Provincial Paragraphs.

Mayflowers have made their appearance in Tangier, N. S.

The Governor General, Lord Stanley, has telegraphed $500 for the Springhill relief fund.

A Montreal saloon keeper has been compelled to pay $100 and costs to a woman whose husband he furnished with liquor after having been forbidden.

The passenger car attached to the W. C. R. express, when leaving Yarmouth last Saturday morning, caught fire from a stove and was badly damaged.

MISSING LINK.—F. T. Lynch, of Ottawa, is in Digby as arbitrator in a dispute between the government engineer, Caddy, and O'Neill & Campbell, relating to Digby and Annapolis railway matters.

JOINED THE ARMY.—Miss Galt, daughter of Chief Justice Galt, of Toronto, and niece of Sir A. T. Galt, has joined the Salvation Army as a lieutenant and is now stationed at the Montreal barracks.

The formal opening of the Oddfellows' Lodge at Digby takes place March 12th. Yarmouth Grand Lodge, assisted by Annapolis, Windsor and other Lodges, will confer degrees.

Counterfeit two dollar bills with the head of Geo. McClellan on them are dangerously numerous. They are so well executed that it is difficult to distinguish them from the genuine. Look out for them.

Thos. Mason, of St. Margaret's Bay, met his death last Thursday by falling down stairs. Mr. Mason was an angler and a hunter of repute, and will be missed by sportsmen who have been in the habit of frequenting west Halifax.

The Yarmouth *Light* says: Hon. L. E. Baker has rented to Mr. G. W. Johnson a part of the Ryerson wharf property for his corn-mill, which is to be started at once. Mr. Wallace Crosby is at work getting it ready for the machinery.

The Baptist denomination of Kentville have purchased from Mr. F. A. Masters a lot of land adjoining the grounds on their former parsonage with a frontage on Main St. of 55 feet and purpose building a residence for their pastor in the early spring.

A shipment of 130,000 yards of cotton cloth was sent forward from the Kingston cotton mills over the Canada Pacific railway for China last week. The total export of cotton to China from the Kingston mill during the past twelve months was two million yards.

Bishop Grandin, of St. Albert, appeals to the parish priests of the Province of Quebec to use their influence with French Canadians who may contemplate emigrating, and persuade them to seek homes in the Canadian North-West instead of in a foreign land.

This Friday morning, as two men were crossing from East to West Pubnico in a sail boat, the boat was upset by a squall. One of the men, George D'Entremont, son of Mr. Gervais D'Entremont, was drowned. The other was rescued. The deceased was about 22 years of age.

At a congregational meeting in St. Matthew's church, Halifax, Wednesday evening, it was decided to extend a call to Rev. Thos. Fowler, of Edinburgh; salary $2,000. The call was unanimous. The reverend gentleman will come to Halifax with the most flattering recommendations.

LAGRIPPE.—There have been a number of deaths at Sandy Cove from what the doctors pronounce very severe attack of la grippe. Among the deaths within the last few days have been Mrs. Daniel Morshouse, wife of Capt. Daniel Morehouse, Mrs. Ann Crowell, widow of the late Hiram Crowell, and Ross Barr of Trout Cove.

In the household of Mr. John Bower of Rockingham, Yarmouth, are his father and mother, aged respectively eighty-six and eighty-five years; also Mrs. Bower's parents, aged eighty-one and seventy-one. The female couple have spent sixty-five years and the latter fifty-one years of married life.

His Lordship, Bishop Courtney, continues, steadily, though slowly, to improve in health. It is expected that he will be sufficiently recovered by the early part of next month to take his departure for a climate where he will remain for some months. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Courtney.

Last Thursday evening Miss Nellie B. Hatfield, daughter of the late Capt. Norman B. Hatfield, while eating a piece of candy, dislocated her jaw. Physicians were summoned, but their efforts proved unsuccessful, and Miss Hatfield will proceed to Boston this evening for medical treatment in that city.—*Yarmouth Herald.*

Despatches to the *Chronicle* state that a destructive thunder and lightning storm passed over Massachusetts Saturday night. At Wellfleet a Methodist church was totally destroyed, and in other localities houses, barns and churches were struck by lightning and injured. Floods in Colorado and Arizona have caused the loss of hundreds of lives, whites and Indians, and the destruction of a great amount of property.

