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BISMARCK WORKS IT WELL

THE POWER OF THE VATICAN ON THE GOVERNMENT SIDE.

The Progressists Losing Heart at the Prospect—Talk of War and Boulanger Still Being Kept Up, Possibly to Affect the Elections.

BERLIN, Feb. 13.—Adhesions of the Centre candidates to the Septennate are announced daily. In a number of districts where former deputies adhere to the Triennate the Catholic vote is becoming divided. Many candidates are trying to avoid pledging themselves definitely. The attitude of the party on the whole promises an ultimate submission to the instructions of the Vatican. There will probably be returned to the Reichstag as many Catholics as there were in the last House, but they will be divided, a large minority voting for the Septennate. The Progressists are losing heart, and admit the triumph of the Government. It is now estimated that they will lose twenty seats to the Conservatives. The Socialists maintain an unbroken front nd hold their own. The prospect is that there will be slight gains for the Government candidates in the six Berlin circles. It is reported that Prince Bismarck is not inclined to favor the Emperor's issuing an electoral manifesto, trusting that success is assured without the Emperor being pledged to assurances of peace or threatenings of war.

The North German Gazette says that since Gen. Boulanger assumed charge of the French War Office not a day has passed without measures being taken to augment the offensive strength of the French army. The patriotic attitude of the French Chamber of Deputies and the French press toward the credits Boulanger considers necessary ought to cover with shame the Progressist and Catholic parties in Germany which, when the glorious creator of German unity declares that the sacrifice he asks from the nation has no other aim than peace, refuse him the necessary means to defend the frontiers of the Fatherland.

Baden advices report increasing arrivals of reinforcements. At Saarbruck a regiment of calvary has been billeted upon the inhabitants, and at Bisach four batteries of artillery have been stationed. There is a constant movement of troops between Metz and posts on the frontier of Luxemburg.

BOULANGER CALLS A HALT.

He Will Order No More War Preparations Without Consulting His Colleagues.

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—The Nachrichten says: "It has been decided at Paris to discontinue the despatch of reinforcements to the frontier until the 21st inst. Gen. Boulanger has promised his colleagues that he will order no more war preparations without their approval."

Kreuz Zeitung, commenting on the war rumors, says: "The danger of war will not cease to be acute until stable conditions have been established in France, and the further development of the military measures of Gen. Boulanger have been stayed. The peaceful assurances of the French Government are over-estimated, as the governing powers of France have only a slight hold over the nation. So far as Germany's preparations go, nothing can be founded upon the calling out of the reserves. The fact that 70,000 reserves are under drill will not hasten the mobilization of the army a single hour."

London Stock and Money Market.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Discount was in moderate demand during the week at 2½ to 3⅜ on the Stock Exchange. Early in the week there was a marked recovery in prices in every department, with a tendency to rise. The improvement was checked on Friday, however, after which there was a cessation of buying. Yesterday the market closed with a general reaction downward, which was especially strong in foreign loans, stock being again thrown upon the market from Berlin and Paris, which dealers here were more disinclined to take. Russians, French rentes, Italians and Turkish fell 1 to 1½ yesterday. American railroad securities were largely purchased during the week, and there was a rapid rally in prices, but on Friday the rise slightly abated, and yesterday there was a decided decline, and dealing was sluggish.

The Pope and Septennate.

BERLIN, Feb. 13.—The North German Gazette remarks the notable display of incapacity to conceive, in their full bearing, the recent manifestations of the Pope's bill in the quarter where pretension is made to the most correct and profound comprehension of the objects of the Catholic Church. The Pope, the Gazette says, advocates the septennate because it tends to uphold peace and authority, which are of equally vital importance for Catholicism and the state, and which Herr Windthorst long opposed. Cardinal Jacobini's letter is the Pope's protest to this abuse of his name and order to obey the encyclical, wherein is stigmatized the egotism of political parties. They misrepresent the Holy See who attribute to it diplomatic motives. The Pope desires the preservation of Germany, because it is conducive to peace.

A Treaty Between Germany and China.

BERLIN, Feb. 13.—It is understood that the Marquis Tseng's recent visit resulted in the conclusion of a secret treaty between Germany and China which will lead to large business between German contractors and the Chinese Government.

—Steel wire door mats will not wear out. They require no shaking as they clean themselves. They do not fill with dirt and dust; all dust falls through and can be readily swept up. 136

CABLE NOTES.

The Hotel Continental in Berlin was burned on Saturday.

A heavy snowstorm in Spain has caused a stoppage of traffic.

The French Minister to Morocco has been summoned to return to Paris.

The Spanish Chamber of Deputies has passed a bill providing for the leasing of the tobacco monopoly.

The Limerick Hunt had to be abandoned Saturday owing to the poisoning of the foxhounds.

The Belgian Ministry will probably make the adoption of obligatory military service a Cabinet question.

The English War Office Committee at their final sitting decided to recommend the Lee-Burlona magazine rifle.

The strike at the Cleveland, England, steel works has been settled, the masters having granted an increase in wages.

The Kolnische-Zeitung, Berlin, says it is nonsense to suppose that Germany would lift a finger to restore the temporal power of the Pope.

The Paris Matin states that the Pope offers to act as mediator in the Russian-Bulgarian dispute and in the Franco-German misunderstanding.

The Paris police Saturday entered the office of the Anarchist paper Le Volte, and seized documents concerning proposed Anarchist movements.

Samuel Walker, Attorney-General for Ireland under Mr. Gladstone's administration, will defend Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien at their coming trial.

The Pope has instructed Cardinal Simeoni to prepare a convention securing complete liberty for missionaries and Catholic residents in the Chinese Empire.

It is announced that German colonists in the Caucasus have been notified to hold themselves in readiness to return to Germany and join the reserves.

The English Court of Appeals has rendered a decision upholding the validity of the Swan-Edison-Cheestoro patent for carbon filaments for incandescent lamps.

Advices from Mandalay say the rebel leader, Thaobwa, of Woontho, refuses to surrender and is destroying villages whose inhabitants are suspected of inclining toward the British.

It is announced that all the forts in Belgium, along the frontier of France, have received complete war armament, preparations being carried to the extent of mobilizing the troops.

The German National party in the Austrian Reichsrath, consisting of forty-five members, has dissolved, owing to the secession of eighteen Anti-Semities, who will form a separate party.

THE NEW YORK STRIKE.

It is Reported that the 'Longshoremen will Withdraw from Forty-nine.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12, 2 a.m.—The Executive Board of District Assembly No. 49 last night declared the great strike at an end. They claim that they have won a complete victory and that Austin Corbin, on behalf of the coal companies, has agreed to reopen the Elizabethport docks within a week at the highest wages.

At a conference of delegates of District Assembly No. 49, it was reported that the 'Longshoremen's Union would withdraw from 49.

The strike in Brooklyn is regarded as virtually at an end. The coal drivers are returning to work and longshoremen are wearying of idleness.

The strikers on the Lehigh Valley Railway pier went to work in a body this morning.

Still Out.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The members of District Assembly No. 49, K. of L., met last night and unanimously voted that no members of District 49 return to work until their demand for an increased scale had been conceded.

A FLOOD AT FORT WAYNE.

The Inhabitants of the City Seeking Places of Safety.

FORT WAYNE, In., Feb. 12.—The flood now exceeds all previous records. The water in the three rivers, St. Joseph, St. Mary's and Maumee, has risen twenty-six inches since 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and is still rising an inch an hour. The city is entirely cut off from communication by wagon roads with the north country and the water is even with the ties of the Lake Shore and Muncie Railways and is threatening wholesale destruction of bridges. Scores of families were removed to places of safety to-day with great difficulty.

Eight Feet of Snow in Montana.

HELENA, Montana, Feb. 12.—The snow is drifted to enormous depths and people living at the mountain bases are in imminent danger of meeting a horrible fate beneath an avalanche, or freezing to death. Should another protracted storm occur it is believed that hundreds would succumb to its terrors. As it is more people have been frozen to death this winter than for a quarter of a century. In the vicinity of the Little Jennie and Grand Central mines in Bald Mountain the snow is eight feet deep on the level and travel impossible except on snowshoes.

Steel wire Mats are now in use in all our principal churches, schools, banks and public buildings. Offices and factory, 6 Wellington west. 136

The White River Disaster.

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, Vt., Feb. 12.—The total number of casualties by the recent disaster is now pretty accurately estimated at thirty-seven. The injured are doing well.

WHITE RIVER, Vt., Feb. 13.—The body of another of the victims of the recent railroad disaster was identified, that of Peter Plais of Warren, Mass. The trestle was completed this afternoon and the first train went over it to test it.

Dreadful Occurrence in Wisconsin.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 13.—Chas. Klose, a Schleisingerville, Wis., saloonkeeper, loaded two shot guns this evening and emptied the contents of one into his wife's head as she was kneading bread, killing her instantly. He tried to shoot himself, but merely blew away one cheek. He then locked the doors, poured kerosene over the furniture and set the house ablaze. When the neighbors tried to enter he reloaded one of the guns and blew out his brains.

Dreadful Accident in a Saw Mill.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 13.—The saw in a portable sawmill on the farm of L. D. Wright, a wealthy farmer, 8 miles from California, Mo., blew to pieces yesterday, one part of it cutting open Mr. Wright's breast, exposing his heart and killing him instantly, and another piece carrying away a part of the head of Miss Thompson, a young lady who had gone to the mill to call the men to dinner. She died in four hours.

Sounds of the Cyclone.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind. Feb. 12.—A cyclone visited the southern part of this place yesterday morning. It was preceded by a wind that was like long-continued peals of thunder, then all sudden in one spot of the sky was seen a rushing, twisting, whirling motion, a sound like an explosion of a bomb was heard and the heavens were illuminated.

A Swindler Nabbed on the Frontier.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Wm. W. Wadsworth, a politician who victimized a number of Brooklyn citizens out of $30,000, and was arrested at Niagara Falls when about to cross to Canada, was brought back to Brooklyn to-day. He is also charged with forgery.

Duel at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 12.—A duel with small swords was fought to-day by Robert Roman, son of Judge Alfred Roman, and Sidney L. Theard, son of Hon. Paul E. Theard. Theard received a slight flesh wound in the hand and the fight was stopped.

Pittsburg Threatened by a Flood.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 12.—The rivers are still rising here and about three feet more water are expected. This will flood the flats on the north and south sides and cause a suspension of work in all the mills and factories along the river banks.

An Interesting Experiment.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 13.—The officials of the Northern Pacific Railway are having built an experimental iron car intended to supply heat, light and pure water to passenger trains. The car is to immediately follow the engine.

Jewish Colonists for Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 13.—A project is on foot in London to send 5000 Jewish colonists to this country to be distributed among the agricultural districts. The proposed colonists are victims of Russian persecution.

Suicide at Wiesbaden.

BERLIN, Feb. 13.—A Russian lady, said to be the divorced wife of a consular official at Philadelphia, has committed suicide at Wiesbaden by shooting herself in a cab.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

A fire in Augusta, Ga., on Saturday night destroyed property to the value of $185,000.

Reports are current in Vienna that the Emperor William is in a very weak condition.

The Chicago Coal Exchange has resolved to advance the wholesale price of anthracite coal 50 cents.

