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BRITAIN, FRANCE, ITALY

Arrayed Against Russia, Germany and Austria.

New York, March 14.—The Sun's special London cable says: The general be-lief now is that the powers will condescend to argue the subject of Crete with Greece, in spite of their absolute ultimatum which King George has disobeyed. The reason for this conces sion is, as was telegraphed mid-week, that the French Government is unable to commit itself to drastic measures was telegraphed mid-week of coercion without the consent of public opinion in that country. M. Hanotaux has postponed until Monday his appeal to the Chamber of Deputies to apport the Government in whatever policy seems necessary, but it is pretty clearly indicated that this policy will not include any punitive action against Greece at the present moment, al-though the three Emperors are openly desirous of dealing with King George in a high-handed fashion. Each day's delay is making more commons the

though the three Emperors are openly desirous of dealing with King George in a high-handed fashion. Each day's delay is making more conspicuous the new cleavage of Europe which the Greece-Cretan crisis has caused. Public opinion is now eponly divided, east against west. Great Britain, France and Italy are arrayed against Russia, Germany and Austria. It would not be surprising and customatic if this division became more distinct and permanent. I do not desire to imply that there is any desire on the part of the Cabinets of the Western powers, or any one of them. to seede from the European concert. The new cleavage is the work of public sentiment, and nothing else. Lord Salisbury, M. Hanotaux and Signor Rudini are all opposed to it. Nobody can calculate yet to what it may lead. Sympathy with Greece in this country is being strengthened daily by the growing antagonism against Germany. Emperor William's may lead acrossed intense feeling in all parties. Its virtual rejection by the committee of the Reichstage-day will not mitigate English bitterness.

There is immensed significance in the British Government's reply to the German Emperor William's skips, and there will be built sixy-six ships, and there will be 108 unter construction. Is that program sufficent? It had been settled on the principle of seeing what forces we might have to meet. Looking at the normal shipbuilding of various countries we took a survey, and there will be took unter construction. Is that program sufficent? It had been settled on the principle of seeing what forces we might have to meet. Looking at the normal shipbuilding of various countries we took a survey, and the result of that survey is embodied in the estimates we propose. But there is what I may call a balance of power in raviers of Europe, and we should not be disturbed by any abnormal effort on the part of any other power.

'In an not frightened by programs, and they are not always executed. Some of the largest programs of foreign consumption of it may be for foreign consumption. I

that would seem to disturb the general amount of naval power which would belong to different countries, certainly I should think it to be my duty, and the Government would think it to be its duty, to reconsider its position; and they would be perfectly certain, whatever happened, if it were necessary in consequence of abnormal efforts on the part of any other power to make corresponding efforts here, to receive the support of the House of Commons."

These few remarks on behalf of Lord Salisbury's Government will cause more bitterness in Berlin than anything that has happened since the flying squadron was sent out. They were applauded by both sides of the House of Commons, and they are indorsed by Great Britain en masse.

More Warlike Again.

Blockade Will Begin Wednesday.

Winnipeg, March 11.—(Special.)—Representative Conservatives of all Manitoba districts met at Winnipeg last night, when Hon. Hugh John Macdonald was formally tendered and definitely accepted the provincial leadership. It is understood that at the close of the present session of the Legislature one of the members of the Conservative Opposition will, resign to make way for Hugh John in the House.

THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE nct Summary of the Pro

she week Past.

Toronto, March 8.—Bills were introduced-by-Mr. Howland to enable municipalities to license and inspect elevators. By Mr. Auld to amend the Municipalities to license and inspect elevators. By Mr. Auld to amend the Municipal Act, Several private bills passed the seedend reading committee stage. If the passed the seedend reading committee stage, reply to a question Mr. Hardy said it was not the intention of the Government to dismiss any of its officials who cook part in the late Dominion elections. The late Government's view was that expressed in Mr. Garrow's motion, and if the House passed it the officials would be expected to abide by Mr. Garrow's motion is: "This House is of opinion that officers or clerks of the Civil or Public Service of the province, or permanent employes, who solely or for the most part obtain their livelihood in the public service should not actually participate in Provincial or Dominion election campaigns, and that officers or clerks of the Civil Service should not become candidates for municipal councillors. In reply to Mr. Carnegie, Mr. Hardy said the statutes were distributed through the Clerk of the Peace to the county justices and clerks of municipal councy in the Children's Court from the various police clerks. In reply to Mr. Marter, Mr. Davis gave detailed information on a number of subjects connected with the running of the Central Prison. Mr. Marter secured an order for a return respecting the Dusiness of the High Court of Justice and the County and Division Courts from 1892 to 1896 inclusive. After discussion, Mr. Hardy gave notice that he would move the following committee to "consider the question of how, amending bills shall be printed, namely: The Speaker and Messrs. Roos, Gibson, Baxter, McKay, Whitney, Howland, Matheson, Cavan and the mover. At Mr. Hardy's request the second reading of the City of Toronto's bill stood over. Mr. Carnegie's bill to amend the County and time and sent to the committee. Mr. Hardy's request the second reading of the City of Toro

sent to the Municipal Committee. The House adjourned.

Toronto, March 9.—The following bills were introduced and read a first time: Mr. St. John, to abolish Judgment summons procedure in Division Courts: Mr. Maywood, to amend the Public Libraries Act; Mr. Currie, to amend the Act regarding the registration of deaths; Mr. Flatt, regarding assessment of lands. Mr. Hardy, as a question of privilege, denied the imputation made against him in certain papers that he was providing for his relatives at the public expense. One of the charges was that his father was storekeeper in the London asylum. His father had been dead ten years. Further statements of this nature would be met with a libel suit in future. Mr. Hardy's bill to amend the Married Woman's Property Act was read a second time, as was his bill reducing the number of counciliors in Town Councils. after considerable discussion in unicipal auditing, Mr. Hardy's bill in method in the first property and the first providing for the appointment of time. The House then went into Committee of Supply, and rose after passing a number of items. The House adjourned at 10 o'clock.