A special from Halifax, N. S., says the fishing schooner *Fanny A. Spurling*, of Portland, which put in at that place, Wednesday, badly damaged, for repairs, had 5,000 pounds of halibut on board. Fearing it would spoil if kept in the vessel, the captain applied, Thursday morning, for permission to land and sell it. Collector Larrington telegraphed to the Ottawa authorities, who have granted the necessary permission.

Mr. J. G. Carter Troop delivered a thoughtful lecture last evening at St. George's church school house on "Lord Beaconsfield." He gave an outline of the career of "Disraeli," made interesting with a fair amount of skilful coloring and philosophized as to the secrets of his success and the results of his labors. His estimate of the hero of the Berlin treaty was the highest, he gladly giving him a place with Pitt and Palmerston and the foremost of English statesmen.—*Toronto Globe.*

The gold mines of Nova Scotia now give direct employment in the works during some part of the year to 1,000 men, and to at least 700 hands the year round, while indirect employment is given to may more. The value of last year's output was $470,000 or $18 per ounce, and though a considerable force is engaged in preliminary work caused by the opening up of new areas, the average of each man's labor was $2.20 per day the year around. Rich gold-bearing quartz has recently been discovered in some of the counties and the total product this year is likely to be unusually large.

SOMETHING LIKE AN OPERATOR.—Among the very hardest workers during the past few days at Springhill has been Mr. Fred S. Ward, Western Union telegraph operator at that place. Hundreds of despatches poured in over his wire as soon as the news of the colliery disaster became known to the outside world, and all night long and all Sunday the plucky little operator sat at his instrument. On Sunday night he was assisted by his brother from Moncton, and together they sent the many columns of copy by the *Sun* and *Gazette* reporters, which occupied them far past midnight. Mr. Ward had time to neither eat nor sleep, and he remained steadfast at his post, in the interests of the Western Union Company, the people, and the press.

The steamer *Blue Hill*, recently purchased by the Yarmouth & Shelburne Steamship Co., arrived at Yarmouth from Boston *via* Mount Desert on Thursday. Although the sea was very rough and the wind blowing strong, the *Blue Hill* proved herself an excellent sea-boat. She is 140 feet long, is propelled by twin screws, and is very fast. She is built somewhat after the style of paddle steamers, being very broad, with promenade decks. The dining-saloon is on the main deck, and will accommodate 40 persons at the tables at one time. It is an airy apartment, and has all the modern conveniences. An easy flight of stairs leads to the main saloon above, which is beautifully upholstered and carpeted. It is finished in panels, with handsome mirrors, etc. Leading off the dining-saloon is a ladies' boudoir, and waiting room. The *Blue Hill* is a handsome steamer, and is in every way adapted for the route. She is heated throughout by steam, and has ample accommodation for the comfort and convenience of passengers.

—The wonder of the age is *Dr. Norton's Dock Blood Purifier.* Over fifty cases of Liver, Kidney and Blood diseases have been cured the past year that all other remedies and treatments failed to do any good. Save your health by taking a bottle before the end of March.

The Royal Launch.

QUEEN VICTORIA CHRISTENS THE ROYAL ARTHUR AND ROYAL SOVEREIGN AT PORTSMOUTH.

London, Feb. 26.—Queen Victoria, accompanied by Prince Henry of Battenberg and Princess Beatrice, his wife, and a large suite, left Windsor at half-past ten this morning for Portsmouth in order to be present at the launch of the new line of battle ships. The weather was of the kind generally known as 'royal weather'—brilliant and delightfully pleasant.

Shortly before the hour at which the Queen left Windsor the Prince of Wales, attired in his uniform as an admiral of the fleet—one of the honorary ranks held by the Prince—left London for Portsmouth. The heir apparent was attended by a large staff, brilliant with gold and silver lace, and was heartily cheered as he reached the railway station and as his train drew out of the depot on its way to Portsmouth.

THE SCENE AT PORTSMOUTH.

