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Leeburn.

LATE PLOWING. - A. McAllister plow ed and with his team on the last day of

ELECTIONS.-The municipal election for this township were pretty lively this year for deputy-reeve. The election resulted in favor of A. Allan.

SERMON TO CHILDREN. - On Sunday next Rev. T. M. Campball, of Goderich, will preach a special sermon to the Sat-bath school children, and familiar hypors will be sung by the youthful congrega-

tion. SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION. — John Linklater's term having expired as trus-offer for re-election, but resigned in favor of James Kinklater's term the did not again tee for S. S. No. 5, he did not again offer for re-election, but resigned in favor of James Kirkpatrick, who was opposed by T. Watson. This the first time in the annals of S. S. No. 5 that a poll was the annals of S. S. No. 5 that a poll was demanded. The election was made more interesting by the fact that for the first time in our history as a township two women veted—both going Kirkpatrick. The ladies favorite was returned by a majority of six. OBITUARY.—It is with heartfelt regret that your correspondent records the death of Frederick Horton, at the early inding them of three such characters.

age of 38 years, after an iliness of five weeks, from a fever. It had been hop-ed that he would recover. but the dis-

ease developed into a new form, and despite careful nursing he passed away. He was a kind husband and friendly ignorance.

the entertainment of I. C. G. T. lodge No. 213. The programme, which was well endered, opened with an amusing dialo.gue by two members entitled "Those awfal boots." Bro. Brett, of Seaforth, District V. C. T., gave ast. ring address on a templar's duty on the Scott Act we realize they must know; and in the energine the barded for the march is address of a set to put off telling the children what we realize they must know; and in the energine the march is address of a set to put off telling the children what we realize they must know; and in the energine the march is address of a set to put off telling the children what we realize they must know; and in the provisions. A few of the Mahdi's adevening's pleasure. During his stay here, Mr. Brett was the guest of W. Clutton, sr. Under the guest of W.

A Story With a Sequel.

On Wednesday of last week a most daring robbery was perpetrated near the food for thought some one else will. village of Arthur, in the county of Wellington. A peddlar named Simousky was met on the road by three men, about four o clock in the afternoon, who took him from his sleigh, gagged him and tied him from his sleigh, gazged him and tied him to a tree. They then rifled his pock-ets, procuring about \$200 in money, and drove off with the horse and sleigh. As has since transpired, they had not gone far when the sleign upset and the hind bob get proken. They then took two boxes filled with jewelry, which belonged to the poddlar, strapped them on the froat bob, and, helping themselves to a couple the puddlar, strapped them on the front bob, and, helping themselves to a couple of new overcoats, they took the horse and front sleigh bob and started on their road. On the following Friday morning, about four o'clock, as young Mr. Swan, of Brucefield, was returning home from a party, and when near Brucefield, on the Burgeld road.

d road, he came across a horse 600 killed and a large number wounded. attached to the front bob of a sleigh The French captured two batteries of standing on the road. Mr. Swan took the horse in charge and had it comfort-munition, provisions and some Chinese

Working of the Scott Act in Malton Co'y items from all Parts of Huron got on the Milton, Jan. 7.-Some weeks ago peo Milton, Jan. 7.—Some weeks aco peo-ple in the vicinity of Georgetown were alarmed by the burning of severall buildings, evidently the work of an in-cendiary. All of those who suffered were, curiously enough, strong support-ers of the Scott Act. The authorities

FIVE YEARS FOR ARSON.

The Franco-Chinese War.

A Terrible Death

"Very truly yours, "U. S. GRANT.

" To Cyrus W. Field, Esq."

Robert Dickson, of Grey, has sold his farm consisting of 176 acres, to one Dick-son, of Oxford county, for the sum of \$9,500. Mr. Dickson is likely to move to Brussels and take it easy the rest of his days. John C. Adams, in the employ of John were communicated with, and the case was placed in the hands of Government

John C. Adams, in the employ of John Bransdon, Londesboro', met with a seri ous accident recently. While working near the boiler one of the taps came out, scalding his face and breast severely. Last Friday Wm. Dukelaw, 12th con. Bernorthe discontent of the taps came out, and five months old, and a clever young lawyer.