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Toronto, March 10.—The following bills were introduced and read a first time: Mr. Auld, respecting affidavits and declarations made before notaries public: Mr. Ryerson, respecting liabilities of hospital trustees; Mr. Auld, to amend the Municipal Act. Dr. Willoughby then arose and moved the adjournment of the House.

This move was to give the leader of the Opposition a chance to make a few remarks.

Mr. Whitney, on rising, called attention to a mining deal which The Globe of yesterday had reported as having taken place between the Government and a South African mining syndicate. The article in question stated that the Government had grant

ed that the Government had gra other block of 20,000 acres, consisting of a part of the peninsula lying between Shoal Lake (west) and the Lake of the Woods, which license granted the syndicate exclusive rights of exploration and prospecting in that territory for three years from May 1, 187. To ensure that prospecting would be done. The following provisions were made: "The syndicate must expend in actual exploration, development and mining upon the said lands during the first year not less than \$30,000, during the second year not less than \$40,000, and during the first year not less than \$40,000, and to ensure that both blocks shall be at once prospected, not less than \$10,000 must be expended on either one during the first year, the remaining \$20,000 to be expended upon the other. Froof of such expenditure is to be furnished at the end of each year to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands." Mr. Hardy said the Government's action was fully in accord with public sentiment, and on Mr. Gibson assuring Mr. Whitney that the papers in the case would be brought down immediately, withdrew his metion for an order for them. After some questions had been answered, Mr. Whitney moved for the abrogation of the appointment system in the case of registrars of deeds and other county officials, whose selary or remuneration is provided in whole or mainly the localities for which they are appointed. After a long and animated discussion, the metion was lost on the following division: Yeas-Messrs. Beatty (Leeds), Browers. Bush, Carnegle, Crawford, Dynes, Fallis, Gamey, Gurd, Haggerty, Haycock, Hiscott, Howland, Kerns, Kidd. Langford, Little, McCallum, McDonald, McNeil. McNichol, Magwood, Marter, Matheson, Meacham, Preston, Reld (Addington), Reld (Durham), Ryerson, St. John Shore, Tucker, Whitney, Willoughby—34.

Nays-Messrs. Beatty (Leeds), Browers. Bush, Carnegle, Crawford, Dynes, Fallis, Gamey, Gurd, Haggerty, Haycock, Hiscott, Howland, Kerns, Kidd. Langford, Little, McCallum, McDonald, McNeil, McNeil, McKee, McCaller, McKeay (Otherson, Dryden, Far

Toronto, March 11.—Mr. Crawford's bill to amend the Assessment Act was read a first time. Mr. Hardy's motion for a select committee to consider all ail questions concerning Government House property, was net by an amend-ment by Mr. Haycock, who, however, in time for discussion of the this seesion. A committee was appointed to revise the rules of the House. In committee, with Mr.ff Charlton in the chair, the following bills were passed: Mr. Hardy, respecting wages and essaties of deceased: Mr. Dryden to further improve the Act re-

cess the House considered the estimates until 9.30 o'clock, when it adjourned.

Toronto, March 12.—Mr. Dickenson's bill to amend the Assessment Act was read a first time. In reply to Mr. Whitney, Mr. Hardy said the Government had not received any registration from Mr. James Conmee when he ran for the Commons in Nipissing. In reply to Mr. Willoughby, Mr. Hardy said charges had been laid against C. H. Widdifield, the local member for Prince Edward, and were now being investigated by the Inspector of Legal Offices. Mr. Widdifield denied the charge. Mr. Widdifield denied the charge. Mr. Widdifield denied the charge. Mr. Widdifield denied the charge and the companies Act were read a second time. Municipal Act and the General Road Companies Act were read a second time. Protection Act was allowed to stand on Mr. Hardy stating it was the intention of the Government to bring in a game bill before long. His bill to amend the Division Courts Act, although the principle of it was combatted by the leaders of the Government and Opposition, was also read a second time. Mr. Keefe withdrew his bill to exempt the Y.M.C.A. buildings in the province from taxation. Mr. Moore's bill respecting cattle on the highways was sent to the Municipal Committee, and after Mr. Howland's bill, respecting elevator accidents, had been read a second time, the House adjourned at 5 o'clock.

WHEAT MARKETS IRREGULAR.

Pork, fard and bacon are higher in Liver

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day 500; market unchanged. Sheep 2500; market strong.

English farmers' deliveries of wheat the past week were 48,600 qrs., and the average price 278 11d.

EADING WHEAT MARKETS. LOCAL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Peas-The market is quiet with sales at 381/36, north and west. Corn—The market is firm, with car lots at 23c to 24c, outside. Ontimeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots \$2.90. is \$2.90. Ryc_Frade quiet, with sales at 32c, ST. LAWRENCE MARKET,

The receipts of grain on the street were small to-day, but supplies of general country produce were large. Barley steady, 600 bushels selling at 26c to 30c. Oats sold at 21c to 22½c for 500 bushels. Hay sold at \$12.00 to \$13.50 for 12 loads, and straw at \$6 to \$7.50 for 2 loads. Dressed hogs the barley sold to \$100 for 2 loads.

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FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

The market is quiet. Apples, barrel, \$4

CHICAGO MARKETS.

