined from shooting, because of the danger to the safety of the plaintiff and other persons while working on his farm, which is directly behind the butt.

Persons using the range have been required to place the muzzle of the rifle in a sort of channel about four feet long, constructed of planks, two of which, about three or four inches apart, constituted the sides, the top being covered by a third plank, but the bottom left open. In front of this the defendants had erected guards between all defendants and above the range. These consisted of planks nailed on either side of the channel, with the intervening space filled with sand, in order to catch any bullet which might go over the top of the butt.

The latter had wings spread, and was to be sufficiently extended to prevent any bullet fired wide from getting past. The plaintiff and several other witnesses stood by the butt and above the range, and the defendants stated that it was not impossible that bullets could get past the butt and the other witnesses standing all the precautions taken. The injunction asked for was granted.

WENTWORTH.

Peanuts have been grown at Bullock's Corners this year by W. J. Morien and sold at the Hamilton market. The appearance and taste are the same as the tropical fruit.

The Special Trust Committee of the Diocese of Niagara held a meeting on Tuesday at the synod office. The meeting was called for the purpose of approving of a scheme for distributing a surplus of over \$4,000, which had accumulated upon certain investments, and which it was decided at the last synod to distribute among all the clergymen in the diocese who from long service had been entitled to share in this fund. This mode of distribution was almost unanimously agreed to, and the amounts were apportioned to the recipients according to their length of service in the diocese.

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URANIA.....Saturday, Dec. 12, 3 p.m.

SERVIA.....Saturday, Dec. 19, 9 a.m.

URANIA.....Saturday, Dec. 26, 3 p.m.

SERVIA.....Saturday, Jan. 2, 9 a.m.

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SERVIA.....Saturday, Jan. 16, 9 a.m.

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SERVIA.....Saturday, Feb. 13, 9 a.m.

URANIA.....Saturday, Feb. 20, 3 p.m.

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SERVIA.....Saturday, Mar. 13, 9 a.m.

URANIA.....Saturday, Mar. 20, 3 p.m.

SERVIA.....Saturday, Mar. 27, 9 a.m.

URANIA.....Saturday, Apr. 3, 3 p.m.

SERVIA.....Saturday, Apr. 10, 9 a.m.

URANIA.....Saturday, Apr. 17, 3 p.m.

SERVIA.....Saturday, Apr. 24, 9 a.m.

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tian Union, and con-
sider the time has come when the various
Christian denominations should come closer
together. Those bodies which are now
nearest should unite first. Under the present
system there is an unjustifiable waste of
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will endeavor to promote the movement for
Christian union not alone by direct appeal
and argument, but by seeking to present
the best rather than the worst side of each
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—[BROWNING.]

London, Monday, Nov. 2.

THE PROMISE MADE TO CHAP- LEAU.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau has addressed the
following letter to the editor of the Hamil-
ton Spectator:

OTTAWA, Oct. 30, 1891.

Dear Sir,—I read in your journal the fol-
lowing paragraph: "If Mr. Abbott will
allow ambitious men to put a pistol to his
head and demand what position they
think they ought to have he will fail and
deserve to fail."

He would be right if that were true, but
unfortunately for you it is not so. If a
Premier when forming his Cabinet volun-
tarily makes a definite and special promise
to a gentleman whom he asked to be one of
his colleagues, is he bound to keep his
promise, and is the man to whom such a
promise is made a bandit putting a pistol to
his head because he cannot keep it? I have
reason to believe you are a gentleman. Can
you give me an answer to the above questions?
Yours truly,
J. H. CHAPLEAU.

Here is a distinct challenge to Premier
Abbott to keep a promise made at a
critical time in his career. The promise,
there is reason for believing, was the
political advancement of Mr. Chapleau. We
are not parties to the quarrel, but while
we stand by and watch the contest
between the two men, we are bound to
ask ourselves if the Premier made "a
definite and special promise" to his col-
league he should carry it out in its en-
tirety. Mr. Abbott's newspaper organs
say he dare not do so because party inter-
ests would be imperiled by promoting Chap-
leau. That is not a proper answer. If
party interests would suffer, Mr. Chapleau
must be unworthy of public support,
unworthy of holding office of any kind.
Mr. Abbott knew what kind of man Mr.
Chapleau was when he purchased his sup-
port with a promise. If he refuses to keep
that promise he has no proper course open
to him but to dismiss the Minister. Will
he have the courage to do that?

A. J. Balfour has been elected chancellor
of the University of Edinburgh.

THE EXPOSURES AT STRATFORD AND THE REMEDY FOR A GREAT EVIL.

The revelations frankly made by the
Grand Trunk officials at Stratford will do
more to ripen the public mind to demand
the repeal of the Dominion Franchise Act
than the arguments of a thousand party
orators.

Looking at the matter from a purely
business standpoint, the officers of the
Grand Trunk, prior to last election day,
sold tickets to parties connected with both
political organizations. No very searching
inquiry was made into the uses to which
these tickets were to be put, but there
seems little reason to doubt that in some
constituencies where the absentee voters
were unwilling to come back and vote,
tickets were sent them. We know of
no tickets having been sent out in this city,
but the evidence given at Stratford shows
that the law, in more than one instance, was
winked at by members of both political
parties.

What can we expect of subordinates
when men like Sir Charles Tupper and
Hon. Mr. Chapleau, both of whom aided
in formulating the statute contravened,
bought and distributed thousands of dollars
worth of tickets for the express purpose of
bringing in outside voters?

There undoubtedly was a great im-
pact at last general election to break the
law prohibiting payments for the transport
of voters. At the whim of the men in
power the elections were rushed on
more than a year in advance of the
expiration of Parliament. The lists were
radically defective, being compiled
years before. In every constituency
hundreds of voters had moved away, yet
their names were on the lists, while
hundreds of voters who had moved in were
without votes, or had votes in a distant
place. City constituencies were especially
troubled with this sort of vote question.
In some places thousands of names of
persons who had gone away were on the
lists, while thousands of new-comers or of
young men who had come of age were dis-
franchised. Under such a state of affairs
there was and always will be a temptation
to break the law prohibiting payment for
conveyance of voters to and from the polls.

