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TOWN COUNCIL.

Monday, Feb. 6, 1882. Present-W. G. Stevenson, A. W. Pringle, J. G. King, H. H. Burnham, H. A. Ward, F. Beamish, A. Winslow, W. McKee, E. Budge and the Mayor.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Thos. Dayman, stating that he had been obliged to give up the butchering business, and that he having paid \$20 for license for the year and there were yet six months to run, wished a rebate of \$10. Referred to Finance and Assessment.

A petition which is in circulation amongst the various Councils of towns and villages in the Province was received and read. There was a printed circular enclosed, asking the Council to take steps in the matter contain-

ed in the petition, which read as follows:

That, whereas it is expedient and desirable that all towns and villages secure the establishment and maintenance of efficient Fire Appliances to protect the property of citizens from fire, and while provision is made in existing municipal laws for same, still from opposing interests involved they are in a large measure inoperative, from the fact that small proprietors, however small, in the suburbs, whose property may not be improved at all, or if improved, being solated secures minimum rates of insurance, have as much voice in the matter of fire protection as the larger proprietors in the compactly built business part of the cor-poration, who have to pay minimum rates of

insurance. For the reasons aforesaid, your petitioners are desirous that the laws in relation to the provision of fire apparatus may be changed, and pray that Councils may be empowered to raise loans for purchase of same on pre-sentation of a petition of legally qualified petitioners or ratepayers, representing say 60 per cent. of the improved property on the assessment roll, or in manner now provided for the erection of local improve-

ments. And your petitioners will, as in duty bound, ever pray, etc.

REPORTS. Mr. A. Hugel, the chairman of the Committee on Manufactures, presented a report of an interview with several manufacturers

that they had been in negotiation with. Two Bills now before the Local Legislature, one a Government Bill and the other a private Bill of the Council, concerning the extension of the waterworks, were received from Dr. Brereton and laid on the table.

	THE MARKET CLERK
	made the following report for January:-
	Market Fees. \$23 49 Weigh Scales 26 90 Butchers' Stalls 3 00 Town Hail 6 60
	Total
9	Total amount on Roll829,264 62
4	Omitted in Assessment 6 00 5 % collected 158 80

HARBOR BOARD. The statement of the Harbor Board Commissioners for the year 1881 was laid on the table. The following is the report as pre-

Total.....\$29,429 42

sented:-RECRIPTS. Bal. at debit of A. Cochrane. \$ 15 40

" Bank of Toronto 1,818 23

Tolls on Imports 3,185 98

" Exports 20,237 97

" Vessels 538 00

Storage Collections 302 45

Amount of note discounted 2,600 00

Interest on Bank deposits 49 30

Harbor property account 1,500 00

Rents 60 80 \$20,727 83

EXPENDITURES. Jan. 1, 1881— Bills Phyable paid Harbor Com.'s note
 Dredging account
 2,538
 35

 Port Hope Corporation
 11,517
 67

 Salaries
 2,400 00

 Harbor Debentures
 5,680 00

 Bal. at debit of A. Cochrane
 7 13

 " Bank of Toronto
 835 06

Certified to by Auditors. FINANCE REPORT. The report of the Finance Committee recommending the payment of the following accounts was submitted and adopted:-Henry White.....\$ 50 00

STREETS AND BRIDGES

Committee presented the following report recommending the advertising for 40,000 ft. of 3x5 cedar scantling, 35,000 ft. of pine plank 10x12, 3,000 cedar posts, from 5 to 12 inches in diameter, without sap, 8 and 16 ft. long, -each 8 ft. to be counted a post.

That tenders be advertised for the gravelling of Ontario and Molson streets by the yard, of gravel delivered on said streets. such gravelling to be commenced on lat of March and finished by 1st of April, the whole to be under the supervision of the Streets and Bridges Committee and the Street Surveyor.

That the Cobourg Road Co'y be notified to put in proper shape that portion of the road within the corporation. FIRE, WATER AND GAS

Committee reported that the sum of thirty dollars be voted to Francis Beamish, for the purpose of making an improvement in his water pump.

The report of the Committee to whom was referred the letter of E. A. Macnachtan, in the Arbitration case, was received. It recommended contesting the decision of the Arbitrators, and placing the matter in the hands of a solicitor. Pending the result of the same, no action, it stated, would be taken by the town for the present. The report was adopted without discussion. A motion to adopt the report of the Fire,

Water and Gas Committee, called Coun. P. T. KELLAWAY Burnham to his feet. He wanted to know what this \$30 was to be paid F. Beamish

Coun. Budge would like to have something more definite on it.

Coun. Stevenson said that this matter had been up before, and the Council had decided to pay this amount to Mr. Beamish. We have no protection from fire in the neighborhood of Mr. Beamish's mill, and Mr. B. had made such alterations in the pump as would assist the town in case of fire. The expense of fixing pump was \$120, and he only asked

Report was adopted.

Coun. King, in moving the adoption of the report of the Streets and Bridges Committee, said that they did not intend to do very much in the way of extending sidewalks, etc., but that it was their purpose to keep the old sidewalks in good repair, and pay particular attention to crossings, which in many places were in a miserable state at present. He thought it was a good idea to do gravelling when the roads were hard; and also to keep the principal streets leading into town in a good state of repair. There had been some complaint about the Cobourg Road, and the Company should be notified to put it in a proper state of repair. It would be seen by the report that not quite as much scantling had been ordered as last

Coun. Burnham thought the report did not go far enough. If a lot of hard heads were brought into town and oracked for the roads, it would be an excellent idea. Hard heads make an excellent road, and like soft stone, did not wear out by crumbling down. They would be found cheaper than gravel in the long run.

The Mayor reminded the Council that they would have to build a costly school this summer, and that they had better make provision for it in their estimates.

Coun. Budge wanted something more definite. He would like to know what amount they wanted for that section. Coun. McKee said that Pine street was neither drained nor lighted and was almost

impassable at some seasons. Something

ought to be done for it. Coun. Pringle said that the committee did not intend to single out Ontario street, but that Walton and other streets would come in, in their turn.

Coun. McKee wanted the thing fairly divided. Coun. King said that the work could be done in one month, so that it would not take a very large sum. He said our best trade

came from Monaghan and Rice Lake district, so that those streets should be kept in good order. Coun. Beamish thought Ontario street

should be attended to. Coun. Budge thought that whatever amount of gravel was used should be equally divided between the three wards. As a representative of an important ward, he claimed that money should not all be spent in one section—a place where he considered there was very little traffic.

Coun. King said we were here to do busistreet happened to be in his own ward, he thought that Coun. Budge had no right to insinuate that he was trying to appropriate all for his part of the town. They needed it the most, and were important streets.

Coun. Stevenson gave notice that he would introduce a By-law at next meeting, to appoint certain municipal officers. Coun. Ward thought, in regard to the Bill before the House, that the amount, \$30,000, was too small. If at any other time an additional amount was wanted, the expense of

The report was adopted.

extra legislation would be required. Coun. Burnham agreed with this. Coun. Budge was opposed to increasing the liabilities to any greater extent. \$30,000 was quite sufficient.

Couns. Ward and Burnham explained that none of this money could be used without a direct vote of the people, so that the ratepayers would be quite safe. Coun. Stevenson thought that the general

bill to be passed by the Government would cover any future emergency. It was moved by Coun. Stevenson, and seconded by Coun. Pringle, -That Mr. Dickson, the Collector, be instructed and authorized to continue the levy and collection of the unpaid taxes of 1881, in the manner and with the power provided by law for the

general levy and collection of taxes. Carried. It was moved by Coun. King, and seconded by Coun. Pringle,—That the Collector be instructed to make a return to this Council by the next meeting, of the number of warrants issued by him during the past year, the names of the parties and the amount of the taxes on each warrant, and a full return of all costs collected or charged

on each, by whomsoever. Coun. King said he moved this not as a reflection upon the Collector, because he believed he was an efficient officer, but because complaints had been made to him, that in the case of warrants being issued, excessive charges had been made by the bailiffs or

constables serving them. Coun. McKee asked what the cests were that should be charged. Coun. Stevenson—The same as in Division Court cases. The Collector intends having a schedule of costs hung up in his

office for the guidance of constables. The motion was carried. Coun. Ward referred to the charges in the case of arrearages. A By-law passed several years ago provided for the payment of taxes by instalments. He took the clause, authorizing the payment of 5 % charges on arrearages, to mean that this should be charged on the whole amount for a year, and not on separate instalments. The way it was col-lected at present it amounted to 100 per cent. per annum, instead of five per cent. This was a great hardship to the poor

people, in fact it was an outrage. Council went into committee of the whole to consider the By-law to open up a new street to be called Wright St. The By-law received its second reading. The Mayor stated that a number of farm

ers had spoken to him concerning the aboli tion of the Market Fees, and they were all unfavorable to the idea. A petition would be circulated among the farmers to that effect at once. Coun. Stevenson stated that one of the ladies of the Home had been speaking to

low, that they could not carry it on. Coun. King again brought up the matter of the extension of the water-works. The matter was left to the Committee to watch the Bill in Legislature, to say whether the amount of liabilities as named in the Bill should be increased or not.

received some support, the finances were so

The Council was pretty evenly divided upon the question, an expression of opinion being taken in order to guide the Committee. Connoil then adjourned.

PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD.

Wednesday, February 1. Present-L. Ross, Drs. Clemesha and

Powers, G. M. Furby, R. Dickson and E. Budge. Mr. L. Ross was elected chairman of the

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

COMMUNICATIONS.

A letter was received from Mr. Griffin, which read as follows:-

Port Hope, Feb. 1st, 1882. DEAR SIR,--Having been just appointed mathematical master in the Woodstock High School, I beg herewith to resign my position in the Port Hope Public Schools, my resignation to take effect at once.

Yours respectfully,
A. D. GRIFFIN. To Lewis Ross. REPORTS.

Mr. D. J. Goggin, Principal of the Public Schools, presented the following report of the attendance for January:-Roll No. percentage of attendance. " Girls, "
Boys, junior. "
Girls, "
Boys, senior. "
Girls, "
Boys, junior. "
Girls, "

FINANCE REPORT. The payment of the following accounts were recommended:-

Total..... 869

James Evans, hardware...... 3 39 H. V. Sanders..... 4 00 \$20 59 The report of the Finance Committee was

adopted.

Mr. Tilley's half-yearly report, concerning inspection of Port Hope Schools, was presented and is as follows:-To the Chairman and Members of the Public

School Board, Port Hope: GENTLEMEN,-After a very careful and minute examination of your public schools for the half-year just closed, I have to report as follows: I found the primary schools properly grad-

ed, in excellent order and doing good work.

The improvement in the senior division of

the East Primary was very marked. The

good spirit and earnestness which prevail among all the primary classes reflect much

CRNTRAL SCHOOL. I found Miss Gilmour's division considerably improved since my previous visit, especially in geography, reading and definition of words and phrases. In spelling and arithmetic the work was a little below

the standard of the corresponding division

of boys. In Miss Ida Halliday's division the results were very satisfactory indeed, especially in the important subject of spelling, which requires the utmost care in the beginning of a child's school course. Twelve words were given to each pupil, and fifteen pupils made no mistakes; fifteen more made only one

error each. The girls and boys in the 3rd senior diviion, taught by Miss Maggie Halliday and Miss Harris, were tested by the same examination in all subjects and acquitted themselves well, and with a very marked similarity of results. In arithmetic the result was a tie in both divisions. In grammar the answering was perhaps a little better by the boys than by the girls; while in geography and spelling the advantage was with the girls. In ability to grasp the meaning of the subject of the reading lessons and to express the meaning in their own words, the girls did exceedingly well. The spirit in both

these divisions is deserving of the highest praise and shows the effect of most excellent esching. I found Miss Thompson's division in very good condition and considerably improved since my last visit. In grammar and spelling the results were particularly good; in the latter subject the average of errors was but but that it was often a very difficult matter one and one-thirteenth in twenty. The reading and geography were very good and the

arithmetic fair, with an average of one-half correct. In examining Miss Thornhill's division I was particularly pleased with the fine literary taste developed among the pupils, which was most strikingly shown in their ability to grasp the author's meaning and construe difficult blank verse. The pupils acquitted themselves exceedingly well in all their subjects, and I have no hesitation in awarding

the palm to this division. The 4th division senior girls and boys, taught by Miss Marshall and . Miss Shaw, were examined on the same paper. The reading was weak in both divisions, but the girls were quite intelligent in expressing the meaning of the lesson read; the same cannot be said of the boys. In spelling, the girls did well, the boys fairly. In geography and grammar both classes did well. In arithmetic the results were very fair, with the advantage slightly on the boys' side. In history the boys made a very good average, nearly

sixty per cent., girls not examined.
In the 5th class, taught by Mr. Griffin, the reading was rather poor, though the pupils did very fairly in grasping the meanings of passages read. The spelling was good by a few, fair by the class generally. The answering in all the other subjects of the programme was very good.

WRITING.

I examined the writing in all the divisions. In the primaries I found the pupils were doing very well indeed and showing much care, especially in the West Primary. In the Central School the boys write well and go on improving up to the 4th senior, where they fall off badly. The copy books in the 3rd him about a grant to that institution from senior division of boys would do credit to the Council. She stated that unless they any school. In the junior division of girls the writing is quite on a par with that of the boys; but when the style is changed from round to angular the results are not so good for a time. In Miss Marshall's room the standard comes up again.

The schools were subjected to a thorough

examination, and the results were in nearly every case very satisfactory indeed. A very fine spirit of emulation is noticeable in all the divisions, and it affords me much pleasure to bear testimony to the faithfulness and | take if the parents will get them to sit in the efficiency of the staff of teachers and of the | chair at Mundy's Photo Studio, Port Hope.

general management. On account of the unusually large number of changes made in the staff for the present year, it must not be expected that the same standard which exists at present can be maintained at least during the first half of the year. In concluding my report I must again call attention to the insufficient and unsuitable accommodations furnished for the Central Primary School, and urge upon you the duty of providing a suitable building with proper play-

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,
J. J. TILLEY,
ry 20, 1882. Town Inspector. January 20, 1882.

STANDING COMMITTEES. It was moved by Mr. Dickson, seconded by Mr. Budge,—That the standing committees for the ensuing year be composed of the

following gentlemen:-Visiting — For West Primary— Messrs.
Budge and Furby and Dr. Powers; for East
Primary—Messrs. Dickson and Ross and Dr.
Clemesha; for Central Primary—Drs. Clemesha and Powers and Mr. Dickson; for the Central School-The whole Board.

Furnishing Committee-Mr. Budge and Drs. Powers and Clemesha. Finance Committee-Messrs. Furby. Dick-

son and Budge.

SUBJECTS DISCUSSED. The resignation of A. D. Griffin, first assistant model school teacher, came in for a good deal of censure, by members of the Board. It appears that Mr. Griffin had applied for a situation as mathematical master in Woodstock High School, and his application was accepted. In his new position, the emoluments are greater to the extent of \$200, so that the gentleman in question considered that sum of greater moment than breaking faith with the Board, and a sufficient justification for his conduct. The members of the Board felt very much inconvenienced, and expressed themselves very decidedly upon, what they considered, very ungentlemanly and dishonorable conduct on the part of Mr. Griffin. Some were for ac-cepting his resignation and passing a vote of censure upon him, while others thought that in censuring him they would be censuring themselves also, for their neglect in not having an agreement with Mr. Griffin. It was finally decided, as nothing else could be done, to advertise for another teacher, and this time make sure that the affair was bind-

ing. Accordingly the tollowing motion was Moved by Mr. Furby, seconded by Mr. Budge,-That the Secretary be instructed to advertise in the same form as in last August, in the Globe and Mail, on alternate days,

for a teacher to take the place of first assistant in the Model School. Carried. Mr. Budge drew the attention of the Board to the fact that complaints had been made to him about children being sent home for notes from some of the schools, and thought it was a great indiscretion and a hardship for a child, if he be a few minutes ate, to have to go home for a note matter received attention for a short time and was discussed pro and con. Mr. Goggin. who was present, explained the matter satisfactorily by stating that he gave instructions to the teachers, that if a child was late, not to send him home then but require a note from him on returning at noon. In this case he thought the rule, perhaps, had been over-stepped, but was sure the matter

would be arranged to the satisfaction of the parents. Dr. Clemesha asked the question, if it was not possible, in some way, to compel personal cleanliness on the part of the scholars. He referred to cases in the Central School where, he was informed, that some went who were neither clean in their person nor in their clothes. It was a subject of a great deal of importance, sanitarily as well as morally considered. Poverty was no excuse for unclesnliness, for no matter how poor a person. was he could at least keep his children clean. He had heard of cases in which the clothes smelled very badly and were even infested with vermin. It was not right to inflict such children upon others who were clean and respectable, and some measures should be taken to remedy it. Of course, this was

not general, but such cases were 'known to exist. This gave the occasion for suggesting preventatives. Some thought that the janitor should be empowered to send children home that were not clean, before entering school. Mr. Dickson thought that the Visiting Committee could do a good deal in this way. Mr. Goggin said that the school law gave the teacher full power to enforce cleanliness, to successfully carry it out. Uncleanliness was in most instances confined to the

Quite a long informal conversation took place over the question of building a new school house to take the place of the Central School now above the Engine House. A number of sites were proposed, or rather mentioned, as obtainable, and their advantages and disadvantages discussed. As a result, the following motion was put and carried:-Moved by Mr. Budge, seconded by Dr. Clemesha,—That this Board be a committee

clothes.

to examine and report at a future meeting, the most suitable locality for a school site, to take the place of the Central School over the Engine House.

Moved by Mr. Dickson, seconded by Mr. Furby,-That the Secretary be instructed to make out an order in favor of Mr. Goggin. for one hundred dollars (\$100) for services

in Model School, and that the chairman sign said order. Carried.

The Board then adjourned. LOCOMOTIVE SPARKS.

The "missing link" survey has been finished and the contract will probably be awarded to Mr. Beemer of Montreal. Mr. Fowlds of Hastings is purchasing the right of way from Peterborough to Omemee. It is rumoured that the Midland

motives, six of which are to be coal burners, to be used for drawing passengers trains exclusively. Onward, is the motto of our road. Surveyors are at work to locate the line

Company have ordered twelve new loco-

of the Ontario and Quebec from Peterborough to Port Perry. Surveying parties through the North

Country are so thick that it is impos-

sible to keep track of them. \$5.00 REWARD will be given for any crying, kicking, squealing, or cross baby I cannot

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SENDING A VALENTINE.

I might begin, "The rose is red,"
(Though that is not so very naw),
Or this the boys all think is good:
"If you love me as I love you."

But,—seems to me,—a valentine Is nicer, when you do not say The same old things that every one Keeps saying, in the same old way.

And I asked Jane, the other night,

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What grown-up people write about.
She would not answer me at first,
But laughed till I began to pout.
That stopped her, for she saw I meant
The question (and she will not lease).
"Why—love," she said, "and shining eyes,
A kiss, se't bair—just what they please."
It can't be hard, if that is all,
So I'll begin by saying this:

To my dear lady beautiful,
I send a valentine and kiss.
The valentine, because she has
The loveliest hair and gentlest eyes;
The kiss, because I love her more
Than any one beneath the skies;
Because she is the kindest, best,
The avertest lady eyer known; The sweet at lady ever known; And every year I'll say the same, The very same, to her alone!

There! Now it's finished. Who will do? Fre thought of one and then another. Who is there like it? Why, of course, I'll send it right away to mother KATE KELLOGO, in "St. Nicholas" for February.

THE WHITE SATIN DOMINO.

The period of Napoleon's career when at its zenith, is full of romantic adventures as connected with the history of the officers' lives that served under the great captain. He was quick to observe merit and prompt to reward it, and this was what made his followers so devoted to him, and so anxious to distinguish themselves by prowess in battle, and strict soldierly conduct in the Emperor's ser-

Colonel Eugene Merville was an attache of Napoleon's staff. He was a soldier in the true sense of the worddevoted to his profession, and brave as a lion. Though very handsome, and of fine bearing, he was of humble birth-a mere child of the camp, and had followed the drum and bugle from boyhood. Every step in the line of promotion had been won by the stroke of his sabre; and his last promotion from major of cavalry was for a gallant deed which transpired on the battle-field beneath the Emperor's own eye. Murat, that prince of cavalry officers, loved him like a brother, and taught him all that his good taste and natural instinct had not led him to acquire

It was the carnival season in Paris, and young Merville found himself at the masked ball in the French Opera House. Better adapted in his taste to the field then the boudoir, he flirted but little with the figures that covered the floor, and joined but seldom in the giddy waltz. But at last , while standing thoughtfully, and regarding the assembled throng with a vacant eye, his atten-tion was suddenly aroused by the appearance of a person in a white satin domino, the universal elegance of whose figure, manner, and bearing, convinced all that her face and mind must be equal to her person in grace and loveliness.

