

By the Lords.

The Parish Councils Bill Gets Its First Reading.

Sensational Suicide of a Parisian Family.

Seventy-Seven People on Trial for Insulting an Emperor—Efforts to Save Vaillant, the Anarchist—Terrible Experiences of a Storm-Tossed Bark.

The Parish Council's Bill.

Waddington's Funeral.

Insulted the Emperor.

The Pope's Health.

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Off the Skelligs.

A Caravan Attacked.

Paris Stirred—Triple Suicide.

Nearly Asphyxiated.

Narrow Escape From Death of a Family in Guelph.

Left His Millions.

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World's Y. M. C. A. Conference.

The U. S. Tariff on Woollens.

Long Needle in His Body.

TORONTO'S NEW COUNCIL.

Vote to Reduce Salaries Ten to Twenty Per Cent, but Vote a Motion to Close the East Front.

TORONTO, Jan. 15.—After the new council had got to work today following resolution was introduced: "That the salaries of all civic employees receiving over \$600 per annum, except the recently-appointed medical health officer, shall be reduced according to the following scale: Over \$600 and under \$1,000, 5 per cent; over \$1,000 to \$1,500, inclusive, 10 per cent; over \$1,500 and under \$2,000, 15 per cent; all over \$2,000, 20 per cent. That this reduction shall take effect from Jan. 1, 1894." The motion carried—18 to 6.

A motion "that the council recommend the license commissioners to pass a regulation closing all licensed bars where liquor is sold at the hour of 9 o'clock, excepting upon Saturdays, when they are to close at 7 o'clock as at present," was defeated—19 to 5.

The Canadian Cattle Embargo.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—The movement in Scotland to obtain the removal of the embargo on Canadian cattle has been quickly noted by the Scotch farmers and breeders, whose organs in the press urge the need of prompt counter demonstration.

Romans Laugh at Chauncey.

ROME, Jan. 15.—Chauncey M. Depew's extraordinary expressions of opinions on his visit to Rome in the form of an interview in a New York paper have just reached here, he having flooded the town with marked copies of the journal.

The Queen has conferred the dignity of knighthood upon William Lane Booker, knight-general of Great Britain at New York.

In the United States Senate Mr. Hornblower was defeated for confirmation as justice of the Supreme Court by a majority of six.

A cablegram in cipher from Capt. Pickens at Rio Janeiro addressed to Secretary Herbert of the United States navy, is understood to contain a summary of the situation with a hint that the end of the insurrection is near at hand.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.—Two brothers named Forbes were drowned at Wood's Harbor on Friday while setting lobster pots.

That the Republicans Left for the Democrats to Mend.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.—Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle, in a letter to Senator Vest, chairman of the Senate committee on finance, states that his estimate of the deficiency for the fiscal year ending June 30 next was, as experience proved, too low; that instead of the expenditures being \$28,000,000 more than the receipts, they will, at the present rate, be \$78,167,532 more than the receipts.

The secretary, after an extended reference to the condition of the treasury, says that the necessity for relief at this time is so urgent and the prospect of material improvement in the financial condition of the Government is so problematical that he is impelled to exercise the authority vested in him to issue and sell long-term bonds at high interest in order to preserve the credit and honor of the Government, unless Congress gives him special authority speedily to issue and sell shorter-term bonds or other obligations at a lower rate of interest than that specified in the existing law.

GUELPH, Jan. 15.—Mr. Joseph Hillis and family, of Ontario street, were nearly asphyxiated by stove gas on Sunday morning. When Mr. Hillis arose he fell to the floor, but realizing what was the matter he crawled to a window, broke the glass and aroused the neighbors. In the meantime Mrs. Hillis got up, and fell insensible. Today they are past any danger.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Ambrose, a wealthy citizen, Nelson Beardley, whose accumulated wealth is variously estimated at from \$6,000,000 to \$10,000,000, died today in his 57th year.

MILLBROOK, Jan. 15.—There was an equal rights meeting here today for the purpose of discussing matters in connection with the coming election. It was, however, thought advisable not to make a nomination to-day, but Feb. 20 was settled to select candidates.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The world's committee of the Young Men's Christian Association, with headquarters at Geneva, Switzerland, have just issued a call for the thirteenth international conference of the Young Men's Christian Associations of all lands to meet in London on May 31 next. The conference will continue until June 6.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.—The ways and means committee had a long session at the Treasury Department to-night, lasting until 11 o'clock. It was finally decided to introduce an amendment to the Wilson Bill to effect that wool should go on the free list on Aug. 1, 1894, and that the reductions on woolen goods should go into effect Dec. 1, 1894.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 6.—Several days ago, while Fred Bauer, expert machinist at the Big Four shops at Brightwood, was working with a fellow workman, he felt a sharp, stinging pain in his breast, which continued to increase in intensity. His physician attributed the cause to a foreign substance and he underwent a surgical operation, which uncovered a crooked needle over three inches long, with the point broken off. The needle is supposed to have entered his body while he was very young, over eighteen years ago. It was the first time it had ever troubled him and the first that he ever knew of its presence.

CHAPTER OF CALAMITIES

A Fuller Account of the New Jersey Horror.

Eleven Persons Known to be Killed and Thirty Injured.

Terrible Railway Catastrophes in Cuba and California—An Engine Rolls Down Forty Feet and Seven Men Are Drowned.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—One of the most disastrous railroad accidents that was ever experienced in the neighborhood of this city occurred on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad about 8:30 o'clock this morning during a thick fog on the meadows just east of Hackensack, N. J. The South Orange accommodation ran into the Dover express, telescoping and smashing to splinters the two rear cars of the latter train, instantly killing 9 persons and injuring about 50 others.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Jan. 15.—Following is the official list of victims:

Wm. R. Adams, Summit, N. J. John Fish, civil engineer, Summit. Wm. Ferguson, Summit, an employe of the auditor's office, Western Union Telegraph Company, New York. Edward Kinsey, Baranovskville. Edward Morrill, Summit. John Purinton, Short Hills. John H. Rimmer, Summit, cashier for S. N. Boocook, 30 Broad street, New York. Patrick Ryan, Millburn. W. J. Turner, Basking Ridge. Dr. Doty, druggist, Basking Ridge. D. Cameron, Summit.

Christopher Arnolds, Short Hill, internal injuries. William Barelliff, Gladstone, N. J., badly scalded and suffering from shock. Louis Bodine, Summit. Harvey S. Cowan, Basking Ridge, probably fatally injured. Edward Clark, Basking Ridge. Geo. Kerr, conductor Dover express, head cut. Arthur Gardner, Short Hills, internally injured; will probably die. E. W. Gray, West Summit. Mr. Hawks, Summit. David Hoffman, South Orange, engineer of Dover express, severe bodily injury. Washington Irving, Short Hills. George Kerry, conductor Dover express, head cut. Catherine Kiernan, West 118th street, New York. Lester B. Young, Summit. W. H. May, Summit. Miss Bertie Mills, Newark. Chas. E. Minshall, N. G. Nebel, Newark. G. G. Nelson, Newark. Theodore W. Pierson, New York. Wm. Rusling, Hoboken. Wm. Roales, Newark. Henry F. Schaeff, Basking Ridge. Carl Schultz, J. M. Murray Hill, severe internal injuries, leg broken, will die. Geo. Spencer, Murray Hill. Capt. J. L. Stearns, Plainfield. Dart Wintermute, Newark.

