## VERY WICKED WOMEN.

THEY ACT VERY BOLDLY BEFORE THE POLICE MAGISTRATE.

The Training of Some Parents Evidently Very Much at Fault-A Dismissal And an Accompanying Lecture-Arrests May Follow Further Disobedience.

Yesterday afternoon a soldier called at the police station and stated that three girls were on the ice at the rear of the barracks acting in a very disorderly manner with some soldiers. Sergt. Nesbitt and Officer Craig went after the girls. On seeing the policemen they started for Barriefield taking their course across the ice. The officers ran and succeeded in catching the girls. They were brought before the magistrate this morning, and charged with vagrancy Amy Whiting said she was a general servant, and worked in the city. Sergeant Nesbitt said the girls had bad reputations, and Amy Whiting was not long out of the reformatory. James O'Donnell, the soldier who led the police to believe the girls were terribly rank, refused, when put in the box, to say anything that would injure them. He swore they were respectable girls, and said he could get several of his comrades in the barracks to testify to their good behaviour. The girl named Robinson is a stranger here, and when she came to the city two months ago enquired for Amy Whiting. The other girl's name is Sarah Brown. The maidens are young but very wicked. On being spoken to they presented a brazen front and looked saucily at the magistrate. He dismissed them and warned them to mend their ways. They would be watched and arrested if they acted unbecoming. After they left court O'Donnell met them and had a parley with them. He bragged of the evidence he had given in their favour. The girls passed on and used profane language in their conversation.

#### CANADIAN SCHOOL BOYS

After Reading Dime Novels They Try to Enlist at Sockett's Harbour. Watertown Times.

William Anderson, a very freckled Canadian lad, was found by his brother in law. Philip Bajus, at Sackett's Harbour yester day. Young Anderson attended school in Belleville, Ont., in accordance with the wishes of his parents, but against his own inclinations. He argued with his parents about the matter, but they still maintained that the boy was better at school than learn ing a trade. Then he arranged with some other boys of that place to leave town for the west. Two of the boys had no money, but they stole rides until Watertown was reached. The boys seemed to have obtained an idea that they might enlist in the United States regular army at Sackett's Harbour, and be taken at their request to the west at the government's expense, where it would be convenient for them to kill and scalp Indians. Consequently they procured passages to Sackett's, and proceeded to the barracks, but were disappointed to find that no such arrangements could be made. Just at this juncture, Mr. Bajus, of Kingston, put in an appearance, and upon threatening the boy with the lock-up, if he refused to go with him, succeeded in exacting a promise from young Anderson to return to his home, if it could be arranged that he might be apprenticed to a trade. The boy arrived in this city in charge of his brother-in-law last evening.

Mr. Bajus said : "We would not have cared so much about the lad's running away had it not been that he started with boys who would be liable to get Will into trouble. His companions were a tough lot, regular street gamins. They were five in number when I found them at Sackett's, and it is probable that in a short time the gang would have increased considerably. I guess the boys had been reading dime novels, and thus got false ideas. Williams' parents will probably let the boy learn a trade." This is the second time that Anderson has left his home. The last time he went to Toronto, but was

glad to return.

#### ADVOCATE OF CREMATION.

A Graduate of the Royal Cellege Writes a

Book on the Subject. Dr. Hugo Erichsen, graduate of the Royal Kingston, Feb. 4.—(To the Editor): In College, Kingston, living in Detroit, has written a work on "The cremation of the dead, considered from an asthetic, sanitary, religious, historical and economical stand point." He was a member of the committee of organization of the first cremation congress, and is prominently connected with several organizations favorable to this mode of disposing of the dead. He attached himself to the cause when its prospects of securing approval from physicians and hygienists were much more meagre than they are to-day, and when as yet no clergyman of prominence had ventured to oppose the popular feeling against it. Sir T. Spencer Wells, Bart, F. R. S., ex-President of the Royal college of surgeons, and surgeon to the queen's household, in the introduction gives his cordial sanction to Dr. Erichsen in undertaking to place an important sanitary reform in its true light before the people. While he confesses that in England the disposition to regard it as he does himself is confined to comparatively few he mentions among those who have answered the religious objections to it the late Bishop of Manchester, Canon Liddon and the late Earl of Shaftesbury.

