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FRIDAY, JULY 18th, 1884

Hon. Mr. Blake is reported to have sent word to his friends in Winnipeg that he will be unable to go to the Northwest this summer.

An article on the railway question, from an esteemed contributor, is unavoid. ably crowded out this week. However, "the old ark's a-moving."

At the nomination for the Muskoka election, at the expiration of the legal time for the nomination of candidate, Mr. Dill. Reformer, was the enly person nominated, and he was declared elected by acclamation. At 2:30 the returning officer allowed Mr. McEachern to be

THE judicial committee of the Privy Council met on Tuesday last to decide upon the three points submitted to them on the boundary award. On the first point : "Is or is not the award, under all the circumstances, binding?" The committee decided in the negative.

THE Nelsonville Mountaineer gives the following send off to an old acquaintance :- "Pat. Moore, the timber inspec tor who visited Nolson a few weeks ago does not appear to have a very savory very high confidence."

THE Clinton New Era last week took advantage of the cool spell of weather to davote half a column editorally io the puffing up of Clinton and the decaying of Health will cause all wells the be with facts and figures. We want it to down to hard pan. Jaw is jaw, but whole community.

day 24th. inst. at 2 o'clock p.m. The meeting will be addressed by Sir Richard Cartwright, M.P., Hon. A. M. Ross, Provincial Treasurer, Thos. Gibson, M. Provincial Treasurer, Thos. Gibson, M. P., John McMillan, reeve of Hullett and other prominent Reformers. A provincial Reformers. A and Tory governmental incapacity, do so. Nothing could mere clearly in- matrimony to honest young men. "New is the time, and now is the hour."

Moses Oates promised that the weather in July would be intolerably hottest month since July, 1868. Being personally well acquainted with Moses, and knowing that he wasn't given to jok- R. and knowing that he wasn't given to joking, we took his word for it, and discarded our woolen underwear. We did so to our sorrow, for the thermometer has instead of a linen duster, it would seem lowing reply : that heavy woolens, thick tweeds and a trusty ulster should be our portion. If Richard Adams, Es 1. we succumb from the effects of the cold | DEAR SIE, -I am in receipt of yours contracted during the present frigid spell of the 5th current. I have authorized we want to have Moses Oates indicted no statement as to my opinions anent the Scott Act. 1 may say I am riot opand tried for our murder. There's that dreadful sneeze again—"Kerchoo!" drinking usages of the day. I believe "Kerchooo!" "Kerchooo!" "O, temperance to be a legitimate subject for

Clinton by the Orange body of this dis- prohibition of manufacture and sale trict on Saturday last. The brethren wholesale and retail of the whole business, gathered there from the north, the I look upon with favor. I am yours truly, south, the east and the west, and listened with patience to the drum-beating, the fife-blowing, and the florid speeches. They say that doctors differ, and so do Orange speakers. Our own Thos. Far- eral election, which has been engaging row for instance denied that politics public attention for some time past, espewere a factor in Orangeism, while John cially in this Province, came off today, White of Hastings made a straight-out Tory speech. It isn't any of our funeral, but one or other of these gentlemen made but one or other of these gentlemen made one, and the Liberals congratulate thema "july old ath of himthelf," as Lord selves on their success in opposition to Dundreary would say. Of course it Hon. Messrs. Langevin, Caron and Pope, could not be our own Thomas Farrew, who worked energetically for the Con for he is always particular in what he says, even when he states that the N. P. senables hens to lay larger eggs. oles hens to lay larger eggs.

FOR three successive terms the Demoratic candidates for the Presidency and Vice-Presidency have been taken from New York and Indiana. In 1876, Tilden and Hendricks: in 1880, Hancock and English; in 1884, Cleveland and Hendricks. The Democrats seem to be of a persevering nature, and evidently have faith in the injunction of the old song : If you don't at first succeed, Try, try, try again.

Last week Mr. E. Holmes severed his connection with the Clinton New Era. luck in any enterprise he may engage in. He wasn't always in accord with our back to the editorial ranks, but we sincerely trust he will never of necessity be forced to again tramp the editorial treadforced to again tramp the editorial treadhenceforward by Mr. Robt. Holmes, and knowing the young man to be a "chip off the old block," we have every reason to believe that the Liberal interests will to believe that the Liberal interests will not suffer at the hands of the new editor the New Erg.

