

**NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.**

OTTAWA, Dec. 28.

This morning His Worship the Mayor received a check for \$400 from the Governor General, as a donation from himself and Princess Louise to the poor of Ottawa.

This afternoon some 800 loaves of bread, about 1,500 pounds of meat and a quantity of tea and molasses were distributed to the poor at the corner of King and Church streets by a number of citizens.

The reporter's room in the main departmental building is being thoroughly refitted.

At the Canada Central depot last evening a man named Graham tried to step from the train while still in motion, but slipped and fell, the train passing over one of his feet, while he was also severely bruised about the head and body.

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.

The local money market is dull, but firm, call loans being quoted at 7 per cent. Flour still nominal, and no business expected until after the holidays.

The fact that Hon. Mr. Masson, a French Canadian, fills the position of Minister of Militia and Defence, has given impetus to the volunteer movement in the French-speaking population. A new French-speaking regiment is being formed, with Laprairie as its headquarters; and it is the intention to make a crack corps of it; one, in fact, that will rival any of our city corps, and that shows on the part of its promoters no mean ambition. It will be made up of six companies, two of which will be formed in Laprairie, and the remaining from amongst inhabitants in country districts. One company has already been formed, and its captain, who was in town the other day, represented that it was the intention to have all appointments of the latest design. A number of the proposed officers are wealthy, and among them will be both M. P.'s and M. P.'s. The regiment will wear a scarlet uniform.

A man named Burton, said to be formerly of Halifax, and lately a resident of Boston, was arrested here to-day for the embezzlement of \$8,000 from a Boston firm by whom he was employed.

It is thought that owing to the visit of the Thirteenth New York Regiment to Montreal His Excellency the Governor General will visit this city in preference to Toronto. The matter was mentioned last night to Hon. Mr. Masson and it is thought he will bring the matter to His Excellency's attention.

There is very little extra destitution among the poor, as compared with this time last year, as far as reported.

TORONTO, Dec. 24.

Efforts are being made to have Toronto streets lighted by electric light.

The official returns give Hon. Mr. Morris a majority of 43 in Toronto East.

Charitable Societies to-day distributed Christmas cheer in Toronto and Montreal.

The judgment of the Court of Appeal in the Lincoln local election case, on reserved points, adds 22 votes to the respondent's previous majority, making it three more than that declared by the returning officer, three years ago. The votes had all been struck off by the registrar, against whose rulings appeal was taken. This virtually decides the case in Mr. Rykert's favor; but as he resigned his claim two years ago to the seat, all it does now is to keep Mr. Nelson out. The costs of the case are \$17,000.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 24.

McLane, who was shot at the election row at St. Agatha, Manitoba, on the 12th inst., died yesterday.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Dec. 24.

Yesterday evening, a lady named Mrs. M. Hennigar, of Leinster street, who was making purchases in the market, had her pocket picked of \$60.

A serious accident occurred on Manawagonish Road yesterday, by which a lad named Wm. Campbell, 16 years of age, nearly lost his life. Another man with Campbell hired a horse and wagon, and proceeded on the way to Yorkshire tavern. They were drunk and drove furiously, and plunged into a ditch, killing the horse instantly and smashing the wagon. Campbell received such severe injury on the head that he was unconscious from 10 a. m. till last night.

CANSON, N. S., Dec. 24.

The schooner "Swan," of Canson, with mackerel and codfish for Halifax, struck this afternoon near White Point, and will be a total wreck.

LONDON, Dec. 24.

The "Times" financial article says a quiet feeling continues, and people begin to hope that in a few more days the worst will be over. The market will, no doubt, be much helped by the large influx of gold into the Bank yesterday. The amount was not known up to the close of business, and it is rumored to be larger than it was. More will probably be sent in to-day, and should hoards, known to be in the provinces, begin to come back, reserve is likely soon to recover its strength. This is very satisfactory, but it will not materially affect the price of money for the next few days.

LONDON, Dec. 24.

It is announced that the Duke of Edinburgh is about to be promoted to the rank of rear-admiral.

SHEFFIELD, Dec. 24.

Severe weather continues throughout the United Kingdom and the distress increases. The Mayor of Sheffield announced yesterday that 10,000 people required relief in this city.

LARNE, Ireland, Dec. 24.

The steamship State of Louisiana, from Glasgow for New York, ran ashore this morning at Hunter's Rock while entering Larne Lough. The vessel will probably become a total wreck.

LONDON, Dec. 24.

James Duff, a Conservative M. P. is dead. He served as captain of the 23rd Fusiliers; was taken prisoner at Inkermann in the Crimean war, and for service in that war received English and Turkish decorations.

A Berlin correspondent states that a telegram from Odessa announced that preparations are making for the return home of 100,000 of Gen. Todleben's men.

LONDON, Dec. 24.

A Vienna despatch states that Italy has

proposed, in the event of tranquility not being established when the Russians evacuate Roumelia and Bulgaria, that joint occupation be undertaken by the Powers not primarily interested in the Eastern Question, viz.: France, Italy and Germany.

JELLALABAD, Dec. 20.

Major Cavagnari to-day received an important communication from the Ameer, the contents of which are not yet made known.

A Lahore dispatch reports that Yakoob Khan has been proclaimed Ameer by the chiefs of one of the great Afghan sections. Opinion is decided as to his course, but the defection of the Ameer's troops, who, at Jellalabad, even joined the British troops, will compel him to accept terms if coupled with a guarantee against his father and the Russians. This might obviate even the temporary occupation of Cabul by the British troops.

A Quetta dispatch says the Government of Candahar has informed the Ameer that opposition to the British is futile.

Russian advices state that the Ameer has gone to Belkiah to raise a Turcoman army.

A Jellalabad dispatch says the Ameer has gone to Turkestan.

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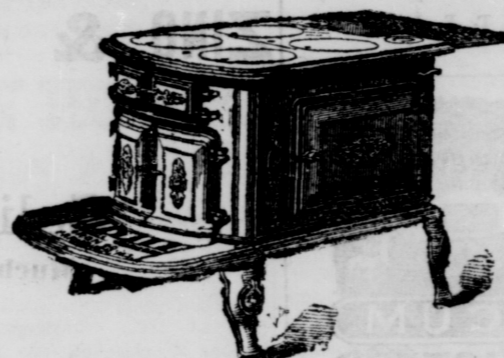
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