LOCAL SUMMARY.

ATHENS AND NEIGHBORING LOCALI THE RRIEFLY WRITTEN UP.

Events as Seen by Our Knight of th Pencil.—Local Announcement

Athens photograph collery has changed hands. Mr. late of Smith's Falls, is the new partietor. 5,000 Deacon Skins wanted at the Athens Meat Market by Wilson &

Mr. Truman Cadwell has returned to Athens from Lombardy and taken a position in the mill of S. Y. Bullis. The ladies of the Methodist church W. M. S. will hold a thank offering service in the vestry on the afternoon of Good Friday.

Members of the L. & G. B. K. A will learn with regret that the apiary of Mr. F. W. Fulford, Brockville, was

In the spring a young man's fancy will turn to a new suit. Our new goods are stylish and we are not afraid at their merits. See them .-G. E. Dougall.

Brockville's tax rate has been struck for this year at 22 mills on the dollar, and the taxes must be paid before a ratepayer will be given a ballot at next municipal election.

The merry music of many robins greeted the first beams of the rising sun yesterday. They are what the Recorder calls "real robins." The "local" of that journal can't tell a robin from a grossbeak until he hears it

Thomas Robinson, an aged man maintained at the House of Industry by Brockville died at that institution last week. He was the first person admitted to the home on its completion The body was removed to Brockville

Officers of the Salvation Army fro Brockville closed the work in town with a farewell meeting held in the Methodist church on Monday even-The labors of the Army in Athe have resulted in good to many, but th financial support given was not suffi-

We said last week that the B. & W. Thursday, and the large forces of men would have realized that blockade was not finally raised unti train of eleven cars passed up the line actively at work, and will contin ek the trains are running on schedule

tow of them have taken the commend able step of forming a club-in fact, two clubs. The membership of each is various questions debated. On Saturday evening one of the clubs debated Of course, as was fitting in this county, such a close second that final judgment

preliminary hearing of the recent shooting affair in Brockville, con-ducted by Police Magistrate Deacon this week at the General Hospital, Lapointe was transferred from that

The people of Frankville are con gratulating themselves upon their narrow escape from an extensive con-lagration. About seven o'clock on Friday morning smoke was seen issu ing from the dry goods store of F. A. Crate. An alarm was at once giv and an entrance being effected it was near the big box stove had taken fire during the night and that about eight feet square of flooring had been completely the stove being kept out of the cella only by the heavy timbers on which the floor had rested. The fire was still smouldering, but was promptly tinguished. The damage will be din avy, principally on the stock. and contents were insured in the Royal for \$2,100.

The building was so situated that in its destruction by fire a half-dozen shops and houses would necessarily be

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Brockville. On Thursday evening of last week he suffered another stroke, which completely paralyzed his right side, and he became unconscious and continued to sink until 6 a. m. on Monday morning, when he died.

There were few men better known in the township of Elizabethtown than the township of Elizabethtown than Mr. Brown. Born at the village of New Dublin in the year 1849, he was in his 47th year at the time of his death. He was a son of Jacob Brown, who for many years held the position of township clerk of Elizabethtown. At the death of his father, Nicholas was appointed clerk in his stead, and filled the office with ability ever since. Mr.

-Mr. Robt. Bowie, of Brockville, the owner of Cedar Park Hotel, Char ton, was in Athens last Sunday.

—Snow shovellers had just a trifle much experience this year of "wir lingering in the lap of spring." A course of Hood's Sarsaparilla thi spring may be the means of keeping you well and hearty all summer. -Mining operation will be resumed at Hicks' point, Charleston Lake, just as Two girls wanted, to learn dross

-Within a week or two it is pr that the Gordon woolen mill will be in full operation for the season of 1896. Just as soon as the weather will per mit it is the intention of the proprietor of the Gamble House to finish and furnish the large new addition to his first class hotel.

oon as the snow disappears.

—H. N. Mosher, better known to our readers as "Doc" Mosher, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is able to be out on the street and is slowly gaining strength.

was in Athens a few hours on Monday last. Mr. Mackie thinks that Hon. John F. Wood will have a walk over in the Brockville riding.

