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INCLINED TO BE UGLY.

Trouble in East Africa Between Portuguese and Germans.

The Newfoundland Fishery Dispute Becoming an Angry One.

Loss of 24 Lives by the Sinking of an English Vessel.

The Balfour-Zetland Irish Begging Scheme Deprecated—"King" Wilhelmina—Mrs. O'Shea's Brother Heared From.

Twenty-Four Persons Drowned.

PALERMO, Jan. 6.—An unknown English vessel, wheat laden, has foundered on the Sicilian coast and 24 of the persons aboard of her were drowned.

Early Dissolution of Parliament Probable.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Sir William Hart Dyke, Conservative M. P. for Dartford, has advised the local Conservative managers of Dartford to be ready for a dissolution of Parliament in the spring.

Trouble Between Portuguese and Germans.

ZANZIBAR, Jan. 6.—A dispute has arisen between the Germans and Portuguese in East Africa regarding the ownership of the coal mines in the Riouma district. The mines are situated on the boundary between the respective shores of the two powers.

Movements of Irish Leaders.

PARIS, Jan. 6.—Timothy Healy, John Barry and J. F. Xavier O'Brien, M. P.s, had a long interview with Wm. O'Brien previous to the latter's departure for Boulogne-sur-Mer.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Mr. Parnell, accompanied by his private secretary, Henry Campbell, Timothy D. Harrington and Vincent Scully, left this city for Folkestone on his way to Boulogne.

A New Submarine Gun.

ROME, Jan. 6.—A submarine gun, invented by Toselli, has just been submitted to a series of tests in Lake Como, which have proved highly successful. It was shown that the gun could be lowered to any depth desired, held stationary there and fired at will. The experiments were conducted under the auspices of the Italian Government, which intends to utilize the gun in the defense of the ports and bays of Italy.

Italy's Hope.

ROME, Jan. 6.—The crops in Italy the past year were the largest during many years, and a great impetus to Italian commerce is now predicted. The financial difficulties have extended, and stocks and bonds of nearly all kinds have greatly declined. The bonds of the Government, however, have maintained their accustomed value. An Italian steel and tin plate manufacturing company, with a capital of $800,000, has been formed, and expects to reap large profits in supplying 30,000,000 people.

An Angry Dispute.

PARIS, Jan. 6.—The Temps says: "The Newfoundland fisheries dispute has become an angry one. It would not be surprising if President Harrison and his Cabinet sought therein a diversion from internal politics by finding an excuse for an appeal to American jingoism."

The Republique Francaise, commenting on the alleged American intrigues to annex Newfoundland, says it doubts whether the Washington Government, however is anxious to eliminate European powers from the new world, can consent to accept a heritage so embarrassing as the French shore fisheries.

Mrs. O'Shea's Brother.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—It is stated that Gen. Sir Evelyn Wood took occasion on New Year's eve to resent a slighting remark made in his hearing by a well-known military officer, regarding his sister, Mrs. O'Shea, and that but for a prompt apology on the part of the offender serious results might have followed. The negotiations for the settlement of the will dispute between Mrs. O'Shea on the one hand and the general and other relatives on the other are undoubtedly in progress, although not yet completed.

Russian Hatred of the Hebrews.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 7.—Whole villages of Jews are being depopulated on the pretense that they are within forbidden distance of the frontier, and in some instances the villages are not really within the 50 versts. A Jewish father has been fined because his son did not appear for conscription, the son having died when an infant many years before. The estates which the Jews are compelled to abandon are being obtained by land speculators for a mere song. It is said that the letter of the Czarina to the Princess of Wales earnestly advises, as a matter of prudence and in the interest of humanity, English non-interference in Russia's policy toward the Jews.

Behring Sea Dispute.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The Press Association says: Lord Salisbury is considering the 40-page dispatch received from Mr. Blaine, Dec. 30—the latest dispatch received from Washington. It does not contain a definite acceptance of Lord Salisbury's proposals for arbitration on the main question—that of the right of British sealers to catch seal in the Behring Sea. Mr. Blaine discusses only the subsidiary point—arbitration on the time of closing the sealing. The Press Association adds that Mr. Blaine has not replied to Sir Julian Pauncefote's note of June last, in which the latter says her Majesty's Government must hold the Government of the United States responsible for the consequences arising from acts of interference with British vessels contrary to the principles of international law. The Press Association also states that no preparations have been made to augment the British fleet in the North Pacific Ocean, as such a step might be regarded as a menace.

Balfour Passes the Hat.

DUBLIN, Jan. 6.—The Dublin Freeman's Journal says: "The Earl of Zetland and Mr. Balfour have begun to pass around the hat to obtain funds to purchase food and clothing for the suffering portion of the population of Ireland. It is their intention to make the removable police magistrates the relieving officers, who will distribute the contributions forwarded to the castle in answer to the appeal of the Viceroy and Chief Secretary. Dublin Castle, for the present, is to be transformed into a sort of drygoods store, with a soup kitchen attached. Mr. Balfour now thinks he sees a favorable chance of cutting into the popular feelings. But the country will be disappointed if the indignation of the people fails to find unequivocal expression. If the distress is so bad as to call for the action of the Government, then it is by the Government that it ought to be relieved, and not by the begging box."

Irish Affairs.

DUBLIN, Jan. 7.—It is stated that the funds of the Irish Parliamentary party now in the hands of Munroe & Co., the Paris bankers, amount to only £8,400, of which £1,200 is in cash and the remainder in United States 4 per cent. bonds. These funds were formerly deposited in the sole name of the late Joseph G. Biggar. The executors of Mr. Biggar's estate have renounced the custody of the money, and it is said Munroe & Co. are prepared to pay over the funds to Messrs. Dillon, J. F. Xavier O'Brien and Clancy when they have come to an agreement.

Michael Davitt has tendered his resignation as a member of the National Club. It is announced that Parnell and Harrington are seeking an election to the club.

A dispatch from Boulogne-sur-Mer says: "Mr. Parnell had a consultation with Mr. O'Brien immediately after his arrival here. The consultation lasted two hours. The other members of Parliament in the party were then invited to join the conference. The conference is to be continued to-day."

It is announced that Parnell will address a meeting of his supporters at Limerick on Sunday next. It is expected large crowds from all the adjacent counties will be there. It is believed the speech will be of a most important character.

Holiday Gifts.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The Queen at this season always makes a large donation to those of Windsor who are not well off. This takes of the form of beef and coal, and during the holidays which have just passed joints of beef of from three to seven pounds weight have been distributed, the size varying in accordance with the number of those who constitute the family. The total weight of these joints was a ton and a half. The other half of the gift, consisting of coal, is delivered at the houses of the recipients—so many sacks per family—and in this way 60 tons have been distributed.

Baron Rothschild has a curious fancy in regard to his new year's presents. He has a special regard for the drivers of omnibuses. The Baron lives in Piccadilly, and hundreds of buses pass his door every day, and he sends a brace of pheasants to each of them, who thus are enabled to enjoy a delicacy which would otherwise be quite beyond their means. In this way he distributes about 1,000 birds.

Mr. Shoobred, of coaching fame, also has a regard for these drivers of the public vehicles, and gives each of them five shillings. This is his method of acknowledging the indulgences shown by the busses of Piccadilly to the four-in-hand during the coaching season.

"King" Wilhelmina.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The British Parliament has had made for it in the past the claim that it could do anything excepting convert a woman into a man. This has hitherto been accepted as the solitary unattainable and unaccomplishable feat to that august body. It has remained for the High Court of Amsterdam to do what no other body of human beings has reliably done before. And the High Court has done it by deciding that all officials and public servants shall take their oath of allegiance not to Queen Wilhelmina but to King Wilhelmina. This extraordinary and physically revolutionary decision has caused a small cyclone of indignation. The women are all up in arms and denounce the act as an outrage and as another blow at the long-suffering sex. The press has taken up the cry and call attention to the lack of common sense in the thing, and talks with the density of law-makers who cannot tell a woman from a man or a shirt from a smock. But the High Court is made up of independent and phlegmatic Dutchmen who now, having passed the law, are not disposed to rescind it, and the chances of the lady being recognized officially as such are very meager.

In the Theatrical World.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Mr. Charles Santley, the celebrated baritone, arrived home this week and will remain in England until he leaves in March for his American tours. In the meantime, in spite of many offers, he will accept no engagements to appear in concerts or oratorios.

One of the most interesting artistic landmarks of the London of our fathers is at last to succumb to the inevitable. Her Majesty's Theater is to be torn down. The home of opera since the beginning of the eighteenth century is to be demolished. Where Mara, Caffarelli, Crescentini, Farinelli, Pasta, Grisi, Rubini, Tamburini, Mario and Lablache sang as no one sings now will be no more the home of song. Fashion has deserted her former haunt. Her Majesty's Theater does not pay.

Financial Failures.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6.—The Rhodes Manufacturing Company assigned yesterday. The company made electric motors. Its paid up capital was $170,000. Liabilities and assets unknown.

The Mutual Guarantee Fire Insurance Company of Clinton, Iowa, has assigned. Liabilities $50,000.

Carrying Canadian Cattle.

MONTREAL, Jan. 6.—The investigation into the condition of the Canadian cattle trade opened yesterday morning in the office of the Harbor Commissioners. W. H. Smith, Deputy Minister of Marine, presided. The testimony went to show that the losses of this season were due to the exceptionally heavy weather and that the ships themselves were in a high state of efficiency for carrying cattle.

Fifty Years' Experience have tested the virtues of DR. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, and it is now generally acknowledged to be the best remedy extant for pulmonary and lung diseases, including consumption. Were it not for its merits, it would long since have "died and made no sign."

Don't miss hearing the great explorer tonight in Queen's Avenue Church. Some good seats yet at $1, $1 50 and $2. b

Sewing machines repaired and guaranteed to work as good as new by Wm. Smith, practical repairer, 286 Dundas street, next to Fulcher's livery. ywt

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Our Inducements—a good article at a fair price. It is a well known and indisputable fact that the celebrated and popular brands of cigars "Cable," "Mungo," "El Padre" and "Madre E Hijo," have lost none of their original excellence, Over a quarter of a century in the market. Millions of each brand sold annually. FACTS which speak for themselves. S. DAVIS & SONS, Montreal. 23tfxt

THE WORLD OF WORK.

Scotch Railway Strikers Evicted from the Companies' Houses.

A Glasgow dispatch says: "Seventy policemen, backed by hussars, yesterday evicted the strikers from houses belonging to the railroad companies. Many distressing scenes were witnessed. Much suffering seems in store for the families of the strikers. The evictions were generally allowed to proceed. Some houses, however, were barricaded against the evictors, and when battered upon were found crowded with people, who refused to retire, and were forcibly ejected. A few stones were thrown and there were outbursts of hooting and jeering at the officers from onlookers. While a number of miners were returning from Motherwell, where the Caledonian Railway Company recently attempted to evict some of its striking employes from their homes, they sacked a shop in the village of Blantyre, eight miles from here. The men acted riotously, and the authorities summoned military aid to quell the disturbance. It is feared the miners' sympathy with the strikers will introduce a turbulent element into what was hitherto a comparatively orderly movement.

The disturbances caused by the evictions of the railroad strikers from the quarters provided for them by the railroad companies have not yet ceased in spite of the presence of large forces of police backed up by troops. Serious rioting was resumed today (Tuesday) at Coalbridge, nine miles from Glasgow on the Motkland Canal the chief center of iron manufacture in Scotland. They mustered at an early hour about the dormitory at Coalbridge occupied by the non-union men who have been employed in place of the strikers. After pelting the building with stones the rioters made a rush forward and stormed it. The police on duty at that spot used their batons freely, charging the strikers in spite of showers of stones hurled at them. During the conflict a number of police and a still greater number of strikers were more or less seriously injured. The rioters were finally repulsed, just as strong reinforcements of police and troops were being sent to the scene of the collision.

POLITICAL POINTS.

Sir Richard Cartwright will speak at Aylmer, Elgin county, on the 15th inst., and at St. Thomas on the 16th.

The petition and cross-petition in the Muskoka election case were dismissed by the court yesterday.

Mr. Elias Boughner has been nominated for the Legislature by the North Nortolk Conservatives.

Mr. John Charlton, M.P. for North Norfolk, gave a comprehensive and forcible address on "Reciprocity" before the Toronto Young Liberal Club Monday night.

EPPS'S COCOA — GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately-flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly-nourished frame."—[Civil Service Gazette. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Sold only in packets, by grocers, labeled—"JAMES EPPS & Co., Homœopathic Chemists, London, Eng." zyx

"Are you going to hear Stanley tonight?" "No; tickets are too high." "Yes, but you can get there for $1 now; good seats." "Well, let's go." b

Big Fire at Fergus.

FERGUS, Ont., Jan. 7.—John Black's elevator and a large hay barn adjoining it were burned to the ground yesterday with all the contents. There were about 25,000 bushels of grain, principally wheat, in the elevator, while the hay barn contained some 60 tons of hay. Mr. Black will be a very heavy loser. Insurance not known. Loss estimated from $20,000 to $30,000.

Death of a Faithful Mission Worker.

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—On the first Sabbath of the new year at the Old Folks' Home, 221 Elizabeth street, passed away Mrs. Hermon, who since the forming of the mission has been one of the most faithful workers in connection with it, but for the last four years more intimately as matron of the Old Folks' Home. The friends of the union deeply regret the loss of one whose place it will be hard to fill.

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—The cattle inquiry was continued yesterday. It is believed that cattlemen from outside points will attend, as the evidence adduced appears to be sufficient to warrant the belief that no steps can justly be taken to restrict the trade. The day was spent in listening to the evidence of the cattlemen, and while they admitted that theoretically something might be done to improve the condition, they held that every precaution had already been taken. Mr. Bickerdike continued his evidence, and Mr. Cunningham followed. Mr. Bickerdike dwelt upon the importance of the trade, and said that if it were prohibited it would tend to force Canada into annexation with the United States. Mr. Coughlin agreed in all particulars with Mr. Bickerdike, and recommended union stock yards and proper inspection. Mr. Acer followed in the same strain, and the session concluded with the evidence of Mr. J. X. Perrault. Mr. John A. Ogilvie had crossed the Atlantic for 45 years and he had never seen any cruelty to cattle.

Tally Ho! Stable.

This stable still maintains its good name for turning out a first class livery of all descriptions to suit the public. In the stable are two fine Tandems to let with or without drivers, also a fine buss for sleighing parties. J. FULCHER, proprietor. Telephone 678.

No Humbug.—In connection with my Christmas stock I have a large consignment of samples of fancy goods (no two alike), which I will sell at the wholesale prices. You can secure a genuine bargain if you will call and examine goods and inquire prices. Xmas cards in great variety and very cheap. Pictures, picture frames, boxes of oil and water color paints—all suitable for Xmas presents and very cheap at E. N. HUNT'S, 190 Dundas street.

A $2 bromide given away with each dozen cabinets at Norton's, corner Dundas and Richmond street. Tintypes, four for 50 cents ywt

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

THE DAY'S HAPPENINGS.

Chronicled and Summarized for Busy Readers.