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Britain's Trade With Us. Canadian cheese jumped from £55,000 in the same two months last year to £149,000 this year; fish from £12,000 to £13,000; oxen from £21,000 to £34,000; wood £73,000 to £94,000. The exports to Canada decreased 21 per cent. for the month and 10 per cent. for the two months.

Washington. March 14.—The new agricultural schedule will affect seriously many articles largely imported from Canada if it does not altogether shut off trade from that country in certain lines. Besides the duty on pine lumber of \$2 per thousand feet, the barley duty will be put at the almost prohibitory rate of 30c per bushel, and barley malt at 45c. Butter, eggs, peas, beans, potatoes, and in fact nearly everything in the schedule, go back to McKinley rates. Hay will be taxed \$4 per ton, and sheep and hogs \$1.50 per head.

Bowmanville, Ont., March 10.—The saddest fatality that ever occurred in this town happened in Williams flats this afternoon, when the three eldest children of Frederick Buxon, who is employed as deliverer of ice with M. W. William, were drowned just outside their garden gate in a hole that once formed part of a mill race.

The children were out for an airing in the warm sunshine, and no one was near but Mrs. Luxon, their mother who is nursing a baby only 10 days A. Coroner's Jury at Oshawa is investigating the circumstances attending the death of Mrs. Hare of Cedardale, who was found dead in her kit-

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

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(Special Correspondence.)

Berlin.—(Special.) — Of the naval powers of consequence Germany is the youngest. Pracelcally, too, the German navy is untried, and untested. The further fact that Germany is a poor country, when compared with France. England or the United States, and that she is financially unable to support, without seriously crippling herself, the double burden of taxation which the maintenance of her matchless army and of a navy of first-class dimensions would necessitate, has bred the opinion generally held, even by the majority of the German press and people, that the German navy is of not make a decent showing, if the need should ever arise.

This opinion, however, is an erroneous one. It is true that as to size the German navy occupies the fifth place, being outdone in this respect by England, France, Russia and Italy, and only slightly exceeding—at this hourthat of the United States, whereas it is certain that, in conformity with the naval plan and the naval resources fixed under the present administration, the United States will exceed, in the size and fighting quality of her navy. Germany ten years hence. But it is just as certain that Italy will drop behind with each recurring year, her financial embarrassment rendering it impossible for her to keep up the size of her navy on the present scale. As to the Russian navy, it is also, practically, an unknown and untested factor, and marine experts declare to-day that that of her army, exists only on paper.

much of Russia's naval strength, like that of her army, exists only on paper.

Be that as it may I in this instance merely wish to emphasize the fact that the German navy is no mean opponent. At the Kiel naval demonstration, in June, 1895. I heard an experienced impartial American naval commander express himself to the effect that in point of readiness, in point of admirable discipline and actual fightling power. The German navy of to-day cymes, in his online, in the second rank—directly-behind England. Since then several occasions have arisen which tried the mettle of the German navy, or at least vessels and crews forming part of, it, and in each case the German v.seels and their crews have borne themselves gallantly and worthily. I refer more particularly to the loss of the titis in Chinese waters, the little crew meeting its choom with cheers for their emperor and the singing in chorus of a patriotic hymn. Whenever the German navy forcibly interfered during the past 15 years, in a spirit of Spartan bravery.



NEW GERMAN IRONCLAD WOERTH.

or has the ambition of evolving a German navy of such unexceptionable quality and of such ine fighting powers as did his grandfather with the German army. This in fact, is the pet idea of William II. and hardly a day passes when he does not find time and opportunity to do something for his young navy—examining new models in ordinance or equipment.—in some constructive part or machinery. He has so zealously devoted himself to the task of becoming a naval expert, both theoretically and practically, ever since he ascended the throne, that he has, according to the statements of all the German. English, French, Russian and American naval officers who have met him, really attained his goal. There is no ruler of the present day who is a match for him in this respect. Nothing new and interesting in naval things escapes his keen eye and shrewd attention. Just to cite a point in illustration. I may say that the Emperor was one of the first to discern the great importance of Capi. Mahan's (U.S.N.) books on the influence of navies on national greatness, and that he at once carefully studied these books and had coples of them incorporated in the libraries of the naval academies and schools throughout Germany. It is a further proof of the great virtue he attaches to the growing prestige of his navy that he made his only brother. Prince Henry, adopt the naval career, and that, in the course of sine, a number of German princes will follow suit in this respect, for some younger members of several reigning houses in Germany—those of Baden. Mecklenburg and Ogdenburg, for instance—are now serving as naval cadets, and two of the Emperor's own sons are intended to enter the navy.

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val cadets, and two of the Emperor's own sons are intended to enter the many sons are intended to enter the many sons are intended to enter the whenever the Emperor will succeed in realizing all his naval plans, at least so far as size of the navy is concerned, reading to be seen. Probably he will have to defer a part of them, for to carry them out now, at a time when the military budget is becoming larger each year, would place an almost unbearable burden of taxation on the already tax-ridden German people. But in the end he will doubtless succeed in the main. The German war vessels of the latest type, the ironclads of the Woerth and Sachsen class, are certainly marvels of mechanical ingenuity and monsters in formidable fighting capacity. The casemate guns, with which the vessels of the class to which the ironclad sachsen belong are partially armed, are said to be beyond anything of the kind on other vessels. But the chief improvement now decided upon for the Germany navy, their being supplied with quick-firing guns of a new and unrivaled pattern, is of even vaster importance. and unrivaled pattern, is of even vaster importance.

