## NEWS TOPICS OF A WEEK

For Busy Readers.

and Put Into Handy on tive Shape For the Benders Paper-A Solid Hour's Enjoys

General Brauk, who succeeded General Renousrd as chief of the general staff No. 4, 1898, is dead.
While carding his oxen on Thursday, at Rossway, near Digby, N.S., Keneth Hatfield, aged 21, was attacked by bleeding at the nose, and died while attempting to reach his house, ORIGINAL AND CRIMINALS.

O. B. Byland killed his wife and his brother and then committed suffice at Walla, Wash., on Friends.

his profuse at Walla, Wash. on Friday.

The ringleader of the band of highwaymen who stole \$12,000 on Sept.
12 while it was in transit to a large
bank in London, has been arrested.

Burglars went through about six
stores at Boissevain, Man. They
seemed to have keys to nearly every
one of the buildings. They got little

money.

Thomas Stead, the Ottawa man who was recently convicted on a charge of burglarizing the house of Charles E. Moss, has been given three years in Kingston Penitentiary.

Because he would not give a dollar to two unknown men who asked him James McDonald of Toronto, was robbed and murderously assaulted

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The International Congregational Council is in session at Boston.
The estate of Mr. Mowat, the Stratford private banker, is not expected to pay more than 25 cents en the dellar. Que.

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It is announced in Dublin that the Muck Ross estate, embracing the Lakes of Killarney, will be seld at auction, Nov. 20.

Storekespers in the Rue de Chabrol, Paris, demand \$60,000 from the Government as compensation for their loss of business during the siege of Jules Guerin's house.

The members of the French Medical Mission, which was sent to Lisbon by Investigate the bubonic plague, synounce that so far nobody inoculated with Yersin's anti-plague serum had didney

Ex-President Gen. Ben. Harrison is Expresident Gen. Ben. Harrison is still arguing before the Anglo-Vene-guelan Bohndary Arbitration Com-mittee in Paris. Thursday he claim-ed that Great Britain had never claimed more than the Dutch had, and that the latter's claim was much less than any line now suggested by fivitain.

Ntain.

Mrs. Ezra Book, who resides with ber humpend in Gainsborough Township, near Silverdale, on Thursday morning took her infant child and threw it into the well, and, without saying a word to any person, wandered to the home of her mother, four miles from the scene of the tragedy. She told all about the deed when questlored. The woman is undoubtedly insens, but an inquest will be held.

be held.

An inquest on the drowning of the infant child of Ezra Book of Silverdale, was held Saturday afternoon before Coroner Comfort. The jury returned a verdict stating that the child came to its death by being thrown into the well by the mother, who did so in a fit of temporary insanity. Mrs. Book will be removed to an asylum.

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October 12 has been fixed for the
hearing of the Exchequer burt case
of the Queen v. The British American Bank Note Company. In this
matter the Government claims heavy
damages from the defendant firm for
alleged breach of contract, but the
firm replies that the Government of
the day was cognizant of and party
to any departure from the strict
letter of the contract, the spirit of
the contract having been lived up to.
CAULALTIES.

A harvest hand named Thompson

A harvest hand named Thompson from near Woodstock, Ont., was badly injured by a threshing machine accident near Wawanesa, Man.

The German Emperor and Empress have contributed 30,000 marks to

have contributed So, oo have the Red Cross Society for the relief of the sufferers from the recent floods in Bavaria.

Willie Curran, aged 2½ years, youngest son of William Curran of Toronto, was killed by a trolley oar on Friday night. An inquest has

on Friday night. An inquest has been ordered.
By a gunning accident William Young, aged 14, son of Dr. Young, asylum superintendent at Wost Selkirk, Man., lost his arm near the shoulder. He is expected to recover.
By the explosion of molten nietal at Shoenberger's Steel Wirks, at Pittsburg, four men were danqurously injured. The explosion was caused by the overturning of a ladle of hot metal.

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Saturday morning Homer G., the 6-year-old son of Mr. Robert Kennedy, was drowned at Lindsay, below Kennedy & Davis' lumber yard. He attempted to push a lumber scow with a pike pole, when he fell into the water.

