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REMINDEES.

MONDAY.
Opening of Evening Classes at the Dominion Business College.
Monthly meeting of Minden Lodge.

DIED.

WARWICK—In this city, on Jan. 6th, Mrs. C. J. Warwick, sr., aged 70 years.
The funeral will leave the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. W. H. Asselstine, corner of Johnson and Alfred streets, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

WANTED.

A TEACHER for School Section No. 4, St. George's, Kingston, a FEMALE TEACHER, holding a second or third class certificate. Apply, stating salary, to W. J. BLACKLOCK, Secretary, Glenburnie P.O.

FOR SCHOOL SECTION No. 14, Township of Kingston, a FEMALE TEACHER, holding a second or third class certificate. Apply, stating salary, to W. J. BLACKLOCK, Secretary, Glenburnie P.O.

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THAT NEAT TWO-STORY ISOLATED FRAME DWELLING HOUSE and Premises, bounded by Sydenham, North and Bay Streets, Kingston, at present occupied by Mr. Henry Handerson. For terms apply to MACDONNELL & MURPHY.

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OFFICE, large, central, well fitted. Terms reasonable. Possession immediately. Apply "Box," Whig.

THE RESIDENCE on Simcoe Street, lately occupied by Rev. A. W. Cooke; double house, of nine rooms; two cellars; good yard and stable. Apply next door, or to B. ROBINSON, at King & Co's Drug Store.

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PIANO REPAIRS of all kinds on Uprights and Squares, executed at the Weber Factory, corner of Prince and Gordon streets, Kingston. No more durable or well-toned instrument in Canada than the G. M. WEBER UPRIGHT. Moderate in price and unequalled by any Canadian instrument.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED WHOLE OR SEPARATE TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for the New Upper Canada College," will be received at this Department until Twelve o'clock noon on WEDNESDAY, the Twenty-third day of January, for the several works, materials, etc., required in the erection and construction of the proposed

NEW UPPER CANADA COLLEGE BUILDING.

Tenders must be on the printed forms to be obtained at this Department, and must be signed with the actual signature of every person tendering (including each member of the firm), followed by their post office address, and with all blanks in the forms properly filled in. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Education, equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party tendering declines or fails to enter into a contract when called upon to do so. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

For the due fulfillment of the contract, satisfactory security will be required on real estate or money or satisfactory approved securities to the amount of ten per cent. on the bulk sum, to become payable under the contract the amount of the above mentioned cheque may be taken as part of said security.

To each tender must be attached the actual signatures of at least two responsible and solvent persons, residents of Ontario, willing to become sureties for the carrying out of these conditions, and the due fulfillment and performance of the contract in all particulars.

The plans and specifications can be seen in the Reception Room of the Parliament Buildings on Front Street, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each week day.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

GEO. W. ROSS,
Minister of Education,
Education Department (Ont.),
Toronto, Jan. 4th, 1888.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of William Ewart.
PURSUANT to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chapter 10, Section 36, notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having claims upon or against the estate of William Ewart, late of the Village of Portsmouth, in the County of Frontenac, Ontario, who died on or about the 1st day of December, A.D. 1888, are, on or before the 1st day of February, 1889, to send by post-prepaid to Macdonnell & Mudge, of the City of Kingston, Ontario, Solicitors, their Christian and Surname, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the security, if any held by them; and that on and after the said first day of February, 1889, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, regard being had only to the claims of which notice shall have been given as above required. And the said executor will not be responsible for the assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or claims-notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

ALEXANDER CAMERON,
Executor.
Dated this 19th day of Dec. A. D. 1888.

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Charcoal in large or small quantities.
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THE LEADING UNDERTAKER PRINCESS STREET

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

News Paragraphs Picked Up by Our Reporters in Their Rambles.

Overcoats at reasonable prices at Lambert & Walsh's.

For genuine Scranton No. 4 coal go to the Gas Works yard.

The funeral of the late S. Vince on Saturday afternoon was a large one.

Cool Burgess, the inimitable negro delineator, is around again with a troupe.

A bet of \$100 aside was wagered on Saturday in the result of the mayoralty election.

It was J. Jones who was presented with a portrait of himself by the members of the Sons of Temperance division.