CONTEMPORARY OPINION.

Sayings of the Brethren Wise and Otherwise- Placed on Record.

The financial sage who presides Ottawa, Sir S. L. Tilley, if we (Halifax Chronicle) remember correctly, speaking in March, 1883, said that "if he were a young man in business, &c., he would years' breeze of prosperity which was going to blow over this 'Canada of ours.''
Well, poor man, he meant wall but he Well, poor man, he meant well, but he didn't know—he didn't know.

"MUST GO." Manitoba Liberal :- Hon. Edward

LOOK AFTER YOUR WELLS. Hamilton Times:—The Toronto Board that he had never read a clause of it. of Health will cause all wells in localities served by the city waterworks to be Scott act, and just as much about phre-

dicate the political character of the organization.

R .v. T. Goldsmith's Denial

Among the false statements made by fortnight ago was one to the effect that Rev. T. Goldsmith, of Hamilton, formerly of Seaforth. was opposed to the Act. R. Adams, Vice-President of Hullet gone away down as we write this, and ment, will be delighted to see the fol-

HAMILTON, July 8, 1884.

posed to any measure that may abate the legislation, and my only objection to the Scott Act is that it does not go far enough! I think no local option act can ever meet THE "Twelfth" was duly celebrated in the whole difficulty. I go in for a general T. GOLDSMITH

The Megantic Election.

QUEBEC, July 11. - The Megantic Fed

THAT "WINDY HUMBUG."

An Ignoramus Exposed—The "Hair-Wash Man Brought to Book. A week or ten days ago a low-bred fellow styling himself "Professor" John-ston, came to town and announced himself to be a phrenologist. He made his debut on a packing-case on the cour house square, and with the aid of a bell and a blatant tongue sounded his own praises long and loudly. He was not centent with talking about phrenology, but blazed away at the Scott Act, the Salva-We take this opportunity of bidding the old man good-bye and wishing him good luck in any enterprise he may engage in. which has always been opposed to public and private frauds, drew attention to the good, square journalist, of honest convictions and fearless expression, all the same. Should he ever see fit to take to fessor's" wrath, and that worthy at once quill-driving again we will welcome him got out bills announcing that he would beat to the editorial ranks, but we sineight o'clock along came the alleged

mar, and with no attempt at correct pronunciation. There was a continuous flow of lies and swash, and swash and lies from first to last. During his discourse he got on the Scott act, and showed his ignorance of the question, then he took another slap at THE SIG-NAL; next he referred to the Salvation army; then he gave himself a character for probity, and sounded his praises in great shape. He concluded his regurgitations by telling over and over again what b-a-a-a-d men the proprietors of the first chart, and now for the other : THE SIGNAL were, and what a first-class phrenelogist he was. After the "humbug" had taken his seat a cry was raised for the editor of THE SIGNAL to reply to the swashbuckler, and Mr. D. McGilli-cuddy rose to his feet, amidst loud applause, and addressed the large gathering. He was not in the habit of speaking Blake has declared himself in favor of an elective Senate. In this step he will have not only the entire Reform party at his back has a light this back has declared himself in favor of an elective Senate. In this step he will have not only the entire Reform party at his back has all eight this black has a light this black has a ligh hoped his friends would pardon him on his back, but all right-thinking Independents and Conservatives. An invitation this occasion ir he stepped out of his for the "old women" to leave their soft usual courteous course, and beat a blackseats and fat salaries would cause grief guard at his own game. He then "went here were not calculated to inspire any cal hucksters to whom they owe their effete existence and fer whose good pleas-ure they live, move tid have their and denounced him now to his face as a 'humbug' of the worst stripe.

of Goderich, but it never once attempted to show how it was that Clinton has been equalized at only \$450,000 for years back, while Goderich has been equalized at \$21,65,000. Our contemporary years back, while Goderich has been where the source of supply is too near the manure heap, than many people are the manure heap, than many people are aware of. Those who are ignorant or imitation of the "professor's" style of town, and upheld him as their chosen in imitation of the "professor's" style of town, and upheld him as their chosen examining heads which drew loud cheers champion are now at liberty to ruminate from the crowd. He denounced John that they have neither added to their with facts and figures. We want it to case beating about the bush, and to get selves and families alone, but of the by his wits on a gullible public. The they espouse. The SIGNAL wants to see fellow had only lately gone into the Angus Johnson, "professor" of hair The first of a series of Reform meetings will be held at Cranbrook on Thurstablished plan, and were devoted to abusing Mr. Blake and the Liberals te-fessor of hair-wash," was a high-sound-