Plymouth, capital of the Island of Montserrat, reports the destruction by fire of many buildings which had escaped the recent Jamaican hurrisane. At Anguille 700 inhabitants the wildy appealing for immediate supplies of water, besides food.

President William Smith of the First Eatlonal Bank of Capitotte, Mich., was killed at Welvertine on saturday by being thrown from a log carrier against a moying saw.

log carrier against a moving saw. Mr. Smith held wast lumber interests in Cheboygan County, and was rated as one of the richest men in the

The horse of Mr. Gray of Toronto The horse of Mr. Gray of Toronto Junction, on Thursday ran away and did not stop until it had put its head through a plate glass window. It was fearfully cut and had to be killed at once. Mr. Gray was not injured, although it was some time before he was got out from under the scattered load.

'Oh, after that my credit will be all

Or Has Some Unnecessary Nerves When a man refuses to have his teet cared for, saying that he can't afford it means that he lacks the necessar

Rhan it is by the things he saysn't.

Picnic

Parties can obtain all necessary supplies at the Athens Grocery, Canned Goods of all kinds, plain and fancy biscuits, pickles, lemons, &c.

Preserving Time has arrived and we ask the public to see our large stock of glass jars

and test the value we offer in sugars.

New Teas We have a fine line of new Teas and the best brands of Coffee. These

prices, Our whole stock of groceries and provisi worthy of your best attention. Prompt yery of all orders.

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RHEUMATISM CAN BE CURED Dr. Hall's Rheumatic CURE Will Cure any Form of Rheumatism FOUR POINTS IN ITS FAVOR :

FOUR POINTS IN TO THE SECOND—SAFEST TO TAKE THIRD—MOST MIGHLY ENDORSED FOURTH—CHEAPEST TO SUY
One bottle contains ten days' treatment IN BIG BOTTLES, 50 CENTS.
THE DR. HALL REDICINE 60.
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FOR SALE AT ALL DRUGGISTS

LOCAL SUMMARY.

THENSAND NEIGHBORING LOCALI TIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP.

vents as Seen by Our Knight of the Pencil.-Local Announcement Boiled Right Down

25 cases of new rubbers. bbers 40c. ; boys' 50c. ; men's 60c at Beach's Cash Store. Rev. Rural Dean Wright is in

Gananoque this week, attending a meeting of the Chapter, of the Rural our. John R. Tye is spending a few lays in Athens, having just returned om a tour of the western part of the

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Cook of Brock ville and son, Harry, were visiting friends in Athens and vicinity on

Mr. Herhert Stevens is visiting at the home of his mother, Wiltse street, after a year's absence in western

Mr. John Hart, the well known hotel keeper of Newboro, died on Monday evening last. He was kicked by a horse on the previous Friday and his death resulted from the in-Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Latham and

family, who have for several years conducted a dairy farm near Ganan oque, returned to Athens last week and resumed occupation of their farm

B & W and had their legs injured to | write th such an extent as necessitated their ative to the reduction in grant to apples, at 80c.; tomatoes, at 50c.; appies, at 80c.; tomatoes, at 50c.; corn, 8c. a dozen; grapes, 25c. per-basket; chickens, 40c. a pair; turkeys, 8½c. a pound; eggs, 18c. a dozen; butter, 25c.

cheese, big figures for hogs, and good offer was accepted and about the 18th of oct. fixed for holding it.

Dr. Ayison, a missionary recently returned from Korea, addressed the children of the Methodist Sunday school on Sunday last and in the evening, at the close of the regular service the church, he gave an account of nissionary work in that far away land. His addresses on both occasions were very interesting and instructive and served to give his hearers a glimpse into the home life of the Coreans.

trusted to the Eaton Brothers, which is an assurance that it will be in every respect first class, as Mr. Jasper C. Eaton has recently conducted some of the best entertainments held in Kingston district and always with great such as the property of the straw is strong and of good color. the best entertainments held in Kings-ton district and always with great suc cess. Among the talent from a distance secured is Prof. Polland, elocutionist, of Kingston. A thoroughly enjoyable evening is anticipated, Tickets, 25c.

