DIED. McDonald—In Kingston, on Jan. 22nd, Elizabeth, daughter of Stephen Burk, and wife of John McDonald, aged 21 years. Funeral to morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock | Washington, Baltimore and all Points in North from her late residence, Cherry street. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

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T. O. BOLGER, Kingston, Jan. 21st, 1889,

City Engineer.



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NOTICE.

TUESDAY, THE FIFTH OF FEBRUARY next, will be the last day for receiving Petitions for Private Bilis, TUESDAY, THE TWELFTH OF FEBRU. ARY next will be the last day for introducing Private Bills to the House. THURSDAY, TWENTY-EIGHT OF FEB-RUARYnext, will be the last day for present-

CHARLES T. GILLMOR, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. 28th December, 1888.

ng Reports of Committees relative to Private

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SECOND EDITION.

UNITED STATES TAKING STOCK. The Samoa Matter and Its Outlook-Pro-

viding for U. S. Interests In It.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Senator Sherman this morning, from the committee on foreign relations, reported the following appropriation bill, designed to protect the interests of the United States in Samoa: for the protection of the interests of the United States existing under the treaty between the United States and the government of the Samoa Islands, \$500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary to be expended under the direction of the president. This appropriation to be immediately available; for the survey, and improvement, and occupation of the bay and harpour of Pagopage, in the island of Tuttuila, Samoa, and

MR. BALFOUR'S BLUNDER.

for the construction of the necessary

wharves and buildings for such occupation;

and for a coaling station therein under the

appropriation to be immediately avail-

The Arrest of Mr. Sheehv Generally Con-

demned-The Election Beverses. NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The Times London despatch says: "The arrest of Mr. Sheehy at Glasgow seems to be a striking illustra tion of the Latin proverb, 'Those whom the gods wish to destroy they first make mad.' It has been thought that nothing worse for the tory cause could happen than the election reverses of last week, but this foolish arbitrary action has sent Scotland into a the moderate unionist papers here. The was issued several weeks ago, and the offence on which it was based was over three arrest now seems like an exhibition of spite on the part of the government.

KNEE BREECHES.

They Again Make Their Appearance at a Vanderbilt Ball.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The threatened innovation has come. Kuee breeches are here. Last night Mrs. Sloane, Vanderbilt, gave a brilliant ball at her Fifth avenue residence, in honour of Colonel Elliott F. Shephard's young daughter, who is a debutante. The most attractive feature of the ball was the appearance of seven well known society young men in knee breeches and black silk stockings, in fulfilment of an oath taken at the beginning of the new year. Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt has asked the same desperate conspirators to combine together for her dance next week, and like nakedness of shanks is expected at the Potter's dance.

Late Local News.

on Tuesday evening will be a most enjoyable one, judging from the programme office. Seymour got the license and stood which appears in another column. The tickets are selling fast.

Last evening Mr. Jonathan Ferris married Miss Menary. The groom is over sixty and It is needless to say that he didn't succeed. to Paris to attend the military ball. The the bride twenty one years of age. The couple will reside in Gananoque. The event occurred on Bagot street.

Now is the best time for bleaching cot tons. Cottons white and grey at wholesale | after the latest style. Mr. Seymour was a prices at R. McFaul's. Towels, table linens, sheetings, pillow cottons, linen crash, all at mill prices, at R. McFaul's. Carpets, oil cloth, curtain poles, art blinds and rollers, chenile curtains, damask and tapestry curtaining, the cheapest in the city at R. McFaul's.

To Be Submitted Next Month.

The South Elmsby council passed a by-law granting \$4,000 bonus to the Smith's Falls and Kingston railway. The people will vote | gave the buggy in charge of J. M. McDonupon it on February 18th. John J.. Whit- ald, to whom he was indebted for horse hire, ing, who went to Lombardy in place of Ald. Gildersleeve, who had to attend the city Mr. Johnson doubted the man's honesty council, made a record as a hustler that equalled any of Aid. Gildersleeve's movements. He left here at 11:40 o'clock Sunday night, drove from Smith's Falls to Lombardy, seven miles, had the by law submitted, got his dinner, drove back to Smith's Falls and was in Kingston at 5 o'clock on Monday night.