Though in so mixed an assembly, still there was a dignity and reserve in the manner of the white domino that rather repulsed the idea of a familiar address. and it was some time before the young soldier found courage to speak to her. Some alarm being given, there was a violent rush of the throng toward the door, where, unless assisted, the lady would have materially suffered. Eugene Merville offered his arm, and with his broad shoulders and stout frame warded off the danger. It was a delightful moment; the lady spoke the purest French; was witty, fanciful, and capt

"Ah! lady, pray raise that mask, and reveal to me the charms of feature that must accompany so sweet a voice and so graceful a form as you possess."
"You would perhaps be disappointed."

"No, I am sure not."

"Are you so very confident?"

"Yes, I feel that you are beautiful. It cannot be otherwise." "Don't be too sure of that," said the

domino. "Have you never heard the Irish poet Moore's description of the veiled prophet of Khorassan-how, when he disclosed his countenance, its hideous aspect killed his beloved one? How do you know that I shall not turn out a veiled prophet of Khorassan?" "Ah, lady, your every word canvinces

me to the contrary," replied the enraptured soldier, whose heart began to feel as it had never felt before; he was already in love.

She eluded his efforts at discovery, but permitted him to hand her to her carriage, which drove off in the darkness, and though he threw himself upon his fleetest horse, he was unable to overtake

The young French colonel became moody; he had lost his heart, and knew not what to do. He wandered hither and thither, shunned his former places of amusement, avoided his military companions; and in short was as miserable as a lover could well be, thus disappoint- Fronto stationers. ed. One night, just after he had left his hotel on foot, a figure muffled to the very ears stopped him.

"Well, Monsieur, what would you with me?" asked the soldier.

"You would know the name of the white domino?" was the reply. "I would, indeed," replied the officer, hastily. "How can it be done?"

"Follow me." "To the end of the earth, if it will

bring me to her."

"But you must be blindfolded."

"Very well."

"Step into this vehicle." "I am at your command,"

And away rattled the young soldier and his strange companion.

"This may be a trick," reasoned Eugene Merville; "but I have no fear of personal violence. I am armed with this trusty sabre, and can take care of

But there was no cause for fear, since he soon found the vehicle stopped, and he was led blindfolded into a house. When the bandage was removed from his eyes, he found himself in a richly furnished boudoir; and before him stood the domino just as he had met her at the masked ball. To fall upon his knees, and tell her how much he had thought of her since their separation, that his thoughts had never left her, that he loved her devotedly, was as natural as to breat e, and he did so most gallantly and sincerely.

"Shall I believe all you say?"

"Lady, let me prove it by any test you may put upon me." "Know then, that the feelings you

ayow are mutual. Nay, unloose your arm from my waist. I have something more to say.

"Talk on forever, lady! Your voice is music to my heart and ears." "Would you marry me, knowing no

more of me then you now do?" "Yes, if you were to go to the very tained.

altar masked!" he replied.

"Then I well test you."

"How lady?" "For one year be faithful to the love you have professed and I will be yours— as truly as Heaven shall spare my life.' "O, cruel suspense!" "You demur?"

"Nay, lady; I shall fulfil your injunetion as I have promised." "If at the expiration of a year you do not hear from me the contract shall be null and void. Take this half ring," she continued, "and when I supply the

broken portion I will be yours."

He kissed the little emblem, swore again and again to be faithful, and, pressing her hand to his lips, bade her adieu. He was conducted away again as myster-

iously as he had been brought thither, nor could he by any possible means dis-cover where he had been, his companion rejecting all bribes, and even refusing to answer the simplest questions.

Months rolled on. Colonel Merville

was true to his vow, and happy in the anticipation of love. Suddenly he was ordered on an embassy to Vienna, that gayest of all European capitals, about the time that Napoleon was planning to marry the Archduchess Marie Louise. The young colonel was handsome, manly, and already distinguished in arms, and became at ouce a great favorite at court, every effort being made by the women to captivate him, but in vain; he was constant and true to his vow.

But his heart was not made of stone; the very fact that he had entertained such tender feeling for the white domino had doubtless made him more susceptible than before. At last he met the young Baroness Caroline Waldorff, and in spite of his vows she captivated him, and he secretly cursed the engagement he had so blindly made in Paris. She seem to wonder at what she believed to be his devotion, and yet the distance that he maintained. The truth was, his sense of honor was so great, that although he felt he really loved the young baroness, and even that she returned his affection, still he had given his word, and it was

sacred. The satin domino was no longer the ideal of his heart, but assumed the most repulsive form in his imagination, and became, in place of his good angel, his

evil genius! Well, time rolled on; he was to return in a few days; it was once more the carnival season, and in Vienna, too, that gay city. He joined in the festivities of the masked ball, and what wonder filled his brain when about the middle of the evening the white domino stood before him, in the same white satin dress he had seen her wear a year before at the French Opera House in Paris. Was it not a

"I come, Colonel Eugene Merville, to hold you to your promise," she said, lay-

ing a hand lightly upon his arm.
"Is this reality or a dream?" asked the amazed soldier. "Come, follow me, and you shall see

that it is a reality," continued the mask pleasantly. "I will." "Have you been faithful to your prom-

ise?" asked the domino, as they retired to a neighboring saloon. Most truly in act, but, alas! I fear not

in heart." "Indeed!" "It is too true, lady, that I have seen and loved another, though my vow to you, has kept me from saying so to her.'

"And who is this that you love?" "I will be frank with you, and you will keep my secret?"

"Most religiously." "It is the Baroness Von Waldorff," he said, with a sigh."

"And you really love her!" "Alas, only too dearly," said the soldier, sadly."
"Nevertheless, I must hold you to your

promise. Here is the other half of the

ring; can you produce its mate?"
"Here it is," said Eugene Merville. "Then I, too, keep my promise!" said the domino, raising the mask, and showing to his astonished view the face of the Baroness Von Waldorff,

"Ah, it was the sympathy of true love that attracted me after all!" exclaimed the young soldier as he pressed her to his heart.

She had seen and loved him for his manly spirit and character, and, having found by inquiry that he was worthy of her love, she had managed this delicate intrigue, and had tested him, and now give to him her wealth, title and every

thing. They were married with great pomp, and accompanied the archduchess to Napoleon, to crown the happiness of his favorite, made Colonel Eugene Merville at once General of Division, -Second Century.

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Northumberland and Durham Division Grange.

Town Hall, Port Hope. Tuesday, January 17, 1882. Pursuant to call of the W. M., Northum-berland and Durham Division Grange, No. 14, met here to-day. Grange opened in due form.

Committee on Credentials-H. Davidson, J. E. Gould and J. Garbutt—reported the following present: Darlington Union—Jesse Trull and wife, Levi Vancamp and wife. Baltimore—H. Lapp. Plainville—Mrs. W. J. Westington, J. McCarty. Smithfield—W. W. Farley, A. J. Lawson, Wm. Brooks. Oak Hills—John Miller, E. J. Honey. Perrytown—N. Peters and wife, Jas. Gardiner. Millbrook—James Brook, George Berry. Lakehurst—Archibald Wilson. Fenella— James Jewell, A. Sherwin. Dufferin, D. P. McFarlane. Northumberland—G. M. Clark. Hastings-Mrs. J. Moore. Oshawa-J. E. Gould. Cameron-Job Humphries, W. Moore and wife, Hugh Nelson. Frank Hill

Robert Weir, W. C. Switzer. Warkworth-W. Wiggins, Chas. Honey. Morning Star-D. D. Henderson. Pickwick-Mrs. H. C. Garbutt, T. J. Nelson, W. Preston. Peterboro' — Hugh Davidson, John Garbutt and wife. Orono—Richard Foster, Ezra Hall. Eathon—Joseph Tully, R. Dunlop. Roseneath—John Coil and wife, J. J. Moorehead and wife. The officers elected are as fellows:—W.

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O., Bro. Ira Brisbin, Baltimore. W. Sec.,
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son, Peterboro'. G.K., Bro. Jason McCarty,
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AUDITORS' REPORT.

We, the auditors appointed to examine the books of the secretary and treasurer, beg leave to report as follows: We have examined said books and find them correct, with vouchers for all payments, showing that the treasurer has received from all sources, during the year, the sum of \$262.16, paid out during the year \$223.81, showing a balance in treasurer's hands of \$38.35. We .lso find that the Secretary has at the present time in his hands the sum of \$62.70, which makes a total of \$101.05. Adopted. Bro. T. B. Carlow was elected a life mem-

It was decided that the Division Grange in future should not be made to conflict with any municipal or agricultural meeting fixed by statute.

The following reports were submitted and adopted:-COMMITTEE ON ARTIFICIAL MANURES.

1st. We recommend a liberal application of Liverpool salt and plaster on wheat barley and oats, Also on turnips and man-

2nd. We recommend the white plaster. Quantity per scre, 150 to 200 lbs., either before the seed is sown or immediately after, or after the grain is up. At the same time those stimulants will only exhaust the soil, except the vitality is kept up by the use of barnyard manure and plowing in clover, or the liberal use of ashes. The chairman of your committee, from personal experience with bone dust, or half inch bones, highly recommends its use.

COMMITTER ON SEED GRAIN. Fall wheat, the Clawson, gives the best

satisfaction. Spring wheat, 1st, Arnautka is the best variety for heavy, low, strong land, and re-commend it not to be out until fully ripe; also let stand in stock ten days at least, as we find it improves the color and makes it

2nd. The White Belgium is best adapted for high. sharp land. 3rd. Next the McCarling and Golden

For Barley we recommend the six-rowed. For oats the white and black Sidling. For peas the white and blackeyed Marrowfat and Prussian Blue.

For small peas the Prince Albert and Golden Vine. As to the quantity of seed per acre, we would say for fall wheat 17 bushele, spring wheat 14 to 2 bushels, barley 14 to 2 bushels, oats 24 to 3 bushels, small peas 2 bushels, large peas 3 bushels. The poorer the land

the more seed of any kind. COMMITTEE ON HOUSE AND HOME.

Home is not mere four square walls, Though with pictures hung and guilded; Home is where affection calls, Filled with shrines the heart hath builded.

To different minds the words House and Home suggest different ideas. To some the thought is of toil and care, and in too many instances of unappreciated labors; to others of sunshine and joy, and still others of pain and sickness and sorrow. We think there is no one but will acknowledge the necessity of such an institution as home, but some are not as thoughtful as they might be, to promise help in the shape of conveniences to lighten the labor, but we would recommend that each patron study to make home the dearest spot on earth. All of which is respectfully submitted. Signed by six of the sisters.

MARKET FEES.

We, your committee on market fees, beg That we utterly object to the privilege a'-

lowed to oities and towns and incorporated villages, of taxing the products of our farms in the shape of market fees when offered for sale within said corporations, after bearing an equal share with them in the shape of tax on our real and personal property, as far as exacted by statute.
Your committee would ask this Division

Grange to press upon the Legislature to pass a bill to abolish market fees, as it is one of the most unjust demands ever imposed on any community.

A committee was appointed to watch the bill before the Legislature on the question of market fees.

REPORT ON INSURANCE.

Your committee on insurance are pleased to say, that notwithstanding the bitter and continued opposition of foes without, and the still more discouraging effect of lefthanded support and opposition friends within, that it gives them great pleasure indeed, to report the continued success of the Dominion Grange Association. The business of the year that has just passed, has been more than double that of any previous year of its existence. And, although the losses of last year have been somewhat more than usual on account of the very dry season, and the many bush fires that raged throughout the Province, but still it will be found that the income of the year will fully meet the expenditure, this is what many companies cannot say for 1881, which has been the worst for insurance companies for the last quarter of a century. All things considered it is cause for much congratulation, indeed that we have passed through the fiery trial without impairment of our capital.

REPORT ON RAILWAYS.

1st. We think that municipalities should be more careful in granting bonuses to railways, as the companies frequently fail to carry out the agreements made when apply-

ing for said bonuses.

2ad. We think municipal councils should bottle.

be requested to look more sharply after ra !way crossings, as in many places the rails are left too high, which, in many cases, renders it difficult to cross with heavy loads; that we think the law should be carried out in reference to crossings, that the planking should be an inch highen than the raile. We also think that engineers should be more careful in giving signals at crossings,

as in many cases they fail to give any signal. We also think the railway officials are not as careful in handling trunks and goods as they should be, and the attention of the railway managers should be called to the

GOOD OF THE ORDER.

1st. We suggest that the secretary of this Division Grange send blank forms to the Secretary of each Subordinate Grange in time so that each secretary can return the names of the delegates chosen, at least eight days before the Division Grange meets, so that it can be examined, and thereby save

2nd. We would recommend the introduction of reading matter as a means of bringing in outsiders, also music as a means of making the Gr-nge more attractive.

3rd. That this Division Grange keep more of the money received by sab Granges within its control as such would give better satisfaction to Granges in general.

4th. That discussions on the best methods of farming, the experience of each other or others, so as to make farming more profitable, as that is the object the farmers in general aim at as the means of social elevation, as a greater margin between receipts and expenditures, and is one of the best means of keeping the Grange together. All of which is respectfully submitted.

COMMITTEE ON WHOLESALE SUPPLY COMPANY. We have given the matter our careful consideration, and feel that we cannot too strongly urge the necessity of more co-operation amongst ourselves, although much has been done in the direction of the establish ment of the Grange Wholesale Supply Company. Still we feel as an Order that the Wholesale Supply Company is necessary, and would recommend the subordinate Granges to deal direct with said Company. Also we congratulate Bro. W. N. Harris, minion Grange Agent, in the manner he is sending out samples and a price list

monthly.

All of the above reports were adopted. It was punishable for officers of the Division Grange to use their title of office to advance private enterprise.

Pleasure was expressed at the appearance of the Grange Bulletin. A vote of thanks was passed to the man-

agars of the Midland Railway.

A number of bills were ordered to be paid, and a vote passed to have the next meeting in Peterboro', when the Grange adjourned.

True to Her Trust,

Too much cannot be said of the everfaithful wife and mother, constantly watching and caring for her dear ones, never neglecting a single duty in their behalf. When they are assailed by disease, and the system should have a thorough cleansing, the stomach and bowels regulated, blood purified, malarial poison exterminated, she must know that Electric Bitters are the only sure remedy. They are the best and purest medicine in the world, and only cost fifty cents. Sold by G. A. Mitchell.

How an Artist Treated His Visitor.

To the Editor of the Salem (Mass.) Register: I would have accepted your kind invitation to have visited you in your new quar-ters with pleasure before this, had not my old enemy, Mr. Rheumatism, pounced on me so suddenly. He arrived last Friday, and, without stopping to send us his card, rushed in and grasped me by the hand with such a grip that in a few hours my hands and wrists were so hadly swollen and painful that I felt as though one of Mr. Hatch's run over me. Mr. Rheuma has been a constant visitor of mine for several years; always swells and puts on a great many airs and makes himself at home, devouring my substance and leaving me poor in flesh and pocket. Last winter he came and staid two months. I then made up my mind that the next time he came, I would change his diet, as he has always gobbled down everything set before him. I was somewhat at a loss what to feed him with but finally concluded to give him three square meals a day of St. Jacobs Oil—morning, noon and night. This fare he is disgusted with, and is packing up his trunk and will leave by to-morrow or next day; says he cannot stop any longer as he has pressing business elsewhere. He is a treacherous fellow, and I have no doubt he intends visiting some of our Salem friends; if he does just give him the same fare that I did, and he won't stop long. J. S. LEFAVOUR.

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Some New Geography.

"Of what is the surface of the earth com "Of corner lots, mighty poor roads, railroad tracks, base ball grounds, cricket fields, and

skating rinks." "What proportion of the globe consists of water!" "About three-fourths. Sometimes they add

a little gin and nutmeg to it." "What is a town?"

"A town is a considerable collection of houses and inhabitants, with four or five men who 'run the party,' and lend money at 15 per cent." "What is a city?"

"A city is an incorporated town, with a Mayor who believes that the whole world shakes when he happens to fall flat on a crosswalk. "What is commerce?"

"Borrowing \$5 for a day or two, and dodging the lender for a year or two."
"Name the different races."

"But," I said, "that's what I've come for, and I'm going to have it. It's my father's

"Horse race, boat race, bicycle race, and racing around to find a man to endorse your

"Into how many classes is mankind divided? "Six; being enlightened, civilized, half

civilized, savage, too utter, not-worth-a-cent, and Indian agents." "What nations are called enlightened?" "Those which have had the most wars, the

worst laws, and have produced the worst criminals.' "How many motions has the earth?"

"That's according to how you mix your drinks and which way you go home." "What is the earth's axis? "The lines passing between New York and

Chicago. "What causes day and night?" "The day is caused by the night getting tired out. The night is caused by every one taking the street cars and going home to

supper."
"What is a map?" "A map is a drawing to show the jury where Smith stood when Jones gave him a lift

under the eye." "What is a mariner's compass?" "A jug holding four gallons."

Jersey Cattle. Breeders of Jerseys will be interested in learning that an important addition is to be

made to the breed in Canada through the purchase by Mr. Valancey E. Fuller, of Oaklands Farm, Hamilton, of the celebrated Jersey bull Welcome, winner of the special Guenon prize over the whole island, at the Royal Agricul-tural Show of 1881, in competition with over fifty of the choicest bulls. The sire of Welcome, Suap, LeBrocq's prize, was himself the winner of this prize in 1878, and is now the property of Churchill & Sackson, of Indiana, who hold him at \$5,000. Snap has won many prizes in the United States. Noble, a half-brother of Welcome, also sired by Snap, carried off the first prize at the Royal Show, in Derby, England, 1881. Of this bull, Welcome, Mr. Willis P. Hazzard (a Vice-President of the American Dairymen's Association, lecturer on Agriculture at Delaware State Colleve and suthor of a work on Guernseys, Jerseys and Alderneys), who spent three months in Jersey, says: "Besides his heifers, Mr. Le-Brocq's heart is set on his wonderfully marked bull Welcome, etc., etc. He knows that a bull's get, to be valuable, must be from a sire that has good shape, good blood, and full es-cutcheon, etc., etc. This bull Welcome is the best marked bull we have seen. He has a most perfect curveline escutcheon, broad and Marlborough, belonging to Charles L. Sharpnever such a one in a Jersey. Of course, he has taken the first Guenon prize over all the island at the recent Royal Agricultural Show. He is fairly long, coupled with good depth of barrel, of uniformly small bone, good depth of shoulder, yet not rising too high, fine small head, with thin, waxy and golden horns, well crumpled; a good eye, white muzzle, black tongue, half-black scrotum. He is just two years old, and therefore in his prime. - We are endeavoring to have him sent to America, but the captain well knows he ought never to go out of the island, and there is the trouble to get him within our means." On another oc-casion Mr. Hazzard speaks of him as being in his opinion the finest bull on the island. It will be exported in the spring, along with the celebrated cow, Mr. Arthur's Flirt, also a przie taker, and some other valuable fashionable blooded Jersey stock, also purchased by Mr. Fuller, who is to be commended for his enterprize in securing so valuable a bull, in face of very keen competition from the Americans, and at the highest price ever paid for a J rsey bull on the island. He was only secured two days in advance of a message from the United States, with instructions to purchase him for that country at the owner's price .- Hamilton

The Strength of Plain Statement.

Mr. Emerson's essay in the "Midwinter Century" contrasts, as follows, the strength of plain and under-statements with the weakness of the "Superlative":

The first valuable power in a reasonable mind, one would say, was the power of plain statement, or the power to receive things as they befall and to transfer the picture of them to another mind unaltered. "Tis a good rule of rhetoric that Schlegel gives, —" In good prose every word is underscored"; which, I suppose, means, never italicize.

