The Daily British Whig. MONDAY EVN'G, DEC. 16, 1878.

ta Taxpayers who have not yet paid their City Taxes are reminded

twelve former employees, have been very indifferently understood by the public, to do so at once and save costs. THE SCHOOL APPOINTMENTS. It was scarcely to be expected that the changes lately and nnavoidably made in the city staff of teachers would pass unchallenged, either by those who may deem themselves to be harshly and juriously dealt by or else by some less or more directly interested in their behalf. Hence the effusion of Aze Grinder in Saturday's News will excite no sur prise. There is a refreshing candour about the selection of this writer's nom de plume that at once explains and atones for much that he has tried to say in condemnation of the action of the Board He does not for a moment attempt to impeach the validity or the necessity of the proceedings of the Board, but chooses rather to trace those proceedings to selfish and unworthy motives on the part some of the gentlemen on the Board who favoured the adoption of the report, any refutation of so unworthy an insinuation were necessary it is to hand in the fact that for nearly the past two years in some cases, and in all for the past year, the disqualified teachers have been re tained by the Board in contravention of the law and in the hope that the repeated extensions of time thus granted would have been utilized in a preparation to qualify themselves for the positions Therefore they would recommend that they could not legally hold without the services of the permitted teachers valid certificates of qualification. Had who do not qualify before the time above been any cagerness on the part of the Trustees to advance their proteges to position on the city staff of do notify them to that effect." teachers they might long since, and with with perfect legality and propriety, have declined to entertain the applications of W. McRossie, T. W. McCrae, S. H. Fee, teachers whose certificates had lapsed, R. M. Horsey, J. K. Oliver, A. McConaand who were palpably neglecting to ghy and Professor John Watson. The make the first or slightest move in the report was unanimously adopted. No old Act and for third class certificates undirection of their renewal. A formal re- call for a division. solution of a year ago finally declared the requirements of the law and the conveyed wishes of the Board. In the face of this contamely the Trustees, so far from resenting it, repeated the resolution of indulgence, extending the appointments to the end of the year, on the distinct understanding that then no application could be entertained from such as made sary certificates were worked for, applied for, and obtained; and in each of was recognized by reappointment. In and in justice to its own sense of December 31st. self-respect, to say withing of the imperaeffort to obtain cortificates, and evidently the other way now. regarded the Board as an institution the properly came to the conclusion that they ploying teachers illegally, or of can now devote their entire time to study and they have, as an additional incentive, To show the requirements of the De- here at 5 a m. daily, returning at moon. to the best interests of the schools. Net candidates in an attempt to pass the Cape Vincent to Watertown, 24 miles. only legal qualification, but large and County Board. Further than this need This has been beaten by a horse, drawing ments. All the important positions have | Board on its duty: ty, but experience, whose record has been

commendations of this kind, he being the THE SCHOOL TEACHERS. presiding officer of the County Board of examiners, is desired. FOR THE ACTION OF THE

I have the honor to be, Sir, your obsdient servant, GEORGE HODGINS, Dep. Minister of Education. W. G. Kide, Esq.,

Toronto, Oct. 5, 1878.

to come. On the legal aspect of the

question the grievance-grinder of your

contimporary may well be left to his own

evidently involuntary ignorance of the

plain letter of the law. When he descends

however, to the imputation of sordid

motives to members of the Board, vinifi-

ty. Referring to the appointment in which

this veritable "axe grandet" unjustly in-

mit me to say that my stater's appoint-

valid certificates. The "sister" in ques-

er in the counties of Lennox and Fron-

teme, during which time she has prepar-

ed a considerable number of advanced

pupils to pass with credit the examina

der the new. In her own case, as soon

as ever the law required the change

she applied for and obtained a

course, for life. At the time of the

to take one of them at precisely the same

salary as that now set down for the posi-

my influence to further her appointment,

case when it came up, but requested the

Committee to withdraw her name from

nomination if any more eligible candidate

The lugging in of Mr. Allen's name for

censure is equally gratuitous. Miss Al-

len was simply advanced a stage on pro-

ven merit as an industrious teacher, but

with the consistent intraction that her

tenure of appointment was to cease like

he others on the lapse of her certificate

next July, unless a higher grade were

then obtained. Miss Allen's sister was

Simple justice to Mr. Phippen compels

me also to say that no influence whatever

either tacit or active flowing from his po-

WM. TANDY.

