TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Anonymous communications can receive no attention. Letters on business should be addressed to the Publisher, and letters for insertion should be addressed to the Editor. Letters containing both business and editorial matter should be addressed to the Publisher, and will be opened by the Editor. Letters on subjects of public interest are invited. Letters containing only one side of the question will not be inserted. Letters should be as short as possible, and in every case must be written on one side of the sheet of paper. All communications to be inserted must be prepaid.

The Daily News.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 10.

The Stave rents thieves are vindicating themselves under cover of a statute of Maryland, adopted in 1782, the laws of Maryland only being in force in the district of Columbia. Col. Bob Ingersoll has raked up this old alleged law, and it will be due to his efforts if his clients escape justice.

The Reform party should be delighted at the bare possibility of a general election, as it will afford them an opportunity of delivering the country from the evil reign of the Conservative party, and will afford the people an opportunity of showing their indignation against the National Policy. Why, then, do we hear so many complaints!

The manufacturers of locomotives and cars in the United States are suffering from considerable depression at the present time, and are reducing their operations. Thus the Michigan Car Company, of Detroit, has discharged four hundred men, the Peninsula Car Company one hundred, and the Rogers Locomotive Works, Paterson, N.J., five hundred. The demand for new locomotives has, for the present, subsided almost altogether. Of course if railroads are doing so poor a business that they cannot afford to buy locomotives, they cannot extend their tracks, nor renew them except where absolutely necessary, nor purchase equipments of any description. Consequently there will probably be dullness in every branch of the iron industry, which will make itself felt in the general labour market.

Mr Charlton M.P. for Norfolk, in his remarks upon grain duties, proved to a demonstration that the Globe's contention that farmers receive less for their grain now, compared with Assessed prices, than they did in 1878, was absurd and misleading. He had written to the secretaries of boards of trade in American cities, and the figures quoted were to be relied upon. He first took the prices of No 2 winter wheat in Toledo and Toronto. From 1876 to 1879, inclusive, the price of this grain in Toledo averaged 8 cents a bushel dearer than in Toronto. In 1880 and 1881 it averaged only 2 cents a bushel dearer. Grain to Toronto since the duty was imposed, 5 cents a bushel. The fact that Mr Charlton has afforded this excellent testimony to the National Policy is regarded by a contemporary as a proof that he still cherishes a sympathy with those protectionist views which he eloquently advocated in 1876.

Dissatisfaction with our present condition is a very common thing in the world, and is accountable for the annexationist talk that we sometimes hear in Canada. A little experience of the system which is so much coveted would probably put an effectual stop to all such talk. The Chicago Times says in a recent issue, with reference to the annexationists, "they would do well to live, pay taxes and study the American idea of happiness (electing somebody) for thirty or forty years in that country," and adds:—

"There is some reason to suspect that, before the expiration of the period, their views would have undergone so much modification that, instead of favouring the annexation of Canada to America, they would prefer the annexation of America to Canada." In other words, the Times thinks our institutions more pure, free, and beneficial than those of our American neighbours. Our Government is more directly responsible to the people; politics are not dominated by the lowest classes, and are consequently less corrupt; and our office-holders are not politicians. Those advantages more than counterbalance any loss we may be supposed to suffer from restricted trade.

There was a good deal said upon the super question in the House of Commons, but Mr White's facts were the most important contribution to the debate. They are thus tabulated by the Mail;

Average price of sugar in New York for last 15 months per 100 lbs.....$6 65
Average price for same period in Montreal.....9 33
(Witness, 3c.)

In favour of Canadian.....0 02

If the old tariff were in operation, the figures would be as follows:

Average American price per 100 lbs. $9 424
Average Canadian price.....9 23

In favour of Canadian.....0 00½

In the last three months the figures of comparison are as follows:

American average price per 100 lbs. nett, duties, &c., added, for last three months.....$9 59
Average Canadian price, same period..$ 8 89

In favour of Canadian.....0 70

Again, on Thursday, March 30th, the figures stood as follows:

New York price, with duty, &c., added.....$9 89
Actual Montreal price for Canadian refined.....9 14

In favour of Canadian.....0 75

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CHANCERY SETTLEDMENTS.