Spartans, stoic-, heroes, saints and gods use a short and positive speech. They are never off their centres. As soon as they swell and point and find truth not good enough for them, softening of the brain has already begun.

It seems as if inflation were a disease incident to too much use of words, and the remedy lay in recourse to things. I am daily struck with the forcible under-statement of people who have no literary habit. The low expression is strong and agreeable. The citizen dwells in delusions. His dress and draperies, house and stables, occupy him. The poor countryman, having no circumstance of carpets, coaches, dinners, wine and dancing in his head to confuse him, is able to look straight at you, without refraction or prisma-tic glories, and he sees whether you see straight also, or whether your head is addled by this mixture of wines.

The common people diminish: " a cold snap;" "it rains easy;" "good haying weather." When a farmer means to tell you that he is doing well with his farm, he says: "I don't work as hard as I did, and I don't mean to." When he wishes to condemn any treatment of soils or of stock, he savs, "It won't do any good." Under the Catskill Mountains, the boy in the steam-boat said: "Come up here, Tony ; it looks pretty out-of-

Getting Rent.

The following story was told to the correspondent of the Leeds Mercury by a sea cap-tain, the son of an Irish landlord:

"When I got home last August I found things in a fearful state. My father, over 80, and bedridden, was crying all day long, saying he was ruined and that his children would be killed; and my sister, who was nursing him, was overpowered with grief. They could not pay the doctor's bills; they had hardly money enough to find food or medicine for the poor old man; and this where there had always been nearly two thousand a year coming in. Not a penny of rent had they touched for eighteen months. Now I knew that the

chief tenant could pay without any difficulty so I slipped a revolver into my pocket and walked down to the public house. I found I ordered my glass and sat my man there. down, none of them knowing me. After a while I said:

"Do any of you boys know what is the state of things up at the house?" They stared, but said nothing; so then I

up and told them the truth. "Faith, it's Captain Jack," said one who recognized me then—the very man that I was after. "Yes, Tim, my boy, it's Captain Jack, and

he's come for the rent you owe his father"
They looked as though they thought I was clean mad and one of them laughed. I wheel-ed round upon him and said: 'And it's because your landlord and his daughter are dying of hunger that ye laugh, is it?"
But the others all told him that he ought

to be ashamed of himself, only-they could'nt

life or your money, and you can't suppose I'm going to sit still when I know you can pay and ought to pay. Now, Tim, I mean to have your cheque before I leave this room." And I pulled my revolver out and laid it on the table. There wasn't a man moved. I said nothing, but took the revolver up and cocked it.

Tim turned white as a sheet.
"Well," said he, "I didn't know things were as bad as ye say, Captain Jack, or maybe I'd have paid before. Ye shall have your cheque anyway, but, for goodness sake, put that thing by."

"All right," said I, "it'll be put by when I get the cheque." And five minutes afterward I went home with the three hundred in my pocket, and the revolver, too, which had not been loaded.

Weakness of the Superlative in Speech.

There is a superlative temperament which has no medium range, but swiftly oscillates from the freezing to the boiling point, and which affects the manners of those who share it with a certain desperation. Their espect is grimace. They go tearing, convulsed through ife-wailing, praying, exclaiming, swearing. We talk, sometimes, with people whose conversation would lead you to suppose that they had lived in a museum, where all the objects were monsters and extremes. Their good people are phoenixes; their naughty are like the prophet's figs. They use the superlative of grammar: "most perfect," "most exquisite," "most horrible." Like the French, they are enchanted, they are desolate, because you have got or have not got a shoe-string or a wafer you happen to want-not perceiving that superlatives are diminutives, and weaken; that the positive is the sinew of speech, the superlative the fat. If the talker lose a tooth, he thinks the universal thaw and dissolution of things has come. Controvert his opinion and he cries "Persecution!" and reckons himself with Saint Barnabas, who was sawn in

Especially we note this tendency to extremes in the pleasant excitement of horrormougers. Is there something so delicious in disasters and pain? Bad news is always exaggerated, and we may challenge Providence to send a fact so tragical that we can not contrive to make it a little worse in our

All this comes of poverty. We are unskil-ful definers. From want of skill to convey quality we hope to move admiration by quantity. Language should aim to describe the fact. It is not enough to suggest it and mag-It is the shape of that of the Comet of nify it. Sharper sight would indicate the true line. 'Tis very wearisome, this strainless, and photographed in our book (referring to the American Jersey Herd Club Book.) It is, perhaps, not quite so high, but broader, saw"; "I never in my life!" One wishes is, perhaps, not quite so high, but broader, perfectly outlined, and equal on each thigh. saw"; "I never in my life!" One wishes terms gazetted and forbidden. Every Never have we seen a finer escutcheon, and favorite is not a cherub, nor every cat a griffin; nor each unpleasing person a dark, diabolical intriguer; nor agonies, excruciations, nor ecstasies our daily bread.

Inportation of Thoroughbred Cattle

Cattle into Canada. A very important change has been made in the laws affecting the introduction of cattle from the United States into Canada. Because of the prevalence of pleuro-pneumonia, and other diseases, among cattle in the States, there has been, as many of our readers will be aware, a regulation preventing the importation of animals from the other side. In addition, the United States was scheduled in England, while Canadian cattle, on account of the absence of disease, are admitted into Britain. Several months since, Mr. V. E Fuller, of Oaklands Farm, this city, entered on a cor-respondence with Mr. Pope, Minister of Agri-culture, with the object of impressing upon that gentleman the necessity of having the regulation relaxed, in so far as cattle for breeding are concerned. At first the Minister held out little hope of being successful in any appeal to the British authorities, but after being warmly urged by Mr. Fuller, who was fimly impressed with the justice and feasibility of the request, Mr. Pope, undertook the negotiations, which have now resulted in the granting of the appeal by the Imperial authorities, acting under advice from their Veterinary department. By the new arrangement, thoroughbred cattle for breeding purposes may be brought into Canada without interfering with the trade between Canada and Great Britain. Of course, the imported stock will be examined by a qualified inspector at the frontier, and every precaution taken to protect the Dominion against the importation of diseased animals. Mr. Fuller, who is interesting himself in the improvement of Canadian Cattle, through the introduction of the best breeds of the far-famed Jerseys, is to be congratulated on the success of his appeal to the authorities. If Canadian farmers are to compete successfully in the world's markets, they must have the best breeds of cattle. Their cows must be good milkers, and the beef they produce should be such as will commend it to our old world customers. For this reason the reform which Mr. Fuller has been able to accomplish is a most welcome one.—Hamilton

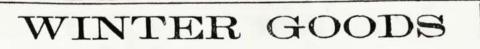
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AND COUNTY OF BURHAM BRITISH CANADIAN.

Port Hope, Thursday, Feb. 9, 1882. SHALL WE HAVE MANUFAC-TURES?

We have abstained from comment in regard to the many schemes submitted to our authorities, for the reason that we did not wish to stand in the way of even the most insignificant business being established in the town. There must be an end some time to the patience of the most reasonable, and we think Port Hope has reached that period. Many schemes have been submitted, many industries have been promised, bonuses have been asked for, and propositions made, and with what result? To-day, we stand exactly as we did three or more years ago. It really seems as though the speculators were on the move. They are here to-day with a brilliant proposition, and to-morrow they are as far away as the railway can carry them, and then we hear of them making the same offers to another town, the only object being to ascertain how much in the way of bonuses they can get outside of their own places of residence, to enable them to go back and say to their authorities we are offered \$10,000 at such a place, will you do as well? Take the knitting factory from Kingston as an instance. That project promised as well as any ever made to the town, but it is not stretching the imagination to the slightest extent to say, no matter what bonus we might give that industry to establish here, we could not secure it. Kingston men and Kingston capitalists were taking stock to benefit themselves, and to enhance the value of their own property, not to increase the value of property in the town of Port Hope. The gentleman representing that scheme must have known that he was making false representations when saying that there was a fair or reasonable prospect of bringing that establishment here. deceiving those with whom he was discussing the prospects of success with that industry. And this instance is only a repetition of many other schemes submitted to our people. We repeat, we are tired giving attention to people coming here affecting to be desirous of establishing some new industry. We think it is time our own citizens should come to the conclusion that it devolves upon them to do something, if they desire to see Port Hope become a manufacturing centre, or to prosper in the future. We have a large number of citizens possessing means, who, if they would give up their faculty for acquiring mortgages with the sure result of good dividends, would take stock in a manufacturing industry, or, start manufacturing in the town, we are confident they would reap a much greater profit than they can now realize on their capital. One industry established in Port Hope would be sure to bring others; we know of no town in the Province of Ontario more suitably situated than our own, possessing as it does facilities for shipment in every direction, and under the amalgamated scheme of the Midland Railway, being placed so that most desirable rates can be secured. We have capitalists in our midst able, if they so desired, to advance the interests of the town by investing their means in the establishment of manufacturing industries. We have also mechanics who, we believe, if fair encourage-

development of their local trade. We are continually being told that Mr. Jones, a large manufacturer in the United States, is about to start a branch of his business in Canada, and he is here to know what inducements we will offer. Mr. Jones comes to town; His Worship gets him "in tow;" a number of our prominent citizens are invited to meet him; a conference is held; Mr. Jones will do so-and-so; and everything appears as though we are going to have immediately established in town, the anxiously desired for first large establishment. Two or three days after, in examining our exchanges, we find that Mr. Jones has positively decided to locate in some other manufacturing industries here, let them offer some one of our local men the same terms as they would a stranger. Let our local capitalists venture a portion of their

ment were given them, would enlarge

their present business to such an extent

as would make it the interest of others

to invest a portion of their means in the

management, could not fail to be a success, and, instead of chasing such flitting shadows as the Messrs. Sylvester, offer the same inducements to Mr. Robert Nicholls, one of the best mechanics in the Province, and we feel convinced that we will have something tangible to show for our efforts. Mr. Nicholls possesses sufficient capital to assure anyone taking stock with him in an industry of which he assumes the leading part, that there will be good, careful, and honest management, and a faithful effort to make it

The industrial tramp has fully established his reputation here as a fraud. Let us stand by our own people, and offer some of the good things urged upon strangers to citizens of the town. The establishment of one industry, as we said before, in Port Hope, means the attraction of others, and if we are to make a start at all it is plainly to be seen it devolves upon our home capitalists to make a beginning.

We again repeat, if our local capitallats desire to see their real estate enhanced in value and become profitable, they must take some such course as we suggest above.

From the Report of the Commissioner of Public Works, we glean the following information: The total expenditure from 1st July, 1867, to 31st December, 1880, was, on public works, \$3,682,309 28; during 1881, \$145,792 87. The amount required for maintenance of the department in the way of fuel, gas, &c., was \$21,126 87. We have lines of railway in Ontario, completed and under construction, with a total length of 4,450 miles. 1,464 miles of this was constructed before Confederation, 2,122 miles since Confederation, and 864 miles are now under construction. During 1881 there have been 107.14 miles completed and opened for

MR. NEELON, M.P.P., is a farmer, and has always been a staunch Reformer. During the debate in the Local Legislature he made a speech, in which he stoutly upheld the N.P. as a principle which had been a boon to every man in the country, and he thought every man should be a Protectionist. He made particular reference to the farmer, who, he thought, was greatly benefited. As Free Trade journals have been making a hobby of the farmer's case, this utterance from one of the would-be victims, and a Reformer who has the courage of his convictions, is a heavy blow to the cause they espouse. Mr. Neelon was, after long and serious consideration, convinced of the error of his party, and came out boldly, though a Reformer still, and gave the N.P. an unqualified support. There are hundreds of others who would gladly be on the side of Protection now, if they could get across the border without being the Reform party, we would not be surprised to see many more come out from the ranks on this question.

Just now the political arena presents a lively appearance. The proximity of the next general election is causing both parties to bestir themselves to unusual activity, and in almost every constituency there have been meetings of Liberal-Conservative and Reform Associations. It is evident that the latter party is determined to make a stubborn fight-the result of desperation. What the platform will be, is but vaguely expressed in their resolutions. That Free Trade, and the Syndicate cry, will be all but abandoned, is very certain. Hon. A. Mackenzie has hinted, if not openly expressed, that the Boundary Award question will be used as the party cry in Ontario; but we have yet to hear from Mr. Blake, who, so far, is extremely reserved on so vital a point. We imagine he is too astute a politician to fall in with Mr. Mackenzie's idea of a platform. It would at the most only affect Ontario favorably, and prove derogative in the other provinces. Meanwhile, however, the famous order of Edward Blake, to "make the roll right," is evidently being punctiliously obeyed by his followers, and all that can be done in a local way to perfect details, is being done. The Reformers will endeavor, no doubt, to make up in strict, close organization, what they lack in the breadth of platform issues. At least, such is the only possible conclusion to be drawn from many of the resolutions passed in Grit

Recently the Woodstock Sentinel-Review had a long article on the "Syndicate grip," which, without going into details, it likens to a great vice.

Conventions.

It seems strange that the Opposition journals should consider the building up of a Dominion surplus a huge robbery, while they point with such evident pride to Hon. O. Mowat's little stocking-full.

A Belleville paper, the Chronicle, takes occasion to remark: "Ontario is now, and has been for some time, under a Reform Government. Quebec is now, and has been for some time, under a Tory Govplace—the end of the Jones transaction. ernment. (The short reign of the Joly Mr. Brown comes with very much the Government excepted.) Ontario has a same tooting of trumpets, with an exactly surplus. Quebec has a debt of \$15,000,similar result. Now, if our authorities | 000. The reader may draw his own inare honestly desirous of establishing ferences." Previous to 1873, we had good times and a Conservative Government. Between 1873 and 1878 we had a Grit Government, hard times; and "the dark days of deficits." Sir John Macdonsurplus means in order to secure a start. | ald has been in power since then, and we Car works have been frequently spoken again enjoy prosperity, and have rolled of. Port Hope is so situated that an up a good surplus. The reader may industry of that kind, under proper draw his own inferences.

DIVERS DOTTINGS.

It is found a difficult thing to bew to the line in the Boundary Award ques-

Ass-thetic is the way the New York World refers to the divinely sublime qualties of Oscar. 'Ear! ear!!

A number of the St. George's Society, Toronto, notorious at present for its rejection of Goldwin Smith as an honorary member, have signified their intention of resigning, on account of the bitter partizan feeling which exists amongst the

The Dominion Temperance Alliance expects shortly to start a daily paper in Hamilton. It will be called the Tribune, and sail out with a capital lof \$50,000. We predict for it a failure, unless Temperance people support it better than they generally do journals of this class.

And now they have it that "Mr. Blake advises Grit assessors to manufacture all the votes possible." It seems that the liars are not all dead yet .- Stratford

No. We believe there are a few Grit politicians who still survive the shock of

"The election of Mr. Guillet the other week by a reduced majority was heralded as a glorious triumph for Toryism, but it seems the most glaring bribery, corruption and intimidation were practised, and a protest has been entered. Mr. Bethune, Q.C., is counsel for the petitioners." This is a sample of what is now being said about the West Northumberland election. Grit journals in their simple mindedness cannot imagine how a protest could be entered on the grounds of bribery, etc., without there being anything to substantiate the charge, but if reports are true, the order to protest Mr. Guillet's election, and the greater portion of the money to carry it on, came from Toronto

An enterprising showman has offered \$5,000 for the body of Guiteau, and it is | equals the aggregate of the mortgages now said his offer has been accepted. During the interval between now and the day of \$292,000 to extend and improve that line. recompense upon the gallows the assassin can console himself with the idea that he dead than while living. Another consolwill not die with his body. For instance, how intensely satisfying it will be to the egotism of Guiteau to know that he will be billed as the "greatest known attraction" amongst the attractions of some "only greatest show on earth." Fancy must picture it thus in his gaol slumbers: "This way, ladies and gentlemen! Here you have the greatest curiosity on earth! It will only cost you ten cents to see the body of Guiteau, stuffed noticed. Since the foregoing gentleman and perfectly life-like. You will never He must have known he was deliberately has become the champion of the N. P. in have such an opportunity again to have a look at the world-renowned murderer of the great President Garfield-the man who, without remorse of conscience or fear of heart, shot down a President-the only man who was ever known to bully lawyers, judge and jury-the man whose name has been heralded to every part of the world as being the cheekiest, most blasphemous, unparalleled, and absolutely, ladies and gentlemen, the greatest man on earth. Seize the opportunity, and buy a ticket for 10 cents-only 10 cents! (Great rush for tickets.) Walk in, ladies and gentlemen, walk in!" How gratifying it must be to depart this life with such blessed hopes of an hereafter.

WELCOME.

It is seldom that anything of the kind takes place as occurred at the residence of Mr. Thos. Bickle, near Welcome, on Friday evening last. On the arrival of Mr. Bickle, from a trip to the old country, quite a number of the neighbors went to his residence with the intention of giving him a reception and surprise party, which they most cordially did; and, if my judgment is correct, if ever there were happy hearts by meeting, it was with Mr. B. and his fond wife and family. After a little chat, the ladies of the party took possession of Mrs. Bickle's dishes and made a grand spread, which, as might be expected, was much enjoyed by Mr. B. and all present. It was interesting to hear Mr. B. relate some of his experiences while on the ocean. What helped to make it more enjoyable, was the presence of the Rev. E. Roberts, of Toronto, who was down on a visit to his son, and who joined the party, adding much to the interest of the evening by relating some of his experience in the same line of adventure. After some choice singing was given, and Mr. Roberts had read a portion of Scripture, the neighbors left for their homes, feeling much better for the

The next big thing which is to come off is one more of Mr. Stott's, the teacher, 'entertainments, to be held in the B. C. Church of this place, on Friday evening, February 10th, at 7 o'clock, consisting of readings, recitations, music by the Glee Club of Victoria College, Cobourg, and also a quartette from the Presbyterian choir, of Port Hope, accompanied by Mr. Singleton. Admission, 20c; the proceeds to go to procure prizes for the scholars of the day school. Whoever comes may rest assured of having a good time, for there will be plenty of talent, and as we seldom have anything but what is good, we expect a large turn out. A CITIZEN.

The new porcedure rules of the Imperial House of Commons have found their way into the hands of the English public by some unknown means, and they are said to be made up from Metropolis newspaper hints. The Corporation of the city of London, Companies' Guild, and other institutions have determined to make a tremendous stand against the bill, which Sir. William Harcourt is to introduce,-and this because the said bill proposes one Government for the whole of London, bringing in the district outside the present "city" boundaries, which has been cut up and confided in the hands of vestrymen and boards. The scheme for tunnelling the channel, and running trains for London to Paris is before the public, Professor Newman is writing vigorous essays in favour of vegetarianism, and the dramatic and musical caterers are arranging for the production of Wagner's Opera complete, during the season.

THE MIDLAND RAILWAY CON-SOLIDATION.

The following article we take from the Monetary Times of last week:-

"The amalgamation into one, of six railway companies, whose shares and bonds re-present some \$11,600,000; and the working, as one, of five lines of railway, some 600 miles in length, already in operation, and one projected and surveyed line, is an event of some importance. The agreement having this object in view is dated December 10, 1881, and is duly signed on behalf of the several companies. The lines referred to as now built are all in that part of Ontario between Toronto, Belleville, and the Muskoka lakes. The considerations recited in the preamble of the agreement between the companies are: that their union would benefit the public by giving more efficient train service and greater traffic facilities generally, than they are now able to do. But furthermore, that the companies concerned desire to secure the construction of the Ontario, Sault Ste Marie Ranway and thus gain access to the Canadian North-West and the Western States.' "The share capital and bonded debt of

the various roads is as follows, capital of each is stated to be fully paid:-

Company. Share Capital. Bond Debt. Toronto & Nipissing ... \$500,000 1st mtg \$1,750,000 Whitby, P. P.& L. 300,000 do £94,500

*And \$25,000 per mile agreed to be built. tAnd £30,000 int. accrued on Ordinary.

"The aggregate share capital is thus \$4,-00,000; the total 1st and preferred bonds, \$4,524,500; second or ordinary, \$2,980,000; interest, £30,000; grand total in round numbers, \$11,600,000. The name of the consolidated system to be the Midland Railway of Canada, with a share capital of \$6,600,000, in 132,000 shares of \$500 each, of which only \$4,100,000 is to be at present issued, in the proportion of capital already possessed by each company. The remaining two and a-half millions, now held in reserve. may be issued for services rendered or for such other reasons as may appear to be for the company's interest.