"professor" talked about the Scott act when he had confessed to the speaker

cordial invitation is extended to all persons who wish to hear the public issues of the day intelligently discussed. East Huron in thus beginning a serious of public demonstrations throughout the riding, is setting a good example to the Orangemen in every election for rears.

If the Tories had voted for it. The Tory party thas had the active support of the Orange order for years; the Tory party party party party party has had the active support of the Orange order for years; the Tory party party has had the active support of the Orange order for years; the Tory party because of his vicious habits, and was of low moral standing, by his own confession—he having admitted to having fraternized in the American cities with this energy and murderers, who locked upon him as been common gratitude for the Tories to have passed the Orange Bill. The Liberals have been opposed by the Orangemen in every election for years. riding, is setting a good example to the other constituencies of the county which we hope to see successfully imitated at me distant day. The people are anxious no distant day. The people are anxious there is no censure for the Tories, who back to his own wife before he again to listen to exposures of the N. P. frauds, might have carried it had they wished to attempted to give advice regarding effect of Mr. McGillicuddy's remarks upon the bogus professor was magical, and when the fellow got up to reply the bombast had evidently been taken out of him. He whined for sympathy and attempted weather in July would be intolerably Among the false statements made by to give himself a good character, but Vice-Chancellor Proudfoot, Judge Scott, the Anti-Scott Act speakers at Auburn a the remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the Remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the Remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the Remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the Remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the Remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the Remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the county of Peel, and Judge Scott, the Remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Judge Scott, the Remarks of Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the County of Peel, and Mr. McGillicuddy had of the C

> ception of a few rattle-brained young men The man Angus Johnston above alluded to is a notorious character, and around Parkhill and other places where hegis known bears an unsavory reputation e years ago he We are informed that som was in business in Parkhill running a tailoring establishment, but "skipped by the light of the moon," leaving a number of creditors to mourn his departure

Since then he has been variously engag-

ed, sometimes tailoring, then at phre-

nology, then pedling "hair-wash," or some equally snide business. His characsome equally snide business. His character has at all times been of a nature not A 1. For some time he has been sede the criminal prosecution instituted estranged from his wife, owing to his against those accused of conspiracy and loose habits. A week or so previous to at present stayed until the his appearance in Goderich he was arrested at Dresden for cutting a man's of which the law can take cognizance is cheek open with a knuckleduster, and cheek open with a knuckleduster, and was in consequence committed to stand his trial for an aggravated assault. While awaiting trial he escaped from the lock-

While Mr. W. O. Marrin, of this village, was in Dresden, last week, pushing the sale of his medicine, he was assaulted in a most cowardly manner by Angus Jehnson, formerly tailor here. Johnson, while talking with Marrin in the most friendly manner, suddenly attacked him and cut his face pretty bad-Marrin finally clinched Johnson and gct him down, but let him up upon promise of behaving himself. Johnson says the reason he attacked Marrin was be- O'Rourke is third.

cause he (Marcin) had told his wife slanderous stories about him, which Mar-rin denies having told. Johnsen was arrested for aggravated assault, and committed for trial. After being placed in the lock-up he managed to escape, either by the aid of outside friends or by his by the aid of outside friends or by his own efforts, as to which accounts differ. On Monday last he was in Parkhill and yesterday Constable Manes received a telegram to arrest him. When arrested telegram to arrest him. When arrested at Dresden, Johnson had about \$90 on his person, which was taken from him, and this fact probably accounts for Johnson's not being "over the border."

At first, when Johnson told his side of the story, public sympathy was considerably with him, although his reputation was none of the best; but since Mr. Marrin's story has been heard, it puts a different face on the affair. Mr. Marrin says that before Johnson struck he noticed him putting a large steel or iron ring on his finger, but never suspected what it was for until he was struck, and his cheek bone laid bare at the first blow."

