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turned a verdict for pliff. for \$2500. The
case, it is understood, will be carried to a
higher court.

THE QUEEN VS. BERNARD O'NEILL.
Felonious Assault. The prisoner was
charged with a felonious assault on A. Tait,
at Orillia, about six weeks ago. Particu
lars of the assault, as learned at the time,
were chronicled in THE ADVANCE. But
from what has since transpired it would
seem that they were erroneous. Briefly,
the facts are, as narrated to an ADVANCE
reporter by the accused, as follows:—
O'Neill, some few years ago was living in
Detroit, and educating his only daughter,
his wife being dead. The girl, aged four
teen years, very suddenly and mysteriou
ly disappeared, and has not to this day been
seen or heard from by her father. The loss
of his child, it may be inferred, very much
affected O'Neill and for a time he was not

—Startling reports of the ravages of prairie
fires up Big Sioux Valley and throug
out Southern Dakota come from Sioux
City Iowa. The fires were of unusual force,
and destructive beyond precedent. The
poles on the telegraph line on the Sioux
City and Pembina Railroad have been
burned, so that the line has been down, and
reports from that quarter are not full. A
merchant of Eaden tells a harrowing tale of
loss in that quarter. On Saturday, from
his store door, he counted thirteen farm
houses in flames, and he says more than
forty families in that vicinity lost every
thing. The flames travelled with such
rapidity that the people were unable to save
anything. The stricken people are dazed
by the terrible blow that has fallen on them.

ACCIDENT ON THE H. & N. W. R.—Through
freight No. 16 north on the H. & N. W. R.
ran off the track on Thursday at Stewartton.
a station within a couple of miles of Georget
town, obstructing the track for some time,
and delaying the through express from Barrie
four hours and a half. The track was cleared
in the afternoon and the regular traffic re
sumed.

of Palatable Castor Oil. It is one of the great
est medical triumphs of the age. It has made
what was the most detestable medicine the
most agreeable of them all. Children take it
as cheerfully as they accept a spoonful of
cream, and literally cry for more. To any
one who knows—and who does not—that Cas
tor Oil is the efficacious cathartic and cure of
intestinal inflammation, the inestimable nature
of this new dispensation will be approved.
Scott & Bowne's Palatable Castor Oil should
be in every household. Price 25 cents.

Millbridge, P.O., Tudor, Ont.
Messrs. Millburg Bently & Pearson, Sirs
I feel it my duty to inform you that the last
spring I lost my hearing with one ear, and
this fall I lost the hearing of the other also,
so that I was afraid I would never be able to
hear again. I tried everything to bring back
my hearing I could think of, but found it all in
vain. At last I made up my mind to try
some of the Yellow Oil, so I rubbed a little on
the outside of my ears two or three times a
day, and every night and morning I wet
some wool with the oil, and kept it in my
ears, and in one week's time I could hear as
well as I ever could, but I still rub on the oil
when the weather is cold, and I keep wool
also in my ears. I write this to you that you
might know the worth of your Yellow Oil.
Yours truly John Clark. For Sale by all
Druggists in Barrie.

A TATISM—Constant grinding at the mill
of life, perpetual loss of vital force, will drag
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Marriage is a sole man thing—a choice for
life; be careful in the choosing. And be care
ful in choosing a remedy for female complaints.
Be sure to ask your dealer for Victoria Buchu
and Uva Ura. It is now extensively pre
scribed by all respectable physicians. Bright's
disease of the kidneys, diabetes, etc., may be
overcome by the Buchu if taken in time. For
sale by all Druggists in Barrie.

If you are suffering with a cold, do not fail
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Sunday Reading.
IN HEAVEN WE'LL KNOW OUR

PATENT MEDICINES.
"VEGETINE"

DRY GOODS, READY-MADE CLOTH
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PROPOSED LINE PALGRAVE - ORANGEVILLE

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annoyed the pain occasioned by a hornet-sting will shortly decorate the cheek of the small boy.

—What makes a poet crazy is to have the editor tell him he will have to cut three lines out of a sonnet in order to make it fit into the column.

