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New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, 15 and 6 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser:

| Yesterday's | Clore, Open, High, Low, 2 p. m. | Atcheson | Clore, Open, High, Low, 2 p. m. | Atcheson Pfd | 29¼ | 20½ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 21 | 20¼ | 23½ | 23½ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¾ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¾ | 22¾ | 22¼ | 22¾ | 22¾ | 22¾ | 22¾ | 22¾ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22¼ | 22 New York, Feb. 2. Yesterday's Lead 24½
Leather 75½ 75½
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The Oil Market. PITTSBURG. Pa., Feb. 21.—Oil opened at \$1 68; closed at \$1 68.

English Markets. Liverpool, Feb. 21-Closing.

Liverpool. Feb. 21—Closing.
Wheat — Spot, duli; winter, firm; No. 1
Cal., no stocks: No. 2 red western winter.
no stocks: No. 1 red northern, spring,
firm; 6s 1½d; No. 1 red northern, Duluth,
67 10½d; futures quiet, March, 5s 9½d; May,
5s 9½d; July, 5s 9½d.
Corn—Spot, quiet, American mixed, new,
3s 8½d; 1o, oid, quiet, 3s 9d; futures,
quiet, Feb., 3s 8½d; March, 3s 8½d; May,
3s 7½d.

Pass—Western 5s 10½d. Connedian 5s 5½d.

Peas.—Western. 5s 10½d. Canadian, 5s 5½d. Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 7s 3d; Minn., 7s 3d. 3d; Minn., 7s 3d.

Beef—Prime mess steady, 72s 6d; extra India mess, steady, 80s.

Pork—Firm; prime mess, fine western, 50s 3d; do, medium, western, 42s 6d.

Lard—American refined, in pails, firm, 33s; prime western in tierces, firm, 31s; mid-

dlings, light, dull, 23s.

Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs., easy. 48s.

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Bacou—Cumberland cut. 28 to 30 lbs., easy.
35s; short ribs. 18 to 22 lbs., steady. 35s 6d;
long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs., dull.
35s; long clear middles, heavy. 35 to 40 lbs.,
dull. 35s 6d; short clear backs. 16 to 18 lbs.
dull. 35s; clear bellies. 14 to 16 lbs., dull.
38s 6d;

Shoulders—equare, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 33s.
Butter—Finest American and good, nominal.
Cheese—American finest white, firm, 60s;
colored, firm, 62s; do. old, firm, 54s 6d;
ordinary, new, 43s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city, strong, 29s; Australian in London, firm, 29s.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast), dull, £3 5s

Cottonseed oil—Duil: Hull refined may and Aug., steady, 22s 6d.
Turpentine spirits—Steady, 41s 3d.
Rosin—Common, firm, 5s.
Linseed oil—24s 9d.
Petroleum—Refined, 75d.

American Markets

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Opening—Wheat, May. 38c to 68%; July, 36%c. Oorn, May, 35%c to 36%c; July, 25%c to 35%c; Oats. May. 23%c. Pork, May. 310 95. Lard, May, \$6 02 to \$6 05. Ribs, May. \$6 to \$6 02.

Chicago Exchange.
CHICAGO. Feb. 21.
Following are the fluctuations on the Chicage Board of Trade furnished by F. H. broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278. Open High. Low. Wheat-May .. 68

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cents and 50 cents. German experience is reported to show a depreciation of acetylene when kept for a time in gas holders, the lighting power being appreciably less at the end of 12 hours.

Warning. How man people contract diseases drinking polluted water, when could avoid all danger by affding world-renowned tonic, of exquisite

Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, Feb. 21-10 a.m.-Probabili-ties for the next 24 hours for the lower lake regions: Strong easterly winds: milder, with

sleet or rain before night. Thursday, mild, with occasional rain or sleet.

Toronto, Feb. 20—8 p.m.—A fairly pronounced low area is tonight centered in the lower Mississippi valley, and from present indications will move northeastward into the lake region. Fine, moderately cold weather has prevailed during today from the Maritime Provinces westward to the Rockies, and the general outlook is for milder rather than for colder weather.