The Smith's Falls News of last week contained the following particulars of the wedding of Mr. Lafayette Wash burn of Soperton and Miss Ida McCre of Merrickville, announced in the Reporter last week:—Precisely at 1 o'clock the ceremony was performed by Rev. W. Rilance, uncle of the groom, in the large double window of the parlor under a bell of flowers. The bride, unattended, was dressed in fawn travalling materials. groom, in the large double window of the parlor under a bell of flowers.

The bride, unattended, was dressed in fawn trayelling suit of cloth with steel trimmings and carried a large bouquet of white roses. Only the immediate friends of the bride and groom were present. The groom is an enterprising young farmer and has a home all in readiness for his bride. The bride is an energetic young lady and has many friends in Merrickville and vicinity. They received many valuable presents. The couple lett by the early train for the East to spend the honey moon,

plantiff with costs, less counter claim to \$2.50 allowed def's. The other case was that of James Seymour vs. John H. Mulvena. The def't disputed the claim and put in steel trimmings and carried a large bouquet of white roses. Only the immediate friends of the bride and groom were present. The groom is an enterprising young farmer and has a home all in readiness for his bride. The bride is an energetic young lady and has many friends in Merrickville and vicinity. They received many valuable presents. The couple lett by the early train for the East to spend their honey moon,

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Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Williams o Smith's Falls are visiting there numer ous friends in Athens.

Miss Ross Breakenridge returned to Athena last week from Rochester, N. Y., where she had been visiting for several months.

Boys' 2-piece tweed suits, pure all-wool in dark mixture, neatly made, knee pants lined, \$1.50 \$2.00 \$2.50 and \$2.75, at Beach's Cash Store. The annual commencement exercise

of Athens high school will be held on the evening of October 20th. The program for the event is now being On Friday, Oct. 6th, all the goods and chattels of the late Wm. W. Percival will be sold at the farm, Glen Buell, commencing at 1 o'clock p. m.

On Sunday next the pulpit of the Methodist church will be occupied in the morning by Mr. O. M. Eaton, and in the evening Mr. McLean of Brockgoods are very superior and are sold at popular

> Beware ot new blotters. what a lady not a hundred miles away is said to have found on a fresh blotis said to have found on a fresh mos-ter when she dropped in at her hus-band's office, Monday: "eno gnilrad nwo yM." Having received no such communication from him for a period of twenty years or more, a question arose which has not yet been satisfact

We are pleased to announce the opening of our exceptionally useful line of dry goods for the fall and winter of '99. The assortment contains in great variety the latest and most pleasing styles of the season. Such a superb line of new novelties Such a superb line of new novelties and standard goods cannot fail to meet your requirements. Prices astonishingly low at Beach's Cash

rice-pres., acted as chairman. The the their members present were E. A. Jeiger, Brockyille, sec. treas.; B. Geiger, Brockyille, sec. treas.; B. Loverin, Athens; M. Ripley, Elgin; B. W. Loverin, Greenbush; and Chas. Stagg, Brockville. The Secretry stated that the membership of Rev. G. S. Reynolds had lapsed through removal and that he had received three

were elected provisional members of the Club. The date for starting from Brockville on the annual hunt was fixed for October 26th, and B. Loverin was appointed to procure a shpply of roofing material for camp and L. R. Cossitt to procure a Klondyke cook stove for camp. The party go to the old location at Lah-ne-o-tah lake, a Muskoka district.

The Farmer Feeds Them All. Prof. Robertson, of the Dominion

experimental farm, says:

"This is essentially an agricultural country, since forty-five per cent of the population are engaged in that industry. About twenty per cent more of the population are engaged directly or indirectly in handling the products of the farm or in making or handling machinery and implements for the farm. A yery large proportion of our people depend for proportion of our people depend for their living and for their success in life on agriculture. In the wilest sense, national prosperity depends primarily on the production of wealth out of our natural resources.

The directors of Unionville fair me on Monday last to wind up the business in connection with the late fair. The President, Secretary, Treasurer, such an extent as necessitated their being killed.

