#### REMINDERS.

CITY Council. REGULAR MEETING of Minden Lodge.

TUESDAY. LECTURE by Dr. Wallace at Convocation Hall at 8 p.m.

#### MARRIED.

Brown Crae. - At Gananoque, 1st March; Mr. A. A. Brown, of Wilmot, Michigan, to Mrs. Jemima Crae, of Lansdowne. WOLCOTT-FERMAN. - At Gananoque, March 3rd, 1887, Mr. Fred Ryther Wolcott, to Miss Hattie M. Ferman, of Boonville, N. Y. ROBINSON-WALLIS, -At Toledo, 1st March,

#### DIED.

Sarah Wallis, Plum Hollow.

William H. Robinson, Sharbot Lake, to

AGNEW. - In Kingston, March 6th, John Agnew, M.A., M.D., late County Inspector of Schools, aged 45 years.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the resi dence of his brother-in-law, Mr. James Paul, Upper William Street, to Cataraqui Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

HENDERSON. - At Gananoque, 4th March, Oliver J., son of Mr. R. F. Henderson, aged 4 years.

#### WANTED.

MAN SERVANT who understands care of horses. Apply at WHIG office and J. M. Machar's office.

THREE EXPERIENCED SALESMEN, who can sell goods and are not afraid of work. J. C.

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A SHOP, WITH DWELLING ATTACHED. corner of Division and Ellice Streets; also a COMFORTABLE HOUSE adjoining. Possession at any time. Apply to J. WADDELL, on

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FOUND AT LAST-A remedy warranted to cure hard and soft Corns, Bunions, Callouses, &c. Hanson's Magic Corn Salve, in boxes, 15c. at Wade's Drug Store.

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BUTCHERS AND SAUSAGE MAKERSprime new small hog casings; by tierce, 500 lbs. 18c. per lb; kegs, 100 lbs, 20c. per lb; half kegs, \$10.50; prime new English sheep casings, kegs, 50 large bundles, \$32; smaller quantities 65c. per bundle. Rowlin & Co., Hamilton.

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HOUSE AND LOT, on Charles St. House, frame, 18x24, with kitchen addition 16x20; lot is 33 feet front and about 140 feet deep; new stable and shed ; good well ; all in good order. Apply to FRANCIS McDONALD-next door,-42 Charles Street.

THE SUBSCRIBER 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.

FINE CITY HOME. The undersigned offers for sale that DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT now occupied by him on Earl Street. The whole is offered in one block, having about one hundred and twenty feet frontage on Earl Street, and the Upper Lot runs through to West Street. The BUILDINGS on the property are almost new, and the garden is planted with the choicest fruits. For terms apply to THOS,

#### In the Matter of Edward Chatterton, AN INSOLVENT.

NOTICE is hereby given that Edward Chat-terton, of the City of Kingston, Builder, has made an assignment to me for the general benefit of his creditors, under 48 Victoria. Chapter 26, and the first meeting of Creditors for appointment of inspectors and giving directions as to the disposal of his estate, will be held at the office of Britton & Whiting, in said city, at 2 p.m., on THURSDAY, the 10th day of March,

FRANCIS SCANTLIN. Kingston.

Kingston, 2nd March, 1887.

# TO CONTRACTURS.

TENDERS will be received by the under-signed up to SIX P.M., THURSDAY, 10th inst., for the several trades required in the erection and completion of Two Brick Houses on the corner of Gore and Bagot Streets for

Plans and Specifications may be seen at my office, over Wade's Drug Store, cor. King and Brock 5ts. W. NEWLANDS, JR.,

Mch. 4.

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MRS. W. L. BAXTER and daughter have returned to Kingston and are prepared to give instruction on the Planoforte. Miss Mand Baxter will give lessons at the pupils' residence or her own if preferred. Apply to 163 Princess Street.

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#### THE PITH OF THE NEWS.

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

Nine of the Rustchuk rebels have been sentenced to death. War between Austria and Russia is

thought to be not far off. Preparations are being made to repeal the Scott act in Glengarry.

The assembly men at Albany play poker. One is ahead \$7,000 on the game so far this Cardinal Taschereau's prohibition to the

knights of labour is opposed to the views of American episcopate. St. Peters' cathedral, Montreal, is to be finished like St. Peters', Rome, of which it is half the size.