STOPPED BY TORPEDOES.

The Dover express, which brings to the city men employed here in business, and who live at Summit, Millburn, Short Hills and Newark, made its last stop at Newark, and then rushed on through the thick fog towards the city. About 200 yards west of the drawing over the Hackensack, the train was stopped by torpedoes. The flagman of the train, it is claimed, ran back immediately to flag any train that might be approaching from the west. He had gone but a few yards, he said, when suddenly he saw rushing upon him through the fog the South Orange accommodation. This train was scheduled to leave South Orange at 7:55, but was about three minutes behind time. Aboard it were residents of the Oranges and of Newark, who are in business in New York. The train was running about 30 miles an hour. Before Engineer David Hoffman could discern the express train through the fog or before he had received the warning from the flagman who had been sent back.

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TO STOP HIS TRAIN. He turned on the air brakes, and jumping from the cab rolled over and over down a steep embankment. He was taken up afterwards unconscious and badly bruised and cut about the head and body. Fireman Metz climbed back over the tender, and was found after the collision but slightly injured. The engine struck the express train with terrific force. It plowed its way into a rear car, a combination baggage and smoking car, and caused it to telescope the passenger car next in front. Every seat in the smoking compartment was occupied. The trainee said that there were about 40 passengers in the car.

THEY WERE ALL MEN IN THE SMOKER, which accounts no doubt for the fact that no women were reported to be among the seriously injured. The force of the collision completely wrecked the engine of the South Orange train. None of the passengers, however, on this train were injured, but all suffered from the effects of the terrific shock. On the Dover express the last two cars were twisted and turned into a mass of broken iron, wood and glass, over which rolled the clouds of smoke and steam from the engine. From this mass came the screams and cries of the injured.

THE WORK OF RESCUE.

As soon as the passengers who were uninjured recovered from the shock they piled out of the cars and sought the assistance of the injured. Literally strewn along the tracks were the bodies of the dead and dying. The bodies of three or four passengers were pulled out of the telescoped car and then the trainmen and the uninjured set to work with axes and saws to reach those who were buried beneath the wreckage. Messages for medical aid and ambulances were sent to Jersey City and Newark. The running of regular trains from the depot in Hoboken was immediately stopped, and all the passengers in the depot hurried to the scene of the accident. A number of the dead and injured were taken to Hoboken, and others were sent back over the road to the city. Ambulances from St. Mary's Hospital, Hoboken, and Christ Hospital, Jersey City, were at the station awaiting the arrival of the relief trains. Twenty of the injured were taken to St. Mary's Hospital and five to Christ Hospital.

W. Ferguson, who was one of those in the

smoker died soon after reaching the hospital.

ANOTHER FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT.

SIXTEEN KILLED.

HAYANA, Jan. 15.—A frightful accident has occurred on the Timena-Malanza Railway, eight miles from Cumanayana, in the Province of Maracay. A passenger train was going at a good speed when it ran into a cow that had walked suddenly on the track. One of the cars was thrown 200 yards off the track. The engine was derailed and several cars were piled upon each other. Sixteen persons were taken out of the wreck dead. Nine others were badly injured.

STILL ANOTHER DISASTER.

SEVEN MEN DROWNED.

SAN RAFAEL, Cal., Jan. 15.—News has just reached here of a frightful railroad accident at Austin Creek bridge, on the line of the North Pacific Coast Railroad, between the station of Duncan's Mills and Casadero. As an engine of the North Pacific Coast Railroad was crossing Austin Creek last evening, the bridge gave way and the engine rolled into the creek below, a distance of 40 feet, drowning seven men. The men were on their way to a washout along the road, and were going at a high rate of speed when the accident occurred. The only man saved was Conductor Brown, who escaped by jumping.

THE NAMES OF THE DROWNED MEN ARE: Hart, Sabine, Collier, Briggs, Rice, Bremner and Gould.

LOVE COULD WAIT—FOR \$500,000.

GAVE HIS SWEETHEART TO A RICH OLD MAN TO GET HER BACK WHEN HE DIED.

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—William Gilbert and Martha McBride-Burritt, of Elgin, Ill., were married in the Great Northern Hotel here Saturday. The bride brought to her husband the comfortable sum of \$500,000 in real and personal property.

Mr. Gilbert was a news-dealer at Elgin. Two years ago he was engaged to Miss McBride. At that time her father was Peter Burritt, seventy years old, and one of the wealthiest men in Northern Illinois. Burritt met the fair Miss McBride at the news-dealer's and fell in love.

ONE DAY Miss McBride rushed into Gilbert's store with indignation visible in every line of her countenance.

"That horrid old man," she exclaimed. "He wants me to marry him."

"Who?" asked Gilbert, calmly.

"Why, that old man, that friend of yours—Mr. Burritt."

"And what if he does? He's got a right to marry if he wants to."

"But, William, you're the man I want; I want to marry you."

"That's all right, too," said Gilbert after a moment's thought. "I am anxious to marry you, but we've both of us cut-grown the nonsense of youth and, there's plenty of time. Burritt, my dear, is worth \$500,000 and is 70 years old, feeble and—"

Just a month from that day—for despite his years the old man was an ardent wooer—the papers announced the wedding of Peter Burritt and Martha McBride. The newly-wedded pair at once started for California. They returned to Elgin seldom, but to their friends there came word of wife's devotion to her aged husband.

The good folk gossiped for a while over the jilting of Gilbert, but he continued to prosper in his business and did not seem to worry over his desertion. The aged bride-groom lived but a few months. Now the former Miss McBride has both her lover and Burritt's money.

KENSINGTON ANNIVERSARY.

A VERY SUCCESSFUL SERVICE—THE CONGREGATION PROSPERING.

A MOST SUCCESSFUL service was held on Sunday at the Kensington Methodist Church, it being the third anniversary of the Kensington Sabbath school. The church was filled with the friends and children of the school. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Bishop, of Toronto, and Rev. Mr. Annis and Mr. McVitty, the senior and junior pastors of Queen's Avenue and Kensington circuits.

Cable Gossip

Served Up by the London Editor, Edmund Yates,

Who Discusses the Doings of Royalty and Other Big People.

Wales Going on a Yachting Tour—Royal Match-Making—A Duke on Foot—Laces—Sickness in High Life—A Great Land Owner.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Mr. Edmund Yates, in his London cable to the Tribune, says:

PRINCE OF WALES GOING AWAY.

The Princess of Wales is convalescent after her recent severe illness, but is still very weak and much depressed, and the Princess Maude has also been ill. Sunday was the second anniversary of the death of the Duke of Clarence. Her Royal Highness and her daughter will be away from England until about Whitstable. The Princess of Wales intends to be at Cannes during March, and her Royal Highness has ordered the cutter Britannia, which has been laid up at Cowes during the last three months, to fit out at once for the Mediterranean in order that she may take part in the various regattas which are held during the early spring of the Riviera. The Britannia will leave early in February for Marseilles, where the regatta begins on March 4.

THE QUEEN'S PRESENT TO HER SON.

