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Mr. W. F. Spiddell was ordained to the gospel ministry at West Townsend, Mass., Feb. 4. Mr. Spiddell, who is son of a deacon of the Lunenburg church, isa gra-duate of Woodstock, Ont., College, and in June will complete a course of theological study at Newton. He has been called to the pastorate of the West Townsend church.

Rev W. B. Hinson of Moncton left on Tuesday of last week for a trip to the Pa-cific coast. He expected to go west to Vancouver calling at Montreal and Winni-peg on the way, and then to Southern California, where he will spend some weeks. We regret to learn that Mr. Hinson is saf-fering from ill health, but trust that the genial airs of the land he is about to visit may rapidly restore his strength.

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About Dodd's Kidney Pills and Kidney Disease.

Mr. W. Gorman a Meteghan, N.S., Hotelkeeper Relates his Experience-Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Him

Thoroughly and Permanently.

METEGHAN, N. S., Feb. 20 .- The widely known and justly popular proprietor of the Bay View Hotel, Mr. William Gorman has done a great and lasting service to suffering humanity—and all credit to him for his

humanity—and an erand manly course. Mr. Gorman knows that hundreds of thousands of people are being ground down with the agony of Kidney Complaint. He was one of the sufferers himself a short

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MESSENGER AND VISITOR.

A News Summary.

A saw mill is being built at Springhill, York county, by Mr. John Campbell, Jr. Martin C. Connolly, of Quebec, is the highest tenderer for the Kingston peniten-tiary output of binder twine.

There were only eighteen failures in the Dominion this week, against thirty-five in the corresponding week last year.

Senator-elect Channey M. Depew is confined to bed with the grip. He is also confined with inflammation of the eyes.

Mr. John T. Kelly, of the inland revenue department, seized an illicit still in Gallo-way, five miles south of Richibucto, on Thursday.

English advices say that the company that recently purchased the Cherlotte county nickel mines are preparing to work them on an extensive scale. that

The Grand Lodge of Ontario, A. O. U. W., in annual convention at Toronto on Thursday, rejected by a large majority the proposition to admit women to member-ship.

Negotiations are in progress at New-foundland for a sealing steamer to go to the assistance of the steamer Gaspesia, frozenin an ice floe in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

Frank E. Taft, of North Bridge, Mass., died while sitting at a table at the Home Market Club Danquet in Boston, Thursday night. President McKinley was among the guests.

Mr. Hazen Hicks, of Havelock, Kings county, had his barn burned Saturday night with all the contents, including a pair of horses, one pair of oxen and four cows, beside hay and grain.

Mr. Wendell P. Jones, son of the late R. K. Jones, a promising young lawyer in Woodstock, has been appointed secretary-treasurer to the municipality of Carleton, in place of his late father.

Digby was visited by a fire on Monday nivht, the 13th inst., which destroyed some 30 buildings in the business part of the town. The destruction of property is estimated at \$75,000. Quite a number of properties were fairly well insured.

The annual meeting of the Ontario Lum The annual meeting of the Unitario Jam bermen's Association on Friday adopted a resolution calling on the Dominion gov-ernment to impose an import daty on lumber from the United States correspond-ing to the duty by that country on Cana-dian lumber. dian lumber.

The son of the great Worth of Paris has just completed a calculation of the amount spent in France upon ladies' dresses, and he estimates the average yearly expenditure for gowns and mantles at the enormous sum of \$200,000,000 ! Fifty millions of this is paid by American, Euglish and Russian women.

A Vancouver despatch of Feb. 17 says : Campeau arrived to-day, fourteen days from Dawson. He confirms the report of wolves on the trail. A pack of forty got in between them and a party ahead and attacked the dogs on a grub aleigh. Sev-eral of the dogs were killed.

ergi of the dogs were killed. Mannie Susall, aged 22. was shot and instantly killed at Gardiner, Me., on Priday evening. The munderer is believed to be Bradford, Knights, of Richmond, a brother-in-iaw of Miss Small. The girl had, arrived in Gardiner Friday and se-cured work at the shoe factory. Jesifousy is believed to have been the immediate cause of the shooting.

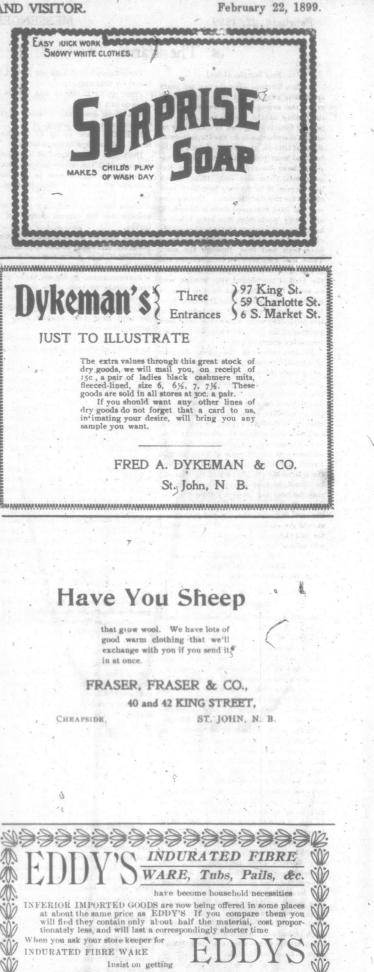
cause of the shooting. In the House of Commons, Friday, A. J Balfour expressed deep sympathy with Prance at the death of President Faure. Sir Heary Campbell Bannerman concurred in Mr. Balfour's remarks in behalf of the opposition. In the House of Lords the premier, Lord Salisbury, expressed deep sympathy with "Our great neighbor and allay across the channel in the terrible bereavernet." reavement,"

Advices from the lower Vukon to Nov. fo received at Seattle indicate a scarity of supplies at Rampart City and Fort Hamily ton, but there is no serious shortage. The stock of butter and sugar will need careful husbanding. There are about two thou-sand at Rampart City. The general health is excellent. The steamer has a big cargo of supplies at Dahi river. Three other steamers also have through cargoes aboard. 1. S. Larke. Canadian Commissioner in

steamers also have through cargoes aboard. J. S. Larke, Canadian Commissioner in Australia, reports to the Trade and Com-merce department that 1898 has been a lean year in New South Wales, owing to expectations of increased yields of wool and wheat having been disappointed. He mays as there is improvement is building in the chief cities, there is a better demand for timber, slates and plaster of paris. Trade in deals from New Brunswick should improve. Prices have advanced and the supply is yet within the demand. Nego-tiations have been concluded for the sale of sixteen thousand tons of Qneensland sugar in Canada next season.

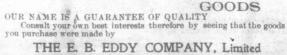
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