—Timber Boss John Flood is getting

everything ready to do rafting and make an early start down the St. Law-rence to Quebec. He expects to float the timber down the river no later than May 1st.

-Parliament will die a natural dea April 24th, and as yet nobody seems to know who will be chosen by the Conservatives of this riding to stand next election. The Conservative convention has not even been called yet. Is it possible that our Tory friends have de-cided to drop out of the race entirely this time?

-Fishery Overseer Hicks has be consulted by the Department of Fisheries as to the advisability of granting permits to fish for suckers. Mr. Hicks' opinion has always been that no harm esults from fishing for this species of fish, provided the persons engaged in such fishing would refrain from killing game fish. In all probability permits will be granted subject to supervis of the overseer.

Some Indians living in this neighborhood are liable to get themselves into trouble. It seems that these abor-igines are not satisfied to do their trapcutting open muskrat houses on Wiltse Lake and setting traps therein. Complaint has been made to a magistrate, and probably those Indians will yet learn that the law wili not permit them to be as destructive as they wish to be.

-The local lodge of Orangemen have employed would have realised that expectation, but on the afternoon of that day another big storm crossed the track and piled up the snow so that the blookade was not finally raised until anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne The express came in on the at Athens next July. At the next lodge meeting the committee will get

this village. The "semi-occasional" debates in We regret to announce the death of bought out Ed. Curry and resumed the the high school not proving a sufficient an old resident of the township of outlet for the oratory of the students, a Yonge, Mr. Thomas Jacobs of the Dobbs Settlement, which sad event took place on Sunday morning last. Mr. Jacobs was seized with an attack of la grippe limited to to twelve, in order that all last week, which rapidly developed inmay have a chance to speak on the to pneumonia, he being confined to his Rector, Rev. Wm. Wright, officiating as a detending our synpathy to the widow and children of the deceased in their great loss. Mr. Jacobs was 66 years

Hints to Correspondents.

Write the name of your post office he has not yet by any means recovered from the injuries inflicted upon him on that eventful day. At no time since his arrest has Lapointe given the least rign of a realization of the gravity of his position. He has not mentioned a word about the crime one way or the other, and when the subject is broached by the guards he turns the conversation to something else with remarkable shrewdness.

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Write the name of your post office and date. Be careful to spell all proper names correctly, and write every letter in them plainly. You may describe unusually sovere local storms, but in no other case should you speak a bout the weather. Number the pages of your manuscript; don't number the other, and when the subject is broached by the guards he turns the conversation to something else with remarkable shrewdness.

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readers. Do not say "yesterday" or "to morrow." Give date. Write nothing but the truth and never send an

item calculated to hurt anybody's feelings or to gratify petty spite. The Bukingham Post says: Mr. A. Page went through a thrilling experience recently while in one of the Maclarens' shantise under the foregraph of the same of the Maclarens' shantise under the foregraph of the same of the same of the same of the evening has been in course of preparation for some time, so something especially good may be anticipated Admission, 10c. A thrilling Experience curdling sound greeted his ears. Short brother. On the same day the electric of grippe. Or erhaps it was an equilibrate, a large deer emerged from the thick forest, and with a bound attempted to leap over the sleigh, but its strength having been about spent, the poor animal, exhausted, rested just across the load of logs. The deer was across the load of logs. The deer was leading to brother. On the same day the electric of grippe. Or erhaps it was an equilibrate of grippe. Or jerhaps it was an equilibrate electric of grippe. Or jerhaps it was an equilibrate electric of grippe. Or jerhaps it was an equilibrate electric of grippe. Or jerhaps it was an equilibrate electric of grippe. Or jerhaps it was an equilibrate electric of grippe. Or jerhaps it was an equilibrate electric of grippe. Or jerhaps it was an equilibrate electric of grippe. Or jerhaps it was an equilibrate electric of grippe. Or jerhaps it was an equilibrate electric of grippe. Or jerhaps it was an equilibrate electric elect poor animal, exhausted, rested just across the load of logs. The deer was being pursued by a pack of hungry wolves. Mr. Page called to his companions, who were some distance behind. The wolves by this time had arrived, howling and lighting upon the scene, and with horses, teamster and deer, no doubt the ravenous pack expected a royal feast, but the timely appearance of the other teamsters frightened the beasts, and they scampered off through the woods. After respected the woods are respected to the propose an amendment, that the close repropose an amendment, that the close respected an area of the policy of the propose an amendment, that the close respected in the propose an amendment is all right, but we propose an amendment, that the close respected in the propose an amendment is all right, but we propose an amendment, that the close respected in the propose an amendment is a possible to this work.

