### HOW THE THING STANDS.

THE BONSPIEL IS DRAWING TO A CHAPPY CLOSE.

Two Very Keen and Interesting Matches -Carleton Place the Choice For Next Year-Talking About the Winner of the Tankard.

The clubs of Kingston and Perth niet at the rink yesterday afternoon, and the coutest was full of interest. It was the last of the first series. Perth sent a fine team to meet that of the Limestone club, but it gracefully went under, a thing it was quite prepared to do. The Kingston team was composed of players who had for years sent the stones adown the glittering ice. But they met those worthy of them still. There was a very large number of spectators in attendance, and some of these chased up and down the rink in a really excited way. The ice was keen, consequent upon the weather. The term is applied to glittering ice. The curlers found that the stones glided gracefully over the surface, the least force possible being necessary to send them across the hog score. Then the glassiness had the tendency to divert the stone from the point aimed for. The match was conducted by ends, twenty-one, being played. In these No. I rink, Kingston, took 13, and No. 2 rink 15. Perth rinks secured 8 and 6 respectively. The score ended in favor of Kingston by twenty shots, 26 and 17 for Kingston rinks, and 16 and 7 for Perth. Last evening it was unanimously agreed

to hold the bonspiel of 1889 in Carleton Place,

The weather was very frosty this morning. and consequently the ice at the rink was very keen. Amprior and Almonte were pitted against each other, and as brisk a game as has yet been played occurred. The rinks were continually tieing each other, and this fact added to the interest which many took in the contest. Amprior was the favorite, but it had not much to brag of . There were some brilliant shots made on both sides. The teams were :

Arnprior. RINK NO. 1. RINK NO. 1. G. Russel, W. Anderson, Menzies, R. Cochrane, W. J. Johnston. Geo. Karss. R. G. Moles, skip -21. P. Young, skip-23. J. Rowe. G. Willoughby. C. Craig. R. Young. A. Burwash, W. Thoburn. N. M. Riddle, skip-16. A. Hood, skip-22.

Arnprior won by seven shots. This afternoon Kingston and Pembroke clubs contested.

There is considerable speculation as to the winner. Many think Arnprior will for the third time carry off the honors. If she does the tankard will belong to her. Others, however, are putting faith in the Kingston club. It has the advantage of its own ice and understands rolling the stones upon

Yesterday Henry Taylor, skip for the Perth rink No. 1, made a gallant shot. Perth had five stones in good position when one of Kingston's curlers knocked them out by placing a stone very close to the eye. What shall be done? If the Kingston stone were knocked out then Perth could count tive. Taylor eyed the ground and put a stone so cleverly that it rounded a guard knocke l'Kingston's shot outside, and followed leaving Perth to score five and tieing the side. Mr. Taylor was deservedly applanded.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

People Whose Movements, Sayings and Doings Attract Attention.

Rev. J. W. Sparling married three couples vesterday.

F. Conway, assistant general freight and passenger agent, is in Montreal. Capt. Thomas Howard, harbor master,

Montreal, is visiting friends in the city. W. J. Patterson will represent the arts class in the spring as valedictorian of Queen's. G. McLeod, general agent of the insur-

ance pool at Buffalo, left the city yesterday after a short visit.

Mr. James states that he was the first person who found Sergeant Mawhinney's

boy lost on Tuesday. Thomas' Elmer has gone to Syracuse to

visit his brother, who is very ill, suffering from an affection of the lungs. J. A. Reid, V.S., Napanee, died at Napance yesterday, from consumption. Mr.

Reid was widely and favorably known. Rev. J. McNaughton, R.A., Queen's university, laboring in Smyrne, Turkey in Asia,

reports that he is in the best of health and spirits. Miss Mary Grace Stuart, daughter of Sir Andrew Stuart, was married on Tuesday in

Quebec, to Arthur Audette, clerk of the exchequer court, Ottawa. David R. Locke, better known to the world as "Petroleum V. Nasby," editor and

proprietor of the Toledo Blade, is dying. Mr. Locke has been a very sick man for nearly two years. Rev. A. A. Radley, of Haley's station,

on the C. P. R., has forwarded \$5 for the hospital fund. He collected the amount last Sabbath. Fred. White, son of the minister of the

interior, was married yesterday at St. Andrew's church, Ottawa, to Miss Katie Gordon, daughter of Ald. Gordon. There was a large and fashionable attendance. Nelson German, carriage maker, Napa-

nee, died in the Rockwood lunatic asylum, in which he had been confined for about a year, on Tuesday. Mr. German had a wide circle of acquaintances by whom he was kindly and justly esteemed.