Sudden Death of the Registrar of Victoria—Lepers at Large—Phenomenal Snow Storms in Germany.

CANADIAN.

Sir John Macdonald will celebrate his 76th birthday next Sunday.

Mr. John Black's elevator at Fergus station was burned yesterday.

The South Lanark Farmers' Institute meetings at Perth were very successful.

The Montreal General Hospital has received a donation of $5,000 from an unnamed source.

Mr. Hartley Dunsford, for a great many years registrar of the county of Victoria, died yesterday.

From returns furnished by the immigration office it appears that the arrivals at Montreal were 8,589, an increase of 658 over last year.

The Canadian Pacific decided not to agree to the proposal to raise grain rates from Manitoba to the seaboard, and there will therefore be no increase.

Arrangements have been made for the induction of Rev. G. A. Turnbull, of St. Marys, into the pastorate of the West Presbyterian Church, Toronto, on Jan. 20.

John Lennox, an old resident of Percy township, Hastings, dropped dead in the Clarendon House, Hastings, yesterday. The cause of death is supposed to have been apoplexy.

A bylaw submitted to the ratepayers of the township of Mersea on Monday, asking for a bonus of $5,000 in aid of the Lake Erie, Essex and Detroit Railway, was defeated by a majority of 92.

The cotton mill combine has been completed by the Dominion cotton mills taking possession of the Hochelaga mills. The output of all the mills now owned by the company is estimated at $3,225,000 a year, and practically covers the whole business in Canada.

The steamer Harlow, which started to force her way through the ice to the Magdalen Islands, in order to bring the crew of the wrecked American schooner Admiral to the mainland, has been successful. She has the crew of another wrecked vessel also on board.

Dr. Smith, superintendent of the Lazaretto of Tracadie, is still having trouble with alleged leprosy cases. It is stated that well-known victims of the malady are still at large near Englishtown. "All of these, except one," according to the Island Reporter's correspondent, "move about the neighborhood, and come in contact with those who are not affected." At the Agricultural Department, Ottawa, the opinion is held that leprosy is not infectious, but hereditary, and can only be propagated by intermarriages.

UNITED STATES.

The new Legislature of the State of New York opened its first session yesterday.

The new Legislature of Nebraska organized yesterday, the Farmers' Alliance having a clear majority and electing the temporary officers.

F. Y. Byrnes, a farmer aged 24 years, of Mexico, Mo., cut his young wife's throat early yesterday morning and then killed himself. Insanity.

A Pan Handle passenger train last night, a mile faom Coshocton, ran into two hand cars containing 22 workmen. John Curan and Robt. Davis, of Steubenville, O., were instantly killed; Silas Burgess, of Alleghany, was fatally injured. The other men saved their lives by jumping.

FOREIGN.

All paper currency in Uruguay is to be redeemed by July 1.

The republican agitation in Spain is causing alarm in Madrid.

Nicholas, Duke of Leuchtenberg, died at Paris yesterday, aged 48.

A French torpedo boat has gone ashore at Cherbourg, and is stuck fast.

The monk known as Fr. Pasquale died yesterday in Casertini monastery at Naples, aged 110 years.

Dr. Owen Thomas, of Liverpool, the famous specialist, is dead. He was recently elected a member of the New York Orthopedic Society.

It is said that the Pope is negotiating with England, by Cardinal Rampolio, for the appointment of an English ambassador to the Vatican.

According to the Dublin Express Mr. Gladstone has written a letter to a friend in which he expresses the fear that his public and political life is at an end.

A South African dispatch says that there is an enormous increase in the output of gold at Johannesburg, and that the fields there seem to be the richest in the world.

The Chinese Imperial authorities are bringing to justice the murderers of Christians in Szschuen. The ringleader had both his ears cut off, and was exposed in a cage for three days without food, when he died.

A snow storm, phenomenal in its severity, prevails throughout North Germany. Railways are blocked, and in many instances trains are embedded in the snow. On all the railways in Mecklenburg and Brunswick traffic is more or less impeded by the snow.

Angostura Bitters are the best remedy for removing indigestion and all diseases originating from the digestive organs. Beware of counterfeits. Ask for the genuine article, manufactured by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

Mr. Job Scales, of Toronto, writes: "A short time ago I was suffering from Kidney Complaint and Dyspepsia, sour stomach and lame back; in fact, I was completely prostrated and suffering intense pain. While in this state a friend recommended me to try a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. I used one bottle, and the permanent manner in which it has cured and made a new man of me is such that I cannot withhold from the proprietors this expression of my gratitude."

Mr. J. R. Allen, upholsterer, Toronto sends us the following: "For six or seven years my wife suffered with Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Inward Piles and Kidney Complaint. We tried two physicians and any number of medicines without getting any relief, until we got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. This was the first relief she got, and before one bottle was used the benefit she derived from it was beyond our expectation."

THE INDIAN TROUBLE.

More Troops Ordered to the Scene—Hostiles Surrendering to Gen. Miles.

FORT TOTTEN, N. D., Jan. 6.—Rumors are current that the 3,500 Indians on the reservation are liable at any moment to inaugurate a massacre of settlers living on the North Dakota border. This band of red men, among whom there are a large number of half-breeds have been discontented for a long time because of their half starved condition. There are only 100 soldiers here.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 6.—Gen. Gibbons has received orders from Washington to have two companies of the Fifth Artillery, and two companies of the Fourth Cavalry hold themselves in readiness to start at once for the scene of the Indian troubles in Dakota.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6.—Gen. Schofield has received the following telegram from Gen. Miles, dated Pine Ridge, Jan. 5: "In answer to a communication that I sent to the hostile camp yesterday, saying that five men could come in and learn what I expected them to do, the following named men came in: Big Road, He Dog, Little Hawk, Jack Red Cloud and High Hawk. The first three surrendered to me on the Yellowstone in 1887. The prospects are at present favorable that the whole camp may surrender, but I do not wish to anticipate. There are no changes in the condition of the troops."

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 7.—Specials from camp near Wounded Knee give particulars of another engagement which took place there Monday. A detachment of 30 men had been sent from camp to meet a wagon train with supplies for the camp, and when ten miles out the wagons were found besieged by a band of 100 Indians. On seeing the troops approaching the redskins scattered, but immediately returned to the attack on finding the small number of men in the detachment. A courier was sent to the camp for reinforcements, but in the meantime an incessant fire was kept up on both sides, resulting in the wounding of one soldier and the killing and wounding of several Indians, the exact number of whom could not be ascertained, as the reds carried their dying and wounded away. About three hours after the courier's departure troops were seen coming at full gallop to the rescue. As the troops rode up the Indians scattered in all directions, and troop "E" pursued them, but abandoned the chase on account of darkness.

A Pine Ridge dispatch says: There are not enough troops here. A battle is expected every day with the Indiands, and it will be one of the hardest in the annals of Indian warfare. The troops have the Indians surrounded on the east and west and north, and an attack will drive them into the agency, where the main battle must be fought. The enemy number over 4,000 men, women and children, with half that many to attack us in the rear.

Another telegram from Pine Ridge says: Everything now points to a battle between the hostiles and the friendly Indians, who desire to leave the hostile camp and come to the agency. Red Cloud has signified his desire to return to the agency, but he is nearly blind, and no one will volunteer to lead him in, for the Brules threaten death to the first person that attempts to desert the hostile band. The older Indians want to come in, but the young bucks insist on fighting. The cordon of troops is drawing tighter around the hostiles. The hostiles are on guard night and day. Fires are being burned at night to prevent anyone from escaping from their camps. Gen. Miles has sent a peace commission to the hostiles. If they still refuse to come in their camp will be bombarded. Machine and shell guns are being placed on all sides of the camp for this purpose.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Captain Huggins, in charge of the army headquarters here, tonight expressed the opinion that decisive operations at the scene of the Indian troubles were at hand. The situation has now become such, apparently, that a definite move to end the present crisis should be delayed not more than a day or two.

Three Children Frozen to Death.

HUTCHINSON, Kas., Jan. 7.—New Year's day three small children of M. G. Bell, a farmer living in Barber county, strayed away from home and got lost in the snow. Their bodies have been found. The children were frozen to death.

A Rich Colored Girl.

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 6.—Judge Leake, in the Chancery Court, has handed down a decision in the celebrated case of Bettie Thomas Lewis (colored), who claimed the estate of her white father, W. A. Thomas, deceased, valued at $240,000. The court held the colored girl was entitled to property. The case will be taken to the Supreme Court.

Doctored Himself and Died.

WINDSOR MILLS, Que., Jan. 6.—Dr. Tremblay, on Saturday in the dark took a dose of poison in mistake for a preparation for asthma, from which he suffered. He tried every means to counteract the poison, but failed, after which he went to a priest, made his confession, received the sacrament, made his will and then went home and died in great agony in the presence of his young wife and three children.

Much-Governed Montana.

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 6.—Yesterday was the date set for the meeting of the Legislature and three bodies of men met in as many different places and organized three branches of the Montana Legislature. As the Democrats have the Senator and Governor this year, where last year the Senate was a tie, they rather have the best of it if the matter goes to the Supreme Court. The belief is pretty general that some compromise may be made.

Bounced!

OTTAWA, Jan. 6.—Mr. G. C. Hartley, of Grenville, has been relieved of his duties as assistant superintendent of the Grenville and Carillon canal. When the inquiry before Mr. A. F. Wood, M.P.P., took place during the summer no evidence was forthcoming to show that Mr. Hartley was aware of Forbes' peculations, but it was proven that Hartley had been drawing pay for some time on account of a young son who had never done a stroke of work on the canal. Hartley's contention was that Forbes told him to return young Hartley as an employe on the canal, the amount to go to Hartley senior in lieu of house rent. In view of this the department had no alternative but to dispense with Hartley's services.

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TORONTO LETTER.

South Dakota Divorces Don't Go—Narrow Escape from Death.

TORONTO, Wednesday, Jan. 7.

Henry M. Armstrong, a paper hanger, was charged in the Police Court yesterday with the non-support of his wife. He is a Canadian, who about twenty years ago married a Louisville, Ky., girl while living in that city. He returned to Canada with his wife, and when he proposed again living in the States she refused. He has since lived alone in the United States, and on May 10 last secured a divorce from her on the ground of desertion, and received the custody of their three children. The mother got hold of one of the children and this brought Armstrong back to Toronto, where he was immediately arrested on the above charge. He produced a copy of the divorce certificate, but the magistrate said he would pay no attention to it, save taking it as evidence that Armstrong did not intend to support her. The case was adjourned until the 15th, the magistrate advising the wife not to surrender the custody of her child without an order from the Canadian court.

John Thompson, for knocking over a waxwork figure of Queen Victoria, valued at $800, belonging to Robinson's Musee, was fined $10 and costs or 30 days at the Police Court.

Alex. Darwend, of Little York, was crossing the track in his wagon at the cowbyres at Gooderham's distillery yesterday, when the wagon was struck by a shunting engine and smashed to pieces. Fortunately Darwend escaped with a few bruises and a bad shaking up.

The two cases inoculated with Dr. Koch's lymph at the hospital on Monday afternoon are under close supervision and are progressing favorably.

Somewhat of a sensation has been caused in local social reform circles over an incident arising out of the coming visit to Toronto of the Rev. Father Huntington, of New York. Father Huntington is an eminent clergyman of the Episcopalian Church, the son of the Bishop of Central New York, and has devoted his life to the work of the mission of the Holy Cross, an order specially formed to minister to the poor and outcast in the slums of New York. He will preach on social problems in St. Margaret's Church on Sunday, the 18th, and on Tuesday, the 20th, he will lecture in the Auditorium under the auspices of the Single Tax Association. Rev. J. S. Moore, rector of St. Margaret's, suggested to a number of his brother clergymen that as Father Huntington would remain in Toronto over Sunday, the 25th, it would be a good thing to ask him to preach in one or two other churches. The story goes that he met with emphatic refusals because of Father Huntington's position on social questions.

The second assembly of the season under the auspices of the officers of the Grenadiers came off with great success at Webb's rooms last evening. There was a large and brilliant gathering of the flower of the youth and fashion of Toronto.

The York Pioneers.

TORONTO, Jan. 7.—The York Pioneers met yesterday afternoon at the Canadian Institute with the president, Rev. Dr. Scadding, in the chair. Mr. Wm. Rennie moved a resolution, which was passed, protesting against the change in the name of Grenadier Pond to Howard Lake. Mr. Rennie suggested that instead of holding the annual excursion this summer they should celebrate the anniversary by having a grand meeting of pioneers from all over the Province assemble in this city and have speeches in the park. These gentlemen were elected members of the society: Dr. Hunter, Lennonville; George Elliott, Guelph; J. E. Bailey and G. H. Howland, Toronto.

Vigor and Vitality

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MEETINGS.

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THERE WILL BE A TEMPERANCE demonstration in the Salvation Army Barracks Thursday night, Jan. 8, 1891, also a public enrollment of recruits and 300 years of drunkenness and crime publicly exhibited by able speakers. Everybody welcome; silver collection at the door. 30u

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—IN THE MATTER of George Page Angus of the city of London, in the county of Middlesex. —Notice is hereby given that the above-named George Page Angus has made an assignment to me, under the provisions of chapter 26 of 48 Victoria, Ontario Statutes, of all his estate and effects in trust for the benefit of all his creditors. A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby convened, and will be held at the law offices of Gibbons, McNab & Mulkern, London, on Monday, the 12th day of January, A. D. 1891, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate. All creditors of the said estate are hereby required to file their claims with my solicitors, Gibbons, McNab & Mulkern, London (as directed by the said statute), on or before the day of such meeting. After 15th February next I shall proceed to distribute the said estate, having regard only to such claims as I shall have notice of, and I shall not be responsible for the assets of the said estate or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim or claims shall not have been filed. Dated January 5, A.D., 1891. GIBBONS, MCNAB & MULKERN, Solicitors for Trustee, London. C. B. ARMSTRONG, Trustee. 30u

EXECUTORS' NOTICE – NOTICE IS hereby given pursuant to chapter 110, section 36, Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1887, that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the late John Irwin, in his lifetime of the township of Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, yeoman, who died on or about the 25th day of November, 1890, are required on or before the 20th day of January, A.D. 1891, to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned executor, Frederick Irwin, whose postoffice address is Crumlin P.O., Ontario, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their account duly verified, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them. And that the undersigned will, on and after the 25th day of January, 1891, proceed to distribute the assets of said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they have then notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets of the testator or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose claims they have not notice at the time of such distribution. FREDERICK IRWIN, THOMAS IRWIN, executors; or FITZGERALD & GLASS, their solicitors. Dated a London this 27th December, 1890. 25c x 6c

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—NOTICE IS hereby given, pursuant to section 36, chapter 110, Revised Statutes of Ontario, that all persons having claims against the estate of Roderick McKenzie, late of the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, gentleman, deceased, who died on or about the 9th day of December, A.D. 1890, are to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned, solicitors for the estate, on or before the 12th day of January, 1891, a statement containing their names and addresses, and full particulars of their claims, and of the securities (if any) held by them; and that after the said last mentioned date, the executor of the said estate will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been received as above required, and that the said executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received at the time of such distribution. Dated at London this 23rd day of December, 1890. FRASER & FRASER, Solicitors for Executor. 19c x

WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION —by W. Y. Brunton, at his rooms, Dundas street, London, on Friday, the 9th day of January, 1891, at 3 p.m., the stock in trade of David Watt, of Watford, consisting of:

General drygoods	$1,485 59
Hats and caps	159 32
Millinery	375 47
Groceries	170 59
Shop furniture	181 00
Total	$2,372 17

Terms—One quarter cash down at time of sale, balance, two, four and six months, approved security with interest at 7 per cent. per annum. Stock lists on the premises and with Messrs. Gibbons, McNab & Mulkern, trustee's solicitors, London. C. B. ARMSTRONG, trustee. 27 td

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MECHANICS' INSTITUTE – THE ANNUAL sale of the magazines and newspapers, will take place in the reading room, on Friday evening, Jan. 9, at 8 o'clock. 31c

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—NOTICE IS hereby given, pursuant to section 36, chapter 110, Revised Statutes of Ontario, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of James Durand, late of the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, esquire, deceased, who died on or about the 13th day of November, A.D. 1890, are to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned, solicitors for Andrew Durand and George D. Cameron, executors of the estate of the said deceased, on or before the 12th day of January, 1891, a statement containing their names and addresses, and full particulars of their claims, and of the securities (if any) held by them; and that after the last-mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been received as above required; and that the said executors will not be liable for said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received at the time of such distribution. Dated at London this 23rd day of December, 1890. FRASER & FRASER, Solicitors for Executors. 19c x

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—IN THE MATTER of John C. Reeves, of the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, Merchant. Notice is hereby given that the above named John C. Reeves, has made an assignment to me under the provisions of chapter 26 of 48 Victoria, Ontario Statutes, of all his estate and effects in trust for the benefit of all his creditors. A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby convened and will be held at the law offices of Gibbons, McNab & Mulkern, London, on Wednesday, the 14th day of January, A.D., 1891, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate. All creditors of the said estate are hereby required to file their claims with my solicitors, Gibbons, McNab & Mulkern, London (as directed by the said statute), on or before the day of such meeting. After 15th February next, I shall proceed to distribute the said estate, having regard only to such claims as I shall have notice of; and I shall not be responsible for the assets of the said estate or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claim or claims shall not have been filed. Dated Jan. 6, A.D., 1891. GIBBONS, MCNAB & MULKERN, Solicitors for Trustee, London. C. B. ARMSTRONG, Trustee. 31u

WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION at the auction rooms of W. Y. Brunton & Son, Dundas street, London, on Wednesday, the 14th day of January, 1891, at 3 o'clock p.m. The stock in trade of D. Suhler, of Sarnia, and Point Edward, consisting of:

Tweeds and overcoatings	$1,736 01
Trimmings and furnishings	402 31
Clothing	495 50
Shop furniture	135 40
Total	$2,769 22

Terms—One quarter cash down at time of sale, balance in two, four and six months, approved security, with interest at 7 per cent. per annum. Stock lists on premises and with GIBBONS, MCNAB & MULKERN, London.

Also at the same time and place the stock of Geo. P. Angus, 208 Dundas street, London, consisting of:

Gents' furnishings	$433 46
Shop furniture	112 37
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BURNED BUILDINGS.

OTTAWA, Ohio, Jan. 6.—Fire at Columbus Grove, this county, on Saturday did considerable injury to property. It took place in the center of the town, and swept away a livery stable barn, art gallery and other business houses and dwellings, burning half the business part of the place; in all 25 buildings. Total estimated loss, $150,000. The insurance is unknown. The fire is supposed to be the work of incendiaries. The fire raged furiously from dark till next morning, but the people had nothing but water buckets with which to fight it.

AMHERSTBURG, Ont., Jan. 6.—A fire broke out in the old Burk building, corner of Gore and Seymore streets yesterday afternoon. It started in J. B. Filion's wall-paper store; stock completely ruined. Loss, $1,200. Delos R. Davis' law office was flooded, but the papers were saved. J. D. Burk's residence and furniture were also damaged to the amount of $500, fully insured. Loss on the Burk building, $500; also insured.

MEDICAL SCIENCE.

A Wonderful Discovery Which Will Benefit Thousands of Sufferers.

The civilized world has recently been deeply agitated over the announcement that Dr. Koch, and eminent German physician, had discovered a lymph for the cure of consumption. This discovery has been heralded throughout the world, and is looked upon as one of the greatest achievements of modern medical science. Of equal, if not greater importance, is a discovery made by a well-known Canadian druggist, which, while it does not pretend to cure consumption after the lungs had been affected, is offered with every confidence as a preventative of that disease. Medical testimony bears out the statement that more than two thirds of the cases of consumption, occurring in this country annually, are of catarrhal origin. The trouble begins with a cold in the head, which the sufferer treats as a light matter, and too frequently neglects. This in time invariably develops into catarrh; the mucous membrane becomes thickened, inflammed and hardened, and ther is a profuse discharge of watery and poisonous matter from the nostrils, or else the poisonous secretions become clogged and hardened. In either as e the breat is inhaled over this poisonous matter, and produces baleful results. The inflammation gradually extends to the bronchial tubes, and thence to the lungs, which, already poisoned and weakened by the foul breath inhaled, are ripe for that dread disease—consumption—which ends in death. A remedy that will prevent these disastrous consequences must be regarded as a boon to mankind, and, as already stated, such a remedy has been discovered by a Canadian druggist. There is no case of cold in the head which it will not instantly relieve and permanently cure. Do not, for an instant, neglect a cold in the head, for, by its prompt treament, you will prevent its developing into catarrh — the second stage on the road to the grave. If, however, catarrh has already developed, the use of this great remedy will prove equally beneficial, as it affords speedy relief, and will effect a certain cure, even in the most aggravated cases, if persistently used. It removes the secretions, frees the clogged nostrils, and sweetens the breath, stops the inflammation and thus saves the lungs and prevents the disease developing into consumption. This great discovery is known and sold throughout the country under the name of Nasal Balm. It is a positive and certain cure, and the thousands of testimonials in the hands of its proprietors prove that it is all they claim for it. It is sold by all dealers, and every sufferer from cold in the head or catarrh should use it. 6k28ktx

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THE BEHRING SEA DISPUTE.

President Harrison Sends a Message to the House.

Correspondence Between Secretary Blaine and Salisbury—British Press Comment.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The President yesterday transmitted to the House of Representatives further correspondence on the subject of the Behring Sea controversy between the United States and Great Britain. The President's message is altogether formal, and merely states that in response to a resolution of the House he transmits the correspondence called for.

A LETTER FROM BLAINE.

A letter from Secretary Blaine is included in the correspondence. The Secretary maintains the correctness of the position assumed by the United States. He believes that the controversy turns upon one point—whether the phrase "Pacific Ocean" used in the treaties of 1824 and 1825 included Behring Sea, as contended by Great Britain. If the United States can prove the contrary her case is complete and undeniable. Therefore Mr. Blaine enters into an exhaustive argument, based on Bancroft's history and maps, to show that Mr. Adams and his contemporaries had a distinct understanding that the phrase "Pacific Ocean" excluded the waters of Behring Sea, then known as the Sea of Kamschatka. The Secretary points to the large wealth of the Russian-American Company, which he says would have been carelessly thrown away by the Russian nobility in a phrase which merged Behring Sea in the Pacific Ocean. He cites the long years of abstinence from the seal waters by the adventurous people of the United States and Great Britain as a presumption of their lack of right to enter. As stronger evidence of his correctness, Mr. Blaine cites the protocols of the treaty of 1824 to snow that Russia's relinquishment of jurisdiction applied only to the territory below the 50th and 60th degrees, also an explanatory note from Russia to Mr. Adams in 1824 positively excepting the Aleutian Islands and the country north of 59 degrees, 3 minutes, from the concession to the United States of the right to fish and trade. He also cites the action of Great Britian, excluding vessels from the waters within eight leagues of St. Helena when Napoleon was confined there, and again refers to the protection exercised over the Ceylon pearl fisheries by Great Britain, saying he is willing to accept those provisions for the protection of the seal fisheries. He speaks of the enormous injury inflicted by vessels under the British flag upon the United States fisheries, and suggests that she send an intelligent commissioner to the seal islands. He objects to the form of the proposed arbitration, and says it will amount to something tangible if Great Britain consents to arbitrate the real questions discussed for the last four years. What were the rights exercised by Russia in Behring Sea? How far were they conceded by Great Britain? Was Behring Sea included in the Pacific Ocean? Did not the United States acquire all of Russia's rights? What are the present rights of the United States? If the concurrency of Great Britain is found necessary then what shall be the protected limits and the close season? Secretary Blaine denies that the United States ever claimed Behring Sea to be a closed sea and quotes Minister Phelps in 1888, where he says that the question is not applicable to the present case.

ENGLISH PRESS COMMENT.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The Daily News says: "Blaine's proposal to arbitrate the Behring Sea matter seems reasonable enough. Governments exist to find a way out of difficulties of this sort."

The Chronicle says: "If the Americans thought Blaine contemplated action likely to lead to hostilities they would soon make their sober, common sense felt in Washington. Blaine is too clever to provoke any such opposition. The latest dispatches show that the situation is somewhat improved.

The Telegraph says: "No arbitrator would listen for an hour to the American claim. American statesmen are liable to excessive swagger. Blaine's eloquence, rudeness, industry and party craft are absolutely unrivaled, but he has not even been suspected of having any fixed principles to guide him while in power; in fact, the bulk of the Americans admire rather than trust him. The chances are, therefore, that although he twists the lion's tail and flirts with free trade in order to catch the Irish and Southern vote he will evade the Presidency, because the people will not confide their destines to a mere partisan, however brilliant. There are Americans who are not Irish, and with them common sense is king."

The St. James Gazette to-day says it accepts the official denial in regard to the Behring Sea troubles, adding, however: "But why is the United States navy being massed on the Pacific unless it is to make the Behring Sea a mare clausem." Officers of the American navy do not act upon rumors printed in American papers.

The Pall Mall Gazette says Mr. Blaine obviously means to try more "bounce" for the sake of making political capital. We are convinced, however, that the Americans will not support Mr. Blaine. It is imperative to arbitrate the matters in dispute."

The Globe attributes the friction to Mr. Blaine's bragging spread-eagleism, and it is of the opinion that in view of the display of force in the Behring Sea Great Britain ought instantly to strengthen her Pacific squadrons. The Globe also advocates the settlement of all the matters in dispute by means of arbitration.

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MIRTH-MAKING MINSTRELS.

The Young Liberal Troupe in Toronto—Commendatory Comments by the Press.

Toronto Mail: The Young Liberal Minstrels, of London, were the attraction at the Academy of Music last evening. They are as competent a body of burnt-cork artists as are commonly met with, and their performance was of a sufficiently varied and amusing character to keep the audience in good humor. The opening overture by the entire strength of the company introduced some pleasing examples of the tender plantation melodies with which the dusky but sentimental stage African is wont to beguile his frequent leisure. There are some good singers and dancers in the company, and the members as a rule work well together. A "Terpsichorean Idyl," fancy marching, shadowgraphs, and a musical burlesque, are principal features of the show.

Toronto Empire: The Young Liberal Minstrels, of London, have always been celebrated for the unusually high character of entertainment given by them. Their fifth season, in which last night's performance at the Academy of Music will be a shining triumph, was attended by a large and laughing audience. The mise en scene that the curtain rose on was exceedingly pretty and pleasing to the eyes, with its balcony arrangement of Ethiopians, in tastefully colored costumes, in tiers of all black, pure white, light blue, pale pink and black and white. The opening overture was an excellent musical arrangement that went with splendid swing, the chorus of five juvenile voices being a happy novelty. The solos, while perhaps not equal to last year's, were splendidly rendered, while the quintette and chorus were well shaded and extremely musical. It was evident from the numerous encores that the audience were vastly pleased. Of these numbers, Mr. Ashplant's "I'm Sailing Home to Thee," Mr. Arthur Sippi, "Climb Up, Chill'un, Climb," and Mr. W. H. Skinner's "The Children's Good Night," the last gem of a melody, were particularly attractive. Mr. Belton's topical song, "To Hear Him Tell It," was up to date with local hits that showed originality, although the rendition was not so good. The jokes in this part could be digested with a certain tickling flavor that the audience appreciated. In the second part Messrs. Saunders and Belton's aerial maneuvers were funny. Mr. James Milne's "Midshipman's Pastimes" introduced some cleverly-executed dancing that was new and varied, while the march of "The Swells of the Four Hundred" was a carnival of glitter. Master Willie Avey is a youthful and gifted contortionist, whose talent is already well known. The show concludes with a sparkling little operatic burlesque, entitled "Tootsy-Wootsy," that acts as an excellent coucher du rideau. The whole performance is bright, melodious, original and entertaining. It is gone through with surprising dispatch and execution that few professional troupes can equal. It is well worth the attention of any theater-goer.

Toronto Globe: The Young Liberals of London take their amusement in the form of amateur minstrelsy, and there is considerable "give" as well as "take" in the matter. Last evening the troupe, which is a large one as well as a good one, opened an engagement of three performances at the Academy of Music. The theater was prettily decorated with flags and bunting, from a bouquet of Union Jacks that fluttered from the top of the stage arch to the red, white and blue festoons at the entrance. The audience was fair when the variety of counter-attractions and excitements are considered. The picture presented when the curtain ran up on the historic "first part" of the minstrel performance—that part in which the performers sit in circular tiers and the end men joke with the interlocutor—was as professional as possible. The "bones" and the "tambourines" were as black and as red-lipped and as prone to volcanic laughter as the keenest lover of minstrel performances could desire; and as for the young gentlemen in satin and gold who sing the sentimental solos and give you time to get an appetite for the terminal African's "next," they bore themselves as men who had spent their lives in marble halls in days when bowing courtiers won preferment by beauty's power. The duties of "end man" fell on Geo. H. Belton, Fred W. Saunders, A. Sippi and John Herald, and all four grew funny in the negro dialect. Some of the hits were naturally local. One was in this wise: The "interlocutor" had been induced by one of the "bones" to tell of the largest vegetable he had ever seen, which description the darkey received with scorn. "Why," said he, "I'se seen two Toronto p'licemen asleep on one beet." Walter Simpson made an admirable "interlocutor," being much more than a stiff echo of the "end man's" framework for his joke. He has a pleasing manner and has not the air of being bored by his part in the performance that too many of his professional brethren deem it not necessary to conceal. The soloists were all well received and usually recalled. Somewhat the largest meed of applause was given to Arthur Sippi, in "Climb Up, Chillen, Climb," and W. H. Skinner in "The Children's Good Night."

