Never in the history of the County of Leeds has such an awful tragedy been enacted as that which occurred at noon hour at the corner ain and Perth streets, Brockville. About 11 a.m., on Monday last wille. About 11 a.m., on Monday last Ur Lapointe, who resides on the Lapointe farm, about six miles from Brockville, in the Township of Elizabethtown, was seen by two men, the Lapointe left home fully bent on a street.

Mills, is visiting her aunts, Mrs. W. Elliott and Miss E. Hayes, Church street. John Dwyre and James Konan on the stone road leading into Brockville. He loading shot gun, and getting on the sleigh rode for a short distance with them. They say he was perfectly but talked a little wildly at times. He was next seen opposite
McGrory's bakery by Gordon Comming's, of Lyn, who knew him well and calling him by name, asked him what he was doing in town with a gun. Lapointe replied "he was going to have street he gave two or three whoops and fired off his gun. Reaching the corner of Main and Perth streets he stopped opposite Mrs. Murphy's grocery (an opposite Mrs. Surphy's global (and old stone building standing back about six feet from Perth street). A high board fence runs flush with the side walk from the lot above until it aches the corner of the grocery building, making a niche into which Late stepped from the sidewalk. From this point he could see down Main street for a considerable distance. The first to come into sight was an old man named Peter Moore, a gardener in the employ of R. B. Heather, florist, and it is said a perfect stranger to Lapointe. Raising his gun to his shoulder ne fired directly at Moore, who dropped sidewalk dead. At this instant Chief Rose came in sight from down Main street and another, and some say two shots, were fired at him, strikin him in the face, neck and chest. He staggered into Boyd & Thesserau's rously, if not fatally shot, and a do. tor was at once telephoned for. A half minute had not elapsed before another victim hove in sight, in the person of an aged Indian named John Dixon. Lapointe gave a number of blood curdling shouts or whoops and fired point blank at the Indian. Dixon had seen the body of Moore lying on the side walk and seeing Lapointe with the guistarted towards him, on the run, to try and disarm him. But Lapointe was too rre's full into the Indian's face and discharged that Dixon's hair and face was burned. He turned and staggered into the alley way leading to the re this time the shots and whooping Lapointe had been heard in ever direction and hundreds rushed to the scene. Across the street was the fire ber of men, including Constable Tins-ley Smuel Kilborn, F, A. and Geo. gathered what weapons they found a and and started across the street t wards where Lapointe was still standing. He seemed to have an inex naustible supply of ammunition, for as empty they were reloaded from his Constable Tinsley stationed himself almost directly across the street, about 100 feet distant, and comnenced shooting at Lapointe with a revolver. The distance was too great of a shot gun from some of the by standers and going across the street fired at La seem to be hurt, but Tinsley received the contents of his adversary's gun in the arm. While this was transpiring a number of people had gained access.

A niquest was opened at three the contents of his adversary's gun in the arm. While this was transpiring a number of people had gained access and a number of people had gained access to the contents of his adversary's gun in and viewing the body the body the body the body the body the body the problem in and viewing the body t Lapointe did not Mrs. Murphy's house, and the gun there. While the firing was going the sharpest Lapointe was seen to drop his gun and fall to the ground. A scot fired by an unknown hand had struck him down, and Mr. Lawranson, an employee at A. H. Swarts' undertaking was the first to reach him after he fell. He was shot in the abdomen and legs and was everpowered and taken in charge by a couple of constables and conveyed to the police station. During the firing a number of persons whose

The greatest excitement prevailed all iness was practically suspended Many threats were hurled at the now wounded, bleeding and perhaps dying whiskey. It is reported that for some time Lapointe has shown signs of a weakening of the brain, which was rendered worse by his frequent indulgence in strong drink. Where he procured his sample for the drawn in the day of the procured his sample for the drawn in the day of the procured his sample for the day of the day of the procured his sample for the part to 18 central the way frem 9 to 18 central the way frem 10 to 18 central the way frem 9 to 18 central the way frem 10 to realize his condition, either from men procured his supply for the day is as yet unknown, but he had only one otel on his road between where he was seen by Dwyer and Ronan to the place where he committed the heinous crimes. thus leaving a profit of \$28.09. Regarding the victims of the massacre, hens, it is necessary to have a good bran of about 70 years of age, and came from Hamilton a few years ago, and leaves a widow and several children. Chief Rose has held the position of chief of the police force of Brockville for several years. He was removed to his residence on a stretcher where he was attended by Dr. Moore and several of the policy and the positions are dependently of gravel or old mortant to make shell.

