. He was released on \$2,000 bail. London, Dec. 17. - English detectives and a force of English police are about to start for France to bring back the crew of the British ship Lennie, Captain Hatfield, from Antwerp to New York, who mutinied on the 31st of October last, and killed the master, mate and boatswain. The probability is that the Government will despatch a gunboat for the purpose. E even of the crew of the Lennie will be Hall at 8 p.m. charged with murder. A large number wirnesses will also be brought. The ex mination of the Greek sailors will be numericed at Nantes on Monday next, the British Consul assistingous

Vaderland which went aground near this city yesterday has got off and proceed-

Condon, Dec. 18.—The steamships Algeria and Idaho from New York have ar-

Dec. 18.-The banking urm of Green & Cranston, of this city, suspende l to-day. Liabilities \$675,000; ussets \$800,000.

portation Convention yesterday resolved more influential man than Mr. Crooks, to prepare a memorial to Congress asking who was weak as a debater, though an. the appointment of a joint committee of able and a popular member. As to Mr. both Houses to consider the advisability Wood's successor in the office of Provinof forming a Department of Commerce, cial Treasurer there is considerable specuwhich shall collect and disseminate all lation. Mr. Hodgins' name has all along information concerning transportation. been associated with the office, and his This committee to report at next session

ludge and her daughter in Paris.

knocked down and, it is supposed, fatally | before the Legislature to restrain and re-East Buffalo.

## CANADIAN TELEGRAMS.

FIRE AT GALT.

Galt, Dec. 18 .- A very serious fire broke out about three o'clock this a m. stroying the mill, store house, &c., en- the most extensive practice at the Torontory to a considerable extent. The loss its paltry salary of \$3,000 a year. Mr. is estimated at from \$12,000 to \$15,000 Bethune is making money and legal fame

son is still absent from the House on acconsisting of Messrs. M. H. Gault, Wm. speaking of the member for Stormont the whole for the consideration of the Rungay, Edward Rawling, Thomas agents, or giontreal, waited upon him in his bedroom yesterday, urging the inad-Simpson and Walter Burke, life insurance visibility of taxing the Life Companies. "although he is a young man, and who past; in other words, to make it retroactive.

# MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Flour-Receipts 2,200 bbls; the market choice be what it may, and let the reconis without transaction, and no transac- struction take place when it will it is very the Building Committee, as follows: tions were reported in change; quotations evident that the boastings of the Oppo- That since the last meeting of the like engaging a man to do a piece of work ment enough for that poor woman, Mrs. of yesterday have continued as nominally sition have been more bounce and that Council the contractors have made satiswould have to be accepted. Grain and would have to be accepted. Grain and would have to be accepted, or all and strongly entrenched in power and are being covered in, floors laid, and the time, and adopted. would have to be accepted, Grain and er; firsts 75c-to \$1. Pearls-firsts 5,10 to likely to remain so as, profiting by exper- weatern wing received one coat of plas-

# THE KINGSTON MARKETS.

as the festive season sets in. To-day's shown great discrimination, picking out. Mr. Horsey, \$1,750; Mr. Robinson, \$300; by \$25. For the full continuing of McKelvey & Birch, \$ ; Powers & prison labour the Committee recommarket was splendid in consideration of the very best available man, and we make Son, \$400; Canadian Engine Company, mamended that a further supply of junk the cold weather. There was such an no doubt that the Premier will be equal- \$1800; total \$14,750. The site and build- be obtained at the most reasonable rate abundance of "good cheer" that every ly prudent in the choice of his new colone got all he wanted, and still the supply remained inexhausted. The poultry ply remained inexhausted. The poultry as we have said, that the reconstruction of the reconstruction as we have said, that the reconstruction councils and their decision theron. Councils and their decision theron. line suffered in an especial manner. Gen- will take piace until the House rises. They reported that an agreement had he should have \$50, but considerable ob- General Hospital. 4,049,68 erally considered prices are now modera- With Mr. Wood, Treasurer, Mr. Crooks, been entered into between the County jection had been taken against so much House of Industry 717,57 tely cheap, and while the quantity may Minister of Education, and Mr. Hodgins and the City, leasing such of the sites as of an advance. be increased there is little probability or other good man Secretary, Mr. Mowat will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the City for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the city for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the city for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the city for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the city for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the city for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the city for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the city for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the city for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the city for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the city for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey concurrant will be occupied by the city for 999 Mr. Wilmot and Mr. Godfrey of them varying much until after the would meet the House next session with after the would meet the House next session with would meet the House next session with that Mr. Corbett had done his best to Aid to Charitable Institutions Act of 18holiday season. 