Part second was inevitably the harder part of the programme for an amateur company, with few specialiste, to carry. Still the interest did not lapse seriously at any point. Messrs. Saunders and Belton opened with an interchange of witticisms, introduced by a balloon and ended by the same means. A pleasing exhibition of the lighter clog was given by Messrs. Morkin, McKenna, F. Johnson, A. Johnson, Pladaino and Hunter. James Milne appeared well made up as a midshipmate and danced nautically so as to earn an enthusiastic encore. One of the finest features of the performance was some excellent fancy marching done by the "richly caparisoned swells of the colored 400," who came on headed by a corps of drummer boys. Their marching was very cleverly done, difficult figures being formed with rare precision. Master William Avey did some wonderful things in the contortionist way, and a number of "shadowgraphs" were given. The Young Liberal origin of the troupe was here shown when a figure of Sir John Macdonald was thrown on the canvas, but to be made a "butt" of (with the assistance of a goat) and to be finally carried off in igominy on the back of an irreverent pig. The performance closed with a short musical burlesque, "Tootsy-Wootsy," in which the histrionic talent of the troupe was displayed. Mr. Fred L. Evans as both "Tootsy" and "Wootsy" scored a decided hit in the impersonation of the feminine character.

Mamie Starr's Sentence.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Mamie Starr, the domestic who poisoned her employers, Mr. and Mrs. Newland, screamed and fainted away when Judge Dreggs overruled the motion of her attorney for a new trial. On being asked if she had anything to say why the sentence of life imprisonment should not be formally announced. The girl shrieked, "Have mercy! Have mercy!" The judge, greatly affected, spoke the sentence in a low voice, and the prisoner, again overcome, fell to the floor rigid. She was carried out into the jail in an unconscious condition.

TELEGRAMS IN A NUTSHELL.

The net debt of the city of New York is $93,054,418.

The report of the illness of Cardinal Lavigeric is contradicted.

Lord Stanley will attend Stanley's lecture next Friday at Ottawa.

Port Arthur has carried a $75,000 bonus bylaw for an electric railway from that town to Fort William.

The Duebbr Watch Company, of Canton, Ohio, has assigned. Nominal assets, $1,500,000; liabilities, $450,000.

Mr. James Redfern, who gave his name to the well-known variety of wheat, died a few days ago near Kingston.

The Belgian trade returns for 1889 show an extremely favorable condition of affairs. There was a total increase of 4 per cent. in exports.

The "White Cap" outrage at Hurleyville, Sullivan county, N. Y., has been settled by each of the six participants paying Rosswell Vernoy, the victim, $100.

Four bodies have been recovered from the scene of the disaster on the Danube, caused by the breaking of the ice. Many missing people are still unaccounted for.

The steamship Thanemore left Baltimore on Nov. 26, bound for England, with several hundred head of cattle on board. Since that date nothing has been heard of her.

The Dublin Express publishes a statement to the effect that Mr. Gladstone in writing to a friend says he fears his end has come as far as public life and politics are concerned.

A colored man named Charles Beall, who assaulted, robbed and murdered Mrs. Fisher at Clinton, Tex., in the absence of her husband, was taken from jail by masked men and hanged.

The English firm of Cook & Co. has made a demand of assignment on J. A. Patterson & Co., Montreal. The banks are understood to be insisting that the matter be pushed to a conclusion.

John Simpson, of 168 King street, Toronto, was arrested at the Robinson Musee on Monday afternoon by P. C. Irvine, charged with injuring statues of the Queen and royal family at the theater.

Rev. T. J. McClelland, pastor of Knox Church at Shelburne, Ont., died Monday. He was born in the vicinity of Toronto in 1884, belonged to the Queen's Own and was at the Ridgeway fight with the Fenians in 1866.

The Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, of New York, has filed a bond in the United States District Court to foreclose the mortgage held by that company against the Oregon Improvement Company of $4,500,000.

The bay between Odessa and the Black Sea is converted into a vast ice-field, 60 miles long. The ice is six feet thick and all navigation is suspended. The weather all through Southern Russia is phenomenally cold.

Rev. Fred Ghent, son of Mr. S. H. Ghent, clerk of the county court, preached to the St. George's Church congregation, Hamilton, on Sunday. The congregation are most anxious to have Rev. Mr. Ghent as their pastor.

The congregation of Knox Church, Hamilton, on Sunday evening by a standing vote granted their pastor, Rev. Dr. Fraser a five-months' holiday, commencing in March next. Dr. Fraser will visit Palestine and other Eastern countries.

The Emperor of Austria, it is stated, has determined to erect a monastery in memory of his late brother, Maximilian, emperor of Mexico, who was shot by Juarez, and of his late son, the Crown Prince Rudolph, who committed suicide. The monastery is to be built on an island in the Adriatic, formerly the property of Maximilian.

Sunday was a day of special interest to the Congregationalists of Paris, Ont. The pulpit of the Congregational Church has been vacant since last August, and a call was recently extended to Rev. C. E. Bolton, of Wiarton, which he accepted, and Sunday he assumed his duties as pastor of the church. He made a good impression.

Sunday was a memorable day for Presbyterianism in Paris, Ont. For a long time two separate and in some respects rival Presbyterian Churches have been maintained there, known respectively as the Dumfries Street Church and the River Street Church. A basis of union, however, has been agreed on, and on Sunday the united congregations met together for worship for the first time.

Dr. Favilo, Government inspector of cattle at Baltimore, says that the carcasses of the cattle found on the coast of Deal, England, bearing brass tags upon the horns marked 63,455, U. S. A., and 63,871, U. S. A., were part of the cargo of the steamship Nessmore, which left Baltimore on Dec. 10, bound for London. She had a cargo of 543 heard of cattle, and lost by disease and other causes 153 head.

Pale and Sallow Girls.

The great frequency with which pale, sallow and enfeebled girls are met now-a-days is cause for genuine alarm. The young girls of the present generation are not the healthy, robust, rosy lassies their mothers and grandmothers were before them. Their complexion is pale and sallow or waxy in appearance, and they are the victims of heart palpitation, ringing noises in the head, cold hands and feet, often fainting spells, racking headaches, backaches, shortness of breath, and other distressing symptoms. All these betoken chlorisis or anæmia—or in other words a watery or impoverished condition of the blood, which is thus unable to perform its normal functions, and unless speedily enriched with those natural remedies which give richness and redness to the blood corpuscles, organic disease and an early grave is the inevitable result. Is not this prospect sufficient to cause the gravest alarm? Mothers, are your daughters suffering from any of the symptoms indicated above, or from any of the irregularities incident to a critical period in their lives? If they are, as you value their lives do not delay in procuring a remedy that will save them. Delays in such cases are not only dangerous, but positively criminal. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People is a remedy compounded especially to meet such cases. These pills are not a patent medicine, but a remedy prepared with the greatest care from the formula of an experienced physician, who has used it for years in his daily practice with unvarying success. These pills are especially rich in those constituents which stimulate the blood and give it that rich, red color necessary to preserve health and life. They are in all cases a never-failing blood-builder and nerve tonic, acting upon the system in a natural manner and restoring health and strength to all who suffer from a watery or depraved condition of the blood or from any of those weaknesses peculiar to females. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price (50 cents a box) by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

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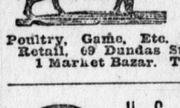
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It is expected that Mrs. Stanley, who was recently married to Stanley in Westminster Abbey, will be also present.

Wednesday night, Jan. 7, in the large Queen's Avenue Methodist Church, London, at 8 o'clock.

THE CITY ELECTIONS.

The municipal elections yesterday were keenly contested in every ward. Though the chief interest centered in the mayoralty and the license reduction bylaw, the competition for election as water commissioners, aldermen and school trustees was keen, and a very fair representation of the electorate went to the polls. This fact is satisfactory for two reasons: It shows that the citizens are alive to their own interests when they are once thoroughly aroused, and it proves that when there are questions before the citizens that affect the homes and the pockets of the people, as the increase in taxation and the license question undoubtedly do, they can be relied on to speak out.

Mayor Taylor returns to the chief magistrate's chair for a third term. His opponent, Mr. Minhinnick, had strong fighting forces behind him, and influences which it was hoped would overcome the majority with which Mr. Taylor started, but the fates were against him, as, indeed, was the logic by which some of his friends endeavored to strengthen his case. For example, the cry that a third term for the mayoralty was a heinous offense for the reason that the offices should go round. If that rule had held good in the past representation of the people, and we by no means say that it is entirely without merit, Messrs. Carling and Meredith should have long since shared up the honors with their fellow-citizens. That they have not done so shows that some of the opponents of the third term were at least one-sided in their application of the "honor monopoly" rule. Ex-Mayor Anderson, who also entered for the mayoralty, was the victim of circumstances. While practically first in the field, the impression took hold on the populace that the fight would really be between Mr. Taylor and Mr. Minhinnick, and it was thus made impossible for Mr. Anderson to develop his full strength. In a single-handed contest, there cannot be a doubt that Mr. Anderson, with his long record of municipal usefulness, would have made a splendid fight. He at least had the satisfaction of seeing that his railway and debt refunding policies were indorsed by his opponents as conceived in the best interests of the taxpayers. The only regret of the many friends of the ex-mayor will be that in the Council of 1891, before which so much important business will come, he will not be able to lend his powerful aid.

The familiar face of Mr. Essery will be absent from the Water Commissioners' Board during next year. His place will be taken by Ald. Jones, who polled a very large vote. Commissioner Davis will be by his side, and will doubtless be re-elected chairman—a post which he has pre-eminent ability for filling. It was the boast of both Mr. Essery and Mr. Davis that they neither advertised themselves as candidates nor canvassed a voter. That may have been dignified, and the abstension from canvassing, in view of their good record as commissioners, may be deemed worthy of emulation, but certainly the tactics are not such as to materially aid a man while elections are lost and won largely on the button-holing plan. We are confident that if the retiring commissioners had taken advantage of the opportunities of publicity that others used, they would have made a much better showing. We are hopeful that the new Board will maintain the record for waterworks management established by their predecessors.

A veritable revolution has taken place in the personnel of the Council. Of last year's Board, Aldermen Anderson, Moule, Jones and Glass retired voluntarily; at the polls yesterday Aldermen Heaman, Wallace, Boyd, Garratt, Dreaney and Luney were numbered among the slain, though several of them polled a very fair vote. In Ward 1, Ald. Heaman will be missed, though his place is taken by ex-Ald. Connors, who made a good representative when last at the Board. The places of the other aldermen who are retired are taken by entirely new men. Mr. Ivey joins the Board in No. 2. Major Gartshore and Mr. W. H. Winnett enter in No. 3. In No. 4 a clean sweep was made of the old aldermen, and ex-Ald. Scarrow, Mr. W. M. Spencer and James Fitzgerald take their places. Ald. Bartlett is joined in No. 5 by Mr. Fitzgerald and Mr. Wilkie. In the sixth ward, Mr. Luney did not find time to canvass—he has been too busy domestically recently—and the result is his very small vote. His place is taken by Mr. Judd. Almost everybody in No. 6 believed that Mr. Parnell would be elected. He very nearly got there, and with fewer candidates out he would certainly have been elected. As new brooms sweep clean, it is not unreasonable to hope that the Aldermanic Board of 1891 will be able to do good service for the city.

A word of counsel to the new members, a majority of whom are young and progressive men. You have an opportunity to make or mar your record. You start with a clean slate. It will be entirely your own fault if your record is in the least smirched. The greatest danger will come from the log-rolling ward system. Ald. Somebody will ask you to vote for something wrong, in return for something wrong he is willing to vote for you. Turn your back on all log-rolling or questionable projects of any kind. It is easy for new members to attach too much importance to the opinions of municipal ringsters with whom you may come in contact. Do the right, regardless of consequences. Make your appeal on broad and high principles, not to any narrow circle, but to the public as a whole.

With one exception, there were contests in every ward for school trustee. All the old members were re-elected except Mr. Rowlands, in No. 6 Ward—a good man, who failed, in a large measure, because neither he nor his friends worked for success. Dr. Ferguson is an experienced educationist, and will no doubt make his mark at the Board.

There is general satisfaction at the success of the license reduction bylaw. It was not openly opposed on the platform, and the arguments brought against it were illogical and absurd. The adoption of this bylaw here and the bylaw to withdraw all licenses from London West shows the trend of public opinion. Not a little credit is due to the women voters, who, at considerable personal inconvenience, worked and voted for the bylaw.

The ward reduction bylaw was defeated, but the large vote polled in its favor, in spite of the gross misrepresentation of its intentions, shows that the principle contained in its provisions has come to stay. The citizens who are in favor of ward reduction and the economy and efficiency which it implies should persevere in the good work thus begun, and before another year elapses the principle will be adopted. In some circles, the Board of Trade have been sneered at, and Mr. Colwell, Mr. Marsh, Mr. W. J. Reid, Mr. J. W. Little and others who set the municipal ball rolling, have been misrepresented. But the lively contests, and the headway made in this and other matters, conceived for the welfare of the city, supplies an effective reply to the croakers. It is significant that the aldermen who most strongly opposed Board of Trade co-operation have been displaced by the electors. The ward reduction bylaw will be carried next year, just as it has been carried in Toronto this year.

The frontage bylaw has been carried. This has been a surprise to most people. The adoption of this system for improving the streets will make a great change in civic management.

One moral lies on the surface worth pondering. Much of whatever was satisfactory in yesterday's contest, including the carrying of the bylaw for the reduction of licenses, was accomplished in reality by a union of the moral forces of the city, as represented by the churches, the W.C.T.U., etc. It shows that these forces, when combined and united in a campaign conducted with moderation and tact, are irresistible. Now for the moral. If the churches, representing the moral forces of the city, are able, when they choose, to right that which is wrong, and to restrict that which is evil, it should never be forgotten that the responsibility is commensurate with the power. It may sound like a new doctrine that for all defects of our civic life, in their relation to the moral side of things, the churches collectively are responsible; but can it be denied?

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

—Some scientist may discover the municipal microbe that brought about the big change in the aldermanic board.

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—Referring to the defeat of its candidates and the success of the license reduction bylaw, our city contemporary mournfully says it was the women who did it! The excuse is as old as old Adam himself.

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—Talking of "plumpers," we believe no man ever received so many in the city of London as Ald. Jones' friends put in for him yesterday. In the City Hall division alone, the new water commissioner had no fewer than 106 solitary voters, while Commissioner Davis had but 29, and Commissioner Essery had 20. In that division—a specimen one, we believe—Davis and Essery appeared together on 64 ballot papers; Davis and Jones on 68, and Essery and Jones on 34.

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—Egg and Poultry Commissioner Sanders, who went to England to find out information that Sir Charles Tupper and his $20,000 staff ought to have gathered, is said to have been an old and successful poultry dealer and exporter. How was it he never went in for that "large and remunerative" British trade himself? Canadian poultry is still going to the States. A Boston dispatch of Dec. 18 says: "Fifty-eight carloads of poultry arrived this week, and seventeen of them came in one train directly from Canada."

UNDER THE SEMAPHORE.

Earnings of the Canadian Pacific Road --A Funeral Car.

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A funeral car with side entrances and compartments for mourners is being built for use on the Southern Pacific between San Francisco and San Mateo.

D. S. Wagstaff, of Buffalo, has been appointed Michigan and southwestern passenger agent for the Grand Trunk, to succeed the late William Robinson. Mr. Wagstaff will make his headquarters in Detroit.

John H. Sessions is appointed general freight and passenger agent of the Terre Haute and Peoria to succeed A. Stevens. W. T. Lyle has resigned the office of master of transportation and the office is abolished.

