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THE TAY CANAL.

Sir Richard Cartwright some days ago gave notice that at a certain time he would ask the minister of railways and canals the following questions:

1. What were the total receipts from tolls on the Tay canal during the year from 1st Jan., 1893, to 1st Jan., 1894?

2. What was the cost of maintaining the said canal during the same period?

3. What was the total cost of the construction of the said canal to 1st Jan., 1894?

[Replying in due course Hon. Mr. Haggart said the receipts were $153.75, cost of maintenance, $2,486, and cost of construction, $476,128. Mr. Haggart is evidently principal beneficiary to the Tay canal, which branches off from the Rideau and runs to his saw mill near Perth. The public utility of the canal has always been open to question, and the experience in connection with it shows to what purpose the people's money has been applied. Of the Tay canal scandal more will be heard later on.

A TIMELY APPEAL.

The WHIG falls into line with the Hamilton "Herald" and "Spectator," and asks why the Gibson bill, which aims at the stamping out of personation at elections, should be limited to the four larger cities of Ontario. The Toronto "News" suggests an explanation which is not as reasonable as it would appear to be, namely that "it is only in large centres that personation is possible, that in small communities everybody knows everybody else, and the plugger would not think of attempting the wholesale frauds that are carried out in cities like Toronto." Nevertheless there are places not mentioned in Mr. Gibson's bill, not covered by it, in which personation has been extensively practised, in which some women, to their shame, have resorted to the grossest deception and so influenced an election. To be sure the women who have brought disgrace upon them in this connection have been acting under the guidance and inspiration of the men, but that they were so susceptible of evil, so easily persuaded to commit a fraud, stands out against them in that record which it has been the proud boast of women's suffragists to depict as purity itself. The law against personation should be made general, and it should be made mandatory. In this respect the sentiment of the Hamilton "Spectator" is re-echoed and emphasized. As the measure now stands it says deputy returning officers MAY issue warrants for the arrest of offenders. It should be changed to read that warrants MUST be issued for the arrest of offenders when they are personally conscious of fraud being committed, or when it is called to their attention. A law like this, in force in Kingston, would retire some people from a business which they have too long practised with impunity.

PUBLIC FINANCES.

The financial exhibit of Hon. Mr. Foster is an interesting study, and one fails to find in it the evidence of that economy which the conservative party is always preaching.

There is a promised decrease of $371,348 in the amount to be charged to the consolidated fund, which means the cost of government. The mind is carried back to the time when the conservatives were in opposition, and when it was declared by the party's financial critics that the Mackenzie government was extravagant when it expended $23,500,000.

It was intimated that the general expenditure should not be more than $22,500,000. Last year the expenditure was $36,814,000, and this it is to be $37,321,806. Admitting that there has been a great increase in the public business, that the machinery of government must be increased to cope with it, it is safe to say that eight or ten millions a year are expended in excess of what there should be, making the calculations upon the basis fixed by the tories themselves.

The increase in the public debt is a significant item. Next year the expenditure in this connection will be $12,228,253, an increase of $302,527. It couldn't be otherwise and use the public works of Canada as election bribes and levers. What between building canals and railways and buildings for the purpose of benefiting members of parliament and influencing constituencies the outlay of money has been enormous. There has been no limit to the extravagance because Canada's credit is good and money is easily borrowed. But the burden of the public debt is becoming a heavy one to carry, and it is a question if both the borrowing power and burden-bearing power of the country have not reached a limit.

There is just one other notable point. The revenue does not indicate any serious change in the collections through the tariff. The revision, therefore, promised by the government is simply a party shuffle for the removal of unpleasantnesses arising from the protective system. The high tariff is evidently a fixture, with all that the high tariff implies.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Brockville and New York Bridge company talk of building at once a great cantilever bridge between Brockville and Morristown. Total length 5,560 feet, and estimated cost $2,500,000.

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Yellow Martin promises to be a thorn in the side of the premier during the present session of the dominion parliament. It was an evil day for Sir John Thompson, when he took to calling the member for Winnipeg bad names.

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Mr. Lepine, M.P., Montreal, the representative of the labor interests, wants flour, oatmeal, corn, oats, meats, butter, cheese, eggs, strawberries, small fruits and lard, placed upon the free list. Hitherto he has been voting high tariff at the beck of the government.