Jas. Morrison, proprietor of the Rye Hotel at Rye, Westchester County, N.Y., shot and killed himself yesterday afternoon.

At San Francisco on Friday night Geo. Messmer, laborer, shot Frederick Muller and Mrs. Muller, and then shot himself.

Thomas M. Joseph of Galveston, Treasurer of the Grand Lodge of Oddfellows of Texas, is said to be $30,000 short in his accounts.

Rev. J. L. Campbell of the First Baptist Church of Nyack has declined a call to the Baptist Church in Hamilton, Ont.

Spear D. Hollinsworth, ex-Treasurer of Knox County, Ind., was sentenced Saturday to three years' imprisonment for embezzling $80,000.

Newton Walls, baggage master of the Rock Island train robbed near Morris, is under arrest at Chicago for alleged complicity in the crime.

The blacksmith and machine shops of the Savannah, Florida and Western Railroad at Savannah, Ga., were burned Saturday; loss $70,000.

Michael Connors, unmarried, aged 45, a track hand on the New York Central Railroad, was killed at the Central station Syracuse, N.Y., Saturday afternoon.

The Spanish Government has assented to the financial autonomy of the Basque provinces on the basis of their contribution of 50 per cent. extra to the Exchequer.

Early yesterday morning Captain Todd, commission merchant of Des Moines, Ia., was found dead in his commission store and is supposed to have been murdered.

At Omaha last night during the absence of his wife, John Jacobson strangled his infant child to death and then hanged himself. Temporary insanity was the cause.

Wm. Teed, aged 14 years; Eugene Gritzinger, aged 14 and Henry D. McTight, aged 13 were drowned in Garden City, L.I., Lake yesterday afternoon by breaking through the ice.

THE N.P. AT THE PAVILION.

SPEECHES BY HON. THOS. WHITE, THOS. COWAN AND E. GURNEY.

A Large Audience and Great Enthusiasm—The Minister of the Interior Points Out the Inconsistencies of the Reform Leaders—The Riel Question Discussed.

A meeting under the auspices of the Industrial League was held Saturday night in the Pavilion, Horticultural Gardens. A large audience was present, and its quick appreciation of the points made by the several speakers and rattling cheers of approval showed that it was enthusiastic for the National Policy and for the Government by which it was established and to whose continued care the meeting manifestly thought it would alone be maintained.

The platform was occupied by N.P. Candidates Small, Cockburn and Denison, Mr. E. Gurney, Ald. Wickett, Ald. Millichamp, Mr. Robert Hay, Mr. W. R. Brock, Mr. J. F. Ellis, Dr. McCollum, Mr. Harry Symons, Capt. Davidson, Mr. Fred. Nicholls and ex-Ald. W. W. Farley.

Mr. R. W. Elliot took the chair and announced himself as "an old time Reformer," as were a large number of his N. P. friends. He explained that the meeting was held in the interests of a protective tariff in which all Canadians had the deepest interest. He believed it to be only fair that as the producers of Canada pay all their share of the taxes of this country that all foreign producers desirous of doing a trade with Canada should have imposed on them an equal share of those taxes, as otherwise the native producers were discriminated against.

Mr. Thos. Cowan, President of the Ontario Manufacturers' Association, was then called upon and was warmly welcomed. He claimed to belong, as he had done all his life, to the true Reform party. He declared that he had left the old Grit party because it had sought to reform nothing. But he was not anxious about general politics, and cared nothing for politicians. His anxiety was centred in the trading interests of this country which the fiscal policy styled the N.P. had so successfully developed. He quoted from Samuel Johnson the saying: "The most prosperous nation is that which has the largest number of hands and minds fullyemployed," and declared that the National Policy had for its object the giving to every brain, hand and muscle all the work that can be given at a fair price. It was for the electors to say which party would be most likely to maintain this prosperity, which policy was calculated to produce the most social happiness. To Canada and her people, it is all the world to have capital actively employed and labor ensured a constant and due reward. He asked, What are the opinions of the two parties in Canada? Sir John said, "I nail my colors to the 'N.P.' mast,—sink or swim." Sir John, like Mr. Powderly, was a protectionist from head to heal. We, with our five millions, were too weak to wage a trade war with fifty millions, who were protected by a high wall. We only asked that the tariff wall that defended the States should also defend ourselves. The party led by Sir John had no hesitancy, no equivocation; we old Reformers had cut away party ties but we never cast one regretful look backwards. What then is the attitude of your opponents? All along their line the N.P. had been denounced as a curse to Canada. Even so late as this week Sir Richard Cartwright, at Weston, condemned Protection in the bitterest terms. Mr. Cowan here quoted from Messrs Charlton, Paterson, and other Grit speakers, language in denunciation of the N.P. This, however, was suddenly stopped a few days ago. Some Grit manufacturers had seen Mr. Blake and warned him, so that Mr. Blake suddenly declared that in spite of eight years of threats by himself and friends the tariff would not be materially changed if they were in power. Mr. Blake used words not to express his meaning but so to conceal it that he could take any position he wished. To Ontario his words meant one thing, to Nova Scotia the contrary, in fact they had no clear meaning and were not meant to have. He declared that Mr. Blake stood alone, as his friends could not understand and could not follow him and his foes had only pity for a man who after eight years of violent opposition to the N.P., suddenly a few weeks before an election, swallowed his speeches wholesale, and trimmed to catch the votes of those whose trade interests he had so long opposed. [Prolonged applause.] Mr. Blake has only limping negations to offer; his uncertainties would paralyse capital. Mr. Cowan proceeded to give a trenchant reply to Sir Richard Cartwright's doctrine that the cost of any article is increased by the duty imposed when imported. He gave details of a large number of articles on which the duty is heavy, that are now produced and sold in Canada for much lower prices than they could be got for under the old tariff. In 1878 Mr. Paterson said that a high duty on cigars transferred a large number of workmen from Germany to Canada and the result was no addition to price of cigars. He said that the duty on woollens only touched the pockets of rich men who wore broadcloth, that whereas before 1879 the Americans flooded Canada with machines whole or in parts, we now made those machines wholly at home and made them cheaper and better. This he explained was the result of a division of labor, each manufacturer now taking a special line and so economizing. He dealt at length with the sugar question and proved that it was now cheaper and purer than under the old tariff, while tea and coffee now were free. He concluded by declaring that while Mr. Blake saw nothing in the Northwest but the blackness of darkness, the present Government had bound all that region to the Dominion by a railway which was developing the vast resources of our country and gave the promise of illimitable progress and prosperity. [Great cheering.]

Mr. Edward Gurney then made one of his quiet, telling speeches, in which he put the words of Mr. Blake in contrast with those of Sir Richard Cartwright and declared them utterly contradictory. He said the debt was less than the aggregate debt of five American cities with only four millions population. He said in allusion to Riel, "I believe Mr. Blake knew what was right but he had not moral courage to act according to his convictions." He then showed how enormously Toronto had prospered by the trade brought to it by the protective system. He was loudly cheered on retiring.

Mr. Cockburn compared Blake, Cartwright and Mills to the three witches in Macbeth, who would give Canada "Double, double, toil and trouble," if put in power. His description of Mr. Blake, after twelve years cogitating, bringing forward that great fiscal reform, the abolition of duty of corn meal, which would save each person in Canada one cent per annum, elicited immense laughter and applause. He said Mr. Blake will be known as "One cent Blake," and asked them if they did sell themselves, to get a bigger price than one cent. [Loud cheers.]

Hon. Thomas White said he had been kept waiting by a washout and regretted being so late. He was puzzled to know where Mr. Blake's majority was coming from. He would commend to him the beatitude—Blessed is he who expects nothing, for he will not be disappointed. The one vital question before us is, shall the trade policy of 1878, known as the N.P., be sustained? He said that Mr. Blake had changed his views on this policy owing to "changed conditions." Now what are these changes and when did they arise? In the last Parliament Mr. Blake voted in favor of a motion to entirely abolish all duties on flour and coal; the change then is later than that period. Last year Mr. Cartwright said the protective tariff was "barbarous," yet this tariff Mr. Blake says he will not upset. Later on, Mr. Anglin on December 15, 1886, only two months ago, went to Nova Scotia and said that he was there on behalf of the Liberal party in order to remove misapprehensions as to the policy they favored. Now, Mr. Anglin was Mr. Blake's envoy. He condemned the National Policy and declared that "we" would sweep away the tax on flour, which Mr. Blake now says, he will not dream of sweeping away at all. Mr. Anglin went on to say that we, the Reform party, would change the whole character and tone of the N.P. and so help Nova Scotia. Yet in only six weeks after that sentence of death on the duty on flour and on the whole character of the N.P. passed by Mr. Anglin in the name of Mr. Blake, we find Mr. Blake saying the exact, direct contrary! What then were the changed conditions? They are—that Mr. Goldie, the eminent miller, told Mr. Blake that he would oppose him if he carried out what Mr. Anglin said in Halifax. Now, the man who sends a delegate to Halifax in December last to promise the abolition of the duty on flour and a revolution in the whole tariff, and then under pressure declares he will not abolish the flour duty, and will not disturb the tariff, is not the man to be trusted with the government of this country. So incredible was the change of Mr. Blake's attitude that his friends at Halifax declared that the report of the Malvern speech, in which this change was announced, was false, that Mr. Blake had never said anything of the kind as to changed conditions. The simple truth is that Mr. Anglin and Mr. Blake have no convictions, except their old anti-N.P. policy. Mr. Blake's assertion that the N.P. tariff is needed for revenue is absurd in view of certain facts. In 1875 Sir Richard added $3,000,000 to the taxes, in 1876 he added $1,700,000 more, and in 1878 $1,900,000, not to protect trade or foster industrial enterprise.