At the Krupp works in Essen, where experiments are being made all the time, a foreman in the ordinance department, Krause by name, made the invention and the multi-millionaire owner of the establishment purchased this invention of his outright. Not many weeks ago the Emperor visited the Krupp works at the special invention of the owner, and esterwards witnessed the tests made on a large scale with those new quick-firing guns on the enormous shooting territory of Meppen, near Essen. These practical tests occupied one whole day and the forenoon of the succeeding one, and they were successful sugard. The great need not only by the German navy, but of all navies of the present

day, had been to make quick-firing guns of a caliber large enough to give the projectiles that amount of destructive, penetrative power necessary interactive, penetrative penetrative

enthusiastic encomiums of the imperial eyewitness. An arrangement has now been entered into with Krupp, by the terms of which he will manufacture these quick-firing guns for the German army exclusively during a term of years, thus giving Germany an important start over the other navies of the world.

Orders to the tune of 20,000,000 marks were at once placed with Krupp, and additional sums will be voted by the reichstag during the next five years, for the Emperor means to arm all his navy with the new quick-firers.

WOLF VON SCHIERBI. ND.

PHILIP MELANCHTHON

Lutherans in every part of the world lebrated the four hundredth anni-Lutherans in every part of the world celebrated the four hundredth anniversary of the birth of Melanchthon, who was born at Bretten, in the Grand Duchy of Baden, Feb. 16, 1497. Melanchthon holds a place only a little below that of Martin Luther in the history of the Lutheran Church. He was Luther's associate in the reformation, and is regarded as the greatest of Lutheran scholars and theologians. Luther himself thought Melanchthon the ablest man of his time and superior to the great men of any church.



PHILIP MELANCHTHON.

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Melanshthon assisted Luther in nearly svery important work. It was he who wrote the Augsburg confession. He helped Luther translate the Bible, and was prominent at the famous diet of Worms. Although one of the greatest of theologians, Melanchthon was never ordained, had no degree of D.D., and returned the produced of the confession of the second produced the seco

although he wrote important sermons for others.

The famous theologian was a remarkably precoclous boy. At the age of 15 he graduated from Heidelberg University, receiving the degree of Bachelor of Philosophy, but in spite of the fact that he was at the head of his class the university refused him the master's degree because of his youth, so he entered the University of Tuebingen, from which he received the master's degree in 1514. Then, at the age of 17, he began to lecture to the students on Artistotelian philosophy and the classics. At the age of 21 he was appointed Professor of Greek at the University of Wittenburg. He was the most popular professor at the university, and pupils came from every part of Germany to learn from him. It was at Wittenburg that Melanchton met Martin Luther. They became lifetiong friends and co-workers in the reformation. He was emphatically a theologian, and his advice had great influence on Luther and the other reformers.

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Conciliation and moderation were his characteristics, and he used all of his influence for peace and toleration. He was modest, gentle and peaceful. Until the end of his life he cherished the hope of reconcillation between the branches of the Christian Church which could be accomplished by concession, and this made him unpopular with all the doctrinaries. Luther and Melanchthon, however, remained friends until the older man's death, when Melanchthon delivered a magnithment funeral oration on the dead leader, in which he called him the prophet Elijah and lamented his death as a great calamity to the Church of Christ.

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Christ.

Opposition to his policy increased after Luther's death, and when Melanchton died, on April 19, 1560, he well-comed death as a release. He was

The Senate's Gift. The Benate's Gift.

The presentation piece from the Dominion Senate to Sir Charles and Lady Tupper, on the occasion of their gold-en wedding, consists of a solid gold centrepiece or epergne, richly wrought, and chased, with massive, handsomely cut-glass centre dish and four branch dishes.

dishes. There are four gold shields, one on each side between the branches. One bears the arms of the Dominion, beautifully enameled in colors; another the crest, arms, and motto of the Tupper (amily, also in colors. The other side



A GIFT FROM THE SENATE.

A GIFT FROM THE SENATE. shields bear the dates, 1846 and 1896. Under the gold maple leaf branches, and over the Canadian beaver hans? the central gold shield, bearing the inecription. The base rests on four gold hoofs of Canadian moose. The whole is representative of Canada in every way. It was made of Nova Scotian gold, and handsomely cased in a chest of Canadian maple.

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"My daughter, young man, shall be punished for it. I want to know by what right she usurped her father's fond privilege."—Philadelphia North American.

TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE

TORONTO BARRISTER PROPOSES TO ABOLISH MANY LAWSUITS.

Radical Reform, Which, If Carried Out, Would Be Equivalent to the Abolition of Wa - Examples Cited Which Show the Practicality of the Scheme.

Special Correspondence.)

S ONE REFORM of great importance, both from its moral and financial considerations, I suggest such a change in our egal system as will result in the entire abolition of a very large percentage of our law suits. The proposal to decrease the cost of ittigation is equivalent only to the vent war is the wise aim of beneficent governments.

In Norway for over 100 years, and in

more free from vegetable matter than that from a roadside, and is therefore less liable to become a host for fungus. In such a bed roses, fuchsias, garaniums, heliotropes, coleus, lantanas, abutilons and like plants can be easily rooted. Fuchsia cuttings are obtained from old plants encouraged to grow by placing them in heat. When there are young shoots on these plants of from two to three inches in length they are fit to use for cuttings. Placed in the sand bed spoken of, and shaded from the sun, they soon root. They are then to be potted, and shifted on from pot to pot as they grow. Such plants bloom splendidly in early spring, and in every way are better than old plants.

Roses of all kinds root freely in the bed, but the cuttings should come from plants already growing inside, and half riperied wood should be used. Small side shoots root readily, and appear to make just as good plants as the stronger ones do. The cuttings should be plant in make just as good plants as the stronger ones do. The cuttings should comes there will be nice plants, and those of the everblooming section will make as good plants for outdoor flowering as can be obtained.

