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New Adverticements This Week Lost - This office. Ontario Statutes - Ira Lewis. For Sale-Hurch Land Agency Boy Wanted-J. A. Reid & Bro. Nurse Wanted-Mrs Wm. Knight. The Mikado-Templeton Opera Co.
House for Sale-Mrs Martha Dickson

TOWN TOPICS.

A chiel's amang ye, takin' notes, An' faith he'll prent it."

Geo. Stewart, the photographer, is still doing a big business in oil paintings. Go to his studio and see samples.

A BAD MISS-If you fail to see the summer goods at B. MacCormac's. There's money in it if you attend to it in time.

G. U. Robertson, Crabb's Block, headquar-ters for all kinds of schoolbooks. First day of school opening rulers and pencils given away.

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Get good Li-quor tea, and have your life insured at the same time at Geo. Rhynas' drug store, where you can have medical prescriptions.carefully and promptly attended to.

Summer is fast fading away, and soon the dull autumn weather will be upon us, but spring, summer, autumn or winter you can get photographs that are photographs at R. Sallows.

The authorship of "Junius" may be a con-undrum, but everybody knows that F. & A. Pridham'en out stylish goods of fine mate-rial and next fit. If you want something nob-

rial and neat it. If you want something not by call upon them.

THE WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION will meet regularly for the transaction of business every Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in Knox church. Every woman interested in the work is cordially invited to

For all drugs, dye-stuffs, perfumery, patent medicines, chemicals, etc., best quality and lowest rates, call at Goode's drug-store, Albion Block. Special attention paid to dispensing of prescriptions and family recipes. W. C. Goode, druggist. THE HURON AND BRUCE LOAN AND INVEST-

THE HURON AND BRUCE LOAN AND INVEST-MENT COMPANY.—Depositors in this company have the best possible security for their money, all being invested in mortgage on tarm property. Depositors have a first lien in all the company's assets. Hate of interest paid, from 4 to 5 per cent, according to amount and duration of deposit. Farmers having surplus means should call and see the manager. Saunders & Son have another lot of those E. & C. Gurney stoves, These are the heaviest stoves and the best metal in Canada. Saunders & Son are the sole agents in Goderich for both the Hamilton and Toronto foundries, and carry the greatest line of stoves. of a piece of their wedding cake. The ranges and turnaces in Canada. Call and see our prices. Hot water heating and plumbing a specialty. The cheapest house under the

Miss Kate Dutton has returned to

Vesey Elwood, of Sarnia, is visiting relatives in town

E. N. Lewis, has been renovating his house on Lighthouse street. Dr Aleck Hutchison, of Montreal, is

visiting his parents in town. The new independent band were out

Wednesday evening serenading. Mr and Mrs Steve Perry, of St.

Thomas, were in town this week Walter Brough, an old Goderich boy,

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is visiting old friends and old scenes. Dean Swift, has been very ill for the last week suffering from inflammation.

The Hon. A. M. and the Misses Ross have returned from the Atlantic coast. Lawson have gone for a trip on the poor health. He was a member of the lakes.

On Saturday the infant child of Mr

Mrs Magnus Swanson and Mrs Capt.

Duncan McLeod are on a visit to friends in Kincardine.

spending holidays visiting friends in this

Abraham Thomas Bean, Reinhart Cook, of Hay; David Weismiller, Stanley; and John P. Clarke and Charles Snell, of only. In addition to the above tickets of the control of th

THE FIGURES ARE CLIMBING UP .- It low turns out that the amount expended in the levelling, seeding &c., of the agricultural grounds reaches to the edge of \$700.

ANOTHER ENGINEER COMING. -It has een decided to invite hydraulic engineer Walker of Port Huron to visit Goderich, and examine into the feasibility of the waterworks scheme.

Dr. M. Nicholson, the West street dentist, makes the preservation of the natural teeth a specialty. Gas adminisered from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for the pain-ess extraction of teeth.