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Prince Edward Island is to have a trial of the single tax. The premier has just made an announcement to that effect. He holds it wrong to tax industry, thrift and enterprise. The idea is growing steadily and sooner or later it must be dealt with by the legislators of Ontario.

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The Toronto "World" is very much annoyed at Mr. McCarthy for presuming to legislate for the north west territories in educational matters. But Dalton will probably go right on with his work quite oblivious or indifferent to protests of the "World." Though formerly friends, they are not now in tune.

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Grand Master Dalemere, of the grand Orange lodge of Ontario east, has declared against the exemption of property held for religious purposes. He distinguishes between the church itself and its annexes and the lands surrounding it. It's an advanced idea, but the people are not ready to vote upon it yet.

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The university of Toronto is suffering for lack of money to erect a new chemical laboratory, and will continue to suffer as the government will not make it the grant it desires. If like Queen's the provincial university had to depend upon the bounty of its friends and supporters it would not be so expensively run.

Mothers.

The mother's heart is the child's schoolroom.—H. W. Beecher.

All I am, or hope to be, I owe to my angel mother.—Lincoln.

An ounce of mother is worth a pound of clergy.—Spanish proverb.

The future destiny of the child is always the work of the mother.—Napoleon.

Unhappy is the man for whom his mother has not made all other mothers venerable.—Richter.

Youth fades, love droops, the leaves of friendship fall, but a mother's secret hope outlives them all.—Holmes.

If the whole world were put into one such scale and my mother into the other, the world would kick the beam.—Lord Langdale.

I think it must be somewhere written that the virtues of mothers shall occasionally be visited on their children as well as the sins of fathers.—Dickens.

Literary Notices.

The April number of the "Methodist Magazine" is a special memorial of the late lamented Dr. Douglass. It contains a fine portrait and eloquent tributes by the Rev. Dr. Carman, Rev. Dr. Potts, Rev. Dr. W. I. Shaw and Rev. Hugh Johnston. The "Magazine," with its well-selected matter, should commend itself to all lovers of good reading.

The "Delineator" for May is called the "College Commencement Number," and contains articles especially interesting to students. It is issued by the "Delineator" Publishing Co., Toronto.

April "Worthington's" fully sustains the reputation gained by previous numbers. It is rapidly gaining popular appreciation. "American English," by Richard Burton, a critical essay, will command special attention from writers and speakers.

To Remedy Defects.

Toronto Globe.

Dr. Meacham, of Odessa, has introduced a bill in the Ontario legislature to remedy an occasionally vexatious defect in the municipal act. At present it is provided that the first meeting of the township councils be held on the third Monday in January, and the first meeting of county councils on the fourth Tuesday in the same month. When Jan. 1st falls on Tuesday the meetings must be held on consecutive days, and some members are obliged to cover a large amount of ground during the night to attend both meetings. The bill also extends the time a farmer's son may be from home without being disfranchised. The municipal act now gives the franchise to farmers' sons who have not been more than four months from home, while the assessment act fixes the time at six months. Mr. Meecham's bill make the six months limit uniform in both acts.

Delusion About India.

Marion Crawford manages to destroy several illusions in an article on "Gods of India," to appear in April "Century." India has been kept alive in the imagination of mankind by a few stereotyped phrases, mainly the inventions of extravagantly enthusiastic poets. The fact is that India has no history worth mentioning until the time of the Mohammedan conquest. There is nothing to take hold of, nothing that the most ingenious schoolmaster can find to teach. The gentle Gautama has no followers in India; that there are no Buddhists at all there. The land is given over to the grosser worship of Vishnu and Siva.

Sale Of Fancy Stock.

On Saturday Joshua Legge, of the stock breeders' association, was in the city. He says the association will meet in Toronto on Thursday and Friday of next week, and will fix a date and place for a public sale of fancy stock. Mr. Legge will try to induce the association to cause the sale to take place here during the Midland central fair. Such a sale has always been held in the west, but some of the members think it would be in the interest of the association to have a sale in the east.

Parks Will Have To Be Improved.

This morning Mr. Phillips, the new caretaker of the parks, said that he intended getting the grounds ready for cultivation. There are several holes in the park in Frontenac ward, which need filling up, and this work will be done right away. He says the other parks need to be greatly improved. The walks are in a very bad state and will have to be renewed with gravel and cinders.

He May Defend A Suit.

Mr. Gowdy, butcher, has been requested by the city solicitor to bear half of the expense of the damages awarded Miss Anne Ford, who fell over a wire fence protecting Mr. Gowdy's boulevard. Mr. Gowdy may defend an action, because he can prove that a man was given permission to protect a boulevard with a wire fence.

