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parliament was the most brilliant and imosing seen since the first session of Lord Lorne's administration. The senate chamber, which itself is probably the most attractive room in Canada, with its rich crimson carpeting and upholstery, its magnificent dais, its richly tinted calcimine and the soft light of its stained windows, was a very appropriate setting to the scene of galety and beauty it contained.

The galleries were crowded with ladies as closely packed as sardines in a box and the floor was occupied with ladies in full dress, three rows on each side, members of the government in Windsor uniform, iudges of the supreme court in their scarlet and ermine robes, aides-de-camp and officers in uniform, senators, etc., with the members of the commons, headed by their speaker, standing in the space outside the

When all had a sembled Lord Lansdowne, in a clear resorant, firm voice read the speech from the throne in English and French as follows:

I rejoice to learn that, although the last harvest has been less productive than its predecessors, and although there are indications that the rapid expansion of your commerce has to some extent been followed by overtrading, the general condition of the dominion is such as to justify me in congratulating you on its presperity.

The marked success attained by Canada at the international fishery exhibition in London must be very gratifying to you,

and I am enabled to lay before you for examination about sixty chapters of the proposed consolidation. The remainder of the work will be prepared, and the whole of it revised during the present year, so that the final report will be ready at your

next session for your approval.

The number of emigrants to Canada during the past season has, I am glad to say, been greater than in any previous year. This is proof that the better Canada is known the more it is valued by those seeking a home in the new world. Arrangements are in progress to diminish the cost of inland transport, and I have reason to believe that the result will be a steady increase of valuable settlers in

future.

During the recess negotiations were resumed with British Columbia in regard to several matters upon which differences had for some time existed between the two governments. One of my ministers visited eraments. One of my ministers visited that province last summer on a special mission with a view to the adjustment of mission with a view to the adjustment of all questions in controversy, and his efforts have happily been successful. Should your sanction be given to the arrangements then made, all occasions of dispute will have been removed, and the most cordial relations established between the dominion and provincial governments. The papers will be laid before you, and your consideration is invited to measures enabling me to give effect to the agree-

The rapid increase of population in the Northwest renders some amendments in the Northwest territories act expedient, and your attention will be called to this

important matter.

The progress of the Indians in Manitoba and the Northwest during last year has been on the whole satisfactory. The bands included in several Indian territories have, for the most part betaken themselves to their reserves. A bill for the further promotion of their interests will be submitted motion of their interests will be submitted to you as well as a measure applicable to the whole dominion for the purpose of en-couraging the more advanced Indian com-munities to assume the responsibilities of

The bill laid before you last session for the representation of the people in parliament and the assimilation of electoral franchises existing in the several provinces has now been before the country for a year. The measure will be re-introduced, and I

The measure will be re-introduced, and I commend it to your attention.

I would also urge upon you the expediency of providing for a regulation of factory labor, and the protection of the work ingman and his family. The measure submitted last session, with some amendments, will be laid before you.

The rapid progress of the Canadian Pacific railway has been maintained throughout the past year. Of the two thousand eight hundred and thirty-three miles of the main line between Pembroke and Port Moody, one thousand seven hundred and thirty-eight miles are now constructed, and will render practicable the completion of that great work within the next two years, although the time within which the railway company is bound to finish the road will not expire until 1891. My government has thought it of the greatest importance for the settlement of the Northwest and the development of our trade, that its completion from sea to sea should be hastened and the company enabled to one the line throughout by the spring from sea to sea should be hastened and the company enabled
to open the line throughout by the spring
of 1886. With this view, and in order to
aid the company in procuring sufficient
capital for the purpose, by disposal of its
unsold shares, the government agreed to
receive a deposit of money, and securities
sufficient to pay a minimum 3 per cent.
dividend for ten years on 65 millions of the
stock. That arrangement was made on the stock. That arrangement was made on the belief that it would give steadiness and increased value to the shares on the market A combination of unfavorable circumstances has prevented the fulfilment of these appropriations. these expectations, and the company ambition to gain the respect and confidence of the community by persevering efforts to capital by a sale of its stock. The best improve things of real value.

PARLIAMENT ON PARADE.

means of preventing any delay in the great object of the early completion of the railway demands your earnest consideration. I am pleased to be able to state that the operation of that portion of the railway already opened affords the most gratifying evidence of its soundness as a commercial enterprise and of its great value to Canada. The large increase of the volume of traffic on the Intercolonial railway over that of any previous year, without involving any burden upon the country, is a satisfactory proof of the continued development of trade between the eastern and western portions of the dominion.

minion.

A provisional arrangement made with the government of Nova Scotia for the retention of the Picton branch and the acquisition of the Eastern Extension railway to the Strait of Canso will be submitted for your approved. for your approval.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,—

The accounts for the past year will be laid before you. You will find that the expenditure has been considerably less and the receipts larger than the estimates; the surplus exceeding that of any previous year. The revenue of the first half of the current year magnifications. arrent year, notwithstanding the large that we may reasonably expect the esti-mates for the year will be fairly main-

The estimates for the ensuing year will also be submitted to you. They will, I trust, be found to have been prepared with

trust, be found to have been prepared with due regard to economy.

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate, Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

I feel assured that you will devote yourselves with earnestness and assiduity to the consideration of the subjects I have mentioned, and to all matters affecting public interests that may be brought before

French as follows:

Hon. Gratlemen of the Senate and Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

In fulfilment of the important trust committed to me by her majesty, I have recourse for the first time to your advice and assistance. It is a source of the deepest personal satisfaction to me that I should have been called by her majesty to an office in which, as her representative, I am enabled to take a part in the public affairs of the dominion, and to associate myself with you in the performance of the honorable duties which you are about to approach.

I rejoice to learn that, although the last harvest has been less productive than its predecessors, and although there are indications that the rapid expansion of your commerce has to some extent been followed by overtrading, the general condition of the dominion is such as to instify me.

The marked success accounted to the world the wealth of our fisheries and the extent of our marine industries and resources.

The commissioners appointed by my predecessor for the purposes of consolidating the statutes affecting the dominion have pursued their task with diligence, the law before you for extending the statutes affecting the dominion have pursued their task with diligence, the law before you for extending the statutes affecting the dominion have pursued their task with diligence, the law before you for extending the statutes affecting the dominion have pursued their task with diligence, the law before you for extending the statutes affecting the dominion have pursued their task with diligence, the law before you for extending the statutes affecting the dominion have pursued their task with diligence, the law before you for extending the statutes affecting the dominion have pursued the law before you for extending the statutes of the most powerful gladiators of debate on the law to t the house.

After resolving to take up the debate or

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The address will be moved by Mr. MacMaster (Glengarry), seconded by Mr.
Belleau, successor of ex-Speaker Blanchet
in Levis. In the senate it will be moved
by Senator lacoste, seconded by Senator
Turner of Hamilton.

The representation of members at the
opening was unusually large.

The common expectation is that the session will not exceed twelve weeks. The
overnment are going to try and get

overnment are going to try and get hrough by Easter. J. J. Hawkins is here and expresses his tention to take his seat in the common to-morrow and to stick to it as long the courts will let him.

CROOKED LIQUOR AT CALGARY, Eight Thousand Dollars' Worth Capture

by the Mounted Police. The Calgary Herald says: "On Janu ary 2d word was received at the police parracks that the freight train which ar rived the previous night had brought a number of suspicious looking barrels, which had been left a short distance east of the Bow. Four constables and a sergeant were dispatched to overhaul the barrels, and, if found to contain liquor, to bring them in. After a ride of about nine miles they reached the 19th siding, and found what to all appearance were eight found what to all appearance were eight barrels of pork lying on the prairie. On opening one of the barrels the contents were found not to be pork, but 144 bottles of liquor. A fresh trail was observable, and on following this a short distance the police found three more barrels "cached" in the brush. Pursuing the trail still further they came upon a log hut, well hidden by trees and the bank of the river. Here two cans of alcohol, three rifles and a quantity of amunition were rifles, and a quantity of amunition were found, but no person was visible. These articles were appropriated, and the police returned to the siding, loaded their spoil, and started for the barracks, which they reached about midnight. Each barrel contained twelve dozen bottles of very fair liquor, superior to any that has yet been captured. Had the persons for whom it was intended secured the liquor, the snug little \$60000 would have been made at sum of \$8000 would have been made, at \$5 per bottle, the regulation price."

The Princess' Chair. OTTAWA, Jan. 17.—The chair which wa used by the Princess Louise at the opening and closing of parliament during her residence in Canada has been shipped to her royal highness, as a souvenir of her sojourn in the dominion. The following inscrip-tion is placed on the back of the chair: "Presented to Her Royal Highness the Princess Louise by the ministers of the dominion of Canada, advisers to his excellency the governor-general, the Marquis of Lorne, 1883."

What Canadians Read. There is such a thing as reading too much. If you would grow mentally, you must study. Perhaps no people in the world read so much as the Americans do but what is the character of the literature but what is the character of the literature they read? The details of criminal courts, sensational and exciting news, extravagant stories and romances; and the incidents of prize-fights, baseball games and riots are read with avidity; but literature of a high order is neglected, and the most profound treatises upon scientific, artistic, moral and useful subjects are allowed to grow dusty on the shelves of libraries and book stores.