—"Smile when you can," is the latest thing we are asked to do by those gratuitously admonitory beings, the poets. No one can smile when he can't.

—The exercise of whipping carpets is recommended for the development of muscle. Don't let your wife do it, or she may get the start of you in development.

—The man who walks for twenty-four hours on a stretch is considered a hero, but no one seems to have a kind word for the baby that yells straight ahead for seventeen hours.

—In street car—Lady in shabby dress to animated tailor's model standing in front of her—"Will you please ring the bell, sir?" "Pawdon, madam, I'm not the conductaw—ah." "Indeed! What are you?" He gives it up.

—Soon the first apple of the season, with a hectic worm-flush on its verdant cheek, will insinuate itself into the confidence of the irrepressible diminutive juvenile, and will play with his stomach as with a hand-bellows—and the fond mother, anxious to allay the intestinal strife, will pour castor oil upon the troubled waters.

—Ah, he is coming! with weary step and to slow music. We have been expecting him along, for we knew he must be almost ripe. The man who knows that the peach crop is ruined by the frost, the sap being one long icicle in the centre of the tree, and the buds and branches black pulp and dead sticks, is crawling out like the prophetic ground-hog to cast a shadow over every one he meets.

LOCAL ITEMS.

SUNDAY PARADES.—We understand that it is the intention of Col. Irving to have the 13th Batt. parade to church on Sundays in future.

NEW RESIDENCE.—Yesterday operations were begun on the foundation of the new brick residence and office for Dr. Woolvertou, to be erected on John street north.

A BIG YIELD.—Mr. Thos. Theal, of Grimsby, made 900 lbs. of sugar this spring on the farm of Mr. Thos. Irvine, in the same township. The number of trees tapped was 290.

OFFICIATING.—A Woodstock correspondent writes: Rev. Mr. Langton, of Hamilton, occupies the pulpit of Canada Methodist church until the Conference meets, when, in all probability, he will be the successor of the Rev. Mr. Parker.

A STRANGER.—Yesterday Mr. Bates, of the fish market, had a large snapping turtle on exhibition at his stall. The animal was not in good condition, but his power of jaw seemed to be equal to that of three or four sewing circles.

THE TEMPERATURE.—The following is the record of the temperature for the last 24 hours, as shown by Archdale Wilson & Co's thermometer at the Apothecaries' Hall.

9 a. m.	12 noon.	3 p. m.	6 p. m.
45°	45°	50°	46°

FIGHTING IN THE STREET.—Michael Hamilton and John Doyle, two of the "Lake Boys," were arrested last night, the first charged with being drunk and fighting on the street, and the second with being disorderly and fighting. They were admitted to bail.

THE PATRIOT HEIRS.—If the lady who called at the Spectator office a day or two ago, in reference to the fortune now coming

A NEW RAILWAY SCHEME.

Proposed Direct Connection of Hamilton with Orangeville.

Considerable interest has lately been taken in the proposed branch of the H. & W. R. from Palgrave to Orangeville, a distance of twelve miles. The people along the line are understood to be very enthusiastic for the branch, and a gentleman from that district who was in the city yesterday, assures us that if the line is gone on with about three-fourths of its cost will be raised by bonuses from the municipalities along the route. Orangeville is a town of 5,000 inhabitants, is in the centre of a fine agricultural district, and is likely to grow. On the route of the proposed line are the villages of Mono Mills and Ballycroy—the former in the middle of a fine wheat-growing country, with first-class flour mills, and abundance of water power to increase its manufacturing interests. The Orangeville merchants, as well as those in the villages named, would rather have a direct line to Hamilton and do business with the merchants here than go to Shelbourne on the T. & G. B. Railway and by that means reach Toronto. They claim, therefore, that not only would the H. & W. R. Co. be benefitted by the proposed line, but a very large trade would spring up with Hamilton—the district being one of the best produce shipping centres in this part of the Province. Along the proposed line there is abundance of fine gravel pits, which the Railway Co. could also utilize, and which ought to prove a great benefit in ballasting the road. There are said to be absolutely no engineering difficulties, and therefore the line should be one of the cheapest to build and run in the country. From all we can gather the scheme is worthy of every support and sympathy from our wholesale dealers and railway authorities; and there seems little doubt that in the near future the Orangeville people will have their wish for more direct communication with Hamilton gratified.

