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BECAUSE every sale we make is an advertisement for us.

BECAUSE we have one price for all, and are bound to have every customer satisfied before leaving our store.

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Remember, you only have about two weeks more to buy your Boots, Shoes, Moccasins, Tannins and Valises at COST.

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COUNTY NEWS. Interesting Letters from Various Points in the County.

DELTA. FEBRUARY 2.—Hurrah for the railroad! We could see the iron horse to-day for the first time, and it was a welcome sight to all.

There is very little driving on the lake this winter, on account of the snow being soft and deep.

The young sports who chain to-hoe frost-ers are talking of clearing off a track.

The stone and sand for the foundation and basement of the Methodist Church is all on the ground.

The committee organized two "bees," and got so much of the work done free.

We expect great improvements in the village during the coming season.

FORFAR. MONDAY, Feb. 6.—Case Davison is so far recovered from his illness that he is able to get up, but so weak that he can scarcely walk across the floor of his room.

War is about declared over the Mattice estate, on account of the division of the property not being satisfactory to all the parties concerned.

Willie Mattice, of Dakota, is home looking after his share of the spoils.

Mr. Mattice left property valued at between \$12,000 and \$14,000, but which is divided, so that no individual will receive enough to make him rich.

Some of our citizens are taking steps to help start a Lodge of the A. O. U. W. at Phillipsville. Anyone requiring information about the Order, should apply to Mr. J. B. Ackland, our genial blacksmith.

WESTPORT. The station-house at Westport is just about completed. Its neat appearance and fine finish as well as the despatch with which the work was executed reflect much upon the ability and workmanship of Mr. Bolton.

The work of laying the switch here will be ready for the arrival of the first train.

Mr. Fred Taggart, formerly a resident of this place, and now General Agent for the Masonic Co. of Ottawa, paid us a visit last week.

Mr. Theodore Myers is dangerously ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. Dr. Parker is very low. No hopes are entertained of her recovery.

A very effective and instructive lecture was delivered in the Baptist Church on Friday evening, by the Rev. James Green, of the Montreal Bible Society, on the subject, "The Bible as a Missionary Agent."

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PHILLIPSVILLE. MONDAY, Feb. 6.—It has been some time since we saw any news in your paper from the hills. I would have written you before, but the thermometer got so low that our ink froze, and we lost our jack knife and could not sharpen our pencil.

But as the thermometer has come in sight again, we take this opportunity of writing you a few lines.

It is nothing new to hear that the engine is off the track on the B. & W. railroad. It took the boys about eight hours to get it on the track, between this place and Delta, one night last week. The boys worked well without their sleepers. The engine has been off the track ever since the B. & W. was commenced, that is what is the matter.

A couple of our townsmen took in the A. O. U. W. supper at Toledo, last Friday night, and report having an excellent time. To see them the next day you would judge that they took in about all the oysters that were there. But they are alive yet, and are able to be out this morning; so I think they are out of danger unless there comes a relapse.

Gordon Brown came home last week from Newboro, very sick. He has been under the doctor's care ever since, and at one time it was thought he would not recover.

Ed. Parham, of Harlem, was at his mother's during the past week, suffering from severe illness. He is now on the mend.

Alford Willows lost a valuable horse last week, through the animal getting its neck broken in the stable.

GLEN BIRKILL. FEBRUARY 3.—Having a little leisure time last evening, I accepted an invitation of a very kind friend to visit one of the public houses, hoping that I would see or hear something curious or instructive. It soon became interested in the conversation of two gentlemen who were smoking tobacco, and who were talking about the Jersey over all other breeds, while the other was equally eloquent in praise of the Dutch Freisian Holsteins.

We have reason to think that both gentlemen would like just now to dip up as much money as they have picked up in the blood stock business.

But every person has a hobby of some kind. I have one, and it is the hobby of the blood stock business.

What the now favorite hobby is I shall not say, because it might end in failure, as the others did, and then the readers of the paper would laugh at me.

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AGAIN ADJOURNED. The adjourned case of Rylands, the Irish Creek fire bug, came up for hearing again on Friday last. The prisoner looks far better than when first incarcerated and seemingly has fared well at the hands of Judge White, judge McDonald read a lengthy opinion on the points raised by prisoner's counsel in which he gave as his decided opinion that the prisoner was guilty of the charge of firing Leeson's barn, and that there was sufficient corroborative evidence to place the evidence of the accomplices Leeson above dispute. The judge said there were several points which the defence had urged, and that they were of no value in rebuttal evidence, but they had failed in every instance to do so, making it clear to his mind that they had gone to offer. He would, however, send the whole evidence bearing on the points raised, to the full court of judges at Toronto and get their opinion. He then ordered the prisoner remanded until their decision was rendered. The charge against Rylands for firing Olmsted's barn and Hunt's shop was adjourned, until in March, on the application of the county attorney.

The memorial of the Manitoba Government regarding the Red River railway was transmitted to the Imperial authorities, after the document had been considered by Sir John and his colleagues.

Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education, says there are now 7,000 school teachers in Ontario and that every year 1,000 new teachers are required. The supply still largely exceeds the demand, as last year 1,500 passed the examinations. If all who obtained certificates looked for schools some would be very much disappointed.

A scientific paper says that the uselessness of the lightning-rod is becoming so generally understood that the agents find their vocation a trying one. Fewer and fewer rods are manufactured each year, and "the day will come when a lightning-rod on a house will be regarded in the same light as a horsehoe on a man's foot."

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