E. Gillen, of St. Paul, Minn., has returned to Kingston and entered into partnership with his brother, F. B. Gillen, as architect. Mr. Gillen has, since he left Kingston, studied architectural designing in Chicago and St. Paul. The new firm will undoubtedly be successful.

R. C. Miller, one of the Pembroke curlers, is editor of the Observer, and is, of course, a jolly good fellow. He advocates night matches because it costs money to stay in a city, and he can't do like Bill Nye, start on a journey with a paper collar and a five dollar bill and change neither during the trip.

## SHE IS CAUGHT AT LAST

A Young Woman Has Run the Length of Her String-A Bad Record.

Three weeks ago a resident of Division street asked for the arrest of his daughter who had remained away from home for a very long time. He and his wife were anxions to have her placed in some place where she might have occasion to reflect upon her past misconduct. Last evening while Detective Snodden was walking along King street he saw the offender limping along ahead of him. She was heading towards Tete du Pont barracks. This morning she was in the police court. She is small, young and pretty, and her clothes were tastily made. She looked and acted as if her vitality were at a low ebb. When charged with vagrancy she made no reply. Her case was adjourned until the 13th inst. While a domestic with one person she stole a number of articles and disposed of them.

#### AT HYMEN'S ALTAR.

Mr. John Horsey-Miss Bella Contey. "May fair and flowrey be thy way, the heavens all bright above thee, And happier every coming day to thee and

those who love thee.

Such were the sentiments expressed last evening by those who assembled to witness the marriage of Samuel John Horsey, son of R. M. Horsey, to Miss Bella Conley, daughter of Mr. Thomas Conley, which took place at the bride's residence, Wellington street, in the presence of family connections and many invited guests. Among those in attendance were ex-Major and Mrs. McKelvey; T. C. Wilson, chairman of the public school broard and Mrs. Wilson; ex-Chairman and Mrs. H. B. Savage; and T. W. R. McRae, B. A., Belleville. The nuptial knot was tied by the Rev. J. W. Sparling The bridesmaids were Miss Charlotte Conley, sister of the bride, and little Miss Florence Horsey, sister of the groom. The groom was assisted in the ceremony by C. Mitchell. The bride loooked charming and the manly form of the groom was conspicuous as he stood "before the parson" and went through the ordeal The wedding gifts from home and abroad were unusual in quantity, quality, and beauty. After a recherche supper the toasts were offered and happy sentiments uttered. Everybody wished the newly married couple all the happiness and prosperity that it was possible for heaven to grant them. As a reminiscence we might mention that it is just thirty years ago this month that we chroni cled the marriages of Mr. and Mrs. Conley, Mr. and Mrs. Horsey, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Allen-all occuring on the same evening. This is the first intermarriage of the children.

#### Mr. R. Baker-Miss Nettie Helmsley.

Another interesting event occurred at the residence of Mr. Geary, Livingston avenue, last evening, in the presence of a large number of friends. Miss Nettiq Hemsley was united in marriage to Mr. R. Baker. They were waited upon by Mr. Edward Marshall, of this city, and Miss Wilkie, of Portsmouth. The bride received many costly presents.

#### THE POSITION OF PARTI !!

Hon, Mr. Mercier is Yet all Right-How Can He Possibly Lose!