On Saturday the charge preferred against O. McGuinness, for selling liquor contrary to the license act, was dismissed.

The public schools opened to-day. The prizes and honour certificates were presented to the successful winners.

For dry oak and soft maple, soft wood and hard wood at lowest prices, go to Crawford's, foot of Queen street.

The school trustee ballots are printed on coloured paper to distinguish them from aldermanic and mayoralty ballots.

The grand president will not be able to attend the installation of the Sons of England, as expected, on Tuesday evening.

Breck & Booth have the best slabs, hard wood and dry blocks. You can get just what you want in the fuel line at their yard.

Owing to the scaffold being coated with ice and snow men were unable to work at the erection of the new water tower to-day.

X Q's us, but if your pants R C D & U B Y's, U will get a new pair from Lambert & Walsh, 110 Princess St., they R X C dingly reasonable.

There has just arrived at J. Campbell's wood yard, Ontario street, the best stock of sawed or unsawed maple, also the best of dry slab wood.

Beautiful hair goods; dress and mantle making; agents for the Caniff corset. All work guaranteed. Miss Richardson, over Walsh & Stacy's, 106 Princess St.

Captain R. LaRush leaves for Picton to-day to look after the building of his sloop. He has given the contract to William Redmond of that place. The boat will cost over \$2,000.

Richmond, Orr & Co. are now offering their large and well-bought stock of cloths of all sorts, suitable for ladies, gentlemen's, or children's wear at sale prices. See their advertisement.

The Toronto creditors of the De Bancier Bros., storekeepers, Merrickville, have accepted that firm's offer to compromise at 60c. on the dollar. Liabilities, \$18,000; assets nominally equal.

The household troops band, (Salvation army), was met at the G.T.R. depot on Saturday by the band connected with the Kingston corps, and the life and drum band belonging to the True Blue association.

Immense buckwheat cakes. Our buckwheat flour makes the finest cakes, our bread flour is the finest in the land, cooking apples, table apples, 20c peck; lemons, 20c; oranges, 20c; cranberries, 10c. James Crawford.

The annual meeting of the Central farmers' institute of Ontario will be held in Toronto on February 5th, 6th and 7th. The constitution allows two delegates from each local institute, the expenses to be borne by the institute sending them.

Your money is better to us than goods, no matter how cheap. Roll bacon, 12c; cooking apples, 20c; table apples, 20c a peck; lemons, 20; oranges, 20c; cranberries, 10c; roll and tub butter, fresh celery, potatoes, Cambridge sausages. James Crawford.

F. J. Leigh, manager of the locomotive works, was in Ottawa on Friday on business connected with the new pumps. He stated that the company was getting on well with the moulds, and expected to have the flume work ready for placing by the end of the month.

The 180th volume of *Littell's Living Age* opens with January. During the long existence of this standard weekly magazine its value has constantly increased. The American reader who wishes to keep informed in the work of the best writers and thinkers of the day must take it.

Men interested in the Napanee & Tamworth railway laugh at the idea of the Yarker Harrowsmith connection being abandoned. "The first suggestion of such a thing I read in your paper," said Captain Carter to-day. "We would hardly ask parliament to pass acts for us if the schemes were to be thrown overboard."

Sergeant Boutillier, "A" battery, was in Belleville on Saturday to ascertain the whereabouts of Private Jarvis, who deserted a few days ago, and was being taken back to the barracks when he again effected his escape. He goes under a number of aliases, is 21 years of age, and about 5 feet 7 inches in height, and very heavily built.

The annual convention of the Ontario branch of the Dominion Temperance Alliance will be held in Toronto on Tuesday and Wednesday, January 22nd and 23rd. The convention will consider the Scott act, the alliance platform, adopted at Montreal last July, and the desirability of carrying out its principles in provincial as well as in dominion elections.

Mrs. Mary Hallock Foote has written a three part novelette, "The Last Assembly Ball, a Pseudo-Romance of the Far West," for *The Century*, beginning with the March number. "The Romance of Dollard," by Mrs. Gatherwood, will be completed in February number. Mrs. Foote, wife of a civil engineer, has spent most of her married life in the mining camps of the West.

