REMINDERS.

Y.M.C.A. Weekly Meeting at 8:15 p.m. Meeting of the St. Vincent de Paul Society.
TEMPERANCE Meeting at 4 p.m.—City Mall.

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL.

Samuel Woods, City Bookstore, T. MaAuley. G. W. Maxwell.

For Christmas Grocertes and Good Cherr James Redden, Breck Street. J. Y. Parkhill, Princess do Martin, Princess Street. Halligan, Brock Street,

For Christmas Toys and Fancy Goods F. Austin, Brock Street, J. Mitshell, Princess Street. . Kirkpatrick, " do H. H W. J. Crothers.

For Elegant Christmas Presents in Jewelry M. Gage, Princess Street.

For Clothing. Seale, Princess Street. J. Erly, Wellington Street.

McNaughton & Co., King Street. MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Sominated Candidates.

FOR MAYOR, 1877 . Mayor B. M. Britton. . Alderman John McKelvey.

FOR ALDERMEN un Ward-C. F. Gildersleeve. . Power. . McRossie. Ward-James Camplell. do -Wm. Allen. -Isaac Noble.; Ward-H. Mooers. do -Richard T. Walkem. -William Newman John Gaskin. -R. W. Vandewater. Ward-John McIntyre. Johnston Brown. Laurence Ward-S. T. Drennan do -C. V. Price. do -T. R. Dupuis. do -James H. Metcalfe. .J. B. Fersyth. -E. J. B. Pense.

CHRISTMAS-

-H. B. Evans.

-Thos. Keys.

fore-shadowing symbols. In the fulness | "pality." and by the just as hearty and almost as grave impropriety was committed i The latter practice was till lately spir- "of one who represented a political party old land, both in urband and rural re- fract as amanuensis, if indeed gions; in fact the habit still lingers in mr. f was done was not

the Scripture parrative as All seated on the ground, The angel of the Lord came down And glory shone all round," &c.,

the Virgin mother,

And all the bells on earth did ring For joy that our Saviour they did bring On Christmas day in the morning.

ioned Christmas were filled as they sped | tion and doubt. with festivity and diversion. The more substantial pleasures of feasting, were relieved by music and dancing by the juby the tender and delicate mysteries of Government has purchased Sir John Mac- up the interests of Perth to the people of tory answer in the affirmative to the oft- ported by the clergymen of the the huge yule-log, the Lord of Misrule tentiary. The farm contains about 1151 the Kingston and Pembroke Railway to at it we cannot pronounce on the merits nevolence of St. George's Society. This carried the merry mirth far into the acres, and has been obtained at the very Perth, to connect here with the B. & O.

If some of these characteristics of the foot of land in Kingston. - Duily News. visit of St. Nicholas to fill the stockings John owns in the city, but we are satisfeel it to be a complete raply to their own and the hearts of the little ones with a fied it can be easily figured up. He has inconsequential tirader, made for mere City child's own happmess; there will be the but little claim on the city, and, with the party purposes, at the expense of the happy rounion of friends long parted, and completion of this last transaction, he credit of the country. the fond remembrance of the absent and the dead. It will be just the time to relieve distress. The necessities of the fugall the little bit of interest he ever dide of Ammonia in their stables; The spoor are the opportunities of the rich, not had in the city an vicinity.

sent, when want appeals to wealth for succour, let the fill heart and the fu hand fly right open at the cry of the poer and needy, and let our better natures, at the thought of Him who, though so rich for us became so poor, throb with the brotherly charity of true human neighbor