The Conroy Will case—A New Will Set Up—A Host of Lawyers and a Throng of Witnesses.

At three o'clock this afternoon the Chancery sittings opened at the Court House, Vice Chancellor Proudfoot, presiding. The first case called was that of Keefe v. Ward.

The celebrated Conroy will case, involving an estate worth about $100,000 has again come up under the auspices of a gentleman who was not a party to the former settlement. There is no need to recount the details under which the late Mr Conroy made the will which have given rise to litigation, as these have already been fully explained in our columns. Suffice it to say that in the early part of September, 1879, Mr Conroy executed a will by which he made various devises, leaving a large part of his property to Mr John Ward, his nephew. This was contested by some of the legatees who maintained the insanity of the testator at the date in question. Much expert evidence was taken, and it was thought that there would be an interesting time in the attempts to prove that the deceased had been affected by parents and lunatic asylum respectively. However, when the matter came up at the spring sittings of the Chancery Court last year, a compromise was agreed upon, and a decree was pronounced directing that the legacy of William Conroy should be increased from $10,000 to $12,000; the legacy to Margaret Keefe from $6,000 to $10,000; and the legacies to the children of the late Mrs Ward, of Montreal, from $2,000 to $10,000. At this stage of the proceedings Mr G. M. Macdonell, who appeared for the executors of the will, stated that they were opposed to the settlement, as they understood that Conroy had made a prior will in July, 1877, which contained a disposition of his property essentially different from that made by the last will, that there was danger of the prior will being set up by those unofficially interested, particularly certain charities in the city not parties to the present suit, and that this prior will was destroyed by Mr Conroy in September, 1878, at a time when he was incapable of making a valid revocation. He further said that the contents of this will could be proved from certain memoranda which had been preserved, and in support of his statement he produced an affidavit of Dr Sullivan, who had drawn the prior will and was one of the witnesses of the last will. He asked leave to amend the present supplemental answer, setting up the prior will and praying the decision of the Court as to which will should be established. Instead of filing a supplemental answer, however, Mr Macdonnell has filed a new bill, in which Bridget Keefe brings suit against all the other parties interested for the establishment of the former alleged will. The previous of this will are as follows:—

This is the last will and testament of me, Patrick Conroy of the City of Kingston and County of Frontenac gentleman.

I will and desire my executors hereinafter named to pay my just debts, funeral and testamentary expenses as soon as conveniently may be after my decease.

My real estate consisting of the house and land occupied by me on the corner of Johnston and Sydenham streets in the City of Kingston aforesaid, the lot and houses on the corner of Earl and Gordon streets in the said city and all my land and houses and real property situated on Princess street in said city, I give and bequeath to my nephew John Ward, of said city, merchant, to hold to him his heirs and assigns forever.

To my brother, William Conroy, of the city of Montreal, I give and bequeath the sum of $10,000.

I empower and direct my executors, hereinafter named, to invest the sum of $3,000 in such safe and profitable securities as to them may seem best, and to pay the interest accruing therefrom half yearly to my sister, Margaret Keefe, for her own use and benefit, and, upon her death, to give said $3,000 to such of her daughters as shall then be living.

To my niece, Sarah Cullen, of the city of Montreal, I give and bequeath the sum of $800.

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To my nephew, Michael O'Brien Ward, of Montreal, doctor of medicine, I give and bequeath $1,000.

I empower and direct my said executors to invest a further sum of $3,000 in safe and profitable securities, and to pay the interest arising therefrom annually to my brother, John Conroy, for his own use and benefit forever.

To the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Kingston, in Canada, I give and bequeath the sum of $800, trusting that the said Corporation will in consideration of the premises, pay masses to be said for the repose of my soul.

To my nephew, Maurice Ward, of the city of Kingston, I give and bequeath the sum of $1,000 for his own use and benefit forever.

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[Witness, &c.]

