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CIVIC MINISTER OF FINANCE MAKES A STARTLING STATEMENT

Ald. Bell Gives Some Facts Which Must Cause Serious Reflection and Couples his Statement with an Economic Suggestion—Rutley's Plan Declared Adopted— A Misunderstanding in the Vote—To be Considered on Monday.

From eight o'clock till nearly midnight last evening the members of the City Council in committee of the whole wrestled with the new market building problem, the whole discussion culminating in an interesting complication which practically leaves matters as they were. A motion was made by Ala. Westman and Edmond-son for the accepting of the Rutley plans.

plans.
"All in favor," quoth the Mayor.
Four hands went up, viz., those of
Ald. Austin, Ainsworth, Westman
and Edmondson.
"Contrary," asked the Mayor.

No one moved.
"Then it is carried," commented his

worship.
"Did you vote for it, Mr. Mayor?"
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questioned Ald. King, coming forward.
"No," replied the chief magistrate,
"Then how can four aldermen be considered a majority?"
Mayor Cowan at once suggested that the committee should reassemble and come to a decision, but the hour was then late and the majority spoke in favor of concluding the matter at Monday night's Council meeting.

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Ald. O'Keefe was called away shortly after ten o'clook. All the other members being present.

But far more important than the misunderstanding that "carried" a minority vote was the serious and startling announcement of the civic Minister of Finance, Ald. Edwin Bell, which he coupled with a business-like and economic suggestion to curtail a large and practically needless portion of the expense on the new building. Ald. Bell's statement and suggestion was emphasized and endorsed as his predecessor as chairman of Finance, Ald. Marshall, and must create a profound anxiety and desire for strict economy in the mind of every patriotic citizen.

Ald. Marshall said he did not approve of the proposition to build a police court with a new market building. The citizens were not pleased with this proposal. He did not believe the project was advisable for many reasons, and an abandoment of the police court building twould out off some \$4,000 in the expense. The people should be saved this great inadvisable and unnecessary cost.

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Mayor Cowan endorsed Ald. Marshall's suggestion. With Ald. Bell and Ald. Potter he had visited the Police Station, and they thought the conclusion that it should be destroyed as unfit for use was a great mistake, particularly in view of the serious condition of the city's finances. He would like to hear from the chairman of Finance.

Ald. Bell rose and an anxious silence awaited one of the most startling announcements from the Finance Minister. He said he agreed absolutely with the proposition of Ald. Marshall. He was not an alarmist, but in justice to the people the aldermen represented they must make clear the facts and look them in the face. He had specially visited the Police Station and had an interview with the Police Magistrate. The latter crentleman was of the opinion face. He had specially visited the Police Station and had an interview with the Police Magistrate. The latter gentleman was of the opinion that the Police Station should remain where it was. Several good reasons—even apart from the great financial saving—were given. The noise on the market square, particularly in the summer, when the windows had to be open, would be very analying to those who were attending the sittings of court; loafers about town collected largely at the market and, having nothing to do, would congregate at the Police Court, particularly when dirty cases might be going on. Occasionally the police were called on to arrest a drunken man for using bad language, or women of loose character and intemperate habits who did not attempt to control their language. This would be something disgusting to the people who went to market, and Mr. Houston had given the speaker some illustrations from past experience in Chatham which had opened his eyes. The present Police Court building needed comparatively little repairing, the main essential, as the Chief pointed out, being a new drain and separate sawer to the river.

"As ona; man of your Finance committee" continued Ald, Bell, "I feel

'As enew drain and separate sewer to the river.

"As enarman of your Finance committee," continued Ald. Bell, "I feel it my duty to the people to speak plainly. For the past four days I have been making an examination of our financial condition, and I say frankly to you all it is appalling. We simply must make every saving in our power. To tell the truth I don't think the ratepayers had any idea of our financial condition when they woted for the by-law. Gentlemen of the Counall, I must give you the serious news that the time is fast approaching when our bonds and debentures will not be saleable. Some time age two-thirds of the property of Toronto Junction was offered far sale for taxes and people wouldn't buy for the taxes. Chatham's condition is very like it. I read by The Planet from the fyles of fifty years ago that Chatham then had a population of between 4,000 and 5,000 people. Does the growth of our city

justify our financial condition? Twelve years ago Chatham's indebtedness was \$330,000. Despite the fact that we have been paying between \$17,000 and \$18,000 every year in principal and interest, the debt is \$850,000 to-day. We have been going on increasing our spending \$50,000 and \$60,000 a year. If we go on at this rate it will not be long ere we hage crossed the mark. We're on the danger line now. During this time our assessment has remained practically unchanged. I bring these matters before you now because I deem it my duty to do it. Men to-day pay more taxes for their houses than the tenants pay rent. I know a man whose house cost \$7,000 who can't sell it to-day, with the land, too, for \$3,000. Look seriously at our present tax rate and the future. I confess I am skeptical as to whether our revenue will pan out. Let us do who ever we can to save money."

Ad. Marshall—I move that we discard the Police Station building on the rear end of the market plan, as it is not really necessary and we will the eby save the people \$3,000 to \$4,000.

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motion.

Ad. Westman said he had visited the Police Station and found the plumbing and heating in a bad state. It was a regular death trap and plumbing and heating in a bad state.
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it would cost \$1,800 to put it in proper shape. The cells and cages were
bad. Two or three prisoners had algready got out.

Atd. Bell—Any prisoners who escaped from the Police Station jumped
from the window in the officers'

from the window in the officers' room.

Add. Westman—Oh, no. They escaped at night, and they wouldn't be left outside the cells at night. Pd rather pay \$3,500 for a new building. We could get something for the old building.

Mayor Cowan—If the School Board could only get \$300 for the old Central School, how much could we get for the Police Station?

Add. Marshall—Practically nothing at Westman—Why we realize the world with the could make up a good deal of the difference, as to the objections raised. Noisy or drunken prisoners couldn't be heard inside.

inside.

Ald. Bell—An instance was given

Add, Bell—An instance was given me of one veciferous woman who was locked up in the present police station and whose language therein was heard on Tissiman's corner.

Ald. Westman—But that would be in summer with the windows open. Ald, Bell—Summer will come round just the same with the police cells on the market.

Ald, Edmondson made an eloquent plea for the plans as they stood. "I am going to talk plainly," he declared, "because we have the voice of the people. I don't think we have any right to open up this matter tonght. Last year I notified Rutley & Son that their plans were accepted and we drafted a letter in accordance to every ratepayer in Chatham, The citizens understood that the building would be as stated and we are meddling with the voice of the people. I don't think cutting off the police station is wise. Two deaths are traceable to the present we are meddling with the voice of the people. I don't think cutting off the police station is wise. Two deaths are traceable to the present station. The people are the only authorities—even kings must bow to them. Is it right or fair to take this matter out of the hands of the people and change these things. The vote of the people is secred. On it governments are made and doomed. I supported the Wilson pians. I liked them best, but I am not going to put up my judgment against the will of the people."

Ald. Austin asked what was to be done with the weigh scales.

Ald. King said it looked like a bad arrangement with the police station built as proposed.

Ald. Bell and Ald. Westman's estimate of \$1,800 for repairs to the police station wasn't near the mark: \$200 to \$500 was the estimate.

Ald. Edmondson said it was false economy. Better build the new police station. The vote on Ald. Marshall and Bell's motion was then taken and resulted as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Bell, Marshall, King and Potter—4.

Nays—Ald. Ainsworth, Austin, Westman and Edmondson—4.

Westman and Edmondson—4.

On assembling at eight o'clock the Council decided to hear all the architects.

Architect Rutley explained his plans fully and agreed to forfeit his commission if they were not carried through for \$25,000 or less.

Architect Piper also went into his plans and placed his estimate at \$29,000.

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Architect Wilson followed with explanations and placed his estimate at \$25,800.
W. H. Gonne repeated his statement that Architect Rutley's building was the cheapest and the best

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EX-M.P.P.DIES OF BURNS

Got Two Warnings to Escape But Fire Bewildered Him.

Revelstake, B.C.-Jumped to the Ground Ten Feet Below With His Night Clothes On Fire - A Genial, Large-Hearted and Generous Man Gone.

Revelstoke, B. C., Feb. 9.—W. R. Beatty died in the hospital of this city yesterday morning at 1 o'clock from the effects of burns on his head, shoulders and hands, just 24 hours after receiving injuries in the fire at the Arrow Head Lumber Co.'s boarding house.

Fire was discovered in the building at 1 o'clock Tuesday morning. It was caused by an exploding lamp. Five men, including Mr. Beatty, were in the building asleep at the time. All were aroused and three escaped without injury. Robert Taggart was burned to death after saving the life of one of the employes and trying to save another man. save another man.

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Mr. Beatty was aroused and could have escaped with the company's foreman, A. Edgar, whose room adjoined Beatty's, had he followed him through the rear, as he was requested by the foreman to do. Twice Edgar returned to Beatty's room after him and twice Beatty started to follow Edgar to safety, but became apparently bewildered, and turning back, made a rush through his room to the verandah and through the flames. He jumped to the ground ten feet below with his night clothes on fire.

Pepresented Parry Sound

W. R. Beatty represented Parry Sound for two years in the Ontario Sound for two years in the Ontario Legislature, being first elected as a Conservative and afterwards as an independent. He was widély known in lumbering circles by his varied interests, being engaged alternately in Ontario. Nova Scotia and British Columbia. His sudden death created widespread sorrow at Parry Sound, where his personality was well known. By his geniality, his large-hearted, sympathies and generosity, he was without doubt the most popular man in the Parry Sound district, W. H. Beatty, was elected to the Legislature in the general elections in 1894 and 1898.

Switchman Rus Dews. Switchman Rua Down

Toronto, Feb. 9.—Struggling with a gang of section men in an attempt to counst yesterday's blizzard and keep the switches at the Bathurst street junction clear, Jesse Reckover was struck by a train and so hadly injured that he died in the Emergency Hospital within a couple of hours. Rockover was a married man with a wife and family in the city. He was 40 years of age.

Terente Man Dies in New Yerk.

New York, Feb. 9.—J. G. Strohmayer, a furrier of Toronto, was found dead in his room at the Hotel St. George, Broadway and Eleventh street, yesterday afternoon from gas asphyxiation. The police believe death was accidental. Strohmayer, who was about 60 years old, came here to purchase furs.

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Toronto, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Mary Mc-Millan, aged 45, who lived in the upper flat of 82 Elm street, fell and killed herself last night. Chas. Coby, who occupied rooms on the same floor, found her lying at the foot of the stairs. Dr. J. M. Johnston was summoned, but the woman died before she could be removed in the ambulance. The neighbors know little about her She was supposed to have butance. The heights show a bout her. She was supposed to have a couple of children living in New York. The body was removed to Stone's undertaking rooms.

STRIKERS PROMISE VIOLENCE.

Situation At Lods Remains Uncertain and

Masters Insertive.

Lodz, Feb. 9:—The situation here remains uncertain, and nothing definite will be known until Friday, when some of the largest manufacturers have decided, after paying off to-day, to open their mills and give the men a last chance to return to work. The masters say that if there is no response they will close their mills indefinitely.