The fault is mainly in their early training, which has failed to develop a taste for learning, industrious habits and a manly

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Another Day of Excitement and a Gent CHICAGO, Jan. 17 .- The conditions are favorable again for another season of excited trading on 'change. The drop in prices of all commodities proved so unexpected and severe as to throw the long interest into a sort of panic and the evident desire to unload only served to add to the predominant feeling of depression. Nothing had occurred in the prededing two days to presage such a tumble and the commodity had already sustained such a severe pounding that it is thought bed-rock point prices had been about touched. Rumors on 'change of failures on Wall street started the decline, and selling orders followed rapidly. May wheat dropped steadily under this strain until it touched 96½c., its lowest point since the break began. Corn provisions followed suit, and the depression became general. When it was learned the rumored failures had no foundation prices stiffened up somewhat, but the market failed to regain its original footing. prices of all commodities proved so unex-

DENVER, Col., Jan. 17 .- Mary Mathews a little girl recently adopted from the

a little girl recently adopted from the Denver orphan home by Mike Cuddihe and wife, living ten miles from Owray, died suddenly on Saturday morning and was almost immediately buried. Suspicions were aroused. The coroner exhumed the body. Evidence of a terrible death was revealed. The skull was fractured and limbs cut in several places. One leg was broken and feet and hands frozen solid. Cuddihe and wife, who were preparing to leave the country, were arrested. paring to leave the country, were arres Beats Patti as a Drawing Card. PITTSBURG, Jan. 17.—The desire to wit ess the Nutt trial is so great that the depaties who have charge of the tickets have

been offered as high as twenty dollars for a single admission. A thriving business has been conducted since the opening by some holders of season tickets, who after being admitted collect the tickets from their friends, come out and sell them on the street at a dollar each, and then con-duct the purchaser in, lift the tickets, and and sell them again. Nine Mills Blown Up. SCRANTON, Pa., Jan. 18.-The Con

umers' powder company's mills, nine miles from here blew up, one mill at a time, be tween 10.20 and midnight this evening, de-stroying nine out of ten mills. Certainly one man, L. H. Emery, was killed, and probably many more. Communication is cut off and particulars can not be had. The company was organized a year ago. The loss is serious.

A Badly Used Road. DENVER, Col., Jan. 17 .- The Denver and New Orleans railroad company filed a complaint in the United States court to-day against the Union Pacific railroad claiming that the latter road refuses to ex-change passengers and freight and has en tered into a compact with the Denver and Rio Grande company to break it down.

Destitution Among the Miners. READING, Jan. 17.—There is great des titution among the miners working in ore beds in this section. Their pay was re-cently reduced from 75 to 65 cents a day, and storekeepers refuse to give them credit. Operators say the reduction was necessitated by the fall in price of iron. Hundreds of men are also idle.

New York Brokers Burnt Out. NEW YORK, Jan. 17 .- A fire in Ex hange court to-day damaged the broker's offices of F. M. Lockwood & Co., H. L. Horton & Co., and a nüiiber of others to the amount of \$150,000. Twenty thousand dollars worth of West Shore bonds and 100 shares of Union Pacific stock were burned.

SALT LAKE, Utah, Jan. 17 .- This mornng Daniel Morris, aged 84, a Mormon polygamist with three wives living near here, after reading the governor's messag went to a shed adjoining the house and

Went to Bed to Keep Warm. KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 17 .- Joh Davidson, aged 80, and wife 86, were found frozen to death in bed near Newport to-day. They were too feeble to carry fuel and went to bed to keep warm.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17 .- A bottle of pain are, addressed to Queen Victoria by a Georgia doctor, who confidently asserts it will cure her majesty's injured knee, is detained at the dead letter office. WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The sub-commit-

tee of the house commerce committee

The Wise Brakeman. 'Taint everybody who knows what part of a car to sit in, says the brakeman. Take of a car to sit in, says the brakeman. Take a cold day, most people come into the car shivering, and want a seat as close to the stove as they can get. Every time the door is opened the wind comes in, and, if there's a good many passengers getting on and off, that part of the car gets as cold as out doors. Down at the middle of the car is the place to sit. Both doors have got to be open a long while before the middle of the car gets chilly. People think that any part of a drawing room car is easier than an ordinary car, but 'taint so. I'd rather ride all day in the middle of a baggage car than over the truck of a drawing room car.

Mayor Harrison of Chicago has a letter from W. A. Pierce of Hervey, Dakota, warning the poor against emigrating to the prairies of that territory. The writer says

Calvin's House Demolished.

A religious landmark has just disappear ed from Orleans. The house in which the reformed John Calvin lived when he studreformed John Calvin lived when he studied for the law, 10 Rue du Gros Anneau, has just been pulled down. His room, lighted by two windows, overlooked the street, and it was there that he received the visit of his two friends, Theodore de Beze and the celebrated librarian Leurez. The pick and spade are in full work, determined the street of the stree molishing many ancient houses in the Chatelet quarter of the city, and destroying much of its quaint and picturesque attraction for the antiquary and the

Bertha Clear, the daughter of a respectable citizen at Philadelphia, who a few days ago married the living skeleton at a dime museum, has become a raving maniac. The skeleton had \$50,000, but Bertha has

OUR POSTAL SERVICE

THE WORK DONE AT THE TORONTO

ing - No Carelessness and no Dis-During the year ended Dec. 31 last there were issued from the Toronto postoffice 17,731 money orders, amounting to \$282,-

some Statistics that will Prove Interest

value \$25,074; east 514, value \$6304; north 1014, value \$12,814; Yorkville 1014, value \$14,634, a grand total of 22,269, valued at \$14,034, a grand total of 22,269, valued at \$340,964. There were paid at the head office 61,259, valued at \$1,282,277, and at office 61,259, valued at \$1,282,277, and at the branches: west 138, value \$2003; east 38, value \$759; north 47, value \$1203; Yorkville 340, value \$5349, or a grand total of 61,822, valued at \$1,291,597.

There were deposited during the year in the postoffice savings bank (head office) \$474,910, withdrawn \$376,910; and the branches: west, \$28,387, withdrawn \$19,261; east, \$8557, withdrawn \$7920; north, \$11,692, withdrawn \$7963; Yorkville \$18,466, withdrawn \$19,156, or a grand total of \$542,012 deposited and \$431,279 withdrawn.

No loss of any kind occurred, either from carelessness or dishonesty, in the manifestation of the above amount, which somewhat exceeds two millions and a half of dollars. The total increase in the year's business over that of 1882 is in the neighborhood of \$250,000, and marks the rapid growth of the city. The branch offices have proved to be a great convenience to the public, who have largely availed themselves of the opportunity offered of doing postal business at places nearer their homes than the head office is. During the year past important additions have been made to the number of countries with which Canada interchanges the benefits of the money order system.

Canada interchanges the benefits of the money order system.

The total number of registered letters forwarded from the Toronto postoffice during the past year was 320,665, the largest number in any one menth being 32,240 in December, and the smallest number 22,130 in September. The number of registered letters received at the postoffice was 363,458. Of these as nearly as possible one-half was delivered by letter carriers and the other half through the boxes.

boxes.

The amount of postage stamps sold reached \$213,977.35, but does not represent more than 70 per cent of the stamps used in the city, many establishments, especially the newspaper offices, receiving a very large number of remittances from country places in the shape of postage stamps, which find their way of course into

DOMINION DASHES. The Latest and Best News Found in Our

Canadian Exchanges. Dundas has a doctor for every thou The McGill inedical students have offered an apology to the faculty for their refractory conduct and harmony has been

restored.

The Herd Laddie struck a Tartar at Hespeler in shape of Mr. Wayper, sr., who beat him at checkers two games out of three. Mr. Wayper, jr., beat him two games out of four

AMERICAN NOTES.

Miss Anderson's advertisers overreach the mark, Their stories are too big.

maintain them.

The sale of pews in Mr. Beecher's church on Tuesday evening realized \$34,844, a falling off of nearly \$3500 from last year's receipts from the same source. A scientific writer says that kissing is delightful because the jaws are so full of nerves. After a man gets married he sort of wishes nature hadn't put so many nerves

The Rochdale system of co-operation has been introduced in San Francisco. The capital stock of the first store is \$100,000, and the number of shares 10,000. Only Knights of Labor in good standing are eligible to membership.

Twenty seven young women have just been graduated from the training school for nurses attached to the Bellevue hospital, New York. Two hundred and twenty-two skilled nurses have received iplomas since 1873 from this institution The decorative craze has reached milk pails. That useful utensil is no longer considered only suitable for the dairy or kitchen, but satin-lined and blossom-crowned is used as a receptacle for fancy work in the parlor of a catch-all for the

They had to saw the pipe off from a hydrant in Allentown, Pa., the other day to liberate a man who had tried to drink from the nozzle when the thermometer was near zero. With the pipe sticking to his lips he was taken to a fire, and there the pipe fell. to-day agreed to report a resolution in favor of retaliation against France and Ger-

lips he was taken to a fire, and there the pipe fell.

It is said that mice are just as much afraid of women as women are of mice. But as the screaming apparatus of the latter is not constructed on the same principle as that of the former, they are restrained from communicating the intelligence to the people in the adjoining towns.

Mayor Harrison of Chicago has a letter from W. A. Pierce of Hervey, Dakota, warning the poor against emigrating to the prairies of that territory. The writer says that men with money can find a better country in which to invest it. All this is brought out by the sufferings of the poor in the cold on the prairies.

The question of teaching natural history in the public schools has been favorably

in the public schools has been favorably discussed in Massachusetts. One speaker recommended "throwing over some of the deadwood of geographical unessentials, mathematical conundrums and nonsensical parsing," to make room for the proposed study. The speaker will have many fol-

Ohio is a great state. Her latest boast is a little boy 4 years of age, who has been an inveterate smoker of strong cigars since he was 14 months old. What is since he was 14 months old. What is most remarkable about this infant phenomenon is that the doctors declare that all his functions are in a normal condition. Another estonishing fact is that he doesn't drink wine or beer. It was a great oversight to neglect his early training in this sight to neglect his early training in this particular, and his beer-drinking capacity should be tested without delay.