"The mortgage bond-debt of the various companies is taken over, as stated in our list, and in addition, \$350,000 is held in reserve for improving and changing the guage of the Toronto & Nipissing, which is a narrow guage road. A mortgage for some \$9,500,000 is created and will be held on the property of all the lines by the consolidated company, to rank after the bond-debts already specified. Of this mortgage, \$2,000,000 is intended to provide for enlargements and extensions of the road—what or where is not stated-and the remainder existing on the several roads. Of the new bonds, the Grand Junction Co. is to have

"Existing bonds of any of the companies may be exchanged for consolidated bonds at par, and in case holders fail to make the will be worth infinitely more to his friends exchange, the directors of the consolidated company may sell the bonds applicable to that purpose, as a means of facilitating the ing thought will be, that his notoriety exchange. How far this will affect the option of the holders of the sectional bonds is a question; and although most of them would naturally be willing to exchange the bonds of a small for those of a large company, there might be some who would not con-

"Each company is to collect and pay the debts due and owing to it at the time of the amalgamation, except mortgage bond debts and municipal liens.

"The rights and remedies of the creditors of the different companies are specially protected from infringement by this agreement. This is a just and proper provision, and will tend to facilitate the financial arrangements of a new company. But the aggregate debts of the several companies will have to be might be well for the companies to call for a statement of all claims against them. In this way any doubt on an important point would be removed, or it would be narrowed down to such difference as might exist between claims made and debts actually due and recoverable. The following are some

"Until such time as bonds are exchanged for consolidated bonds the earnings and expenses of above line ('Nipissing Section,' Victoria Section, 'Whitby Section, &c.,') shall be kept in separate accounts and net earnings of each applied as hereafter stated,

"Nipissing to payment of interest 5 p. c. on mortgage bonds existing. "Grand Junction to payment of bonds

issued or proposed. "Midland Section to payment of interest on bonds already issued. "Toronto & Oltawa Section to payment of

interest on bonds issued and to be issued. "Whitby Section to payment of interest on bonds issued. "Victoria Section to payment of interest on bonds issued.

"That no part of the net carnings of the sections shall be applied in payment of any interest accrued or due at the date agreement takes effect. Such interest each Company sha'l settle and pay as a liability agreed to be paid by each respectively.

"The surplus of net earnings or any one section after paying working expenses and interest on mortgage bonds shall be applied to making good any deficiency in earnings of any other section of the road required to pay working expenses and interest on its

"Surplus net receipts, after paying working expenses and interest on sectional bonds and consolidated bonds to be available for dividend.

"Board of Directors to consist of ten members, shareholders for \$4,000 at least. Geo. A. Cox, Robt. Jaffray, Wm. Gooderham, J. D. Edgar, Lewis Ross, James M. Ferris, Thos. Kelso, H. P. Dwight, and F. W. Henshaw to be first directors of Consolidated Co.'y and hold, office from date of agreement till first election of directors, after agreement takes effect. Thereafter to be chosen anually.

"Chief office of Consolidated Co. to be at Peterboro' or Toronte, or such other place as board fix by by-law. The Company may open an office in London Eng., for transfer of shares and bonds may be registered, &c. "Directors empowered to appoint a London committee of six, to have powers as per by-law.

"The consolidated company asks power the whole arrangement being of course subject to legislative sanction-to make any traffic arrangements it may think proper with the Sault Ste Marie Railway Co., and is to secure the interest of such part of the bonds as may be used in the construction of that road; this agreement to be subject to

the ratification of two-thirds of the shareholders at a special general meeting. "The object of the amalgamation of competing lines scarcely comes in here; for the lines to be smalgamated are rather distributive than competing, serving as they do various points along Lake Ontario. The construction of the Sault Ste Marie line; for whatever of through traffic the several roads get by that means, will be so much gained. The connection with the Canadian Northwithout difficulties, will be more easily got than a connection with our own North-West. From the head of Lake Superior to Emerson, a railway has been chartered; but to connect with this road, supposing it to be built, a link between Sault Ste Marie and Duluth, on the American shore, will be requisite. All this may be accomplished, but it is still in the future and is not free from

"At Emerson, it now seems certain, that the Canadian Pacific will connect with the American system; but the value of that connection may easily be overrated. It will be the interest of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to take produce the greatest possible distance along its own line, and the directors are sure to make such discriminations as will effectually prevent east-bound freight leaving their line at Emerson. The chief value of the Sault Ste Marie line will be as a through line; and as a through line it will have many difficulties to overcome, some of which, it is useless to disguise, will

THE PORT HOPE BILL.

Following is the Bill of the town of Port Hope, at present before the Ontario Legislature:-

An Act to enable the Corporation of the Town of Port Hope to incur liability for the construction and extension of Waterworks, and for aiding the establishment of Manufactures.

"Whereas the corporation of the town of Port Hope have, by their petition, represented that, under the Act of the Parliament of the late Province of Canada, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of Her Majetsy, and chaptered sixty-two, and intituled 'An Act to consolidate the debt of the town of Port Hope,' and under an Act amending the same, passed by the said Par-liament in the following year, chaptered thirty-three, intituled 'An Act to alter and amend the Act to consolidate the debt of Port Hope,' and under an Act of the Legis-lature of the Province of Ontario, passed in the thirty-ninth year of the reign of Her Majesty, and chaptered fifty-nine, and intituled 'An Act respecting the consolidated debt of the town of Port Hope,' it is unlawful for them to incur any further debt or liability than is provided for in the said several Acts, and that the debt or liability provided for in the said Acts has been incurred; and further, that under an Act of the said Legislature of the Province of Ontario, passed in the thirty-seventh year of the reign of Her Majesty, and chaptered seventy-seven, and intituled 'An Act to enable the corporation of the town of Port Hope to incur liability for the construction of water-works for the town,' the said town has constructed water-works through portions of the said town, and entered into contracts for running and maintaining the same; but the cost of construction of the said water-works has been paid and no liability now exists in respect thereof, and that it is desirable and it would be beneficial and advantageous for the said town to extend and perfect the system of waterworks so partially carried out, and to incur a further debt or liability for the extension of the said water-works; and further, that it is desirable and would be beneficial and advantageous to the said town to incur a further debt or liability to enable the said town to grant aid for the formation of manufactures within the said town, and to acquire lands for the said purposes; and whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition;

"Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, enacts as follows:-

" 1. Notwithstanding any law in force to the contrary, it shall be lawful for the corporation of the town of Port Hope to incur such further debt or liability as it may deem expedient and necessary, and as it may be lawful for the said corporation to incur under the provisions of the laws respecting municipal institutions in the Province of Ontario, but not exceeding in the whole thirty thousand dollars, for the purpose of constructing a new system of water works for the said town, and laying down water pipes in the streets of the said town, and of extending, enlarging and altering such water-works clearly ascertained; and for this purpose it and water pipes, and for the purpose of extending, enlarging and altering the existing system of water-works and water pipes in the said town, and for acquiring lands in any way necessary for such purposes, from time to time as the council of the said corporation and duly qualified ratepayers in that behalf may determine, but under and in pursuance of the provisions of the said Municipal Act; or for the purpose of acquiring stock in, or lending money to, any corporate water company undertaking to construct water-works for, and lay down water pipes or conduits for the conveyance of water in or under the streets or public squares of the said town, or for guaranteeing the payment of money borrowed by, or of debentures issued for money borrowed by, any such company; and also for the purpose of aiding and promoting manufactures within the limits of the said town, as the said council and ratepayers, as aforesaid, may determine, and as hereinafter more particularly set out.

"2. Any debt or liability incurred by the said corporation under this Act, as well for the original construction of the said new system of water-works as for the extension, enlarging, and altering of the same, and the said existing system of water-works, and for aiding and promoting manufactures, as hereinafter set out, shall be incurred in the manner and subject to and in accordance with the provisions of the said Municipal Act so far as the same relate to water-works and water companies in town, and to granting of aid to manufacturers.

"3. It shall be lawful for the said corpor-

ation to enter into any contract or contracts with any person or persons or body corporate for the construction of such new system of waterworks for the said town as the council of the said corporation shall deem advisable, and for the extension, enlarging or altering such water-works and the said existing system of waterworks as may be deemed advisable by the said conneil, and on such terms as the said council shall think fit, and and to do, perform, and complete any and all such works themselves, and to acquire all lands in any way necessary for any of the said purposes. "4. It shall and may be lawful for the

said corporation to aid by way of bonus for the promotion of manufactures within the limits of the said town by granting such sum or sums of money to such person, persons or body corporate, and in respect of such branch of industry as the said council may determine, and to pay such sum either in one sum or in annual or other periodical payments, with or without interest, and subject to such terms, conditions and restrictions as the said council may deem expedient, and to take security, by way of mortgage or lien, on the works, plant, and lands, used, owned or occupied by such persons or body corporate, for the compliance by him or them with the terms and conditions upon which such aid is given. "5. It shall and may be lawful for the

said corporation, for the purpose of aiding and promoting manufactures within the limits of the said town, to acquire by purchase any real estate, lands, tenements and hereditaments, or to take and hold leases thereof, and to sell, let or sub-let the said lands, tenements and hereditaments, or any great thing will of course be to secure the of them respectively, to such person, persons or body corporate, and in respect of such branch of industry, and subject to such terms, conditions and restrictions as the said council may deem expedient, and to West and the Western States, though not take security by way of mortgage or lien or the works, plant and lands used, owned on occupied by such person, persons or body corporate, for the purchase money or rent of the said lands, tenements and hereditaments, and for the compliance by him or them with the terms and conditions upon which such aid is granted.

"6. The said corporation, for the purpose of defraying the coet of the construction, extension, enlargement, and alteration of

the said new system of water-works, or the said existing water-works, and for the pur-chase of lands necessary for the some or any such purpose, or for the purpose of aiding the establishment of manufactures in the said town as aforesaid, may issue debentures, under the seal of the said corporation, and signed by the mayor, and countersigned by the treasurer, for the time being, of the said corporation, in such sum or sums as the council of the said corporation may direct, but not exceeding in the whole the sum of thirty thousand dollars, and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per aunum, and the principal sum secured by the said debentures and the interest accruing thereon may be made payable in this Province, or in Great Britain, or elsewhere, as the said council may determine, and the said debentures shall be payable at such time or different times within the periods limited by the provisions of the said Municipal Act, respecting water-works debentures, as the said council may determine; and the said corporation may hold the said debentures or any part or portion of them in reserve, from time to time apply them or any of them, or the proceeds there of, for the respective purposes aforesaid, in such proportions as the said council may

"7. The said corporation may, from time to time, raise, by way of loan on the credit of the said debentures in this Province, or in the Dominion of Canada, or in Great Britain, or elsewhere, such sum of money, not exceeding in the whole the sum of thirty thousand dollars, as shall, from time to time, be required for the construction, extension, enlargement, and alteration of the said new system of water-works, or for the purchase of lands necessary for the same, and for the aiding of such manufactures, by bonus or by the purchase or leasing of lands as aforesaid; and the loan so to be raised, and all sums of money raised under the provisions of this Act shall be applied by the said council to the payment of the cost of constructing, extending, enlarging or altering the said new system of water-works, or existing water-works, and in purchasing lands necessary for the same, and in granting aid to such manufactures by bonus or by the purchase or leasing of any lands as aforesaid, or either or any of said purposes as the said council shall determine, and to or for no other purpose whatsoever.

"S. No irregularity in the form either of the said debentures, or of any by-law authorizing the issuing thereof, shall render the same invalid, or illegal, or be allowed as a defence to any action brought against the corporation for the recovery of the amount of the said debentures and interest, or any or either of them or any part thereof. " 9. The said debentures and coupons

may be made payable in sterling money or currency, as the said council may deter-

"10. For the payment of the said de-bentures to be issued under the provisions of this Act, and the interest thereon, the said council shall levy an annual special rate, over and above all other rates to be levied in each year, to defray the yearly interest on the said debentures, and to form an equal yearly sinking fund for the payment of the principal within the time or times at which the said debentures shall respectively become payable.

The said council shall, and it shall be the duty of the treasurer of the said corporation temavest, from time to time, all moneys raised by special rate for the sinking fund hereinbefore provided for, either in redemption of any of the debentures hereby authorized to be issued or in any debentures issued by the Government of the Dominion of Canada, or of this Province, or in such other securities as the Lieutenant-Governor of this province may, from time to time, by order in council direct, or in any chartered bank of the Dominion of Canada, that the said council may, from time to time approve by resolution, and at such rate of interest thereon as may be agreed upon by the said council and such bank."

HARBOR BOARD.

The regular monthly meeting of the Har-bor Board took place in the Town Hall, as usual, at 4 o'clock.

Present — Lewis Ross, chairman, Col. Williams, John Mulligan, T. M. Benson, Q. C., E. S. Vinden, Thos. Hayden, E. Peplow, P. Robertson, Mayor Randall. Minutes of previous meeting read and

confirmed.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Six communications were received with reference to accommodation at the harbor, for shippers of lumber. The principal one was from the manager of the Georgian Bay Lumber Co., stating that they intended shipping 50,000,000 ft. of lumber at Port Hope next summer, and asking for sufficient wharfage facilities. The other communications were from commission agents of the same firm, and the 50,000,000 ft. embodied the amounts to be shipped by them. They are all Toronto men and, only one of them is a manufacturer. A telegram was received by the Chairman

a few minutes before the session of the Board, from Mr. R. Powers stating that he had made arrangements, and intended shipping lumber next season, and asking the Board to provide accommodation. The report of the receipts and expendi-

tures for the year 1881, was laid on the

Also the report of the Executive Committee recommending the payment of accounts to the extent of \$60.39 of which \$58.35 was for gas, and \$2.04 to Helm & Nicholls. The chairman of the executive committee

reported verbally that \$50 would be a fair rent for Brown & Co. to pay for use of Harbor land to build a coal house on. It was moved by Thos. Hayden, seconded

by Col. Williams, that the letter from the Georgian Bay Lumber Co., and the others asking for shipping facilities be referred to the Executive Committee to report upon at next meeting.
A lively, informal discussion took place

in which suggestions were numerous. Mr. Mulligan said that we have any

amount of shipping facilities but not much piling ground. We could, he thought, ship all the lumber the Midland Railway would carry, but we could not give piling room for such an amount as was wanted. A member-They don't ask for piling

Col. Williams thought it would be a good ides to have a plan of the Harbor prepared

by the Executive Committee, and to be submitted with the report. This was generally favored. Mr. Peplow thought these parties should

be asked for a statement of what they wanted. How much ground they wanted, etc. Mr. Mulligan thought that as there was not much piling ground, they ought to be

made to keep the lumber moving as much Col. Williams said it would not do to be too stiff with them, as they might in that

case make negotiations with Belleville. The motion was altered so as to include several of their suggestions and carried. Capt. Henning, of the firm of Brown &

Co., was heard as to the matter of a coal He stated that they wanted a piece of

ground east of Mill st., and south of Madison st., 100 x 80 feet, or 120 x 60 feet, and would like to get a lease of it for five or ten years. The idea was, to build a shed to house their coal when it was unloaded at the dock. He thought it would be worth \$30 a year for rent.

The Executive Committee thought \$50 per annum would be a fair rental.

Mr. Hayden thought they should not Mr. Hivden thought they should not many years, and get into the White House. lease the ground for any length of time, as I know how I stand on this business, and so

couple of years. He understood that Vanderbilt was after it. (Laughter.)

It was suggested that it be rented from

Capt. Henning said that they would not build on it unless they had some guarantee

of an extended lease.

It was moved by T. M. Benson, seconded by E. Peplow,-That the portion of ground required be rente i to J. A. Brown & Co. for a term of five years at \$40 a year, free of taxes, and in case the Harbor Board wished to otherwise dispose of the ground the lessee should receive three months notice, and be paid for improvements thereon. Carried. The question of repairing the dredge or

buying a new one, next came up for consideration. Some were for repairing the old one, while others thought it was not worth repairing, remarking it would be cheaper to buy a new one. After a very animated discussion, but scarcely intelligible one to a reporter, from the fact that all talked at once, a motion to the following effect was submitted to the Board and

The matter was left to the Executive Committee, to thoroughly investigate, and if they find the repairs on the dredge will cost more than \$500 they are to report to a special meeting of the Harbor Board, if not they may proceed with the renovation of the dredge at once.

Board then adjourned.

GUITEAU SENTENCED.

At which he utters the most horrid imprecations ever heard in Court.

"The great farce," as thousands have chosen to call the Guiteau trial, is ended. Judge Cox refused to grant a new trial, considering that there was no reasonable amount of force in the objections urged by

Before he pronounced sentence on the prisoner, he asked him to stand up and say, if he wished, if there was any reason why sentence should not be passed.

The prisoner arose, pale, but with his lips compressed and a desperate determination stamped upon his features. In a low and deliberate tone he began, but soon his manner became wild and violent, and pounding upon the table, he delivered himself of the following harangue:-"I am not guilty of the charge set forth in the indictment. It was God's act, not mine, and God will take care of it; and don't let the American people forget it. He will take care of it, and every officer of this Govern-ment, from the Executive down to that of Marshal, taking in every man on that jury and every member of this bench, will pay for it, and the American nation will roll in blood if my body goes into the ground, and I am hanged. The Jews put the despised Galillean into his grave. For a time they triumphed, but at the destruction of Jerusalem, forty years afterwards, the Almighty got even with them. I am not afraid of death. I am here as God's man. Kill me to-morrow if you want to. I am God's man, and I have been from the start."

Judge Cox then proceeded to pass sentence. He said:—"You have been convicted of a crime so terrible in its circumstances and so far-reaching in its results that it has drawn upon it the horror of the whole world and the execrations of your countryman. The excitement produced by such an offence made it no easy task to secure for you a fair and impartial trial; but you have had the power of the United States Treasury and of the Government in your service to protect your person from violence and procure evidence from all parts of the country. You have had as fair and impartial a jury as ever assembled in a court of justice. You have been defended by counsel with a zeal and devotion that done my best to secure a fair presentation of your defence. Notwithstanding all this you have been found guilty. It would have been a comfort to many people if the verdict of the jury had established that the act was that of an irresponsible man. It would have left to the people the satisfying belief that the crime of political assassination was something entirely foreign to the institutions and civilization of our country. But the result denied them that comfort. The country will accept it as a fact that the crime can be committed, and the Court will have to deal with it with the highest penalty known to the Criminal Court, to serve as an example to others. Your career has been so extraordinary, people might well at times have doubted your sanity, but one cannot but believe that when the crime was committed you thoroughly understood the nature of the crime and its consequences ."

Guiteau-'I was acting as God's man." Cox (continuing)-"And that you had a moral sense conscious enough to recognize the moral iniquity of such an act."

Prisoner-"That's a matter of opinion." Cox-"Your own testimony shows you recoiled with horror from the idea. You say you prayed against it. You say you thought it might be prevented. This shows your conscience warned you against it, but by the wretched sophistry of your own mind you worked yourself up against the protest of your own conscience. What motive could have induced you to this act must be a matter of conjecture. Probably men will think some fanaticism or morbid desire for self-exaltation was the real inspiration for the act. Your own testimony seems to controvert the theories of your counsel. They maintained, and thought, | she still remains. honestly I believe, you were driven against the act. But your testimony showed you deliberately resolved to do it, and a deliberately misguided will was the sole impulse. This may seem insanity to some persons, but the law looks upon it as a fitful crime. You will have the opportunity of having any errors I may have commited during the course of the trial passed upon by the Court in banc; but meanwhile it is necessary for me to pronounce that you be taken hence to the common gaol of the District whence you came, and there be kept in confinement; and on Friday, the 30th day of June, [1882, you be taken to the place prepared for the execution within the walls of said gaol, and there, between the hour of 12 noon

and 2 p.m., you be hanged by the neck nntil you are dead. And may the Lord have mercy on your soul." During the reading Guiteau stood apparently unmoved, and with his gaze rivetted upon the judge, but when the final words were spoken he struck the table violently, and shouted, "And may the Lord have mercy on gour soul. I would rather stand where I do than where that jury does, and where your Honor does. I'm not afraid to die. I stand here as God's man, and God Almighty will curse every man who has had a part in prosecuting this unrighteous verdict. Nothing but good has come from Garfield's removal, and that will be the verdict of posterity on my inspiration. I don't care a snap for the ver dict of this corrupt generation. I would rather a thousand times be in my position than in that of those who have hounded me to death. I shall have a glorious flight to glory, but that miserable scoundrel Corkhill will have a permanent job down below where the devil is preparing for him. I will go to glory whenever the Lord wants me to go, but I will probably stay down here a good

the harbor would very likely be sold in a does the Lord, and he will pull me through them good-night,

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with the help of two or three good lawyers, and all the devils in hell can't hurt me. The prisoner for some moments continued his shouts and his anathemas upon the Court and the counsel for the prosecution. In order to silence him the Deputy Marshal clapped his hand over the prisoner's mouth, an action which the latter would quickly have resented with a blow had not a police officer grabbed his hand and clasped the handcuffs upon his

GARDEN HILL.