IMPROVING. - Mrs Sarah Black, of West street, is recovering from her injury, and hopes to be around again soon. She in-tends building some residences on her property next to James Watson's. S. T. Bastedo, private secretary to Hon. Oliver Mowat, is in town visiting

relatives, and is accompanied by his wife and daughter. He hasn't lost flesh since he began breathing our ozone. Miss Lizzie Hunter, of Brantford

who has been visiting relatives in Kin-cardine, spent a few days in Goderich, the guest of Mrs J. W. Vanatter, previous to returning home last week. A FACT. -An exchange says :- Some

people will stand behind their counters until the spiders knit cobwebs between them and their oldfashioned goods, gazng out at people going into live stores. The contractors are busy pushing for-ward Mr Phillip Holt's house, on Northstreet. Mr Elijah Moore is inspector. The hotwater heating, plumbing and tin work, is being done by Saunders &

R. W. McKenzie is selling his large importation f glass lower than glass was ever sold for in Goderich. See his gravity locks. Buy your building and other hardware from him and save adv.

"THE POINT FARM."-During the season just closing the Point Farm has done a larger business than ever before, and has gained for itself a name ranking high amongst the summer resorts of

PREPARING FOR THE BOOM.—The Huron Land Agency is putting on a fresh coat of paint and getting out signs, preparing for the boom. Some of the "croakers" better stand from under when it strikes the town.

FRUIT SELECTING. -The fruit growers association at London has appointed Magnus Swanson, of Goderich, to select the fruit for canning purposes for the Colonial Exhibition. consignment Thursday last.

Close of School Holidays.—The work of public school instruction will be resumed at the old stand, North street, Monday next. Principal Embury will be assisted during the model school ses sion by Mr McCall, of Glauworth.

"THE SHADOW OF DEATH."-The third of a series of sermons on great modern paintings will be delivered in Victoriast. church, by Rev G. F. Salton on Sunday evening next, entitled "The Shadow of Death," by Holman Hunt.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS. - Kingston only \$6.70, Montreal \$9.70, Quebec \$11.70. Tickets good to go any time between Aug. 27-29-30th, and return until Sept. 13th. Tickets can be had from Harry Armstrong, town ticket agent of G. T. R. Goderich.

Rev J. T. Legear, of Ethel, and his all the more creditable as he was unable wille Sun we observe that A. J. Moore amiable spouse for a toothsome remindowing to his school duties, to make any

RELIGIOUS ADVERTISING. -In his ser mon Rev. Mr Kerr, of Mitchell, said that the church of England very proper ly refused to make secular announce nents from the pulpit, and that the columns of a newspaper was the proper channel through which notices of the kind should reach the public.

WHERE THERE IS ONE. "There is no R in the month you know,"
So spoke to the maiden fair her beau,
The maid whose heart he'd won;
"I'd gladly give you an an oyster treat,
But there is no R in this month, my sweet,
And the oyster season's gone."
She blushed and answered in accents low,
"There is no R in the month I know,
But in ice cream there is one."

OBIT. -E. R. Palmer, at one time resident of Goderich and owner of the last. He had been living in Texas for Miss Belle Matheson and little Jessie some time past and returned home in

REPAIRED AND IMPROVED.-Knox and Mrs T. W. Detlor died, after a long church has been thoroughly renovated. The ceiling has been tinted a light cream Mrs. W. C. Bisset and children have and the walls a green stone, with the gone to London to spend a month with recess a dark maroon, corresponding friends. It presents a fine appearance and will be occupied as usual next Sabbath.

A PLEASANT SAIL On the evening Miss Annie Campbell left for Ottawa of Thursday, the 18th inst, a good number of the young people of Knox church school class about to be formed in that city. S. F. Washington, barrister of Hamilton, was in town Fuday last. He was grand," and yet none of the party were seasick, or experienced any ill effects.

How THE PIPERS WERE PAID,-No the Kincardine Review, who has been visiting in Goderich, returned home this county received the following sums from the Dominion Treasucy: Clinton

Harry Bolton, of the Bank of Mon
News-Record, \$585.01. Goderich Star, probably kill the system effectually.

A BIG FREIGHT.-The steamer Ontario, of the Northwest Transportation Company, arrived at Sarnia Monday from Duluth and Port Arthur, with five thousand barrels of flour and one thouand ton of oil cake for export via Mon treal, and nine hundred cases of British Columbia salmon for Capadian points also one hundred passengers.