Nellie Jones.

Senior Pt. H.—Ethel Cassels, May be shown a moral right to engage in a business whose natural fruit is the destruction of every generous impulse in a father's breast and the murder of his defenceless wife and child. It is a sentiment endorsed by nearly every-lody nowadays. The exceptions are father's breast and the murder of his defenceless wife and child. It is a sentiment endorsed by nearly every-lody nowadays. The exceptions are father's breast and the murder of his defenceless wife and child. It is a sentiment endorsed by nearly every-lody nowadays. The exceptions are father's breast and the murder of his defenceless wife and child. It is a sentiment endorsed by nearly every-lody nowadays. The exceptions are father's breast and the murder of his defenceless wife and child. It is a moral right to engage in a business whose natural fruit is the destruction of every generous impulse in a father's breast and the murder of his defenceless wife and child. It is a moral right to engage in a business whose natural fruit is the destruction of every generous impulse in a father's breast and the murder of his defenceless wife and child. It is a moral right to engage in a business whose natural fruit is the destruction of every generous impulse in a father's breast and the murder of his defenceless wife and child. It is a sentiment endorsed by nearly every-lody nowadays. The exceptions are father's breast and the murder of his father's other able physicians and every thing us their experience? lossible done to alleviate his sufferings. His face and neck are literally full of holes and a gaping wound in his breast at hopes of his recovery. Constable Tinsley was assisted over t the police station where his wounds were looked after, and he was sub-sequently removed to the general hos-

pital. His younds this considered dangerous are not looked upon as fatal. The Indian John Dixon was also removed to the hospital.

NOTES OF THE FRAY. Latest advices say that there is a possibility of Chief Rose pulling through His strong physique and being in the prime of life are strong being in the prime of

eral hospital a close examination of his wounds were made and the doctors in attendance decided to perform an operation, and try and remove the 18 or 20 supply of two hundred cords of wood work in the contracted for the supply of two hundred cords of wood wood work in the contracted for the supply of two hundred cords of wood wood work in the contracted for the supply of two hundred cords of wood wood work in the contracted for the supply of two hundred cords of wood wood work in the contracted for the contracted for the supply of two hundred cords of wood wood work in the contracted for the con After Lapointe's removal to the genshot that had lodged in his intestines and stomach and his bowels were taken large and small shot removed from the cavity of the stomach. There is at this out, cleaned, and nearly a handfull of scheme of vengeance against the members of the Brockville police force for their action in locking him up on an occasion of a debauch he had last summer. He had been heard to openly

with them yet before he died.

Later developments show that the first shot that was fired to kill was directed at Chief Rose. Although John Hall, of the central pulse states.

Miss Byers, our popular Main St. dressmaker, has returned and resumed work after spending a few weeks visiting friends.

Notice the chief. claims that Lapointe shot at him before he did at either Rose or Moore, but being on the opposite side of the street the shot did not touch him; the distance being to great or the aim defective.

Constable Tinsley used quite a Tinsley used for the regular service started many of our citizens looking for fire.

which from long disuse or defective construction failed to go off or carry a March 25th and 26th. shot the required distance. He then procured a small rifle, but this wa no petter, and Wm. Howison was dispatched to the Howison residence for a heavy calibre Winchester. For some reason he did not get this, but secured a double-barrelled shot gun, which was handed over to Tinsley, who at once started over to Mrs. Murphy's shop, stable promptly decided to take chances walked around the corner of the building, hoping to get in a shot first. In this he was mistaken for before he could raise the gun Lapointe tired both barrels of his gun, the charges striking him in the face and hands Tinsley's gun was discharged but failed to hit Lapointe. Tinsley backed up and was assisted over to the police station. Meanwhile a party had gailed access to the upper storey of Mrs. Murphy's house and commenced firing down at Lapointe. They did not fire directly at his body at first but gried to strike him in the legs, hoping to disable him, but as he turned and fired into the windows from which they we e shooting they fired directly at him which caused him to drop his gun and fall to his knees. Miller Lawran to reach Lapoint after he dropped, and he caught up the gun used with such deadly effect by Lapointe and pointed it directly at his head, but he was urged not to shoot by the men in the window. A crowd soon gathered around and he was partly

