REMINDERS.

WEDNESDAY.

MEETING of Cataraqui Lodge, No. 92, at 7:30

BORN.

McMahon.-In Kingston, Feb. 9th, the wife of A. C. McMahon, Mechanics' Institute, of a son.

MARRIED.

LAWSON-ASSELSTINE, -On the 2nd inst., by the Rev. James Lawson, at the Methodist parsonage, Cobden, Edwin P. Lawson, of Sydenham, to Ella May, only daughter of Abraham Asselstine, of Westbrook.

STEVENSON DONNELLY. -On the 8th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Wolfe Island, by the Rev. T.S. Chambers, Mr. Andrew Stevenson, of Wolfe Island, to Eliza, daughter of Mr. David Donnelly.

DIED.

SMEATON. -- In Kingston, on the 8th Feb., 1887, Catherine Robertson, relict of the late John Smeaton, in the 77th year of her age.

The funeral will take place from her son's residence, corner of King and O'Kill Sts., to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to Cataraqui Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

TILLINGHAST. - In Kingston, on 9th inst., Sarah A, beloved wife of Thos. C. Tilling-

Funeral from her late residence, 211 Bagot Street, to-morrow (Thursday) at 2 p.m. Friends will please accept this intimation. (Belleville papers please copy.)

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TO-LET.

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FOR COUGHS AND COLDS.—Grasp a Bottle of the DIAMOND COUGH REMEDY. The first dose frequently stops a cough. Composed of Wild Cherry, Horehound, Elecampane and other valuable ingredients. Pleasant to take. In bottles, 25c. and 50c., at WADE'S DRUG

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THE SU BSCRIBER offers for sale his House and Lot on Albert Street. The house contains seven commodious rooms, with pantry, clothes closets, large cellar, well drained, and outbuildings. The lot, 99x132, is stocked with choice fruit and ornamental trees and small fruits, etc. EDWARD MORHAM. Jan. 6.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHURCH TENDERS

To Builders, Masons and Stonecutters.

SEALED TENDERS for the masonry and cut stone work of superstructure of the new Church of St. Michael, Belleville, Ont.,

Will be received by the Rt. Rev. Mons. Farrelly, Chairman of the Building Committee, Belleville, Ont., or by the undersigned, till 5 p.m.

TUESDAY, FEB. 15th INST.

The Plans, &c., can be seen at St. Michael's Presbytery, Belleville, or at the office of the undersigned. Approved security for the due performance of the contract will be required. The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.
N.B.—The foundation, &c., up to the plinth

course, or water table, are already built. JOSEPH CONNOLLY, R.C.A., Architect, 46 Church St., Toronto, Ont., St. James Building.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THERE will be sold at my office at the Court House, in the City of Kingston, on

FRIDAY, THE 11th INST., At 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the Stock in Trade of C. MARCHAND, Grocer, Princess Street, Kingston, where Inventory of Stock can be seen. Offers to be made so much on the dol-

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AN ANNUAL MEETING.

The Directors Report a Good Year - The Bustness Done by Shareholders.

The annual meeting of shareholders of the Kingston & Pembroke railway company oc curred, to-day, at noon. In the absence of President Gildersleeve, Hon. G. A. Kirk. patrick occupied the chair.

The directors reported a general improvement in the condition of the road bed and superstructure. The passenger station at the market battery has been completed and the construction of the freight shed, at the same place is now well advanced. It will be ready for occupation in April. The company has purchased and paid for the property of the Kingston car works company, comprising forty two acres of land, together with their extensive workshops, plant and machinery. This purchase places the company in the most favorable conditions, in respect of construction and repair of rolling stock. The outstanding second mortgage bonds of the company have been redeemed and second preference bonds with interest at six per cent. payable out of nett income -only if earned and non-cumulative-have been substituted and sold at par.

The capital stock has been increased to \$3,000,000 with the sanction of the share holders. The funds on hand provide for all floating liabilities and expected requirements for rolling stock, etc., and for increased traffic. The earnings for 1886 were \$148,-563.25; expenses \$110,214.71, leaving a profit of \$38,348.54. The earnings show an increase of \$10,969.22 over 1885. Including the credit balance of \$1,086.64 brought down from 1885, the amount to be carried forward, after payment of fixed charges, to the credit of 1887 will be \$5,115.18. In view of the expected increase of traffic in lumber, etc., as well as in iron ore from the mines now in operation (a large quantity of iron ore having been already sold) it will be advisable to provide increased locomotive power and rolling stock out of the funds on hand for that purpose. The directors regret ted to announce the death of Mr. I. Munson, of Watertown, one of the directors, who always took a deep interest in the road. The vacancy was not filled. The

report was adopted. The sum of \$25 each was donated to the general hospital and L'Hotel Dieu, and \$200 for the purchase of books for the library of the Mutual aid association

The following directors were elected for the ensuing year: Messrs. C. F. Gildersleeve, G. A. Kirkpatrick, W. Nickel, James Swift, M. H. Folger, B. W. Folger, Kingston; R. P. Flower, J. D. Flower, New York; H. H. Porter, Chicago. Afterwards C. F. Gildersleeve was elected president, and J. D. Flower, vice-president.