An immense array of legal talent has been engaged, and the following lawyers appeared in Court to-day: For the plaintiff, D. B. Maclennan, Q.C., and G. M. Macdonnell; for Ellen Ward, S. H. Blake, Q.C., and J. L. Whiting; for W. Conroy and others, R. A. Walkem, Q.C.; for John Ward, J. B. Walkem; for the executors, W. Wallbridge, Q.C., of the Kingston Hospital, R. V. Rogers; for the House of Industry, J. M. Britton, Q.C.; for the remaining charities, the Hon. Oliver Mowat. After the lawyers had read their pleadings, forty witnesses were called for the plaintiff and seventy for the defendants, kept out of court. The crier made some amusing blunders, calling Dr. Dupuis "Johanna Dupuis" and calling one of the witnesses a "servant girl." The lawyers at the time of going to press were consulting with a view to a settlement with the same of the late Hotel Dieu, and there is little doubt that a settlement will be effected without any further proceedings. During the consultation Sir Blake created much amusement by proposing to the Hon. Oliver Mowat that he should recoup Mr Keefe out of the Mercer estate.

The Central Pacific mill, at Lawrence, Mass., opened this morning with two hundred weavers, three of whom were strikers, operating 500 looms. Only five spinners are at work.

IRISH AFFAIRS.

What a Leader Paper Says About Home Rule

London, April 8.—Truth has the following remarks on the Irish Home Rule: "Home Rule has taken its place in the area of practical politics because Englishmen are beginning to see that they will eventually have to accept it. There is one more reason why we English should claim the right to make land laws for Ireland than for Canada or New Zealand. I venture to predict that within twenty years it will be thought monstrous that we should ever have denied the Irish as self-evident a right."

THE MURDERS OF A LADY IN IRELAND.

A great deal of painful sensation has been caused by the letter of Mr Smythe, brother-in-law of the lady who was murdered in the carriage in Ireland, to Mr Gladstone. He says: "If lay the guilt of this deed of blood at your door in the face of the whole country, supported as you are in that part of your policy by the 'no rent' members of Parliament, by their press, and by some of the Irish bishops. Mr Smythe goes on to say that the terrorism under the Gladstone policy is so tremendous that few who abhor the crime would venture to denounce the assassins had they seen them. If they did so their lives would be forfeited, while the prisoners would almost as surely escape after the farce of a trial by jury. This terrible letter received but a short reply from the Prime Minister, who expressed his deep and heartfelt sympathy, and said he was confident that Mr Smythe would readily understand why he does not notice the matters charged in the letter. Her Majesty wrote from Mentone requesting to be informed of the condition of the unfortunate lady, who was in the carriage with Mr Smythe and the unfortunate lady, and who continues prostrated by the shock. Fearful as was the assassination, and that of Mr Herbert, the English public mind continues to view comparatively with complacency the dreadful scenes daily enacted on the lonely and bleak mountain sides, where cavalry, infantry, and constabulary erect from hand held at fifty per cent. above the valuation. The mortable creatures whose bodies and souls can scarcely hold together. Who can wonder that the example of such sights has produced the terrible figure in modern history, the masked assassin.

Washington, April 10.—The Irish National Land League, of which General Collins, of Boston, is President, will hold their annual convention in Washington on Wednesday.

Dublin, April 10.—Parnell took no parade for a week in order to enable him to visit his sister in Paris whose child has just died.

A HUGE CLAIM

Two Hundred and Fifteen Million Dollars at Stake.

Buffalo, N.Y., April 8.—Colonel Jacob Baker, an eccentric relic of the revolution, a bachelor with an supposed insurance saw a pension from the Government, died on Canada in 1801. It has recently been discovered that fifteen acres of land, at that time located in the suburbs of Philadelphia, but now in the heart of the Quaker City, and estimated in value at $215,000,000, belonged to him at the time of his death. The heirs of the deceased are somewhat scattered, and until recently nothing had been done toward presenting their claims. This morning Jonathan Baker, a local one dealer, who resides at the corner of Michigan and Genesee streets, said to a reporter—"Colonel Jacob Baker was my uncle. I was a little lad when he died, but I recollect, and I have often heard father, Patrick Conroy of the City of Kingston and County of Frontenac gentleman.

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A LETTER FROM MARGUETTE.