Of the musical organization to appear here on Thursday, the *New York Telegram*, says: "The Hungarian Gypsy band has created a furor. The performance is spirited and interesting to the highest degree, their quaint melodies full of wild passions never falling to sway the public." Petroleum N. Naby said the performance was a revelation. It was like hearing Patti after listening to the average concert singer.

SUGAR MEN ELECTRIFIED.

"PROFESSOR" FREUND'S REFINING PROCESS EXPOSED.

A Million Dollars sunk in the Scheme—Sugar Materializing Somewhere and Elsewhere Taken In.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The stories about a secret process for refining raw sugar by means of electricity, which succeeded in securing which interest, establishing a company with a capital stock of \$1,000,000 and attracting many shareholders to it on both sides of the Atlantic, but especially in England, have been relegated to the city and impracticable realms which boast an equally amazing scheme for extracting sunbeams from cucumbers. Early on Tuesday persons interested in the Electric Sugar Refining Company were first disturbed by a dispatch from London which stated that the stock of the company had dropped from £80 to £12. The cause of the tumble may be summed up in a sentence as concise and comprehensive as the often quoted chapter on Snakes in Iceland. There is no electric sugar refining process. The founders and promoters of the company, it appears, have been the dupes of a party of rascally Westerners, whose headquarters are at Milan, in Michigan.

Some four years ago an elderly German named Henry C. Freund, whose knowledge of chemistry and electricity gained for him the title of "Professor," came to New York from the West with his wife. He presently began to promulgate rumors in business circles that he was the possessor of an important secret of his own discovery, which would revolutionize sugar refining all over the world. Freund gave a number of exhibitions here at which he was wont to invite the attention of his onlookers to a wooden table, on which stood, covered by a cloth, a something which he described as the electric refining machine. They might look, but they mustn't touch. They could see that the veiled mystery was toy-like in size. They were allowed to thump on the floor in order to satisfy themselves that there were no trap-doors, and to look around the room, as perchance there might be a refining mill in concealment.

Then "Professor" Freund would point to his other "property," a barrel of raw sugar. He would then exclude his visitors, permitting them, however, first to set watches by the house to prevent any collusion from without, and would shut himself into the operating room with his wife. The expelled investigators were kept waiting for about ten minutes, and then invited into the room. There they would find an empty barrel, a sample of beautifully granulated refined sugar, and a self-satisfied "Professor."

But, with all his efforts to achieve remunerative notoriety from his invention, it was not until about a year ago that the Electric Sugar Refining Company was formed. W. H. Cotterill, who was elected president, is said to have been a solicitor in London, and it is believed that J. A. Robertson, the treasurer, was formerly connected with the ship-building business in Scotland. The company, secured the office at No. 69 Wall-street, and issued 10,000 shares of stock of a par value of \$100 a share. In England 3000 shares were sold at prices varying from \$625 to \$200 a share. No less than 526 Englishmen took shares in the company. It is estimated that in all \$1,000,000 was received for shares.

When Mr. Cotterill and others went to the refinery last week to set all doubts at rest they bulldozed the Cerberus on guard into admitting them into one of the secret work rooms. There they saw all the raw sugar that had ever gone into the place on pretence of being refined still there, untouched, unchanged. They found barrels of sugar refined by the ordinary process, and it was at once made plain to them that this was what had been taken to the refinery by the truck-load, disguised in big wooden cases marked in black letters "Machinery."

The second room was a regular proof-room, clad in sheet iron, and the company's officers were not able to enter it until yesterday morning. They then took some workmen with them, and broke in upon it violently from the room above, cutting a hole through the ceiling. They found that it was an ordinary sieve-room, equipped for the sieving process, which divides the sugar into various grades, according to its fineness. Having broken up, ground and sorted their prepared sugar, it was easy enough for the "electrical refiners" to send it down the shoots into barrels at a speed that astonished outside beholders, and so complete the fraud.

"Professor" Freund died last March and left his precious secret in charge of his wife. It is said that she holds 2500 of the company's shares. Warrants have been issued in Liverpool for her apprehension and that of her stepfather, W. K. Howard, a director of the company. They are in Michigan, however. Mrs. Freund says that no fraud was intended. The company wanted refined sugar direct from cane juice, which was not the contract, and which her husband's process could not do. She also says she has another secret for making sugar from grapes, which the company want to get, and that they are taking the present course to secure it.