ST STEPHEN'S CHURCH FESTIVAL .- A harvest home festival will be held in connection with St. Stephen's church, Goderich township on Wednesday Aug. 31st. Rev. W. A. Young, B. D. of Goderich will conduct special thanksgiving services at 2 p. m., after which a festival will be held on the commodious premises of Mrs Brown. Tea served at p. m. Admission 25c, children 10c.

RESIDENCE PURCHASED.-Mr Peter Murray, of the late firm of Murray, has purchased the brick residence and cottages at the head of Newgate street from John Breckenridge. He is going to tear down the cottages and build a brick stable. He has le the contract for hotwater heating and plumbing to Saunders & Son. Mr Murray is a valuable acquisition to our

OPENING OF THE HIGH SCHOOL High School will re-open on Monday next the 29th, Mr J. B. Kaiser, of St. next the 29th, Mr J. B. Kaiser, of St. Catherines, taking the place formerly filled by Miss Byfield. We learn that there is a prospect of a good attendance for the coming term, which will be the last that the school will be free. After this year a fee of \$3 for the first half the school will be the last that the school will be free. After this year a fee of \$3 for the first half the school will be the last that the school will be free. After this year a fee of \$3 for the first half the school will be the school will be the last that the school will be free. After this year a fee of \$3 for the first half the school will be the last that the school will be the school will be the last that the school will be the last th

himself "Doctor Redwing," who arrived by boat from Sarnia Saturday last, performed the bogus watch act on a lot of our gullible residents on the evening of that day. It is said he took in over \$100. Constable Yule should have treated the fraud and his black and white accomplices after the summary fashion in which he dealt with the thimblerigger on the 12th of July.

You'LL FIND THEM ALL OVER .- The Brussels Post says:-It is astonishing after all how many people reside in Goderich who were former residents of Brussels and locality. The names of Dr Holmes, McGillicuddy Bros., D. McDonald, Ed. Seager, Vanalstine, McDonald, Ed. Seager, Vanalstine, Hilliar, Kay and others go to prove that Goderich is indebted to this place for quartered in Castle Dickson

HE HAS FAITH IN THE TOWN. - Mr James McIntosh, of the firm of Mc-Intosh & Johnston, of Port Arthur, has been in town during the week visiting his friends. He has made some money at the Port, and thought this was a good town in which to invest it. He purchased the residence belonging to Mr Geo. Berry, occupied by R. S. Williams. He bought it on speculation, having faith in the tuture of the town. He also took some stock in the Huron & Bruce Loan Company.

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES.-We are pleased to learn that Miss Kate Struthers was among the successful candidates from our High School at the recent third class examination. Her name had been accidentally omitted from the published list. It appears also that Mr John Elliott, who was credited with having obtained only a first class B, in "ALLOW US TO MOVE A VOTE OF reality obtained an A. We congratulate THANKS."—Our best thanks are due to special preparation for the examination.

melody during the day. At the park, a series of addresses were given by A. b. Ingram, M. P. P for West Elgin, and the ceremony was conducted by the Rev. ethers. Mayor Sesger welcomed the excursionists on behalf of the town. Some of our residents who have hitherto been noted for their aversion to anything that approached labor were so taken up with the Order that they talk of establishing a branch in Goderich.

BARN BURNED. — During the storm last week the electric fluid set fire to the barn of J. W. Salkeld, Bayfield road, burning it, and its contents, a horse, utensils, and all the summer crop entirecelebrated trotting mare, Lucy, died at ly. There were two horses in the barn his residence Detroit, Sunday morning but one of the animals got away. The one that was burned is supposed to have been struck by the lightning. Salkeld was away at the time attending the funeral of the late Mrs Geo Andrews, which prevented him saving any-The loss is supposed to amount thing. to nearly two thousand dollars, which is partly covered by a policy of eleven hunin the Ashfield and Wawanosh

Mutual, Down on Bonuses. - An exchange says :-- The bonusing craze with which several cities and towns are still afflicted has induced several of our contemporaries on both sides of politics to declare in favor of legislation against bonuses and exemptions to factories. It may be argued that the people of a municipality have no right to saddle their posterity and future inhabitants of the locality Miss Lang, daughter of the editor of wonder the Conservative press worked with burdens of this sort, as is very often way it talks:

Harry Bolton, of the Bank of Montreal, Guelph, is spending a few days visiting old friends. Guelph seems to ter Times, \$698.58. Wingham Advance, thome Rule is proven to actually exist in one of England's provinces, by an in the Sentember Harper's on Dr McDonagh will be in Goderich for consultation on Saturday, the 3rd of September, and afterwards on the first Saturday of every month.