James F. Goodman, a wealthy citizen of Huntsville, Mo., brained his wife with a bootjack and hanged himself.

The Catholic churches in New York city and state are taking a pronounced position in favour of high license bill.

Hon. J. J. C. Abbott, mayor-elect of Montreal, has resigned the office of solicitor of the Canada Pacific railway.

The North German Gazette says the results of the Alsace elections have strengthened the war party in France. The coal strike at Elizabethport has been

settled by arbitration. The men have been granted the rate for which they struck. In consequence of the panic caused by earthquakes the hotel keepers of Nice are selling out at great sacrifice.

Maria Tackaberry, daughter of Richard Tackaberry, living near Elbe Mills, committed suicide by cutting her threat with a

Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll, is recovering from his throat trouble, which resembled that of General Grant, and was believed to be fatal

The Peabody fund, London, now amounts to \$4,553,340. The original gift was \$2, 500,000, the balance having been added to it by the money received for rent and in-

Miss Nina Van Zandt has consented to the exhibition of a wax figure of her in a Chicago museum provided the museum man contributes liberally to the anarchists' defence fund.

Capt. Bollman, charged with being one of the leaders of the Rustchuk insurrection and who claimed to be a Russian subject, has sought German protection.

The St. Paul, Minnesota and Northwestern railroad has withdrawn from the northwestern freight association on account of dissatisfaction with the arbitrators award

of percentages. Mrs. John T. White and Albert Linscombe, of London, Ont., were arrested at Rochester, N.Y. They eloped a week ago and were run down by the woman's husband. She has six children. The matter was settled by a money payment

The Montreal volunteers corps have received invitations to be present at the review on the occasion of the Queen's jubilee Ottawa. Replies have been deferred until Lieutenant Colonel Straubenzie calls a meet ing to consider the matter.

Snow Slides at the Rockies. Ciricago, March 7. - A special from Winnipeg says the intelligence of the first of a series of accidents, from snow slides in the Rockies, has just been received. Last Thursday the snow slide in the Selkirk struck a snow plow train carrying it down an immense gorge and completely burying When dug out seven bours after, Superintendent William Green and six men, all employees, were found smothered to death. Two of the men are named Ryan and Spark. The Canadian Pacific railway officials refuse particulars, and are making special efforts to keep the accident quiet.

# It's Poverty and Death.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5. - Refugees from Topolobampo, Mexico, continue to pour into Nogales and tell tales of hardship and discouragement. It is no uncommon thing to see woman and children sitting on the rocks and crying for food. There is a great lack of proper food and good water. Small pox and diphtheria are prevalent. graveyard is larger than the town.

# Russia Made the Trouble.

VIENNA, March 7 .- The Bulgarian government has obtained documentary proof that the Russian minister at Bucharest was at the head of the Bulgarian conspiracy. Berlin, March 7. - Anxiety is felt as to whether Russia will allow the execution of

the Bulgarian conspirators to pass unnotic

# Putting on the Taxes.

Berlin, March 7.- The deficit that will be caused in the budget by the operation of the septennate law will be covered by a fresh loan. All the projects for fresh taxation have been postponed, and the session of the reichstag will probably terminate in two

# Strung Up in Effigy.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., March 7. - On Sunday morning the effigy of Capt. Quigley, of the Canadian cruiser Terror, was found suspended on Independent hall, at East Gloucenter, with the British flag attached, the union down. The city marshal cut it down.

The return of Mr. Coloumbe for Maskin-

#### MR. BEECHER IS DYING.

PROSTRATED BY A STROKE OF APOPLEXY-VERY LOW.

He Lies in a State of Coma, and Cannot Recover -The Doctors Called in for Consultation Give no Hope-Dr. Searle Says the Great Preacher is Practically Dead Now.



REV. H. W. BEECHER. NEW YORK, March 6. - Rev. Henry Ward Beecher on Friday complained of being sick. He vomited, then lay back upon his pillow exhausted. In a short time he fell asleep. The breakfast bell rang unheeded. Mrs. Beecher did not wish to disturb him. Becoming alarmed, she attempted to arouse him but could not. Her son and daughter-inlaw attempted to get Mr. Beecher up. He tried to speak, but his voice was thick and articulation indistinct. Dr. W. S. Searle pronounced Mr. Beecher quite ill. During the day hopes were entertained that he would rally. Yesterday morning he appeared to be worse. Before noon he lapsed into unconsciousness, and his malady was apoplexy. Rev. Dr. Talmage and all the prominent members of Mr. Beecher's church called. Mr. Beecher, by pointing to his head indicated that he was suffering there

Mr. Beecher resides with his son, Colonel Henry Beecher, at the corner of Hicks and Clark streets in Brooklyn. A son, who is in the west, another in San Francisco, and Mrs. Scoville, his daughter, were telegraphed for. Colonel Beecher has telegraphed for his son in Yale college. Colonel Beecher and his brother, ex Assistant District Attor ney William C. Beecher, with his wife and Mrs. Beecher, were at the bedside of the prostrate clergyman al! day Saturday.

