Guelph Evening Mercury.

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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 9, 1874.

PRICE TWO CENT

New Advertisements.

HOT AIR FURNACE. — For sale, Mill's \$200 Wood Furnace, as good as lew—a coal furnace having been substituted.

h, Sept. 8, 1874. WANTED—By the 1st of October, a. Cook in a small family. Apply to Irs. Biscoe, Woolwich street. Guelph, Sept. 4, 1874.

ORSE AND LIGHT WAGGON TO HIRE for light work around town ply to John M. Hart, Market Place. olph, Sept 7, 1874.

Stone cottage containing six rooms in good locality, within five minutes' walk of he market house. Apply to N. Burns, at ackson & Hallett's. M. C. A.

articles unsold at the Young Men's Christian Association Bazaar lest year will be sold by the ladies in one of Mr. Hearn's new stores adjoining Joseph A. Tovell's Sad-lery, St. George's Square, on Sept. 15th, 16th, 17th, and 18th. All articles to be sold very chesp so would advise an early call. S9-d6t.

CARD .- Col. Kingsmill not finding It possible to call upon all his friends d acquaintances in order to solicit them become subscribers to his forthcorning rk "Life at St. Helena during the cxile of poleon," begs to inform them that he has t lists for signatures at the bookstores of sears. Day and Anderson, respectively, Guelph, Sept. 7, 1874. dtf.

OOR SALE — A splendid charce for a Market Garden. Brick house and five cres land, 5 miles from town. Apply to R. V. Robertson, Flour and Feed Store, Guelph

WANTED—A nurse with good references. Apply to MRS. WATT, Near G. W. Station. Guelph, Aug. 26th, 1874.

RED MILL

Flour and Feed Store, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Family and Pastry Flour, and all kinds f Feed delivered in any part of the Town. R. W. ROBERTSON, Guelph, Sept. 1,1874.

RE-OPENING OF SCHOOL, Mrs. Budd begs to announce that she will re-open her English classes, for young ladies and little boys, on MONDAY, Sept 7th. Woolwich Street. au31-diw-w4

EDUCATIONAL.

The Misses McDonald will resume acir classes for Young Ladies, Tuesday ucuast 18th, corner of Norfolk and Suffolk treets. Terms and particulars given on pupication. Residence Queen St.
N. B.—The Misses McDonald are prepared to give private lessons in Double Entry Book-keeping.

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FOR SALE — A very excellent Build-ing Lot fronting on Paisley Street and unning through to Oxford street — about half an aere. Apply to R. Easton, book-oinder, St. George's square, Guelph.

bove. Guelph, July 15, 1874. TO LET.

FOR A TERM OF YEARS, "PENHURST."

The residence of Rev. W. F. Clarke

proprietor. Guelph, Aug. 31, 1874

PEACH FESTIVAL.

The Young People's Aid Society of the Wesleyan Church will hold a Peach Festival

IN THE DRILL SHED,

Thursday Ev'g, September 10.

The proceeds are to aid the Building Fund of the new church. Vale's String Band have been engaged for

RECEIVED,

Ex. S. S. Caspian, 1 Cask Cutlery.

2 Cases Steel.

200 Balls Hoop Iron.

Scandinavian, 4 Casks Chains.

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Memphis 250 boxes Canada[Plater of the company of

" 1 Jask Hardware.

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Severn, 16 Rolls Oil Cloth.

Texas, 1881 Bdls Iron.

Dominion, 11 Casks Hardware.

" 10 Cask Chains.
" 3 loose Chains.
" 155 Bdls Gas Tubes
" 10 Kegs Nails.

10 Kegs Nails. 5 Cases Borax.

John M. Bond & Co.

Direct Hardware Importers,

Wyndham street, Guelph. WALROND'S

CONFECTIONERY STORE.

Next to Petrie's Drug Store.

Choice Confectionery,

Ice Cream and Soda Water.

CAKES of all kinds constantly on hand. Weddings supplied on short notice. Guelph, July 29, 1874.

TALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

The farm occupied by the Jate James Forster, being the southeast half of lot No. 7, in the 3rd concession of Eramoss, 100 acres, 60 cleared, the remainder good hard wood, chiefly beech and maple. There is a nursery of choice fruit trees ready for transplanting, and a never-falling speing well. The buildings consist of a frame house, a chare useful buildings. This property is funated two miles from the village of Rockwood, and six miles from Guelph.

For further particulars apply on the premises, or if by latter to Rockwood F.O.

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A PPRENTICE WANTED.

Town and County News

THE Grand Champion Base Ball match to-morrow. Tickets can be had at An-derson's Bookstore.

MAGAZINES.—Young Ladies' Journal for October, Good Words, Sunday Magazine, Young Men of Great Britain, for Septem-ber, just received a: Day's Bookstore.

THE Rev. Mr. Howie, of Guelph, has intimated to his congregation in Ayr, that owing to old age and its necessary accompaniments, he must discontinue his charge in that place.

Successful.—Mr. W. T. Parke, of Seneca, passed a very successful examination on the 5th inst. in matriculating for medicine. He was prepared in eleven weeks at the Georgetown Academy.

THE FASHIONALE WEST END.—Mr. Busham announces in our advertising columns to-day that he has just concluded an extensive and profitable purchese of rich Black and Coloured Silks, and that he will have a grand clearing sale all next week.—See advt.

Pic-Nic.—A pic-nic of the people residing in the vicinity of the boundary line between Guelph and Waterloo townships, took place on Saturday last, and was well attended. Puslinch Lake was the scene of action. A jolly time was spent.

Those Peaches.—Didn't we go for those Peaches? They were most delicious. We don't get such a treat every day. Thanks to Mr. Murray's generosity. Mr. Murray expects to be able to supply every mam, woman and child in the County with Peaches for the next three weeks. Try him!

Quoirs.—A double match at quoits was pitched at Milton on Tuesday, between H. Deusberry, Acton, and J. Dobson, of Milton, Dobson winning both matches with ease, Deusberry seeming to be out of the play from the first. Dobson showed good play all through. Scores.—Birst match, Deusberry 29, Dobson 51; second match, Deusberry 19, Dobson 41.

Victoria Bridge.—'The contract for the building of this bridge across the Eramosa branch of the Speed was let on Monday to Messrs. Simpson & Wanless. They agree to complete the work at the following rates, viz.: superstructure, \$11 per lineal foot; piles, 30 cents per foot when driven. The length of the bridge is 260 feet.

PENIODICALS.—We have received from Mr. John Anderson, the September numbers of Good Words and the Sunday Magazine. They contain a large amount of very interesting reading matter and are well illustrated. Also the October number of the Young Ladies' Journal. Copies of the above magazines for sale at Anderson's Bookstore.

Col. Kingsmill's Book.—Our readers will have noticed by the card in another column that Col. Kingsmill is about to publish a book, to be called," Life at St. Helena during the exile of Napoleon," It cannot fail to be interesting and full of reminiscences. Those intending to subscribe for the work can do so at Day's or Anderson's book-stores.

At the close of the game the score stood 29 to 17 in favor of the Silver Creek.

First Presentental Church Sabrath School Pic-Nic.—The annual pic-nic in connection with the Sabbath School of Rev. Mr. Torrance's church came off on Tuesday, at the pastor's grounds, and was in all respects a success. The children found full scope for their youthful exuberance in swings, base ball, &c. The 'old folks' and the middle-age! enjoyed a quiet ramble through the groves, a walk to the river—which, at Mr. Torrance's place, is very beautiful—or a luxurious lounge beneath the trees. As for the youths and maidens, of which there were a goodly number, they also appeared to think that everything was satisfactory, and employed themselves in it good old way. The tea and edibles, were served in the open air, and received full justice from old and young. As the shades of evening began to close around, the more youthful portion of the company were packed in wageons and omnibutes, and sent home. The others soon followed on foot or in carriages, and all appeared to feel that they had spent a very happy afternoon.