Asson of the King of Greece is in love with the daughter of the Prince of Wales. The young man from Greece with the young man from Greece Bays he won't have any but her.

Mrs Garfield, wife of the late Presi-Mrs Garfield, wife of the late President of the United States, is expected with her family on the 25th, to visit her old friend, Mrs Richard Hawley, Huron old friend, Mrs Richard Hawley, Huron to for \$2; to Detroit for \$3; and to Lon-don for \$1.50. Return tickets will also of the Liliputian state furnishes an en-John P. Clarke and Charles Snell, of Exeter, have been duly appointed Justices of the Peace in and for the county of Huron.

John P. Clarke and Charles Snell, of only. In addition to the above tickets illustrated by views of the chief cities of ever offered to the public. Messrs, have been duly appointed will be issued on the 26th, good to reduce the public of the strength of the survive, she having been long in a low support for the long study and expense in session, and a map of the legislative House of Keys in session, and a map of the island.

It is thought his widow will not long days. This arrangement will be favorable action ably received by the public, as it really places the rates at about 22 cents per incurred in inventing an article so much

Opera Company will present the "Mikado" to a Goderich audience this chorus, special sceneries, gorgeous cos-tumes and new and novel stage effects.

"DUNGANNON'S CIVIC HOLIDAY."-The harvest home dinner of the Dun-gamon circuit will be held in the grove of Mr. Thos. Anderson, (Wawanosh side) on Thursday, Sept. 1st, 1887.
Dinner will be served at 12 o'clock
noon. Addresses will be delivered by
Revs. Geo F Salton, Jos S Cook, Henry
Irvine and D. G. Cameron, and music will be furnished by Rev Jos. S. Cook and wife and the Dungannon choir. There will be a series of athletic sports on the grounds. Admission, including dinner, 25 cents.

A FINE ORDER CARRIAGE,-Open your doors and windows and see the finest order carriage sow on the road, on Monday next, from R. Parker & Co., the old reliable steam dyers and cleaners of Toronto. None of our citizens should year ard \$2 for the second half will be charged.

Bogus Watches,—A fakir calling British Columbia. The only way to you have to operate on, and it will be returned equal to new. Ladies and agents can have their old garments dyed all shades.

DIVISION COURT STATISTICS. - Judging from the report of the inspector, the Division Courts are admirably answering the purpose for which they were insti-tuted. The inspector shows that during the last three years 180,943 suits were entered in the Division Courts of the Province, involving the large amount of \$6,618,409, or on an average of more than 60,000 suits, and over \$2,200,000 for each year, besides transcripts of judgment and judgment summonses, which ran up into tene of thousands of dollars in the amount. The Division Courts, some of its best residents. We won't the inspector says, are giving satisfaction say anything of persons who have been to the great bulk of the people in whose interests they were brought into existence, and amending legislation is adding periodically to their public value and efficiency.

CANADA'S GREAT FAIR. - The Toronto Industrial Exhibition Association are now confident that the coming exhibition will surpass all previous ones in point of attractiveness, merit, and in-structive value. In addition to the best collection of competitve exhibits that has ever been brought together in Canada there will be an endless number of small manufacturing enterprises in actual oper ation on the grounds, making objects of interest, and automatic devices will afford constant entertainment to the passing crowds. The exhibition will be a hive of industry. Besides, there will be fire-works and brilliant illuminations in the evenings, and balloon ascensions and other special attractions daily. fair opens on September 5th, and all the railways give reduced rates.