The cry then was we must imitate England and protect nothing, and we must not emulate the policy which had made the States so prosperous. So that Sir Richard Cartwright's tariffs utterly annihilated Mr. Blake's contention that a high protective tariff is necessary in order to get revenue. In 1873 under a tariff of 17½ per cent. we imported 12,500,000 pounds of cotton, whereas under a tariff double that we imported only 1,500,000, yielding only one quarter what was got in 1878. A revenue tariff was meant to promote importations; a protective tariff was framed to prevent importations. It is an insult to the public intelligence then, for Mr. Blake to say that he will retain the N.P. tariff because it is necessary for revenue. Turning to the Northwest question, Mr. White gave an exhaustive reply to the Blake-Laurier charges, by proving that not one halfbreed had been ever disturbed, or threatened to be removed. He showed that one case of grievances named by Mr. Laurier was 500 miles away from the seat of the rebellion and that those grievances were all fully redressed before the complaints reached Ottawa and that the officials were French Canadians. He had challenged in vain everywhere the name of one man to be stated who ever received a timber limit on terms not open equally to every Grit. The Government had to provide for the settlers getting lumber and the receipt of a revenue. All twenty-one year leases were given by public tender or public auction and every lessee was compelled to go on making lumber. Mr. Mackenzie imposed no such condition. His Cabinet gave Mr. Cook 200 square miles of limits, not together, but in picked section, ten to twenty miles square each. This was the day before they left office. Sir John cancelled that lease and restored the conditions of public tender or auction and for mills to be built and operated. He quoted the amounts received from lessees $547,000, $21,000 rentals, $96,000 in bonuses, while Mr. Mackenzie only got $7000 for all his leases. Only two M.P.'s got limits, and one was Mr. Sutherland—a Grit, the other was a large lumber merchant. As to grazing leases Mr. White said they were held by Americans, and that they had enabled the meat supply to the Mounted Police to be brought at a vast saving, besides yielding $107,000 rentals. He said that the Grits admitted that Sir John would be sustained in all the country west of Lake Superior, thus dem nstrating the falsity of their charges of mal-administration of the Northwest, for the Northwest was a Government stronghold. In reference to Riel he said the Government were condemned for carrying out the law of the country. He quoted the songs sung by the Grits in past years, such as "The French you dare not check, you vile old sinner!" and "Quebec, chains and slavery." Sir John was denounced as the tool of the French and now they are appealed to as "The sweet little cherubs that sit up aloft and take care of the life of poor Blake." In days gone by the insults of the Grits drove the French to the statesman who has ever seen the justice of all men being equal before the law. Mr. Blake knows the French are with us on the tariff, but he has been mean enough, the speaker repeated, mean enough to stake his party on the Riel question. He was not honest in this; he had submitted his London speech to Laurier, so that he could so trim as to please Ontario and yet not offend Quebec. Mr. Blake took seven hours to argue that Riel was a jibbering idiot. The Grit party held a caucus and decided to vote on both sides of Mr. Landry's motion, so that Mr. Blake could catch the Quebec vote and Sir Richard Cartwright who voted the opposite way could secure the Ontario vote. Is the party whose record on the tariff is so contradictory, so puzzling, so dishonest; is the party who are exciting race prejudices in one province and denouncing race prejudices in another province; is that the party to whom it would be safe to entrust the destinies of this country? Mr. White concluded a very lucid address which aroused great applause throughout by appealing for earnest work, as he said, in order to bring Toronto into line with the whole country by swelling the majority which will return the Government to power.

The meeting was closed by three cheers for Sir John, for the Hon. Mr. White and for the local candidates.

Hon. Mr. Bowell at Picton.

PICTON, Feb. 12.—The Hon. Mr. Bowell, Minister of Customs, arrived here at noon to-day via Deseronto. He was met by the 16th Battalion Band and a number of leading Conservatives and escorted through the town. He addressed a large meeting in the Town Hall at 1 o'clock and another meeting in the same place at night.

Conservative Meeting at London.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—A large meeting of the electors of this city was held in the Grand Opera House to-night in the interest of Hon. John Carling, Conservative candidate for the Commons. The speakers were Hon. J. B. Plumb of Niagara, Mr. J. S. Larke of Oshawa, and Hon. J. Carling.

Sir John Speaks at Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Feb. 13.—Sir John A. Macdonald last evening delivered an address in the Grand Opera House before the Macdonald Club and a gathering of the public which packed every portion of the building. Hundreds were unable to gain admission. Sir John spoke for about an hour and a half, and appeared none the worse for his severe experience of the previous night, which he had spent upon a train blocked by snow between Brockville and Ottawa, which only arrived in the city at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The meeting was also addressed by the Conservative candidates, Messrs. Perley and Robillard, and others.

Quebec Ministerial Elections.

QUEBEC, Feb. 13.—All the ministers of the recently formed Local Government were elected by acclamation yesterday. Hon. Mr. Mercier, Premier and Attorney-General, for the constituency of St. Hyacinthe; Hon. Mr. Duhamel, Nationalist, Solicitor-General, County of Iberville; Hon. Jas. Meshane, Agriculture and Public Works, Montreal Centre; Hon. Mr. Shehyn, Treasurer, Quebec East; Hon. Mr. Gagnon, Secretary, Kamouraska; Hon. Mr. Garneau, Nationalist, Crown Lands; Hon. Messrs. Turcotte and Ross, without portfolio. Hon. Messrs. Ross and Garneau are provided for in the Legislative Council.

Campaign Notes.

The East Riding of York Young Men's Independent Association has the organization of its township associations about completed. At its next meeting it will decide upon the position it will take in the approaching election. The association claims to be sufficiently strong to defeat either of the candidates in East York.

At a meeting of Mr. Maclean's friends in Power's Hall on Saturday night encouraging reports were presented by all the sub-committees. The list of scrutineers is now being formed.

—Wire mats may be left out of doors in the rain, as all the parts are thoroughly galvanized and japanned, and will not rust or injure carpets or painted floors. 361

A Speedy Recovery.

—Invalid wife (to husband). "The doctor tells me I ought to have a change of climate.' Husband (hopefully) "All right my dear. I see by the probabilities that we are to have colder weather with snow, followed by warm weather and rain, and I will promise you I will always smoke W. E. Dobson's make of cigars, they are the pure quill and knock all rivals in the cold." 156 King-st. East. 246

TURBULENCE IN BRITAIN.

MR. GLADSTONE WRITES ANOTHER HOME RULE LETTER.

The Proclaimed Meeting Held at Loughren, Ireland, Despite the Authorities—A Small Riot at Belfast—A Crowd Stones the Police at Glasgow.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Mr. Gladstone, writing in support of Mr. Slagg, candidate for the parliamentary seat for Burnley, made vacant by the death of Peter Rylands, says: "For the last twelve months I have been telling the English, Scotch and Welsh that their Parliament will continue paralyzed and its business be neglected until it settles the Irish question. The Scotch and Welsh believed that, but the southern English did not believe it and they stopped the way. They will pay heavily for the delay. Before we reach a certain conclusion we will have to pay, with them, and after the thing has been done the Tories will begin to say and believe they have always been Home Rulers. Costly playing with national interests seems to be the main purpose for which the Tories exist. They have played for a certain time with all great questions for the last fifty or sixty years. When they leave off playing with one they soon find another with which to play again. I hope that Burnley will give them a lesson."

Election in Antrim.

DUBLIN, Feb. 12.—The elections in North Antrim to fill the Parliamentary vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. McNaughton, Conservative, resulted in the return of C. E. Lewis, Conservative, who polled 3858 votes against 2626 obtained by McElroy, Home Ruler, and 424 by Traill, Liberal Unionist.

A Turbulent Sunday in Ireland.

DUBLIN, Feb. 13.—At Loughrea to-day 200 police were refused food and shelter. Michael Davitt arrived in the morning. He refused to accept a copy of the Government proclamation prohibiting the proposed Nationalist meeting. Davitt addressed the meeting in the afternoon in the League rooms, which were barricaded. He spoke at Woodford in the evening.

At midnight on Saturday gangs of Orangemen and Catholics pelted one another with stones on the Falls-road in Belfast. They were dispersed by the police. One man was stabbed and some policemen were bruised.

The meeting announced to be held at Youghal to-day, and proclaimed by the Government, was held at Terry Point, Waterford. Mr. Tanner spoke. The crowd burned copies of the proclamation amid cheers and groans. After the meeting the crowd returned to Youghal and had some encounters with the police.

THE MONTREAL CARNIVAL.

It has Been Much More Successful Than the Promoters had Hoped.

MONTREAL, Feb. 13.—The Carnival of 1887 is now a thing of the past and has been a more pronounced success than was ever hoped for. The snow blockade was raised on Saturday morning and the majority of the visitors have departed, leaving the city in practically its normal state. Nowhere is this more noticeable than at the Windsor; which, during the last week, had every window lighted up and to-night it looks as deserted as a Protestant Church on a week day evening. The amount of business brought to the city by visitors has been remarkable, nearly all the retail houses reporting unprecedented sales, particularly furriers.

The important events of the afternoon were the drive of the Tandem Club and the annual races of the Montreal Snowshoe Club. The former was the best turnout in the club's history, and was participated in by many Americans who expressed great pleasure at the magnificence of the equipages. The Governor-General drove at the head of the procession in a very handsome pair.

The carnival was closed by a grand fireworks display at the ice castle, which was witnessed by a good crowd, including those citizens who were unable to be present on Wednesday.

Several more daring robberies have been reported and the police have some suspicious characters in custody who will be brought up in court on Monday.

Suicide of an Hotelkeeper.

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 12.—News reached the city this morning of the suicide of Edwin Sales, hotelkeeper of Courtland. Sales had been in poor health for some time, and of late had been in financial difficulties. He had brooded over his troubles for some time and last evening loaded his shotgun and locking himself in his bedroom placed the muzzle to his forehead and fired. The report of the gun was heard by the family, and when they came was forced he was found lying on the floor dead. He was 45 years of age and leaves a wife and two sons and two daughters.

Heavy Failure in Montreal.

MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—A meeting of the creditors of Milton Pennington, general merchant and manufacturers' agent, St. Paul-street, was held today. His liabilities are placed at $95,770, and assets $67,170, although it is said the latter figures will be reduced by at least $20,000. All the creditors with one exception are in Montreal.

The Thespian Badge.

From the Pittsburg Dispatch.

"Who is that man you just spoke to?"

"That is DeBangs. He's an actor of considerable reputation—a rising man in the profession."

"He is! It can't be possible!"

"But it's a fact."

"Well, I'll take your word for it, as you seem to be acquainted with him."

"Why"—in a somewhat netteld tone—"he is a very intelligent looking man."

"Oh, I won't dispute that, you know; but he has neither a plug, hat nor a fur collar."

OUR OWN COUNTRY.

Items of Interest Received by Mail and Wire.

On Thursday a daughter of Mr. F. Andrews of Orono fell into the creek at that place and was drowned.

D. G. Murray, formerly Reeve of West Zorra, has been arrested on a charge of forging a collateral note of $250.

The unrevised statement of Inland Revenue for January shows a total of $429,735, of which $415,915 is for excise.

W. H. Hesson of Port Arthur has been appointed Bailiff of the First Division Court of the District of Thunder Bay.

Ridgetown wants to have a new county cut out of Kent and Elgin, and, of course, with Ridgetown as the county seat.

James Corrigan, a farmer of St. Andrew's, Man., attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a knife. His recovery is improbable.

Mr. W. J. Gerald, Inspector of Tobacco for the Dominion, has been appointed Deputy Commissioner of Inland Revenue. He will still perform the duties of inspector.

Mrs. Mary A. Smith of East Sandwich, while drawing water from a well a few days ago, fell into the hole and was drowned. She was 45 years old and leaves eight children.

Coal is supposed to exist in Wapella District, Assiniboia, and tests will shortly be made to test its quality and extent. If the tests prove successful, a strong company will be formed to develop the deposit.

Henry C. Kimball, the Windsor confidence man, was fined $33 in Detroit on Thursday for being a disorderly character. His friends paid the fine. Subsequently Kimball was re-arrested on a charge of conspiring to defraud.

A little over a week ago a little girl named Alice Bowan, staying at Mr. Mountain's in Avonbank, Perth County, disappeared during the night and has not been heard of since. It is feared that she has fallen into the hands of disreputable persons.

The Choral Society Concert.

—The concert at the Horticultural Gardens on Tuesday Evening next, promises to be one of the best ever offered in Canada, the "talented singers and musicians" comprising the foremost in the Dominion, and are on a par with those who use their superior judgment in buying their housefurnishings from Strathern, 179 Yonge-street.

