the course is still to the South East.
The day is pleasant, warm and bright. A
intraction bour or two, is the city
is visible for an hour or two, is the city
is traction. We pass her at a distance of
a mile, and adding our rate to here,
speed past at twenty five miles per hour.
Sie showed no colors, nor did we. I
presume the second mate thought it to
much trouble to find out her number.
She looked to be 400 feet long. In a
few minutes she was on our quarter.

On an early October morning I find my may to the Grand Trunt depot, at its pleasant hour to start on a long jour my. But travellers learn to accommend to themselves to all corts of monwer intense. The distance to Clinten was a few moments duration, an above a stew of the control of the United States, to be the capital of the United States, to be the capital of the Great Americas continent within one hundred years, board the Illinois Central Railways where you either take anniber, drawing room or alceping car, passing through the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with therefore, the immense states of Illinois, Kentacky, Tennessee and Lousiana, rich with the corn, and the corn, a

HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS .- W. H. Clutton, our young medice, returned last week from college, and looks much improved in health this season. Peter Stewart, of Goderich High School, is also home for the holidays. Gavin H. Clutton returned from Woodstock College on Seturday, and has had to answer many enquiries from the fair ones about the depth of snow at Holmesville cut that delayed the train. His chum Tom Wright will be home later on.

THE LITERARY CONTEST.—The busy fingers of the sisters of I. O. G. T., 213. twisted in wreaths of evergreens and with thread and scissors made the letters, while our Dunlop cotem "set the type" at the west end of the hall, the word "Welcome," which greeted those that attended the literary contest last Friday evening. The programme given by the opposing sides was lively, interesting and one of the best given since the contest of 1883. Bro. Linfield's side was considered the best by those who were present. Singing was not in-cluded; only readings, dialogues and reci attons. Music and sourge given at intervals. The comic songs by Bros. Linklater and John Horton tietled the au lience. Sister McManus's sole was sweetly rendered. Sister Edith Horton presided at the covers and was gith presided at the organ, and sang with deep feeling "The Spanish Carelier," which was highly appreciated by the audience. The proceeds were about \$8.

and orange groves intersugar cane and cotton are seen streching far breaking each horizen groups of trees skirt an magnificent golden is magnificent golden in operation. Numerous the their long sweep of and as you see a cotton as you see a cotton as you see a cotton as a you see a cotton as a you see a cotton as a first plantation, givantati after plantation, givantation and reticent while on board, his receipts of farewell adieus were not ahowered freely. We could notice a company of red coated soldiers in line at the government house, and likewise hear the salute of guns fired from the barracks in hynor of his return. The city of Belize from the anahorage looks a really pleasing place to reside in, with its beautiful white row of stately residences bordering the bay shore, forming with the deep green stand the coated to stand by him through thick and thin. If Mr. Dewdney was under the look of the last session of the House of the loose of the last session of the House of Commons a deputation of Commons a deputation of Commons a deputation of the House of Commons a deputation of the last session of the loose of the last session of the lost of Commons and putation of Commons and putation of Commons adaptation of Commons and putation of Lieutenation of the last session of the las ceed eithe further wat ward or up river to receive home carroes. At ten p.m. the longed of rivers was left astern, the last Can long, with its deleful sounding whistle cased by the action of the waters, was need, and the little steamship was fairly no.

The night is alm and clear, and all are whishing for a pleasant voyage. The shipping at anchor, some carrying out the products of the country, lorwood, bananas, cooca nuts, dec., and ship's log is pleasant voyage. The wood, bananas, cooca nuts, dec., and ship's log is pleasant voyage. The convinced that the shipping at anchor, some carrying out the products of the country, lorwood, bananas, cooca nuts, dec., and ship's log is pleasant voyage. The convinced that the shipping at anchor, some carrying out the products of the country, lorwood, bananas, cooca nuts, dec., and ship's log is pleasant voyage. The convinced that the source until the vive with will be had not a specific products of the country, lorwood, bananas, cooca nuts, dec., and ship's log is pleasant voyage. The coxcomb mountains outh-western rear, brunging the close. The custom house flag the country was a good officer, and he (Sir John) intended to stand by him through thick and thin. If Mr. Dewdney was a good officer, and he (Sir John) intended to stand by him through thick and thin. If Mr. Dewdney was not the stand by him through thick and thin. If Mr. Dewdney was not the stand by him through the was not fill to be Indian Commissioner, he was not fill to be Indian Commissioner, he was not fill to be Licutenaut-Governor, and it would be impossible to remove him from one position and retain him in the other. The delegation left convinced that the back stairs "influence" exercised by Mr. Dewdney was a good officer, and he (Sir John) intended to stand by him through John

An Ottawa dispatch says: There is indisputable authority for the statement that the Hon. Mackenzie Bewell has admisted in conversation that the Government will be defeated shortly after the house meets, and that Sir John Macdonald will advise the Governor-General to allow an appeal to the country.

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were the most attractive to me, where I could view the majestic river steamers, busy in their loading or discharging of cargoes. I had a few days to lotter bout the city, and took in what I could of it, but as its appearance, comforts and beauties are so well written up in pamphlets published by all railways of the leaving steam of the leaven steam of the centering here, and who are looking for a rush of visitors from the Northern States and Canada to view the Expostion, you will no woult find them more tion, you will no coubt find them more interesting than anything I might jot down. The day of sailing having arrived I purchased my ticket, and secure a stateroom on the steamship "Wanderer," of New Orleans, bound for Belize and Spanish Honduras, but find the steamer will not leave port until the following morning. The British Governof Belize, who had been on a visit to hand, having wired the agents of the nd, having wired the agents of the

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we pass close to the large Island of Coun-mel, belonging to Mexico. Its shores as we pass its western edge seem to consist of rocks and sand. Its trees are tropical. or rocks and sand. Its trees are tropical.
We see a small village of one storied houses, with the whitewashed walls and thatched roofs, and can distinguish some of the inhabitants with the aid of a mar-

ine glass, waving to us as we pass. In leaving the island over our stern, its shores remind one of an ice bound coast, so brilliant a white extends along its southern shore line. We pass through

ic, a delay that was not next morning we are steaming along the others of the outgoing Belize coast, or rather what are called out of course it would never the Keys, a stretch of islands running rithout him, especially when and south. A pilot is taken on ship Co. received a large from the Belize Govern-cance shaped boat, 30 ft. long, made and rithout him, especially when hip Co. received a large from the Belize Government from the Belize Government from the Belize Government from a single tree. He is one of the blackest of negroes, and grins as he speaks. The southernment Key is round ed, and the steamer is headed to the north and west up the Bay of Belize, with the city is sight. The anchor is got ready and dropped \( \frac{1}{2} \) of a mile from the shore the first appearance of orange groves into the course stationary is drawn alternment.

close. The custom house flag at 4 p.m., a signal to stop argo, and the working day next morning a number res couse on board and off cargo, which con-unding, and what visious of all flour from the om the East.

The newest pocket-books, purses, card cases, etc., are made of Etamine canvas, finely embroidered with gold or colored