As it was expected Carlyle and Tennyson have declined the titular honors which Her Majesty asked to confer upon them. nat at their time of life, and es- she had to be not ness, have rather a hosky taste:

contaminated by the vulgar herd.

Correspondence.

POET'S CORNER. to the tune of the "Black Watch?" mother used to sing it forty years ago. recollect nothing but the chorus:____

"For a soldier is a pillar strong, He is the land's upholder, And he's a rogue and she's a fool That does not love a soldier." are entirely unworthy of the tune. Evan McColl. Jan. 28th, 1875.

ermor-General's body guard, 1873,) no conjectured, had been overcome by the HORRIBLE TRAGEDY-DEATH UN doubt feel that they are for the time being fumes, they were successful. the conservators of peace. Is this what confederation has brought us? Lou-is-ia-na! Shake hands (across the gulf) with Amherst Island in Ontario Jan 28th, 1875.

Mumbugging.

playing a "Heathen Chinee" trick that is | the smell of smoke acted upon some vain off on the Hon. John Crawford, then as that of blood upon a tiger, and Lieut.-Governor, whom it memorializes | they nerved themselves for the fight. in reference to the publication of the They bit, tore and scratched, and became quarterly list of convictions, representing as refractory as possible. The fire was that "by throwing the same open to pub- spreading with fearful rapidity, the corrilie competition the expenses would be dors filling with smoke, and the unfortumuch reduced and the ratepayers relieved | nates were noisy and intractable. They of a portion of the heavy burthen which | would not leave; they hid under beds, has necessarily to be imposed upon them | wrapped themselves up in blankets, and t in the way of taxation." The effect of it required extraordinary strength to exthis plaintive appeal on behalf of the suf- tricate them. The flames were dancing blood flowed freely, the garments belongforing taxpayers who are so heavily bur- through the corridors, but still they hid, thened is somewhat destroyed by the and despite efforts were made to save fact, to which we call His Honor the them, it is believed that Lieutenant-Governor's attention, that the Conneil's own immediate printing is given. Three times Mr. Vincellette broke a one horse jumper, and upon this he out to one office without the slightest re- down under the load he was carrying, seems to have put the body, dead or alive sort to the public competition above and each time was he resuscitated by and taking it home put it in bed. He pleaded for, and the suffering taxpayers faithful coadjutors. On the last occasion gave no alarm-his brother-in-law, who so heavily burthened are permitted to he fell from the 3rd to the 2nd story in lived with them, being the first to de pay dearly for the blessings of a monopoly. endeavoring to save two women, cutting in the morning. O'Brian says his wife When the County Council has proved by himself seriously and dislocating his right | fell over the bridge and broke her ankle, its actions the sincerity of its desire to re- elbow. He was rescued at the point of but is silent in respect to her death. lieve the poor taxpayers, it will be a suit- suffocation by Hypolite Lazard and con- He has been arrested, and meanwhile able time to present that memorial. At | veyed to the male ward: The three wo- | the coroner's inquest is instituting an inpresent it is absurdly out of place. How men who hid themselves and were suffo- quiry. many humbugs that ever-ready sympathy cated were named Bazin, of Montreal, for the poor tax payers has to father, to be Prussien and Breton.

Conflagration in Stratford.

losses are roughly estimated as follows:

	A. G. McKay & Co	\$26,000	
	A. Williamson & Co	35,000	
	J.H. Nasmyth & Co		
	Jeffrey & McLenhan		
	Archdeacon Fuller, Toronto	8,000	
	A. Matheson	15,000	
	II.T. Butler	The second secon	
	Horne & Clark		
	D.A. McLeod	1,000	
	D. Duncan	500	
	A. McNair.	2,000	
	James Gordon	2,000	
4	John Oven	500	
	Miss Byrne	1,000	
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A FAILURE. - The Bessemer steamship, designed to counteract the annoying anisance of sea sickness, has proved failure. The idea of the inventor was that by contructing a double vessel, the inner one working on pivots in such way that while the outer shell yielded to the motion of the waves, it would - maintain its original level and the occupants | Mayor supplemented this with an offer of | Lord Duffern's action is accepted in the of its cabins would therefore unaffected the building lately purchased by him, spirit in which it has been rendered wholly illusory it needed but a brief experience to determine. The experiment with the Bessemer ship proved that it is not possible to overcome all the oscilliations and swayings to which a ship at sea is subjected, by any known mechanical contaivance. The problem of antisea sick steamers have yet to be solv-

schome for recruiting the Grand Trunk Railway service, whereby only total abstrainers furnishing satisfactory references of the fact will be engaged, has received the sanction of Mr. W. J. Spicer, Superliquors are sold.

Good Byr, Old Rooster. - Senator | be disposed of as soon as possible. Out-Chandler retires to private life followed by | side the snow covered ground was Jumnearly as heavy a shower of kicks from | bered with chairs, tables, bedding, clothfriend and foe as greeted General Butler | ing, pictures, scenes from the asylum on his defeat. There have been many ex- theatre, books, curtains, sideboards, cook- ville, cellect estimates of his public services ingutensils, &c., in vast confusion. published, but this from the Cincinnati A visit with Dr. Roy to the females has been elected Warden of the County Commercial seems the most comprehensive | who had beed removed to the male ward, of Halton. of all : "Chandler has been from his lofty | fortunately separated by a distance of a seat in the Senate dangling the British | hundred yards from the blazing pile, re- Council met in the Court House here tolion by the tail before the eyes of an vealed a pitying and heart-rendering day, Mr. John Brown, of Roxborough, for astonished universe for eighteen years, sight. Wonderful was the quietness and was elected Warden, and Mr. H. Sand-Now there will be a little intermission." decorum that reigned throughout when it field Macdonald to the Clerkship.

Opposition prints are professedly anxious | noise from the rooms that they had look- his boarding house in St. Catharines, about Mr. Crooks and the course he is going to follow. They need not fret. The to see the calmness and obedience dist seat. A good many have already been doctor, pale but courageous, with a kind Dy Freshman. The services were appro- They found the keys of the outer yault Godfrey. put It his disposal; so that within a reasonable period the Provincial Treasurer rounded by women who seemed pleased draped in mourning, and an affecting train packages. Loss as far as known is procure one copy of "Harrison's Munistions and solve all the doubts and difficu ties by which his opponents are at prosent much exercised. - Globe.

opened an agency at Quebec, giving the grooned in quavering voices ballads and a prediction of his own, made some years of the papers from Ottawa.

agent a power of attorney to act in all songs of long ago.