Little hope is expressed that the strike will be settled, though the men apparently are frightened by the violence of the agitators. Many of the masters oppose concessions, fearing that it will handicap them in competition with Moscow and St. Petersburg, where wages already are lower than here and the hours of work longer.

It is reported that the strikers have decided to resort to serious violence in case the mills are closed down.

Russians Shelling.

Tokio, Feb. 9.—Reports from the Manchurian army headquarters say that the Russians shelled various parts of the Japanese lines last Monday and Monday night. Small forces of Russian infantry attacked at various points, but all were repulsed. It is further reported that the Russians continue to entrench in the vicinity of Litajentun, Chenchiahpao and Heikoutai.

Tokio, Feb. 9.—A report emanating from London to the effect that the Grand Dukes of Russia, determined to secure peats, had asked the friendly offices of Great Britain, was published in Tokio, yesterday. The Foreign Office denied having any knowledge of the matter.

That time honored day, celebrated in different manners from the time of Valentinus of Terin in the dark ages down to our own times, has a greater hold on the masses today than ever before. Thanks to the postal service, we can now send greetings to our friends from one end of the world to the other.

You must not be behind the times. Send a Valentine to your lover and if you have no lover, send one to a friend, a little remembrance that will be appreciated.

Our stock of these beautiful love tokens is complete, priced from ic to \$1.00. We can suit the most fastidious.

We have all kinds of ugly ones, too.

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MR. BORDEN BACK IN THE HOUSE.

The return by acclamation of Mr R. L. Borden, Conservative leader, will be a subject of congratulation among Conservatives generally. He had many safe Ontario seats offered him, and accepted that of Mr. Kidd in Carleton, a constituency which goes Tory by six or seven hundred majority.

The affair constitutes quite a picturesque incident in the political history of Canada. In the general contest Mr. Borden not only failed to sarry his own seat in Nova Scotia, but in addition, that province elected a solid phalanx of eighteen Reformers. That under such circumstances the Conservatives should at once have taken steps to secure him a place in the House, not only speaks volumes for his own personal popularity, but also for the party loyalty. The spectacle is certainly a diweet contrast to the treatment of Hon. A. Mackenzie, and Hon. Edward Blake, who when they met with rewerses as Liberal leaders, were very promptly side-tracked by their asso-

Mr. Borden returns to the head of the Opposition forces on the distinet understanding that he is to have an absolutely free hand, and although his following only totals 75 out of 214 seats, there can be no doubt that he and his colleagues will put up a good and an aggressive fight on behalf of the national principles they espouse. Without any question, if his health is spared, Mr. Borden will, in the not very distant future, become the premier of this

ASHES ON STREET

"There will be no more kicking against ashes on the street," remarked Chief Holmes this morning, "and Colonel Sam Holmes can have them all taken off, Personally, I think that the ashes are a good thing for the street. If the people would only put them on the side of the road, but yet out of the gutter when the snow is on the ground, then there would be no complaints. But people will persist in putting the ashes in the middle of the road when the snow is on the ground, thus spoiling the sleighing, and it is no wonder that the people object. When there is no snow then the middle of the road is the place for the ashes. Charlie Baxter, fixed up a piece of road over the creek last year and it is the bost of the unpaved streets swor there. Then look at the way N. H. Stevens has fixed up the streets around his mill with cinders. If the speople will not exercise judgment in the disposal of their ashes, there is no recourse for the police but to enforce the by-law. It will be done." the street. If the people would only

ORANGEMEN MET

The annual meeting of the L. O. L. County Lodge, of South Kent, met on Tuesday, Feb. 7th, in the Orange Hall, King St. All the primary lodg-es in the county were well represent-ed and an enthusiastic session was held. Very gratifying reports were given by each primary lodge in the

ounty.

It was unanimously decided to cele-rate the coming 12th of July with the brethren of North Kent, at Walbrate the coming 12th of July with the brethren of North Kent, at Wal-laceburg.

The next annual county meeting is

to be held in the city of Chatham and the seni-annual to meet at the call of the Worshipful County Mas-

ter.

After a large amount of business had been transacted, the W. C. M., Bro. Wesley Sussex, vacated the chair, and called on P. C. M. Bro. Alex. Longmore to preside, and the election and installation of officers for 1905 resulted as follows:— W. C. M.—Wesley Sussex, Bothwell. D. C. M.—Duncan Campbell, Clach-

n.
Chap.—Wm. Simpson, Ridgetown.
Rec. Sec.—Wesley Shaw, Chatham.
Treas.—B. Boothroyd, Thamesville.
Fin. Sec.—W. A. Gallager, Chat-

D. of C.—A. F. Stephens, Chatham. Leot.—Howard Bicum, Blenheim. Dept. Lect.—Thos. Jenkins, Glen.

wood.

The officers being duly installed were called upon for short addresses, and each responded in a few well chosen remarks, after which the county lodge was duly closed.

A BROAD STATEMENT.

This announcement is made without any qualifications, Hem-Roid is the one preparation in the world that guarantees it.

Dr. Leaonhardt's Hem-Roid will cure any case of Piles. It is in the form of a tablet.

It is the only Pile remedy used internally.

It is impossible to cure an established case of Piles with ointments, suppositories, injections, or outward appliances.

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YOUR MIRROR

If your mirror tells you that your face is losing its roundness, the eyes their lustre and the cheeks their glow, don't blame the mirror. You are losing flesh—there's a waste somewhere. Try the scales. You don't tip the beam at the point you did formerly. It's several notches back. Try on last year's clothing. Doesn't fit so snugly, perhaps. These are all evidences that you need Scott's Emulsion because you need more flesh. Nothing picks up lost flesh or stops wasting / like

SCOTT'S EMULSION

Losing flesh may be all right for people who are over-weight, but the average person can spare little and retain the even balance of health. If your body is in need of more flesh, try Scott's Emulsion. If there are any evidences of wasting, try Scott's Emulsion. It will put you back in normal condition and restore your lost weight so quickly that you will wonder why you didn't

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TORONTO, ONT.

**** The first had the origin-SATCHEL OF THE SATELLITE ‡

And again I see the B. Mistake queering the market.

This fashion plate City Council of ours will go on record.

. We couldn't let you You've just got to stay.

Ross was arged to go, but Chief Pritchard has been arged to stay. Market Builder John Edmondson was up against it Monday night.

I'm thinking I'd advise some of the Chatham saloons to comply with the law.

How do you like the Cabinet I picked out for the Hon. J. C. Whit-

I've been wondering if the price of liquor licenses were raised, would the hotel men see the raise.

That grip that Ross is packing must be about the size of Noah's Ark.—Hamilton Speciator.

I wonder if the Grit office holders will be able to hold on with their teeth like G. W. Ross did ?

The Chatham City Council is de-termined not to cut down the op-portunities of securing booze.

You notice that the Council pays a whole lot of attention to the Ban-ner arguments in regard to the mar-ket.

I hope that the hotel licenses aren't raised. They tell me that you only get a small beer for five cents now

Ald. Bell is wondering how some of his brother aldermen know much about 'the hotels. No, I can't

enlighten him. The Property committee has ordered a bigger envelope for use in a nection with Chief Pritchard's ary on pay day.

The aldermen were all dressed up in their Sunday-go-to-meetings Monday evening. No doubt this was a tribute to the many ladies present.

The Earl of Warwick, some time deceased, was known as a king mak-er, but I'm only an ordinary cabinet maker. Every man to his trade.

It was real mean of me and the Hon. J. C. Whitney to disappoint the B. Mistake by leaving Gamey and Beattle Nesbitt out of the Cabinet.

Colonel Sam Holmes says that he doesn't know what happened to anyone else in the matter of licenses, but he does know what happened to

Some of those school trustees are worrying about the heat problem. A hundred years from how they may be worrying over the same problem.

Everything is all right in its place, but only there. A sleeper is a very necessary piece of railroad furniture, but it is absolutely useless in a

I don't see how the aldermen could say that they didn't understand the market plans. Here the Banner has been "explaining" all about it for over two months.

WHAT IS A STAR BOARDER? I heard two fellows arguing the other day. One said that a star boarder was the boarder par excel-lence. The other fellow contended that it was the boarder who lived on al meaning, but I am afraid that in star boarder there is another exam-ple of a good phrase gone wrong, and the last given meaning is the one that sticks.

LOOAL LEGAL

Before Meredith, C. J., MacMahon, J., Magee, J.

Imperial Bank vs. Hinnegan.— Judgment (C) on appeal by plaintiffs from judgment of Meredith, J., at Sandwich, in an action against the acceptors of two bills of exchange, acceptors of two bills of exchange, each for \$525, given in payment for 700 bushels of flaxseed sold by one Raymond, the drawer, to defendants, directing a reference to ascertain whether any, and if so, how much of certain insurance moneys was re-ferable to the flaxseed purchased by defendants. Appeal dismissed with costs. J. Bicknell, K. C., for appel-lants. J. S. Fraser, (Wallaceburg, for defendants.—From Wednesday's Em-

WILL INTEREST EVERYBODY

Or at Least Everyone Who Suffers From Catarrh.

From Catarrh.

Catarrh in its various forms is a national disease, and the fact that nearly everybody suffers from it more or less leads many to neglect its proper treatment.

Nasal catarrh is a common cause of headaches, destroys sense of smell and if neglected reacher the throat, causing impairment and sometimes total loss of voice. Bronchial catarrh leads easily to consumption. Catarrh of stomach and liver are very serious and obstinate troubles, while it is now generally admitted that catarrh is the most common of all causes of deafares.

All of the more serious forms of catarrh begin with nasal catarrh the local symptoms.

begin with nasal catarrh the local symp-toms, being a profuse discharge, stoppage of nostriis, irritation and frequent clear-ing of the throat, sneezing, coughing and

gagging.
The old style of treatment with douches, inhalers, sprays, salves. et., simply give temporary relief and everyone who has used any of them knows how useless they are and their inconvenience is such that very few have the time or patience to continue their use.

A radical cure of catarrh can only be obtained from a treatment which removes

the catarrhal taint from the blood be because no one will now dispute that Cat-arrh is a constitutional or blood disease, and local applications can have no effect except to temporarily relieve local symp-

cately to temporarily releve local symptoms.

A new remedy which has been remarkably successful in curing catarrh is a pleasant tasting tablet which is taken internally and acts upon the blood and mueous membranes.

It is composed of antiseptic remedies like Red Gum, Blood Root and similar cleansing specifics which eliminate the catarrhal poison from the system.

The tablets being pleasant to the taste are dissolved in the mouth and thus reach the throat, traches and finally the stomach and entire alimentary canal. They are sold by druggists everywhere under the name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

If desired, when there is much stoppage

name of Stuart's Catarrn Tablets.

If desired, when there is much stoppage of the nose, the tablets may be dissolved in warm water and used as a douche in addition to internal use, but a douche is not at all necessary. A few dissolved in the mouth daily will be sufficient. Dr. Ainslee says 'The regular daily use of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets taken internally will oure the whole catarrhal trouble without resorting to the inconvenience of a douche or an inhaler."

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They seem to give a healthy tone to the whole nucous membrane and it is really remarkable how soon they will clear the head and threat of the unnatural and poisonous estarrhel secretion.