What is the remedy? Is there a man
who can honestly say that anyone would
be injured if the "one man, one vote"
principle were established, and a condition
of the franchise were that a man should
only vote where he resides? The Ontario
elections were conducted with comparative
purity. As we have seen during the past
week, election petition after election
petition lodged against members of the
Legislature had to be withdrawn because,
after inquiry, no cases of corruption
were discovered that warranted the ex-
pense of a trial. The one man,
one vote principle was established by
Premier Mowat as an aid to purity. It has
proved more than that. Both parties
recognize that the carrying out of the
regulation that a man shall have but one
vote, and shall go to the polls where he
resides, has saved them an immense amount
of trouble and expense. There is not an
honest politician, who has faith in the
merits of his system for a farm. No per-
son or interest was hurt by the change, and
the reform is fixed on the statute book be-
yond recall.

See the stupidity of the Dominion voting
system. A train on election day carries 25
Liberals from, say, Hamilton to London.
The same train brings 25 Conservatives.
They had all to be looked up; they had
either to pay their fares, or have them paid
by someone else. The railway company is
benefited, but is anyone else? A similar
delegation, composed of adherents of both
political parties goes from London to Ham-
ilton. And so the see-saw goes on
throughout the whole country, the "United
States vote"—very large, we regret to say,
at last election—being brought in the same
way. Suppose neither party had brought
back a single non-resident voter. Would
any interest have been injured? Would
the country have been governed worse than
it has been? We trow not.

The fact is, there is no excuse what-
ever for the continuance of the duplicate
voting system. Some old fogey may tell us
that it is the property that votes, not the
man, which reminds us of the story of the
old man who was given a vote because he
owned a donkey. The donkey died, and
donkeys will die sometimes. The old man
went forward to the polls and offered his
vote. It was objected to on the ground that
he had lost his qualification—"his donkey is
dead," it was asserted. The old man
mournfully acknowledged the fact. "Then
you cannot vote," said the returning officer.
The query is, was it the man or the donkey
who had the franchise?

But if it is the property and not the man
which votes let us be logical. Let us give
to each man voting power in accordance
with his wealth and enjoy feudal luxuries
once more. How many will endorse that
view? How many electors are there that
will vote for the carrying out of the view
that a man who owns \$100,000 worth
of property shall have 100 votes,
while the man possessing a cottage
valued at \$1,000 shall vote but once?
Nevertheless, if it is property which votes
—and that is the only excuse for the con-
tinuance of the present system, because
properly revised voters' lists would obviate
the other objections to the one man one vote
principle—the giving of the rich man votes
in accordance with his belongings would be
eminently just.

These revelations but add force to our

contention that the comfort of the com-
munity, the welfare of the people, demand
that the Dominion Franchise Act shall be
repealed at the earliest possible moment,
and the one man one vote residential fran-
chise made the basis for Dominion as well
as Provincial elections. It is years since
the Liberal leaders moved for the adoption
of the reform, but the Conservative party
leaders unfortunately voted down the
proposition. The success of a guarantee that its
effect in Dominion elections would be be-
yond doubt beneficial. It must be adopted.

THE GRAND TRUNK AND RE- STRICTED TRADE.

Sir Henry Tyler, president of the Grand
Trunk Railway, and Mr. Seargeant, gen-
eral manager of that great system, both
spoke yesterday on the attitude of the
company regarding the question of Domini-
on taxation.

The first-named, in his address at the
meeting of the G. T. R. shareholders,
referred to the trade depression
which had curtailed the com-
pany's earning power last year. He pointed out that the coal duties cost the
Grand Trunk Company alone \$500,000 a
year, benefiting one little corner of the
country at the expense of the whole Do-
minion. By the way, the same benefit could
be brought about by reciprocity, because
Nova Scotia coal could then find a market
in the Eastern States, while the abolition of
the tax would reduce the price of coal in
central Canada. Then the application of
the Liberal policy would give an immense
impetus to the mining industry in British
Columbia, which now supplies large quan-
tities of coal to the Western States.

Our readers, especially Grand Trunk
workmen and artisans and laborers gener-
ally, should read the evidence of the
Grand Trunk manager at the election
trial in Stratford. It gives the
business-like grounds upon which the
Grand Trunk Company reach
their conclusion that its interests are injured by
the restricted trade policy. Mr. Seargeant
is not a party man. He has been in Can-
ada since 1874, and yet he has never voted
here, though we see no reason why he should
not vote as he talks. Like all independent
thinking men, Mr. Seargeant believes that
restricted trade is hurtful to the interest of
the railway, and as a matter of course to
the 15,000 or 20,000 persons employed by
it, as well as to many other industries that
are indirectly affected by the prosperity or
non-prosperity of the road.

It stands to reason that whatever helps
the company helps the men. There was a
telling illustration of how depression reacts
on the employes while the 10 per cent.
wages reduced last year.

Mr. Seargeant's statement is most note-
worthy. Neither railway companies,
farmers, independent industrial organiza-
tions, nor the great mass of the workers of
Canada can be helped by trade restriction.
They are distinctly injured, as has been so
fully pointed out by Sir Henry Tyler and
General Manager Seargeant.

They are troubled with the encore nuisance
in the old world as well as in the new.
In the British metropolis there is a
growing opposition to the "encore fiend,"
who is always sure to make his appear-
ance at concerts. It is proposed that the
words "No encore" shall be printed in
big type on concert programmes, and
that the managers shall adhere to the
rule. Not long ago an encore fiend man-
aged to hold an audience in a concert
hall for over an hour beyond the time
at which the concert was to end. It is
time that the minority of one should be
effectually combated.

AN IMPOSSIBILITY.
[Ottawa Free Press.]
The attempt to make a moral regenerator
out of Mr. Abbott is a good deal like trying
to "make a silk purse out of a sow's ear."