COUNTY CURRENCY

of Grey, died of consumption, after a long illness, aged 22 years. He was buried at the Cranbrook cemetery on Monday

I think it a pity that they conference. The Congo committee today discussed the English project binding the despite careful nursing he passed away.
He was a kind husband and friendly
neighbor, and his famili.r form and
frank and genial manner will be missed
by a large circle of relatives and friends.
Huch sympathy is expressed for his
family.ignorance." I think it a pity that they
are not better instructed concerning the
natural laws that govern their being.
Taking it for granted that it would be
best to keep them in ignorance, how is
it to be done? Certainly no one would
wish to keep their children from all hu
man intercourse. My plan is always to
make the best of what can not be helped.conference. The Congo committee today
discussed the English project binding the
powers to adopt all possible means to
prevent the slave traffic in the Congo
territory. This proposal and that of
America, to probibit the sale of alcohol
equally on 'and and water, were adopted
unanimously.No. 213. The programme, which was
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on a templar's duty on the Scott Act question. He showed the benefits of a faithful administration of that law, and received a hearty vote of thinks. Mrs. McArthur and Miss McQuarie, of Dun-lop, and Mr. Linklater also received thanks for their contributions to the evening's pleasure. During his stay the their sortidance is lost. The mark for the source column. State of the safest not to tell her, and it would be safest not to tell her, and carting is lost. The mark for the source column. Gen. Stewart's column captured 25

childrea in ignorance and then call it providence if they get into trouble. Their minds as well as hands must be kept busy; and if you do not give them this place, intercepts the Kabbabish natives from bringing supplies.

Death at an Oyster Suppe

Wardsville, Ont., Jan. 7 .- At an The Paris Temps says :- The recent oyster supper beld here on Monday James Wells, who was furnishing music ictory of Gen. Negrier near Chu is the prelude to the offensive action. Gen. frem a tambourine, tell dead in his chair. He was in the act of putting an oyster

THE WORLD CVER.

President-elect Cleveland's resignation of the office of Governor of New York

James Chapman, a convict from St. Kingston penitentiary than he stole a Jan. 8th, 1885.

IN GODERICH. and is prepared to do business with the peo of the town and surrounding section. The Goods are all New and Fresh and have been purchased for Cash, and as the prices are low in the city markets, He Intends to Make His Prices Touch Rock Bottom. Farmers produce taken in exchange for Goods and highest prices will be given. 13 Don't forget the spot, the New Cash Store, next door to Rhynas' Drug Store, Goderich.

BANK CELIBATES. - The London and Provincial bank is seriously stated to have just passed the following resolu-tion :- "The Board being of opinion that it is on many grounds inexpedient for elerks employed by the bank to contract Goderich, Dec. 31, 1884.

NO SURPRISE The American Agriculturist, FROM THE TENTH CENSUS, VOL. 8, JUST PUB-LISHED.

Innocense and Ignorance. There is so much said about wishing to keep the chlldren in "Innocence and ignorance." I think it a pity that they

"The American Agriculturist is especially worthy of mention, because of the remarkable success that has attended the unique and un-tiring efforts of its proprietors to increase and extend its circulation. Its contents are dupli-cated every month for a German edition, which also circulates widely." This ribute is a pleasing incident in the In Goderich, on Monday, Dec. 5th, the wife of T. B. Perry, of a daughter. In Goderich, on the 24 Des., the wife of Jonathan Fritzley, of a daughter. HARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father. Col-borar, on the 34th Bec., by Rev. J. Pritchard, Rebecca, fourth daughter of Gordon Young, Esq., to Andrew Love, eldest son of the late Hugh Love, township of Stanley.

In Leeburn, on Monday, January 5th, 1885; Frederick Horton, aged 29 years and 9 months: On Saturday, the 20th of December, 1884, at Shercock, in county Cavan, Ireland, in the eighty-third year of her age, Ellen Galbraith, beloved wife of William Sloane. The deceas-ed was mother of Saml. Sloane, produce mer-chant, of Goderich.

Goderich Markets

GODERICH, Jan. 8. 188 Wheat. (Fall) \$ br W neat (rain) & ousin Red winter wheat Flour, (fall) & bag. Flour, (mixed) & bag. Flour, (mixed) & bag. Flour, (strong bakers) & bag. Oats, & bush Peas, & bush Barley, & bush Potatoes & bush Hay, & ton Hay, # to Butter, ≇ 1b.. Eggs, ≇ doz. (unpacked).

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ably cared for at Dixon's hotel, The poor standards and conveys. The French brute had been driven as far as it could go, when it was abardoned by its rascally drivers and left on the ed. road. Had not Mr. Swan camp across it when he did it would certainly have frozen, for, although it was stand-ing up, its lmabs had become so thor-oughly chilled that it could scarcely move, and it was with the utmost difficul-few days ago under most peculiar cir-ing up, its lmabs had become so thor-ride Vidal met his death in this city a few days ago under most peculiar cir-ed during an initiation.

move, and it was with the utmost difficul-ty he got it to Brucefield. After aban-doning the horse, the men started south on foot and early in the morning called at the residence of Ma Chalman for the morning called Kippen, and were afterwards seen in belief that he would derive benefit thereat the residence of Mr. Cudmore near of the spirit on his undershirt, in the Kippen, and were afterwards seen in Hensal There is no doubt but they are the same men who robbed the ped-dlar, as the horse and sleigh have been identified as his, and the same rig, accompanied by two men, passed through Brussels on Thursday evening. At that time, however, the jewelry boxes were strapped on the sleigh, but when it was found by Mr. Swan they were gone, and although the men were since seen by

although the men were since seen by several, they did not have the boxes with Grant's Refusal.

