rappers for mailing. Price 4d. each. Isuned of St. Bernard and Newfoundland. ery Friday morning.

Company, which has been some time organ- belf acres. izing for the establishment of a line of steamers | We give place elsewhere to the pastoral letter considered a fixed fact. The French Govern- yesterday from the Toronto Leader, ment has promised a semi-weekly mail for the between France and the United States.

THE LONDON ATLAS.—A new paper, bearing Democrat, say ;this name, and hailing from London the little the snake, and to see if they could find any tion of an impending fight naturally excites the has just reached us. It is a large sized, well mark it made, so we sprinkled ashes all over the profoundest solicitude among all classes who the Daily Free Press, and formerly connected whatever, and then we left him tied in the still- In the meantime, your readers will not have with the press of this city as editor of the Chron- house by himself, and went away, and it was forgotten that I have constantly assured them icle & Gazette in the days of Sir Charles Bagot, but a few moments before he let us know that our President was not going to war, that Mr Mr Hunter is a vigorous writer of the "gritty" the devil was in the still-house again, and we Buchanan would not be recelled, and doubting type. If we do not agree with him in polities, there was a mark as broad as my hand, where it | sed. But the public will also remember that we wish our old friend success in his new enter- came in and went out, and they were confirmed while the Administration organ now cries peace,

at his own expense, and in handsome style, a he says he asked in the name of the Lord what tives, the solemn statement that "the country this holy season of amendment:new School House, which he presented to the did it want, and he says it said to him that it is perhaps in a crisis of peculiar danger," and

liant a company as ever assembled on any simi- snake; and it scared him prodigiously. Then, lar occasion. By many it was feared that the on Sunday last, Oct. 28th, there were a great might impose a restriction upon His Excellenoy's well-known hospitality; and that some tred again, in order that they might be con-These anticipations were happily disappointed. mark distinctly, and were convinced of the The Ball-room is asample as could be wished : | mark of the snake." fies, and Maule's band, were in attendance.

SUPPOSED ARREST OF TOWNSEND, THE MURDERE OF NELLES .- The Colonist says :-

"We learn from the town of Wilmington, in the State of Delaware, that on the 22nd inst., i the District Court of that place, before Judge tence is deferred until the 1st January. A cornative of Toronto, writes to assure us that the wax him my lad-beat his soul out of him." selves to have Townsend brought to Canada to answer for his crimes."

dian Capital, Hear him!-

Parliament House-burning, the national amuse- "I saw him strike you first," said the carpen- vince. ment of Canadian mobs? What guarantee have ter, "Nail him! Knock his uprights from up- Moved by Mr Askew, seconded by Mr Wm. This dispensation is not given, but on the Younge street, known as the Phoenix Foundry. selves. Such things as these show how sad is the we against Gavazsi riots of the worst stamp? der him; crosscut him until he lies dormant. I'll Ferguson: Resolved, That the following peti-What security is there against circus riots? bet a basket of shavings upon you, old chip."

What is there to prove to us that every fire which "Plug him in the eye," said the tobaccoulst, Legislature, in Parliament assembled, for the liberty to the Catholic party, and the Catholic party, and the Catholic party, and the State of the store state of the st

fore "Cadi Gurnett." What is the result? What | morals, but adds materially to their gains :- | Rogers. has been the result? -He is fined twenty shil- We have heard a good story concerning a cer. The meeting was numerously attended by

attempting to drive the Indians off their own

the body of a man partially covered with enow. | was asked, this morning, whether there was He was insensible, and is not expected to reco- really any chance, speedy or remote, for the ed most diligently in removing the falling ma-

site of the National Gallery in Trafalgar square, now d London. The capital is to be one million after-

between France and the United States, has suc- of the Roman Catholic Rishop of Toronto, refer- be divided between two or three candidates, red to in the article on Separate Schools, quoted result would be that they could not elect their which he had been using and some places of a consisting of a cap of