The Queen has made a formal grant of Clarence House to the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, certain rooms being shut up which are reserved for the exclusive use of the Duke and Duchess of Saxe-Coburg, who retain the right of living there whenever they may happen to visit London. The Duke and Duchess of Connaught always occupied apartments in Buckingham Palace when they were in town, but this was a very inconvenient arrangement, and the Queen has long been anxious to give them a permanent residence in London.

A ROYAL RETROTHAL.

The official announcement of the betrothal of the Grand Duke of Hesse and his cousin, Princess Victoria Melita of Cobourg, which took place formally in the Palace of Cobourg on Tuesday afternoon, was delayed until it had been privately communicated to the Emperor and Empress of Russia, the German Emperor and Empress and other relatives. The marriage, according to the present arrangements, is to take place at Cobourg during the last week in April, when the Queen will be staying there.

A FAMOUS SILVER CHURN.

During his recent visit to the Duke of Rutland at Belvoir Castle the Prince of Wales carefully inspected the famous silver churn which was made during the reign of Queen Elizabeth and weighs 2,000 ounces. The superb christening ewer and basin by Benvenuto Cellini were also on view.

MORE MATCH-MAKING.

The recent visit of the Duke and Duchess of Chartres to Prince and Princess Waldemar of Denmark at Copenhagen was connected with the project of a marriage between their second daughter, Princess Marguerite, who accompanied them to Copenhagen, and Prince Christian, the eldest son of the Crown Prince of Denmark. In addition to this being the ultimate heir to the Danish throne, Christian will inherit a considerable portion of the immense fortunes which came to his mother, the Crown Princess, from her father, the late King Charles, of Sweden, and her mother, Princess Louise of the Netherlands. Crown Princess Louise, at the time of her marriage in 1869, was the richest heiress in Europe.

BOOTLESS RIDICULE.

The Duke of Connaught has been ridiculed for issuing at Aldershot an order relating to bootlaces. He holds the practice of crossing the laces wrong. It is a small matter, perhaps, but the routine of regimental life is made up of small matters. All that the Duke of Connaught has done here is to point out what the right way is for a soldier to deal with bootlaces for the sake of the uniformity which is essential in a well-ordered army.

ROYAL YACHTING CRAZE.

The Khedive has instructed John Inglis, of the Glasgow shipbuilding firm, who has just returned from Cairo, to design and build a screw steam yacht of 600 tons for his own service in the Mediterranean. The vessel is to be ready by summer.

SWEDEN'S SICK QUEEN.

The condition of the Queen of Sweden is causing grave anxiety. Her Majesty is suffering from the after-effects of a severe attack of influenza and a state of extreme weakness. The Crown Princess of Sweden is expected this month at Carlsruhe on a visit to her parents, the Grand Duke and Duchess of Baden, and will visit Algiers later.

A PAIR OF DUKES.

The Duc de Sagan, who has been passing the autumn at Chateau Valençay, spent a few days in Paris before going to Berlin, where he will remain for the rest of the winter. He is the only instance of a Frenchman who is a duke both in his own country and in Germany, for while he is Duc M. Talleyrand of France, he is head of the principality of Sagan in Silesia.

A GREAT LAND OWNER.

The late Mr. George Rea, of Middleton, Northumberland, was one of the best known and most successful agriculturists in Great Britain, and for many years one of the largest tenant farmers in the kingdom, his rent amounting at one time to £25,000 a year. He was farming nearly 17,000 acres in Northumberland and also held a great sheep farm in Eastfriesland and about 70,000 acres on the Lech Eli estate in Argyshire.

MUST PLEDGE IN WRITING.

The Irish National League home rulers of London have begun a system which will add new terror to the life of the Gladstonian M. P. They have proved in the past that the pledges given during a canvass are too often explained away when the time comes for redeeming them, and in view of the next election they are determined to have such pledges in writing. No candidate is to have the support of the Irish National vote who does not give a definite promise in writing to support certain specified measures and motions in Parliament.

The Williams Plow Company, Toronto, has assigned. Liabilities are \$18,000 and assets somewhat less.

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HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE.

Red Creek, New York, suffers to the extent of \$10,000—Other Conflagrations.

RED CREEK, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Fire this morning destroyed the Patrick block, the Postal Telegraph Company's office, the Empire State Telephone Company's office and two other buildings. Loss \$10,000.

YARMOUTH, N. S., Dec. 15.—Last night Webber Bros.' drygoods store in the American House building was badly damaged and the stock mostly destroyed by fire. The building was owned by J. R. Wyman, who had furniture stored in the upper rooms which was considerably damaged.

PETROLIA, Jan. 15.—Saturday night the residence of Mr. Alex. Smith, Oil Springs, was burned. Everything in the lower part of the building was saved. Loss probably \$800; covered by insurance.

CARLETON, Ont., Dec. 15.—Yesterday the West school house, three miles west, was destroyed by fire. It was insured in the London Mutual Insurance Company for \$350; loss about \$500. Cause unknown.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 15.—Intelligence of a fire at Turns Bay was received in this city this afternoon. The house of John Caffaro, J. P., caught fire, and the flames spread to the barn and two stores. Loss, \$6,900 or \$7,000; no insurance.

A GIRL AND A WILDCAT.

The Cat Smelled Mince Meat, but Wasn't Permitted to Get It.

SCANTON, Jan. 16.—Miss Agnes Hosmer, a daughter of Elijah Hosmer, of Spruce Hill, Sullivan county, carries a revolver and knows how to handle it. The other morning Miss Hosmer started for the house of her sister, Mrs. Abel Fitch, who lives on the Clark road, three miles west of Mr. Hosmer's. Miss Hosmer had a quantity of mince meat in a basket for her sister, and while she was trudging through the Ames hemlock woods on a short cut to Mr. Fitch's she heard footsteps behind her, and looking back she was startled to see a wildcat following her. The wildcat was working its smellers. Miss Hosmer said, as though it had got a scent of the mince meat, so she struck into a faster walk, thinking to throw the animal off the scent and thereby get rid of it without any trouble.

The wildcat also increased its speed, and when Miss Hosmer glanced back again it was closer to her than at first, and was licking its chops as though it imagined it could almost taste the food in the basket. Seeing that the wildcat was bent on following her, Miss Hosmer shouted at it to scare it away; but in that she failed, for the wildcat, instead of turning back, began to lash its tail fiercely and to show by the snapping of its eyes that it was getting angry, and not frightened, at the young woman's voice.

Miss Hosmer came to the conclusion that it wouldn't be safe either to proceed or to shout any more at the wildcat, so she pulled off her mittens, got the revolver from her pocket, and placed the basket on the ground. Hardly had she done so when the wildcat sprang at the basket and started to tear it open. Miss Hosmer then blazed away at the fierce brute, sending a bullet into its head and killing it almost instantly. It had nearly wrecked the basket but it hadn't got at the meat. Miss Hosmer dragged the wildcat's carcass over to her sister's and presented it to Mr. Fitch who is going to have it mounted. It weighed 23½ pounds.

WATER POLO.

THE G. T. R. TEAM CHAMPIONS OF CANADA. MONTREAL, Que., Jan. 16.—The Grand Trunk team won the water polo championship of Canada last night by a score of 7 to 1 against the Otters.

BILLIARDS.

IVES' BIG CHALLENGE. CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Frank C. Ives posted a forfeit of \$2,500 last night with J. Harry Ballard to bring on a match at 14-inch balk line billiards with Jake Schaeffer or any other player for any amount from \$2,500 to \$10,000 a side. The champion was visibly upset over his defeat by Schaeffer in the squeeze of one point on the conclusion of the recent tournament.