WE WILL HAVE IT SOON.
[St. John, N.B., Globe.]
With an honest electoral law there would
be a beneficial change in and improvement
of Ontario's representation in Parliament.

WHERE THE MONEY CAME FROM.

[Fredericton (N.B. Herald).]
The circumstances under which the peti-
tions were filed against Messrs. King and
Gillmor and Dr. Colter are not calculated
to enhance one's respect for Conservative
methods, and do not reflect very creditably
upon the Government at Ottawa. It has
been ascertained that not only was the de-
posit money (that is the \$1,000 required to
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Ottawa, but the petitions themselves were
filled up to suit each case. A St. John
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First car leaves Egerton street for G. T. R.
7:08 a.m. First car leaves G. T. R. for
Egerton street 7:27 a.m.
Last car leaves Egerton street per G. T. R.
10:40 p.m. Last car leaves G. T. R. for
Egerton street 11 p.m.

SOUTH LONDON AND RICHMOND STREET—(23-Minute Time.)

First car leaves Egerton street 6:45 a.m., leaving
G. T. R. for South London at 7 a.m. First
car leaves South London for G. T. R. and
Mount Hope at 7:15 a.m.
Second car leaves Egerton street 6:50 a.m., leaving
G. T. R. for Mount Hope at 7 a.m. First
car leaves Mount Hope for G. T. R. and
South London at 7:15 a.m.
Last car leaves Mount Hope for South
London 9:45 p.m.; leaving G. T. R.
10 p.m. for South London; returning from
South London 10:15 p.m. for G. T. R. and
stables.

HAMILTON ROAD AND PALL MALL— (8-Minute Time.)

First car from G. T. R. for Hamilton
road and Adelaide street 7:11 a.m., leaving
Hamilton road and Adelaide street for
G. T. R. and Pall Mall 7:26 a.m.
First car from G. T. R. for Pall Mall and
Adelaide street 7:05 a.m., leaving Pall
Mall and Adelaide street for G. T. R. and
Hamilton road and Adelaide street 7:26
a.m.
Last car leaves G. T. R. for Hamilton
road and Adelaide street 9:53 p.m. Last
car leaves Hamilton road and Adelaide
street for G. T. R. and stables 10:08 p.m.
Last car leaves G. T. R. for Pall Mall
and Adelaide street 9:47 p.m. Last car
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HAD A GOOD TIME.

Pleasant Experience of the English Cricketers in This Country—General Sporting News.

CRICKET.

THEY HAD A PLEASANT TIME. Lord Hawke and his team of English cricketers have farwell to America Wednesday, and sailed for home on the steamship City of New York. Every man on the team thoroughly enjoyed the trip, and was profuse in his thanks for the hospitality of Canadian and United States cricketers. H. H. Hewitt, the big left-hand batsman, did not return with the other eleven, but remained in Boston.

When seen by a reporter Lord Hawke said: "We have spent a most enjoyable time here, and I think every man on the team is more than glad to come. Of course the weather has been against us in our later games, and in Ottawa we played in a snowstorm, but none of us is any the worse for the experience, and in the latter fact have something to boast of when we get back to England."

"What are the prospects of another team coming out?" "Well, I should say a team could be easily got together to make another tour in 1893. The trouble in getting up teams is that none of our first-class cricketers care to leave England until our own season is over, and then it is very late when we get here."

From a cricketing point of view, the tour was a very distinct success. Of the eight games played only one was lost, and that the first of the trip, when the men were fresh from the boat and in poor condition for play. The complete record was: Games played, 8; won, 6; lost, 1; drawn, 1.

THE TOUR. The Ontario Jockey Club (Toronto) has 455 members, and the racing of the past season has left the club substantial profits. The directors have been re-elected. They are: Messrs. W. Hendrie, Hon. F. Smith, J. C. Patterson, G. W. Torrance, A. Smith, Y. H. Mead.

The Canadian horses placed in yesterday's races in the States were: Cottonade, second in the 2-year-old race at Washington; and Fliptrap third in the steeplechase; Lord Stanley second in the 2-year-old race at Gloucester.

The sale of boxes for the New York horse show next month brought \$34,960.

FRIDAY'S WINNERS. At Gutterburg—Marie Lovell, Macintosh, Kimberly, Madstone, Lowlander and Mohican.

At Gloucester—Lantern, O'Kelly, Glenall, Adolph, King Idle and Sir William.

At Washington—Noonday, Grand Prix, Fleckpocket, Cola and Greygown.

At Chicago—Castout, Louisa, Bart Bar, Warren Leland, Ella Blackburn and Van dots.

ATHLETICS. Puglist Joe Chynowski returned from Australia on Thursday, and the Pacific Athletic Club has offered \$5,000 for a glove contest between him and Jim Corbett.

John L. Sullivan returned to America by the steamer Alameda. He was not a success in Australia as an actor, and he says he is now ready for his last fight, which is to be with Frank Slavin as soon as Slavin is ready.

Louis Cyr, the famous French-Canadian strong man, left Montreal on Friday for a trip around the world.

President Nole, of the Olympic Club, New Orleans, offers \$25,000 for the Slavin-Sullivan contest for March; also a solid gold pitcher emblematic of the world's supremacy.

FOOTBALL. There will be a practice match between the London and College Institute Rugby Football Clubs at 4:30 this afternoon on the old Teumseh grounds.

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TERSELY TREATED.

News Notes from Here, There and Everywhere.

An Oporto train was derailed near Lisbon on Friday, and many persons were injured.

The R. E. Colter Co., wholesale lumber dealers at Louisville Ky., has assigned. \$250,000, assets nominally \$400,000.

Activity at the New York navy yard continues unabated. More than 1,000 men are busy getting the new cruisers ready for service.

The sealers of Victoria are preparing a claim for damages from the Imperial Government on account of the sealing prohibition.

Up to date 98 cases of smallpox have been reported to the Quebec Provincial Board of Health. Of these cases ten are reported recovered and nineteen dead.