The Beauport Asylum Fire.

Quebec, Jan. 30 .- One of the most Having achieved greatness for them- last night at the Beauport Lunatic selves, and being exempt from the weak | Asylum. About 6:30 an alarm of fire was ness of founding a family (which Scott given, and it is supposed, that the cell killed himself in trying to do), all will where it originated had been set on fire appland their good, sense. Carlyle is by one of the female patients, a woman nearly eighty, and Tennyson is approach- very vicious character | named | Marie ing three score years and ten. Titular, Breton. Her conduct had been such that pecially to men of such individual great- vowed she would have her revenge ou on the

"CURSED PLACE," The Montreal papers contain an adver- as she termed the asylum. It is asserted tisement of a school "for the sons of gen- that she was treated with the utmost ticmen." How is a title to admission to kindness and consideration, but that at be proved? Does the applicant bring a times her outbreaks were such that she certificate from Heralds' College, or had to be placed under the severest would a Canadian coat of arms do, with restriction. Whatever may have been say a beaver couchant, or a big Injun the destructive designs she formed, rampant, a chest of tea, or yard-stick seems certain that she suffered a horrible quiles, with tailor's goose instead of the fate in the flames she is supposed to have stag's head or the absurd griffin? Or kindled. It is thought she laid a candle the matriculant might prove his father's underneath the bed and then shut the membership of the "Gentlemen's Party" cell door. This seems to have occurred and that he never gave a "low Grit" vote when the inmates were at prayers. Dr. in his life. Some test must be applied to Roy instantly sent a mounted messenge prevent the genuine article from being to the city, and he with Dr. Vincellette and all the wardens did their utmost to combat the flames.

SAVING THE INMATES.

in the building was so great, and the that there was no danger, their joy knew dismissed, Can any of your poetical contributors flames had obtained such headway, that no bounds; but it was only for a moment. the only thing that could be done was to The confusion and hysteria returned, and ance lecturer, is to deliver a lecture in the BRITISH WHIG the old original words save those unfortunate and demented the sobbing and weeping and wild ejacu- St. Catharines on the 8th. My women who could but dimly comprehend lations filled the spacious room with the . - Dividends of ten per cent. have been their danger, and by the exertions of the most agonizing sounds. This was about declared by the Agricultural and Watermanagers, assistants and neighbors over nine o'clock, the room as full as it could town Insurance Companies. 435 females were removed from the prin- hold, and it required every exertion the | -The average housekeeper will admit cipal building, which has been such an nurses and guardians could make to main- that it is no light matter to have the gasornament to the Montmorenci Road, to tain anything like quiet in the ward. pipes frozen up at this season. That does not love a soldier."

The words in our modern massic books lying to the eastward of it. The suffoliently swaying to and fro; some passion- take cold, it settles in the head. Is it be- mittee on Education. Adjourned. Ask cating smoke was sufficient to deter the ately weeping; some singing thiumphant cause nature abhors a vaccuum? boldest, but in spite of it all worked songs, and rejoicing in the work of des- | Corner loafers, who have been "on in the extreme. Some rushed into corners shrieking, howling and blaspheming, and at the faintest prospect of a thaw. MARTIAL LAW IN ONTARIO-STRANGE BUT and obstinately refused to be removed; some calm and collected, as if fully ap-The Township of Amherst Island, al- darkest cellers and were found shivering building. though possessing a very respectable with fear; others again ran up into the Strange to say one of the worst cases Council and a very respectable Reeve, is cupola and on the roof, and it was only cases in the female ward entirely recoverat the present time entirely without an | with the greatest difficulty that they | ed her reason in the panic, and now is as Executive Government. We have no could be brought out. Both Dr. Roy and same as she could possibly be. magistrates! we have no constables! The Mr. Vincellotte were nearly asphyxiated patriotie-Major of the 48th Battalion, and by the pungent smoke in their devoted the zealous Captain of No. 4 Co., (the attempts to bring out all the women, and best Company in the Battalion, ride Gov. with the exception of three, who, it is

EXCITEMENT INSIDE AND OUT.

The news of the catastrophe spread through the city like lightning, and carioles were chartered by the hundred to visit the scene. When the alarm was given Mde. Vincellette took it very coolly and notified her husband, who proceeded to remove some of the patients from the The County Council of Frontenac is | cells to the ward in the western side, but

THREE INMATES PERISHED.

At an early hour His Worship the Mayor, Owen Murphy, and several aldermen and conneillors arrived and rendered | years ago there was passed in the Canadian the utmost assistance they could to save Parliament a Bill that grew out of a re-A most disastrous fire occurred early lives and property. The police under bellion -the "Rebellion Losses Bill." vesterday morning in Stratford. The prin- charge of Major Voyer and Capt. Heigh- was bitterly opposed by the then Tories. cipal business street of the town was des- ham did everything that was possible to Lord Elgin, who was Governor-General troyed, and the loss is computed at near- be done, their chiefs being foremost in at the time, had either to give assent to ly a quarter of a million dollars. The searching for those who, in the confusion | the Bill directly, or reserve it for the of the moment, were supposed to have es. Queen. By doing the latter he could

the bitter end Unfortunately the wood work was so | felt it to be his duty to save the QUEEN profuse in every direction that it gave the from having anything directly to do with fire an opportunity of gaining ground that | an act so obnoxious to many of her subcould not be regained. At half-past seven jects, so like a brave man he took the two fire engines belonging to the Sappers | whole responsibility upon himself perand Naval Brigade had been hauled over sonally. Of course, he had to pay the the heavy snow to the spot. The Mayor | penalty. He was hooted at, cursed, and seeing the possible chance of loss of pro- directly assaulted, and for a time even his perty and life sent to Col. Reeve, of the life was in peril. But that outburst of 8th Battalion, for assistance, and his re- wrath diedout, and Lord Elgin's memory quest was promptly answered by the ap- is now held in honor for the service he pearance of that officer and one hundred | then rendered. men, who were of the greatest assistance

been consumed. Hon. Premier, Mr. DeBoucherville, offer- Ministers to bear the responsibility of the ing the accommodation the jail afforded communication of LEPINE's sentence, but in case the male branch of the establish- he has voluntarily offered to bear it him ment was not sufficient to give the unfor- self. True, it is no great burden in itself tunate females room for the night. The to bear, for no one condemns it; but y sea-sickness. That this theory was known as the Laurie property, and which great good will be secured. He seeks by could shelter eighty persons with ease. till five o'clock this morning, when the ready. Nothing that party has done in