Since the above was in type we have been shown a number of so-called "charts," written by this ignorant fraud, Johnson. We will give a few of the points from two of the precious documents. The first is from a "chart" given to a male, the second to

Self-esteem, good evitage, all right hope, large, good enugh; combative (instead of combativeness), large, all right; construction (?) good evirage; caution good evirage, cultivate; benevolent (? good evirage; alimitivenes (?) large,

right; music, evirage.

The "professor" further says on this "chart" that in examining the head he "woodwork very prominent, which is, to say the least, te the owner of the head. But the snide 'professor' evidently believes that his patrons who feed him with the bread of idleness are, "blockheads." So much for

Memory, evirage; weight, evirage, good; music, large, good; combative (?) large; construction, (?) large; parient ve, moderate; secretion (what does the fellow mean ?), large; mirth, (?) large; language, good evirage; amativenes, good evirage; The "professor" closes good evirage; The "processor this examination by saying that the owner of the head is possessed of a large brain, which "enables her to judge

acquerately. The foregoing is sufficient to show that the fellow is as great a fraud on phrenolegy as he is on the other questions that he attempts to speak on. He is ignorant, illiterate, cheeky, and in fact a bare-faced humbug all the way around. In saying the above we believe we are giving our readers an "acquerate" discription of the fellow, if we may be allowed to use a word picked from his own lexicon. "He isn't much of a grammerer, and he is a great deal less of a free-

The people who have been gulled by wash, phrenology and other humbugs. passed around by the Ontario press

"PROFESSOR" JOHNSON ARRESTED. At 2:30 p.m. on Thursday the tollowing telegram was received from Dresden

Dresden, July 17. To Chief Constable, Goderich. Arrest A. Johnson, for gaol breaking. Let me know at once

N. WAFFLE, Chief Police, Constable Yule in company with constable McKay immediately started out in search of Johnson, and succeeded in arresting him just as he was on the point of boarding the 3:15 train to leave town. He was at once brought to gaol, where he new lies awaiting the arrival of con-

for Johnson's chums in town.

The Conspiracy Case.

Toronto News (Ind.) The investigation into the conspiracy case by the Royal commission comprising told with the thinking audience, and the of the county of Lincoln, begins today "fake" had no sympathisers with the exof witnesses have been subpoensed, ineveral weeks

The investigation is not strictly speak ing, of a judicial character. The commission have no power to impose any penalty on any one who may be incrimi nated by the evidence. The object of the inquiry is simply to get at the facts, and thoroughly sifted to the bottom. The mposition of the commission is a guarantee that their proceedings will be or ducted in a spirit of impartiality.

to July 1 would be: Galvin, p. ; Giffigan, c. ; Start, 1 b. ; Collins, 2 b. ; SutCOUNTY CURRENCY.

items from all Parts of Huron got or News Exchange.

A horse belonging to D. Strachan Brussels, was choked to death last Tues day evening. The animal had been tied to the fence to eat grass, and got tangled in the rope semehow, and before help ar-

part of the assertion is that the said gentleman affirms he did not get the full root, as some of it was buried in the

westerly direction, bursting at last into a thousand pieces. During its passage it had all the appearance of an immense rocket with a very brilliant blue head and a long sinuous phospherescent tail. Rebt. Copeland, Lucknow, recently

rento. He is now a full fledged druggist, and has taken full control of the drug business lately carried on by G. W. Berry in that village. "Rob's" friends Berry in that village. "Rob's" friends no deubt, will be much pleased to learn

state that there has been seen a gbost (or something very like one) in the wood son the south side of the concession. But the Several hen-roosts have suffered of late, which is one proof that the "ghost" has a good appetite.