E. L. Lomax, general passenger agent for the Missouri division of the Union Pacific road, has been appointed general passenger and ticket agent of the entire system. This does away with the general passenger agents at Portland, Denver, St. Joseph, Ogden, Salt Lake, Fort Worth, Kansas City and other division points.

A joint order has been issued by Western Freight Traffic Manager Cochran and General Freight Agent Pomeroy, of the Erie, relieving Assistant General Freight Agent Chamberlain, of the immediate charge of the freight claim department. F. E. Tilden has been appointed chief clerk of the freight claim department for the entire Erie system.

Although not formally issued, an order has been prepared at the Union Pacific headquarters at Omaha for the reduction of the clerks' and general agents' salaries from 15 to 25 per cent. It is understood that the reduction in the case of higher officials will be even greater. The salary of the company's general agent will be cut down 50 per cent. in New York.

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No. 7—Holding in a horizontal position a 100-pound dumb-bell with one hand.

CHESS.

The twelfth game in the chess match at New York was won by Gunsberg Monday after 24 moves.

THE OAR.

A message from Melbourne says that John McLean will row Teemer for any amount of money on the Parramatta when he has got through with Stanbury, with whom McLean has another match arranged.

CRICKET.

"My darling," he said, looking into the trustful eyes upturned to his, "do you think you could stand the test of a long absence?" "If you think it is for the best, dear," he said, with a half mournful, half McAllister look on her fair young face. "Then, my angel," he replied, gazing at her long and wistfully, "farewell. I am going to see a cricket match through."—[Week's Sport.

THE TURF.

Port Hope winter meeting will be held on a kite-shaped track on Jan. 27 and 28.

The grand stand of the Kansas City Driving Park was burned recently, involving a loss of $15,000.

Two horse owners quarreled and exchanged blows at Guttenberg on Saturday. The executive committee fined them $50 each.

There is not the least doubt that the horse is capable of learning almost any trick, and of generally being educated most highly. It is reserved, however, for a Mr. Boswell Clough, of Crawfordsville, Ind., to train his pony to be an equine pointer, and to hunt birds as would a dog. His plan is to ride up and down corn rows ten or fifteen rows apart until a field is thoroughly worked. As the mare approaches a bevy she will throw her head up and down, and on nearer approach will snort gently. This is the time Mr. Clough calls in the shooters. He often sees a bevy a few yards ahead of him, but as a rule is only guided by the skillful work of the mare, never thinking of looking for birds until the mare begins to show signs of game. On one occasion the mare located five bevies of birds between 10 o'clock in the morning and 3 in the afternoon.

WRESTLING.

It did not take R. N. Harrison, the stalwart Grand Trunk policeman, long to dispose of Athlete E. W. Johnston at Græco-Roman wrestling in Toronto, Monday. Harrison weighed 190 pounds and Johnston was about 25 pounds lighter. After preliminary boxing bouts by local sparrers, the gladiators entered the ring, shook hands and got to work. Harrison immediately secured a neckhold and Johnston went down on one knee hoping to lessen the pressure, but Harrison stayed with him and had two shoulders down in an instant, winning the first fall in less than half a minute. The second fall found Johnston more wary, and he slipped out of the neckhold a couple of times, once nearly getting a half-Nelson on the big man. Both wrestlers were down close to the carpet for the remainder of the fall and Johnston secured a body hold that looked like a win until Harrison turned him. Johnston was now under with Harrison across him. A desperate effort to make a bridge failed and Harrison pressed both shoulders to the floor, winning the second fall in three minutes. As the match was two in three this gave R. N. the victory and he was warmly cheered. In acknowledgement he said: "Well, gentlemen, you see this was no hippodrome. I threw him fairly, and what's more, I think I can throw any man they bring here."

BASEBALL.

Johnny Ward may play third base for New York next season.

Buffalo is going to organize a club and apply for admission in the American Association.

The National Baseball Club, of Washington, D. C., has been organized with a capital stock of $20,000, and will bid for an American Association franchise. Sam Trott will manage the team.

The managers who will control the Western Association teams this year are: Minneapolis, W. R. Harrington; Denver George Tebeau; Kansas City, James Manning; Lincoln, Dave Rowe; Milwaukee, C. H. Cushman; St. Paul, W. H. Watkins; Omaha, Dan Shannon; Sioux City, Tim Hurst.

CURLING.

BUFFALO, Jan. 7.—The curling match yesterday between the Buffalo and Toronto Caledonians for the Davis trophy resulted in a tie because of a "fluke." Toronto rink No. 3 left the game at the conclusion of the eighteenth "end," two of the players saying they must catch a train. It having been agreed to play 21 ends, the score of this rink was thrown out, making the standing 61 apiece. This morning two rinks of each club will decide the match. Score—Toronto, 77; Buffalo, 72.

SKATING.

"Joe" Donoghue, of Newburgh, N. Y., amateur champion of the United States and Canada, won the half-mile international skating race at Amsterdam Tuesday amid considerable applause. He covered the distance in 1 minute 25 seconds. Donoghue also won the two-mile race in 6 minutes 10 4-5 seconds.

CRICKET.

Mr. F. G. Forster, of the Medicine Hat Cricket Club, writing on New Year's night, says: You will confer a favor by noticing in your sporting column the result of the cricket match played here to-day between two picked teams, captained by W. T. Finlay and T. Drinkwater respectively. The game started at 12:30; finished at 14 o'clock; weather clear and fine; played in shirt sleeves; fair attendance of spectators and considerable interest. Practice during previous week by some members of the club made result rather one-sided. First match for season of 1891. The weather here continues fine. Thermometer average for November and December 34° above zero—higher than any other place in Canada. Score: Finlay's eleven, 60; Drinkwater's eleven, 19.

WESTERN ONTARIO.

Alex. Grant, an old resident of Stratford, died on Monday, aged 72 years.

Fourteen prisoner, convicted at Ingersoll of vagrancy, were taken to the Central Prison Tuesday.

Ald. Stephen Reeves, of Windsor, has been chosen adjutant of the Twenty-first (Essex) Fusiliers, vice Capt. Fox, retired.

Rev. B. B. Keefer, evangelist, has been invited to hold special revival services during the week of prayer in St. Paul's Methodist Church, Brampton.

Mr. McNeill, science master of the Windsor High School, has retired from that post after many years' service. He was recently presented with a handsome piece of silverware.

Mr. J. E. Nolan, an engineer on the M. C. R., met with a very painful accident in the yard at Windsor the other day. While taking water at the stand-pipe another engine backed into him. The arm of the stand-pipe was broken, hitting Nolan on the head and causing a severe scalp wound.

The 25th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Stevens' wedding day was celebrated on Dec. 20 in the afternoon at their residence in Dawn, Ont., and was attended by a large number of friends, who presented their host and hostess with many silver tokens of remembrance. All partook of an excellent tea, and a very pleasant time was enjoyed.

Regarding the Yourex forgery case, it has been previously announced that the culprit was arrested at Bremen in Germany. Mr. J. E. Rogers, Government detective, was in Lucan the other day for the purpose of taking the evidence of Messrs. R. & I. Fox and their clerk in the bank, Miss Maggie Sproat. The evidence was taken before W. Porte, J.P., and was very voluminous, as each statement required to be made out in triplicate for transmission to the German authorities.

About four weeks ago a young man named Trotman, representing the New York Mutual Life Association, hired a livery rig from Mr. B. U. Clemens, and up to date Mr. Clemens has seen nothing of his horse or customer. The rig is described as a black mare, clipped, with side-bar top buggy, Bricker make. Mr. Clemens will suitably reward anyone giving information, personal, by mail or wire, that will lead to their recovery.—[Berlin News.

LOBO NOTES.

Rev. J. B. Kennedy, B.A., of Norwich, preached the anniversary sermons of the First Baptist Church, Lobo, on Sunday to large and attentive congregations. He is a man of large sympathies and marked ability, and his services were very highly appreciated by the Lobo people.

On Christmas eve the Sunday school held an entertainment, at which a good programme was rendered. One very interesting feature was the singing of the children, who were trained by Miss Josie Irvine, organist, to whom much of the success of the eevning should be attributed. Short speeches were delivered by Rev. Messrs. Hambly and Kennedy, and Reeve Boston, Rev. Mr. Speller, of Adelaide Street Baptist Church, London, occupied the chair.

Mr. A. P. Kennedy, of McMaster University, and former pastor of the church, has been spending his vacation among his many friends in Lobo. The church has secured his services for the summer months.

Mr. P. J. Tompson, school teacher here for the past seven years, has gone to Stratroy Collegiate Institute, to prepare himself for a more advanced sphere of usefulness. During his stay amongst us, he won the esteem of all.

NAPIER.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sutherland spent New Year's day with relatives in the Forest City.

Among the guests in our village during the holidays were Jas. W. Nixon and John Dyer, of London; Sidney Sutherland, of Guelph; A. G. McLean, of Toronto; Bert McCutcheon, of Petrolea, and W. A. Hutton, of Delaware.

A very successful concert under the auspices of the Napier Minstrels was held in the Town Hall on Wednesday evening. Owing to the inclemency of the weather the attendance was not as large as it otherwise would have been.

Lilly Gundy, Robert Dunlop and Willard Winter, pupils of Napier school, were successful at the late entrance examination.

Miss Emma Lightfoot and Miss Alice McNally left on Saturday last for the Forest City Business College, where they purpose taking a course of shorthand and typewriting.

Mr. Geo. Sutherland has gone to Glencoe to learn the milling business.

Mrs. E. Thomas returned home last week after spending a few weeks with relatives in Michigan.

Mr. Thomas MacKey, the genial landlord of the Argyle, treated the old council and a number of invited guests to an oyster supper on Friday evening.

Mr. James Thompson, who has spent the last two years in Manitoba and British Columbia, returned home a few days ago. He speaks in very complimentary terms of the West and purposes resuming about the end of March.

BOTHWELL.

The new iron bridge near Bothwell in course of construction narrowly escaped being carried away last Friday. It was only saved by a strong force of men breaking up the jam. It is expected to be ready for traffic about the end of next week.

DRUMBO.

The Blenheim Council were elected by acclamation.

Mr. D. A. Hoggarth, principal of Drumbo school, commenced his duties for the ensuing year on Monday last.

W. H. Waguast has bought the hardware business of A. Erb.

Alexander Fritch, of Imlay City, Mich., spent the holidays with friends here.

The sports of the village are enjoying themselves skating on Burgess' Lake.

School section No. 11, Blenheim, has decided to erect a new school house this year. The structure will be commodious and substantial and one worthy of the ratepayers.

D. C. Maynard, an enterprising farmer, is shipping milk to Toronto.

EKFRID.

A cow belonging to Wm. Down recently dropped a pair of calves which bear a striking resemblance to the Siamese twins. They were joined from the head to the back of the shoulders, coming together in such a way that the near front leg of one and the off leg of the other formed the breast. They were detached from the shoulders down and had joint ownership of a single head, which was in size about double that of the average calf. One windpipe supplied the wants of both, but each had an individuality of liver.

The wife of Wm. Down gave birth to a son on Sunday, Dec. 28.

NILESTOWN.

New Year's eve at Mr. Edward Pearson's was a gladsome time, it being the occasion of a family reunion, surprise and presentation. About 40 members, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, without giving their venerable parent any intimation of their intentions, assembled around the old family hearth and presented him with an extra fine fur cap and overcoat on behalf of the family. The presentation was made by Mrs. Wm. Young, of Derwent, and Wm. Pearson, of Nilestown.

Dr. Graham has brought C. Blodget to his feet again.

A. R. Rowat has been returned to the School Trustee Board.

Miss Nettie Telfer, of Ilderton, will be succeeded at Dorchester school section, con. 1, by Miss Fields.

The contemplated trip of Joseph O'Brien to Wisconsin was vetoed, Mr. Fox so having arranged for the shipment of his sheep that extra help was not needed.

Mr. Groat, late of Gladstone, is now domiciled here in what was the old parsonage.

H. Reynolds has been quite ill. Dr. Campbell, of London, is his attending physician.

Miss Lee and Mr. and Mrs. James Jackson, all Kingsvillers, are visiting in this vicinity.

SARNIA.

Frank Busha left on Saturday to seek fame and fortune in the far West.

Ed. Fitzgibbons, of Philadelphia, formerly a hardware merchant here, spent a few hours in town Saturday reviewing old scenes.

W. D. Smith was arrested Saturday on a capias at the instance of Edward Lovely to whom he is indebted for a large amount.

A sacred concert will be held on Jan. 13 in the Catholic Church. Prof. Philp will have charge.

An entertainment will be given in Victoria Hall Thursday evening by Court Sarnia, No. 55, I. O. F. The principle feature will be an address by Dr. Oronhyatekha, supreme chief ranger.

The ladies of the Presb. rian Church will give a concert in the Town Hall on Jan. 12. Among the artists who will assist are Agnes Knox, the famous elocutionist, and Maggie Barr (Mrs. Fenwick), of Hamilton.

The residence of Capt. Clark, Cameron street, who is spending the winter with his family at Port Robinson, was broken into lately. No one having been left in charge it is impossible to say if anything was taken.

DORCHESTER STATION.

At the annual school meeting in this village W. H. O'Neil was elected trustee, and at a subsequent meeting of the trustees O. M. Maybee, one of the trustees, was appointed secretary-treasurer. Miss Jennie Armstrong, who has conducted the senior department of the school with marked success during the past year, is employed for the present year at a salary of $385, and Miss Nellie Morris for the junior department at a salary of $250.

There was a Christmas tree and entertainment held in the hall on New Year's evening in connection with the Anglican Church Sunday school, and notwithstanding the downpour of rain and the almost Egyptian darkness there was a tolerably good turnout. The programme was pronounced a good one, and was well rendered.

In the absence of Rev. J. E. Moore, who was called away to attend the funeral of his father, Rev. W. A. Cook officiated in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Ailsa Craig—Rosseur for reeve, by 73 majority; Alexander Gillis, Morgan and Walker for councilors.

Bothwell—Mayor, H. Richards, acclamation; reeve, Geo. Johns, acclamation; councilors, St. Andrew's ward, Thos. Dillon, Geo. Peacock, Geo. Mahler; St. George's ward, Chas. Clarke, Joseph Turrill, A. T. Sussex; St. Lawrence ward, Chas. Tunks, S. Gibb, Jas. Dixon and Geo. Swahode, ties; school trustees, St. Andrew's ward, H. Goolding; St. George's ward, Jas. Fleeming; St. Lawrence ward, Jas. McRitchie, acclamation.

Blenheim—Council, re-elected by acclamation.

Metcalfe—Reeve, W. S. Calvert; deputy reeve, James Bennett; councilors, Wm. Hawken, Richard Pettit and Ralph Ferguson.

Mosa—Gibb elected reeve over Campbell by 82; McIntyre over Falker (councilor) 14; Duglas, councilor Ward No. 1, elected over T. Horald by 34; Webster and Stinson elected by acclamation.

Plympton—Reeve, Wm. McMahon.

Port Rowan—Rerve, C. S. Killmaster; councilors, P. F. Fick, I. Sexton, J. C. Breker, J. A. Dedrick.