born and has always lived on the Lapointe homestead in the 6th Concession and owns a portion of the 600 acre farm left them by their mother. The farm left them by their mother. The family have always borne a good reputation, the two daughters marrying into the nost respectable families in the neighborhood. Ur is unmarried and lives with his brother-in law on too uncertain, as he failed to the old homes ead. He is a noted fox huster and a crack shot which accounts for the deally accuracy of his aim while dealing out death and destruction to so many persons in so short truction to so many persons in so short ever among the fair sex.

way, and impressed them so favorably settling in Icwa thirty years ago. He with the beauty and comfort of their fraternal home, that Masonry will henceforth have more champions than ever among the fair sex.

dearn by telephone that Chief Rose is considerable better, while the others, back to her own home. including the murderer, are resting as easity as could be expected.

On the first page will be found ad-

ditional items regarding this, the worst tragedy that has ever occurred in Eastern Ontario.

#### Does It Pay to Keep Poultry? ATHENS, March 9, 1896.

names are not mentioned received a grain or more of shot in their persons.

DEAR SIR — W DEAR SIR,-We often hear the estion asked: Does it pay to keep ens? I think it depends a good deal on the breed and the way they are at tended to. For the benefit of your readers I farnish the following account from our poultry book for the year '95. We had forty hens, a number being pure brown leghorns, and the rest a mixture. They layed every month in the year during that time. The return was 436 dozen, an average of 130 eggs each, selling all the way frem 9 to 18 cents per dozen; the average for the year being a fraction over 11c. The crop realized \$48.79. Their food consisted of—

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superintend the construction of the mew edifice, which will be begun at once.

Alguire's Corners Honor Roil.

Pupils whose names are worthy of mention during the month of February. Names appear in order of merit.

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Potatoes and bran..... 1 00

Total..... \$20 70 Now, in order to obtain a profit from hens, it is necessary to have a good breed kept in warm, dry, comfortable

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O business man, when at your e e e, On some good papers you should c c c

## LOCAL SUMMARY.

ATEHNS AND NEIGHBORING LOCALI TIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP.

Events as Seen by Our Knight of th

?ancil.-Local Announ Boiled Right Down.

supply of two hundred cords of wood to the B. & W. Mr. Jas. F. Gordon has been

mill.

The A O. U. W. members are luck this month, as they have no assessment to meet during March, it having

Brockville Greenhouse. There is a prospect of their establishing an agency in Atheus this spring. The ringing of the Methodist church

variety of fire arms in endeavoring to disable the murderer. There were a keepers' association have decided to The officers of the Ontario hotel-keepers' assiciation have decided to hold a convention at Ottawa during couple of revolvers in the police station hold a convention at Ottawa during

> Last week Mr. A. James move the residence of Benj Culbert, Elgin street, and the home he left is now being occupied by the new owner, Mr. Chas. Howe.

"Out of the old stand-into the new" is what Mr. A. M. Chassels, merchant tailor, is thinking about these days. After thirteen years ochoping to get in rear of where Labour teasor, is the sedays. After thirteen years occupancy of his present premises, he will move to the W. G. Parish store about first of April.

J. B. Bellamy last week completed an apprenticeship of three years in the dry goods store of H. H. Arnold and left for his home in North Augusta, carrying with him, from his late employer, a gilt-edged commendation for faithful and efficient service.

Dr. C. B. Lillie, Surgeon dentist, this week took possession of the dental parlors formerly occupied by Dr. R. J. Read in the Central Block. Dr. Lillie has a wide circle of acquaintances in this county and a reputation for first-class work that will go far towards ensuring him success in Athens.