FURTHER PARTICULARS.

brilliancy which was in so great contrast as the foot ball of faction, they must to the surrounding darkness. ' be recruiting officers. None entering the Quebec was saddening—the wrecked furservice will be allowed to board where niture, the rooms saturated with water, act. - Liberal. the remnants of finery, shattered pictures broken glass and ornaments which no one seemed to regard except as obstacles to

is considered that over 400 women had Judge H. W. Price, formerly Judge of aged 12 and 14, very strong and healthy, the Gaoler's books reported that they Mr. Crooks and His Opponents.—The been hurried in wild alarm, riot and the County of Welland, died suddenly at under a lady who approves of and will must refer the matter over until the Jun upon as their homes. It was astonishing Tuesday night of apoplexy. played, and which would hardly have been expected from rational people. The held in the Methodist Church on Thurs- Company in Utica was robbed by five Mr. Carruthers, County Engineer, was

scene is impossible to describe. The day evening last, in memory of the late masked men, who gagged the watchman. presented and paid, on motion of to see him with them. Strangely enough, sermon being preached by Rev. J. only \$395. none referred to the fire, which could be Freshman, eldest son of the lamented seen distinctly through the uncurtained Dr., from Hebrews XIII, 7. - Gananoque Garry in consequence of the commutation bute them; those townships which have windows. Poor, ancient, withered mor- Reporter. tals chatted as gaily as if it had been a HEACTED, Too. -- A prominent Montreal | festival; young girls laughed and dancfirm in the provision business recently ed in gleeful joy, and some old dames the Catholic Jubilee for 1875, has fulfilled Chief Justice Wood, to await the arrival Dennison, Fisher, Flynn, Godfrey,

matters, as he thought proper. Within At 11 o'clock the right wing of the proclaimed the Jubilee. This week we the last few days the agent negotiated a building which had been smouldering for publish his encyclical letter, announcing draft on the Montreal house, through the sometime burst out into a perfect fur the Catholic Jubilee for 1875, defining its Merchants' Bank Agency at Levis, for \$2, nace of light and flame, which melted the purposes and nature, and calling upon the the building. Trains of rope and waste Council in regard to the law; making the building. Trains of rope and waste Council in regard to the law; making the building. Oco. As soon as he grabbed the funds he snow and ice for yards around in pools faithful to use it for the highest and holi disappeared. One of the Montreal part of water, The appearance of the walls est ends and for the benefit of ners is now at Quebec to see if there are was as if they were lit up with gas jets, | Church. because of the little pieces of wood inser-

ted between each stone. Every window on the three stories belched out in volumes of black smoke, which was followed by a burst of fire. Iron bars were twis- Deputy Minister of Militia. was swallowed up in impetuous rush of place this year on the 30th prox.

Among those who were foremost in as- mal recognition of King Alfonso: sisting the firemen in their dangerous work was Alderman H. A. Murphy; strip- tude has been discovered at Berlin. ped to the shirt he did all that mortal man could do to prevent the flames from | in Massachusetts takes place to-day. entering the centre portion of the building, and especially tried to preserve the miners are on strike in South Wales. beautiful cupela and flat wood-work roof. Mr. Murphy, Capt. Heigham and another worked there until it became a perfect volcano, emitting hideous vapers and suf-

focating smoke. female patients, who had been in the ly to a Company has been effected. through the corridors to the western, and was fined \$80, and he sold her silk dress to den, Messrs. Spoor and Graham be a Messrs. Sproule, Cordukes and Cochrane, BRITISH WHIS. they were huddled together, their frantic yesterday, aged 94 years. they were to be left to die in the is to be protested.

flames, and when informed that they were | -The petition against the return of

----BRANTFORD.

DER SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTAN

Some time on Wednesday evening a bloody tragedy occurred at a bridge near Peet's tavern, situated on the Cockshutt road, about seven or eight miles from Brantford. It appears that one Thomas O'Brian, with his wife and child, a girl 12 or 14 years old, were returning home from Brantford, where they had been during the day, and called at the tavern above named about eight o'clock. O'Brian asked for liquor, which, it is said, the landlord (Ferris) refused. After a while they went away down the hill towards the bridge forty or fifty yards, and here, at the edge of the long wooden structure, something happened between the parties which undoubtedly led to the death of O'Brian's wife. The fresh fallen snow pore evidence to a struggle, during which ing to the woman were found saturated with gore, and a club as the instrument of death was also picked up, stained with blood. O'Brian had an old conveyance.

Parallel Cases,

History repeats itself. Nearly thirty caped; and to battle with the fire fiend to have saved himself from the exacrations of the opponents of the measure. But he

Somewhat different in detail, but of the in the salvage of furniture, bedding and same nature, is the act Lord DUFFERN has other effects, which would have otherwise just performed, and that too in connection with a matter that was also grown out of At half-past ten news came from the a rebellion. He could have compelled his it to take the question out of the arena o The fire continued to burn furiously party strife, where it has been to long alwhole of the main building was destroy- connection with the RIEL and LEPINE cases has been satisfactory to the other. As seen from Quebec the conflagration | could do would be accepted with favor. had the appearance of a fiery cloud, The evident intention of Lord DUFFERIN which illuminated the heavens and light- in assuming direct responsibility in the ONLY ABSTAINERS NEED APPLY. -A ed up the landscape. From behind this matter is to preserve the decision arrived firecloud huge sheets of flame and smoke at from attack on mereparty grounds. shot into the sky, increasing the fatal he fails in this, if the question is still kept responsible for whatever harm is done The appearance of the interior of the thereby who, in spite of the Governorbuilding which has been the pride of General's generous effort, still persist in

County Affairs,

Mr. John Waldie, Reeve of Burlington

MEMORIAL SERVICES. -- Services were

The 29th being the day fixed for his ex- the County Treasurer. - Carried Yeas-A JUBILEE. - Pope Pius is proclaiming | ecution, he was reprieved for a week by | Messrs. Atcheson, Burke, Cox, Connoll

-Senator Panet has been appointed tedeand melted. Stone cracked and wood - The University boat race will take.