THE SURRENDER OF THE SOUDAN.

Deputation of Merchants Told that Evacuation is Inevitable.

CAIRO, Jan. 17.—The insurgents have cut off the retreat of the garrisons in the

cut off the retreat of the garrisons in the province of Sennar and rendered the river Nile impassable below Deum.

A committee of Soudan merchants sought an interview with the khedive today to protest against the abandonment of Soudan. Being refused an audience they sought Nubian Pasha, prime minister. He said the protest was useless as the evacuation of the Soudan had been definitely decided upon.

THE MISSING GERMANIC.

dred and Fifty Passengers Award. London, Jan 18.—The Germanic sailed with 91 steerage and 65 saloon passengers. She was spoken by the Westernland on the 10th. The wind at the time was southerly. It is expected the Germanic will arrive off the Irish coast on Sunday or Monday next. Two powerful tugs have been sent out to search for her.

Scare Among Russian Officials. ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 17 .- The murde of Col. Sudeikin has exercised a terribly depressing effect among the higher Russian officials. The emperor summoned Count Tolstoi, minister of the interior, and violently reproached him for incapacity and lack of energy. Count Tolstoi resigned. The murderers of Col. Sudeikin wore

Lasker will be conducted on a grand scale.

A Canal to the Red Sca. CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 17 .- Delect American, has presented to the porte a scheme for a ship railway from El Arish; at the mouth of Wady el Arish, near the boundary of Egypt and Palestine, to the River Akabah, which empties into the Red Sea.

Paris, Jan. 17 .- It is stated the Chinese mmander has ordered the Chinese at acninh to withdraw twenty-five leagues to the northwest. The mediation of America between China and France after the capture of Bacninil is considered cer-

A Crisis in Spain. MADRID, Jan. 18 .- The cabinet has re solved to resign unless the cortes are dis-THE OLD WORLD IN BRIEF.

The fire in the premises of Silver & Co., ondon, caused a damage of £35,000. Sudeiken's nephew, who was wounded by the nihilists, died yesterday at St. Petersburg without recovering conscious-Horrible Butchery in Russia:

A few weeks ago seven girls employed at a sugar factory in Balta, near Odessa, in Russia, left that town in the evening to return to their native village at some distance. The girls, belated on the way, resolved to pass the night in the fields and proceed at daybreak. They had located themselves near-a haystack in a field adjoining the highway, and having some slight fears of robbery placed their united week's earnings in the hands of one of their number for greater safety. The unfortunate girls were all fast asleep when they were tracked by a number of young men. The girl who had secreted the money in her dress had taken the precaution to cover herself with hay. The miscreants, finding no money on the persons of the other six girls, murdered them in cold blood. They then fired the stack, and in the conflagration and smoke the surviving and terrified girl effected her escape and reached the village in safety. An alarm was given, and the murderous band were all arrested. The survivor had recognized the murderers, who were all employed in the same factory as their victims. tance. The girls, belated on the way, re-Oysters in England.

The past season has again been very liscouraging to oyster cultivators in England and the conviction has been forced upon them that further experiments will be only a waste of money. From one end of the southern coasts of England to the other, thousands of pounds have been expended in endeavoring to protect the spawn at spawning time, but without the least sign of success. The cause of the failure is the want of temperature. Only native oysters will breed in the estuaries of the Thames, but of late years the summers have been so short and cold that there has been very little spat, and this is the reason of the scarcity and consequent darkness of the "native" which the English esteem the best of all oysters. Artificial breeding in England has been achieved at Arcachon, in the south of France, but even there, during the last two or three cold and wet summers, the crop of spat has been only about one-fourth of what it has usually been. upon them that further experiments will

A prominent reformer said last night

General Grant gets around on crutches Hon. John Costigan is confined to his room at Ottawa by severe indisposition. The governor-general will hold a drawing room at Ottawa on Saturday after-

Mr. Stern, an American banker, was married to Sophie Croizette of the Comedie Francaise, Paris, yesterday.

Lord Lansdowne gave a state dinner at Rideau hall last evening and Lady Lansdowne subsequently held an "at home."

Miss Fortescue, the actress, has been invited by the Earl and Countess Cairns to spend a few days with them at Lindisfarne, Bournemouth. It is expected that Miss Fortescue's marriage with Lord Garmoyle will take place in June.

On New Year's day Miss Mary Ander-

the Horticultural gardens last night, was a great success. A large audience was present and an excellent program was rendered by the various artists, all of whom gave their services gratuitously. Mr. The German Embassy Bestroyer,
London, Jan. 17.—Wm. Wolff, on trial
is the Old Bailey, for being illegally in
ossession of explosives, addressed the
rry in his own behalf to-day. He mainained he was ignorant of the fact that
here was powder in his house. Asserted
he was a victim of Edward Bondurand's
revenge.

A Briber of Beputics.

Liege, Belgium, Jan. 17.—The court of
appeal has sentenced Boland, a Belgian
journalist and speculator, to three years
imprisonment and a fine of two thousand
francs on a charge of obtaining money on
false pretenses. Boland refuses to divulge
the names of the French deputies whom he
pretended to have bribed.

A Common Meridian.

Rome, Jan. 17.—A conference is being
held here for the purpose of discussing a
project for a uniform system with a common meridian. A diplomatic conference
will shortly assemble at Washington to
of fire the first special spec

At 10.30 last night as Policeman Wismer was passing the wood-turning works Numerous societies in all parts of Prussia mer was passing the wood-turning works have decided to send deputations to it. A of Hewitt & Capell, in Sheppard street, he have been formed to establish a street been for establish as the street been formed to establish a street been noticed a bright blaze among some shavings in the basement. He forced an entrance through a window, and was fortunate in finding a bucket of water near at hand. A boy who was passing was despatched to the Bay street fire hall for assistance, but ere the men arrived Policeman Wismer had extinguished the flames. In a few moments more the fire would have attained great headway, and a serious conflagration would undoubtedly have been the result.

The City Executive Committee's Wind-up. The city executive committee met for the last time yesterday afternoon, Ald. Clarke presiding. Several petitions and accounts were attended to and the reports of the other committees revised. Ald Clarke, M.P.P., who sat as chairman for the last time and who will sit at to-day's session of the dying council for the last time, was tendered a warm and unanimous vote of thanks by his colleagues. In replying, Ald. Clarke thanked the committee and referred to the efficiency of the treasury and city clerk's departments of the corporation.

The city council of 1883 will meet for Jacksonville, Florida, where they will spend three months. presiding. Several petitions and accounts

The city council of 1883 will meet for the last time at 3 p.m. to-day.

Cackling at St. Lawrence Hall, There is great crowing and cackling now going on in old St. Lawrence hall. Yesterday the annual exhibition of the reday the annual exhibition of the Poultry association of Ontario was informally opened, and will be continued for the following six or seven days. The show will be evidently a success as the exhibit of poultry, pigeons and rabbits is creditable. The officers of this association are: W. H. Doel, Doncaster, president; A. Bogne, London, 1st vice-president; E. Kester, Brantford, 2d vice-president; John James, Toronto, treasurer, and Joseph Dilworth, Toronto, secretary.

off with a sudden jerk before a lady passenger has rightly put her foot on the steps of a horse car on wheels, but she runs a far greater risk in getting into the sleich cars now in use in Toronto. The conductor usually pulls his go-ahead bell before she is half-way into the door, and many are the narrow escapes she has from a tumble backwards.

Lodge Middlesex No. 2, sons of England benevolent society, at their last meeting donated the sum of \$25 towards the relief fund for Mrs. Barber, wife of the conductor in the late Humber disaster.

A Chicago man claims that he courted a woman of that city for three years before he found out that she was married.

he found out that she was married.

There are now twenty training schools for nurses in the United States. Of these New York and Boston have three each, and Philadelphia and Brooklyn two, the remaining ten being allotted to ten other cities. There is said to be a demand for graduates of the various schools to act as superintendents in institutions of a similar character yet to be founded. The occupation of the professional nurse undoubtedly tion of the professional nurse undoubtedly has its drawbacks, but the remuneration received (\$20 or \$30 a week and board) is not to be despised by the self-dependent

PRICE ONE CENT

THE RECENT ACCIDENTS AN OLD RAILWAY MAN ON THEIR

The Cold Weather and the Snow Largely

Responsible—Extra Care Required in the Winter. You read in the papers, said an old rail-

way man yesterday, that one accident was caused by the conductor forgetting his orders, and that another was caused by a train not clearing the switch, and the like. While these may be the direct causes there are other things which play an important part and which are too often lost sight of. Now within two weeks there have been On New Year's day Miss Mary Anderson gave a dinner to 260 destitute London boys at Tower street school, Seven Dials. The dinner was a substantial one, consisting of roast beef, two kinds of vegetables, and what one thing do you find common to them all? Only this, the cold weather perhaps half a dozen bad accidents on the The dinner was a substantial for the sufferers was and the snow. Nevertheres and the snow for that these have more to do with the accidents than any thing else. The cold snap has been a severe one and no one knows this better than railway men. To begin with severely cold weather makes men late in arriving at their work, and when they do come it delays their progress. The result is that their trains do not start on time. Again it drives the trainmen into the caboose when they ought to be on the outside, and when they ought to be on the outside, and

ngines. A large number of the passen-

gers in the five Pullmans were mer parliament and others en route to Ottawa. Entering the Trenton station a switch rod broke and the rails widened out, throwing moving slowly and consequently no one was injured A delay of six hours was

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Early yesterday morning a freight train for Toronto ran into another freight train standing in the siding at Port Credit taking in water. No one was injured, but the van of the standing train was considerably wrecked. This accident resulted from utter carelessness. utter carelessness.