Minimum and maximum tempera-tures—Victoria, 42-48; Calgary, 2 be-low-40; Edmonton, 6 below-12; Prince Albert, 28 below-8; Qu'Appelle, 24 be-low-6; Winnipeg, 4 below-12; Port Arthur, zero-20; Parry Sound, 2 below-28; Toronto, 8-25; Ottawa, 8-28; Montreal, 12-24; Quebec, 14-26; Halifax, 24-34. sun rises at 7:07 and sets at 5:56. Moon rises at 0:18 a.m.; sets at 10:01

-Ald. Plant's condition remains unchanged.

-The city council will prepare for a public celebration if the rumored relief of Ladysmith is confirmed. -Two offenders faced the P. M. tothe other, a girl charged with

rancy, promised to leave town, and

was also discharged. -In the special dispatch from Toronto, printed on our front page, the name "Threeves," should read F. C. Beers, and "Foorenteite" should read Marantette, both of the 21st Battalion,

-The funeral of the late Miss Jane Hepperworth took place today from the G. T. R. station to Woodland Cemetery, on the arrival of the 11:40 train from Toronto. Rev. Canon Smith officiated. Miss Hepperworth died in Toronto yesterday, at the age of 75 years. She was the sister of Nelson Haskett, of con. 5, London township.

-Tomorrow evening, at the Audit-orium the new city Horticultural Society will hold their first public meetwhen an address on "Moral and Social Influence of Horticulture in Home-Surroundings" will be delivered by Mr. T. H. Race, the well-known specialist. An interesting programme of songs, recitations, etc., will also be given, and an address by Rev. Dr. Bethune on "Insects Injurious to House Plants, and How to Combat The admission is free, and the public is cordially invited. Inquiries will be answered by competent growers, on all questions pertaining to horticultural matters.

CONCERT TONIGHT. The promenade concert at the drill shed will doubtless be largely attended by those who desire to contribute something towards the support of the wives and dependents of our boys

Late Sporting.

Utica, N. Y., Feb. 21.-The United States rinks won the Gordon International two-rink match played in this city yesterday afternoon. Two Canadian and two American rinks contested, and in both cases the adians lost. Scores: Rink 1, 16-15 rink 2, 30-7.

TURF. New York, Feb. 20 .- The stewards of the jockey club met yesterday, and the following schedule of racing dates for the season of 1900, all dates inclusive, was announced: Washington Jockey Club, spring meeting, April 2-14; Queen's County Jockey Club, spring meeting, April 16 to May 4; West-chester Racing Association, spring spring meeting, May 2-25; Brooklyn Jockey Club. spring meeting, May 26 to June 15: Coney Island Jockey Club. summer meeting, June 16 to July 4; Brighton Beach Racing Association, July 5 to Aug. 8: Saratoga Association. Aug. 1-31; Coney Island Jockey Club, autumn meeting, Aug. 25 to Sept. 8; Brooklyn Jockey Club, autumn meeting, Sept. 10-20; Westchester Racing Association, autumn meeting. Oct. 1-Empire City Jockey Club, Oct. 22 to Nov. 3: Queen's County Jockey Club, autumn meeting, Nov. 5-15;

BASEBALL. Chicago, Feb. 21 .- What will probably prove to have been the final attempt to revive the American Baseball association has been stifled by President Anson. The leader of the new league refused point blank to call a meeting of the association, constitution and bylaws to the contrary, nothwithstanding. He said: "I can see no use in having a meeting in Baltimore, or anywhere else."

Washington Jockey Club, autumn

meeting, Nov. 17-30.

Monday Evaning's Great Play

See the Great Cocoa Dance by Six Kaffirs in Native Costume.