Doing a Good Act. -By the Bowmaning to stand by his friends :- On Wed KNIGHTS OF LABOR PICNIC.—About nesday evening, 10th inst., a large num Stratford and Goderich came hither on ed at the residence of Mr and Editor Stratford and Goderich came hither on ed at the residence of Mr and Editor Stratford and Goderich came hither on ed at the residence of Mr and Editor Stratford Shaw, Church st., to witness the marriage of their daughter Martha W. M. Stratford Stratford Shaw, Church st., to witness the marriage of their daughter Martha Stratford Shaw, Church st., to witness the marriage of their daughter Martha Stratford Shaw, Church st., to witness the marriage of their daughter Martha Stratford Shaw, Church st., to witness the marriage of their daughter Martha Stratford Shaw, Church st., to witness the marriage of their daughter Martha Stratford Shaw, Church st., to witness the marriage of their daughter Martha Stratford Shaw, Church st., to witness the marriage of their daughter Martha Shaw, Church st., to witness the marriage of their daughter Martha Shaw, Church st., to witness the marriage of their daughter Martha Shaw, Church st., to witness the marriage of th to Dr W. H. Symons, of Lockport, N. Y. Owing to the absence of their pas-R. D. Fraser, M. A., assisted by the Rev. Edward Vincent, of Nelsonville, Ohio, cousin of the bride. Miss Charlotte Shaw and little Miss Marr acted as bridesmaids, and Mr A. J. Moore, B. A., of Goderich high school, and Master George Rutherford as

> CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.-The new short line of the Canadian Pacific Railway to Montreal is now open for passenger travel one hour and five ninutes less than any other routes between Toronto and Montreal. Passengers for New England, Boston or Portland should remember that the Canadian Pacific railway bridge across the St. Lawrence at Montreal is now opened, and that through trains are run to Boston, etc., without transfer across the city of Montreal as heretofore. Passengers to Montreal or east thereof from Toronto or stations West have a choice of routes, either via Ottawa or by the new short line. Remember that the coaches of the Canadian Pacific Railway are the finest in the world. Be sure you get your tickets and secure sleeping berths before starting from R. Radcliffe the only authorized agent of the C. P. R'y in Goderich.

AN OUTSIDE OPINION .- The Chathave a right to spend their money fool-ham Banner says: Goderich town ishly if they choose, but clearly they council have been hawking tenders for their printing outside of the town and it makes THE SIGNAL mad. This is the way it talks: "Month in and month would council and committee meetings, and lick into presentable shape the frothings that \(\frac{1}{2} \) of an acre he purchased from lick into presentable shape the frothings of wordy inanities; and make sense for men who talk nonsense; and waste column waste column who talk nonsense; and waste column wast umns upon columns of space, and hours ed by James Taylor, that the wire fence manure in his barn yard which his upon hours of time, upon a few men who otherwise would never be heard of, without recompense or even decent acknowledgment. And the men afflicted with sacrifice under the circumstances." They don't see that side of it. Dan. Their idea is that the newspaper reporters are burning up with a desire to seize upon

> the farmers about Armstrong's grain and seed cleaner, as to what they

"THE MIKADO."-The Templeton needed. It is so arranged as to convey the seeds and grain to four differen places at the same time, grass and (Friday) evening in the Grand Opera thistle seed and any other very small House. The company will comprise 33 seeds to one place, chess and seeds of its artists who will present an efficient class to another, and the grain to another and the grain to another the seed and any other very small seeds to one place, chess and seeds of its class to another, and the grain to another the seed and any other very small seeds to one place, chess and seeds of its class to another, and the grain to another the seed and any other very small seeds to one place, chess and seeds of its class to another the seed and any other very small seeds to one place, chess and seeds of its class to another the seed and any other very small seeds to one place, chess and seeds of its class to one place, chess and seeds of its class to one place the seeds to one place the seeds of its class to one place the seeds other, allowing of no thistle seed or grass seed to be blown into the chaff as This is the same company that made so successful a tour through Canada last tached to any fanning mill without in year, and paid Goderich a visit. Prices jury to the mill in the least. Old mills 50c. and 75c. Tickets on sale at with sound frame do as well as new ones. They clean all kinds of grain and seeds, and can be arranged to give them different samples of wheat, and can take ail cracked peas and outs out of peas at one cleaning. See advertisement on another page.