A railroad wreck occurred on the Ultima Thule Railway near Arkadelphia, Ark., on Friday. Captain Jack Weed, the superintendent of the railroad, was killed and several passengers seriously injured.

Three people were badly burned in a prairie fire near Cannington Manor, Assa., on Wednesday. A little child of Mrs. Alex. Dallas died from the effects of the burns and another is not expected to live.

United States Deputy Marshal Wise and a friend named Garvia attempted to arrest a notorious burglar named Flores, at Laredo, Texas. The latter, in trying to escape, mortally wounded them both and escaped.

Mr. Charles Langelier, of Quebec, who was interviewed in St. Louis, Mo., on Thursday, said he believed that if a vote were taken on the question of annexation to the United States Quebec would be for it by 100,000 majority.

The Chicago police and fire department at Grand Crossing waged a desperate fight with a prairie fire for six hours Friday. Ninety-second street, east of the Illinois central track and on Drexel avenue, between Seventy-seven and Seventy-eight street.

A Winnipeg telegram says the forward movement of wheat for export is now very active. From 150 to 200 cars arrive here daily and are forwarded to Fort William. It looks as though even the extraordinary means available for moving the crop will be pressed hard to keep traffic moving without a blockade.

LATEST SCOTTISH GOSSIP.

Tammy Hough, for 30 years town drummer in Linlithgow, is dead. He was quite elderly, and had been an "institution" in the burgh for half a century.

During the last twenty years, according to Treasurer Richmond, Glasgow has spent no less than £100,000 in ineffectual attempts to bring in the outside burghs.

Mr. John Wright, chairman of the Paisley Burgh Parochial Board, died suddenly on the 18th ult. whilst attending the formal ceremony of opening the new buildings for nursing at Merrydale.

Mr. John Gray, engineer, a highly respected resident of Aberdeen, died recently in his 80th year. About a dozen years ago he gifted the Art School in School to the town of Aberdeen.

Right Hon. J. P. B. Robertson was on the 17th ult. formally installed as Lord President of the Court of Session in Edinburgh. He takes his seat on the bench under the title of Lord Robertson.

Ailsa Craig, it is said, is suffering from the plague of rats. They feed on the eggs of the small puffins, and have almost exterminated that ornithological species, which was once so plentiful on the rock.

The names of the Earl of Rosebery, the Duke of Argyll, Lord Kinnear, Lord Wemyss, and Mr. A. J. Balfour, M. P., have been mentioned in connection with the Chancellorship of Edinburgh University.

The Synod of Aberdeen have substantially affirmed the decision of the Presbytery of Deer finding the Rev. Mr. Johnston, minister of Old Deer, guilty of drunkenness and falsehood. An appeal was taken to the General Assembly.

The Greenock Telegraph announces the death of no fewer than three well-known townsmen, viz. Mr. John Macgregor, shipowner, once of the firm of J. & W. Stewart; Mr. Samuel McQuig, of Smith & McQuig, joiners and builders; and Mr. Daniel Williamson, of Williamson & Gray, joiners and builders.

Glasgow Town Council have resolved to take down the present Broomielaw Bridge, at the foot of Jamaica street, and erect in its place one more adequate for the great traffic. The foundation-stone of the present bridge was laid on Sept. 3, 1833, and cost £28,000. The bridge at the Greenock opened twenty years ago, though 150 feet shorter than the Broomielaw Bridge, cost £205,000. No estimate has yet been made of the cost of this new bridge.

La Grippe on the Go. LONDON, Oct. 31.—The epidemic of influenza which has been raging in Molavia, Roumania, has reached Bucharest, where the disease is accompanied by a skin eruption. Advises from Berlin state that influenza has also broken out there is an alarming manner.

Russian Barbarity. ODESSA, Oct. 31.—During the recent anti-Semitic riots at Starodub five young unmarried Jewesses were so barbarously outraged and maltreated that they have since died. Twenty Jews in all were killed during the disturbances. Rioting similar to that at Starodub is reported from Balta, in Russian Poland.

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POLITICAL POINTS.

No New Developments in the Cabinet Crisis—Statement by J. I. Tarte, M. P.

The Cabinet crisis is in precisely the same condition in which it was three days ago. Neither Premier Abbott nor Mr. Chapleau has yielded an inch of ground.

In the Supreme Court at Ottawa on Friday argument in the Stansted election case was concluded. The argument in the Glenary election case—McLean vs. Chisholm—was opened.

Mr. J. I. Tarte, M. P., writes in Le Canadien as follows: "It would be an error to believe that Mr. Chapleau has resigned difference has more serious causes, which are not perhaps without remedy. The insolence of the Toronto Empire and the veiled threats of the Montreal Gazette have contributed very much to the actual crisis. The French-Canadian element in the Conservative party will not consent to be ruled and put in tutelage by their allies of the other provinces."

The Montreal Star has the following from its Ottawa correspondent: "Senator Pelletier, who is here, states that he was definitely told during the session that Mr. Chapleau had approached Mr. Laurier personally, but through his friends, and that the reply was to the effect that an adversary who joined the party on the eve of battle and insured the victory would deserve some reward. On being asked if that meant Mr. Chapleau's being given office under a Liberal Government, Mr. Pelletier said, 'Certainly not. Chapleau would not be taken into any Cabinet formed by Hon. Wilfrid Laurier.'"

THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

In the United States and Canada—Pointers from Bradstreet's Review. New York, Oct. 31.—There is no real improvement in the general condition of business in the United States. The reports from the different industrial and commercial centers, while referring to trade as of fair proportions, state that the movement is smaller than was the case a few weeks ago. Extremely mild weather in most parts of the continent has checked very largely the demand for seasonable goods, while in other directions the autumn business is said to be over. Reports from the different parts of Canada as to the present condition and prospects of business are favorable.

Exports of wheat (including flour as wheat) from both coasts of the United States and Canada this week, as reported in Bradstreet, equal 2,377,304 bushels, as compared with 3,783,178 bushels the week before, and with 4,565,309 bushels in the week preceding. Wool is lower all along the line and dull.