Marquette, March 19.—Alphonse Montreuil, formerly of Chicago, under date of April 2nd, denying all the charges which have been published against him and stating that he has instituted actions of damages against certain papers in Chicago and St. Paul, he will return to Montreal either to punish those who have wronged and maligned him or to be punished, if it is proved he is deserving of it. To prove that he was not dishonest he says he might have obtained an almost unlimited credit, up to $600,000, and, instead of being a very penniless, he might have taken $200,000 with him.

A special despatch from Winnipeg, dated March 6th, says:—In the matter of a Marcotte a writ of attachment was issued some days ago at the instance of the Bangos de Peuple against H. R. Moodie & Co., while Mr Moodie was absent in Montreal, but it was, to day, instantly dismissed by Judge Miller with costs against the plaintiff. Mr Moodie returned to Winnipeg on Sunday.

DESPATCHES IN BRIEF.

A Glasgow cable says it is intended to reduce the army at the end of the year by 25,000.

To-day, being Easter Monday and a statutory holiday, the public offices are closed at Ottawa.

A house of Molly S. Parkinson's, in the county of Carleton, was, that night, entered by fire. Loss, $2,000.

A livery stable, three houses, and several stores and dwellings at Redwood, Minnesota, were burned last night. Loss $65,000

The mill labour crisis in all mills west of Pittsburg, Pa., will demand an advance of from 55 to 62 cents a ton for rolling after June the first.

Two prominent citizens of Baltimore had a street encounter on Saturday on account of a house of which one claimed the refusal but the other purchased.

Mr A. C. Macdonald has resigned his interest in the Ottawa Herald to Mr J. Cramer, who will conduct it in the interests of the National Policy.

An unknown person discharged a shot gun the night a window of Horace Jones' house, at Union, Vermont, was fired at, while a domestic were probably fatally wounded.

The court in Iaaac has set down the Guiteau trial for hearing on the fourth Monday after the month fixed, Guiteau's counsel, will ask a postponement for two weeks from that date.

A foot race was prevented on Saturday because the Mayor of Pittsburg, Pa., ordered the running stiffer immediately, and the police threatened to arrest the contestants for indecent exposure.

The remains of the unfortunate young man Curran, recently reported as lost in Farnham's shanty, on Gordon Creek, were yesterday afternoon interred at the Roman Catholic cemetery in Ottawa.

A letter dated January 1st from Henry M. Stanley, engaged in the exploration of South Africa, says the expedition is progressing, and he hopes to accomplish its object this year. He was far up Congo River.

English Immigration.

Halifax, April 9.—The first large party of English immigrants for Manitoba, numbering upwards of 500, who arrived yesterday in the mail steamer Circassian, left by special train for the West at 8 o'clock last night. They are a sturdy and apparently well to do people, and are said to carry with them cash aggregating $500,000, showing that they are not likely to become a burden on the country they intend making their homes. It is understood the steamer Parisian, the next weekly boat from England, will bring about 1,000 more. A party of fifteen, twenty Nova Scotians leave Halifax for Manitoba to-morrow, and will be joined by others from different counties in the province.

Testimony of an Eminent Physician

The proofs which authenticated the claims made for Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites, can be regarded as the finest pulmonic in use, embracing in many instances, from physicians of eminence. Dr. J. Corlis, of St. Thomas, writes as follows:—

"During ten years of active practice, I have had occasion to prescribe Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites. Since your preparation came under my notice, I have tried it, and take great pleasure in saying that I have given great satisfaction and it is to be preferred to any I have ever used or recommended. I have used it in my own family during heavy colds, and in every instance a happy result has followed. I cheerfully recommend its use in all cases of debility arising from weakness of the muscular or nervous system."

What can be more convincing than this. Here is a professional man of long practice and high reputation bearing direct and positive testimony to the value of a remedy which he has thoroughly tested. Who can read and doubt? Assuredly no one of common sense.

This matchless compound is specific for throat and lung diseases in their severest and most scrofulous cases. Purchasers should be careful to observe that each wrapper has a facsimile of the firm's signature upon it. Prepared only by Northrop & Lyman, Toronto, Canada.

Miscellaneous.

The flag was up on St. Patrick's Hall today for Parnell's release.

The Police Commissioners met this afternoon and appointed Mr Matthew Bateson to the police force.