THE CHAMPION CORRUPTIONIST

The judgment delivered by Mr. Justice For Christmas Books and Stationery go to Patterson and Vice-Chancellor Proudfoot, in regard to what is known as the supplemental voters' list, reveals a state of things which demonstrates the characser of Lincoln's late representative, but now unseated member of the Legislature, and more than ever satisfies the political | world that he is utterly unfitted to act in the capacity of a legislator or a law maker. The history of the supplemental list is enough to disqualify him for any position of public trust. How he came to cook public documento in the manner . which he has done we cannot imagine, but he seems to have been a tavored morarranged matters so nicely that we cannot at Mr. Rykert's election. The election law, and its close application to this case, coln's officials, judical and municipal, rigid economy to prevent all expensive exhibits a flagrant violation common law on their part. The Judge of any County, is directed, under the Act of 1874, to revise the list of veters, prepared by the Clerk of the municipality, on the ground of names being omitted from the list, or wrongly E. Joyner and J. E. Watson; and 1. stated therein, or of names of persons | the position of Councilmen, Messrs. to vote, and the decision of the Judge Sigsworth, W. Witty and James, Mor shall be final; and further it is directed that "immediately after the list has been "hually revised and corrected as afore-

"aaid, the Judge shall make in writing, "and sign, a statement in duplicate, "setting forth the changes, if any, which "he has made in the list, and shall, in "open court, certify a corrected copy of "the list, and deliver a corrected copy to "the clerk of the municipality." The last named officer is then to forward the retired. list to the Clerk of the Peace, who fur-Chief among the Festivals that have nishes a copy to the Returning Officer. grown hoary with the centuries, but By section eleven it is required that come back to us yearly with all the in- when the name of a person not previousspiration of youthful joy, is the festal ly assessed, or not sufficiently assessed, Christmas tide. And there is every rea- | is found to be entitled to vote, the muson why this joyous season should return | nicipality is entitled to recover taxes | coil. to us with all the freshness of a perennial from him, and to this end "the Judge ladness. It is the celebration of the 'shall make an order, setting forth the

happiest event which the records of our | 'names of the persons so liable, and the race remember. It had been the burden | "sum for which each person should have of the songs of all the sacred bards. It | "been assessed, and the land or other | was the event to which the fingers of pro- 'property in respect of which the liaphecy in all ages had pointed, and of bility exist; and such order shall be which the ancient types had been the "transmitted to the clerk of the munici-

of time the Saviour stooped to the hu- This was not done, and on a vote unlity of humanity and schered in the being challenged, and the circumstances glad new era of peace on earth and good of the case being enquired into, it was has become as common an incident. will to man. And when he came it was found that the supplemental list was in England as it was in the United States | Railway Company" are to commence no wonder that an angel choir should the handwriting of the respondent, Mr. fluod the Bethelem plain with the beauty | Rykert, though attached by the clerk to of an unearthly brightness, and rend the the assessment roll; and the names on laying bare the humbug; he drags the were Count La Grange, £17,650; Lord air with a mighty carol, which, since this list were those which it imposter into the police court. About Dupplin, £14,360; Lord Rosebery, £13,-

that earliest Christmas, has nearly nine- was claimed had been omitted sixteen days ago Wm. Lawrence was 190; and Lord Falmouth, £10,360. They fire broke out at midnight, in the Sew- Barley quiet, No. 1 Canada held at 106. teen hundred times been echoed back (and supplied without explanation) obtaining a shilling from a clerk by sub.

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Were the only "five figure" winners.

In the upper stories of the Masonic Hall, 23 per ton. from earth again. Ever since the vision and those claimed to be entitled to vote the seance the seance the burning the whole roof off the building. of the shepherds and the star, in the east, on income, and in regard to these no figure of a Turk had appeared above the male, have been arrested at St. Peters- The Grand Lodge papers and books will and the homage of the Magi at the man- amounts were mentioned. But the sin- curtain and stepped into the middle of burg for shouting "Liberty" and unfurl- probably be saved in a damaged condiger cradle, the season has been regarded gular part of the proceedings is set forth as the gladsome day of all the year. At in the conduct of the County Judge, who, head. The clerk rose suddenly and the months were mentioned. But the sinthe room. It was draped in white from the surface on the building, \$30,bles:

| Dec. 23.—Flour receipts 1800; sales 600
| Charles and dult. Sales 600
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| The clerk rose suddenly and district and steady at generally and district and steady at general the first it was celebrated by acts of wor- it seems, marked the names good, bad or wound his stout arms around the ghost, spectacles to the poor. They are so mag- clerk for Wm. H. Webb, shipbuilder, is changed. Dressed hogs -3 cars sold yes. ship and religious rejoicing, but, disallowed, and then handed all the and the two struggled across the room nincent that a cramb of bread looks like charged with embezzling between 830,000 terday at 6,85 to 6,90 to 7,10 per 100 lbs sharing in the increeping changes documents to Mr. Rykert, so that when toward the curtain where the light of a swater cart in size. If the fashionable and \$40,000 belonging to his employer. cording to quality and weight. Ashes 4,25 early church, the instirequired the only list pressntable was features of the medium were revealed. tion, the poor could wrestle through the number of years. tution drifted gradually from its that written by the respondent. The "Oh, you imposter !" cried the clerk, re- winter. original simplicity. Catching the conta- | Clerk of St. Catharines testifies that when | leasing him. "Don't expose me, for the gion of the enrnival, and inspired by the Collector's roll was handed to him by sake of my wife and children," was the vages after all, as they have ostablished, mitted or commuted. lays of the Troubadours, the Festival the Judge he noticed that there was prosecute the swindler. In the United free school system. Near y all classes Constantinople to the Pall Mail Gazette came at length to be celebrated with more naither property or amount entered, and States the machinery of the courts is sel. know how to read and write, and the peohilarious joy than could be sanctioned by thereupon the Judge said he had better dom set in motion in such cases. The ple are represented as industrious, hon- pointed Grand Vizier, in a conversation a strict regard for its religious origin. enter the names at \$300 each, the lowest tame is not considered worth the candle. est, and peaceful. This system of educa- with the Marquis of Salisbury, said: The intermixture of pious superstition amount entitling one to a vote. This es his name, and brings out another amount entitling one to a vote. This es his name, and brings out another amount entitling one to a vote. This es his name, and brings out another amount entitling one to a vote. This es his name, and brings out another amount entitling one to a vote. This es his name, and brings out another amount entitling one to a vote. This es his name, and brings out another amount entitling one to a vote. This es his name, and brings out another amount entitling one to a vote.

with boisterous mirth presented that supplemental list Mr. Justice Patterson stock of 'physic manifestations' in the curious blending of reverence and revel- | pronounced a nullity, which decision will next town. ry, by which the nativity of the Saviour | affect a good many of Mr. Rykert's supwas for ages celebrated by the popular porters. The case has produced some habit. Commencing betimes, Chritamas queer phases, and mest notable is the Eve was made a sort of anticipation of fact that the officials of Lincoln are either was early ushered in by the merry chang- | dictate to the authorities-aye, more, to es of the chimes from the neisy beifries, quote the language of the judgment,

stedly maintained in fmany parts of the "before the judge and allowing him to ny places not yet civilized into the silence ('gation of judicial functions. of outdoor decorum. On the crisp frosty Developements such as these lead to very when the Company can afford to let these air of the early Christmas morning there serious reflections, and we cannot fain sixteen representative men have "leave" that the class from the company can afford to let these the company can afford to let the company can afford to let these the company can afford to let these the company can afford to let these the company can afford to let the company can afford to let these the company can afford to let the company c yet rings out from well trained instru- surprise if the Lincoln election case does of absence" for an unlimited term, and has of being the choicest tea caterer in ments and voices the chorus carol, while not take a wider significance than the as they stand high in the estimation of the city. humbler vocalists, to the queerest of testing of issues between Mr. Rykert and times, rudely render such paraphrases of Mr. Neelon. So far the corruption that belonged to it, are reported to be unearthed has been effectual in depriving preparing for a strike about the latter "While shepherds watch their flocks by night, the respondent of the dishonestly earned end of this week. honor, and the result shows the means that have been employed in "Lincoln to Or, perhaps the legendary representation | bring about the Tery 'reaction'-a reacfar more quaintly than reverently ex. tion attributable to unfair, unprincipled day two weeks ago, two roughs visited that it is said by some that he may not the house of sentipressing the parental joy of Joseph and tactics, rather than to a change of senti- the house of a man nomed Easton, living ment, to which claim was made without in the vicinity of Sharbot Lake, Oso, Wednesday next, unless the injured -no shanks, joints, or ugly cuts, but

douald's farm adjoining the Crystal Pa- Kingston whenever the chance presents repeated question, "Will a Prehibitory courches, as worthy of the mistletoe. By the blazing light of lace for the use of the Provincial Peni- itself, and the advisability of extending Law work !" With such a heaty glance benefits of this fresh exercise of the benight, making the holiday the longest and the gladdest of all the year round year.