The Officers of the Board. The separate school board met last evening and elected the following officers: Chairman, Rev. D. A. Twomey; secretary, W. Sullivan; treasurer, P. Smith; local superintendent, Rev. T. Kelly; representative on the collegiate institute board, Dr. Phelan. The chairmen of the school board are Christian Brothers', B. J. Leahy; St. John's, J. J. Behan; St. Joseph's, D. Driscoll; St. Patrick's, S. Lambert. The auditing committee consists of O. Tierney, E. Dwyre and P. Smith.

Cadets Quarrel and Fight.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23. -At West Point cadets Langhorne and Barrol fought five rounds with bare knuckles according to London prize ring rules, the honors being about evenly divided, both being pretty well disfigured. The affair grew out of a dispute concerning the assignment of the colored cadet Young to a seat at the mess table presided over by Barroll.

Again in the Ranks.

BUFFALO, Jan. 23.—Hamilton has again joined the international baseball association, Newark, Jersey City and Wilkesbarre, ask ed to be admitted but were refused. salary limit was increased to \$13,500. season opens April 27th, and closes Sept.

SILAS GOES UP FOR SIX.

THE ADVENTURES OF A FELLOW WHO LIVED HERE.

The List of Women He Has Duped-His Latest Movement Since His Release From the Penitentiary-He is Galloped Back to the Prison in Fine Style.

CORNWALL, Jan. 23. - Silas F. Seymour, the notorious horse thief, was yesterday sentenced to six years in the penitentiary, four for bigamy and two for horse stealing. Previous to the trial he addressed a communication to solicitors in Winchester to dispose of the farm left him by his father, and instructing them to hand over the amount realized to his last bride, Miss Fish. He also wrote a letter to Miss Fish and asked for her photograph.

Silas F. Seymour was born in Winchester. Dundas, 30 years ago. His father died a few years ago and left him a valuable farm property. His career since his father's He mortgaged the farm and it passed from his possession a few weeks since. With the money he raised by mortgaging his property Seymour cut quite a dash. Attired in neaf fitting suit, and sporting a silk hat, a ready and pleasant conversationalist, he had many admirers among the fair sex. He visiamendments to the diplomatic and consular | ted Van Camp's Mills and there fell in love with a respectable girl, whom he married. After a child was born to them Seymour de-For the execution of the obligations and serted his wife and went to Lindsay, Ont., where he married another woman. This was in 1883. After living a short time with wife number two, he left her and went to Belleville. There he met a handsome girl named Vanderwater, the daughter of wealthy and respectable parents. Miss Vanderwater, although only 16 years of age, fell desperately in love with this gay Lothario, and her parents consented to her marriage with Seymour, although they knew nothing about the history of the base deceiver. Seymour and Miss Vanderwater were married early in 1884 and lived happily todirection of the president, \$100,000 of this gether until wives numbers one and two, who terday. Although the mercury was at zero had been searching for their betrayer, ap | the men stripped to the waist and fought peared in Belleville one day and threw a desperately. In the fourth round Murphy bomb into the Seymour camp, by causing knocked the unknown off his feet with a his arrest. At the trial they appeared terriffic blow under the jaw, which cut the against him and Seymour was found guilty | flesh and started the blood to flow in great and sentenced to three years in the King- streams. As soon as the unknown got on ston penitentiary. During his confinement | his feet he seized a bottle and cracked Mur. in the penitentiary, wife number one died, | phy's second (another negro from Wisconsin) but the child, we believe, still lives. Upon on the head, and stretched him upon the his liberation Seymour visited the scene of ground. The man's face was cut in a fright. his early boyhood and commenced to play ful manner, the blood freezing as fast as it his old game by making love to the fair ones | ran from the gash. He lay insensible for in the neighbourhood. They were ignorant | half an hour. After this onslaught the unof his past career. He proposed one day known seized a ring stake and defended to the daughter of a respectable hotel himself from the negroes, who were swarm. keeper in the township of Finch and she ing into the ring with razors and threatenhowl of wrath, and is condemned even by accepted. The marriage took place in due ing his life. His second drew a revolver and time, followed shortly afterwards by the both escaped. The fight was for \$75 a side. warrant upon which Mr. Sheehy, who is in disappearance of Seymour. His young wife | The money is believed to be in the pocket himself an unimportant figure, was arrested | was almost distracted over his sudden and of the stakeholder. unexpected disappearance. Every effort was made to find out the whereabouts of months' old. Mr. Sheehy was one of the | Seymour, but all to no purpose. He was as chief orators in the Govan campaign, and his dead to his wife. Finally he turned up They Will Not Comply with the Lawin Cornwall. This was two weeks ago last Saturday.