It is not often that anything of note transpires in this locality, but something has oc-curred here within the past few days which has shocked society to its very foundation. In fact, society has been knocked into a cocked hat. Although this section of the township has witnessed many of the queer and uuaccountable "nine day wonders" which, at one time or another, take place in every rural section, still nothing to equal the present event has, we believe, occurred to give fuel in such abundance to the gossips as this one. The all-absorbing subject now before us here is the matter of the elopement of a daughter of one of our respectable and well known residents of the northern part of the township of Hope, with a young man who has also been for some time a resident of these parts. The young couple in question managed things pretty well. The lady went to your classic town to spend a few days with some friends, and at the end of her visit there, on Wednesday, the 1st inst., left by the G.T.R. ostensibly for Newtonville. But she had other things in view. Before far on her way, she was joined by her bappy spouse, in company with whom the journey was continued no one knows where. Things were kept in the dark till Saturday last, when the friends of the lady drove to town to bring her home. They then learned that she had lett. This and that were put together, and the thing laid bare, to the complete astonishment of every one, as such a thing was never once thought of, nothing seemed farther from the possibilities than that such a thing would occur. 'Twas

CORRESPONDENT.

NEWTONVILLE.

To the Editor of THE TIMES.

MR. EDITOR,-Permit me, through the columns of your valuable paper, to offer advice, and also to warn the public against entertaining tramps.

An instance of a most barefaced swindle has just happened in our midst. On the 16th ult. a man giving the name of John Smith asked for work, stating that he had walked a long distance and required rest and food. The party to whom he applied being of a sympathizing nature, at once hired him to chop cordwood, and agreed to give him \$18 per month and board, and immediately interviewed another farmer to make arrangements for boarding him. Having settled that matter, the man commenced work. The following day he met with an accident by a falling tree striking him, but having been very tenderly nursed he soon recovered, and some time after he informed the family that he had received a sum of money from his father and had no

more occasion to work. The farmer having a very charming and amiable daughter, the tramp was quite enamored of her, and requested her indulgent father to bring her home from her place, she being hired out. The father consented, and Mr. Tramp walked to Newcastle, hired a livery, and conveyed the young lady home, where

The gentleman tramp now expressed a deyour will by an insane impulse to commit the act. But your testimony showed you a neighbor. He then spoke of the wealth of his father, and at once visited the owner of the farm, inquiring as to the price, and when he could take possession. At the same time he determined to elevate the young lady to preside over his household. He next informed his host that the necessary preliminaries had been completed, and at once telegraphed his father for the necessary amount. course, the father didn't send it-not much.) He presented a bogus telegram to his host to the effect that the father would bring it him-

self. This so delighted our friend that he too quit work, in consequence, of course, of his daughter being so soon to become the wife of a millionaire, and sparing neither time nor money in entertaining his future son in-law. The father, according to the arrangement. was to arrive on the 26th with the money, on which date the confiding farmer proceeded to Newcastle to convey Mr. Smith, sen'r, to his house, but being puzzled about the connection of the trains went three times to the station that day, but no Smith arrived. In the meantime the young lady had been duly engaged, and was to be married to Mr. Tramp on the 31st. The young lady visited the tenant on the farm that was to be her future home, and informed them that they were to move out on the 1st of the month. She also informed the neighbors that the marriage was postponed till 1st Feb., in consequence of the non-arrival of Smith her to-be father-in-law. That evening, several young fellows proceeded to the house of the farmer to serenade, as they thought, the married couple. They were, at the time, very much annoyed at Mr. Tramp coming in and snatching such a prize from their midst. On their arrival, however, they were met by the bridegroom elect, who informed that the marriage was not consummat. ed, for the reasons given above, but promised the boys \$5 if they came on the following evening, when everything would be right. He then treated them to cigars, and bade

The following morning a livery rig came to the house, and the tramp, telling that he was going to Newcastle for the license, and to bring his father along, being a cold morning borrowed his host's \$15 overcoat, and got his signature to two notes, one for \$10 and one for \$17. Having arrived at Newcastle and got

the money, he sent back word to his poor dupe that he had gone on to Toronto. He then re-engaged the livery and went on to Bowmanville, where he procured the services of a small boy to take the rig back, and, of course, decamped for unknown regions. A CONSTANT READER.

Newtonville, Feb.6, 1882.

NEWCASTLE.

Why do the farmers grumble? Mat Elliott paid \$140 for two steers, to John Dickson, a farmer near here.

The skating rink was in full blast all the latter part of last week, and the ice is in good condition.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. W. Wilmot has had another bad hemorrhage, and that there is very little hope entertained of his re-

We regret to hear that Mr. T. D. Allin, assistant in the Bank here, is about being removed to Colborne, but we feel satisfied that his successor, A. Drummond, son of Rev. A. A. Drummond, will give satisfaction. We hear he is in Colborne.

We were pleased to see Thomas Douglas out for a drive last Friday, after a prolonged illness. Dr. Brent, who has been confined to the house, is out again attending to his profession, and we sincerely hope for his entire

recovery.
Mr. N. C. Rose has cut and sold over 400 cords of wood off the Soper farm. About 150 cords have been delivered.

Mr. Glendenning, of this place, sold a three year old colt, sired by Sir William Wallace, dam Wonderful Lad, and weighing 1430 lbs., to-day for \$160. He also sold one for \$135 to R. Bennett, of this place. The former was sold to an American. Mr. Glendenning has still eight horses left, besides his own driving

The annual meeting of the Presbytery was held here on Friday, and everything was satisfactory, both financially and otherwise. In the election of officers, the three retiring members of the Board were returned. The places of the other two managers who left were filled by Messrs. Bowie and Douglas.

On Jan'y 31st, the brethren of the Masonic Lodge here met and installed the following brethren as officers for the ensuing year. The ceremony was performed by Past Master W. T. Lockhart:—T. Vennor, W. M.; D. Allen, S. W.; J. Perker, J. W.; R. Hill, Chaplain; J. Bellwood, S.D.; T. Miller, J.D.; E. Drummonds, Sec.; C. Walls, Treas.; T. M. Rolfe, S.D.; C. Baker and F. Pope, Stewards; J

Bowie, Tyler. Then the brethren and their friends invited assembled at the Windsor Hotel, where they partook of a well got up supper of roast beef. turkeys, geese, ducks, oysters, and all the delicacies of the season. As all know, Mr. L. Dayman is noted for giving entire satisfaction as a caterer. After supper the usual toasts were given and responded to. The party, numbering sixty-seven, then retired to the various sitting-rooms and enjoyed them-

selves playing dominoes, etc. The proprietor of the skating rink here proposes having a carnival on Monday evening next, weather and ice permitting. A band will be in attendance.

A. B. Chandler has rented his building on the corner of King and North streets, to be used as a grocery store, to Lyle & Munson, of Bowmanville. It is a good location.

The loss of life by the New York fire is now reported to be not more than six.

The Committee on Pensions has reported to the House of Representatives in favour of giving Mrs. Polk, Mrs. Tyler, and Mrs. Garfield, widows of former Presidents of the United States, pensions of \$5,000 per annum each.

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R. Deyell Agent for Port Hope. It is expected that there will be a lively time immediately on the opening of the English House of Commons, when Bradlaugh attempts to take his seat. It is expected that he will received the support of the government. Strong opposition is also to be made to the contemplated enforcement of cloture.

SALE REGISTER.

Monday, Feb. 13th.—Auction sale of Farm Stock, implements, etc., on Lot 10, Broken Front, Clarke, the property of Mr. Ephraim Convay.

Sale at 12 o'clock, sharp. Jas. Kerr, Auctioneer.

MONDAY, Feb. 20th.—Auction Sale of Farm Stock, Implements, etc., on Lot 18, Con. 6, Hope, the property of Mr. Edward Swanston. Sale at 12 o'clock, sharp. Jas. Kerr, Auctioneer. Parties getting bills printed at this office re-cive a notice similar to the above FRHA OF CHARGE,

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NEWS ITEMS.

It is said that the Pope intends to create the office of Papal delegate to America. The colliery explosion at Coalfield, Va., has left 27 widows and 108 orphans.

A declaration prolonging the Anglo-French Commercial Treaty to March 1 has been signed. There was a heavy fall of snow in Wash-

ington, New York, and other portions of the United States on Saturday. The Parnellites have resolved to oppose the admission of Bradlaugh into the Im-

perial House of Commons. AYOUR KHAN is reported to be negotiating with the Turcomans with a view to another

invasion of Afghanistan. The Belleville Chief of Police in his annual report recommends the flogging of wife-beaters.

The new French Cabinet has been sustained in postponing the revision of the Constitution. The officers of the Pullman Car Company

deny that the smuggling of goods into Canada was permitted by them. Dr. Griffith, an employee of the Railways

and Canals Department at Ottawa, has been arrested on a charge of bigamy. The Railway Bill has passed its second reading in the Nova Scotia Legislative As-

sembly, there being only five dissentient The English public is now filled with alarm at the proposed tunnelling of the Channel. Two rival companies are anxious to undertake the work.

There was a case of small-pox on board the steamship Peruvian which arrived at Halifax Sunday morning. The victim was one of the steerage passengers.

The Agricultural Convention now in session in New York has requested Congress to make an early revision of the tariff. In what particular direction is not stated.

Toronto was visited last week by a des-

tructive blaze. The sufferers are Hay & Co. and P. D. Conger, whose conjoint lesses will reach nearly \$60,000. This loss is covered by about one-third insurance. The House of Representatives' Committee

on Foreign Affairs has reported a resolution requesting the President of the United States to give notice to Great Britain of the termination of certain provisions of the Treaty of Washington relative to fisheries. It is said that a change has been made in the postal regulations between this

to preventing the mailing in Canada by United States publishers of printed matter The result of the inquest into the death of John Smith, of Amaranth, has been the committal for trial for murder at the Assizes in March next of the boy John Smith

nephew of the deceased. The prisoner has

country and the United States with a view

been removed to Dufferin County gaol at Orangeville. Railway, says Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters cured me of Dyspepsia. always keep them in the house, and con-

sider them invaluable as a family medicine. R. Deyell, Agent for Port Hope. Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Pains in the Throat and Chest, relieved and cured by the use of Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops. The most reliable testimony has been received as to their efficiancy. In bottles, 50 cents. R. Deyell

Agent for Port Hope. Judge Cox on Saturday last refused Guiteau's application for a new trial, and the prisoner has been sentenced to be hanged on June 30, or within two or three days of the anniversary of the assassination. Efforts are still to be made before the Court in banc to avert the carrying out of the penalty, but it is not likely that they will prove successful. The prisoner was very violent in Court, and became so abusive that his mouth had to be forcibly closed.

Troublous times appear to be in store for Egypt. The chamber of Notables has determined to introduced legislation which will virtually transfer to itself the supreme power now enjoy by the Khedive, and as the Chamber is completely under the thumb of the military—who have already given Europe a taste of their mischief-making qualities—things are likely to be lively over there for some time to come.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

A GOOD PRIVATE DWELLING HOUSE, with OUT BUILDINGS attached, on Lot 12, 4th Con., Hope. This is a spiendid large lot, well adapted for gardening, with a good variety of fruit. It is a very commodious place for any person wishing to live private, as it is near the church and school. Possession given on the first March, 1882. For certificities result to particulars apply to 52-tf JOHN BOYD, P. M., Canton.

Hack and Bus Business for Sale

THE undersigned being about to retire from business, offers the whole of his Stock for Sale, comprising large Buses, Cabs, Carriages, Horses, &c., &c. Terms easy. For particulars apply to

JAMES HAW. Port Hope, Nov. 8, 1881.



Notice to Persons skilled in fit-

ting up Electric Lights.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Electric Lights," will be received at this Office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western Mails on TUESDAY, the 21st Eastern and Western Mails on TUESDAY, the 21st day of FEBRUARY next, for Lighting the Locks, &c., on the new part of the Welland Canal by means of Electric Lights.

A plan, showing the relative position of the proposed lights, can be seen at this Office and at the Office of the Resident Engineer, Thorold, where a printed copy of general conditions and other information can be obtained, either on application personations are supplication of the proposed lights.

ally or by letter.

Tenders must be made in accordance with the general conditions.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to

Dept. of Railways and Canals, } Ottawa, S1st January, 1882.

accept the lowest or any tender. F. BRAUN, Secretary.

Midland Railway of Canada.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that all unclaimed freight in the possession of the Midland Railway of Canada, Grand Junction Railway, and the Whitby, Port Perry and Lindsey Railway, will be sold by Public Auction, at 10.30 a.m., on Saturday, Feb. 18th, 1882, on the Market Square, Peterborough, unless the same be previously claimed by owners, and all charges thereon paid.

GEO. A. COX, General Manager. Peterborough, Dec. 31st, 1881.

TO RENT.

THAT SUPERIOR BRICK RESIDENCE ON JOHN STREET, owned and formerly occupied DR. HERRIMAN,

FARM TO RENT.

COMPCSED OF LOT NO. 7 IN THE 3rd CON. OF South Monaghan, containing 200 acres. About 120 cleared fit for crops and machinery. Buildings all in good repair. Further particulars on application to William Rutherford, South Monaghan P. O. 38-tf. 200 ACRES.

FARM containing 200 acres, in the 9th con. Hope, FOR SALE. There is on the property a good large orchard, a good dwelling, barns an cutbuilding, etc., two wells, with pumps. After first payment balance can remain on mortgage at 5 per cent. HUGH READ,

Owner, Elizabethville P.O. NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby prohibits the payment of accounts due him to any one but himself or his son, Thos. HAYDEN, Jr. THOS. HAYDEN, Sr. Port Hope, Oct. 18, 1881.

CARD OF THANKS.

ORONO, Dec. 14th, 1881. THOS. LONG, District Agent Standard Fire Insurance Co., of Hamilton.

DEAR SIR,-We beg to acknowledge with thanks the very prompt manner in which your local Board for above Company have paid our loss by late fire on 3rd inst., we having only made application to your Company a few days previous to the fire, and no Policy having been issued, sinply an Agent's interim receipt. We are,

Yours very truly, (Signed) 50 D. A. GAMSBY & BRO.

FOR SALE.

Lot 23, 10th Con. Hope, 100 acres.

Mr. Samuel McCaw, the well-known N. 1 Lot 34, Con. 7, Hope, Conductor on the Whitby and Lindsay 50 acres.

> N. 1 of S. 1 Lot 16, Con. 9, Hope, 50 acres. Apply to A. T. H. WILLIAMS,

CARD OF THANKS.

To my very numerous Friends, Customers, and the Public generally:-

Please accept my kind thanks for your very kind patronage for the past year; and I hope, by strict attention to business and the wants of my customers generally, to still merit a share of your custom,

I remain, yours truly, J. J. TURNER,

Sail, Tent, and Awning Manufacturer, East Pier, Port Hope, Ont.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

The CANTON STORE, with POST OFFICE at-tached. This valuable property will be sold or reuted on or before the first of March 1882. It is situated on Lot No. 12. 4 Con., Hope. The property is in a first class state, as it has only been completed this season. It is a schedid stand for any person desiring the business. For particulars apply to JOHN BOYD, P. M., Canton

ACENTS Wanted, to sell Edison's Musical Telephone, and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. Enclose stamp for catalogue and terms. 2-26t

EDISON MUSIC CO., 929 Chestnut St., Phila, Pa FOR SALE

The following Lands in the

TOWNSHIP OF HOPE: Part of south-west part of Lot 10, in 2nd Con., about 35 acres.

West half Lot 22, in 6th Con., 100 acres. North half Lot 26, in 6th Con., 100 acres. North half Lot 30 in 7th Con., 113 acres. North half Lot 34, in 7th Con., 50 acres. Lot 33, in 8th Con., 200 acres.

North three-quarters Lot 16, in 9th Con., 150 acres. West half Lot 33, in 9th Con., 100 acres. East half Lot 34, in 9th Con.

TOWNSHIP OF CAVAN:

West half Lot 3, in 1st Con., 100 acres. North half Lot 2, in 9th Con.. 100 acres. South-east quarter Lot 1, in 14th Con., 50

TOWNSHIP OF MANYERS: North half Lot 24, in 9th Con., 100 acres.

South-west quarter Lot 2, in 14th Con., 50

TOWNSHIP OF CLARKE: South part of Lots 13 and 14, in 3rd Con,,

175 acres. Lot 2, in 7th Con., 200 acres. South-east part Lot 17, 9th Con., 46 acres. Apply to

ARTHUR T. H. WILLIAMS,

E DE LO SER TERRET VEDEVIRE VIEW DIE E LOS EN LOS E

Josh Billings' Philosophy.

If you will sit down and wait, young man, at least one haff ov the good things ov life will at sum time eddy around near yu, while the more yu chase them the more they will break into a run.

All ov natur's works are a part ov a All ov natur's works are a part ov a he can play eucher, but he probably will perfekshun ov a plan. She makes no not win if he is conscientious. mistakes, creates no vacancy, and guesses

at nothing.

Ideas are what wins; but if a man han't got but one he is very apt to run that one into the ground, and take himself along you did it."

Sorry to have to punish you." "Don't, then," said Johnny, "cause it always makes me feel bad, too. Then we'd both be sorry you did it." with it.

Laffter proves nothing. Wise men l-ff, and ideats grin all the time.

and iz liable at ency time to merge into | to make him.

Happiness has no abiding place, but often is very near at hand, like the old woman's spectacles. After hunting for them hi and lo, she found them at last paper, who can't pell any other way.

Gravity iz bekuming to a phool at all times, but only to a wize man on state ockashions.

Verry menny seek knowledge, not so mutch for the truth az for the speculashun thar iz in it.

Heroizm iz simple, and yet it iz rare. Every one who dux the best they ken iz a Buty is a dangerous gift. The vanity

it inspires, and the base flattery it gets for its possessors are not to be envied. Charity makes no mistakes that she kan be charged with.

Good breeding iz the only thing that kan make a phool endurab e.

Servitude iz so unnatural that an honest servant iz the rarest ov all things. If a man haz got the right kind of religion he kan pick up a creed enny where that will fit it.

Indolence iz a quiet malady, but it hez eat up more foundashuns and tipt over more superstructures than wild ambishun ever haz. Abstinence should be the excepshun,

and temperance the rule. There iz a great art in knowing how to

give without creating an obligation.

Gratitude is a word that you will find expense. He brews (double) XX." in the dictionarys, but you will not find much of it anywhere else.

The Samson of the West

Jonas Johnson, or "Big Jonas," is the Goliah of this region, and some of the stories of his strength and endurance sound fabulous. In 1858 he gained a national reputation by walking from Ill nois t California, pushing his provisions before him in a wheelbarrow. He was living in Knox county, Illinois, when the gold fever swept over the country, and being in the early twenties of his life, was fired with ambition to join the Argonauts.

He was imperfectly acquainted with English and had but ten dollars in cash, ant.—Detroit Free Press. so he walked across Illinois and Iowa to out, and ninety days thereafter "landed" northeast of Sacramento, the first success- pay for a new wasp. ful placer mines. Here he went to work | Two men discussing the wonders of modthe journey-alone-and was successful.