Portsmouth, Feb. 26.—Great throngs of people gathered here to see the royal pageant accompanying the launching of the new war ships. Portsmouth, Gosport and their respective neighborhoods were bedecked with more than the usual gala attire spread to the breeze upon the occasion of royal visits.

Upon the arrival of the Queen at the railway station here Her Majesty was met by the Prince of Wales and his sons, the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, together with the lords of the Admiralty, a number of government officials, members of the house of lords and of the house of commons.

Upon arrival at the dockyard her majesty was escorted to a richly decorated and brilliantly draped platform, over which the Royal Standard of England waved in the breeze. The queen slowly ascended this platform, where she was again received by the Prince of Wales, the duke of Edinburgh and the host of uniformed and ununiformed dignitaries who were present upon the occasion.

THE CHRISTENING AND THE LAUNCH.

A short, solemn religious service followed the ceremonious reception of the queen, the blessing of the Almighty being asked for the mighty engine of war which was about to be sent gliding into the water. At the conclusion of the religious service, as the word "amen" was still echoing in the ears of those gathered upon the royal platform, the queen touched a button protruding from a small electric machine, which had been placed in front of the place where her majesty was standing, and the traditional brightly beribboned bottle of champagne detached by the current from its position over the bows of the Royal Arthur crashed upon the naval monster's cutwater, and the queen exclaiming, "I name thee Royal Arthur," the christening was over.

Her majesty then pressing a second button, this time an electric bell, the shores, props, etc., holding the *Royal Arthur* were knocked out of place, and the new iron-clad glided slowly, smoothly, grandly down the well-soaped ways into the water, as guns, cheers, music, the waving of countless handkerchiefs and the dipping of flags welcomed her into what may be termed her natural element.

High above this din rang the national anthem, and before it was finished the members of the royal family present, accompanied by a small army of military and naval officers, and other dignitaries, hurried by a short cut through the dockyard to the ways upon which the second mammoth ironclad, the Royal Sovereign, was resting proudly on her ways. There another platform had been erected and the queen was once more received with pomp and dignity. After ascending this second platform the ceremonies already described in connection with the launching of *Royal Arthur* were repeated in the case of the *Royal Sovereign*, and the latter, manned by 500 bluejackets and marines, was floated as successfully as the former vessel.

GENERAL NOTES.

At the conclusion of these ceremonies the Queen took lunch at the residence of Admiral Sir John E. Commerell, G. C. B., in command at Portsmouth, after which she was escorted back to the royal train with as much display of soldiers and marines as upon the occasion of her arrival here. Upon leaving Portsmouth Her Majesty returned to Windsor Castle.

The spectacle presented by this double launch was most gorgeous and impressive, and was witnessed by about one hundred thousand.

The only foreign war vessel present was the German war ship *Oldenburg*, the flagship of Admiral von der Goltz, who was specially commissioned by the Emperor of Germany to be present at the ceremonies as the representative of Germany's young ruler. The *Royal Arthur* is a screw cruiser of 7,700 tons, 12,000 horse power, and carries twelve guns. Her name was originally the *Centaur*, which was changed by the Queen's order to *Duke of Connaught*, and finally, almost at the last moment, by the Queen's command, the name was changed to *Royal Arthur*.

The *Royal Sovereign* is a screw battle ship of 14,150 tons, 13,000 horse power, and carries fourteen guns.

Book Notices.

THE LADIES' HOME JOURNAL.—The charming personality of the Princess of Wales in public has won her hosts of warm friends, but in *The Ladies' Home Journal* for March Lady Elizabeth Hilary, her almost constant attendant and a very intimate friend, gives us a glimpse at the Princess in her private life—a sweet woman and a sterling wife and mother, worthy all the admiration which is bestowed upon her. The article is richly illustrated, and will attract as wide attention as will Mrs. P. T. Barnum's discussion "Moths of Modern Marriages," which appears in the same number; it is to be regretted that Mrs. Barnum has not written more, as this, her first published article, shows a singular power and grace; quite as interesting in their way are the delightful portrait sketches of Mrs. Gladstone, by a bright American girl who recently spent a day with her, and the excellent articles by Mrs. Jenness-Miller and Miss Hooper on dressmaking as a profession. Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney's brilliant serial, "A Golden Gossip"; Mary E. Wilkins' story, "A Rustic Comedy," illustrated by Kemble; suggestive articles by Rose Terry Cooke and Miss LeGarde on self-support and gymnastics for girls; George W. Cable's second paper on teaching the Bible, and crisp contributions from Anna Katharine Green, Marshall P. Wilder and Hezekiah Butterworth are some of the salient features of a number which has not a weak spot anywhere. Issued at one dollar a year by the Curtis Publishing Company, 433 and 435 Arch St., Philadelphia.