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at 10:30. Opifer per Orbem Picor, were read and confirmed.

REMINDERS. SATURDAY. MEETING to consider a: Charity Ball

BUNDAY. TEMPERANCE Meeting at 4 p.m. Y.M C.A. Mosting at 8:15 p.m.

Society'in St. Mary's Cathedral, after Vespers CITY COUNCIL .- Regular Meeting-8 p.m.

## CABINET RECONSTRUCTION.

It is said that the Government will introduce its Education Bill on Monday, and that Mr. Crooks will thereupon take the new portfolio, handing over his present one to Mr. S. C. Wood, the Provincial Secretary. It is scarcely probable that the reconstruction will take place until after the season is closed, though it is generally thought to be settled that Mr. Wood will be Treasurer, His assumption of that office will give very general satisfaction, as he is admittedly conversant with the public accounts and is a forcible figure in the Chicago, Dec. 18. - The Cheap Trans- House, being in the latter respect a much

selection would be an admirable one, though it is perhaps against him that he Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 18. -Mrs. Bull is a Toronto lawyer. A contemporary, in mother of Mrs. Judge Von Brunt, utter- speaking of the member for West Elgin, ly denies the report telegraphed yester- says that "Mr. Hodgins is one of those day, that Judge does not recognize their "rarities, a political gentleman. He has marriage. She herself accompanied her "an extensive knowledge of constitutional daughter to England in April last and "law, is painstaking and energetic, is a the Judge followed. On his arrival out "fluent speaker and is very courteous and the marriage took place in Cambridge on 'fair to opponents, and for the latter readivided in demonination, and fully one a township matter.

June first. Two clergymen who per- "son the Opposition tried to get him no- half, if not more, were from the country. formed the ceremony were both cousins "minated as Speaker." Mr. Hodgins And if the County did not grant someof the bride. Mrs. Bull was not only a would certainly strengthen the Ministry thing towards its support the different witness but signed the register subse. by his ability and popularity, and, per-She lived two weeks with haps, will be Mr. Mowat's choice, with Mr. Spoor counselled moderation. The in the gaol yard for the purpose of obwhom he is a great favorite, and who House of Industry was not exactly a taining a better supp y of wa er. - Car-San Francisco, Dec. 18. -- A despatch would have put him in the Chair were it public institution, the townships being ried. from Carson (Nevada) says a man named not that he did not wish to offend Mr. charged for any poor sent to it. His

Thomas Burt was found this morning Wells, who had a sort of vested right in ly to aid the indigent. hanging to a gate of the cemetery. He the Speakership according to British pre- Mr. Fisher introduced a resolution, had been recently engaged in many cases cedent. Dr. Clarke, of Wellington, is seconded by Mr. Wilmet, that the House of arson and robbery, and had escaped also named as not unlikely to be asked to of Industry should be given \$200. imprisonment for want of legal evidence. take a seat in the Cabinet. The honorable Industry, being represented as the most pensation be made to the Warden for the Buffalo, N.Y. Dec. 18.—Yesterday two gentleman is best known as an ardent useful of the Institutions, should receive large amount of time he had lost in the tramps, named Avery and Norton, temperance reformer, and has now a Bill most aid.

injured a patrolman, who attempted their gulate the liquor traffic which is likely to that the House of Industry be granted Chairman of the Committee on County 20th inst. arrest after they had burglarized some of create great interest in the Province, and \$100; \$50 to the Orphan's Home, and Law Suits should also be paid something. the freight cars of the Central Road at will command and receive the very con- \$50 to the Hotel Dieu. any measure honestly looking in that direction deserves. If Mr. Mowat wishes charity all around. to snuff out Dr. Clarke he will make a Minister of him, for there is nothing like of Mr. Fisher as a complete "killer" to Messrs Rustan and Atcheson for services office to put the curb on hobby-horses, as the original resolution.