Wyoming—Reeve, John E. Anderson; councilors, Samuel Sanders, P. S. Pritchard, Henry Lucas, Robt. McAuslan.

Walsingham Center—Reeve, J. H. Backhouse; deputy reeve, John Cope; councilors, E. Foster, C. Latham, John Townsend.

The following were elected mayors of Northwestern towns: Calgary, Jas. Rielly; Moose Jaw, John Rutherford; Prince Albert, L. R. Johnston.

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British Grain Trade.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The Mark Lane Express, in its weekly review of the British grain trade, says: "The markets have been a little better since the new year, but the effects of the frost have not been so bracing as holders hoped. In English wheat prices have been well maintained, although no appreciable advance has been obtainable. Foreign wheat shows signs of a better feeling, but no advance has been quoted. Corn was 1d dearer. Oats advanced 3d. At to-day's market English wheat was held for 1s improvement on the fortnight, an advance of 6d being offered. Foreign red wheat was unchanged. In flour there was an increased business at previous full rates. Corn was firmly held and sales were restricted. Malting barley was dull; grinding was 3d dearer. Oats were dull at an advance of 3d.

Finance Notes.

Money is cheap in New York, the rates now being 3 to 5 per cent. on call.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Jan. 6—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 95 13-16 for money, 96 1-16 for account; U. S. 4s, 124½; U. S. 4s, 106; St. Paul, 63½; Erie seconds, 100; Erie, 19½; Pacific Central, 52½; Reading, 17½; Canadian Pacific, 75¼; New York Central, 105½; Illinois Central, 101; bank of England rate, 3 per cent.; open market discount, 3½.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6—1 p.m.—The stock market is quiet; American Express, 111; Canadian Pacific, 72½; Canada Southern, 49; Delaware and Hudson, 132½; Delaware and Lackawanna, 134; Lake Shore, 107½; Michigan Central, 91½; Northern Pacific, 22½, preferred 66½; New York Central, 102½; St. Paul, 51½; preferred, 105; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 43½; Western Union, 87½.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Jan. 6.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	223	222½
Ontario	112½	111½
Molsons	160	—
Toronto	222	219
Merchants	142	140
Commerce	126½	125½
Imperial	—	150½
Dominion	226½	226
Standard	—	145
Hamilton	—	152
British America	108	105
Western Assurance	141½	141
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life Association	—	—
Northwest Land Company	72	71½
C. P. R. Grant Bonds	—	—
C. P. R. Stock	72½	72½
Farmers' Loan & Savings	—	132
London and Canada L. & A.	123½	123
London and Ontario	—	—
Huron and Erie	—	—
Dominion Savings and Loan	—	—
Ontario Loan and Debenture	130	125
Canadian Savings and Loan	—	—
London Loan	—	—

SALES—Ontario, 25 at 111½; Western Assurance, 100, 250, 25, 29 and 25 at 141; Northwest Land, 27, 20 and 30 at 71½.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Tuesday, Jan. 6.

Receipts small and prices unchanged in the entire list of grain. Dressed hogs active at $5 50 for medium and $5 75 for choice. Eggs very high; fresh brought 25c to 27c by the basket. Butter weak and lower. General quotations are as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard buan	$0 90	to	$0 91
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 40	to	1 42
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 40	to	1 52
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 40	to	1 52
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 40	to	1 52
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 05
Buckwheat	1 00	to	1 05
Oats	1 16	to	1 20
Corn	1 10	to	1 15
Pease	1 02	to	1 02
Beans, per bush	1 00	to	1 25
Barley, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 20
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, retail	28	to	30
Eggs, basket	25	to	27
Eggs, store lots	20	to	22
Butter, pound rolls, basket	16	to	18
Butter, crock or large rolls	14	to	16
Butter, tub or firkin	10	to	13
Cheese	10	to	10
Lard	10	to	10
Dressed hogs	5 25	to	5 75
FLOUR AND FEED.			
Patent roller flour, per 100 lbs	$ 75	to	3 00
Roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 50	to	2 75
Stone flour, stone	2 50	to	2 50
Buckwheat flour	2 60	to	2 50
Oatmeal, standard	2 40	to	2 50
Oatmeal, granulated	2 40	to	2 60
Oameal, rolled	2 70	to	2 80
Cornmeal	2 00	to	2 25
Turnips, per bush	25	to	32
Carrots, per bush	20	to	35
Potatoes, per bag	65	to	80
Parsnips, per bush	30	to	30

Onions, per bush	50	to	70
Apples, bag	80	to	1 00
Beef, per lb	4 50	to	6 50
Mutton, per lb	6	to	8
Lamb, per lb	8	to	9
Veal, per lb	0	to	6
Chickens, per pair	25	to	55
Ducks, per pair	35	to	72
Turkeys, each	50	to	1 77
SKINS AND HIDES.			
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4	to	4
Hides, No. 2, per lb	3	to	3
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2	to	2
Wool, per lb	18	to	18
Calfskins, green, per lb	5	to	6
Calfskins, dry, per lb	0	to	0
Lambskins, each	50	to	65
Sheepskins, each	60	to	85
Pelts	60	to	6
Tallow, rendered, per lb	5	to	6
Tallow, rough, per lb	2½	to	2½

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English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Jan. 6.

Floating cargoes—Wheat firm; corn none. Cargoes on passage—Wheat firm; corn steady. Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; corn hardening; corn, 5s 6d—1d dearer; peas, 5s 7d—1d cheaper; futures rather dearer.

On passage to United Kingdom—Wheat, 1,915,000 qrs.; corn, 395,000 qrs. To Continent—Wheat, 611,000 qrs.; corn, 96,000 qrs.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 6.

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

	Jan. 3.		Jan. 5.		Jan. 6.	
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Spring	7 7½	7 8	7 7½	7 8	7 8	0 0
Red winter	7 5½	0 0	7 5½	0 0	7 6	0 0
No. 1 Cal	7 8½	7 9	7 8½	7 9	7 9	0 0
Corn	5 5½	0 0	5 6	0 0	5 6	0 0
Peas, per c	5 8	0 0	5 8	0 0	5 7½	0 0
Pork	52 6	0 0	52 6	0 0	52 6	0 0
Lard	31 0	0 0	31 3	0 0	31 6	0 0
Bacon, s. c	29 6	00 0	29 6	00 0	29 6	29 6
Bacon, l. c	29 6	29 6	29 6	29 6	29 6	00 0
Tallow	25 0	00 0	25 3	00 0	25 3	00 0
Cheese, wh	50 0	00 0	50 0	00 0	50 0	00 0
Cheese, col	50 0	00 0	50 0	00 0	50 0	00 0

Wheat firm, demand improving, holders offer sparingly; corn firm, demand poor. Receipts of wheat for the past three days, 277,000 centals, including 14,000 centals American; corn for same time, 23,500 centals American. Weather clear and cold

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Jan. 6.

WHEAT—Manitoba hard, No. 2, 97c to 98c; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 83c to 89c; spring, No. 2, 89c to 90c; red winter, No. 2, 93c to 94c; fall, No. 2, 93c to 93c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 60c to 60c; No. 2, 55c to 55c; No. 3 extra, 50c to 51c; No. 3, 47c to 47c.

PEAS—No. 2, 64c to 65c.

CORN—64c.

OATS—No. 2, 45½c to 46c.

FLOUR—Extra, $3 95 to $4 00; straight roller, $4 15 to $4 20; superfine, $3 50 to $3 60; fine, $3 to $3 25.

Market quiet but steady. Sales—No. 1 fall wheat at $1 02; No. 2 do outside at 90c; No. 3 hard Manitoba outside at 85c; oats, on track at 46c and outside at 41c to 43c; No. 3 barley, outside at equal to 49c on track here.

Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, Jan. 6.

FLOUR—Receipts 600 bbls; sales none reported. Market quiet and steady at unchanged prices. Patents winter, $5 00 to $5 25; spring, $5 00 to $5 50; straight roller, $4 40 to $4 60; extra, $4 25 to $4 20; superfine, $3 60 to $4 00; strong bakers, $5 00 to $5 10; Ontario bags, $1 50 to $2 00; city bags $5 10 to $5 25.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, 98c to 99c; corn, 72c to 73c; peas, 73c to 75c; oats, 43c to 45c; barley, 60c to 70c; rye, 60c to 65c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $4 75 to $500; cornmeal, $3 25 to $3 25.

PROVISIONS—Pork, 15½c to 15½c per lb.; lard, 8c to 9c; bacon, 10c to 11c; hams, 11c to 12c; cheese, 8c to 8½c; butter, townships, 16c to 18c; Morrisburg, 16c to 18c; Western, 14c to 16c; creamery, 18c to 22c; eggs firm, fresh held, at 2c to 23c.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT—Jan., 91c; May, 97¼c; July, 92½c.
CORN—Jan., 48¼c; Feb., 49½c; May, 52½c.
OATS—Jan., 42½c; Feb., 42½c; May, 45¾c.
PORK—Jan., $10 02½; Feb., $10 80; May, $11 27½.
LARD—Jan., $5 92½; Feb., $6 02½; May, $6 42½.
SHORT RIBS—Jan., $5 17½; Feb., $5 37½; May, $5 70.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Flour quiet and unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 90c; No. 2 red, 91 to 92½c; No. 2 corn, 48¼c; No. 2 oats, 42½c to 42½c; No. 2 rye, 66½c; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3, f.o.b., 60c to 70c; No. 4 do, 56c to 60c; mess pork, $10 50 to $10 62½; lard, $5 92½; short ribs sides, $5 10 to $5 20; dry salted shoulders, $4 20 to $4 30; short clear sides, $5 35 to $5 40.

Receipts—

Flour, bbls	16,000	Wheat, bu	43,000
Corn, bu	112,000	Oats, bu	127,000
Rye	15,000	Barley	44,000

Shipments—

Flour, bbls	16,000	Wheat, bu	35,000
Corn, bu	145,000	Oats, bu	189,000
Rye, bu	11,000	Barley, bu	18,000

OSWEGO, Jan. 6.

WHEAT—Lower; sales, 1,000 bushels at $1 03.
CORN—No. 2 yellow at 63c.
BARLEY—Market very dull and nominal: No. 2 Canada at 81c to 82c; No. 2 extra Canada at 85c; No. 1 Canada at 90c to 91c.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.

WHEAT—Receipts, 12,000 bu; exports, 15,754 qu; sales, 1,576,000 bu futures; 21,000 bu spot; spot 1c to 2½c lower; dull; weak; No. 2 red, $1 04½; elevator, $1 05½, afloat; $1 05½ to $1 05½, f. o. b.; No. 1 northern, $1 07½ to $1 07½; No. 1 hard, $1 12½ to $1 12½; options bullish; futures were overcome by a pressure to take in profits; the close is weak, at ⅜c to 1⅜c decline; No. 2 red, Jan., $1 03½; Feb., $1 04½; March, $1 05½; May, $1 05½; July, 99½c; Aug., 98c; Dec., $1.

RYE—Quiet; 78c to 80c.

BARLEY—Dull; weak; No. 2 Milwaukee, 80c to 82c; ungraded western, 75c to 86c; Canada, No. 1, 95c; No. 2, 87c; No. 2 extra, 90c.

MALT—Quiet; weak; Canada country-made, $1 to $1 15; city do, $1 10 to $1 20.

CORN—Receipts, 113,100 bu; exports, 3,284 bu; sales, 752,000 bu futures; 21,000 bu spot; spot ⅜c to 1c lower; moderately active; ungraded mixed, 58c to 61½c; options sold ⅜c to 1c decline, and closed weak; Jan., 56c; Feb., 59½c; March and May, 59½c.

OATS—Receipts, 94,000 bu; sales, 140,000 bu futures; 102,000 bu spot; spot irregular; options dull; weaker; Jan., 49½c; Feb., 50½c; May, 51½c; spot No. 2, 50c to 51c; mixed western, 45c to 52c; white do, 51c to 56c.

SUGAR—Firm; good demand; standard "A," 5⅝c; cut-loaf and crushed, 6¼c; powdered, 6 3-16c; granulated, 5 15-16c.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 6.

WHEAT—Easy; 83½c cash, 84½c Feb., 90½c May.

TOLEDO, Jan. 6.

WHEAT—96c asked cash, $1 00½ May, 93½c July, 92½c Aug.
CORN—32c asked cash, 53½c May.
OATS—41c cash, 47c May.

DETROIT, Jan. 6.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 95c cash, No. 2 red 95c cash, 95c Jan., $1 01 asked May.

Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, Jan. 6.—Oil to-day opened at $1 29 and closed at $1 30.

Live Stock Markets.

TORONTO.

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—The receipts at the Western cattle market last week were 331 cattle, 106 sheep and lambs and 290 hogs. To-day 17 loads were received, 150 sheep and lambs and about 200 hogs. Prices were firmer and pretty brisk, nearly everything being cleaned out. Good butchers' cattle was in demand at 3½c to 4c per lb; medium was sold at 3½c to 3¾c. Sheep and lambs were firmer and in good demand; lambs sold at $4 50 to $5 50, and sheep brought from $5 to $6. All hogs were wanted at last week's prices: light, from $4 25 to $4 50; and heavy, $4 to $4 25. Fine veal calves were sold from $4 to $10 each. Springers brought $35 to $55 each.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Hogs—Receipts, 47,000; quality better; left over, 1,500; market active on packing and shipping account; prices firm early, but an easier feeling later; prices declined 5c to 10c. Sales ranged: $2 60 to $3 25 for pigs, $3 40 to $3 75 for light, $3 45 to $3 55 for rough packing, $3 50 to $3 75 for mixed, and $3 60 to $3 85 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receipts, 14,000; quality fair; market active on shipping account; full former prices well maintained. Quotations ranged: $4 90 to $5 50 for choice to fancy shipping steers, $3 90 to $4 85 for good to choice do, $2 90 to $3 75 for common to fair do, $2 40 to $3 75 for butchers' steers, $2 to $3 80 for stockers, $2 10 to $2 70 for Texans, $2 50 to $3 25 for Westerns, $2 50 to $3 for feeders, $1 25 to $2 75 for cows, $1 50 to $3 for bulls, and $3 to $5 50 for veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000; quality fair; demand active; prices steady. Quotations ranged: $3 to $4 70 for Westerns; $2 75 to $4 20 for Texans, $3 25 to $5 20 for natives, $4 50 to $5 75 for lambs.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 6.—Cattle—Yesterday's supply was pretty well cleared, and only a single car was received to day. These were medium butchers', and sold at $3 80; veals scarce and higher; 6c to 7c for choice to extra.

Sheep and Lambs—Ten cars on sale; active and higher; good to extra sheep, $5 to $5 50; good to extra western lambs, $6 10 to $6 40; heavy Canadas, $6 40 to $6 60.

Hogs—Twenty cars on sale; heavy, medium and mixed, $3 95 to $4 25; Yorkers, $3 80 to $3 95; pigs, $3 50 to $3 65.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—We met—'twas on a crowded street,
My heart was sad, my pocket flat;
It was so strange that we should meet—
I owed him an election hat!

Death of Rev. John Gemley.