Seymour registered at the American house under the names of W. J. Martin, representing himself as travelling for Prince & Co., of that city. Next day he fell in with Miss Fish, wife number five, and the two visited the Salvation army barracks in the evening. On Monday Seymour engaged a horse and rig at J. M. McDonald's livery, and in company with Miss Fish drove to Dickinson's Landing, where a ball was advertised to take place that night. Not returning next day Mr. McDonald telegraphed to some parties at the landing inquiring if a man answering Seymour's description was there, and the answer came back that there was. Seymour and his lady friend, Miss Fish, did not return to Cornwall until the following Thursday. When they landed at the Fish mansion on Fourth street they were met in the doorway by Mrs. Fish, who refused them admittance until they were made man and wife. Seymour and Miss Fish then started the issuer off, saying that he would shortly was for the purpose of raising a loan of \$5. With the marriage license in his pocket and Miss Fish hooked on his arm Seymour went straightway to the residence of Rev. Mr. Reynolds, and the loving pair were spliced little short after the ceremony and stood the minister off also. The woman, with enough brass in her face to start a foundry, visiting several stores and wanted to borrow \$5 from the proprietors, but she got the razzle-dazzle every time. Finally she succeeded in working \$5 out of an old friend. The pair went

westward by G.T.R. that night. A few days afterwards Mr. and Mrs. Seymour drove into the Ottawa hotel yard behind a young and spirited horse. He a d sold the horse to M. Johnson for \$60. and paid the money over to Mr. R. Smith, barrister, with the understanding not to pay the money to Seymour until such time as he heard everything was all right. Or the strength of this Seymour borrowed \$5 from Mr. Smith and left town that night. Nothing was heard about the horse and rig until Friday last, when J. W. Seymour, of the 5th concession of Mountain, and brother of Silas E., arrived in town in search of a horse and rig that had been stolen from his barn the Saturday night previous. He was shown the buggy and identified it as his property. He then drove out to Mr. Johnson's and recovered his horse, which is not three years old yet. Silas E. had been in town early that day after the money for the stolen horse, but fortunately Mr. Smith was not at home, and he left for Morrisburg before his brother's arrival. Learning that his brother was on his tracks Silas E. and his wife got ready to leave Morrisburg. Packing up their grip, and they were in a hurry to do it, for they left Mrs. Seymour's jacket with an imitation Persian lamb collar and some underclothes behind, Mr. Sey. mour hired a rig from a liveryman named Wagar and started for Ottawa. Constable Crites, armed with a warrant for Seymour's arrest, went up to Morrisburg that night,

but too late, the bird had flown. On their way to Ottawa Seymour stopped at a hotel at Verona and stole a cap belonging to the proprietor. When Ottawa was reached Seymour set out to sell the horse and rig and soon effected a sale. A telegram was sent to Ottawa to arrest Seymour, but it arrived too late; he took passage a few hours before for Toronto, accompanied by his wife. His arrest at Whitby cut off his career for some time to come.

MR. PHELPS COMING HOME.

Last Official Visit to Lord Salisbury-Why He Leaves the City of London.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23 .-- The Tribune's London correspondent says the American minister has had his last official interview with Lord Salisbury at the foreign office. The British foreign minister now understands that the departure of Mr. Phelps from England at this moment is not due to the fact that a republican president will be inaugurated next March. Many English men suppose Mr. Harrison is already installed in the White house. Lord Salisbury is better informed. He knows that Mr. Phe lps would naturally have remained here another two months. The foreign office people know it, too, and they know that Mr. Phelps goes home because the British mission at Washington is vacant. This useful knowledge will gradually filter down into the general English minds. It will be understood here by the time Mr. Phelps steps on board the steamer at Southampton that the diplomatic affront offered. the American government by Lord Salisbury has been resented in the correct diplodeath has been a wild and checkered one. | matic way. Mr. Phelps' conduct throughout this difficult business has, so far as an outsider has means of judging, been energetic in more directions than one. He has shown firmness and courage. He has appreciated the delicacy of the situation from the beginning of the Sackville incident, and he has never varied in his view of what ought to be done. Americans have to thank him for his unflinching linsistance upon an American view. Americans in London sincerely regret his going, and none more so than those who have urged it as the only means by which the American government could express its opinion of Lord Salisbury's conduct.