Yours, etc.,

Inconvenient Hours.

train, giving the cars tifteen miles the

(hristmas Cheer.

An appeal is made to the public to con-

tribute towards the St. George's Ymas

the gift. The Society obtains the provi-

will be thankfully received by the Secre-

PAINTING. -This morning we saw

of Mr. A. W. Moute It was aumorous

is worse than the Newburg stage.

Dec. 16th, 1878.

was available for the position.

recent city appointments, she had

tion for first class certificates under the

and dissatisfied persons have taken ad-OUR CITY TEACHERS. vantage of this state of things to create false impressions is people's minds. That DEAR WHIG. - A News correspondent appropriately signing himself "Ake our remarks in another column may Grinder," lodges his complaint against borne out by indisputable testimony we the School Board for the simple discharge submit the following extracts from the of its plain duty in accordance with the official records of the Public School imperative requirements of the law. The Board: In July, 1877, the certificates of Board had no more right to engage nine teachers expired, and in July, 1878. those teachers whose certificates have lapsed than it has to make so many inthose of four others. It was the duty iscriminate appointments from among of the Board to fill their places at once, outsiders who never held certificates at considering that they knew three years and yet, in addition to the three years during which the third class cert:ticates were valid, the Board generously epeated the opportunities in question examination and of renewing their quali until in some cases nearly five years have fications. But the Board seems in 1877 certificates without a solitary sign being to have committed its first error of judgmade of the first intention to qualify for ment by taking a lenient view of the cases a second class certificate. The law in the and permitting them to teach till the end case has been set ande as the merest ticof the year. ' They however, at that time, ion, each added extension, instead serving iti intended purpose as a lenient warning to study and preparation, only seeming to confirm the prevailing impression that the deliuquent teachers were to

THE FIRST WARNING

in unmistakable words. The Committee of Teachers, Officers and Salaries under date of December 19th, 1877, made this report unanimously, six members signing, and Mr. Tandy being absent from the

"While your Committee are pleased to recommend for re-appointment all of th old teachers, nevertheless they feel constrained to remind the Board that some of said teachers are only serving under permit, a state of things which your Committee are of opinion should not be continued beyond the midsummer holidays stated be then dispensed with, and that the term of their engagement be only until said date, and that the Secretary

There were present : William Allen, Chairman; James Wilson, E. J. B. Pense,

In August, 1878, therefore, these teachthat after six months' grace only such ers forfeited their situations through deteachers as complied with the law should fault, but the Board again took a lenient receive continued employment. This view of their cases, sowing a wind, howorder was honored with the utter in ever, which has evidently reaped a whirldifference of the teachers whose positions wind of slander and ingratitude, since its were menaced, and midsummer found the kindness in the matter has been mistaken latter as unready as ever to comply with for perpetual toleration. It, however,

> A SECOND WARNING. in the most emphatic language. Under date of August 21st, 1878, the Committee on Teachers, Officers and Salaries reported as follows :-

"That as the teachers who failed at the recent examinations are to receive no effort to redeem their status as teache special certificates till the end of the preers. In one or two instances the neces- sent year, they be re engaged by the LAST CONSIDERATION special certificates be sought for for the five teachers, namethese cases this compliance with the law | ly, Missis Beattie, Keys, Davidson Abrahams, and Mrs. Campbell, whose justice to these teachers who had certificates have expired, and who have thus taken the pains to qualify, that they thereupon be re-engaged until

