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Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED. BURRIDGE-In this city, on Jan. 3, 1897, John Burridge, killed at the City Hall accident, age 74 years 11 months. Funeral notice later.

HEAMAN-Killed in the city hall accident, Jan. 3, 1898, Frederick Heaman, youngest son of Wm. Heaman, aged 17 years 10 Funeral notice later

BRUCE-Killed at the city hall, Jan. 3, 1898, Oswald Bruce, aged 15 years. Funeral from his father's residence, 156 Wharncliffe road, South London, on Thurs-day, at 3 o'clock; services at 2 o'clock. 20u NASH-In this city on Monday, Jan. 3, 1898, Benjamin J. Nash, of 34 Stanley street. Juneral natice later.

TURNER-On Jan. 3, 1898, John Turner, in Fu eral from the family residence, 567 Maitland street, tomorrow (Wednesday), at 3 p.m.; service at 2:50. Friends will kindly

M'CALLUM-At Stromness, Ont., on Friday. Dec. 31, Jessie, beloved daughter of Senator McCallum, aged 29 years. NEELON-In Toronto, on Friday, Dec. 31, Sylvester Neclon, in his 74th year.

For Latest Funeral Notices See 6th

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A N EMERGENCY MEETING OF PINE Grove Camp, No. 2, Woodmen of the rld, will be held in their hall, East London, fonight at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of making arrangements to attend funeral of our late Sovereign James Harris, who was killed in

SPRCIAL MEETING OF FOREST CITY A L. O. L. No. 762 will be held this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock in the hall, Edge Block, to make arrangements for the funeral of our late brother James Harris, Members of THOS. sister lodges requested to attend. Thos. Parkinson, Rec. Sec. 762.

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are selling rapidly. No wonder; the price does it. Only one dollar each. They are, in effect, equal to the batteries for which \$5 and \$10 are asked. F. B. Clarke, 418 Richmond street, has

He who wears his heart on his sleeve will often have to lament that daws

Dreadful Calamity in London Last Night.

The City Hall Floor Gives Way, Carrying Many Citizens Down With It.

Twenty-Two Persons Killed and a Large Number Seriously Injured.

A Scene of Indescribable Horror Enacted As a Close to Election Day.

Two Advertiser Reporters Go Down In the Crash and Graphically Describe Their Experiences.

Scenes, Incidents and Touching Interviews With to the various Survivors of the Shocking Catastrophe.

curred in the city of London since the

City Hall, which was crowded almost pit, a ghastly sight met the eye. Faces to suffocation on the occasion of the gashed and covered with blood were ev mass meeting following the municipal exywhere to be seen. The drawn election, gave way without a mo- countenances of those who suffered inment's warning, and hundreds of men | ternally, and were in the throes of

It was on this part a temporary platplatform, and about ten feet back was the first row of the few benches which which has been in the hall for a num-

table, and stood between the portion the speakers. There was hardly breathing space, and the place could not possibly have been more crowded. Act as if you thought other men were meeting. Mr. R. M. C. Toothe stood near the platform, and a number of his Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes Others thought it was about time to ed ready to jump up-a distance of about two feet and a half-when a creaking sound alarmed everyone. The floor gradually sank for a second or two, and ear-splitting cries from the rible cries of despair. The point at The thousands who blocked the roadwhich the beam below had broken, a way made it difficult to force a passfew feet in front and east of the plat- age through for the dead and dying. and clear. It diseases. Wit- form, was the vortex, and towards this It was fortunate that a large squad ment Commissioner Grant-knee hurt.

The deadliest calamity that has oc- ing mass and made all dark for a brief the hospitals.

The writer was hurted backwards in-A large portion of the floor of the diately overhead shone into the deathwere ashy with the dust of the plaster,

P. C. Macdonald, who was on that beat, heard the crash, and ran to the wounded were extricated, and the debris cleared away as quickly as possi-

Great heroism was displayed by the injured. One middle-aged man, un-

The news of the disaster spread rapidly, and the few hundreds who had been in the galleries and the secure quickly swelled to thousands from all

Identifying the Dead.

ness the following: "I had scrotula on my face for some time, and could get no relief until I tried B. B. B. One bottle healed me and left no sears. It bottle healed me and left no scars. It is the greatest blood purifier in existence." Mary C. Berry, Toronto, Ont. and from the walls enveloped the fall- friends, who sought a glimpse of street—bruised leg.

every body as it was taken from the

ments and restoratives to alleviate their suffering. In the rear of the hall was a sight sadder still-a score lying side by side, cold in death, while grief-stricken relatives and friends stood over them, weeping and mourning. Detective Thomas Nickle was able to identify most of the bodies at sight. nally. The name of each was written out and placed on the corpse. A bulletin, announcing the names of the dead, dear ones were among the killed. It busy consoling the wounded and the chest smashed in. friends of the dead ones.

Later in the night the bodies were removed to the homes of deceased or Hugh McKay-slightly injured. as they were claimed by relatives. The ambulance and carriages were also summoned to convey the wounded to

The Dead,

W. T. SMITH, ex-street car conductor, and a market gardener opposite

president of the Young Liberal Club. CRAWFORD BECKETT, contractor. EX-ALD. JOHN TURNER, carriage

EDWARD LUXTON, Centralia, a eye badly cut. youth, identified by letters in his H. DELL. baker. West London.

A. E. PHILLIPS, flour store, opposite the market. B. J. NASH, carriage manufacturer,

Stanley street.

WM. EDWARD TALBOT, 33 Hamilton road, 13 years old.

road, aged 13.

JOHN BURRIDGE, shoemaker, corner

Talbot and King streets. FRANK ROBINSON plasterer, 347 Horton street. A boy named McLEAN, son of James

street, produce merchant, Covent

family. He recently moved in from West London. His mother lives in bank. Mr. Fortner was a member of Court Excelsior, A. O. F., and was insured for funeral benefits, \$100.

The Wounded. The following is a list of the wound-

WM. ELLWOOD, 742 Richmond CHARLES KIDNER, Morkin House -right leg sprained and back hurt. WM. GRAY, president Conservative Club-hurt about nose and head.

D. SWEENEY, 293 South street-left

G. W. YATES, Ontario street-arm

ALD. CARROTHERS-slightly hurt. ALD. TAYLOR-badly cut in face. GEORGE McNEILL, jun.-slightly

arm and ribs broken.

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D. C. McNAUGHTON, 526 Dufferir.

avenue-left leg broken. WM. FOX, teamster, Hamilton road JOSEPH MURRAY, 72 Mount Pleas-

ant street-badly bruised; hurt inter-

ford street-left leg broken ED. MARSHALL, 832 Queen's avenue-right arm broken; head cut.

street-head cut and other injuries. LEIGH McBRIDE, 167 Hamilton road, aged 17-head cut.

THOMAS ROBINSON, Hill streethead cut and bruised. through the door. The ministers were | ALBERT JOYCE, 316 Grey street-WM. STONE, St. James street-bad-

ly injured internally. GORDON McKAY, son of the late A son of Mr. John Mattinson, London Drug Company-broken arm.

S. S. CASEY, St. James street-legs WALTER ELLIS, Alexander street, West London-hurt in back and loins W. BLAKE Horton street-badly

bruised. JACOB HARRIS. Horton street slightly injured. JOHN WHITTAKER, 551 King stree

-slightly cut. HENRY WHITTAKER, of the New York Mail and Express-slightly injured. Mr. Whittaker was visiting the brother John. He fell with the rest but was only scratched.

HENRY BRANN, English street -JAMES HERRIOTT, G. T. R. car shops office-injuries slight. A. E. BURWELL, Oxford street -

legs bruised. WATER BECHER-face cut. THOMAS LANG, 797 King streetface cut and teeth knocked out. JOHN MACPHERSON, 672 Maitland street-scalp wounds.

ALLEN TOWE, son of Edward A 15-year-old son of Mr. John Sus-INJURED AT CITY HOSPITAL. An Advertiser reporter visited the city hospital at 1 o'clock this morning.

W. TAYLOR, Queen's avenue-scalr

THOS. SCOFIELD, Salvation Army Barracks-internal injuries below the

arm fractured in two places. -SIDNEY GLENDENNING, 143 Ox-

ford street-fracture of left leg. REGINALD JOHNSON, 23 Palace vorks-legs broken above knee. THOMAS BARTRAM, 14 Horton

JAMES DEAN, weigh scales clerknurt on side and cut under chin. WM. JOYCE-general shaking up. AT ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL. JOHN ARBUCKLE, Quebec street-

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shaken up and badly bruised.

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The Cares of The Household.

Words of Cheer for Wives, Mothers and Daughters-Rev. Dr. Talmage's Discourse.

through homelife with the tread of one turies! I quarrel with the theologians who has seen all its departments and who want to distribute all the throngs with widows' mourning. The book as seen all its departments and sympathizes with all he sees, and has words of cheer for all wives, mothers daughters and sisters. Text: Luke, x., 40-"Lord, dost thou not care that my sister hath left me to serve alone? bid her, therefore, that she help me."

Yonder is a beautiful village homeand his widow is taking charge of the premises. This is the widow, Martha of Bethany. Yes, I will show you also the pet of the household. This is Mary, the younegr sister, with a book under her arm, and her face having no appearance of anxiety or care. Company racket; but, oh, to do the work of life Christ stands outside the door, and, of course, there is a good deal of excitement inside the door. The disarranged furniture is hastily put aside, and the hair is brushed back, and the dresses are adjusted as well as, in so short a time, Mary and Martha can attend to these matters. They lation in every room of the house, and did not keep Christ standing at the door until they were newly appareled, or until they had elaborately arranged their tresses, then coming out with their affected surprise as though they had not heard the two or three previous knockings, saying: "Why, is that you?" No. They were ladies, and were always presentable, although they may not have always had on their best. They throw open the door, and greet Christ. Christ did not come alone; he had a group of friends with him, and such an influx of city visitors would throw any country home into perturbation. The kitchen department that day was a very important de-partment, and I suppose that Martha had no sooner greeted the guests than she fled to that room. Mary had no worriment about household affairs. She had full confidence that Martha could get up the best dinner in Bethany. She

netween two sisters. It is noon. Mary is in the parior with Christ, Martha is in the kitchen. It would have been better if they had divided the work, and then they could have divided the opportunity of listen-ing to Jesus; but Mary monopolizes; Christ while Martha swelters at the fire. It was a very important thing that they should have a good dinner that day. Christ was hungry, and he did not often have a luxurious entertainment. Alas me! If the duty had developed upon Mary, what a repast that would have been! But something went wrong in the kitchen, and Marthat lost her patience, and forgetting the proprieties of the occasion, she rushes out of the kitchen into the presence of Christ, saying: "Lord, dost thou not care that my sister hath left me to serve alone?" Christ scolded not a word. He knew Martha had almost worked herself to death to get him something to eat, and so he throws a world of tenderness into his intonation as he says: "Martha, Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things, but one thing is

As Martha throws open that kitchen door I look in and see a great many household perplexities and anxieties. First, there is the trial of non-appreciation. That is what made Martha so mad with Mary. The younger sister had no estimate of her older sister's fatigues. As now, men bothered with the anxieties of the store, and office, and shop, or coming from the Stock Exchange, when they get home they say: "Oh, you ought to be in our factory a little while; you ought to have manage eight, or ten, or twenty in conspicuous spheres we may perform rdinates, and then you would know our whole duty—for this struggle will to manage eight, or ten, or twenty what trouble and anxiety are." "Oh,

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-the women to whom my life is a ble, and who, at thirty years of age, look as though they were forty, and at forty look as though they were fifty. and at fifty look as though they were sixty. The fallen at Chalons, and Austerlitz, and Gettysburg, and Waterloo are a small number compared with the slain in the great Armageddon of the kitchen. You go out to the ceme-tery and you will see that the tombstones all read beautifully poetic; but if those tombstones would speak the

truth, thousands of them would say:
"Here lies a woman killed by too
much mending, and sewing, and bakthe Indian Frontier.

Activity of the Insurgents on Spondent and swallowed a quantity of toothache medicine, with the result ing, and scrubbing, and scouring."
You think. O man of the world! that the cares and anxieties of the household should come upon you for one week, ou would be fit for the insane asylum, others in regard to your household toils, let me assure you, from the kindliness with which Jesus Christ met Martha, that he appreciates. all our work from garret to cellar; and that the God of Deborah, and Hannah, and Abigail, and Grandmother Lois, and Elizabeth Fry and Hannah More is the God of the housekeeper!

Again, there is the trial of severe economy. Nine hunder and ninety-

are subjected to it-some under more and some under less stress of circumstances. Especially if a man smoke several hours at the war office. expensive cigars and take very costly dinners at the restaurants, he will be severe in demanding domestic econo-This is what kills tens of thousands of women-attempting to make five dollars do the work of seven. A young woman about to enter the marmother answered: "The honeymoon lasts until you ask your husband for money." How some men do dole out money to their wives! "How much do you want," "A dollar." "You are always wanting a dollar. Can't you do with fifty cents?" If the husband has not the money let him plainly say so. If he has it, let him make cheerful aesponse, remembering that his wife has as much right to it as he has. This thirty years' war against high prices, this perpetual study of economies, this lifelong attempt to keep the outgoes les sthan the income, exhausts innumerable housekeepers. Oh, my sister, this is a part of the divine discipline. And if your life on earth was domestic martyrdom, oh, the joy of an eternity in which you shall have nothing to do of heaven among the John Knoxes, and the Hugh Latimers and the Theban Legion. Some of the brightest thrones of heaven will be kept for Christian housekeepers. There are many housekeepers who could get along with their toils if it were not for sickness and trouble. The fact is, one-half of the women of the land are more or less stead. The man of the house is dead, invalids. The mountain lass, who has never had an ache or a pain, may consider household toil inconsiderable, and toward evening she may skip away miles to the fields and drive home the cattle, and she may until ten o'clock with worn-out constitution, when six weeks in the household, making the night as sleepless as the day—that is not so easy! Perhaps this comes after set the crib in the garet, because the occupant has been hushed into a slumber which needs no mother's lullaby.