At High Falls, New York, the other day, a young lady, while crossing a field was knocked down by a rum, and the mext time the damaged damse! saw her lover site informed that astonished youth that he might go about his business, as she was disgusted with the sex.

The Governor-General's Movements.

The Governor-General and party reached Brockville on Monday by steamer from Kingston. The weather could not have been more favorable, and the enjoyment derived from the trip past the beautiful scenery of the Thousand Islands was consequently much enhanced. On arriving at the wharf addresses were read by the Mayor and Mr. D. Wylle, Chairman of the School Board, a procession was then formed and passed through the principal streets, arriving at the Victoria Hall, where a reception was held. The party then left by the Brookville and Ottawa Railway for Smith's Falls, which place they reached about 5 p. m. Here the customary addresses were presented. The party then repaired to the train, and arrived at Ottawa shortly after seven, after having accomplished a tour, the progress of which has been unrivalled in its effect upon the public mind, in the enthusiasm excited everywhere.

Palmerston Correspondence.

Masonic Installation and Supper.

—On Friday evening, 28th ult., R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz and R. W. Bro. Dr. Savage, D.D.G.M., dedicated the Masonic Hall here and installed the following officer of Blair Lodge, No. 314, A. F. and A. M.:—Hugh Hyndman, W. M.; J. Skee, S. W.; R. Shields, J.W.; H. Tochburne, Chaplain; T. McDowell, Treasurer; A. B. Munson, Secretary; J. Miller and Dr. Stewards; R. Carter, Inner Guard; Jas. Allan, Tyler. A number of visiting brethren were present, among whom were W. Bros. McLaren. of Mt. Forest, Dr. Nichol, of Listowel, McDonald and Dalby, of Elora, and Irving, of Harriston. After the Lodge was closed the brethren, with their guests, in all over forty, repaired to Mr. Johnston's Hotel and partook of a well got-up supper. W. Bro. Dr. Savage, D.D.G.M. The usual loyal and Masonic toasts were given and enthusiastically responded to. The Junior Warden's toast "Happy to meet sorry to part, happy to meet again" having been given, the brethren separated, highly pleased with the evening's proceedings.

New Store.—Mr. W. H. Edwards has opened a general store in McEwing & Jackson's old stand, Main Street.

paralysis.

New Hotels.—Mr. Rowland Bell, of Moorefield, is building a large hotel on Queen Street, opposite Leopard's Hotel, and Mr. T. J. Taggart is erecting one on King Street. Preparations are also being made for the building of two others. These with the five now in operation will make nine hotels. Evidently, if the present population do not indulge largely in intoxicating beverages, the coming population are expected to.

Winterbourne Correspondence.

Mr. Martin W. Schweitzer, of the neighboring village of Conestogo, is putting up a new two story brick hotel, which when finished will somewhat improve the appearance of the main street. Mr. Schweitzer will then be able to furnish increased accommodation to those who may favor him with a call, and he will, no doubt do all in his power to make his house the hotel of the village. The Grand River is unusually low this season, being in many places so shallow that a person may easily walk across with dry feet by stepping on the large stones in the river bed.

Many of the crack butter makers among the farmers' wives of Woolwich have their butter packed and ready for the fair, and calculate to take some of the prizes this fall as usual.

Presbyterian Union.

Notice is given in the Quebee Official Gazette, that application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of Quebee, at its next session, for an act to enable the four following churches, namely: the Presbyterian Church of Canada in connection with the Church of Scotland; the Canada Presbyterian Church, the Presbyterian Church of the Maritime Provinces; in connection with the Church Home.—We were pleased to have a call to-day from Mr. James Massie, who arrived in Guelph on Tuesday night from his trip to the old country. He looks hale and hearty, has enjoyed himself very much, and what is still better, has made a most successful journey as far as business is concerned. Messrs. T. A. Heffernan, F. Gauhan and J. W. Hall arrived home last night, all in excellent health and spirits.