RELIGION AND PATRIOTISM.

Principal Grant's Sermon at St. Andrew's Church—A Plea for Peace.

Rev. Principal Grant of Queen's, Kingston, preached to a large congregation last night in St. Andrew's Church, King and Simcoe-streets. His text was taken from the sixth verse of the 122nd Psalm.

Pray for the peace of Jerusalem; they shall prosper that love thee.

Some people seemed to think, said Principal Grant, that patriotism is not mentioned in the Bible. This was a grievously mistaken supposition, as no nation had such an intense patriotism as the Jew, as long as they had a country, and no more patriotic characters lived than Isaiah, and the family of the Maccabees. The basis of this patriotism was religion. Patriotism is bound up in the political feeling of a nation, and Germany, France, England and all other countries owe their patriotism to the same sentiment. Have we in Canada any patriotism? Those who come closely in contact with the people will learn something of the life that the people of this country do not reveal to strangers. With a country of such grand possibilities its people should see to it that the foundation is carefully laid. The underlying sentiment of the common unity of the provinces was British American. The future of this Dominion was not to be predicted, but it was the duty of its citizens to be loyal to the constitution and not part with its essence. Prayers should be offered for the peace of Canada. Sectional and religious cries should be abandoned, and the loyalty of the people would ultimately have its reward. Union is not to be preserved by disunion. In the political parties were to be found honest men, but one-half of the people were imbued with the idea that the other half were renegades. Political independence should be the aim of the young men of this age, and if the old parties did not want them in their ranks they could form a third party.

FAST AND GIDDY.

Old and Young Heads Who Went to See the Evangeline Company Off.

The old men and youths who have been worshipping the girls of the Evangeline Company formed a motley throng at Union Station yesterday forenoon. Such an assemblage of Toronto's "lady killing talent" has probably never before been collected together. Arm in arm they paced the platform, whilst passengers and railway employes vainly sought to discover the cause of their presence. "Who is looking for dime museum curiosities? Those fellows would certainly prove a drawing card," remarked a fat agriculturalist.

They proved themselves fair pedestrians, but after an hour's "go as you please" contest on the platform, their countenances indicated that the exercise was too oppressive. A brief consultation was held, when a tall young man whose high collar, stiffened with true Chinese perfection, played havoc with his well developed ears, approached a railway official and blandly inquired if the Evangeline Company were not to leave by the 12.20 train. "They went last night, I think," replied the official, and when this startlingly unpleasant information was imparted to his companions by the elongated dude, there slowly marched from the station with one accord fifty disconsolate old and young "heads."

There was almost a repetition of this scene at the depot last night when the "Corinne," Stetson's and "Maid of Belleville" opera companies arrived, the first two on their way west while the latter organization stopped here to play a week's engagement at the Grand. Fruitless efforts were made by the cheeky and brainless youths to "mash" the ladies of these troupes. To the spectators it was an amusing scene. The giddy youths are making shocking fools of themselves.

An Employment Agent Skips Out.

The forty Toronto laborers who stranded in Prescott have been the victims of an old swindle. When the expose 3K this was published Saturday, J. Hugill, the York-street agent who hired the men under pretence of forwarding them to Mexico to engage in railway work, suddenly took his departure for parts unknown. He was evidently apprehensive of being brought to task, and therefore left the city by the 7.10 Hamilton train Saturday. He is now supposed to be in the United States. During the day one of the victims heard from was a laborer who claimed to have paid Hugill $10 on Friday with the understanding that the latter was to supply him with a railway ticket to Mexico and work when he arrived there.

Mr. Bethune and the Mayor.

Mr. R. H. Bethune, cashier of the Dominion Bank, has sent the following letter to the editor of the Dominion Churchman:

SIR.—I am surprised to see you using my name in making an attack on the Mayor. Mr. Howland and I have long been and are personal friends, widely though we may differ on many points. I am quite certain that the Mayor knows as little as I do why my name was dragged into the Burns trial.

I am your obedient servant,
R. H. BETHUNE.

The "Black Maria" Capsizes.

While the "Black Maria," with eleven passengers for the Jail, was turning from Police Headquarters into Court-street yesterday forenoon it

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An American Opinion.

Time and again have we pointed out in these columns the fundamental difference between the privileges asked for by Americans in Canadian waters and those offered to us in return. The exchange proposed is a long way from being a fair one, there is nothing like a balance between what our neighbors want and what they offer, or have to give us in return. On one side are the most valuable fisheries in the world, on the other what amounts to just nothing at all. The Chicago Times clearly sees how unequal the conditions on the two sides respectively really are, and thus expresses itself, referring to Mr. Secretary Manning's recent state paper on the subject:

Mr. Manning's statement of the facts in the fish quarrel is very remarkable in showing what some alleged statesmen and many shallow public writers have systematically ignored—namely, that there are two sides to the question. He begins by dividing the subject into its proper parts: the first part comprising our fishing rights in Canadian waters, and the second part our commercial rights in Canadian ports. The first part is really out of the controversy. The rights of American fishing vessels in those waters are prescribed and defined in the treaties of 1783 and 1818: they are, within the three-mile limit, the rights of hospitality only. All others are expressly denied, and no claim to any other "fishing rights" is set up on our side of the dispute.

The controversy is wholly upon a question of commercial rights in Canadian seaports. But, what Mr. Manning means by the Canadian "medieval non-intercourse policy" is not a denial of any commercial privileges in Canadian ports to the merchant vessels of this country. It is only a denial of commercial privileges to our fishing-craft. It is a refusal to recognize a fisherman in the pretended character of a merchantman.

On what foundation is based the contention that a Gloucester fishing-schooner, having taken a cargo of codfish in Canadian waters (of course outside of the three-mile limit), may imitate the process of nature in the metamorphosis from the caterpillar to the butterfly, and, from a fishing-vessel be transformed into a merchant vessel, and invested with the rights and privileges of the latter in the ports of Canada?

That's it exactly, Canada is blamed because she refuses to recognize a fisherman in the pretended character of a merchantman. What the Americans are after are not customary commercial privileges, properly so called, but *fishery privileges*, quite a different thing. In order to see this, let us imagine French or Spanish fishermen claiming exactly such rights in the Bay of Fundy as are claimed by those of Maine and Massachusetts. The bona fide American merchantman is refused no privilege generally conceded by one civilized nation to another. But it is the American *fisherman*, and he only, who is refused the privilege of fishing in waters which are not his, but ours. And it is a necessity of the situation that we must also refuse him everything that would help him to success in poaching upon our preserves.

Forecasting the Result.

An Ottawa man has been forecasting what is to happen on the 22d with the following result. He gives Sir John a majority in all the Provinces, except Quebec, thus:

Majority for Sir John in	
Ontario	15
New Brunswick	8
Nova Scotia	2
Prince Edward Island	2
Manitoba	4
N. W. Territories	4
British Columbia	6
	41
Majority against Sir John in Quebec	10
Net majority for Sir John	31

But the latest accounts from Quebec make it appear extremely doubtful whether the Riel party will sweep that Province as overwhelmingly as has generally been expected in these parts. On the whole, we should say that the prospect has *greatly* improved for Sir John within the last three or four weeks.

Politics often makes strange bedfellows, but few so odd as Bismarck and the Pope. Herr Windthorst, the Catholic leader, who has for years bearded the man of blood and iron in the interest of his church, and at not a little risk to himself, now finds the Pope advising him to come to terms and support the Government's military policy. Of late the Chancellor has been conciliatory and is apparently prepared to go even further, but apart from this is the fact that the Prince and the Pope recognize in one another great conservative forces, while they see in the infidel Government of France a common danger. But Herr Windthorst, like O'Connell and Parnell, is not prepared in the last analysis to take his politics from Rome, when the point involved is a purely secular one. Still the Pope's support of the Government must have more or less influence with a people so devoted to both Church and Fatherland as are the Roman Catholic millions of Germany.

President Cleveland having offered ex-Senator Kernan a railway commissionership the latter declined, but took occasion to recommend his son Jim, with the remark: "Jim has got more sense than I have." It is a wise father who knows how smart his son is."

Maspero, the Egyptologist.

Maspero, the Egyptologist, has cleared away the sand from the front of the old sphinx at Ghizeh. We wish he would come over to Toronto and clear the ice from our sidewalks.

This is P. T. Barnum's proposed solution of the license question: "Until public opinion will abolish them, it ought to be evident to every sensible person who will impartially examine the subject, that there should be but one liquor license to every 100 male adults. These licenses should be sold at auction, thoroughly advertised in advance, starting the first bid at $200." We wonder what some of our Toronto saloon licenses, near the centre, would fetch if put up at auction. Something big and handsome, we dare say. Take Canada and the States all over there would literally be "millions in it" were all the hotel and saloon licenses disposed of on Barnum's plan.

One of the latest plans proposed for heating cars safely is that of heating by gas. In case of a smash the gas could be promptly turned off, and there would be no danger from fire, at all events.

Rev. Henry Ward Beecher has been discoursing of Sabbath observance. He yields to no man in his belief that a day of rest is a good thing for all, and emphatically so for the toiling masses, into whose lives so little sunshine falls; but he does not believe that the Sabbath should be a day of gloom, as it was in his boyhood, or that the poor should be cabined and confined in their homes upon that day. He thinks that they should be afforded every reasonable facility for reaching the sunshine and the fresh air upon the only day which they can call their own in any sense. He says that he, and those like him, can pick and choose their holidays, but the industrious poor have no such choice. If a private coachman may work on Sunday for the convenience of individuals, why may not a car-driver work for the convenience of hundreds? This question has been put a thousand times, but has never been answered by those who draw a distinction between the rich and the poor. Of course, reasonable being that he is, Mr. Beecher holds that the man who works for the public on Sunday ought to be given the following day to himself.

We hear no more of the poor man's shirt since Mr. Blake gave in his adherence to the N.P. In Quebec they still have the bloody shirt, and are waving it energetically.

The great powers are green with envy because torpid old Spain has the fastest torpedo boat in the world. They are probably afraid that it will be able to make its escape when they attempt to steal it. When the battle is to the strong the race ought to be to the swift.

Nineteen tail-twisters, residents at New Lexington, O., have petitioned Congress to negotiate for the cession of Canada to the United States. The most remarkable thing about this is that there should be only nineteen cranks in Ohio. There are more than that in the Senate at Washington. The Baltimore Herald reminds them that Canada is not Alaska, to be bought and sold as the latter was. Just so. The man who buys Canada will find that he has invested in an elaborate lawsuit, a lively war and a large variety of funerals.

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—"I was subject to ague for two or three seasons, which nothing would eradicate until I tried Burdock Blood Bitters, since which time, four years, I have had no return of the disease." W. J. Jordan, Strange, Ont. 246

Dr. Potts and Mr. Blain.