IMPUDENT BURGLARY.

Speedy Arrest of the Depredator.

Between Monday night and Tuesday morning the residence of Mr. Thomas Small, butcher, King street east, near Burlington, was entered by a burglar, who carried off \$30—the savings of the children, consisting of two 2½ dollar gold pieces, two American trade dollars, with bills and silver. The case was reported to the police, and Detective Macpherson was detailed to work it up. Certain circumstances which had come under his notice on the previous night convinced him that he knew his "man," and in ten minutes after the information was lodged he had the guilty person in charge, having discovered him on John street north. He proved to be a man named John Edwards, a man who had been working for Mr. McCrae, partner to Mr. Small, and who had been asked to look after the latter's premises during his absence on a buying tour. The prisoner, who comes from Syracuse, N. Y., was taken before the Police Magistrate and pleading guilty was remanded for sentence. All the stolen money with the exception of \$1.10 was recovered.

EASTER VESTRY MEETING.

Holy Trinity, Bayton.

There was a large attendance at the vestry meeting of the above church on Monday evening, and a very pleasant time was passed. The Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. W. A. R. Duff, read the financial statement for the past year, which showed the church funds to be in a healthy state.

Mr. Wm. Lawry moved, seconded by Mr. Muirhead, that Mr. Luxton be the people's churchwarden for the ensuing year. Carried. Rev. G. A. Bull, rector of the church, nominated Mr. Duff as his churchwarden. Mr. Wm. Lawry was unanimously elected

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Moreover, unless our ears deceived us, Mrs. Caldwell was once at least not in exact accord with the string quartette which accompanied her. The solos assigned her in the second part of the programme, "From Mighty Kings" and "Oh Grant it Heaven," with its accompanying aria, were rendered with wonderful accuracy and expression, the different runs being taken to perfection. We forgot to mention that the fair cantatrice received the only encore of the evening for her "Slumbering Song." The first part of the programme closed with "The Heavens are Telling," from "The Creation," which, however, except towards the end, lacked the volume and grandeur of former renditions by the society. The second part of the programme was composed exclusively of selections from "Judas Macabreus," selections in which Mr. Robinson displayed considerable judgment. The music of this oratorio, which, by the way, is not as well known as it deserves to be, is lighter, less florid, and, possibly, more pleasing to an audience than that of the composer's grander productions. The choruses were, as a whole, well given. "See the Conquering Hero Comes" being unquestionably the best, and calling forth great applause. The orchestra was, we think, better than on any former occasion. There was a clearness and precision of movement not before surpassed, if equalled. Mr. Clarke, whom we have heard in better voice, sang "Arm, Arm, ye Bravo" and its preceding recitative only fairly. His trio with Mrs. Bull and Mr. Herald was all but inaudible through the prominence of the orchestra, which, however, played the other accompaniments remarkably well. Mr. Johnson was scarcely equal to the difficult task assigned him in "Sound an Alarm." The duet, "Oh Lovely Peace," by Mrs. and Miss Chittenden, was really well and tastefully sung. In conclusion we can honestly compliment the society on the entertainment, which, we trust, may prove a financial success. There is no organization deserving more liberal support than the Sacred Harmonic.

[This report was omitted from yesterday morning's issue, owing to an accident.]

A FINE DISPLAY.

Spring and Summer Fashionable Goods.