Stuart's Jaterh Tablets is undoubtedly the asfect, most pala able and certainly the most efficient and convenient remedy for any form of catarch.

Bony.

David Harum—That wus a pretty good horse old Es wus drivin', eh?
Eben Holden—Yes, he had so many good points you could use him for a hat rack.

An ounce of a man's own wit is worth a ton of other people's.—Sterne.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

Local Briefs

***** E. Ecclestone, of Toronto, was in the city yesterday.

John Jackson, of Dresden, was in A Sharp, of North Buxton, spent yesterday in the city.

O. K. Watson, of Ridgetown, was in the city yesterday. John Lee, of Highgate, was Chatham visitor yesterday.

Frank Cartz, of Wallaceburg, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

J. M. Hess, of Wallaceburg, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Percy Brown, of Toronto, formerly of this city, is spending the day in

Miss H. Edythe Hill has returned from a visit with relatives in Tor-

Wickwire, of Coatsworth, vesterday with his Chatham Geo yesterday

Wanted to Exchange, lumber for horses. Apply to Scott Bros., lumber dealers. Chatham.

R. C. Duncan, of Petrolia, is spend-ing a couple of days in the city or

Miss. Irene Mount, Wellington St., is spending a few weeks with friends in Essex. Mrs. James Bogart, Cross St., en-tertained a large humber of her friends Tuesday evening.

We must clear out all our fur coats and robes. Big out now. Geo. Stephens & Co.

Stephens & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Newman and E.
E. Newman, of Ridgetown, were
Chatham visitors yesterday.

Miss Grace Scollick left this afternoon for Windsor, where she will be
the guest of her uncle, S. B. Best.

Miss K. S. W.

Miss Katie Wemp, matron or the Presbyterian Hospital of Chicago, Ill., is visiting at her home here. Mrs. James Sterling, of Blenheim, was a guest of her Chatham friends yesterday and to-day. She will re-turn home this evening.

Ed. Burns, of Tovonto, is in the city on business. Ed, is well known in the city and his many Chatham friends are always pleased to see

The Northwood Produce Company are unloading a car of groceries, dry goods and wrapping paper. This is a large consignment for a city of the size of Chatham.

A large number of the members of Wellington Lodge, Grand United Order of of Oddfellows, went to Fletcher yesterday to attend the funeral of their late brother, Eli Harris, who passed away last Tuesday.

Frank X. Bechard left at noon to-day for a week's business trip to Windsor, Detroit and Chicago.

J. M. Pike was in Tilbury yeatenday attending the meeting of the creditors of J. H. Magee, merchant. Mr. Pike was present in the interests of W. C. Crawford, assignes. Mr. Magee will probably make an offer to his creditors but nothing definite was decided on at the meeting.

Tom Groves two years ago took a picture of G. W. Ross over to the police station and hung it up on the door in the men's room. He said if Ross won it could stay there. It stayed, To-day he put a black border round the picture and turned the face to the wall.

John Poile, the popular cobbler in Somerville's shoe store, pointed out to a Planet reporter this morning that several of the Maple City teams-ters have been breaking the law all winter by neglecting to have bells winter by neglecting to have bells attached to their sleighs. It is strictly against the law for teamsters to drive along the streets without bells to warn pedestrians of their approach and the matter certainly should be looked after, as serious accidents are apt to occur. The offending teamsters should take the kindly hint to themselves.

Ald Ainsworth and Mr. Filby are engaged fixing up the old house on Stanley avenue adjoining ex-Ald. George Gordon Martin's property. The structure was once an hotel. If then stood where the Taylor flour mill now stands. That was in the early days of Chatham. Tom Larke was the landlord and his hosteliry was the headquarters for all the farmers. He afterwards built the brick hotel now known as the Park House. The frame building was occupied as a dwelling house for some years by a relative of the late Wm. Gray. One of the chidren in the family had five fingers and six toes and was quite the wonder of the other children. Later the building was moved to Stanley avenue and of late has been used as a gwelling house. Ald Ainsworth says that there is no doubt of the age of the house, as nearly all the timbers and joists are black walnut. Ald. Alasworth and Mr. Filby are

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Grand-Kennedy Players—Feb. 6-11, Pretty Peggy—Feb. 13. Sign of the Cross—Feb. 27.

GOOD PRODUCTION.

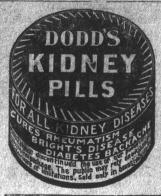
Despite unfavorable weather The Kennedy Players drew another big performance of "Two Jolly Tramps." In the role of the light fingered Jacques Strop, John J. Kennedy was a comic triumph, keeping his audience in roars of laughter from rise to fall of the curtain. J. F. Bannister made an inimitable Macaire, whilst Nellie Kennedy as Javotte, the the flower girl, deserves especial mention, and the balance of the cast were admirable. The costumes were appropriate and effective, whilst the cenic effects deserve especial praise. The specialties by the Flamme Sisters, Little Dot, A. Ben. Lewis, Jno. J. Kennedy and Winnifred Greennoteworthy fact is that the special-ties change every night, nothing be-ing repeated. wood were, as always, excellent. A

To-night's play is Roland Reed's famous comedy, "Cheek; the Boy from the Bowery," A special seen of feature is an exact reproduction of Madison Square, New York; and the many delighted patrons of the past three plays are confident that in this, as in everything, The Kennedy Players will "make good."

PRETTY PEGGY.

Considerable interest attaches to the engagement of Jane Corcoran in "Pretty Peggy," at the Grand next Monday, Feb. 13, for the reason that it will not only be the first opportunity of local amusement seckers to see this splendid play that created such a furore in New York and the

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of an actress who has long been a favorite. For Miss Corcoran is by no means a stranger to us; she has appeared here in prominent roles numerous times in the past, and on each occasion her work has merited such favorable comment that her name is almost as well known as though we were accustomed to see it in the conspicuous letters it now occupies on the bill boards. In "Pretty Peggy," which is from the pen of Frances Aymar Mathews, Miss Corcoran is credited with having made a notable hit, equalled only by that of the play itself, during the long New York run at the Heraid Square and Madison Square theaves. The complete production used during the metropolitan engagement, is said to be carried on the present tour, and the company is one of exceptional size and strength. Andrew Robson, who was that seen here as a star at the head of his own company in "Richard Carvel," is Miss Corcoran's leading man, and this fact further increases the interest in the pany in "Richard Carvel," is Miss Corcoran's leading man, and this fact further increases the interest in the

eastern cities, but will be the first appearance in this city, as a star, of an actress who has long been a favorite. For Miss Corcoran is by no

***** To the Editor of The Planet

get authentic information as to the net fishing on the American side of Lake St. Clair, before replying to the letter of Mr. John Bagnall's in reply to mine on the fish question. I do not want to be accused of trying to make political capital out of a matter which I think should be outside of politics. Mr. Bagnall says: "In the second paragraph Mr. Wheeler states that o nets are allowed on the American side of the lake. I wish to deny that statement, as I know that nets are

Mr. Bagnall should be more certain of his facts before he contradicts statements which are true.

oass did not go into the hoop nets. This, on examination by anglers, was found to be untrue; but on the contrary some of the hoops examined were found to contain more bass than coarse fish. Mr. Bagnall is forced to admit that a few bass are caught in the hoop nets, but he says they are liberated as soon as the nets

We anglers, would like to know what has become of the bass if this is the case. Perhaps they are so injured by being crowded in a small space that they die after being liberated. At any rate, there is no disputing the fact that bass have almost entirely disappeared from the St. Clair waters.

ANDREW ROBSON of the "Pretty Peggy" Company, at the Grand on Monday Next coming of "Pretty Peggy," for Mr. Robson, also, has a large following of admirers. The well known man-agers, Arthur C. Aiston and J. Em-mett Baxter are directing the tour. Clair."

O STRICT DOINGS.

WALLACEBURG

Feb. 8.—Miss Margaret Coughrin left on Wednesday for Chicago, where she will visit relatives.

Miss Maude Gordon entertained a large number of her friends at the rink on Tuesday evening. The band furnished the music for the party.

Mayor Hinnegan is fiaving his hands full. Two of his strong watch dogs of the treasury resigned on Monday evening last, Messrs. Mosfibbon and Martin. Their resignations were accepted at once, and a new election to fill the vacancies will take place immediately. "Good actions speak louder than words," too, does the testimony of many thousands of women during a third of a century speak louder than mere claims not backed by a guarantee of some kind. That is the reason why the proprietors of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription are willing to offer \$500 rc ward for women who cannot be cured. Such as remarkable offer is founded on the long record of cures of the diseases and weaknesses, penniar to women. If there is an invalid man, suffering from female weakness, olapsus, or falling of womb, or from leurantees who has used Dr. Pierce's Favorite reactions of that medicine would like to ar from such person—and it will be to radvantage to write them as they offer, perfect good faith, a reward of \$500 r any case of the above maladies which ry cannot cure. No other medicine for man's ills is possessed of the unparaded curative properties that would ware it its makers in making such an offer. The sisters of the Good Shepherd, at their veen, "Our Lady of the Woods," Carthage, to, use a great deal of Dr. Pierce's medicines; yo say, in a recent letter to Dr. Pierce; "We to assure you of the great benefit these dicines give our ailing ones. We cannot licinely recommend their excellence."

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TILBURY

Feb. 8.—A successful ball was held last night in Anderson Hall, under the auspices of the gentlemen of Tilbury. Among a number of outside guests present were W. T. Piggott and W. T. Poile, of Chatham. Finney's Orchestra, of Detroit, furnished the music, and an enjoyable time was spent by the 75 couples in attendance. C. A. Vanettan, of Chatham, was a Tilbury visitor yesterday.

Jerry McMahon, of Tilbury East, who was burned out Saturday, carried an insurance of only \$650 to cover his loss of \$1,700 on dwelling and contents.

contents.

Henry Wilson, of Tilbury East, has purchased two lots on Prospect St., (from J. A. Tremblay, for \$200, and is getting out the material for the erection of a \$2,000 dwelling there-

One of the most successful meetings of the West Kent Farmers Institute ever held in the riding was that of Monday, at Valetta. The advertised program was carried out and a large number of farmers attended the afternoon session. In the evening about 200 ladies and gentlemen gathered in the Town Hall, and the regular bill of fare was interspersed with a musical and literary program, which was greatly appreciated.

A cheerful countenance betokens a

DRESDEN

8.—Mrs. McKay, of Colling-is the guest of Mrs. H. S. Mc-

Feb. 8.—Mrs. McKay, of Tolling-wood, is the guest of Mrs. H. S. Mo-Donald.

Chas. E. Ripley, of Camden, died on Sunday, Feb. 5th, after an illness of about eight weeks. Mr. Ripley was about 34 years of age and is survived by a widow and family of four, as well as his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ripley, and three sisters and one brother. The funeral service was conducted at his late residence, River Road, Camden, this afternoon at 1 o'clock, after which the remains were interred in the Dresden Cemetery.

About twenty-five young people were received into the Methodist Church at morning and evening services on Sanday last.

The engagement is announced of Miss Blanche Miller, of Oil Springs, to Rev. B. A. Kinder, B. A., pastor of Christ Church.