QUEBEC, Feb. 8. -L'Electeur has the following on this interesting head to-day: "The Ottawa Citizen says that a prominent Quebec conservative has brought to the federal capital the good news that the Mercier government is soon going to be overthrown. The organ of the federal ministers evidently is ignorant of the fact that, even supposing the national government was to lose not only all the vacant but the contested seats, it would still have a majority in the popular house, which is composed of a speaker and 64 members. The government, therefore, only needs 32 votes to retain office. We do not include in the list of nationals any of the members who have since last session promised to support the government. We do not count also such of our friends as our adversaries hope to unseat. We grant them, for the moment, all the vacant seats, or which they contend will become so soon, such as Montreal Centre, Shefford, Hochelaga, Maskinonge, Laprairie, Rimouski, Jacques Cartier, Laval, Missisquoi, Nicolet and Megantic. Thus, therefore, even supposing that the opposition should carry these eleven, which is the very wildest of suppositions, and that all the independent members should withdraw their promised allegiance to the government it would still remain in majority. Then upon what do our adversaries rely to oust Mr. Mercier ? The legislative council? But Mr. Mercier has already twelve supporters there out of the twentyfour. Moreover, before a month we will have other news for our adversaries on the sub-

# KINGSTON IS THE PLACE.

The Facilities Here For the Putting To gether of an Iron Boat.

Thomas Marks, Port Arthur, had an interview with Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, Ottawa, with reference to the importation of a new steel steamer, which is now being built in Scotland, at a cost of over \$100,000. She is intended for the grain trade between Port Arthur and Kingston. On her arrival at Montreal she will be cut in half so as to pass through the St. Lawrence canals, and it was the intention of Mr. Marks to have her put together in an American port, but on the minister of customs pointing out that he would have to pay duty on the amount of work done on the vessel in the United States, and that the labor might be performed just as satisfactorily at Kingston, Deser onto or some other Canadian port and the duty avoided, Mr. Marks looked favorably on the suggestion and will doubtless take advantage of it.

## BALL AT THE ASYLUM

Guests Have a Happy Time - Delegation of Curlers Entertained.

Last evening the employees of Rockwood asylum held their annual ball, and it was a successful event. About 250 persons participated in it and tripped the light fantastic toe to the delightful strains of Prof. Byrnes' quadrille band until this morning. Some very handsome toilets were worn. The building was beautifully decorated. Dancing began at 8:30 o'clock and was kept up continuously until about 2:36 o'clock. The supper was a superb affair. The table was finely garnished while the delicacies provided were ample and tempting. All present enjoyed the event, voting it the best ball ever held by the employees. After the dinner a delegation of curlers was received and the members of it given a whirl. They went away impressed with the conviction that dancing was the next best thing to curling.

## GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

The Indications That the Headquarters Are to be Re-Established Here.

The Grand Trunk by constructing two or three link lines between various portions of Midlard system and the Napanee and Tamworth gets a relief line to Kingston. Substantial work will be done in the way of double-tracking between Kingston and Mon-

This is another reason why the citizens expect that Kingston will be made the headquarters of the division between Montreal and Toronto. The subject is ripe, and we are informed that intimations have been given by high G.T.R. authorities that speedily Kingston must be made the headquarters, which will necessitate the removal of the round houses and workshops to the

#### city. The Gilded Age.

A large audience greeted the performance of "The Gilded Age" by the Baird dramatic company last evening. Every part was well taken, especially that of Laura Hawkins, by Mamie Harvey. This young lady shows much cleverness, and her acting has been greatly admired by theatre goers. She has a clear voice, and every word she utters can be distinctly heard in every part of the opera house. Col. Mulberry Sellers, (R. H. Baird) was very funny and amused everyone. "The Bells of Shandon" will be produced to night.

# CURLERS A' COOLIN' AFF.

THEY HAVE A JOLLIFICATION AT THE BRITISH AMERICAN.

A Night of Eujoyment-They Clear Away a Stack of Proyender And Then Sound the Praises of Their Enter tainers-An Informal Affair;

Every one of the rosy-cheeked curlers who surrounded the board at the British American hotel last evening scored. They did so without difficulty. The dinner began at nine o'clock and was a "sweeping" affair. About eighty gentlemen responded to the invitations issued. Nearly all the curlers attending the bonspeil were in attendance. It was not a dress affair, and the only swallow tail that turned up was speedily shook for a business suit. Lieut. Col. Cotton skipped half the party and did it well. He tapped the table and immediately the company led off with a rush. Everyone got across the hog score in quick time. They had found the menu very appetizing. The bracing work they had been indulging in for the past few days was certainly not conducive to dyspepsia. The second and third-men of the colonel's rink were W. Thoburn, Almonte, and J. Clark, Renfrew. Prof. Watson, down about the centre of the table, philosophically looked after his following and led them in the attack. The rinks represented were about as follows. The first four were under Col. Cotton, the last four under Dr. Watson

Almonte-W. Anderson, R. Cochrane, G. Karss, P. Young, G. Willoughby, R. Young, W. Phoburn, N. M. Riddell.