There is nothing but the old-fashioned religion of Jesus Christ that will take substitute. But after awhite the romance is all gone, and then there is something to be prepared for the table that the book seems to say: "Now let us have a division of labor. Martha, you cook, and I'll sit down and be good." So that, and a spoonful of something else. called "Cookery in Twelve Lessons" division of labor. Martha, you cook, it is not a handful of this, a cup of and I'll sit down and be good." So that, and a spoonful of something else. you have often seen a great difference. It is not something sweetened with ordinary condiments or flavored with ordinary flavors, or baked in ordinary ov-It is the loaf of domestic happi ens. ness; and all the ingredients come down from heaven, and the fruits are plucked from the tree of life, and it is sweetened with the new wine of the kingdom, and it is baked in the oven of home trial. Solomon wrote out of his own experience. He had a wretched home. As men cannot be happy with two wives, much less six hundred; and he says, writing out of his own ex-

are gone! Though you may tell her

put over the flock in the grave.

where love is, than a stalled ox and hatred therewith. How great are the responsibilities of housekeepers! Sometimes an indigestible article of food, by its effect upon a king has overthrown an empire. A distinguished statistician says oue of one thousand unmarried men there are thirty-eight criminals, and of one thousand married men only eighteen are criminals. What a suggestion of home influences! Let the most be made of them. Housekeepers by the food **** \$\dot*** \$\dot*** \$\dot*** \$\dot*** an up-to-date cure. James Stuart, they provide, by the couches they spread, by the books they introduce, by the influences they bring around their home, are deciding the physical, intellectual, moral, eternal destiny of the race. You say your life is one of sacrifice. I know it. But, my sisters, that is chase a driving park was defeated. the only life worth living. That was Florence Nightingale's life; that was Payson's life; that was Christ's life. We admire it in others; but how very hard it is for us to exercise ourselves! God give us that self-denying spirit, so that whether we are in humble spheres or

soon be over. One of the most affecting reminisbrance of her as a Christian housekeep- Aylmer. er. She worked very hard, and when we would come in from summer play, and sit down at the table at noon, I remember how she used to come in with beads of perspiration along the lines of gray hair, and how sometimes she would sit down at the table and put her head against her wrinkled hand and say: "Well the fact is, I'm too tired delegated this duty to others, she would not be satisfied unless she attended to the matter herself. In fact, we all preferred to have her do so, for somehow things tasted better when she prepared them. Some time ago, in an express train, I shot past that old homestead. I looked out of the window delegated this duty to others, she would not be satisfied unless she attended to the matter herself. In fact, we all preferred to have her do so, for somehow things tasted better when she prepared them. Some time ago, in lived in the township for 45 years. She leaves three children, William and James, of Delaware, and Mrs. H. Williams, of Southwold Station.

Feather and down cushions, 50 cents each. Large stock of goose feather pillows and mattresses. Stoves bought and sold at the Feather Bed and Mattress Cleaning Factory. James F. Hunt & Sons, 593 Richmond street to eat." Long after she might have This size is for trial. You will be contains more in somehow things tasted better when she prepared them. Some time ago, in she prepared them. Some time ago, in she prepared them. Some time ago, in proportion.

Of all druggists.

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Miss Mary Haward, who lives on Yeoman's Weather Strips will fix that door

was the noonday table. There were the children on either side of the table, most of them gone, never to come back.

sir, the wife and the mother has to conduct at the same time a university, a clothing establishment, a restaurant. a laundry, a library, while she is health officer, police and president of her realm! She must do a thousand things, and do them well, in order to keep things going smoothly; and so her brain and her nerves are taxed to the utmost. I am speaking now of the great mass of housekeepers are to the same time a university, and so her brain and her nerves are taxed to the utmost. I am speaking now of the great mass of housekeepers was the noonday table. There were who die in the Lord; they rest from

that she almost killed herself.

better, but not out of danger.

and Catholic teachers.

was removed to the Amasa Wood

hospital and two doctors worked for

an hour to bring her around. She is

the Churches Next Sunday.

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ing Company, and 10,000 tons of wheat

are reported destroyed. The loss is

placed at \$500,000, and at last accounts

the wheat was burning, although the

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That May Terminate Fatally-Fitz-

simmons Was in It.

Hughes, a well-known attorney; Chas.

Seaman, a son of Judge William H.

DURRANT'S CASE.

Efforts to Secure a Stay of Execution

Not Renewed.

to general expectations, the attorneys

murderer of Blanche Lamont, did not appear in the federal court yesterday

to renew their efforts to secure a stay

of execution on behalf of their client. This action led to a rumor to the effect

that they had abandoned all further

hope of saving Durrant's neck, but

vesterday for Durrant. They were of-

ferings from a woman who now resides in Toronto, Ont. She was a resi-

dent of San Francisco three years ago,

and has displayed an interest in Dur-

rant's affairs since his arrest for the

from Meridian, Texas, a document

which purports to be the original alleged confession of Joseph E. Blan-

ther to the murder of Blanche Lamont

and Minnie Williams. It will be used

The diseases cured by Hood's Sarsa-

parilla are many, because most ail-ments disappear as soon as the blood is

Every great and commanding move-

ment in the annals of the world is the

LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson

wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this

advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I

certainly believed it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented

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An Up-to-Date Catarrh Cure.

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Yellow fever statistics for Mississippi

harnessmaker.

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Woodville, Ont., Feb. 23, 1897.

murder of Blanche Lamont.

enriched and purified by it.

triumph of enthusiasm.

this they deny.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 4.-Contrary

W. H. T. Durrant, the condemned

court, and Edward B. McDaniels.

company,

fire in general was under control.

She

***** Communication Gut Off

you have all the care and anxieties. If | Communication With Gen. Sir Wm. Lockhart Interrupted.

Oh, woman, though I may fail to stir up an appreciation in the souls of Unexpected Visit of Lord Wolseley to THE SCHOOL QUESTION. London

> NEW JAPANESE CABINET. Yokohama, Jan. 4 .- The Marquis Ito is forming a new cabinet.

LORD WOLSELEY IN LONDON. London, Jan. 4.-There is considereconomy. Nine hunder and ninetv-nine households out of the thousand ment. Lord Wolseley, the commander-in-chief, came unexpectedly to London today from Brighton and spentCABLE BLE the ,,3 wCeN THE CUBAN WAR.

Havana, Jan. 4.-La Discussion says that Gen. Blanco will take the field within the next fortnight and proceed to Eastern Cuba. During his absence from Havana, Senor Galvez, premier of ried state said to her mother: "How the new colonial cabinet, will assume ong does the honeymoon last?" The control of the government of the island.

THE FRENCH IN AFRICA. Paris, Jan. 4.-Authentic news of the Marchand expedition as late as Sept. 17 has been received. At that date it had arrived at Rafai in the Tambura district, and was proceeding to occupy Rumbell, in the Congo district in the territory of Bahr El Gazeel. This disposes of the rumors of the massacre of the expedition in that section last August. All were well at the time. and a fortnightly mail service was working regularly between Tambura and Banghi, on the Ubangi river to the west.

PRINCESS BEATRICE'S BOOK. London, Jan. 4 .- It was recently announced that Princess Beatrice, young-Dr. Talmage's sermon today goes except what you choose to do: Martha of Prince Henry of Battenberg, was has had no drudgery for eighteen cenexcept what you choose to do! Martha est daughter of the Queen and widow dealing comedian in Fitzsimmons' theatrical was published today at Darmstadt. It is written in German, and contains a preface by Rev. M. Vogal, a German clergyman, who says that he was requested to revise the work, but that he left unchanged many sentences which were not quite German, fearing to efface their originality. The Daily News publishes long extracts from the book, but does not mention its mode of publication.

THE OLD MAN OF IRON BREAK-ING UP.

London, Jan. 4.-The Berlin correspondent of the Daily News says:
"There is unfavorable news from Freidrichsruhe. Although the recent alarming rumors were grossly exagwhooping-cough has been raging for gerated, the rigorous way in which the manor house is closed to everybody facilitates the circulation of unfounded reports. Dr. Schweninger has expressthe nerves have been shattered by ed the opinion that Prince Bismarck's some bereavement that has left desowill soon pass over. It must not be forgotten, however, that his medical advisers are doing their utmost to prevent any unfavorable report from Oh, she could provide for the whole reaching Bismarck, who takes a very group a great deal better than she can pessimistic view of his condition." for a part of the group, now the rest

SHARP FIGHING

God is taking care of those who are gone, it is motherlike to brood both flocks; and one wing she puts over the On the Frontier of India-Rebels Block flock in the house, the other wing she the Road From Ali Musjid to Lundi Kotal.

Calcutta, Jan. 4 .- The Zakka-Khels a woman happily through the trials of have blocked the road from Ali Mushome life. At first there may be a ro- jid to Lundi Kotal, preventing the mance or a novelty that will do for a establishment of communication with Gen. Sir William Lockhart. The enemy is very active, and fired on the execution. Oxfordshire regiment, which is engaged in convoy duty at Khyber Pass, wounding Col. Plowden and Lieut. Owen. Some of the men being hampered by the task of removing the wounded, had difficulty in gaining shelter. Three men were killed, and twelve, including Capt. Parr, were wounded in subsequent fighting. Finally they were joined by another company and retired into the walled enclosure, where they are awaiting reinforcement.

SALMON INDUSTRY GROWING. British Columbian Canneries Break All

Previous Records. perience: "Better is a dinner of herbs turns give the British Columbian sal-mon pack for the last year as 1,007,838 cases. This is larger than that of any previous year, while the Fraser River pack is 400,000 cases more than the pack of 1893, the previous best year. Sixty-four canneries were operated last

****** * WESTERN ONTARIO. *

The Delhi Canning Company shipped a thousand cases of corn to Alaska this week.

A bylaw to furnish Tilsonburg with a town hall carried. A bylaw to pur-Charles Saunders, a young married man, who was in the employ of Mr. Robert Anderson, at the Fletcher House, livery, Petrolia, died Thursday morning, after a few hours' illness.

Mrs. Catharine Wood, wife of the late Nathan H. Wood, one of the oldest residents of Aylmer, died Sunday The deceased was a cousin of Mr. Geo. Kerr, St. Thomas. She leaves one son, George, of Helena, Montana, boys than this novelty. Any boy can cences of my mother is my remem and one daughter, Mrs. Sturgis, of

Mr. James M. Smith, of Port Stanley, passed away on Friday, aged 51 years. The deceased was born in Aberdeen, Scotland. He leaves two daughters, who live in Port Stanley. Drs. Mc-HILL'S jewelry store, all sorts of Lay, of Aylmer and Woodstock, are ne- watches, clocks, etc., can be thoroughly phews of deceased. Duncan M. Smith, of Port Stanley, is a brother of decased.

at moderate prices. The Umbrella and Parasol Herpital.

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SORE THROAT. in the morning entirely relieved from Sore

PNEUMONIA spondent and swallowed a quantity of or Inflammation of the Lurgs should be treated with the Ready Relief as follows: Th treated with the Ready Relief as follows: The patient should be given twenty drops of the Relief overy hour in a wine glass of water, and the whole chest, back and front, must be kept under the influence of the Relief by frequent application; beef tea and animal brothe must be given to support the patient and his powels are to be occasionally moved with Dr. Radway's Pills.

Inflammation of the Kidneys, inflammation of the Bladder. inflammation of the Bowels, inflammation of the Bowels, inflammation of the Lungs, Sore Throat, Brouchitis, Difficult Breathing, Croup, Catarrh, Influenza, Headache, Toothache, Neuraigia Rheumatism, Cold Chills, Ague, Chills, Chilblains, Frostbites.

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INTERNALLY—A half to a teaspoonful in half a tumbler of water will in a few minutes cure Cramps, Spasms, Sour Stomach, Sick The Pope's Encyclical To Be Read in Montreal, Jan. 4.-The papal encyhas been received at the archbishop's palace. It is being translated, and will be read from every Catholic pulpit in Canada on Sunday next. Archbishop Bruchesi stated that the papal cure Cramps, Spasms, Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Sleeplessness, Diarrhoea, Colic, Flatulency, and all internal pains. bull in its effect and declaration backed up the demands of the bishops for

Malaria in Its Various Forms,

Catholic schools, Catholic text books FEVER AND AGUE. RADWAY'S

READY RELIEF not only cures the patient seized with MA LARIA, but if people exposed to it will, every morning in getting out of bed, take twenty or thirty drops of READY RELIEF in a glass of Ten Tons of Wheat Destroyed at Stockton, Cal., Jan: 4.-Early this morning fire destroyed warehouses 5 and 6 of the Farmers' Union and Mill-

Always Reliable, Purely Vegetable, Perfectly tasteless, elegantly coated, regulate, purify, cleanse and strengthen RADWAY'S PILLS for the cure of all disorders of the Stomach, Bowels, Kidneys, Bladder, Nervous Diseases, Dizziness, Vertigo, Costiveness, Piles. Sheboygan, Wis., Jan. 4.-As the result of a bar-room row here last night, in which Bob Fitzsimmons, champion heavyweight of the world; Martin Sick Headache,

Female Complaints. Biliousness, Indigestion,

Seaman, of the United States federal Constipation and Attorney All Disorders of the Liver. Observe the following symptoms, resulting from disease of the digestive organs: Constination, inward piles, fullness of blood in the head, acidity of the stomach, nausea, heartburn, diggust of food, fullness or weight of the Hughes is in a precarious condition, and there are some doubts as to his recovery. The trouble grew out of a criticism passed on Fitzsimmons' show Hughes, which was resented by, stomach, sour eructations, sinking or flutter-ing of the heart, choking or suflocating sensa-tions when in a lying posture, dimness of vision, dots or webs before the sight, fever and McDaniels, who, it is alleged, struck the attorney over the eye, rupturing a vein from which blood flowed freely. dull pain in the head, deficiency of perspira-tion, yellowness of the skin and eyes, pain in the side, chest, limbs and sudden flushes of heat, burning in the flesh.

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A NURSE'S STORY.

Tells how she was cured of Heart and San Quentin Prison, Cal., Jan. 4.-A Merve Troubles. book and several papers on religious subjects were received at the prison

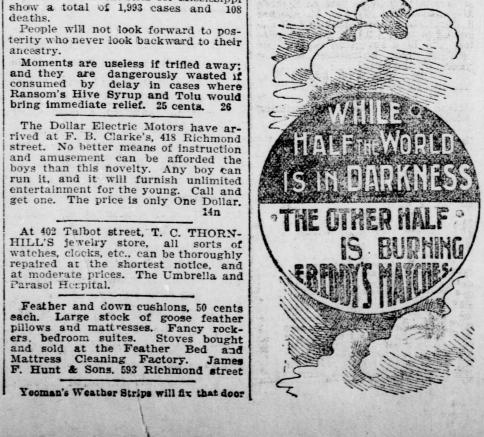
The onerous duties that fall to the lot of a nurse, the worry, care, loss of sleep, irregularity of meals soon tell on the nervous system and undermine the health. Mrs. H. L. Menzies, a professional nurse living at the Corner of Wellington and



case as follows: "For the past three years I have suffered from weakness, shortness of breath and palpitation of the heart. The least excitement would make my heart flutter, and at night I even found it difficult to sleep. After I got Milburn's Heart and to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good." Nerve Pills I experienced great relief, and on continuing their use the improve ment has been marked until now all the old symptoms are gone and I am completely

the human heart most surely is courage. The coward has no friends. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills cure Anaemia, Nervousness, Weakness, Sleep-lessness, Palpitation, Throbbing, Faint Spells, Dizziness or any condition arising from Impoverished Blood, Disordered Catarrh Cure. It has completely cured Nerves or Weak Heart. me of catarrh in the head. I praise it as

Laxa-Liver Pillsclean Coated Tongue.



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We begin the new year with a clear sheet—stocks in good shape and new goods coming in at prices that will please our numerous patrons. We have made some purchases lately of very desirable goods at prices that will be a fitting start-off to the new year, as a warning that we intend to keep up our reputation for selling regular goods at less than regular prices.

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Children's Cashmere Hose, 121/2c, 15c to 25c.

We can fit you with MITTS, RINGWOOD GLOVES, COL. ORED CASHMERE, BLACK CASHMERE GLOVES, KID GLOVES, in all the NEW SHADES, AT PRICES THAT WILL FIT YOUR POCKETBOOK.