Mr. Harry Rogers of Cayuga was married at St. Lukes yesterday to Miss Maud C. Spooner. The ceremony was performed

Grate Anderson, vag, remanded till the 22d. John Follis, an old blind vag, got 3 months shelter in response to his own wish. John Chalthaii, another vag, was sent down for 75 days. A fourth vag named Callaghan was let off. Jas. Mowat, and Callaghan was let off. Jas. Mowat, and dental tools, etc. This is a little dynamo machine, weighing only forty ounces, which is called the double induction motor. It derives its power from a battery of carbon and zinc element, and is claimed to be the only practical electric motor for the dwelling, laboratory, etc. It is so constructed as to be easily attached to the sewing machine or lathe table, and the fells of the batteries are so arranged that The Boston Transcript says that an electhe dwelling, laboratory, etc. It is so constructed as to be easily attached to the sewing machine or lathe table, and the tells of the batteries are so arranged that the zinc and carbon plates, when the ma-

bells of the batteries are so arranged that the zinc and carbon plates, when the machine is not running, are lifted out of the cells, and there can therefore be no waste of material when power is not required. There is one great idea about it, and that is that the power can be regulated at the will of the operator. This is brought about by the degree of immersion given the plates. The speed of this motor, varying at the will of the operator from any number to a number of thousands of revolutions a minute, renders it a valuable aid to surgeons for driving the various instruments designed to remove accrosed bone, for rotary lancet, etc. Its operation of an ordinary sewing machine for family work will be only from twenty-five cents to forty cents a day, according to the work done or power required to pperate.

This case was continued yesterday. The udge charged the jury asking them to find on certain questions submitted. They found a verdict for Cox of \$500 and interest, and for Pearson \$1700 and interest, making a net verdict for the latter of some \$1200 and costs.

To the Editor of The World: SIR,-In your paper of yesterday appears an account of a suit of Cox v. Pearson; we beg to say that we are not the parties interested in this matter. We do not speculate in stock, but confine our attention to the business of

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The Speech and the Session.

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There has been no expectation of any rush of important legislation at Ottawa nouncement in the opening speech. The principal topics touched upon are connected with the Northwest, the Canadian Pacific of the new country. Another important subject, that of the franchise, is mentioned. gration, except for the farm, is to be checked, would have been gladly received by the country; but no act of parliament is necessary to make this wrong right, the dominion executive has in its hands all the power necessary to do what is wanted. A recognition of the fact that no more Chinese are wanted in this country would also have been in order, but perhaps the members from the Pacific pro vince will manage to take the sense of the house on that question ere the session be over. The public would have welcomed. too, an intimation that something to check speculation in bank stocks was in prospect, but very possibly the minister of finance may yet do the needful in this respect with an amending act of a dozen or two lines. The truth is that some of the reforms most urgently wanted come withalready possesses.

One notable exception there is with regard to railways. The government should ask for power to rule the railways, instead of letting the railways rule the public.

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To say that the weight of it is multiplied by ten in the case of Mr. Chamberlain, the sole representative of radicalism in the cabonic fletting the railways rule the public. if asked for by a strong government like the present. The Canadian statesman who dares to beard the railway lion in his den, and subjugates him, will earn the gratitude

of many generations. It is not risking much to say that the great feature of this year's session will be the fighting of the N. P. battle over again in the house. Sir Richard is himself again. and, now that he is back to his seat again will most certainly make amends for his one year's absence. He has two new circumstances to work upon

the beginnings of manufacturing over production in Canada, and the expectations in some quarters entertained of free trade party success in the United States. As to the depression in Canada, it may soon turn out to have been more apparent than real; and it may be found very difficult to show that we should have increased the aggregate of employment in Canada by importing goods instead of making them at home. In the States, again, the democratic party is very 'shaky" and undecided on the free trade question. With all its majority in the house, its boldest leaders fear to strike a blow in earnest for free trade. The presidential election of next fall is what unmans them. If free trade were really popular-if protection were really disliked by the masses of the people—the election of a democratic president this year would be as easy as rolling off a log. The party would have but to declare for the abolition of tariff taxation in order to elect its man by a large majority. The trouble is, however, that among the American people the belief prevails that the tariff taxation aforesaid is paid mostly by foreign producers, and not by themselve

The course of events at Washington may greatly influence tariff discussion at Ottawa. If the democrate dare come out straight for free trade it will of course greatly strengthen the Canadian opposition for a time, that is, pending the result of the presidential election. Sir Richard will no doubt make the most of such countenance as present appearances over the border may give to him; and he will be ably seconded by Mr. Mills. The tariff debate will almost certainly be the most important feature of the session, the Canadian Pacific railway and the Northwest question coming next. On the whole rather a lively and interesting session may be expected.

The whole speculating community of Canada and it is much larger than many carried suspicion and terror to the verge suppose-is now turned toward Toronto where two cases have already been heard and where several more are to follow, all involving the relations that exist between stock brokers and their clients. The first case was that of: Carnegie against the to Germany had an interview with Em-Federal bank, the second is that of Cox v peror William at Berlin, after which he Pearson, decided in the court of assize yes

THE TORONTO WORLD a straight one as to the relations between a straight one as to the relations between broker and client; in one that is seen to come off there is a direct issue, vis.:

Can a broker recover margins that the has put up for his client? Why seems likely to be afflicted with the St.

Petersburg conspirators, and the most stringent precautions were taken to prevent suspicious characters from passing olish enough to advance money in such cases is one of the things we never could understand; the levelheaded brokers "close out" their customer the moment he fails to come to time. It is good for the broker, and it is better for the

If the business is declared by the courts not be able to recover, and in the future they will be forced to have their margins

of special clauses in their contracts. One of the worst phases of this speculation is that pointed out yesterday, viz., that men who have lost money thereby cry out that they have been swindled in their nnocence. They are entitled to no sympathy. They are speculators and they them into loss they ought to suffer.

A Diplomat's Paradise.

The foreign diplomats in Washington have an easy time of it: no triple alliance to bother them, no "strained relations" to keep them on the rack, no "burning questions" to play on with their diplo this session, and therefore we have not hose. Their principal business is to give been looking for any very remarkable an- each other dinners or to be dined by the secretary of state. There Prince Pumpernicket twists his mustache and chews garlic, Count Macaroni sips lacrima cristi, railway, immigration, and the settlement Baron Koffishedoff plays with caviar, Monsieur Toulourou nibbles a ragout, Sir Jehalabad Jones picks plum-pudding, and and we are told that the last session's bill Senor Don Guzman del Pompados deigns will be introduced again. It is promised, to delight in an onion, while Ling Tchoo also that the factory bill is to be re-intro-duced, this time to become law, let us returned by the state of hope. An intimation that assisted immi- Toronto where the foreign representatives are overworked

Radicalism in the Cabinet. It may have been a puzzle to many people, in fact "a bother to the nation," to of France would just now be regarded quote the old song about St. Patrick, with favor by all the powers which mainwhy Mr. Gladstone has allowed so pronounced a radical as Mr. Chamberlain to be one of his ministers. To a certain extent, and in certain ways, Mr. Gladstone is a radical himself, one of the greatest of terests to uphold in France has undergone the age. But it has fallen to his lot, as prime minister of England, to meet a certain phase of radicalism. And how does he meet it?

We answer, by taking radicalism into the cabinet and making it responsible There it has to "show its shapes," to define itself, and in various ways explain what it is driving at. As a member of parin the range of administration rather than liament merely, Mr. Chamberlain might or legislation. It is not so much new laws that we want as the vigorous use and exercise by the executive powers which it government, would give him pause. The responsibility of office is no light matter; One notable exception there is with regard to railways. The government should by ten in the case of Mr. Chamberlain, the Toronto directors to-day may be the share of the Toronto directors to-morrow. So far the by all odds the heaviest responsibility. He is a radical, but he is a radical in the cabinet, and therefore he has to bethink himself. No nonsense will do; in his position he cannot give himself away with claptrap; he must show good, solid constitutional

reasons for every change that he proposes. Now, let us venture this supposition. Suppose it should be Gladstone's policy to have the radicalism of the country in the cabinet instead of out of it. And suppose, further, that he has it in his head to establish this thing as a precedent, with a view to future contingencies that in the cabi net of England there shall always be a certain capable and fair representation of the radicalism of the country, to the end of compelling radicalism to assume respon-

Things more unlikely than this might be suggested. It may turn out that this is the real key to Mr. Gladstone's domestic policy. Whether it is or not, it will bear thinking over.

The Canal Question. Over the border there is much conflict of view as to whether the Erie canal should be kept up or not. Some say let it go, and let the railways do all the transportation from Buffalo eastwards. Without going into the question as to the capabilities of the three hundred odd miles of "ditch" in the state of New York, it may be pointed out that the canals of Canada stand in a very different position. They are merely short links connecting long stretches of lake and river navigation. Counting from the level of Lake Erie, fifty miles of canal in Canada open up 500 miles of lake and river navigation right through to salt water. To think of determining the canal question in Canada by the conditions affecting New York's 300 mile ditch is utter nonsense. The two cases are far apart, and the more they are considered the farther apart they will appear.