TRACKED BY THE ARABS.

Thrilling Experience of an English Officer in Central Africa.

LONDON, Feb. 8. - From an interview with Capt. Deane, in charge of Stanley Falls on the Congo River during the recent successful attack by the Arabs on that station, it appears that he and Lieut. Dubois defended the place until their ammunition was exhausted. The Arabs then attacked the station with a rush and carried everything before them. When the whites found it necessary to fly Deane ordered that petroleum be poured on the buildings, and that they be set on fire. Then his party escaped through the underwood and he and Dubois fell from a slippery rock into the river. Deane swan ashore, leaving Dubois cling. ing to the rock. While Deane was seeking assistance for Dubois the latter became exhausted and fell away from the rocks and drowned. Deanfled into the jungle, where he was hunted and tracked by the Arabs for a month. He was barefooted all this time and had only a blanket to cover him. He was wounded in one of his thighs and in one arm, and lived on locusts and wild fruit until he was found and rescued by friendly natives.

PRETTY HEAVY LOSSES.

The Battle at Massowah The Kings Ask. ing for Terms of Settlement.

ROME, Feb. 8. -It is stated that the Abyssinians lost 500 men in the battles in which the Italian forces were defeated near Massowah, on Jan. 26th and 27th.

ROME, Feb. 8. - The government has received a dispatch from the Italian commander at Massowah, saying that Ras-aloula was retreating, but that it was not known whether he desired to await reinforcements or whether, owing to his losses which had been heavy, he had decided to refrain from attacking Massowah. The commander further says that Major Piano has brought letters from King John and Ras-aloula offering to renew peaceful relations on condition that the Italians do not extend their territory beyond Massowah and authorizing Major Piano to negotiate terms of peace. The commander replied evasively with the object of recovering the Italian prisoners.

Bomb-Throwing in France.

Lyons, Feb. 9. -Two bombs exploded simultaneously to-day in front of the police headquarters. The bombs struck against the railing and were thus prevented from expending their force on the building.

At St. Ettienne a bomb was thrown at the police station. It exploded with such force that three of the officers within the building were seriously injured. Eight men have been arrested for alleged complicity in the latter outrage.

St. Louis received a solid train of twenty. seven cars loaded with peanuts the other day. Society events at the other end of the bridge are having quite a boom.

PARNELL'S LATEST PLEA.

THE GOVERNMENT CHARGED WITH FLAGRANT INCONSISTENCY.

The Irish Leader Misunderstood Regarding his Utterances Concerning Dynamite-Some Points of His Speech-Davitt on the Plan of Campaign.

LONDON, Feb. 8. - Mr. Parnell looked like a man from a sick bed as he moved his amendment. At first he spoke in a conversational tone, but towards the close of his speech he became much more vigorous, even vehement, in his prophecies of disaster. The house undoubtedly found the speech dull, though it is generally admitted he succeeded in convicting the government of flagrant inconsistency in the conduct of General Sir Redvers Buller and Judge Curran in bringing pressure to bear on the landlords whilst prosecuting the Nationalists' own more successful method of the "plan of campaign."

Mr. Parnell's allusion to the results of the policy of coercion, already gravely misunderstood, will be more so. The misunderstanding, indeed, he foresaw, and expressly repudiated; but late last night, in | died yesterday. the political clubs not less than in the precincts of the house, the unionists were saying: "Parnell had concluded his speech by threatening dynamite unless the government granted home rule." What he really said was that he wondered the government, in restoring coercion, was not warned by the past, as shown by the constant accumulation of Mr. Foster's demands. The conspiracies of that time, fincluding that against Mr. Foster's own life, were, Mr. Parnell claimed, brought into existence by his career of coercion. The appeal of the cabinet for increased powers was followed by the Phoenix park tragedy, that by the passing of the Crimes Act, and that again was answered from America by dynamite. "Dynamite," said Mr. Parnell, excitedly, shaking his head over the heads of his followers at the government bench, "was repeatedly exploding in the crowded streets of your city. Your public buildings were also threatened. Attempts were made to destroy them. Even in this house the ministers were not safe from violent attack and attempts at assassination. After all these terrible events all this loss of life, some upon the scaffold, many more the victims of the wild justice of revenge; after all this peril to your citizens pursuing their lawful occupations in the streets; after all this danger to your most distinguished ministers what was the result? The tory govern-