Arnprior-G. Russell, A. Menzies, W. J. Johnson, R.J. Moles, J. Rowe, C. Craig, A. Burwash, A. Hood. Pembroke-J. G. Forgie, R.W. Kenning,

R. C. Miller, R. Russel, J. Kennedy, G. Pirie, H. Jamieson, J. Stewart. Kingston-C. H. Corbett, J. Stewart, Capt. Hamilton, W. R. McRossie, Capt.

Paul, W. Carruthers, J. B. Walkem. Smith's Falls.-D. F. Woods, Capt. Foster, J. M. McLean, J. A. Washburn, W. Keath, S. M. Barnes, W. Ritchie, D. A. Ferguson. Perth.-P. McGregor, W. Davies, F. A.

Mann, W. H. Grant, J. M. Walker, W. B. Hart, R. J. Drummond, H. Taylor. Carleton Place. -S. Moffatt, W. Pattie, R. H. Riddell, W. Willoughby, D. Moffatt, W. Reden, J. Irwin, W. Taylor.

Renfrew. -J. Stewart, R. Leitch, H. Airth, J. Ward, A. Inglis, J. Croig, D. Airth, J. Clark.

There was quite a number of guests present including W. J. Stethem, F. Fraser, Capt. Lewis, W. Macnee, H. H. Gildersleeve, C. J. Cameron, James Richmond, and There were ten ends on the menu card.

and the curlers "sooped her up" in a way that made the spectators smile. Some thought there should have been tweaty one ends, but by the time the toasts were reached they were satisfied. Looking over the company it was observed that the majority of the guests had well developed muscles. A few were veterans and a few had craniums as smooth as the ice. All were in very merry mood and very sociable. At ten o'clock Skip Cotton rose and an-

nounced that the "The Mystery" was not present, but that his regrets were. These he read and Mayor Thompson were cheered. But no one could tell why. Then came the health of the Queen, and the national anthem was sung in the broadest of Scotch. The opening line sounded like this, "Gode sav ooer gray-chious Queen.

Dr. Watson offered the honors to "Brother curlers" in a felicitous way. He first said that good curlers always made good and honorable citizens, The original meaning of curling was "game," while bonspiel was interpreted into Belgic meaning "the game of the district." This fact, as Henry George would say, "threw a flood of light" upon the subject. Curling began with Adam, at least that was his belief for after a half hour's unfailing search he could not find out, so that it must have been a common game when man began. In his humorous way he discanted on the growth of curling throughout various ages, such as the stone age and iron age. Curling came from Scotland, for, of course, Adam came from there. The Kingston club welcomed with all heartiness the curlers from all other places. To be sure Kingston wanted to win every time, but if it got beaten it would not complain. Then the Kingston curlers vocalized in a way that surprised the visitors.

Mayor Ferguson, of Smith's Falls, was on his feet in a moment. He felt sad and sore and sick, but his curlers were waiting for Pembroke-on ice. He felt that the ice here was not good for curling. He made himself unpopular by a manifestation of chagtin at his defeat. However he asked the company to drink the health of the

Pembrokeites. Henry Taylor, Perth, apologized for the interruption, and proceeded to thank the Kingstonians for the honor they had done to their "brithers." As a representative of the club to first cross brooms with the Kingston men he thanked the toasters for the vigorous compliment that had been paid to the visitors. The Perths had not expected to be victors when they found themselves pitted against Kingston. He hoped the bonspiels would be continued, and if his club could not be winners now it could have a chance to be victorious-another time.

Mayor Ferguson saw no reason for Mr. Taylor to apologize for him. He knew whatwas right. He insisted on the health of the Pembrokeites being drunk, and the company accordingly drank it.

R. Russel, in a broad Scotch accent, shouted the praises of his club. "Och mon," ne said, "'twas a gran' game-for Pem broke." He was satisfied with the ice in Kingston.