On Sabbath evening the Baptist church was filled to over-flowing, the occasion being the reception of five embers through the rite of baptism. Af er an appropriate discourse, the pastor immersed the candidates, the ceremony being accompanied with singing by the choir. The whole ordinance was very solemn and impressive. A horse attached to the delivery

sleigh of Mr. Joseph Thompson in-dulged in a free and unrestricted trip carried and dragged across to the police around town on Saturday morning. It delivered the sleigh box and conents toge:her with the hind bob at Mr. Chas. Wiltse's and freed itself of Elizabethtown. He is the youngest of a family of four sons and two daughters of the late Thomas Lapointe injury but the sleigh was badly the proposed electric light for this

The members of Rising Sun Lolge A. F. and A. M. held a highly successful and enjoyable at home on Friday evening in their elegantly appointed lodge room. They entertained their better halves in such a royal way, and impressed them so favorably ever among the fair sex.

swora in and viewing the body the made up their minds to elope on inquest was adjourned to the 16th Wednesday of last week and acwhich Tinsley had used was brought into requisition and several shots were fired at Lapointe from the windows. He returned a number of the shots. Across the street, a number of parties had gained access to the upper storey of the corner building, and several shots were fired at Lapointe from the windows. He returned a number of parties had gained access to the upper storey of the corner building, and several shots were fired at Lapointe from the windows. As we go to press this afternoon we there. While the firing was going the lapointe from the windows were fired at Lapointe from the windows. The parties and started for Ogdensburg. The parties and started for Ogdensburg. The parties and started for Ogdensburg. The parties and the several shots of producing and started for Ogdensburg. The parties and the firing was going the contain 27 shot wounds, nearly all of which were capable of producing and started for Ogdensburg. The parties and notified Chief Hoy, of Prescott, to be on the lookout for the couple. This had cordingly they secured a livery rig and started for Ogdensburg. The parties and notified Chief Hoy, of Prescott, to be on the lookout for the couple. This had cordingly they secured a livery rig and started for Ogdensburg. The parties and notified Chief Hoy, of Prescott, to be on the lookout for the couple. This had cordingly they secured a livery rig and started for Ogdensburg. The parties and notified Chief Hoy, of Prescott, to be on the lookout for the couple. This had cordingly they secured a livery rig and started for Ogdensburg. The parties and notified Chief Hoy, of Prescott, to be on the lookout for the couple. This had cordingly they secured a livery rig and started for Ogdensburg. The parties and notified Chief Hoy, of Prescott, to be on the lookout for the couple. This had cordinally they secured a livery right and started for Ogdensburg. The parties and notified Chief Hoy, of Prescott, to be on the lookout for the couple. This had cordinally they secured a livery right and started for Ogden

> Architect Ellis, Kingston, has church to be erected at Westport to replace the old venered one destroyed recently by fire. The new building will be of solid brick and will cost about \$5,000. It will be modern in the Reporter they soon dispose of their every respect, having a Sunday school attached, which can be used as an annex in case of the overcrowding of annex in case of the overcrowding of the church. Rev. S. S. Burns, the pastor in charge, is well liked by the congregation and his work is of the most effective kind. Mr. Ellis will superintend the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the construction of the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice, which will be begun at the construction of the new edifice.

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The Combination rink closed last

The yard is rapidly filling with s logs at J. B. Saunders' and S. Bullis' saw mills.

D. Kelsey, student of the A. H. S., is still confined to his home at Elgin through illness. Miss Maria Godkin was married

Feb. 24th to George Tennant at the St Lawrance Hall, Brockville. Dr. Harte is moving into the hous

lately occupied by Mrs. Cornell, next door to B. Loveria's residence. The selection of a bishop for the new diocese of Ottawa will take place in the latter city on March 18th.

See the notice of auction sale of house furnishings of Adam Amstrong estate on Saturday afternoon and evening, 14th inst, in the sale register col-The Bullis homestead, Plum Hollow, has changed hands, Mr. S. Y. Bullis

having last week disposed of it to Mr. J. E. Knapp. It is reported that a detective Alexandria Bay, N. Y, is now en-deavoring to trace the origin of the recent fires at Caintown.

The Provincial Board of Health are investigating the charges against a farmer of Prince Edward county for feeding dead horses to hogs.