in the oatmeal mill of Messrs. Hogg & it brings their riders face to face with the The firemen's ball was in progress responsibilities which Independents and the Mayor last evening and learned from shoulder the responsibility of repairing at the time. The engine had hardly got Oppositionists do not feel. In addition to him that the House of Indstry was the the bridge, and he did not think those to work before it gave out in the cold, the Dr. Clarke, Mr. Bethune's name has been liberal in its disconnection of about the vilves being frozen. Assistance was at maintained as that of the next Secretary Mr. Spoor, went for a grant of \$100 to on se sent for to Preston, and an engine but that may be set down as altogether the House of Industry. and car sent to Berlin for its steamer. improbable. Mr. Bethune has just leap. Mr. Fisher amended his resolution by The fire meanwhile raged furiously, de- ed to the front as the lawyer enjoying increasing the grant to the House of In-

tirely, Messrs Young & Spears' collar and | to Bar and his bag is too full of briefs to | The first amendment (Mr. Fisher's) glove factory, and injuring the axe fac- allow him to think of taking office with was then carried. just now and is not likely to surrender 112, 113, 114 be read a second time and no retainer fee be charged for except your paper (the Weekly British Whig) that it will be leap year in one month. BY-LAWS.

new fields in official life. The contempo-COMMITTER OF THE WHOLE. rary from which we have quoted above in

says that "Independent of petty party Buck Lake bridge grant; Mr. Calvin in politics the rising man to the right of the chair.

They argued that it was most unjust to "has stepped into the practice of the Mr. Spoor moved that the by law be read tax Companies upon policies which had "newly appointed Chief Justice Harri- a third time that day week. ('A hoist.') been entered into upon good faith in the "son. His great failing as a politician that the blank in the first clause of the session. "and Parliamentary speaker is his undue by-law be filled up by inserting the sum

"modesty; but this will soon wear off no of \$75. Mr. Spoor's motion was carried, 12 vot-"doubt." Mr. Bethune's name may be scored out we should fancy as a candidate | ing yea, including the chairman. The committee rose and reported. for the vacant office. However, let the

a very strong contribution-stronger ev- report.-Carried.

The Council resumed. Several by-laws, confirming Township

Thomassen lis Thompson, who planned Justice, &c.

account of survey on the K. & P. RR. tive manner in which he has discharged suit, amounting to \$79.75, the Committee | the duties of his office during the current recommend that \$73,25 be paid in accord- year, and that he be paid the sum of \$100 ance with the bill as amended. The for extra service entailed upon them

Mr. Spoor further explained that it

ned by the Referee. He had ordered

The report was read clause by clause

under the Referee's directions \$1,50).

the report, Mr. Craig in the chair.

sation for his extra services.

of dog tax, was read.

The Council went into committee o

DOG TA

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Mr. Spoor moved, seconded by Mr.

The Finance Report was read, recom-

WARDEN'S SALARY. -

Mr. Wilmot suggested that some com-

The report was adopted.

-total \$925.91. Adopted.

for a fixed lawyer.

Mr. Wilmot objected to the by-law.

The Warden said there was nothing to

COUNTY PROPERTY.

Mr. Wilmot handed in the report of

to the contrary being suspended.

be gained or lost by the present

at present.

The minutes of yesterday's proceeding count of the costs in the suit without going into detail, which would occupy some gratitude. By-law No. 112, County by-law, contime, and require the assistance

firming by-law No. 199, of the Township of Storrington, relating to the sale of road allowances, was read a first time. By-law No. 14, to confirm by-laws No. by the Chairman up to the 29th tober or previous to the time the Referee 150 and 152, Township of Bedford, also relating to the sale of road allowances,

was read a first time. CHARITY. Mr. Cox moved, seconded by Mr. Con- payment of the amount of \$3,880 from the Counties of Lenn x and Addington, nelly, that the sum of \$50 be granted being the balance due the County aid to each of the following institutions: Frontenac by said Counties on settlethe Hotel Dieu, the House of Providence,

COUNTY COUNCIL.

THURSDAY .- The Council reassemb.