Tuesday was opening day at the well-known dry goods house, Nos. 7 and 9 King William street, which premises were lately acquired by Messrs. J. M. Hamilton & Donaldson, who bought the bankrupt stock of Messrs. Brethour & Howden. An extremely fine display was made in all departments, the firm having augmented the stock which they bought at a sacrifice price by immense consignments of new goods from the British and U. S. markets. The show-room on the second flat has been very tastefully fitted up. Hats and bonnets, in all the newest shapes and trimmings, there are in plenty. There are the "Arlington," at \$1.63; the "Florence," at \$1.90; the "De Murska," at \$1.75, and the white "Lupine," "Coquette," "Lady Audley," "Marguerite," Highland walking hat, "Telephone," "Ricard," etc. There is a fine line of girls' hats, formerly sold at \$1, now offered at 65c. Boys' and girls' cloth hats are also offered at very low prices. Of ties, laces and ribbons, there is a beautiful assortment; also of silks, in black and all the new fancy shades, from 65c. per yard upwards. An immense variety of ladies' scarfs at 20c. Ostrich feathers, tips and plumes, are much used in trimming this year, and of these this firm have a full assortment. The tailoring department is now in full swing, and boys' suits are being turned out at \$2.50 and upwards; whilst a good line of men's suits can be turned out at \$7. There is also a good stock of worsted coatings, and fine English, Scotch and Canadian tweeds. In the staple department there is a very heavy stock of grey and white flannels and shirtings, which the firm say they will clear out at the lowest market prices. Gents' dress shirts are sold as low as 75c each. In dress goods, De Beiges are being sold as low as 25c, although worth 45c, whilst plain and figured lustres, in the newest shades, which are to be very much worn this year, are being sold for 18c and upwards. Black lustres are offered at 12c. A very large selection of parasols is offered, from the 20c. sunshade to the splendid \$1.50 parasol. There are also full lines of striped and plain cotton and merino hosiery and a fine antimacassar set at \$1.15. All the newest makes of corsets are also for sale at prices ranging from 35c. to \$1. These are only a few of the thousand and one articles on view in the first and second flats. In the cellar the firm have no fewer than 6,000 straw hats for ladies and gentlemen, trimmed and untrimmed, which they say they will make a specialty of and sell at

England much invigorated:

—A young lady rejoices that she did not have to buy any furs this winter, because the gentlemen who waited on her was both a muff and a boar.

—The St. Thomas *Journal* acknowledges Mr. Hugh Murray, the Liberal-Conservative candidate for this city, "has pluck, and tact and ability." True, true!

—Very large Leghorn hats, bent in the most outlandish shapes, are exhibited at the fashionable millinery establishments. They form one of the coming styles.

—The Rev. Dr. Baird, an able and eloquent preacher, who has labored with great success in New York, will preach in the Central Presbyterian church to-morrow.

FIREMAN McFARLAND HURT BETWEEN BEETON & TOTTENHAM

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affections upon a damsel who would be happy with either were t'other dear charmer away. A walking match has been proposed, and the successful competitor will get the girl.

—The business of the Assizes having progressed sufficiently last night, His Lordship Justice Patterson permitted the petit jury to go home and remain there until Tuesday morning, at 9.30. In the meantime no jury cases will be taken up.

—A fashionable visitor thus addressed a little girl: "How do you do, my little dear?" "Very well, I thank you," she replied. The visitor then added, "Now, my dear, you must ask me how I do." The child honestly replied, "I don't want to know."

—The first itinerant band of the season appeared on the streets yesterday. It was composed of two fiddlers and a harp, and no doubt the juvenile pockets suffered. The organ man and monkey, it is probable, will not put in an appearance before the swallows arrive.

—On Sunday next, by a strange coincidence, we are to have in our city the clerical gentlemen whose names appeared so prominently in the recent election for Bishop of Toronto. The Ven. Archdeacon Sweatman, Bishop elect. Rev. Dr. Sullivan, and we believe Archdeacon Whitaker, are to pay a visit to the Dean of Niagara.

—The "hon. bon" editor of the *Times* doesn't appear to be well. He concludes his latest batch by dedicating the whole of them "to the educated pig known as the editor of the *St. John's Gazette*." Such jealousy in a family is very unbecoming. No doubt your daddy would have educated you as well as your brother, the editor of the *S. G.*, if your natural capacity had warranted the experiment. Be good and stick to your bon bons.

LOCAL ITEMS.

THANKED.—Before separating the Grand Jury passed an unanimous vote of thanks to their foreman, John J. Bowman.