Editor World: Mr. Blain writes Dr. Potts a very moderate and kind letter complaining of misrepresentation and unfair treatment during the mayoralty contest. The unfairness of which Mr. Blain complains is that the Dr. should assail him in his sermon on Sunday evening, giving him no opportunity of defending himself, as the election took place on the following Monday. Dr. Potts replies in a word or two from his high office—the education office of the Methodist Church, and of course a word or two from so high a position settles the whole business. Now, sir, I have studied these letters, and lest I should be biased by party feeling I have consulted with several people friendly to Dr. Potts, and who voted against Mr. Blain, and it is quite a common impression that Dr. Potts' reply smacks of the ecclesiastical insolence of the infallible type. He simply declines to be lectured by Mr. Blain, and yet he cannot refrain from lecturing him. He tells him that he was in bad company, a thing quite common to say in a regular lecture. To be so ready to lecture other people, and yet to be so uninitient of being lectured is arrogant to say the least, as if he should say:

"I am Sir Oracle,
And when I ope my lips let no dog bark."

AMICUS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

SATURDAY EVENING, Feb. 12.

There was a very quiet stock market to-day, and bank shares as a rule were firmer. Montreal ¼ higher in bid at 242, and Ontario ¾ better with buyers at 115¾. Toronto unchanged at 212 bid, and 6 shares of Merchants sold at 130. Commerce ¼ higher in bid at 122¼, and Federal firmer, with a sale of four shares at 105¼, and the stock closing at that price bid. Imperial unchanged at 136 bid, and Dominion ½ firmer at 249¾ bid. Standard was 125¼ bid, and Hamilton 138, without sellers. Loan and miscellaneous shares quiet. British American Assurance ½ higher, with buyers at 124¼, and Western ¾ higher at 157½ bid. Consumers' Gas ¼ easier at 194 bid, and Dominion Telegraph offered at 83 without bids. Canadian Permanent Loan was wanted at 207, and Union at 131½. Building and Loan sold at 112½ for 123 shares, and National Investment was 105¼ bid. Manitoba Loan strong at 99¾ bid, and the balance of the list unchanged.

Closing Chicago prices: Wheat 73⅝c, corn 34⅝c, oats 24⅛c, pork $13.10, lard $6.72½, short ribs $6.92.

Oil City oil market: Opened 63½, closed 63½; highest 63½, lowest 63½.

The receipts of grain on the street to-day were small, and prices steady. About 320 bushels of wheat offered and sold at 79c to 80c for fall, 81c to 82c for spring, and 71c to 72c for goose. Barley quiet, 500 bushels selling at 45c to 86c. Oats steady, with sales of 200 bushels at 33c to 34c. Peas sold at 59½c to 53c. Rye steady, with sales of thirty loads at $12 to $14.50 a ton for timothy, and at $10 to $11 for clover. Straw unchanged at $10 to $11 a ton. Hops firm, with sales at $6.30 to $6.50. Beef $6 to $4.50 for forequarters, and $5.50 to $7 for hindquarters. Mutton $4 to $6.50. Lamb $7 to $8.

St. Lawrence Market was quiet to day, and prices are unchanged. We quote: —Beef, 12c to 14c; sirloin steak, 13c to 14c; round steak, 10c to 11c. Mutton, legs and chops, 12c to 13c; inferior cuts, 7c to 8c. Lamb, 7c to 8c, for front, and 12c to 13c for hindquarters. Veal, best joints, 12c to 13c; inferior cuts, 6c to 8c. Pork, chops and roasts, 10c. Butter, lb rolls 22c to 25c; large rolls, 17c to 20c; inferior, 10c to 12c. Lard, tubs, 10c, pails of new, 11c. Cheese, 12c to 13c. Bacon, 16c to 12c. Eggs, 25c to 28c. Turkeys, 75c to $1.50. Chickens, per pair, 35c to 40c. Geese, 60c to 75c. Ducks, 45c to 60c. Potatoes, per bag, 90c to $1. Cabbages, per dozen, 30c to 35c. Apples, per barrel, $1.50 to $2.50. Turnips, per bush., 25c to 40c. Carrots, 30c to 35c. Beets, 40c.

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Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 9¼c; do New Orleans 9 11-16. Flour—Receipts 21,000 bbls.; heavy; sales 175,000 bbls. Wheat—Receipts 26,000 bush; spot lots ¼c to ⅛c lower; options opened steady, advanced ½c to ¾c, later ruled easier and declined 1½c to 1¾c, closing weak; sales 10,016,000 bush, future 421,000 bush spot; No. 2 red 90½c to 90¾c, elevator, 90c to 90½c store. No. 1 red 83½c. No. 1 white 91½c. No. 2 red Feb. 89½c to 90⅝c, closing 89½c, March 88 15-16c to 91½c, closing 90c. May 91⅞c to 93 7-16c, closing 92. Rye and barley quiet, nominal. Corn—Receipts 25,000 bush; spot lots firm, options declined ½c to ¾c, closing with slight reaction; exports 4400 bush; sales 1,112,000 bush future, 156,000 bush spot; No. 2 48½c elevator, No. 2 Feb. 47½c to 48c, closing 48c, March 48½c to 48¾c, closing 48½c. May 49½c to 49¾c, closing 49½c. Oats—Receipts 36,000 bush, sales lower; sales 34,000 bush future, 104,000 bush spot: No. 2 35½c. No. 1 white 38c, mixed western 36c to 38½c, white do. 38c to 42c, white state 39½c to 40c. No. 2 Feb. 35½c to 35¾c, closing 35½c, March 35½c to 35¾c, closing 35¾. May 35½c to 35 11-16c, closing 35½c. Sugar firm; refining 4 9-16c to 4 11-16c, standard "A" 5¼c, cut loaf and crushed 6¼c to 6¾c, powdered 6⅛ to 6½c, granulated 5¾c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—There was another big slump in wheat to-day, which carried May delivery down to 79½c, which is the lowest price at which the option has sold on the present crop. The market opened a little stiff owing to cold weather and report that many wheat fields were covered with frozen sleet, as the offerings grew large a coterie of local operators threw large quantities on the market and prices steadily declined. There was considerable excitement attending the downward movement, and it had the effect of bringing out another large amount of "long" wheat. The feeling was very flat at the close. There was very active speculation in corn, offerings were very large, under which May declined from 40½c to 40⅛ to 39¾, and closed at inside figures. Oats ruled weaker. Provisions were unsettled and generally lower. The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat —Feb. 73½c, March 79½c, May 79½c. Corn—Feb. 34½c, March 34⅝c, May 39½c. Oats—Feb. 24½c, March 24½c, May 26½c. Pork—Feb. $13.92, March $13.60, May $13.75. Lard—Feb. $6.72½, March $6.72½, May $6.85. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour dull, unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat 79¾c to 75c. No. 2 red 79½c. No. 2 corn 34½c to 35½c. No. 2 oats 24½c. No. 2 rye 54c; No. 2 barley 50c to 51c. Pork—$13.60 to $13.65. Lard—$6.75. Short rib sides $6.95. Dry salted shoulders $5.75 to $5.76. Short clear sides $7.30 to $7.35. Receipts—Flour 12,000 brls, wheat 23,000 bush, corn 66,000 bush, oats 76,000 bush, rye 3000 bush, barley 37,000 bush. Shipments—Flour 26,000 bbls., wheat 86,000 bush, corn 36,000 bush, oats 92,000 bush, rye 1000 bush, barley 40,000 bush.

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Under and by virtue of a Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be sold by Public Auction on Saturday, 12th of February, A.D. 1887, at the auction rooms of J. M. McFARLANE & CO., No. 6 Adelaide-street east, Toronto, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, All and singular those certain parcels or tracts of lands and premises situate, lying and being in the County of York (now the City of Toronto), in the Province of Ontario, being part of the estate of the late Alexander Wood of the said city, and inherited from him by his heirs, Isabella Parsell, and being more particularly known as lots numbered 121 and 122 on the south side of Wood-street, in the said City of Toronto, and laid out upon a plan or map made by John Stoughton Dennis, Esq., surveyor of the lands of the late Alexander Wood, situate on the east side of Yonge-street, in the said City of Toronto, and being part of park lots numbers seven and eight, which plan is registered in the Registry Office for the City of Toronto as plan number 34. On said premises are erected three brick residences known as street numbers 25, 27, 29 Wood-street, which are said to be solid brick and substantially built. The property will be offered subject to a reserved bid. The purchaser shall investigate the title at his own expense, and shall at the time of sale pay to the Vendor or his Solicitor one-tenth of the purchase money, and the balance within ten days thereafter. Further conditions will be made known at the time of sale, or upon application to

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Januar 12thy, 1887.

IN THE Matter of The Cosgrave Brewing and Malting Company of the City of Toronto in the County of York.

BREWERS AND MALSTERS.

The insolvents have made an assignment of their estate to the undersigned, in pursuance of an Act respecting Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, 43 Vic., Chap. 28, and the Creditors are notified to meet at No. 26 Wellington-street East, Toronto, on Monday, February 14th, 1887, at 3 o'clock p.m., to receive statements of their affairs, appoint inspectors, and for the ordering of the affairs of the Estate generally.

And notice is hereby given, that after April 9th next, the said Trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Company, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.

E. R. C. CLARKSON, Trustee.
26 Wellington-st. east, Toronto.
8th February, 1887. 561234

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of Henry Fox, deceased. Pursuant to the provisions of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chapter 107 and 46 Victoria (Ontario) Chapter 9.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having any claim against the estate of Henry Fox, late of the city of Toronto, in the County of York, lumber manufacturer, deceased, who died on or about the 25th day of December, A.D. 1886, are hereby required to send by post prepaid or deliver to Messrs. Morris & McNab, No. 15 Building and Loan Chambers, Toronto-street, Toronto, Solicitors for the executors of and under the last will and Testament of the said Henry Fox, deceased, on or before the 14th DAY OF MARCH, 1887, their christian and surnames and descriptions with full particulars and proof of their claims and a statement of their accounts and of the securities, if any held by them. And notice is hereby given that after the said 14th day of March, 1887, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice. And the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or claims they shall not have notice at the time of such distribution. MORRIS & McNAB,
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FORTS OF SOLID STEEL.

A Bold Idea in Iron Work Such as Might Abash Great Vulcan.

From the New Orleans Picayune.

When Sir Henry Bessemer began his experiments, cast-steel railroad bars were worth more than $200 a ton; that is the same thing as saying they were worth so much that they could not be used at all. Now they can be bought for $18 to $20 a ton, and it is certainly impossible to say that the limit has been reached. The difficulty with the costly steel plates for armor for ships and forts lies in the fact that they have to be cast by a costly process, their edges planed, and then they must be bolted together and fitted in place. To make a fort is a tedious and very costly process. But Sir Henry himself says that it is not necessary. No one has attempted to obviate it, and no individual can; but a nation could do it. Suppose that we wish to cast the side of a fort in steel, say 200 feet long, 16 feet high and 3 feet thick. We have only to build a gigantic mold out of brick and concrete, build on top of this mold say eight or ten 20-ton Bessemer converters capable of turning out three charges in twenty-four hours; they would run into the mold a ton of molten steel every thirty seconds, and the mold would be filled in sixteen hours. The melted steel would solidify as it was poured it, so that there would only be six or eight inches of melted metal on the surface at any stage of the filling.