On Brockville market on Saturday last potatoes sold for 40 cents a bushel, apples, at 80c.; tomatoes, at 50c.; to that the expenses of management and repairs would be very much smaller than last year's, and he hoped to be able to report a clear sheet at the If prosperity brings happiness, the farmers of this locality can certainly be classed among that number. With an abundant harvest, high prices for a re-union on Charleston Lake. The

A short time ago, we published a list of seed grains that could be obtain-ed in small quantities free of charge from the Ontario Agricultural College. A very important work is being accomplished by the Ottawa and Ontario governments in testing an introducing new varieties of seed by this means. A test made at North Augusta this year is reported by the Recorder as follows: Lt. Col. Check ley of Elizabethtown, got last spring On the evening of Friday next, Sept. 29th, the last day of Kitley fair, a grand concert will be held at Frank ville by the E L.C.E. The preparation of the programme has been entrusted to the Eaton Brothers, which the interval of the content of the programme has been entrusted to the Eaton Brothers, which the transfer of land and this fall he barvested of the content of the conte Division Court.

At the sittings of the 9th Divisor Court, held in Athens on Tuesday last, presided over by Judge French, there

Mrs. S. B. Williams of Spr. N. Y., is visiting at her old

Several of our mine prospectors have found their way to Elgin, where they have discovered finds abundant in quantity and excellent in quality.

The Brockville Business College keeps up the record for positions Miss Rose Warren is another successful graduate. This college has a large patronage on account of the excellent work done.

work done.

On Saturday, September 30th, commencing at 1 p. m. Mr. Thos. Sly, who has sold his farm, will offer for sale by public auction on the premises, lot 3, com. 1, in the township of South Crosby, his farm stock and implements, including 27 head of cattle, farm team, 8 spring pigs, brood sow and 10 small pigs, mowing machine, seeder, horserake, bob-sleighs, buggy, platform scales, harness, houshold furniture, a quantity of hay, cats, and many other articles. E. C. Sliter, auctioneer.

It has been decided by the Dominion Department of Agriculture to carry on this autumn the work of fattening chickens for export to Great Britain, at the poultry fattening station conducted last year by Mr. Joseph Yuill, Meadowside Farm, Carleton Place. Chickens of about three months or so old, weighing from three to four pounds, are required. They months or so out, weighing from inter-to four pounds, are required. They must be of good shape, and chickens with white legs are preferred, though ones with yellow legs are acceptable. Chickens with black legs are not

James Reynolds, Junior Judge of the County Court of the United Coun-ties of Leeds and Grenville, died at Brockville on Tuesday night. It was generally known throughout the counties that the Judge was ill, but few were aware of the serious nature of Store.

The Reporter Hunt Club met in Brockville on Friday last to make arrangements for the fall hunt. In the absence of P. Halladay, Elgin, president of the Club, L. R. Consitt, vice pres., acted as chairm in The other members present were E. A. Cheiger, Brockville, sec. treas.; B. Courts he attended he was highly esteemed and the deep sorrow which his family feel is shared by the people of the United Counties generally.

the Methodist and Presbyterian Sun applications for membership. On a day schools met at the home of Mr. vote being taken, Case Davison and Thos. Parslow, both of Brockville. Friday evening last to listen to a paper Friday evening last to listen to a pape given by Mr. S. H. Laughlin of Tor onto (who has been spending his vaca tion at Charleston lake and who is about to return to his home in Toronto on "Mottoes for Teachers, the Building of Christian Character, and on The Responsibility of Teachers." It was listened to with profit and great interest and at the close a spirited discusest and at the close a spirited discussion was entered into by Messrs. Jos Thompson, Robert Thompson, C. P. Bishop, D. Fisher, Mrs. Alguire and after which refreshments wer stood that this was to be only th stood that this was to be only the beginning of a series of such meetings as it was believed they would be a great stimulus to school-workers, and we heartily recommend other schools to do likewise.

The heavy rain in the early part this week is generally taken as an indication that Frankville fair will this year, as usual, be favored with fine weather. A great amount of labor and money have been expen directorate in preparation for this ex-hibition, and the programme that they have placed before the people is such as ensures a record-breaking attendance and a day full of enjoyment for all. Apart from the great exhibit and the horse-ring attractions, the athletic contests and mirth-provoking competitions will serve to provide an enjoyat Alguire's Corners,

On Friday evening three head of cattle belonging to Mr. John Fortune, just east of the village, had an en counter with the express train on the late.