THE DELINEATOR.—Every woman is interested just now in what to wear for spring. The latest styles are illustrated, the newest materials described and the brightest ideas embodied in the March number of *The Delineator*. This issue contains over one hundred large pages of interesting fashion talk and practical hints for the home, and the wonder is how any woman can do without it. Canadian edition identical with that published from New York. $1.00 a year. Address *The Delineator*, Toronto.

"Name and Fame," a novel by Adeline Sargent, has been forwarded us by the publishers, Lovell and Son, Montreal. The subject of divorce is a prominent point in the novel and modern social evils are vigorously treated. The heroine is a strong and good character, though too unconventional to be taken as a model by any young woman. All the characters are well portrayed and cannot fail to enlist the interest and sympathy of the readers.

A GREAT SPELLING MATCH.—The greatest spelling match on record is that offered by *Our Homes* Publishing Co., in which they will award the following magnificent CASH PRIZES:—One prize of $300; one prize of $200; two prizes of $100; four prizes of $50; eight prizes of $25; twenty prizes of $10; forty prizes of $5; one hundred prizes of $2; and two hundred of $1. These prizes will be awarded to the persons sending in the largest number of correctly spelled words found in the advertising pages of the February number of *Our Homes*, in which no letters occur but those found in the sentence: "*Our Homes is Unrivalled as a Home Magazine.*" Special cash prizes will be given away each day and each week during this competition, which closes April 25th, 1891. Send ten cents in stamps or silver, for a sample copy of the February number, with rules and regulations governing the competition. Address, *Our Homes* PUB. CO., Brockville, Ont. 47 1y

—The floods all through the Ohio valley are growing worse, and it is estimated at least 3,000 persons are homeless. The loss of property will be enormous.

Thanks to Canadians.

At a meeting of the committee appointed to act on behalf of the citizens of St. John's, Newfoundland, it was resolved: That this meeting desires to express its grateful appreciation of the interest taken by our fellow-colonists of the Dominion of Canada, in our behalf, for their manifestations of sympathy with us, in the hardships of our position, and for the active and valuable support and assistance offered us by the press, the various Boards of Trade, and other exponents of public opinion and sentiment throughout the Dominion; and the committee recognize in this sympathy and co-operation a source of strength and hope to sustain and encourage the people of this colony to further persistent effort in the future.

Barillos Preparing for Flight.

Late advices received here from Guatemala say that President Barillos has made arrangements for leaving the country. He has sold his coffee crops for the next three years for $600,000 cash, besides which he has mortgaged his entire estates for $2,200,000 to a German syndicate, so that in case he is forced to leave the country his property cannot be touched. Barillos is said to fear an outburst of popular resentment against his rule and to be prepared for flight at any moment. He has a nest egg of $20,000,000 deposited in the Bank of England.

Witnesses Must Testify.

The following, from the Fredericton *Globe*, is of much importance to those engaged in the prosecution of the Scott Act:

"In the case of Robert S. Barker, who refused to testify in a Scott Act case some time ago, the Supreme Court this week refused the rule to grant a new trial. This is a most important decision for temperance people. It settles the fact that a witness must give evidence, and answer the questions put to him or go to jail, and that he does not incriminate himself, that is, he does not become an accessory to the violation of law, by giving evidence that he has received liquor and paid for it. It would have been extremely difficult for the prosecutors to have got witnesses to testify if such witnesses were liable to the same fine as a seller."

$745 in Gold for a Wife.