Mills will probably go home for a few days the latter part of this week.

Lectures are not as a rule a strong drawing card with the citizens of Athens, but certainly the lecture delivered by Rev. J. J. Cameron in the Presbyterian church on Friday evening deserved a much larger audience that which assembled. The subject was "Evolution," and the lecture's treatment of it was such as to profit and highly please all who attended.

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township clerk of Elizabethtown. At the death of his father, Nicholas was appointed clerk in his stead, and filled the office with ability ever since. Mr. Brown was a Conservative in politics, and, possessing an abundance of ready wit and a fluent tongue, was often called upon to take part in political contests on behalf of his party. He was also a prominent society man, being a Mason, Orangeman and Forester. He married Maggie Goff of the Redan neighborhood. She died about three years 3go, leaving a family of six children, all of whom survive both their parents

The funeral is being held to-day (Wednesday) at 2 p. m., at the English Church, New Dublin, under the auspices of the different societies of which he was a member.

The was a member.

Mrs. O Lillie, Newboro, is in Athens this week, the guest of Mrs. A. R.

making. Apply to Mrs. Pritchard,

Prices count :- You can save 20% by buying your spring hat or cap at H. H. Arnold's. New stock now in. A. M. Chassels, the "old reliable" tailor, will move into his new stand in the old post office building on Friday

Rev. Mr. Puttingham Westyort has resigned his charge of the Baptist church and takes Delta, Phillipsville Rev. W. A. McKenzie, B. D., of Brockville, occupied the pulpit of St. Paul's on Sabbath last, his work in Brockville being taken by Rev. Mr.

This is all-fools' day.

next.

Cameron. The maple sugar season has opened very auspiciously, and though the sea-son must necessarily be short, a fair average production is anticipated.

For the next ten days H. H. Arnold will offer special low prices in lace curtains, window shades and wall paper A golden opportunity for those who want these goods. Mrs. John Drewry, mother of Mr. Fred Drewry, who last season managed Cedar Park Hotel at Charleston Lake,

died on Thursday at her home in Nev burgh. Our readers will be pleased to learn that Mr. P. P. Slack, who has been dangerously ill for several days, is now much better and in a fair way to a

speedy recovery. Parliament has decided to dissolve on April 25th. When the elections will be held has not yet been announced, but it is expected that they will be held either in the month of June or

The Methodists of Westport are The Methousis of Westport are busy getting out timber for their new parsonage hall and sheds, and have a subscription list that guarantees the enterprise being carried out.

Recorder :- Rev. J. J. Cameron, Athens, preached at both services i the First Presbyterian church yester day, and his able discourses were ened to with much interest and ap

CASH _\$8000.00 worth of crockery china and glassware at Bankrup! price ne Sale continues for a short 'tin delivering welcome consignments of goods at the various stations. This shall have been pronounced the most

Wm G. McLaughlin, the barber, has barber business in the old post office building, next to H. H. Arnold's store and hopes by close attention to busi-ness and good work to receive a call from all his old customers and the public generally.

to pneumonia, he being confined to his bed only a couple of days. He was very highly respected in the community as an earnest, sober, God fearing man. His funeral was held yesterday, (Tuesday), in Christ Church, Athens, the Rector, Rey, Wm. Wright, officiating, as a model host and in its capacity was widely known. at his residence on the Perth road, about six miles from Brockville. For several years he conducted an hotel, a d in this capacity was widely known as a model host and jovial companion Deceased leaves a widow and children, four sons and three daught-