It sounds preposterous to speak of casting the whole side of a fort in one plate or piece, embrasures and all. But Sir Henry says it can be done. He will undertake also to cast the turret for a warship in one solid piece of steel. It makes no difference what shape the fort or turret is to take, or where or how many are to be its loop holes or posts; it is merely a question of building the matrix in the first instance in this or that shape. Suppose that the face of a fort weighs 2000 tons, it is clear that it could be cast in a single piece for about $40,000. Built up of plates in the usual style it might cost ten times that sum. It is but a step from this theory to one for the casting of an entire fortress. Whether turrets can be cast as proposed is another question, because the difficulty of casting them in situ would have to be surmounted. It would not be difficult to cast the turret to a matrix on shore; but to put it in position afterward would tax the ingenuity of the engineers.

Sir Henry says that a fort cast in one piece three feet thick could not be destroyed by any artillery now in existence. At any rate, the process of casting is cheap and easy, the thickness can be increased to any required extent. It is only necessary that there should be enough converters in operation to supply a sufficient flow of molten steel. It would need a 10-ton converter for every 75 square feet of horizontal section. There is no limit practically to the number of converters which could be caused to pour their floods into a matrix for a fort, but it would burst the matrix if too many converters were emptying into it at the same time. It would not be unreasonable for Congress to authorize an experiment on these lines.

—It outrivals all—Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

GET THERE AMES.

How He Took All the Boys Out to Toss the Rosy.

From the Chicago Herald.

One day last year a mail carrier left a bulky looking letter in the composing-room of a Fifth-avenue newspaper. The address on the yellow envelope read: "Albert Ames, —— office, Chicago, Ill." Not one of the hundred or more printers knew Albert Ames. He was not employed in the office, and there was no one who could tell where he worked. The letter lay upon the imposing stone for weeks and weeks. Printers, for the sake of killing time used to write all manner of things on the yellow envelope, and one of them figured up his week's "string" on the flap. This species of innocent vandalism continued until the superscription was nearly obliterated. "Who the devil is Ames?" "Get there, Ames," and "Rats," were some of the inscriptions scrawled on the envelope. About a week ago a thin, pale-faced man, with soiled linen and shoes a great deal the worse for wear, walked timidly into the composing room. The yellow envelope, now soiled and stampless, was the last to be picked up. The sickly looking fellow scrutinized the superscription and post-mark with great deliberation, and then opened one end with his lead rule. Two of his long white fingers stole into the package, and when they were withdrawn they held a slip of white paper and three book notes. The printers, who had been eyeing the pale-faced man, dropped their sticks on their cases and came over to where he was standing. "I thought I'd find it here, boys," he said in a weak voice, as he turned his cavernous eyes upon the toilers; "it's $300 from my brother. Comes rather nice when a fellow is on his uppers. I see by the envelop some of you boys want to know who the devil Ames is. Well, I'm the fellow, and if you'll all put on your coats we'll go out and toss the rosy."

—There are cheap panaceas for various human ailments continually cropping up. Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspepsia Cure has no affinity with any of these. Unlike them, the article is derived from the purest sources, is prepared with the utmost chemical skill, and is a genuine remedy and not a palliative for biliousness, constipation, kidney troubles, impurity of the blood, and female complaints.

"I don't know," said a paragrapher to a friend who was afflicted with rheumatism, "whether there is any virtue in the thing or not, but I have heard that carrying a chestnut in the pocket is a cure for rheumatism." "No good," answered the friend. "No?" "Not a bit of good; I slip your column of jokes out of your paper every week and carry it in my pocket, and, instead of getting better, I seem to get worse."

—As a toilet article, Ayer's Hair Vigor stands unrivaled. It cleanses the scalp and removes dandruff, cures itching humors, restores the original color to faded and gray hair, and promotes its growth. d

The other morning a farmer's wagon which was rattling down Michigan Grand-avenue to the market struck a colored man and sent him sprawling into the mud. Several people rushed to help him up, and one inquired if he were much hurt. "Only in my feelin's, sah; de passon who knocks me down an' won't stop to beg my pardon am no gem'lan, an' he tires my feelin's."

—West's Cough Syrup stops tickling in the throat, stops that hacking cough, and gives perfect relief; it is certainly worth a trial. All druggists. ed

"It strikes me," said a city and county hall man yesterday, "that we do not want any war with Canada. When we were drafted in 1861-4 we knew where to go, but in case of trouble with Canada where could we go?"

—There are so many cough medicines in the market, that it is sometimes difficult to tell which to buy; but if we had a cough, a cold or any affliction of the throat or lungs, we would try Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. Those who have used it think it is far ahead of all other preparations recommended for such complaints. The little folks like it as it is as pleasant as syrup.

Mrs. Brimmer—"Why, Mr. Brimmer, here's a fly. Where did he come from this cold weather. See him hover around that book. What is he after?" Mr. Brimmer—"Looking for the fly leaf, I suppose."

—Why will you suffer with a bad cold when a few doses of West's Cough Syrup will cure you? Invaluable for all throat and lung troubles. Consumptives try it. Small size 25c., large bottles $1. All druggists. ed

"If there is anything I like better than classical music," said Major Brannigan, in a high voice, as he moved with the throng out of the concert-room, "it's lemons. They both set my teeth on edge."

—Much distress and sickness in children is caused by worms. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator gives relief by removing the cause. Give it a trial and be convinced. d

Brown—"What do you think of the play?" Fogg—"Fairly good thing; but what I object to is the intense realism in the third act—a church scene, you know; it was so natural that I actually went to sleep."

—To ladies. The great beautifier for the complexion: One of West's sugar-coated Liver Pills taken nightly. 30 pills 25c. All druggists. ed

It was a horrible slip of the tongue when a Philadelphia lady, instead of saying that her church was going to have a cantata, remarked that it was going to have a cancan.

A SINGULAR SUPERSTITION.

A Farmer Who Believes that Departed Souls Dwell in Rocks.

From the Binghampton Leader.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Superstition plays a more eimportant part in determining the actions of men than most people are willing to admit, and almost every one has his pet belief as to what will bring good or ill luck. Hallucinations of one sort or another, too, often take possession of people who are otherwise quite sane.

One of the strangest hallucinations on record is the singular notion of a farmer named Edgar G. Stokes, who used to live and very likely still lives near Middletown in Connecticut. He is a man of culture and some thirty odd years ago was graduated with high honor from a noted New England college.

He believes that the souls of dead persons reside in rocks and pebbles. This post mortem existence in stones is ordained, he believes, for the purpose of purifying and refining the spirits. But only the souls of the great are thus purified. And acting on a sort of theory that it is well to be near the departed spirits of great persons, he has collected from every part of the state, and even from outside its boundaries, such stones as he fancies are now inhabited by certain individuals whose career in the flesh he admires. It doesn't matter whether the stones be large or small, handsome or ugly; by some theory of his own which he only understands, he thinks he can tell what particular soul is now the inhabitant of any given stone. And when he has found such a stone he instantly procures it, and gives it a place upon his farm.

Of course this does not enhance the value of the farm to anyone but himself. In fact, it decreases the practical worth of the place, for the stones are often placed just where they interfere with cultivation.

Sometimes he secures a stone that is, as yet, uninhabited. Close by his door is a smooth granite bowlder brought all the way from the Rocky Mountains which had not been taken possession of at last advices. Not far away from this now lifeless rock is a rough jagged stone, wherein abides the soul of George Washington. Over there is a smooth faced crystal which by and by will receive the soul of Farmer Stokes himself. Beyond is a granite spar possessed by good Queen Bess. Napoleon Bonaparte is apart from the rest in a "back lot." Hannibal is in another field and not far from him is Cæsar. Many other great men of the past are in the collection, but it is not known if Grant, or Garfield, or Tilden, or Hendricks have yet found a resting place on the Stokes farm.

It was only a few years ago that any one knew why Farmer Stokes collected the rocks that adorn his farm, and his neighbors always treat his idiosyncracy with respect now, for he is a shrewd business man and in every other respect of well balanced mind.

—The great demand for a pleasant, safe and reliable antidote for all affections of the throat and lungs is fully met with in Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It is a purely Vegetable Compound, and acts promptly and magically in subduing all coughs, colds, bronchitis, inflammation of the lungs, etc. It is so palatable that a child will not refuse it, and is put at a price that will not exclude the poor from its benefits.

"Yes," said Mr. Jams, "I did consent to have my son named James, but I must insist that it shall never be shortened to Jim. Who would employ a boy named Jim Jams?"

—Holloway's Corn Cure destroys all kinds of corns and warts, root and branch. Who then would endure them with such a cheap and effectual remedy within reach?

"How did you enjoy the sermon yesterday morning?" "I didn't hear it. Mrs. Jarvey's bonnet was so loud that I didn't really know the minister was talking."

A Long Look Ahead.

From the Omaha World.

Young Husband—"It does seem to me you might learn how to cook better than that; my mother—" Young wife—"There that will do; I refrain from learning how to cook on principle." "Oh, you do; thinking of me, of course?" "No, of my son." "Son?" "Ye, I don't intend he shall ever make any nice girl miserable bragging about my cooking."

—D. Sullivan, Malcolm, Ont., writes: "I have been selling Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for some years, and have no hesitation in saying that it has given better satisfaction than any other medicine I have ever sold. I consider it the only patent medicine that cures more than it is recommended to cure."

Twenty-eight kinds of mince pie are served in New York restaurants. Nightmares in New York are evidently as badly mixed as New Jersey politics.

—Wonderful is the effect of West's World's Wonder or Family Liniment. One bottle will effect more cures than four times the number of any other liniment. 25 and 50c. All druggists. ed

THE SEWERS OF PARIS.

A Pleasure Trip Under the Streets of the Gay Metropolis.

From the New York Sun.

Excursions under Paris form one of the features in the movement for the benefit of the sufferers from the recent floods in France, and the gorgeous sewers are liberally patronized by the fashionable world. A reporter of the Gil Blas gives this description:

"We started from the Place Chatelet at 3 o'clock and descended a little winding staircase, the steps and walls of which were covered with a green cloth fringed by a red border. There is not the slightest danger of soiling your clothes or of encountering the slightest disagreeable odor. On arriving at the foot of the stairs a fine display of fruits and vegetables was the first thing to greet our eyes. These products were from Gennevilliers, and were grown in gardens that are watered by the sewers. We got into a wagon, in which were seats for twenty persons. Off we went, shoved along by solid looking fellows, all neatly dressed. Above us was a mass of tubes and pipes. They are the water pipes, the two largest containing our drinking water from the Vaune and the water of the Ourcq, which is used for washing the streets and sidewalks. Then there are the pneumatic tubes, in which we can hear the rattle of the dispatch boxes as they shoot along.

"Suddenly we heard the passengers in the wagon ahead of us uttering cries of admiration. We were under the Rue de Rivoli, but soon we reached the crossing of the Rue du Pont Neuf. This tunnel is lighted from end to end with garlands of colored lamps. The effect is fairylike. The same effect is reproduced under the Rue du Louvre, the Rue de Richelieu and the Place des Pyramides, where precisely under the statue of Joan of Arc appear in luminous glass the arms of the city of Paris. We passed along, still following the Rue de Rivoli, where each house has its number in the sewer, just as in the street, until we reached the Place de la Concorde. There the electric lights, crossing their fires with the reflections of the Venetian lamps, turn the square into a sort of ball room. Nothing is wanting, not even the music. We all got out of the wagons to embark in large boats furnished with cushioned seats. The music was in the first boat, which was decorated with flags and lamps. The boats were started. We followed the entire route of the Rue Royale by the light of fifty dazzling electric lights.