We will give to the first person telling us before June 1st, 1891, where in the Bible the word "wife" is first found $100 in gold. To the next $50. To the third $25. To the fourth $20. To the fifth $15. To the sixth $10. To the next 25 $5 each. To the next 25, $2 each. To the person sending in the last correct answer we will give $100 in gold. To the next to the last $50, and so on same as from the first. With your answer send 25 cents in silver, or 27 cents in stamps, for a box of Dr. Cole's Blood and Liver Pills, the best Blood, Liver and Stomach Pill ever made. Sure cure for sick headache. Don't grige. Remember the presents are absolutely free, being given away to advertise Dr. Cole's Perfect Pills and Family Remedies. At the close of the contest the names and addresses of all the prize-winners will appear in this paper. We refer you to the Traders' Bank of Orillia. Send at once and be first. Address, *Home Specific Co., Orillia, Ont.* 51

Halifax Market Report.

The following quotations are furnished us by Messrs. Mumford Brothers, and Messrs. Watson Eaton & Son, Halifax:—

Butter in tubs, choice dairy, per lb	.16	to 17
Eggs, in bbls. and boxes, per doz	.18	" 19
Hams and Bacon, ...per lb	.11	" 13
Beef (in quarters) .... "	6	" 7
Hogs (dressed) .... "	6½	" 7
Mutton (by carcass) .. "	6	" 7
Lamb .... "	6	" 7
Veal .... "	5	" —
Dried Apples .....per lb	6	" 7
Fowls and Chickens	.35	" 60
Oats	.55	" —
Ducks (pair)	.50	" 75
Wool Skins, each	.60	" 70
Turkey .....per lb	.14	" 15
Turnips, bbl	—	" 75
Potatoes (bbl.)	$1.25	" $1.50
Apples, fair to good	$1.00	to $3.00
Hay .....ton	$11	" —
Carrots	$1.30	" —
Parsnips	—	" $1.40

—The number of retail liquor dealers in the United States, according to the official returns of the officers of the internal revenue for the year ending May 1, 1891, was 185,868, or 1 liquor dealer to every 275 inhabitants, on the basis of the census of 1880. In New York there was 1 retail dealer in distilled liquors to every 150 inhabitants; in New Jersey, 1 to 175; in Ohio, 1 to 230; in Pennsylvania and Massachusetts 1 to 400; in Indiana, 1 to 325; in Delaware. 1 to 160; and in California, 1 to 75. The average in all the States which have general license laws is 1 dram shop to 250 inhabitants. In Maine there is 1 retail dealer in distilled liquors to every 750 inhabitants; in Vermont, 1 to 820; in Iowa, 1 to 520; and in Kansas, 1 to 800.

—Warren Hanover, of Bar Harbor, is the owner of a freak in the shape of a four-winged duck. The fowl is thriving and able to spread all four wings at once—a notable fact, as such superfluous appendages are unusually under control. Two of the wings are right side up in the usual position, and two, growing below the others, are upside down, so as a means of transportation they are evidently not a success.

—Lucy Tinker, colored, of Trigg county, Kentucky, aged 105 years, has cut a full set of new teeth, the old ones having decayed and disappeared about 40 years ago. She had also been nearly blind for many years, but recently her sight began to improve and she can now see as well as when a young woman. She is the mother of 15 children, and has 90 odd grandchildren now living.

A TERRIBLE FLOOD.—Pittsburg, Pa., is suffering from a severe flood, the damage of which is estimated at $1,500,000. Some 2,000 families were confined Thursday to the upper stories of their houses, where food was furnished them by means of skiffs. Many thousand laborers are out of work and the disasters to the railroads and general business is very great.

—There is a crematory in Pennsylvania where thirty-one bodies were reduced to ashes last year. This is said to be one-third the total number of bodies cremated in the United States during the year. The conclusion from these statistics is that cremation is not growing popular.

—A Pennsylvania surgeon has been successful in grafting skin from a black man on the leg of a white man, the new cuticle assuming the white color. If the reverse of this operation can be performed the race problem can be settled by surgery.