Mis. Field of the Brockville College of age, and was born on the farm on has about completed arrangements to spoke to them. The answered by which he died. Mr. McLennan expects to take a posi-

the whole news and nothing but the probably become a permanent member news. Do not write an item that will of the Athenian colony in the Empire

This (Wednesday) evening the high shool students will hold a public de-bate and entertainment in the lecture room, to which they extend a cordial ivitation to the general public. The program for the evening has been in

shanties under the foremanship of Mr. X Cititizens of Athens will learn with J. Miller. One extremely cold morning Mr. Page, with a number of other high school staff was called to his home. That woman who took hold of the In Miler.

In Miler and the model of the wire brought bad news to Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction by fire of Mr. J. H. In Star a large deer emerged from the destruction deep large from the death of his off the wire must have been a clear case of Grippe. Or perhaps it was an equi-

The village of Westport will apply for incorporation at the June session of the Counties Council. says don't put a drop of water on the plant known as the Snake or Rat Tail cactus from the time when it is taken in from the fall frosts until returned to the veranda in the spring. Then apply water at regular intervals, and the force accumulated by no winter growth will burst forth in a profusion of large light and dark pink flowers, apparently forming the miniature drupery into fancy festoons. I think the various species of cacti are by far the most wonderful family of flowers in the world. To my fancy they ever actus from the time when it is taken the world. To my fancy they ever shadow a forbidding exclusiveness, nanifest a lone dignity and invest themselves in a mysterious majesty which never fails to take us by sur when flowering. Even the cactus freely embroiders its lace robe with little stars of pure white, in form and shape like the pale blue forget me

> If you happen to rot your cacti down with water, cut the top off and reset as a slip in fresh earth.

WEDNESDAY, March 25 .- Mr. and Mrs. Torrence Marshall of Prescott are renewing old acquaintance in and around Gosford. A large number of juvenile sports enjoyed coasting on Marshall's hill

revious to the recent storm.

Mr. Fred Oxby, who has had severe attack of pneumonia, is slowly

ecovering.

A large number of the elite spent most enjoyable evening at the home of Mr. N. Walker recently. Our schools are progressing nicely ander the able management of Geo. E. Scott.

ELBE MILLS.

Our school is advancing favorably nder the able management of Miss L FRIDAY, March 27 .- Revival service

re anxiously awaited.

Mr. McCleary, our cheese-maker, ha taken up his abode in this place. Mr. La Grippe has been visiting his many friends in this place of late.

Wedding bells ring on Tole street in the near future Some of our lady sports have been discussing the bicycle.
bloomers indispensable? Query : Are

Our young people purpose starting a eague. Wo wish them success.

Those from this section who attended the recent party report a fine time Dame Rumor tells us one of our young men has secured the contract of bailding the "Water View" boarding house at Union Valley.

BROWN'S CORNERS.

MONDAY, March 30 .- Mrs. McLare on the sick list. A great number of our respected itizens are complaining of la grippe; in fact, it has taken a rather sev grip on Wm. Reynolds, as he is suffer

ing great pain in the head.

Byron Leveret'e of Brockville is visiting friends in this vicinity, the guest of Sacuel Hanton. On Tuesday evening about ten o'clock he started for his uncle's. He met taree s orts and ling by his head. Such sports shoul

FRONT OF YONGE.

Monday, March 30 - Mr. Kenney of Seeleys' Bay is making an extended visit with a friend in Cai-town. We are sorry to hear that Father Kelly of Wexford had to be taken to the Kingston hospital for treatment.

Mr. Georg · Lowe of McIntosh Miles has recently suffered from an ulcerated

It is reported that A. Eigley has a cow that gave birth to a calf, minus the

Mr. C. F. Kerr, Portland, spent Sunday in Athens.

Mr. Chas. Howe has material on the ground for the erection of a large horse barn on his property, Main street east.