moderate price of \$5,000. This is the Railway. Thus the company may be yet of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and therefore refer our readers to Wood's, Marwell's and Hence of the arguments, and the arguments are readers of the arguments are reade

old-time Christmas are fading from view, tend? We were under the impression mirable lesson to the Opposition crities French immigrants will not likely receive us still. If it is no longer marked by that they chopped off this side of the of Mr. Cartwright's successful negotic- favorable consideration by the Governnight-long shouts of boisterons excess, Crystal Palace in which event that valu. tiou of the loan effected a few weeks ago genial mirth and joys remain. The able farm would be located in the counjoyous time is again upon us. It is an ty. In fact we are sure of this article is understood to be the deligood wishes. There will be the welcome yet to hear how much the great Sir held up as one of the oldest Canada has

TOWNSHIP OF PIXTSBURG. -- Contrary to report, every position of honor in conship, is being contested. For the Reere. ship there are three candidates, Messrs. William Redmond, Martin Strachan and Henry Wilmot. For the Deputy Reeve- is afflicting Maine. ship there is an equal number of contest - Work will be plentiful at the Lond ants. Messrs. Robt. Auglin, Alex. Mc-Arthur and David Ras. The candida-

-It is proposed to create a consolidated railway fund for Quebec. ture for the Council is conferred to the fellowing: Messrs. W. Bradden, Alex. Insurance Company is dangerously ill.

Martin, Richd. Patterson, the old Coun- Montreal Irish Protestant Society is cillors, whe are opposed by Jas. Bryne, William Bowles, John P. Bower, Mich Graves and John Potter.

Reeveship Mesers. W. Crais and Thomas Clyde were nominated; and for the Deputy-Reeveship Messrs. Smith and Chas. N. Spooner. For the Conneil the following are running : Mesers. Henry Robin son, Nathaniel Leonard, George Walker, Joseph Healy and Samuel Paker.

At the nomination meeting the following resolution was put and carried :-Moved by Mr. J. M. Fair, seconded by tals, that he has had his own way, and Mr. R. Pordy, and resolved, that this municipality atrongly recommend tha wonder now at Mr. Neelon's defeat, and | the Reeves now to be elected use their vote and influence to dispense with the services of the County Solicitor as an officer of the County Council, and employ has shown Mr. Rykert in his true colors; a competent Solicitor when occasion re t has also shown the laxity of Lin- quires, and in all cases to use the most

Township of Pontland, -There are and Chicago owing to deep snow. too full tickets for this nominationship. For the Reeveship the candidates are: Mesars. T. Shibley and George Dennison. For the Deputy-Reeveship, Mesersinserted in the list who are not entitled | Elderbeck, Ira Baker, Eli Ball, John

> WOLFE ISLAND. -- The candidates the Reeveship are Mesers. Dawson and Spoor, and for the Deputy Reeveship Messra. Shirley Going and James McRae. are Messre. R. Irwin, T. Briceland, M There is great excitement among the In- Pera says Midhat Pasha on Thursday Busch, W. W. Horne, John Webster and dians. James Horn. Messrs. F. Lalonde, P. Devlin and P. Doran were proposed, but !

Howe ISLAND. - The following are the candidates nominated for 1877

John Cox, Reeve-by acclamation. Thomas Norris, James Driscoll, James O'Brien, Matthew Kane, jr., Angus Mc-Donald, Smith Clixby and John Dris-

OTHER PLACES. PRESCOTT. -- Mayor - John Buckley, elected by acclamation. "

BATH. - Reeve -- Dr. R.B. Price, electby acclamation.

old Council are re-elected.