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BREAKFAST—Quaker oats with cream. Fish rissoles. Fried potatoes. Bread and butter. Apple

LUNCHEON-Slices of cold roast beef. Baked potatoes. Bread and butter. Apple float. Cocoa. DINNER-Economical veal soup. Fowl cutlets. Mashed potatoes.

Celery in sauce. Bread pudding.

Cut out these recipes and paste them the air as easily and with as little danger as the expert wheelman glides in a scrap-book. Fish Rissoles-Take a piece of fish,

either fresh or what has been cooked, shred enough to make a coffee cupful and let it stew with two tablespoonfuls of butter covering it until done. Soak a French roll in half a cup of milk, beat up the fish and roll in a mortar with a little finely chopped onion and two eggs; season with salt and pepper to your own taste. Mix all well; bake in small cups previously buttered and turn out. Serve with or without

pounds of veal from the neck that will make a pie of fricassee. When tender take out meat and save for that purpose. Leave in the bones and boil gently for about two hours more, then strain the liquor and let it remain until the next day. When wanted take off the fat, and place the soup in a clean pot; add one small onion sliced, half-teacupful rice, a tablespoonful flour mixed in two of water. Cook haif an hour. Serve with dry toast and season with small teaspoon salt one-third teaspoon pepper. Fowl Cutlets--Procure a fowl that will weigh four pounds. From the wings, legs, breast and merrythought into six cutlets, flattening and giving the fowl save the liver and pound it in a mortar with a teaspoonful of salt and one-half of pepper and a spoonful of gravy and milk. Have ready one peaten egg and dip each cutlet in this and brush over wth the force meat,

beef drippings. Serve with sliced lemon round it, and make gravy if desired. Use up what is left of fowl for uncheon next day. Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleas-

egg them again and dip in bread

crumbs, fry a light brown color in

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Navigating the Air.

Prof. Myers, Who Has Tested Ail Sorts of Flying Machines, Talks at Length.

Form, Means of Propulsion and Motive Power Must Be Considered.

Probably no man in this country knows more about flying machines than Prof. C. E. Myers, of New York. Mr. Myers is not a scientist, like Prof. Langley, but he has had long experience in navigating the air in balloons, and knows all about the upper air.
At his farm, near Utica, N. Y., almost every flying machine ever built has been tested, and he has seen both those which were partly successful and those that were flat failures. When I visited Mr. Myers' farm recently I asked him to tell me just what the inventor of practical airships must ac-

"As Darius Green long ago discovered," said Mr. Myers, "the difficulty is not so great in flying as it is in alighting—and, I may add, in starting. The machines thus far built have been alike in requiring a high initial speed to set them going, and most of them have a way of coming to earth that would jar the nerves of even the most

The prime requisite, therefore, of a successful flying machine is the ability to hover. Everyone who has watched the birds know that they can sustain themselves with practically no horizontal or perpendicular motion. When we get an aerial machine that can do that we shall see its dawn as a commercial possibility.

THREE PROBLEMS TO CONSIDER. "Anybody can throw a ball and keep it in the air while it is in motion What we want is to make the ball sustain itself in the air, for a few seconds, at least, without moving. This is a great but not an insurmountable obstacle. I say that it is not insurmountable, because I have muself constructed the model of a machine, which I could place in this room, which will, without any sustaining power, except what it contains in itself, hover for a few seconds above any given spot.
"No, I will not show it to you, be-

cause I don't pretend to have built a weather. This is sad, because it deflying machine; and until I have done stroys one of the few subjects one has so, or at least have gone much further to talk about in the country. The althan at present, I don't propose to let manac was always to be depended anybody steal what thunder I have on on as a topic in this connection. "Next

"It seems to me," continued the in-ventor, "that the problem of building It would make no difference, we are an air ship resolves itself under three heads: "First, the most suitable blue moon. Mr. Justice Maule was alform; second, the best means of proways of this opinion. I remember his pulsion, and, third, the most desirable going circuit with Judge Coleridge in motive power. The form is important, a part of the country where a friend just as it is in a boat. The air ship of mine happened to be high sheriff. must be built so that the waves of He was a shy and modest man, and air will slip off its sides, just as very much alarmed at having to en-waves of water do on the prow of a tertain his cynical lordship. Coming 'skin friction' must be reduced to a he thought it his duty to make a conminimum. The sharp, long and narrow versation for them. He observed that form of a racing yacht is a good he hoped there would be better wea-

INVENTORS' IDEAS DIFFER. As to the best beans of propulsion, ideas differ. Some inventors believe in aeroplanes built to act on the air as the slats of a windmill do, while others insist that the successful airship must be driven by an aerial screw, working like the propellor of a steam-boat. Both these forms of applying power have been used with some suc-

"The third difficulty is the one that all flying machine inventors are now struggling to solve. Oddly enough, it is only the question of power that prevents us from riding in flying mawednesday, Jan. 5.

Wednesday, Jan. 5. gine that will generate one horse power for every 7½ pounds of its own weight. Nobody has been able to find any material light enough for that, which will resist the pressure put upon it by the steam. So every inventor is today racking his brains to hit upon some power that can be generated without heavy machinery." Enough has already been accomplished to prove that some day-and probably within the next few years—someone will be found able to do the rest. It is altogether probable that most of the young people who read this article will live to see the day. when they can go skimming through

> along our streets today -ROBERT EARL. IT WAS said by Sydney Smith of Macaulay that he had occasional flashes of silence; but this does not appear to have been the case with Coleridge, who went on forever, like Tennyson's Brook. A curious example of it is related, of course unconsciously, by himself, in a letter among the Blackwood correspondence. While in the company of his friend and faithful host, Dr. Gilman, he had a fainting fit. His first words on recovering from it were: "What a mystery we are! What a is presented in the strange contrast between the imperishability of our thoughts and the perishable, fugacious nature of our consciousness.' Then he heard his friend say: "Thank heaven, it is not apoplexy!" Conceive words--and such long ones-on recovering from a fit! Let us also admire the unselfishness of his host on welcoming his guest's return to verbosity.

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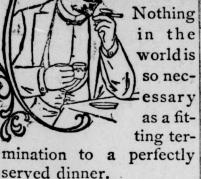
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IT HAS, we are told, been finally decided by science that the changes of the moon do not seriously affect the week there will be a change from this now informed, though it should be a In other words, what we call home in his coach with the two judges their, as the moon had changed. "And are you such a fool, Mr. Jones, as to imagine that the moon has any effect on the weather?" said Maule. "Really, Brother Maule," said Coleridge, who was politeness itself, "you are very hard upon our friend. For my part think the moon has a considerable effect upon it." "Then," said Maule, 'you are as great a fool as Jones is." After which, conversation in the sheriff's cariage languished.

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REPORTER'S STORY. Harry Passmore, a reporter of Advertiser, who was at work when crash came, was seriously hurt, nd had to be taken to his home on Colborne street. He was seen at a late hour last night. "Some of the growd called for 'Toothe,' he said, hen Ald.-elect McPhillips had comted his address. The crowd was ery boisterous. It was easi'y seen the large majority belonged to he victorious organization, and their Interruptions took a decidedly politial character. While the din continued Ald. Robert Carrothers stood up on the platform and waved his hat the breaking of a joist between the city towards the crowd as a signal for si- engineer's office and the mayor's office. lence. At this juncture the crush to- In 1886 a brick wall stood there, but The crowd was packed like herrings to remove it, and the joist that broke in a barrel, and the reporters found last night was then erected in place ofit impossible to write. We implored the wall. This joist was made of four Ald. Carorthers not to can any more timber beams, 12 by 14 feet, spiked tospeakers, feeling in danger of being in- gether. The recent removal of the onjured by the constantly-increasing jam. gineer's and mayor's offices to the Ald. Carrothers seemed to attempt to ground floor in no way interfered with coincide with this view, as the crowd the supports of the city hall floor. continuel to sway forward in front They remained the same as before. of the platform. But the previous speeches, in which threats had been made of how the new council would undertake to undo the work of their predecessors, seemed to so please one of the most substantial buildings the erowd that they called for other well-known politicians. Suddento move a limb before there was a the wounded and bereaved. ried the floor, platform, and hundrels taken. cannot describe my feelings when I veyance. and myself pinned down beneath a | The city police never heard more earnest of more per admirably. heart-rending cries in all my life than

A FATHER'S GRIEF.

limbs only are severely bruised."

It was pitiful to witness the grief of the father of the 13-year-old boy, Wm. Edward Talbot. "I can't tell his mother," said the heart-broken parent, as the tears streamed down his cheeks. "I can't tell his mother, because it would kill her.

"How I worked to save him!" he went on, his voice choked by tears. "I heard his cries beneath, and I tore dozens of bodies away so as to pull him out. But when I reached him he was dead. Oh, it will kill his mother!"

The clergyman tried to comfort Mr. Talbot, but in vain. He and his two sons. Willie and Victor, were in the hall near the platform. Both the father and Victor escaped unhurt.

A TERRIBLE SIGHT. "I was in the St. George railway ac-

cident." said Mr. Fred Hancock, of the Canada Railway News Company, as horrible as last night's. My own escape was miraculous. I was standing at the northeast window, near the iron safe. I heard the crash, and involuntarily I crashed my hand through the glass and clung to the window-sill. while the floor sank under my feet and everyone around me fell with it. I around. The scene below me was terawful heap were struggling, groaning, and shrieking. What affected me most was the sight of two or three little boys pinned down by the iron safe, which was slowly crushing them to death. I got down as soon as I could and lent a hand. Strange to say, a friend and I were conversing a minute before, and unsafe, and that it would be frightful if the floor gave way. When I heard the crash I realized like a flash what would happen, and grabbed the win-

Mr. Hancock's hands were badly cut

SAW HIS BROTHER KILLED.

"Yes," said Mr. Samuel Turner, as he cazed at the corpse of his brother, exald. John Turner, "I saw my poor and bleed and ulcerate, becoming very so: Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. All drugsists or by mail, 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia, Lyman she plunged below. I happened to be in Avoid substitutes.

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safer place, and the only thing I feared was that all the benches on top of me would kill me; but I kept my head under them. I was lying on a little boy, who pleaded piteously with me to get off, but if my life had depended upon it I could not. Gradually I worked my shoulder loose, and managed to make an opening through which I crowded out."

ASSISTANT ENGINEER IRON-SIDE'S ESCAPE.

Mr. R. Ironside, assistant city engineer, was working in the city engineer's office until about fifteen minutes before the crash. Had he been in the office at the time, his death would have been certain, as the ceiling fell in directly

above his desk. ALD. WINNETT'S ESCAPE.

Ald. Winnett and Mr. William Gray, president of the Conservative Club were both hurled into the wreck, the latter being hurt about the head. Ald. Winnett escaped by climbing up the

THE CAUSE OF THE ACCIDENT. The direct cause of the accident was wards the platform was tremendous. the tenant of the store got permission

> The city hall was built in the boom days of 1855-56, and appeared to be

in the city. -Rev. J. B. Richardson, of the Memor y there was an ominous crackling as fal Church, was about retiring, when he of smashing timbers. Back slid the heard of the disaster, and he hurried reporters' chairs. There was not time down to lend a hand and to comfort

tremendous crash, and the end of us A number of people were hurt in the all seemed to have come. There were crush round the doors of the drug store three of the reporters writing at the and Parnell's committee rooms, into table when the crash came, and car- which the dead and wounded were first ed with curious sightseers, and all are

those of the dying and wounded as THE LATE B. J. NASH they lay all around, above and beneath me. The prayers, the groans, One of the best-known of the victims the entraties of my fellow-sufferers of the disaster is Mr. Benjamin J. Nash, seemed to continue for ages, while senior partner of the firm of B. J. Nash willing hands set about rescuing us, & Co., carriage manufacturers, city. so slow does time pass when one is in Mr. Nash had lent a hand to secure extremity. In the collapse, I got sep- the election of Dr. Wilson during the erated from my fellow Advertiser re- day, and went to the meeting, as was porter. My chair was completely turn- his custom on election nights, to reed over, the legs were straight up, and joice with his friends. By the death of I found myself protected by it from Mr. Nash, London loses one of its leadbeing cr hed by the table at which ing business men. He began business we had been sitting, and which was in this city in 1872, and until 1885 sucalso completely turned over. From cessfully carried on his factory alone. above me blood from those killed and In that year he took into partnership wounded began to trickle, and that Mr. A. B. Greer, and at once began the with the cries of the dying for deliverection of a large factory, on the corerance from their pains made an impression on me which I shall never forget. It seemed an age before the most successful business. Mr. Nash rescuers could get the unfortunate was a well-known Freemason. He was fellows out of their troubles, and alas! a past master of King Solomon's many were fated not to be taken out Lodge, No. 380, London West, and alalive. I regard my escape as little ways took a warm interest in the short of miraculous. As it was, my craft. In politics, Mr. Nash was a strong and aggressive Conservative. and at the time of the last Dominion election he was president of the Conservative Association of London. His widow and family will have the condolence of very many in their terrible

THE LATE EX-ALD. JOHN

Another worthy citizen who met his death in the collapse was Mr. John Turner, carriage manufacturer. Mr. Turner's grandfather was a Waterloo veteran, who came to London township in 1818, and was one of the sturdy pioselves in this district. The deceased ex-alderman was the offspring of his son Robert, who also followed the occupation of agriculture. He was born on June 21, 1847, at the old homestead. and at an early age was apprenticed to Annie Irent and Ella May. Much sym-

WORK AND WAGES.

New Scale Goes Into Effect in Massa-

chusetts Cotton Mills. Fall River, Mass., Jan. 4.-The new wage schedule, on a basis of 11 1-19 per cent below that of the past three years, went into effect yesterday in the mills, but no demonstrations of any kind have been reported from any of the mills, all of the operatives apparently being bound by the vote of the different unions to accept for the pres-

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles

New Developments in the Terrible Calamity,

The Death List Now Reaches Twenty-Three -- John Fortner of Bathurst Street Also Loses His Life,

ADDITIONAL LIST OF THE MANY PERSONS INJURED.

City Engineer Graydon on the Cause of the Disaster-Inquest on the Dead and Meeting of City Council.

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Graphic Pictures of the Catastrophe by Eye-Witnesses-Sympathetic Telegrams From Londoners Living Elsewhere.

and woe into many London homes last night is the all-engrossing topic on the streets today. The streets are crowdappalled with the magnitude of the disof citizens down with it. There was no Thousands of persons from all parts aster. It was even greater in extent warning, and the surging mass went of the city rushed to the scene by el- than at first reported, as will be found hall. The jam was so great and the down without a mement's notice. I ectric car and every imaginable con- in the details given below. There were crushing and jumping on the seats so many miraculous escapes. James general that he expressed his fears O'Donnell and James McCully were urged his boys, who were near him, seething mass of humanity, jammed keep the curious in the crowd out of sitting on the same seat with William not to go in. He turned out, and went together amid tons of timber, brick, danger while the debris was being ex- Elliot and Richard Hall. The last- to the broken furniture and an office safe. I plored, but they maintained their temnamed two men went down with the but being near the glass partition, floor which collapsed. The others were | jumped through the broken glass and able to retain their hold on the re- escaped unhurt. maining flooring, and escaped. Though there were dead and dying all around Cully gives a graphic description of the terrible scene which met his gaze as O'Meara, Winnett, and Douglass. he looked down into the death-pit. mighty to be put out of their misery. The safe, which stood at one corner of collapsed, fell on dozens of men, and as they lay pinned under it, the huge large hot-air radiator, too, numbers of the audience lay, shouting for help. "I saw the body and head of William Fox, who was seriously injured. His legs were pinned under the huge piece of piping, and remained so for some minutes. It seemed an age before the imprisoned ones could be got out, and when they were many were found to have breathed their last."