-Russia has taken the lead in the f -A new planet of the twelfth m -An important strike of the weavers

-A hundred and twenty thousand -A St. Patrick's Society has been ganized in Winnipeg. -We hope the weather prophets who

predicted a mild winter are satisfied. -The Niagara District Bank has been There was a terrible scene in the west incorporated with the Imperial Bank. wing. By extraordinary exertions the . - The transfer of the Canadian Month-

dreds of them, until sufficient means -Judge Lafonteine of Aylmer, is to be connection with the K. & P. Railway could be found of conveying them to the superannuated shortly. He has been on Company with power to take such steps outlying male department of the institu- the Quebec Bench for over sixteen years. as they may think necessary in the intertion. In the craze of fright the poor | -Edward Sugden, Baron St. Leonards, ests of the county. creatures became almost rabid, and when formerly Lord Chancellor of England, died Mr. Atcheson moved, seconded by Mr.

talk and hysteric shrieks were pitiable. —Col. Striker's election for Prince the township municipalities in the county 150 was passed through all its stages, on by the torelock, are making preparations a hundred of the military there, although They crowded around and begged to know Edward County in the Ontario Legislature and \$50 each to the villages of Ports- motion of Mr. Spoor.

-J. B. Gough, the renowned temper-

bravely to save life. The sight was pitiful truction going on around them; some the ragged edge" for some time, rejoice and Mills. The minutes of yesterday -"Change cars" is what, a city bootothers fled down the corridors into the peciating the danger impending over the black said to a countryman the other day per letter for an increase of salary as when he had finished blacking one of his present amount is very small for a profes-

> -"Had you, sir," said Henry Erskine to a dilatory carpenter, "been commissioned to build the ark, we should not have bentures to the amount of \$10,000 to rehad the flood yet." tire debentures falling due in 1875, -- Since Mr. Brydges took hold of the ten years at 6 per cent; by-law No. 101, G. W. R. he has dismissed nearly fifty to legalize the grants made yesterday for

> employes between Windsor and Paris. roads and bridges, and by law No. 102, The first fancy dress skating carnival to encourage the apprehension of horse ever held at Fort Garry took place on thieves, by offering \$50% reward, to be Thursday night, some 300 people attend- paid on a judge's order, were read a first

> -Collingwood is to have a grand ban- the debenture by law was ordered, on quet, a Reform one-in honor of H. H. motion of Mr. Spoor, to be read at a spec-Cook, unseated for bribery on the part of | ial meeting at 2 p.m., on the second Tuesagents, but recently re-elected. day in June next. The roads and -"Bonanza," the last word introduced bridges by-law was read twice more and into the English language from the min- |-finally passed, on motion of Mr. Wating districts, is said, liberally translated, kins. On No. 102, the Council went into

-A row, in which several of the most and it was passed through and finally years. respectable (1) citizens engaged, took place adopted. at a wedding in Alymer. -Sleigh-riding during the afternoon Mr. Flynn, that the County Treasurer's and evenings is all the race just now. salary be advanced to \$800, was lost. We're out almost every evening, but then Yeas-Messrs. Atcheson, Berke, Flynn,

we're on foot.

-The charities of Liverpool have re- 7: nays-Baker, Craig, Cox, Connolly, ceived a legacy estimated at over £150,000 Dennison, Fisher, Kenyon, Spooner, from the late Roger Lyon Jones, a self- | Spoor, Vanloven, Watkins-11. made merchant of that city. -Ira Morgan, who was defeated as the | County Clerk, arranging for his attend-Liberal candidate for the Ontario. House | ance 'daily at the office, and increasing in Russell, was elected Warden of Carle- his salary to \$550, was passed through ton County yesterday for the eighth time. | all the stages, on motion of Mr. Wat-- Why are sheep the least moral of kins. youth, spend much of their time on the ported that they had inspected the gaol start a jute factory. turf, many of them are blacklegs, and they and found it in proper order. There was

all get fleeced at last. -A number of the old wooden line of- to each cell, with 12 coats and 6 pairs battle ships in the British navy are being pants in the male department. There broken up. The men employed are paid | were 169 blankets and 128 sheets in a two dellars and fifty cents in gold per ton A further supply of brushes, brooms. for their work.

carry home an intoxicated member" is the | quality, and they recommend its rejec, kind of sergeant at-arms they want in the tion. Adopted, on motion of Mr. Spoor. Minnesota legislature. -- "Bring forth my fiery, untamed | Cochran be paid \$20, authorized by old

steed," said he, and the boy led out a slab. by-law, for the apprehension of John An sided mule, that had to be stuffed to keep | gus, a horse thief. Carried. him from cutting the harness. -A Cincinnati woman burned her husband's Sunday suit because he would not

put on a buffalo robe and crawl round the back yard and play Santa Claus. -A circuit preacher in Missouri prayed | duced from Judge Richards, as also a or rain one night at a farmer's house, and | receipt from the County Treasurer verify the farmer, who had a horse race arranged | ing the payment of the reward claimed by for next day, was so mad that he turned Mr. Clarkson, a resolution passed day authorizing the payment of the same the good man out of doors. -All the public night-schools in Phila- | be rescinded. Carried. delphia except one were closed last week | Moved by Mr. Atcheson, seconded by

for reason of insufficient appropriations. Mr. Flynn, that the Council appoint There were 42 of them, instructing over | Committee to investigate the matter be-13,000 pupils, and employing over 220 | tween the county and the gaoler, compos--Three Carmelite nuns from Albany | Kenyon and McRory, and that the County have arrived at Quebec and will establish a Treasurer and Clerk produce all papers Department on the subject.