Special interest centers in the heliograph scene which occurs at end of third act. This being the first time for such a production in America. The entire outfit for wigs, moustaches, etc., has been secured from Prof. Dorenwend, of Toronto. The Boer home in the third act will

be thoroughly staged in the old Dutch Tomorrow morning the plan opens for ticket holders at box offices, Opera

THAT HACKING COUGH is a warning not to be lightly treated. Pyny-Pectoral cures with absolute certainty all recent coughs and colds. Take it in time. Manufactured by the pro-prietors of Perry Davis' Pain-Killer. A few years ago there was on a farm near Stuart, Va., an apple tree which produced at one bearing 130 bushels. It shaded at meridian 90 feet of ground

BEECHAM'S PILLS For Bilious and Nervous Disorders Are Without a Rival. ANNUAL SALES OVER 6,000,000 BOXES.

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25 Cents at all Druggists.

Berlin Dispatch Says He Is Cornered by the British.

A Paris Report States That Ladysmith Has Bean Relieved-Buller Saysthe Fifth Division Has Crossed the Tugela-All the Enemy's Guns Silenced.

CRONJE IN A BAD WAY.

London, Feb. 21.-A private telegram received from Berlin this afternoon declares that Gen. Cronje is in a bad position, bearing out yesterday's Berlin rumor that Gen. Cronje was surrounded, and that a time limit had been given him within which to capi-Berlin evidently believes the report

that Gen. Cronje is surrounded, as large German buying occurred on the stock exchange today. News has so often reached the continental capitals day. One, a drunk, was let go, and ahead of England that it is possible these reports are true. Paris, Feb. 21 .- The London corre-

spondent of the Journal des Debats telegraphs that a dispatch has been received at Windsor announcing that Ladysmith has been relieved. New York, Feb. 21.—The Evening Journal has a dispatch which it says comes from a correspondent with Gen. White's forces. It follows: Ladysmith, Feb. 20, by heliograph to Colenso, Feb. 21.—The Boers have removed their "long Tom" from Bulwana hill. Buller's naval guns are now reaching the Boer position. We expect relief

within two days. WHAT BULLER SAYS. London, Feb. 21, 4:27 p. m.—The war office has received the following from Gen. Buller: "Chieveley Camp, Feb. 21.
—The Fifth division crossed the Tugela today by pontoon, and drove back the enemy's rear guard, our naval 12-pounder silencing all of the enemy's

GEN. MACDONALD.

London, Feb. 21-5:07 p.m.-The war office confirms the report that Gen. Macdonald has been severely wounded. Further details of the attack made by Col. Plumer's forces on the Boer position defended by a 12-pounder near Crocodile Pools, not far from Gaberones, show that as the British were struggling up the hill in the dark through a net of barbed wire, they alarmed the Boer watch-dogs. The Boers opened fire and the British charged, but the Boers exploded dynamite mines, doing much damage, and the British retreated.

BOER REPORTS. Pretoria, Tuesday, Feb. 20.-Official reports have been received as follows: Commandant Steyn says that on Saturday, Feb. 17, and Sunday, Feb. 18, near Koodoosrand, he fought the British, who tried to encompass Gen. Cronje's laager and drove them off. They fought until late Sunday evening. The Boers had one man killed and one wounded, and captured booty and 21 horses and mules.

SERIOUS BRITISH LOSS London, Feb. 21-5:47 p.m.-The following dispatch has been received at the war office from Lord Roberts: Paardeberg, Tuesday, Feb. 20.-Between Feb. 16 and Feb. 18. Major-Gen. Knox was wounded, Major-Gen. Hector Macdonald severely wounded, and Lieut.-Col. Aldword was killed. The war office adds that no details of the fighting have yet been received. These casualties occurred fighting near Paardeberg.

BULLER'S FOURTH ATTEMPT. Winston Churchill's account of Gen. Buller's fourth attempt to reach Ladysmith says: At last we have got on their flank, and although flerce fighting lies before us, it will give us considerable strategic advantage, and the relief of Ladysmith looks a good deal more hopeful.