The leaders in the late American war have nearly all passed from the stage in which they acted so prominent a part. With the recent death of Admiral Porter and General Sherman, the Republic has lost the last of her heroes of the Civil War.

—A bill has been introduced into the Indiana Legislature which provides that any man who is whipped by White Caps may recover from $2,000 to $5,000 damages from the county in which the whipping occurs, and a woman from $5,000 to $10,000.

—We read of the sweet singer, Ira D. Sankey, Mr. Moody's old partner, conducting services of song out in western New York. It would be interesting to know, why these distinguished evangelists no longer pull together in their good cause.

—The recent gift of Baron de Hirsch of France of $2,400,000 for the benefit of American Jews is noteworthy. This vast sum has been vested in a board of trustees in New York.

—Emperor William of Germany smokes eight or ten cigars a day. It is a mere question of time when he must give up or put the empire to the expense of a costly funeral.

Health in Herbs.

Health-giving herbs, barks, roots and berries are carefully combined in Burdock Blood Bitters, which regulate the secretions, purify the blood and renovate and strengthen the entire system. Price $1 a bottle, six for $5. Less than 1 cent a dose.

Births.

EVERETT.—At Hill Brook Farm, Feb. 27th, the wife of Capt. Henry Everett, of a son.

Marriages.

SAUNDERS—BAUCKMAN.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Parndise, Annapolis Co., Feby. 18th, by the Rev. R. R. Kinley, Winburn Laurie Saunders, of Windsor, N. S., to Miss Mamie E., second daughter of Ephraim Bauckman, Esq.

Telegraph Flashes.

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—The jury in the case of Jane Harding, found dead in the house of her paramour, Christopher McGrain, a few days ago, and for causing whose death McGrain was arrested, have returned a verdict of wilful murder against the prisoner.

MONTREAL, Feb. 26.—According to a statement of the wholesale dry goods firm of Lindsay, Gilmour & Co., their liabilities are $215,000, with assets considerably below that amount. Subscription book for sufferers from Springhill disaster opened here yesterday, and in course of a few minutes $3,400 was subscribed.

TO PROVIDE FOR THE ORPHANS.

St. John, Feb, 25.—The directors of the Protestant orphan asylum here met yesterday and agreed to take into the institution as many children of the Springhill sufferers as could be accommodated. They will be able to take twenty. A letter to that effect has been forwarded to Mayor Hall.

Boston, Feb. 25.—A general strike of the electrotypers of this city occurred this morning. It involves all electrotypers in the city, nearly 300 in number, and will seriously interfere with the work of about 2,000 others in the printing trade. The men have a very strong union and are backed by the allied printing trades of the city, comprising compositors, pressmen, paper rollers, book binders and stereotypers. The cause of the strike is a demand for a uniform minimum rate per day.

FRIGHTENED TO DEATH.

Clinton, Mo., Feb. 18.—Mrs. M. Trollinger of Leesville died yesterday from fright. She was sitting in a waggon watching her son cut down a tree. The tree fell toward the waggon, and the boy called to his mother to get out of the way. She seemed unable to move. The tree crushed down behind the waggon without touching Mrs. Trollinger, but she fell over dead. Physicians examined the body and say they found no sign of the woman having been hit. They assign the cause to paralysis of the heart.

AN AMHERST MAN'S DEATH.

Amherst, Feb. 26.—News was received here to-day of the death at St. John of Mr. Wm. M. Fullerton, Q. C., of this town. Mr. Fullerton had been ill since last autumn at which time he was taken to the United States for treatment, but lately returned to St. John. Much sympathy is expressed for Mrs. Fullerton, who survives him, and for his family. Mr. Fullerton was largely interested in lumbering and other business, and will be greatly missed in this community. He was a brother-in-law of Sir Chas. Tupper, his wife being a sister of Lady Tupper.

MANAGER SWIFT'S FUNERAL.