Bush of the Canada Presbyterian Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Church of Scotland, and the Presbyterian Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, which purpose to the Association of "The Presbyterian Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Lower Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection wi

unite in one Church under the designation of "The Presbyterian Church in Canada," to hold, after the union, the property of the various congregations, collegiate institutions, and the trusts connected with the said churches, in the same manner as it is now held by the respective churches, and in so far as it lies within the Province of Quebec.

Also that in view of the proposed union of certain Presbyterian Churches in the Dominion of Canada, application will be made to the Legislature of Quebec, at its next session, for an act to amend the act passed in 1847 incorporating the Board for the management of the ministers' widows' and orphans' fund of the Presbyterian Church of Scotland, to enable the Board to continue the administration of its funds after the said union until the General Assembly of the proposed United Church shall have agreed upon a plan for the equitable establishment and administration of an efficient fund for the benefit of the widows and orphans of ministers.

Also that in view of the proposed union of certain Presbyterian Churches in the Dominion of Canada, application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its next session, for an act to amend the act 22nd Vict., cap. 26, so as to enable the Temporalities Board to administer its funds after such union of Churches in conformity with certain sesolutions passed by the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of Scotland.

SUIT AGAINST A ROAD COMPANY.—An important suit was tried on Monday at Waterdown, before a special jury, at the Division Courf, as to the liability of the Hamilton and Milton Road Company for personal injuries done to one Gray, in consequence of the falling of the iron bridge over the Desjardins Canal on the 16th of March last. The case was a protracted one. After hearing a number of witnesses the jury rendered a verdict for the plaintiff for the full amount claimed. It is understood that a number of parties are claiming damages for injuries done to their property on the same occasion. The progress of the suit w

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY | DR. FRANKS Forgers Arrested.

Arrested for Selling his Chil-

vention held here to-day will not make any nominations.

Chas. Disner, a German shoemaker, was arrested last night for selling his daughter, 18 years old, to Peter Hallock keeper of a bawdy house in Canal street. Heallock was also arrested. It is reported that Disner, whose wife is dead, has sold three children in some way.

Three men were arrested here yesterday on a charge of forging deeds representing one hundred thousand dollars. One of them, Chas. Sacia, is implicated in extensive forgeries of Harlem Bank stock, of which Van Etten, who recently committed suicide was accused as principal.

Fatal Accident in Toronto.

(Special to Mercury by Montreal Line.)

Tononto, Sept. 9.
A shooking accident occurred on Front Street this morning. A span of horses attached to a G. T. R. heavy wagon ran away while their teamster was at their heads endeavouring to hold them. He clung to the pole, but before proceeding far they came against a farmer's wagon, smashing it badly, and killing on the spot the Grand Trunk man. The horses were apparently unhurt. An inquest will be held this evening.

Col. Kingamill has in the press a narrative of Napoleon's life while in exile at St. Helena, written from the gallant officers personal reminiscences.

A meeting will be held in Cook's Church (Presbyterian) this evening, to consider the Union question.

Lieut. Colonel Gzowski is expected to arrive in Toronto from England during the last week of October.

A Sad Case.

A BOY DIES BY THE ROADSIDE.

On Tuesday afternoon, a death occurred in Guelph under circumstances of a most painful and revolting character. A coloured family,—father, mother and three children—arrived in Guelph by the London Road, and sat down by the roadside, apparently consideraly perplexed in mind as to what course to pursue, as they were without any means with which to procure the necessaries of life. They stated that they had come from Berlin, and previously from Sandwich, at which place they had been burned out. One of their children, a boy about 12 years of age, was evidently in a very bad state of health, as the parents stated, from congestion of the lungs. They were noticed by some neighbors in the vicinity who furnished them with some little necessaries, but only a short time elapsed after their arrival when the little boy breathed his last. The sorrowing parents then fully realized their position. They were among strangers, without a house to shelter them from the burning rays of the sun or means to procure anything with which to decently bury their loved one. The scene at this climax of their sorrow is said to have been one that can be better imagined than described. The father stated on the Mayor, who at once of ordered a coffin to be provided, and an undertaker was procured, who proceeded to the spot, the boy was placed in the coffin, and taken to the Cemetery, and buried. Thus ended a sad scene, which, I happily, is of very rare occurrence in Canada. We may add, that some kind friends in the vicinity aided the family with money and necessaries, and endeavoured to comfort them as well as they could in their hour of affliction.