CITY ENGINEER'S STATEMENT. It is well to understand that the portion of the city hall floor which collapsed was that immediately above the Ald. Rumball: office of the city engineer, formerly occupied as a barber shop by Mr. Hugh Sharkey. The other part of the hall, 2.000, was uninjured. City Engineer this afternoon: "Absolutely no changes over this portion when my office was moved downstairs. Whatever changes were made were effected in 1888, under the engineer's office, Col. Tracey. Before that time there was a brick wall along where the collapsed joist ran. the carriage-making trade in the estab- and it was taken out under the superlishment of which he afterwards be- | vision of Engineer Tracey, and replaccame proprietor. He was a man of ed by the joist which collapsed. Under energy, and had a wide circle of friends the pressure of an ordinary crowd this both in the city and county, who will joist, in my opinion, would have been hear of his death with much regret, absolutely secure. It was composed Mr. Turner was twice married-first, of four well-seasoned, flawless pieces in 1871, to Miss Christine McKellar, of timber, jointed together, making a She died in 1872. He afterwards mar- solid beam 12 by 12. I have examined ried Miss Annie McMillan, also a native the timber and find it sound. It simply of Middlesex, and they had five chil- snapped through. The joists ran east dren-Robert C., Henry A., John A., and west from the beam, resting on the front and rear walls of my office. pathy is felt with them in their sad There was a span of 18 feet. The beam broke in the center, rolling the hundreds of people standing in this space into one mass. I am of opinion that the pressure of the mass of humanity into the northeast corner on and around the platform, the climbing on tremendous stamping of feet on the floor by the very excited crowd, supplied the pressure and the jar to cause an abnormal demand on the strength of the supports, which snapped as soon as the jam reached a point where it could scarcely become worse. I am told by those who have attended meetings in the city hall for many years that they never saw a greater massing in chant, was an estimable young man. the half than that which took place last He was unmarried. His parents, it is night at this particular point. Away back towards the southern side of the

The calamity which brought death strain became so great at one point that a sudden jar, resulting from the break-down of seats-which took place CONTRACTOR WHO WAS AFRAID. Mr. John Hayman, of the fifth ward, said he was in company with Mr. Ar-

mitage, the school trustee candidate. and went up to the north door of the lest something might happen, and he

THE COUNCIL TAKES ACTION. A special meeting of the city council them, Elliot escaped with the loss of was held this morning, the following his hat, and Hall only got a few being in attendance: Ald. Bennet, scratches on the forehead. James Mc- Dreaney, Olmsted, Rumball, Nutkins, McCallum, Parnell, Gerry, Stevely,

Retiring Mayor Little occupied the There was, he said a seething mass of chair, and explained in a most feeling human beings, groaning and crying for manner that the meeting was called to help. Many were praying to the Al- | see what could be done to alleviate the suffering of the injured, and inquire into the circumstances of the bereaved Mayor Little said he had visthe hall, adjoining the committee ited Ald. Carrothers, Taylor and Cooper, who were injured, the latter the most seriously, being hunt internally. The mayor referred to the death of retiring Ald. Turner in touching words. Mayor mass of iron seemed to move as if it Little suggested that the list of dead were a mere matchbox. Under the and injured be gone over, and ascertain thing should be done immediately. Aid. Parnell said he was completely broken up over the calamity, and agreed with what had been said by the mayor. "While we may have differed in opinion on various matters," said Ald. twenty or thirty years he carried on Parnell, "one thing is certain, we agree a bread baking establishment. that London is our home, and our hearts go out in sympathy to the fam- board, and, as was the case with many Parnell eulogized the late Aid. John for him to be personally interested in Turner, and said that he was unable to express the sorrow he felt. He moved servative, and leaves a widow and one following resolution, seconded by child. "That this council, assembled after the dreadful calamity that has befallen the city by the col- tractor. He took an active part in lapse of part of the floor of the city municipal affairs, and wielded considhall on the occasion of the holding of a erable influence in the northern part which has a seating capacity of nearly public meeting, whereby many lives were lost and many citizens injured, but no children. hereby place on record the expression of its grief and sorrow consequent upon so dreadful an accident, and, while extending its sympathy to the afflicted families in their bereavement, we feel

in some special manner that our deepest sympathy is due to the family of our late colleague, Ald. John Turner, whose death we deeply deplore." Carried. It was decided that a wreath of flowers be sent to the family of the late The council will meet at 5 o'clock this

THE INQUEST. P. C. Morgan has spent today empaneling a jury. The jury will meet at Hinton's undertaking rooms at 3 o'clock this afternoon to view the body of Wm. H. Dell, baker, West London An adjournment will then probably be made for a day or two.

afternoon to hear reports of cases

which require assistance.

THE LATE W. H. DELL. The late W. H. Dell, upon whose ody the inquest will be held, was 51 years of age and an Englishman. He had been many years in this country. and two grown-up sons survive. Mr. Dell carried \$2,000 life insurance in Court Excelsior, A. O. F.

THE LATE JOHN BURRIDGE. The late John Burridge was a worthy and well-to-do citizen, who owned considerable property at the corner of the platform and on the seats, and the King and Talbot streets, and carried on the business of shoemaker there. He was twice married. His sons by The former worked with his father, and John is a painter. Mr. Burridge's five children also survive him.

THE LATE A. E. PHILLIPS. The late A. E. Phillips, flour mer-

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FURS.

Black Persian Lamb Jackets; were \$125, selling now for......\$85 00 Gray Lamb Jackets; were \$60, selling now for 45 00 Black Astrakhan Jackets, were \$33, selling now for...... 25 00 Gray Lamb Capes, 32-inch, full sweep; were \$35, selling now Electric Seal Capes, richly trimmed; were \$35, selling now for .. 25 50

BLANKETS.

Swansdown Blankets, American make, gray or white; were 85c, selling now for Swansdown Blankets, extra large, gray or white; were \$1 25, selling Wool Blankets, extra super, 7 lbs; were \$3 75, selling now for 3 00 Six pounds Super Wool Blankets; were \$3 25, selling now for 2 50

FLANNELS.

27-inch Pure Wool Shrunk Flannels, light and dark shades. plain or twilled; were 28c, sell-30-inch Cream Quaker Flannel, fine twill for ladies or children; was sold for 45c, selling now fine and soft; was 33c, selling

GLOVES AND HOSIERY

25 dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, plain and ribbed; were good value at 35c, selling now Ringwood Gloves, all sizes; were 25c, selling now for.....

LADIES UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Vests, high neck and long sleeves; were 30c, selling now goods; were sold for 75c each, selling now for

LINENS.

Fine half-bleached Loom Damask, 70 inches; was 55c, selling now Fine half-bleached Fancy Damask, 72 inches; was 65c, selling finish, Belfast make; was 90c, now 46 dozen Bleached Huck Towels, Damask borders, large size; worth 40c each, selling now six

CARPETS.

for \$1 50

Best Brussels Carpet, new designs; were \$1 25, selling now Kidderminster, two-ply wool ingrain; sold them for 70c, selling now for 50c 36-inch Union Carpets, heavy;

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street, City road, Manchester, England." It began "795 York street, East London," and was written to his "Dear mother, father, brothers and sis-The unfortunate young man what was required by the afflicted fam- had only signed it, "Your brother ilies. The council had no power to Ben," and by this, together with the spend any money, but this was a most street address at the top, his identity unfortunate circumstance, and some- was established. The body was removed to his home.

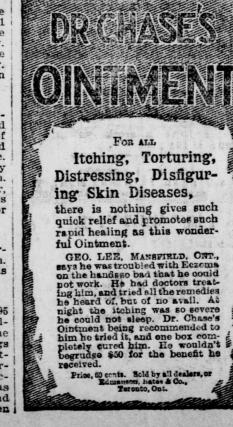
OTHER DEAD, Mr. W. H. Dell was a highly esteemed resident of West London, where for served one year on the village school lies of the bereaved and injured." Ald, others in the hall, this is the first year city municipal affairs. He was a Con-

Mr. Crawford Beckett, another Conservative, was a well known city conof the fourth ward. He leaves a wife.

Mr. Robinson was a son of the late Francis Robinson, and a nephew of the late Wm. Robinson, city engineer. For a number of years he has conducted a plastering business in the city, being one of the most successful in his line Like all the family, he was a staunch Conservative. A wife and family sur-NOT THERE.

Mr. John Burgess, of the Wharncliffe road. West London, was among those reported dead. He was not even Col. Robert Lewis was also reported dead, and The Advertiser was flooded with inquiries about him. Fortuntely the colonel was not in the city hall

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AFTER THE POLLING.

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The municipal elections in the city | W yesterday were conducted with much vigor. In the mayoralty contest, Dr. W John D. Wilson succeeded in defeating Ald. Edw. Parnell, though the latter made a most creditable run, polling the largest majority in No. 6 ward ever given to any candidate. It is noteworthy that Dr. Wilson got a large number of Liberal votes on personal grounds, though the Conservative machine brought him out and worked night and day to secure his return. A number of disappointed contractors, | Di whose views could not be carried out by Ald. Parnell in the city's interests, D were also powerful aids in obtaining a majority for Dr. Wilson. It seems to pay a man not to have an aldermanic record, however creditable, while running for the mayoralty. Some good men have been defeated in the aldermanic contest, and new blood is plenti ful. Of the new aldermen No. 1 ward supplies two; No. 2 ward, one; No. 4 ward one-Mr. Charles Graham, the D new comer heading the poll with a D very large majority; in No. 5 ward, D two (though both had previously sat in the council; and in No. 6 ward, one. No. 3 ward is the only one to send back D the three old members.

As was to be expected, retiring Mayor Little made a splendid run for the water commissionership. His associate will be Mr. Wm. Jones, who sat on this board some years ago. The school board will also find several new faces at the next meeting to replace those retiring. Many will regret the defeat of Mr. Charles H. Johnston in No. 4 ward; his place is taken by Dr. Ziegler, who worked hard enough to earn

Col. Lewis was re-elected hospital trustee without an effort on his part. His opponent, Mr. John Bowman, was ill during the contest, and was unable to participate in the public gatherings. The most gratifying feature in yesterday's results is the carrying of the bylaw to provide ample hospital accommodation on the old site in No. 3 ward. Many were afraid that the bylaw would be among the slaughtered innocents, but it had more friends than was expected in some quarters, and the hospital will now be made a

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12 No. 1 ward—Ald. Belton, McPhillips
22 and Taylor. and O'Meara. No. 3 Ward-Ald. Carrothers, Stevely and Winnett.
No. 4 Ward-Ald. Cooper, Graham and Hunt. No. 5 Ward-Ald. Dreaney, Nutkins and Wilkey.
No. 6 Ward-Ald. Gerry, Greenlees and McCallum. As the returns came in, great crowds assembled in front of The Advertiser office, and cheered whenever any return seemed to indicate victory for their favorite candidate. As soon as it was known that he was elected, Dr. John D. Wilson appeared at the window of the Free Press office, and was cheered. He first thanked his friends in the Conservative party for electing him. He also thanked the Liberals who voted for him. He ironically thanked The Advertiser, which did not favor his election, and promised to do justly in his office. Then Water Commissioner William Jones made a few remarks.

When all the returns had been bulletined at Newspaper Row, a rush was made for the city hall. Many of the oldest ratepayers made it a point to be on hand early and secure seats on the few benches which the hall affords. The platform raised for the speakers was at the north end of the hall, and when the throng surged into the building about 8:30, people were crowded close up to it. Every available foot of floor space was occupied, and as many as could sat on the sills of the windows at the front of the hall. The galleries, too, were packed. Deafening cheers arose as Dr. Wilson, the mayorelect, was noticed to enter the door and elbow his way through the dense throng. He ascended the platform at 8:40, followed closely by Ald. Cooper, who patted the doctor on the back. Cries of "What's the matter with Wilson?" "He's all right!" etc., filled the Ex-Ald. Turner, William Jones, water

commissioner-elect, ex-Commissioner Judd, Ald. Carrothers, Ald. Taylor, Ald. Winntet, Ald. Wilkey, Ald. Mc-Phillips, P. H. Bartlett, School Trustee Dr. Ziegler and others also found their way to the platform, and were greeted with cheers individually. Cries for "Parnell" were started vigorously at frequent intervals, as some one in the crowd fancied he saw the deleated candidate in the room, but he was not present. Dr. Wilson began his address as

soon as he reached the platform, and before the accident twelve brief speeches had been made. The reporters were among the number thrown into the vortex when the floor gave way, and all note books were lost among the debris. Consequently the following report of the speeches is given from memory:

THE SPEECHES.

Dr. Wilson heartily thanked the electors for their support, and said he must have had friends in both parties. He also expressed his smeere thanks to the ladies for the interest they had shown in his candidature. He would say nothing against his opponent, he said. Ald. Parnell had treated him as a gentleman should. Mr. Wm. Jones, who, with ex-Mayor Little and the mayor-elect, will constitute the board of water commissioners. was well received. He thanked his friends, and reiterated his complaint because the late commissioners had not published the annual report of the board at an earlier date. During the coming year he said the board would sit in the evenings, and thus the workingmen with grievances would

have an opoprtunity of having them Ald. Carothers was the next speaker, and the others came in the following order: Ald. Taylor, who made a bitter partisan speech from a Conservative standpoint; Ald. Winnett, Ald. Cooper, Ald. Wilkey, Ald. P. McPhillips, Ald. Jolly, Mr. P. H. Bartlett, ex-Commisplatform that the floor gave way, as fully recorded in another column.

There are parts of the Ganges Valley in India where the population averages 1,200 to the square mile.

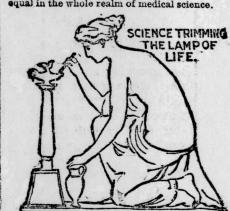
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HOW PUNCH AND JUDY CAME TO ENGLAND,

[Harper's Magazine.] The heyday of the puppet show in England was during the last century. Long before then strolling showmen had exhibited "drolls" or "motions"sioner Judd and Dr. Ziegler, the newly- as the English puppets were known in elected school trustee representing the the early days-to crowds of gaping fourth ward. At the conclusion of Dr. rusties, but it was not until the time Ziegler's speech the crowd called for "Toothe!" and it was while Mr. Toothe show became a fashionable amusement, was in the act of climbing up to the patronized by uppertendom. Pulcinella came to London in 1666, when an Italian puppet-player set up his booth at Charing Cross and paid a small rental to the overseers of St. Martin's parish. His name was at once

Englished into Punchinello, which was oon to be completely Anglicized as It was Punch who seated himself unceremoniously in the Queen of Sheba's lap, and Punch again who danced in the ark and hailed Noah with "A hazy weather, Mr. Noah," when the patri-

in the World in the Cure of arch was intent on navigating the flood. With Punch in Powel's show appeared his wife, Joan, who, however, had none of the grotesque characteristics of the modern Judy. Under subsequent managements, Punch became more and more of a star actor, until eventually the play of "Punch and July" came into being,

practically as it is acted today. In this, Punch, to enjoy personal liberty, kills his wife and child, and then not only hangs the government officers who seek to bring him to book for his double crime, but actually succeeds in serving death and the devil in the same way by stringing them up on one gal-This circumvention of the devil has become a much appreciated climax to

the performance—a climax which is traditional, and cannot be departed from without incurring the displeasure of the spectators. It is recalled that one showman, probably actuated by conscientious scruples, changed the denouement by allowing the devil to carry off Punch. He was pelted with stones for his pains.