A number of bills and accounts for work and supplies were read and ordered to be counter with the express train on the late. The Secretary was instructed to write the Minister of Agriculture relationship. other than horses, should go the first has been added to his hou day, and if you wish to meet an im-mense number of happy, good looking people and witness an unrivalled pro-gramme of sports, do not fail to be at Kitley fair on Friday next, 29th. inst.

Holstein Prize-winners.

Judging from the following records, two of our Leeds county Holstein bree iers must have had it very much their own way at the Ottawa exhibi-

their own way at watton.

Messrs. C. J. Gilroy & Son of Maple Glen Stock Farm, Glen Buell, captured the following prizes: 1st on 2-year old bull; 2nd, bull calf; 3rd, aged ow; 1st, 2-year-old heifer; 1st, year-all gheifer, which was awarded sweepstakes as best female any age at the show; (this heifer is a daughter of Carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; (this heifer is a daughter of Carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; this heifer is a daughter of carman Sylvia, and has given over 50 the show; the show is the statement of the show; the show is the show is the show; the show is the show is the show is the show is the show; the show is t old; 1st, on heifer calf over 6 months; sweepstake, broeder's herd, also 2nd, aged herd, and the clean sweep of 1st, 2nd and 3rd in dairy test, with nine entries competing, making 1st with Inka Sylvia; 2nd, Juanita Sylvia, a sister of Carmen; 8rd, that great prize-winner, Carmen Sylvia. An interesting feature is that all of Carmin Sylvia, and interesting feature is that all of Carmin Sylvia. An interesting feature is that all of Carmin Sylvia Syl men's stock were first wingers, viz., Inka Sylvia, 1st in milk test; her son, last. men's scock were nrst wingers, viz., I lika Sylvia, 1st in milk test; her son, 1 lst, 2-year-old bull; Carmen 2nd, 1st, 1-year-old heifer, and sweepstake, female any age; Carmen 3rd, 1st, heffer over 6 months and under 1 year, and last, a calf just 4 weeks old, was in first prize, breeders' herd.

Mr. C. M. Keeler of Greenbush captured 3rd prize an his head.

captured 3rd prize on his herd; 1st on a cow four years old; 3rd on a year-ling heiter; 1st and 2nd on heifers under six months; 1st on 1-year-old bull; 1st on bull under 6 months; 3rd.

TUESDAY, Sept. 18th.—Farmers are busy digging their potatoes. The potato crop is up to the average and the price is only 35c a bushel.

Walter Andrews has returned home

gueville, and Miss Lura Smith of Mott's Mills

erable carpenter work to be done yet, and painting also. It will be near completion about the last of the month.

missed as a pastor and friend. Our best wishes go with Mr. and Mrs. French to their new field of labor. Our big fair has been advertised for the 30th inst. A lengthy prize list has been circulated. Don't fail to see the World's Fair. Mrs. L. H. Washburu and daughter,

Hazel, of Soperton and Mrs R. F. Dizon of Toronto visited their sister, Mrs. Charles Andrews, for a few days recently.

Miss Lizzie Clark is on a visit to

Monday, Sept. 25.—C. M. Keeler has returned from Ottawa fair where

relistic services this week at Rock

urg, where they report having spent Large numbers have attended the Ottawa fair, all of whom were pleased

day.

Mrs. Henry Tallman, Cheboygan,
Mich., is visiting her many friends
after an absence of thirty five years.

Miss Emma Scott of Athens was

Miss Emma Scott of Athens was DENAUT—McDonald. — At Walkerton, Ind., on the 13th inst. Dr. M. S. Denaut, formerly of Delta, Ont. Miss Emma Scott of Athens was a welcome visitor this week. She was the guest of Mrs. George Rowsome.

Revival meetings have started at Rockspring, but have not been very well attended. We have hopes that much good may be accomplished, as the Rev. Mr. Bates, evangelist, is was united in marriage with Junes Regina McDonald, grand-daughter of his professional partner, Dr. Arlington. The Doctor and his bride fare expected to include this district in their wedding tour.

MC INTOSH MILLS.