There were present : E. J. B. Pense, ference to Mr. Allen's position at the tive requirements in the law in the case, Chairman; Messrs. Allen, Fee, Horsey, the Board could not possibly take any Irving, McConaghy, McCrea, McRossie. other than its recent action. Presuming Wilson. Absent: Mesers. P. Bajus. J. K. Oh upon what proved to be the mistaken | ver, R. V. Rogers, W. Tandy, and Prof. Wat. kindness of the Board, and evidently son, the last-named being on a pleasure fancying that its repeated warning and trip to Europe, though already commit leniencies were so much child s play, the ted to the action by his vote of Decemdelinquent teachers made no leg t mate ber, 1877, and yet inconsistently talking

The Board, therefore, last week found sole object of whose existence was the itself in the position of a body whose reshouldering of the responsibility of their solutions, aimed at compliance with the illegal appointments. In the face of law and the retention of teachers, were urgent and repeated protests from the set at defiance by the teachers them-Department of Education against so im- selves. Moreover, the Trustees had to proper a state of affairs the Board very face the further difficulty of either emcould no longer assume this grave re- plying for special permits on grounds aponsibility of defying the law, and so which the Department of Education, simply did what not only their own re- knowing the facts, would reject as inpeated resolution but the dictum of the sufficient. Out of this dilemma there law required them to do. As to hard was but one exit, to do their duty acship to rejected applicants there cording to the warnings given, and pass has simply been none whatever in over the negligent and defiant teachers. the case. Some of them have had Their efforts at improvement and disnearly five years in which to cipline have, in some cases, been sing-tprepare for a second class certificate, viz., larly met, but on the whole they will the three years during which their third meet with public approbation. Such a class certificates were valid, and the bal- duty was necessary some day; It fell to ance in half yearly extensions. It has the Board of 1878 to do it and bear the been urged that it is well nigh impossible displeasure. Some of the teachers have after the labours of the class room, to taken the warning in the spirit intend study for a certificate. We may say ed, notably, Misses Livingston and for this purpose, a moderate degree of second-class examination and taken a application would have been ample for course at the Ottawa Normal School, the purpose, and the fact that it has while a third teacher, Miss E. Sitherbeen done us much less time by others, land, did not apply for re engagement astherently demonstrates the possibility this year, remarking that the Board had

and the reasonableness of the feat. If given her a good chance, and that she bowever, there is anything in this object intended to study up at once, and to aption, it has been fully met by the action ply when duly qualified. The report of Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg Railof the Board, which has virtually given last week was carried by the votes of road. Trains will leave Cape Viscont at the suspended teachers leave of absence eight trustees who have given long study 7.45 a.m., and 4.35 p.m.; arrive at 10:15

the pledge of the Board, that as soon as partment of Education we may point and laying here all night. The U. S. they qualify they will receive the pre- out the legal instructions to Inspectors mails will consequently be closed at ference in all future appointments to va as to temporary certificates, wherein the night. cancies. As to the new appointments, it reasons for such privileges are stated to It will be seen by the above train time noral of the Princess Alice at Darmstadt tivity, and all but Mrs. Jones and her sou as quite capable of demonstration that be; An application from the Trustees, a that two hours and fifteen minutes is the they have been made with a strict regard scarcity of teachers, and the failure of schedule time for the morning train from

successful experience have been sought we do more than quote the attached let- two persons. The Eagle learns that a for and obtained in the new appoint- ter from the Department, spurring the Cape Vincent man will soon walk the been filled by teachers not only of abilis Sin,-I have the honor to state that start. Twenty-four miles in 135 minutes

before submitting your recommendation for the extension of 3rd class certificates that of successful application both as to in the cases you named. I have brought study and class work, and who will doubt- the general question before the Honourless prove most valuable acquisitions to able the Minister of Education, he reour staff of teachers. Apart from all marks: "As to the third class certificates, in