At the regular meeting of the Town Council, on Monday evening, the resignation of Councillor Wm. Ward was received and accepted, Mr. Ward having been offered the position of town tressurer, made vacant by the resignation of Arthur Smith. The Council unanimously ratified the action of the finance committee and Mr. Ward formally appointed to the position. A nomination meeting will be held in the Town Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 14th, for the purpose of nominating a successor to Mr. Ward on the Council Board. It is to be hoped a suitable man will be chosen by acclamation, thus saving the additional expense of an election. by acclamation, thus saving the additional expense of an election.

The Letter-Box

THE FISHERY QUESTION.

My Dear Sir,-I have been waiting antil the elections were over, and to

allowed on the American side of the lake at any time of the year, there being no close season whatever." Mr. Bagnall's statement is about as reliable as the statements made by fishermen generally, which are always made with due regard to their own interests, but without proper regard for facts. I have a letter from Mr. F. B. Dickson, President of the Michigan Board of Fish Commissioners. who says: "We have a close season on bass from May 20th to June 20th, and we have a law in Michigan which prohibits any net fishing whatever in our inland lakes, the St. Clair River and Lake St.

The net fishermen also stated that

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Mr. Bagnall is begging the question when he asks, How can we fishermen destroy the spawn of the bass when we are fishing outside Mitchell's Bay and points where bass spawn I don't know that anyone ever stated that hoop nets destroyed the spawn of the bass. What we state is, that they are set in waters frequented by bass, and that they take and destroy the parent fish and that there are very few left to spawn, and that if these nets are allowed to go on, that bass will very soon be a thing of the past in the waters named. Let Mr. Bagnall, or anyone else, ask any of the anglers who have fished in these waters for the last 25 or 30 years whether there are as many bass now as formerly, and the reply will be that there are none. What has become of them? Mr. Bagnall and the hoop-net fishermen can answer that question if they will. rmen can answer that question if

they will.

Mr. Bagnall states that the car Mr. Bagnall states that the carp destroy the spawn of the bass. This is denied by the best authorities, who say that carp are vegetarians, and further, that bass deposit their eggs in a nest on sandy bottom and remain and protect them. Also, that carp spawn at the same time of year on middy bottom. It is a well known fact that fish do not feed during the breeding season, so that Mr. Bagnall's theory for the disappearance of the bass falls to the ground. Mr. Bagnall says, according to Mr. Bastedo, the regulations are fair and just to both the anglers and net fishermen. Where the fairness, that gives all the fish to a few men to send out of the country, put money in their pockets, and deprive thousands of residents and ratepayers of their just rights, comes in, I am at a loss to see.

sands of residents and ratepayers of their just rights, comes in, I am at a loss to see. Any time when navigation is open, naptha launches can be seen, from five to six at a time, running about in Mitchell's Bay and all along the lake between the Lighthouse and Grassy Point, visiting the hoop nets. Hundreds of boxes filled with our fish are being shipped to New York and other large American cities and no supervision whatever as to what they contain, Mr. Bagnall to the contrary, notwithstanding.

to what they contain, Mr. Bagnall to the contrary, notwithstanding. Mr. Bagnall says that nets are not set on bass grounds. If he does not know what the grounds between Grassy Point and Ticky-Tack Point, where the nets are thickest are, I can tell him that they are the finest bass grounds in America or rather bass grounds in America, or rather, were, before they were depleted by the hoop net fishermen.

Very respectfully,

CALEB WHEELER.

Chatham, Feb. 7th, 1905.

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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W. Toronto, Feb. 9.—11 a. m.—Mild with occasional light snow or sleet, followed to-night by high northwesterly winds and colder. Friday, high northwesterly winds and much cold-

THERMOMETER.

The following riguler were regis-tered to-day at seven a. m. at Time-er's weather-bureau:

Highest yesterday, 30. Lowest during night, 29. This morning, 29. Barometer, 29,13. Direction of wind, south.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Skating at the Rink to-night! J. Wright, of Dresden, spent yes J. A. Campbell, of Wheatley, spent yesterday in town.

Geo. Wands has returned from a business trip to Petrolia.

James Massey and Cecil Moore pent yesterday in Blenheim. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gordon have re-turned from a trip to Buffalo.

Mrs. Geo. Emmerson, of Moulton, was a guest in the city yesterday. J. R. Johnston, inspector for the New York Life, London, is spending the day with Mr. Chas. Austin. N. H. Stevens is in Toronto.

Edward F. Gillingwater, business ger of Pretty Peggy, which ap-at the Grand next Monday ev-, was registered at the Garner

vesterday. Agnes, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Smyth, 5th Con., Harwich, died yesterday, aged five months. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, to the Maple Leaf Cemetery.

The Maccabees held a very largely attended dance in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium last evening. DeCow's Orchestra furnished excellent music. There were about 150 couple present and a good time was spent.

Sam Mercer, W. D. Elliott, N. Mc-Leod and W. G. Coupland were in Bidgetown yesterday. They saw the hockey game last evening between Blenheim and Ridgetown for the Newman cup. Ridgetown won 12 to

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Emerson Roseburg, 8th Con., Raleigh, is quite seriously ill.

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Mrs. Joseph Blackburn, 4th Con.,
Chatham Tp., is seriously ill.

A child was born last night to Mr.
and Mrs. Alfred Moon, Alfred St.
At the birth there were present the
grandmother and great-grandmother
of the infant.

Clint Wilson of Scath Palett.

Clint Wilson of South Dakota, who other winson, of South Pascata, who was "C" company's representative to South Africa in the third contingent, is spending a few days with relatives in the city. Clint is a son of Frank Wilson and is now an engineer on a Milwaukee railroad.

AFTER ZONE'S REEVE

There has been trouble up in Zone Township in regard to the Reeveship and now proceedings are underway to remove Arthur. W. Green from that position, Henry W. Buchanan is the relator and O. L. Lewis is acting for him. This morning Mr. Lewis made application to the judge to set aside the election of Mr. Green on the grounds of improper qualification and that he has a contract from the Township.

SAD DEATH

Miss Charlotte Hoig, one of Chatham's most intelligent and popular young ladies, passed away yesterday afternoon after a lingering illness. Miss Hoig has been ill for a long time. Some time ago she took a trip to Calgary in the hopes that she would regain her health, but it was there learned that she could not re-

Deceased was a graduate of the Chatham Model School and for some Chatham Model School and for some time taught school near Blenheim. She was a very clever girl and a devout member of the First Presby-terian church. Her untimely death mourned by a very large circle of friends and the family have the sin-cere sympathy of the entire com-munity.

munity.

Besides her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Robert Holg, one brother, Willie, and
a sister, Muriel, are left to mourn

her loss The funeral will take place at three o'clock to-morrow afternoon from the family residence, Head street, to the Maple Leaf cemetery. Rev. A. H. MacG'llivray will conduct

The pall bearers will, according to deceased's dying wish, be six of the Christ Church choir boys, who will sing, also by a former request of deceased two hymns, "O Come all ye Faithful," and "Peace, Perfect Peace."

TOTO AT MATE.

Tokio, Feb. 9.—Admiral Togo arrived at Kure yesterday and immediately raised his flag on the battle-

ship Mikasa.

The Hay-Send Tresty.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The Senate in executive session for four hours yesterday considered the Hay-Bond Treaty and adjourned without reaching any conclusion regarding the measure.



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JEWELERS

CITY MAY SELL

Special Meeting To-morrow Night to Formulate Proposition County Council.

The City Council will probably meet on Friday night to comply with the request of the County Council by formulating, a proposition to that body for the sale of the city's in-terests in Hagrison Hall, A special meeting of the County Council will be called to consider the

Council will be called to consider the same.

His worship, Mayor Cowan, who has taken up this matter in an energetic and businesslike manner, this morning telephoned the Warden and Commissioner Haggart, chairman of the County Property committee, relative to the matter.

In event of the city disposing of its interest in Harrison Hall, accommodation will be provided in the new market square building, thereby, it is understood, effecting a great saving.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Onbles Stendy-American Markets Are Generally Quoted Easier.

Are Generally Quoted Easter.
London, Feb. 8.—Live cattle are quoted at 110 to 12c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 9%c per lb.; sheep, 12c to 13c per lb.
EAST BUFFALO CATFLE MARKET.
East Buffalo, Feb. 3.—Cattle—Receipts, light; steady; prime steers, \$5.50 to \$5.75; shipping, \$4.50 to \$5.25; butchers, \$4.25 to \$4.85; helfers, \$ 3to \$4.50; cows, \$2.50 to \$4.85; helfers, \$ 3to \$4.50; cows, \$2.50 to \$4.50 to \$4.50; head; slow; \$4.50 to \$9.

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Hogs-Receipts, 2800 head; slow; 5c lower; heavy and mixed, \$5.15 to \$5.20; yorkers, \$5 to \$5.15; pigs, \$5 to \$5.10; roughs, 4.40 to \$4.50; stags, \$3 to \$3.50.

Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 5000 head; low; nothing dolar.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Feb. 8.—Beeves—Receipts, 1978; steers opened steady; closed shade lower on nearly all grades, bulls, slow and easier; cows, steady; steers, \$4.50 to \$6.15; bulls, \$2.75 to \$4.25; cows, \$1.50 to \$3.60; dables quoted live cattle lower, at 11c to 11%c per pound, dressed weight; sheep, steady at 12c to 13c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 9%c per pound; exports, 2600 quarters of beef; to-morrow, 720 cattle.

tle. Calves—Receipts, 910; market 25c lower; veals, \$4 to \$9.25; little calves, \$3 to \$4; barnyard calves, \$2 to \$3; no demand for

barnyaru chives, \$2 to \$5; no demand for westerns.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3666; very little doing, but sellers holding steady; sheep. \$4 to \$5.75; choice wethers. \$6; culls. \$3 to \$3.75; lambs, \$7 to \$9; culls, \$6. Hogs—Receipts, 3218; weak; prime state hogs, \$5.50. CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

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Chicago, Feb. 8.—Catile—Recelpts, 21.

000; good to prime steers, \$5.69 to \$6.25;
poor to medium, \$3.75 to \$4.50; stockers
and reeders, \$2.35 to \$4.30.

Hogs—Recelpts, 5000; mixed and butchers, \$4.35 to \$4.85; good to choice, heavy,
\$4.80 to \$4.90; rough heavy, \$4.56 to \$4.60;
light, \$4.50 to \$4.70; bulk of sales, \$4.65
to \$4.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Recelpts, 17.000; good to \$4.75.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 17,000; good to choice wethers, \$5.90 to \$5.98; fair to choice, mixed, \$4.50 to \$5.25; native lambs, \$5.75 to \$8.

Jarvis Held For Trial.

Windsor, Feb. 9.—Police Sergeant Nash appeared in court yesterday in the cases against Samuel Jarvis, the burglar, who nearly caused Nashis death several weeks ago. It was Nashis first appearance in public since the shooting. His face had a careworn look and was almost bloodless. The wound in the neck had healed, but the arm is still helpless. The bullet is still in his body, and he suffers a good deal of pain. The court was packed to its utmost capacity. Nash's evidence did not throw any new light on the shooting, but it was enough for the detention of the prisoner. Magistrate Bartlett held Jarvis for trial at the spring assizes on four counts, three of burglary, with offensive weapons, and one of murderous assault. Windsor, Feb. 9 .- Police Sergeant and one of murderous assault.