Good Advice .- The editor of the Brussels Post, who was here on the big excursion, unwinds-himself thusly:—Nature has been very generous to Goderich in making it one of the prettiest places around here (although the long continued drouth and intense heat of old Sol has scorched up the lawns, parks, dowers, and trees a great deal, so that it did not present its usual brightness) but and consequently instead of there being a small steamboat for excursion parties, tables for meals in the park, a few drinking fountains, a half dozen bathing houses, and a merry go round for the youngsters, there is not a mortal thing excepting a few fishing boats and row boats and a number of bare benches and a band stand. Every body who never saw Goderich before wondered why the town daddies did not wake up and look after the comfort and pleasure of excur sionists in the matter mentioned above or else cease to be forever advertising the county town as the Eldorado of West ern Ontario. If a few thousand dollars were economically spent in improvements in this way instead of over-reaching after electric light, &c., it would be a great deal better for the place and would ensure many an excursion party that now seeks pleasure elsewhere. THE BENEFIT CONCERT. -The concert

given Friday evening for the benefit of the lessees of the Grand Opera House, was not as well attended as the merits of the program warranted. The reserved seats were well occupied by an appreciative audience, but the other portions of the hall were sparcely peopled. The instrumental duet by Misses Slack and Donagh met with the hearty approval of the audience. The singing Dr Sippi, of London, was a feature of the evening, and his rendering of "The Lost Chord" and "My Queen" fairly electrified those who had the pleasure of listening to him. Miss Wynn, our local soprano, was herself in her numbers, and was deservedly applauded; in fag we never remember to have heard her in better voice. The "Swiss Echo Song" was particularly well executed. The singing of Mrs Moorhouse, of Pinconning, was a revelation to the friends of that lady, who had not heard her for some years, and showed that in hallads where pathos and feeling were required to be brought out, she had a power that attracted her hearers. A. B. Henderson, an old Goderich favorite, was well re ceived, and gave an excellent rendering of the pieces committed to his care. Mr J Stoneman, of Hamilton, who at tended to the literary and dramatic "Spartacus," drollery in the "Yankee Courtship," and pathetic power in "The Army Doctor's Story." All in all, the concert was a good one, and the lessees deserve credit for having got the talent together.

Colborne.

minntes of last meeting read and ap-N. G. McCann, inspecting graveling, \$2; Robert Young, digging post hole, \$1; John Shaw, for goods per Mrs Brindley, week, \$28; Henry Roegel, repairing Benmiller bridge, \$93; Geo McCabe jr., road, \$35.48, James Levy, repairing positors will lose nothing. gravel hole, \$2; Star account, \$35 29; that he be empowered to settle the kept up to a very late hour. was read from the county clerk requirattachment they seized the being the sum of \$2555.56 for county papers containing the records of purposes, James Gledhill moved, seconded by A Young, that a bylaw be passed levying $2\frac{1}{2}$ mills on the \$ for county purposes, and 21 mills for local R. M. Meredith. purposes on all the rateable property in the township, and further that the respective amounts required by the different school sections be raised. Carried. bylaw be repeated and further that all persons that have been notified to com-ply with the said bylaw, be notified that Carried The council then adjourned first that his neck was broken,

The C. P. R's annual fall excursion

NEWS OF THE WEEK

Latest Intelligence from all Parts.

Crisp Rems of Interest for People Who Want the News in a Harry-Information Boiled Down to Suit Our Meaders Time.

The ocean steamer Lake Superior brought 149 horses and 25 ponies on her last trip. They are intended for ranches in the States and Northwest

The following birth notice appears in in the Toronto papers: "On the 21st instant, at 223 Niagara street, the wife of Wm. Tisdale, Esq., of a son- this makes him father of thirty children.'

The petition asking for a repeal vote of the Scott Act in Bruce will be posted in the sheriff's office, Walkerton, on Aug. 27, and will remain there for ten days. After that time it will be for warded to Ottawa, and the Government will fix a date for the vote.

The Brant County Council has paid the salary of the County Police Magis-trate under protest, and decided to ask the Government to cancel the appoint ment of that official on account of the increased expenditure which it entails, without a corresponding benefit,

Blind Tom, the musical produgy, is back where he started in life, in his mother's care. Bethune, his former master, has worked Tom for a gold mine for thirty five years. Probably he has been the most profitable African to his owner and manager the United States has ever known. But the courts have at last given his aged mother control of him and we hope she will be able to reap some profit from his extraordinary musical genius. In the spring of this year represent-

ations were made to the Canadian Gov-ernment, through the War Office and wish of all ranks in the lat Battalion of the Prince of Wales' Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians) to offer the old colors of the battalion to the Dominion of Canada. The Canadian Government has accepted the gift, and the colors will shortly be forwarded to the Domini from India.