Letters to the Editor.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Dear Sir,-When the new fire alarm system was introduced the department experienced much trouble from mischievous persons breaking the glass in the boxes, and having no other object in view than to see the firemen run. The small reward did not seem check the trouble, while a subsequent increase in the amount offered has apparently had the desired effect. Now wise and reasonable for our council to go thus far in protecting the fire department, would it not appear just as reasonable and just as practical to protect the ratepayer, who has in the end to pay for all. It is a notorious fact that window-breaking by boys or vandal tramps is getting to be a nuisance in this city. Cases have been cited in my hearing recently where houses have had scarcely a pane of glass left. To replace this in a vacant house is no small matter for a poor widow to make up who may be depending on a few houses for living. An even worse case was cited where not a only was the glass destroyed, but every inch of lead pipe of the plumbing had been taken, that when sold at the junk shop might bring seventy-five cents, but would cost to replace many dollars. The police cannot be everywhere. Why not make any citizen a policeman by paying him only when he or she performed special duty—that would be reporting similar cases to those cited-and receiving, say \$25 or \$50 reward? The junk dealer would then be a detective, and likely enough citizens would enlist in the service to soon compel that class of inhabitant to behave himelf or move away. I trust the aldermen may see their way to introduce some plan that will have a tendency to check or entirely prevent this evil. Yours truly, William Stowe, 379 Wellington St. MEAT AND CANCER.

The question how far the increase of cancer among the more highly civilized nations, which has appeared so marked during recent years, is caused by the greater quantity of meat which is eaten in prosperous countries is a matter of very considerable interest. That man is by nature not a vegetarian, in other words, that he is naturally not a mixed feeder, may be taken as pretty certain; but it is also certain that as the result of hard necessity meat has generally in times past been to him a luxury, and has but rarely formed a preponderating element in his diet. But with prosperity and with the greater ease with which animal food can now be obtained, we find whole nations fall-ing upon meat as a necessary ingredi-ent of their daily diet; and in the very nations among them, this change is most noticeable we are told that cancer ADKINS, Jeweler, East London. shows the greatest increase.

THE OCEAN

Against the Sea.

"Sable Island belongs to Nova Scotia, From Near-By Places. is 145 miles from Halifax and 85 miles east of Cape Canso," writes Gustav Kobbe in Ainslee's for February. "It is a treeless, shrubless waste, seamed by wind and wave, and of ever-changing aspect. A cone-shaped hill near the east end, once a mere undulation of sand, is now over 100 feet high, and is still growing. Other hillocks are grad-ually being mowed away by storms. The hillocks are liable to be undermined so swiftly and swept out of exist-ence that they are carefully watched from the various stations on the island, and, there being no certainty how far an inroad of the sea will extend after each successful attack. Even the coarse grass of the island grows in a differ-ent manner from that of the mainland. It does not bear seed, but shoots up from roots which run along under the sand. During the winter the sand it blown over the grass, and buries it sometimes three or four feet deep. But the hardy blades grow up next season, as if the island sands had protected them from the cold of winter in order to

make them all the stronger. "The island itself is fighting for selfpreservation. It seems as if it drew ships into its fatal embrace as rallying points for its loose and shifting sand, thus to protect itself by a bulwark of wrecks against annihilation by the sea. Tradition says that when Sable Island was discovered by Cabot in 1447, it was 80 miles long and 10 miles wide. In 1802, when a rescue station was established there, it was only 40 miles long. Since then it has shrunk to but little more than twenty miles in length, in width it is only a mile at its widest. Within 28 years the western end lost seven miles. Shoals over which the ocean now surges are pointed out as former sites of lighthouses. One of these was so swiftly undermined by the sea that it had to be abandoned with the greatest precipitation. The spot where once stood the superintendent's house is now under two fathoms of

"The Island, rapidly diminishing at its western end, is slightly gaining at its eastern. Slowly, like a ship drag-ging its anchor, it is moving eastward. Will it ever reach the edge of the shoals, stand tottering on the brink of the abyss till it receives its coup-degrace and plunge over the submarine bank forever into the denths? tunately its end will probably be less dramatic. There is good ground for believing that this gray sandbar will slowly wear away until it becomes another submerged shoal added to an ambuscade already some 60 miles in length-for a line of breakers extends sixteen miles from one end of the island and 28 miles from the other."

WHEAT PROVINCE AGAIN

William Lloyd, of Oakville, Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills, the Favorite Medicine of the Northwest.