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DIPHThERIA'S RAVAGES.

A Skilled Medical Man on the Dangers of Delay.

And of the Home Treatment of the Scurge.

(From a Medical Correspondent.)

In your Saturday morning's issue there appears a most dogmatic and harmful article, and I, therefore, ask that you kindly allow me space to answer some of the statements made in that letter.

Secondly, as to the early recognition of the disease: Your correspondent would have the public believe that it is an easy matter to discriminate between diphtheria and other morbid conditions having similar symptoms.

Thirdly, as to the treatment. Evidently your correspondent believes in treating the disease, not the patient; you cannot treat the disease and neglect the patient.

They ARE DEADLY AGENTS TO ADVISE THE PUBLIC TO USE.

I would not use these agents in this disease—not because they are new but because they are old and discarded remedies, but because the spread of this disease is prevented by desiccating sound epithelial tissues and all these are powerful heart depressants—a tendency of the disease itself.

Chicago Smallpox Spreading.

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Nine cases of smallpox were taken to the isolated hospital yesterday and this morning two more cases will be called.

Going to Africa.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 15.—The negroes in this section of the south, principally those in Arkansas, have contracted the emigration fever again and there is an exodus of black men to Africa.

"Sam'l of Posen" Gets Off.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—It is understood the grand jury has dropped the case of alleged bribery in connection with the trial of M. B. Curtis, owing to its inability to collect sufficient evidence to warrant the finding of an indictment.

Sudden Death at Tuckersmith.

SEAFORTH, Ont., Jan. 15.—Mrs. James Martin, of Tuckersmith, died early this morning of heart failure. She had been to church Sunday and retired in her usual health, but died in bed this morning.

A Short Separation.

BELLEVILLE, Jan. 15.—Wm. Severn, formerly owner of a brewery here, died last night after a long illness. His wife expired five hours later from the shock occasioned by her husband's demise.

A Rich Strike.

GEORGETOWN, Cal., Jan. 15.—One of the most remarkable strikes of rich ore ever discovered in the creek country was made last week in the Independence Mine in East Argente district.

North Perth Farmers' Institute.

LISBOW, Jan. 15.—The North Perth Farmers' Institute held a very successful meeting on Saturday. The president, Mr. James Dickson, of Donnel, presided.

A Stubborn Woman.

We read that when Jove had the ordering of mundane affairs, he promised to send rain on any day that would be agreed upon by the whole world. It was reported at last that they were ready for rain at a certain date, except one old woman who wanted to make soap on that particular day.

Wood Carving.

A wood carving establishment opened here. Dur work is carved, not pressed, made of art woodlings furniture, cases, cabinets and architecture of the public buildings.

T. C. THORNHILL, optician, jeweler, watchmaker and engraver, general repairer. A skill solicited. 402 Talbot street.

IN SERENITY.

The London West Council for 1894 Is Inaugurated.

Three New Faces Seen—Reeve Spence Makes Introductory Remarks—Routine Business Transacted.

The Council of London West held its first meeting for 1894 last evening. There was a large number of ratepayers present.

Reeve Spence welcomed the members to the board. He also wished to extend thanks to the voters for electing him to the highest position in their power.

A special committee composed of the members of the council was deputed to deal with the electric light matter and to consolidate the debt of the village.

The auditors were instructed to prepare a report of the assets and liabilities of the corporation up to the end of last year before the expiry of two weeks.

Constable Ward was continued in the position which he has so successfully filled for a number of years.

The estate of the late John Hope, manager of Bow Park Farm, is valued at \$40,000.

ESSEX.

The town of Waverley has a surplus in the treasury of \$8,000.

Wm. Margaret Kay died at Paris last week, aged 80 years.

Mr. N. Barnett, of Brantford, lost two children in one day last week of scarlet fever.

ELGIN.

The annual meeting of the Railroad Hospital and Sick Benefit Association, of St. Thomas, will be held in the evening of the M. C. R. depot on Thursday evening.

Stratford Orangemen have notified County Secretary Drennan that they will take part in the demonstration in St. Thomas on the evening of 12th of July.

Detective Hennan, of St. Thomas, is looking for an old man who entered George's station, on the Amherstburg branch of the M. C. R., on Jan. 9, and sleep, by breaking a pane of glass.

Five night offices on the main line of the C. P. R. have been closed.

A lamp exploded in a house in Chatham the other night, with a bit of a party in progress.

Three deaths have occurred in one home in Euphemia township within a week.

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The dramatic club at Avon intend giving the trial scene of the "Merchant of Venice" next Tuesday night.

On the 3rd inst. the wife of J. Roberts, of Avon, or a daughter.

On the 6th inst. the wife of S. J. Lucas of a son.

J. Z. Long & Son are preparing plans for reconstructing the Old Blowers' Hall, in Stratford, recently damaged by fire.

The Tilsbury Driving Park Association claim May 23 and 24 as their dates for their spring meeting.

Young Mason, who has been committed for trial at Woodstock, charged with stealing a horse from Bates Bros. in Haverly, is the youth who ran away from his parents in Norwich some months ago.

The Reformers of North Oxford will meet next Saturday to choose candidates for the Local Legislature and Dominion Parliament.

J. Sheldon, of Pennsylvania, has been arrested for accosting Woodstock young ladies without an introduction.

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Messrs. J. Frank Palmer, the president, Hon. T. Ballistyne, M.P.P., Jas. Grieve, M.P., Frank Pedley and others.

The Stratford fire brigade has got a very handsome new sleigh, which in these days, turns out to be far more ornamental than useful.

Whole, the well known old hotel-keeper, who was convicted of the manslaughter of his wife at the Stratford Assizes about three years ago, and who is in the penitentiary under a life sentence, is being released shortly. A largely signed petition has been sent to the Government on his behalf.

A Chinaman was refused accommodation in Berlin lately, and now it is rumored that a number of the hotels will be "pulled" in consequence.

Buffalo Express: There was a cork out in the county of Waterloo, when the Ontario prohibition plebiscite was on trial.

Mr. Ed. Gray, formerly of Guelph, and now of Galt, who was so badly burned about the hands some time ago by the explosion of a coal oil lamp, has had to have a finger amputated.

James Tindale, a well-known farmer in Nicopol, took an attack of a grippe, which terminated fatally after about ten days' suffering.

The Guelph Herald says: "John Gibbs shot a fox on Thursday. The shooting of a fox is not a great feat for John to perform, but it was the way he did it.

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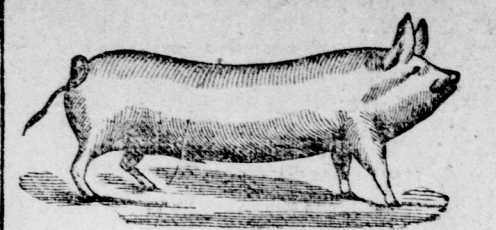
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London, Tuesday, Jan. 16.

THE LONDON ADVERTISER, with its morning and evening editions, covers the ground. With one exception, it is the ONLY EARLY MORNING DAILY IN ONTARIO, outside of Toronto.

It is announced that the volcano of Popocatepetl is again in a state of eruption. Dr. Ryerson is expected to follow suit in the course of a few days.