HIS CONDITION SUNDAY. At 9 o'clock the following was issued: 'Mr. Beecher is about the same; no change since last night." It was placed on the door post. As the day advanced the throng on the sidewalks rendered the atrects impassable. About 10 o'clock Dr. Hampden arrived, and the following bulletin was posted: "Mr. Beecher is gradually failing. He may, however, live for some days. That all hope was given up was plainly in dicated by this bulletin, and the remark of Dr. Talmage as he passed out, "It is very serious.

AT PLYMOUTH CHURCH. Sunday was communion day in Plymouth

church, and a large gathering of the congregation attended the services. Rev. Mr. Halliday conducted the services, opening with a prayer beseeching the Almighty to strengthen the pastor, Mr. Beecher, in his



# MRS. BEECHER

serious illness. Communion followed, during which messages concerning Mr. Beecher's condition were read and caused tears to flow among the congregation. Other prayers were offered for Mr. Beecher. After the services were concluded a special meeting of the church trustees was held and a committee appointed to take temporary charge of the church's affairs.

At the church of Dr. Talmage, the scene was affecting. Dr. Talmage prayed fervently for the divine blessing on the afflicted preacher, and alluded to Mr. Beecher as the friend of the slave, the friend of the millionaire, the friend of the working man, the friend of the friendless, the friend of all mankind.

At 2:30 p.m. this bulletin appeared: "Mr. Beecher has been in a state of deep coma all day. There is no sign of pain or consciousness of any sort. Death is considered certain, but at an indefinite time, probably to-EVENTS OF THE EVENING.

At 8:30 p.m. the following bulletin was issued by the attending physician :

"The condition of Mr. Beecher has not materially changed. He is in a deeply coma tose state, from which he will never probably rally. He lies quietly, like one in a deep sleep, and give no indications of pain or uncasiness. His pulse varies from 90 to 100. All three medical advisers are in full accord as to the nature of the disease, its status, the remedial measures to be employed, and the prognosis of the case."

The history of to-day confirms the opinions they have entertained from the beginning-that recovery is not to be hoped for ; that, though the effusion of blood into the brain is now stopped, a fresh hemorrhage may at any time occur and speedily end life. This is not likely to happen, so far as present indications are to be trusted, and should it not occur, his life may be spared yet several days; how long depends on his endurance and strength of constitution. Drs. Hammond and Hellmuth will not return for consultation unless sent for, as they have expressed themselves as deeming it unnecessary. No one except Mrs. Beecher and her children are allowed to visit his bedside.

At 11 o'clock Dr. Hammond came out of the house. "Mr. Beecher," he said, "will never be conscious again. The paralysis of the entire left side is complete. Nothing rouses him. He lies in a state of coma, but suffers no pain, or at least is conscious of none. The patient is now merely a breathing machine. Practically he is a dead man. THE BULLETINS ISSUED TO-DAY.

NEW YORK, March 7, (6 a.m.) - The fol lowing bulletin has been issued: "Mr. Beecher failed gradually during the night. His death, however, is not anticipated at present. (Signed), W. S. SEARLE.

NEW YORK, March 7 .- At 10:30 a.m. Dr. Searle had issued the following bulletin: "No change in Beecher's condition since

the last bulletin was issued." Mrs. Beecher is more composed. She realizes that Mr. Beecher must die. She is in the room constantly. Dr. Searles said, after he left the house, that Beecher's pulse and temperature were the same. He lies in a state of coma and does not move. His breathing is heavy and quick. He is entirely unconscious, although Mrs. Beecher thought this morning that he recognized her when she spoke to him. At times he raised his right hand and placed it to his

BEECHER'S LATE OCCUPATIONS. For the last month or so Mr. Beecher has been busily engaged in writing the second volume of the "Life of Christ." He has been closely confined to his work, as he wished to finish it for publication early in the summer. On Sunday last Mr. Beecher preached two remarkably vigorous sermons. On Tuesday he had a slight headache. He worked all day on his book and went out in the evening with Mrs. Beecher. On Thursday the two came over to New York to buy furniture for the church parlor.

