Insurance Company.

HEAD OFFICE

ANDREW ROBERTSON, Req. President. Manager, GEO. H. MoHENRY. Total Cash Assets \$744,991. The following figures, taken from the latest Blue Book, page Ixviri, show how much each of the six companies, Henned by the Dominion sovernment had at the close of 1838 reach \$100 insured:

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Machico Pecillos, Alabastino and Dye New Advertisements This Week.

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The Canadian Post. LILLE AY, FRIDAY, DEC. 20, 1889.

THE CRONIN VERDICT.

gs A quitter lince Years for Kinzs and a Life Sentence for oughlin and O'Sullivan-One Challan's Juryman Against Hanging. CH CACO, Dec. 16 .- When the jury sent word that they had agreed on a verdict cconneil took his seat upon the d the court was declared to be in moment later the ilve prisered in over the bridge in the gaol. Lawyer John F. Beggs, while a deathly pallor on his face es staring as though prothe line. Behind him came s with a haif nervous, half uron his face. It was appar-

arver that he had nerved the ordeal. Next came O'Sulhand tugging nervously at his Harke, close behind him, had the of stolld indifference that he had worn throughout the trial. Little Kunze. the last in line, was, as usual, the comedian of the prise ners, and smiled and waved his hands at the officers and newspaper men as he safered the room. as the defendan's had taken

three deputy sheriffs took up a moment about fifty officers entered the room by the main door and formed a complete bearing de between the prisoners' row and all mesas of exit from the room. At 2.20 the feen doors leading to the gaol were again across open and while the word passed account the audience, "Here they come! the members of the jury filed into the room. Every man had on his overcoat and carried his hat in his hand, and this was accepted as conclusive evidence that a vender had at last been reached. The welve good men and true were es-cortid of eleseats and the roll was call-

Perfect ellence prevailed. Even the judge, analy calm and collected, nervous, and the perspiration from his priconers maintained the same entering the court room, except that Burke cheme. I heredoubled energy at his quid of teland, hile O'Sullivan ran his fingers hair with a desperation that to tear it out by the roots. The man Clarke came out clear and distinct and with a triumphant ring in it when he ar swered "We have" in response ion of the clerk of the court as to the quision of the clerk of the court as to whether he and his colleagues had agreed on a verdict. Rising in his seat he handed a folded paper to the clerk. The stillness as this moment was not merely oppressive but painful. Every eye was turned again the five men whose fate in another two left. another mement would be revealed. Forrest c : a glance of encouragement to-wards his clients, as much as to say, "Be bray.!" Finter from his chair a couple of threw a few words in a whisper to Begge. In snother moment the voice i the clerk, clear and distinct, rang

"We find the defendant John F. Begge not kullty as charged in the indictment." There was a buzz in the court room as shough a thousand hated breaths had been let loose. The blood rushed to the face of the lawyer prisoner and in a second it was of carmine bue. His right arm, which had been resting on the railing, fell to his side, and his cutire frame shook like that of a man sillicted with the palsy. All this was but the work of a moment. Again the

but the work of a moment. Again the voice of the clerk ran out:

"We find the detendant John Kunze guilty of manalaughter and fix his penalty at three years in the penitentiary."

The little comedian simply smiled and showed his teeth. To all appearances the verdict at the moment seemed to suit him as well as an acquittal. There was a short pause before the clerk resumed. No doubt remained but that the three remaining defendants had either been condemned to die upon the scaffold or to suffer a living death. The eyes of Coughlin, Burke and O'Sullivan were rivetted on the reader.

while the convulsive movements of the paws showed that each man was making a superhuman effort to control his feelings. For the third time the clerk cleared his throat and proceeded:

"We find the prisoners Daniel Coughlin, Martin Burke and Patrick O'Sallivan quilty of murder as charged in the indictment and fix their punishment at imprisonment in the negitarity for the terms of

The suspense of the auditors found vent in a half-suppressed shout and the demeanor of the three passed unnoticed in the wild scampering of the newspaper men and officers from the room. Over two thousand people were congregated on the outside of the gap and the verdict was received by them with satisfaction.

Attorney Forrest, on behalf of Coughlin, Burke, O'Sullivan and Kunze, immediately made a motion for a new trial. Judge McConnell fixed January 13 as the date for argument on the motion.

In a case of this sort this is practically a proforms motion to put the record in thape for the supreme court.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
READ Porter & Co.'s announcement in Mara correspondence.

BALL AND SUPPER.—A grand ball and supper will be given in the Brechin hotel, Brechin, on New Year's night, January 1st, 1800. A big time is anticipated. No pains are being spared to make this a grand success. All are cordially invited to attend.