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TROTTING AND SNOWSHOE RACES AT MONTREAL SATURDAY.

The Hamilton Event Wound Up—Shooting at Niagara Blackbirds — Caledonians Beat the Granites—Notes of Sport.

Carnival Sports at Montreal.

MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—The trotting races, which were postponed on Friday, owing to the storm, were resumed this afternoon, when there were three events: The unfinished 2.40, the Green trot and the Free-for-all. The track was good in spite of the heavy snowfall. The judges' box was filled by W. P. Ketchum, of Brighton; John Carson, Mayor of Kingston, and W. W. Mace of Tamworth.

The unfinished class was won by Mollie Stanton, Maud Bartlett second, two additional heats being run, making seven in all.

Joe M. won the Green race, with Jerry second; best time 2.52.

The Free-for-all was undecided, three heats being run. Eckford won two, the best time so far being 2.42.

The meeting will be continued on Monday.

The snowshoe races were well attended, the Montreal Grounds being thronged with people. The 100 yards open was won by W. R. Thompson in two straight heats. Jim Ross, the Montreal crack, won the mile open for the Merchants' Cup in 6.38½ with Jas. Lumsden of the Emeralds second. The 440 yards open was taken by Baird of Montreal in 1.15½; H. L. Shaw of St. George's second, the same contestants also taking the same positions in the half mile open. All the club events were well contested and brought out some very promising new men.

End of the Hamilton Races.

HAMILTON, Feb. 12.—The trotting meeting ended here to-day with the finest of the local trot for a purse of $100 divided, which was won by R. Woods' b.g., Little Johnny, A. Wodehouse's Major Staunton second and J. W. Gage's g.g. J.W.G. third.

Caledonians Beat the Granites.

The Toronto Caledonians were victorious by thirty-three shots in a curling match Saturday afternoon with the Toronto Granites for the Caledonian Society cup. Each club presented five rinks. Score:

CALEDONIAN.		GRANITE.	
Rink No. 1.			
W. Prentice,		P. McEachren,	
F. Foster,		R. Jaffray,	
D. Gibson,		W. Dick,	
D. Prentice, skip	24	C. C. Dalton, skip	16
Rink No. 2.			
G. F. Watson,		A. H. Gilbert,	
J. T. Matthews,		R. Spence,	
J. Carruthers,		W. Lawrence,	
R. H. Ramsay, skip	17	W. Cassels, skip	28
Rink No. 3.			
R. L. McIntosh,		J. Gowans,	
J. Mills,		A. B. Lee,	
W. J. McCormack,		H. Bertram,	
W. Davidson, skip	29	T. O. Anderson, skip	9
Rink No. 4.			
J. Pringle,		J. B. King,	
W. D. McIntosh,		J. Paton,	
W. Ross,		R. Lacon,	
W. Christie, skip	23	W. Badenach, skip	13
Rink No. 5.			
T. Rennie,		J. Eastwood,	
W. Rennie, jr.,		A. Bertram,	
R. Rennie,		T. G. Williams,	
W. Rennie, skip	23	W. A. Thompson, sp.	17
Total	116		83

Majority for Caledonians 33.

Shooting at Niagara Blackbirds.

The Niagara blackbird shoot at Ayre's Saturday was attended by representatives of every gun club in the city. The scores were low. This was due to the fact that there was a strong wind prevailing, and also that the Niagara bird is much thicker and heavier than any artificial targets used here before. The conditions were 12 birds each at 18 yards' rise: 15 entries and 4 prizes. S. McClure, of East Toronto Gun Club, won first prize with 6; Geo. Carruthers, West End Gun Club, second with 6; E. Dollery, West End Gun Club, third with 5, and W. J. Clark, West Toronto Junction Gun Club, fourth with 4. Mr. John Wells was referee and Mr. John Felstead scorer.

English Spring Handicaps.

The most important fixture in cross-country events in England is the Liverpool Grand National Steeplechase; it will be run on March 25 and has forty-six entries, with Roquefort, the winner in 1885, the top weight at 176 pounds. Voluptuary, the winner in 1884, is the second in the list at 170 pounds. Too Good third at 168 pounds, and Old Joe, last year's winner, fourth at 164 pounds. Mr. Stanley Mortimer's American-bred horse, Westmoreland, is handicapped at 147 pounds. For the Lincolnshire, a mile, run March 23, Bendigo, the winner of the Eclipse Stakes last year, is the top weight at 138 pounds, and he is also at the head of the list for the Newmarket Handicap, run April 15, at the same weight. The Bard is the second in both races at 128 pounds for the Lincoln and at 129 pounds for the Newmarket event. He will no doubt be declared out of all engagements, he having already been shipped to his new home in France. Fulmen, the winner of the Lincolnshire last year, is handicapped at 116 pounds, with Gay Hermit, Despair and Sailor Prince all well up in the list, and with Annamite the top weight of the 3-year-olds at 95 pounds. For the Leicestershire Spring Handicap, run April 2 over the straight mile, the Duke of Westminster's St. Mirin is at the head of the list with 133 pounds, seconded by Mr. J. Lowther's King Monmouth at 130 pounds. For the Kempton Park Jubilee Handicap of 3000 guineas, at a mile, run May 7, Bendigo is the top weight at 133 pounds, with The Bard at 127, St. Mirin and Saraband each at 125.

General Notes.

The Toronto Bicycle Club will elect its officers to-night.

The ice yacht race on the Hudson River at Poughkeepsie for the challenge pennant of America has been fixed for to-day.

In last week's Varsity Mr. E. B. Houghton advances some strong arguments for the formation of a Gymnastic Club in connection with University College. The students should act on his suggestion.

James Murphy, Lexington, Ky., purchased from B. J. Treacy same place, the bay colt Banburg, 3-years, by imp. King Bon dam Rosaline. Banburg is one of the prominent horses in the Kentucky Derby and is now quoted at 25 to 1.

Bicyclist Stevens writes from Chicago, en route for New York, to say that the proposition of the Toronto wheelmen to honor him with a banquet is highly appreciated, but his engagements will not enable him to accept the invitation. "I hope, however," he adds, "to see something of Toronto before long, and should remember your intention to do me this honor and appreciate it just as much as if I could have visited you now."

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In the first race at New Orleans Thursday, seven and a half furlongs, Cathcart ridden by Cross, was made a big favorite until just before the race, when Berlin began to be backed quite strong. The race soon showed that Cathcart was not "meant," for Berlin led from start to finish, winning by a good length in the slow time of 1.44¼. The judges promptly investigated the race, and while they did not change the result they declared all bets off and notified De Long, the owner of Cathcart, that any entries made by him hereafter would be refused.

A Prohibition Orator from Massachusetts.

Mr. John A. Nicholls, a prohibition orator from Lowell, Mass., delivered an address yesterday afternoon in Temperance Hall, under the auspices of the Temperance Reformation Society. He referred to the murder of Rev. George Haddock of Sioux City, Iowa, who had identified himself as the leader of the crusade against the liquor traffic in that city. The signs of the times were favorable for the success of temperance workers, and prohibition seemed to be near realization. In April the people of Michigan would vote upon this measure, and the indications were that it would be adopted. To accomplish their aims the temperance people would have to give their best energies, as the fight with the liquor party was to the death, and the latter would resort to every means to maintain their present foothold.

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CANADIAN INSTITUTE PAPERS.

"Canada in Sculpture," by Dr. Scadding, and "Dextrine-Maltose in Beer Worts," by Prof. Richardson.

Three associates of the architectural section were elected at the Canadian Institute Saturday night.

"Canada in Sculpture" was the title of a paper read by Rev. Dr. Saudding, who exhibited a photograph of a marble statue of George II. in the Senate house of the University of Cambridge in England, representing the King as a Roman general or imperator, crowned with laurel, and encircling with his right arm a globe, inscribed with the word Canada, in rather large characters, the whole being commemorative of the conquest of Canada in the reign of this king. The venerable doctor also showed a photograph of the graceful idealization of Canada in the grand group entitled America, by the sculptor, John Bell, at the northwest angle of the lower platform of the Prince Consort memorial in London.

Prof. C. Gordon Richardson read a paper on the formation of dextrine-maltose in beer-worts. He said when starch is acted upon by the peculiar ferment of malt called diastase it breaks up into dextrine and maltose. The proportion which these two bodies when formed will bear to each other depends upon three things: The heat at which the mash is made, the length of time it is permitted to stand, and the diastatic capacity of the malt itself. Dextrine is the first product of diastase—it is, so to speak, the half-way house between starch and sugar. To the brewer it possesses many very valuable qualities. It ferments but slowly, lends palate-flavor and body to the beer, and also those keeping qualities so essential to the production of sound stock ales. To the maltose, on the other hand, the brewer is indebted as the source of the alcohol which finished beer always contains in more or less quantity. On the due proportion, therefore, between these two bodies, maltose and dextrine, the future history of the beer largely, if not wholly, depends. All authorities agree in assigning 145° F. as the temperature of the malt infusion or mash as the heat most favorable to diastatic action, but unfortunately a great difference of opinion has existed among the standard authorities as to what is the temperature most favorable to the increased relative proportion between these two bodies. The English authorities declare in favor of low heats; the American in favor of high. From a large number of test brews and analyses the speaker had concluded in favor of the American chemists, and the object of the paper was to point out a reconciliation between these two apparently widely divergent opinions, and to suggest a method of analysis which promised to eliminate such discordant results. This, in brief, was to take a fixed weight of malt, infuse at a temperature of 145° F. and keep at that temperature for one hour, estimate the dextrine and maltose formed and return as such; and the diastatic capacity of the malt to be judged by the relative proportions of dextrine and maltose as referred to a certain fixed amount.

THE WORLD ENJOYS ITSELF.

First Annual Sleigh Ride and Dinner—Much Music and Lots of Enjoyment.

The World's first sleighing party started amid much music from 18 King-street east, shortly after 7 o'clock Saturday night. Turnbull Smith furnished three vans, two of them four-in-hand, and everybody turned out from the office boy to the proprietor, the party numbering over seventy-five. The destination of the party was Eglinton, where Mr. John Oulcott and his hotel were waiting to receive them. The drive up Yonge-street was signalized by the discordant strains of kazoos, horns, a cornet and other instruments of music.

After work comes rest, and after The World's drive came a dinner, substantious and plentiful, and served in first-class style. Mr. W. F. Maclean presided over his large family, and Capt. F. F. Manley, Mr. A. F. Pirie and Mr. R. L. Patterson sat with him at the head of the table. A pleasant hour was spent in speeches and song and the return trip was made at 11 o'clock. The employes presented Mr. Maclean with a handsome silver ice pitcher and goblets, as a memento of the occasion.

The journey home was rendered exciting by the frisky conduct of a couple of Turnbull Smith's horses. They ran away several times and eventually smashed a cutter and knocked down a verandah at Yonge and Gerrard-streets.