BY-LAW.

the House of Industry and Orphans' ties in 1864. was beyond his power to get the exact Mr. Wilmot gave them the Mayor's c sts of the expense of the suit. Since word to the effect that the House of In- 29th of October, all the orders have been

dustry had as many County poor in it as the city had; and they had to grant more or the County would have to support their own poor. It should have greater help if the other institutions did not receive any assistance. Mr. McRory thought they should make

a larger grant. The House of Industry the report was adopted in Council. was about the only institution in the city from which the County received a direct

In reply to Mr. Calvin the Warden said there was no doubt many poor people came from the County and were taken given to Townships. The by-law, re- Harty, Folger, P. R. Henderson, Jack into the House of Industry of whom the Council knew nothing.

repealing No. 43. Mr. Wilmot wished to make an amendment that the House of Industry got Mr. Calvin enquired about the Hoso'clock, the Warden presiding.

The Warden explained that the grant to the Hospital was made regularly and annually under a by-law.

At the suggestion of several members, the effect that with refere ice to the peti-Mr. Donaldson explained that at pre- tion from Mr. Roy, Tp. of Barrie, as to sent there were 60 persons in the House the repairs of the bridge across the Missis- general fund :of Industry. There were about equally sippi, no action be taken, it being solely

Mr. Vanluven held that the House of

Mr. McRory moved, seconded by Mr. great deal of work, and ought to be re-

Mr. Mills thought it was well enough should be allowed at the rate of two dolcould not see the necessity of distributing | Moved by Mr. Vanluven, seconded by Mr. Fisher, that the sum of two dollars Mr. Godfrey looked upon the resolution and mileage be given to the Warden,

The Warden held the same opinion. of order. The Council had declined to Mr. Graham had a conversation with

purpose of placing the Solicitor in a position to act in the interest of the County. which he could not do by a by-law passed in 1869, by which he could only act by

Mr. McRery's motion was lost. direction of the Warden and the Commit-

The Committee went into committee of

The by-law proposing to increase the

Mr. Graham handed in the report of

ience, they are avoiding those petty little | ter. The committee have every reason mistakes about which the Opposition ing will be ready for occupation in follows: made such a tremendous row, but which March next The following sums have That or the application of Mr. Corbett, in reality did not amount to a row of pins. been paid on account of the building : for an increase of salary, the Committee In taking in Mr. Wood Mr. Mowat has Mr. Tossell, \$4,000; Mr. Irving, \$5,500; recommended that the sum be increased

about \$2,000 in the building expenses, by law. The site was very satisfactory.

cross examination at the County Court time. PRINTING, &C.

Mr. Calvin moved, seconded by Mr. the Suer if and the She if ap wints the ing the time named; and for Institutions but she wasn't of much account at the ture in a legal document : how did future be done by competition between you write it?" "I touched the pin with the news offices. - Carried.

Mr. Spoor handed in the report of the er stone at a series at a series at the confessed he was an Committee on County Law Suits as fol- Mr. Spoor looked upon this as a grant tution from all sources, other than the accumulated financial troubles. She has American by birth, sud had changed his lows: That they have carefully examined of \$75 for a receipt of \$75 for a r name in order to escape punishment as a the bill presented by the Solicitor, and oakum picking. blockade-runner. He purchased the ex- join her father. In the afternoon she plosives on this side of the Atlantic, but mend that the balance due him, \$98.39, moved that the report be amended by ceeds the fourth of the money received bathed and dressed herself in a suit of had the clock-work machinery constructed be paid. The Committee also examined striking out that part relating to the from all sources other than that given by block. She went to a drug store and pur-... 0. 40 = 0.50 near Bremen and had ordered twenty cas- a statement of expenditure, made by the Government, then the additional aid chased morphine. Just as she was about the Government, then the additional aid chased morphine. Just as she was about granted shall be equal to the fourth to take it her brother anatched it from granted shall be equal to the fourth to take it her brother anatched it from 

recommend the same be paid. On the Fisher, that the best thanks be tendered hire on the Warden for the courteous and atten-

performing said duties. The Warden accepted the motion with

On motion of Mr. Mills: Municipal

Manuels were ordered for such townships

as were at present without them.

R R. DIRECTOR. took charge of the survey is \$3,961,42. On motion of Mr. Watkins, been or. Dennison received the sum of \$2 per day mony- Keep on contemplating it and you dered by the Referee. The Committee and mileage for his services as Railway di- won't hurt. had satisfaction in reporting the final rector,

SALE OF LAND. Moved by Mr. Spoor, seconded by Mr. to Europe. in Kennebec, be referred back, as the Council had no authority in the matter. - Carried.