Old plants of geraniums should have their branches. Cut into lengths of about three inches. They root readily, and fipotted afterward and encouraged to grow, they are of good size for bedding when spring comes.

Beside the use of the bed-for the insertion of the many cuttings desired to be propagated, it is useful for holding pots or pans of seeds. At this season of the year it will be flower seeds; later on the year it will be flower seeds; later on the year it will be flower seeds; later on the year it will be flower seeds; later on the year it will be flower seeds; later on the year it will be flower seeds; later on the year it will be flower seeds; later on the year it will be flower seeds; later on the year it will be flower seeds; later on the year it will be flower seeds; later on the year it will be flower seeds; later on the year it will be flower seeds; la of litigation is equivered to the lessening of the cost of war. To prevent war is the wise aim of beneficent governments.

In Norway for over 100 years, and in Switzerland for a period of time not so long, there has existed, for the purpose of preventing litigation, a very simple yet effective tribunal. In Norway every city, every village, containing at least 20 families, and every parish constitutes a separate district of conciliation. The tribunal consists of two members. One is chairman or judge; the other is clerk. These officials are chosen for a term of three years by the votes of the district over which they preside, from among three men nominated by the city or parish council. The method of settling disputes is substantially the following: Before any civil action falling within the prescribed limits can be instituted, the party complaining, in writing, in simple, everyday language; states his cause of complaint, and what he demands of the offending farty; and requests that hebre required to meet him in the Court of Conciliation. This letter is copied. The summons is made out, and both are delivered to the defendant; and at the same time the complainant is notified of the time and place of meeting. The parties to, the controversy are to attend in person, in fancy, insanity or other disability of the party, and in no case is any lawyer to be permitted to attend on behalf of them, except when the same is rendered necessary by the sickness, infancy, insanity or other disability of the party, and in no case is any lawyer to be permitted to attend on behalf of any other person.

Having appeared before the tribunal, the parties state their respective sides of the matter in dispute. The production of all documents or other material (except witnesses) which would assist the court in arriving at the merits may be compelled. Having heard the complaint, the court endeavors to reconcile the parties state their respective sides of the matter in dispute. The production of all documents or other material (except witnes

ment.

The settlement being reached, a certificate settling out its terms is given to each party, and either can enforce it in the same manner as other judgments of courts, and it is final.

All proceedings are carried on with closed doors, and the officials are bound to secrecy. Admissions or concessions made by one party cannot be used against him by his adversary if the case should come up for trial in the regular courts. But a party willing to settle is entitled to a certificate to that effect: and the costs of subsequent litigation may be affected thereby.

Failure to appear before this tribunal is punished by the obligation to pay all costs of subsequent formal trial.

A fee of 25 cents is charged for issuing the summons, and a second fee of 50 cents in case of conciliation. These are all the costs 'hat can be charged.

If the parties fail to agree they often ask the official to act as arbitrator in the matter.

The result of this simple method is said to be in Norway the settling of 75 out of every 100 disputes which o herewise would have resulted in litigation. In Switzerland, the percentage of disputes thus settled is said to be about 66.

This reform is more important and far-reaching in its results than may at first sight appear. When we consider the large amount of money x-pended in the furtherance of law suits; the time wasted by litigants in supervising 'their cases and in procuring evidence, together with the time and energy devoted to the preparation and conduct of this civil strife of other people by the body of men who constitute the legal profession, including the judges and other officers of the courts; and add to this the large amount annually paid out of the public funds for the equipment and maintenance of the court houses, offices and courts, we will begin to realize the severe, drain which our present methods impose upon the wealth and wealth-producing power of our community:

But the ethical is of more importance than the financial, and the moral loss arising from litigation is a stron

gold, and handsomely cased in a chest of Canadian maple.

Exhausted Resources.

"What are you bothering your father about?" asked the boy's mother.

"I want him to tell me a etory; and he says he doesn't know any.

"Perhaps he will make up one as he goes along."

"I asked him to. But he says he has been testifying before an investigation committee all day, and it had used up all his material."—Washington Star.

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Toronto, Feb., 1897.

"The benefits of the Swedish and Swiss method of avoiding litigation are great, regarded merely from the point of view of money saved. Results far more important, benefits far greater, will be the improvement in morals, the gradually increasing recognition of the sides of the question growing in the sides of the question growing in the individual; and a resulting fairness of mind which must tend to render unnecessary not only courts of law, but their accompanying feelings of revenge, rests upon the basis of mutual forbearance and conciliation? Courts of law produce cunning, sharpness; courts of conciliation bring wisdom, breadth.

F, E, TITUS.

Toronto, Feb., 1897.
GREENHOUSE AMATEURS.

Joseph Meehan Gives Some Excellen Hints For Work. "He is very nice," said the young woman." "And he bears an illustrious name."
"Yes." replied her extremely practical mother, "but titles don't make any difference in my mind unless they have some standing in the recorder's office. In my opinion what this generation ought to demand is deeds, not words."

—Washington Star.

—Prediction Discredited,
"The weather bureau predicts light snow," said Mrs. Citymau, reading from the newspaper.

"Well, I'll bet a cookie it will be dark brown as usual," replied Mr. Citymau.—New York World.

THE RIVALS. Whin I take me dadheen, And the smoke wreaths arise, I can see her bright eyes Whur a laugh brikin hes, And her white little chin Wid its dape dimple in— b, there never was seen such a winson colleen

She's a poutin' colleen
Whin she sees me dudheen!
Whit the smoke wreaths arise
There's a snap in her eyes,
Whur an imp lurkin' lles,
And she tilts her white chin
Wid its dape dimple in—
Oh, there never was seen such a pocolleen

As her whin pertindin' to light me duthe first year, will nower in their into season if plants are raised from seeds sown now.

