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THE DAILY WHIG. "Opifer per Orbem Dicor."

AN IRREGULARITY.

It seems that the temperance men make a mistake in petitioning the mayor and council in regard to a reduction in the comes to the establishment having high number of liquor licenses to be issued fever he is watched closely for a few days this year. The whole license question is in | in his room. The window is kept open night the hands of the commissioners, who should and day, and finally he joins the rest below. be addressed direct on this aspect of the Nothing is more curious than the sight of case. The council, of course, has to deal with the amount it charges and appropriates, for | the galleries covered with their blankets. civic purposes, in addition to the fee exacted | Short walks are taken by those who are the by the Ontario government. The mayor strongest." The Canada Health Journal and aldermen can be approached with a view has no doubt that if there were a good inof ascertaining how much of the fee they are stitution established in some pine-wooded willing to let go of the revenue derived district in Central or Northern Ontario, say from the sale of liquor. Of course if the one or two hundred miles northward of Tolicense money is not collected the taxes | ronto, to which all phthisical patients could must be raised, and in that sense the question is one of taxation and finance and one for the council to dispose of.

ANARCHIST THREATS.

Some days ago the police of Chicago stopped the meetings of the anarchists of that city, and their right to do so, no offence public health. Consumption is evidently having been given, was referred to the increasing. The seeds of the disease are courts. It was decided that no meeting | being transmitted in a hereditary way from could be declared illegal unless the law were | generation to generation until it has become in some way broken, and the anarchists had a serious question with many people, the a great jubilation. On Sunday the demon- more so when they find that it affects them stration was renewed, and one of their ora in their relationships with the insurance tors came out boldly as an advocate of companies, and with other concerns of life. bloodshed. Nothing in the way of reform, Such is the dread of consumption that the he said, had ever been accomplished without | medical men make special examinations in bloodshed, and the workingmen of America, regard to it, and seem to anticipate most the so-called victims of monopoly, could not | danger to the future of their patients by hope for the redress of their grievances with- reason of its tendencies. It is for these out danger and death. The law should be | medical men to contemplate the suggestion trampled upon, he contended; the law of the of Dr. Playter, and, approving of it, act land and the law of constituted authority; with such unanimity as to make an impresthe law of nature (undefined) should have | sion upon the legislature and bring about full sway and it only: Parsons and Spies, et | the establishment of a consumptives' resort. al, went to the scaffold for talk like this. | The revelations in the Journal des Debats Another crisis is at hand. Murder is in the are wholly new to the people of Canada.

GETTING DOWN.

It is said of Rev. Dr. Parker, London, that he is about to institute religious services where smoking will be allowed, that workingmen do not care to attend Sunday service, and that by consulting their prejudices he may prevail on them to do so. This may or may not be true. Probably it is not true. Because Dr. Parker is a trifle eccentric a great many things are said of him and in his name which are not founded upon fact. It is not so long since he was supposed to have written a letter containing the greatest aosurdities, giving evidence of mental derangement, while at the time he was preaching in the City Temple, London, and performing a Christian service which called for tact and judgment and good common sense. It is just possible that of the new departure which he is now said to have lately made he knows absolutely nothing. It is the departure, probably, which some of the London correspondents of the New York papers think he ought to make. It is consonant with the steps which the Boston Herald a few days ago said the clergymen should take if they desired to hold an influence upon the masses and remain a power in the land. It is Elsmere's idea of a workingman's club with its ease of manner and ease of conscience that are not at all in keeping with a dignified religion. There may be in Canada and Kingston some who would like to see the churches lose the air of restraint and solem. nity that now prevails in them, but these are not really anxious for the welfare of the cause with which the churches are identified. They had better render under Casar the things which are Cæsar's.

CARE OF CONSUMPTIVES.

The Canada Health Journal, which gives its attention to Canadian affairs and brings before the people many facts of general interest, in the current number advocates the establishment of an institution for the special care of consumptives. The editor (Dr. Playter) declares that thousands of poor persons die in Canada every year from consumption, who, if they were properly treated, could be cured. "And here," he says, "is a inviting field for the philanthropic, and an object for which provincial government aid should be liberally voted. There are asylums for the insane, the orphans, young infants, imbeciles, idiots, the dumb, the blind, and the deaf, for all sorts of sur gical cases, for all diseases, but not a place to which a consumptive can be taken with a good prospect of cure. General hospitals are about the last places to which a consumptive should be taken. Theirs is a peculiar disease and requires special treatment. Moreover it adds more than any other cause of death to the death-roll, and the very want of the comforts, and perhaps even of the luxuries of life, acts as a cause of the disease and adds to the number of victims. There are in Ontario not less than 4,000 deaths from this disease every year. Perhaps one half of these are not so circum.

stanced as to be able to secure proper treat. ment, while the remainder can hardly obtain it in Ontario. A few intelligent patients, in the early stage of the disease, who have comfortable homes in a healthy locality, and who will follow strictly the advice of their physician, may recover. But it is not as many as ten in a thousand do so. Change to a warmer climate is not to be relied upon; but rather out door treatment in the climate to which the subject of the disease has already, become accustomed."