J. Craig, Renfrew, thought the Kingstonians were fine fellows. Their arrangements were perfect. The ice was good. Their greeting most assuredly took the chill off

A. Hood, Arnprior, coincided. Every possible detail had been carefully attended to by Kingstonians and an opportunity given for good honest games. "Archie" got so enthusiastic over the reception in the limestone city that he sang with gusto, "Oh Scotland I'm Dreaming of Thee!" His vocalism was appreciated.

Alexander Milne spoke on behalf of the curling club of Rockwood asylum, the youngest in the province. He gave several interesting reminiscences and concluded by declaring that his club had the brains and brawn to meet any club in the city. Then there were cheers.

W. Willoughby, Carleton Place, was a player in all the bonspiels of the Ottawa valley. In time he would have a club at Carleton Place that nothing in the Ottawa valley can touch. This would be demonstrated, perhaps next year when the curiers assembled there.

W. Thoburn, Almonte, said a keen interest was taken in the game in his town. He knew that the ice in Kingston was tolerably good. Of course it was keen, but the weather was responsible for that. Almonte had in James Templeton, aged 85 years, probably the oldest curier in the dominion. He could with great skill put a "stane" on the tee nearly every time. Kingston had

certainly treated the curlers with the greatest cordiality. The company could not be restrained from singing "For they are jolly good fellows" as an evidence of their appre-

ciation of the limestone laddies. J. B. Walkem recited the story of an accident to a Frenchman's scow and was loudly applauded.

Then Henry Taylor, Perth, sang a good Scotch song, in the chorus of which the guests most vigorously harmonized. C. H. Corbett thanked the visiting curlers for their compliments. Every Kingston

curler had tried to make the bonspiel a success. The ice was as good as it could be made. Certainly it was not the fault of the ice-master, Capt. Paul, that it was not perfect. He, however, had not as good a grip on the clerk of the weather as the Smith's Falls people appeared to have. Had they known about it they would have secured a Smith's Falls delegate to act in conjunction with the club's ice master. He left speechmaking to the ornamental members. His was a working sphere. Clark Hamilton, had a toast to propose,

"The Press," The honors were heartily nocorded. R. C. Miller, Pembroke Observer, responded. He felt so happy he said that he did not expect to get home before next Monday. J. M. Walker, Perth Courser, and J. G. Elliott, Wmg, also expressed thanks. Mr. Craig proposed the health of the Kingston club. It came with good grace from

the club that had been beaten the worst. Theclub had the characteristic, however, that it could take defeat like men. The honors were done with cheers and music. Lieut. Col. Cotton replied. The Kingston club had been looking forward with pleasure to the bonspiel, and he was pleased to learn

that all the visitors were so well satisfied. He lauded the game, remarking on the spirit of cordiality, that always characterized it. He regretted the mayor's absence, but in his stead welcomed the curlers to Kingston. The citizens had manifested their interest in a manner that all had seen. Mayor Ferguson said that the Smith's

Falls curlers left with the heartiest good wishes for the Kingston men. They were satisfied with the match they had played and wished the brithers bon soir, for the Smith's Falls delegates were off for home.

C. J. Cameron, M.A., recited Byron's "Night before Waterloo," J. B. Walkem sang "The Three Beggars," and Archie Hood stirred up the Scottish fire by "For I'm a Scotchman Born." Auld Lang Syne brought the pleasant gathering to a termintion at 11:30 o'clock.

#### READING HIS OBITUARY.

Hr. Archie Hutchison a Favoured Individual-Something to Read About.

Mr. Archie Hutchison, the Western re presentative of the Edwardsburg Starch Co. has spent his spare moments during the past few days in reading his own obituary no tices. It seems that a man was drowned last week in the Detroit river near Windsor, and on his body was found one of Mr. Hutchison's business cards. The London Free Press started the story that it was Archie Hutchison who was drowned. Nearly all the leading papers in Ontario re published the story, and as he is well-known and is very popular throughout the province, many of them added touching obituary notices. His numerous friends will be glad to learn that Archie is still alive and that he has not been in the vicinity of Detroit for two years.

### CUSTOM HOUSE CHANGES.

What the Nature of Them Is-And Who Will Be Affected by Them.

