Springfield.

We are sorry to have to report two more deaths in our community. These make three deaths within five days.

On Feb. 28, after a short illness, William McGill, in the 78th year of his age, passed away to his rest. Mr. McGill, was a member of the Baptist church. He was highly respected and had many friends. An aged widow and ten children, six sons and four daughters are left to mourn their loss. The funeral took place on March 2cd

On Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Starratt, in the 30th year of his age, fell asleep. Although he had been an invalid for many years, yet when death came it was unexpected. Bartlett was a member of the Falkland Ridge branch of the Springfield Baptist church. He had many friends who will miss him. We trust that he has gone to that place where there is no pain or suffering, "Where not a wave of trouble rolls, across the peaceful breast."

The funeral took place on March 3rd.

Record Hill.

Kiondikeward. The party is made up of five men and one woman, Mrs. Chadwick, who his lace ompany her husband to the gold fields. Mrs Chadwick is a particularly bright appearing woman, and though she does not look especially well fitted to withstand the privations which must be endured. While waiting for the train which was to take the party to Montreal, Capt. Chadwick the party to Montreal, C

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Corkum, of Alpena, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oakes on the 6th inst.

Mr. Ingram Oakes has completed his studies at the law school.

Miss Dora Kniffin is at Alpena, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Corkum, senr.
We are sorry to report Mrs. Renaldo Merry and Charles Oakes, senr., very ill.
Miss Flora Whitman, who is taking lessons in music at Wolfville, is expected home on the 17th. Her many friends here will be pleased to learn that she will take her place again as organist at the Baptist Church.
Rev. Melbourne B. Whitman is expected home in April.

Rev. J. Webb will give his lecture, "A hiographical study of the writers of the New James of Alpena, were summer.

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Miss Bessie O'Neal from Mt. Rose has been visiting her sister Mrs. O. Slocomb for the last week.

Miss Bessie G. Miller came home on Friday to stay over Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller. She was accompanied by her friend Miss Maggie Dodge from Spa Springs.

Our Pastor Rev. E. Locke preached last Sunday afternoon. We notice the choir was greatly strengthened by the singing of Miss Dodge and the Misses Foster from Pott George. home in April.

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Mr. Elliott of Clarence was here last week shipping apples. He sent off 250 barrels.
Mr. Elliott has paid the farmers of Granville a large price for their nonpareils and we hope that he will receive a good price in the hope that he will receive a good process.

English markets.

There has been a grand ice havest. Since March came in the crop has been poor.

The Klondike fever has subsided somewhat with the lengthening days. The fine mild weather may have had something to do with it. It was very contagious in the first of the winter.

The most disagreeable storm of the season came to us last Saturday.

The sociable held at John Woodworth's realized \$15.00 for church purposes.

Miss Annie Ferguson is now at her home, after an absence of eight months in Clemontsport.
Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Marshall, of Paradise, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Payson, of Meadowvale, Mr. Will Moore, of Westboro, Mass., and Miss Julia Middlemas, of Brooklyn, have risited Mrs. J. E. Slocomb, quite recently.

PORT BURWELL, ONT., March 4th, 1898.

Round Hill.

Miss Lottie Benson, of Bear River, is visiting Mrs. E. D. Purdy.
Miss Muriel Hathaway, of Granville Ferry.
is visiting Mrs. E. A. Spurr.

The directors of the Granville Ferry.
Creamery held a business meeting in the hall on Monday evening.
Two carloads of apples were shipped Tuesday for the English market.

Mr. H. J. McDonald had a very bad fall on Saturday week, which resulted in a broken wrist and a gash over the right eye. In spite of the fact that his hair has been whitened by the snows of ninety-two winters, he is improving quite rapidly. Dr. Withers is the attending physician.

Our Division initiated two candidates on Saturday evening: It has now about sixty members in good standing.

A number of our farmers are engaged in hauling ice for cold storage purposes during the summer.

New Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Corkum, of Alpena, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Corkum, of Alpena, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Corkum, of Alpena, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Corkum, Mr. Albert Mr. Edute.

New Edute. Ont., March th, 1898.

MR. Edutrse.—Pobruary went out and March thave sugar bushes will be tapping and making maple sugar.

The province of Oatario has just had an election, and the Liberals rejoice that although they lost in number they still "hold the fort."

We have had rather a pleasant winter with much good sleighing. The cold got down to 10° below zero two or tree times, and we had several big rains. The proices of farm produce and stock are on the rise. Hogs on foot are \$5.00 per 100 lbs.

James Albert Chute, who lives in Houghton, Norfolk Co., after threshing clover seed and has knocked out nearly 2000 bushels of clear seed, with his thresher, which at fifty cents per bushel brings him in a soug little sum.

The Klondike gold excitement is drawing off companies and equads here and there, so that eastern Canada will probably lose some thousands before summer.

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Hampton.

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Another sleighing party is in the air for this week if the snow doesn't get to high.

Mr. George Anthony has been on a business trip to Digby.

Mr. John Hall, of Lynn, called on a number of his friends here during his visit to the home of his late mother.