Frosted Wheat Pays.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 9.—U. S. District Judge Lochren has handed down an order reversing the decision of the board of appraisers at Minneapolis and declaring that frosted wheat imported from Canada must pay the regular tariff rate of 25 cents per bushel. The case was that of F. W. Pereaux Co. of Minneapolis, which had imported a quantity of frosted Canadian wheat. The company contended that as the wheat was good neither for milling nor for seed, it should be rated as "unclassified," and subject to an ad valorem of 10 per cent., amounting to but five cents per bushel.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

DISMISSED SUIT

Therefore Ald. Trumble will Retain Seat in Windsor Council

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 7.—"Go on, you stiff," remarked Ald. Hamilton Trumble in police court this afternoon to John Mowatt, who had brought an action against him to have him convicted of frequenting a bar during prohibited hours. The remark followed the decision of Magistrate Bartlet, who dismissed the case.

Trumble's trial this morning proved to be the banner event in the history of the new court room. It put the opening of the new building in the shade as far as the size of the curious throng was concerned. John Mowatt, accompanied by his attorney, O. L. Lewis, Chatham, appeared early and was closely followed by the defendant, Trumble, 'A number of the latter's faithful adherents and several aldermen followed him.

of the latter's faithful adherents and several aldermen followed him.

Several of the witnesses manifested a spirit of forgetfulness, so much so that they did not even remember if they had been in the Manning House on the day in question.

The defendant was assessed the costs of the case, amounting to \$9.95.

FOR LOCAL OPTION

The Royal Templars of Temperance are by no means satisfied with the action of the City Council in refusing to grant a reduction of the liquor licenses. A. D. Westman, President of the Society, said to The Planet this morning.

of the Society, sau to another this morning:

"The Royal Templars are discontented with the situation regarding the refusal of the Council to reduce the licenses according to the prayer of the petition, and have come to the conclusion that unless the request is according to the request is the request of the conclusion that unless the request is the request is the request in the request in the request is the request in the

conclusion that unless the request is reconsidered and granted we will commence a vigorous sampaign for Local Option at once.

"The temperance sentiment in Chatham is growing every day, as was shown by the few who refused to sign our petition presented to the Council. If we had taken a little longer time we could have easily got twice the humber of signatures to our petition. The Royal Templars are a strong organization and they are growing in numbers every day."

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Below we mention a few of the newest and most popular wool fabrics for the spring season.

Fancy Knatte Suitings; Poplans; Canvas Cloths; Waterproofs; Serges; Covert Suitings; Crepe de Chines, in fancy evening shades; Sicilians; Black and Colored Lustres; Roxana Suitings; Satin Cloths New Broadcloths, in copper, brown, navy, black and seal.

Mohairs in all the popula shades; Venetian Sultings for fine tailored suits, in new browns and blues; New Cheviots in black, navy and brown; Granite Suitings in a variety of light shades for spring or summer wear.

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Men's High Class



Special Sale

The celebrated Wolsley Underwear in this lot. It will pay you to buy for next winter.

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hree Dissatisfied Quebec Ministers Wh

Retired From the Cabinet Have Ma-

jority of the Legislature Behind Them

-Laurier's Attempt At Truce-Making

Was Not Very Successful and His

Quebec, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Support-

POLITICS IN PLEAS.

sembles Campaign Attack.

he was a judge and now occupies a certain position in public life in the Liberal party, and adds that he does his best to fill that position in the interest of his country and his party, unlike the plaintiff

Their Last Appointments.

Toronto, Feb. 9.—It is announced that the late Government made the following appointments before retir-

of third division court at Sault Ste.

Invitation Cards, Pro-

grammes, Pencils, etc.,

can always be obtained

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Quebec, Feb. 9 .- An interesting de-

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ro-Night.

Skating at the Rink at 8. The Kennedy Players, at the Grand

Court McGregor, No. 6, 1. O. F., will Daughters of Rebekah, in their hall at 8 o'clock.

Regular meeting of Wellington Chapter, No. 47, R. M., Masonio Hell, Fifth St., at 8.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED

HITCHCOCK—On Wednesday, Feb. 8, 1905, Samuel Hitchcock, aged 85 years, 6 months. Funeral will take place Friday at daughter, Mrs. John Irwin, 9th con-cession, Raleigh, to Merlin ceme-

tery. Kingston and Detroit papers please

Skating at the Rink to-night! Lost, on Thames street or Victoria avenue, a silk work bag. Finder, will kindly leave at this office. The Valentine Carnival at the rink Tuesday night will be unique and interesting.

Skirt makers, improvers and apprentices wanted. Apply Mrs. Johnson, over Young's Grocery.

The Ladies Aid of Park street church will hold a musicale at the home of Mrs. W. M. Morley, Dafferin arenue, Feb. 17th, from 8 to 10 p. m. Admission 15 cents. Good program. Refreshments.

Rev. J. W. Hoyf went to Dresden this marning to conduct the funeral services of Mrs. Wm. Wells, who passed away on Tuesday. The fu-neral took place at two o'clock from the family residence.

Consumers of Gas and Electric Light, whose bills are rendered monthly, are notified that discounts will be allowed up to and including the 10th inst., To-morrow, but will not be allowed later.

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Skating at the Rink to-night! Archie McCoig, M. P. P., and ex-Mayor G. W. Sulman left for the

ast to-day. sast to-day.

Seats go on sale to-morrow for "Pretty Peggy," which appears at the Grand on Monday next. Jane Cororan, staring as Peg Woffington, supported by Andrew Rodson as David Garnick, with a cast of thirty other performers. This is the greatest dramatic triumph the Grand will have the season.

have this season.

Mrs. Glass, of London, Mrs. E. W. Scame, and Mrs. Margargé Stone will leave to-night for Kansas City. Mrs. Burs, Mrs. Harry Stevens and Howard Stevens will feave on Monday and will join the others at Kansas City and the party will proceed to California, where they will proceed to California, where they will spend the winter. Mrs. Harry Stevens and Howard expect to be away nine months. They will visit N. H. Stevens brother, Ezra Stevens.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies

ens' brother, Ezra Stevens.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of Park street church was held on Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Scane, president, in the chair. Over fifty members were present to say good bye to Mrs. Scane before she leaves for an extended visit with friends in California. At the close of the business, Mrs. Williams on behalf of the society, presented Mrs. Scane with a diamond ring and wish! coane with a diamond ring and wishied her a safe return. Mrs. Scane though taken by surprise, thanked the ladies in her usual manner, after which tea was served and a social hour enjoyed by all.

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the Dominion Government If They Become Incorporated. Ottawa, Feb. 9 .- The Minister of Premier Parent Loses Control

Ottawa, Beb. 5.—Ine minister of Railways stated in the House yes-terday that there are 21 persons on the staff of the Railway Commission and 30 persons on the staff of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Com-

The first sitting of the railway com-

Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Commission.

The first sitting of the railway commission.

Mr. Bennier \$3300, and to Mr. Mills \$3300. The commission has cost, exclusive of salaries, \$47,955. No private secretaries are employed by the board.

The total receipts and expenditures of the Intercolonial Railway amiliaries of the Intercolonial Railway amiliaries for the current year up to Dec. 31, 1904, were stated by Mr. Emmerson to be as follows: Working expenses, \$4,104,018; receipts, \$3,621,263. The amounts spent on the Intercolonial, including the purchase of lines, were, in 1897, \$146,142; in 1898, \$252,367; in 1899, \$1,061,929; in 1900, \$1,796,349; in 1903, \$2,254,264, and from June 30 to Dec. 31, 1904, \$733,221.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated in reply to Major Fowler that the minister of finance was considering the question of calling in and redeeming at their face value worn silver coins.

Mr. Henderson was informed that one charter has been granted by the governor-in-council under the penny, bank act of 1903. The company has not, however, received the certificate of the treasury, which would enable it to carry on business.

Mr. Lancaster introduced a bill to amend the act respecting certificates to masters and mates of ships. He explained that the bill standing for a second reading contains an objectionable clause. He would, therefore, drop the first bill and introduce a new one, Mr. Foster asked about the letter containing Mr. Blair's resignation as chairman of the railway commission, also the telegram to the prime minister on the same subject. Sir Wilfrid replied that both the letter and the telegram would be submitted to the house.

Mr. Bergeron called the attention of the zovernment to the political-crisis Quebec, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Supporters of the three resigned ministers of the Purent government, to the number of 48, met last night at the Chateau Frontenac and passed a resolution approving of the action of the three dissatisfied members and pledging to support them in the future. This is a mafority of the members of the eassembly. The Parent faction, numbering 38, met in the parliament buildings and was in session until 12.30 this morning. When the meeting broke up all those present would say was "The meeting has been adjourned." They would not say what been place.

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Yesterday morning Hon. Mr. Brodeur

Yesterday morning Hon. Mr. Brodeur and Senator Dandurand arrived from Ottawa and had a conference with Gouin and Turgeon at the latter's residence. Treasurer McCorkill was also present, representing Parent. These also are reticent about what took place. It is said that the delegates from Ottawa were sent down by Laurier to try and patch up a truce between the contending parties. They do not appear to have been very successful, as all kinds of rumors are flying about the city.

Quebec, Feb. 9.—An interesting development in the Parent-Gouin-Choquette case yesterday was the filing of pleas by Senators Choquette and Legris in the actions for damages brought against them by Prime Minister Parent. These documents resemble vigorous campaign attacks rather than judicial processes. Senator Choquette starts off by admitting that the plaintiff is Prime Minister of the province and needs the public esteem, but adds 'It is no fault of defendant if he does not possessit.' The plea also admits that plaintiff is a member of the Legislative Assembly and Minister of Crown Lands, but denies that he holds a prominent position in politics, and especially in the Liberal party. The Senator admits the writing and the publication in L'Evenement of the letters complained of, but claims such publication was in the public interest. Defendant admits he was a judge and now occupies a certain position, mulbig life in the control of the subset of policy. He read from high authority to show that the

that it was the duty of the Government to state its attitude towards the measure and to give the House a declaration of policy. He read from high authority to show that the Government is in duty bound to accept responsibility for all important measures.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier accepted the principle thus laid down, but the Government was not bound to declare its policy on all measures brought before the House, he said, was not one which the Government should take up as a Ministerial measure. The Government was in the position of neither supporting nor opposing the measure.

ing:
Angus McDougald, bailiff of second division court at Alexandria, for Stormont and Glengarry; Welber L. Phelps of Kemptville, clerk of fourth division court of Leeds and Grenville; James Coleman, bailiff at Newcastle, for the second division court of Northumberland and Durham; George A. Aylesworth of Newburg, to be re-appointed clerk of fourth division court of Leunox and Addington; and David G. Gemmell, bailiff of third division court at Sault Ste. Many members opposed the bill on the ground that the unions were not incorporated, and this principle was finally accepted on motion of Mr. Demers. The committee rose and reported progress.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock.

