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side which all eastern scenes were pigmies, rise up in astounding abruptness and massiveness; sublimely soaring summits and perpendicular sides succeeded each other for miles; and the little company of spectators seemed but an insignany of spectators and the plain and in power, here was dwarfed into a baby carriage; and the shriek of the whistle as it echoed and resounded along the cliffs, or from rock to rock, or was hemmed in by the confines of the amphitheatre, appeared like entering the portals to the palace of some terrible being. Into the short distance of sixty miles is crowded a constant succession of those scenes and objects of material curiosity which form the most interesting part of the road, and have made it world-wide in fame. It seems hard, after nearly a week of expectation and keen anxiety for a glimpse of such scenes of grandeur, to find all the most magnificent objects of interest crowded into so short a space, and passed in less than four hours.

Leaving Echo Canyon, and as we enter Weber, the eye encounters "Pulpit Rock," so-called from its resemblance to an old-fashioned pulpit. Tradition has it that the late "Prophet of the Lord" who formerly presided over the church of "Latter Day Saints" in Sault Lake City, once preached to an assembled multitude from this exalted position; but, while I dislike to spoil a story that lends such a charm to the place, and clothes it with historic interest, I must say, according to reliable history, such is not the fact. Echo Canyon has but one fault its sublimity will make all similar features look tame. Passing swiftly down Weber Valley, we soon reach the "thousand mile tree." There it stands, spreading to reliable history, such is not the fact. Echo Canyon has but one fault its sublimity will make all similar features look tame. Passing swiftly down webseed of the for

and on the other, her hanne, "Lucinda Duncan."

Arriving at Reno we change cars and take the Virginia and Truckee Railroad to Virginia City. The road runs first to Carson City, the Capital of the State, thence to Virginia. Leaving Reno, the first seene of note is the celebrated Steamboat Springs, where the water, at a temperature of 212 deg., Fahrenheit (boiling point.) gargles up through fissures in the rock about a foot in width. In the immediate vicinity, not more than twenty feet distant, are cold water springs.

The railroad from Carson City to Virginia City is often spoken of as the

THE FENIAN SCARE.

Montreal, May 13.—To-day Colonel Powell telegraphed from Ottawa to Col. Fletcher, instructing him to distribute the arms from the armories to themembers of all the border companies, who will also receive twenty rounds of ball ammunition per man. The officers of the district will be instructed to hold themselves in readiness, and all precautions will be taken to prevent any raid across the frontier. The armories of the Eastern Townships and along the borders are unprotected as a general thing, and the precaution of removing the arms to the houses of the volunteers is consequently a necessary one. In case of a European struggle in which England becomes involved, a Fenian raid may be regarded as probable, at least so say the officers here highest in command.

Halifax, May 13.—The Militia Department has been active of late in providing for emergencies. Four guns have been sent to Yarmouth and four to St. John, with ammunition for these places, as well as Digby, where guns are already in position. "I 'B attery of Artillery is being enrolled at Yarmouth, the officer commanding the Imperial troops here furnishing an instructor. The battery at Sydney is being put in proper order. Ammunition has been forwarded, and the Militia there are being trained to work the guns. Vice-Admiral Hogelfield has loaned rifled guns and ammunition for the Dominion steamers Lady Head, Glendon and Newfield.

St. Catharines, May 13.—Col. Currie, commanding the 19th Batt., on Saturday night received a telegram from Col. Villiers, to notify the officers of hif command to hold themselves and pien in readiness for active service at a moment's notice and in all probability to move on the Ifth inst.

Similar orders were received at Hamilton, London, Niagara and Clifton. At the latter point arms and ammunition were served out.

Capt. J. T. Kerby, of the Six Nation Indians, says that in ease of a Fenain invasion he can place at the disposal of the Government one thousand trusty warriors within five days.

Ottawa, May 14.—There is great activity in t

THE TORONTO BOAT RACE.

Hanlan Beats his American Opponent.
—Tremendous Crowds in Attendance.
—The Canadian Wins by Six Lengths.

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The great boat race between Hanlan the champion oarsman of Canada, and Plaisted of New York, took place over Toronto Bay on Wednesday. Considerable delay was made in order to have perfectly smooth water. At eight minutes past six a start was effected. Both men came out of their boat-houses about the same time and leisurely pulled up to the starting point. After the usual preliminaries the referee gave the word 'go,' and Hanlan, taking water first, at once took the lead, rowing about 28 strokes a minute to his opponent's 34. After rowing about 290 yards Plaisted was seen to be pulling up, and looked in a fair way to give the Toronto man the go-by, but the latter, keeping his deliberate stroke and never quickening a stroke, quickly recovered the ground he had lost, and gradually but surely drew away from his antagonist. At the foot of Sincoe Street, about a mile having been accomplished, Hanlan was still puling 28, while Plais, ted had quickened to 36 and was rowing for all he was worth. Hanlan was leading by two boat lengths, and from that point to the finish had it all his own way, winning without any trouble by five or six lengths. The day was fine, and the attendance was even larger than last fall at Ross's race.

In 1841 Brantford had a population of 1,400; it is now 12,000.

Where do you go this summer? will soon be the leading question.

Tavistock is moving for incorporation. The village is said to be growing rapidly.

Lt.-Col. Ross, M. P. P., has been renominated as government candidate is

West Huron.

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It is stated that work will be commenced on the Sarnia, Chatham & Eric Railway, between Oil City and Dresden, in a few days. Fifty men are to be added to the Mon-treal police force. The patrolling van ind mounted police scheme has been bondoned.

The days of the Hansard are numbered. By a majority of nineteen the House has decided to abolish the official reporting

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Mr. James Strong, near Gorrie, and Mr. John Graham, near Wroxeter, intend starting in a few days for Ireland, to visit the scenes of their boyhood.