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Local Market. d by A. M. Hamilton & Son.]

London, Monday,	Jan. 3.
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Peas, per bu4	5c to 48c
Corn, per bu	34c to 360
Barley, per bu	29c to 31c
Rye, per bu331/2	c to 361/20
Buckwheat, per bu	34c to 36c

Beans, per bu40c to 55c There was very little trading done on the market today. Receipts were cond to a few loads of wheat and oats. Sales were made at \$1.40 for the former and 75c for the latter. The munielections get the blame for the all attendance. Quotations:

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The Oil Market. PETROLIA, Jan. 4. - Oil opened and closed

American Markets. CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 Jan. 90%c: May. 9140 to 914c; July, 834c. Corn—No. 2 Jan., 284c; May, 29c to 294c; July, 304c to 304c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Bu creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. Cheese, steady; state, large white, 87c; northern spring wheat, 80c to 89c; No. 2 corn. 25½c to 26½c; No. 2 corn. 25½c to 26½c; No. 2 corn. 25½c to 26½c; No. 2 corn. 25½c to 25½c; No. 3 white, f. o. b., 21c to 25½c; No. 3 white, f. o. b., 23½c to 24½c; No. 2 for 25½c; No. 2 barley, f. o. b., 27c to 27½c; No. 2 for 25½c; No. 2 barley, f. o. b., 27c to 27½c; No. 2 flaxseed. \$1 17 to \$121; prime timothy seed. \$2 65; mess pork, \$905 to \$9 10; lard. \$4 80; short rib sides. \$4 50 to \$4 75; dry salted shoulders. 44c to 4½c; short clear sides, \$4 55; angar, cut lost, \$6 1½c; grapulated. \$55; to \$1 85; sugar, out loaf, \$6 14; granulated, \$6 5i; No. 2 yellow corn, 26tc to 26tc; eggs, firm; fresh, 22c.

Shipments-Flour 17,000 Wheat BUFFALO, Jan. 4. - Flour quiet; spring wheat, No. 1 hard, 99%; No. 1 north-

mixed, 25c on track; No. 2 white in DETROIT, Jan. 4.—Wheat—Cash and Jan., 91c; May, 91c; No. 2 red, cash,

TOLEDO, Jan. 4.—Cash, 92c; May, MILWAUKEE, Jan. 4.-Wheat, cash,

86c; May, 901/2c. NEW YORK, Jan. 4—Noon.—Flour—Receipts, 39,453; sales, 2,800; dull and lower to sell. Rye flour dull. Wheat— Receipts, 13,425; sales, 1,100,000; options declined under easier cables, and short selling; Jan., 97c to 974c; May, 92 9-16c Strong's to 931/4c; July, 863/4c to 871/2c. Corn-Recelpts, 22,425; sales, 20,000; options quiet and easier on big receipts and sympathy with wheat; May, 34c to 341/4c. Oats-Receipts, 306,000; dull and easy. Butter-Receipts, 7,396; firm and unchanged. Cheese-Receipts, 8,358; steady and unchanged. Hops very firm. Lead strong; domestic brokers, \$3 55; exchange, \$3 671/2 to \$3 721/2.

English Markets. RULING PRICES FOR THE PAST FOUR DAYS.

The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest prices are given: | Dec. | Dec. | Dec. | Jan.

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Flour		6	25	64	-5	6	25	6
			23		-0		-0	
Peas	4	9		9		9	4	104
Pork	48	9	18	9	48	9	18	9
Lard	24	0	24	6	24	6	25	0
Tallow	18	6	18	6	19	0	19	0
Bacon, light	28	0	28	0	28	0	27	5
Cheese, both	42	6	12	6	12	6	13	0
Live	rp	ool.	Ja	n. 4	1-	Clos	sin	2.

Wheat - Spot, No. 2 red western winter, no stock: spot No. 1 red northern spring, quiet, 7s 94d.

Oorn—Spot American mixed, steady, 6s 2½d:
Flour—St. Lou s taucy winter steady, 10s.
Beef—Firm. extra India mess, 66s 2d; prime
mess, firm, 66s 3d.
Pork—Easy: Prime mess, fine western
48 9d; do, medum, western, 45s

Pork—Easy: Prime mess, fine western 49s; do. medium, western 45s.

Hame—Short out 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 26s.

Bacon—Steady; Cumberland cut, 28 to 20 lbs.,
29s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, easy, 31s; dong clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, dull, 29s; long clear middles, heavy 40 to 45 lbs, dull, 28s; short clear uniddles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, no stocks: clear belies, 12 to 14 lbs, dull, 40s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 27s 6d.

Shoulders—Square 12 to 11 lb, firm, 8 6 l.

Futures steady; Jan., 6s 2½d; Feb., 6s 2½d;
March, 6s 2½d.

Lard—Prime western, steady, 2½s.

Butter—rinest american, 22s; good, 60s.

Kosin—Common steady, 4s 1½d.

Tallow - Prime city, steady, 18s 6d. Cotton: eed oil - Liverpool refined, dull; 11s 'nepentine spirits - Steady, 24%.

Hop-At London (Pa-ine coast), firm, £4 Liverpool, Jan. 4, 12:30 p.m. Wheat—Spot quiet, demand poor; holders elephant were as loud in proportion to that of a nightingale, his trumpeting tocks; No. 1 et northern spring 75 6d to 75 could be heard around the world.

Almost Unbearele

corn—Stot quiet; demar d moderate; Ameri-an mixed, 3s z₂d; Dec., 3s 2;d; Jan, and Feb. 186 18d. Peas-Canadian, 4s 10id.
Beer-Extra india mess, 66s 2d.
Pork - Pim mess, fine western, 47s 6d.

Macon-Long stear beavy, 40 to 45 lb , 27s 6d: hort stear cks. 16 to 18 tos, 27-6d; tong mear light. 35 to 35 lbs, 28s.

Tailow—rine, American, Turpentine—Spirits, 24s. Rosn, con mon—4s 14d. Petr Jeum—Refi ed, 51d. Linseed oil—15 9d.

Toronto Produce Market. 'as inquiry for export; the receipts are pile cure. 25 cents,

ier at 83c asked, for red and white, west: Manitoba wheat steady. sales of No. 1 hard at 981/2c, Midland. Flour is quiet; straight roller is quoted at \$3 85 west. Millfeed steady at \$10 to \$11 for shorts and \$7 50 to \$3 for bran west. Barley is dull and unchanged at 32c to 33c for No. 2, 28c for No. 3 extra, and 25c to 27c for feed outside. Buck wheat is in fair demand, with sales at 32c east and 31c west. Rye is steady, selling at 45c west. Corn is steady a 27c for Canada yellow west. Oats are offering more freely, and the market is easier at 241/2c for white west, and exporters bidding 24c. Peas in good demand and firm, selling at 46c west. Baled hay steady at \$4 80.

Live Stock Markets MONTREAL, Jan. 3.-There were about 200 head of butchers' cattle and 80 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abattoir today; butchers did not attend in large numbers, as the weather was disagreeable and cold; prices continue about the same as on Thursday, except that common and lean cattle bring rather better prices than on that day; about 150 head of common stock, which could not be sold on Thursday, were afterwards slaughtered in the abattoir, and the beef sent to the city market for sale: a few prime beeves were sold today at 41/2c per lb; pretty good stock sold at from 34c to nearly 4c per lb; a lot of 13 dry cows, weighing 10.960 lbs, were sold at 24c per lb, and a bull weighing 1,300 lbs was sold at 21/2c per lb. There were no calves on the market today. Sheep sold at from 31/4c to 31/2c per lb, and lambs at from 4c to 41/2c per lb. There were no fat hogs at Point St. Charles stock yards today; the last sales reported were at 5c per lb for fat hogs. CHICAGO, Jan. 4.-Hogs-Receipts, 34,000; left over, 1,792; fairly active, generally 5c lower; light, \$3 45 to \$3 621/2; mixed, \$3 50 to \$3 671/2c heavy, \$3 40 to \$3 671/2; rough, \$3 40 to \$3 45. Cattle-Receipts, 4,500; steady; beeves, \$3 85 to cows and heifers, \$2 to \$4 50: Texas steers, \$3 25 to \$4 25; stockers and feeders, \$3 20 to \$4 25. Sheep-Receipts, 15,000; good sheep strong, others slow.

The Dairy Markets. MONTREAL, Jan. 3.-Cheese, 8c to 9c. Butter-Townships, 16c to 18c; western, 13c to 15c. CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—Butter firm; creamery, 15c to 21c; dairy, 12c to 18c. NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Butter firm; Western creamery, 15c to 22c; do 1acs-Jan., \$9 676; May, \$9 324. Lard—Jan., \$4 80: May, \$1 95. Short ribs—Jan., \$4 52c; May. \$1 724. Cost quotations were as follows: Flour, quiet and easy: No. 2 spring wheat. 86 ct to Cheese, steady; state, large white, western creamery, 15c to 22c; do fac-

Montreal, Jan. 3.-Stocks of grain in store here this morning: Wheat, 90,054 u: corn. 64.421 bu: peas. 143.170: oats Receipts—
Flour 11,000 Wheat 102.000 defs. 368,000 hye 17,000 Barley 13,000 bu; corn, 04,421 bu, peas, 145,170, oats, 468,801 bu; barley, 24,614 bu; rye, 57,-633; flour, 14,180 bu; buckwheat, 32,265 bu; oatmeal, 250 bu.

New York, Jan. 3.-The statement of piled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 38,816,000 bu, increased 2,197,000 bu; corn, 38,421,orn, 97%c; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 95c; No. 1 white, 95c, asked. Corn—No. 2 bu, increased 2,197,000 bu; corn, 38,421,-000 bu,increased 272,000 bu; costs, 12,244,-000 bu; costs, 12,24 yellow, 32½c; No. 3 yellow, 32c; No. 4 000 bu, decreased 528,000 bu; rye 4,055,000 yellow, 31½c; No. 2 carn, 32c; No. 3 corn, bu, increased 345,000 bu; barley 4,441,000 31½c on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 28c; bu, decreased 348,000 bu.

No. 3 white, 27c; No. 4 white, 26c; No. 3 Sure Than Sorry. All Our Customers Are

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of an article well known to be pure and satis actory, such as

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Tremendous Gale Visits Colombia -

Shipping Business Paralyzed. Malone, N. Y., Jan. 4.-The coldest weather of the season thus far in the northern part of the state was experienced today, the mercury registering 34 degrees below zero at Saranac Lake, 25 below at Mountain View, and 20 be-

low in this city. Colon, Colombia, Jan. 4.—The norther continues to blow furiously, and has raised a tremendous sea. The shipping business is paralyzed. All the steamers are seeking shelter at Porto Bello. Much damage has been done to the wharves, piers and coast lines.

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Kosin - Common steady 4s 14d.

Cheese - American finest white, firm, 43s:
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Almost Unbearale "I suffered from kidney trouble so much that the pain in my back was almost unbearable, and I feit tired and worn out all the time, my tongue was coated, and until I took Doan's Kidney Pills I had been unable to do my Lard Prime western, steady, z5s 6d.

Butter Finest United States 22: good 60s.

Cheese American finest white and colored, woman." Mrs. Presley, Kingston, woman." Mrs. Presley, Kingston, GEORGE GREGORY, Langarth London—chest and leg in-

Running sores, Indolent ulcers and similar troubles, even though of many years' standing, may be cured by using badly bruised. Trask's Magnetic Cintment It soothes Toronto, Jan. 4.-Wheat-There is strengthens and heals. It is the great

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Additional List of Injured. BERT COX, aged 17, an Advertiser employe-nose broken, face bleeding, hip and leg bruised CHARLES PENNINGTON, employe of the R. Greene Manufacturing Company-extent of injuries not known.

of Leonard Towe should be ALLEN TOWE. His hip was dislocated and he was still unconscious this forenoon; his head was much bruised. LEIGH McBRIDE, of 167 Hamilton road, who was injured, is doing well. JAMES SPRY, packer, Pigot & Bryan, lives at 107 Center street, West London-chest crushed in, but there are

In the first list of injured the name

some hopes of recovery. W. T. COTTON, teamster,184 Wharncliffe road, West London-two ribs Lanceley: broken and face badly cut. A son of Wm. Trudell, Alexander with you in the terrible disaster of street, West London-ribs broken. street. West London-ribs broken. ALD.-ELECT GEORGE JOLLY-

slightly hurt on knee. HENRY MACKLIN. Talbot streethurt about head and face. A man named HARRIET, living on English street-escaped with a few bruises

ED. WILLIS got a cut on the fore-"LALLY" BENNETT was struck on the side of the head with a beam, and he also had his knee-cap broken. CHARLEY GARRETT, a son of ex-Ald. Garrett-badly hurt. THOMAS HOGG, jun., of 579 Bath-

urst street-head badly cut and bruis-JAMES CUTLER, of 733 Waterloo street-hurt internally; left arm broken. He was taken to the hospital. WM. ALEXANDER, of 241 Simco street—bruised about the face. WM. DURNION, of 79 Blackfriars street, West London, was making his way out of the hall when the crash occurred, and he was drawn down with the crowd. Durnion had three ribs and his right leg broken. JOHN McFADDEN, G. T. R. engineer-head cut. MAURICE BALDWIN, contractor,

Queen's avenue—badly hurt. R. L. McBRIDE, No. 167 Hamilton road-head hurt. BERT STRINGER, Elmwood avenue-face cut; escaped by hanging on the wall where the floor broke off. ED. LEE, of the inland revenue, Wolfe street—had one of his legs

ALD. WINNETT was badly shaken up; not injured materially. FRED LYONS, son of Wm. Lyons, teamster, Oxford street. A man named McKEON. JAMES HAYNES. J. SMITH, an ex-street car driver.

MAJOR BEN HIGGINS—face badly cut, and shaken up.
GILBERT VAN WYCK, 118 Oak street-cuts on face. WILLIAM WILLIS-face cut, and ROBERT DALLAS, Wingham-susained slight injuries. THOMAS DUNCAN, Thorndale-cut - TAMBLIN, a boy-painfully cut

and bruised. -HALL, a boy-not badly hurt. A. E. CHISHOLM—slightly injured.
WALTER BECHER. 124 Center street—face cut and bruised.
ED. BARRETT, a boy, Rectory
street—cut in the face and internally

injured. JOS. C. JUDD, water commission-er—cut on forehead and badly shaken WM. JONES, water commissioner-elect, went down with the crowd, and sustained slight injuries. SAMUEL TURNER, Ridout street-

slightly injured. B. ESSERY, youngest son of E. T. Essery-slightly hurt.