IN CANADA. General trade reports from the Dominion of Canada are quite favorable. Toronto sends word that there is some activity in general lines, with large despatches in passenger lines, and that while business is fair the weather is too mild. Here, too, peas and oats are in active request. Bank clearings in four cities aggregate \$18,426,226 this week, a decrease of \$4 per cent compared with last week. The Dominion reports 37 business failures this week, against 53 last week, and 30 this week last year. The total number Jan. 1 to date is 1,514, against 1,536 last year.

Fatal Prairie Fire. WICHITA, Kan., Nov. 31.—A spark from a passing engine on the Santa Fe Railway yesterday afternoon set fire to the prairie west of Charles Twining's farm near Arizona, Sumner county. Everything on the farm was destroyed. Mrs. Twining, who was alone in the house, was burned to death.

Wants \$100,000 Damages from the Duke. LONDON, Oct. 31.—Charles Nesbitt Frederick Armstrong, formerly a sheep farmer in Brisbane, Queensland, and now living at East Grimstead Park, East Grinstead, England, has filed papers of divorce against his wife, Helen Porter Armstrong, known on the operatic stage as Mme. Melba, and also suing in Paris. The action is brought on the ground of infidelity, and his Highness Louis Philippe, Duke of Orleans, is named as the co-respondent. Mr. Armstrong asks for \$100,000 damages.

Chilly's Trouble with Uncle Sam. NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—A dispatch from Valparaiso says: The Chilean authorities have arrested three of the Chilianos who were implicated in the assault on the Baltimore's men. The Chilean authorities have decided to recede from the defiant attitude they assumed in answer to the communication from the State Department in Washington. Pedro Monti, the representative of the Provisional Government at Washington, sent a cable dispatch urging the Junta to adopt a conciliatory policy and to move with great caution.

Witnesses Tampered With. WINNIPEG, Oct. 31.—A Chisholm, the barber wire manufacturer, came up for trial to-day at the assizes for assaulting girls under 14 years of age. In Maggie Hammond's case he was found guilty. A big sensation was caused in court by the little girl, Maggie Morris, declaring that all the evidence given against Chisholm at the Police Court was false. The chief justice immediately ordered to girl to jail for perjury. The police were somewhat chagrined to discover that the little girl Wenle, of St. Boniface, who was to have given evidence against Chisholm, had appeared during the night. She was the principal witness. The officers state that several of the witnesses have been tampered with, and they have received information which implicates two lawyers in the matter of undue interference.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DIED.
MEYER, On Friday, Oct. 30, 1891, John A. G. aged 63 years.
He will leave his late residence, 107 St. George Street, on Monday, Nov. 2, at 10 a.m.; services at 10. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

ARRIVAL.—In this city, at 419 Horton street, on Oct. 31, Thomas Armitage.
The funeral will leave the family residence this Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock; services at 3.30. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

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THE WEATHER PROPHECY

TORONTO, Oct. 31.—The storm
center, which was in Manitoba Friday evening,
passed across the lakes yesterday, causing
fresh gales from the west and north-west,
and has since moved to the Gulf of St. Lawrence,
giving a moderate south-west gale in the Mar-
time Provinces and a strong westerly gale in
the lower St. Lawrence. Higher pressure
has spread to the lake region from the North-
west Territories, accompanied with colder
weather.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Simonton, 6-32; Prince Albert, zero-27;
Swift Current, 2-32; Regina, 10-30; Win-
nipeg, 22-30; Toronto, 34-46; Montreal, 30-
38; Quebec, 30-38; Halifax, 34-38.

Local temperatures—Highest, 58; lowest, 45.
TODAY'S PROBABILITIES.
TORONTO, Nov. 2.—The indications
for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region
(covering the peninsula and as far east as
Belleville) are: Moderate winds; fair and cold.

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167.....Business Office.
134.....Editorial Rooms.
116.....Job Department.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Mr. Justice Meredith is in the city.
—Rev. Dr. Shaw will visit London in
connection with Methodist missions on
Dec. 13.

—Messrs. G. Waters and son and Geo.
Westlake left Saturday for Muskoka on a two-
week's deer hunt.

—The Board of Trade transacted no
business Friday evening, there being no
quorum at the meeting.

—George Pearce has sold his farm stock
and implements near Delaware and will be-
come a resident of this city.

—Miss Lillian Shand, city, is com-
plimented by the Port Hope papers for her
dancing at a recent entertainment there.

—Rev. Dr. Poole will preach in Dundas
street and Queen's Avenue Methodist
Churches on Nov. 22 in behalf of Methodist
education.

—The tea and coffee stock, amounting to
\$910, of the Jackson Tea Company was sold
to J. W. Broderick, of this city, for 535
cents on the dollar by W. Y. Brunton Fri-
day.

—A meeting was held in Dundas Center
Church Friday night in the interest of the
Prisoners' Aid and Rescue Home. Rev. A.
C. Courtice presided, and after devotional
exercises spoke for a short time on the
work. Messrs. Archibald, manager of the
Rescue Home at Hamilton, Peals and Bol-
ton also made short addresses. At the
close a good collection was taken up, and
many of those present promised subscrip-
tions.

—Court London City, No. 226, C. O. F.,
held its semi-annual election of officers at
the last regular meeting. The following
are the officers for the ensuing term: F.
G. Browne, C. R.; C. Weld, V. C. R.; R.
McPherson, chaplain; E. H. Johnston,
R. S.; F. A. H. Pratt, E. S.; W. H. Trebil-
cock, treasurer; Chas. Smith, S. W.; W.
Liley, J. W.; Geo. Alexander, S. B.; J.
McKenzie, J. B.; O. Weld, M. D., physician.
Two new members were initiated. This
court is prospering and now numbers 50
members.

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ture the best fine-cut tobacco in the world.
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much better than plug.

—Dr. Leonard, U. S. consul, city, was
in Port Huron Friday.