## SENTENCING PRISONERS.

The Way Ramponi Was Treated in Toronto -Term in the Penitentiary.

Julius Ramponi, the attractive and aris tocratic-looking Italian, convicted of having stolen a silver cigarette holder from Arthur Beardmore, was the last prisoner on the list. He entered the dock in Toronto on Saturday with bowed head and trembling hands, as if overcome by fear or shame. "The sentence I am about to pronounce

upon you," remarked his lordship, by some, be considered lenient. There were circumstances connected with your defence, I do not mean on the part of your counsel, but your mode of defence that would tend to aggravate your offence. Have you anything to say? "Nothing," replied the prisoner, raising

his haggard face to the judge.

"The sentence is that you be confined in the gaol for the space of three months." James Middleton, an elderly man from Woodbridge, convicted of having ravished

anything to say. "It was a put up job on me, your lordship; I am an innocent man, and I hope you

his young daughter, was asked if he had

will be merciful to me.

"Yours," said the judge, "is a most painful case. I have received a petition signed by your neighbors, giving you a good character and praying for clemency. The sentence is that you be confined in the provincial penetentiary for twelve years."

Assisting the License Inspector.

During prohibited hours, the windows leading to bar-rooms, must, according to law, be uncovered. This scheme in the license act was inserted for the purpose of giving license inspectors a chance to see if liquor was being sold.

#### FATHER TWOHEY'S LECTURE.

He Urges the People of St Mary's Cathe-

dral to be Very Charitable. A lecture in aid of the funds of the St. Vincent de Paul society was given in St. Mary's Cathedral, last evening, by the Rev. Father Twohey, of Westport. The high esteem in which he is held by the people of Kingston could be easily seen, every pew in the church being occupied. The discourse was an excellent one and chosen from Matthew II. 1-12. Every word uttered by the lecturer could be distinctly heard by those seated in the farthest end of the building. In beginning Father Twohey stated that he was present at the request of the St. Vincent de Paul society, an invitation having been extended to him through the clergy of the city. He had accepted because, for the many years he had labored here, he had received their cheerful co-operation in assisting those in need of charity, and under these circumstances it would have been ungenerous if he had refused to lecture. Although he was laboring in another part of the diocese the greatest harmony and good-will, which had always existed between them in Kingston, still exists. He had no apology to offer for having come to lecture, and hoped the people had not expected to hear anything extraordinary. He thought they might have been glad to see and hear him because he had labored so long amongst them in days of adversity and in days of prosperity. After stating that he was also glad to see them, he said he would speak on the gospel which was read on the feast of the Epiphany of Our Lord. When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, there appeared a star in the east and the people immediately knew that the Messiah was born. Shephards left their flocks and went in search of the Saviour, and wise men from the east, guided by the star, went to Jerusalem and adored Him. King Herod hearing this, was troubled and all Jerusalem with him. He enquired of the chief priests where Christ should be born and, privately calting the wise men, learned of the star which appeared to them, and sending them into Bethlehem instructed them to inquire after the child, and when they had found Him to return and let him know so that he might also go and adore Him. They followed the star until it came and stood over where the child was. On entering they found the child with Mary his mother and falling down they adored him. Opening their treasures they offered him gifts of gold, etc. The wise men, while asleep, received a message that they should not return to Herod, and according they went by another way into their own country. The lecturer also spoke of the deluge, showing why God had so punished his people, and made reference to the number who were now flowing to the Holy See and laying their offerings at the feet of the head of the church on this earth. He also made reference to the manner in which God chastised his children, saying that the famine which had been sent upon Ireland had been a benefit to her. It had forced many of her children to leave the place of their birth and go to other countries. This enabled those who remained to make a livelihood from their farms while those who had left grew up an honor to the land and were now assisting her in her struggle, aided by God's hands, to secure a parliament of her own. He next showed how the Catholic church protected her poor. In every parish where there were people who needed assistance men and women were formed together to aid and relieve them, and in other places institutions were built to protect them. He urged upon the people to have the spirit of Christ about them and by so doing they would be blessed by Jesus Christ. In conclusion he exhorted upon those present to encourage the noble work of relieving distressed people in the city. Those outside the society had little knowledge of the noble work which they were doing. He asked the congregation to subscribe liberally when the subscription was taken up. It was the

#### ETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

first time he had asked a favor since he had

left Kingston, and he hoped they would

grant it. The benediction of the Blessed

Sacriament followed the lecture. The col

lection was a large one and, it is said,

amounted to several hundred dollars.