The Council adjourned sine die, after a pleasant speech from the Warden on the happy relations which had existed among them during the year.

CHARITY DISPENSATION.

A meeting of the Committee appointand adopted with the addition of an et. try, granting the Clerk \$110 in compon The Committee rose and reported and held in the Council Chamber last night, open and the following proceedings were taken. A resolution was passed requesting Mr. The question of dog tax vas freely dis-Durnford to act as Treasurer of the gencussed, pro and con. The Clerk read the eral fund. A temporary sub-committee! Act on the matter. The opinion seemed to be general that more power should be | was appointed, consisting of Messrs. Winpealing the by-law for the collection of and Browne, to meet on Tuesdays and 27. The other kind of Bussess which Fridays at 5 p.m., in the Mayor's office, are specially desired by young men and for the purpose of examining applications maidens, were discovered some time pre-Mr. Vanluven gave notice of a by-law . The Council adjourned until 10 o'clock for refief. Mrs. Machar stated that there FRIDAY. - The Council met at 10:30 ed that \$100 be placed to the credit of adise forecoth! We should call it a hewl-The minutes of yesterday were read the Central Committee for the immediate purchase of wood.

Mr. Watkins handed in the report of the Committee on Roads and Bridges, to ed collectors in the several wards of the come round-shouldered if they massed city to canvass for subscriptions to the

In Victoria Ward-Principal Snodgrass, James Wilson, John Junningham,

In Sydenham Ward-Messrs. B. Robertson, W. Nicol, P. R. Henderson. In St. Lawrence Ward - Messrs. G. M. Macdonnell, Geo. Fenwick, A. Gunn, J. to superintend the deepening of the well McNaughton. In Ontario Ward-Messra George A.

Kirkpatrick, H. Folger, W. Stewart and M. Ford, Robert W. Barker, B. Baimending the payment of sundry accounts

> Messrs. McPhie, G. W. Yarker, W. A. store. Gunn and Issac Noble. In Rideau Ward-Messrs. Drennan, William McCammon, Duff, Carson and

In Cataraqui Ward - Dr. McCammon,

service of the County. He had had a Those gentlemen are requested to com-Flynn, in amendment to the amendment, munerated. He also thought that the mence work not later than Monday, the A committee consisting of Mesers, John Mr. Calvin thought that these officers

Carruthers, G. A. Kirkpatrick, W. Harty, fraction he bore up nobly under his name W. Stewart, B. Folger, A. Macphie and James Swift, were appointed to wait on the City Council and to urge upon them | shop Sunday a. m., to get his hair cut. the necessity of starting some public work | With all our vaunted civilization, we assistance. at once in order to afford relief to the un-The Warden thought the resolution out

The meeting adjourned to meet next Thursday evening at 7:30 in the same place, and subscribers to the fund are requested to be present upon that oc- dealer has labeled his goods with the fol- HAVE A MERRY CHRISTMAS — MAKE derstood that he will not exhibit a skeleton or casion for the purpose of deciding on the lowing effectine appeals. 'Carry me Mr. Spoor introduced a by-law for the course to be pursued in the distribution of the moneys collected. ----

# THE DAVIS CASE.

tee on County Law Suits. The by-law To the Editor of the BRITISH WHIG. revived and perpetuated by-law No. 45 Mr. EDITOR -I have just read insurance about \$8,000.

Quebec, Dec. 18.—Treasurer Robert
Quebec, Dec. 18.—Treasurer Robert-Gilmore murder. I for one would like ence stated that when at sea in storms W. W. CHOWN & BRO. the life of me I cannot see how the sarpy co nfort from that beautiful passage in Mr. Calvin did not see any necessity Mr. Snook explained that he had no headed jury could bring in a verdict of lady. power to represent the Council in any wilful murder against Mrs. Davis, or how place excepting in courts of law and any judge could sit and sentence a wo. A loaf of bread passed into Leavenworth equity. He could not act in arbitration. man to be hanged for her husband's and Mr. Clements' crime? I am a stranger of acid, and a roll of money. A country to all parties, and never was in Toronto, which grows such wheat as that cannot