The chrysanthemum, too, has to be thought of a long time in advance. The little shoots which spring up about the base of old plants should be taken off and inserted in the sand. They root readily, and are then to be potted and grown on for the coming fall.

The heat of the greenhouse should not be great in midwinter, as most plants are the better for a little rest. But with the close of the year a little thicker temperature may be maintained to start growth, and with this growth will come the flowers.—Joseph Meehan, in Country Gentleman.

IN THE 20TH CENTURY.

Economy of the Metric System.

Great Britain and the United States will soon be forced to adopt the metric system of weights and measures. The consuls of these two countries agree in reporting that the foreign trade of each would be greatly benefited by the adoption of that system. All European nations with the exception of Great Britain and Russia use the metric system, which, by practical experience, extending over many years, has been found to be vastly superior to the cumbersome tables of British weights and measurees. A committee of the British House of Commons investigated the merits of the new system last year. The testimony given last year. The testimony given before the committee was so convincingly in favor of the reform that it is very likely England, will soon follow the example of the continental countries. The House of Commons Committee asserted that the adoption of the metric system would save one year's schooling of all the children in the United Kingdom, and houses engaged in foreign trade testified that lis adoption would enable them to get on with fewer clerks. If we introduced the metric system into Canada and adopted phonetic spelling our public school education would be simplified by 50 per cent. One-third of the time spent by children in primary education could be saved, and our educational machinery would be at least 25 per cent. less expensive to operate. These simple reforms would mean the Aaving of a great many thousands of dollars annually to the people of this city. The republics of Central and South America all use the metric system. Its adoption by Canada would help our merchants in securing the trade they are now trying to cultivate with these countries.—Toronto World. A Feature That a Knowing Young Man Did Not Understand Unit: 6. Late. A Feature That a Knowing Young and Did Not Understand Unit • Late.

She tripped lightly down the aisle, and an usher gave her a seat in the first row. To be sure, her hair looked as if peroxide had lend the huge hat appeared a pretty face, Now, a pretty face covers a multitude of sins, and the chappie who was seated behind her tried alis best to lot her know he was there.

Her appalling hat wa sadorned with plumes, and people behind her wondered if she would take it off. Chappie was sure of it.

"There's a girl who is up to 'date," said he; "she reads the papers; and I'll bet she takes it off when the curtain goes up."

"I hope she does," replied the man next to him: "for if she leaves it on I'm afraid I shall not see much, and I am sure you won't, because you ardirectly behind her.

PART OF THE SHOW.

I am sure you won't, because you directly behind her."
"Don't worry," Chappie said consol-

ingly.
The maiden heard part of the convertation and smiled under the hat.
The orchestra came in and played the overture, but she still kept the hat

Seldom the Latter

She-Do humorists ever make jokes at their own expense?
Humorist—The first few thousand are at their own expense; after that they get paid for them or give it up.

Heima 10

The Congregation.

The bell rang, the curtain rose, and she sat there wholly unconcerned. Chapple's expressions of admiration changed to remirks of disgust, but the damsel noticed him not.

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The pay was well under way, and Chapple was about to utter a good round protest, when his revenge came in a different way.

The two comedians came down to the footlights and sang a topical song. They sang of various things of interest and gradually drifted amound to the theatre hat. Right in the midst of the song they stopped and the pretty blonde in titer, and Chapple alaughed aboud. The damsel hesitated a moment and then raised her hands a moment and then raised her hands a moment and then raised her hands a moment and then raised their song, and then the pretty blonde got up and the pretty blonde got up and then the pretty blonde got up and the pretty blonde got up and the pretty blonde got up and the pretty blond

him, poor old chap!"
"I should think you'd want to congratulate him."
"No. The doctor says it isn't likely to be permanent."—Cleveland Leader.

The Boy's Reply.

"My boy." saidfold Drywater, "in all creation you won't find any animal except man who makes a habit of smoking."

"Yes, sir. But neither do I know any other animal that cooks his meals."

London Tit-Bits.



Mrs. Tildeath Douspart-Henry, I'm

A Failure to Entrap.

A would-be wit once tried to entrap James T. Fields at a dinner party. Before Mr. Fields' arrival que of the gentitemen informed the other guests that be had written some lines which he intended to submit to Mr. Fields as Southey's, and to ask in which of that author's works they could be found. This program was carried out. "I do not remember to have met with them before." replied the publisher, "and there were only two periods in Southey's life when such things could possibly have been written' by him." "When were those?" "Somewhere," said Mr. Fields, "about that early period of his existence when he was having measess or cutting his first teeth or near the close of his life, when his brain was softened. The verification belongs to the measies period, but the ideas betray the idiotic one."—San Francisco Trust, "Harold," she said, almost in a whisper, "am I the first girl you ever kiesed?"
"You are," he answered with eager "You are," he answered with cages earnestness.

"I believe you," she replied, looking him full in the face. "Sincerity must command confidence. Yes," she went on with a far-away look in her eyes, "sincerity must ever show for itself with those who think. And the amateur is always sincere. You are the most inexperienced kisser I ever encountered."—Detroit Free Press.

A Fatal Defect.

"I understand. Rastus, that your daughter is quite a singer."
"Deyn't no doubts erbout dat, boss."
"That's lucky. I suppose you will have no difficulty in getting her a position in one of the church choirs in town."

"She tried dat, boss, but it didn't wu'k. Eb'y time she dun open her mouf it made sich a draf in de chu'ch dat de congregation caught coi', sah, an she hatter resign."—Richmond Dispatoli, A Fatal Defect.