Long Time Between Drinks.

A couple of prisoners arrived in charge of deputy sheriff Jarvis, Toronto, Saturday, to serve a term for house-breaking in Windsor. When they were being conducted from the train, one of them exclaimed: "Three years for refreshments."

In Favor Of The Change.

Hugh Rankin of Collinsby, says he has not changed his mind on the matter of petitioning the legislature to add the township of Kingston to the riding of the county of Frontenac. The township should never have been cut off from the county.

CIRCLE OF THE CHURCHES

(Continued from Page One.)

Ellis. The programme was very pleasing. Organist Fisher's renditions were remarkable.

Rev. George Cross, B.A., a graduate of McMaster university, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Baptist church, Carleton Place, and will be installed in May.

The services in St. John's church, Portsmouth, were very interesting yesterday. In the evening a full choral service was given under the direction of Miss Meta Cobbs.

Immanuel church, Portland, is this year to be improved by the addition of a tower. When this is built it will be a handsome edifice and will show up well from the lake front.

Rev. M. W. Chase, Ogdensburg, has received a call from the First Methodist church, Oswego, N.Y., at an increase of salary. He has accepted. The arrangement will probably be ratified by appointment by the bishop.

The choral services in St. Paul's church were very attractive. The singing was conducted by Rev. Mr. Coleman. There was a full choir, the solo parts being taken by Mr. Warrington and Mr. Appleton. Mrs Betts sang "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" very sweetly.

There was a large attendance at the services in St. Luke's church, Williamsville. In the evening the building was packed and the Easter decorations were very handsome. The altar was covered with the newest flowers that grow in the conservatories in Cataraqui and vicinity.

The services in St. George's cathedral were of an especial character yesterday. In the morning a full choral service was given including the "Te Deum," by Dr. Stanier. There was also a full communion choral service, and the metropolitan preached an able sermon. In the evening Wesley's service was given, and a solo by Master Gerald Saunders, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," was excellently given. Several selections were sang from the Messiah. Rev. Mr. Lowe preached. There were large congregations at both services.

ELGINBURG EVENTS.

The Matters That a Correspondent Finds Time to Dilate Upon.

ELGINBURG, March 20.—Do you ask what is hanging on the corner of E. Buck's house? Why it's a boot, and means you to understand that as Edward has bought the plant of the late Robert Lindsay, he is preparing to supply a long felt want. James Lake has added a nice show case to his store furniture. J. W. Martin is kept busy in his feed mill. J. Richard's barn with stone basement for stable is well under way. Joshua Knight is preparing to build a silo and William Horning a large stable. It is said there is "a time to break down, and a time to build up." When the time was that the little log house on the east of Main street (formerly owned by the late Mrs. Stinson) was built we cannot guess as it was in the long, long ago; but S. Jackson thought last week the opportune time to "break down" those walls which have for long been looked upon as a relic of a generation gone. Nothing now remains but the massive stone chimney as a monument at least of its own greatness.

I have not seen it for myself, but I have it on good authority, that notwithstanding the peaceful habits of our citizens, two of them at the present time have a bruised nose flanked by a black eye on either side. The didn't come in collision with each other, either. Smith Clixby planted a hay stack in a very conspicuous part of his farm. His near neighbor, Thomas Guess, has a herd of good cows that have a liking for nice, sweet clover, and seeing nothing in the way, they sauntered across to the stack so inviting and helped themselves like boys in a sugar bush. Mr. Clixby considered himself damaged to the amount of from twelve to twenty dollars. Mr. Guess thought six dollars should cover all damage done. Mr. Clixby took the matter to court, and Judge Price decided that nine dollars should be paid by Mr. Guess. The custom of carrying such matters to court has not prevailed here for many years. Neighbors usually settle such little matters without the cost and trouble of litigation. John Long has moved onto the Fralick farm, which he has bought. He brings a large stock of horses, cattle and poultry.

The Patrons of Industry have secured the shoe shop of the late R. Lindsay in which to store their supplies. The list of sick has kept up in an unusual manner up to the present time. Mrs. J. Porter is improving. Mrs. James Bearance, who has had a very severe attack of pneumonia, is recovering. Miss Edith Spooner, who has had a short but quite severe attack of inflammation, is quite better. Herbert Johnston had his foot quite severely crushed last week. He slipped and fell off a load of ice, his foot getting under the wheel of the waggon. The moves of our fashionable dressmaker are being watched as it is quite usual for a wedding to follow in her wake.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

A Local Difficulty.