European Politics. English journals just to hand are com nenting on the extra friendly relations now existing between Germany and Russia. The change observed is coincident with the revival of aggressiveness on the part of the Russian nihilists. It is no onger a secret that the injuries recently sustained by the czar were the direct or indirect outcome of a resolute attempt to murder him, and the assassination of Lieut.-Col. Sudeikin-the most astute and energetic of the officers charged with the protection of the imperial family-by one of his most trusted agents, has naturally of panic. Soon after the first of these fresh demonstrations by the anarchists the

Russian minister of war, M. De Giers--who represents that party in the bureaucracy and the army which is friendly had at Varzin a conference with Prince rearran, decided in the court of assize yes terday. Judgment has not yet been given in the Carnegie case. Half a dozen other suite are likely to follow. But in the two followed. The police resources of Pruesia and the German empire were forthwith fy the expropriation of private property

vent suspicious characters from passing the Russian frontier by the most frequented routes, which, we need not point out, traverse Prussian territory.

Should the same course be adopted by the Austrian authorities in Galicia and by Roumania and both the Vienna and Bucharest governments may be expected If the business is declared by the courts to obey an impulse from Berlin—the to be merely gambling, then brokers will Nihilist leaders who prefer to organize asassination from the safe vantage ground of Switzerland, England, and the United kept up and to insert a lot States would be pretty effectually cut off from communication with their tools in Russia. No doubt there will be a plenty of conspirators left in that unhappy country, but it may be that hence-forward their plots would be carried out less systematically and effectively. Of this, at all events, the Czar and his advisknow the risks; and if their cupidity leads ers appear convinced, and for the sake of German co-operation in the work of extirpating or baffling Nihilism they have seemingly consented to discountenance the Panslavist party, to arrest the anti-German agitation which has gained great headway in certain provinces, and to check the activity of the Russian emissaries in the

Danubian principalities.

The main obstacle to a concerted and neasurably successful effort to draw an ron cordon around the European contiment against the advocates and instruments of political assassination is the existence of republican institutions in France. It is a striking coincidence that contemporaneously with the re-establishment of a friendly understanding between Berlin and St. Petersburg, and just after the return of the crown prince of Prussia from his visit to the king of Spain, the Comte de Paris should receive an official invitation to Madrid. It would not be easy to signify more distinctly that a movement for his elevation to the throne tain intimate relations with the present government of Spain. The inferenceseems unavoidable that Bismarck's view of the regime which it best suits German insome change since Count Von Annim was recalled and ruined for promoting a res-

The directors of the Western fair at London, Ont., have been turned out of office. By last year's exhibition they lost \$2000. In previous years they had done fairly well and were splendid fellows. Last year luck was against them and an ungrateful public, who worship success and despise a failure, however slight, however unavoidable, give them the cold shoulder. What is the lot of the London waiting to spring at their throats will fasten on them. Last year there were not wanting indications of a desire to introduce partyism into the proceedings, but we would warn the gentlemen interested to heed the fate of the Mail crowd who a few years ago made such a lamentable failure of an attempt to foist P. G. Close upon the city simply on party grounds.

toration of the French monarchy,

England has 263 public analysts of food products, yet the complaint is made that n some of the largest towns and counties not a single article has been analyzed for nearly a year.

The Toronto Confiscation Company.

To the Editor of The World.

SIR: Among the many schemes which re coming before the present session of the Ontario legislature, by which cunning speculators are organizing plans and setting up jobs to profit at the public expense, the most thievish in design and outrageous in purpose is that of an alleged company which seeks incorporation (see Ontario Gazette, Dec. 22, 1883) by the name of the "Toronto Tenement Building association," with powers to expropriate lands and houses anywhere for the purposes and benefit of the company; and specially to expropriate the lands and houses on the east side of University street and on both sides of Centre street. This means wholesale confiscation. It is the old story over again of King Ahab and Naboth's vineyard. This modest company should have named itself "The Toron confiscation association," or "The associa-tion for compelling landowners to become tenants." The ordinary thief steals from the rich and carries off only moveable property, but the extraordinary thief contrives plan under the color of law to houses and lands, and take away the homes of the poor. He solemnly and brazenly asks the government to authorize him to take hard-working laborers and mechanics by their collars and kick them out of their own homes into the public street to go God knows where. It matters not that the little lot and one story cottage is endeared

little lot and one story cottage is endeared to its owner by a thousand memories, the happy little home must be confiscated for benefit of a few heartless speculators.

The promoters of this unholy scheme claim to be doing it for the public benefit; but they may thank their lucky stars in they escape being indicted by the attorney-general or some other proper authority for organizing a conspiracy against the public general or some other proper authority for organizing a conspiracy against the public welfare. It would be interesting to know what member of the legislature would dare to introduce a bill to legalize what this company proposes to do. What constituency would he dare to face after fathering such an act. We claim to be a free people, and at the very moment when the mother country is enacting laws to make tenants their own landlords no language can be too strong to frown down and condemn the plans of designing schemers who would reduce land owners in Toronto back to the condition of tenants.

There is an ugly rumor affoat that this company have actually seduced Mayor Boswell to lend countenance and respect-ability to their scheme. The writer is un-willing to believe that so decent a man

FINANCE AND TRADE.

TORONTO, Thursday, Jan. 17. Wheat is likely to go lower. ovisions and corn are begin igns of weakening in Chicago.

The New York stock market closed stro

Chicago advices represent that corn has Cable to Cox & Worts quotes Hudson Bay

at £21‡, and Northwest Land at 65s.

No enquiry for Northwest Land to-day. A Paris cable quotes Rentes at 76f-721c. ess continues dull in all branches

Toronto merchants are anxiously awaiting the arrival of their spring goods, which, owing to a freight block are delayed between the Bridge and New York. The local stock market is flat and feature ess, and Montreal exhibits little anima

Toronto Stock Exchange.

MORNING SALES.—Molsons 20 at 114. Toronto 20 at 168, Commerce 10, 20, 100 at 119‡. Federal 50 at 125. Dominion 90 at 188‡. British America 20, 100, 20 at 112‡. Canada Permanent 200 (new stock) at 190.

CLOSING BOARD.—Toronto, 168 to 167‡, sales 10, 10, 20 at 168. Dominion 188‡ to 188‡; sales 50 at 188‡. Standard 110‡ to 109‡, sales 10 at 110. Ontario and Qu'Appelle 96 to 91, sales 20 at 91‡.

Montreal Stock Exchange. CLOSING BOARD.—Montreal 178\ to 178; sales 1 at 177\frac{1}{2}, 6 at 177\frac{1}{2}, 50 at 178. Merchants 109\frac{1}{2} to 10\frac{1}{2}, 63\frac{1}{2} to 178. Merchants 109\frac{1}{2} to 10\frac{1}{2}, 61\frac{1}{2} to 5\frac{1}{2}, 61\frac{1}{2} to 5\frac{1}{2}, 61\frac{1}{2} to 5\frac{1}{2}, 61\frac{1}{2} to 5\frac{1}{2}, 61\frac{1}{2} to 18\frac{1}{2}; sales 25 at 117. Richelieu, 5\frac{1}{2} to 5\frac{1}{2}; sales 25 at 5\frac{1}{2}. Montreal Gas Co., 176 to 17\frac{1}{2}, sales 100 at 17\frac{1}{2}, 200 at 17\frac{1}{2},

New York Stocks NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Stocks were steady until near 2 p.m., when Wabash common was raided down to 14 and pfd, to 27. The general market was unsettled by the raid. After 2.30 p.m. there was brisk demand for nearly all active shares and the highest prices of the day were current in many instances.

Local Markets.

The Farmers' Market.—Prices paid for wheat to-day were \$1.02 to \$1.08 for fall, \$1.10 to \$1.11 for spring; and 80c to 83c for goose. Barley sold at \$5c to 83c. Oats at 33c to 34c, and peas at 73c to 74c. About 250 loads of hay sold during the week and 30 loads of straw; prices to-day were \$5.50 to \$3 for clover, and \$10 to \$12.50 for timothy. Straw about \$7 to \$3. There was not much produce on the street. Hogs sold at \$7.50 to \$7.75, quarters of beef at .5 to \$6 for forequarters, and \$7 to \$8 for hindquarters. Carcases of mutton at 73c and lamb at 84c. Potatoes at 90c per bag. Butter, pound rolls, 22c to 23c. Eggs 28c to 30c. Turkoys 11c to 12c per lb.; geese 7c to 8c; chickens 50c to 60c; ducks 60c to 70. Apples \$2 to 39 per barrel.

St. Lawrence Market.—There was very little activity in the market this morning. Prices at butchers' stalls are generally firm. Following are the prices paid at the wagons: Beef, roast, 10c to 14c; sirloin steak, 12c to 14c; round steak, 10c to 12c; mutton, legs and chops, 10c to 13c; inferior cuts, 8c to 10c; lamb, per pound, 8c to 12c; veal, best joints, 12c to 13c; inferior cuts, 8c to 10c; pork, chops and roasts, 9c to 10c; venison, carcase, \$5 to \$6: do, haunches \$9 to \$10. to 19c; cooking, 15c to 16c; lard, 12c to 14c; cheese, 14c to 16c; bacon, 10c to 14c; eggs, 25c to 26c; turkeys, 75c to \$1.50; chickens, per pair, 40c to 45c; geese, each, 50c to 75c; ducks, 60c to 55c; partridge, brace, 50c to 60c; potatoes, per bag, 8c to 90; cabbage, per doz., 50c to 85c; onions, per peck, 20c; carcols, per peck, 20c; beats, 9c per peck, 20c; beats, 9c per peck, 20c; beats, 9c per peck, 20c; cooking, per peck, 20c; beats, 9c per peck, 20c; cook, 50c to 30c. Local Markets.