The Order of Foresters.

answer to Saturday's "Inquirer," I would say that Forestry is peculiarly adapted to the wants of mankind, let it be A.O.F., C.O.F., or I.O F. It teaches in the mest forcible and beautiful manner the important lesson of liberty, benevolence and concord. The name is revered and loved by those especially whose hearts have been made glad by their relieving influence. For near a century and a half our good name has been sustained without taint or blemish in our fatherlands, and now count our great wealth to be £5,000,000 sterling, and as many millions relieved from their funds. Our Canadian order is wholly a Canadian institution, the only national society of the kind in the country, and therefore claims a place in our midst. We have fourteen courts in Toronto, seven in London, and most other cities, towns and villages are represented by us, to the number of two hundred courts in Ontario, and several in Quebec and Manitoba provinces. Our reserve fund for endowment is \$50,000, and for weekly and funeral benefits about \$45,-000, and both rapidly increasing. Our defences are proof against the Toronto Globe's journalistic blizzard raging against friendly societies at present, and we are just waiting and ready for the legislature to give us a chance to add another seal to our incorporation, and then show at least one society among the friendlies that has braved 145 years the battle and the breeze. A good feature is our local court; when it is started it will prosper and flourish. Yours truly, D. STEWART, Prov. Organizer.

## Mr. Wilkins Heard From.

KINGSTON, Feb. 6. - (To the Editor) : In your issue of Feb. 4th an employee of the cotton mill contradicts a statement reported to have been made by me before the Royal labor commission in regard to the number of hours' work per week paid for by the Kingston cotton mill company. In reply I have to say that I did not make the statement attributed to me, and the reporter certainly misunderstood me. What I did say was this: That the employees of certain mills in this locality worked 611 hours per week last year, and not 60 hours as stated by some witnesses. I certainly did not say anything about the number of hours paid for, and did not mention the cotton mill as reported. I may also say that as a member of organized labor I was very well satisfied with the evidence given by the manager of the Kingston cotton mill.-Truly yours, J. WILKINS.

## The New Kathleen.

The Baird company is again here, and appears to-night in "The New Kathleen." The company is decidedly the best of all that have appeared here, at the reduced rates, during the season. It is promised a large patronage, and certainly deserves the

The band of the 14th Batt at the Citizens' rink, Regiopolis grounds, on Tuesday even-

# THE COMING BONSPIEL.

A STIRRING GAME SECURED BY THE COLD WEATHER.

To Take Part in a Friendly And Exhilerating Competition - The Arrangements Made For the Bonspiel Which Occurs Tomorrow-The Teams Selected.

"Hurrah for the curlin' frae Girvan tae Stirlin' Hurrah for the lads wi' the besom and stane. Steady noo! Soop it up! Clap a gaird! Steady

O curlin' abune a' the games stan's alane !" And of all the winter games any one who has ever experienced the joys of curling will undoubtedly place it facile princeps. See how a body of curlers vie with each other in the friendly and exhilerating competition Look at the keen glistening of their eyes while they survey the ponderous curling stones as they go booming down the icy rinks. Curling not only enliveus their spirits and braces their nerves, but strengthens and enlarges the sphere of social intercourse by bringing into contact many a

would never meet on this side the grave. The rarest sights in nature are said to be a dead donkey and a tinker's funeral; but who ever heard of a sick curler ! Let a man be wincing under the twitch of rheumatism, or roaring with the agonies of gout, 'or under any of the numerous ills that flesh is

kindred spirit who, but for such occasions,

heir to, let him-

"Get stanes and a broom, tak' a season o' curl-And the pains o' disease in a jiffey will flee."