—Miss Mutch, city, will sing next
Wednesday evening at Mitchell.

—Mr. Chris Fitzgerald, sporting editor
of the New York Sun, is in the city.

—The civil service examinations begin
in the Ontario houses here on Nov. 10.

—Chief of Police Williams has returned
from a holiday trip in the vicinity of Lin-
coln.

—Misses Ada, Annie and Ella Shipley,
Ayr, are visiting Mr. McArthur,
South London.

—Mrs. (Dr.) Boomer, city, is visiting
with her family at the residence of her
father, A. Laing, Wyoming.

—Miss Lulu Jones, Watford, has been
engaged as the Hellmuth Ladies' College as
teacher of stringed instruments.

—Constable Logan found a purse on the
12:10 p.m. train going east Saturday. It con-
tained \$37 and a ticket for Troy, N. Y.

—London West people are pleased to note
that the limbs of the willow trees at the
residence of Principal Graham have been
lopped off.

—The city engineer will place a new kind
of cover for manholes throughout the city.
The perforated plate and is claimed to
have great advantages over the old covers.

—George Nelson, of this city, was re-
leased from further supporting his wife by
Judge Elliot Saturday morning. An attempt
was made to get her into the Catholic
Home.

—County Constable James Cullen, of
Strathroy, was dismissed from the county
constabulary by Judge Elliot Saturday
for being drunk and fighting on the public
streets. W. H. Minihick's appointment
was confirmed.

—The London train which arrived here
at high noon and departed at 2:10, will re-
turn to its old time table and arrive here at
1:40, leaving at 2:50. It was a great ac-
commodation. "Too bad it didn't last!"
[Kincaid Review.]

—The Italian Harpers, Prof. Dayton and
Fred Fraser, of this city, are among those
performing at the "Carnival of Nations" in
Strathroy on Nov. 10, 11 and 12. One
hundred performers will take part, consist-
ing of ladies and gentlemen in magnificent
costumes, representing the different coun-
tries. The program will consist of
grand marches, fancy drills, national songs,
statuary, tableaux, Scottish and Irish
dances, French minuet, English Maypole,
etc.

—A new lodge of the Daughters of En-
gland was opened in Woodstock on Thurs-
day night by Bro. H. H. Martin and W.
H. Martin, grand officers from Queen Vic-
toria Lodge, Hamilton, assisted by officers
from Princess Louise Lodge, of this city and St.
Thomas. Sixteen candidates were initiated
and several applications received for mem-
bership. The new lodge will be called
Princess Alice.

—Vital statistics registered at the city
clerk's office during October show 59 births,
26 marriages and 31 deaths. Of the mar-
riages three were performed by Rev. M. J.
Talling, three by Rev. Charles Smith, and
by Rev. G. W. Henderson, two by Rev.
J. Philip, two by Rev. W. T. Hill, two
by Rev. I. R. Smith, and one each by Rev.
Messrs. David Williams, Frank Boyd,
George Boyd, A. C. Courtice, Stephen
Bond and W. M. Roger.

—The Board of Trade is agitat-
ing strongly for better mail facilities, and
the Exposition recognizes the necessity of
prompt communication with the West as
well as the East. It says: "The box closes
for Toronto, Woodstock and London at 5
p.m. At this time there is a train pa-
sing which leaves Stratford at 7:40 p.m. for
Paris to connect with trains going west and
east. Why could not the box be kept open
until 6:30 p.m. instead of 5 p.m.?"

The difference of half an hour is no
small matter to business men who are
pressed for time and who cannot con-
veniently get their correspondence ready
for the 5 o'clock mail.

A. Meekison, jun., eldest son of A.
Meekison, of this town, died at Phila-
delphia on Monday. No particulars have
yet been received, further than a telegram
stating that he was seriously ill, followed
by another about two hours afterwards an-
nouncing his death. The deceased was
born in London, but came to Stratford
with his parents when about 5 years of age,
and grew up here. After reaching the age
of manhood he carried on business in Ham-
ilton for a time, and then secured a position
on the outside. Latterly he was traveling
in Philadelphia. His father left here
for that city on Tuesday morning.
[Strathroy Dispatch.]

Getting Closer.
Rev. G. G. Ballard, rector of St. John's
Church, will conduct every Sunday
afternoon hereafter until further notice in
the Richmond Avenue Methodist Church.
The trustees of that church have kindly
offered it for the purpose. [Buffalo Ex-
press.]

London Preachers in Demand.
Rev. A. C. Courtice, of Dundas Street
Center Methodist Church, seems to be in
demand. Toronto wanted him, and King-
ston has been figuring for him. Friday
mail brought an official invitation from
Dominion Square Methodist Church, Mon-
treal, to become its pastor. Mr. Courtice sent
back a reply accepting the invitation, to
take effect when his term closes in London
next year.

The First Tea-Meeting.
The first tea-meeting and entertainment
in connection with South Street Methodist
Mission was held Friday evening. Tea was
served shortly after 7 o'clock, and the fol-
lowing programme commencing at 9 o'clock
was creditably rendered: Chorus, choir;
reading, Dr. Ziegler; duet, Misses Skinner
and Cornish; solo (tenor), Mr. Frank Skin-
ner; address, Rev. A. C. Courtice, B.D.;
clarinet solo, Mr. Arthur Wilkins; recita-
tion, Mr. Blair; address, Mr. W. Percival;
recitation, Miss Wright; closing chorus,
"God is Love," choir. The managing com-
mittee deserve great credit for the beau-
tiful style of decorations, which gave the
mission a very pleasing and attractive ap-
pearance. All those who are directly in-
terested in the mission must feel encour-
aged, as last evening's entertainment proved
to be.