convent of that order at Rimouski. This and documents in their possession that I will be the first of that denomination in | would impart light on the subject, and he Dominion. -Hon. D. A. Macdonald intends, as present session. Carried. one of the Post Office reforms, to make | The report of the Committee on Educaprepayment of newspapers from the office | tiou and Printing was presented and

f the publisher compulsory; the rate to adopted. be about 2 cents per pound. -Enough evidence has been secured | Kenyon, that the communication from the against Mr. Rykert to preclude him from K. & P. R. Company be handed to the claiming the seat for Lincoln, in the event | special Committee appointed to attend to f Mr. Neelon being unseated, the possi-s that matter. Carried.

lity of which the friends of the latter | Moved Mr. Spoor, seconded by Mr. gentleman emphatically deny. -After recuperating from his fatigue, and apprehended horse thieves last winter Stanley will start in search of the ten lost be paid the sum of \$20 each, namely, tribes of Israel. They haven't been seen | Messrs. Sproule, Cordukes and Cochrane. for twenty-five centuries, and a good deal | Carried.

of well-grounded anxiety prevails in regard | - Moved by Mr. Cox, seconded by Mr. McKenzie, that Messrs. Spoor, Graham We do not believe that anything they Kirk Hallam, Derbyshire, and until re- memorial to the Government respecting Charles Jalvert, manager of the Theatre follow him, and the vestry of the church small craft. Her length of keel is five pagation of the Gospel, in the diocese of convictions. Carried. ichfield; has signified his autention to relinquish his living and join the Church of Mr. Dennison, that the report of

Committee on County Property be amer -One of the greatest mysteries con- ed, leaving the matrer referring to nected with the Beecher-Tilton scandal is. | wood contracts in the hands of the Co Who is Bessie Turner? It is now assert- mittee on County Property to dispose of. ed that she is the natural daughter of a Carried. wealthy New York merchant who drift- FRIDAY. - On motion of Mr. Craig, t ed into the Tilton household through ac- application of the Sheriff for arms for the

-Spain is happy. There is no end to ty Property. the good and great things the boy king | Moved by Mr. McRorey, seconded promises to do. He will give everybody Mr. Wilmot, that a Committee be BROCKVILLE .- The County Council everything and do everything for, every- pointed to examine the different assessmet here and Mr. S. McBratney was body. Alphonso is decidedly the most ment rolls and ascertain the right of the elected Warden of Leeds and Gren- promising person at present engaged in Deputy Reeves to take their seats, said

Committee to be composed of the War--The Marquis of Ripon, previous to den, the Clerk, Mr. Spoor and the movhis conversion to Roman Catholicism, er. - Carried. This motion was brought had begun the building of a large church in consequence of Loughboro's Deputy tricolor flag on the building on the com for the Church of England: He has had Reeve being excluded from the counci CORNWALL, Jan. 27.—The County the edifice finished, and has presented on the ground that it had not 500 qualit to the communion he first intended it | fied voters, while other townships with

fewer electors sent a deputy. -Witness this from the London Times: "It is desired to place two young ladies, consideration the Auditors' report upon thoroughly and duly administer the birch | session, as the time was too short to enrod. Terms most liberal. Address F. ter into a detailed examination at the G., Post Office, Hampden Middlesex." present session. -The office of the American Express | AFTELNOON SESSION. -An account from

cipal Manual" (3rd edition) for each -There was great excitement at Fort | municipality in this County and distripapers not having arrived for LEPINE. | already purchased a copy to be repaid by

Rorey, McKenzie Spoor and Watkins--A careful examination of the cellar of 12. Nays - Messrs. Graig, Graham, the Navy Department at Washington, a Spooner and Wilmot. -4. few days ago, showed that complete ar- | The Committee appointed to draw up a rangements had been made for burning memorial to the Lieutenant Governor paper were laid about the floor, in each necessary to publish a list of convictions instance connected with piles of shavings in the papers of Government choice, presented the document, which was adopted and kindling wood.

COUNTY COUNCIL.

ferred to the Committee on Finance.

A requisition was received from the

The Goal Surgeon, Dr. Oliver, asked

sional retainer. - Referred to the Finance

By-law No. 100, for the issuing of de

time. After being read a second time,

Committee, Mr. Vanluven in the chair,

A motion of Mr. McRory, seconded by

Godfrey, McRory, Mackenzie, Wilmot

Adjourned for dinner.

- THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Moved by Mr. Spoor, seconded by Mr.

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The Committee appointed to take int

and ordered to be printed and sent to

the several County Councils of the Pro-WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, -Mr. Van-Moved by Mr. Spoor that the County luven, Deputy Reeve of Storrington, took Treasurer furnish the County Council with a list of all townships in arrears for A letter was read from Mr. Price, Sol- County rates (if any) and as to the proicitor of the K. & P. Railway Company, bable amount of funds on hand to mee stating that unless the bonus by-law pas- present liabilities. - Carried.

sed by the county in favour of the com-The Finance Committee presented their pany be fully complied with by the hand- Report, recommending the payment ing over of all debentures and coupons, several accounts. On motion of Mr. including bonds and coupons hitherto re- Spoor, the report was considered in comtained, legal proceeding in chancery will mittee of the whole and passed. at once be taken to determine the rights. On motion of Mr. Spoor, the reports of of the company. Therefore it was moved the Committee appointed to examine the cents postage stamp on your letters to the by Mr. McRory, seconded by Mr. Gra- Assessment Rolls were laid over until

ham, that the resolution passed at the next day for an opportunity to examine last meeting granting the company only a the Roll of Storrington, not then on hand ford, received a severe kick from a horse and to allow further evidence to be given on Wednesday last, and fears are enter rescinded. -Carried. As this left the from Wolfe Island. council free to take any action it chose, Moved by Mr. Watkins, seconded by Mr. Watkins moved, seconded by Mr. Mr. Spoor, that the motion of Mr. Spoon-