As most people know curling is a sort of "bowls" played upon an ice rink, and "maist awfu' popular amang the Scots," but like many another good game that comes from Scotland - notably, perhaps, "hot scotch" -it is very popular among Canadians and bids fair to continue only more so. Each curler is provided with two stones cut from granite or iron and spherical in form, finely polished on the under side, and furnished with a handle on the upper. The weight of each stone is from thirty to forty pounds or more, according to the taste or strength of the player. In addition to the "stane" each player has a "besom" or broom to "soop her up wi." The rink is about forty-two yards in length by some ten yards broad. At each end, thirty-eight yards apart, are cut tees or witters, round which are circles to guide the eye in estimating the position of the stones when played. One line is drawn across the middle and one seven yards before each tee. The line in the middle of the rink marks the place where sweeping may commence; the lines before each tee are the hog-scores, which must be passed by the running stone-if not it is removed from the rink as a hog, and held as useless for the round.

Four players form a side, headed by a "skip" or director. The principle of the game is simple. The stones of either party played from one tee to the other and found at the conclusion of the round to be nearest the tee count as shots. A game is generally reckened as twenty-one shots. In a bonspiel or match, when the number of players is great, the contest is often for the greatest number of shots within a given time

If the present weather continues the bon spiel, which opens here to-morrow, will be a lively affair. The rink is located on Barrie street, near the court house, and two rinks can be played at a time. The drawing for the bonspiel is as follows :

Tuesday, 9 a.m. - Carleton Place vs. Al-

Tuesday, 1 p.m. - Arnprior vs. Renfrew. Tuesday, 7 p.m.-Contest between the day's winners.

Wednesday, 9 a.m. Pembroke vs. Smith's

Wednesday, 1 p.m.-Perth vs. Kingsion. The winners of Tuesday will play off with the winners of Wednesday on Thursday. On Wednesday evening the visitors will be tendered a banquet at the British Ameri-

The teams selected by the Kingston club to meet Perth are as follows : No. 1, Lieut. Col. Cotton, James Stewart, C. H. Corbett,

Capt. Hamilton, (skip.) No. 2, W. R. Mc-Rossie, Capt. Paul, W. C. Carruthers, J. B. Walkem, (skip.) The first named in connection with the Carruthers' gold medal resulted as follows.

The first named are the winners: W. C. Carruthers v. Hamilton, default; Stewart v. Corbett, default ; Sutherland v. F. Fraser : McRossie v. Strachan ; Capt. Paul v. Major Wilson; Col. Cotton v. J. B. Carruthers; Dr. Watson v. W. Dalton; J. B. Walkem v. T. Robertson. This week the second round will be play

ed between the following: W. C. Carru thers v. Stewart ; Sutherland v. McRossie Capt. Paul v. Col. Cotton ; Dr. Watson v. J. B. Walkem.

#### SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS

The Result of the Usual Monthly Tests-

Pupils to the Front. Result of the monthly examination of the senior third class, Wellington street school; teacher, M. Davis ; total marks obtainable, 254 : Charles Hickey, 195 ; Frank Patch 191; Ronald Skinner; 173; Fred. McLaughlin, 168; Albert Charleton, 163; Willie Kelly, 160; Willie Crothers, 155; Herbie McFaul, 152; Fred. Jenkins, 147; John Conley, 145; Jack Mackerras, 144; Melville Robinson, 142; Allen Derry, 139 Willie Angrove, 136; Charlie Chapman, 134 ; Charlie Birch, 134 ; Herbie Rees, 132 James Yates, 131; Thomas Dunlop, 123 Hallaway Waddell, 122; Willie Birtles, 118; Claire Funnell, 118; Percy Oliver, 116; Foster Donnelly, 113; Norman Mitchell, 113; Robert Bajus, 112; Albert McAuley, 109; Stanley Porter, 102; Edgar McEwen, 97; Wesley Milligan, 87; Melville Horsey, 85 Frank Summerville, 84; Herbie Hoppins, 79 Harry Day, 78; George Spotswood, 75 Frank Upper, 70; John Henderson, 69 Edward Prime, 69; Matthew Donnelly, 66 Fred Cardwell, 64; Melville Thompson, 59 Samuel Squire, 59; Willie Smith, 59; Felix Oberndoffer, 52; George McKay, 51; John Kelly, 11.