A despatch from Ottawa says there is some talk of the minister being held in Toronto or Ottawa on the Queen's Birthday. We believe this talk to be unfounded.

"A Voter" writes suggesting that certain precautions should be taken to prevent electors from suffering from the neglect of assessors in preparing the voters list. The law lays down the course to be pursued, and it should be altered by act of Parliament.

Some dirty papers have the baseness to insinuate that Mr Ogden, M.P. for Gaspe, was under the influence of liquor on the afternoon from Ottawa to Kingston to view the R.M.C. This is in keeping with their usual venomous tactics, as the gentleman in question was enjoying himself in sober innocence.

The Saddest of Sad Sights.

The saddest of sad sights—the grey hairs of age being brought with sorrow to the grave is now, we are glad to think, becoming rarer every year as the use of Cingalese Hair Restorer becomes more general. By its use the scanty locks of age once more resume their former colour and the hair becomes thick and luxuriant as ever; with its aid we can now defy the change of years, resting assured that no grey hair or wrinkle will come to sadden us. Sold at Wade's Drug Store at 50 cents per bottle.

AN APOLOGY
FROM
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TO THE HUNDREDS OF INTENDING BUYERS who have been unable to be waited upon on account of the constant crush for the last two weeks, and who have had to defer making their purchases, we beg to apologize most sincerely, and trust that they will RETURN AT AN EARLY DATE, and, with an increased staff of polite and attentive salesmen, we will endeavour to give you an opportunity of getting a share of the many bargains in New Goods arriving daily. The enormous crowds by customers to secure very large specials—is the best proof of the new, handsome and cheap goods at

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April 10

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Also in charge of the Steamer Conqueror, Kingston, April 8th, 1882.

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SOUTH HALF of lot 21 in the 1st concession of the Township of Loborough, near the Perth Road, containing 100 acres, 75 acres cleared, balance good state of cultivation. There is a good log House, a Frame Barn 30x40, and Stabling for twelve of horses. It is one of the best watered farms in the township. Terms liberal. Apply to M. Ferguson, Perth.
March 28.

Choice Farm for Sale
LOT 21 Half lot 22, 1st concession Township of Smith Marysburgh, 80 miles from Picton, containing 150 acres, 120 improved; well house and barn; good buildings and orchards. For further question apply to
JOHN W. MANCK,
Picton, Ont.
February 16.

MONEY TO LOAN
ON REAL ESTATE, at Six and Seven per cent. Apply to KIRKPATRICK & ROGERS, Ontario Street, Kingston.

Liberal-Conservative Association
A PUBLIC MEETING will be held in the Opera House on TUESDAY, 11th April, under the auspices of the Liberal-Conservative Association of City of Kingston, at which HUGH WHITE, Esq., M.P., will address the electors upon the political questions of the day.
The chair will be taken at half-past o'clock p.m.
All are invited.
The Band will be present for Lovers.
April 8

BOARD.
ACCOMMODATION FOR BOARDERS at 75 Dalhousie Street, near King Street. Merited patronage.
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MAIL CONTRACT.
SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, TUESDAY, 16th May, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on proposed Contract for four years, from the 1st July next, or sooner if the Contract be completed, between Kingston and Kingston Mills and Tamworth, from the 1st July next.
The conveyance to be made in a public or other vehicle.
The Mails to leave Newburgh daily, Sundays excepted, at 7 a.m., and to arrive at Kingston at 11.30 a.m. To leave Kingston daily, Sundays excepted, at 3.30 p.m. and to arrive at Newburgh at 6.30 p.m.
To leave Tamworth daily, Sundays excepted, at 5 a.m., and to arrive at Kingston at 2.30 p.m. To leave Napanee daily, Sundays excepted, at 8 a.m. To leave Kingston Mills daily, Sundays excepted, at 2 p.m., and to arrive at Napanee at 6.30 p.m.
Printed notices, containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract, may be seen, and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Newburgh, Camden East, Odessa, Tamworth, Napanee, and at the office of
GILBERT GRIFFIN,
Post Office Inspector's Office,
Kingston, March 31st, 1882.
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FOR A TERM OF YEARS
THE two story Stone Building fronting on the corner of Ontario and Johnson Streets, and covering Lots C and D, Johnson Street, known as the building formerly occupied by wholesale wholesale grocers, in so proximity to the Old Market, Frontage Ninety feet on Ontario Street by two and a half story Stone Dwelling House in Wellington Street, containing ten rooms, two sets of hall attached thereto, one-half of which is laid out as a garden; the entire premises in good condition, and laid out to meet all the wants of a family. Apply to the proprietor,
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All Wool, wide width, 40c.
Lupins' Black Cashmeres, 60c, 75c, 90c.
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April 8