On account of funds accumulating quickly, will lend money on real estate at the very lowest rate—\$12,000 on hand now. Mortgages also purchased.

—JOHN CAWLEY, Athens, Ont.

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Mrs. William Ennis of Frankville says don't put a drop of water on the plant known as the Snake or Rat Tail

children (all twins).

Rev. Father Kelly left for the Hotel Dieu, Kingston, where he will be treated by the eminent Dr. Sullivan and have the many advantages that excellent institution affords. The Sisters who have been attending him, Rev. Father Collins, and Vicar-General Gauthier accompanied him to Kingston. Rev. Father Collins returned home next day with the good news that the patient was feeling much better though a little tired after the journey.

DEATH FROM HEART FAILURE

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That Might Have Been Avoided by the Use of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart.

Promptness is the first essential in all cases of sickness, and especially in heart disease. Minutes may mean everything. The use of an effective medicine may mean the saving of a life, where the u e of that possessing little power may simply leave death to take its course. One great virtue of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart is that it gives relief almost immediately, whether the c-se be that of organic or sympathetic heart disease. The numerous testimonials received by the proprietor of this medicine bear the strongest testimony to this fact. "I would complete the complete of the medicine bear the strongest testimony to this fact. "I would complete the complete of the medicine bear the strongest testimony to this fact. "I would complete the complete of the medicine bear the strongest testimony to this fact. "I would complete the complete of the medicine bear the strongest testimony to this fact. "I would complete the complete of the medicine bear the strongest testimony to this fact. "I would complete the complete of the medicine bear the strongest testimony to this fact. "I would complete the complete of the medicine bear the strongest testimony to this fact. "I would complete the complete of the medicine bear the complete of the murder of 4000 people for the mur sympathetic heart disease. The numerous testimonials received by the proprietor of this medicine bear the strongest testimony to this fact. "I would not have been alive to-day had it not been for your medicine," is the cheering refrain of a large percentage of the letters received by the proprietor of this ters received by the proprietor of this remedy. Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son.

VITIONAL LIBERAL PROPRATION. entinued Confidence Expressed in Lord

ionitiused Confidence Expressed in Lord Excebery Sympathy with Armenians London, March 27.—At to-day's session of the conference of the National Liberal Federation at Huddersfield, Riobt J. Price, M.P., moved a resolution designed to settle the question of the leadership of the Liberal party. The resolution, which was seconded by Herbert Samuel, secretary of the Roman State of the Liberal party. The resolution, which was seconded by Herbert Samuel, secretary of the Roman Liberal Federation, supported by Herbert J. Gladstone, M.P., and unanimously adopted, was as follows; "That this council reaffirms its adherence to the principles for which the federation has always contended, records its continued confidence in Lord Resebery and his colleagues, and pledges itself not to rest until, by education in Liberal principles, and by the organization of Liberal forces in the constituencies, the triumph of the party is again assured."

Only 40 Liberal members of the House of Commons were present. Lord Resebery was the only member of the late Liberal Cabinet in attendance.

The meeting approved of a set of resolutions re-electing Dr. Robert Spence Watson, president, and Mr. Ald. W. H. Hart of Birmingham treasure for the ensuing year, amending certain rules of the federation, and expressing sympathy with the suffering has the council of federation will not hold the Government guiltiess unless everything possible is attempted by bring alout a cessation of the crible misrule in the Armenians, declaring that the council of federation will not hold the Government guiltiess unless everything possible is attempted by bring alout a cessation of the crible misrule in the Armenians, declaring that the council of federation will not hold the Government guiltiess unless everything possible is attempted by bring alout a cessation of the council of the reconcil unanimous psecches, denouncing the expedition into the Soudan. The meeting was then closed.

A CHICAGO TRUNK MYSTERY. an's Body Found Among Unclaimed Bag-gage Bought at Auction. chicago, March 27.—A body in a zinc box enclosed in a trunk and a wooden box, which had been lying in a public warehouse for a year or more, was brought to light to-day. Whether it is a case of murder no one can tell. The corpse was unrecognizable, but it was that of a medium sized man, with chestnut brown hair. Every care had been taken to put the remains in as small a space as possible, the body being doubled up and tied tightly with a strong rope.

be made an example of.