Many readers of the ADVERTISER will regret to hear of the death of Rev. John Gemley, rector of Trinity Church, Simcoe, which mournful event took place there at 9½o'clock yesterday morning, as a result of a complication of diseases. The early years of Mr. Gemley's ministerial life were spent in the Methodist Church, after which he was received into the Church of England in Canada by Bishop Hellmuth. This was in 1874. He was immediately appointed assistant minister of St. Paul's Cathedral in this city, which position he filled with acceptance until April, 1878. After a few years spent in connection with the Western University, he was appointed to the rectory of Trinity Church, Simcoe, and subsequently was selected as rural dean of Norfolk county, which position he held at the time of his death. Prior to coming to this city, Mr. Gemley had for years served as a chaplain in her Majesty's forces, and while here he acted as a chaplain of the Seventh Battalion, in the ranks of which he had many friends. Again and again he officiated with acceptance at the church parades in the military camp. The deceased had two daughters married to military men. Mr. Gemley was highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends. The funeral takes place at Simcoe on Thursday at 2 p.m. The Bishop of Huron will officiate.

It May Be Fatal.

The patrol wagon was going north on Richmond street yesterday with three passengers—two policeman and one drunk—and when a little south of Dundas street corner struck a wagon of the London Furniture Company. This had the effect of slewing the patrol badly so that it struck a passing hearse, the jolt throwing all out on the road except the driver, P. C. Pope, who in some manner, caught his feet in the gearing and was dragged by the thoroughly scared horses, going at a terrific pace. The animals were stopped in front of the Bank of Montreal, where Pope was released and carried into the Western Hotel, his head bleeding profusely. Dr. Waugh was early on the scene, but was unable to tell immediately whether the injury would be fatal or not. The unfortunate man's head was dragged fully two blocks over the hard pavement. The other policeman Hobbins, together with the prisoner, was badly cut, but fortunately not seriously wounded. When passing the Grigg House the horses collided with a boy astride of a small pony and knocked them down, the wheels of the wagon passing over both. At the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets, an old man, partially under the influence of liquor, was run over and conveyed into McCallum's drug store.

Strathroy Items.

Of the 94 candidates who wrote at the recent entrance examination in Strathroy 51 were successful, as follows, Jas. Addison, Cecil Brown, Morden Buttrey, Duncan Campbell, Hugh Campbell, A. D. Campbell, George Demaray, Robert J. Dunlop, Arthur Dinning, Fred Demaray, W. B. Ferguson, Charles Hill, Levi Hodgins, Walter Kearney, Louis Lepage, Ross Laughton, John Lewis, Granville Morgan, Michael Maher, John A. McGugan, H. L. Milliken, T. Miller, Wilber Morgan, McGugan, Fred Parnell, Andrew Pedden, F. A. Stathan, Lewis Thomas, Francis Thomas, Edwin Sullivan, Willard Winters, Theresa Drake, Ida Early, Florence Gupton, Lillie Gundy, Sybil Jury, Ethel Kitchen, Grace Lambert, Mary Lightfoot, Maud M. Lucas, Gerty Lyons, Maggie McDonald, Annie Parker, Mary Parker, May Rason, Maggie Seed, Mary Sands, Charlotte Thompson, Eppie Wilkinson, and Theresa Winters. The following were recommended: Lottie Bishop, Maud Buttery, Archer, Annie A. Haidane, Amy D. Laird, Carrie Rapley, Amy Maxwell, Lottie Stevenson.

In the absence of the pastor at Denfield next Sunday the pulpit of the Baptist Church will be occupied by Mr. A. Sinclair, of Lobo.

The elections on Monday passed off very quietly, resulting in the return of F. L. Harrison for mayor by a majority of 15 over his opponent, D. W. Vary. In No. 2 ward the voting for councilors resulted in the election of D. Graham, Jas. Bowley and F. G. Hoskin. The council for 1891 is as follows: Mayor, F. L. Harrison; reeve, R. P. Smith; deputy reeve, Jas. Cox; councilors, No. 1 ward, John Robertson, H. Owens, G. G. German; No. 2, D. Graham, Jas. Bowley and F. G. Hoskin; No. 3, J. W. Gibson, A. Thomson, John Berdan.

The W. C. T. U. have engaged J. W. Bengough, of Toronto, to deliver a lecture under their auspices in Albert Hall on the evening of Friday, Jan. 30.

Donations Appreciated.

The Sisters of St. Joseph wish to thank most sincerely the many kind friends who placed such quantities of good things at their disposal to assist them in preparing a Christmas and New Year's festival for the poor old people and orphans under their care. Following is a list of benefactors and their offerings: Mr. D. Collins, a quarter of beef; Rev. P. Corcoran, $10; Mrs. M. Durkin, a turkey; Mrs. T. Flood, a turkey; Mrs. J. Durkin, five pounds of tea; Mrs. Burns (country), a goose; Mr. P. Cleary, $10; Mrs. P. Cleary, a crock of butter; Mr. P. O'Byrne, a ton of coal; Mrs. Dewan, Piccadilly street, a roast of beef; Mr. Bennati, 1½ dozen oranges; Mr. John Roche, a turkey and a pair of chickens; Mrs. P. Mulkern, sen., a turkey and leg of venison; Mrs. D. McCarthy, a turkey; Mr. John Garvey, a quarter of beef; Mrs. P. Pocock, a turkey; ladies of the Sacred Heart, a web of canton flannel; Mr. M. Twomey, Windsor, $10; Mr. J. Moule, groceries, candies, etc.; Mr. T. Morkin a turkey; Messrs. Pigot & Bryan, a turkey, Rev. Jos. Kennedy, two turkeys; Mrs. Flaherty (country), a turkey; Mr. M. O'Meara (market) a turkey and pork; Mrs. E. O'Brien, $2; Mr. Ferguson, a turkey; Rev. M. J. Tiernan, cake, candy, etc.; Mr. T. Toohey, two turkeys; Mrs. Ranahan, eighteen loaves bread; Mr. D. Regan, a quarter of beef; Mrs. H. D. Long, $2; Mrs. Grant, eighteen loaves bread; Mr. T. Howe, a quarter of beef; Mrs. G. Gibbons, a turkey; Mrs. Harper, of the Merchants' Bank, a turkey; Mrs. M. Gould, three turkeys; Mr. D. Daly, a roast of beef; Mrs. Beecher, half case of oranges; Mrs. Butler, a turkey; Mrs. Cox, $2; Mrs. E. Hoban, $1; Mrs. P. Mulkern, a turkey and a smoked ham; Mrs. C. E. Driscoll, a turkey; Mr. R. Driscoll, a turkey; Mrs. J. B. Murphy, three pairs chickens and a half-bushel of oranges and apples; Mr. John Daly, a turkey, box of candy and two dozen oranges; Mrs J. Keary, a turkey; Mrs. Aust, a box of candy; Mrs. Geo. Robinson, a turkey and a goose; Mrs. Garlick, a box of candy; Mrs. John H. Johnston, a turkey; Messrs. Adams & Co., groceries; Mr. McGinn, five dozen buns; Mrs. Masuret, groceries; Mr. O'Hagan, 25 quarts of milk; Forest City Curling Club, 50 loaves of bread; Mrs. A. Masuret, a bag of oranges and a bag of potatoes; Mrs. Fitzgibbons, a ham and a large bag of oranges; Rev. N. Gahan, half a lamb; Miss B. Ryan, a fruit cake and $1; Mrs. T. McCarthy, a goose, and Mrs. Keene $1. In addition to the foregoing a handsome chair was presented by Mr. P. Mulkern, of the firm of Gibbons, McNab & Mulkern, and Mr. Hueston's 'bus was on hand to take the orphans to St. Peter's Cathedral on new year's morning.

Parish Club Entertainment.

A very enjoyable time was spent last evening by the members of the Parish Club of St. John the Evangelist Church at the regular meeting of the club. A very interesting paper was read, treating with the habits, life and traditions of the Aruacanian Indians, by Mr. C. G. Jarvis. This race at one time inhabited a large portion of the South American continent. The essayist reviewed their history from the time at which Spain attempted to subjugate them under the famous Pizarro, which resulted in a conflict of 250 years, which finally terminated in the establishment of the freedom of the native population. The aboriginal government of the Indians, their customs and religions were each fully described and the fact pointed out that though but a fragment of their former greatness remains, they yet retained all the characteristics of a noble race. Mr. Jarvis displayed a thorough acquaintance with his subject. The glee club also contributed greatly to the pleasure of the evening. Reciprocity with the United States will be debated upon next week. The glee club will also render musical selections.

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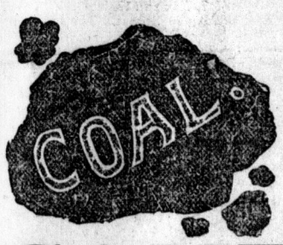
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Springrove's countenance instantly saddened; he had expected a simple "Yes" at the very least. He continued in a tone of deeper depression.

"Supposing she does love me, would it be fair to you and to her if I made her an offer of marriage, with these dreary conditions attached—that we live for a few years on the narrowest system, till a great debt, which all honor and duty require me to pay off, shall be paid? My father, by reason of the misfortune that befell him is under great obligation to Miss Aldclyffe. He is getting old, and losing his energies. I am attempting to work free of the burden. This makes my prospects gloomy enough at present."

"But consider again," he went on. "Cytherea has been left in a nameless and unsatisfactory, though innocent state, by this unfortunate, and now void marriage with Manston. A marriage with me, though under the—materially—untoward conditions I have mentioned, would make us happy; it would give her a locus standi. If she wished to be out of the sound of her misfortunes we would go to another part of England—emigrate—do anything."

"I'll call Cytherea," said Owen. "It is a matter she alone can settle." He did not speak warmly. His pride could not endure the pity which Edward's visit and errand tacitly implied. Yet in the other affair, his heart went with Edward; he was on the same beat for paying off old debts himself.

"Cythie, Mr. Springrove is here." he said at the foot of the staircase.

His sister descended the creaking old steps with a faltering tread, and stood in the firelight from the hearth. She extended her hand to Edward, welcoming him by a mere motion of the lip, her eyes averted—a habit which had engendered itself in her since the beginning of her illness and defamation. Owen opened the door and went out—leaving the lovers alone. It was the first time since the memorable night at Southampton.

"I will get a light," she said with a little embarrassment.

"No—don't, please, Cytherea," said Edward softly. "Come and sit down with me."

"Oh, yes. I ought to have asked you to." she returned, timidly. "Everybody sits in the chimney-corner in this parish. You sit on that side. I'll sit here."

Two recesses—one on the right, one on the left hand—were cut inside of the fireplace, and here they sat down facing each other, on benches fitted to the recesses, the fire glowing on the hearth between their feet. Its ruddy light shone on the underslope of their faces, and spread out over the floor of the room with the low horizontality of the setting sun, giving to every grain of sand and tumor in the paving a long shadow towards the door.

Edward looked at his pale love through the thin azure twine of smoke that went up like ringlets between them, and invested her, as seen through its medium, with the shadowy appearance of a phantom. Nothing is so potent for coaxing back the lost eyes of a woman as a discreet silence in the man who has so lost them—and thus the patient Edward coaxed hers. After lingering on the hearth for half a minute, waiting in vain for another word from him, they were lifted into his face.

He was ready primed to receive them. "Cytherea, will you marry me?" he said.

He could not wait in his original position until the answer came. Stepping across the fire to her side of the chimney-corner, he reclined at her feet, and searched for her hand. She continued in silence awhile.

"Edward, I can never be anybody's wife," she then said sadly, and with firmness.

"Think of it in every light," he pleaded; "the light of love, first. Then, when you have done that, see how wise a step it would be. I can only offer you poverty as yet, but I want, I do so long to secure you from the intrusion of that unpleasant past, which will often and always be thrust upon you as long as you live the shrinking solitary life you do now—a life which purity chooses, it may be; but to the outside world it appears like the enforced loneliness of neglect and scorn—and tongues are busy inventing a reason for it which does not exist."

"I know all about it," she said hastily; "and those are the grounds of my refusal. You and Owen know the whole truth—the two I love best on earth—and I am content. But the scandal will be continually repeated, and I can never give anyone the opportunity of saying to you—that—your wife——" She utterly broke down and wept.

"Don't, my own darling!" he entreated. "Don't, Cytherea."

"Please to leave me—we will be friends, Edward—but don't press me—my mind is made up—I cannot—I will not marry you or any other man under the present ambiguous circumstances—never will I—I have said it; never!"

They were both silent. He listlessly regarded the illuminated darkness overhead, where long flakes of soot floated from the sides and bars of the chimney-throat like tattered banners in ancient aisles; whilst through the square opening in the midst of one or two bright stars looked down upon them from the gray March sky. The sight seemed to cheer him.

"At any rate, you will love me?" he murmured to her.

"Yes—always—forever and forever."

"He kissed her once, twice, three times, and arose to his feet, slowly withdrawing himself from her side toward the door. Cytherea remained with her gaze fixed on the fire. Edward went out grieving, but hope was not extinguished even now.

He smelt the fragrance of a cigar, and immediately afterwards saw a red star of fire against the darkness of the hedge. Graye was pacing up and down the lane, smoking as he walked. Springrove told him the result of the interview.

"You are a good fellow, Edward," he said: "but I think my sister is right."

"I wish you would believe Manston a villain, as I do," said Springrove.

"It would be absurd of me to say that I like him now—family feeling prevents it, but I cannot in honesty say deliberately that he is a bad man."

Edward could keep the secret of Manston's coercion of Miss Aldclyffe in the matter of the houses a secret no longer. He told Owen the whole story.

"That's one thing," he continued, "but not all. What do you think of this—I have discoverd that he went to Creston post-office for a letter the day before the first advertisement for his wife appeared in the papers One was there for him, and it was directed in his wife's handwriting, as I can prove. This was not until after the marriage with Cytherea, it is true, but if (as it seems to show) the advertising was a farce, there is a strong presumption that the rest of the piece was."

Owen was too astounded to speak. He dropped his cigar, and fixed his eyes upon his companion.

"Collusion?"

"Yes."

"With his first wife?"

"Yes—with his wife. I am firmly persuaded of it."

"What did you discover?"

"That he fetched from the post-office at Creston a letter from her the day before the first advertisement appeared."

Graye was lost in a long consideration, "Ah?" he said, "it would be difficult to prove anything of that sort now. The writing could not be sworn to, and if he is guilty the letter is destroyed."

"I have other suspicions——"

"Yes—as you said," interrupted Owen, who had not till now been able to form the complicated set of ideas necessary for picturing the position. "Yes, there is this to be remembered—Cytherea had been taken from him before the letter came—and his knowledge of his wife's existence could not have originated till after the wedding. I could have sworn he believed her dead then. His manner was unmistakable."

"Well, I have other suspicions," repeated Edward; "and if I only had the right—if I were her husband or brother, he should be convicted of bigamy yet."

"The reproof was not needed," said Owen with a little bitterness. "What can I do—a man with neither money nor friends—whilst Manston has Miss Aldclyffe and all her fortune to back him up! God only knows what lies between the mistress and her steward, but since this has transpired—if it is true—I can believe the connection to be even an unworthy one—a thing I certainly never so much as owned to myself before."