John Smith, official assignee, has sold the bankrupt stock of James Henderson, Elora, to James Tait, Minto, for 661 cents in the dollar. Stock valued at \$4,100.

The Government supporters in North and West Wellington will meet in Arthur village, Tuesday, May 28, at one p. m., to select candidates for the Commons and Legislature.

Mr. Coughlin, a prominent Catholic of North Middlesex, was nominated at a splendid Conservative meeting at Alsa Craig on Saturday to contest the Riding for the Commons.

New Station.—The station building, which is being erected by Tavistock merchants and manufacturers on the line of the P. D. near that place, will soon be ready for occupancy.

The Prince Arthur's Landing and Kaministiquia railway was formally opened on Saturday, 4th May. The first train left Prince Arthur's Landing at 9 a. m., ascending the Canada Pacific railway about fifty miles.

Bear Shot.—A very large black bear, weighing over 300 lbs., was shot by a

about fifty miles.

Bear Shor.—A very large black bear, weighing over 300 lbs., was shot by a man named Britton last Thursday night three miles from Bobcaygeon. Bruin had been appropriating some of Britton's sheep to his own use, and was shot in the

act.

One day last week, Charley, a twelve year old son of James Hall, brickmaker, Wyoming, was accidentally killed. He was looking into the box where the clay is ground and the shaft struck him on the back of the head, breaking his neck, and, of course-killing the poor little fellow instantly.

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ARSCONDED.—From Seaforth comes the intelligence that a clerk in the employ of the G. T. R. Co. had absconded, leaving a number of creditors, as well as a wife and nine children, behind him. His absconding so shortly after the robbery is thought by many to be rather a strange coincidence, which may require investigation by a detective.

MANTON.—William, son of Evan Me-

gation by a detective.

MANITORA.—William, son of Evan MeDonald, of Guelph, has been prospecting
in Manitoba, and writes to his father in
substance: "Send me horses and implements to work this land; it would make
your teeth water to look at it, and
I am aching to get the plow into it."
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SERGUE ACCIDENT TO A GERMAN LAND.

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—Mr. F. Haldan, lawyer, of Guelph, got his leg broken below his knee, at the Elora station on the evening of the 9th inst. Beingalate for the train, he ran to eatch it, and striking against the side of the car, was thrown down, and the wheel of the car passed over one of his legs, making amputation necessary.

Changing the Name.—A meeting of the members of the Agricultural Mutual Assurance Association of Canada will be held early next month, to consider the advisability of changing the name of the Company to that of the "London Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Canada," as provided for in the 26th section of an Act passed during the present sesseion of the Dominion Parliament.

The Game Acr.—The extract below

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The Game Act recently assed by the Ontario Legislature, shows the different seasons within which the following game must not be taken or killed—Deer, between Dec. 15 and Sep. 15; Partridge, between Jan. 1 and Oct. 1; Woodcook between Jan. 1 and August 1; Snipe, between May 1 and August 1; Ducks, such the season of the seas

BRUSSELS NEWS.

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A by-lay has been submitted for purchasing a steamfire engine; voting thereon takes place 3rd June.

The Brussels brass band has again been reorganized and bids fair to out do all previous playing.

The 12th of July will be celebrated here with "celat," as will also the 1st of that month.

Some miscreant last week spread poisoned. No Organ.—At the last meeting of the session at knox church, Brussels, it was decided that the organ should be put out of the Sunday School. This action will defend the sension at Little from the cheerfulness of the school.

For Scotland.—Mr. Peter McDonald, of Grey, his daughter, Isabella, and Mr. Colin McArthur, of Morris, left Walton on Wednesday morning on a visit to "Auld Scotia." On Thursday morning Messrs. Hugh McKinnon, Thos. Newton and Angus Lamont, of Grey, left Brussels with the same intention.—Post.

Ex-mayor Matheson and Mr. Josiah Murphy are on their way to the Paris Exhibition.—Father McGrath has been removed from this town to Bothwell.—The present school accommodation is altogether inadequate; there are over a hundred children in one department alone.—Rev. Mr. Hooper is likely to remain here for another year.—The ladies of Trinity Church purpose holding a bazaar in the town hall on the 24th.—A superannuated elergyman, owning a \$2000 house and lot in town, and having a snug income besides, wants to be exempted from taxation. His poor tax-paying neighbors "don't go much on religion" which practices that sort of charity.—Conservatives are jubilant over the prospect. The gentlemen in the field in both the North and South Ridings are just the men to win the elections.—D. I. Rine arrived from Toronto on Thursday evening of last week, and delivered addresses to the largest audiences ever assembled in the town hall; which shows that his popularity is as great as ever here.

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COMMERCIAL NOTES.

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Remember that D. D. Camp-bell has moved from Main street to Wallace St., where he is selling goods cheaper than ever.

Mr. D. I. K. Rine held a gospel temperance service in Stratford on Sunday. The Town Hall was crowded. Mr. Rine spoke for nearly an hour. He made no reference to his recent trouble there:

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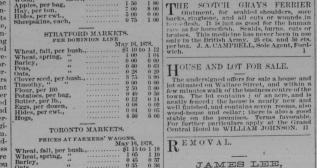
RWIN-GREY-May 8, at the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. D. W. Cameron, Mr. Robert Irwin, proprietor of the Com-mercial Hotel, Palmerston, to Miss Margaret Grey, second daughter of Mrs. Sarah Grey, of con. 8, Wallace.

RYAN—In Arthur, on Friday, May 3, 1878, Mary Ryan, beloved wife of John Ryan, Esq., Deputy Registrar of North Wellington, aged 56 years and three months.

LISTOWEL MARKETS.

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