the line will therefore be organized according LAB DELUSION .- There was a good deal of excite- organization for some weeks, without some acto the wishes of the FrenchGovernment to leave | ment in Rockingham County, North Carolina, several parties. emi-monthly, and alternately from the ports of on account of a snake with a human head. The The lull of the war, panic has operated to rev lavre and Bordeanz for the ports of New York | animal was only seen by a son of Mr O. B. | der the House indifferent to an organization and New Orleans. The steamers are to be about | Stone. He first saw it at his father's turpentine | Beside they get their per diem, somehow, an the size of the Fulton and Arago. Through still. His father, to whom he attempted to point a daily wrangle, prior to the hour for a comfortnerican influence ten millions of france, were the monster, was never able to see it, though- able dinner. bacribed in Paris, a considerable proportion | the boy declared that it was under his feet. Seof which belongs to the Oredit Mobillier. It veral attempts were made by the boy to shoot is to be hoped that this project, like so many him, but the different guns he used would never bistory by declaring all the rumors respecting of its predecessors, will not fail, for with the explode when pointed in the direction of the the recall of Mr Buchanan and war with Eng establishment of this line comes a postal treaty spake, though they would if turned another land totally unfounded. This will reassure way. The father, in a letter to the Madison indeed, if I may use the expression the ferocious

printed sheet, and is issued under the editorial still-house, and in the hole where it always bave anything to less. The country is indebted sanagement of Hamilton Hunter, Req. lately of came in, and we tied my son fast, so that he to the official journal for correcting misapprewent to see if there was any mark; and behold! if, after all, even Mr Crampton would be dismisit was something; I did not suffer Alfred to it is only a few days since it assured the country, sorrow and atonement for sins, of resolution to be about the still-house but a little, for whenever | in the most lugubrious tones, that " our relations GREAT WESTERN STOCK now stands in the Lon. | he goes there he is sure to see it; it also appears | with Great Britain are certainly delicate and don market at £25 10s. Od for the share of £20 | to him in many parts of the farm, but not so as it | perhaps critical." Again, just one week ago, it A SHADE, Esq., of Galt, has just had completed to it, and it would tell him what it wanted; and scheme of breaking up the House of Representapiscopal Church of that town. The edifice cost | wanted to destroy the stilling, and sneaked off. | went on to argue that the Constitution must l So, then, to be convinced, I tied Alfred in the | violated, and the great law of necessity resorted | mothers who thereby send or expose their chil- Rev. George Maynard, M. A. still-house again, and he was told to wear clover to, as a remedy for the disorgannization of the in his hat, and then he could see what it was; House. The danger to the country, from our de- churched THE BALL AT THE GOVERNMENT HOUSE.—The and while he was in the still house he had clo- licate and critical relations with Great Britain overnor General and Lady Head gave their ver in his bat, and he saw the snake come and was so extreme, that the Union recommended, first Ball at Toronto on Friday evening; and peep into the house, having a face, eyes, mouth, substance, a revolution in the Government, an the Government House was filled with as bril- tongue and all, precisely like a man be knew, the abrogation of the National Legislature and all but the head was precisely like a rattle-

most pleasurable and satisfactory kind. His farmer's letter to the Democrat is attested by Excellency and Lady Head entered the room a dozen of the prominent men of Buckingham about nine o'clok, and the guests were present- County, who saw the mark of the snake in the ed to their Excellencies by Lieut.-Col. Irvine, ashes, and knew that the boy was tied too se-P.A.D.C. The band of the Royal Canadian Ri. | curely to have made it himself. The Democrat says the boy is very much alarmed, and his health is fast giving away under the mental effects of this horrible delusion.

