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January

February

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ALL WAS ACCORDING TO THE KING'S TASTE.

Girls Made it a Success Every Point-The Cotillion Beautiful Sight-A Night to Remember Happily.

The leap year ball is past and memory, and a memory, indeed, which will long be cherished and called up when those present wish to let ness and pleasure. The girls-the spinsters does seem such an inappropriate name for Kingston's - pretty women, young and younger-had arranged everything to the king's taste, and the king, Man, said and looked

The patrons, who received with their usual charming manner, and lookedwell, of course, we all know how they looked. As to costumes-well, there were no new ones, all those in wardrobe being felt to be more coming than anything new could possibly be, and where all were so perfect there is no need to particularize, Suffice it to say, that every bouton- Ladies Glee Club niere was pinned in to perfection. The thoughtful chaperons were Colonel W. D. Gordon and Colonel E. T. Taylor, Professor John Machaughton and Professor Iva Martin, J. M. Campbell and

The hall was beautifully decorated

and the platform, where dozens of people looked down on the pretty scene, a dream. It was roofed in with bright-hued tissue paper, and a lattice work ran along the front. Comfortable chairs and rugs and seats, with ferns and palms, made it a lightful spot to enjoy the ball, even if one were not dancing. The orchestra came from Gananoque, and the supper was recherche. Salads, of the most toothsome kind, were a great feature of this, and if they indicate the cooking capacities of the spinsters its matrons they il all be before long. At supper the guests of honor were waited upon most assiduously by the hostesses, and their part was, over by the quarter hour before midnight. Then the cotillion began, and last-

ed till nearly two of this crisp morn ing. It was beautifully carried out, every figure being prettier, it was thought, than the one that went fore. In the "Driving" figure each girl rose with a pair of reins and collecting five men, sent them in search of five girls, and all were driven about the hall with long whips. Th "May-pole" went pff, or wound up rather, beautifully, and was a pretty sight. In the "Blindfolding" figure partners were chosen, then the girls and men separated, the former standing in line, after carefully mixing themselves up, as soon as the men were blindfolded. These then dashed across the hall for partners, and laughable were the mistakes they made. For the favor figures all sorts of pains had been taken. Roses rare had been provided for the men, and chrysanthemums for the girls, and butterflies also for the stern guests. The last figure "Confetti," was great fun, th girls throwing confetti at the men, and thus choosing partners. It was decidedly kaleidoscopic for the girls changed partners with bewildering frequency, and confetti rained in tor-

the best intentions in there were, at times, wall Howers, for there were forty too few of the fair sex, but by halving dances and other devices, the hostesses did their best to make up for the def ciency in their numbers. It was half past two before "God Save the King" sent every one home much the better | 25c. Per Lesson. and happier for the leap year dance

Among the out-of-town guests were Miss Jessie Hamilton and Miss E Casault, of Quebec; Miss Agnes van. Miss Florence Milne and F. Canfield, Woodstock: Miss hill. Ottawa Miss Elsie and A. Gillies, Carleton Place; Miss Leonard, Napance, and Mr. Budden, an ex-cadet, here on furlough from his Irish regiment.

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stitutions of the country.

Died At Belleville. Belleville, Ont., Jan. 30 .- Death came, last night, to Street Surveyor Hulme, of this city, as the result of a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Hulme was seventy-five years old, a conservative. past grand president of the Sons of ingland, and had been city engineer of Belleville since 1891, Three sons and one daughter survive.

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GOD'S EIGHT HOUR BILL. Will Seek For Unity Among the Churches.

London Express. in the course of an address at a meeting held recently in London in layor of Sunday observance, the bisnop of London said : "Since I have ocen over to the other side of the Atlantic and seen how very much more all the churches are united in Christian progress there, I have deregard to Sunday, we have one of the can be united. I look on the obserpieces of Christian evidence we have, and it is a piece of evidence which cannot be refuted. Secondly, we have, in Sunday what I will call the work-S er's charter, and as a clever man observed to me the other day, Sunday ness of reason and the reasonableness

Is God's Eight-Hour Bill." "We mean to safeguard the one chance for thousands of men and women for caring for their souls. What we have to remember is that this great boon of Sunday is not lost yet, and I do not agree with those who say that the rest of Sunday has gone, In Pencil andCharcoal Sketching but I notice various things which are tending to rob as of it. The first of St. Vall is the breaking up of conventional religion. I do not regret that breaking up. I would rather have five mer in church because they wanted to be there than 500 who are there because they are driven in. The first use of Sunday is worship. The man who After FEBRUARY 11th, 1908, we will sleeps till one o'clock is not keeping Sunday any better than fellows who Persons having any such will kindly go boating. It is a day for home life and reasonable recreation in the best

CALLED ON MINISTERS.