He was able to earn from ten to twenty dollars per day, according to the number of hours he put in. A year satisfied him, and with a bag well filled with "dust" he returned, by way of Panama and New York, to his former home in Illinois

His feats of strength are no less remarkable. About twenty years ago he found a cow in no uncommon predicament in those days-mired in a slough. A team of horses planted on firm ground had proved unable to draw her from the mire, whereupon Jonas, laying down some boards to give a good footing, lifted her bodily out of the swamp, and, seizing her by the horns, dragged her to firm grouid.

At another time his waggon loaded with hay became mired down, and the horses failed to extricate it. Jonas got impatient, and, going to the rear, he raised the load and pushed it forward to better ground, making a lift which is moderately estimated at 1,300 pounds, and performed under unfavorable conditions. He is now a hale, ruddy-faced man of fifty-eight years, located on a fine farm of 120 acres in Boone and Hamilton counties, well stocked and improved, beside being the fertunate owner of two others, 160 and 120 acres respectively. He was born in Sweden, was twenty-two years old when he came to America, and has been a resident of this county for twenty-three years. He stands six feet two inches in his stockings, and tips the beam at 245 pounds. A No. 12 boot accommodates his foot, and his hand is that of a giant .- Standard, Iowa.

Blaine will deliver the eulogy on Garfield in the United States House of Representatives on Feb. 27.

An electric light machine drew many visitors at Louisville, and they intruded upon the workmen in an exasperating way, wholly disregarding the "no admission" placard. By hitching wires to the metal doorknob, and turning on a powerful current, the man secured the desired seclusion and the intrudere were dreadfully shocked.

The imitation gems now produced in Paris by chemical means so nearly resemble the genuine article that even connoisseurs cannot readily distinguish them without the use of scales or files. The following oxides supply the coloring sub-stances employed: Gold, for purple; silver, for yellowish green; copper, for bright green; iron, for pale red; cobalt, for blue; tin, for white; manganese, in small quantity, to make the glass devoid of color-in a larger to give it an make it black and opaque; autimony, for reddish hyacinth color.

The Baptist ministers of Virginia are opposing the passage of a bill for the relief of men who have fought duels, the present law disqualifying them from holding office; but there is one of the clergymen who does not favor the movement. "Duels are usually bloodless, inconsequential affairs," he said, "and the their large ears at one another, and retire without the slightest evidences upon their persons of having passed through any physical conflict. A trifling weariness of had purchased the Whithers plantation, their over exercised ears and hoarseness of just below Fort Adams, for \$1,000,000. tions of their having met and adjusted dignifics them."

PLEASANTRIES.

Guiteau's head has a depression on one side. That's about the way his neck will look, too, by-and-bye. "Inquirer" asks: "Can a man be a Christian and play eucher?" The opinion is that

"John," said his teacher, "I am very

We are sometimes so impressed by a fellow-man's estimate of his importance that nd ideats grin all the time. we tremble at the mere suggestion of what Cunning is a weak imitashun of wisdom, might have been if the Lord had forgotten

A Santa Fe printer can spell words back-

Fauny Parnell writes a poem to tell how the throne of England's queen is bulk right "over the flame of hell." Well, well, well! Now, do tell! Who would ha' thought it? How it must smeil! But still we con't believe it. There are so m ny of those campaign stories floating around, you know, you can't b lieve all of them.

The ambitious poet writes this paredy on the request to send eight hundred marrige-

ble ladies to the Northwest: Winnipeg, Winnipeg, To Winnipeg onward, All to the marriage mart, 8 and the eit ht hundred. Forward the bri e brigade! Charge girls! Who's afraid? Into the marriage mart, Go it, eight hundred!

Punctuation is sometimes necessary to the proper rendering of a sentence. To illustrate, we saw in a paper the other day an advertisement to the effect that "If the gentleman who keeps a shoe store with the red head will return the unbrella of a young lady with whalebone ribs and an ivory handle, he will hear of something to his ad-vantage."

There is a wealthy brewer in Montreal who built a church, and inscribed on it: 'This church was erected by Thomas Mol-As selfish and ill-bred as the mass of mankind are, I prefer to live with them rather than go into solitude and try to was erected, by Thomas M. Is n at his soul's

> A Western farmer of the old school, lamenting the paragon hired man of the past, thus speaks of him of the present: "He wears white shirts and collars. He won't eat with a kni e. He wants napkins, and if we don't hang up a clean towel once a week he wipes on his handkerchief. He wants a whole hour at noon, and after supper he trots off to a singing school or sits down to a newspaper."

Honest Canadians. - A poor mechanic from Canada was paid a \$50 bill by mistake for a \$1 bill by a storekeeper at Granby, Mass. He hastened home, resolved to keep the money; but within a week he returned, gave u all except what he had spent for car fares, and promised to pay up the remainder as soon as he could. His experience with his conscience, he said, had been unpleas-

"A young naturalist" writes us to learn Omaha, making the distance in two weeks.

There he bought a wheelbarrow and laid purposes without injuring it? Right by the in a stock of provisions. With these, on the 15th day of April, he pushed bodily out, and ninety days thereafter "landed" particle, and if it seems to be injured any safely at the diggings, some fifty miles that you can see, send us the bill, and we'll

in the same independent way he made ern science. Said one:- Look at astronomy, now; men have learned the distance to the stars, and with the *pectroscope they have even found out the substance they are made of." "Yes," said the other, "but strangest of all to me is how they found out all their names!"

M. de Cslinaux sets down his visitor's chamber candlestick. "W ll good night, old fel," he says. "You see the house is all alone, and the servants sleep like logs, and there have been a good many burglaries and murders here bouts of late, so I've devised a trap for the scoundrels." "How's that?" "I've got a wire laid from my bedside, and as soon as I hear the burglars in the house I'll just touch the nob-the wire communicates with a nitro-glycerine bomb in the cellar, and, gip! up goes the whole house! Be an awfully jolly sell on the beggars, eh? Good night!"

A crude old farmer, living on the line of one of the recent railroad surveys, and who is owner of a barn of large dimensions, with huge swinging doors on both sides, observed a posse of surveyors busily driving a row of stakes through his premises that extend to the very centre of his big barn. Sauntering leisurely toward the trespassers, with an air savoring somewhat of indignation, he addressed the leader of the gang as follows:

"Layin' cout another railroad?"
"Surveying for one," was the reply.

"Goin' threw my barn?" "Don't see how we can avoid it."

"Well, now, mister," said the worthy farmer, "I calkerlate I've got sumthin' tew say 'bout that. I want you tew under-stan' that I've got sumthin' else tew dew beside runnin' out tew open and shet the doors every time a train wants tew go

One of the New England regim nts which went into the action at Second Manassas had been on short rations for two days, and on that morning some of the companies hadn't a single hardtack left. As the fight opened and the bullets began to sing, one of the men rushed up to his captain and called

"Say, captain, can I be excused?"

"I want to go back and hurry up our provision wagons.'

"Can't spare you—fall into line—the wagons are ten mi'es awa."

"Yes, I know they are," protested the soldier, "but I've got hold of a blamed fool who'll bet two to one that I can't make that ten miles in fifteen minutes! Lemme go, captain, and I'll whack up half the bet!"

Young Haines was one of the worst fellows of Bedford, Ind., and when be went forward for prayers in a revival meeting, with an air of deep contrition, a daughter of the pastor knelt by his side to give him consolation and advice. After the services were over the girl missed her gold watch, and it was conjecamethyst hue-and in great quantity to tured that Haines had stolen it. She would not believe this, but went with the party who set out to follow him. They found him on his knees under a tree, and for a moment they thought he was pray-

ing; but a closer inspection showed that he was burying the watch. It is stated in New York that Oscar Wilde's mission to the United States has also a practical as well as sesthetical side. He is the nephew of the late Judge John field of honor is one whereon a couple of Kingsbury Elgee, of Rapides, La. This deal with it so giogerly as he had in the loud-braying denkeys meet and shake gentleman was an Irishman by birth, past, for he felt that he had a duty to percame to Louisians quite young, and there amassed a great fortune. He was a brilliant lawyer. He died in 1864. He had purchased the Whithers plantation, their strained voices are the only indica- After Elgee's decease Withers gained possession of his property. Wilde's their differences in mortal combat. When friends have a conviction that he has a it takes notice of such affairs, the law but claim on the property, and the lawyers think "he has a case.

When Webster failed, it was a moral

failure. Moral weakness was the cause of

the acceptance of money and of the fall of the 7th March. Intellectually, he ranks amongst the greatest men of his race or country. His mind was not profoundly original, nor did he have that unknown subtle quality, rarely met with amongst statesmen or lawyers, but to be found in poets and artists, which men have agreed to call genius. We watch the feats of some superb athlete, and all that he does is impossible to us, far beyond our reach; but we understand how everything is done, and what muscles are needed. We observe the performances of an Eastern juggler; we see the results, we appreciate the skill, but the secret of the trick escapes us. This is true, also, of mental operations; it is the difference between the mind of a Shakespeare and that of a Pitt—a difference, not of degree, but of kind. Webster belongs to the athletes. We can do nothing but admire achievements so far beyond our grasp, and gaze with wonder upon a development so powerful, so trained, so splendid. But we can understand it all, both the mind and its operations. It is intellect raised to any power you please, but it is still an intellect, a form and process with which we are familiar. There is none of the baffling sleight of hand, none of the inexplicable intuitions of genius. Webster has been accused of appropriating the fruits of other men's labors to his own An Act to enable uses and glory. This is perfectly idle criticism. Webster had the common quality of greatness, a quick perception o' the value of suggestions and thoughts put forth by other men, and the capacity to detect their value and use them, making them bear fruit, instead of remaining sterile in the hands of the discoverer. But after all is said, we come back to the simple statement that he was a very great man intellectually; one of the greatest man intellectually; one of the greatest men of his age. He is one of the chief figures of our history, and his fame as a lawyer, an orator and a statesman is port of that history. There he stands before us, grandly, vividly, with all his glories and all his failings? The uppermost thought, as we look at him, is of his devotion to the Union and of the great. votion to the Union, and of the great in the hour of supreme trial. There is

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

Wednesday, February, 1. The Speaker took the chair at three

o'clock. The following petitions were presented:-Mr. Robertson (Hastings)-Of the City be taken towards the abolition of market McLaren v. Canada Central Railroad. Council of Belleville, asking that no action

Mr. Laid aw-Of the County Council of Wellington, to abolish the second selection

of jurors.
Mr. Ross-Of the County Conneil of Huron, praying for the abolition of the second selection of jurors.

Mr Jelly—Of the County Council of Duf-

ferin, praying to abolish the second selection Mr. Bell-Of the corporation of the City of Toronty, praying for such legislation as may be necessary to authorize the establishment and maintenance of public libraries and resding rooms in cities and towns and for the levying and collection of a rate there-

Mr. McCraney-Of the County Council of the County of Kent, praying for the abolition of second selection of jurors.

Mr. Near-Of R. B. McPherson and others,

of Welland, for an Act to amend the law of The following bills received their first

A Bill entitled an Act respecting the sale of lands in Algoma for Government taxes-

Mr. Wiod. A Bill entitled an Act to establish a Bureau

of Industry-Mr. Wood.

Mr. Dryden moved for a return showing the number of sheep killed by dogs, and the amounts paid for the same, in each of the municipalities of the Province, for the years 1879, 1880 and 1881, respectively. mover said that after conversation with prominent agriculturists and others, it was thought desirable that this information should be obtained. If the number of sheep killed by dogs in other townships was as great as in the locality in which he resided, steps should be taken to secure legislation to protect sheep owners. At present he said there were two difficulties in the way-first, the owners of the dogs were in some cases irresponsible persons; second, the difficulty of finding who were the owners. He sug-

sons who kept dogs.

Mr. Hardy presented a return of the four teenth annual report of the Inspector of Prisons and Asylums; a retur of suits and actions; of the emoluments of County Attorneys for 1879 and 1880; correspondence with regard to refusal to admit ladies to the leo tures at the University of Toronto; correspondence with regard to the Huron and On-

gested that a register should be kept in each

municipality containing the names of per-

tario Ship Canal Company. Mr. Bell moved for a return showing (1) the number of female teachers employed in the Roman Catholic Separate Schools, who are members of the community, qualified by law to teach, but who have not undergone an examination, and consequently are without certificates from any board of examiners or other institution authorized to issue such under our educational laws and institutions; (2) the same information in reference to male teachers similarly employed in Roman

Catholic Separate Schools. Mr. Bell said it had been alleged by parents of children attending th se schools that they were not receiving such an education as they had a right to expect, and he wanted to get at the bottom of the affair. Under the law he knew that persons might teach in those schools without undergoing an examination, but they should, he thought, be properly qualified to teach. At a future time he intended to move further in the matter. Heretofore he had not pressed the subject, but in the future he would not form to the Roman Catholics he represented from which he had determined not to shrink irrespective of what the consequences might be to himself or to the Government. (Laughter.)

THURSDAY, Feb. 2. The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock.

The following petitions were presented:

Prohibitory Alliance; the President and Fa-culty of Victoria University; Rev. Canon Carmichael and 675 other inhabitants of Hamilton; W. J. Richardson and 846 others, of the town of Thorold; Johnson Harrison and others, on behalf of the Halton County Prohibition Alliance; Thos. W. Hall and others of Brantford; and Joseph H. Campbell and others, of Dundas, all praying for certain amendments to the Crooks Act.

Mr. Nairn-From J. W. Cook and others, of St Thomas, praying for amendments to the law of evidence.

Mr. Waters, from the County Council of Middlesex, praying for the abolition of tolls

The feature of the proceedings was the un-precedentedly large number of private Bills introduced, no fewer than fifty-nine having been reported from the Standing Orders Com-mittee as the result of their morning's work. Nearly an hour was spent in the routine incidental to first readings.

A debate arose over the resolution of Mr. French in favor of increasing the jurisdiction of the County Courts, The Attorney General considered that further changes in jurisprudence were not advisable until the practice under the new Judicature Act had become more settled, and moved an amendment declaring that action in that direction would be premature.

After a spirited discussion, an amendment by Mr. Merrick, to refer the matter to a committee, was voted down by a majority of 42 to 24, and that of Mr. Mowat carried on the

same division. Among the Bills receiving a first reading

An Act to enable the corporation of the town of Port Hope to incur liabilities for the construction and extension of Water-works, and aid in the establishment of manufactories -Dr. Brereton.

An Act respecting the Midland Railway of Canada-Mr. Ferris. An Act to consolidate the Toronto and Nipissing, Whitby and Port Perry, Victoria,

Toronto and Ottawa, Grand Junction, and Midland Railway Companies—Mr. Ferris.

An Act to establish the northern boundaries

ly; also showing which of such judgments, if work which he did in strengthening and building up the national sentiment. That remaining undecided. The mover said it was sentiment, the love of Webster's life, not his intention to enumerate the different proved powerful enough to save the Union | cases in which the Acts of this Legislature had been declared unconstitutional by Courts of no ne d, and it would not be right, to overlook or to forget his errors and failings all the more arrors and failings, all the more grievous because he constitutional, one very recently at the suit of was so gifted. All men, even those who Dobie v. the Temporalities Board of the Prescensure him most severely, acknowledge byterian Church. He had noticed several of his greatness. But it is not his fame such cases reported in the newspapers. He which will plead most strongly for him wished to call attention to the fact that we when his faults are brought before the have now upon our statute books a mass of bar of history to receive judgment. It legislation of which the general public have will be the thought of a united country of knowledge as to which particular Acts are the ideal of his hopes, the inspiration of in force, and which have been declared ultra the noblest efforts of his intellect, which will lead men to say, "Forgive him, for he loved much."—Henry Carot Lodge in February Atlantic.

The noblest efforts of his intellect, which will lead men to say, "Forgive him, for he loved much."—Henry Carot Lodge in the law reports. He thought it desirable that this information should be given in a convenient form, and that it would be of great benefit if the Attorney-General would present a tabulated statement in this respect, in order that we might understand our position in reference to legislation, as a companion to our

NEWS ITEMS.

An appeal is to be taken in the case of

A plot against the life of the King of Greece has been discovered and prevented. The Canada Temperance Act has gone into operation in the county of Northumber-, land, N. B.

Louis Frechett, the Canadian poet, was banquetted by the French citizens of Hol-

yoke, Mass., last evening. The gale of Thursday night did a great deal of damage in many parts of Canada

and the United States. Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 27 .- The Regents of the State University yesterday dismissed

three Free-Thinking professors.

The directors of Hervey Institute, Montreal, by a vote of five to three, have re fused to dismiss the Matron for applying mustard plasters as a corrective measure. Dillon, the Irish M. P., has written to

Mr. Forster a very haughty letter with ragard to a proposal made to him that the gates of Kilmainham are open if he desires to visit the Continet. The programme of the De Freycinet

Cabinet has been announced. A very liberal platform has been laid down, and one which appears to give satisfaction. It is proposed to shelve the scheme for the revision of the Constitution for the pres-

A refrigerating firm at Philadelphia received a letter from Scoville, stating that the relatives of Guiteau bad considered favourably the proposition to place on exhibition the body of the assassin after hanging. Preparations for the exhibition have already begun.

Col. Houde, M. P., editor of Le Monde, having been called upon by the Bishop of Montreal to retract some comments made in his paper upon Cardinal Simeoni's letter re Laval University, has declined to do so, preferring rather to retire from journalism.

From that dreadful place, the Gatineau district, comes the report of another crime, the rumor being in this case that the cook in one of Gilmour's lumbering shanties at the Desert became enraged at his assistant, killed him, cut up the body, and placed the pieces in a barrel of pork.

Chili has made known the terms of peace with Peru, the principal items being the cession of Tarapac and the rayment of \$20 000,000 indemnity. In the event of Peru not complying with these demands, any further proffer of friendly intervention from the United States is declined. In the meantime 8,000 Chilians are restoring order in Peru.

Parnell, Dillion and O'Kelly are said to contemplate resigning their seats in the Imperial Parliament so that their successors may be elected before the House meets. Dillion's relatives are endeavoring to secure his release on the ground of illness, but he is not willing to be released unless unconditionally. Reinforcements of troops are being sent to Ireland,

An extensive fire, accompanied with considerable loss of life, broke out last week in "Newspaper Row," New York City. Owing to the rapid spread of the flames many persons employed in the upper storeys of the building were unable to escape. Frequently the inmates sought to save their lives by jumping, but the result in most cases was but to precipitate death. The loss by the fire is estimated at \$1,000,-000. The effices of many of the prominent American journals were destroyed.

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COUNTIES' COUNCIL.

The Counties' Council met at 2 o'clock on Tuesday, Jan. 24rh. The following members present and filed their certificates:—Messrs. Archer, Bell, Boyce, Becker, Boyle, Brooks, Clarke, Cochrane, Campbell, Colville, Carveth, Eagleson, Elliot, Fowlds, Ferguson, Grandy, Grimison, Kennedy, Langmaid, Mailory, Macklin, McKee, Parr, Porter, Riddell, Reid, Robson, Rundle, Rutherford, (S. Monaghan,) Rutherford, (Haldimand,) Strong, Tamblyn, Vancamp, Walker, Webb, Willoughby, Wessels, Weir, Young.

The Clerk called the members to order for the election of Warden.

Moved by Mr. Clarke, seconded by Mr. Robson,—That Gilbert Bedford, Reeve of Seymour, be Warden.

Moved by Mr. Ferguson, (Millbrook,) seconded by Mr. Macklin, -That Walter Riddell be Warden.

Moved by Mr. Cochrane, seconded by Mr. Bell,-That election of Warden be taken by

Moved by Mr. Eagleson, seconded by Mr. Reid,-That Messrs. Parr and Fowlds do act as scrutincers.

On ballots being counted the majority were cast in favor of Gilbert Bedford.

The Cierk thereupon declared Mr. Bedford duly elected as Warden. Mr. Bedford took the necessary declaration

of office, took his seat and returned thanks for the honor conferred upon bim. The minutes of the last day of the Decem-

ber Session were read and confirmed. Moved by Mr. Colville, seconded by Mr. Barr,-That Messrs. Cochrane, Campbell, Fowlds, Eagleson, Robson, Willoughby, Blliot, Porter, A. Ferguson, Webb, Mallory and the mover and seconder be a committee to strike the various standing committees of Council for the current year.

INTRODUCTION OF BY-LAWS.