JOHN G. DEWAR, son of J. S. Dewar-knee bruised and face bruised slightly. ALD. NEIL COOPER—badly bruised about the head and also internally.
DENNIS COLLINS, West London somewhat hurt. JOHN DROMGOLE, of W. J. Reid &

Co., seriously injured about the head. FREDERICK WARD, painter at the G. T. R. carshops, received injuries to both legs and his head. He was removed to his home, 738 King street, by Detective Nickle and Mr. A. D. Huff.

JAMES SUSSEX, the 14-year-old son of John Sussex 13. of John Sussex, 12 York street, sustained injuries to his head and spine. The medical attendant is afraid that brain fever may set in. FRED HENRY, Oxford street, near he Military School-left arm broken. LOUIS STEINBERG, a machine

hand at the Bennett Furnishing Company—was standing in the hall in company with his two brothers-in-law, George Maker and Thomas Laing, of 797 King street. His left leg was crushed under the safe. GEORGE MAKER-back hurt and received internal injuries. GEO. LANG-had a very ugly wound on the right side of the face, his jaw was injured, and his right leg was hurt at the ankle. Lang was married

on Christmas day to Miss Lucy Maker, daughter of Mr. Chas. Maker, of King street east. FRANKIE FREELAND, son of Mr. Jonah Freeland, of 1,074 Mabel street. East London-hurt internally and on the head, but not seriously.
WM. GIBSON, elderly man. East London—right arm broken and crushed. WM. SMITH, foreman Stevens Manufacturing Company-knee sprained and body badly bruised. THOS. HUTCHINSON, an employe of the McCormick Manufacturing Com-

pany-ribs broken. MR. FRED. BELTZ, son of Mr. Ed. Beltz, of No. 300 Queen's avenue-had two ribs broken and was badly cut about the head. He is improving CHARLIE BENNET, son of Ald. R. Bennet-went down with the floor, but escaped with a few bruises. He was JOHN THOMPSON, a street car conductor—was injured about the head.

WM. ROWE, shoemaker,-severely injured about the head.

WM. MEDLAND, of the east endwas severely injured, and when re-moved from the debris was placed on the counter of the city clerk's office, where his sufferings were attended to by some lady, whose name was not secured. Two sons of Mr. W. Cripp. English street, are reported as injured. CHARLES SMITH, Elizabeth street,

street, South London-chest and leg in-JOHN MOORE, Langarth street-ALL WELL AT THE HOSPITAL. From the general hospital this morn-

ing the encouraging news comes that all those taken there from the scene of disaster are doing nicely, and no further fatalities are anticipated.

NARROW ESCAPES. Mr. George Oliver, contractor, of the north end, was standing beside ex-Ald. Turner, who was killed. Mr. Oliver, when he felt the floor give way, grabbed some projection and

saved himself. Mr. Wm. Moore, of the Mooralph Company, was near the platform. When the floor sank he grasped a door handle. Some one caught him by the feet and pulled off his rubbers; but he was finally rescued unhurt. Detective Nickle was searching in the debris when his brother Charles emerged from the ruins directly in front of him. Charles was only slight-

ly hurt. Mr. T. A. Parkinson, stove dealer, was among those hurled into the pit of death. Fortunately he was among those on top and soon escaped. CONDOLENCES FROM ABROAD. Mayor Wilson has received telegrams

of condolence from Mayor U Donoghue Stratford, Mayor Smith of Chatham, and from Lord Aberdeen. Mr. C. J. Beale, recording steward, Dundas Center Methodist Church, today received the following telegram from Rev. Dr. Saunders, president of the Montreal Conference, the pastor recently called to succeed Rev. Mr. "Please express my deep sympathy

The following telegrams from wellknown Londoners were received by the Advertiser this afternoon: "Montreal, Que., Jan. 4.

"My native city has my heartfelt sympathy in its sad bereavement. "W. D. GILLEAN." "Chicago, Ill., Jan. 4. "Former Londoners here sympathize

with you and families and friends of bereaved. Send full particulars. W. M. MOORE, 5,239 Jefferson ave. LORD AND LADY ABERDEEN CONDOLE. Mrs. Boomer, president of the Local Council of Women, received the following telegram this afternoon:

"His excellency and I are deeply distressed to hear of terrible disaster. We know Local Council of Women will be prompt to render all help possible. Our most heartfelt sympathy with you all. (Signed) ISABEL ABERDEEN." MAYOR WILSON ILL.

Mayor Wilson is much more seriously hurt than he permitted his friends to observe last night, when he worked until nearly 1 o'clock among the wounded. He visited both hospitals, until and with the other doctors, did all in his power to relieve the sufferers, although he himself was suffering greatly from the wounds he received when on the floor. His left side was badly bruised and cut, and so, too, were his arms, legs and back. He is confined to his bed. The mayor regrets deeply that he cannot be up and around at this critical period.

NOTES. Crowds have surrounded the city hall all day. Mayor Little ordered the flag at halfmast this morning. A dozen caps are at the police station awaiting owners.
Some seventy or eighty hats were

unearthed this morning. Allan Towe has regained consciousness, and is recovering. Dr. Ziegler went down with the debris, but was uninjured. Photographers are at work getting views of the scene of the accident. The police did grand work in extri-cating the bodies and conveying them across the street.

ed to be given a giant's strength. Mesers. Dunbar and Patching, of the Toronto Globe, arrived early this morning to write up the accident. The bodies of L. W. Burke and A. E. Phillips were coffined at Ferguson's today, and viewed by large crowds. Ald. Dreaney was in the hall before off on a short tour amid the co minutes in order to make a purchase. A large number of books have been torn and disfigured. It is thought, how-

ever, that all of value will be saved. Mayor Little was here, there and everywhere in the work of rescue. He did two men's work for a long period. The steam register, weighing over 700 pounds, aided in the slaughter by dropping on the writhing mass of humanity. The Advertiser has been flooded with

demands for accounts of the accident by leading papers of the United States and Canada. The iron safe had nothing to do with the collapse, as it was in one corner; but it wrought deadly work by falling

on the people. Mayor Wilson lost his handsome sealskin coat. He had taken it off, and it fell in the ruins. He recovered it this morning. A number of persons who clambered aloud for help, and it was some time before they were rescued.

A city reporter saved himself by clinging to the window, near which he was standing. He had been unable to reach the reporters' table owing to the crowd. The Advertiser issued a special morn-

ing edition, of which thousands of copies were sold. Its list of the dead was perfectly accurate, except that one of the unidentified bodies was since found to be that of John Fortner. Mayor Little attempted to enter the hall for the purpose of addressing the assemblage, but owing to the large crowd was unable to secure admission, and he and Ald. Bennet retired to the city clerk's office, where they were conversing when the floor gave way. Among those who were first at the scene were School Trustee Geo. Burdick and Edward Towe. The former broke in the window of the city clerk's office and rendered valuable assistance in extricating the almost helpless victims from their positions, and removing them to the stores opposite.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS. Westminster Township .- No. 4 ward -Richard Piper re-elected over Mr.

A FLAT DENIAL. New York, Jan. 4.-E. J. Ratcliffe was interviewed in his Tombs cell today regarding the story as to bigamy. He said: "I don't know the source of it. There is not one word of truth in it."

Died.

Albert E. Philips. aged 37 years, third son of pleased with my purchase.

J. D. ROBERTSON, Funeral on Thursday at 3 o'clock, services at 2:3), from the residence of his aunt, 346 King street. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

DELL-Killed at the city hall, Monday. Jan. 3, W. H. Deli, of West London, aged 52 years: Funeral Thur-day, from family residence, Biackiriars street; services at house at 3 o'clock. Friends and and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

ARROTHERS-Killed, in this city, on Jar. 3, 1898, Noble, son of Noble Carrothers, aged 17 years and 11 months. Funeral from the residence of Robert A. Carrothers, 333 Horton street, on Wednesday at 2:30; services at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation.

The City Hall Disaster. The disaster of last night, following though it did a lively dividing battle, has drawn all hearts and heads together today in common sorrow. We have had calamities in this neighborhood before-once on the Thames. when the Victoria disaster of May 24, 1881, took place, and again when twelve lives were lost by flood in London West. But never before has so serious a catastrophe taken place within the city limits. That so many valuable lives have been lost in so unexpected a manner but emphasizes the uncertainties of life, and draws forth our common sympathy as a people with those who are the victims today. Who knows what shall happen to any of us before the year ends on which we have entered? Well may we reflect on the evanescent character of all things human. Here was a crowded hall, full of citizens, brought together, as has been the use and wont of the electors these forty years, almost entirely by the common bond of rejoicing over victory for those with whom they have been allied. The extraordinary pressure, the crowding and stamping to one converging point, which had often taken place with impunity in the same hall, reached a point of excess that brought the none too strong supports to their breaking point. That, and nothing more, was the cause of the disaster. In the midst of rejoicing many citizens were hurled

All things considered it is really astonishing that so many escaped with their lives. While sympathy with the bereaved in their terrible affiction is universal, there is much cause for thankfulness that the death roll, large though it is, is not much greater. Those who last night looked upon the sad sights in and around the fatal spot will with us pray that London may never again experience such a calamity.

We hope that all the municipal representatives elected yesterday are in favor of the good roads movement.

KILLED BY A TRAIN. Middletown, N. Y., Jan. 4.-Mrs. Wm. Baltimore, weighing 225 pounds, was struck by an Erie west-bound passenger train last night and instantly killed, her neck being broken. BROOKLYN CLUB'S PRESIDENT

DEAD. New York, Jan. 4.-Charles H. Byrne, who was president of the Brooklyn baseball club, died at his residence in this city today.

An interesting event occurred at No one worked harder than Ald. Par- Brinsley, Ont., on Dec. 29, at the home nell to rescue the wounded. He seem- of Mr. Thomas Gilbert, it being the marriage of his daughter Ada to Mr. Wesley Kerr, of Ailsa Craig. A large number of guests assembled to cheer the glad event, bringing with them many and valuable presents. Rev. C. Barltrop, of Ailsa Craig, performed the ceremony, and the happy couple started off on a short tour amid the congratu-

Charles M. Louth, a hardware dealer, at Ishpeming, Mich., has been investigating gold deposits in the district northeastward of that city. The assays made for several of his parcels are high in grade.

The scarcity of copper coins in Toronto is accounted for. Upwards of a million of them are said to be locked up in the mite boxes of city churches. The Army and Navy Drygoods Company, of Toronto, assigned. The liabilities are placed at \$125,000 with assets of \$90,000, consisting mainly of the stock of the stores run by the company.

INGERSOLL'S CLAIM. Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Cured Hun

dreds of People There. Ingersoll, Jan. 3.-London, Glencoe on the window-sills of the hall cried and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with excitement over the cures in this town. Farmer G. J. Cook, of West Oxford

township, is the latest to tell of his rescue. He suffered the agonies of Kidney Disease, in spite of doctors and their remedies till he began using Dodd's Kidney Pills. A short treatment cured him completely. Mr. Cook's case is startling, but not uncommon. Whenever a person speaks of Dodd's Kidney Pills in Ingersoll, he or she can tell of a cure by them of Bright's Disease, Lumbago, Lame Back, Female Trouble or some other kidney or bladder disorder.

SOUVENIR RANGES

Give Users Perfect Satisfaction. London, April 20th, 1894. Messrs. Wyatt & Sns:
Gentlemen,—The Domestic "Souve-

nir" Range purchased from you for the Wellington street parsonage has given the most perfect satisfaction. I take great pleasure, therefore, in bearing testimony to its merits, not the least of which is its economy of fuel. I am yours sincerely, J. R. GUNDY, Pastor Wellington Street Methodist Church.

Messrs. Wyatt & Sons: Gentlemen,-Money could not pur-chase the "Souvenir" Range I bought from you unless I could get another. It gives genuine satisfaction, and can-PHILLIPS-In this city, on Jan. 3, 1898, not be excelled as a baker. I am much

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The tellyfish has no teeth, but uses himself as if he were a piece of paper when he is hungry, getting his food and then wrapping himself about it.

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READY FOR MAIL

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A BAD RUNAWAY.

Mr. John Dare Has His Leg Broken :

Two Places. A spirited horse attached to John H. Chapman's delivery wagon ran away in South London this morning. The horse started down the street at a break-neck speed, striking a telegraph ole, throwing the driver, Mr. John Dare, under the sleigh, where he was dragged for some distance, breaking one of his legs in two places. The unfortunate man was carried into Kemp's butcher shop. Dr. Piper was quickly summoned, and attended to the injured man, who was then removed to his home at 509 South street At last accounts Mr. Dare was resting quietly.

TORONTO MAYORALTY. Toronto, Jan. 4 .- The mayoralty contest yesterday resulted in a great sweep for Mayor Shaw. The vote was:
 Shaw
 12,602

 Macdonald
 8,462

Majority for Shaw 4,140 -The European Waltz Club assembly

has been postponed until Saturday. To heal the broken and diseased tissues, to soothe the irritated surfaces,

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ly cure piles, is the mission of Trask's

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agent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the general annual meeting of the shareholders of the London Street Railway Company will be held at the head office of the company, Bank of Commerce Building, Richmond street, in the city of London, Ont., or Wednesday, Jan. 12, 1898, at 3 o'clock p.m. By order C. E. A. CARR, Secretary.

Dated at London this 30th day of December,

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E.N. HUNT

190 DUNDAS STREET.

"What does this mean, this parrying of words?" he asked, in his stern, harsh tones. "You make me speak out" while the hint would have been sufficient for any other man. From your own deductions, if you cannot catch Gabriel Myddelton was staying at the hotel in Kinbury while you were there: vet one fact is gleaned from the there for that unusually lengthy time.

He had said it at last. The suspicion of nearly a year's growth had found language now, and neither the pallor nor flush or conscious guilt had, in that moment, found its way to Rovden's handsome face.

"And you have your proof now?" he gers on the handle of the bell. "I have my proof now," retorted Lawrence, staunchly, as he stood upon the rug trying to shake off his uneasi-

ness both of face and attitude. 'That's good," observed Royden, with the glimpse of South America which sometimes peeped out in tone and accent; and as he spoke he pulled aside the bell handle. "When you make an assertion it is good to be able to prove it. I conclude from your last remark, Mr. Haughton, that it was from you I received, some time ago, an anonymous letter threatening me with the law if I did not leave this country. Yes. I rang," he had turned to the servant then, and his tones were not more easy and unconcerned than they had before, "call a cab for Haughton. The answer to that cowardly and unsigned letter," he resumed, when Pierce had closed the door, "I leave any country at your bidding. You offered. I believe, in that letter-I had not patience to read it through, but I understood so much-to keep this onerous secret of my identity with the mur-derer of old Mr. Myddelton, of Abbotsmoor, if I would leave England at once. But you threatened, if I would not do so, to betray my real name to other members of your family; especially-if I understand aright, this was a very emphatic especially—Miss Honore Craven. I do not ask you for your motive, because it has been clear to me from the first, but I give you my answer once for all—I shall not in any way, either by my absence or promise, pamper to your own base ends and purposes. As for that one fact of my identity with Gabriel Myddelton, bring your proof when you are bold enough

to repeat the assertion." "I will," cried Lawrence, in a voice yourself of the immunity I have offered you. I shall go from here at once to Miss Craven—I say to her first," amended Mr. Haughton, the color rising in his moody face, as he brought forward this untrue excuse, "as being the most influential member of the family; and I shall lay the whole deception before her. From there I shall

"Your destination is a matter of no moment at all to me, sir. And your cab is waiting."