Caledonian Society this year to hold a grand quoiting tournament on Sept. 9th. the day previous to their annual games, open to the world. Prizes will be offerd sufficiently large to attract all the quoit pitchers of note in Canada, as well as those interested in the game. It is expected that railway arrangements. ow in progress, will be effected, by excursion tickets will be issued at greatly reduced rates, good for three

D. M. Sullivan, of Bay City, and Archie Scott, of Dundas, to competed against A. C. Reid and Alby Robinson, of Parkhill, for \$500-\$250 a side-at that place, on July 12th, for the following events:—1st. running high jump al. running long jump; 3rd. hitch and kick; 4th. hop-step-and-jump; 5th. 100 yards' race; 6th. 120 yards' hurdle race; 7th. standing jump, the couple taking four out of the seven events to be de clared the winners. D. McKenzie, of

Last Tuesday W. E. Kerr left London city at 8 a.m. on his bicycle, rode to Lucan and made a short stop, reached Exeter for dinner then on through Brucefield to Seaforth where he stopped for ever an hour and then took the read north for Brussels where he arrived at 8 When the warm weather, dusty roads and the amount of new gravel on the roads is taken into account about 65 miles. The bicycle is a 54 inch machine of the British Challenge make. - Brussels Post.

stable Waffle, of Dresden.

This will be more food for reflection

dence adduced before the commissi up, and is now a prisoner at large, and liable to arrest, as can be seen by the fol-Lowing extract taken from the Parkhill of rousing public opinion to demand the

gan, c.; Start, 1 b.; Collins, 2 b.; Sutton 3 b.; Force, s. s.; Hernung, l. f.; Gore, c. f.; Evans, r. f. Connor leads the league in batting, with an average of 349. Sutton is a close second with .345. O'Rourke is third.

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October.

An election on a petition for the repeal of the Canada Temperance Act will be held in the county of Westmoreland, N. B., on the 14th Aug. Watch it.

O'Rourke is third.

Harry Cormack, of Brussels, has a cepted a remunerative position in the office of the Great North-Western Telegraph Company in Torento.

A very brilliant meteor was observed

in Brussels on Thursday night of last week. It swept across the sky in a north passed a very creditable examination at the Ontarie College of Pharmacy at To-

There has been quite a sensation in

It is the intention of the Lucknow

London, was stakeholder. Scott and Sullivan were formerly residents of Brussels. The Parkhill men won

A Scott Act Decision.

It has been decided by the courts in New Brunswick, Chief Justice Allen pre- They ask how it is if the fish are really siding, that liquor supplied by brewers or others for sale in a county in which the Scott Act is in force cannot be sued for, as the sale is a contribution to an illegal act. This is worth keeping in view by the liquor manufacturers and dealers. In the New Brunswick case the goods were originally sold in a county where their sale was legal, but they were sold knowingly to be retailed in a county in which their sale was illegal The class of people who violate the law are int the most respectable, and it is probable that many of those who are supplied with liquor for sale in a Scott Act county wtll find their supply cut off if this decision be sustained by the higher courts. Retail dealers who do not

be compelled to pay the price of it.

hesitate to violate the law by selling

liquor under such circumstances would

Dr. Grant says :- "Well even if you are "plucked" you can come up for a post mortem you know;" and Inspector Mc Lennan declares that "a man is not made till he has been 'plucked' once or twice;' still notwithstanding these crumbs of comfort the experience is not a pleasant one. In this article, however, we do not mean to whine over the slaughter of the ton Harbor; Salt Lake City, described nnocents that has lately taken place, In the great majority of cases it was sim-ply the reaping of what has been sown during the term. Taker in the proper spirit these defeats really mean victory. If a man once learns that, though he is a heaven-born genius, he should not despise a little of the earthly quality of aplication, he has gamed a great and the true spirit would constrain him to forget his regrets in the knowledge that of Mrs. Wheeler, Miss Dora Wheeler, forget his regrets in the knowledge that

New York, July 12.—Tilden is represented as saying that the nomination of Cleveland was a good one. The governor, he said, was very popular outside of William Rufus," by Treadwell Walden. William Black's and E. P. Roe's novels enactment of a law affixing severe penalties to such effences in the future, in case the existing law is insufficient to punish the state, however, and he did the state, however, and he The best fielding nine from the National league players from the averages Indiana and the west in general, and There will also be stories and poemby Indiana and the west in general, and There will also be stories and poemby Indiana and the west in general, and Indiana and the west in general, and Indiana not think some of his actions had met tions by Alfred Parsons will acc will have great weight in the elections in Mrs. Macquoid, Mr. Bynner, Lucy Lar-

Square Talk from a Cricketer.

We commend for perusal of sporting editors and reporters of cricket matches, the following letter, from the genial captain of the London asylum club to our contemporary the Lendon Advertiser. It has something of the true ring about it. NOT INCLINED TO BE BOASTFUL.