The following notices of introduction of by-laws were given:—
Mr. Cochrane: To appoint auditors under

the Municipal and Law Reform Amendment

Dr. Willoughby: To appoint High School Trustees in the several High School districts of these United Counties. Mr. Clarke: To appoint a Gaol and Regis-

try Office Committee. Dr. Webb: To appoint a commissioner to oversee the various bridges belonging to the

Counties. On motion, the Council did then adjourn till 3 o'clock on Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY.

The Council met at 3 o'clock, the Warden in the chair. The minutes of yesterday were read and confirmed.

The Warden then addressed the Council Mr. Robson presented the report of the committee appointed to strike the various standing committees. It was read and on motion adopted.

The Standing Committees are as follows: Finance—Webb, Brighton, chairman; Colville, Clarke; Robson, Newcastle; Elliot, Hope; Cochrane, Cramahe; Rundle, Darlington; Ferguson, Millbrook; Mallory, Percy: Campbell, Cavan; Grandy, Manvers.

Schools-Parr, Cartwright, chairman; Carveth, Clarke; Archer, Campbellford; Bell,
Seymour; Langmaid, Darlington; Ferguson,
Caven, Beyex, Rowmanville: Becker, Brighton; Walker, Hope.
Roads and Bridges—Eagleson, Hamilton,
chairman; Fowlds, Hastings; Boyce, Percy;

Rutherford, S. Monaghan; Porter, Bowman viile; Tamblyn, Hope; Wessels, Murray; Rutherford, Haldimand; Vancamp, Darling-

County Property — Riddell, Hamilton, chairman; Clarke, Cramahe; Strong, Brighton; Kennedy, Manvers; Beid, Clarke; Weir, Alnwick; Macklin, Haldimand. Contingencies — Willoughby, Colborne, chairman; Young, Murray; Grimison, Haldi-

man '; Brooks, Hamilton; McKee, Cartwright.

A communication was received from the Attorney-General, in reference to the constable force.

Moved by Mr. Robson, seconded by Mr. A. Firguson,-That the communication of Attorney General be referred to the following committee, to report upon at this session: The Warden, and Messre. Fowlds, Parr, Cochrane, Willoughby, Webb, Carveth, and the mover and seconder.

The following by-laws were then read a first time:

To appoint a commissioner to superintend and look after the various bridges, the pro perty of the Counties. To appoint a Gaol and Registry Office Com

mittee, and for the payment of the committee out of session. To pooint High School Trustees for the

several High School districts. To appoint Auditors under the Municipal

and Law Reform Amendment Acts. For imposing a toll on animals and vehicles crossing Campbellford bridge. The following notices of motion were

Moved by Mr. Cochrane, seconded by Mr. Eagleson, - Whereas a resolution was passed in December session of 1866, numbered 1433, providing that keepers of Lock-up houses in the United Counties should be paid for committing prisoners. 50 cents; and for discharg ing the same, 50 cents; and for maintenance of same, 50 cents for twenty-four hours; and as this Council is of the opinion that it is not desirable, be it resolved that resolution

No. 1433 be and the same is hereby re-Moved by Mr. Riddell, seconded by Mr. Rutherford, (Haldimand,) — That Messrs. Clarke, Colville, and the mover and seconder be a committee to enquire into the validity of the Treasurer's bonds, as the law directs. and report upon the same to this Council. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Porter, seconded by Mr. Colville,-That the Reeve, and in the absence of the Reeve, the Deputy-Reeve of the unrepresented municipalities, bs a special committee to equalize the assessment roll according to law. Carried.

. The notice of motion in reference to the debentures given in the December session was, upon motion, referred to the Finance

Committee. A number of accounts were then presented and referred to the various standing com-

Mr. Robson presented a petition from cer-tain ratepayers of the village of Clarke, praying to have the bridge upon the main line of the road running north to the harber crossing the stream, to be put in safe and proper repair, believing the same to County bridge under the Act. Read and referred to Roads and Bridges Com-

A communication from Mr. Scarlett, in reference to competitive examinations, was read and referred to School Committee. On motion, Rule No. 32 was suspended for

the occasion of permitting the by-law appointing auditors to be read a second and a third time. On motion, the Council went into committee of the whole thereon, Mr. Cochrane in the chair. After being read, the committee rose and the chairman reported the blanks filled up. Or motion, the by law was read a second and a third time, passed, signed and sealed. The Council then adjourned till 3 o'clock

on Thursday.

THURSDAY.

The Council met, members all present. The Warden in the chair. The minutes of Wednesday were read and

confirmed. Mr. Robson presented the report of special committee to reply to Warden's address. On r. Robson in the chair. After the committee bugs of despondency buzzing in my ears, the committee rose and the chair. and I feel the cold lizards of despondency buzzing in my ears, "ead the committee rose and the chair. and I feel the cold lizards of despair dealers.

man reported the report through the committee of the whole, without amendment.

Moved by Dr. Willoughby, seconded by Mr. Clark,-That the report on the reply to Warden's address be adopted; and that the thanks of this Council be tendered to the

minutes of the Council. A communication was received from H. Odell, in reference to a charge of costs in prosecuting a pedlar selling goods without license. Referred to Finance Committee. The foll wing by-laws were read a second time: -To appoint a commissioner to super-

Warden for his address, and that the address

intend and oversce the several bridges, the property of the Counties. To appoint High School Trustees for several

High School districts. Moved by Mr Riddell, seconded by Dr. Willoughby, —That the sum of \$200 be granted in aid of the parties who suffered so severely by the late disastrous fires in the Muskoka district, and that the Warden be authorized to sign an order for that amount; and that the Treasurer forward it to a committee authorized to receive the same. The motion was lest on a division.

The Warden then read a communication from the Clerk, asking for leave of absence in case he might go to England this sum-

Moved by Mr. Riddell, seconded by Dr. Willoughby, -That the Clerk be granted leave of absence in case he might wish to go to England, by his providing a suitable person, to the satisfaction of the Warden, to perform the duties of his office.

After discussion, the matter was laid over till June session. . The Council then adjourned.

FRIDAY.

The Council met. The Warden in the chair. The minutes of Thursday's proceedings

were read and confirmed. A communication was read from Mr. Wm. Kerr in reference to a claim preferred by the

Board of License Commissioners. Referred to Counties' Solicitor.

Mr. Parr, chairman, presented the report of the Standing Committee on Schools. On motion, the Council went into committee of the whole thereon, Mr. Parr in the chair. After being read, the committee rose and reported that the report went through the committee without amendment. Adopted.

The report of the special committee to consider the communication from the Attorney-General was received and adopted. As was also the report of committee appointed to enquire into the validity of the Treasurer's bonds.

The report of Committee on Roads and Brides passed through the committee of the whole without amendment, and was received and adopted.

After discussion on the communication of Mr. Wm. Kerr, it was Moved by Mr. Kobson, seconded by Mr. Engleson,—That in reference to the letter from Mr. Kerr, threatening legal proceedings for the recovery of \$63.64 for services per-formed by Jas. Grey as License Inspector,

in enforcing the Temperance Act in these Counties. From the telegram received from Hon. Mr. Hardy, it does not appear that Mr. Grey was ever appointed Inspector, and this Council therefore does not consider that they are in any way liable to pay the claim. The following by-laws were read a third time, passed, signed and sealed:—

To appoint a Commissioner to superintend the various bridges the property of the To appoint a Gaol and Registry Office Com

The Report of the Finance Committee was presented by the chairman, Mr. Webb, and passed through the committee of the whole without amendment. On motion, the Council then adjourned.

SATURDAY.

Council met to-day. Members all present.

Moved by Mr. Robson, seconded by Mr. Elliot.—That the execution of costs re Redmond vs. Odell be assigned to this corporation before the Treasurer pays over the amount voted by this Council on account of said case. Carried.

On motion, the Council then adjourned until the June session.

A MODEL LOVE-LETTER.

DEAR ELLA, -Every time I think of you my heart flops up and down like a churn dasher; sensations of unutterable joy caper over it like young goats over a stable roof, and thrill through it like Spanish needles through a pair of towlined trowsers; as a gosling swimeth in a mud puddle, so swim I in a sea of glory. Visions of ecstatic rapture, thicker than the hairs of a blacking-brush, and brighter than the hues of a humming bird's pinions, visit me in my slumbers, and borne on their invisible wings, your image stands before me, and I reach out to grasp it like a pointer snapping at a blue bottled When I first beheld your angelic fly. perfections, I was bewildered, and my brain whurled around like a bumble-bee under a glass tumbler, my eyes stood open like cellar doors in a country town, and I lifted up my ears to the silvery accents of your voice. My tongue refused to wag, and in silent adoration I drank in the sweet infection of love as a thirsty man swallows a tumbler of hot whiskey punch. Since the light of your face fell upon my life, I sometimes feel as if I could lift myself up by the suspenders to the top of the church steeple and pull the bell-rope for Sunday School. Day and night you are in my thoughts; when Aurora, blushing like a bride, raises from her saffron colored clouds, when the jay-bird pipes his tuneful lay in the apple-tree by the spring house; when the chanticleer's shrill ctarion heralds the coming mern; when the awakening pig ariseth from his bed and grunteth and goeth for his refreshmens; when the drowsy beetle wheels its droning flight at sultry noontide, and when the lowing herd comes home at milking-time, I think of thee, and like a piece of gumelastic my heart seems stretched clean across my busom. Yur hair is like the main of a sorrel horse, powdered with gold, and the brass pins skewered through your waterfall fill me with unutterable awe. Your forehead is smoother than the elbow of an old coat. Your eyes are glorious to contemplate, in their liquid depths I behold legions of little capids bathing like a cohort of ants in an old

army of crackers. When the head lays pressed against my manly breast the fires of your eyes penetrate my whole anatomy as a load of bird shot goes through an old rotten apple. Your nose is as perfect as if carved from a chunk of Parian marble, and your mouth is puckered with sweetness. Nectar lingers on your lips like honey on a bear's paw, and myriads of unfledged kisses are there, ready to fly out and light somewhere, like bluebirds out of their parents nest. Your laugh rings in my ears like the music of harpstrings or the bleat of a stray lamb on a bleak hill side. The dimples on your cheeks are like bowers in a bed of roses, or the hollow in cakes of home sugar. I am dying to fly to thy presence and pour

out the burning eloquence of my love as

thrifty house-wives pour out hot coffee.

Away from you I am as melancholy as a

crawling down my back. Uncouth fears, like a thousand minnows, nibble at my spirit, and my soul is p reed with doubts ike an old cheese bored with skippers. My love for you is stronger than the smell of patent butter, or a kick of a young cow, and more selfish than a kitten's first cataand reply thereto be printed along with the As a rong bird hankers for the light of the day, the cautious mouse after a piece of bacon in a trap, as a weamed pup longs for now milk, so I long for You are fairer than a speekled pullet, than a Yankie doughaut fried in sorghum molasses; brighter than a topknot plumage on the head of a Muscovy You are candy, kisses, raisins, pound-cake and sweetened toddy, altogether. And if these few lines will enable you to see the inside of my soul, and assist me in winning your affections, I shall be as happy as a wood-pecker on a cherry-tree, or a stage horse in a green pasture. If you cannot reciprocate my soul-mastering passion, I will pine away like a poisoned bed-bug, and fall away from the flourishing vine of life an un-timely branch. And in the coming year, when the shadows grow from the hills, and the philosophical frog sings his cheers ful evening hymns, you, happy in another's love, can come and shed a tear and catch a cold upon the last resting place of yours truly.

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HENRY IRVING.

Irving's is a singularly impressive face. He is one of those men who would arrest your attention and excite enquiry wherever you might meet them. The other day, at the house of Mr. William Winter, on Staten Island, New York, I saw a portrait of Edwin Booth, which reminded me much of Irving. Great actors have a physiognomy of their own, to be sure, but the picture of Booth had something in the epes and expression of the mouth so much like Irving, that at first sight it might have been taken for the English actor's portrait. I heard some gossip in New York which was unjust to Irving. It suggested rivalry, and jeal-ousy of Booth on his part. "Here is a programme showing Hamlet underlined for the Lyceum during October and November! That is the first note of the Euglishman's opposition." The truth is, Hamlet was unerlined for the usual Lyceum morning performances before Mr. Booth's opening part was announced. When the Princess's manifesto came out, Irving at once withdrew the announcement of Hamlet, leaving the field clear and open to the stranger, in whose success Irving has shown real and practical pleasure. He was one of first leading artists of London to call upon and congratulate him. He made Mr. Booth a characteriatic present of an interesting picture illustrating the play of Richilieu, and shortly afterward arranged for his appearance at the Lyoeum to alternate with himself the

two leading parts in Othello. Genius is rarely without a sense of humor. Mr. Irving has a broad appreciation of fun, though his own humor is subtle and deep down. This is never better shown than in his Richard III. and Louis . It now and then appears in his conversation; and when he has an anecdote to tell, he seems to develop the finer and more delicate motives of the action of the narrative, as if he were dramatizing it, as he went along.

A notable person in appearance, I said just now. Let me sketch the famous actor as we leave his rooms together. A tall, spare figure, in a dark overcoat and grayish trousers, black neckerchief carelessly tied, a tall hat, rather broad at the brim. His hair is black and bushy, with a wave in it on the verge of a curl, and suggestions of gray at the temples and over the ears. It is a pale, somewhat ascetic face, with bushy eyebrows, dark, dreamy eyes, a nose that indiupper lip, a mouth opposed to all ideas of sensuousness, but nervous and sensitive, a strong jaw and chin, and head inclined to droop a little, as is often the case with men of a studious habit. There is great individuality in the whole figure, and ih the face a rare mobility which photography fails to catch in all the efforts I have yet seen of English artists. Though the popular idea is rather to associate tragedy with the face and manner of Irving, there is nothing sunnier than his smile. It lights up all his countenauce, and reveals his soul in his eyes; but it is like the sunshing that bursts for a moment from a cloud, and disappears to leave the landscape again in shadows, flecked here and there with fleeting reminiscences of the sun. - Joseph Hatton, in Harper's Magazine

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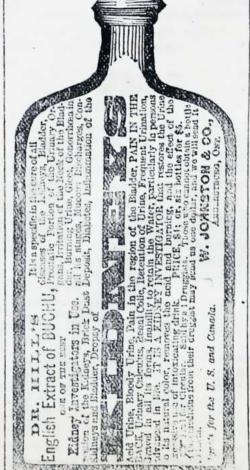


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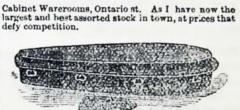
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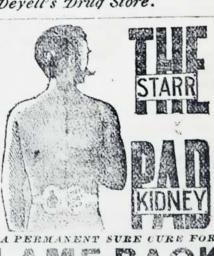
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OSCAR WILDE is coming to Toronto. Dominion Parliament opens to-day.

Sun rises 7.16 a.m. and sets 5.13 p.m.

WILD CANARIES made their appearance yesterday.

THERE was "a social hop" in the Music Hall on Wednesday evening of last week.

THE executive committee of the Harbor Board have the matter of repairing the dredge

THE Georgian Bay Lumber Co. intend shipping 50,000,000 feet of lumber at Port Hope next summer.

THE Council have decided to contest the decision of the arbitrators in the Port Hope and Counties arbitration case.

The Western Dairymen's Convention met at Woodstock last week. We notice among those registered the name of Mr. M. Farquharson, Port Hope.

PENETANGUISHENE has applied to the Local Legislature, for incorporation as a town. "Penetang" is suggested as a more convenient name than the village at present bears.

On Monday, in the Local Legislature, Dr. Brereton presented the petition of the Town Council of Port Hope, praying that market fees may not be abolished until tolls on county roads are done away with.

IT is stated that Mr. Bergeron, of Beauharnois, will move, and Mr. Guillet, of West Northumberland, second, the Address in reply to the Speech from the Throne in the Commons.

Ar the close of the last School Beard meeting, Mr. Goggin invited the members of the Board and also the humble representatives of the press, to an oyster stew at Mr. Martin Griffin's saloon, on John street.

Beaverton has a paper. The first number, a neat little sheet, has reached us. A circulation of 1,000 is already claimed for it, which ought to ensure its success. It is named the Express.

A TEN dollar bill was handed to the bookkeeper of THE TIMES office with "the last of \$10,000" written across one end of it. We had heard of this bill before, but did not think it would turn up again.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Bowmanville Manufacturing Co. on Tues day night of last week, it was decided to abandon the scheme and return the amount of the paid up stock, less the expenses incurred to date.

FROM present indications there will be an ice "boom" next year. The supply, it is said, will fall short in many places. We would advise our local storers to take this fact into consideration and provide a rich harvest for themselves.

WILLIAM T. GALLANDERS, formerly of South Monaghan, was drowned in the Frazer River, British Columbia, on Saturday, 29th ult. The deceased has a number of friends where he formerly resided, who will regret his

MR. SYLVESTER, who was here last week prospecting concerning the establishment of is going to start the manufacturing of agricultural implements in Lindsay. He was offered the same inducements here, but Lindsay, he considers, possesses better advantages in local

A VACANCY .- The Secretary of the School Board has advertised in the Toronto papers for a first assistant in the Model School, Port Hope, holding a first-class certificate, to take the place unceremoniously vacated by Mr. A. D. Griffin. Salary, \$600.

"TELL a lie and stick to it," seems to be the strong forte of some people. Accusations are made against our public men, and repeated over and over again without the slightest foundation. As an instance of this we may mention the fact that ever since the West Northumberland election, a charge has been frequently repeated against Col. Williams, that he deposited a fraudulent ballot at Bewdley. The assertion is a deliberate falsehood. Col. Williams has a sufficient proprietory interest in the property on which he voted to entitle him to a vote, and the fact that his name appears on the Voters' List, to every reasonable person, is evidence of the falsity of the charges made against him. It is not worth while wasting much space in refuting oft repeated falsehoods. Col. Williams is too well-known to require any lengthened defence at our hands on so contemptible a charge.

On Monday evening our Chief Constable had two unpleasant characters to deal witha drunken man and woman. A drunken man is generally troublesome enough, but add to that a drunken woman, and you have an onerous undertaking, if you attempt to restrain them in their career. The school children had some sport with the couple after school hours, following them around and enjoying their rough-and-tumble sallies when teased. The man had a bag on his back, filled with something sounding metallically, and the way he banged it around as he sprawled on the sidewalk was highly amusing to the spectators. The Chief with some difficulty brought the pair before the Police Magistrate, who sentenced them to stay in the lock-up until noon on Tuesday. They were from Belleville, and were making their way to Newcastle-so they said.

DR. BRERETON, M.P.P., will please accept our thanks for parliamentary papers.

THE two boys who "skipped out" recent. ly, are home again, after an absence of about

Mr. F. Honns has made arrangements with a circus manager, to act as advance agent during the coming season. His duties begin in April.

OFF TO MANITOBA .- Capt's. R. Henning, W. Clarke and Mr. Samson Bones, are off to the North-West. Mr. Wm. Williamson, in company with Mr. Clarke, of Clarke & Van-Every, left for there last night.

Two weeks from to-day there will be a raille at the Queen's Hotel, a model steamship constructed by one of the sailors this winter, being the prize. This piece of handiwork is on exhibition in Mr. H. Herr's window, and curious ones can have an opportunity of inspecting it there. Tickets can be obtained for 50 cents each.

THE directors of the skating and curling rink intend getting up a grand carnival for some evening next week. It is not known exactly what evening, as the date is not definitely fixed yet, depending no doubt upon the weather probabilities. We understand that prizes will be given for costumes. Full particulars will be known in a day or two.

On the 17th ult. our popular Town Clerk, Mr. H. V. Sanders, completed the twenty-fifth year of his service in that important office, and during all that time he has recorded with his own hand the proceedings of every meeting in the minute book. As he writes a very fine hand, probably the records of no other town in the Province are so well kept, and few will have the same uniformity running through them for so many years. His host of friends in Port Hope will join us in the wish that he may be spared to fill his position for many years to come, as efficiently as he has done in the past. "His Jolliness" is as hearty and good-natured as he can be, and is very popular with our people of all classes.