Mr. Reford Accepts

Montreal, Feb. 9.—Robert Reford, whose refusal of the chairmanship of the Transportation Commission in succession to the late John Bertram, stated yesterday morafing that he had withdrawn his refusal and would accept the post.

This is taken to mean that the Ottawa Government has acceded to his demand as to salary and that Mr. Reford will receive a much higher rate than that given Mr. Bertram.

BLENHEIM

Feb. 9.—The old and young people of the town, at the invitation of the members of the Epwonth League of the Methodist church, spent a very enjoyable time at the rink Monday.

evening.

The Canada Flour Mill is shut down while some repairs are being made to the engine. Last week during Wednesday night the bolts of the engine began to fly in all thirections, Fortunately no one was hurt or much damage done.

On Monday, Feb. 6, to Rev. W. E. and Mrs. Kerr, a daughter.

A large number, of hockey enthusiasts accompanied the hockey team to Ridgetown last evening by the special train.

the special train.

The regular monthly shoot of the Blenheim gun club was held yester-

Rev. D. W. Collins, late incumbent of Trinity church, has accepted the parishes of Birr and St. George, London Township.

A petition is being circulated among the ratepayers of the town the continuous manner to put before

to get names chough to put before the license commissioners to grant licenses to the Blenheim hotels.

Mr. Bevan. of St. Paul, who is sisting his sister, Mrs. A. Russell, will leave for his home the end of the week.

HURT HIS FEELINGS

The Growler and its editor, Abe Savage, are, in the condition suggested by the Heditor's name to-day, and all because of the police. The management of the Growler has been in the habit of using the boulevard on Queen St. as a circulating medium. Yesterday, the management got orders to stop using this medium.

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"At 3.15 p. m. yesterday." snarled the Growler, "we were advised by the police to vacate the boulevard. I guess they were afraid we'd spoil the grass. We were going to do it, anyway," continued the ohalk talk paper, with all absence of the fox and the grapes fable, "because our circulation has increased so rapidly that in place of a two-page we'll have to run a paper equal to The G. H. J., The Mail or The Globe.

ABE'S IDEA OF IT.

If the Council isn't careful, it will spend that \$41,000 in special meetings and in burning gas before any business is done.

BOOKBINDING

Orders for bookbinding should be left at this ortice. It is surprising how nice a volume can be made of how nice a volume can be made of these magazines, even though they are somewhat soiled from much hand-ling. Books, magazines or periodi-cals bound or rebound in any style at very reasonable prices. Blank books, such as journels, ledgers, day books with any kind of ruling, made to order. All work warranted first class.

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"Messrs. The T. Milburn Co., Limited.
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"Genklemen,—Having been cured of a very sroublesome disease, I ind. it my duly to write prostration. I was attacked with the college, and could not follow up the games of the University without being overcome with fatigue. I have left College, and am working in a general store, where I found your famous pills. I lead three boxes, and am now completely cured; I cannot thank you enough. You may use this letter for the purpose of benefiting anyone who is suffering as I did. My home is in Sackward Island.
My home is in Sackwille, N.B., but at present I am Trinon Edward Island.
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"I will be the complete the purpose of benefiting anyone who is suffering as I did. My home is in Sackward Island."
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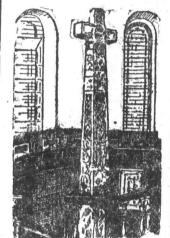
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The Monkwearmouth cross to the memory of the Venerable Bede has called attention to one of the most inemory of the Venerable Bede has called attention to one of the most remarkable and least known literary monuments in these islands, says Lloyd's Weekly Newspaper. In the parish church of Ruthwell (pronounced Rivel), in the County of Dumfries, stands an elegant cross, 18 feet high, on whose broader faces are depicted scenes from the life of Christ, while on the narrower faces appears some finely executed vintracery. In the chief of these stone pictures the figure of Christ is represented with the aureole, the right hand raised to bless, in the left a sacred scroll. The most noteworthy feature of this beautiful cross, however, is not the exquisite chiseling of an unknown sculptor, but a Runic inscription that long baffled all the efforts of the learned to interpret it. The history of the cross is a strange one. It is supposed to have been set up in the year 680 A.D. in Northumbria, which in those days extended from the Humber to the Forth. Whether it was originally erected in the Ruthwell district it is, of course impossible to say. There

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THE RUTHWELL CROSS.

is nothing known of it for the next 200 years, until in 1642 the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland denounced the old Anglo-Saxon cros as an idolatrous monument, and or dered its demolition. Such a proceed-ing seems hardly intelligible at the present day, but it must be remem-bered that the Runic inscription was hen unread, and no doubt to these Presbyterians it savored

stern Presbyterians it savored of Paganism.

It so happened that the parish minister of Ruthwell at that time was a much broader-minded and more enlightened man than most of his superiors in the church. He had the cross thrown down, as in duty bound, but it was done so carefully that the destruction was only partial, and the cross, now in several pieces, was safely hidden away under the floor of the church, where it lay andisturbed for more than a century and a half. In 1823 the minister boldly took it upon himself not only to dig up the pieces and put them together again, but even to respect the ancient landmark in the grounds of the manse. A new crossrounds of the manse. A new cross-num was added, the original one wing long since disappeared along ith some fragments of the upper latt. Attempts were now made to decipiner the Runic writing, but to no purpose until in 1840 Mr. Kemble, of the British Museum, unfathomed the mystery of the cross, and his reading was confirmed soon afterwards, when a remarkable literary ind was made in Piedmont. This was ind was made in Piedmont. This was the discovery of a manuscript copy of Caedmon's "Lay of the Holy Rood," and it quickly appeared that the inscription on the cross was simply an extract from Caedmon's

Thus at last a great literary controversy, that had caused no small agitation amongst the learned, both in Europe and, the continent, was finally set at rest, and the Ruthwell Cross, now 12 centuries old, established its claim to a unique association with what is generally reconding is claim to a unique associa-tion with what is generally regarded as the oldest fragment of English literature that has come down to us, in the year of Queen Victoria's Jubi-lee, the venerable relic of antiquity was taken under Government protec-tion, and safely ensconced inside the church, where a semi-circular apse-had been constructed for its recep-

Cost of Great Wars.

According to estimates of French and German statisticians, there has been expended in the wars of the last fifty years no less than the inconceivbeen expended in the wars of the last fifty years no less than the inconceivable sum of \$18,000,000,000. Of this amount France paid nearly \$3,500,000,000 ns the cost of the war with Prussia. According to Dr. Roth, a German authority, the Gormans lost in the war \$600,000,000 in money, this being the excess of expenditure or of material losses over the \$1,250,000,000 paid by France by way of indemnity. Dr. Engel, another German statistician, gives the following as the approximate cost of the principal wars: Crimean War, \$2,000,000,000; Italian War, of 1859, \$300,000,000. Prusso-Danish War of 1864, \$35,000,000; War of the Rebellion-North, \$5,100,000,000; South, \$2,300,000,000,000; Prusso-Austrian War of 1866, \$300,000,000; Russo-Turkish war \$125,000,000; South African wars \$8,770,000; African War, \$125,000,000.

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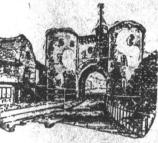
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Some authorities inform us that Some authorities inform us that Rye—one of the Cinque Eorts—is the Portus Novus of Ptolemy; however, nothing exists to indicate its occupation by the Romans. No spot in mediaeval England wears such an air of patient acquiescence in its departed glory; and the pilgrim of tering this unique town by the Strand Gate could almost picture himself living in the Middle Ages. Rye was originally built on an island, but now the sea is more than two miles distant, and this old-world town, with its quiet, crooked by-streets, its red and brown-roofed houses and abbey-like church, roofed houses and abbey-like church, grouped together on the hill, facing its rival—Winchelsea—is undoubtedly



THE "LANDGATE! BYE

charmingly picturesque, Presented by Edward the Confessor to the monks of Fecamp, it was always an important seaport, and on that account subject to numerous foes. The Danes entered her harbor—which in the time of Cromwell gave accommodation to one hundred vessels—in \$93; and the town was burnt and nillaged by the town was burnt and pillaged by the French in 1448, when, unfortunately, the ancient historical records were destroyed.

Edward III. built the walls, but

very few traces of them remain, and to mark their circuit three gates were erected, but the Landgate is the only one now in existence. It consists of two massive round towers with a handsome Gothic archway between; above it is a projecting parapet, with openings for pouring molten substan-

ces upon an attacking force below.

The church dates from the twelfth century and is the largest is Sussex. The interior has a unique curiosity in the shape of a clock which has its the shape of a clock which has its pendulum hanging down through the floors of the rooms in the tower into the sacred edifice, in full view of the congregation, and to the astonishment of visitors. This is the oldest timekeeper in England, and tradition avers it was presented by Good Crieen Bess, together with the carved mahogany Communion-table-spoils of the Spanish Armada—to Royal Rye, as she named it, when she honored the towa with a visit in 1573; however, by parish accounts, it was bought by the churchwardens in 1562. The eight pells have upon them the following inscription:

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Our voices shall with joyful sound Make hills and valleys echo round

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With hands your hearts unite;
So shall our tuneful tongues com
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Ye ringers all who prize Your bealth and happiness,

Be sober, merry, wise, And you'll the same possess The Ypres Tower, a square build-ing with round-angle towers, was erected by William de Ypres in the reign of Stephen. At one time it was the only defence Rye possessed,

was the only defence Rye possessed, and until quite a recent period was utilized for a prison.

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Silent Beauty of Butterflies After all, says a student of nature, the chief charm of the race of butter-flies does not lie in their varied and brilliant, beauty, nor yet in their wonderful series of transformations, in their long and sordid caterpillar life, their long slumber in the chrysalis.

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Nor doss it lie in the fact that we do not yet certainly know whether they have in the caterpillar shape the faculty of sight or not, and do not even know the precise use of their most conspicuous ergan in maturity, the antennae. Nor does it consist in this-that they, of all created things, have furnished man with the symbol of his own immortality. It rather lies in the fact that, with all their varied life and activity, they represent an absolutely silent world.

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Speaker's Chair at Westminster.

Perhaps one of the most interesting chairs in the country is that which played so important a part in Irish history of bygone days. Ireland was even more rebellious to English rule in the times of the Commonwealth than she has been in our own century, and in Cromwell's time the Irish formed a Parliament of their own, which assembled not at Dublin, as we might suppose, but at Kilkenny. On this occasion, in defiance of all the promulgations of the draaded "Butcher" and his Roundhead friends, a "Speaker" was duly elected by the assembled "Parliament," and, in due course, "took the chair." For many years the old oak chair stood in the Confederation Hall, Kilkenny, a silent innument to the fate of rebel "Parliaments," for those who had bowed to the de-



IRISH SPEAKER'S CHAIR.

TRISH SPEAKER'S CHAIR.

crees of its occupant had suffered severely at the hands of Cromwell for their temerity. Then the chair was removed, and subsequently passed into private hands. This fine piece of furniture, of which we give a sketch, is strong and solid, though the rigid back and hard, flat seat give one the impression that, even from a comfortable point of 'view, it is scarcely so desirable a "Speaker's chair" as we find at Westminster, says Lloyd's Weekly.