The roads on this street were it an entire state of blockade for three days last week.

Some of our farmers are ad-pting a patent cover, for their sap buckets, which will prevent apony or tain set. dressed to G. M. Morgan, 166 Jeffersoncourt, was opened a green canvas trunk
was found. A quantity of sawdust
kept it from moving. After several
wrappings of olicloth had been removed the zinc box was discovered.
There is no such number as 166 Jefferson-court. Mrs. Frederiok A. Mueller keeps a lodging house in 15 Jefferson-street. She said to-night that two
weeks ago an expressman said he had
been to Jefferson-avenue and Jeffersoncourt, but could not find any trace of
Morgan. Mrs. Mueller had never heard
of him, and the expressman left. He
had a box of some sort for Morgan.
J. Wallace Waken of the firm of
Waken & McLaughlin, said to-night
that the box had been in their warehouse for fully a year, and came from
the Michigan Central Railroad Co.

Was a Terentenian.

Was a Torontonian. Was a Terestesian.

Paterson, N.J., March 27.—It has developed that the cause of Edward Leslie's suicide yesterday was despondency, the result of reverses in the courts, where he has been in constant litigation with his brother, who was connected with him in the manufacture of the snow plow invented by the decased. Leslie was 55 years of age and leaves a widow and four children. He came to Paterson from Toronto anumber of years ago. He was formarly a major in the 32nd Battallon of Canadian militia and retired setaining rank.

Major Leslie was a railway mail clerk 20 years ago, and lived in Toronto. Upon perfecting his snow plow about 15 years ago he removed to Patersos, N.J., where he began the manufacture of the plows. The news of his tragic death has recalled him to the remembrance of many Torontonians.

Modicals at McGill College.

Montreal, March 27.—(Special)—The results in the McGill faculty of medicine were given out to-day, the following Ontaria men having won the degree. B. B. Earron, Brockville, Out.; G. R. Deacon, Stratford, Out.; J. B. Dewar, Glensand, field, Out.; F. B. Billott, Mayfair, Out.; G. H. Bells, Duadeke, Out.; J. A. Ferguson, Smith's Falls, Out.; C. Findfay, Hamilton, Ont.; H. D. Fraser, Breadelbane, Out.; H. B. Fraser, B. A., Westmeeth, Out.; A. J. Grant, Pembroke, Out.; Harting, Bell of the Control of the College of Medicals at McGill College.

His Wedding to be a Quiet One.
Indianapolis, March 27.—Ex-President
Harrison will leave here on Tuesday
next for New York and will be married to Mrs. Mary Dimmick on April
6. He will be accompanied by D. M.
Ransell, ex-marshal of the District of
Columbia, who appears to be the only
one from this city who has received
an invitation. It is not known what
arrangements are being made for the
wedding, but it is believed that it will
be a very quiet affair and will take
place at the residence of the brids.

A Slander Case in London, London, March 27.—The jury in the action for slander brought by Mrs. Kitson, sister-inviaw of Sir James Kitson, Mrs., against the celebrated accoucheur, Dr. Playfair, to-day, awarded Mrs. Kitson a verdict of £12,000 damages. The slander upon which the action was based was an allegation made by Dr. Playfair against Mrs. Kitson's character. The defence claimed that professional privilege entitled him to make the allegation, but the defence was not sustained.

POLITICS-DOMINION. The Dominion Senate has adjourned until April 7. until April 7.

The new Parliament will probably meet in July.

The Liberals of North Renfrew have nominated Mr. Thomas Mackle for the Commons.

Commons.

The members of the commission and the Manitoba Ministers were dined at Government House, Winnipeg, by Lt.-Gov. Paterson.

The Dominion Government has decided not to 'accept the Compromise Copyright bill drasted by Toronto publishers and Halk Cadne.

The bill extending the time for the completion of the Chignecto Railway was reinstated on the order paper of the House of Commons.