Markets by Telegraph. NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Cotton firm and unchanged. Flour—Receipts 18,000 bris, dull, sales 13,000 bris, No.2 \$2 to \$2.90, superfine \$2.65 to \$3.35, common \$3.20 to \$3.75, good \$3.80 to \$3.50, western extra \$6.25 to \$6.50, extra olio \$7. Rye four steady at \$3.30 to \$3.75. to \$7. Rye four steady at \$3.30 to \$3.75. Cornmeal steady and anchanged. Wheat—Receipts 66,000 bush, opened, unsettled and color bush, future 266,000 bush, spot 49,000 bush, steady, sl.03; to \$1.05; March \$1.06; to \$1.09; Rye dull at 72c. Barley steady at \$35 to \$80.000 bush, future 266,000 bush, steady; sales 1,482,000 bush, lower, closing steady; sales \$1.482,000 bush, lower, closing steady; sales \$1.482,000 bush, future 154,000 bush, spot 1000 bush, exports; No. 2 60; to 62; C. February 61; to 62; C. February 61; to 62; C. January 80; to 40; C. January 90; to 400, February 60; to 62; C. February 61; to 62; C. January 90; to 400, February 40; to 40; C. January 90; to 400, February 40; to 82; C. January 90; to 400, February 40; to 82; C. January 90; to 400, February 40; to 82; C. Ryar steady, standard A 7; C. Molasses quiet. Rice steady. Petroleum, crude 73; to 81; C. refined 94; C. Tallow steady at 71-16; to 76; C. Potatoes quiet and unchanged. Eggs firm at 32; to \$30.70 full, mess at \$14.25 to \$14.50. Cut meats firm, pickled bellies 7; to 76; C. Potatoes quiet and unchanged. Eggs firm at 32; to \$9.07; Butter firm at 18; to 31c. Cheese firm at 10c to 132; C. CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—There was another severe break in wheat to-day, which proved

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—There was another severe break in wheat to-day, which proved staggering to bull interest. May dropped rapidly to 26½c, the lowest point reached. February fell to 89½c. Corn weakened in sympathy. Pork declined 37½c, lard 27½c. At 12.30 p.m. some markets showed a shade more strength. changed. Wheat weak: January 89½c to 903 February 89½c to 91c, March 90½c to 92c. Con weak; sales, cash 51½c to 52c, January 81½c to 53. February 52c to 53½c, March 52½c to 53½c. Oats dull at 32½c, January aud February 31½c to 32½c, March 32½c. Rye dull a 57½c. Pork unsettled at 514.50 to \$14.60 to \$14.60. St.660 to \$8.65, February \$8.57½ to \$3.77½bulk meats and shoulders \$6.30, short rib 37.70. short clear \$7.95. Whisky steady and unchanged. Receipts —Flour 18,000 bbls, wheat 50.000 bush, corn 199,000 bush, oats 116,000 bush, cye 8900 bush, barley 41,000 bush. Shipments —Flour 29,000 bbls wheat 16.500 bbls shipments

neavy damages for injury to passengers, because it is their business to carry them safely So it is every man's business to carry his fam ily safely through the period of their depend ence, and to trifle with interests so sacred, by putting them to unnecessary hazard, it is to incur a very grave responsibility. When a man does his best there still remain risks enough; but woe unto him who neglects a asonable precaution against dangers that are well known.

When one goes on board a steamboat and ees the fire-buckets and axes, the life-boats and life-preservers, and then reflects how seldom there is any occasion to use them, it seems like a waste of money-a provision agains danger out of all proportion to the danger Thousands of passengers are carried every year and not one of them uses a life-preserver, the life-boats rot at the davits; but who would wish to travel on a steamboat that neglected to provide such things? The truth is, when such things are needed it is a matter of life or death and the people realize that it is better to pro-vide them ten thousand times where they may prove unnecessary, than to be without them once when they need them.

But no large company of persons journe through the world long before some of the eel the need of life insurance. Every year the shadows of death fall upon the homes and hearts of more or less. It is only reasonable precaution for all to insure. The cost of insuring is not so great that it deserves to be compared with the sad result to the families of those who die uninsured.

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GOING WEST.

(a) 7.55 a.m.—Local for all points west to Detroit... (c) 12.15 p.m.—Express for Port Huron, Detroit, Chicago and beyond... (a) 4.00 p.m.—Local for London, Goderich, Georgian Bay branch, with through car to points north of Guelph... (b) 6.25 p.m.—Mixed, for Stratford and intermediate points. .. (d) 11.00 p.m.—Express for Port Huron, Detroit, all points in Michigan, Chicago and the west.

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St. Louis Express, 710 a.m., for all stations on main line and branches, and for Detroit, Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City... Pacific Express, 1.00 p.m., for Galt, Woodstock, Ingersoll, St. Thomas, Detroit, Chicago, and all points west and northwest... Local Express, 4.50 p.m., for all points on main line, Orangeville and Elora branches.

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Harry Hutchings, who started from the scratch, won his preliminary heat in 30 2.5 seconds, and in the final he did "even time," or 30 seconds for the distance, which beats all previous records by three uarters of a second, and would give Myers, the American champion, about 15 yards' start in the 300 Judging from Hutchings' well-known staying qualities he should run the quarter of a mile in 45

At the same time and place the 130-yard handicap was won by W. Clard (12½ yards' start), W. Watt (15¼ yards), was second by a foot, and G. Cruikshanks (16¾ yards), was third; time 12s.

The fractional times are not known a

yet, but the intermediate distances doubtess wipe out all existing figures. It is said that Hutchings was not run out, so that even better things than even time may be expected from him. Perhaps the quarter in "even time" 44 seconds.

Punster's Picnic. A great job-building the fire. B. C.

The barber is a great man for scraping an acquaintance. B. C. 9845. A very fleshy person may well be designated as limb fat-io.

When the whisky punch is too hot a man is justified in blowing his own horn, "Now I lame me down," remarked a man when he tumbled and sprained his

"I feel for you," said the pickpocket, sympathisingly, as his fingers glided toward well-filled purse.

If a certain article of dress worn by a woman is a basque, should the same article worn by a little girl be called a basket. "I am monarch of all I survey," cried the victor in awrestling match, "and I am now sitting on the thrown."

"Swearing is a very bad custom you've adopted, I see." "Yes, I know I custom "Bill, where is the milk stool?" "The

cow ate it." "Why did you not stop her?" I was going to, but I soon saw it was stool

We have a very funny man where we board. At the table, the other evening, he held up a ginger-snap that had become soaked with water that had fallen upon it, and quickly remarked: "Boys, I've got a soft snap." We have handled him gingerly ever since.

An Englishwoman the First. From the New York Morning Journal. "Give me a ticket for Leadville, Colorado, please," said a pretty little Englishwoman to M. E. Clare, immigrant ticket agent for the West Shore road in Castle arden. The lady's name was Margaret Byrnes, who arrived at the garden yester-day on the steamer City of Chicago, and she was the first purchaser of an emigrant ticket over the West Shore road, which ly opened its office in the garden yester day. The lady was made happy by having \$5 of the fare remitted for being the

> Witcheraft in Scotland. From the London Daily News.

first purchaser.

At the inverness police court recently, an elderly Highland woman named Isabella Macrae, or Stewart, was charged with assaulting a little girl. She pleaded not guilty, and the evidence showed that the latter had used insulting language to the prisoner, while she on the other hand spoke of the little girl's grandmother as a witch. Toward the close of the case great amusement was caused in court by the accused producing a clay image, or corp creagh, which she believed was made by the squalled witch. The legs had been broken off the image, and since then the prisoner believed that her own legs were losing their strength. A person who wished to

THE PEOPLE'S PASTIMES.

WART IS GOING ON IN SPORTING CIECLES ALL THE WORLD OVER.

Gazabling at the Loadon Clubs—The Second Day's Trotting at Trenton—Pigeon Shooting at Egiington.

If Quirk does not come to terms with Warwick, the latter will at once close with Boyd of Woodstock for a hundred yards race for \$200 a side.

Why She Took the Paper. "I should like to show you a paper which defeats chances of cure.

yesterday, expecting to make a match with him. To his astonishment he learnt that Hurst had left town.

A dozen friends of Paddy Ryan had a row with Sullivan in Utah. Slade came to the rescue of his friend, but the champion thought discretion the better part of valor.

J. E. Alden, a man of fifty two years, began riding a bicycle two years ago for his health. Since then he has wheeled 10,000 miles. He is a member of the Massachusetts bicycle club.

Port Perry has postponed its winter trotting meeting until Feb. 5 and 6. The Toronto trotting meeting will, therefore, not clash, but horses racing here on Jan. 24 and 25 can race on Feb. 5 and 6 at Port Perry if they have amind.

In response to Marcellus Baker, who offers to box Harry Gilmore on terms peculiarly favorable to himself, the latter says he is willing to meet him at six or ten rounds, the winner to take the receipts of the house, bet \$100 on the result, and allow Baker \$200 on the result, and al

Tucsday at Enlington between Messrs. Wilson and Staneland on the one part and Messrs. Chambers and Briggs on the other. Mr. Wilson killed 11 and Mr. Staneland S. Mr. Chambers killed killed S. Mr. Chambers killed 11 and Mr. Staneland S. Mr. Chambers killed 11 and Mr. Staneland S. Mr. Chambers killed killed S. Mr. Chambers killed killed S. Mr. Chambers killed killed S. Mr.

Mrs. Southworth, the story writer, was for many years a school-teacher.