Mr. Isolate (of Lonelyville, mildiy)—
I don't see why you should send over to borrow the Hermitage's lawn mower so early in the spring. Anabel. We certainly won't need it for some time yet.
Mrs. Isolate (earnestly)—Yes, I know that, Ferdinand, but it will be such a satisfaction to know that we have it in the house in readiness for use when we shall need it:

AN OBJECT LESSON

ancial Strength of the

11. Holland: 12. Tanian.

The above cut, taken from the eminent British statistician, Mulhail, shows the comparative wealth of nations, the wealth being visible and tangible property of the nation indicated by the number on the column and the corresponding number in the foot note below the cut. The height of the columns in the group represent the wealth of the different countries in land, cattle, horses, furniture, railways, ships, merchandise, bullion, etc., and here are the proportionate totals in English money:

After that the figures run down to Argentina, with its £509,000 000, Sweden and Roumania being a little more than half way between Canada and the

of course, in a contest between the nations this array of wealth does not at all indicate their borrowing powers.

Economy of the Metric System.

As her through the smoke of me good owld dudheen!

What alls the colleen
Whin I take me dudheen?
It's me rival," siz she,
Wid a side gance at me,
"And it's alsy to see
Which howlds the first place,
And I say to your face
It's plain to be seen that ye want no colleen
Whin yer lips are glued fast to your
darling dudheen."

Thin I drop me tudheen—
Jist to plaze the colleen,
And to prove that wan sip
From her swate bouth; lip
Would onloosen me stip
From me pipe or me life!
Ob, there never was seen such a darlin'
As her—while she's coaxed me to drop me
dudheen!

Thin I eye me dudheen,
And I eye the colleen;
And she'll prisintly rise,
Wid warm love in her eyes,
Wid warm love in her eyes,
While she inaghin'ly tries
To breathe back a light'
In me pipe that's out quite.
I, there never was seen such a witchin'

This Will Verily Re the Fate of the



The Congregation.

One fine Sunday morning a tourist arrived at a kirk in Argyleshire, intending to enter for the English service as soon as the Gaelic was over. "Is the Gaelic service over?" he inquired of the beadle.

"No; but it will not be fery long."
So the tourist strolled on into the churchyard, where the tombstones key deep in the long grass. By and by he was recalled by the shouts of the beadle, who stood at the door waving to him.



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will enrich the blood, tone up the nerves; and heal the inflamed membranes.

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They hain't no peace a livin'
In this ere smoky town,
With folks an' kyars an' hosses
A chargin' all aroun'. The world is full o' troubles—You're boun' to hav enun'
"Thout wearin' out your speries
A hustlin' fer "the stuff."

Hits hustle for grub an' eat it. An' hustle fer clothes to we hustle jest simply to hustle, hustle fer water an' air. Jest gimme a farm in Pickens
With one o' them free stone springs,
An' take yer blasted old city
With its hustlers an' banks an' things.
—Atlanta Constitution.

Atlanta Constitution.

How She Knew.

A little girl six years old was on a visit to her grandtather, who was a New England divine celebrated for his logical powers.

"Only think, grandpa, what Uncle Robert says."

"What does he say, my dear?"

"Why, he says the moon is made of green cheese. It isn't at all, is it?"

"Well, child, suppose you find out for yourself."

"How can I, grandpa?"

"Get your Bible, and see what it says."

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"Where shall I begin?"
"Begin at the beginring."
The child sat down to read the Bible.
Before she got more than half through the second chapter of Genesis, and had read about the creation of the stars and the animals, she came back to her grandfather, her eyes all bright with the excitement of discovery. "Ive found it, grandpa. It isn't true; for God made the moon before he made cows."—Philadelphia American.

eows."—Philadelphia American.

Singked Him.
Perry Patettic—What's got the matter with you that you won't stop and look at pictures in the windows of the picture stores no more?

Wayworn Watson—I heard a guy one day lookin' at one of 'em say that it was a great work.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Just as He Said. Miss Manchester-Do you know that after Ellen refused Mr. Esplanade he actually committed suicide?"
Miss Monterey-Really?
"Ver."
Then he is dead in love with her, even now."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Tele-graph.

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bines entertainment and instruction in a most pleasing way. At the close of a lovely June day the teacher falls asleep at his desk and in the dream that ensures the various books on his table organize a meeting, electing the dictionary chairman, and proceed to discuss their individual merits as educators of the young. History, Arithmetic, Grammar and the Fourth Reader each in turn delivers an ad-

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Caylon Tes worth 60 for 250.

English Breakfast Tes worth 60 for 25 asking. What resources the teacher should have at hand! His home should be filled with choicest books, with the leading daily papers, with the with the leading daily papers, with the address and was gradually wasting away until I lost all interest in life. latest and best magazines. But, sias, how often is this impossible, owning to the meagre salary he receives! His necessary living expenses take it all, and nothing is left to provide the reading matter which would make him a tenfold more efficient workman. I am alcored to say however, that there is a latest and best magazines.

ing matter which would make him a tenfold more efficient workman. I am pleased to say, however, that there is a general awakening in this among the people of Canada, and that the time is not far distant when trustees shall have learned there is nothing to be gained by pinching the teacher down to the last cent. Yes, the ratepayers are learning that a liberal salary is a good investment, one that pays a hundred fold in the advancement of the young people of the section".

In commending the above, we would respectfully suggest that the teacher indulge in another dream and give to some of the books, a knowledge of which is not generally considered necessary to a business education, an opportunity of demonstrating why they should occupy a place on the curiculum.

In this statement was so encouraging in the last that I determined that I would try this medicine. In my case as in that of the young lady I had read about the result was marvellous. The pain in my side from which I had suffered so much, disappeared, my appetite returned and my whole system seemed strengthened and renewed. I am now as well as any member of the family and have not known what sickness for the some of the books, a knowledge of which is not generally considered necessary to a business education, and provide the search of the sound of the soun

Mrs. Robert Brown is seriously ill with la grippe.