committee to attend to all business in | be erased from the minutes. - Carried. Adjourned till Saturday morning. SATURDAY .- Members all present, except Messra, Calvin, Kenyon and Mills. Minutes of yesterday confirmed. A by-law, No. 104, to increase the sal-Flynn, that \$100 be granted to each of ary of the Gaol Surgeon from \$100 to Brockville having taken time resolutely day to Caraquet, and there are now over

mouth and Garden Island, for road pur-Myved by Mr. Watkins, seconded by thing like being on time. poses, to be paid to the reeves at the Mr. Fisher, that Mr. T. L. Snook act on Zion Church, Pittsburg. — A tea garded as imprudent and unnecessary. Unfortunately the amount of woodwork to be removed to a place of safety, and Mr. Casgrain, M.P. for L'Islet, has been June session.—Carried—yeas 17; nays—behalf of the county corporation in legal meeting will be given in connection with The Hon. Robert Young telegraphed proceedings when applied to by the War- this church on Wednesday evening, the yesterday that it was never in contem-Letter from Mr. Joseph Sproul, asking den and Committee on Lawsuits. On 17th February, and the most attactive plation to arrest Father Pellitier; the renumeration for expenses incurred in motion of Mr. Watkins, Messrs McRory addresses and music are entered for it. following a horse stealer and arresting and Spooner were added to this Commit- THE BEAUTIFUL SNOW. - When the being sufficient to exonerate him from no reward can therefore be claimed .- Re- 1

> Trustees of the High School at Sydenham | part payment of services. Carried. A motion of Mr. Godfrey's, to add Mr. or less-principally more -every other day | Court House yesterday he was ordered Dennison to the Committee on Roads and this month. Bridges was withdrawn.

> THURSDAY MORNING. - All members township assessment rolls to discover the attended the Ball of the Cape Vincent present except Messrs. Calvin, Graham then brought up. Mr. Spooner moved and enjoyed themselves to the fullest. eral rolls, the council is fully satisfied | Assembly. that each roll contains the required num- KINGSTON AND ABROAD. Kingston ber of voters to qualify a Deputy Reeve | men, and Queen's College statents es-This was carried and Loughboro as well pecially, make their mark in the world not, when the party were in his office, apas Storrington and Wolfe Island will be pretty generally. Mr. Duncan McMilentitled to its Deputy.

Committee on Law Suits to advise with stands well as a graduate of our Univerthe trustees of the K.& P. Railroad when sity advisable, was carrred.

THINGS IN GENERAL.

nual Valentine nuisance is at hand. -The Delaware is frozen

North Hastings election—an unusually ance.

failures this spring. By-law No. 103, fixing the duties of the troit have concluded to give a "hop." exercise patience until he can get time to | tario The Committee on County Property re-

an average of three blankets and 2 sheets of late, but all particulars are refused. for oats as their staple horse feed.

clothing, &c., was required. They found -"A man who fears the lord and can a portion of the fuel wood of an inferior Mr. Watkins moved that Charles es to Ashes.' Some advocate of burial Battersea.'

ought to publish a story called 'Dust to in America. It is a joke, however. She ence-good word:-

knows we've been married a number of Cox, that owing to a certificate being protalking about presenting an eighteen foot | maid-servant." petition against the wearing of bustles.

-The people of Mount Forest, after | step down now. receiving no mails for six days, have lost patience. Yesterday the business men night, while the firemen of Belleville of the place held a meeting to consider ed of Messrs. Toland, Graham, Spoor, the matter, at which it was resolved to called from refreshment to labor suddenmemorialize the head of the Post Office ly. A part of Dr. Lister's block was in

that said Committee report during the'

-Chicago is the last place heard from. for \$600. It possesses an eccentric clergyman who has locked himself up in the tifth story of his dwelling house, and draws his meals up through the window with a rope. arisen in the Reformed Episcopalian Graham, that the parties who pursued He says people can't getup slanders about

engaged in the representation of 'Henry congregation stand by their pastor and which, we think, will put some of the V," at Booth's Theatre, New York, all of | will not consent to the action of the vestry | "society papers" to the blush:-"My this number being required for the "Bat- in demanding his resignation. He will wife is just as handsome a craft as ever tle of Agincourt." The production of continue to preach in the Court House to left a millinery dry dock, is clipper built, The Rev. Alfred Newdegate, vicar of and Watkins be a Committee to draft a this play is to be superintended by Mr. | continue to preach in the Course and with a figure head not often seen on

-A prisoner in Auburn jail, whose Moved by Mr. McRorey, seconded by term of service had expired, liked his quarters so well that he refused to go out; nor did the jailer know how to get rid of him. So he was sent out with a broom to sweep the sidewalk, when they locked the Reeves and Deputies :- Wm. Ross, flowers, mainsail part silk, with fore stayjail door upon him. After many tempts to break in, he was compelled Luke C. Spafford, Ernesttown; J. M. the best steel, covered with silk, with

-As a Louisville girl was taking leave Gad was left to the Committee on Counof a gentleman at her father's house evening recently she said to him: 'If you ever hear that I am in the habit of allowing my male acquaintances to kiss good bye you musn't believe it, as I seldom allow such liberties.' The close that interview may be imagined. -Great excitement was caused at Mon

treal by the carpentery contractors for the New Post Office, hoisting the French pletion of their work. They were ordered to replace it by the Union Jack, refused on the ground that the flag ho national significance. - A Solano, Cal., farmer advertises for a wife in this style: 'Money no object.

her to be, I shall require the parties to deposit in my hands \$1,500. -Resolutions have been adopte the Grand Orange Lodge of Scotland, which denounce the pr revolution, national infidelity and nation-

sponsible parties, and as a slight guaran-

tee that the lady is what they represent

of industrial establishments and we very fine.

lar to what occurred a few years ago is a "Father in Israel," and secondly be- Montreal, having been subscribed, about half a dozen of these reports every years of his active ministry he is ly. Tenders for its construction a e to be

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

Lesr, beyond all hope, the January thaw. The ways of this winter are queer A CONFIRMATION will be held St. Paul's Church on Sunday, Feb. 14 PRESBYTERY. - The next meeting of the Kingston Presbytery will be held in King ston, at the Brock Street Church, on

Tuesday of April, at 7 p.m. BOARD OF TRADE. - The annual meet

ing will be held in the City Counci chamber to-morrow evening. United States, you're a fool, that's all.

tained for his recovery. AGENTS. - Messrs. Peter Vandewater southeastern wing, had been conveyed A Dundas man who pounded his wife Mills, and it was carried, that the War er passed yesterday, granting \$20 each to Kingston, are authorized agents for the since.