A despatch from Milan, Mich., says: "The elegant home of Mrs. Freund near here was completely deserted this morning. At the house of W. E. Howard, Mrs. Howard was found just setting out to join her husband and daughter (Mrs. Freund) at Ann Arbor. She is a sharp eyed old lady, with a determination not to give away what she knows, further than to say that if the New-Yorkers have broken open the electric sugar refinery they have lost all their rights, and that it would have been well if the process had been lost when Freund died in March; also, that she is sure that Mr. Howard and Mrs. Freund are able to take care of themselves. Since the opening of the sugar business the Howards and Freunds have cut a big swath here, building elegant houses and living high on incomes from some source not generally understood, though not without a taint of suspicion."

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The oldest speculator in Capel court does not remember when any American security took such a surprising tumble as did electric sugar shares to-day. At Liverpool the promoters achieved success. On December 3rd a public exhibition was given and gallons of molasses were converted into fine white sugar by the electric process.

On December 4th the price of sugar shares opened at Liverpool at £110 per share and gradually rose to £117, after which fluctuations became wide and the closing price was £107.

Ever since the price has dropped during the daily sales until it reached £80. The price went down until it reached £12.

LUMBER TRADE RUINED.

How It is Affected by the Unseasonable Weather—A Famine, Predicted.

OTTAWA, Jan. 7.—Much has been said lately of the probable effect of the very unseasonable weather that is prevailing and has so long prevailed in this section of the country, upon the lumber trade. This current talk has been greatly increased by the fact that several trains of teams and sleighs which left here for the bush, have been forced to return, and that already distress for horses in the bush is more than anticipated. "No, I am sending up no teams. Those who have gone up find no roadway across the creeks, and have to come back. You see the creeks are all open, and if snow falls on them now the road will be unmakeable. Besides, unless great supplies were in advance, no fodder can be sent through now, and in some places the horses are short of provision. There is nothing to be bought up there, and unless sent in from outside no supplies can get there. Wheels are no good, for in the most places there is simply a winter bush track, and wheels cannot get in."

"Will this winter cause a shortness of work in the mills next summer?"

"Well, sooner or later it will have its effect, but not next summer. You see, owing to the distance that logs have to be brought, the mill owners have to cut two seasons ahead. You cannot get logs cut on the Keppaw this winter here until next September, even under most favourable circumstances. Then they are no good for this year's lumber make, and will have to come into 1890, that is one reason why the lumbermen keep such stocks on hand and they are none of them too heavily stocked. Even if the snow came now the question would arise, Can they get roads across the swamps? Some of them are open, but if snow came no roadway could be made in many places. As I said sooner or later the effect must be felt at the mills. Probably all the mill owners have enough logs on hand to struggle through next summer, but where are they going to get the logs for 1890?"

"What is the reason of the present large sales of lumber to American firms?"

"Oh, that is easily explained. The South American markets have all risen immensely and the consequence is that purchases are being made here. It is a very curious trade that South American. They only take one class of lumber, about an \$18 grade, and use that for everything. That is what the present shipment is for, but that does not mean the boom that equal sales in English deals would cause. The winter opened with splendid promises. Prices were high and for a time weather was good, but this weather has killed everything. It is pretty serious, I tell you."

THE CIVIC ELECTIONS.

The Voters Quietly Casting Their Ballots—Both Sides Confident.

The civic elections to-day were a secondary consideration. The great storm was the sole topic of conversation. But there was not sufficient forgetfulness on the part of electors to neglect recording their votes. They did this during the day in a very quiet way. There was considerable hustling in some of the wards, the workers on both sides being quite numerous and full of confidence that their nominee would be successful. The prognostications of the leaders may be of little value, but we give them as announced: Thompson's friends claim majorities in Frontenac and Cataraqui, with Rideau and Victoria doubtful, but possibly favorable to him. Reid's friends allow Thompson majorities in Frontenac and Cataraqui wards, with the heaviest majority in the former.