TECHNICAL OBSERVATIONS. - A couple of men | son, Esq.; Corresponding Secretary, Dr Mair; got into a fight, and as a consequence, a ring Recording Secretary, Mr James Stewart. of excited individuals got around the parties, and each, according to his own particular feel- Noble, Messrs. James Gray, T. Masson, G. Hall, George M. Townsend was convicted of ings in the matter, gave his advice to the follow-

" Peg into him !" said the shoemaker; " hamrespondent in Philadelphia—a Canadian, and a mer his upper leather for him—that's the kind— Townsend alluded to above is the notorious "Cut into his fat, old fellow," said the butcher; maintains, with unwavering steadfastness, the Townsend who murdered Mr Nelles, and com- "knock him on the head. Say! why don't yer scriptural doctrine that the Sabbath was made mitted various other outrages in Canada. We punch his ribs? You're a regular calf you are; signed and adapted to subserve his highest and thy of absolution.

> pants! fell him! give him a stich in his rise! button up his lip, and knock him bang up." "Tan his hide," said the currier, " peel the acutely the dishonor done to God, and the injury mortal sin to marry contrary to the reasonable bark off his nose and damage his skin."

very pleasing, but, perhaps, "owre true" picture | "get his head in chancery, and bleed him till be | Post Office, Railways, and St. Lawrence Canals | to marry without three calls, or a dispensation of the present state of things in the Upper Cana. | pleads, then be's a good case." Then advancing on the Lord's Day, and deems itself solemnly | thereof; to be married without a Priest and witto the other one be said, "he's doing you an bound to use any lawful means for the removal nesses, or to go to a Protestant Church before What protection is there in Toronto against injury; he's perfectly ferocious; take the law of these evils, and for the prevention of every or after having been married by the proper arliament House-burning, the national amount on him and I'll look out for the remainder."

that is unable to hinder rowdies from insulting An Interesting Experiment. - We cut the fol- gious anniversaries, and that similar petitions be purposes. respectable citizens cannot prevent these same rowdles from burning into cinders the "collected wisdom of Canada." A disorganised handful of blue coat gentry with bland looks and two feet batons, are not a "material guarantee" out to the lovers of that article by the consciential the recurrence of outrages such as we had a material guarantee out to the lovers of that article by the consciential and an animous, resolute action on benalf of the Sabbath, its rights of the sandal he has given.

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ings or twenty dollars, and is then sent about | tain Town Liquor Agency not a hundred miles | highly respectable and attentive audience. s business—the trade of Jack Sheppard or from Hertford, which will do to print. A free speeches were of a most interesting and edifferences. Dick Turpin, according to his choice and abili- and easy looking customer applied to the store- character, and good hopes are entertained The convicted, of course, exultingly pays | keeper for a pint of rum, "for mechanical pur. | the grand objects contemplated by this Asse is fine, struts out of court, is cheered by his fel- poses." It was furnished him, and he it appear tion will, at no distant period, be fully realised lows, receives from them the "necessary tin," ed, but not long afterwards again sented once more marches forth to wreak vengeance | himself at the counter for another pint "What | THE BIRD ISLANDS .- In the Gulf of St. Lawpon some unsuspecting citizen. He pays his are you going to do with this?" ask do the bar rence, a little to the north of the Magdalen Is be without a murmer, but levies it by black tender. "Oh," replied the custome we are lands, there stand two specks of land, called the all at the first opportunity. Is punishment using it for mechanical purposes—up here in the Bird Islands, which are annoyingly in the way just as the scapular, which one can quit without this is the third time this foundry has been deich as this aught else than a mockery? Is it next street." The liquor was measure out, paid of navigators. To avoid them, masters of vest any sin at all. ment at all? This is not the way to supfor, and disappeared. In the course of half an
be use of the bowie knife. This is not the

local street. The industrial way to deter men from the use of the revolver. ed, and asked for a third pint. This the agent another, their vessels being brought up, all mitted, rather than the pledge they broke, and was insured in the Provincial Insurance Com- end, ill-informed mothers souse their little This is not the way to restore peace to our city and security to our citizens. Breaking stones for employment—bread and water for food, priated. "What are you doing," he demanded, the work of an incendiary,—Fleader.