The imposing building in Dublin which formed the Houses of Parliament in pre-union days is now the Bank of Ireland. The latter was first established at St. Mary's Abbey, Dublin, in June, 1783. In 1802 the Government acquired the old Parliament building on College Green at a cost of £10,000, but the business was not removed there until May,

was not removed there until May, 1808. Outwardly there is no change in its appearance, but the Lower House has been greatly enlarged and added to for the purposes of the bank. The House of Lords remains intact, and is used as the Court of Proprietors.

FOLLOWED BY SHARKS.

Shipwreeked Crew's Awful Voyage in Ope Best on the Ocean. The wreck of the schooner Victor,

The wreck of the schooner Victor, and the terrible sufferings of the crew, who for eleven days battled in an open boat with a shoal of sharks, are reported from San Francisco.

The Victor was wrecked on the rocky shore of the Island of Papataki, one of the Society Islands, and the crew of five men, with Captain Hardy, took to the ship's boat.

They had no compass and no sail, and with little more than one day's provisions and six cocoanuts they started to row to Papeete, Tahiti. Several times the boat was almost swamped, and the clothing of the unfortunate mariners was saturated over and over again.

over and over again.

From the outset the rations each man got deily were not sufficient for one meal, and with the constant rowing and exposure day and night and little sleep the meen soon became worn out, and suffered intensely.

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The water gave out, and had it not been for the milk of the cocoanuts the men would have gone mad with thirst.

Captain Hardy and his men had a continual combat with the sharks, and the oars were splintered and broken in repelling the attacks of the ferocious brutes.

During the eleven days and nights it took the men to reach Papeete the sharks never left the trail of the boat.

boat.

For the last two days of their long row the entire crew were so atterly done up that frequently the men had not sufficient strength to lift the cars, and three became crazy.

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Ghosts would frighten many people who are not afraid of germs. Yet the germ is a real danger. If this microscopic animalism could be magnified to a size in proportion to its deadliness it would show like a giant python, or fire breathing dragon. The one fact to remember is that the germ is powerless to harm the pythom, or fire breathing dragon. The one fact to remember is that the germ is powerless to harm the body when the blood is pure. It is far easier to keep the germ out than to drive it out after it obtains a hold in the system. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the most powerful and perfect of blood purifying medicines. It increases the quantity as well as the quality of the blood, and enables the body to resist disease, or to throw it off if disease has obtained a footing in some weak organ. Wherever the digestion is impared, the nutrition of the body is diminished, for the blood is made from the food which is caten, and half digested food cannot supply the body with blood in quantity and quality adequate to its needs. For this condition there is no remedy equal to "Golden Medical Discovery." It cures ninety-eight out of every hundred persons who give it a fair trial. When there is constitution Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will promptly and permanently cure.

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The book-keeper knows when to put his best foot forward.

ROYAL RIGHT.

teen Alexandra Could Contract Debta Her Husband's Name and His Ma-jesty Weuld Not Be Responsible.

Great interest was aroused recently by the circumstance that in a grave national crisis, when the King was for-the moment inaccessible, the ministers of state were summoned to the presence of Queen Alexandra for consultation, with, as was generally understood, most satisfactory results. This was quite a new depar-

sults. This was quite a new departure for the present reign, says London Tit-Bits.

Of course, Queen Victoria played this sovereign part constantly, but her late Majesty was the head of the state and it was the proper course for her to pursue. Except when considered as part of the King and Sovereign, Queen Alexandra is not the head of the state. She enjoys a position of her own which is absolutely unique. Whilst it differs from that of the King it also differs from that of any other lady, married or single, or of any rank, and in some material ways it is also different from that of previous queen consorts.

One of the most curious and interesting provisions in the law and customs of the state is that the Queen is, for private business pur-Queen is, for private business purposes, not regarded as a married lady at all. She is the only lady in Great Britain who does not come within the scope of the Married Women's Property Act. The principle of the law is that the King is entirely different from all other married men, and that his time is too fully taken up with the affairs of state for him to have any left to devote to domestic matters, and that therefore the whole management of the Queen's the whole management of the Queen's private business matters must de-volve upon Her Majesty singly, and

that no responsibility whatever in respect to them rests upon the King. Therefore, if such a thing could be imagined as the Queen contracting debts in her husband's name, the King would not be responsible for them, as any other husband would be unless he had given due notice to tradesmen and all others concerned that he would for the future decline to settle all such accounts.

If the King contracted debts, the aw which says that His Majesty can do no wrong would prevent anybody from suing him for recovery of the amount due; but no such protection is granted to the Queen, who could be proceeded against in the ordinary manner. She has her own Attorney-General and Solicitor-General to represent her in all logal matters, though, of course, except for ordi-nary private purposes, their services are scarcely ever needed.

Whilst the Constitution is glad to Whilst the Constitution is glad to recognize the Queen as part of the monarchy, it cannot lose sight of the fact that after all her positien is limited to that of Queen Consort, and therefore she is in a very large sense one of His Majesty's subjects, and in certain cases, which there is no human possibility of occurring in these times, she would be therefore these times, she would be freated as a subject. But in other respects she is accorded privileges by the realm which are given to no other person except the King.

Particularly there is the question

of high treason. It is generally un-derstood that the King is the only person whom it is high treason to plot against; but it would be high treason also to plot against Queen Alexandra. All Consorts of British Alexandra. All Consorts of British monarchs have not enjoyed this privilege. When Philip of Spain married Queen Mary it was denied to him, though some time after the marriage a special Act of Parliament was passed in which he was granted the

The signature "Edward Rex" is attached to all State documents of such importance as to demand it. But in no circumstances whatever would the corresponding one "Alex-andra Regina" be allowed to be attached, either in conjunction with that of His Majesty or without it. If it should happen that the Queen should survive the King, many of the privileges which she at present pos-sesses would be withdrawn from her, sesses would be withdrawn from her, only nominally in some cases but actually in others, whilst constitutional law provides that some curious restrictions shall be placed upon her. It would no longer be high treason to plot against her, and it is held by at least one high authority that she could not marry again it she wished could not marry again if she wished to do so without the special license and permission of the King's succes-

All this, as has been made clear, is the very strict and essential legal view which the Constitution, having regard to difficulties which have oc-curred in the past, finds it necessary curred in the past, finds it necessary to take in theory of the position of the Queen; but in the hearts of the people, as we all know, she exercises complete and supreme authority as the first lady, and one upon whom there can be no limitations whilst England is governed as it is.

A young Oxford student one day received an unexpected visit from his pretty sister and was very indignant that she came without a chaperon. "Look here." said the young man, "I will not have any of the fellows see you in my rooms, so if any one knocks at the door you just get behind that screen. In a few minutes a knock was heard, and the girl ran behind the screen as her brother went to the door. An old gentleman stood on the threshold, who, after profusely apologizing for his intrusion, said: "I am just home from Australia, and many years ago I occupied these "I am just home from Australia, and many years ago I occupied these rooms. Would you allow me, sir. to look at them once again?" "Certainly," exclaimed the student. "Come in." "Al!" exclaimed the old man. "Everything is just the same. Same old table, same old fireplace, same old screen. Then catching sight of the girl: "By Jove! Same old dodge." "Sir!" exclaimed the student. "That is my sister." "Gadent. "That is my sister." "Same old sir." was the remedia, "same old ser." was the remedia, "same old ser."

HE TOOK HIS WIFE'S ADVICE

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He says:
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Everyone must admit Mr. Coles was in a bad way. But that's what Indigestion leads to if you neglect it. But if Mr. Coles did not know what to do, his wife did. She said, "Try Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets." Like a wise man he took his wife's advice, and of the result he says:

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GOOD GAME

A very interesting game of Hockey was played at the rink last evening between the Christ Church choir boys and a team of larger boys captained by Edwin McDonald. The choir boys having defeated a team of boys their own size, decided to tackle a team of larger boys, and while they made an excellent showing, the score was against them 4-0. They are not discouraged, however, and another game may be tooked for in the near

The following was the line-up:-Choir Boys. Gotal-Poole

Point—Fielder. Cover Point—Higley. Rover—Waddell.

Centre-Bennett. R. W.—Glassford L. W.—McLean. McDonald's Team. -McKellar. Point-Gemmill. Cover Point-Knott Cover Point-Knott.
Rover-Glenn.
Centre-McDonald.
R. W.-McKellar.
L. W.-Gilles.
Referee-Frank Dennis.

DEATH'S GALL

Chas. H. Vince, aged 31 years, died at his residence, Fifth Street, Walkerville, Wednesday morning. The remains will be taken to Chatham to-morrow, where

thev will be interred—Detroit Journal.

The remains arrived in the city this afternoon, and were interred in the Maple Leaf cemetery.

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THE NEW PREMIER SELECTS CABINET

Lieut.-Gov. Approves Colleagues Choice of Hon. J. P. Whitney.

linisters Sworn in At 4.30 O'cleck Yesterday Will Occupy Their New Offices Te-day Department of Mines to Be Created Soon-Speakership Will Be Offered to J. W. St. John-Government Will Undertake Law Referm.

Toronto, Feb. 9.—Shortly after 12 o'clock yesterday Mr. J. P. Whitney announced that the Lieutenant-Gov-ernor had approved of the Iollowing gentlemen constituting his Govern-

Premier and Attorney-General-Hon. J. P. Whitney, K.C., M.P.P., Dundas.

Minister of Crown Lands—Hon. J. Foy, K.C., M.P.P., South Toron

Minister of Agriculture—Hon. Notson Monteith, M.P.P., South Perth.
Provincial Treasurer—Hon. A. J.
Matheson, M.P.P., South Lanark.
Minister of Education—Hon. R. A.
Pyne, M.D., M.P.P., East Toronto.
Provincial Secretary—Hon. W. J.
Hanna, M.P.P., West Lambton.
Minister of Public Works—Hon. J.
O. Reaume, M.B., M.P.P., North Essex.

without Portfolios—Hon. Adam Beck, M.P.P., London; Hon. J. S. Hendrie, M. P. P., West Hamilton, and Hon. W. A. Willoughby, M. D., M.P.P., East Northumberland. Speaker—Hon. J. W. St. John, M. P.P., West York.

The Swearing In.

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Premier Whitney's cabinet was sworn in by J. Lonsdale Capreol, clerk of the executive council, at government house at 4.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. They will take charge of their departments this morning. Mr. Whitney has given it out that this cabinet is subject to modification. Mr. Foy' will be attorney-general in a couple of months with the view to considering the question of law reform. This means that there will be practically a reconstruction with Mr. Whitney probably minister of education, Mr. Hanna minister of crown lands and Dr. Pyne provincial secretary.

The Farmer-teeneral.

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All the new cabinet ministers were on hand early, except Mr. Monteith, the minister of agriculture. He did not arrive until nearly 12 o'clock, and was greeted on his entrance by Mr. Whitney, who had grown rather rest-less waiting for the last one to come. "Oh, we are waiting for you, Monteith," the premier said as he grasped the hand of the new farmer-general and led him up the staircase. In three minutes Mr. Whitney came down and announced to the waiting newspaperment that his cabinet was complete, and that he would be back from government house in ten minutes after submitting the names to the lieutenant-governor. The waiting ones were rewarded within the time specified, and were taken upstairs, where the new cabinet were having an informal, session.