The Spiritualistic Exposure.

(New York Trilane.) The exposure of spiritualistic mediums last summer. In one respect, however, the Englishman does better than the American; he does not rest content with

The Cause,

t is said the real cause of the grievance that exists amongst the Grand was threatened. They belonged to the the brotherhood, all of them who are now employed on the Grand Trunk Railway,

Sharbot Lake, ROWDYISM AT SWARBOT LAKE. - One reason, as we always firmly believed, be-cause, knowing. Mr. Rykert as will as we getting a refusal, one of the scoundrels ment. do, the reversal of the electoral verdict, struck her on the arm with an axe-har-The swift flying hours of the old fash | was too sudden to accept without hesita- | dle, and otherwise maltreated ker. Her

since been seen.

-Jerusalem is where Dom Pedro was

SCHEMES OF SETTLEMENT.

-- Twenty two candidates for Balleville Turkey with Soldiers.

-A revivial of the spelling bee mania

parations. -Mr. A. Perry, manager of the Royal erecting a home for destitute persons -The Brooklyn theatre will not It was always a poor invest-

-A Belleville woman smothered her in fant in endeavouring to protect it from

CURRENCY.

lottetown harbour.

car works this winter.

-Edward Keepee, alias Wilson, bigamist, was sentenced to two years prisonment in the Penitentiary. -The bankruptcy of a Y.M.C.A. the latest Yankee notion. Three failures have occurred within the year. -Of 80 candidates for Dundas High School, fully two thirds intend studying

for teachers' certificates. -Isle Ronda has again supplied inhabitants of Griffintown (Montreal) strong hopes of its success. with more water than they want.

\$604,302 has been extended -The assessment committee of tawa City Connoil has reported in favour

of repealing tax exemptions. -There are over 600 cars stuck t the Michigan Central between Detroit

-A forgery to the extent of \$25,000 | there a month. had lately been perpetrated on the Thir National Bank of New York city. -"It is quite surprising," says a tele- | citement which almost overbears the in gram, "how the preliminary conference

has reconciled conflicting opinions. -- It is said that no London tailor can make a coat fit Gladstone, he being so longed to the Russian part of the garrifull of curves, angles, knobs and abrupt son of Belgrade.

the streets in female dress with crincline, bustle and the other "fixins." -A despatch from Montreal says that the body of the old Oka chief was snatch- | gary. The only persons standing for the Council ed from its grave, on Tuesday night.

> stock banks in Great Britain will, after | tiaries. At this interview it was re-January, allow no interest on current ac- solved that Turkey could yield in nocounts, in pursuance of an arrangement thing which would impeach her inde-

among the bankers. Clinton has made out a list of thirty | the proposals of the Powers, marriageable young men, and threatens

demanded from the advocates of the tion of the Porte, however, does not look Dunkin Act a deposit of \$1,000 as a guarantee fund to defray the expenses of voting on the Dunkin Act in case of a

-The two Pennsylvania miners wh lit their pipes and then proceeded to divide a keg of powder were not badly coast. SYDENHAM .- All the members of the mangled. The fact was, neither one has

-A French convict who attempted escape from Cayenne became entangled in the river weeds and was eat alive by the crabe which swarm in those waters. -Application will be made to the Legislature for an Act to extend the period within which "the St. Catharines

-The five largest winners on the English turf during the present season

the pleasures that should burst into full very pliant or very careless, at any rate Trunk Railway engineers, at isses from the handsome shop, and like a palace to a wago away as we came, leaving England bloom on the happy morrow. The day that Mr. Rykert is allowed not only to fact that alout sixteen representative men hovel compared with the temporary shop to cover the graves for those we left became from the West as spokesmen last on Brock street. The three flats of the year, about the time a reduction of wages building are occupied. The interior with on the Alabama Claims says that the U.S. society of engineers, it is said, and in re- its elegant front, is but a reflection of Congress is perfectly within its competnoisy carols from the rustic villagers. "lowing the papers to go into the hands presenting their case, did it so forbibly the interior, as the fittings are both rich ence in considering how the surplus monthat the Grand Trunk officials could infer and stylish. The tea cannisters, to an ey of the Geneva award shall be approprithey intended to strike if their wages ordinary mind, would not seem to be losses which the United States as a whole what with the mthen, their pay remained the such an important consideration, but the was held to have sustained, not what dele- same, while several employers of other elegant ones which Mr. Redden has pro- individuals proved to have sustained. department were docked 10 per cent. It enped, are the best ornament and the would be too much perhaps to expect any appears that the time has new come | most striking advertisement of his shop.