but if that is Canadian law the sooner is attended to the better. My opinion is that Mrs. Davis was only an accessory slone. Take, for instance, the Jersey after the fact. Let people put themselves man who, having been sentenced to a In the first place it got too late in the Mr. Spoor moved, seconded by Mr. in her place, and how would they act ? fine of \$5 and costs, applied for a recon-Was she to proclaim her husband a vil-Godfrey, that By-law No. 116 be read lain, and deprive herself of house, home second and third times and passed, rules and exertibing? If she did then people and everything? If she did then people would exclaim, what a horrid wretch ! How is it Mrs. Sparham, who actually

held a victim, has escaped? Seven years any man right behind or right in front of imprisonment would be quite parish-

C. JONES. Brockville, Dec. 17, 1875.

Government Grants to Charities,

The amounts received by the different

Charitable Institutions of the city under the scale arranged by statute for the year 1875, and to be received for the year 18-

The Warden expressed the belief that | the General Hospital and Hotel Dieu re-Mr. Graham stated that they had saved the increase could not be made except by ceive twenty cents for each days sotual) Mr. Calvin had an amendment. He mitted to or being admirted in the Instimoved, seconded by Mr. Connolly, that tution during the calendar year next pre-Mr. Ashley be appointed gaoler at a sala- ceding the year for whi h such aid is given; Institutions such as the House of In-The Warden-The resolution is out of dustry a sum at the rate of five cents for order. The Connect had no control in each days actual lodgement and maintenthe matter. The Government appoints ance therein of any indigent person dur-

latter. "Then this is your signature" Spoor, that all matters relating to print| said the counsel pointing to a neat signature by this Council in | Mr Burke—What is the Gaoler's sala| half cents for each day's lodgment and New York, Dec. 17.—Miss Ellen Hathmaintenance of any orphan, neglected away, aged 19 years, of Brooklyn, abot Mr. Calvin-\$750, and free house, fuel or abandoned child. Further aid is pro- herself through the temple last, evening, And an immense assortment of all kinds of vided for at the rate, for Hospitals of 10 and killed herself. She was a beautiful The Clerk read copies of Bills now be- Mr. Spooner thought Corbett was get cents, and Orphans' Homes half a cent girl, a member of the Rev. Noah Schencks changes in the Municipal Act, and the church and sunday school, and the known in the society of Brooklyn Heights.

Acts relating to the Administration of vance. Mr. Mills held that the increase was it being provided, however, that the ag- Church with her mother, who kept a fashsimply an act of good faith -a fultillment gate amount of such further aid does not, ionable boarding house. Her father, for Next week the Store will be kept open of a promise made to him by the Coun- in any one year, exceed one fourth of the whom she had a strong attachment, left until 8 p.m. entire moneys received by any one Insti- Brooklyn six years ago in the midst of granting of the public aid. In cases sing a strong desire to go to Europe to the Government, then the additional aid chased morphine. Just as she was about named. Returns under the Act have to her and threw it in the fire. Ellen called

County election trial has been fixed for She fell on the floor without saying anoththe second day of Hilory Term, the 8th er word. When the family reached the

HUMOROUS PICKINGS.

Carried Unanimously-The harvest. -The first colored caucus—the crow, -Blunt men are generally sharp. A Great Bore - That of the eighty-

-What relation is profanity to crime-First cousts -When parties go out for a pleasure sailing, the seaside swells generally make

everybody sick. talks most violently of the eternal fitness -Mem. to those contemplating martri-

-This is the kind of weather that enables the boas plumber to dream of a trip The best way, or the easiest way, is &

save cost of trials. -Hazel-eyed people are said longer than other people. Dye your eyes f you don't wan't to die.

declare all murderers insane, and thus

fect bliss is unless he has cultivated that \$12 to 14. new six-side-step waltz. -A Detroit woman could think of but twenty-nine different ingredients to put

of losing her powers of memory. for the relief of the poor of the city, was | ed stockings prefer to kick the gate -Matriuronial history is a narrative of

many words; but the stery of true love may be told in a few letters. The old year is on the homestretch and the new year is upon us. many are going to egain turn over that

-Paradise is the name of a small town

-Omnibuses originated in Paris in 18-

were pressing demadds for aid which in the West, and the week before last, should be met at once, and it was resolv- seventeen children were born there. Par--Commence from to-day to cast out

retrospective glauces at the past, eleven The following gentlemen were appoint- months' sins. A fellow would soon themselves upon him all at once. Eh! -The idea of the devil originated by the Persians, who made him to typify hunger. That is what makes men say, "I'm as hungry as the devil; lets half a half dogen raw.