The changes in the custom house, so long under consideration and expected, have been at last announced. Mr. A. Macalister has been superannuated, and the surveyorship filled by the promotion of Mr. A. Shaw, the first clerk and an expert in the business of the custom house. Mr. R.D. Anglin has been advanced from the position of second clerk to that of first clerk, and Mr. T. Gaskin, late a landing master, takes the office vacated by Mr. Anglin. Mr. W. Neish has been advanced from a fourth to a third class clerk. The other positions will be occupied as they are at present.

## A MURDEROUS ASSAULT.

Prominent Temperance Worker o Goodwood Attacked in the Street.

Woodwood, Feb. 9.-As Mr. Soper, agent of the Grand Trunk railway here. was returning from tea about six o'clock last night, and when within about twenty rods of the station, he was accosted by a man named Elijah Jones, of Brock township, who without any warning struck Mr. Soper a terrible blow in the eye, knocking him down. Jones was promptly captured and upon being brought before a bench of four magistrates this morning was found guilty and sentenced to sixty days' imprisonment at hard labour in Whitby gaol.

Prof. Dorenwend Once More. As seen in advertisement Prof. Dorenwend, of Toronto, will visit Kingston, at British American botel, on Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 13 and 14, with a large assortment of his unequalled hair goods. Ladies universally admit that his head dresses are invaluable. Style demands that every lady should have a nicely dressed head of hair, but it often happens that a lady has not sufficient and of the right quality of hair to arrange to obtain the desired effect. Artificial means must be resorted to and here Prof. Dorenwend's styles prove of great value. His manufacture of bangs, waves, etc., have a natural and becoming look that commends itself at once to the beholder, He has just completed some new styles in front pieces as Ermine, Cleveland, Petra, Shingle and others. Gentlemen who have lost their hair should call on him and see his fine improved wigs and toupees. This visit is an opportunity not to be lost; he has everything in the hair goods line, bangs, waves, switches, wigs, toupees, etc. Bear in mind at British American hotel, Feb. 13 and 14.

Holloway's Pills. The digestion cannot be long or seriously disordered without the derangement being perceptible on the countenance. These pills prevent both unpleasant consequences; they improve the appetite, and with the increase of desire for food they augment the powers of digestion and assimilation in the stomach. Holloway's pills deal most satisfactorily with deranged or diseased conditions of the many organs engaged in extracting nourishment for our bodies from various diets -as the liver, stomach and bowels, over all of which they exercise the most salutary control. By resorting at an early stage of this malady to these purifying and laxative pills, the dyspeptic is speedily restored to health and strength, and his sallowness gradually vanishes.

The Hotel Arrivals. Arrivals at the British American Hotel-

C. Olandt, jr., W. Pipe, S. Baxter, New York; J. M. Huckius, T. E. Mutton, J. W. Manning, W. Stanley, H. Cahley, W. C. Bell, R. A. Purdon, Toronto : F. Stancliffe, J. Taylor, N. Macfarlane, H. L. Stearns, J. T. Field, A. F. White, D. C. Edwards, J. Clark, Montreal; T. D. Murphy, Hamilton ; A. Foster, W. M. Richey, Smith's Falla ; T. McRae, Belleville.

# 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. Over \$300 has been subscribed for the winter races.

Hon. Mr. Flower has given \$1,000 to the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium of Watertown, N.Y. If you are not pleased with the coffee you are using, try Hendry & Thompson's ; it always gives satisfaction.

The fragrance of Hendry & Thompson's is now unsurpassed. Try it and you will use no other.

The inter-collegiate debate between Queen's and 'Varsity has been postponed until the 17th. inst. Last year the revenue of the K. & P. RR.

company was over \$180,000, with a profit of \$16,660. S. Hall has secured the contract to fill a large building on Folger Bros', farm, below the G. T. R. depot, with ice.

Six Brockville hotel men admitted having vistated the Scott act and paid \$50 and costs each.

Don't forget the fancy dress carnival at the Citizens' rink, Regiopolis grounds, on Friday evening, Feb. 10th.

The K. & P. RR. snow plough went to Renfrew and returned yesterday. The road is now in a first-class condition. There was a rousing rehearsal of the Messiah in the city hall last night. Already

\$450 worth of tickets have been sold. For best Scranton stove coal, and for English (Newcastle) blacksmiths' coal, at lowest rates, go to the gas works coal yard.