IN CUSTODY.—Judson Vrooman is in custody at Brantford, on a charge of committing a robbery at Lynden. Particulars are not yet to hand.

FOR THE CENTRAL PRISON.—Bailiff English, of the Central Prison, Friday morning took a constable.

LIQUOR CASES.—Whiskey informer Donaldson has some five or six more cases of contravention of the License Act to bring before Mr. Cahill, all or nearly all, of the defendants being grocers.

BIG OXEN.—A pair of mammoth oxen, weighing 5,020 lbs., fed by Joseph Robinson, of Wainfleet, were recently slaughtered for beef. They had taken nine first prizes at agricultural fairs.

GOING WEST.—Almost daily, large crowds of settlers for Manitoba pass over the G. W. R. Mr. Frittle conducted a batch the other day, which numbered 250 before it left the G. W. R. system, several going from this neigh-

Hunt, Jenkins, Kilmar, Lannin, Laycock, Munro, Newman, Rogers, Skene, Thompson, Turner, Watts, Whyte, Misses Alexander, Armstrong, Barclay, Baxter, Blair, M. S., Blair, M., Brown, Burrows, Butters, Calder, Cameron, Davidson, Dick, Ellis, Hoskins, Langton, Lawson, Long, McCool, Main, Smith, Strang.

NARROW ESCAPE.—Friday morning a farmer and his wife driving down James street in a buggy had a narrow escape from serious if not fatal injury. The horse, a very quiet animal, was joggling along at a nice easy gait, and when opposite St. Paul's Church the king bolt broke, allowing the shafts and forewheels to go off with the horse, and the box to tumble on the hard street. The occupants of the buggy were thrown out, the woman alighting

sioned the Sergeant-Major to see that they kissed and made up. The boys objected to the osculatory exercise, but agreed to shake hands and be friends, which modification was accepted.

SALES OF BANKRUPT STOCK.—The sale of bankrupt stocks by Messrs. Scott, Sutherland & Co., at Toronto on Thursday and the day previous, reached over a large number of cases—among them A. Boice, Meaford, general stock, valued at \$6,803, for 87c. on the dollar; J. B. Read, Rosseau, general stock, valued at \$4,800, at 50c on the dollar; Geo. Maughan & Co., Ingersoll, wall paper, stationery, etc., valued at \$5,215, at 60c on the dollar; John McMahon, Barrie, dry goods, valued at \$2,683, at 53c on the dollar; Judge & Parsons, Mono Mills, dry goods and groceries, valued at \$1,989, at 51c on the dollar; W. T. Scott, Bowmanville, boots and shoes, valued at \$1,407, at 72c on the dollar; S. C. Collins, Toronto, boots and shoes, valued at \$300, for 71c on the dollar. The sales were attended by at least three hundred buyers.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

A R. & N. W. R. Fireman Badly Hurt.

Thursday a young man named McFarland, employed on the H. & N. W. R. as fireman, was knocked off the train between Beeton and Tottenham, the fall producing concussion of the brain. It is not known how the young man met with the accident. After "firing up" on leaving Beeton he went back on the tender to arrange some wood which was hanging over the edge, and whether he slipped and fell off or was knocked off by a freight which passed is not known, as he was not missed until Tottenham was reached. The man was better yesterday and some hopes are now entertained of his recovery. He resides in this city.

NOTICES.

REV. DR. SULLIVAN will preach in St. Thomas church to-morrow, Sunday evening, at 7 p.m.

ORGAN FOR SALE.—Mr. Schoonmaker, 86 Merrick street, has an elegant organ and a new sewing machine for sale. See them.

MEETING OF THE CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION will be held in the school-house on Saturday evening, at eight o'clock.

JUST RECEIVED.—Some very handsome sets of stone china Portland ware, in chamber sets, have just been received by Mr. Charles Cumming, 40 James street north.

IN THE OLD STAND.—By reference to our advertising columns will be found the announcement of Mr. M. Howles, who has again opened out in his old stand, where he will be pleased to see his old customers.