The standing in George's Bay, Newfoundland. The pany for £1,000; but the policy expired on the fants in cold water day by day; their skin and seconding to the course of navigation in the work of an incendiary,—Fleader. and be a far more adequate punishment. The with so much rum?" "Oh, it's all right—a parshould be a terror to evil doers. In Toronto, ty of us are trying an experiment, and we are lible at no great distance. On the right the light show in the funerals of friends and nothing in

Democrats called a caucus on Thursday, to ac. Charles Webb being below, and John Jackson Now-a-days, where are the children, parents, huscept Col. Richardson's declination, and could have taken such a course as to secure the votes up!" when instantly the brickwork from the friends of the pious works they prescribed be-RESCUED BY A Dog .- While two men were But they re-affirmed the principles of their plat- the soit behind it, fell in a mass burying him gratitude and injustice. lately walking along the dock at the foot of Nothings as enemies of civil and religious liber
Titherteen Troy their attention was attracted to the foot of the soil bening it, fell in a mass burying nim beneath full twenty feet of materials ! All idea on the first Sunday of the month, where the that life could be preserved was abandoned, and in all other than the first Sunday of the month, where the life could be preserved was abandoned, and in all other than the first Sunday of the month, where the life could be preserved was abandoned, and in all other than the first Sunday of the month, where the life could be preserved was abandoned, and in all other than the first Sunday of the month, where the life could be preserved was abandoned, and in all other than the first Sunday of the month, where the life could be preserved was abandoned, and in all other than the first Sunday of the month, where the life could be preserved was abandoned, and in all other than the first Sunday of the month, where the life could be preserved was abandoned, and in all other than the first Sunday of the month.

A prominent member of the Democratic party | tle delay, however, assistance was procured, and of St. Bernard and Newfoundland.

The dog is a very large one, and is a cross adoption of the plurality rule by his party, and terials, but with little, if any, hope of more rethe day, on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays in Lent; the first Thursday and the Holy Week A New Horse in Lengon .- Application is to Mr Banks or any anti-Nebraska man as Speaker. heard mounting. The sides of the well, however, On Sandays meat is allowed without restric-If this be correct, there is no truth in the asser- were so loose and crambling that it was necess- tion as to the number of times; and also on the rence Ward, to fill the place of Mr A. O'Loughbe made to the British Parliament for an act tions that if the name of Mr Banks be withdrawn ary to delay the work until a circular shield there said days to those whom age or hard who propose to erect a splendid hotel on the ble that with no other advocate would the antiin, when they removed their labour with increasin, when they removed their labour with increas1834.) Nebraska party obtain as many votes as they

NEW LINE OF STRAMERS. - The N. Y. Com- ling, in shares of ten pounds each. The entire are quite confident, that if they take up a new and he was found in possession of his senses, food during the season of Lent. This dispense-The anti-Nebraska men voting for Mr. Banks mercial Advertiser says that a French American extent of ground to be occupied is three and a man, they will be scartered and disbanded, and and was able to state that his arm was broken tion extends to days of abstinence throughout present no longer that imposing plurality which and his body dreadfully pressed. He was stand- the year. members will not leave Banks at the dictation the half dozen impracticables; and, if their torce

transportation of which it will pay liberly, and Wonderful Snake Stear. -Singular Occu- So far as I can see, there is no chance for an

The Union this morning come to the rescue the Administration, and vindicates the truth of pugnacity and uncontrollable valor of our pre-

the only effectual means of providing against

Anniversary Meetings. SABBATH REFORMATION SOCIETY.

degree of embarrassment might be the result. | vinced. All of them, respectable men, saw the formation Society was held in the City Hall, on to mixed schools. Tuesday night, the 29th inst., Dr. Mair, president, in the Chair. After prayer, by the Rev. and, altogether, the arrangements were of the The truth of the statements contained in the Mr Dobbs, the annual report was read by the acting Secretary, and the following reso- sin lutions proposed and adopted :--