Oakville, Man., Feb. 19.—There is no doubt about it; Dodd's Kidney Pills have become the most indispensable medicine of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories. The latest case re-ported is that of William Lloyd, of Cakville. Mr. Lloyd had diabetes. For three years he tried to cure himself. A doctor in Portage la Prairie tried in vain to cure him. Mr. Lloyd lost thirty pounds in three months, and thirst made his life a burden.

"I am taking Dodd's Kidney Pills regularly," he says, "three times a day and am picking up very fast. My thirst has left me, and I do not pass half so much urine. I have taken six boxes. and intend to take more. I am 55 years old, but I am confident Dodd's Kidney Pills are curing me."

LONDON STEAM DRAYS. Steam drays that haul three tons may now be seen in the streets of old London which have a speed of two and one-half, four and one-half and seven and one-half miles an hour forward, and two miles an hour backward. The vehicle is fifteen feet long, six feet six inches wide, and the platform which carries the load is a steel frame ten feet six inches long by five feet wide. The front wheels are of iron, two feet nine inches in diameter; the tires, four inches wide; driving wheels, three feet in diameter, and the tires five inches wide. The front wheels are con-trolled by worm gearing. Steam is generated by liquid fuel, and the engine is triple expansion, of fourteen horsepower, at 500 revolutions. There are two brakes, a band brake and a shoe brake. The water tank holds sixty-five gallons and the oil tank twenty-five gallons.

y disappointing. a poet. No wonder hope is so frequent-Hope is described as a fair woman by

Pimples And Boils.

Pimples and boils are simply evidences of the bad blood that is circulating in the system coming to the surface. The only way to rid yourself of boils, pimples, and all skin blotches and blemishes so that ing the success of the evening.

Mrs. W. H. Line and Miss again is to have the blood purified the home of Mrs. Frank Chittick. by Burdock Blood Bitters. It removes every particle of foul material from the blood and, as a result, the skin soon becomes clear and smooth. free from all eruptions.

PIMPLES ON THE FACE.

Mr. E. P. Barnaby, merchant tailor Shelburne, N.S., writes: "I take great pleasure in recommending B.B.B. to anyone who is troubled with pimples on the face, caused by impure blood. After paying out money to doctors and trying almost everything, I got discouraged and thought they could not be cured, but after using three bottles of B.B.B. the pimples vanished and I haven't been troubled with them since.

HAD TO QUIT WORK.

· I can heartily recommend Burdock Blood Bitters as a blood purifying remedy. Last fall while I was threshing I was taken with boils, which became so bad I had to quit work. I was advised to try B.B.B., which I did, and before I had finished one bottle P.O., Ont.

5c Cigar. Union Has been on the market for years. Try it WM. ATKINS, Manufacturer.

GLADSTONE

Gladstone, Feb. 21.-A meeting of the pairons of the cheese and creamery factory was held Feb. 7, President A. A. McCallum in the chair. Messrs Morris McMurray, Walter Lane, Andrew Dodds and William Watcher were elected directors. Mr. G. B. Brodie was appointed salesman, without a salary. Colin Campbell was elected auditor. The output is as follows: Total pounds milk, 2,067,735; cheese, 188,642 pounds; receipts, \$18,932 87; paid patrons, \$15,721 92; average price, 10.06; pounds milk per pound of cheese, 10.96; paid patrons per 100 pounds milk, 81 cents. Mr. Brodie agreed to manufacture cheese for \$1 per cwt. when delivered at factory,

per cwt. when delivered at factory, and \$150 when on routes.

A quiet wedding was celebrated at the home of J. H. Topham on Wednesday, Feb. 14, when Mr. G. W. Tomlin, a progressive farmer of East Williams led to the altar Miss Ida Topham. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Mahan, of Dorchester Station. The charivari party received the sum of 25 cents for their nocturnal serenade.

WARWICK.

Warwick, Feb. 21.-Dancing parties are very popular in South Warwick this winter-two or three in one night, and a great many more coming off.

The council of Enniskillen threw out the local option bylaw, after being carried by the people. Is that legal? It is a good deal cheaper than brick

here, yet they say the brickyards are booming. Union Lodge, I. O. G. T., intends to hold an open meeting on March 19, investigating. on the sixth line of Warwick.