The aldermanic list will be well split up. The fight is mainly against the temperance party. It is thought that Messrs. Middleton, Kilpatrick and McLeod may come out ahead. A strong fight has been made against Mr. Crothers in Sydenham ward. Both sides have been vigorous, many ladies having joined in the contest.

The cabs were all busy drawing the electors to the polls.

Medical Botany Examinations.

The following are the announced result of the medical examinations in botany at Queen's college: C. C. Arthur, W. W. Genge, equal; A. Carmichael, A. J. Vallo, A. Lockhart, equal; Laura B. Bennett, T. C. Scott, James C. Gibson, T. C. Bourne, Allison Jamieson, T. H. Balfe, Agnes M. Turnbull, J. A. McCuaig, J. E. Spankie, equal; F. L. Switzer, A. Oronhyatekha, S. Wilson, J. D. Reid, F. C. Lavers, equal; J. Brady, F. H. Bermingham, E. J. Lent, J. C. Suter, Mary E. Bermingham, J. F. Macfarland, equal; J. McLennan, A. E. Barber, H. Adamson, R. J. Gardiner, J. Emons, equal; J. F. Gibson, H. D. Denaut.

Re-opening of the Schools.

To-day the public schools were opened after a vacation of two weeks. At the Central school there was a large attendance of pupils. Mr. T. C. Wilson and Dr. Fee were present and distributed prizes, promotion cards and promotion certificates to the children. The school was then dismissed for the day. The children occupied the Williamsville school for the first time since it was enlarged and improved. Dr. Fee, who visited the school, says the building is now an excellent one for school purposes, the rooms being airy, well ventilated and lighted.

The Hotel Arrivals.

Arrivals at the British American Hotel—P. S. Kingsley and wife, Rome, N.Y.; R. H. Turle, New York; F. O. Blarhard, E. P. Doutre, J. H. Rafter, T. G. Lewis, J. J. Kavanagh, W. Creighton, J. B. Bragley, T. G. Whitfield, J. M. Collins, J. T. Dewey, Montreal; W. C. Forster, W. J. Barr, J. E. Spidar, J. Hookin, W. J. Gilbert, G. E. Fanguier, Toronto; W. H. Hope, Chicago; G. Drummond, Goderich; R. Doney, Ottawa; W. K. Mollison, St. Johns, N. B.; J. S. Hendrie, Hamilton.

Late Local News.

On Saturday afternoon a young lad named Lazier was run over on Princess street, but was not severely injured.

John Gray, Albert street, sold a handsome brood mare to Mr. Harpell who will take it to the north-west.

The steamer Maud leaves Kingston at 10 a.m. daily, (except Sunday), connecting with the one o'clock train at Cape Vincent.

We Must Sell Our Stock.

Seven pounds Spanish onions, 25c; Canadian onions, 30c peck; 3 lbs. green peas, 10c; evaporated corn, 10c; tomatoes, 10c; cranberries, 10c; quart; jam and jelly, 12c; lb. table and cooking apple, 20c; a peck. Jas. Crawford.

AFFAIRS OF THE WORLD.

TELEGRAMS FROM THE EARTH'S FOUR QUARTERS GIVEN.

The Little Things that Affect Canadians—Flashes From Europe and What They Portend—A Little of Everything Easily Read and Remembered.

Hot house strawberries are selling for 50 c a spice in New York.

In Paris, a monopoly on funerals is held by a company, which handles 50,000 bodies yearly.

A London paper says that there are still thirty-three islands in the Pacific ocean to which no nation has yet set a claim.

To exhibit his strength the czar of Russia recently lifted 700 pounds of steel clear off the ground in a Petershaff gun factory.

The majority of the 3,000 women in the government offices at Washington do not think they will be removed by the incoming administration.

Crows in Maine cost the state \$100,000 a year. The new legislature will be asked to pass a law giving a bounty of 10 cents for every dead crow.

Lieut. Wissman has resigned from the Emin Bey expedition. He will hereafter organize colonial troops in the German East African colonies.

Sir Francis Plunkett, representative of Great Britain at Stockholm, is spoken of as a possible successor to ex-Minister West at Washington.

In Montague a married man has eloped with a married woman, who took her 14-month old babe with her. The man left his three children at home.