Moved by Mr Hopkisk, seconded by Mr Gray Resolved, That the report now read be adopted printed and published, under the direction of Committee, and that the following gentlemen constitute the Board of management for the ensuing year, with power to add to their number : -President, Rev. R.V. Rogers; Vice-President, Thomas Askew, Esq.; Treasurer, Wm. Fergu-

Members, -All ministers of the Gospel are members of the Society, Capt. Smith, Capt dy, John Paton, George Davis, John Johnson Richard Cosby, Archibald Leckie, - Lindsay, R. M. Rose, and James Hopkirk.

Moved by Rev. K. M. Fenwick, seconded by Rev. Prof. Wier: Resolved, That this meeting best interests, and that he has an inalienable "Dress him well," said the tailor, " see how he | right to its undisturbed enjoyment.

Moved by Rev. R. V. Rogers, seconded by Capt. Noble, Resolved, That this meeting feels jutend to marry, are mortal sins. It is also a inflicted upon man by the labor carried on in opposition of parents; to marry without know-LIFE IN TORONTO. - The Colonist draws a not "This suits me exactly," said the lawyer; certain public departments, particularly the ing the principal mysteries and duties of religion, species of sabbath desecration within this pro- Clergymen; or to marry without a dispensation

iv. il it. What is your | guide to the eye for the avoidance of the Bi

The yard of Mr Frost's currying office, a man camed at the crank. Webb, observing two or three bands and wiv. s. who fulfil that duty? How bricks falling, seized the rope and called " Pull many, on the contrary, deprive their departed New York, Jan. 23. Liberty-at., Troy, their attention was attracted New York, Jan. 26. by the bowling of a dog which accompanied Caroling, and thus placed him precisely in the them. The snimal refused to obey the call of t tually overhanging the cavity. After some lit-At length, between five and six o'clock, he was excepted ed vigour for a fellow-creature's life; but it was fingers i After a while his bend was cleared, 4th. Lard may ing close to one side of the well, which was a 5th. A collation, about one-fourth of a mea of little shoved back from the perpendicular, to is allowed in the evening; eggs, butter, which cause, humanly speaking, he owed his cheese may be used at this coltation. which he had been using, and some pieces of collation, in the morning, consisting of a cup candidate, even if they had the benefit of the timber, that it was only by a brick at a time, tea, coffee or chocolate and about an ounce or a handful of earth, that the work of extrica- bread. tion could be proceeded with. The poor fellow, with his sound arm, whilst the men worked by under 21; and from either or both, those whom crowbar was removed, and it was announced of a director or physician. that one foot was clear. Another auxious hour passed, during which Webb himself assisted in member that they are obliged, in conscience, removing the earth; and at last the timber, a present to their Catholic boarders, such food as the joyful intimation was heard that he was serve the law of abstinence. free! In a few minutes he was raised. When and every preparation had been made for him). it was found that his arm was not broken; and axcept a rather severe contusion on the forhead. material injury, though bis exhaustion, after re- fervor and salvation. maining in such a position for thirteen hours, may be easily conceived. Pastoral Letter for the Lent of 1856.

ARMAND FRANCIS MARY DE CHARBONNEL, by the Grace of God and of the Holy See Bishop of

To the Clergy und Laity of the Diocese, health and Benediction in our Lord.