City Clerk Kingston has issued the volume known as the "Proceedings of the Municipal Council for 1893." The volume is a useful aid to the proper understanding of civic business.

The clerk of the Ontario Legislative Assembly, in anticipation of a return of the vote taken in the prohibition plebiscite being called for early in the session...

Nothing was said about the street railway war at the inaugural meeting of the London City Council for 1894.

Ald. Parnell made a good move when he gave notice in the London City Council that he would propose that all public bodies and all committees of the council be requested to furnish estimates of their financial requirements for the year not later than the first meeting of March...

The Monetary Times, referring to the Toronto Board of Trade banquet, at which the Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor and three Cabinet Ministers spoke...

Mr. Ross made the speech of the evening. It was spirited, humorous, in good taste, and delivered with a facility and verve that was refreshing.

Mr. Ross is a good administrator as well as an orator. He has a clear head, and he knows how to use it. That is why the opponents of the Ministry so frequently pitch into him.

La Minerve says of Mr. L. J. Papineau, because he has embraced the Presbyterian faith: "It would have been better for him had he never been born." It does not appear that Lord Aberdeen's denunciation of religious intolerance has had much effect in Quebec.

POPULAR ELECTION OF TRUSTEES

Under the rather peculiar circumstances exemplified in the report of their proceedings the London City Council, of 1894, through the casting vote of the mayor, began by affirming the view that a defeated candidate for school trustee was to be preferred as a high school trustee to a thoroughly qualified citizen who had not been defeated.

There has been a tendency in recent years to give sojourn to defeated candidates for municipal office by electing them to positions in the gift of one or other of the municipal bodies.

The present arrangement is unsatisfactory.

At the next session of the Legislature, some one could serve the cities a good turn by proposing that the high school trustees, at present annually elected by the aldermen, should be elected by the whole people as the water commissioners and hospital trustees are.

Let us have popular elections as often as possible, and the people will then be responsible if any mistake is made.

LET NO FALSE STEP BE TAKEN

In view of the grave question regarding the legal rights of the Governments to deal with prohibitory enactments, either in whole or in part, the Western Ontario Prohibition Union takes a very proper step when it makes the demand that there shall be concurrent legislation, as far as their powers go, by both Governments.

Those amateur lawyers and legislative tyros who have so readily expressed their belief that both the Governments have prohibitory powers should study up the opinions of the Supreme Court and of the British Privy Council with regard to the points in dispute, and they will see the necessity of avoiding expensive and prolonged legal struggles by the agency so readily adopted by Sir Oliver Mowat when he sent for settlement in the highest court in the land every question regarding the jurisdiction of the respective Parliaments.

"I think it equally clear that the Local Legislatures have not the power to prohibit, the Dominion Parliament having not only the general powers of legislation, but also the sole power of regulating as well internal as external trade and commerce, and of imposing duties of customs and excise; and having by law authorized the importation and manufacture of alcoholic liquors, and exacted such duties thereon, and so far legalized the trade and traffic therein, to allow the Local Legislatures—under pretence of police regulation, on grounds of never general public policy and utility—prohibitory laws to annihilate such trade and traffic, and practically deprive the Dominion Government of a branch of trade and commerce from which so large a part of the public revenue was at the time of Confederation raised in all the Provinces—and has since been raised in the Dominion—never could have been contemplated by the framers of the British North America Act."

The Lords of the British Privy Council when dealing with the Canada Temperance Act, said:

"The act is not a fiscal law—a law for raising revenue; on the contrary, the effect of it may be to destroy or diminish revenue and consequently could not have been passed by the Provincial Legislature by virtue of any authority conferred upon it by sub section 9."

The section here referred to affirms that in each Province the Legislature may exclusively make laws in relation to "shop, saloon, tavern, auctioneer and other licenses in order to the raising of a revenue for provincial, local or municipal purposes." This statement goes to prove that the highest court in the British realm holds to the view that the Legislatures cannot legislate to destroy or diminish revenue. Further explanations on this subject show where the British Privy Council stands. The same decision says:

"And suppose the effect of the act to be prejudicial to the revenue derived by the municipality from licenses, it does not follow that the Dominion Parliament might not pass it by virtue of its general authority to make laws for the peace, order and good government of Canada." The act does not properly belong to the class of subjects, "property and civil rights." It has in its legal aspect an obvious and close similarity to laws which place restrictions on the sale or custody of poisonous drugs, or of dangerously explosive substances. The primary matter dealt with is the public order and safety. Upon the same consideration the act cannot be regarded as legislation in relation to civil rights.

Laws designed for the promotion of public order, safety or morals, and which subject those who contravene them to criminal procedure and punishment, belong to the subject of public wrongs rather than to that of civil rights. They are of a nature which fall within the general authority of Parliament to make laws for the order and good government of Canada, and have direct relation to criminal law, which is one of the enumerated classes of subjects assigned exclusively to the Parliament of Canada.

It is undoubtedly clear that prohibition of the liquor traffic is well within the powers of the Dominion Parliament, but the question that meets us is, Do the same arguments sustain the view that the Provinces have the right to pass a prohibitory act? What powers to restrict the traffic the Legislatures have ought to be exercised to the full, in view of the verdict at the polls, but it would be against the best interests of the Province if any illegal stand were taken by the Legislature while a speedy decision of the whole question is being obtained from those authorities that alone can settle it. The Provincial

authorities might pass a law to go into force, say next year, subject to its being found that the enactment was declared valid by the Privy Council, but it would not be wise, in the best interests of temperance, to take any haphazard course that would have the effect, as in the case of local option, of indefinitely postponing a settlement.

REVIVAL OF BUSINESS.

A JANUARY thaw without anything to thaw is not a very reassuring time in which to talk about a revival of business, and the uncertainties with regard to the tariff changes so long delayed, and yet not in sight, add to the difficulty of prognosticating an improvement in buying and selling. Nevertheless there comes from the United States various reports that give hopes of better times at an early date.

Henry Clews, the well-known financier, in his last weekly review points out the circumstances that favor this view. "Such a paralysis of production as has existed for the last six months," says Mr. Clews, "is entirely incompatible with supplying the current wants of consumption. Carefully compiled information gathered by one of the commercial agencies from thousands of firms and corporations show that for the last six months the contraction of sales by manufacturers has been more than double that of merchants, and that, in some important branches of trade, the curtailment of retail sales has been comparatively nominal. The amount of imported merchandise going into consumption at New York during the last half of 1893 was \$84,000,000 less than for the same time or 1892, which amounts to a decrease of 30 per cent.; while, for the last two months, the reduction averaged 26 per cent. These facts show that, though the reduction in the supply of goods coming through importation has not quite equaled that which has occurred in domestic sources of supply, yet the curtailment even in this department is nearly double the ratio of the decline that is shown by Dun's statistics to have occurred in the sales direct to consumers. This process of contraction at the sources of supply, to an extent so entirely disproportionate to the actual consumption, and extending over more than six months, cannot fail to have produced a depletion of stocks and merchandise virtually unprecedented. Merchants whose opinion is entitled to respect, tell us that, in the leading branches of trade, the stocks of to-day do not exceed a three weeks' consumption at the present curtailed rate. These facts have certainly this much significance—whatever else they may imply—that there must be an immediate considerable resumption of production; and that such a resumption, if conservatively adjusted to the demand, can be undertaken with a reasonable prospect of profit—for the relation of supply and demand is entirely in favor of the manufacturer. This conclusion is borne out by the process of resumption of work in iron works, in textile factories and in other industries, which is becoming more marked every day. This resumption is also evidence that manufacturers have at last reached a point at which they can approximately estimate the conditions in which they will be placed under the new duties, and that consequently they feel it safe to undertake production to an extent compatible with their being able to control prices, leaving the ultimate rate of output to be determined by the new duties finally established by Congress. This puts a more hopeful aspect upon the prospects of labor, which is now suffering from idleness and has lost much of its purchasing ability. In this matter also there has been an exaggerated misapprehension. Estimates have been published of an extent of unemployed labor which even largely exceeds the entire number of operatives employed in the trades referred to. The more exact inquiry has been instituted the more it has become evident that the estimates of unemployed throughout the country have been exaggerated in many cases two-fold or even three-fold. These are discoveries of fact which are calculated to produce a juster conception of the real condition of business affairs. Wall street observers have an eye upon this process of correction of estimates, and there are those who look at it as the occasion for an early restoration of confidence and a revival of activity on the Stock Exchange."