Mrs. Langtry has decided to abandon her Australian tour for the present. Miss Lotta is bound to kick herself into the hearts of the cockney critics of Lon-

Mrs. Van Cott says that no christian ever went to the theatre. The good old lady's zeal exceeds her charity and common

The grand duchess Catherine of Russia, one-half of the fabulous wealth amassed by the empress Catherine II. and her son Paul. She maintains at her own expense several hospitals in St. Petersburg and provides talented young physicians with means for scientific journeys and investigations. Near her place she has established an eating-house for indigent str. T. Burgess' drug store, 364 King street east.

"It's singular that you don't use gas in your house," said a visitor to a young lady upon whom she was ealling. "Oh, don't mention gas," was the quick reply. "You know poor, dear pa was a politician, and the smell or mention of gas always reminds ma of him," widow of duke George of Mecklenberg-Strelitz, is the wealthiest woman in the world. She inherited through her mother

A Rejected Proposal. "Have you been making use of your eap-year privileges, Bella ?" asked Clarissa Fussanfeather to a friend she met at the dressmaker's the other day. "To be sure I have," replied Bella, laying down her bundle she had brought in

"Do you mean to say you have proposed to some one?" exclaimed the affrighted

"That's what I mean to say,"
"To whom?"

"To papa."
"Oh!" and then the blonde Clarissa breathed freely once more. "How did you propose to him?"
"I proposed that he should give me a new black silk suit." "Well, how was your proposal received?"

"You don't say!"
"Yes I do. He told me to press my old suit, and that's why I'm down here this

Visiting the Great Father. From the Chicago Journal.

Visitors whom President Arthur will re-

nember are the Apaches who were received in the executive mansion on Wednesday last. They were arrayed in their feathers and buckskin, and one of their number, Augustine, had loaded himself with a speech. On entering the president's quarters this chief, who carries around 216 pounds of flesh, rushed upon the executive, clasped his arms around him, and uttered, "God a great man but the Care Bath "God a great man, but the Great Father is greater." For fully half a minute he repleasant talk the Apaches retired and visited the treasury, where they where shown the vaults and stacks of ducats, a box of which Augustine was anxious to carry home.

Meteorology and Finance. "Fine morning, your honor," affably remarked the man who was arrested the night before for being drunk and disor-

"Yes, indeed," heartily responded the "Yes, indeed, nearthy responded the justice; "quite a fine moraing; in fact, a ten-dollar fine morning."

After this little pleasantry the gentleman was booked for the "Black Maria," and the business of the court went on as

A Snow Idyl.

Ere many weeks shall pass away.

The snow,

Which now make coasters madly gay,

Will go,

And then the skater's best of friends,

The ice.

Which now beneath their bodies bends

So nice.

Will mels and mingle with the stream,

And all that's left will be a dream.

### READABLE PARAGRAPHS

At an inquest held in London the other day on the body of a lunatic who had committed suicide in a private asylum, the coroner expressed surprise that the deceased should have been allowed a knife to cut his dinner with. The doctor stated in defence that if he was to follow the coroner's suggestion of taking the ministest precaution to prevent any patient of his from by any possibility committing suicide he would make his house a hell to him and prevent the possibility of cure. The reason persons insane or threatened by insanity are not more closely watched and confined is that it increases the disease and defeats chances of cure.

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Phenomenal Running.

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The sumer and grounds of the cockney critics of London.

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Mrs. Van Cott savs that no christian thing you know and Lovernous there.

The sumer and give your opinions like a man. You are altogether too modest, too tame of the wrong there. Mrs. Crisp knows every and Lovernous thing you know and Lovernous there. thing, you know, and I overheard her re mark last evening that I wasn't half-civil-azed. I may be a little modest, mother, but I'm sure I'm not a bit tame."

A wise somebody thinks the art of mercantile prosperity consists more in getting paid than in making sales.

Mrs. Smiffins, who was disappointed in not getting a promised sealskin sacque this winter, encountered an article in a newspaper entitled "Cam Brutes Talk?" "Yes," said she meditatively, "they can talk, and that's all it amounts to. When it comes to business they snivel and whine and talk about hard times, and that is the end of it. without it hurting me. I may say that I am better than I ever expected to be." Free trial bottles at F. T. Burgess' drug store, 364 King street east.

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drug store, 364 King street east. "Ah!" exclaimed Fogg, as he entered the store of the man who never advertises, "do you know that I always like to come in here?" "Do you?" asked the delighted shopkeeper. "Yes," said Fogg, "it's such a relief to get out of the crowd, you know."

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The trains from the east were very

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The street car company's traffic returned diminishing.

The case of Langtry v. Dumoulin is to be continued on the 23d inst. The mayor granted an order yesterda, for the burial of one Sheehan.

Alterations of a much needed character are in progress at the custom house and

Yesterday midday a slight fire occurred in Mrs. King's house in Reid's lane of His worship Mayor Scarfe, of Brantford, is in the city. Mr. Scarfe had a leap year majority of 377. No varnish, either.

Yesterday the consignment of books urchased in England for the public library, were taken out of the custom

While going to the fire in Reid's lane yesterday the Court street sleigh upset while rounding Queen and Ontario street corner. No one was hurt.

Clara Porter taken up for drunkenness on Wednesday was taken so ill that she had to be removed to the hospital, where she died yesterday morning.

Mr. Charles Haigh, late freight cashier of the Grand Trunk railway company at this station, was last evering made the recipient of a magnificent gold watch chain and scarf pin, specially designed by Messrs. Kent Bros., Yonge street, and executed in their very best style. The presentation was made by Mr. J. W. Loud, freight agent, on behalf of the freight staff. Mr. Haigh leaves to assume a more important position at Detroit, and carries with him the good wishes of the entire staff here.

good wishes of the entire staff here. A span of horses attached to a sleigh anding in front of Rider's store on Queen standing in front of Rider's store on Queen street east, took fright and ran away yesterday forenoon. After running a short distance they turned into the footpath and struck a store front, smashing the window and badly damaging the vehicle. Dragging the pole which had broken off they careered madly up Berkeley street, when a lad named Evans, happening to be on the road was knocked down and trampled on. His injuries were rather severe. The ani-His injuries were rather severe. The animals were soon after captured.

Farley & Co. commence this morning selling the elegant bankrupt stock of Stitt Bros. at the great bankrupt stock emporium, 63 King street west.

THE DOGS' DRESSMAKER. Madame Ledouble and the Fashion.
Coats She Makes for Paris Dogs.
From London Truth.

Madame Ledouble, the famous dog modiste in the Palais Royal, says that all day long arrive at her salons to try on their gar-ments and have their paletots fitted. As they have occasionally, like their owners, to wait their turns, small mats and rugs are scattered over the waxed floors, so that the little dogs may be comfortable while anticipating their interview with their modiste. They have several changes of dress in their wardrobe, which they wear according to the hour or the temperature of the day

of the day.
When they take their morning walk in When they take their morning walk in the Bois with their mistress the "correct thing" is a paletot of dark blue cloth, warmly lined with red flannel, and a military gorget coming high up under the leather collar, which is hung with bells. The monogram of the dog's mistress is no longer embroidered on one corner of the paletot. This is out of date—and why should a little dog be out of the fashion? So mortifying, you know, when it sees only bid was £24,000, and that was not accepted. should a little dog be out of the fashion? So mortifying, you know, when it sees other doggies carrying their monograms in the middle of their back, the "correct" place. To complete this morning toilet a bunch of violets, is fastened on the left cheeled.

"Excelsior" paletots in deep green cloth, lined with bright yellow silk and embroidered in silk of the color of the lining. The monogram is worked in similar silk. The collar is black velvet, with gilt bells pend-

with handsome buttons, and the pam-pered little things wear fur collars mounted in silver. For traveling a tartan paletot and riguser, with harness of red leather, having detachable reins.

## Ladies come early this morning to the great sale of Stitt Bros. bankrupt stock at Farley's.

From the London Lancet. We have received from a correspondent a letter making some enquiries into the use of salt, and we are given to understand that among other follies of the day some indiscreet persons are objecting to the use of salt and propose to do without it. Nothing could be more absurd. Common salt is the most widely distributed subsate is the most wheely distributed at the content of the blood, stance in the body; it exists in every fluid and in every solid; and not only is every where present, but in almost every part it constitutes the largest portion of the ash when any tissue is burnt. In particular it is a constant constituent of the blood, and it meintains in it. and it maintains in it a proportion that is almost wholly independent of the quantity that is consumed with the food. The blood will take up so much and no more, however much we may take with our food; and, on the other hand, if none be given, the blood parts with its natural quantity slowly and unwillingly. Under ordinary circumstances a healthy man loses daily about twelve grains by one channel or the other, and if he is to maintain his health that quantity is to be introduced. Common salt is of immense importance in the processes ministering to the nutrition of the body, for not only is it the chief salt in the gastric juice, and essential for the formation of bile, and who thoughtlessly mar that innocent eny hence be reasonably regarded as of h value in digestion, but it is an important agent in promoting the process of diffusion and therefore of absorp tion. Direct experiment has shown that it promotes the decomposition of the albumen in the body, acting probably by increasing the activity of the transmission of fluids from cell to cell. Nothing can demonstrate its value better than the fact that if albumen without salt is introduced

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Mourning goods at slaughter prices at Farley's.