Breck & Booth's is the cheapest p ace for pine blocks, bunchwood, hard or soft wood cut or un-cut. Because of damage to the track at Bolton's

farm, near Kingston Mills, traffic on the G. T. R. was stopped for several hours this

We roast and grind our coffees on the premises twice every week, which insures it \* being fresh and fragrant. Hendry & Thomp-The Ottawa Citizen says the new cavalry

school, which it is proposed to establish in Ontario, will probably be located in King-For coughs and colds take the Diamond Cough Remedy, composed of wild cherry.

horehound and elecampane at Wade's drug The plan of reserved seats for "The Hoon of Gold" performance on Tuesday evening, will be opened on Friday, (to-morrow), at

the opera house. On Tuesday and Wednesday, February 21st and 22nd, horse races will be held on the ice. Contributions towards the purses have been liberally advanced.

John Liston, arrested for vagrancy, want ed to go to Watertown. He walked to the city from Belleville. He was given an opportunity to leave the city. Capt. Burns shows a bottle of pictured

sands, put up by a deaf mute at McGregor. Iowa, that are really wonderful. The bottle is now in Eilbeck's office. A new text book entitled "High School

Physics," authorized by the minister of edu-

cation, was written by C. Fessenden, high school master, Napanee. Efforts will be made in April to open up the large phosphate deposits known to exist on the south side of Rock Lake in Frontenac, owned by Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick.

Yesterday the Newboro stage, owing to

the heavy travelling, was unable to proceed farther than Kingston Mills. The driver returned to the city and left this morning. Engineer McCullough states that the Merryweather fire engine is ready for use and inspection. Any further information regarding her can be got from the chairman.

of the fire, water and light committee. A woman who is weak, nervous and sleep less, and who has cold hands and feet, cannot feel and act like a well person. Carter's Iron Pills equalize the circulation, remove nervousness, and give strength and rest.

Various aldermen have been receiving cards from Robert Gun, of London, Eng., touching fortunes said to have been left to people bearing their names. The city fathere are invited to correspond about the

Try our dry edgings, \$2.50 per cord ; day pine blocks, \$3 per cord ; dry oak cordwood. as good as ordinary hardwood, \$3.50 per cord. delivered throughout the city. Crawford, foot of Queen street

A fire in a chimney in a house in Young street drew the attention of the firemen this afternoon. When they reached the street named they were told the blaze had been extinguished. A concert will be given by the Business

college glee club at McLaren's hall, Wolfe Island, on Friday evening. Sleighs will be at the Business college, Princess street, at 6:30 p.m. Tickets including fare, 25 cents. To be had at the college or WHIG office. St. Andrew's church, the original church building, the oldest Protestant place of

worship in Ottawa, was erected in 1828. The first minister of the charge was Rev. John Cruikshank, who was inducted by the late Dr. Machar, of Kingston, in March 1830. Mrs. John Schryver, Napanee, has received notice that the U.S. government has

granted her a pension of \$12 a month, on account of her son, recently deceased, who contracted his illness while in the American military service. Mrs. Charles Smith, of Jimes, Ohio.

writes: I have used every remedy for sick headache I could hear of for the past fifteen years, but Carter's Little Liver Pills did me more good than all the rest,

The Settlements Made.

To-day settlements were made with owners of stock in the old water works company, bought by the city. The capital stock was paid back with an increase of twelve per cent. The shareholders are well satisfied with the settlement, and only regret that the monopoly did not continue a little longer. It is said that some stockhold ers have realized handsomely by their investments.

How To Gain Flesh and Strength. Use after each meal Scott's Emulsion; it is as palatable as milk. Delicate people improve rapidly upon its use. For con-sumption, throat affections and bronchitis it is unequalled. Dr. Thos. Prim, Ala., says: "I used Scott's Emulsion en a child eight months old; he gained four pounds in a month." Put up in 50c and \$1 size.

A Curling Sensation.

Scene-Curling pond. First curlerb oor that stabe. Second curier -A' right, (Misses by a couple of yards.) First curler-A' richt! a' wrang! Man ye're stane blin' !



Weather Probabilities. Fresh to strong west and north-west winds. fair and very cold weather. The temperature will fall considerably below zero in most localities.