TET IT .- If you want to hear a kingboy demolish some of the prominent .ats in the Decalogue, just sprinkle ashes on the sidewalks on Queen street when he is coasting.

IN TIME. - And now the Orangemen of for a big walk on the 12th of July. No- there is no manifestation of disturbance.

country comes to have four or five feet of implication in any wrong. Mr. McRory moved that the auditors it on the dead level people don't sing so of the Gaol Books receive \$20 each in much about the Beautifu! Snow as they do will probably occasion some trouble yet. earlier in the season. It has snowed more As Mr. Burns, M.P.P., was passing the

The matter of an investigation into the predicted. The Kingston brethren whe artillery have, by their conduct, given number of qualified electors in each was | Craftsmen were most hospitably received, that, after a due investigation of the sev- was a success-the trip over as well as the

lan, the newly elected member in Middle- were committed Mr. Spooner's motion authorizing the | sex, was once a Kingston law student and

THERE IS A JOKE laughed over at an up-The Warden was appointed a member town hotel. Some adventurers drove will prove one of the wonders of the world, f all Committees of Council, which step- several vagrant cows into its yard, passed is said to have been initiated in conped out until the second Tuesday in June | themselves off as cattle drovers, had the sequence of the recent state visit of animals and themselves fed up to their the Lord Mayor of London to Paris. eyes, ran a bar bill, and at the end of a is no less a work than the boring the

- There are indications that the an-TEMPERANCE, NOTE IT. - Mr. Kenneth Mackenzie at Toronto yesterday, in ad- stretches of sea that can well be found, and at dressing a jury, said that for nearly forty to obviate the miseries of this passage Philadelphia for the first time in many years he had been engaged in the practice several experiments have been made. of law, sometimes prosecuting offenders twin ship has laterly been launched -Another young English lady has and sometimes punishing them, and he without, as is reported, much result. been cremated in Greien's furnace at could confidently say that nearly all the Another vessel, with a swinging cabin, is crimes with which he had to deal were di--There were only 38 votes rejected in | rectly or indirectly traceable to intemper-

OUT ON THE LAKE. - We are hemmed i -The present financial stringency in from the Lake. The ice between the end | Channel are at an end. It is reported, on Montreal is expected to result in many of Point Traverse and the False Ducks | the authority of the best engineers, that -As an appropriate form of relief for crossing with safety. This is an event through solid chalk, from a point close the grasshopper victims the ladies of De- does not occur every year, as the motion by the cliffs of Dover to the French coast, of the water prevents the ice taking, the -Mr. Tilton has three or four hundred | lake opening being towards the south. unanswered applicants for locks of his The extreme and long continued cold has hair. The fair solicitors are requested to solidified even the troubled surface of On-

ELECTION. - At the annual meeting of -The escapes from the Central Prison | the Loyal Orange District Lodge of Riat. Toronto have been vrry frequent of | deau, held in the Woodburn Lodge-room in the Township of Pittsburg, on the 17t -A London Omnibus Company made | day of January, the following officers \$70,000 in one year by substituting maize | were elected for the ensuing year : Bros. Wm. Shannon, District Master, (re-elect--"A letter from a Donkey is the ed); Samuel Donaldson, Deputy District heading to a communication in the New Master; John W. Ainsley, Chaplain; York Times from a reader of twenty-six J. Walker, Secretary, (re-elected); John the island of Great Britain, is enormously McFadden, Treasurer; John Elliot, Di--A London clergyman is writing a rector of Ceremonies. The next annual novel in favor of cremation entitled 'Ash- meeting will be held in the Orange Hall,

EXPOSE. - The Toronto Bee-Hive is industrious in its searches for knowledge. -Clara Louise Kellogg tells untruths. and asks with a reckless disregard She says she 'wouldn't marry the best man | merchants' feelings the following pertin-

"The Editor will be glad to receive cent discussion in the New York Farmer's -A seventeen-and-a half feet petition | regard to the successful negociation on | farther north apples can be raised, the n faver of prohibition has been present- the part of a distinguished wholesale firm | better and more beautiful they are. The ed to the Town Council by the ladies | whereby they effected a lucrative stroke of | Fameuse, or snow apple, was instanced as

of Sarnia. The gentlemen of Sarnia are business, in the sale of the corpse of their | an illustration of this. It was conceded FIRE AT BELLEVILLE. -On Thursday

flames. The store, which was stocked -Some time ago Tweed made a pro- with fancy goods, baskets and other light position to hand over \$3,000,000 of his and highly inflammable articles, was occuill-gotten gains to the city of New York | pied by a Mr. Flynn, from Kingston, who but of late his lawyers have fleeced him The rest of the block was saved. The fire extensively, and his present ability to is supposed to have originated from a bas-

THE FRACTION REDUCED. - () ne schhism surprising to learn that a difficulty has he may choose the sorts occordingly. Church at Ottawa with reference to the dismissal or forced retirement of Rev. | was recently married gives the following -Over five hundred people are to be Johnson McCormack. A section of the description of his bride and apparel, must find another pastor. This whole feet eight inches, displaces twenty-seven trouble has been caused by the strong feet of cubic air; of light draught, which ground taken by Mr. McCormack as a adds to her speed in a ball-room, full in

. Yott, Kaladar; S. Lane, Denbigh. Abinger and Ashby. the late Mr. James Boel, leader of the yards, and at a lower speed for a mile. It casion was one of solemnity and impres- it, and it can be launched either from a siveness. The sermon of the Rev. Canon | boat or an iron-clad, by day or night. In She must be well recommended by re-Mulock was touching in its earnest regrets | short it is a kind of explosive fish, which at the death of the deceased, and enlogistic in obedience to its masters, will swim for