Thousands have tested the great ilding-up power of Hood's Sarsa parilla and have found renewed strength rigor and vitality in its use. XEd. Curry will move his barber shor

yard to assist in piling,

After an illness of a week Miss Hes

ter Pennock died at Glen Park, Watertown, N.Y. She was the daughter of the late Sterling Pennock, Elgin, Ont. On account of funds accumulating

quickly, will lend money on real estate at the very lowest rate—\$12,000 on hand now. Mortgages also purchased. -JOHN CAWLEY, Athens, Ont It is hinted from the Ontario Educa tion Department that a series of vertical writing books, now in course of preparation, will be authorized about

April next for use in public schools. Mr. F. S. Harrison, merchant of Portland is suffering an affliction i the loss of an eye, The si is completely lost and only The sight of on est care will ensure the sight o

Cash. \$8000.00 worth of crocker ina and glassware at Bankrupt price Sale continues for a short time only

—T. W. Dennis, Tea Store and China Hall, Brockville, Ont., nearly opposite the Revere house. An exchange says that farmer hould make arrangements to run

should make arrangements to run their sugar camps at full espacity this spring as the market quotations are 11c., to 13c. per pound for maple sugman or woman who sends false news to to a news paper is guilty of a criminal offence, and is liable to be punished offence, and is

with severity. Correspondents cannot

be too careful. the proposed electric light for this village was made on Thursday last and fixtures will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit.

C. C. Wood, Weldon, Iowa, is a Toledo to visit his mother and brother Mr. Wood has grown wealthy sin settling in Icwa thirty years ago.

Messrs. Gilroy & Son, proprietors of Branding of Cheese," is attracting the Maple Glen Stock Farm, write us as attention of producers, and they want "You may discontinue our adv't re

Berkshires until we have additions for future sales, as we have sold all we the contract to prepare plans and specifications for a new Pregbyterian gentleman in Redwood, N, Y, who

Date of Exams., 1896.

As we often, obtain our problems of your many readers give will some of your many readers give Those attending every day during the holder to their experience?

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dent reach us from Plum Hollow. A boy and girl, children of Samuel Gidridge, were crossing the creek near Sheldon's bridge when both broke through. The little girl managed to reach safe footing, but the boy, aged twelve years, got under the ice and was drowned.

Taken in Time Hood's Sarsaparilla has achieved great success in warding off sickness which, if allowed to progress, would have undermined the whole system an given disease a strong footbold to death. Hood's Sarsaparilla has done all this and even more. It has been taken in thousands of cases which were thought to be incurable, and after a fair trial has effected wonder-

## To a Departed Friend

from the Armstrong House to new quarters in the old post office building, next door to H. H Arnold's store.

Parties who wish to bring wood to the Reporter office to pay on subscription or account, are requested to do so at once. We will have a man in the yard to assist in piling. Thou'rt-gone, dear Nellie,-cheerful, good and

We dimly seem to see through heaven's bright gate
Departed ones who for thy coming wait—
They clasp thee in their arms, sweet kisses press
Wheat once the rosy hue of life did rest.
While loving hangle entwine a wreath for thee,
From the signified o'er peath the victor is
And the with him who thou on earth dids't Thou'lt dwell for ever in His home above. Yet, Nellie, thou dost wait for those wh here
On earth were dearest of all thy friends so dear.
Could we but read thy thou this they would be Could we but read thy thou this they prayers
To those dear ones who still endure life's cares,
That they might live so that when called to

They may join thee and be forever blessed.

Thy absent friends, they could not think the And gone to meet Him who once on Calvary bled.
Amid the throng that tread life's solemn way
We patiently go, and hope that some bright
day
We shall meet again with joy sublime and deep-Till then, dear Nellie, farewell, in thy long last

#### ELBE MILLS.

MONDAY, March 9 .- The discourse which was delivered in the pulpit of his place on Sunday last by the Rev. A. Hagar was highly appreciated by all and especially the young people. We regret the departure of our steemed citizen, Mr. C. Botham, who has removed from our midst. We wish him success in his new home.

Miss Aggie Knapp, who has been the guest of Miss Edythe Bates, has returned home. It is reported that one of our leadng young gents has taken to himself a etter half. We extend our leap year ngratulations.
Miss Hattie Cornell of Lyn has

been a guest at Pleasant Hill.

Miss Cecelia Bates of "Cliff Pleasant" was suddenly called away on account of the scrious illness of her Judging from appearance, we would

presume there must be considerable attraction around these parts, especithe work of putting up the poles and ally on March 1st, when numerous youths were seen wending their way to different points along the line.

Mr. George Green of Central St. is reported on the sick list.

We have come to the conclusion that our old poet has resigned, or perhaps is improving leap year advantages, but, if not, we hope to hear from him in the near future.