-Out of 400 religious publications the United States, the Methodists claim 47, the Roman Catholics 41, and the Baptists 35, the Presbyterians 29, and the -A Yankee editor thinks his children

"they continually do cry," there are persons who waste more time in looking for free drinks than would be required to honestly earn a whele liquor -"Kisses by the sea" in the title of a

new song; but we should think such kisees would be rather cold comfort this sort of weather. An experienced young man says they taste better by the parlor fire, and we believe him.

Guggenheimer, of Baltimore, has died in his 15th year. For fourteen years and a and then succumbed. -Chinese barbers have license to cut a

man's ears and nose off who comes into the have a thing or two to learn yet. -John Henry told her, in a joking way that he should offer her his heart and hand for a Christmas present, said if it was all the same to him would prefer a dollar breast-bin.

-A Fulton avenue (Brooklyn) shoe home to Mary, 'I'm beautiful,' 'Ain't I elegant? 'I'm dying to be bought,' 'I'll wear myself out in your service, 'You may tread on me for \$4," etc.

men are backward about saying something relative to their future coarse of life, in may console themselves with the thought

Scri ture, 'Faint heart ne'er won fair -You can't depend on Kansas flour. jail contained two files, a knife, a bottle expect to get ahead very fast.

-Some people won't let well enough in the penitentiary. -It was noticed in Church last Sunday

that two women can talk to each other the length of a pew, without being heard by them, and yet clearly understand each other -so wonderfully expressive is a woman's mouth.

wife-a strict church member-knocked her husband down with a pudding, stick and then held his head in a tub of dirty water until he was just ready to expire. Then she laid him on the lounge and, sitting by his side, read aloud a chapter in the Bible, and wound up the exercises by asking him if he didn't believe the time is coming when all men shall be good. -The other day a Vicksburgh father, finding it necessary to reprove his son, Juvenile Books, gently said: 'Don't stuff victuals into your mouth that way, my son; George Washington didn't eat in that manners'

The boy accepted the reproof without comment, and after pondering for awhile he remarked to himself: 'And I don't believe George Washington licked his boy 3,846,60 for finding a bottle of whiskey in the shed 931,09 when he was hunting after a horse shoe,

> MONTREAL STOCK MARKET. Montreal, Dec. 18.

Bank of Montreal-1804, 1804, 75 at Merchanta' Bank-921, 921, 15 at 921. Bank of Commerce-1181, 118. Ontario Bank-107, 1061: Bank of Toronto-000, 1804. R. Canadian Bank-94, 921. City Bank-00, 99. Montreal Telegraph-1574, 157.

the maid servant to the back parlor, and said, "Just feel how cold my hand is," THE PROTEST.—The Prince Edward and while the servent held her left hand,

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James Minnes, of a daughter.

In this city, on the 18th instant, Mary Anne, beloved daughter of Mr. John Kelly, P.O., aged 15 years, 6 months and 13 days, The funeral will take place on Monday, at 2

At Morven on 4th instant, Miss Charity Gordanier, aged 30 years.

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are cherubim and seraphim, for, he says Club will please give in their names to any of cents bound in elegant cloth. the members in order that they may be sub--An exchange truthfully remarks that mitted to the Committee in the usual manner. JAS. RICHMOND, Dec 18, 1875.

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A collection will be taken up at the clear of other anatomical preparations, as be considers it would not be in good taste before a public

The public are cordially invited to attend ...

GEO. B. MEADOWS. Dec 18, 1875. Gen. Secretary

N Princess Street, this morning A PORT-MONIE, containing about \$10. The finder will please return it to the BRITISH WHIG OFFICE and be rewarded



tholic Benevolent Union of Canada will be held in the St. Patrick's Hall, on MONDAY EVENING, Dec. 20th, for the election of offi-

cers and other important business. A full at-

P. J. NOLAN,

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