DEARLY BELOVED BRETHREN. Lent is a time of pennance, that is to say, of avoid sin and its occasions. Mortal sin is a grevious disobedience which makes us enemies of God and deserves hell. The following grievous transgressions we deem proper to point out to been pleased to make the following appoint your serious reflections and pions feeling during | ments, viz :

lat. It is a mortal sin not to procure baptism drep to eternal damnation are unworthy to be

2nd. Parents and guardians are guilty of mor- | sic, Surgery and Midwifery in Upper Canada to , in tut sin if their children about seven years old | the following persons, viz; do not know the Apostles' Creed, the Lord's prayer, the Commandments, the manner hearing mass and making their Confession with sincerity and contrition,

Catholic electors in this country, who do not use their electoral power in behalf of Separate Schools are also guilty of a mortal sin. Likewise parents not making the sacrifices necessary To be Cornet: The anniversary meeting of the Sabbath Re- to secure such schools, or sending their children

Moreover the Confessor who would give ab- Twee Surgeon solution to such parents, electors, or legislators. as support mixed schools to the prejudice of Separate Schools, would be guilty of a mortal

It is a mortal sin to miss Mass on Sundays and other days of obligation, even under the pretext of having neither coppers for the Church nor gaudy apparel. To attend Vespers instead of Mass does not exempt from that mortal sin. Where there are several Masses, every adult, with proper management, can and must assist at one of the Masses; even servants who know how to make their bargain and prefer their soul to

4th. It is a mortal sin to miss Easter Communion. Any Communion worthily received, between Ash-Wednesday and Trinity-Sunday, i this diocese, is called Easter Communion, and fulfils the laws of the Church. But Christmas Communion, or any other Communion, beside the said time, is not of obligation, and does not dispense with Easter Communion.

Parents and guardians, who do not send their children or wards to Mass and Confession when To be Lieutenants: seven years of age, and to Communion, when about twelve, are guilty of mortal sin and un wor-5th. It is a sacrilege, which causes great and

frequent misfortunes, to receive the Sacrament of Matrimony in the state of mortal sin. Now, many liberties taken between those who

6th. It is a gross and very common error to measure is a mortal sin or venial according to were confined to the buildings where they first lately held, something like an All Souls' festival, the degree of drunkenness; but to drink with broke out. There are various rumors as to the for the repose of the spirits of the officers an moderation, thoughlin violation of one's pledge, cause of the fire; but the most general belief is soldiers killed during the contest. One of the is not a sin unless the pledge has been taken with that it originated in the second story, or tin most affecting sights connected with the mat an obligatory intention, or by way of a vow or shop. The front store and workshop in the rear | ter is that of 100 or more coolies lounging about oath, which should never be done without a are completely gutted. Adjoining the work- the streets, waiting for the executions, that they spiritual father's advice. Hence, if two persons | shop is another building, in which the mould- may pounce upon and seize the yet palpitating of whom one is pledged and the other not, ex- ing was carried on; this also was completely bodies to hurry off with them to the pits. ceed to the same extent, both commit the same | destroyed; but the engine room in the same | have no doubt the numer of lives lost on both sin; if both drink without being affected by it building escaped with comparative safety. This sides througout the empire since the rebellion neither sin; and still the pledge is very useful

directed that his remains should be buried under

The following are the regulations for Lent:-1st. All the days of Lent, Sundays excepted,

3rd The use of flesh and fish at the same meal 4th. Lard may be used in preparing fasting | Chown resigned.

6th. Are exempted from abstinence, person however, gallantly held on, holding the candle under seven years; and from fasting, persons

his side in the little space that could be opened. abstinence or fasting would put at a great in-It was two o'clock in the morning before the convenience. In doubt, counsel is to be taken bec. 7th. Catholic boarding-bouse keepers will re-

piece of the old curb, lying across his foot, was | Catholics are permitted to use at those meals got out, and about a quarter past three o'clock and on those days when they are bound to ob-8th. The season within which all are obliged removing to the hospital (where a warm bath to make the Paschal Communion, commences on Ash Wednesday and closes on Trinity Sunday Let this holy time be, now, dearly beloved bre-

> This letter will be read in all the places its reception.

ARMANDUS FR. M., Bishop of Toronto.