Dr. Playter quotes that on the continent of Europe, as Dr. Daremberg writes in the Journal des Debats, "Medical men in general send their phthisical patients to Mentone, Canns Algiers, Madiera, etc., while the directors of the institutions here expose theirs to the viscissitudes of the season. The patients leave rooms at eight o'clock in the morning, and, after partaking of a light breakfast, are carried down into the garden, and placed in a reclining posture under gal. leries surrounding a park, or in open kiosks. They are covered with blankets, and there they lie, winter or summer, whether it rains, hails, or snows, until the evening, five o'clock in winter, and eight or nine o'clock in summer. Proper shelter is afforded in time of rain or great wind. When a patient over a hundred patients camping out under be sent, whether able to pay or not, with special provision for those able to pay, many hundreds of lives might be saved to the province every year which now fall victims to this very common and most fatal disease.

It is a question worthy of consideration by all who are deeply concerned about the In view of them the treatment of those afflicted with pulmonary diseases has been wrong, entirely wrong. They have been deprived of the very air which they require, and the air and treatment which they cannot get in another climate. It shouldn't take a great deal to try an experiment of the kind referred to and test what good there is to be got from it.

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS.

The Girls Hope So.

Hamilton Times. After all, the ice cream crop of next year may be saved.

Not For Canada, Though. Chicago Inter-Ocean.

What is the North-West doing? It is engaged in making ice. There's millions in it.

When Everything Moveable is Inside.

Rochester Herald. Paupers, criminals, lunatics, revolution ary conspirators, and all other undesirable classes should have the doors shut and lock.

A Crack at the Tramp. Toronto News.

ed against them.

It is proposed to levy a tax of \$5 on every alien entering the United States. This would strike a deadly blow at the excursion business and would render miserable the existence of the international tramp.

New Aspect of the Question.

London Advertiser, Does it ever strike the excessively loyal organs that they are doing a great deal of unnecessary smashing of the annexationists, when by their own account the annexationists only consist of a few hoodlums of no national account?

THE DORCAS SOCIETY.

An Organization Deserving of the Support

and Good Opinion of Everyone, KINGSTON, Jan. 21.—(To the Editor): I have for some time been trying to find out something of the character of the so-called Dorcas society, thus far without success. It seems strange that there could be in our midst a society about which so little seems to be known. Can you give me any information as to its origin and aims? Who are the members and what claims have they upon the public patronage !- Yours,

The Dorcas society had its origin about three years ago and aims at the care of the poor so far as the clothing of them is concerned. The members of the society do all the sewing they can, making and remaking garments, and distributing them among the people whose poverty is not brought about by an abuse of their position and a waste of are women who belong to all the churches in the city, who do a charitable work without regard to religious lines, and whose aims are to do all the good they can with the limited time and means at their disposal. The Dorcas society is an institution deserving of the heartiest support of our people. It is true that enough is not known of it and that no one can plead neglect of its cause because not acquainted with its work it is hoped some one will speak of the same in connection with the concert to be given in aid of the society to night. —THE EDITOR.

The ferry steamers now run to Garden Island. If the mild weather continues an attempt will be made to reach Cape Vin

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Rev. T. S. Chambers, of Los Angeles, has forwarded the following reply to the kindly address presented to him by the congregation of St. Andrew's church, Wolfe Island, on his leaving for the south. The address

is sent to Mr. Peter Keil and congregation : "Your address, expressing regret and sorrow in view of the removal of myself and this distant city through the WEEKLY WHIG of the 6th of December last. I am very thankful for the many acts of kindness done us by the congregation you represent, and also by many others of different denominations. Our residence in your midst was one of great pleasure, and it is a satisfaction to know that the endeavors made to promote your interests were valued. Although many miles intervene my thoughts frequently revert to the friendly interviews I had in the houses of the people, and to the enjoyable social gatherings that were from time to time held. It will afford my family and myself great pleasure to learn that you are provided with a suitable pastor, to take charge of your spiritual interest, so that when done with life and its engagements we may all meet in the better land above. Again thanking you for your complimentary references to myself and family, and for your kindly wishes on our behalf, I remain, respectfully yours,

"THOMAS S. CHAMBERS."

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Estate of William Ewart.

PURSUANT to the Revised Statutes of Ontario Chapter 10, Section 36, notice is hereby that all creditors and persons having claims apon 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 December, A.D. 1888, are, on or before the 1st day of February, 1889, to send by post prepaid to Macdonnell & Mudie, of the City of Kingston, Ontario, Solicitors their Christian and Surnames, 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 par ies 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 claim 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.1888r

NOTICE is hereby given that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the shareholders of the Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company will be held in the Company Office, City Hall Station, Kingston, at Noon, on WEDNESDAY, the THIRTEENTH day of February, 1889, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year Also a Special General Meeting of said shareholders will be held at the same place and day, at one o'clock p.m., for the purpose of considering and, if approved, sanctioning certain agreements with the Napance, Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company, for the use by the lat ter company of that portion of the railway of the Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company lying between a point at or near Harrowsmith and the City of Kingston, and terminal facilities at both places for ever; and granting to the Napanee. Tamworth and Quebec Railway Company running powers over that portion of their means. The members of the society | the line of the Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company aforesaid; upon the terms, con-titions and provisos set forth in said agree-

By order of the Directors. W. NASH, Secretary.

Kingston, 9th January, 1889. CARD.

the Officers and Members of Limestone Lodge, No. 91, A.O.U.W. my, heartfelt Gentlemen,-Please thanks for your kind letter of condolence, and

also for the cheque for \$2,000, being the amount of the Beneficiary Certificate held by my late husband in your order.—Yours sincerely, ADDIE GREAVES.

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