This is a significant statement. It will be interesting to observe how far it may be verified. Canadians enjoy so intimate trade relations with their neighbors, in spite of high tariff walls, and are so affected by the conditions over the border, that no well-wisher of the Dominion can help rejoicing to know that there is a prospect of improvement in trade.

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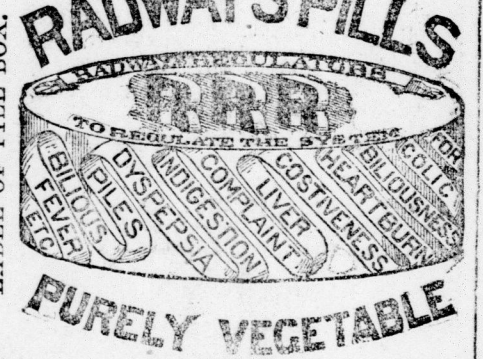
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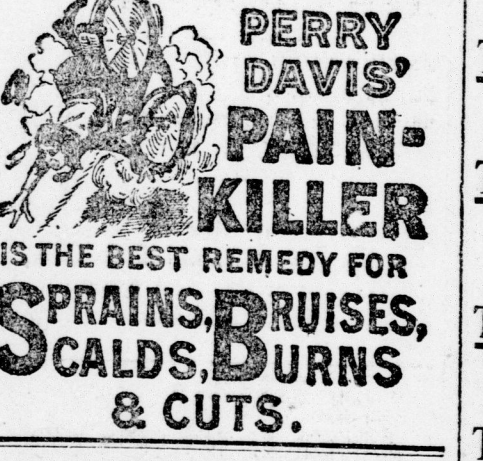
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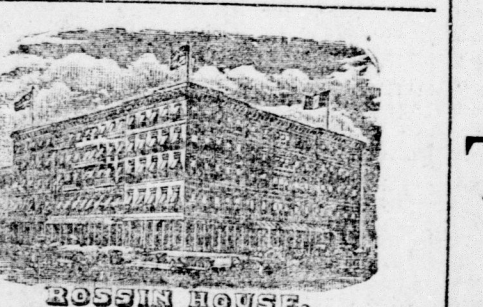
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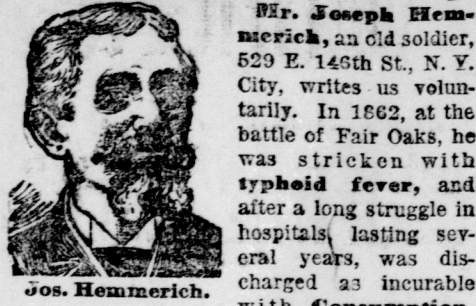
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A Veteran's Story



Mr. Joseph Hemmerich, an old soldier, 529 E. 146th St., N. Y. City, writes us voluntarily. In 1862, at the battle of Fair Oaks, he was stricken with typhoid fever, and after a long struggle in hospitals, lasting several years, was discharged as incurable with Consumption.

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WINTER PASTIME.

Curling New—Kater Noreng's Narrow Escape from Death.

THE WHEEL.

Lady Henry Somerset, the head of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of England, and well known in America as a most lovely and eloquent woman, says that a cycling costume for ladies is quite as permissible as a riding habit, and that the world will come to see it so after a while.

HOCKEY.

WINNIPEG BANKERS COMING. A Winnipeg dispatch says it has been decided to send a bank hockey team east from Winnipeg. The team will leave for the east on Jan. 21, and expects to play matches at Detroit, Sarnia, London, Hamilton, Toronto, Stratford, Berlin, Barrie, Peterboro, Lindsay, Ottawa and Montreal.

THE WINNIPEG THISTLES CURLING CLUB defeated the Winnipeg Granites on Saturday night for the Tuckett trophy by 16 points. Mr. Tuckett, of Hamilton, one of the donors, witnessed the Thistles' victory.

O. H. A. Secretary Parkyn has received a letter from the St. Thomas Club, stating that their rink could not be made to conform to the association's rules. The ties between St. Thomas and London clubs will therefore have to be played off in London.

SKATING AND ICEBOATING.

The Toronto Globe says the Don and the Humber had thousands of skaters on Saturday and many on Sunday.

Two serious iceboat accidents occurred on Hamilton Bay, one Saturday and the other Sunday. A lad named Clive Walker, son of James Walker, Hunter street, was on the bay, when an iceboat ran into him, and the result was a terrible cut on his head. The lad was carried to the G. T. K. depot, and from there taken home and two doctors called, who dressed and sewed up the wound. Sunday morning, Mr. Noyes, of Duke street, in company with Mr. R. T. Steele, of Jackson street, were taking a morning walk on the bay ice, when an iceboat struck Mr. Noyes, cutting into the calf of his leg nearly to the bone. Mr. Steele escaped. A cab was called and Mr. Noyes taken home, when medical aid was called and the wound sewn up.

Adolph Noreng, who is matched to skate a series of races with Joe Donohue at Manhattan Field as soon as there is ice there, met with an accident the other day, while training near Fiskhill, that came very near resulting fatally. As the ice was not very good on the Hudson Noreng selected a small pond alongside of the New York Central Railroad and with his trainer began skating. Suddenly the ice gave way Noreng disappeared in fifteen feet of water. When he came to the surface he grabbed the ice, which broke again, and he sank back a second time. The trainer now pulled off his coat and holding on to one sleeve threw it so that Noreng caught hold of the other. Then, as the trainer began hauling the skater out of the water, the ice began to crack and give way all around them. After a great bit of hustling both men finally succeeded in getting out of danger. Noreng went to his quarters, where he was threatened with pneumonia for two days. Of course he broke training and wrote to Donohue and Receiver Freedman, asking that the races be postponed a bit. Since then he has resumed regular work.

Her Two Languages. He—Did you ever hear that Jagson's wife speaks two languages? She—Yes. He—What are they? "The one for company and the other for Jagson."

A Fraquent Girl. Elder sister—Why don't you improve your mind, Belle, instead of continually dawdling about the house? Belle—What's the use? I'm engaged.