Septuagesima. N.B - We would remind the Reverend Clergy-(St. Patrick's Day) bappening to fall this year i Holy Week, all religious ceremonies must be postponed until the 17th of April.

Appointments.

Secretary's Office, Toronto, 26th Jan., 1856. His Excellency the Governor General has

James Brown, Esq., B. A., to be Mathematical Master in Upper Canada College and Royal His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to grant Licenses to practice Phy-

David Eart Burdett, of Belleville, Esq., M.D. and William Hillier, of Ernesttown, Esq., M.D. PER CANADA.

County of Frontenac. Troop Sergeant Major George Hunter, from Frontenac Independent Cavalry.

Surgeon Orlando Sampson Strange, from Frontenac Independent Cavalry. olunteer Militia Company of Foot Artillery of

Captain Alexr. Campbell of this Company is permitted to resign his Commission. Second Battalion, Lenrox. o be Lieutenant-Colonel:

Major George H. Detlor, vice Macpherson, re-First Battalion, Hastings. Captain John McNider, of this Battalion, is permitted to retire, retaining his rank.

Second Battalion, Addington: To be Major: Captain James Bell. To be Captains:

liam Whalen and Henry Niely, Esquires.

Elias Huffman, Gentlemen.

To be Ensigns: and Christopher McKim, Gentlemen: To be Quarter-Master: James N. Lapum, Gentleman.

To be Surgeon: Allen Ruttan, Esquire, M. D.

that the whole of the neighboring buildings 300 of lesser note were executed the same day, of one's would have been burned down; but owing to and on one day last month over 700 were execalamity is much aggravated by the fact that commenced, is 200,000." stroyed by fire. This was the most extensive the work of an incendiary .- [header. _

Slowly, slowly, up the wall Steals the sunshine, steals the shade Evening damps begin to tall. Evening shadows are displayed Round me, o'er me, everywhere, All the sky is grand with clouds, And athwart the evening air Wheel the swallows home in crowds. Shafts of sashine from the West, Paint the dusty windows red; Dasker shadows deeper res

Ab, the souls of saints that die. Are but sunbeams lifted bigher. Saint Lawrence Ward. The election for School Trustee for St. Law. la- lin, who resigned, took place yesterday. The candidates were Mr Arthur Chown and Mr G.W Oliver. At the end of the first hour the votes

recorded were-Oliver 14; Chown, 2; when Mr CURLING .- The match yesterday between the Kingston Curlers - Scotchmen against all others

-resulted in the defeat of the Scotchmen, by 18 shots. We will give the score to-morrow. Napier, the extensive shipbuilder, has in course of construction, at his works on the Clyde, two iron steam-tugs, for F. Baby, Esq. the Canadian Government Contractor.

A SIMILE.

BY LONGFELLOW.

Underneath and overhead.

Darker, darker, and more wan

Upward steals the life of man.

From the wall into the sky.

As the supshine up the wall

In my breast the shadows fall :

From the roof along the spire :

Dr. Robitaille has been elected Mayor of Que-

It is stated upon the best authority, that there are at present in Britain three and a half mile lions of men, 'capable of bearing arms.'

The Secretary of the N. Y. Gas Regulator states the following as the reason why gas goes out in cold weather : - Where the frost strikes the pipe, in crossing under the gratings from the sidewalks, or in alley-ways, or any other thren, for all, days of retirement and prayer, opening, it freezes the condensed gas, making a he does not appear to have sustained any other days of penance and alms-giving-days of grace, kind of crystalization or gauze work, like a spider-web, and, where the pipe is not large, worship in this Diocese, the Sunday following will stop the flow of gas. In most instances it can be thawed out by simply bolding a flame from a newspaper, or from a torch of pine wood and alcohol upon a shovel; it will in a few minutes be entirely free. All wet metres should be men of the Diocese, that the 17th of March filled with alcohol immediately, if not done, and pipes crossing open passages should be boxed or covered with woolen coverings.

