

General News.

Washington Letter. (From our Regular Correspondent.)

Mark Twain is of opinion that any gifted person ought to learn English in his native land, French in thirty days, and German in thirty years.

The new mill at Brandon, Manitoba, is now running to its full capacity day and night, and doing something toward supplying the unlimited demand for lumber by turning out about 30,000 feet daily.

The inauguration of the St. Gothard house recently led to a squabble. It was officiated by Swiss priests and only fifty tickets of invitation, but when the learned and big neighbors, many of whom had not received more, but anger was appeased.

Walls' Health Restorer restores health and vigor, cures Dyspepsia, Impotence, Sexual Debility, &c.

At a public sale to settle an estate here recently, one share in Acadia Steamship Co. realized \$8. We presume at present the stock is worth \$10.00 per share, less than \$100 par value.

The report of Mr. Samuel Wilton on his breeding in the Dominion, just issued, puts the total number of fry of all kinds laid down since the opening of the hatcheries in 1871, at 11,725,000.

At an annual meeting of the Amherst Boot & Shoe Co., the directors will declare a dividend of 10 per cent. The sales for the past year were \$1,000,000, an increase of \$200,000 over those of last year.

Quick, complete cure, all annoying Kidney, Bladder and Urinary Diseases. \$1 Druggists.

Before the next train of Vans can be observed, after that of Dec. 4th, 123 years will have gone into eternity of the past, and another of the same name will be observed, while from their serene aspect upon a world of humanity now non-existent.

Five years ago, a New Jersey colored man, named Lewis, by his will left to the United States government his property valued at over a million dollars, to be appropriated in the payment of the national debt.

Accident at Carving.—That Carving tank, into which a man fell about two years ago, and in which he was killed, is now being used for the purpose of storing the remains of the late President.

A warning from the grave. An engineer while riding on his engine in front of a train down the mountain slope of the Clearfield branch the other day, after testing the quality of the water in his boiler by using the upper passage, which indicated that it was the best water, "Try the lower passage."

Under date of 15th ult., it is stated that the army works are appearing in large quantities at places in Kentucky and Ohio, not far from Cincinnati, and are doing a good business.

What effect the strikes of the iron workers may have upon railway construction during the rest of the current year cannot be told; but for the work last year it is supposed that of last year, when the increase of mileage—between 1880 and 1881—was 1,000 miles—exceeded that of any previous year.

Where the beauty of the credit system tentatively illustrated the other day, a colored brother bolted in with the inquiry: "Do you keep de lining for de—stove?"

"No, but you can get them of L. & Co. on this street."

"Can't I get 'em anywhere else?" inquired the workable purchaser. "On being told that he could not, he went on."

"Do you want to patronize de house. I used to work for Mr. L. & Co. on this street."

"It is a good house, and they are first-rate people," explained the stove seller. "Yes, sir, but I tell you how it is. I bought my stove and never paid for it. I want to pay some thing for my stove, and I've got money to pay for it. I want to patronize some good house. Don't want to go de time what dey sell on credit."

As it is time to approach every home-keeper's winter and the increasing number of people who are rapidly increasing.

The eggs, more which speaks to the unaided eye, are laid in little agglutinated piles in warm manure or in decomposing vegetation, especially that of about four different intervals by the same fly, though on this point we have no exact data.

Correspondence.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents.

Ma. Editor.—For some time we have had delightful weather, what is called "fine growing weather," and the crops promise well.

The "Copie" again loaded at the pier in April last, and at this time took on board 800 bushels of apples in thirty-one working hours. The owners and agents of the Copie's steamers are quite ready to engage in the Copie's line, perfectly satisfied that they can have as good and safe a cargo as they can get in any port in America.

The Company are now commencing the work of extending the water front of the pier on East side about 100 feet, and will place a foot slip in same. This will give over 200 feet deep water to the pier with 20 to 22 feet of water at low tide, and will be ready to receive any vessel of any reasonable size up to 2000 tons and can be safely accommodated at the Acadia Steamship Co's pier at Annapolis.

At Petticoat, N. B., bonfires were lit on the 2nd inst. in honor of the decision of the legality of the Scott Act.

PRESENCE OF THE MATRONS—Is prepared with great care from rare and expensive roots and herbs, which are known to be most satisfactorily upon the organs of digestion. It furnishes a permanent and speedy cure for biliousness, Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite, Headache, Jaundice, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, and all diseases of the bowels, when used according to the directions.

John Lockett, Bridgetown, May 22nd, 1882.

More attention is being given to garden work than formerly. A few years ago nothing but field vegetables supplied our tables, now we have among a number of families who cultivate Lettuce, Radishes, Spinach, Cress, Tomatoes, Garden peas, Peas, Onions, Sweet Corn, Cucumbers, Melons, &c., for the table.

After some further business was gone through with, including a prayer by the Rev. Chaplain, Gutten was crowned and he would read his dying prayer, which was as follows:

"My dying prayer on the gallows. Father, now I go to Thee and the Savior I have finished the work Thou gavest me to do, and I am only too happy to go to do it. The world does not yet appreciate my mission, but Thou knowest it. Thou knowest Thou didst intend that I should die in this manner, and I have come from this world in the way Thou intended. I have finished the work Thou gavest me to do, and I am only too happy to go to do it. The world does not yet appreciate my mission, but Thou knowest it. Thou knowest Thou didst intend that I should die in this manner, and I have come from this world in the way Thou intended."

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