Springhill Mines, Feb. 28.—The funeral of Manager Swift took place yesterday afternoon. Brief services were conducted at his late residence by Rev. J. M. Robinson, and the funeral was then taken charge of by the Free Masons, about one hundred of whom took part. Many were present from other places. Most impressive services were conducted at the grave by Revs. D. Wright, S. Gibbons and J. M. Robinson. A large number followed the remains to the cemetery. The procession was fully three-quarters of a mile long, and the route was lined by hundreds, who silently wept. The band played a dirge, and the last scene of the calamity which has filled the town with the deepest gloom for a whole week will not soon be forgotten.

SHE TRIES TO CHLOROFORM HER FORMER MISTRESS AND ROBS HER.

Boston, Feb. 25.—Lizzie Witherell, aged 20, was arrested this morning in Cambridge, charged with burglary. She formerly worked as a domestic in the house of Mrs. Frank A. Colley, and gained an entrance to the house last night by cutting out a pane in a basement window. She went to Mrs. Colley's bedroom and tried to chloroform her but awakened her. The Witherell woman enforced silence by threatening to shoot Mrs. Colley, and taking $1,200 worth of jewelry left the house. Mrs. Colley immediately gave the alarm, and the girl was arrested as she was about to board a horse car. The jewelry was found secreted in her stocking. In court this afternoon she was held in $1,000 for the Grand Jury.

SOUTHERN TORNADO.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 24.—The people of Sunbury, Gates County, N. C., were startled Saturday night by a clap of thunder and a vivid flash of lightning. A few minutes later a tornado the like of which that county never before felt was sweeping over it. Mr Charles Gurley says that within sight of his house seven buildings were torn down, and fences, waggons and carts were swept away. The storm swept a space a half-mile wide and carried everything with it. Two children were killed near Sunbury, and it is reported that a number of people were killed further east. The immense dry kilns at Bosney, N. C., were also blown down as well as other buildings in that vicinity. The wires are all down and no information can be had. The tornado lasted about seven or eight minutes.

WHITECHAPEL VERDICT.

London, Feb. 27.—The coroner's inquest on the remains of Frances Coleman, otherwise known as "Carroty Nell," ended today. The jury rendered a verdict of "wilful murder against some person or persons unknown." This verdict does not affect the accused Sadler.

DEATH OF SENATOR HEARST.

Washington, March 2.—Senator George Hearst, of California, died at his residence in this city at 9 10 Saturday night, of a complication of diseases, Bright's disease and heart trouble being most aggravating.

A MILL CARRIED AWAY BY FLOODS.

Watertown, N. Y., March 1.—The Remington Paper Company's largest pulp mill, about two miles below this city, was almost totally destroyed late last night by high water, causing about $50,000 damage, and killing an employee. Eleven pulp grinders, wheel, and various other machinery was shut down for a few minutes to make repairs, and the floor suddenly began to rise, and the whole building moved. Part of the building and machinery fell into the river, and the roof collapsed. The workmen rushed for the doors, and all escaped except two, who were caught by the shafting and crushed to the floor. One succeeded in extricating himself, and made land.

LAST YEAR:
Her eyes were rheumy, and weak and red,
Her breath—you could smell it afar.
She had ringing and dizziness oft in her head,
And the cause of all it was catarrh.

THIS YEAR:
Her breath is as sweet as the new meadow hay,
Her eyes are as bright as a star,
And the cause of the change, she is ready to say,
Was the Dr. Sage Cure for Catarrh.

Dr Sage's Catarrh Remedy will positively cure catarrh in the head, no matter how long standing. Fifty cents, by all druggists.

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MESSRS. C. C. RICHARDS & CO.,
Gentlemen,—About three years ago I was taken very ill with what the doctor called diphtheria. After trying every remedy I could get and finding no relief I thought that death would soon end my sufferings, but a friend advised me to try your liniment. After using one bottle I was able to go out the same as ever. Again this winter I had another attack of the same complaint, but after using your MINARD'S LINIMENT a few times I was perfectly cured. I consider it the best remedy for sore throat ever offered to the public. Yours, JOHN A. TOREY.
Antigonish, N. S.

Winter Sports.

The gay winter season exposes many to attacks of colds, coughs, hoarseness, tightness of the chest, asthma, bronchitis, etc., which require a reliable remedy like Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam for their relief and cure. Known as reliable for over thirty years. The best cough cure.

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