THE DEFENCE OF CAMADA .--- The Montreal Gazette says:--- A gentleman writing from Toronto, calls attention to an article in the Leader upon the Inter-Colonial railway, in which it is asserted that Great Britain has decided upon leaving Canada to protect, herseif in time of war. This, it will be remembred, is incorrect. On to infants as soon as possible; and negligent Grammer School at Toronto, in place of the the contrary, we had the distinct assurance of Earl Grey on behalf of the Imperial Government that in reducing the military force in the Province during a time of profound peace-so far as Canada was concerned--- they did not intend to abandon our military posts altogether. but that in case of a threatened invasion the whole strength of the empire would be put MILITARY DISTRICT NUMBER THREE, UP- forth in our defence. For years previously the large force kept in Canada had principally been Firt Volunteer Militia Troop of Cavalry, of the employed, and were chiefly of use for police purposes -- purposes for which they are seldom employed in Britain. Hence their withdrawal; and it was to supply their place in this respect that the Home Government asked the Province to raise and maintain some local force. It is as well that at such a juncture as the present true state of the case should be distinctly under-

AN ENGLISHMAN'S EXPERIENCE OF THE REBEL-LION IN CHINA .- A gentlemen in China, writing to a friend in Exeter, says: -"The rebellion still continues in China, but is now principally confined to the mountainous parts. The rebels in the neighborhood of Canton were some time since driven away and captured, and the trade has been revived. By a report, obtained recently from good authority, it appears that upwards of 70,000 men have been publicly executed in Canton since the commencement of the Chinese new year, on the 17th of Februrary last. The same authority states that the number put to death in Shan-king-fu at 27,000, and about 25,000 at the capture of the fort in Blenheim Reach, and Lieutenants Angustus H.G. Hooper, Benjamin | the subsequent captures in the villages therea-File, Thomas Baker, Joseph Parker, Ensigns Fouts. I believe, however, that the numbers Peter H. Clark and Amont Amey, and Wil- are very much understated. I was at Canton in February last; and visited the rebels at the fort in Blenbeim Reach. I went also to the ex-Ensigns Robert Sproul and D.B. Stickney, and ecution ground at Canton, and it stank worse John A. Shibley, Richard Dowling, William than balf-a-dozen slaughter-houses. The sides M. Miller, Charles Warner, Andrew Clancy, of the walls were sprinkled and covered with Peter Keller, William A. Rambough and blood. The clothes and tailes of the unfortunate wretches were lying in heaps, and the ground was covered with clotted and dried D.S. Bell, George Lake, Allen Caton, Miles cakes of human blood. In many of the villages Storms, Samuel Spencer, Nelson Shorey, near Blenheim Fort, and other places adjoining, houses have been erected where suspected or proscribed persons may commit suicide, and thus save their posthumous reputations, and be buried by their friends; and hundreds are said to have gone to those places (where their bodies would be indentified,) and put an end to their DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT TORONTO .- On Saturday existence by hanging or taking opium. Many morning, about half-past three o'clock, an alarm- women (probably those who had lost all hope nay occur will not produce a deadly fight? None "Get up a double twist on bim and then chaw suppression of all Post Office labor, and the Catholic way, and in a short time the whole of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitigated evils to the people of the store judge, have been unmitted to the peopl Such things have happened within him up. Don't let him stump you; give him sure of the St. Lawrence Canals upon the Lord's education of all the children; that there will be on Yonge street was wrapt in flames. The fire of both parties. On the 9th instant, Day; that it remain up on the table for signatue | no religious solemnity on such a mournful oc. | spread rapidly along the workshops and build- one of the leaders, newed Kam Sin, was this evening, and during the subsequent reli- casion, and that a fine shall be paid for pious ings in the rear, and in a very short time they, put to death by a lingering punishment, having

> HARDENING THE CONSTITUTION .- Men talk thinner, and weaker, until slow fever, or