IMPORTANT KNOWLEDGE.—The great curative and relieving power of the Holman Liver Pad is become now so widely known, that it

the farmers and manufacturing interests, are so closely identified one with the other, that those who are endeavoring to teach the contrary will soon be heartily ashamed of the position they seem to have taken."

The Nova Scotia Forge Company are now carrying on business under a full head of steam in their new building outside of New Glasgow.

A glass manufactory is to be started at St. Louis, Kamouraska, Que., where large beds of silica have been found.

Mr. H. J. Bird, Bracebridge, while on a visit to England purchased a set of carding and spinning machinery, and purposes going into the woolen manufacture on a large scale.

The tide of business activity has set in, confidence in the country has been restored, and an era of general progress and prosperity has dawned with the declaration of the country's fiscal affairs.—*Barrie Examiner*.

New marble works have been started in Galt by Mr. Wm. G. Martindale.

The agitation has been started in Victoria, B. C., to erect a woolen mill, and as capitalists are favorable to the scheme, it bids fair to be a success.

The new oatmeal mill at Norwich will be running in three weeks.

As a result of the National Policy, the Cornwall Manufacturing Company have resumed the manufacture of blankets.—*Montreal Witness* (Grit).

Mr. James Dunville, M. P., is engaged in raising the necessary capital to start a large sugar refinery in St. John, N. B., which will give employment to a large number of hands.

In Pictou county, N. S., coal mining is being conducted with greater vigor than years past.

The Nova Scotia Forge Co. of New Glasgow are now carrying on business under a full head of steam in their new building, outside New Glasgow. The operations of the company are very extensive, requiring a large investment of capital, and employing many workmen.

Mr. Josiah Ross, of Buffalo, an extensive manufacturer of wood-working machinery, etc., has addressed a circular to his patrons in Canada, in which he says:

"I, therefore, decided to commence the manufacture of my Planers, etc., in Canada, and have now works running in full blast with facilities for turning out thirty to four machines per week, so that I am able to give you the benefit of a good, cheap, complete and reliable machine without the expense and annoyance of paying duties, especially should the tariff be used to the point that is now fully expected and earnestly wished it may be. With this proposed increase I am in full accord, and why should not the Canadian producers of manufactures be protected by their tariffs we are by ours?"

Mr. William Myles, formerly of Toronto, is about starting large sawing works at Port Hope.

American capitalists are negotiating for the starting of a galvanic iron and cornice works at Windsor.

An elastic web factory to employ from 60 to 100 men, is to be started in St. Henri, Que.

The Napanee Mill Paper Company were surprised one day last week at receiving a letter from Boston, Mass., asking tenders for 200 reams of paper at the mill, and 200 reams delivered at Bellevue. Inquiry showed that a patent medicine proprietor in the States was arranging for the printing of circulars, etc., for his Canada trade in Canada, thus giving employment to our own printers and paper makers, instead of those in Boston, as was done under the Cartwright tariff. This is a direct result of the National Policy. Score another gain.—*Napanee Standard*.

In the Lower Provinces, the Policy is also working well. Canadian industries. The latest enterprise being started is a mill for the manufacture of cotton, duck, etc., at Yarmouth, N. S.

OLD QUARTERS 13TH BATT. A. M., Hamilton, 17th April, 1879.

No. 2 The Regiment will parade for drilling on Sunday next, April 20th, at 9.45 a.m.

No. 3 The Regiment will parade for drill Thursday, May 8th, at 7.30 p.m.

No. 4 The commanding officer has been pleased to make the following appointments, viz: to be Hospital Sergeant, Private James W. Hall, No. 3 Co.; No. 4 Co., to be Color Sergeant, W. H. Woodhouse, late of H. Rifle Brigade; No. 1 Co., to be Sergeant, H. F. Young.

By order.

ALEX. H. MOORE,

Major and Acting Adj.