To the Editor of the Advertiser. Among the cricket notes in this morning's Advertiser was one to the effect that the London Asylum club had not been defeated this year. Besides savoring in the rope somehow, and before help arrived was dead.

A certain man in Morris professes to have taken out of a sand pit a clover root over nine feet long. The strangest part of the assertion is that the said ning or losing of any match, or any number of matches, should be considered entirely secondary, and of the nature of an accident, as it often is. As captain of the Asylum Cricket Club I respectfully protest against its fortunate record thus far being used in a vaunting or beastful way for the delectation of Adpertiser readers who may happen to have an interest in cricket. Yours truly, N. A. BEEMER.

London, July 14.

Violent Hailstorm in Markham

waship of Markham on Saturday aftertownship of Markham on Saturday after-noen, doing considerable damage al-along the 6th concession. Such a storm was never witnessed in the township be-fore. Some of the stones were as large Sunshine for some time past. Several to leave large lumps on the backs of cattle that happened to be out of do In fact the fences are covered with little holes, and have the appearance of having been well pounded with a hammer. The parties who appear to suffer the heaviest loss are:—Mr. Win. Milliken, of Hagerman's Corners. On a farm of 175 acres, Mr. Milliken says, there will hardly be a Mr. Milliken says, there will hardly bushel of grain. Mr. Hagerman's farm of 100 acres is also in a dilapidated conof 100 acres is also in a dispidated condition, the storm making a clean sweep of all his crop. Messrs. Jesse, Noble, Fierheller, French, Wetherall, and Stonehouse all snffered less mere or less. In fact there is scarcely one of these farmers who will have enough feed for his stock. However, although the loss is heavy they all feel thankful that the storm was not accompanied by strong wind, for if such had been the case the damage would undoubtedly have much greater.

Prudent Patriots

Stories are being told about the part played by the rival presidential candi-lates during the war. History is dumb as to the great 'achievements of either the Blaine division or the Cleveland division in the rebellion. The fact is that both Blaine and Cleveland, instead of going to the war themselves, sent substitutes. This was much the safer plan, and the result is that instead of these great rivals filing soldiers' graves, or stumping the country with a wooden leg apiece, they have been preserved to serve their country in a more importan capacity, and in the approach paign will stump the country with both however, as he is backed up on his ticket by a real general, who expects to capture

The officials of the Marine and Fisheries Department are not disposed to accept Seth Green's assertions that the millions of dead fish floating on Lake Ontario are alewives and not young shad hatched at his Rochester establ young alewives that none of the parent fish are caught in the lake? No alewives are caught in the St. Lawrence, in Lake Francis, or in any other stream in communication with Lake Ontario, and it is considered impossible that the parent alewives can exist in the lake in quantities sufficient to produce millions of fry without some being seen or caught. Perhaps Mr. Green will be able to expenditure of the control plain this mystery for Minister McLelan's benefit.

A Foolish Joke.

COBOURG, July 14.—On Saturday last as Lena Boswell was washing clothes she was approached by Minnie Stillwell, whe took up a bottle lying on the window, and telling her that she would anoint her and telling her that she would to pour with "holy water," preceded to pour with "holy water," preceded to pour certainly not hesitate at swinding those the liquid on the young girl's head. who supplied them with the liquor if victim commenced to scream, and soon they were satisfied that they could not all the mill was in an uproar, and the liquid was found to be vitrol. The of the young girl's face as well as neck and arms are seriously burned. She will be marked for life.

Literary Notes.

The August Harper's will be especially noteworthy for its papers on American places—"The Gateway of Boston," in which W. H Rideing describes and by Ernest Ingersoll, with fifteen illustra-tions; and Richfield Springs, a papel with special reference to their medicina with special reference to their waters, by F. J. Nott, M.D. Boughton will continue his chatty tist Strolls in Holland" in company Mr. Abbey. Art will be represented by a paper on the work of the "Associated Artists" by Mrs. Harrison, with charmforget his regrets in the knowledge that the high standard of his college is being kept up.—[Queen's College Journal.

Tilden Approves.

Of Mrs. Wheeler, Miss Dora W Hunting in Montana," by Beard and Frost; history, by the first com, Mrs. Fields, and others. A paper on "The Building of the Muscle" will be

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