At a meeting of the Reformers of

the House of Commons.

At a meeting of the Reformers of Addington at Harrowsmith, George W. Diwson, M.P., was nominated as the candidate of the party at the coming general elections.

Mr. Montague, the Canadian Minister of Agriculture, who is at present in Lendon, thinks that the bill providing for the marking of foregin produce, if workable, will be of advantage to Canadian. CRIME AND CRIMINALS.

Petty robberies are becoming numerous in South London.
Grand Trunk Conductors Mulligan,
Defries and Tamblya have been
acquitted at Montreal.
Richard Washington, colored, was

Samuel P. Langdon, is that she enceavored to kill Langdon, and then committed suicide.

The young woman who died at Hamilton a month ago under circumstances which led to suspicions of poisoning has been identified as Miss Reichart of Sharpeville, Pa. Theman who accompanied her as har based was a married drugsist of Sharon, Pa., named Lafferty.

Counsel for Michael Brennan, to be tried at Barrie soon, for the kiling of J. A. Strathy, have decided not to set up a plea of insanity, but will put in evidence to show that Brennan was attacked by Strathy, and was shot on the spur of the moment, there being no premotitation.

The St. John's, Nfid., Supreme Coure will hold a special term on April 13 for the trial of the bank directors. The local judges desire an Engisha judge to hear the case, but the Government refuers to assent to this, which may result in complications which may block the trials altogether.

CASUALTIES.

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Mr. William Patterson was struck by a train near Brampton and killed. Four school children were poisoned in South Boundbrook, N.J., through eating wild parsnips.

Two boys named Teoples and Barr, were fooling with a loaded gun at Inverary, and the charge entered the body of young Barr, who is not expected to live.

A terrible explosion of freedamp has pected to live.

A terrible explosion of fire-damp has taken place at Brunnerton, N.Z. Five persons were killed outright and sixty more are entombed with no hope of their being rescued.

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In the Kingston shippard of the Montreal Transportation Company, John Tarrant had his hand cut off by a steam-planing machine. He was brushing away shavings.

While the mother's back was turned the two-year-old daughter of Charles Tuttle, Brantford, commercial traveler, secured a bottle containing ammonia, and drank the contents, The child, though badly burned, may recover.

Thomas Hinch, aged 36, an Inter-colonial brakeman, fell between two freight cars on the Cotton Factory siding at Halifax, N.S. Both of his legs and one arm were cut off, his body badly mangled and he died in two hours.

body badly mangled and he died in two hours.

The death of Mr. William Cram, who was thought to have been frozen to death while intoxicated in his father's barn, at Simcoe, is to be investigated at a coroner's inquest.

The four-year-old son of Robert Fleming of Staples, met with a painful death during the temoporary absence of his parents. His clothes took fire, and before he was discovered he was a mass of flames. His injuries were of such a nature that he died shortly afterwards.

On Saturday afternoon, while Mr. David Eakin, a miller of Unionville, Ont. was clearing the ice and snow away from the gates at his mill-pond, he slipped and fell down over the gates and down the slide under the ice. He was taken out a few minutes later, but life was extinct.

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D. G. Campbell's The Soarer won the Grand National handicap steeple-chase of 2500 sovereigns at Liverpool. Dr. G. S. Ryerson of Toronto, organized at Guelph an Ambulance 'Association, with the Mayor as provisional director.

Mrs. Langtry has sold her beautiful London house to Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, president of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada. Milson, president of the Grand Trunk Raliway of Canada.

A meeting was held in Toronto on Monday evening to organize a society for the promotion of female immigration to the Northwast.

The Ontario Deaf Mutes' Association will hold a convention at Brantford on June 19, 20, 21 and 22. About 300 delegates will be present.

It appears that the revolt in-Matabeleland is much more serious than at first reported. The disturbance is spreading among the natives, fanned by German agents, and it is feared as attempt will be made to drive the British out of Africa.