other reasons there are three simple cities the reasons to justify any extensions fund for supplying poor families with a considerations which combined to leave must be very special that is to say, must good dinner on that holy day. Donors of the School Board no option whatever but show marked ability and soiely for the to take the course they reluctantly pur- purpose of enabling applicants to obtain sued. (1) Had they longer defied the law to the intention of the Department, and stons from dealers and merchants at cost, that defiance would in all probability have in fact of the statute that holders of 3rd and the distribution is performed grabeen punished by the withdraws of re- class certificates should be employed in tuitonely, thus giving to the poor the full cognition and its annual Government Public Schools of cities and any depar- behefit for the money. Subscriptions trate is dealing reverely with street grant of \$1,200; (2) the city public school ture from this at the present can only be for preventing, firstly, individual hardtaxpayers could legally have refused to ship to teachers, and secondly in order tary, Mr. LeRicheux, Mr. Pense, Dr. pay the school tax, and (3) the Chairman that the schools may be gradually pre- Erana and Mr. Swan. of the Board and every Trustee who con- pared for a higher class of masters. The cented to the illegality would have renthird class certificates are intended to be confined to counties, and in which towns another very five picture, the painting dered themselves personally liable—at the and villages, but not cities, can be gaid

suit of any taxpayer -for the recovery of to be comprised. the full amounts illegally paid to persons I will thank you therefore for a special who, in the eye of the law, had cessed to report on the cases mentioned in harmony be teachers. Considerations like the with the views of the Minister.

above are an unanswerable vindication of

the recent action of the Board.

in character, a easo in which an old gentleman is bolstured up and by his physician made to believe that he is I may remark that the concurrence at really very sick. The artist has done least of the County Inspector in all re-

some good work upon the painting.

Professor Watson's Complaint. To the Editor of the British Whig. SIR,-Writing to the Delly Nes Saturday Profesior Watson complain a hasty action of the Public Beho assumed facts upon which he impeaches

professional gentleman. streeting was suddenly called for that evening at seven o'clock. This is far body should not hesitate to discuss agifrom being the truth, and yet it is the tating, social, economical and political ground work of his complaint. The Com- issues (using the word political in its mittee anished its work on Monday even- larger sense) that are now disturbing the ing, and the Chairman took its voice as whole fabric of society. The Times to calling the Board together. Tuesday mentions a number of names, but no evening was agreed uponson the ground of precedent, and also because on Wednesday evening, Dr. Oliver, one of the dissentients, could not be present because of an election in Cataragui Lodge, which several other members of the Board might like to attend, the special meetings being arranged generally to suit the convenience of the Trustees. Immediately on the date being agreed upon the Secretary under instructions by the Chairman, wrote out the notices for the seven members not already apprized, which notices were delivered to the city messenger soon after daylight the next morning, and he delivered them that a.m. have the moral support of the Board in promptly, for Prof. Watson as well as the Traders Council lately, said America was setting the law and the Central Educaother six members. No notice was left just recovering, after five years of tional authorities at de lance for all time

ing such enquiries as the courtesies de-

cation becomes a personal and public du- sudienly on Tuesday afternoon. Furthe: 4 Trustees, we learned on Tuesday dead g from the Chairman that simuates I had an improper interest per- he had been outlied of Professor Watment was suggested by other members of to a tea party, and the then asked Mr. Knight, Rector of the Collegiate the Board, and was entirely due to the pressing necessity of sugaging all availa- Institute, to request him to be present, ble and eligible teachers possessed of which Mr. Knight did in the course of a business meeting with Prof. Watson. Therefore there was every care taken tion has a record of over eleven years of to have the Professor present, that he into monening until the 30th inst. Yessuccessful service as a public school teach. especially might not suffer from any terday the Emperor William and the Em-"hasty or illegal action." Had the Com- press Augusta paid a visit of condolence mittee known that he was to have a tea to the Crown Prince and Princess. party in hand upon Tuesday evening it might have further accommodated them-

selves to his convenience. The precedents for calling the Board on the evening following the Committee's meeting are numerous enough, for insecond class certificate, valid, of stance:

1877 -Com. met Dec. 19. Board Dec. 20

choice of several schools in the vicinity 1873 " " " 31. " Jan. 2. of the city, and had partially consented The Chairman and Committee, therefore, adopted the almost unfailing rule of the Board, the single exception being in tion to which she has been assigned, and 1875, when the three days allowed which, by the way, is less than that reto clapse were occupied by canceived by her predecessor. So far from and cancusing having resorted to an undue exercise of made it extremely difficult for the Board to act conscientionsly and impartially. of Her Royal Highness the Princess not only declined to vote up in her

sor means by styling the Truss the Secretary of State for the Colonies tees "irresponsible gentlemen play- mailed the despotch, and it was published ing at legislation." That both he and officially. Lord Monck, then Governor they are responsible to a large body General, through his Secretary, invited of reasonable men they are aware, but the people of Canada to wear suitable evidently has is not, from the systematic mourning. They were governed, as will way in which he has neglected his duties, | doubtless be the case in this instance, by Board and through the press in a manner | Lord Chamberlain. The sad event will almitted as a junior teacher at the that shows him to be but very remotely not interfere with those who desire to pay ral others, and without the slightest re-WM. ALLEN. Yours truly, Kingston, Dec. 16, 1878.

PRINCESS ALICE.

Her Royal Hightess Princess Alice Maud Mary of England, and Grand sitton as Secretary of the Board, had anything whatever to do with Miss Phippen's | Duchess of Hesse Darmstadt, was the appointment. The Secretary was absent second daughter and third child of Her from the Committee when the appoint. Majesty Queen Victoria and of his late ments were made, and like all the other lamented Royal Highness the Prince charactul applicants Miss Phippen was Consort. She was born April 25th, 1843, appointed simply because the Board re- at Windsor Castle. On July 1st, 1862, quired her services, because she held the she was married to Prince Frederick necessary legal certificate, and because William Louise, now Louis, Grand Duke she had been highly recommended by dis | of Hesse, at Osborne. The lives of the interested parties who were familiar with | members of the Royal Family have been wisely guarded from all public ostenta-The fact is, the Board after most re- tion and show, and therefore there is netantly dropping the disqualified teach. little to relate of them as of all quiet ers, selected the very best material at happy families. Euough was known, its command, and it would have been an however, of the late Princess to render injustice, not only to the applicants but her very dear to the hearts of the Engthe public, had these eligible candidates lish people. Her quiet, thoughtful char- repute here, if they ever had any characbeen exclude t from consideration for the acter and tender disposition had before ter. On Friday night Miss Fisk had a absurd reason that they happened to be endeared her to the people, but at the row in the American Hotel with her related to some member or officer of the time of her illustrious mother's greatest manager, and both of them are said to Board. The very best vindication of the affliction her noble and affectionate devo- have been drunk. action of the Board lies in the fact that tion to her parents and her sedulous endeavers to console her mother under the graph Company met on Saturday and denow every single appointee is in possession of a legal certificate of qualification, terrible sorrow at the death of the Prince | cided that no further steps should be senting Reports of Committees relative to that the number of teachers holding Consort, deepened the feeling into sincere taken anent the pooling scheme, which Private Bills. second class certificates has been more love. This love, however, has had little has consequently fallen through. than doubled, that two male teachers occasion for manifestation, as the wedding London, Dec. 16 .- The Standard says lave been added to the staff, and, finally, ceremomes, which had been postponed on the American Government has decided in the amount for salaries a saving of account of the Prince Consort's death, to send a small expedition to the west nearly \$300 will be effected as com- were solemnized six months later in the coast of Africa under command of Compared with the appropriation of the year | most private manner, and after a short | modore Schufeldt, for the purpose of senow closing. More than this, the Board | tour the Princess and her husband | lecting trading stations, and hoisting the has dealt neither harehly nor summarily settled down quietly in England, where American flag. in deciming for the present to re-ap- they resided until the death of Louis III. point the old teachers, in all future ap of Hosse, the Prince's father. The pointments their claim to precedence is Prince Louise of Hesse was Prince that in the time that has been granted Hayward, who have passed the to be recognized, and as fast as they Albert's choice, having been a great qualify they will be readmitted to the favorite with him. The quiet of their service of the Board as vacancies occur. married life was only interrupted by the death of the late Duke and the accession of the present Doke. They were blessed with seven children, of whom it has been their grief to be deprived of two. In May, 1873, Priros Frederick William Augustus Victo Leopald Louis, then two and a half years of age, met his death by And now another change of time on the accidentally falling from a window. few days ago the cable brought the intelligence that the youngest shild, the Princess Marie of Hesse, aged four, died for the purpose of preparation. They to the question, while only four opposed a m., and 7.60 pm. This upsets the from that fell disease diptheria, which has caused so much sorrow in so many hearts. 'Maud's' time somewhat. She will leave London, Dec. 16. - The Queen commanded His Royal Highness, the Prince