An A. O. F. Dispute.
In the dispute between the Subsidiary
Order of Foresters of Canada and the
United States, and the Endowment Board
of the same order, Chief Justice Galt has
continued an injunction on behalf of the
High Court, to restrain the directors of
the endowment fund from further dealing,
encumbering, transferring or parting with
the moneys and securities in their posses-
sion. The directors are Wm. Moore and
M. D. Dawson, London; T. S. Minton,
London (West); W. J. Mills, Montreal; John
Barnard, Halifax. It appears that at a
recent meeting of the High Court, held at
Stratford and afterwards confirmed by a
meeting at Woodstock, it was decided to
transfer the management of this endowment
fund from the now directors to the
Executive Committee of the High Court,
and in pursuance of this resolution the
above named directors were ordered

to hand over the funds and books
to Bro. H. E. Griffiths, the treasurer
of the High Court. They handed over some
books and some funds, but according
to the allegations of the High Court
officers they still have about \$8,000 worth
of securities and \$999.57, which is not
charged up anywhere and must be in cash
in the personal possession of the directors.
The present action is to recover all the
money not yet handed over and the books.

A Young Worker in China.
S. Frank Whitehouse, a young Scotch-
man, who has been laboring two years in
China as an agent of the National Bible
Society of Scotland, addressed a large
audience in the First Presbyterian Church
Friday night. He was dressed in Oriental
fashion, and had quite a collection of
native idols and other curios to add
realism to his descriptions.

Mr. Whitehouse has been stationed in
Central China, far from all civilization, and
where for weeks at a time he would not
see the face of a European. Sometimes
he would keep company with a fellow
missionary for a while, but the field was
large and the laborers few, and separation
was too often a necessity. The social
conditions, customs and character of
the people were graphically pictured,
some of them being ludicrous and
others lamentable. Mr. Whitehouse is
giving a series of lectures
throughout Ontario before returning to the
Orient to resume his work. The objects
of the society with which he is connected is
to spread the Gospel in every country, hold-
ing that no barrier of nationality, of lan-
guage, of poverty, of illiteracy should stand
between any man and the priceless gift of
God.

Diocese of Huron.
The Lay Workers and Sunday School
Conventions—Closing Session.
Before the conclusion of the Lay Workers'
and Sunday School Convention of the Dio-
cese of Huron held at St. Thomas, a resolu-
tion was adopted expressing deep regret
for the Bishop of Huron's illness and absence.
Mr. C. R. W. Biggar, Q.C., of Toronto,
gave an address on "The modern Sunday
school—why, how, and how otherwise?"
In the course of his remarks he expressed
his pleasure at being present at a Sunday
school convention in the banner Sunday
school Diocese of Huron, and referred to
the fact that he had been a scholar under
Maurice Belderb, now Bishop of Huron,
in St. James' Sunday school, Toronto.

Rev. Robert Ker, of St. Catharines, gave
an address on "The Sunday school as it is."
He said the original object of the Sunday
school was to reach the poor classes, and
for the first half of this century its work
was confined largely to the teaching of
reading. Gradually it came to assume
to do for the child what the parent
was bound by the most solemn obligation
to do. The exigencies of the
case justified this, but it had pro-
duced a latent danger, and that was
responsibility, from which there was great
danger. The success of the hold of the
Roman Catholic Church on her children
owing to her putting religion first,
while our modern Sunday schools put it in a
secondary position. Much of the teaching
in them was a delusion and a sham, and
there were even Bible classes that could not
tell whether the child was reading or not.
Jonah swallowed the whale. The teaching
is shamefully defective and perfunctory.
Religious education has given place to
religious amusement. It is a question of
which Sunday school shall stand out in
the form, and inducements are held out in
other of bun-fests, sleigh-rides, etc.
There is too little time for teaching in the
Sunday school. Another defect is that the
schools are at 7:40 p.m. for
schools is that while the scholars come in
contact during the week with trained
teachers, on Sunday they meet those who
are neither qualified by training or knowl-
edge. The least as a substitute for training
secured a severe scathing. Owing to
the fact that such teaching did not reach
the child pupils, they drifted out and fed
upon dime novels. It was time instead of
landing the Sunday school it should be in-
vestigated as to its methods and work.

This paper caused the liveliest discus-
sion of the convention.

Mr. C. R. W. Biggar denied that the
teaching of the Sunday school was a delu-
sion and a sham. It was not so much
what was taught, but how it was taught.
The teacher that influenced the child in the
right direction. The Sunday school
pictured by the previous speaker existed in
that gentleman's imagination. He urged
making the teaching of the doctrines of the
church prominent, and also making the
Sunday school attractive.

Mr. Jasper Golden, of Kingsville, Rev.
Mr. McRobb, of Petrolia, Rev. Mr. Maxwell,
Wilson, of Chatham, Rev. Mr. Stout, of
Point Edward and others took opposite
views to those stated by Mr. Ker.

Mr. Charles Jenkins, of Petrolia, hon-
ored Mr. Ker for having the courage of
his own convictions. Mr. Ker's object
was to show that such was needed. By
permission Mr. Marshall addressed the
convention on the work of the Church
Army for a short time.

At the evening session, in the absence of
Miss Brown, of Brantford, her paper on
"Medieval and responsible primary
teaching," was read by Mr. A. H. Dymond.
Rev. G. C. Mackenzie, rural dean of Brant,
gave an address on "A pastor's experience
on lay help." In his parish a
reverend gentleman has six lay readers.
The papers of Mr. Charles Jenkins, of
Petrolia, on "The obligation and privileges
of lay workers in the church," and of Mrs.
Brooks, of Brantford, "Matters and re-
sponsibilities of primary teaching," were
ordered to be published in the proceedings.
The usual votes of thanks were passed, and
the convention closed with prayer by Rev.
Canon Hill and the benediction by Rev.
Dean Innes.

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Railways.

Don't miss this grand opportunity to
visit the capital of the United States.
Only cost \$10 round trip, Suspension Bridge
to Washington. Tickets will be on sale at
Suspension Bridge and good to return up to
Dec. 3, inclusive; train will leave Suspension
Bridge at 4:40 p.m. For further particu-
lars apply to S. J. Sharp, 19 Wellington
street east, Toronto.