General Conference of the Deminion A BOY DIES BY THE ROADSIDE

ler, Wyndham street; price of ticket one dollar.

The Oil Combination.

It is understood that on yesterday the new Oil Combination managed to conclude all their arrangements; paid over the money to their co-combiners, and are now in possession of all the refineries, save one, and have control over such stocks of oil as a c in the market. They are thus a huge monopoly, to whom even the retail oil-dealers pay tribute for the privilege of being able to put up the price of oil from 15 to 22 cents. Having all the refineries in their interest they become the only purchasers of ornde oil, so that while the refined article goes up 70 per cent., the hope is to beat the crude down to from 40 to 50 per cent. Poor lookout for the Producers! Whether it will be impossible to import United States refined oil depends somewhat upon circumstances. But consdiering that refined can be had in Buffalo at about 9½ to 10 cents in greenbacks, and the oil is acknowledged to be superior in its illuminating qualities, it would not be surprising if some enterprising firm were to import a few car-loads, so that the public might have at least the opportunity of burning a good oil if they have to pay a high price for it.—London Free Press.

Dr. Franks has suited my sight so accurately from an examination of the eye alone, at the first attempt, with the first oair of his Uniform Focus Spectacles he adjusted to my vision, that I recommend them with pleasure.

GEORGE S. HEROD, M.D., Guelph.

I believe the improved spectacles adapted to my vision, by Dr. Franks, to be the best I ever had, I can see perfectly by day or night even at the most minute employment, for any length of time, with a comfort I have not had with any other spectacles. They were the first and only pair he tried.

Rev. Tros. Warddorf, Presbyterian Church, Guelph.

We feel pleasure in adding our recom-mendation, of Dr. Franks' Uniforn Focus Spectacles, and his scientific method of adjusting them to the sight, with the first pair he tries. From an examination of the eye alone, he suited us to perfection.

Miss Idding Special Special Special Special Mrs. WM. Brownlow, Guelph.

The spectacles Dr. Franks adjusted to my eyes, were the only pair he tried. They give me as good sight as ever I had, because I now see as well as I ever

We, the undersigned, have much pleasure in recommending Dr. Frank's Uniform Focus Spectacles, and his scientific way of correctly adjusting them to the sight, that is, from an examinatiom of the Eye only, with the first pair he tries, which he did in our case, giving us better sight than with any spectacles we ever used.

used. E. Newton, Guelph. Ww. Pickard, Sr., Guelph. Chas. Raymond, Sewing Machine Manu facturer, Güelph.

The admirable method of adjusting Spectacles to the Eye with the first pair he selects, from an examination of the Eye alone, was fully demonstrated in my case by Dr. Franks. He gave me the best sight I ever had with spectacles. STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Guelph.

I recommend Dr. Franks' Uniform Focus Spectacles as the best I ever had. He merely examines the eye, and suits it with the first pair he selects. Rev. Wm. F. Clarke, Cong. Minister Guelph.

With every satisfaction I state that Dr. Franks suited my eyes with his Uniform Focus Spectacles, so very perfectly from an examination of the Eye alone, with the only pair he selected, and recommend them to all needing optical aid.

Rev. W. S. Ball, Minister, Knox Church, Guelph.

PROFESSOR E. S. FRANKS,

OCULIST AND OPTICIAN, in parlor No. 22, with a large assortment of his Uniform Focus Spectacles for sale—for a few days only. These Spectacles, as adjusted to the eye by the Professor, suit equally well by artificial as daylight, from 15 to 25 years, without needing a change to others.

understaker was procured, who proceeded to the spot, the boy was placed in the spot, the spot was placed in the

It has been noticed that nothing makes a woman laugh so much as a new sel

That Flag Again.