## TOO LIVELY BY HALF.

A Scene in a Restaurant on Sunday-And An Arrest Follows.

Two weeks ago a young woman went into the employ of a keeper of a restaurant, on Princess street. She came from Ireland four years ago. Before coming to Kingston she worked in Brockville and states that she received while there \$11 per month. Yesterday morning she created a sensation in her new quarters by threatening to take the life of a woman. She went to the police station and complained that the woman would not pay her for her services. She was advised to go back to the restaurant and keep quiet until to-day. When she returned she acted more disorderly than, before and finally the people had to call in the police. Officer Burnett came and attempted to advise the girl to keep quiet. She imprudently told him to go away and threw a kettle full of boiling water at him. He caught some of the water in one of his hands, which is badly scalded. He then arrested her and brought her, with the assistance of Officer McCullock, to the station house.

#### INAUGURAL SERMON.

Rev. Mr. Walker's Introduction to His People Yesterday Morning.

Rev. Mr. Walker, the new pastor of the Baptist church, preached yesterday morning to a small audience. He is an easy and a fluent speaker. His text was found in Paul's first epistle to Timothy, 1, 11; "According to the glorious gos pel of the blessed Lord which was committed to my trust." He said the words of his text were especially appropriate on which to found his first sermon to the Baptist people of the city. In the providence of God he and they had been called together for the purpose of saving souls. In coming into their midst he felt the great responsibility resting upon him, that of preaching Christ and Him crucified. For some days his mind had been absorbed in this blessed theme: "The glorious gospel of Christ which has been committed to my trust." This gospel was always glorious no matter from what standpoint they beheld it. It was glorious because it brought to man, good news, telling them of their salvation from hell, if they obeyed their Maker. The gospel came to degraded souls, sunk deep in misery and sin, and lifted them up from their lost condition to the light which God gives. The word of God was the friend of men in their worst troubles, trials, and temptations, and gives them a most wonderful power over sin. The gospel had been in existence from the beginning, and although it had experienced great opposition it triumphed over it all. This gospel was given because it had been proclaimed by the Lord Jesus Christ and the angels of heaven. It was this great message of God that the speaker had come to proclaim and he hoped he would receive aid from God to enable him to perform his mission faithfully, and that their efforts would be crowned with success. He would not dare to stand before them and preach the gospel as God's servant were it not for the firm assurance that he had been called to the work. He was determined to give his undivided time and attention to the gospel and the work which he had been called upon to do.

#### THE VOICE OF LABOR.

Petitions to be Sent to Parliament by the Dominion Labor Congress.

Several petitions, based upon resolutions passed at the last Dominion labor congress,

have been sent to parliament thus For the better protection of life and property it is desirable that a law be passed compelling all vessels, whether steam or sail, navigating the inland waters of Canada, to carry competent crews of seamen; making it necessary to have hulls and rigging properly inspected by competent men, appointed for that purpose, and making it a punishable offence to load vessels below a certain mark, to be designated by said inspector.

That it is desirable and necessary to amend the Seamen's Agreement act by repealing the clause refusing the right to appeal after conviction for any offence, and also to give all persons charged under the said act the right to be tried by a jury.

That inasmuch as the passage and euforcement of more stringent laws for the regulation of factories and workshops in some provinces than in others is calculated to prejudicially affect the manufacturers of the province having the stricter laws, the pass age of a Dominion factory act is desirable and necessary. That it is desirable and necessary to pass

a law establishing manhood suffrage in all elections.

That it is desirable and necessary that the dominion government should issue all money for the purpose of a circulating medium, to be a legal tender for all debts, public and private.

That no person, corporation, body or class, shall be exempt from the payment of any tax which is levied on the rest of the com

That a law be passed making the establishment of armed and uniformed private police and detective bodies illegal.