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POLICE COURT.—John Mulholland was accused by his father James with doing some damage to his property, but as the latter did not appear the charge was dismissed. The charge against the boys Edward and James Ford, preferred by the boy Mackenzie, was dismissed.

duced by his own acts, for the past six years, his insane fits at times putting his parents and sisters in great fear. He will allow no one to come to the house without insulting him. Carroll, the younger, swore that Connors and O'Brien were kicking up a row by yelling and shouting, and that O'Brien was a woman dressed in a man's clothing, stating to another young man that she was a nice young girl, and he ought to go and catch her, as he was sure the young man was sparring her. Mr. James Welch also swore that Carroll was insane, and

There are some forty families belonging to the church who are liable to require help from time to time, either in money, clothing or fuel. The sacramental offerings, which amounted to \$161 and which is dispensed by Mr. Carmichael, have aided 10 pensioners with a monthly donation of \$1 each, and helped 24 cases where help was plainly needed; the Ladies' Dorcas Society has furnished clothing, etc., to many other cases, and the Christmas offertory enabled us to give either a ton of coal or a cord of wood to 38 families.

On the 4th of February a confirmation class was formed and the names of 70 members enrolled—30 males and 40 females. The lectures have been delivered each Tuesday night from that date up to the present, the average attendance of the class being 68, and the average attendance of class and friends 106. It is hoped that the confirmation will take place this month and that at least 50 communicants will be added to the roll of church members in full communion.

In closing, I cannot refrain from saying that the year past has been to me one of peculiar ministerial happiness. The members of the church, both male and female, have helped me willingly and earnestly in every work I have brought before them, and the peace and harmony that has prevailed in the congregation has been no little source of comfort to ye clergy. That such a state of things may be characteristic of both clergy and people in the future as in the past is the earnest desire and prayer of those who minister amongst you in holy things.

ASCENSION RECTORY,
 Easter Monday, April 14, 1878.

NOTICES.

SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS THIS WEEK AT MURRAY'S.—A. Murray & Co. advertise this week special attractions in parasols, sunshades, silks, dress goods, millinery, mantles and costumes. The shopping season having now fully arrived, ladies should be sure to see the immense stock of new and fashionable goods in every department at A. Murray & Co.'s before purchasing elsewhere.

MARTIN LUTHER.—This is the title of a lecture to be delivered in the Congregational church on the 28th inst., by the Rev. T. W. Handford, of Toronto. Mr. Handford's reputation both as preacher and lecturer, together with the interesting subject chosen, should be sufficient to crowd the church on that occasion. The price of admission is 25 cents.

ST. NICHOLAS for May will be welcomed by all the little folks who are blessed with the visits of this popular monthly. The frontispiece is "The May King" and a poem on the same subject describes the individual even better than the picture. "The Big Bear of Wannetola" will make the boys' and girls' hair stand on end. "The Land of the Powder Players," "The Arithmetic of Gingerbread" and "Jerry's Baby Elephant" will all be read with pleasure. Scribner & Co., 743 Broadway, New York. \$3 a year.

SCRIBNER'S MAGAZINE for May contains a portrait of Oliver Wendell Holmes. The illustrations in the article on "The New Museum in Rome" are very interesting, showing the nature of the discoveries made in recent excavations of a part of the ancient city. Far below the ruins of dwellings were found a Roman graveyard, and hidden still deeper below that was an old Etruscan graveyard. Some fine statuary, dating from the age of Commodus, appears with the rest. The first of a series of articles on "Brazil—The Metropolis of the Amazons" will be read with great pleasure. "A Story of the Latin Quarter" is well told and full of pathos. The other contents of the number in prose and verse are of the usual high standard. Scribner & Co., 743 Broadway, N. Y. Price \$4 a year.

Gad's Hill Place, the late residence of Charles Dickens, is to be sold by auction early in May.

BEACH ROAD STN
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1879 is hereby amended with respect to the class of certificate granted to "Gunner James H. Smith, Hamilton Field Battery" by placing his name among those who have obtained "Third Class" Certificates.

DUBLIN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY.—A cable dispatch from London says: "The Colonial Office has published an address, signed by all the Catholic Bishops of the Dominion, praying that the Queen, having formerly granted a charter to the Catholic University of Quebec, may grant the same great boon to the Dublin Catholic University."