ARDEN, March 20.—(To the Editor): I am a resident and ratepayer of Kennebec township. The public road which crosses my place at this season of the year becomes flooded, so as to make travel for the back settlers impassable, unless they go around the water through my meadow. This road could be raised above water for a small amount. I offered Reeve Pringle to do it for $100, but instead the council agreed to exempt me from taxes as long as they used my meadow for a public road. This I can prove by W. R. Hays, Arden, who was one of the council at the time. Last year Mr. Pringle was not satisfied and sent the collector out to collect my taxes, contrary to the agreement. This year the reeve will have to furnish his people with a road as they are inclined to be breechy and jump my fences and come through my meadow. This they will have to stop.—Yours truly, S. W WHITMARSH.

Farmers' Clubs.

Clubs of Patrons of Industry are being created all over Frontenac, no less than seven having been formed in one week within the township of Kingston. Purchasing agents and stores are being selected and in every way the farmer is banding himself against the merchant. The system the Patrons operate under is the cash system, and therefore it must have a reforming effect upon the mind generally. Experience has shown that the farmer will come to town and collect every cent for his produce before he lets it out of his hands. He will then go to the citizen and the merchant for credit, and this credit may sometimes run on for years without his paying attention to accounts or requests for payment. At the end of three or four years, when the bill has run up to a goodly amount, he will come in and ask for a discount in view of the size of the account. The creditor, if he is weak enough, thus loses both interest and part of his original account. If the lodges of Patrons of Industry, therefore, do no more good than teach the farmer fair play and cash principles it will have done good service. The newspaper publisher will welcome them, since he is the worst treated of individuals under the credit system.

The Flag Came Down.

At Baker City, Oregon, the hoisting of a green streamer, under the stars and stripes, by Henry Rust on his opera house, roused the indignation of citizens, St. Patrick's day. The street was packed with an excited crowd. Mayor Palmer refused to reverse the flags. After a brief council the mayor instructed the chief of police to haul down the green streamer. It was done and the crowd dispersed.

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FROM THE GREAT NOR'-WEST.

What "Whig" Correspondents Have to Tell Its Many Readers.

WHITE WATER, Man., March 20.—Weather fine; snow nearly all gone; farmers will be seeding in a few days. Many farmers fell short in getting out the fire wood owing to the snow going off so soon. William Holden, late of Calabogie, has rented a farm here and intends putting in 100 acres of wheat; he is fitting his house up. It is supposed that some of the young ladies will be missing from Clyde Lake and Tody Hill as a good many bachelors around here are from that part.

BOISSEVAIN, Man., March 19.—The weather is very mild at present and has been during the entire winter, with the exception of a very few days of cold, at which times the mercury ranged from 35° to 40° below. We have not envied the Frontenacers in the above respect during the winter. On Thursday, 15th inst., a very large number of farmers gathered at the masonic hall to consider the question of organizing an institute, and to listen to an address, delivered by S. A. Bedford, of the experimental farm, Brandon. Mr. Miller, reeve, occupied the chair. An institute was formed with a roll of thirty-five members. Mr. Bedford furnished some very valuable information and important hints.

It is said that three miles north-west of town there has been found some good brick clay, but in what quantities is not known. Should it abound in sufficient quantities to warrant work being started it would prove a great help to the available supply of quarry stone. The Salvation army opened fire on Saturday, 17th inst., and continued the bombardment until Tuesday, when they took their departure for Winnipeg. During their stay here a number of people were shot and many prisoners captured. A young son of Thomas Johnson, while handling a gun that had been previously loaded with salt to shoot a dog, managed to cut away part of his brother's leg instead, the charge striking below the knee.

W. T. Musgrove, who has been seriously ill for some time is, we are pleased to learn, recovering. His many friends hope for an immediate recovery. The old Methodist church property has been purchased by George Pugsley. The building will be torn down, and in its stead will be erected a double tenement house of stone. The work on the latter will be started as soon as the weather permits. Alexander Houston shipped a carload of cattle up to Gull Lake on Tuesday, with the intention of going into the ranching business there. Considerable building will be done this year. The addition to the town in buildings last year exceeded $32,000. Seeding will soon be going on.