Rust is one of the most formidable ene ies the grain farmer has to contend with in wet and muggy seasons. Warmth and moisture favor its development. In seasons alike in their heat, rainfall and humidity, the rust is not equally damaging. It reaks out in what appears a capricious

breaks out in what appears a capricious manner. A drenching rain is sometimes followed by less rust than that which appears after a slight shower or even a heavy dew. There are antecedent conditions which largely determine the degree of the fungus known as rust floating about int he air awaiting favorable opportunities for development, and when they meet circumstances of the proper kind they multiply with astonishing rapidity. During moist, hot weather the sap vessels of the plants become ruptured and fungoid germs attach themselves readily. If the plants, some scientists think, are healthy and vigorous, they resist the attempt of the parasite to establish itself, much as healthy animals refuse to become the abode of parasites which thrive on their weaker fellows. Anything, therefore, which weakens the vitality of the wheat plant renders it liable to become the prey of rust. Exhaustion of food elements in the soil, the presence about the roots of sour, stagnant tion of food elements in the soil, the presence about the roots of sour, stagnant water, sowing too late in the fall for proper development to resist the winter, are among common and easily preventible causes that predispose to rust. Of non-preventible causes, hard winters and cold, backward springs, which prevent the healthy development of the wheat plant, are among the most prominent—next, of course, to warmth and moisture. These conditions have existed this year, as they did in 1876, when the damage from rust did in 1876, when the damage from rust was widespread and very serious. Fortunately midge and weevil were not among the pests of last summer, as they were in that unfortunate season. "What cannot be cured must be endured," but the causes which can be reached should not be suffered to exist. Good farming in the broadest sense of the term, which includes proper selection of lands for different crops, to exist.

The Origin of the Potato. The potato, originally a South America lant, was introduced into Virginia by Sir John Harvey in 1629, though it was nknown in some counties of England a hundred and fifty years later. In Pennsylvania potatoes are mentioned very soon sylvania potatoes are mentioned very soon after the advent of the Quakers; they were not among New York products in 1695, but in 1775 we are told of 11,000 bushels grown on one sixteen-acre patch in this province. Potatoes were served, perhaps as an exotic rarity, at a Harvard in stallation dinner in 1707; but the plant was only brought into culture in New England at the arrival of the presbyterian emigrants from Ireland in 1718. Five bushels were accounted a large crop of pobushels were accounted a large crop of po-tatoes for a Connecticut farmer; for it was held that if a man ate them every day, he

proper preparation of the soil and proper culture, is the best preventive of serious

It is not long ago that I mentioned th

fact that by the payment of a sum of money any enterprising capitalist might become a king, which title was attached to the ownership of a certain small island which was then for sale. One day last week a whole town was offered for sale by

Japanese Waiter Girls.

The Japanese waiter girl is said to be an interesting creature. She has a big tub of hot rice at her elbow and fills your bowl as often as you lower the contents sensibly. The present crop of rice is unprecedentedly large, and this popular grain is wonderfully cheap now. She removes the shell from your boiled eggs, the while chatting briskly, just as though you could understand what she says. She laughs pleasantly at your miserable failure with the antly at your miserable failure with the chopsticks, and, taking them herself, deftly bones your fish with them. She is inordinately curious and has no idea of propriety. I have had them chuck me under the chin or slap me familiarly on the shoulder. They will look right down your throat, so frankly inquisitive are they. It is evident from their rigid and they. It is evident from their rigid and stately etiquette in other matters that do not suspect they are shocking

From the Christian Advocate Teasing children is, at least, a doubtfu to cruelty. Yet there are some very good them to come near one without making it miserable. They cannot be at their ease unless the child is suffering from heartlessness. As a consequence, children soon learn to hate as well as to fear them, and no wonder. It is true that these people mould shrink from inflicting needless would shrink from inflicting needless bodily pain on any little one; but they never think of the keener torture which

this senseless teasing inflicts on the sensitive child. Childhood should be a period of joyous innocence. It is no time for doubts and im-to misgivings. They come soon enough with the entrance of the youth upon the scenes of busy, practical, anxious struggle for who thoughtlessly mar that innocent enjoyment and implicit trust which characterize the uncorrupted child, stop to think what you are doing. You are committing a grave offense. You are ruining the temper of one whose mind is yet so plastic as to yield to every touch. You are darkening the days of one whose life should be all sunshine. You are inflicting the keenest of pains on one whose innocence should shield it from the tortures even of barba rians. You are doing a wrong for which you can never atone, you are doing a wrong whose svil effects may follow that child to

A HUMAN LIFE LINE

While the thousands of skaters ting over the frozen surface of the aresome chap, clad in a big ulster, woollen cloves and a fur cap, glided gracefully upon a wide stretch of thin ice under the Girard avenue bridge. In a moment he was Girard avenue bridge. In a moment he was floundering in the water. In response to his cries for help a member of the Philadelphia skating club and humane society tossed him a life line. He seized it and a score of willing hands at the other end pulled hard. The rope parted and the unfortunate skater was at the mercy of the icy waters. The saving appliance, after the mishap, was too short to reach him. No other rope was at hand. It looked squally for the man in the water, who cried out that his strength was fast leaving him. A tall, muscular fellow threw himself flat on the treacherous ice and slowly drew himself muscular fellow threw himself flat on the treacherous ice and slowly drew himself to the sinking man, who seized his arms. Another skater prostrated himself in like manner and caught hold of the ankles of the other man, forming a chain. Several persons grasped the legs of the last man and succeeded in drawing the trio to a place of safety. The rescued man was almost exhausted. He was wrapped in a blanket, placed on a sled and hurriedly taken to the boathouse of the skating club, where, under the treatment he received, he soon recovered.

Fine hosiery at a bargain at Farley's.

The Broad Arrow, an English paper, re views the following story, which has been told of many soldiers and nationalities It says, "Who is hero of the followin true story ?- A mild but zealous disciplinarian was briskly passing a sentinel on his way to his official residence, when h turned upon the stalwart guardian and demanded the reason why he did not challenge him. In vain the sentry declared that he knew him to be thehe was emphatically told his duty was to challenge every one who approached him, and, warming with excitement, the gallant officer exclaimed, 'Challenge all, challenge me sir!' 'Well, then, said the sturdy pupil, lowering his rifle and bringing it to the charge, 'I do challenge you. Give the countersign, sir!' and the hasty superior, having in the course of his practical instruction allowed the word to slip his memory was forthwith made a slip his memory was forthwith made a prisoner and driven into the sentry-box. So situated, the worthy preceptor was soon granted another opportunity of estimating the effects of his teaching. A policeman, the effects of his teaching. A policeman, passing, demanded why the sentinel had imprisoned the gentleman. 'You foolish fellow, said he, 'why, it is the—!' But the only reply from the sentry was the vociferous demand, 'Give the countersign!' The policeman, deeming his uniform to be a sufficient authority for passing the sentry, had also forgotten to learn the word, and he, too, was ordered into the sentry-box, from which he and his distinguished fellow prisoner were rescued only when the

prisoner were rescued only sentry was relieved." Better three hours too soon than on Drinking water neither makes a mar-ick, nor in debt, nor his wife a widow.-

Perfect valor consists in doing without witnesses all we should be capable of doing efore the world.-Rochefo

He who cares only for himself in youth will be very niggard in manhood, and a wretched miser in old age.—J. Hawes. Constant activity in endeavoring to make others happy is one of the sures ways of making ourselves so .- Sir P. Sid

"Improve your opportunities," said Sonaparte to a school of young men; "every your lost now is a chance of future mis-

Witty sayings are as easily lost as the pearls slipping off a broken string; but a word of kindness is seldom spoken in vain. It is a seed which, even when dropped by the serious up into a flower.—Sagour-

hance, springs up into a flower. Every one must know and feel that bad thoughts quickly ripen into bad actions, and that if the latter only are forbidden and the former left free, all morality will

oon be at an end.—Porteus. A man should be careful never to tales of himself to his disadvantage. People may be amused and laugh at the time, but they will be remembered and brought up against him upon some subsequent occasion.—Johnson.

He who sedulously attends, pointedly asks, calmly speaks, cooly answers, and ceases when he has no more to say, is in nan-Lavater.

It is a secret known but to few, yet of o small use in the conduct of life, that when you fall into a man's conversation the first thing you should consider is whether he has a greater inclination to hear you, or that you should hear him.-

One of the principal ingredients in the appiness of childhood is freedom from icion-why may it not be combined with a more extensive intercourse with mankind? A disposition to dwell on the bright side of character is like gold to its ossessor; but to imagine more evil than eets the eye, betrays affinity for it.

Dress goods less than half price at Farley's.

The bad boy must suffer terribly in coun ries where women wear wooden slippers Nathan D. Urner's muse has just tum oled head-first into "Memory's Glooming Grave.

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the only bawl which requires continuous The mother-in-law items are invariably written by inexperienced, unmarried young men. Benedicts know better. With them discretion is the better part of valor.

Heard on the lake: "Can that girl skate?" "I think not." "Then you'd better escort somebody else." "But what shall I do with her?" "Oh, just let her Yes, beer is undoubtedly a whole beverage for women, and every married man should at least drink three glasses a day for his wife; and if she is a weakly woman he should increase the number of

that if albumen without salt is introduced into the intestines of an animal no portion of it is absorbed, while it all quickly disappears if salt be added. If any further evidence were required it could be found in the powerful instinct which impels animals to obtain salt. Buffaloes will travel for miles to reach a "saltlick;" and the value ley's,

Tans. You are doing a wrong for which you can never atone, you are doing a wrong for which you can never atone.

but, like a drowning man catching at straws. I thought I would give it a trial. 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, and I would advise all that are so afflicted to give it a trial."

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(Signed) (JOHN ZIMMERMAN) JOHN ZIMMERMAN, W. K. McNAUGHT, W. G. H. LOWE.

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