of Wales, Prince Leopold, and the Duke of Elinburgh, who arrived in his frigate at Portsmonth to day, to attend the fu-The intelligence of the death of his

sister was communicated to the Duke of Edinburg on his arrival at Portsmouth today, and His Royal Highness was greatly overcome by the sad intelligence. The English Court will go into full mourning for six weeks. They will carry the season of mourning to the 27th

of January, and will greatly interfere from the American Consul at Tangiers with the feativities of the holiday season. give a deplorable account of the condi-The marriage of the Dake of Connaught tion of affairs in Morocco. Cholera still with the daughter of Prince Frederick ravages the country, and unless the out-Charles, will hovever, be postponed for side world comes to the relief of the only a fertnight from the date originally people starvation threatens the land. fixed. The marriage of Princess Thyre At Casabianca there have been 1,369 tration of our civic affairs. with the Duke of Cumberland, will be deaths by cholers, small pox, and typhoid solomnized on the 21st inst., next Sunfever in thirty-seven days. The misery day. The festivities with which the at Tangiers caused by the cessation of one dollar can nominate one family for | marriage of the Duke of Connaught were business as well as the epidemic is on the to be graced will be gountgrmanded. increase. The only communication with The marriage will be a very quiet and the outside world is by way of Gibraltar comi-monthly for food. Cholera and private ceremony. famine are carrying off hundreds in Mo-STREET FIGHTING - The Police Magis. rocco. At Saifi and Mogrdor the epide-

Brawlers. This morning he tined Patrick | year Aleazar ch dera and fever swept O'Brien \$20 and costs for drunkenness thirty-six out of thirty-seven of the inand disorderly conduct yesterday, and habitsots. with resisting arrest by P. C. Hinde. Mr. Kinchells, who threatened to "kick the stuffu' out of someone," will receive the same attention when found, ----ONWEGO MARKEYS.

Oswego, Dec 16, Wheat firm - W h to State at 1,03; prime red at 1,06 to 1,07. Corn steady at 46c, Barley, unchanged-extra bright Canada held at 1.20.

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everybody complains of some disease dur-

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Regular size 75 centsr. Two doses will

REMINDERS.

CITY COUNCIL.—Regular at 8 p.m.
BAZAAR of the Ladies' Aid Society of Saint

Magring of St Paul's Church Temperance

MEETING in aid of Sabrevois Mission at 7:30

SALE of Brokenshire Foundry at 11 a.m.

EMERGENCY of Mindan Lodge at 7,30 p.m.

p.m. teMass Meeting for Mechanics' Institute mat

Look out for the Ul'y Sale on Wednes

FOR SALE

ON the Southwest quarter of Lot 24, in the 5th Concession of the Township of King-

ston, containing 50 Acres of good cultivated Land, Thereon are two Dwelling Houses, (oc-

cupied) four Wells of water, and 4 Acres of an

Orchard, in good condition, with fruit. There

best in the Township. This valuable Property is situated near the Perth Road, five miles

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MERTING of Mair Testimonial Committee at

Mary's Cathedral.

As sciation at 7:30 p.m.

.m. in St. James' School House.