Assault. - Yesterday a man named Israel Beaupre, was arraigned before the Deputy County Judge on a charge of assaulting one William Muchmore, of noon the President and officers of St. Brewer's Mills. The assault was the re- | George's Society distributed to the desult of the reviving of an old foud-a serving families on their list an abundance quarrel occurred, and the defendant was of Xmas cheer. A large and long table recover. The trial will take place on manufactory was filled with roasts of beef 11100 man's condition warrants a postpone- clean choice roasts, selected with the best

THE MAINE LIQUOR LAW .- The termined that its benevolence should be husband coming to the rescue, the ruf- pamphlet under this title, containing a of. no second class order. The fians left the house hastily, and have not report of a lecture delivered in Halifax shelves of the factory were in January last by Rev. R. F. Burns, decked with loaves of freshly A DEFENCE OF SIR JOHN. STORE AT SHARBOT LAKE, -Mr. Wm. D.D., is sent to our table, with the asdistributed equally to those who were remill, at Sharbot Lake. Mr. Doran talks

Occupantly to the donor that it is a satisfaction of the donor that it is

berate utterance of a gentleman whom immigrants will probably be adopted .-

DESPATCHES.

Belgium. Refuses to Supply

London, Dec. 23 .- The Berlin corre- a perfect jam of vehicles. plan for the temporary transfer of certain service, is a failure. No second rate State will meddle with the Eastern Ques-

Belgium had been confidentially sounded and had declined to take any part in the Eastern affairs, therupon it appears the plan of introducing foreign police England, but it was rejected by Russia. If any plan involving the presence of a foreign force be submitted to Turkey i can only be a revival of the first of the above mentioned schemes framed in gereral terms and recommended without very

The Post announces in official form that Belgium has refused to supply soldiers for the occupation of Turkey. It is said the that it is now proposed that each Com of his own countrymen as a police force. A telegram to the Times from Peru states that the Sultan is ill and his indiseasiness. He is preparing to go to the

The Vienna correspondent of the Times reports that the Maras affair caused exterest in the Conference. The Times' Berlin despatch says it ap-

pears that the aggressors in this case be-A Vienna Especial to the Daily Teleiph reports that Austria has accepted

drunken young man who was parading the reparation offered by Servis, and Hungarian authorities have been directed to use all their influence towards tranquilizing the popular feeling in Hun-The Daily Telegraph's special from

conclusions of the European Plenipotendendence. Other special correspond--An issuer of marriage licenses in ents, however, think Turkey will accept

A despatch to the Russian Telegraphic For Councillors-Robert Simpson, sr., to publish it if they don't shortly order Agency says that the preliminary Conferonce has terminated happily. The accord -The County Council of Welland has of the Powers is complete. The disposivery favorable. Military preparations. continue in Russia.

A Times despatch from Shields says the shores of the Tyne are strewn for three or four miles with wrecks. Similar accounts come ffrom all along the east

New York, Dec. 23 - It is announced that John Kelly will retire from Tammany leadership in January.

THE LATEST.

The Turks will Accept No Terms.

PARDONING COMMUNISTS.

THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.

Portland, Me., Dec. 22. -At 2 a.m. a 1,55. Corn firm; mixed at 58 to 59. To the Electors of Cataraqui Dec. 23. Flour receipts 1800; sales 600

Paris, Dec. 23. - The sentences of sixty

no terms giving exclusive administration | THE COURT OF DIRECTORS hereby give | REDDEN'S NEW STORE. - The China | Weintend giving large reforms to our rate of Thirty Shillings per Share on the Ca-Tea store was re-opened again to day on subjects, even to the Turks, who with the old site in the new Ferguson Block, you, don't count. Europe, asks us to cut Shares registered in the Colonies.