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Starting twenty-two years ago as a young medical practitioner in Buffalo, N.Y., Dr. R. V. Pierce has been rapidly coming, hand over hand, up the ladder of fame and prosperity. To-day his name stands as a guarantee of personal honor and professional skill, and the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute over which he presides, with masterly judgment, is universally known and recognized as the leading health resort in the land.

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PROHIBITION AT THE PAVILION.

A Philadelphia Lady's Advice—The Scott Act in Halton.

The Young Men's Prohibition Club meeting in Pavilion Music Hall yesterday afternoon was well attended. Mr. John Hallam occupied the chair. In his opening remarks the Chairman expressed doubt as to the wisdom of the third party scheme, and said he hoped that before long one of the existing parties would take up the question of Prohibition.

President F. S. Spence announced that a clear majority of the aldermen were pledged to support the Fleming bylaw, which will be considered by the City Council to-night.

Miss Bower of Philadelphia delivered a gospel temperance address warning young men that if they sow "wild oats" they will not reap a good harvest in old age.

Police Magistrate W. H. Young of Oakville gave an account of the working of the Scott Act in Halton. He held that there was not half as much drinking in the county since the adoption of the act as there had been before. Crime had decreased 66 per cent. The Scott Act could be enforced anywhere, as it provided the best machinery possible. The worst blow the act had ever received was when the Dominion Government put its hands upon it. It was, however, recovering from that.

At the close of the meeting several signatures were added to the pledge roll of the club.

Beverley-street Baptist Church.

Rev. Dr. F. G. Taylor of Buffalo preached at the opening services at Beverley-street Baptist Church yesterday. A Sabbath School platform meeting was held in the afternoon, at which addresses were made by Rev. Alex. Gilray, Rev. Thos. Griffith, Prof. D. M. Welton, Rev. Dr. Taylor, and the pastor, Rev. Ira Smith. There was a good attendance at all the services.

Financial Troubles of Life.

A. Hertle & Co., planing mills, Berlin, have compromised with their creditors at 50 cents on the dollar. M. K. Dillon, dry goods, Port Arthur, has called a meeting of his creditors. The latest assignments reported are: Hiram Rosenthal, pedlar, Montreal; Spenard & Bedard, grocers, Montreal; G. E. Robitaille, dry-goods, Sherbrooke; Milton Pennington, merchant and manufacturers' agent, Montreal, has failed for $95,770, his assets being $40,000 less.

Free Trade.

—The reduction of internal revenue and the taking off of revenue stamps from Proprietary Medicines, no doubt has largely benefited the consumers, as well as relieving the burden of home manufacturers. Especially is this the case with *Green's August Flower* and *Boschee's German Syrup*, as the reduction of thirty-six cents per dozen, has been added to increase the size of the bottles containing these remedies thereby giving one-fifth more medicine in the 75 cent size. The *August Flower* for dyspepsia and liver complaint, and the *German Syrup* for cough and lung troubles, have perhaps, the largest sale of any medicines in the world. The advantage of increased size of the bottles will be greatly appreciated by the sick and afflicted in every town and village in civilized countries. Sample bottles for 10 cents remain the same size. 135

AMUSEMENTS THIS WEEK.

Opera at Both Theatres—"Merry War" and "Maid of Belleville."

The "Maid of Belleville" will be produced at the Grand this week, commencing to-night. A Chicago exchange speaks as follows of a performance of the opera in that city: "Millocker, who wrote 'The Beggar Student' and 'The Black Hussar,' is responsible for the three-act operetta, 'The Maid of Belleville,' played last night at the Casino. The music is just what one would expect—it is bright, jestingly sentimental and well written. 'The Maid of Belleville,' as presented last night, is undoubtedly a most enjoyable affair. The company is vivacious and tireless in its endeavors to please. Its numbers, moreover, three or four well-established artists. The opera has a number of catchy airs and is pleasant throughout. The audience was large and well pleased." Matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

The Wilbur Opera Company commences a week's engagement at the Toronto to-night, the opening piece being "The Merry War." In speaking of the company and the opera, the Syracuse Standard says: "To say that the Wilbur Opera Company scored a success at the Grand Opera house last night in Strauss' charming opera, 'The Merry War,' would be putting it mild. A more enthusiastic audience has seldom been seen in this city. All the beautiful and catchy music of this delightful opera was charmingly rendered. The piece is full of those well-known waltz movements for which Strauss is so celebrated." There will be the usual Wednesday and Saturday matinees.

The popular concert on Saturday night was the best attended of the series, almost all the seats in Shaftesbury Hall being taken up. The band of the Dominion Organ and Piano Company played several pleasing selections. Madame Filiatre sult, a soprano from Montreal, was especially good, as was also Mr. W. E. Ramsay, the talented young elocutionist. The accompanists were Madame Belanger and Mr. J. Lee. An unusually good program, under the direction of Mr. J. Churchill Arlidge, is prepared for next Saturday. The Dominion Band left for Bowmanville last night.

Honorary members of the Choral Society are reminded of the society's concert to-morrow evening. The final rehearsal will be held at the Pavilion to-night, when the full orchestra and soloists will be present and to which the general public will be admitted after 7.15 on payment of 25c at the door.

The Toronto Musical Union will give its first concert at Horticultural Pavilion Tuesday, March 1. Mr. J. W. Harrison, organist of the Jarvis-street Baptist Church is conductor of the Union and will produce Sir Arthur Sullivan's sacred cantata "The Prodigal Son," the second part of the entertainment being miscellaneous. Miss Agnes Huntington, contralto, Mr. Thos. Norris of Boston, and Mr. E. W. Schuch of Toronto will be among the soloists.

Four operatic and theatrical combinations were on the platform at Union Station last night: the "Maid of Belleville" Company, which opens at the Grand to-night; Charles Gardner's "Karl the Pedlar" Company, en route for Montreal; Stetson's Opera Company, en route for Rochester; and the Corinne Company, bound for Scranton, Pa. The Wilbur Opera Company will arrive here this morning.

TAKEN TO AN INSANE ASYLUM.

Scandal Drives Rev. O. J. Booth of Buffalo To Drink.

BUFFALO N.Y., Feb. 13.—The following item in a Sunday paper of this city will cause much regret to many friends in Canada of the Rev. Mr. Booth, formerly of St. Catharines, but lately of the Church of the Ascension in this city: "The Rev. Oliver J. Booth, the beloved and admired rector of the Church of the Ascension in Buffalo has, with his own consent, been taken to the Utica Insane Asylum, on the certificates of Drs. Coakly, Wyckoff and Granger, who pronounced the reverend gentleman incapable of restraining an intense craving for stimulants."

THE CRISIS IN ITALY.

It is Thought Senor Depretis will be Asked to Form a Ministry.

ROME, Feb. 12.—The Opinione says King Humbert has asked Count Du Robilant, Minister of Foreign Affairs in the Cabinet which has resigned, to form a Ministry. It is not believed that he will accept the commission. It is thought more probable that Signor Depretis, the Prime Minister of the retiring Government, will finally be entrusted with the task. The Italian press violently attacks Count Du Robilant and find plenty of stimulus in the articles against him published in the German and Austrian papers.

Notes from the 'Varsity.

Arrangements are being made for an intercollegiate debate between the students of University and Knox Colleges.

Before University College Literary and Scientific Society Friday night Mr. Des Barres read an essay on the Prohibition movement. He confessed the Scott Act was a failure, Halton reports notwithstanding. Government did not enforce it. Despite Mr. Blake's opinion to the contrary, Mr. Des Barres believes the time is fully ripe for the enactment of a prohibitory law.

The members of University College Literary and Scientific Society decided at their last debate that the fishery troubles would neither tend towards the severance of British connection nor towards a union with the United States. So the Dominion is safe.

Dr. Schaff, the celebrated Biblical scholar and editor, will shortly visit the Toronto Baptist College.

A paper on the "Wages Theory" was read by Mr. Garvin at the Thursday afternoon meeting of the University College Historical and Political Science Association. The subject for the next meeting is "Federation" to be discussed by President Houston and Mr. Stratton.

The Cor Ingeniorum Literary Society in connection with the Baptist College, held its second public meeting Friday night, with Rev. J. Denovan in the chair. There was instrumental and vocal music. Mr. E. O. Sliter read an essay on "Socrates" and the value of metaphysics and classics in a college course was debated.

The Vote on Parnell's Amendment.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The close of the debate on the Parnell amendment was comparatively tame. Mr. Bright was absent. All the Conservatives and 63 Unionists, including Messrs. Chamberlain and Collings, voted with the majority, and 80 Parnellites and the bulk of the Liberals, including 17 members of Mr. Gladstone's Government, with the minority. There was much cheering but little enthusiasm, the result being a foregone conclusion.

The Post, commenting on the defeat of the amendment, says: "The majority against the amendment ratifies the country's mandate, and the Government may now proceed with full assurance of power and support."

Liquor in a Candy Shop.

The ostensible confectionery business carried on at 146 King-street west by Mrs. John has not blinded the police as to the true character of the place. From the character of the frequenters, the police judged that liquor was illegally sold, and accordingly Inspector Stephen, Detective Cuddy, Sergeant Hall and Constable Black visited the premises Saturday night, and seized three dozen bottles of ale and a quantity of gin and whisky. A portion of the liquors was found in an upper room the door of which was locked and had to be burst open.

He Plotted Against the American Consul.

TANGIERS, Feb. 12.—The Government has arrested a Moor named Halloo who, instigated by conspirators who aspired to the control of the American consulate, was compelled to prefer spurious charges against the Consul. Halloo was sent in chains to Fez. He is charged with embezzlement and murder.

Jacobini's Successor.

PARIS, Feb. 12.—L'Univers (newspaper) announces that the Papal Nuncio at Madrid, Mgr. Rampolla del Tindaro, has been appointed Pontifical Secretary, succeeding Cardinal Jacobini.

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BIRTHS.

LENNOX—On Saturday Feb. 12, at No. 459 Sherbourne-street, the wife of E. J. Lennox, architect, of a daughter.

DEATHS.

HASKIN.—In this city on Sunday, 13th inst., of gastric fever, Albert E. Haskin, aged 34. Funeral notice hereafter.

SMYTH—Very suddenly, at his home in Belleville, on Sunday, the 6th inst., L. M. Smyth, an old resident of that city, universally respected and esteemed by a large circle of relatives and friends, in his 57th year, and brother of W. J. Smyth, Manager of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of this city.

BROWN—On Sunday, 13th February, at 69 Czar-street, Toronto, Thomas Henry, eldest son of Thomas and Jennie Brown, aged 14 years, 11 months.

Funeral on Tuesday, 15th inst., at 3 p.m. to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

FULLJAMES.—At her late residence, 54 Yorkville-avenue, Mary Fulljames, relict of the late Henry Fulljames, aged 68 years.

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Tuesday, the First of March next, will be the last day for introducing Private Bills to the House.

Tuesday, the Fifteenth of March next, will be the last day for presenting Reports of Committees relative to Private Bills.

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Mr. Jury's Meetings.

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Public meetings in East Toronto will be held as follows:

Monday, Feb. 14—St. Lawrence Hall.
Tuesday, Feb. 15—Poulton's Hall, King-street, east of the Don.
Thursday, Feb. 17—St. Lawrence Hall.

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