Consolation. Bald-headed man (reflectively)—To be sure I haven't much hair; but my brains—there's where I'm solid.

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SHOVELING THEMSELVES OUT.

Charlotteville People Busy Breaking Through the Snowdrifts—Trains Still Blocked—The Steamer Stanley in Peril. NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Jan. 14.—Though we are having glorious weather, the Cape Breton Railway is snow-blocked. The train which left Halifax last Friday is still stuck in huge snowbanks in the vicinity of West Bay. There are many passengers on board.

STEAMER IN PERIL. CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Jan. 15.—Great anxiety prevailed all day here for the safety of the steamer Stanley. Word was received to-night that she is in the ice thirteen miles east of Pion light. She has been out since Friday morning.

FIGHTING THEIR WAY OUT. The whole city is engaged to-day in breaking streets from snow drifts. Trains had a great fight on the railroad to get through. The Summerfield train got through to-night after fighting drifts all day. The train for Georgetown only got half way. It was the worst storm for many years.

THE DEADLY CIGARETTE.

Destroys 300 Women and Children in a Ningpo Theater. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—The Pacific Mail steamship City of Pekin brought details from Ningpo of one of the most terrible fires on record, which occurred in the big temple in that city Dec. 8, and caused the death of nearly 300 women and children.

The annual theatrical performance in honor of the gods was being given in the temple. A boy threw a lighted cigarette into a heap of straw, which blazed up, and the burning staircase prevented the people getting out. There was a general rush to escape. Some were trampled to death, others jumped out of the windows and were either killed or so badly injured that they were unable to escape the flames and so perished, while others passive accepted their fate, which was not long in overtaking them, and they were roasted alive or suffocated by the smoke.

The Bodies Recovered.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 15.—The bodies of Engineer Pudsey and Fireman Smith, who were killed in the accident on the Windsor and Annapolis Railway yesterday, were recovered to-day. A verdict of accidental death was returned by the coroner's jury.

The Hooper Murder Trial.

JOLIETTE, Que., Jan. 15.—The evidence for the crown in the Hooper case closed about 2:30 this afternoon, and as the defense were not ready to begin their evidence the court adjourned for an hour. At the end of that time Mr. Renaud, counsel for the defense, stated they were not prepared to begin, and the court adjourned till to-morrow morning.

University Finances.

TORONTO, Jan. 15.—The regular monthly meeting of the senate of the University of Toronto was held in the senate chamber on Friday evening, when the following report of the finance committee on the estimates for receipts and expenditure of the medical faculty for the year 1893-4 was adopted unanimously: Estimated income from fees, including both tuition and registration fees, \$20,211, of which 40 per cent., equal to \$8,284, would be available for working expenses, etc., and 60 per cent., equal to \$12,126, for salaries. The estimated expenses amounted to \$22,002.27, the amount over and above the estimated income, namely \$1,691.27, being payable out of surplus.

A Blow to Trusts.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15.—In the Senate this morning, Mr. Morgan introduced a bill that is intended as a blow to trusts, monopolies, etc. The present anti-trust law, approved July 2, 1890, consists of eight sections, to the sixth of which Morgan makes the following addition: "No injunction shall hereafter be granted in any suit in equity brought to restrain the infringement of any patent for invention when it shall appear that the patent sued upon is owned or controlled by the defendant in aid of any combination in the form of a trust or otherwise, or any conspiracy in restraint of trade or commerce among the several states or with foreign nations, or when it shall appear that such suit is brought by, or in aid of, or at the expense of such combination."

Ravages of Diphtheria in the Northwest.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 15.—Black diphtheria and scarlet fever combined are making sad havoc among the settlers in the Oak River district. A sad story comes from Wheatland. Mr. J. Headley was about to be married to Miss Nesbitt, when he was taken sick. On recovering, a day was set for the marriage, when the bride's mother was taken sick, and it being seen that she would not recover, the ceremony was performed by the bedside, and in two days after the mother died. The day after the mother's death the bride of a day was taken down with the fell disease, and just a week after the celebration of her marriage she, too, was taken away. The disease is spreading in the Province through carelessness, and quite a number of deaths are reported.

West Elgin Farmers' Institute.

WYLMER, Jan. 15.—The West Elgin Farmers' Institute met to-day, President Scott in the chair. The attendance was rather small on account of the bad weather. After an address by the chairman, Mr. Scott, Mr. Shuttleworth gave an address on investigations at the Ontario Experimental Farm, which was very interesting and instructive. He gave a history of the progress of the different experiments conducted by the farm and throughout the Province, showing that the farmers who have joined in the experiment have increased from 8 in 1886 to 416 in 1893. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, R. H. Lindsay; vice-president, Francis Leeson; secretary-treasurer, J. C. Dance; delegates to Central Institute, R. H. Lindsay and J. C. Dance; alternate, Francis Leeson. Addresses were also given by F. L. Hunt, B.S.A., and W. S. Frazer.

"Remarkable Cure of Dropsy and Dyspepsia."—Mr. Samuel T. Casey, Belleville, writes: "In the spring of 1884 I began to be troubled with dyspepsia, which gradually became more and more distressing. I used various domestic remedies and applied to my family physician, but received no benefit. By this time my trouble assumed the form of dropsy. I was unable to use any food whatever except boiled milk and bread; my limbs were swollen to twice their natural size; all hopes of my recovery were given up, and I quite expected death within a few weeks. Northrop & Lyman's VEGETABLE DISCOVERY having been recommended to me, I tried a bottle with but little hope of relief; and now, after using eight bottles, my Dyspepsia and Dropsy are cured. Although now 79 years of age I can enjoy my meals as well as ever, and my general health is good. I am well-known in this section of Canada, and have lived here 57 years; and you have liberty to use my name in recommendation of your VEGETABLE DISCOVERY, which has done such wonders in my case."

Late Canadian News.

Serious Charge Against an Election Scrutineer. Gossip Regarding the Possible Resignation of the Premier of Quebec.

Scarlet fever and diphtheria are very prevalent in River du Loup. The Pomeranian has arrived at Glasgow with her 300 cattle and 69 horses alive. The Ontario Creameries Association has reduced the membership fee from \$1 to 50 cents.

Lord Aberdeen formally opened the new Oshkosh toboggan slide at Ottawa on Saturday evening. The South Huron Liberals will hold their annual meeting at Brucefield, on Monday afternoon, Jan. 22.

Mr. Joseph Martin will shortly deliver a political address at Regina, when he will get after Mr. Davin. So bitterly cold was it on Sunday at Quebec that the men employed in the erection of the ice fests for the carnival were compelled to desert.

Hon. Joseph Martin, the newly-elected M. P. for Winnipeg, is delivering some stirring addresses on tariff reform among the Manitoba farmers. The Ontario police force are on the track of Cannon, the supposed diamond thief of Hamilton, who escaped from the jail at Niagara Falls a few days ago.

A man named Pelletier, who left Sarnia, Que., with provisions for a shanty on New Year's Day, has not been seen since, and it is feared that he has perished. British Columbia's harvest of salmon during 1893 will, it is estimated, be 27,076,000 fish. There are now 43 canneries in operation, of which 20 are on the Fraser River.