The storm of last Saturday was quite severe along the shore Our mail carrier, L. D. Brocks, wishes to thank his kind friends for their assistance in getting him safely through snow drifts from Parker's Cove to Hampton.

There has been continuous sledding for nearly two months; lots of snow has fallen. It is so deep in the woods it is nearly impossible to make a new road. Notwithstanding the depth of snow it has been a very mild winter. The thermometer has never fallen to zero here. A large amount of wood has been got out, five hundred cords or more. were well of the most beautiful cottages in this section of the Valley. The interior painting, which is just finished, was done by attistic manner, and reflects much credit on his genius as a painter.

The heavy fall of snow last Saturday made sleighing perfect for a short time.

Messrs. Crowe & Balcom moved their milt to Young's Cove last week. We learn they will not commence sawing until about the first of April.

Canada's Mineral Output.

The summary of the mineral production of canada has been issued by the geological survey for the year 1897. It shows the production of coal was valued at \$7,286,000; eduction of coal was valued at \$1,396,000; copper, \$150,000. The total production of metals for the one will be compared with \$22,609, one metallic and structural materials the total mineral production of Canada in 1897 will be compared with \$22,609, one metallic and structural materials the first of April.

Mr. John Hall and his sister, Mrs. John Phinney, have returned to their homes in Lynn, Mass., after visiting some friends

Mr. Isaian Saocan and the inflatoritude Go lose a fine cow.

Mr. J. Wihand, of Berwick, was the guest of Mr. Ernest Ray over Sunday.

Rev. E. P. Coldwell will preach next Sunday, 13th inst., at Havelock at 10.30, Arlington at 2.30, Hampton at 7. Prayer meeting at Port Lorne in the evening. Dominion Building and Loan Association. The seventh annual meeting of the Dominion Building & Loan Association held recently, in Toronto, disclosed a very prosperous condition. For the eight months, ending December 31st, its assets increased \$112,739.31, bringing them up to \$1,275.616.43. The total earnings for that period were \$77,563.96, and after deducting running expenses there remained \$61,358.34 for distribution.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

POWDER

Correspondence.

Washington, March 4.—Senator Turpie made an effort in the executive session of the Senate on Monday to secure the ratification of the treaty between the United States and Great Britain locating the 141st meridian as the boundary line between Alaska and British America, but failed because of objections made by Senator Pettigrew. Senator Turpie complained that the treaty had been on the calendar for almost a year and the bean on the calendar for almost a year and the branch of the government to take action. Senator Pettigrew said that the treats should be amended before it was acted upon by the Senate. He asserts that in its present shape it was a most essential concession to Great. Britain and said that it was accomplished without any amendment making Mount St. Elias the initial point on the south it would be found when two late that Canadians had gotten decidedly the better of the bargain. Action was postponed.

Government work in the way of reducing to record the channels, anchorages, harbors, navigable water bodies and other important for the contract of the contract of fail to complete the creates of geography in Alaska will be carried on next aummer and expedited as rapidly as possible. Supt Pritchell of the coast and geodetic survey has completed plans for this season's work, which will begin in Cook's Inlet. Parties will also make detail of Cook's Inlet. Parti

Skaguay passes.

Rush for the Klondyke.

Vancouver, March 4—It is estimated the government is making \$30 a minute issuing mining licenses to Yukoners in British Columbia.

In Victoria, all day, a double row of miners two blocks long are applying for licenses, and they are issued at the rate of two minute.

Here to a lesser degree the same conditions prevail. In all other places where licenses are sold the same rush is going on In Victoria, Seattle citizens are swarming in, after outfitting in the States, to buy licenses, while ninety Seattle people outfitted here on Monday and seventy yesterday after buying licenses.

New York, March 2.—The special train over the Pennsylvania road, carrying the reindeer and attendants for the government relief expedition to the Klondyke, left Jersey City Tuesday night for Seattle. The successive cars. The train was in two sections. There were 113 persons in the party. Five hundred and twenty-nine reindeer, in excellent condition, after 21 hours 'rest on land, filled the cars comfortably.

The Montreal Star says: Mr. Herbert Rowell, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, representing Hawthorn, Leslie & Co., who it is understood have received or will shortly receive from Peterson, Tate & Co., the contract for build, March 5th, 1889. cure the remission of the guilt or punishmen

Canadian Trans-Atlantic Greyhounds.

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PORT MULGRAVE, June 5th, 1897. C. C. RICHARDS & Co.
DEAR SIRS, -MINARD'S LINIMENT i

Births.

Church Services, Sunday, March 13th. Church of England.—Rev. F. P. Greatorex.
Rector. In St. James, Bridgetown: Service
with celebration of Holy Communion at 11;
Sunday-School at 2; Evening Service at 7.
Sewing Circle on Monday evening. Bible
Class on Tuesday evening. Services on
Thursday at 4 and 7.30. Young People's Circle
on Friday. In St. Mary's, Belleisle: Service
at 2.30. All seats free.

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Lawrencetown, Feb. 18th, 1898.

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