Kingston & Bath Road Comp'y Shares registered in the Colonies. quarters, now far superior to the former came here a small number, if we go away 1877, to be fixed by the Managers.

> London, Dec. 23. - The Times editorial to inquire whether the Geneva award was tion of the unappropriated balance migh be returned. We would be sorry to see such a delicate question raised, interesting as it would be.

CHRISTMAS BENEFICIARIES .- This after care on the market. The Society was de

· MONTREAL. Markets, &c.

Montreal, Dec. 23, -The M. O. & A large snow plengh, drawn by 20 Winceys

Yesterday's Christmas markets were Russia Continues Her War Pre- the largest seen for many years, and several thousands attended. There was

The Bonaventure Railway depot is in authorities are strengthening it with new.

Mr. Dana, editor of the New York

Ottawa, Dec. 23. - The Gazette to-day contains no new appeintments.

the 8th February next. Baldwin's Block, Nicholas Street, was partially destroyed by fire this morning.

Parliament is summoned to meet on

death from neglect. TORONTO. .

neighborhood of Adrianople, and remain Christmas Dinner-Probabilities-The Brooklyn Fire.

> Toronto, Dec. 23 .- St. George's Society are making their annual 'X mas distribhtion to the poor to-day. They have 6,000 pounds meat, 5,800 pounds bread, 250 | Apples. Malaga Grapes. Sweet pounds tea, and 600 lbs sugar, and apples, &c., to distribute among 537 appli-

All departmental offices are closed. Toronto Amateur Dramatic Society ive an entertainment next week in aid sufferers by the Brooklyn fire. Probabilities for the next twentyfour hours : Cloudy weather with light snow, followed by clear weather, northwest winds and rising barometer, and decidedly lower temperature.

Major Morrison was at one time chamon earsman of Toronto bay. The employees of the Grand Trunk, as they arrive off the trains, are required o sign a document, stating whether they will adhere to the Company or cast their lot with the brotherhood of locomotive engineers.. It reported by far that a large number of the signatures are for the brotherhood.

For a good Oyster Stew go to the City Fruit Store. McCaul &

LAST NIGHT'S NEWS.

-Fully a hundred and fifty lives were ON MONDAY NEXT lost during the recent gale on the cost of England and Scotland. -- Twenty-six thousand dollars have been subscribed up to date to the Brook-

lyn Fire Relief Fund. -The Florida Supreme Court has issued a peremptory order to the State Cenvassing Board to re-canvass the vote from the face of the returns.

Oswego, N.Y., Dec'r. 23rd, 1 p.m.-Wheat firm; No 2 red Wabash at 1,45;

Michigan at 1,40; No. 1 white Toledo at 1,50, extra white Michigan held at MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKET.

OSWEGO MARKETS.

No 2 Milwaukee club at 1,35; No. 1 white

For a good Oyster Stew go to

Incorporated by Royal Charter. notice that a half-yearly dividend at the

Princess street. It has very elegant to do it for us if they are to be cut. We Exchange current on the 5th day of January. ingt, and the 5th prox., as the Books must be closed during that period.

> R. W. BRADFORD, No. 3, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C., 5th December, 1876.

> > Wanted,

Wartman or Jonathan Ward, Trustees, Ports. THE GREAT

OF THEIR IMMENSE STOCK

at prices to suit the hard times. IS NOW GOING ON

SLEIGHS. SLEIGHS.

CARRIAGE MAKER.

JAS. LATURNEY.

CHRISTMAS

PRESENTS

ALL AT COST.

ALSO A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF LADIES AND GENTS

JEHERY. MODITH

Kingston, Dec. 22nd, 1876.

We have on hand a large and choice assort

MARKET SQUARE.

ment of FRUIT and CONFECTIONERY which we are selling at very low prices, wholesale and retail.

Oranges, Figs, Dates, Lemons, Pears, Nuts, &c. OUR SPECIALITY.

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