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MASONIC
The next Regular Monthly Meeting of Ionic Lodge will be held on MONDAY, 3rd April, at 7.30 p.m.
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REMINDERS.
THIS EVENING.
Fights: Annual Assembly of the I.C.B.U. at the Opera House.
TOMORROW.
Mr Thomas White, M.P., (Liberal Conservative) on the political question of the day at the Opera House

The Daily News.
LEWIS W. SHANNON, Proprietor.
MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 10.

THE NEW DRY GOODS STORE of Rowes & Bissonette attracted display on Saturday and to-day. Their store was crowded with customers till 11 o'clock at night.

THE MR WM. J. LEDYARD for cheap boots and shoes, who has a good assortment of Ladies Buttoned French Kid, Polish and Grain Boots at $2 50, Ladies' Kid, and Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes of all kinds cheap.

STUDENTS and others wishing to buy a few presents before returning home will no doubt take advantage of the grand clearing sale going on at Stacy & Walpole's old stand. Look out for some wonderful prices in the order of the day there.

WILL BRING—Detective Sullivan will engage his attention, when he arrives end on the 1st of June. A successor will not be appointed till the end of a year. He will be chosen from the force, and, no doubt, the man who merits the position will receive it.

CONGRATULATIONS for the next twenty four hours, Lake Ontario, Gulf of Mexico, Georgian Bay, Lake Huron, Lake Superior, Northwest, Gulf of Lawrence, continued cold weather, with some flurries St. Lawrence—Northerly and northwesterly winds, fair, cloudy, cold weather, with no rain.

TWENTY MINUTES—The annual Easter vestry meeting in connection with the English Church will be held this evening. All last year's accounts will be settled, and matters affecting the interests of the churches discussed. After the vestry meetings lay delegates to the synod will be appointed.

MASONIC—The next Masonic meeting will be held in the Masonic Hall, on Monday, 3rd April, at 7.30 p.m. Two per cent discount will be allowed upon all purchases made on or prior to the 1st April.

THE MEETING referred to elsewhere, for power to increase the city debt, from and after the 1st May, promises to be a very lively affair. Ratepayers should be there in force to protect their interests.

AFTERNOON TEA.—Rev. B. Lane, M. A., has completed his engagement in New York city, where he supplied the place of Rev. Dr. Newman until conference. The congregation of Wesley Church, may hint a very liberal salary, made him a present of several hundred dollars when he left. Mr Lane will preach in the morning and afternoon, go to Carrington, Ky., where he will receive a salary of $3,500 a year and other benefits.

A NEW RULE—Sheriff Ferguson has received a circular from the Inspector of Prisons to the effect that under the provisions of chapter 186 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Section 9 indicates as follows: Rule No. 100—No person shall be allowed access to any prisoner for the purpose of interviewing him or her with a view to publishing a report of such interview. This rule will not meet the approval of the reporter.

RECEIVED $2,000—On Saturday a citizen of Kingston signed receipts in the U. S. Consulate for the sum of $2,000 for money he served during the American war and was disabled, one of his legs being rendered useless, but up to the present time had received no pension. He put in a claim, however, some time ago, which was allowed on the medical examination of Dr. A. S. Mackenzie, M.P., and he has received the money that he has received. It is his intention to erect a home for his family.

ANOTHER OF OUR CELEBRITIES.—Henry Tucker, a musical composer and song writer, was buried from the house of his family in Brooklyn, N.Y. Mr Tucker was born in Kingston, Canada, on April 13, 1826, his parents having moved thither from Connecticut. Among his popular songs in days gone by were "When this Cruel War is Over," "Star of the Evening," and "Dear Mother, I've Come Home to Die." Included in his later productions were "Sweet Genevieve" and "When Starry Eyes Look on the Sea."