Immediately after Mr. Parnell sat down the house emptied, and the rest of the proceedings were dull in the extreme, except the speech of Mr. Dillon and his reference to the "little business" waiting him in Dublin. In consequence of the ineffectiveness of these prolonged debates the feeling is growing up among the liberals of the desirability of making efforts to cause the government to

ment came into office and abandoned coer-

proceed with their legislative measures. Morley resumed the debate on Parnell's amendment. He said that he agreed with that part of the amendment which affirmed that the remedy for the existing crisis in Irish affairs was to be found in such reform of the law and system of government as would satisfy the needs and secure the confidence of the Irish people. There was, in fact, no remedy short of granting the Irish self-government.

Joseph Chamberlain will speak against Parnell's amendment.

The Earl of Dunraven, under secretary for the colonies, has resigned. This is not of much importance except as one more shot fired at the government in a critical time.

LONDON, Feb. 9. - Michael Davitt, speak ing at Edinburgh last night, said that under other than the existing conditions in Ireland the plan of campaign would be neither desirable nor permissive, but it was better to have a plan of campaign than a plan of blunderbuss and revolver.

The Irish Loyalists.

LONDON, Feb. 8. - The lord mayor receiv ed a deputation of gentlemen representing the organization known as the Irish association for the defence of the union. Among the spokesmen were the Duke of Abercorn and the Earl of Pembroke. The former's speech was an appeal for funds to aid the Irish loyalists, who were deprived, the duke said, of their means of livelihood through the action of the Irish national league, which, by intimidation, deterred tenants from paying their rents. The Earl of Pembroke, referring to the terrible effects of the policy pursued by the national league throughout Ireland, said that the fund sought to be raised by the deputation was to be devoted to the work of helping those whom the tyranny of the league had ruined. The lord mayor said he did not consider the deputation's appeal a party question, and he could, therefore, give it a cordial and hearty approval, and besides could recommend it to the consideration of all parties in the country.

The Scotch Liberals.

EDINBURGH, Feb. 8. - At the conference of the Scotch liberal association, held here today, resolutions were adopted declaring in favor of reform in the land laws, in favor of local self-government, the disestablishment of the church, and state control of the liquor traffic. The conference voted confidence in Mr. Gladstone as the leader of the liberal

Driven From a Hall.

Berlin, Feb. 8. - The police attempted to disperse a socialist meeting held in a brewery at Stettin last evening, but failed. force of military, with fixed bayonets, then drove the people from the hall. Several people were wounded, and one man is reported killed. The hall was completely wrecked. At Madgeburg yesterday twent four socialists were arrested.

Prepared for Both Lands.

Paris, Feb. 9. - The Evenment has a dispatch saying that Dr. Windthorst in an interview declared that the German armaments were for the defensive not offensive purposes, and that they were directed as much against Russia as against France.

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THE PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Spice of the Morning Papers and the Very Latest Telegrams.

Burglars are again at work in Toronto. Miss Alice B. Jordan, LL. D., of Yale, is only 23. There are 113 farmers in the Connecticut

legislature. The French chamber has passed the extra

budget without debate. Four people were drowned off Shylock, Conn., the ice sinking a schooner.

Charles Wehle, distinguished composer and pianist, London, is dead.

Peter Rilands, (liberal unionist,) member f parliament for Burnley, is dead. Dr. Thayer, of Montrea!, was relieved of his diamond while in the maze yesterday. England has decided to adopt the Lee

Every indication points to the fact that the great strike in New York is a failure. Advices from Pekin say the young emperor has assumed the reins of government. The White River count stands thus: 34

American rifle for the use of her army.

dead, 36 injured, 12 gone to their homes, and 2 missing. Detective Hulligan, one of the Cleveland

men assaulted by desperadoes at Ravenna, The Canadian Pacific railway shops at

Yale, B.C., were burned on Sunday; loss \$100,000. The natives in Fonga, one of the Friendly

Islands, have captured a missionary named

Queen Victoria intends to purchase certain of the French crown jewels, which are soon to be sold in Paris.