St. Mary's Cathedral, played the organ, ous if not a fatal blow. and the choir was strengthened by additions from several other churches as a against the national establishment of religion as "leading inevitably to political growth and Nunc Dimittus were Gregorian. The man has the poorer he is likely to be. anthem was Harwood's "Vital Spark of Wells that once would have brought Heavenly Flame;" the hymns "Come \$250,000 are slow of value at \$15,000, and -Show us a Western town or city, great forth, come on, with solemn song," and one man at Titusville, who lately had an or small, which is without a fair share "Thy will be done." The singing was income of \$100,000, is now hardly worth

last year's almanac, and never subscribe | the incumtency of Brockviffe, and there | barrel. is a general regret that he has done so--From the large number of failures a regret in the first place at the loss of and business suspensions which are tak- one who held such an endearing place in emaking a false step. He is leav- advertised for shortly.

and thorough organization, with earnest, active helpers, to say nothing of warmest relations between pastor and people, for a Charge which requires for a few years to come all the energies of even a clergyman so hardworking and perervering as as Mr. Mulock is so favorably known to be. But as family reasons have influence ! the Rev. gentleman's course in the mitter, and not his individual preference, his people must graciously bow to his decisall the ferveucy of their regard for him, an earnest wish for his future welfare. The change will take place at Easter. The Rev. Henry Wilson is the popular choice of the congregation as successor to ford, received a severe kick from a horse the incumbency, but he will not be able to accept the offer even if tendered, his loyalty to St. George's leading him to re fuse the Brockville offer not two weeks

THE CARAGUET RIOTS. FURTHER ARRESTS.

Bathurst, N.B., Feb. 1.

Another detachment proceeded yester-The sending of such large numbers is repiety and gentle amiability of this priest

The battery of artillery stationed here back by the guard. He dared them to ENJOYABLE TIME. - It was just as wo stop him, and proceeded on. Some of the The examination of seven prisoners

took place to-day, and the evidence of Mr. Blackhall showed that the people were more foolish than wicked in their demonstrations. There was no personal violence offered by the crowd, and he did prehend any bodily harm. The prisoners

A Great Undertaking.

An undertaking, which, if carried out,

couple of days stole silently away. Each long projected tunnel under the sea begossip's tongue has got a wag-on-her about | tween the coast of France and England. The traveller from England to France has to cross one of the most irritating said to be more successful, but if the scheme for a sub-marine tunnel can ever be accomplished, the days of sea-sickness in for the eager sight-seer crossing the Island is sufficiently strong to permit a tunnel can be cut from shere to shore, near Calais. It is proposed to cut the tunnel in such a manner as to have a tolerably uniform strate of chalk at least 200 feet thick over it, ther by effectively, so the authorities say, preventing any percolation. The boring would take place from both sides and would be completed in two years; the cost being £1,600,000. No difficulty is said to be apprehended as to the ventilation of the tunnel. If the work is as practicable as the promoters set forth, there is no doubt that it would prove a wonderfully profitable investment as the traffic between the continent and large. In case of war there would of course be no difficulty in preventing the" tunnel from being used as a means of invasion, though it, to a certain extent, might be said to abolish the streak of silver sea so long regarded by the English as a source of strength.

further information-contidential-with Club the opinion was expressed that the that the best specimens of this choice var-The "meanest man yet" will have to liety are grown in and about Montreal. The same is probably true of the Pomme Grise and St. Lawrence, both excellent apples. It was further stated that the Fameuse and other varietes of noted hardiness are not nearly so good when grown in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Virginia. Such testimony should encourage our farmers in the northern sections of Ontario to plant orchards of suitable sorts. Discouragement has often resulted from not proto stop further proceedings against him; had been in business for but a short time. perly studying adaptations of climate and soil. Such tender apples as the Rhode Island Greening and Newtown Pippin will buy his way out of prison is question | ket being left near the stove. The stock | not answer expectations in high latitudes. destroyed; loss about \$1,000. Insured It is a good plan in buying trees to leave the selection to the nurseryman, if he be competent and trustworthy, advising him naturally begets another and it is not of the locality, soil, exposure, &c., that

-APPLES AT THE NORTH. - During a re-

NAUGHTY-CAL. - A seafaring man who the waist, spars trim. At the time we LENNOX AND ADDINGTON. -The County | were spliced she was newly rigged fore and Council is composed of the following aft, with standing rigging of lace and Napanee; James C. Huffman, Napanee; sail of Valenciennes. Her frame was of Parrott Ernesttown; C. W. Huffman, whalebone stanchions. This rigging is Ernesttown; J. J. Watson, Adolphus- intended for fair cruising. She has also town; Ira Ham, South Fredericksburgh; a set of storm sails for rough weather, and Wm. N. Doller, North Fredericksburgh; is rigging out a small set of canvass for Elijah Storr, Richmond; Robert Denison, light squalls, which are liable to occur in Richmond; J. W. Bell, Camden; George | this latitude sooner or later. I am told, Paul, Camden; Robt. Paul, Camden; W. | in running down the street before the A. Bell, Newburg; Ebenezer Perry, Shef- | wind, she answers her helm beautifully. field; D. Gilmore, Sheffield; David Pres- and can turn around in her own length if ton, Amherst Island; H. W. Purdy, Bath; a handsomer craft passes her.

AN EXPLOSIVE FISH. - A machine of the In MEMORIAM. - Last evening St. | torpedo class has been constructed for the Paul's Church was filled to its fullest ca- British Navy which will move at a speed pacity during the service in memory of of nine knots an hour for three hundred choir, who died on Thursday. The oc- will maintain any direction impressed upon in its recital of his good services and a mile toward any adversary at which it ... personal virtues. Prof. Des Rochers, of may be directed, and will strike a danger-

his hat. The exceeding superabundance will show you a place where the people | REMOVAL OF CANON MULOCH. - The of the oil renders it almost valueless, and go to the mill with ox teams, read the Rev. Mr. Muloch has decided to accept it has declined from \$6 to 60 cents per

NEW HOTEL. - Four hundred thousand ing place in the commercial cities of the the regards (some almost life long) of his dollars, the amount of stock necessary to Union, it seems that another crisis sim; congregation, among whom he was truly insure the building of the Windsor Hotel. imminent. Our telegrams generally bring cause for his own comfort in the declining work will now be prosceuted energetical-