A BRUTAL PRIZE FIGHT.

More Than the "Pugs" Concerned in It-

And an Exciting Wind-Up. CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—Young Murphy, the colored pugilist, of Wisconsin, and William Weston's unknown, fought four rounds in an open air rink near Hessville, Ind., yes-

THE SCALPERS ARE BUSY.

The Offenders Defiant.

CHICAGO, Jan. 23. - When the interstate commerce commissioners, Cooley and Morrison, a few weeks ago laid down the law to the managers of railroads centreing in this city they expected that their recommendations would be complied with, and illegal and unlawful practices resorted to in transacting their passenger business abandoned. They have learned, however, that the condition of affairs is little improved, and that scalpers continue to sell tickets at less rates than they are sold at the regular ticket offices, and they have, therefore, concluded to make another trip to this city and adopt measures that will compel the railroads to comply with the law.

WILL BOULANGER TRIUMPH?

He is Very Active in the Election Campaign-Who Support Him.

Pakis, Jan. 23.—The Boulangists are showing great energy. Boulanger will not The concert of the Philharmonic society out to hunt up the issuer of marriage li have himself to blame if he does not head censes. They found that gentleman at his | the poll next Sunday. During this week he will keep his house open to all comers. For the past few days the general has been callreturn and pay him. He did return, but it ed upon by a constant stream of uniformed officers of the Territorial army, who came scene resembled an army demonstration in favor of the general.

> The royalists are still divided on the question of abstaining from voting; on the other hand the imperialists excel in their activity for the general.

A Reporter's Position.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.-W. O'Connor Laughlin, with his wife, four children, mother and two sisters, are detained at Castle Garden. Mr. Laughlin is a reporter of Belfast, Ireland, and had but \$5 in his possession when he arrived on the "Servia." Major J. B. Pond cabled that he will endeavor to have Mr. Laughlin released. Laughlin acted as Pond's agent when Henry | his temple. Ward Beecher was lecturing in Ireland.

Confession of a Conductor.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22. - A serious "leakage" has been discovered by the officers of the West Side street railway company. A conductor, who was interested in the scheme to beat the company, has confessed and implicated several others. The company's loss is upwards of \$8,000.

The Hunt For Evidence.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—It is understood that James Mullett, who kept the saloon in Dorset street, Dublin, where the whole Invincible plot was hatched, and who is now in penal servitude, will be put on the stand in the Parnell case to day.

After Ferdinand Again. St. Petersburg, Jan. 23.—The abdica-

tion of Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria, is considered here to be a question of days only. The orthodox bishops are preparing to denounce him as an oppressor of the

A Marriage Finally Abandoned. LONDON, Jan. 23.—The Telegraph's Ber-

lin correspondent hears that the projected marriage of Princess Victoria of Prusssia to Prince Alexander of Battenburg, has been definitely abandoned.

Richelieu Stock.

MONTREAL, Jan. 31.—The annual report of the directors of the Richelieu & Ontario navigation company shows that Quebecers hold 8,500 shares out of a total of 21,300.

Establishing Catholic Colonies. PITTSBURG, Jan. 23. - A Catholic coloni-

zation society, with a capital of \$100,000. has been formed here to establish Catholic colonies in the South.

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. The Brooklyn service railroad has come to

an agreement with its employees. Dr. Bothby, of Manchester, N.H., has eloped with Mrs. George A. Kennena, a Russian beauty.

Michael Baker, Brattleboro, Vt., and Miss Emma Smith have been arrested for recent robberies. The 14,000 coke workers in the Connells-

ville mines will meet on Saturday to consider their scale and strike if necessary. The knights of labour have ordered a general lock-out at the mines of the Oregon improvement to force the company to dis-

Archbishop Tache, St. Boniface, is at the Grey nunnery, Montreal, suffering from fatty degeneration of the heart. His condi-

tion is precarious. There are indications that the American steel beam and structural steel trust will be broken up on account of change in rates by some of the members.