After naming the cabinet Mr. Whitney said he expected Mr. St. John to be the speaker of the next legislature.

Asked when the house would meet he said he had no idea—that will probably be settled at an early meeting of the new cabinet.

A department of mines is to be created, and it is expected that this will be one of the early acts of the new administration. The general public will have some time yet to guess who will be the head of this department.

Supped With His Honor. Of Course He Will.

The new premier secured an appointment with the lieutenant-governor for 4.30, and at that hour the cabiner proceeded to government house to be sworn in. After the ceremony the cabinet ministers had supper with his henor and returned to the Queen's about 5.30. Major Hendrie had to leave early to eatch a train for home and was consequently not in the city to attend the celebration ceremonies.

The first meeting of the haby admin-

celebration ceremonies.

The first meeting of the baby administration will be held this afternoon. Probably the first act will be to call upon the clerk to issue the writs for the by-elections. All the members of the cabinet except the ministers without portfolio will have to go back their constituencies for re-election. It is not likely that any of the ministers will be opposed.

To call the Legislature.

The calinet will also at the earliest opportunity fix the date for the opening of the legislature. It seems to be the idea that the house will meet within a month-

2,000 CARRIED TORCHES.

Despite the Bad Weather Toronto Outdoos Itself Honoring Whitney.

The elements were not kind last night. The air was of the "eager and nipping" sort, and the southeaster that blew had in it more than the gentle caress of a summer's zephyr. It was, in truth, a prieumonia-laden breeze, that even the healthlest circulation might not lightly defy, and that caused shoulders to involuntarily huddle, as it dealt forth its blasts. It was an alght of a sort to cause the fireside to hold forth exaggerated charms, and to place unusual premiums on domestfeity, but for all that many's the Tory head of a family who last night buttoned up his great coat after a hasty supper and betook himself to the firing line, which, in this particular instance, was the Queen's Hotel and its immediate environs. As Emerson puts it, "In truth the heart if stout within can arm impenetrably the skin."

The Best Ever.

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As a feast for the eyes last night's parade was not a conspicuous success; as a party demonstration, it overtopped anything Toronto had hitherto seen, and will set a mark for years to come. The triumphal procession, whose head had formed on York-street, about half way between Front and King, got moving, about 8 o'clock, with strains of music, exuberant skyrockets and cheers. The premier, as he descended the hotel steps and took his place in the waiting cutter, was greeted with applause by those who were in his nomediate neighborhood and aware of his identity. First came the usual platoon of mounted police. The students were to the fore with the Second (headed by I.O.F. Trumpet Band under Major Emery), First and Third Wards (headed by First and First Wards (headed by First All Processor (headed by First Proces

ed by two pipers, following in the erner named. In a carriage heading the Second Ward delegation were E. B. Ryckman, E. Strachaa Cox, Thomas Gearing and W. Purvis. The Queen's Own Band was sandwiched in between processjonists. The band of the 48th had the honor of immediately preceding the carriage drawn by four horses containing the premier, Hon, J. J. Foy and Ald, McGhie and Geary, representing the Central Conservative Association as president and secretary. A guard of honor from the Young Conservative Club, bearing torches, escorted the carriages. Behind came the East York contingent then the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Ward associations, while the Cadets' Band headed the long line of a couple of hundred or more carriages that tailed away at the end.

Who is Who?

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The impression left upon the average beholder was a confused one, in which the terchilght, effects stood out most prominently. Who were the notables and who were the semi-notables thousands of anxious citizens strained their eyes in vain to discover. Where's Whitney?" was a question heard on all sides, even the premier's distinctive whiskers faffing to befray him in the uncertain light and the generally happy-go-lucky manner of conducting the affair.

The procession, as it moved along king and Yonge-streets, was viewed by several thousand people. There were about 2000 in line.

At Massey Hall.

Now, while there was not that frenzied hip, hip, hurrahing at Massey Hall that has characterized some political gatherings, it does not necessarily follow that the heart was not sound. Far be it from so! But somehow Conservative audiences, even in the moment of their greatest exhilaration, in Joyous anticipation or in triumphant realization, are not altogether renowned for sheer noise. It is the sincerity that counts and encourages, and no more loyal offering of homage could be made than that which the vast auditrium, packed to etanding room, tendered Premier J. P. Whitney as he came upon the platform. Long before the processionists arrived the balcony and gallery were full. Ladles were there in force, a fact which was noticed by several graceful references from the platform to the power of the gentler sex in local politics.

There was no lavish decoration struns. Across the platform was the banner inscription, "WELCOME TO OUR LEAD Form and around the balcony rails completed the garnishings. The read decoration to the hall was furnished by the solidly filled rows of seats on the lower floor as the occupants, with red cheeks and full of cheer, jumble in freeh from their street show of allegiance and respect. Hundreds of processionists got no further than the doors.

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While the platform began to fill up the orchestra resumed its medley of oppular airs and seemed to strike a half reminiscent mood when it drifted into the melody. "It was not like this in the olden days." When Alex. McCowan, M.L.A., for East York, strode across the stage in his big coon skin coat, he was bidden to "Stand up," and howed his acknowledgements. Herb. Lennox, who redeemed the north riding, was also promptly recognized and applauded.

The Time to Cheer.

And then the orchestra broke into

And then the orchestra broke into "The Maple Leaf," and the audience, knowing what it signaled, burst into a roar of applause as Arthur Vankoughnet, led a distinguished, if mintature, procession to the forefront. There came Ald. McGhie, chairman of the evening, and with him the premier, then Ald. Geary, Dr. Beattle Nesbitt, Hon. Mr. Foy, Hon. Dr. Reaume, Hon. Dr. Willoughby, Hon. Mr. Matheson, Hon. Dr. Pyne, Hon. Mr. St. John, Hon. Mr. Beck, Hon. Mr. Hanna, Hon. Mr. Moniteltit, Edmund Bristol, A. C. Pratt, M.L.A., who defeated Charlton in Norfolk, and then a number of members of the committees of arrangement. Owing to illness Thomas Crawford was unable to be present.

It was almost 9 o'clock by this time and the oratory was limited. There was cordiality for each speaker, but a significant indication of feeling, after Mr. Whitney had spoken, were the immediate cries for "Gamey." Several times thereafter the same demand was voiced until at last Chairman McChie said that the member for Manitoulin was not present, otherwise he would be glad to call upon him.

The new premier spoke for little more than a quatere of an hour, and all the time he held in his hand the beautiful bouquet of crimson carnations presented to him when he arose. He was in splendid voice, and his remarks indicated a sincere appreciation of the responsibility which he and his cabinet have now to bear. He spoke of the past lessons learned as to the manifest desires of Toronto in the matter of government, from his attendance at political reliables here; of the example of British government that one party be not too long sustained in a position of power; and of the honest upheaval among true Liberais. He said that, while we should never forget the excellent record of the Conservative party in the past, neither should it be forgotten that the Reform party also had some good things to its credit. An autocratic government meant stagnation in politics, or combinations fraught with untold avils. The surplus of cabiners and containers and containers and

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J. H. McChie, President
G. R. Geary, Secretary
Mr. Whitney was followed by Hon. J. J. Foy, Hon. W. J. Hanna, Hon. The Reaume, Rev. Dr. Chambers, Hon. Adam Beck, Hon. Col. Matheson, and Hon. Nelson Monteith, each of whom delivered eloquent

or whom derivered eloquent speeches suitable to the occasion. They all eulogized the new Premier for his many private and public virtues. With cheers for the King and Pre-mier the meeting was brought to a close a few minutes past ten.

ROASTED JUDGE CARON.

Gayner-Greene Case Decided By the British Privy Council in Favor of

London, Feb. 9.-The Privy Cou its decision yesterday cil rendered its decision yester and morning in the Greene-Gaynor case in favor of the American Government. The court reversed the two ment. The court reversed the strong independs of Justice Caron of Quebec, Aug. 13, 1902, and ordered the respondents to pay the cost of the appeal.

The Council's decision caustically criticizes the action of Justice Caron in releasing Greene and Gaynor, and Caron's "extraordinary intervention."

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"Where a prisoner is brought before a competent tribunal charged with an extradition offence and is remanded for the express purpose of affording the prosecution an opportunity of bringing forward evidence whereby the accusation is to be supported, if in such a case upon a writ of habeas corpus a learned judge treats a remand warrant as a nullity and proceeds to adjudicate the case as though the whole evidence was before him, it would paralyze the administration of justice and render it impossible for proceedings in extradition to be effective."

John R. Carter, second secretary of the United States Enhassy, was present to hear the decision, and also to watch the appeal against the decision of the Supreme Court of Canada in the case of the fishing steamer Kitty Dee, captured by Canadian cruiser on Lake Erie.

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Washington, Feb. 9.—The United States Attorney-General, speaking yesterday of the decision of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, in the Greene-Gaynor case, said that for various and obvious reasons, and especially before the receipt of the full text of the opinion, it was impossible to speak of its effect, and the precise result upon the future program of the Government toward the accused. "The Government toward the accused. "The Government is, of course, greatly gratified at the result." he said.

Active proceedings to secure removal will now be resumed, as soon as the King's order is received in Canada. This is the real judgment and mandate in the case, the judgment of the Privy Council being simply a report of the Judicial Committee to the King-in-Council, upon which the King-in-Council makes order and decree.

CIVIC MINISTER OF FINANCE

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piece of architecture. He said, in answer to a question, that if Wilson's prere got as cheaply as Rutley's it would be a good agreement for the

would be a good agreement for the city.

The vote mentioned at the beginning was then taken on the Rutley plans and the matter left over till Monday night.

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WINNERS Games LOSERS Games Won Won

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W. G. Richards
Jas. Fleming, 7
W. D. Sheldon,
P. S. Coafe, 14
J. L. Bray
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VS. LOSERS
VS. LOSERS Jas. Fleming, 7 W. D. Sheldon, 3 P. S. Coate, 14 J. McCole 12 J. Le Bray H. Gillies W. E. Merritt (secures a bye) to LOSERS VS. LOSERS C. W. E. Priphe Rev. R. McCosit 2 W. E. Priphe Rev. R. McCosit 2 W. E. Priphe Robert Gray G. G. Taylor (secures a bye) The vinks of No 1 and No. 4 of Series (a Winners vs. Winners and rinks of series (b) No 2 No 3 and No. 4 are requested to have this competitions completed by Friday evening Feb. 10th.

Olty Carpet Ball Bowling The Workmen beat the Sons of Scotlar The Workmen beat the Sons of Scotland Tuesday evening in Trophy Series of Carpet Bail. The Maccabees and Foresters (Hope) played a game of carpet ball last evening in the Workman Hall. The game was a good one, and splendid bowling was done on both sides. The Maccabees won by shots
Hope, A.O.F., Rink No. 1, skip, 6, Hope, A.O.F., Rink, No. 2, skip 22.

Bees Rink, No. 1, skip 13. Bees Rink, No. 2, 18
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