MEN'S MILLINERY.

The Ladies Did Not Have it All Their Own Way—A Good Concert.

NAPANEE, March 23.—The concert given by the athletic society of the collegiate institute, on Thursday last, was not as successful as it otherwise would have been owing to it being on a conflicting date with the Arthur Lloyd entertainment. The programme was a full and very satisfactory one, the mandolin club being worthy of special mention. Mr. Taylor, of the Tweed "News," spent Good Friday in town. Misses Belle Pollard, Sarah Mills and Frazer Bowerman, school teachers, spent their Easter holidays under the parental roofs.

Arthur Lloyd, in two hours' fun, appeared before a good house on Thursday night. The annual meeting of the Napanee Sunday school association was held in the Presbyterian church on Friday evening.

Rev. C. O. Johnston conducted services in the Western Methodist church on Sunday, morning and evening. The church was beautifully decorated by the Y.P.A. with evergreens and flowers, and suitable emblems in evergreen adorned the walls. Large congregations greeted the speaker on each occasion.

The leading merchants held their spring millinery opening on Saturday. The displays were not large, but were very tastefully gotten up. Joseph McAlister, our leading gents' furnisher, not to be outdone, had a men's millinery opening that from an artistic and general usefulness point of view, put the ladies' openings out of sight. Will Henry, Toronto, is spending the Easter holidays in town. The Misses Frankie and Helen Asselstine, Kingston, are spending the Easter holidays with their aunt, Mrs. R. A. Shorey. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Brockville, spent Easter with L. F Moore. Mr. Patterson is a conductor on the G.T.R. Mrs. Sherwood is visiting her daughter in Toronto.

BEDFORD MILLS BRIEFS.

Reasons Why The Railway Should Run Near Singleton's.

BEDFORD MILLS, March 19.—Sugar-making and muskrat hunting is the principal occupation just now. The boys are watching for the fish to begin to run. They are also laying low for George Bilton, fish warden, of Newboro. Tett Bros. intend to dehorn their entire stock of cattle to-morrow. It would be well if some of the cattle which pasture on the roadside were dehorned, perhaps there would be less fences thrown down. James Bell has rented Miss Emma Bell's farm near Newboro and intends moving the 1st of April. Fred. Page and family have returned home from the lumber shanty.

James Taylor moves to Chaffey Locks, where he has rented a farm. M. O'Neil has sold his farm in Bedford and bought Thomas O'Brien's farm at Massassaga. Many people in this section are in hopes of seeing the Kingston & Smith's Falls RR. built this coming summer, and that it will cross the Brockville & Westport RR. at Singleton. It being a good level country will be an important fact for the company to consider. Singleton is only three miles from Newboro and at the foot of Mud lake. The best fishing grounds is another point to consider, also the people around here would patronize the road rather than to go to Kingston by water or drive thirty miles, which we have to do at present. Cheese factories are very numerous in this section. Many new ones are being built every year and there are many more reasons too numerous to mention why the road should cross at Singleton rather than further east. Visitors: R. Spicer, New Dublin; Miss Amey, Bedford; R. Croskey, Salem.

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CONSECON, March 18.—The farmers are busy preparing for spring work. Roads are drying very fast. Manson Gould is repairing his house. Rev. Mr. Briden intends leaving at the end of the year. He says he has too much work. Fred Corey has gone to Havelock to commence tailoring. Dr. Philp has gone to Boston for a few days. Wild geese and ducks are plentiful. George Howe has moved to John Howe's place. He intends working it. John Palmer is moving to his own place.

A Threat From Collins Bay.

Hugh Rankin said, to-day, that residents of Collins bay catch pike and suckers in the creek at this season of the year and they are determined to resist any interference with their operations on the part of the inspector.

Its Excellent Qualities

Commend to public approval the California liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs. It is pleasing to the eye, and to the taste and by gently acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels, it cleanses the system effectually, thereby promoting the health and comfort of all who use it.

NEWS OF ALL QUARTERS.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS OF LATE WORLD'S NEWS.

The Affairs in Which Men Are Interested—The Daily Occurrences That Make Up the Conversation in All Climes—Rolled Down For Busy Readers.

Denver sports are figuring to have the Jackson-Corbett fight there.

Small-pox has broken out among the Chinese in the bonded warehouse in Vancouver.

Polygamous Mormons continue to move to Mexico, where they are establishing colonies.