CHICAGO.—Mr Moody, the Evangelist, will open his Tabernacle on Saturday evening, whether he goes for four weeks work. A number of friends were at the station to see him off and bid him God speed in his mission. The Free Press says that his services in that city have awakened a great amount of interest, as was manifested by the increased attendance at the Tabernacle Sunday, the audiences were asked if they desired the services to be continued longer by the pastors of the city, the whole congregation rose to their feet in approval.

EVENING.
Burning James Burt's House.
Two Mr Jas. Burt's residences, situated on the Chief road of Kingston Mills, were found to be on fire at about 6 o'clock at night. He suspected one of his Kingston Mills of being the incendiary. The loss was between $6,000 and $7,000 Detective Sullivan was despatched to work up the case. He gleaned sufficient information to warrant the arrest of Bartlee, who was committed for trial. The trial came on at Napanee on Saturday, and the greatest interest was manifest, there being a large attendance of farmers. They are averse to burn burning, and all were desirous of seeing justice meted out in the case in question.

Mr Britton, Q.C. appeared for the Crown, and Mr T. H McGuire for the prisoner.

THE EVIDENCE.

At nine o'clock in the morning the first witness was called. Among the principal witnesses sworn were

A. Storms, who testified that he had seen the prisoner passing a lime kiln, which is about three quarters of a mile from where the fire occurred, about 18 minutes after the clock place. He was going towards Napanee.

Robert Sands and he saw Bartlee on the night of the fire passing Morven between 11 and 12 o'clock.

Davis Bartlee, owner of the prisoner, said he saw him driving out of Napanee about half past ten o'clock. He was going towards Kingston.

A number of other witnesses swore that they had heard Bartlee make threats to the effect that he would make Burt smell sulphur, when he was in Kingston. They also heard him say that Burt had put his house in pound and done other things to incur his hatred.

THE DEFENCE.

The defence consisted in the attacking of Sands testimony, and endeavouring to prove the improbability of Storms and Sands evidence. The whereabouts of the prisoner however, on the night in question could not satisfactorily accounted for by the defence.

CONVICTED.

At nine o'clock in the evening the jury retired, and when they came back they announced a verdict of "guilty." The prisoner was then removed to gaol to await sentence.

AN OLD CASE.

During the trial a case was cited by the defence, that was tried about ten years ago in the county court house at Napanee. A man was found guilty of burning a barn and sentenced to serve ten years in the Penitentiary. He had served about seven years, when a man on his death bed confessed to having committed the crime. The innocent man was then released after having put in seven long years in the Penitentiary for so doing. The case for the defence in Bartlee case is of opinion that Bartlee is innocent also.

PERSONAL

Parnell was released from prison this morning, and is now on his way to England.

Dr Tolgamon has opened an office on Wolfe Island, where he will practice his profession.

The Hon. Oliver Mowat, Attorney-General for Ontario, is on town in connection with the Chancery business.

Mr R. Surtees, City Engineer of Ottawa, has been elected a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

Mr C. Clark writes from Bermuda to the effect that the Governor of that place is dead. There was great pomp at the funeral.

The London Figaro of March 18th says the Prince and Princess of Wales will, for the present season, pay a visit to Canada via New York.

Col Oswald, who commanded the Canadian artillery team at Shoeburyness has been in the city, the guest of the officers of B Battery.

Messrs Walkem & Walkem have been appointed solicitors for the Provincial Loan and Investment Society in place of Mr A. S. Kirkpatrick, deceased.

Mr B.M. Britton, is said, will neither refuse nor accept the position of County Attorney if he should be Reform candidate for Addington has been nominated.

Mr Nicholas Flood Davin, having completed his labours in connection with the Pacific Railway Commission, will continue his practice in Toronto.

Rev. Mr Hanaford, of Napanee, preached in the Queen Street Methodist Church yesterday morning, and in the Sydenham Street Church in the evening. Both sermons were able ones.

Queen Victoria is very particular about her sleeping arrangements. The bed that she uses at Balmoral was sent from Windsor Castle. Another bed was sent to Ports