Preliminary steps were being taken to celebrate a triple anniversary of events in Mr. Beecher's life. The celebration was to have taken place in Sebtember, in the Brooklyn academy of music. This is the 50th year of Mr. Beecher's marriage, the 50th year of his ordination to the ministry, and the 40th year of his pastorate of Plymouth church. His congregation and friends intended to celebrate these events by a big jubilee.

NEW YORK, March 7, (2 p.m.)—Beecher's pulse is a little more rapid. No perceptible

#### Another Sad Case.

OIL CITY, Penn., March 7. - Mrs. Amanda Greeley, sister of Horace Greeley, has been stricken with paralysis. She is seventy three years of age.

# DR. TALMAGE'S'RISIBILITIES.

# A Time When He Wanted to Laugh and

Could Not-Funny Predicament, Dr. Talmage says he never suffered so much from the proprieties as once when he ought to have risen to make the opening prayer of a service, but could not do it on account of an overpowering desire to laugh. He was in a country church sitting alone on a little platform waiting for the minute when he should begin, and gravely preparing his mind, when the door opened and a gentleman and two ladies entered. They were city people, and they wanted that fact known. The ladies were very expensively dressed, but the man was a curiosity. He was appareled with the care of a debutante at the White House ball; his eyebrows and moustache were dyed jet black, and his cheeks showed traces of powder and paint, while his shape suggested stays. He strutted to a seat with the air of a peacock on parade. The ladies sat down, and their escort flourished in after them and dropped himself between them on a bench. The bench broke. Then a stirring scene was enacted; the gentleman had fallen through to the floor and was caught between the splintered ends of the seat. He wriggled helplessly and lost his eyeglasses and cane and hat. The look of misery and fright on his face, succeeding the proud dignity that had previously sat there, was too much for Dr. Talmage. He wanted to get out into a ten acre field and whoop. He could not help laughing and had to put his handkerchief up to his face and pretend that he had a very bad cough.

Enjoy Life. What a truly beautiful world we live in Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often do the majority of people feel like giving it up disheartened, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof that Green's August Flow. er will make them as tree from disease as when born. Dyspepsia and liver complaint are the direct causes of seventy-five per cent. of such maladies as biliousness, indigestion, sick headache, costiveness, nervous prostration, dizziness of the head, palpitation of the heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of August Flower will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottles, 10 cents. Try it.

# Ontario Legislature.

Mr. O'Connor's bill, to abolish distress for rent, is the shortest bill ever brought before the house. It consists simply of these words: "The remedy by distress for the collection of rent is hereby abolished." Mr. O'Connor first introduced this measure to the house three years ago, but was then unable to carry it. Mr. Freeman continues to serve as govern-

ment whip, and promises to be as popular in the new house as he was in the old The general expectation is that the house will not sit for more than six weeks at the urmost.

Moonlighters on the Rampage. LONDON, March 7.-It is reported that last night, at Limerick, a gang of moonlighters had captured the police patrol. The

report caused a sensation.

# HOME RULE IS NEARER.

NEW DEAL IN PARTIES NOW SAID TO BE GOING ON.

Chamberlainites and Gladstoneites are Getting Closer Together-The Action of Mr. Parnell Awaited With Some Anxiety-The Row Which Sir Michael Hicks-Beach Incautiously Caused.