The postoffice authorities are making experiments with a view to connect the whole of Germany by telephone. At a conference of collier delegates at

Jobinent, Prussia, yesterday, it was decided to organize for a general strike. The Grand Trunk company have begun the extension of the Belleville and North Hastings railway from Madoe to Eldorado.

by the Irish nationalists of South Sligo without opposition, to the house of commons. The Ottawa council are about to ask power of the legislature to borrow \$200,000

for permanent street improvements. The prime minister De Pretis announced | true. to the chambers of deputies of Rome yesterday afternoon that the entire cabinet had

The miners' strike is spreading in Scot-

land. At Blantyre there was a riot on Tuesday. The police being powerless the troops were called on. "Marechale" Booth, daughter of General Booth, of the salvation army, was married

in London yesterday to Colonel Clusborne, also an officer in the army. The press of Vienna considers the resignation of Count Dierobillant, Italian foreign

minister, as a bad augury for the preservation of the European peace. John C. Leighton, Boston, for nineteen years clerk of the municipal criminal court, is short in his accounts to the amount of

\$200,000 or more. Mary Baker, the fasting girl at Monon. Ind., has completed the one hundred and fifth day of her fast. Signs of dissolution

continue. She is still conscious. The government have refused permission to the Queen's Own Rifles, Toronto, and Royal Scots, Montreal, to visit England to take part in the Queen's jubilee celebration. An order has been received by a firm in Lyons, France, from London for 2,800,000 handkerchiefs with Queen Victoria's picture on them for the occasion of her "golden

jubilee." Dr. T. G. Ford, who killed Kirkpatrick, was sentenced to 15 years' imprisonment, and to pay a fine of 50 cents and costs. Kirkpatrick had seduced Ford's wife and the

killing was deliberate. The French commander along the German frontier have been ordered to avoid all exercises of their troops likely to be falsely interpreted by Germany.

In a fight between two families near De Kalb, Texas, three members of the White family were killed, the father of the Rosser family shot so that he died, and his son, aged 15, badly wounded. Work on the British Columbia fortifica-

tions will be proceeded with at once. The British government have appropriated one thousand dollars, to which is to be added twenty-five thousand as Canada's contribu-Ald. Jaques, Montreal, has been elected president of the new French chamber of com-

merce. A resolution demanding a reduction of tolls on wheat passing through the St. Lawrence canals to two cents a ton; and one denouncing the custom house espionage in vogue were passed. In the U. S. Senate, Ingalls presented a memorial, petitioning Congress to instruct

the president to open negotiations with great Britain for the cession of the dominion of Canada and other British possessions to the United States. Referred to the foreign affairs committee. Herr Baetsh, editor of the Potsdamer Nachrichten, in which paper the story was

first printed that the czar of Russia had shot Herr Villaume, a military attache of the German embassy at St. Petersburg, has been condemned to six weeks' imprisonment for publishing this falsehood. The Cosgrave brewery and malting co'y have assigned. The firm's liabilities are estimated at \$100,000, \$60,000 of which is

due to the bank of Commerce, and \$28,000 to private parties. These are secured by mortgage. The creditors will likely get 25c, on the dollar. The assets are placed at \$85,000.

Carnival a Great Success.

MONTREAL, Feb. 8. - Although the weather on the second day of the carnival was unseasonable the city is packed with visitors, the streets being black with a moving mass of strangers from all lands. Every body is | that will prevent free competition or add trying to secure copies of the Montreal Star to the hardships of the settlers of Manicarnival number, as souvenirs of the events and festivities. The Americans say the carnival Star eclipses anything ever published in the states. The publishers acknowledge themselves unable to keep up to the demand and are working on the last edition, most of which is bought up in advance.

The Bait Question.

Sr. John's, Nfld., Feb. 8. - News has been received that the British government have disallowed the bait act passed last year by the Newfoundland legislature. The act was intended to prevent the sale of bait to foreign fishing vessels, making them dependent only. It never fails to cure. Sold by drug- upon their own resources, and in large meagists for \$1.00, or mailed on receipt of price; sure keeping the fisheries of the island for its own people.

MARTER NOT A MARTYR.

SOME OF HIS PRETTY WAYS IN MUSKOKA DESCRIBED.

The Tory Style of Getting Support-The Boodler has Repented Long Ago-A Slipperv Character - News From all Parts of Canada.