Monday, Sept. 25.-Mr. James Gibson, who has occupied the McIntosh farm for the past two years, is to move to the province of Quebec, where he has bought a farm. We are sorry to lose such a good neighbor and Mr. Gibson and family have our best

Mr. Edward O'Brien has purchas he McIntosh mills from the executor of the Towe estate.

Master Willie Anglin and Misses Mamie and Annie Anglin were on a visit to triends in Toledo last

week.
Mr. M. Anglin, road overseer, has by graveling and grading the roads in this section, for which he deserved

nuch credit.

The farmers in this district are retty well through with their thresh Our new teacher, Miss Tennant of Caintown, has returned from Ottawa

SOPERTON.

MONDAY, Sept. 25th.—Mr. John Morrison and Miss M. J. Morrison have returned after spending a few reeks with friends in Toronto. Mr. L. Washburn and bride,

Mr. L. Washours attended Ottawa Fair, returned home on Wednesday night last.
Washburn will continue farming the homestead. His many friends in this locality join in extending con gratulations and hope that happiness and prosperity will follow both bride

and groom.

Mr. Hilliard Howard is receiving The Sunday well attended Earl, is becoming very popular. Mr and Mrs. E. J. Suffel atter Kingston fair and were, as usual, very

successful. They succeeded in carry ing away twenty four prizes fro nty-five entries. A wandering tramp from the pool house was doing up this locality or Sunday.

Mr. Roddick goes to the Normal

Miss Allie Frye was the guest of Miss 'Nellie Webster, Washburn's Corners, on Sunday last. The Soperton Orchestra have been invited to play at the sacred concert at Delta on Wednesday night.

FRONT OF YONGE Monday, Sept. 25 .- When we first

commenced to collect news-items for the papers, we made it a point to at-tend many of the public gatherings, tend many of the public gatherings, such as socials, picnics, and lectures. This we thought to be the most likely place, of all others, to obtain authentic news. But always and bearing authentic news. But always on arrival at the gate we were taxed to the value of four or five nickles to see the show, and when we paid our footing, an old seedy chap with milk on his boots would invariably whisper to us, telling what invariably whisper to us, telling what a fine time they were having, and that we must give it a good puff in the local papers. Thus it went until at the end of the year we found it had cost more to collect news than would pay for a half dozen newspapers for a whole year's subscription. We therefore discontinued our search after news a whole year's subscription. We therefore discontinued our search after news
through the medium of fairs and plo
nics and caught on to flying reports,
which were not so expensive. There a good reputation as a pump-maker.

Their establishment is on Church which were not so expensive. There street, next door west of the Hornerite is nothing little or light in our almsgiving, but in all cases we do expect some courtesy and civility extended,

were guests at Miss Hattie Newman's on Sanday.

The plastering of the new R. C. church has been completed. Mr. Thos.

Storey did the work, which was exceedingly well done. There is considerable carpenter work to be done. nature and only school boy work. We venture to say that the Athens poet has on many occasions had to go down into his plethroric purse to con tribute at a social where his pr

FOLEY—RATH.—On the 13th inst at the residence of Mr. C. F. Rath Lansdowne, his youngest daughter, Lydia, and Mr. H. Foley of Escott were united in matrimonial bonds by the Rev. James Simpson of Lans downe in the presence of a large number of guests. The groomsman was Mr. Wm. Rath and the brides-maid, Miss Maud Brown of Ganan-

oque. AUSTIN-LEAKE. - At St. John's church, Leake, — At St. John's church, Leeds, on Tuesday of last week, the marriage took place of Miss Bertha, second daughter of Mr. J. R. Leake of Morton, and Mr. C. Gordon Austin of Lyndhurst, the ceremony being performed by Rev. H. J. Leake, M. A., brother of the bride, and the restre of St. Lebu's

bride, and the rector of St. John's, Rev. J. W. Foster, M. A. Miss Bessie Wright of Ottawa was brides-maid and Miss Frankie Bresee was maid of honor. The groomsman was Mr. A. G. Austin of Lynd

ard have returned from a visit at Morristown, Black Lake, and Ogdens-MITCHELL-LEVERETTE. - On Wed nesday last at the home of the bride's parents, Frankville, Miss Laura, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mitchell, and Mr. Byron Mrs. Wm. Mitchell, and Mr. Lycom.
M. Leverette of Brockville were united in marriage by the Rev. Mr. Bell. The bridesmaid was Miss Laura Acton of Gananoque and the groomsman, Mr. C. A. Carruthers

Fall ploughing is the order of the

The fast New England pacer, McJoe, 2:11½, is now racing with hobbles.