§ 3. The fifth of March.

Edward's disclosure had the effect of directing Owen Graye's thoughts into an entirely new and uncommon channel.

On the Monday after Springrove's visit, Owen had walked to the top of a hill in the neighborhood of Palchurch—a wild hill that had no name, beside a barren down where it never looked like summer. In the intensity of his meditations on the everpresent subject, he sat down on a weather-beaten, boundary-stone gazing towards the distant valleys—seeing only Manston's imagined form.

Had his defenseless sister been trifled with? that was the question that affected him. Her refusal of Edward as a husband was, he knew, dictated solely by a humiliated sense of inadequacy to him in repute, and had not been formed till since the slanderous tale accounting for her seclusion had been circulated. Was it not true, as Edward had hinted, that he, her brother, was neglecting his duty towards her in allowing Manston to thrive unquestioned, whilst she was hiding her head for no fault at all?

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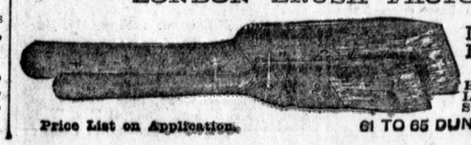
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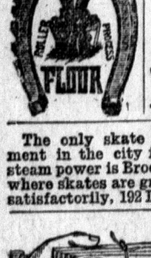
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Local temperature—Highest, 20°; lowest, 15°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, Jan. 7—10 a.m.—The indications for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Winds mostly northerly; fine weather; no decided change in temperature.

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—The new Council will meet at 10 o'clock on Monday, Jan. 19.

—Mayor Taylor was congratulated on all sides yesterday morning.

—Miss Cecilia Brophy, of Clarence street, is visiting friends in Detroit.

—The funeral of the late Mr. Wm. Weld this afternoon will be attended by the Masonic fraternity.

—Nearly all the new aldermen paid their respects to the chief magistrate at the City Hall yesterday morning.

—The police magistrate was greeted with an empty docket yesterday morning, and court was adjourned sin die.

—Miss Belle Taylor, stenographer for D. S. Perrin & Co., has returned home from a trip to her relatives in Buffalo.

—Deputy Chief Clansman John Fairgrieve, of this city, will organize a Scottish royal clan at Niagara Falls this week.

—Mr. Geo. Young, of South London, sustained a bad cut in the hand on Saturday by shoving the member against a saw.

—Mrs. Ward, of Craig street, suffered severe injuries in the face and side Monday by falling from a chair on which she was standing.

—Mr. J. Maddiford was thrown out of his rig in South London Monday through his horse running away. He was not seriously hurt.

—At Osgoode Hall, Toronto, in Ansbro vs. Meredith, counsel for the plaintiff obtained an order for administration, with a reference to the master at London.

—Mayor Pearson, of Winnipeg, had a look around the city yesterday. He was so favorably impressed that he has determined to make a second visit in the summer.

—An informal meeting of the new Board of Water Commissioners was held in Mayor Taylor's office yesterday. Mutual congratulations was the only business transacted.

—John L. Sullivan and wife are registered at the Tecumseh House. He appeared in the Grand Opera House last evening in "True Hearts and Willing Hands."

—Mr. Frederick Smaliman, of Briscoe street, inadvertently thrust a chisel into his knee the other day and supplemented the injury by having a huge piece of lumber fall upon him.

—Judge Street was to have opened the Winter Assize Court yesterday at 10 o'clock, but he did not arrive. A message was received from him to the effect that he was in Detroit and would be here in the evening.

—The scene presented in the City Hall yesterday after Monday night's meeting baffles description. The furniture was tossed about in every direction and more than half the benches were more or less broken.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Millar, of Toronto, are in the city on a short visit to relatives here. Mr. Millar has accepted a position with the Boynton Furnace Company of New York, and leaves in a few days to enter on his duties.

—Mr. Richard Sharpe, general merchant and deputy police magistrate of Lobo village, has been honored by being appointed police magistrate, a promotion he is well worthy of. The office will be removed at once to Mr. Sharpe's new store.

—Assistant City Clerk Kingston affirms that Monday's vote was the largest ever polled in any contest in this city. Over 80 per cent. of the total vote was polled. There were fewer disagreements and blunders than have occurred for several years.

—Yesterday was the festival of the Epiphany, which commemorates the appearance of the star which led the wise men of the East to the infant Saviour, who lay in the manger in Bethlehem. The feast is duly observed by services in the Roman Catholic and Anglican churches.

—Mr. O. J. Stevenson has said farewell to Streetsville and left for his home in London. On Friday, at the closing of the high school, Mr. Stevenson was made the recipient by the pupils of the school of a handsome traveling case and address.—[Brampton Conservator.

—The candidates, successful and otherwise, have all found a solution for their victory or defeat. Each man knows exactly how the day was won or lost. The successful rejoice in their election, and the unsuccessful find solace in the knowledge that they can give more time to their private businesses.

—Hon. John Carling came from Ottawa to boss the vote for Mr. Minhinnick. He spent considerable time canvassing, and then went back to Ottawa. When he read the returns, he was a sadder and a wiser man. There was a time when Mr. Carling's wish and word were law in London, but that time has gone past.

—Rev. G. Trotter Carr, of this city, recently composed the words of an opening hymn which Prof. Allen set to music, for the Frome Congregational Church Sunday school. The hymn was sung at the anniversary services the other evening and met with such favor that the pupils tendered a hearty vote of thanks to the joint composers.

—Peter Silver, of Oniedatown, who has been in jail here for the past few days in default of a $1 fine and costs for disorderly conduct, paid Jailer Kelly a crisp $1 bill yesterday and was set at liberty. The costs were not itemized in the commitment and the officials could not collect them. The Delaware constables will doubtless lose their costs.

The officers of Forest City Lodge, No. 38, I. O. O. F., were duly installed Monday night by D. D. G. M. Bro. W. Fairbairn, assisted by Past Grands Henry Bisseli, as grand warden, R. J. Blackwell, as grand marshal, H. B. White, grand secretary, and J. Sanders, grand treasurer; J. P. G., Bro. Sinclair; N. G., Nelson Hayes; V. G., Bro. Tanner; R. S., J. W. Fletcher, P. G.; P. S., R. N. Curry; T., John McDonald, P. G.; R. S. N. G., Henry Bissell, P. G. L. S. N. G., Alex. Scott, P. G.

The First Festival.

The first annual Sunday school festival of the Union Congregational Church passed off very pleasantly at the rooms in the Nitschke block Monday evening. A nice spread was served by the ladies and the tables were emptied in proportion as the children were filled. At the conclusion of the supper Mr. Wilson took the chair and with an appropriate address introduced the following programme, exceedingly well rendered, to the enjoyment of the large crowd present: Kindergarten song, by nine little girls; violin solo, Miss Nellie Cannom; recitation, Miss E. Wilson; kindergarten song, nine little girls; dialogue, "Learning to Smoke," four little boys; piano solo, Miss M. Cannom; song, Miss C. Gardner; kindergarten song, nine girls; song, Miss L. White.

The First Teameeting.

The new London West mission in connection with the Queen's Avenue Methodist Church, which has started under such favorable circumstances, was made the subject of an initiatory teameeting in the edifice Monday evening. The building was crowded with the supporters and friends of the new mission, which may be considered as on the high road to success. An excellent supper was served by the ladies, at the conclusion of which speech-making began. Mr. Thomas McCormick, by whom the mission place was so generously presented to the church, occupied the chair. Short addresses, appropriate to the occasion, were delivered by Rev. J. R. Gundy (president of the Conference), Rev. W. T. McDonagh, Rev. Geo. Boyd, Alderman Spencer and Messrs. A. B. Powell, Jas. Wilkins and Jas. Irwin.

Accepted with Thanks.

At the regular meeting of the Women's Christian Association held in the home the other evening the following members were present: Mesdames Carfrae, Perrin, Kent, Complin, Reid, Fraser, Fysh, Ward, Hopkins, Burns, Cox, St. J. Hyttenrauch, Whitehead and Miss Fraser. The treasurer's monthly report showed the receipts to be $501 68 and the disbursements $478 59, leaving a balance of $23 09. At the various homes Christmas was much enjoyed; all the good things of the season and many gifts and little remembrances from kind friends helped to brighten the day. The young men of Dundas Street Center Church very kindly gave a musical entertainment at the Aged Men's Home on New Year's eve, which was much enjoyed and appreciated by the inmates, as was also the fruit brought by the same kind friends. The association desires to return sincere and grateful thanks to all the kind friends who sent in such a liberal supply in response to its appeal for support. The following are the donations: Mrs. Macbeth, $1; Miss Brierly, $1; Dr. H. H. Nelles, $1; a friend, $1; Housekeepers' Mission, Cronyn Hall, preserved fruit, pickles and canned vegetables; Hellmuth Friendly Society, aprons; Mrs. Geo. Robinson, turkey; Mrs. Perrin, sugar, fruit, biscuits and candy; Mrs. Kent, flannel; Mrs. Hyman, towels, turkey; Mrs. Anderson, bootees, caps, woolen hoods; Mrs. Thos. McCormick, biscuit and candy; Mr. Moule, candy, nuts and gingersnaps; Mrs. C. Hutchinson, Christmas letters; Mrs. Baldwin, turkey and bacon; Flower Mission, skirts, jacket-balls, pincushions, cup and saucer, text cards, and for Aged Men's Home, warm underclothing, Christmas letters; for Aged Women's Home, a gift to each inmate; Mrs. St. J. Hyttenrauch, goose and sausages; Hellmuth College, night shirts; Mrs. C. H. Elliott, roast beef; Mrs. J. D. Anderson, apples and pies; Mrs. J. D. O'Neil, goose, cranberries; Mrs. H. V. Taylor, oranges, goose; Mrs. Moorehouse, sugar, oranges, fruit, gingersnaps; Mrs. J. Labatt, turkey, mincemeat; Mr. E. Tanton, turkey, milk; friend, canned fruit; Mrs. Westman, reading matter; Mr. J. Lawson, turkey; Mr. Murdock, cabbage, turnips; Mrs. Brummitt, candy, fruit and snaps; Mrs. Hunt, turkey; Mrs. Beattie, goose and turkey; Mrs. Cleghorn, roast beef, pork, turkey, fruit, socks; Mrs. R. E. Mathews, four pairs shoes, clothing; Mr. Sleight, oranges; Mrs. W. R. Hobbs, turkey and two pieces print; Mr. J. Gatecliff, turkey; Mrs. Blair and Miss Kennedy, Christmas letters; St. Andrew's Church, cake; Mrs. Wm. Bowman, prunes, sugar; Mrs. McCallum, chickens; Mrs. T. Macbeth, goose, canned fruit; Mr. Wright, footwarmer; Mr. Tanton, turkey; Mrs. Stevely, turkey; Mrs. J. B. Elliott, bag potatoes and flour; friend, cake, fruit, papers; Mrs. E. Leonard, preserves, fish; Mrs. A. Bowman, prunes, sugar; Mrs. Wm. Glass, turkey, apples, Christmas letters; friend, preserves, bedclothes, clothing; Mrs. Niven, turkey; Mrs. Cleghorn, turkey, beef, pork, tomatoes, tea; Mrs. C. S. Moore, turkey, raisins; Mrs. R. Brown, pickles, preserves, rice, oranges, goose, candies; Mrs. B. A. Mitchell, bag potatoes, turkey; A. M. Hamilton & Son, flour; Mrs. Wills, chicken; Mrs. M. Lewis, sugar; Mr. Mathewson, one year's paper; Mrs. Fraser, roast beef and shank; Mr Chapman, roast beef; Mrs. James Ballantyne, oranges; Mrs. Reid, pork; Mr. McGinn, plum cake; Mrs. George Bryan, knitted skirts; Mr. J. W. Lawson, goose; Mrs. Robson, turkey; Mrs. Weld, turkey, fruit; Mrs. Bullen, cake; Mrs. T. Smallmen, turkey, oranges, etc.; Miss Flossie Mitchell, Christmas cards; Mrs. A. Sharp, woolen shawls, etc; Mrs. Bradshaw, flour; Mrs. McMechan, tea; Mrs. J. W. Sanborn, turkey, vegetables, apples; Mrs. R. Wonnacott, cake, fruit; Mrs. C. Chapman, bag potatoes; Mrs. J. McLary, goose, milk; Mrs. Cox preserves; friend, half pig; Miss Kennedy, flannel; Mrs. Gibson, half piece of cotton; Mrs. De la Hooke, turkey; and Mrs. Elliott, turkey.

Welcome to a Pastor.

It was a happy gathering that filled the spacious and tasty auditorium of the Talbot Street Baptist Church Monday night to welcome the new pastor, Rev. Ira Smith. The four city Baptist churches were well represented, and must have impressed Bro. Smith with the thought that, though four, they were a unit in wishing their mother well under her new leader. Refreshments were served by the ladies in the basement until 8, when all adjourned to the body of the church, where addresses and singing were the order. Deacon Wellstead, in a very happy way, filled the office of chairman, and in a few well chosen words introduced Pastor Smith. Mr. C. W. Jones then, on behalf of the church, read a beautifully worded address which assured the pastor that he was the unanimous choice of the church, and that he and his wife would receive their most loyal and cordial cooperation in the work. Mr. G. B. Brown then favored the audience with a well-rendered solo. Pastor Speller, on behalf of the Adelaide Street Church, tendered a warm welcome with his own personal one, to the new pastor as one whom he had known for many years, and known only to love, and in humorous strain extended the same welcome to Pastor Smith's wife. Rev. Messrs. Carr and Aylward tendered a cordial welcome on behalf of the Congregational body. Letters of regret were received from Pastors Boyd, Clark and others, who were unable to be present. Secretary Sayer, on behalf of the Y. M. C. A., spoke words of welcome. Rev. Messrs. Siple, of the North Baptist Church; Bone, of the Welland Canal; Rowland, of Lake Geneva, Wisconsin; and Wm. Walker, B.A., of Barrie; together with a duet, given very effectually by Miss Edith Hartson and Mr. John Drew, and a well-rendered solo by the latter, all contributed to make the evening especially enjoyable. Pastor Walker's address will not be forgotten on the part of the church. Then came Pastor Smith's reply. It was felicitous, pointed and forcible. In brief, warm, well-chosen words he thanked the church for its address, and the various brethren of his own and other denominations for their warm words of welcome. He stated that the call was most unexpected and had cost him much prayer and thought before he could sever a connection that for six years had grown into his heart and cemented him to his people in Toronto. A more loving, loyal people he could not expect to meet anywhere. He had come to preach the gospel and nothing but the gospel. He was a Baptist, the son of a Baptist, yet one from conviction, and whilst contending earnestly for the faith once delivered to the saints, he would not forget that his brethren of the other denominations loved the Lord Christ, were washed in his blood, and desirous of serving him. He had not come to make the church a success, but simply to do his work and trust God to make his own church a success; if God did not do that it were better that it should be left undone. The address was well received, and Pastor Smith enters on his work under most favorable circumstances. The chairman here announced the result of the voting on the license reduction bylaw, which was received with great applause, and the meeting closed with the doxology and the benediction.

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