NEW YORK, March 5.-Mr. T P. Gill,

M. P., cables to the Tribune as follows: The crisis is ripening fast. Last night's tumultuous scene in the house of commons was the herald of the coming storm. The tories had come down in organized relays, prepared to force the constabulary estimates through, even if an all-night sitting were necessary. They have apparently determined to go into a series of all-night sittings to cram the closure, the estimates, and by and by their coercion bill down the throat of the house. This is the good use to which they think they may put their mechanical majority of lusty young tory squires and men, about town. These political swash bucklers have signed a document volunteering their services for such a purpose. Last night they turned up about 11.30, full of champagne, and looking for no better fun than to sit up till morning. It was not our intention to treat to an all-night sitting. We only sat till 2.30 a. m., and before half that time was up the lungs of these gentlemen had ignominiously broken down in their attempts to drown the voices of our orators. The sitting was the stormiest since the era of truce inaugurated by Mr. Gladstone's home rule bill. Mr. Dillon had described the performances of the armed constabulary in carrying out evictions, suppressing meetings and bludgeoning citizens exercising the right of free speech in Irish cities. The chief secretary, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, got up and announced that such work would be continued with great vigor in the coming time, and that the government were about to ask the parliament for a ceorcion act. This was the first express an nouncement of a coercion policy towards which I long ago warned you the tories were drifting. It was the signal for an ex citing protest of defiance from the Irish benches. Mr. Parnell spoke the mind of his party with a fire and vigor which recalled the old days of his fights with buckshot Forster. This fusilade brought Sir Michael again to his feet with the cold blooded declaration that "the next time Irish members of parliament tried to hold a meeting in spite of the police they would be treated to something harder than batons." After this murderous threat the storm broke with all its fury, but bitter though the scene was it proved a distinct score for us, for the bru tality of Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, who was perhaps betrayed into an unguarded expression of the fact that he was suffering from an excruciating toothache, roused the indignation of our English allies. No symptom of the present situation is more reassuring or inspiriting than the emphatic stand taken by the liberal home rulers last night in alliance with the Irish party."

# Home Rule is Nearing.

LONDON, March 5.-Liberal re-union is being forced on by circumstances outside the party as well as within. There are grave difficulties in the cabinet circles. Sir Michael Hicks Beach has been fairly broken down by the fatal worries of the Irish office, the strain of which whitened Sir George O. Trevelyan's hair, and shortened the Hon. Mr. Forster's life. The coercion bill, it is definitely announced, will not be a drastic measure. It will give two magistrates special powers for summarily imprisoning men charged with boycotting and other agrarian offences. It is said that unionist pressure has also induced Lord Salisbury to follow Mr. Gladstone's precedent and mingle coercion and conciliation in the shape of a land bill based on the recommendations of the rent commission, the two measures to run pari passu in the lords and commons. The noise of Sir George Trevelyan's speech, and the news of the negotiations spoken of recently now getting abroad, there is some thing like a panic in the tory camp where the real facts are known. But it is confidentially said that a union on one side will be counterbalanced by a fresh split on the other, that the extreme radicals and parnell ites resent the concessions to Chamberlain made at the round table conference. The thing will not be settled until Mr. Parnel! has finally given his consent.

# POLITICAL POINTERS.

The Algoma Election-The New Deputy Speaker of the Commons.

Mr. Kenny, of Halifax, will be offered the deputy speakership of the commons. Mr. Guilbault's opponent, Mr. Nevin. in

Jolliet, will contest the election. Mr. Edward Guibault's election has been confirmed, but it was by the returning offi-

Algoma returns favourable to Mr. Burke. Dawson is ahead so far thirty-five. There are some places to hear from yet. The recount in Huron resulted in reducing Porter's majority to twenty-five. The

intention of Mr. Cameron's friends is to

have the election protested. The recount in the Lennox election has reduced the majority of Uriah Wilson from 26 to 23. There were 19 rejected ballots. A. F. Martin, M. P. P. for Morris, is about to resign his seat in the local legislature and

accept a position under the Quebec govern

The returning-officer in Queen's county. N. B., has taken upon himself to elect Mr. Baird, the conservative candidate.

Mr. Waldie, in Halton, Mr. Gauthier, in L'Assumption, Mr. Cimon, in Charlevoix, and Mr. Porter in West Huron, have all been confirmed in their seats by recounts. Great efforts are being put forward by both sides to carry the north-west constituencies. The Hon. Thos. White has gone west, accompanied by W. B. Scarth, M.P.,

for Winnipeg. Mr. Holton, in Chateauguay, and Mr. Masson, in North Grey, have been declared elected by the returning officers. Mr. Chrisholm (Min.) has been elected in New

Westminster, B. C. The Hon. John Norquay and Hon. Jos. Royal are going to Batoche to influence the half-breeds there for Mr. Macdowall. Messrs. Preston and Proctor, reform agents from Toronto, have gone west also. The government may probably carry all four seats, although the liberals hope that the Hon. David Laird will win in Saskatchewan and Mr. Ross in Western Assinibols.