THE CIVIC FINANCIERS

Called Upon to Deal With Debenture
Sales—A Scarcity of Tenderers—
\$30,000 for the Water
Commissioners.

The Finance Committee Friday night open-
ed tenders for the sale of the following local
Improvement Debentures: Six per cent.
10 years, from July 1, 1890, \$5,825.33; 6 per
cent. 10 years, from Jan. 1, 1891, \$30,111.93;
6 per cent. 20 years, from Jan. 1, 1891,
\$670.52. Only three tenders were received
as follows:

George A. Stinson, of Toronto, offered
\$5,825.33 for the first lot, and for the first
lot second, amounting to \$35,940.26, the
sum of \$40,025, delivered there, including
accrued interest from July 1 last, subject to
his solicitor's approval. The 4 per cent.—
\$670.52—he was not particularly anxious to
dispose of, being such a small amount, but
he would give \$625.20 with accrued interest
from July 1.

W. F. Bullen, for the Ontario Loan and
Debtors Company, offered \$8,245.10 or
\$107.15 per \$100 for the first, and \$22,336
or \$107.38 per \$100 for the second lot of 6
per cent.; and \$561.18 or \$83.69 per \$100
for the 4 per cent.

B. Tucker, of Allanburg, would give \$700
premium on the \$5,825.33 and \$1,950
premium for \$30,000 of the second lot.

Consideration of tenders was left with
the chairman and secretary.

Assessment Commissioner Grant wanted
a copy of the city survey for purposes of
accurate measurement. Granted.

A batch of tax applications were received.
W. J. Lucas, 484 Maitland street, wanted
remission. Referred to Council. W.
Temperon, whose house on Dufferin
avenue was condemned by the Board of
Health, desired the same thing. Half
taxes for 1891 remitted. The taxes will be
charged against W. Bankerville's property.
Robert Percival's taxes were remitted.

S. E. Partridge's on Colborne and
Maitland streets will be charged against
property.

The water commissioners' request for
\$30,000 for construction account was read,
and the issue of debentures to that amount
will be recommended.

A communication from the School Board,
asking permission to apply \$450 (originally
intended to pay off a mortgage on the
school) to the erection of the new school
at an addition to the same, and which
petition the Council had granted, found its
way to the table by some means. The com-
mittee considered it had been already dealt
with, but some of the members having their
attention called more closely to it did not
seem inclined to favor the request. The
matter will be brought before the Council.
Ald. Judd, of No. 6 ward, considered the
committee's action as baby play.

THE WATERWORKS DAM.

A Great Improvement Effected—Ar-
rangements Made for Periodical
Flushing—The Sewage
Problem.

In a few days a work will be completed
at Springbank, the importance of which is
probably not understood by the majority of
citizens.

It is well known that the northern side of
the waterworks dam where the old gates
stood, has been in pretty bad condition
for some time. The water commissioners
this season undertook to place it in sound
condition, and with commendable wisdom
resolved to kill two birds with one stone as
it were. This is the result: Not only has
the dam been adequately repaired, but
shortage have been created, whereby at
short notice the river can be run dry and
the slimy mysteries of its bed exposed to the
public gaze.

This work has been carried on during the
season under the superintendence of Mr.
Thomas Sumner, the waterworks foreman,
a thoroughly practical and capable man, as
a quality of the construction will show.

The logs of the dam, which are made of
oak, with stone fillings. The whole is
solid, compact and of lasting endurance.

It will be remembered that when tenders
were received some time since for the erec-
tion of stop logs in the dam the lowest
price submitted was about \$16,000. Of course
the specifications of the former called for
much more expensive material, and a great
quantity of valuable stone was to be used.
But it is claimed that the \$2,000 job now
about completed will answer the purpose
every bit as well.

If this be true it means the temporary
solution, at any rate, of the sewage prob-
lem as the requirements of the Government with
reference to that question are entirely met.
This would give ample time for the con-
sideration of sewage farm or any other
method for the disposal of sewage.

Burglars Filled Him.
PARIS, Oct. 31.—The dead body of
Father Idefonus was found yesterday in
his cell in the Asinurich monastery of
Alquerville near Montlaur. Burglars had
killed him and then rifled the safe.

Corpses of a Bridal Couple Found.
BERLIN, Oct. 31.—The corpse of a young
man and woman who had just been married
and had started on a wedding trip were
found yesterday morning on the railway
between Bremen and Wismar. Both were
feverishly mutilated, having been
crushed by passing trains. The police are
in doubt whether the couple were acci-
dentally killed or committed suicide.

What Caused Their Deaths?
LONDON, Oct. 31.—The city of Leeds has
another singular mystery in the finding of
the dead bodies of a mother and her little
boy, Edna and Horace Walker, in the river
at that place. The mystery of the affair is
that the woman lived in comfort and was
apparently cheerful, and there was no
known to be any trouble between her and
her husband. The husband is an American
and his business is that of a carrier.

Steamship Arrivals.
Oct. 29. At From
Parisian.....At River.....Liverpool
Asiatic.....New York.....Glasgow
Brazilian.....New York.....Montreal
Oct. 31. From.....To
Pomeranian.....New York.....Hamburg
Pennsylvania.....New York.....Antwerp

The Porte is enforcing the recent decree
prohibiting Jewish families from entering
Turkey. Two steamers with 160 Jews were
prevented from disembarking at Constantin-
ople.

The Imperial Russian yacht, Polar Star,
having on board the Czar and Czarina, the
King and Queen of Denmark and the
Princess of Wales, arrived at Danzig to-
day (Saturday), from Copenhagen. The
party will proceed by train to Livadia.

Toronto failures: W. J. Somerville &
Co., Toronto, are in financial trouble;
liabilities, \$28,000; assets, about \$25,000.
S. Gallagher, wholesale fruit dealer,
Toronto, has also assigned; liabilities,
\$27,000; assets, \$10,000. James Harris, the
Yonge street furrier, has assigned for the
benefit of his creditors; liabilities, \$18,000;
assets nominally the same.

The worst cases of