A \$30,000 fire at Hammond, Ind., burned on and on, because the man in charge of the fire department was at dog fight, and had the key of the engine house in his pocket.

Action will be taken in regard to the construction of a cable between Canada and England. A prospectus, drawn up in 1859, has been forwarded to an English company interested in the project.

Queen Victoria rises and breakfasts at 9 o'clock in the morning and dictates letters until 2 o'clock. Then she takes a light lunch, goes for a drive, holds court ceremony, and dines at 9 o'clock, retiring at 11 o'clock.

Picture dealers report that photographs of Mary Anderson, Julia Marlowe and Elsie Leslie are most in demand just now. Sargoy has a special contract with Mary Anderson by which he has exclusive right to photograph her.

Warden Bedson, of Stoney Mountain penitentiary, has been appointed lieutenant colonel to command the 91st battalion with headquarters at Stoney Mountain, and companies at St. James, Kildonan, Selkirk and Springfield. Second Lieutenant Walter T. Kirby, who holds a supernumerary commission in the Guards, has been appointed major.

On Sunday last Thomas Fox and wife, in driving across White Lake, near Erinville, in a buggy, broke through and were in the water about three-quarters of an hour. Mr. McMullen heard their shouts, went to investigate and found the couple in an exhausted condition. Mrs. Fox had nearly drowned her husband by clinging to him. Both were rescued. Their horse was drowned.

THE BEST DEFAULTERS.

Judge Kelly Would Give Them Five Years Each—Very Hard Lines.

DUBLIN, Jan. 7.—In the county court Judge Kelly confirmed all the sentences imposed upon the persons evicted from the Vandeleur estates, who previously had been found guilty of resisting the sheriff and attacking the police. Judge Kelly announced the government for its laxity and moderation in dealing with rebellion, and said the prisoners deserved to be imprisoned for five years.

The evictions on the Olphert estates at Falcarragh, county Donegal, have been carried on without serious disturbance.

The Irish land commission has issued a report on the recent increase of judicial rents. The commissioners hold that the increase is justified by the rise in the prices of produce in Ireland, and they explain that the Land act precludes consideration of the yield of the various products of the country.

Mr. David Sheehy, M.P., who was summoned to appear at Castleconnell, county Limerick, to answer the charges under the Crimes act, failed to obey the summons, and a warrant has been issued for his arrest.

LIZZIE LIGHTS OUT.

A Hostler and a Hotel Cook of Campbellford Go West Together.

CAMPBELLFORD, Jan. 7.—Considerable infelicity has existed for some time in the family of Thomas Young, hostler at the Windsor hotel. Young refused to give his wife any money, and, it is said, has not been in his own house for some weeks. Meantime his attentions were being directed to the cook at the same hotel. The cook has gone under several names, the last one being Lizzie Milligan. Mrs. Young last week tried to get the law on her husband but failed for some reason or other. Yesterday the cook was inquiring the prices of tickets to Toronto, Detroit, and other places, saying she was going to look for work. Last night at eight and also at eleven o'clock she was seen walking with Young. The climax was reached on Saturday when it was found that they had both left town on the early train. They took tickets for Peterborough only, but the cook purchased two Buffalo tickets there. Mrs. Young has wired the Toronto police to arrest and hold them.

To Pay For Loss of Life.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The president has transmitted to congress a communication from the secretary of state, recommending an appropriation of \$15,000 be made to relieve the families of certain Japanese subjects who were killed by the guns of the United States steamship *Onuma*, on the island of Ibisima, in March, 1887, while the ship was engaged in target practice.

His Scandalous Conduct Against Him.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The liberals of Rochester believe that there will shortly be a vacancy in the parliamentary seat of that district, and have elected Mr. Knatchbull Huggeston to stand for it. The seat is now occupied by Colonel Hughes Hallett, whose scandalous conduct with his stepdaughter is by no means forgotten.

Sale of the "Post."

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—The defunct *Post* and *True Witness* newspapers have been sold to Mr. J. P. Whelan. Mr. Whelan likewise purchased the office furniture. It is stated that the *Post* will renew publication within a few weeks on a stronger financial basis.