Petty Officer Rowd, of the British flagship Royal Arthur, has again distinguished himself by quick and accurate firing, this time establishing a new world's record for the six-inch rapid-firing guns, with which his vessel is equipped. On the flagship's recent cruise to Comox, B.C., while steaming at twelve knots an hour, Rowd succeeded in putting eleven out of thirteen shots through a floating target twelve feet square at 1600 yards distance, having his fourteenth shot ready for firing when time was called on the trial, for which but two minutes were allowed.

MY PRESERVER.

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Good a Dog Story as One Comes Across in a Dog's Age. Across in a Dog's Age.

One illustration of the sagacity of my famous 18-carat dog Ben Hur will suffice. I went fishing one day and took him along. I rowed out on Staten Island Sound in a flat-bottomed boat and anchored about a mile from shore. Ben sat for more than an hour in the centre of the boat with a pained expression upon his features, now and then emitting a short, sharpery, for which I could assign no reason, although I studied him carefully as I adjusted my balt between the intervals of fishing.

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Gradually I became disgusted, as the fish refused to take anything but the bait, and I weighed the anchor and pulled slowly ashore. On reaching the sandy beach I sprang out; but, to my surprise, Bèn Hur remained seated in a constrained attitude and with a doubtful look on his intelligent face. I called him, but he only emitted a low moan, which quickly changed into a howl of agony as I dragged the boat upon the beach, I examined clossly and discovered that his tail was inserted into the circular hole in the bottom of the boat which is used to allow the water to run out when the boat is cleaned. boat is cleaned.

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I saw it all, Bomebody had removed the wooden plug from the aperture and had forgotten to replace it. Ben had noticed the deficiency at once, and, realizing that the boat would fill and sink, had promptly introduced his tail into the opening and saved my life! The poor fellow's tail had been so swollen by its long continued immersion that he was upable to withdraw it, and so tender that contact with the sandy beach caused him great suffering. I turned the boat on its side and tried to help him remove his caudal, fixture, but it was im-

had been at it, and that accoupied for his pitcous squirming at times. I took a large stone and knocked the board out of the boat's bottom, and Ben carried it up to the house, where I placed him before the fire, and he sat there patiently until the tail had shrunk to its usual size, when he easily withdraw it. little damaged he snrunk to its usual sise, when he easily withdrew it, little damaged by the experiment. Since then I have oherished him, as my preserver, and he has grown so old and toothless that we now feed him only upon chicken or sweetbread oroquettes.—Walter McDougall, in New York World.

An Interruption. Col. Gordon, commandent at Fort Myer, was relating a string of re-miniscences of his western campaigns to a group of friends in the House to a group of friends in the House restaurant a short time ago, and was telling his hearers how on one occasion, in 1874, the civil authorities of Salt Lake City had arrested a number of his troopers for violation of the muncipal ordinances.

"These men," said the colonel, "were usually certified as deserters from the army, until one day I found a number of them working on a chain gang in the streets. The matter was laid been

army, until one day I found a number of them working on a chain gang in the streets. The matter was laid before the war department, and we were authorized to take the men. A demand was made on the city authorities for their surrender, and the demand was curtly refused. We were determined to carry our point, however, and a squad was detailed to take them out."

Here the colonel lit a cigar, and blew out two or three puffs of smoke before resuming.

"When I broke the Salt Lake City jail," he continued; but before he

"When I broke the sait Lake Crty jail," he continued; but before he could tell the rest, Tom Murrey inter-rupted him.
"On what side of the jail were you, colonel?" he asked in sober earnest-

For a few minutes there was such an uproar of merriment that the colonel had difficulty in recovering the thread of his story.—Washington Post. The Old Man's Plea. "Son-in-law," he said, as he called him into the library and locked the door, "you have lived with me now for

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"A-always, sir."
"I have even paid some of your bills."

"I have even paid some of your bills."
"Y-you have, sir."
"And in every way helped you to

"And in every way helped you to get along."
"Y-you have been very kind, sir."
"I have tried to be, my boy, and I think you appreciate it."
"I—I do. sr."
"Then the small favor I am gong to ask will no doubt be granted"
"It will, sir."
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