#### FASTER THAN THE WIND.

Ice Boating on the St. Lawrence-Making Very Fast Time.

Mr. George Dix, of Kingston, writes as follows to the Empire:

"The speed attained by ice boats on the St Lawrence is indeed very remarkable. With a favorable wind one of these boats can travel at the rate of speed that will make a limited express train blush with shame. A favorable wind, by the way, does not mean a wind over the stern; a wind on the beam is much preferable to that. With a stern wind the boat, of course, cannot travel on faster than the wind, but with the wind from a more favorable quarter it can. The uninitiated will doubt this assertion, but it is true, and has been proved to be so. If the uninitiated will stop to consider the fact that, except when running before the wind, the motion of the boat is made by the wind sliding off the sails, not pushing from behind, that the ice boat is very light and its friction in passing over the ice is almost nothing, they will see how it can travel faster than the force that propels it. If the sail boat was not so retarded so much by friction with the water it could, on the same tracks, travel at the same rate of speed as the ice boat. The wind was not making sixty miles an hour when I travelled on my ice yacht Wild Fire, of Garden Island, Ont., eight miles in eight minutes. Yet that I did so is a fact. My boat is patterned after the fast yacht Haze, of the Hudson River fleet, and her material is of the best."

# LET TER FROM HIS LORDSHIP.

Contents Made Public To-morrow-Clause About Hon. Edward Blake.

Yesterday Rev. Father Kelly, bishop's secretary, read a lengthy letter from his lordship, the bishop of Kingston, written in Rome and containing much interesting information. The document will be made public to-merrow. One clause made mention of the late leader of the liberal party in Canada and was as follows : "I chanced to see Hon. Edward Blake on the street and we were very glad, as fellow countrymen always are, to meet one another far from home. We exchanged cards of address and I gave him also the address of the Bishep of London, Mr. Blake wished to call on each of us at our lodgings, but yielded to my insistence that we are more at home in the city of popes than he. Accordingly we both did ourselves the pleasure of visiting him and enjoying half an hour's interesting conversation with him. The honorable gentleman looks well and expects to be fully reinstated in health and ready for active work before summer.

Hospital Collections. So far as heard from the following were the collections yesterday in the churches for the hospital : St. Paul's church; \$35 ; Chalmers' church, \$60; Baptist church, \$58.60; St. James' church, \$27.37; St. George's cathedral, \$96.48; First Congregational church, \$39.70; Sydenham St. Methodist church \$45.

At the Y.M.C.A. meeting in Toronto on Saturday T. B. Scott, of Queen's university, read a paper on "The extension of the college Y.M.C.A. work." F. H. Pratt illustrated a training class with good effect. He addressed a public meeting in the evening.

# INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

PARAGRAPHS PICKED UP BY OUR BUSY REPORTERS.

The Spice of Every Day Life What the Public are Talking About - Nothing Escapes the Attention of Those Who are Taking Notes.

The police were inspected to-day. The bachelors of Napance give a ball on

Thursday. Capt. Cuthbert is building two or three

small craft at I renton. The Kingston serenade club will appear a Sydenham on the 13th.

Two officers of the 14th battalion are after the vacant lieutenancies in "A" battery. If you are not pleased with the coffee you are using, try Hendry & Thompson's ; it

always gives satisfaction. The Brockville council has purchased a stone crusher and engine in Belleville for

It is said that several lady evangelists will visit Kingston shortly to conduct revival services in a Methodist church. The fragrance of Hendry & Thompson's

is now unsurpassed. Try it and you will Breck & Booth's is the cheapest p ace for

pine blocks, bunchwood, hard or soft wood A new sloop of the Atalanta's class is talked of in Rochester for the owner of the Aria-

Don't forget the fancy dress carnival at the Citizens' rink, Regiopolis grounds, on

Friday evening, Feb. 10th. The Baird comedy company has arrived from Smith's Falls. It will appear at the

opera house all this week. The Belleville Ontario thinks it a cold day when some new railway scheme is not pro-

jected in Kingston. For best Scranton stove coal, and for Eng lish (Newcastle) blacksmiths' coal, at lowest

ra es, go to the gas works coal yard. Louis Curran, Mary Curran, and Joseph Pork, were charged with drunkenness this morning. They were found guilty and decision reserved.