Montreal defeated Ottawa by three goals to one Thursday night for the eastern hockey championship.

Rev. R. N. Burns, B.A., Toronto, was elected president of the Methodist young people's association of Ontario.

A London despatch says Sir Cunliffe Owen died of heart disease, Friday, at his residence, No. 13, Kirkley Cliff, Lowestoft.

It is stated that A. T. Freed, editor of Hamilton "Spectator," will succeed T. H. McKenzie as inspector of weights and measures.

In Washington it is rumored that secretary of state Gresham and interior secretary Hoke Smith threaten to retire from the cabinet.

Bradstreet's reports forty-one business failures in Canada the past five days, as compared with thirty in a week of six days one year ago.

Prendergast, who assassinated Mayor Harrison, of Chicago, was to have been hanged Friday, but a respite has been granted till April 6th.

A Montreal despatch announces that Ross Mackenzie, the old time lacrosse player, is about to leave the services of the C.P.R., to take the managership of the Niagara Falls electric railway.

Charlie O'Neil, a young Englishman, was caught in the ice while crossing the Niagara river in a boat on Thursday and drowned. The accident happened on the Canadian side, opposite Youngstown.

There is four feet of snow at Deadwood, South Dakota. At Cheyenne, Wyoming, all railroad traffic is suspended owing to the blizzard. The snowfall is general in the north-western states.

The "Independent," Dublin, says that Edward Blake should state exactly whether the sums which he has announced as Canadian subscriptions were merely loans made for the purpose of gulling the public.

A large number of French-Canadian families are arriving at Montreal from the states, owing to so many factories being closed or running on short time. They intend returning to the states when business improves.

During the year from March 1st, 1893, to the same date in 1894, six thousand car loads, containing 62,476 tons of hay, passed from Canada into the United States at Niagara Falls. The value was $561,104 and the duty was $249,904.

At New York Justice Newton pleaded guilty of omission in failing to redistrict the town of Gravesend and sentenced to nine months' imprisonment and a $500 fine. For contempt of court Newton was given thirty days additional and a fine of $250.

Fine carriages, with rubber tires, are coming into vogue in New York. They cost $100 for a set of four, and rarely last more than one season, but they are a great comfort to those who can afford them, making the motion of the carriage easy and noiseless.

The Toledo "Commercial" says a suit will be entered by the American electric company against the Bell telephone company. It is claimed that the Bell company have appropriated the multiple switchboard, which is the patent of Martin J. Carney, formerly of Toledo.

The editor of the Aberdeen, Scotland, "Free Press," Dr. Alexander, has died lately at the age of sixty-seven. He will be much regretted; humble, thoughtful, strong in the cause of truth and freedom in church and state, he has left his name in the literary world as the author of several books, written in the Aberdeen dialect of broad Scotch, still much appreciated and which will never die entirely as Burns and Alexander and Barrie use it to express the deepest emotions of humanity.

Toronto's Financial Budget.

TORONTO, March 24.—The estimates of the expenditure for the coming year was brought down to-day by the city treasurer. The total estimate of maintenance expenditure for the year 1894 is $3,243,050 against $3,325,000 last year. This expenditure represents a taxation of sixteen and five-eighths mills. Last year it was seventeen and a quarter mills. This estimate does not include $76,000 which the public schools asks for, for new schools, and which, if added to the amount to be raised by taxation will bring the rate to seventeen and one-eighth mills. The total estimate of expenditure for all purposes for the year is $5,010,000, the difference between this sum and that for maintenance being raised by debentures, etc. For the first time in ten years, there is a net decrease in the city debt of about $200,000.

Let Off On Suspended Sentence.

Latta, of Belleville, accused of bigamy, in marrying Miss Pollard, of Adolphustown, while another wife was living, was let off on suspended sentence at Napanee on Saturday. In 1889 he was married to Miss Ida Dillingbeck, of Plainfield, at Trenton by Rev. Mr. Gee. They had one child and the woman is now living with a man named Henry Emsley, on Stone street, near the Station road school, Belleville. Latta is said to be weak-minded.

What Caused Death.

Mr. Cass, a very poor man, died yesterday afternoon at his home. Deceased had been working in the woods, chopping most of the winter, and was obliged to walk twenty miles into the city. On the way he got his feet wet and inflammation set in on Saturday night. The unfortunate man died last night.

Broken in Health

That Tired Feeling, Constipation and Pain in the Back

Appetite and Health Restored by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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