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To the Editor of the Mercury:

Sir,—I think it is about time Mr. Doran made a public reply, if he has any to make, to the serious charge preferred against him on the flag question. It is due to the public at large that he should now make a clear statement of how he became possessed of the flag, and to what society or association it belongs, or that he may have supposed it to belong; I say supposed, for Mr. Doran may himself have been imposed upon by designing parties, and it is only on this ground I could at all account for the act.

I think that you yourself, Mr. Editor, will bear me out when I affirm that I ought to be able to speak on Fenians and Fenian flags, for I believe you were in-debted to me for an account of a large Fenian meeting held not over 100 miles from the border, and very shortly before the raid at Rudgeway, and probably I am the only person in Guelph who had the questionable honor of being in the company of the leader of the raid—I mean O'Neill—and that was about two months after the raid. I mention these little facts to show that I ought to be able to speak on a Fenian flag, and I believe that the flag displayed on the west market square was a flag belonging to a branch of the Fenian Association.

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Taking the supposition that Mr. Doran knew it to be such a flag, and that he did not display it out of mere bravado, he must have hung it up hoping some Orangeman or other loyal citizen would tear it down, so that he might claim public sympathy for the act; or else he wished to make a display, and thought he might hoist the rag and no one in Guelph be any the wiser. Well, he has discovered by this time that there are those who know a "sunburst" when they see it, although it was hung with the side to the top, and who will not allow any such flag to be displayed without entering a protest. In fact, any Canadian who recognized the flag, must have felt his blood boil, as mine did, if he only thought of the brave McEachren and his fellowmartyrs, who were slaughtered at Ridgeway by a horde of desperadoes and cutthroats, organized under just such a flag. For any one to hoist a flag, at all resembling theirs, on one of our public streets on a loyal occasion, is an act that must be explained and apologized for. It is an insult to all who love their country and their Queen.

So speak out, Doran, for your silence is being interpreted as guilt by more than a Son of WILLIAM.

Guelph, Sept. 8, 1874.

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[We publish the above letter more for the purpose of satisfying the writer and his friends that we are not afraid to ventilate this subject through our columns, than from any belief in our mind that Mr. Doran has played the traitor in this instance. In fact we went to Mr. Doran when the matter was first spoken of, in order to satisfy ourselves in regard to this same flag, and had the assurance from him that as far as his knowledge went there was nothing Fenian about it; that he borrowed it from one of the Irish Benevolent Societies of Toronto, and hung it out in compliment to our Irish Governor-General. We were satisfied with the explanation, and left, and this is all we know about it.—Ed. Mercury.]

ACCIDENT.—On Thursday morning of last week, Mr. Stalbaum, who is engaged in drawing milk for the Freeport cheese factory, accidently fell from his waggon and was seriously injured.

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As Mr. A. McKenzie, of Glenmorris, was hitching his horse at the Galt Hotel, on Sabbath evening, the animal became fractious, reared up and fell backwards, striking its head against the barn, and receiving such injuries as to render it necessary to shoot him.

ONE day last week a little girl, daugh-ter of Mr. John Ehens, of Blenheim, fell from a load of peas, among the horses feet. The waggon also passed over her body. She is recovering.

what is this for ?" asked the colored porter at the —— hotel, at Long Branch, the other day, holding out a twenty-five cent note given him by the gentleman addressed for carrying up his trunk. "That," said the gentleman, taking the note and putting it back in his pocket, "was for your trouble, and this is for your impudence," and he icked him eleven feet nine and a half tohes into the hall way.

"An old man and his wife who came in by the Central road yesterday morning, saw about thirty hacks at the door of the depot, and about thirty hacks at the door of the depot, and about thirty hackman shouting 'Hack?' at them. The man took it all as a high compliment, and turning to the old lady he said, "I tell you, mother, they think we are something great, or they'd never had all these carriages down here to meet us. I wonder how they knew we was coming?"

A Ualifornia temperance association limits the beverages of its members to wine, beer and cider, "except when laboring under a sense of discouragement, and then whiskey will be allowed."