MONDAY. / 115931

New York, Dec. 16 .- The Times says recent pulpit literature and one that has cropped out significantly during the last his more diligent colleagues without mak- to discuss vital, political and social issues to the exclusion of partisan politics mand, or as might be expected from a from the pulpit, undoubtedly a very safe and proper rule in most instances, there are abundant reasons in the exigencies of the times, why the ciergy as a

> Roman Catholics amongst them Bishop Little John, of Long preaching in the Church of Heavenly Rest yesterday, said clergymen were terribly tempted nowadays to float with dogma, and asked the prayers of the Church for the strengthening of the hands of the clergy. Professor Felix Adler, in his lecture

the Jons would die out by being absorb ed juto other races, but they would leave their impress upon all mankind. Mr. Mundell, a member of Parliament in a speech at a banquet of the Sheffield undelivered till the afternoon, every dille precedented depression in trade, and her gence being shewn by the Chairman and recovery was due to her boundless reofficials under him. In point of fact seven | sources for thousands. Her artizans had members were notified on Monday even- been driven by trade depression to the is one new Barn, lately built, size 40x48, the ing, and seven more on Tuesday morning, cultivation of soil, and now she was not and yet Professor Watson has the effront only supplying her own people but from Kingston. The property can be purchased by paying one third down. For further par-

THE LATE PRINCESS.

Funeral on Wednesday--Court Mourning.

(By Telegraph To-day.) Berlin, Dec. 15 .- Owing to the death of the Grand Duchess of Hesse Larm- from Kingston. Thereon are good buildings stadt, Princess Alice, the Court will go bearing order. For terms apply to the Darmstadt, Dec. 15 .- The funeral of

the Grand Duchess of Hosse Darmstadt, Princess Alice of England, will take place on Wednesday, December 18th. In the House of Commons to-day it was unanimously agreed to submit an address of condolence to the Queen.

OTTAWA.

The Death of Princess Alice--Proceedings at the Capital.

(By Telegraph To-day.) Ottawa, Dec. 16 -- No orders have yet been received at Rideau Hall from England with reference to the lamented death orders with WM. DAVID, the Cneap Broker. The role was continued wisely this year, Alice. It is thought, however, that an since the sequel proves that great in- official despatch for publication in the He has hundreds of Keys on hand. fluence would have been called into ope- Canada Gazette will shortly arrive, that and Second Hand Goods of every description course having been pursued on the death opposite Mrs. Burgess' Fancy Goods Store I do not know what the Profes- of the Prince Consort. On that occasion Princess Street, Kingston. ar CHEAP JOHN and which has led him to speak at the the mourning regulations issued by the WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE Gold and Silver Watches, probable that no state entertainment will be given at Rideau Hall for some time to come. An extra of the official gazette was issued on Saturday evening, containing the following: "His Excellency the Governor General and Her Royal Highs ness the Princess Louise have received FOR THE HOLIDAYS, which we will sell at with deep grief the news of the death of Her Royal Highness the Princess Alice, Grand Duchess of Hesse." Flags are still

MONTREAL.

System.

(By Telegraph To-day.)

The Directors of the Montreal Tele-

A despatch from Labore says the ad

INDIAN MASSACRE.

Emigrant Party.

(By Telegraph To-day.)

Jones, of Washington county, Iowa, ar

William Brown, Joshua Brown and

Joseph Hyatt, a trother of Mrs. Jones,

the men of the party, were instantly shot

dead. The others were taken into cap-

Every detail of her story is confirmed.

DISTRESS IN MOROCCO.

Ravages of Famine and Disease.

(By Telograph To dag.)

Whooping Cough is successfully treat-

ed by separating the patients beyond hear-

ing distance of each other, and by the

employment of Fellows' Hypophosphites.

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iems may be produced in one susceptable

by simply hearing the cough of another

person. The above named treatment

has been found singularly effective.

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MOTICE

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Washington, Dec. 14.—Despatches Ward. TENTLEMEN, -At the request of a large leave to offer myself as a Cambdate for a seat at the Council Board for 1879. Should I have

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G. S. HOBART, Secretary. LOST,

N KINGSTON or on the Steamer Mand, on December 5th, A ROUND EAR RING. with pearl in the centre. The finder will pleane leave it at the Witte Orsice.

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