Bonnatella, 2:10½, is said to be the fastest trotting mare ever owned in Chi-Cago.

Arbuteskan, 2:09%, the Canadian pacing stallion, is one of the handsomest horses on the big ring.

Hal Dillard, 2:04¼, is the only stallion with a record below 2:05 to sire a performer with a mark below 2:05.

former with a mark below 2:05.
The foreign buyers have an eye on Aegon Star, 2:11½, by Aegon, and it is quite likely that he may cross the pond.
Lockheart, 2:08½, has two good new 2:20 representatives in Jimmy King, 2:17½, trotting, and Royal L, 2:18¾, reacting

pacing.

J. L. Tariton of Lexington, Ky., has a green mare, by Cheyenne, that is said to have trotted close to 2:16 with less than three months' handling. Confessor, 2:14%, winner of the re-ent nine heat race at Old Orchard, has twice gone through the auction ring. C. L. Vizard, his present owner, paid \$270

of Brockville.

was united in marriage with Miss

THE TROTTING RECORD.

for him. W. L. Snow has the distinction of being the only man who ever drove two horses into the 2:05 list in the same week. He did it at Cleveland with Hal B and Ananias. B and Ananias.

Five years ago Effie Powers had a record of 2:10½, but never until this season had she been able to win a heat below 2:10, although stepping in 2:10¾ on

three different occasions.

Birchtwig, 2:081%, used to be headstrong and hard to control, but Charley
De Ryder has him rigged with a new
driving device which has converted him
into a very manageable horse.

Mr. D. A. Snell, owner of Jupe, is 73
years old and drove his horse, it is said,
very lately a mile in 2:10 and last quarter in 81% seconds. Jupe will probably
make an endeavor to beat the stallion
record this year.

ord this year. EARS OF NOTED MEN. Embassador Choate has a fine ear, of perfect size and of about the right angle.

Cornelius Vanderbilt's mediocrity.

Russell Sage's ear is about the averag Russell Sage's ear is about the average size, well shaped; sloping slightly and deeply lobed.

The ears of President Alpheus Stick-ney of the Chicago Great Western rail-road are nearly at right angles to his

Richard Croker's ear is just like the Thomas C. Platt has the ear of a philosopher. The top leans far out and the lobe in. It is rather over than under the medium size.

Admiral Dewey has a small ear, with Admiral bewey has a small ear, who many angles, which tells us that he can be cruel and tyrannical as well as delicate in fancy. Such is his character.

John J. Biair's ears are enormous, and they have the intense philosophic slope. Age increases the angularity and prominence of the ear. Mr. Blair is nearly 100 years old. years old.

J. Pierpont Morgan has a full sized ear, firmly glued on and nearly straight up and down. The antihelix is thick and protruding, while the concha is of small diameter.

THE THRONEROOM.

Queen Henrietta of Belgium takes deliy drive of ten miles.

Although the Princess of Wales is always spoken of as Danish, she spent most of her early life in Germany, near Frankfort, and German, not Danish, was hear the problem of the second of

er mother tongue. Queen Margaret has promised to clim Queen Margaret has promised to climb Rocea Melone, one of the highest peaks of the Italian Alps, to take part in the dedication of a statue of the Virgin of which the queen herself is the sculptor.

The crown prince of Sweden and Norway has an unenviable physical characteristic. Along the roots of all his teeth runs a bar or strip of bone. Whenever he has a tooth extracted this bone has to be cut through.

King George of Greece goes in for music in private, and his instruments are not those usually seen in royal palaces. He performs on handbells and on glasses of various sizes, which give forth their notes on being touched by a wet finger tip.

SUMMER ZEPHYRS.

Modern invention has not yet produced a device for subjecting a dog day to the cold storage process.—Exchange.