[Correspondence of The Pret.]
CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.—When in Orillia next week making purchases for Christmas and New Years it will pay you well to look up J. T. Porter & Co., Orillia's Great Bargain House. The firm move to McGribbin's block early in January next, and to avoid moving a heavy stock are selling goods cheaper than other stores buy them for. You will be convinced of this by calling at their store.—80-1.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
CHRISTMAS PRESENTS,—I. Whitesmith has received a very choice selection of goods for Christmas presents. New and very choice lines of Vases, China Cups and Saucers, Cup, Saucer and Plate, Ladies' Needle Cases, Albums, etc., besides a great many things too numerous to mention. Christmas Cards—prices very low. Wishing all my numerous customers the compliments of the season, I remain, 80 1.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

TRA MERTING.—The Methodist people of this place will hold a tea-meeting in aid of the parsonage and organ funds, on Monday evening, Dec. 23, in the temperance hall. Tea served from 4 to 7 p. m. After tea a platform meeting will be held in the school house. Addresses will be delivered by Revs. Wm. Williams, Lindsay; D. N. McCamus, Fraserville; A. McQuade Ballyduff; and W. P. D. Wilson of Janetville. The Methodist church choir, Bathany, will furnish music on the occasion. Tickets 25 cents. All are cordially invited.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PERSONAL.—Miss Eva Dames is home from attendance at the last session of the Ottawa normal school She is looking well and she did well at the exam... Mr. Robert Curts is home from Trinity for the Christmas vacation....Mr. Lochy McLean is home from Knox college for vacation....Mr. George Thomas paid a short visit home from the Bracebridge model school.... Miss Kate Curts is home from the conservatory of music, Toronto.

LECTURE.—Dr. Williams' lecture Christmas evening. 25th inst., will no doubt prove an

a good substitute for the usual tea. The doctor is a popular and instructive lecturer, with fine humor that proves entertaining and an elequence that proves edifying. Don't fail to hear Dr. Williams.

GLENARM. NEW INDUSTRY. - We observe that our

NEW INDUSTRY. - We observe that our enterprising carriage-maker, Mr. Sam Nicolson, has got a wind mill started in this village to run a chopping mill. The farmers of this section will find this a great advantage to have their grain chopped at home instead of going elsewhere to get it done. Give Mr. Nicolson a call as his prices are right.

Entretainment will be held in the Presbyterian church here on Tuesday evening, 24th Dec. inst. A good program is in course of preparation. Good music will be rendered by an efficient choir. There will be quite an array of platform speakers. Admission—Adults, 25c; children, 10c. A good time is expected. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Entertainment to commence at 7.30.

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[Correspondence of The Post.]
Duil Times,—One of the duliest seasons
previous to the holidays ever known. The
public would become terribly morose and epondent if it were not for the privileges of reading the newspapers, more particularly in this intellectual little village. The larly in this intellectual little village. The schools, churches, bible societies and all other worthy institutions here are found in a very progressive state at the year ending 1889. The Rev. J. Ewing is greeted with yery large and appreciative congregations since the church has been changed to the centre of the village.

HOLIDAY ENTERTAINMENTS.— Holiday entertainments are looked forward to with as much interest as ever notwithstanding the depressed state of trade. The Christmas entertainments will be as attractive as ever. Another New Year's concert under the auspices of the Presbyterian church will comprise the best talent in a varied program. HOLIDAY ENTERTAINMENTS. - Holiday

in a varied program.

VILLAGE COUNCIL.—Changes are spoken of. Dr. Cornwall is atill popular as reeve and will be re-elected, should be stand. Some ratepayers want a new council altogether. Saveral good men are named.

COMMERCIAL NEWS.

OFFICE OF THE CANADIAN POST, LINDSAY, Dec. 26, 1889. Business and Produce.

The local market has been quiet for the sea son. There is no improvement in prices or in the outlook. The large markets are dull and depressed. The weather is unfavorable for

Toronto Live Stock Market. Trade was very dull at the local cattle market Tuesday. The run of cattle was small and on

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Tuesday. The run of cattle was small and on
the whole inferior to the quality of the large
amount of choice stock received toward the
close of last week. A considerable number of
cattle were left over from Friday, and as any
little demand to day was for choice cattle this
week's receipts coasequently suffered.

Butchers' cattle—Drovers are disappointed in
the local demand for Chris:mas beef. They
think they have very good grounds for the suspicion that the people of Toronto have decided
to quit using the roast beef of old England or
rather Ontario. Prices were lower than on
Friday. Then some choice cattle sold for over
4c. Tuesday not a sale as high as that was reported although some of the cattle offered were
as good as the best offered on Friday. Probably the best load in the market was a lot of
eleven that weighed on an average 1,100 he
each. They sold at 4c per lb. A bull weighing
1,100 lbe sold at \$40. One cattle weighing 1,100
lbe sold at \$44. A head which weighed 900 lbe
sold at what the majority of the small common
cattle were worth to-day, \$20. A load that
weighed on an average 1,118 lbe each sold at
3§c. Nine springers sold at \$40 each Monday.
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weather as any other cause, was small. Bunches
of lambe and sheep sold at \$40 each Monday.
Hogs.—The receipts were not large, and about
everything offered was sold at steady prices. A
lot of 67 of an average weight of 190 lbe sold at
\$4.35 per 100 bs. There was a fairly active demand for light hogs, and the market wanted
that kind. Heavy hogs were worth about 4c
per lb and not in good demand.

Calves.—The receipts were small and the demand light. Prices about the same as last week
at \$4 to \$9 each.