"Then you refuse this compromise?" blurted out Lawrence. Deficient in proof as he felt himself to be, he knew that a mutual arrangement would be a much safer and speedier arrangement for him than the arduous following up of this intangible

"I refuse all idea of compromise with you, Mr. Haughton. I do not even un-Cerstand the term as applicable between us. You are at liberty, as far as I am concerned, to go where you choose and to say what you choose. You have for months, been paving the way for this disclosure; pray finish the work you have in hand. Need I remind you once again that your cab is waiting?" "You understand, then," observed the lawyer, with a hard, long gaze into his companion's face,"that your real name and character are well known to me, and, before this day is over, shall be known to others. After I have left you, it will be too late for you to attempt further dissimulation."

"If you utter one word more of this kind to me, sir," interrupted Royden, raising himself from his leaning pos-ture against the chimney, and facing Lawrence Haughton with his long dark eyes aflame, "you shall answer for it in a way you little anticipate. Possibly your confidential clerk and ally has informed you how he was punished for dogging my footsteps practically as you have dogged them theoretically. Let

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"I shall consider now," exclaimed Mr. Haughton, his clenched fist shaking in his wrath, and his lips compressed and hard, "that you have brought upon yourself all that follows. I would, if you had accepted my very simple conditions, have guarded your secret. If you had left England-and no one knows better than yourself how dangerous for you is every hour's sojourn here-I would have buried the truth as safely as you yourself could do."
"A lawyer, I believe," observed Royden, carelessly, "understands the

meaning of such a term as misprison of felony."
"But-but," cried Lawrence, waxing hotter and hotter in his rage at the insinuation, and because there dawned no sign of acquiescence in the proud, still face opposite him, "if you choose to persist in passing yourself aff as a man of unblemished character and-"Be silent, sir," interrupted Royden, "my character is not in your hands to clear or blacken. I will thank you to understand that our interview is at an end. I have no word further to say

to you, unless I express the hope that in your further search for old Mr. Myddelton's murderer, you may be able to secure a more able auxiliary than your cowardly little clerk, and"-Royden's eyes under their heavy lashes were bright for a moment with quizzical amusement-"and a victim more easily cowed, and duped, and driven than myself. Good-evening."

With the last words he turned and sauntered to the window, opening the door as he passed it. The lawyer could hotel books—one only stranger put up not fail to understand the scornful hint, and he walked toward the door, Then you and Gabriel Myddelton are his heavy step heavier than usual. "Good-evening," he said, answering

with a scorn equal to Royden's, though avage instead of cool. "All which follows this interview, you have brought No answer from the figure standing

at the window, and Mr. Haughton left the room in a passion which, though suppressed, boded a thorough willing ness to inflict all the suffering which it lay in his power to give. The soft dusk of the May night fill-

ed the room where Royden sat; the letters were still unwritten, and the invitations still lay unheeded. Pierce had twice been in to rouse his master from and of the superior flash point of 103. his reverie, but Pierce's master was not to be roused. And, if Lawrence Haughton could just then have re-entered the handsome room, his feeling of mortification need not have weighed so heavily upon that exhilarating consciousness of approaching revenge. "Nine o'clock, sir. Will you not

The valet had lighted up the rooms now, and knew it was high time to disturb his master in earnest. Royden changed his seat, and drew a sheet of paper before him.
"Not yet, Pierce," he said. "I will ring in an hour's time. If I ring twice patch a telegram for me. I have not decided yet whether I will go myself." "But you promised to go, sir, and returned on purpose."

"Where?" never struck him that his master could have meditated any journey beyond the drive to Sir Philip Somerson's Lon-

Royden looked absently up from his writing while the explanation was given. Then he said he had not decided. With this unsually curt reply duct in his master that his surmises were many.

promised Mr. Haughton admission un- in 1870 the company was incorporated of suppressed rage; "and remember that after I have left your presence today, it will be too late for you to avail lieve he would almost bear anything opportunity to grow. What it really rather than harass her. I don't like amounts to the Rothschilds themselves that quiet, haughty look of his to-

CHAPTER XXVIII. Honore was holding a kind of festival at the Kensington mansion on the possible, Honore always did make her court. Pressed by the enemy, the welcome quite a festival; and many an Landgrave had no resource but to trust possible, Honore always did make her extra grain of pleasure and of happi-ness could she thus infuse into the The trust was faithfully kept and the visits which were paid her. The freshness and earnest cordiality of the girl's nature showed themselves in a strong light this evening, while she devoted herself with an almost comical excitement to make this arrival a matter of

And Phoebe, through all her wondering admiration of Honore's grandeur, and in the midst of her own selfconcentrated anticipations, could still notice how the old quaint brightness clung to Honore still, and wondered, almost to an earnest purpose, why Honore should make a fuss over the coming of a poor cousin, when there were so many servants in the house. ITo be Continued.1

The Master Key. A doctor scribes a dozen difdozen different reme dies for
the symptoms of one
disease is
like an oldtime turnkey lugging about a ponderous bunch of keys, each one to open a different door. blood is thin and watery and poisoned with bilious impurities this condition will show itself in evaluation. show itself in ev-ery part of the body and the av-erage doctor gives

one medicine for the stomach, another for the head, a third for the lungs and so on; as if each particular symptom was a separate dungeon of misery to be unlocked with its own particular key; but the scientific, experienced physician looks deeper and seeks the one master-key which unlocks them all.

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Importance of the Conflict Between the Rothschilds and Standard Oil Company,

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Petroleum Test May Be Raised, to Rockefeller's Disadvantage.

New York, Jan. 4.-If the Rothschild attack upon Standard oil, announced in The Advertiser by a cable dispatch, develops in Europe into open warfare, the world will see a battle royal in finance. For years the development of the Baku oil fields has been watched with concern by the Standard trust. In the United States it has no fears. The oil industry is shackled in its hands. But in Europe, a great and important field, it has not fared so well. There it has been checked by individual enterprise, and its usual methods made abortive by active agitation. However, it has a strong and important hold in nearly every quarter of the world.

With the Rothschilds warring against it, the Standard oil will meet an enemy such as it has not encountered here. It is a common saying abroad that when the Rothschilds project anything they do not admit the possibility of defeat.

MILLIONS AGAINST MILLIONS. Here the opposers of the trust have been weakened greatly by the dread of the Standard's great financial strength. But this weight of \$200,000,000 will not alarm the Rothschilds, according to the news by cable, for the Baku wells are themselves capable of developing a capital equal to that amount. The chief hold of the Standard abroad is that it has been able, at a vast profit, to dispose of the refined product at the low flash point of 73 The Rothschilds, however, purpose to put on the market refined oil at the same price as the Standard product, With this added factor of safety, the Baku oil, it is believed, will find a read-

ier market than the American. In addition, the Rothschilds are us ing their vast influences in British ard raised. But even if this effort is not successful, the marketing of the Baku oil at 103 will compel the Standard to raise the quality of its product, and thus the Rothschilds will strike the telling blow. At the flash point of 73, obtains a vast profit the Standard greatly decreased. Even now the son to the system. Dr. Parmelee's are prepared to manu ture refined oil much more cheaply

than can the Standard. ORIGINS OF TWO FORTUNES.

D. Rockefeller, head of the Standard Pierce explained sedately. It had oil trust, is about \$14 a minute. Thirty years ago he was a bookkeeper. He was born near Moravia, N. Y. this hamlet the family went to Cleveland. At 17 John D. Rockefeller went to St. Louis, and became a clerk in a the valet had to be content, but so un-used was he to any changeable con-porter, as his partner. This was the Standard Oil Company. From that it grew. It spread out little by little; "He returned on purpose for this then by leaps and bounds. It grew too ball," so the valet's musings ended, big for Andrews; he sold out for a "and I don't see what need have changed his decision. I wish I hadn't on. He took in Henry M. Flagler, and

night. It means suffering for the quoted in the London Times as \$2,000,-master." of Mayer Amschel Rothschild, a money lender in the Judengasse of Frankfort When Napoleon moved on the Land grave of Hesse in 1806 this Rothschild arrival of Phoebe Owen. When it was had risen to lending money to the favor of the kings was showered upon Rothschild.

> ONE MARRIAGE BLIGHED. Singerly (to friend recently married) -Why, old man, you look sad and dejected. Have you met with a disappointment in your matrimonial ven-

Wederly-Alas! yes. My wife cannot sing. Singerly-Can't sing! Why, man, that ought to cause you to rejoice. I think you are to be congratulated. Wederly-But the trouble is that she thinks she can.

GRAND OLD MEN IN CANADA. A London paper remarks that "Canada is the real producer of grand old men." Not to mention the great men of the past whose long lives have added greatness to the Dominion, attention is drawn to Sir Charles Tupper, who, although in his 80th year, crosses the Atlantic like the perennial school-boy; to Sir Donald Smith, now Lord Strathcona, the octogenarian statesman of Canada, who thinks no more of taking his passage on the Atlantic ferry than of summoning a hansom cab in the streets of Ottawa; and to Oliver Mowat, who in his 78th year is starting a new career as the lieutenant-governor of the Canadian Province of Ontario.

JUST AS HE PUT IT. Modest people should have a care. If carried to an extreme, modesty is liable to become ridiculous, as in a case reported by the St. Louis Globe-Demo-

Years ago a member of the Indiana Legislature, in a brand-new suit of broadcloth and a silk hat, gold-headed cane and white lawn tie, wandered up into the sanctum of the Courier-Journal, stood around in a listless way, looked over the papers, went cownstairs and came back several times. He was asked to take a seat, which he declined elaborately, and ended by drawing his chair in a confidential way up to the "Roundabout" man's desk. "Couldn't you," he said, "put in the paper that I am at the Galt House with my bride, and just fling in something about my being a prominent Indianian? I don't care anything about this sort of thing myself, but you know how the women are. I want 50 copies of the paper sent to this address." He laid down \$2 50, grinned, got red in the face, said "Good-morning," and vanished.

Next morning he read that "Mr. that he is at the Galt House with his bride; that he is a prominent member of the Indiana Legislature, and that he himself, personally, cares nothing for newspaper notoriety, but that a society note would be very gratifying to Mrs. Huckleberry. He added that he wanted 50 copies of the paper for he wanted 50

Why He Accepted. WHY HE ACCEPTED.

In the recently published memoir of Lord Tennyson, by his son Hallam, the present Lord Tennyson, the story of the poet's acceptance of the laureateship is given, together with his impartial view of all sides of the honor. When Tennyson was offered the lau-reateship he took a whole day to consider, and at last wrote two letters, one accepting, one refusing, and determined to make up his mind after a consultation with his friends at dinner. He said:

"In the end I accepted the honor because during dinner Venable told me that if I became poet laureate I should always, when I dined out, be offered the liver wing of the fowl."

Writing of this office to a friend, he said: "I have no passion for courts, but a great love of privacy. It is, I believe, scarce £100 a year, and my friend, R. M. Milnes, tells me that the the patent and court dress will swallow up all the first year's income The immediate result of becoming poet laureate was that poems and letters poured in, and Tennyson writes: "I get such shoals of poems that I am almost crazed with them. The two million poets of Great Britain deluge me daily with poems. Truly, the laureateship is no sinecure. If any good soul would by way of diversion send me a tome of prose!"

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Sound, 6 below-4 below; Toronto, 6-20; Ottawa, 6 below-8; Montreal, 6 below-12; Quebec, 10 below-12; Chatham, 16 below-12; Halifax, 4-32. Probabilities .- Toronto, Jan. 4-1 a. m.—Southeasterly and southerly winds; partly cloudy and milder, with local

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-Mrs. E. Burke, city, has been visiting at Alexandria. -Mrs. E. Mitchell, of Stratford, spent GOLDNER, 206 1/2 Dundas Street the holidays here.

-Miss Shortt, Stratford, spent New Year's day in London. -Miss Teresa Lewis, of this city, is visiting friends in Thorndale.

-Mr. James Virtue, of Brantford, spent the New Year's holidays here. -Mrs. A. Bicknell, of Woodstock, spent New Year's with friends here. -Miss Kathleen Rutherford, of Simcoe street, is visiting friends in Sarnia. 22 runs for one wicket down. -Mrs. Geo. Harris (nee Miss M. Lewis), of Woodstock, is on a visit to friends

-Miss Mulvaney, of this city, is visiting her friend, Miss McAlpine, at -Miss Maggie Acheson, of Brantford, is visiting Mrs. Geo. Donnelly, of

this citv. -Miss Nellie Conroy, of this city, is visiting her friend, Miss Katie Healey, -Mr. George T. Funnell, of Cincinnati, Ohio, is visiting her parents at 651

William street. -Mr. Allan King is visiting in Galt, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew King, reside. -Mr. James Graham, of Petrolia, is home from a three months' course at

Wolseley Barracks. -James Durkin, V.S., has been spending a few days with his parents, to revive racing at the kite track.

-Mr. Reginald Tansley, of the military school here, is visiting his uncle, R. M. Wilmot, at Gobles. -Capt. Thacker, of Stanley Barracks, Toronto, is the guest of Col. Buchan, of Wolseley Barracks. -Miss Maud Pitt and Miss Jennie Flock, of this city, have been visiting

Miss Laura Tilley, of Stratford.

-Rev. Canon Dann, of St. Paul's Cathedral, lectures in Mitchell on Thursday evening next in the town hall. -Miss Edna Freek and Gretta Pennington, of St. Thomas, are guests of Miss Cora Fairbairn, Colborne street. -Rev. Prof. Burgess, of the Western University, conducted services in the Anglican Church at Merlin on Sunday. -Misses Lizzie Pendergast and Ethel Durkin, city, have returned from visiting friends and acquaintances in

West Lorne. -Corporal Miller, of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, Toronto, is Quartermaster-Sergeant Galloway, of

-Mr. David Clark and Miss Sadie. his sister, of Wallaceburg, have returned home from visiting Mr.and Mrs. W. J. Anderson, of 559 Hill street. HORNER & CO., -Miss Maud Raymond has returned to Petrolia from St. Joseph's Academy, Toronto, and Miss M. H. Quinlan is



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city. Both are spending their holidays with their aunt, Mrs. T. Callihan, at Petrolia. -Mr. Alex. McFie, of the London asylum, is spending \$750 on alterations and additions to the building at the

northeast corner of King and Ridout -Miss Edith Wilcocks, of Brantford, who has been enjoying the holiday carry hundreds of surplus horses to season at the residence of Mrs. Mun-

son, Stanley street, South London, has returned home. -The mother of Mr. J. H. Leishman, King street, died yesterday in Montreal. Mr. Leishman left in the afternoon to attend the funeral which takes place tomorrow.

-The Collegiate Institute and the ticipating in a road race becomes suspublic schools have reopened after va- pended at the hands of the N. C. U., cation, with a large attendance of pu-pils. Mr. Riddle, of Sarnia, one of the newly-appointed teachers, has assumed his duties.

visit their brother Charles, and for Tom to obtain expert medical treatment for his hand and wrist, on which there is a growth that is seriously en-

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Sporting News.

CRICKET.