GRAVENHURST, Feb. 8.—The name of Mr. Marter, M.P.P. for Muskoka, was connected upon his own evidence with the most disgraceful act of bribery that ever came before a court of justice in this country, namely, the doings of "the frozen whiskey brigade" in Muskoka in 1883. Mr. Marter then poised as an innocent abroad, but a scene was enacted in West Gravenhurst last Friday night which proved that Mr. Marter had considerable experience in bribery and corruption in his earlier days. At the meeting he assumed a high and lofty tone, and characterized men who had been implicated before their fellow men in bribery as unworthy of recognition by society. He was followed by Mr. Hall, who informed the audience that some years ago in the township of Oakwood an unfortunate elector was first primed with whiskey until he was almost stupid, then led to the polling booth by a Tory elector, who, as he led him into the booth, put a \$2 bill in his hand and stood beside him when he took the oath declaring that he had not received, nor did he expect to receive any money for his vote. He kissed the bible and was then handed his ballot. The speaker went on to say that he would ask Mr. Marter if that picture had been overdrawn, and challenged Mr. Marter to deny its truth. The electors present were not long in drawing the inference that it was Mr. Marter who had stood by the voter after he had paid him for his vote, and calmly assisted in his perjury. The statement created such a sensation that Marter had to do something, and he, assuming an air of honesty, came forward and ac-Edward Kennedy of Dublin was elected | knowledged that he was the man who had paid the voter \$2, and had stood by him while he took the false oath, but he had long since repented of what he had done, and it was not fair that a charge of that kind should be made against him, even if it was

Echoes of the Campaign.

At the opening of the Ontario legislature Dr. Baxter will be elected speaker. New Brunswick tories concede the probability of ten liberals being elected in that

province. W. K. Pattison, the young opponent to J. C. Rykert in Lincoln, is making it hot for the "scrap-book chieftain."

Mr. Carling, the eminent brewer, may preside at a temperance meeting, but he will take a drop on the 22nd just the same. After their re-elections the members of the Mercier cabinet will immediately assemble to prepare the work of the session. George Martin has been elected president of the Prince Edward conservative associa-

tion. Dr. Platt will sweep the county for the liberals. The name of G. Bresse, a boot and shoe manufacturer, is mentioned as an opponent to Sir A. P. Caron in the liberal interest in

Quebec county. P. J. Brown, Ingersoll, reports the liberal cause booming in the west. The tories have not yet found a candidate for either North or South Oxford. L. E. Burroughs, lawyer, and brother in

law of Lieutenant-Governor Masson, will oppose Hon. Mayor Langelier in Quebec West as a conservative candidate. In West Toronto four candidates will go to the polls. Mr. Beaty will not retire. Mr.

Maclean is receiving a large number of personal assurances of support. It seems to be conceded in Quebec that the minister of public works and agricul-

ture, better known as Ald. McShane, will not be opposed in seeking re-election. The chief government organ, L'Electeur, Quebec, says the most compromising discoveries have been made in the finances since the exit of the Ross-Taillon administration.

It is claimed by L'Electeur, of Quebec, that the Dominion elections will give Mr. Blake a majority of forty in the new house. Out of a convention of 39 delegates at Batoche 38 declared for Mr. Laird, the liberal candidate in Saskatchewan. The half-breeds declared that the much-vaunted affidavits

were procured by fraud.

Mr. Mercier's majority is constantly on the increase and it is altogether likely when the legislature meets in March it will amount to at least 16 on the first vote. It is no secret that a number of the opposition have already tendered him their allegiance. "Billy" Paterson will be elected over South Brant's conservative candidate, W.

F. Cockshutt, by a majority of 300, notwithstanding the fact that the franchise has been extended to the Indians. The best proof that the Ross-Taillon gov. ernment admitted their defeat since the October elections, and only clung to office to serve their Ottawa friends, lies in the dis-

covery that they made no preparations

whatever to meet the legislature on the 27th Mr. Blake has written stating that if his Quebec supporters can evenly divide the province in the federal elections, they can count upon a majority for their party in the house of commons of 37 votes. The liberals in Quebec claim that the province will give

Mr. Blake a majority of at least ten. The Toronto Young Men's Liberal club have issued a manifesto to the young men of Canada which includes the right of the Canadian government to make treaties, reform of the senate, independence of parliament, provincial rights, no federal disallowance, a prohibition liquor law for the whole dominion, and contends that no further powers should be conferred on the C.P.R. toba or the North-West, who are deserving

of the largest space of employment. OUR QUERY CORNER.

To the Editor of the WHIG

What is a liberal-conservative ?---X. A witty writer says he is a "a newly discovered specimen of a non-existent species."

A Knock Down For Joseph.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9. - Joseph Howard, a correspondent employed on the World staff, was knocked down in the office of the latter paper last evening by Joseph Pulitzer, the