The south bound express train on the Cincinnati southern road was boarded by robbers below Ludlow, but they were thrown from the rear and escaped. Hans Kittleson, farmer, near Waneka,

Wis., had a balky team attached to a load of hay. He built a fire under the team to start them. The flames consumed the horses, sleigh and hay. A huge grindstone in a boe factory in Binghamton exploded. A fragment of about

inflicting injuries from which he survived but a short time. Allen Rountree, a farmer, of Emmanuel county, Ga., opened his door to find four masked men, who covered him with pistols. then entered and took \$2,681 which he had

200 lbs. struck Michael Hogan on the head,

concealed in a trunk. Rev. Dr. John Hall and Chauncey Depew, of New York, received anonymous letters advising them not to speak at the meeting of the society for the suppression of vice. Both gentlemen were present and made addresses.

Several weeks ago the Spring Valley, Ill., coal company shut down two shafts, throwing out of employment 600 miners. The men in the two remaining shafts agreed to share work with the idle men. Thomas Mulvey refused to draw lots or quit work. The company was asked to discharge him. This it refused to do, and 1,800 men have

struck. On Friday night the tax collector left about \$3,000 in the store of E. C. Springer at Kendall Corners, N.Y. On Saturday merning George Springer, son of the proprietor, was awakened and saw two men at the window. They cut a hole in the glass and were about to raise the window when he fired the revolver. One man escaped. The other was hit in the head; falling unconscious to the sidewalk he was captured. He pleaded guilty. He came from Syracuse, is twenty one years old, and will probably

A BOY'S TERRIBLE ACT.

The Desire for Robbery Made Him Commit a Very Fiendish Murder.

CHILI, N. Y., Jan. 23. - Myton Davis lives at Riga near Chili station. He and his wife went to a school entertainment, leaving at home a sixteen year old boy named Chris Sticklenberger, Mrs. Mary J Hale, aged 60, who worked for the family, and two of Mr. Davis' children. When Mr. and Mrs. Davis returned home they found Mrs. Hale dead on the bedroom floor, and a three year old child lying on her breast with its hands covered with blood. The woman's face had been crushed beyond recognition, the murderer having caught a heavy pegged boot by the top of the leg and rained blow upon blow with the heel on the head of his victim, Sticklenberger was missing. The drawers of a bureau had been ransacked and a silver watch, loaded revolver, a silver dollar and a bunch of keys were missing. The boy had also taken Mr. Davis' overcoat. Mr. Davis thinks that the boy expected to find a large sum of .money in the house. One theory is that he was opening the drawers when Mrs. Hale discovered him and that being afraid of arrest

he resolved to kill her. Yesterday Sticklenberger was seen in Churchville and recognized. He was pursued by officers and took to the country. After a chase of several miles he was brought to bay, and, pulling out the revolver he had stolen, threatened to shoot. He then turned, and before the officer could seize him, shot himself three times in the head. His revolver was a small one, and none of the shots had a serious effect. After being secured he was taken to Churchville, and then to Rochester, where he was placed in gaol. The bullets were extracted from

FOUR OF THEM DEAD.

The Tragic Ending of an Elopement Escapade in a Little Missouri Town.

Sr. Louis, Jan 23,-Henry Thomas, farmer, living in Bolar, Mercer county, Mo., had four grown daughters, Hattie, Margaret, Nancy and Jane, aged 15, 18, 20 and 22 years respectively. On Wednesday night Samuel and Charles Hasburn, brothers, precured a ladder and helped Margaret and Jane out of a second story window of the house, and as they were about to elope with the girls the old man appeared, but too late to prevent the escape. He procured the best horse and a shot gun, and started in hot pursuit. When twelve miles from home he overtook the fleeing party. He immediately opened fire on them, killing both the boys and seriously wounding Margaret. After getting nearly home with the girls he was told that the other two, Hattie and Nancy, had also eloped with Ned Gleason and Thomas Allison. He at once left the girls he had with him in charge of some neighbors and started after the others. After securing the other two girls without any serious trouble, he started back. When about two miles from home a mob took possession of him and strung him up to a tree. The old man was terribly strict with the girls. He would hardly let them out of his sight, hence the elopements. He always bragged that he would not be bothered with lazy sons in law. Public feeling is strong in favor of the lynching. Margaret died last

Granting Them a Pardon.

MADRID, Jan. 23. - The government has granted an amnes y to all press and political offenders, and to the soldiers who took part in the rising in Madrid in 1886.