T. W. Russell, M. P., who left the Liberal-Unionist party because of the proclaiming of the National League, has written a letter to explain his resignation. He says: "I have done my best to persuade my party and the Gov ernment from proclaiming the League, but have failed. The Government, in my opinion, have spent their last bullet and have handed over Ulster to Parnell. I confess that my heart burned with indignation to see my friends sacrificing the Union and sacrificing loyal tenants to a handful of unreasonable landlords deserving nobody's consideration.'

Lou Cornish, the notorious negro who was on Thursday last week, sentenced at Toronto to two years and one day in the central prison for brutally assaulting constable Beatty, managed to effect his escape Saturday last. He and other five prisoners were being conveyed in a hack from the jail to the central prison by bailiff English. They were handcuffed together in pairs, but Cornish had succeeded in getting a file, and managed, unseen by the officer, to sever the links that held the bracelets together. When a favorable opportunity offered he sprang from the hack and escaped.

statement of the officers is to the effect that the President, Mr Henry Taylor, The Council met in the township hall went to Alexandria Bay to avoid proon Saturday Aug. 17th. The Reeve in ceedings that were threatened, growing the chair and members all present, the out of his connection with the Ontario Investment Society; that he made no proved. The following accounts were secret of his whereabouts, but had re-ordered to be paid, viz:—Richard solved to stay away unless guaranteed Young, inspecting graveling, \$1: Fowler & Strachan, on account, \$100; Alex return; that attempts to induce him to McLeod, graveling 12th con., \$35.20; go to Toronto and conclude the arrangements for the transfer of the business to the bank of Toronto having failed, and knowing that the news of his departure \$28; John Shaw, for 28 weeks at \$1 per would create a run on the bank that could only be met by calling in their invested money at a great sacritice, the directors decided to close the doors. It for bonus on wire fence, \$10; James directors decided to close the doors. It Levy, gravelling on Wm Allans side is claimed that the noteholders and de-

For some time past it has been Clerk for removing iron pans off the side widely known fact that trouble of a Clerk for removing iron pans off the side of the road, 65 cents. A communication from Mr Naegel claiming \$15 for damages in the way of getting his buggy broken by his horse getting frightened at some iron pans that were left on the side of the boundary road between Colborne and Wawanosh. After considering the matter, James Gledhill moved, seconded by James widely known fact that trouble of a more or less serious nature existed in the Ontario Loan and Investment society, of London, of which Henry Taylor was president and Charles Murray manager. Mr Murray resigned a short time ago, and Henry Taylor was elected in his place. The late meetings of the directors have been characterized by very vigorous debates. It is Gledhill moved, seconded by James terized by very vigorous debates. It is Taylor, that the reeve see Mr Girvin (reeve of Wawanosh) and usually stormy session was held and matter providing he can satisfactorily. Carried. James Gledhill moved, second-was far from satisfactory, as about midwas far from satisfactory, as about mided by Jas Taylor, that the reeve be night detectives Ryder and Phair, of the empowered to get a new cultert built at Saltford. Carried. A communication the society and entered the offices of the society, and under authority of an papers containing the records of Henry Taylor's business with that institution and other firms. Ir is said that the attachment was issued at the instance of

Beigrave.

SUDDEN DEATH. - Another instance of a sudden departure took place at the residence of the deceased, Thos Walsh, of youngest son had just loaded, it fis supposed his long trouble of heart disease they are requested to finish their fences not later than the 1st of October.

Carried The council them on the opposte side. It was thought at to meet again on the 21st of October, at caused the sudden death, but the fall did not injure him materially, although he died in a few minutes. Mr Walsh was one of the first settlers, having cleared a to eastern points has this year been placed at low figures. Tickets will be the 6th con W. W. issued from Aug. 28 to Aug. 30, and will much respected. He leaves behind him the 6th con., E. Wawanosh, and was On Sept. 1 the C. P. R. will issue recondition. The whole family have the heartfelt sympathy of the whole com-muntity in their affliction.

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