We roast and grind our coffees on the premises twice every week, which insures it being fresh and fragrant. Hendry & Thomp-

The merchants are talking of driving out in procession. It is expected that arrangements for the event will be completed

A roller race between J. R. Decker and George Clarke, distance two miles was contested on Saturday evening. Clarke won by one lan. At St. Catharines are being repaired the

schrs. Augusta, Sylvester Neelon, T. R. Merritt, J. R. Benson, and the steambarge Dominion. Tam O'Shanters will be in vogue to-mor row. When you run upon a fellow with

one of them and a fur coat, please don't ask

him if he is curling. The proposition to hold races on the Cataraqui driving park was defeated. It is decided to hold them on the ice. Good prizes will be offered.

Doran & Wright opened a branch commission house at Gananoque to-day. It will be in charge of Mr. McIvers, with Mr. Hanley, of this city, as operator. A week from to morrow a special service.

will be held by the Salvation army. A major will be present from the headquarters at Toronto and read the new rules. Pure coffee, roasted to-day, and will be ground fresh to-morrow morning, the finest

coffee in the city, 35c. per lb. at Henderson'scheap grecery house to-morrow. Do not suffer from sick headache a mo ment longer. It is not necessary. Carter's Little Liver Pills will cure you. Dose, one little pill Small price. Small dose. Small

pill. To be free from sick headache, billiousness, constipation, etc., use Carter's Little Liver Pills. Strictly vegetable. They gently stimulate the liver and free the stomach

from bile. Rev. R. Whiting, of Queen street Methedist church, is delivering a series of sermons upon Joshua's exhortation at Shechem. Last evening's sermon was addressed to the heads of households.

Try our dry edgings, \$2.50 per cord; dry pine blocks, \$3 per cord ; dry oak cordwood, as good as ordinary hardwood, \$3.50 per cord, delivered throughout the city. R. Crawford, foot of Queen street A woman who is weak, nervous and sleep-

less, and who has cold hands and feet, can not feel and act like a well person. Carter's I ron Pills equalize the circulation, remove nervousness, and give strength and rest. On Thursday evening last a party was held at Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath's resi dence, Elginburg. A pleasant time was

spent. The Kingston serenade band supplied the music, and Mr. F. Bristow was prompter. It is said that promotions will occur in the post office inspector's office and that a young man, formerly in the office, and who was transferred to the ocean mail service, will be re-appointed as the officers of the steam-

ships have been withdrawn. There is considerable competition among volunteer officers over the ten or twelve vecancies in the permanent militia force. Rumour has it that one of the favoured applicants is an ex-Kingston cadet who failed to pass his final and who will have to g back to school to qualify for his (reported) promised commission.

# PERSONAL MENTION.

People Whose Movements, Sayings and Doings Attract Attention.

Jay Gould's youngest son is seriously sick with a fever in Egypt. Chang, the famous Chinese giant, has set up in Shanghai as a tea broker.

P. Doran has purchased the stock of H. Wolfe, clothier, who left the city a short time ago.

J. Gallaher, of Napanee, has been engaged to travel for a wholesale stationary house in

On dit that G. W. Webb, Colborne, will be appointed Scott act magistrate, vice R. Clark, M.P.P., resigned. Eli Perkins will visit Ontario in a few

weeks and deliver addresses under the direction of the Canadian lyceum bureau of Na-Dr. Platt, the unseated member for Prince Edward, has abandoned the appeal to the

supreme court, owing to the cost of litiga-Marion Harland is to be the editor of a new illustrated magazine to be called the Homemaker, the publication of which is to be begun in New York in the autumn.

Rev. A. A. Radley, of Haley's station, finding himself unable to drive his preach ing appointment on Jan. 29th, owing to snow drifts, undertook to walk, and succeeded in making his way through the snow, although it was knee deep most of the distance (seven miles) and in places so drifted that he had to crawl on all fours.



Weather Probabilities Moderate winds, fair and cold.