DORCHESTER STATION.

Dorchester Station, Feb. 21. - Mr. John Little succumbed to a severe attack of pneumonia on Tuesday, Feb. 13, at the family residence after an illness of three weeks, which was borne with Christian resignation. Deceased was greatly admired for his sterling integrity and amiable disposition. Mr. Little was born in Tungarth, Scotland, May 12, 1835. In 1854, after a tempestuous voyage of seven weeks and three days, he landed at Quebec, and subsequently went to Burlington Beach. He entered the service of Mr. Andrew Little, an uncle, of Nassagawega, as a farmer for two years, and was subsequently apprenticed to Mr. George McLean as a miller. He afterward entered the service of James Wilson In the oatmeal mill department. Thence he removed to Ingersoll, where

he took the position of head miller for Mr. John Stewart. During his stay there he married Miss Agnes, daughter of Mr. John Brown, of Ingersoll, in 1865. He then carried on milling at Putnam until 1873, whence he removed to East Nissouri and leased Yorke's mill. In 1877 he went to farming, having purchased lot 17, con. 4, North Dorchester, north of the Thames, he lived continuously. He was of David Little, and his maiden name was Mary Williamston. William Little, of Glasgow, and James Little (twins), of Guelph Ont.; Christopher Little, of Corrie-Commons, Scotland; Mrs. John Graham, of Belleville, and Mrs. Samuel Davis, of Sidney, Northumberland, comprise the brothers and sisters of the departed. The interment occurred Thursday, Feb. 15, to the Ingersoll the family home, and the Rev. R. Hutt, of Ingersoll, at the grave. Dereham; William Little, of

cemetery. Rev. Malcolm Kay, pastor, conducted the funeral services at family of nine, five survive, namely: Mrs. Thomas Hunter, of Dorchester Station; Mrs. Fred Rath of Verschoyle, Dorchester, and Alberta and Arthur, at the maternal home. The pall-bearwere Messrs. James, Andrew, David and Thomas Brown. Thomas Little, of Guelph, nephew. The Ladies' guild of St. (Anglican) Church, Dorchester Station, held a most enjoyable social on the evening of St. Valentine's day at residence of Mrs. Frank Chittick, Hamilton road. The spacious home

was filled with a merry company, many of whom had remembrances of similar happy occasions in previous years. The supper provided could not be excelled. After everyone had feasted to their heart's content an interesting program was introduced. The music rendered by the Taylor family, of Belmont, was highly applauded. Messrs. Clark and Norton and the Misses Clark, of Crumlin, added much to the programme in two songs and the same number of recitations. Mr. H. Shaw gave a most impressive song, in the choir of the church assisted. Little Jessie Ford's recitation was perhaps the feature of the evening, while Miss Swartz sang "Yearning for Home" and "Only a Sweet Little Flower" very creditably. Miss S. Chit-tick's instrumental called forth an en-core. Miss Edith Tailock sang very prettily, "Riding On a Load of Hay and a charade by four girls was well rendered. A souvenir of the occasion, in the form of a valentine, was given to everyone present. The congregation owe their heartiest thanks Chittick and her son and daughter for their kind and generous aid in promotthey'll never return to bother you Mrs. W. H. Line and his at Line, of London, are recuperating at

Reeve Neely shipped one carload of hogs (double-deck) on Tuesday and one on Thursday, also double decked, consigned to the Hamilton Packing Company. Price paid, \$4 60 per cwt., live weight.

Messrs. George Alderson and James Wilson shipped a carload of hogs on Friday for the London Packing Com-Price paid, \$4 75 per cwt., live pany.

Mrs. Leslie, relict of John Leslie, fell upon the ice on Thursday and sustained a severe contusion of one of her hips, together with internal injuries. The home of John Collins, of Putnam, is quarantined because of diph-

A charivari party of about 30 was inaugurated at the home of Mr. John H. Topham, of Mossley, on Wednesday night last. The only cause assigned was that a bachelor had wooed and won a fair maid of 15 summers.

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