SCORED FOUR CENTURIES. Maclaren has scored the most centuries of the English cricketers in Australia, getting four of them, 142, 100, 181 and 109, and having a total of 688 for eight innings. Ranjitsinhji scored 708 in eight innings, his three centuries 0+0+0+0+0+0+00+0+0+0+0+0+0+0 being 189, 175 and 112 not out. Mason, Hayward, Druce, Stoddart and Hirst all have one century each. Briggs has been an utter failure, and except in matches against odds, has never got above one run, and of the scores of 50 and over Mason and Storer have three each, Ranjitsinhji and Hirst got two Ontario municipalities: each, Maclaren, Hayward and Druce

CRICKET IN AUSTRALIA. Melbourne, Victoria, Jan. 4.-In the second test match between the Australians and the visiting English cricketers, the former were all out for 520 runs. At the close of play yesterday afternoon the Englishmen had scored

Melbourne, Victoria, Jan. 4 .- At the close of play today the cricket match between the Australians and the visiting Englishmen, the latter had scored 311 runs for eight wickets in their first inning. The Australians in their first inning made 520 runs.

FOOTBALL. TOTALLY PARALYZED. Marysville, Cal., Jan. 4.—In a football game between the Marysville and Wheatlands clubs Monday, Claude Manwell, of Wheatlands, had his back bone broken, and recovery is impossible, he being totally paralyzed.

THE TURF. TIPS.

Joe Patchen's earnings were in the neighborhood of \$20,000 in 1897. In Russia last year a native-bred 3year-old filly won over \$11,000. A movement is on foot in Des Moines It cost Village Farm \$700 a month to Jas. Halliday, Wm. Krug and John train its stable of 48 head at Selma,

It is said that over \$100,000 was paid out for horses taken to Boston to beat the old pacer, Jewett, 2:14, when he

RED ROUGH

and painful finger ends, pimples, blackheads, oily, mothy skin, dry, thin, and falling hair, itching, scaly scalps, all yield quickly to warm baths with CUTICURA SOAP, and gentle anointings with CUTICURA (ointment), the great skin cure.

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reigned king of the snowpath for so long in that city. Of the twenty head sired by Allerton, that lately sold for \$16,415, an av-Step in and see our beautiful display of Muffs, erage of \$821 each, not one had a thoroughbred dam or granddam, which shows that buyers are not anxious for

near infusions of hot blood. De Brino now holds the short distance British trotting record, having gone a mile in 2:26½, from a standing start in a first-class handicap at Blackpool. He has an American re-cord of 2:17½. He was recently sold in England at auction for \$500. For several years past the top price for a trotter has exceeded that of the thoroughbred. Recently Hamburg was sold for something like \$40,000, and for

swell sales of recent years the bangtail again leads. There will be an immense number of norses used in Alaska next year. The large steamers which will leave will that land, from whence they never will return. This drain on the market will cause a rise in values as the supply will be limited.

WHEEL

SPOKES. Road racing has been entirely discontinued in England, and the rider par-

agers of Jimmy Michael and Eddie Bald The many friends of Mr. T. W. continues. The former threatens to Taylor, ex-mayor of the city (and brother of ex-Mayor George Taylor, of London), will be pleased to learn that he is able to be around again, after | Michael states that he never rode in his recent trying illness. - Winnipeg | real paced races until he came to this country. He says that the pacemakers —Master Tommy and Miss Hattie Greenway, William street, West London, left yesterday for Grand Rapids, to wisit their byether Charles and for to win a race in America than in Europe, where the pace actually wins the

The diamond frame is becoming more and more popular with wheelwomen. The wheel is especially desirable for hill climbing, and wheelwomen once on them quickly come to the conclusion that they were handicapped by riding the regular loop frame. From observations it is evident that women are more speedy on the diamond. The stiffness of the frame has the effect to

encourage greater speed. London is soon to follow the example set by the New York police department of appointing a squad of "bike cops." Bicyclists are now put to much trouble by the present methods used by the police in London in arresting a law-breaker, and instead of being hooked off their wheel by a hiding bobby, they will get a chance to at least see, and look out for the guardian of peace and property. It is thought before long January. London will adopt a lamp ordinance.

Outside Elections.

Successful Men in Monday's Con tests.

Western Ontario Cities, Towns, Villages and Townships Select Their Representatives.

Municipal elections were held throughout the province on Monday. Following are the results in Western Aylmer—Reeve, J. Miffer. Deputy reeve, J. H. Huffman. Councilor— Ward 2, John Kaiser, Thomas Hamilton, Daniel Gilbert. Wards 1 and 3 elected by acclamation. Mayor, J. J. Nairn (elected by acclamation). Aldborough-Councilors, ward No. 1, Alex. McIntyre; No. 2, W. McLean (acc.) No. 3, M. Leitch (acc.) No. 4,

B. Graham. Reeve, A. McColl (acc.)
Brantford—W. G. Raymond elected mayor by about 200. Bracebridge — Mayor, S. Brown. Reeve, Wm. Simmons. Bayfield—Reeve, George Erwin. Councilors, Dr. R. Stanbury, Thomas Clark, Jas. Thompson, Thomas Elliott. Trustees, John Pollock, Tom Cameron, John Whiddon. Brampton-Mayor, E. Crandell. Reeve, M. Treadgold. Deputy reeve, T. Thauburn. Belleville-Mayor, J. W. Johnston.

Berlin-Mayor, Geo. Rumpel. Reeve, Dr. L. B. Clemens. First deputy, Dr. G. H. Boulby. Second deputy, E. Bricker. Third, Maeller. Brussels-Reeve, W. H. Kerr. Councilors, W. H. Thomsen, George Back-er, R. Leatherdale and J. Warwick. Cobourg-Mayor, J. D. Hayden. Collingwood-Mayor, Chamberlain. Clinton-Mayor, R. Holmes. Councilors, J. R. Doherty, Jacob Taylor,

Chesley-Councilors, Dr. Grimsby,

Lackner. Dutton—Reeve, W. H. Backus. Councilors, T. E. Lilly, Fred Millard, James Muirison and Wm. Hillingshead. Dunwich—Reeve, John McDiarmid.
Councilors, W. W. Gow, George
O'Mally, Duncan McPherson, D. C.

Bowers, J. Ford.

Delhi-Reeve, W. A. Ferguson. Councilors, R. A. Quance, D. Dalton, A. Gearhard, A. Crysler. Exeter—Reeve, T. B. Carling. Deputy reeve, W. G. Bissett. Councilors, W. Harding, E. Christie and John Embro - Reeve, John Douglas. Councilors, D. S. Ross, James Bowles, Andrew Bain, J. W. Duncan (all elect-

ed by acclamation). Fergus-Councilors, J. Steele, Jas. Argo. J. J. Craig, Dr. Armstrong. School trustees, John Brownridge, Dr. Groves, J. Bayne.

Forest-Mayor, W. O. Hay. Reeve,
H. L. Morris. Councilors, ward 1, W. H. Bartram, D. A. McKellar, T. Jones; ward 2, H. L. Morphy, John Coults, Chas. McLean (acc.); ward 3, Thomas

Goderich-Mayor, Thompson. De-Goderich-Mayor, Thompson. Deputy reeve, Jas. Wilson. Two counuty-reeve, Noble Cluff. Councilors,
cilors yet to be elected for St. George's south ward, James McGinnis, George
W. Cryderman.

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Gravenhurst-Mayor, Chas. Mickle. Reeve, F. S. Hurlburt. St. James' ward, P. Hartnett, C. Peterson, W. Hearn. All the other wards

Huron-Reeve, R. Robertson. Deputy reeve, Robert Smith. Councilors,

John McDonald, George Humphery and Ed. Rennie. new candidates nominated have withdrawn, leaving old council re-elected by acclamation. Kingston-Mayor, Livingstone by over 300 majority.

Kincardine—Mayor, Dr. Martyn.
Listowel—Mayor, J. A. Hackling.
Reeve, A. W. Featherston. Deputy reeve, J. A. Tremain. Councilors, Bismarck ward, John Watson, C. Preuter; Gladstone ward, A. Robertson, J. Seburger; Victoria ward, R. K. Hall, M. McD. Fleming; Dufferin ward, R. Woods, W. Pelton; Lansdowne ward, C. Anderson, D. D. Campbell. London Township-Reeve, Jas. H. Hodgins (majority 21). First deputy, 200). Third deputy, Thos. Clark (acc.) Fourth deputy, Chas. Needham (acc.)
Leamington—Mayor, P. J. Coulson.
Reeve, J. S. Greenhill. Deputy reeve,
P. Chamberlain. Councilors, north
ward, McDonald and McClutchey.

Tabbury Wes West End, Craig and Pearl.

Milton—Mayor, P. Stuart, M.D.

Mitchell—Wm. Ryan, mayor; John
White, jun., reeve; Fred Dufton, deputy. Councilors, south ward, Walter

Thompson, R. Thorne, W. Martyn; C. H. I north ward, J. Coppin, I. Hord, A. Newell. Burrill; west ward, F. Davies, F. B. Thame Niagara Falls—Mayor, Fred W. Hill. Niagara—Mayor, T. F. Best. New Hamburg—Reeve, Louis Peine. Councilors, I. M. Clemens, Thos. Mitchell. H. J. Steefelmeyer, W. H. Web-

Napanee-Mayor, Thos. Jamieson. Norwich-Reeve, H. S. Moore. Councilors, Hicks, Hulet Cressman and Yeo. Ottawa—Mayor, Bingham (acc.) Oakville—Mayor, John Urquhart, Petrolea-Mayor, Chas. Egan, 103 ma-Port Stanley-Councilors, C. King, C. Cromwell, G. Thorne, W. Stacey. School trustees, Mothersill, Mark Berry,

Reeve, W. J. Falconer. Councilors, Nahrgang, Bettie, Burns, Biodgott, Lawrence, Wooldridge, Hayes, Welsh, Ranton. Preston—Reeve, Otto Humith.
Parkhill—Mayor, A. M. Miller. Reeve,
Wm. Boyce. Alderman, ward No. 1, D. McLeod, Neil McPhee; ward No. 2,

W. W. Sutherland, Wm. Ritchie; ward No. 3,J. Hall, C. H. Gibbs.

Paris-Mayor, J. H. Fisher. Reeve,

R. Brock. Deputy-reeve, O. Hitchcox. Councilors, north ward, M. Ryan, D.

John Bell (acc.); ward 3, M. Brodie Thatcher. Councilors, ward 1, J. C. Dixon, George S. Ewell; trustee,

ward. Nominations Saturday, the 8th | Sills, R. Willus; east ward, J. G. Wilson, J. Darwin, F. G. Neeler. Sarnia — Mayor Dr. T. G. Johnston. Reeve, David Barr. First dep-Gananoque—Mayor, W. B. Carroll.
Guelph—Aldermen, St. George's deputy reeve, David Barr. First deputy reeve, Dr. Wm. Logie. Second deputy reeve, N. B. Proctor. Third deputy reeve, John Rainsberry. Counst. James' ward, P. Hartnett, C. Petercilors, first ward, E. P. Watson, cilors, first ward, E. P. Watson, Thos. Manchester, W. F. B. Colter; second ward, Jas. Watson, Timothy Howard—Crowder, reeve; Handy, ward, W. H. Minifie, John Barron, J. first deputy, and Boothroya, second W. Needham: fourth ward David Milne, A. Shepperd, W. J. Proctor.

St. Marys - Mayor, all councilors and all school trustees elected by acclamation. Simcoe - Councilors, north ward, Hespeler-Since nomination the two Sutton, McCall, Wark; center ward, Jackson, McKie and Leask; south ward, Mason, Marlatt and McGill. St. Thomas — Mayor, F. W. Wright (acc.) Aldermen, ward No. 1, R. Mc-Cully, Geo. Ponsford; No. 2, T. Meek, C. F. Maxwell; No. 3, J. S. Robertson, A. J. Clark; No. 6, A. Lochead, S. Chant; No. 4, Jesse Wallis and Rich-

ard Sanders; No. 5, P. Meekam and D. McCallum. Springfield—Reeve, M. M. Black. Councilors, S. Babcock, J. Lindsay, A. Cottington, J. Muller. Southampton-Reeve, A. E. Belcher. Tilbury Village—Reeve, J. R. Palm-er. Councilors, Charles Clark, L. La-John R. Hodgins (acc.). Second deputy, plante, W. D. Smith, J. Wilson. School puty, Jos. McLeod (majority about trustees, T. Anderson, M. Sharpe, M.D., R. Smith.

Tabury West-Reeve, Thomas Dunmore. Deputy reeve, W. Dalgliesh. Councilors, R. Jackson, A. Kendrick, Toronto-Mayor, John Shaw, 4,139 majority over E. A. Macdonald. Tilsonburg—Reeve, George Brasher. Deputy reeve, John McRae. Councilors, south ward, E. V. Tilson, J. A. Graves, Jos. Clark (acc.); east ward,

C. H. Denton, V. A. Sinclair, P. Z. Thamesville - Reeve, E. S. Hubbell. Councilors, Birchall, Hopkins, Newcomb and Sherman. School trustees, Albertson, Davies and E. S. Hub-

Usborne - Reeve, Thomas Hawkins.

Councilors, T. Howden, Jos. Williams, S. W. Louks and R. Hill. School trustees, J. White, F. Kenward and R. T. Wallaceburg-D. A. Gordon, mayor. W. H. Heath, reeve. H. A. Stonehouse, deputy. In St. James' ward, W. Bremner, W. J. McDonald and B. M. Hubble, councilors. St. Andrew's ward, Thomas Hays, M. Martin and J. B. Mc-Dougal, councilors. St. George's ward, T. B. West, S. L. Mann and T. S.

Hodges, councilors. West Lambton-Reeve, J. J. Coyle. Palmerston—Mayor, E. K. Scott.
Reeve, W. J. Falconer. Councilors,
Nahrgang, Bettie, Burns, Blodgott,
Lawrence, Wooldridge, Hayes, Welsh,
West Lambton—Reeve, William Young.
First deputy reeve, William Young.
Second deputy, T. H. Carter. Councilors, J. M. Elliott, Fred McMahon.
Waterloo—Mayor, J. B. Hughes (acc.) Reeve, J. R. Kaufman. Deputy reeve,

Wingham - Mayor, J. A. Morton. Reeve, new nomination. J. P. Reeve, J. Angus. Councilors, ward 1, A. Robinson, J. D. Long: ward No. 2, L. Hanson, H. Lemmet; ward 3, Dr. Kennedy, J. Reading; ward 4, Geo. Newton; another nomination.

Windsor — Mayor, John Davis (by acciamation). Aldermen, ward No. 1,

Jas. Carney, M. Bryen, J. McConnell Picton—Mayor, James A. Clapp.
Ridgetown—Mayor, J. A. Dart. Reeve,
(all by acclamation). Trustee, F. Hou(all by acclamation). Trustee, F. Hou-(acc.)

Galt—Mayor, reeve, first, second and Looke, E. K. Watson; ward 2, T. Craig, Wigle; ward No. 3, J. H. Connolly, Galt—Mayor, reeve, first, second and M. G. Hay; ward 3, H.Cameron and a S. Dupuis, R. L. Dunn; trustee, P. A. third deputy reeves re-elected by ac- | tie between W. Bowman and W Mills; | Barnes; No. 4, Jas. McMurray, P. Vigward 4, A. Long and Geo. Middleditch. | neux, C. Baxter; trustee, J. Carney.