To Have Them Settle Female friends rose up to speak well of him Suffrage Issue.

London, Jan. 30,-The militant mem-A new standard for the junior ma- bers of the women's suffragist organi- who was a credit to his race and adopted by the University of Toron- committees at the same hour today living to-day who knew this great When Prof. Shortt addressed the adopted by the University of Toron-Canadian Club he explained very to Candidates in 1909 will be re-clearly the banking system of Canada, quired to make forty per cent. of the members of the cabinet for the purand showed its superiority over the marks on each paper. In the past to pose of asking them to use their insystem prevalent in the United States. pass the examination thirty-three and fluence to have the question of female room with a good witness (the more That he was correct in his estimation one-third per cent. on each paper was suffrage settled at this session. As of the two systems, seems to have necessary. The higher standard is to none of the ministers would see them been verified by recent events. The be demanded at McMaster, Queen's, the women demonstrated by ringing door bells and delivering addresses He would keep well away from his from door steps.) The police were undesk, stand erect to get the best ad and Saves Much, Good Variety at prepared for this course of action vantage of his stature, his fine head has been accomplished without any dispersed after seven arbon the business of the only, at Mullin's grocery.

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Given An Office.

Toronto, Jan. 30 .- Alfred Coyell. contracting carpenter, was, to-day, appointed assistant relief officer Toronto, at a salary of \$1,000 a year Mr. Covell has been for years a memher of the Masonic board of relief. He Renfrew-George Briggs, Pembroke. is vice-president of the 4th ward Conservative Association and member of St. Andrew's lodge of

Women Bandits.

Lublin, Russian Poland, Jan. 30 .not prevent a large crowd from en- The police of this city have unearthed of his question, leaped to his feet, joying a few hours on the Fort hill a band of robbers composed entirely erving, "one minute!" toboggan slide. The weather was a of women, and the leaders have been of highway robberies. They went well

> Great Clearing Sale. Prevost, Brock street, has made a "Sound," said O'Reilly." reat reduction in price in the order and pendy-made clothing department, also in the gent's furnishings. The stock is well assorted with new goods.

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> Beacon street, Boston, Mass., for free litere lure.

SOME REMINISCENCES

Of the Late James O'Rielly, King- High Grade Pianos, at Living ston's Great Lawyer. In speaking to the representative of the Freeman about the new appointment of many new K.C.'s from the LOAN AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY legal profession of the province during the past week by the provincial covernment, an old and respected President-Sir Richard Cartwright

Kingstonian recalled the fact that when the late James O'Reilly, Q.U., passed away on May 15th, 1875, to received and interest allowed. meet his eternal reward; perhaps the S. C. McGill, Managing Director. quickest wit and richest brogue that were ever heard before the Canadian bar was stilled. Scores of old-time as a brilliant lawyer, an earnest student, a sturfly comrade, and Irishman James O'Reilly knew how to sting. with its great almost uncouth shock jes as told by our friend to illustrate New England Chinese Restaurant this great lawyer, which will prove more than interesting to our readers. "The fact is, you were drunk or that night, weren't you?" he said in

sinuatingly to a witness. "That's my business." "I know it's your business, but were you attending to it?" "Another witness whom he was cross-examining gave evidence which Mr. O'Reilly wished to invalidate, and he said : "You have been in the house of correction, haven't you?' The crown-attorney, who was the opposing counsel, seeing that Mr.

The presiding judge had just completed his maiden charge to the jery, when old Sir Henry Smith, another Kingston lawyer, turned round to Mr. O'Reilly and asked-"What do you think of that?

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