H. & N. W. R. IMPROVEMENTS.—The H. & N. W. R. Co. opened their station and telegraph office at Burlington Beach yesterday, and will at once make the necessary arrangements for doing a large passenger business between the city and that delightful summer resort. The company have also opened a city ticket office on James street north, where passengers for all parts of the continent can be supplied with tickets at the lowest rates.

ADVERTISING THE SAINTS.—The City Fathers of St. Catharines are now discussing the advisability of advertising the superior advantages which that lively little "burg" offers to manufacturers. One would think that the extensive amount of advertising which Messrs. Capt. Wynne, Burrows, Miller & Co. gave them through the National Currency Scheme ought to last them for a lifetime.

THE REASON WHY.—In reference to the burglary on Main street west, it may be stated that it is not customary for Mr. Harvey, flour and feed merchant, to keep money in his house, as he generally banks it at the close of each day's business, retaining his loose change in his safe. His having the sum stated by us on Saturday night was an exceptional circumstance, and is not likely to occur again. Besides, Mr. Harvey will not have kept his loaded revolver in vain should any one try his premises again.

THE LATE ESCAPE.—In reference to the item headed "Escaped," which has already been published, we are requested to state in justice to Mr. E. McMahon, father of the young man referred to, and an old resident of Hamilton, that the offence of which his son was accused in Toronto was committed in self-defence; that the son of the man assaulted first struck young McMahon with a tumbler, when the latter hit back, and had to fight both father and son, with the result that the old man got the worst of it. McMahon then escaped, and has been working in the United States, and is reported as doing well.

TOO MANY ALARMS.—No less than four alarms were given on Sunday night, notifying the brigade of the fire at Mr. Feast's

of Tavistock, under the 136th sec., of the Insolvency Act of 1875. The facts were these: Defendant at Hamilton on the 2nd November, 1878, bought a bill of goods from plaintiffs amounting to \$165. The goods were bought at 4 months, defendant on same day accepted a one day draft from a note maturing on the same day. The goods were shipped on the 4th, and received about the 15th or 19th. On the 20th defendant called a meeting of creditors for the 26th, at which meeting defendant offered his creditors 40 cents in the \$1. Plaintiffs claim that defendant at the time of the purchase of the goods was unable to meet his engagements in full.

Mr. Parkes, for plaintiff; Mr. Teetzel, for defendant.

His Honor, after hearing evidence and argument of counsel, reserved his decision, at the same time stating that unless he was constrained by adverse decisions, he would find a verdict in favor of plaintiffs. The result of this would be to subject defendant to imprisonment not exceeding two years, unless the debt and costs are sooner paid. A decision will be looked for with interest.

DAVIDSON VS. ECKERSON.

This was an action brought by Mr. Alex. Davidson, artist, of this city, to recover a balance due on two portraits, which he claimed he painted on defendant's order, and for which he had only received partial payment. The first was the portrait of Mr. John Alexander, leather merchant, King street west, and the other that of the late Ald. K. Fitzpatrick. Mr. Davidson swore that he had been employed by Eckerson to paint the portraits, which were to be done in the best style of the art, of the finest tone and highest finish, and he modestly claimed that the pictures produced were of that character. Hays Mr. Furlong, who appeared for the defendant, produced a picture of his Worship Mayor O'Reilly, the head being cut out of the canvas, and asked Mr. D. if he had painted that. Mr. D. replied, "My gracious, where did that come from?" a question which was not answered. Mr. Furlong intimated that Mr. O'Reilly had paid for the picture and then destroyed it. The witness then swore that there was no agreement between himself and Eckerson as to whether the portraits were to be satisfactory to the patrons or not. Mr. Alexander swore that the picture was not a satisfactory one, and Mr. Eckerson and his female assistant swore that the agreement was that the portraits were to be accepted by those for whom they were painted. The plaintiff was non-suited.

—A Bridgeport woman declared that she would whip the girl with whom she caught her husband walking in the street, and did it. She also said she would scratch the husband's eyes out, and tried to do it. Then she started for the water, declaring she would drown herself, but didn't do it.

DR. JOHN McCULLOUGH