Oh poot why so long depart?

Thy cheerful words inspire my heart;

LYN. Lyn, March 9 -The meetings of he Farmers' Institute he'd here on Tuesday after oon and evening were although the failure of Dan to be pre-sent caused some disappointment, at thr subject to be discussed, viz.: "The all the light they can get on the sul

ect. Just why Dan was too "busy" to come was not explained. Perhaps

ome of the present mothods of han The evening session was opened by an encounter between two prominent cheese men over the Chicago medal nuestions. When these medals de me there should be a leather one in the lot for a man who could make a ass of himself bef re a respectable

Miss Millar, of the School of

Brown, Stella Joynt, George Joynt, Adda Joynt, Walton Sheffield, Mabel Brown, Willie Pullah, Raymond Bresce, Nellie Connel, Martha Trickey, Isaac King.
Third Class. — David Sheffield, Harry Haydon, Marv Tickey, John Rankine, Aggie Nixon.
Second Class.—Joseph Vandusen, Nellie Jones.
Senior Pt. H.—Ethel Cassels, May

New York's Fish and Grupe Laws.
Blany, N.Y., March 5.—The, State
deries, Game and Forest Commisn to-day passed a resolution inming the Fish and Game Commiss of the Senate and Assembly that
commission had recommended no
changig the game laws in this
tb. The commission refused to grant
mass for nets in the Niagara River
catching white fish.

In the intervence of the most of the most of the form of the state of £75,000 towards a subsidy for a steamship service between Canada and England, but have intimated to the Canadian Government their readiness, undercertain conditions, to make some contribution. They suggested to the Canadian
Government that by calling for tenders they might ascertain the probable
cost of a service. The Imperial Government would then decide the amount
of British aid to the scheme. This
confirms previous cablegrams stating confirms previous cablegrams stating that the Right Hon. Joseph Chamber-lain had promised to contribute one-third of the total subsidy found neces-

sary.

Replying to Sir John Leng, member for Aberdeen, Right, Hon, Joseph Chamberlain said he had just received a strong protest from the Canadian Government against the Cattle Exclusion Bill. He said it would be carefully

considered.

The House resumed the discussion of the naval estimates on the vote for more men. John Dillon, the leader of the anti-Parnellites, and William Redmond both contended that the naval preposals were intended as a menace to the United States and for that reaful cures, bringing health, strength and joy to the afflicted.

Charles Wagner Struck by a Packag Collingwood, March 9.—Charles Wagner, a brakeman on the G.T.R., met with an accident at Newmarket Station to-day. While he was standing on the platform the Nort Bay train passed at a very rapid rate of speed. While it passed the mail clerk threw out a number of bundles of paper, one of which struck Wagner on the back of the head-knocking him senseless. He was brought to his home here on the mixed train. In: Stephen, G.T. R. physician, who is attending him, expects he will be to be out in .a week or ten days.

THE S.O.E. GRAND LODGE.

relegates Arriving to Pet rboro to Attend Peterboro', March 9.—(Special.) The

Sheriff Clement Reads the Peath Warrant to the Conde uned Soundre!
Philadelphia, March 9.—The death warrant which Governor Hastings, signed for the execution of H. H. Holmes on May 7 was received by Sheriff, Clement to day from harranting. The sheriff accom, and day his solicitors, A. S. L. Shields and Actorics, Governor Grown and the Condense of C Sheriff Clement Reads the Beath Warrant

rance for \$500.

A Byc-Election at tollingwood.

Collingwood, March 6.—The byc-election for the vacant seat on the Council took place in the First Ward to-day. Three candidates—Messys. Geo. Moberly, whose resignation caused the vacancy; Mr. Dán Wilson and Mr. S. L. Smith-were in the field. Mr. Wilson was elected with a planality after a hard fight. The will take the seat Monday evening at the regular meeting of the Council. A Rye-Election at taltingwood

IS IT A BIG AVERGEAN STEAL?

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London, March 5.—The Colonial office has called for further details respecting the United States, assumption of three million acres of Bettish territory of high commercial and strategic value on the Pacline Colon, opposite Prince of Wales Islands. It is supposite the denials of Gen. Dunield of the United States Survey, the oblicial records here fully confirm the frateging as to how far the Joint Quantum the Frategias to how far the Joint Quantum and United States commission deal with this section of the Alacam boundary, below the 50th parallel, which the officials—here hold to be of the safety—importance even than the bothdary above the 50th parallel.