Black diphtheria and scarlet fever are epidemic in the Oak River district, Man., and are spreading in the Province through carelessness. Quite a number of deaths are reported. Bradstreet's reports the following assignments: Zachariah Leach, blacksmith, Kemptville; Daley, Grange & Co., wholesale teas, Napanee; G. S. McBride, furniture, Newington.

Bron Badgley, a son of the Rev. Dr. Badgley, of Victoria University, Toronto, died at Cincinnati last week, aged 23 years. He leaves a wife and child. He was born in Belleville. Mr. L. Krebs, who has been acting as the agent for the liquor interests in connection with the rounds of the royal commission, is about to begin the publication of an anti-prohibition weekly in Toronto.

Plans for the new Wesley Methodist College at Winnipeg have been accepted, and operations will shortly be commenced on the building, which will be an imposing pile, costing about \$80,000. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn, very old residents of Norwood, Peterboro county, were both buried at one time last week. She died first, aged 86 years, and while preparations were being made for her funeral he died, aged 96 years. They had been married 63 years.

Owing to the absence of Mr. Mercier from the city, the inquiry in the case of Pellard, de Martigny and Mercier, jun., accused of plotting to blow up the Nelson monument at Montreal, was again postponed. It is said to be probable that at the next session of Parliament the Government will ask the House to increase the subvention for the proposed line of fast Atlantic steamers to \$750,000. The statute at present provides for an annual subsidy of \$500,000.

A report was current on Monday in Montreal that Premier Taitton had resigned from the Quebec Government, but the report is denied. The Premier was unable to attend the Conservative demonstration at Berthier. At Belleville, Ont., on Saturday night James Whelan seized Francis Taylor on Front street and took \$145 from his pocket. Part of the money was thrown on the ground by the robber, who ran away, but was caught some hours later.

The inaugural meeting of the Hamilton City Council was held on Monday. Mayor Stewart was received with much applause. The total debt of the city on June 1, 1893, as stated in the mayor's address, amounted to \$2,879,305; assets, \$3,495,107; net surplus, \$474,956. The death is announced of Alex. McInnes, manager of the mines at Springhill, N. S., of the Cumberland Railway and Coal Company, of pneumonia after a short illness. Mr. McInnes had raised himself from the position of miner to that of manager of the largest collieries in Nova Scotia.

Charles Wise, a threshing at Mr. Jan. Lever's, Fiesheron, threw his threshing fork out of the mow and slid down after it. The fork had remained in an upright position, and Mr. Wise dropped upon the handle, which penetrated his hip, and for a distance of eleven inches upward along the spine. He will scarcely recover. The first week in January was a banner week for the cantilever bridge at Niagara Falls. The average number of cars passing on this bridge for the first seven days of the month was 1,195, or a total of 8,365 cars for the week. The increase over the previous record, which was the heaviest ever known before, is 290 cars per day. This record was 6,335 cars for the full week.

Abraham Latimer, a shoemaker at Hintonburg, charges S. S. Waggoner, an employe of the customs department, with putting in his pocket on election day, one of the ballots cast for a candidate for councillor, and that the complainant Latimer saw the occurrence. Mr. Waggoner was scrutineer. The penalty for stealing ballots is from a fine at the discretion of the court up to seven years' imprisonment.

Mr. Hugh Ryan, contractor of the Sault Ste. Marie Canal, reports that all the masonry in the lock chamber is complete.

S. & J. WHERE WISDOM WINS. Wisdom is much better than gold. Wisdom will beget wealth, but a lack of it has caused many an estate to slip through the fingers. Wisdom and wealth sometimes go together, but not always. Where there is wisdom and but little money, that little can be made to go a long way. It will go a long way at our store. We have met a large number of economic housekeepers (economic persons are usually wise), during the past week, some wealthy ones among the number. Our Linen Sale attract them. There are others who will come perhaps to-day; if not to-day, then to-morrow, for surely it is the intention of every tidy housewife to take advantage of the values now offering in our large Household Department. Everything here is sufficiently attractive, but the prevailing low prices make them more so.

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Col. O. M. Poe, chief of the staff of the United States military engineers, having seen the walls 1,000 feet in length, 60 feet high, 30 feet thick at the base and tapering to half that width at the top, pronounced the work as fine a piece of masonry as he has ever examined. The first vessel will pass through the Canadian Sault Canal probably in July. Everything is now ready for the hanging of the gates. Some 400 indigents are now crowded in the House of Providence at Toronto.

Reduction of Licenses.

HAMILTON, Jan. 15.—The temperance people have circulated a petition for the reduction of licenses from 96 to 50 for taverns and shop licenses from \$8 to 25, and the following is only a partial list of the petitioners returned to date: Churches, 16, representing 5,643 persons; councils of R. T. of T., 6, representing 1,700 persons; Christian Endeavor Societies, 19, representing 1,300 persons; Christian Endeavor Union, representing 900 persons; branches of the W. C. T. U., 5, representing 332 persons, and the Salvation Army officers, Y. M. C. A., board of directors and the Commercial Travelers' Circle.

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TORONTO, Jan. 15-11 p.m.—The pressure

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British Columbia. Rain has fallen over the

lake region and light snow in Manitoba.

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Calgary, 6°-12°; Qu'Appelle, 4°-14°; To-

ronto, 32°-40°; Winnipeg, 4°-18°; Que-

bec, 2°-26°; Halifax, 14°-34°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, Jan. 16-1 a.m.—Probabilities

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

While ringing out old '33

"I would listen much ear grief

It is the sweetest Desdemona on the stage,

and Franklin McLeay, the Canadian, a

brilliant lingo. The stage mountings are

gorgeous.

To-morrow (Wednesday) night "Clau-

udian," a melodrama new to Canada, will be

presented, earthquake and all. The latter

is described as marvelous. The story of

"Claudian" is a unique one and abounds in

thrilling situations. Mr. Barrett's engage-

ment will be an event extraordinary.

"THE IRISH STATESMAN."

A poor house greeted Carroll Johnston in

"The Irish Statesman" at the Grand last

night. Those who were there appeared

well pleased with the performance. The

show is a new departure in Irish drama.

The curtain generally rolls down finally

when the oppressed hero and the persecuted

heroine find all the obstacles to their union

removed. But in "The Irish Statesman"

the play goes further, and the hero becomes

one of the leading statesmen of the American

Republic, while the heroine, supposedly an

American heiress, turns out to be an

adopted Irish orphan girl. But that does

not interfere with the fortune. The last

act is laid in the year 1900, and Ireland is

then supposed to be a nation. Carroll

Johnston fully sustained the rollicking

part of Osmond O'Sullivan, and Miss

Clara Knott did equally well as Annabel

Lovelace, the heroine.

BARRETT'S POPULARITY.

A Hamilton dispatch of last night's date

says: "Wilson Barrett's 'Hamlet' to-

night drew the largest and most fashionable

audience ever in the Grand Opera House.

Saturday's houses in Toronto were the

greatest in the history of that house."

LONDON, CANADA.

London and suburbs have a population of

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London is situated in the garden of

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from any other Canadian city in the same

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limits.

London has 1 opera house and 4 public

halls.

London has 13 public schools (and a num-

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MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

Wilson Barrett To-Night in "Othello"

"The Irish Statesman."

WILSON BARRETT TO-NIGHT.

Wilson Barrett, the renowned English

actor, will appear at the Grand Opera

House to-night in "Othello." The play

needs no commendation; neither does the