The receipts last week were: Cattle, 2,566;
sheep and lambs, \$350, hogs, 707.

Terente Street Market.

held Monday evening, the president, Mr. John

Royal Baking Powder.



This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More sconomical than the ordinary kinds, and can not be sold in competition with the multitude of low test short weight alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. HOYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 10st Wallet New York.—82-4.

W. M. Robson. COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON

With Our Li-Quor Tea. W. M. ROBSON,

Sole Agent for the Li-Quer Tea Co.

Of all the Gift Systems, (with Tea), this is the Oldest most Extensive, Liberal and Reliable. Especially at this season we would solicit a call and examine our stock of beautiful Books just received; as they are very suitable for Christmas Presents and Given Free with every purchase of 3 ibs. of Package Tea. Also we have a large and fine stock of choice Greeries, Confectionery, Fruits, China, Crockery and Giassware, together with a variety of other Seasonable Goods which we are anxious to dispose of at the LOWEST PRICES. We shall be pleased to have a call from old and new patrons at our

J. G. Edwards.



Club Skates.

THE GOLD MEDAL CARPET SWEEPER is the best and most durable Sweeper made. It will make a useful and ornamental Holiday Present.

CARVING SETS. Plated Table and Butter Knives; Table and Pickie Forks, Tea, · ugar, Coffee, Dec-ert, and Table Speens. CHEAP SETS-Knife, Fork, Spoon and

Ring makes a suitable present for

Young Folks. Nut Cracks and Picks; Pen and Pecket Outlery: Tea Trays; Table Mats; Orna-mental Match Safes; Crumb Trays. All at very Bottom Prices

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Sign of the Anvil.

THE GENUINE ARTICLE.

Dundas & Flavelle Brothers.

It is obvious to every one that

THE QUESTION OF QUALITY AS WELL AS PRICE

must enter into every purchase; some by the offer of a few cents discount try to evade this question of quality, but it don't wear; and one trial ought to convince any reasonable person that it is economy as well as wisdom to buy only pure and genuine goods.

WE KEEP THE GENUINE ARTICLE

We call your attention to the fact because it is gross folly to buy inferior and adulterated goods, when for an insignificant difference

YOU CAN HAVE THE PURE ARTICLE.

IT REQUIRES PATIENCE and thorough INVESTIGATION to prove the merits of goods, but it pays to do it, and if you get to our place you will stay there, because you'll be satisfied. It is this knowledge that impells us to keep on advertising our goods and business.

We Offer Special Prices in all Goods until New Year.

DUNDAS & FLAVELLE BROS.

S. S. Ritchie.

"The Time has Come to Save You Cash."

having decided to remove his business to other premises, is prepared to sell, without reserve,

ALL OF HIS WELL SELECTED STOCK

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS AT WHOLESALE PRICES,

The stock must be reduced and bargains will be given in every line.

NO TRASH, NO SHODDY, NO BANKRUPT STOCK, OR CLEARING SALE DODGE to gull the public, but a

at prices that cause our customers to rejoice and our competitors to squirm.

SALE NOW ON.

Secure your bargains before the rush. COME STRAIGHT TO

Lindsay's Great Bargain House, Two Doors East of the Benson House. A FAIR, SQUARE DEAL.

Lindsay, Dec. 20th, 1889.—80.

NO SHODDY OR SHARP PRACTICES. S. S. RITCHIE. R D. Thexton.

THE GREATEST SAW ON FARTH. Needs no Setting and all Warranted.

BEST AXES IN TOWN. AWAY DOWN IN PRICE.



BUCK SAWS, GUNS, RIFLES, POWDER, SHOT AND SHELLS, CARPET SWEEPERS.

Silverware at Cost. Glass, Frost Sash, Doors, Skates. Every line full and PRICES RIGHT.

HEADQUARTERS FOR Coal and Wood.

Joseph Maunder.

GREAT CLEARING SALE Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies, Wagons, Road Carls.

Having sold out my Carriage Business in Little Britain I have on hand a choice let of Carters, Buggies, Sleighs and Wagons, all of which I offer for sive at Greatly Reduced Prices in the Cash or good paper on time. Any person likely to want any of the above articles in the Cash or good paper on time. Any person likely to want any of the above articles in the Cash or good paper on time. Any person likely to want any of the above articles in the Cash or good paper on time. Any person likely to want any of the above articles in the Cash or good paper on time. Any person likely to want any of the above articles in the Cash or good paper. Any person likely to want any of the above articles in the Cash or good paper. Any person likely to want any of the above articles in the Cash or good paper. Any person likely to want any of the above articles in the Cash or good paper. Any person likely to want any of the above articles in the Cash or good paper.

Parties indebted to me either by note or book account will please call and settly by January 4th, as I want to close my Books on that day.

JOSEPH MAUNDER.

J. B. Weldon.

AT WELDON'S

As the hard times and low prices of grain are pressing upon us we have decided to clean out our stock of Glassware and Crockery at cost for cash. We are also determined to give the TAILORING a boom for the next four weeks and are prepared to make Tweed Suits to order from \$8.00 upwards. A trial solicited.

J. B. WELDON, Little Britain.