Astoria, L.I., March 5.—A fatal shooting occurred Tuesday night at the home of Theodore Haight, at No. 64 Remsen-avenue, when Fletcher Harper Haight, aged 8 years, was accidentally shot by his brother Theodore, a boy of about 14.

The mother of the dead boy is a granddaughter of Fletcher Harper, one of the original members of the Harper Publishing Co. Costly Stables Destroyed by Fire.

Costy Stables Destroyed by Fig. Poughkeepist, March & Fire broke out at the Hudson River Driving Park stock Farm stables. When the firemen eached the seens they found the tables, with several small buildings lear by, burned to the ground. The property was all owned by Jacob Rupropert. The total loss will probably reach \$50,600; covered by insurance. New York's Fish and Came Laws.

To Look After Bayd's Interests James Cranishaw, advocate of this city, kalls by the Umbria on Saturday for London, where he wilk took riter the interest of Andrew Boyd, accused of incendiarism in Montreal, and whom the Government will endeavor to bring back to Canaga.

here the funeral service will Mr. Dockrill and his wife be held. Mr. Dockrill and his wife and family have the sympathy of the mmunity in their hour of sorrow.

Early on Monday morning last messenger hastily summoned Dr Harte to attend a young man named Thos. Graham residing near McIntosh Mills, who had been kicked by a horse that he had been driving at the time and dang rously injured. It was at first thought that the whole side of his face and skull was crushed, but on ex mination Dr. Harte found that his face was badly forn and bruis d, and two of the calks had penetrated the skull, there were good hopes of his ecovery. At latest accounts he was reported as resting easy and no seriouresu'ts are anticipated.

#### Honor Roll.

Following is the honor roll for Shel on's Corners School for the month of February : Senior IV. - Wesley Hollingsworth Anna Yates, John Preston, ang-Hollingsworth, \*E.iza Percival.

Mackie, \*Jessi Bolton, Third.—John Mackie, John Holgsworth, "Ford Whitmore, "Monfort Perney.

Second. - Fred Hollingsworth, Grace Knapp, Grant Knapp, Ethel Berney, Heber Cowles Part II.—Elva Preston.
Part I.— Jimmie Mackie, Percy

Whitmore:
Those marked \* missed part of ex Average attendance during month

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JENNIE PERCIVAL, Teacher.

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on by a Lond o' March 5.—Mr. John zroy Township, near with a terrible acci-

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Notice.

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# Found.

To Rent.

g and shop to rent on Main Stre by Mr. Chasels, merchant Taile a given 1st of April next. S. A. TAPLIN, Athens. Farm For Sale. The farm known as the Armstrong farm, jusbelow the Village of Athens, being a part of the sear part of the search of the search

# MONEY TO LOAN

HUTCHESON & FISHER
Barristers &c. Brockville

# New Dress and Mantle

Making Rooms. The under-signed having removed from Ad dison to rooms over Knowlino's Jewelry store Main street. Athens, is prepared to do all work in her line with neatness and dispatch and a reasonable prices. Soliciting a share of the patronage of the ladies of Athens and violnity 48° Cutting and Fitting will receive specia. MRS, E. J. PRITCHARD

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#### Athens. SALE REGISTER.

W. A. Lewis solicitor for the vendor, will sell at Portland at 1 p.m. on March 28th, the Rogers farm, lot 10, con. 3. Bastard, containing about fifty acres.—W. H. Denaut, auctioneer.

T. E. Connor will sell at his farm in

Kitley, near Frankville, on March 14th, 39 head of cattle, 7 horses,

vehicles, farm implements, dairy and sugar utensils, hous hold furriture, &c.-D. W. Dowsley, auctioneer. The Executors of the estate of the late Adam Armstrong will sell all the furnishings of the hot l be public auction, at the Dowsley block.

March 14, at 1 and 7 p.m .- D.

#### Dowsley, auctioneer. AUDITORS' REPORT.

Report of Auditors of Rear of Yor Escott for the year 1895; also Abstrac-ment of Receipts and Expenditure ar way Sinking Fund. Auctioneers' fees.
Interest on Mortgages.
Hotel License fees.
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