ON SHORT NOTICE .- Mr. A. D. Griffin has obtained a position as Mathematical Master in Woodstock High School, at a salary of \$800. He sent in his resignation immediately upon receiving notice of his appointment and took his departure on Saturday, we understand. The members of the School Board think they have been rather shabbily treated in the matter, and the morality of the teaching profession has considerably lowered in their estimation in consequence. Mr. Griffin was an excellent teacher, and they appreciated his services. All are sorry that he saw fit to desert our school when he was morally, if not legally, bound to fulfil his term of engagement, or at least, to give the Board due notice of his intention. The question is, was an increase of salary sufficient justification for leaving on such short notice! This is the third or fourth time the trustees have been served thus, and it will be a lesson to have a written agreement signed by every teacher they employ hereafter.

REMENYI .- This distinguished violinist paid us a visit on Saturday last. Unfortunately for himself, he did not receive anything like a paying house; not what a high class entertainment like his deserved. To those who appreciate classical music, his performance was a great treat, and his audience on this occasion, though small, was highly appreciative. At every appearance of himself and support they were enthusiastically encored. In response to an encore after the rendition of one of his own compositions, a Hungarian Melody, Remenyi gave a medley which fairly carried the Audience by storm. It was peculiarly suggestive of the performances of a celebrated Orpheus of Arabia who played for the Sultan, and by the magic of his touch made that venerable personage weep and laugh by turns, and then to sooth His Majesty, started up on a low sweet melody which put the car works, has given up the idea entirely, and royal retinue to sleep. Genius in art is the power of reproducing nature in approximate exactness, and Remenyi, thus considered, is a genius. Instead of adapting, he goes to nature's melodies for his master pieces. He is a musician by intuition, not by art.

> ORANGEMEN IN COUNCIL.-The annual meeting of the County Orange Lodge was held in the Orange Hall, Garden Hill, on Tuesday afternoon last. There was a large delegation from each district, over one hundred members being present. A large amount of business connected with the Order in the County was transacted. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year:

County Master-T. B. Collins, Millbrook. Deputy County Master-Marshall Thompon, Hope.

County Chaplain-Robert Vance, Cavan. County Secretary-Jas. Evans, Port Hope. County Treasurer-W. G. Stevenson, Port

County D. of C .- Henry Atkins, Millbrook. County Lecturer-Wm. H. Wilson, Port

"PICTURESQUE CANADA."-Parts 3, 4 and of this beautiful work are now being delivered by the agent, Mr. E. E. Dodds, and are fully up to the excellence of the first numbers, if not superior to them. The whole of the work is beautifully executed, the engravings being first-class, while the letterpress is a marvel of fine printing. We are glad to learn that everywhere the work is giving great satisfaction, and promises to attain a much larger sale than was expected by the publishers at the outset. The following orders shew the appreciation of His Excellency the Governor-General, and H. R. H. the Duke of Albany:-

Dec. 25, 1881. * * " The Royal Library Vinder" may be put down in the list as subscribing for a copy of "Picturesque Canada." Yours,

Dec. 26, 1881.

The Marquis of Lorne presents his compliments to Mr. Belden, and is requested by Prince Leopold, Duke of Albany, to say that the Duke wishes to subscribe for 4 copies of · Picturesque Canada."

Orders may be sent to Mr. E. E. Dodds, Port Hope, by those who desire to become subscribers and have not yet been called upon.

Guiteau be hanged, is in every mouth. BISHOP HOOPER was burned at Gloucester 326 years ago to-day.

SPECIAL religious meetings are being held every evening, except Saturday, in both the Methodist and Bible Christian churches. COL. A. T. H. WILLIAMS left yesterday

morning for Ottawa, to attend the session of Dominion Parliament, which commences to-

When a man coming from church makes himself conspicuous by sitting down in the middle of the sidewalk, it is hard, very hard to preserve a becoming

PORT HOPE will in all probability have a new school house built this summer, to take the place of the Central school now held over the Engine House. A committee has been appointed by the School Board to select a site and report at next meeting.

Mr. W. J. Watson formerly of THE TIMES and recently of the Stratford Herald, together with Mr. Patterson, of St. Marys have purchased the plant of the Owen Sound Tribune and intends publishing a paper, in Meaford. The paper will be in the Conservative interest.

The Peterboro' Review, speaking of Mr. J. Atkinson who has been appointed Assistant Superintendent of the Midland Division of the Midland Railway, here says that "he is a tried and trustworthy officer, and deserved this recognition at the hands of his superiors."

WE understand that the Bill at present before the Local Legislature, for the purpose of extending the waterworks, and in manufactures being established in Port Hope, is is going to have opposition to its passing. It is hardly possible to imagine, whatever the source of the opposition, the reasons for it, or why the public were not made acquainted with those objections before.

AN EXCITING RIDE ON A "JUMPER."-On Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 1st, while four or five well known sporting gentlemen were on the Little Lake cogitating about laying out a race track, they had a rather thrilling experience. As described by an eye witness, who observed the affair from the shore, things must have been rather exciting. The ice on the Lake is very glare and it is almost impossible to keep your feet. The gentlemen in question were all seated in a "jumper" containing a load of boughs, and from which the horses had been detached, about the centre of the lake, when a sudden gust of wind drove the "jumper" and its occupants over the glassy surface at an alarming rate of speed. At first all was well, and the crowd rather enjoyed the trip until it was observed that they were rapidly approaching the open channel. As if by magic the danger was discovered, and first one and then the others of the quartette threw themselves on the ice and for a short time continued to slide along in anything but graceful positions until they stopped, and as seon as possible they sought terra firma, glad to have escaped without a ducking.

PARLOR CONCERT .- A most successful parlor concert was given at the residence of Mrs. Lauder on the evening of the 1st inst., the object of which was to raise funds to defray the expenses connected with the Christmas decorations of St. John's Church, and for the planting of ernamental trees and shrubs. The concert had been announced for the Thursday evening previous, but owing to the stormy weather many were prevented from being present. However, notwithstanding the small attendance that evening, the programme was cheerfully carried out and duly appreciated by the few courageous ones who had braved the storm. It was, however, thought advisable to repeat the programme on Monday evening for the kenefit of those who had been prevented from attending. This was most cheerfully acquiesced in by those who had so kindly lent their assistance on Thursday evening, and their good nature was rewarded by "a crowded house" on Monday evening. The programme was an excellent one, and those taking part acquitted themselves most creditably and received the wellmerited applause of the large and appreciative audience who filled the house. The proceeds amounted to \$28.00, and we have been requested by Mrs. Lauder to express her sincere thanks not only to those who so kindly, lent their valuable assistance, but also to those who, by their presence and substantial concontributions, so materially aided in furthering the laudable object for which the concert

HIGH SCHOOL .- On the afternoon of Friday last, the members of the Debating Society in connection with our High School, got permission from the head master to give what proved to be a very enjoyable enter: ainment, to their fellow pupils, and a few of the "old boys and girls" who were fortunate enough to receive invitations. The early part of the afternoon was taken up with the usual weekly business of the Society, and the way in which it was conducted would have done credit to graver assemblies and older heads. Before commencing the debate the subject of which was: "Resolved, that the uneducated man is happier than the educated," Mr. Purslow was unanimously requested to act as chairman. After a warmly contested debate, during which Messrs. Preston, Marshall, Needler, Mc-Lennan, Strike, Armstrong, Ryley, Sisson and Laird ably maintained their respective sides of the question, the chairman complimented the young orators and gave his decision in favor of the affirmative because the arguments advanced by that side were in his opinion the strongest. Following the debate a programme, consisting of recitations, dialogues and choruses, was very well rendered by the several members of the Society who took part. Were it not invidious to make comparisons where all did so well, we might mention the dialogues by Messrs. Sisson and Gillis, and an oration by H. Needler, as especially good. Entertainments like the above, when conducted in such an orderly and business!like manner, are of great value in giving confidence to those who though school boys now will soon have to enlist in the battle

CHURCH NEWS.

Rev. Mr. Cleland addressed the Missionary meeting on Tuesday evening of last week, in Campbellford. He gave an interesting review of Mission work from the time it started in British India, showing the results which have flown therefrom. Going back to the time of the Apostles, he clearly defined the origin of this work and the duties it involved. The great success which had attended the Mission labor in the Sandwich Islands and other Missionary fields in the far South Seas, was also referred to, and traced throughout its his-On Sunday evening last, Rev. Mr. Baker.

of St. Mark's Church, preached a preparatory

sermon towards Confirmation. His text was taken from Ecclesiastes, IV., 3: "When thou makest a vow unto God, defer not to pay it." These words, he remarked, though spoken 3000 years ago, were equally applicable today, and were peculiarly forcible in the circumstances attending Confirmation. It was impossible, he said, in a single sermon, to give all the reasons for this sacred ordinance of the English Church; suffice it to say that there was ample authority for its observance in the Scriptures. The laying on of hands as a rite subsequent to Baptism, was ceremoniously observed in the days of the Apostles, and is thus divinely sanctified. Apart from that, Confirmation had everything to commend it. It implied three things: Renunciation, Believing and Obedience. The first of these, Renunciation, meant a putting off of the old man, with his deeds, and a putting on of Christ, the new man. It involved an entire departure from sin, not a simple cloaking or hiding of it with good works. We must cease to do evil before we learn to do right, and this necessitated our making a great effort. It was something that could not be done without a struggle; but, by putting our entire dependence upon God, it could be successfully accomplished. The second consideration, Believing, implied a belief in all the articles of the Creed, which were essentially the doctrines of the Bible. But in thus believing, it must be a matter for the |heart as well as of the head. There were two kinds of belief-intellectual, and that which combined both heart and mind. We should continually strive to cultivate the former, and make such principles of belief the daily rule of our life. Obedience was the third and most important consideration. We were commanded to obey the whole law of God. This appeared like an impossible undertaking, but by God's help we will be enabled to perform many things otherwise beyond our strength. In taking such vows upon ourselves, we are not alone, for the Lord is mighty to save those who will but trust him. He concluded his remarks with an earnest solicitation to those about to take upon themselves the solemn obligations of a Christian life, to consider well the responsibilities of their vows. The language of the text was very explicit on this point, and he would ask those about to be confirmed, and those already confirmed, to remember their high calling. Confirmation was the door to the Holy Communion, with the observance of which was associated a blessed promise.

Rev. A. P. McDiarmid, last Sunday evening, preached a sermon on the proper observance of the Sabbath. The basis of his remarks was that the Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath. In his discourse, he made particular reference to the fact that merchants do not close their shops on Saturday night until nearly the last moment. As a consequence, they robbed the Sabbath of several hours which rightly belonged to it. They might as well, in reality, take a couple of hours of the Sabbath itself to do their business, as to work so late the evening before that several hours extra on Sunday morning had to be taken in order to make up for the loss of sleep, and get properly rested. By this practice, not only the merchants but a great many others, were prevented attending church in the morning.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered in St. John's Church last Sunday morning. It being the first Sunday in the month, the collection was for the benefit of the poor in the parish.

Religious meetings will be held in Mill St. Church each Tuesday and Thursday evening, until further notice be given. These services are under the auspices of the First Presbyter- his last. With considerable difficulty he

Thirty-three dollars was realized at the parlor concert given at the residence of Mrs. Elias Smith, Barrett's Terrace, on Wednesday evening of last week. It was successful in every sense. A miscellaneous programme of readings, music, etc., was presented to the satisfaction of all.

Sacrament will be dispensed two weeks from next Sunday in the First Presbyterian

The Kennedy Family of singers, not long ago in Port Hope sang in Steinway Hall New York not long since. They received the most unstinted praise from the New

WILSON COMBINATION CAR .- A Detroit dis.

patch of last week, states that Mr. Thomas L. Wilson, master car-builder, of Port Hope, Ont., was in the City, en route to Chicago, to introduce his new combination car, upon which he has recently secured letters patent in Canada and the United States. The car is chartered by the Credit Valley railway and goes through via Credit Valley railroad, Canada Southern, and Michigan Central, freighted for Chicago, with a double cargo. Its frieight will net nearly \$2,000. The severe test to which the car is subjected has thus far proved satisfactory Mr. Wilson has letters of introduction to leading railway officials in Detroit and Chicago, and it is understood that Mr. Tillinghast will give the merits of the car special attention, as the patentee is sanguine of its ultimate adoption on account of the great advantages secured by its convertibility from a grain to a lumber car and other freights. He considers the features of the iron car recently constructed for the Pittsburg, Bradford, and Buffalo company quite applicable to his car, whenever it is demonstrated that all iron cars can be advantageously used in preference to wood, but that time, he thinks, has not come yet.

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LAST Sunday a count was made of the number of church-goers in Toronto. The Mail sums it up thus: "By actual count the attendance at all the city churches on Sunday last was about 58,200, including all the services. It is very difficult, on this basis, to arrive at the number of church-goers, but it may be estimated at from 35,000 to 40,000, or April; \$11.60 May. from 40 to 46 per cent. of the population." This goes to prove the theory that we are only half civilized yet.

BEATEN .- Our Curling Club visited Cobourg on Friday. This time luck was against them and they came out six shots behind, as will be seen by the following score: COBOURG. PORT HOPE.

Rink No. 1. C. Tifton, W. Sailsbury, Rink No. 2. Jeffrey, T. N. Ward, Henderson, J. P. Clemes, Winn, G. Roddick, McCallum, skip...17 E. J. W. Burton, skip...18.

Of course nobody but newspaper reporters will believe it, but we believe the Guelph Herald has struck the nail fairly on the head when it refers to the pleasures of newspaper life in the following:-"A great many people entertain the idea that a newspaper reporter's life is one of supreme happiness. It must be so pleasant to have free tickets for socials, fetes, balls, lectures, theatres, etc., and a secured seat at public meetings, to say nothing of the certain amount of power which a reporter possesses. A greater mistake was never made. Nothing is so wearisome as a constant round of pleasure, and we never met a reporter yet, who did not look upon socials,

and a woeful bore." A HUNGRY COBOURG MAN .- The Peterborough Review tells of a man from Cobourg. who last Friday almost fell a victim to his greediness. It says that at dinner time today (Friday 3d) a man hailing from Cobourg or vicinity, while eating his dinner at Mr. John Sullivan's hotel on Hunter Street had a narrow escape from being choked to death. He was devouring the edibles at an astonishing rate, when those near him noticed that he was in difficulty, and was rapidly growing black in the face. The old remedy of patting on the back was resorted to without effect, and the choking man was carried out into the hall and medical aid summoned. Dr. R. W. Bell, who happened to be passing, was called in, and found the individual about breathing extracted from his throat a piece of beef about four inches in length, and weighing fully a quarter of a pound. After the obstruction was removed the man recovered consciousness, and soon was in his normal condition. The doctor thinks that the man could not have lived but a few minutes

THE following letter has been published by Mr. David Marshall in explanation of the report of his remarks appearing in a recent issue of THE TIMES on the question of the appointment of a night watchman:

DEAR SIR,-I notice in your daily and weekly papers of yesterday you have copied from THE TIMES report that when I was called upon by the Council to give my opinion on the application of Mr. Thomas Halleran to be appointed a special constable, I said that personally I was not acquainted with the applicant. Permit me to say that I did not use the language attributed to me. What I did say was, that personally I never had any dealings with Mr. Halleran, but that from the character given him by several persons that I had been talking with who had dealings with him, I could not recommend him. Perhaps it would not be out of place for me to say that what had been told me about the character of Mr. Halleran was after he had made application to be appointed a special constable, and over two years after I had given him a letter of recommendation to the Chief of Police,

Your obed't servant. DAVID MARSHALL.

Port Hope, Feb. 2, 1882. We need only add, there was no intention

on the part of the reporter, either to misrepresent what Mr. Marshall said, or to reflect on Mr. Halleran, who is a total stranger to us, and about whom we know nothing, good

Millbrook, Bethany, and Clarke Special Notices.

KELLY & PRESTON, Grain dealers, Bethany pay the Highest Market Price for all kinds of grain at all seasons of the year.

MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago Markets. (By Telegraph to Mr. G. B. Salter.)

Снюдо, Feb. 8, 1882. 1.00 p.m.-Pork, \$18.471 Feb.; \$18.55 March; \$18.75 April; \$18.95 bid May. Lard, \$11.25 Feb.; \$11.321 March; \$11.471

1.03 p. m.—Wheat, \$1.29 nominal Feb.; \$1.295 March; \$1.306 April; \$1.338 May. Corn, 58gc February; 58gc March; 59gc April; 441c May; 441c June; 471c bid July. Oats, 411c Feb.; 418c March; 418c April; 448c May;

	eronto Markets.	
	bush	1 26
Wheat, spring,	do 1 28 to	1 33
Wheat, goose,	do 1 10 to	1 13
Barley,	do 0 80 to	0 83
Oats,	do 0 42 to	0 43
Peas,	do 0 78 to	0 82
Rye.	do 0 83 to	0 84
Clover seed	do 5 25 to	5 40
Dressed hogs, p	er 100 lbs 8 50 to	8 75
Beef, hind quar	ters 6 50 to	8 00
Beef, fore quart	ers 5 00 to	6 00

Port Hope Market TIMES OFFICE, Feb. 8, 1882.

GRAIN,
Barley,
Oats.

Oats.

O 75 ② 0 80
Oats.

O 85 ② 0 43
Rye

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Small Peas, per bush
O 75 ② 0 80
Peas, Black Eyes, per bush
OloverSeed.

Extra, per 100lbs
Spring
Spring
Spring
Super Seed.
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Super Sup concerts, etc., as an unmitigated nuisance, Turkeys. 0 75 to Geose. 0 40 to Ducks. 0 25 to Chickens. 0 15 to | College | Coll

Fleece Wool per b_____ 0 00 @ 0 00

Montreal Markets. Fancy..... Spring Extra..... Middlings
Pollards
Ontario bags
City bags, delivered

Lard, in tube or palls, per lb.
Lard, in tierces...
Bacon per lb...
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs...
Beef, Mess per brl...
Tallow, Rendered per lb...
Tallow, rough.
Eggs, fresh, per dozen...
Ashes, Pots, per 100 lbs...
BUTTEE.—Wholesa.e price. rran.—Wholesale price.
Creamery, good to fine, per lb
Townships, fair to good, per lb
Morrisburg, fair to good, per lb
Brockville fair to good, pr lb

OSHAWA MARKETS. - Fall wheat \$1.15 to \$1.25; Spring wheat \$1.15 to \$1.30; Spring wheat, Fife, \$1.30; Barley, 70c to 85c; Pess Blue, 80c to 85c; Blackeyes 80c to 85c; Small, 65c to 75c; Oats, 40c to 43c; Rye, 80c to 85c; Potatoes, 50c; Hay, per ton,

\$7.50 to \$10. COBOURG MARKETS .- Fall wheat, \$1,25; Spring wheat, \$1.25; Barley, 75c to 80c; Oats, 35c to 40c; Peas, 65c to 70c; Rye, S0c to S5c; Potatoes, 4Sc; Hay, per ton, \$S to

BOWMANVILLE MARKETS .- Fall wheat, \$1.20 to \$1.22; Spring wheat, \$1.20 to \$1.28; Rye, 75c to 75c; Oats, 35c to 40c; Peas, small, 75c to 80c; Barley, 70c to 75c; Hay, per ton, \$7 to \$8; potatoes, 50c to 55c.

WHITEY MARKETS .- Fall Wheat, \$1.20 to \$1.25; Spring Wheat, \$1.25 to \$1.30; Barley, 70c to Soc; Rye, 85c to 90c; Peas, small 75c to 80c; Blackeye Peas, 85c to 88c; Oats, 40c to 42c; Hay, \$8 to \$10.00; Potatoes, 50c to 60c; Pork, \$7.00 to \$8.00.

PETERBORO' MARKETS, -Fall wheat, \$1.22 to \$1.23; Spring wheat, \$1.26 to \$1.28; Rye, 73c to 78c; Oats, 39c to 40c; Peas, 70c to 73c; Barley, 70c to 77c; Potatoes per bag, 80c to 90c; Hay per ton, \$9 to \$10; Wood, per cord, \$2 to \$3.50.

LINDSAY MARKETS .- Fall Wheat \$1.20 to \$1.22; Spring Wheat \$1 20 to \$1.25; Barley 600 to 70c; Peas 650 to 70c; Marrowfat Peas 80c to 85c; Rye 70c; Oats 38c to 40c Potatoes 40c to 50c; Hay per ton \$7 to \$9 Wool 23e to 231