

several feet they came upon a birch-bark box, which corresponded with the tales which history and tradition had related as the kind of casket that held Marquette's bones. The fragments were carefully collected, and, after a minute examination, were pronounced by competent authorities to be the remains of a human being. Then they were given a handsome receptacle, and placed within the chapel, the successor of the old one, and situated about half a mile from it.

This is the story, and the claim is about complete. There can hardly be any reasonable doubt that this is Marquette's body. It has rested for 200 years, with no shaft over it, and no inscription above it to tell that here lies the distinguished explorer-priest.

The Old Log-House, erected in 1794 by Governor Simcoe on the south side of the Kingston road, a short distance beyond the Don, was yesterday conveyed from its original site to the Exhibition Grounds. The building was taken to pieces and conveyed to its new site on four waggons, which passed along King-street shortly after mid-day. On the leading waggon was the York Pioneers' flag, while the Union Jack floated from that in the rear.—*Toronto Globe, July 22.*

#### EDITORIAL.

**W**E regret that in presenting the first number of a new volume we have to apologize for a longer delay than has ever happened in our issue since the commencement of *THE ANTIQUARIAN*. It has arisen from an accident which rendered it necessary for us to cancel several pages after it was in type, and other circumstances which we could not control. We hope such a mishap may never befall us again.

We have to thank our friends for their patience with us, and repeat our hopes of more faithful performance in the future.