The city girl, who spent her vacation on a farm, imagined she had solved the meaning of "Pasteurized milk." She saw the cows feeding from the pasture. What could be simpler?—St. Louis Star. Newport people are complaining that the weather has treated them badly. They are not much worse off than other people, to be sure, but why is not an exception made in favor of Newport?—Boston Transcript.

The annual swordfish, with more than its usual annual frequency, has been plunging its annual sword through the annual schoones and just escaping transfixing the annual stupidity.—Boston Herald.

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One woman was burned to death FREE! The basuiff a lifting and another woman and an insane buried in the ruins of St. Vincent Hospital, at Norfolk, W. Va., which caught fire Thursday. The building

POLITICS—IMPERIAL. Reliable reports at St. John's, Nfid, om England state that the negohore question have failed, and that he British Ministry will invite the lonial Legislature at its next session to renw the modus vivendi about the lobster fishery along the French shore. The Colonial Govern-ment, it is announced, will refuse to enact any such measure. THE RELIGIOUS WORLD.

The Pope has issued an encyclical to England on the position of the Church in Great Britain and the so-POLITICS-FOREIGN.

The Austrian Cabinet has resigned.
At the elections last week for the
Second Chamber of the Rikadag,
Stockholm returned 21 out of 22 Lib-John W. Foster has returned to John W. Foster has returned to Washington from his summer home, and has begun to take up the threads of his work in connection with the arrangement of a modus vivendi relating to the Alaskan boundary. There has been no charge in the status of this question recently. The decree of the Government faring Oot. 6 to Oct. 8, for the primary elections of danto Domingo, and providing for the meeting of the electoral college during the last week of October, although a revelutionary action and against the constitution has been well received. Officers will be elected for the full term — four years. Jimines is the only candidate for the Presidency of the Republic.

Economic Road Construction. Three essentials of modern roadilding are the road-machine building are the road-machine, for grading, shaping and preparing the read-bed; the stone-crusher, which may often advantageously be portable, with outfit for breaking stone, and an efficient road roller, preferably a steam roller of about 12 tons' weight. These are at the bottom of economical macadam road construction.

THE VERDICT.

There is one thing to commend the automobile. It cannot throw its tail over the lines in flytime.—Council Bluffs Nonpareil.

In polite circles "peninsula" is used as a substitute for "rubber," because it likewise means a neck stretching to sea.—Philadelphia Record.

A writer wishes to know how to eat corn on the cob. The only safe way to eat corn on the cob is to eat it off the cob.—New York World.

The new geyser in Yellowstone National park has been christened Dewey. This is a mistake. The hero of Manila bay is no spouter.—Indianapolis News.

"The man who knows all about managing a sailboat is being heard from in value."

rious parts of the country, and t neral director is quite busy.—Bal Herald. One of the direct results of the hot

weather is the kidnaping of a Massachu-setts girl. All cold storage establish-ments should be immediately searched.— Indianapolis Journal. Maybe the fellow who proposes setting up a kingdom in Cuba, with a full complement of titles and court attendants, has an eye upon the heiresses of the United States.—Savannah News.

The woman who at the Buffalo reform conference said the place of a women. conference said the place of a woman was to look after her husband should ex-plain what the woman who has no hus-band is to do.—Rochester Times. Colorado people should put a guard around the golden girl which they propose to send to the Paris exposition. Some impecunious foreign nobleman is likely to carry her off.—Omaha Bee.

A sailor on a British warship fell from the masthead and was killed while try-ing to display an American fag. He deserved it. You don't catch Yankee sailors waving union jacks from mastheads
-London (Ont.) News. -London (Ont.) News.

A Chicago man fired at a piece of bullet proof cloth the other day, and the ball rehounded and hit him in the forehead, drawing blood. This goes to show that bullet proof cloth should always be worn by the man behind the gun instead of the one in front of it.—St. Paul Pioneer

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Fifty men, six guns and four wa-gons of "A" Battery left Kingston on Friday for Descronto artillery camp. They went by route march, camping at Odessa Friday night. The Venezuelan Government is concentrating its eastern forces at Gui-ra to meet the revolutionist troops under General Meta. A decisive en-

successor of Mr. Ramsay is likely to be Hon. George A. Cox. The post of general manager will go to M. W. Cox, son of the Senator.



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