them, so it is likely that they hid them in the vicinity where they abandoned the New York, Jan. 7.-The following is time 8 min. 35 sec. horse. Detectives are now on their track, and it is to be hoped they will be published :

"New York, Jan. 6. "My DEAR SIE, - Through the press found that they may receive fitting pun-islument. The horse has got over its fatigue, and is not now any the worse. raising subscriptions for my benefit. I appreciate both the r.otiye and friend-It is under the charge of constable Dunlop, of this town, awaiting to be claimed by the owner.-[Seaforth Expositor.

New Proverbs. A white lie often told makes a black gret that I did not make this known story. It's a poor musician who can't b' whis own trumpet. He who would earlier. e the erg must first break the shell. Every back has its pack. The man who

a 'the arg must hirst break in shell.
Every back has its pack. "The man who wishes to continue believing in his friends should never put them to the proof. Look if 've your wife; never mind your self, she'l look after you. The want of miney is the root of much cril. Egotism is an alphabet with one letter. If you'd k 've wanen is character. follow him home. 'I on 've women is women love a rein. The virest road to honor is to diverye it. Only whisper scandal and 'verye it. Only whisper scandal and 'the purpose of identifying Arthur of verye it. Only whisper scandal and 'the scandard's better to be the purpose of identifying Arthur of verye it. Only whisper scandal and 'the scandard's better to be the purpose of identifying Arthur of verye it. Only whisper scandal and 'the scandard's better to be the purpose of identifying Arthur of verye it. Only whisper scandal and 'the scandard's better to any the scandard's better to the purpose of identifying Arthur of verye it. Only whisper scandal and 'the scandard's better to the purpose of identifying Arthur of verye it. Only whisper scandal and 'the scandard's the purpose of identifying Arthur of verye it. Only whisper scandal and 'the scandard's the purpose of identifying Arthur of verye it. Only whisper scandal and 'the scandard's the scandard's the purpose of identifying Arthur of verye it. Only whisper scandal and 'the scandard's the scandard's t miney is the root of much cvil. Egotism is in alphabet with one letter. If you'd k ow a man's character. follow him h me. 'In 've women ; women love a c.n. The current root of honor is to d verye it. Only whisper scandal and its echo is heard by all. It's not the el ok with the loudest tick that "goes the best. I' me is the rainbow of life. D.n't cuplain of the baser until you have tasted his bread. They who live in a worry invite death to hurry.—Truth. **Hew sad the Weather Frophet Is.** Orton now in Australia, will be taken to Lon-don to further establish his identity. How sad the Weather Frophet Is.

The num who believes he can forecast weather come he squeaking of a pig, or the phases of the mood, is not more ig notant of ir. at both that has believes that it is right to perpetude a social sys-ton which a given wealth and command as a herit ge to me class, and poverty and henor to muchar, and thus, too, in such degree that the one class. Hives twenty years longer than the other, it is for adv: that this bars to expendent to the social sys-work that the one class lives twenty adv: this this to the work that the one class lives twenty adv: this this to the work that the one class lives twenty adv: this the one class lives twenty adv: this the the state is perfected and departed, leaving a board bill of \$60. He had spent the whole of his inheritance in dissipation, and pawned his gold watch for \$15 with which to get out of town,

Partial returns from different towns in

Essex county indicate that the majority against the removal of the gaol and court house from Sandwich will reach 2,500. The Queen's Bench Divisional Court

only state in the union in which it is un possible to obtain a judicial divorce for any cause. Censure of mormonism would ne with a better grace from her than

Rev. Dr. Withrow is progressing favor ably, and in about a week will be able to leave his bed. The condition of his two daughters. who were also prostrated with

Daniel O'Leary, pedestrian, endeavor ed to walk a mile and an eighth at Indianapolis recently while Cutter, cham-pion roller skater, traveled two miles on skates. Cutter won by three seconds

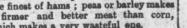
The secretary of War transmitted to the Senate today a report recommending the purchase of the Portage Lake and and otherwise I learn that you, with four Lake Superior Ship canal as a free waterother friends of mine, are engaged in vary for the United States, at a cost of raising subscriptions for my benefit. I \$350,000.

appreciate both the motive and friend. On Monday evening a boy, about 12 ship which have dictated this course on years of age, named Algoe, son of Con-your part, but on mature reflection I re-ductor Algoe, of the G. T. R., made an

attempt to jump on the yard engine at the G. T. R. yard, St. Thomas. He slipped and fell, the wheels of the tender

passing over him, cutting both legs and one arm off. He cannot recover. Word has been received from Ottawa

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