A number of the young people of six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had

for shaking the toe. But they were ville, Ont. sadly disappointed, owing to the re-fusal of their host, who objected to their dancing in his house.

Miss Sarah Brown, who has been

visiting friends and relatives at Seeley's Bay for a couple of weeks, has returned njoyable time. Mr. Geo Brown gave Brockyille a

usines call last Saturday.

One of our young men is talking of uving a fancy carriage horse. Some of the select 400 gathered at

acquaintances a few days ago.

The Haddigan Bros. are doing an exbusiness. Wood bees have commenced in this

ection of the country.

It has been rumored that wedding bells are about to ring.

Mr. T. Miller, who has been sick for some time, we are much pleased to see out again and making an extensive

yisit amongst his many friends in this Mr. J. Manon, who has been at

Sherwood Springs for the past two weeks, has returned home. Geo. Haws, Bravo Valley and S. Dowsley, paid Athens a visit a few days ago
Geo. Comstock of Muskrat Bay had

a wood bee and dance, last week, and 30 cords of wood were cut. The guests got lively during the evening, and their actions may be aired in a

Poverty of the Blood.

A TROUBLE THAT IS MAKING THE LIVES OF THOUSANDS MISERABLE.

It Brings in its Train, Nervousness Pains in the Back and Side, Head aches, Heart Palpitation and Results Fatally Where Effections Treatment is not Resorted to.

But, alas, I had tried a number of medicines bu

medicine is unbounded and I hope my statement may be the means of bringthey should occupy a place on the curriculum.

RIVER SIDE.

Mr. Henry Brown paid Brockville a business call on Friday last.

Miss Delliah Brown of Brockville a business called home, owing to the sickness of her mother.

Quietness reigns supreme after the scrap at Comstock's the other night.

Geo. Comstock paid Brockville a call last Thursday.

Geo. Elliott has bought him a fine carriage outfit. He flatters himself to component the suprementand health to some other sufferer.

The gratifying results following the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, in the case of wish o'Neil prove that they are unequalled as a blood builder and nerve tonic. In the case of young girls who are pale or sallow, listless, troubled with a fluttering or palpitation of the heart, weak and easily tired, no time should be lost in taking a course of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which will speedily enrich the blood and bring a rosy glow of health to the cheeks.

They are a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irreg.

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from this village, also quite a few from of all druggists or direct by mail from Mallorytown, went to Grenadier Island Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brock-

WOMAN, WHY?

You have Sallow Skin, Pimples, Eruptions Discolorations ome and reports baving had a most Why resort to cosmetics and Powders to his

Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills regulate the system and restore to the cheek the healthful

Disorders like these arise from sluggish liver. From one to two pills a Mr. John Hager's one evening last lever. From one to two pins as Mr. John Hager's one evening last dose, will clarify and purify the complexion in short order. See that you get what you ask for. 20c 40 doses.

Mr. J. B. Gibson was renewing old Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son. -----

The great fistic encounter between Corbett and Fitzsimmons takes place at Carson, Nevada, to-day (Wednesday). Sports in almost every town on this continent have arranged to receive telegraphic reports of the progress of the

HEALTH'S PARADISE

Regained After Twenty Years' Torture From That Dread Disease. Catarrh—Hon. Geo. Taylor of Scranton. Fe., Tells the World What Dr. Agnors for Him. Toward The Bone for Him. I was a martyr to catarrhal Powder Has Bone for Him. I was a martyr to catarrh for twenty years—tried every known remedy, but got little or no relief. Was troubled with constant dropping in the throat, terrible pains in my head, and my breath was very offen-

in the throat, terrible pains in my head, and my breath was very offensive. I was induced to give Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder a trial, and Mr. Wm. Gibson has moved to the result was magical. The first ap-SWEET'S CORNERS.

Monday, Mar. 13th—The farmers have secured their supply of wood for the summer and are awaiting the departure of king frost to commence.

the summer and are awaiting the departure of king frost to commence farming operations,

A. Pryde and W. Mustard left last week for Uncle Sam's domain.

Samuel Niblock, an old and respected resident of this place, died on Tuesday night last, after a lingering illness. Liver complaint was the cause of death. The deceased will be greatly missed out of our community, as he was born and reared and always lived in this neighborhood. He leaves a wife and seven children, three sons and four daughters. The bereaved family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends. The bereaved family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends. The dizziness and about the sympathy of a large circle of friends. The funeral was very largely attended. It was conducted in the Methodist Church at Lyndhurst, by the Rev. Mr. Brown and the remains placed in Seeley's Bay vault.

Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son.

BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH

Abury Park, N. J., and two Bottles of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart Restored the lost Treasure. For twenty-five years I have been agreat sufferer from heart disease, pallotted the proprietor on securing the service of so good a foreman, as Mr. Charlton has had large experitation are gone, the headaches have done wonders for me. The dizziness and palpitation are gone, the headaches have disappeared. I never cease telling this great cure has been to me, and I the great cure has been to me, and I the great cure has been to me, and I cases of itching piles in from three to six nights. One application brings comfort. For blind and bleeding piles it is peerless. Also cures Tetter, Salt Rhuem, Eczema, Barber's Itch and all eruptions of the skin. 35c. Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son.

LAKE STREET

Wm. T. Stevens has had men and teums engaged hauling logs to the saw mill at Delts.

The Millionare of our street has fell school house on Monday evening, 8th

in with a million heiress and reports say they are likely to form a partnership and buy out Rossland.

Rumor says that Wm. T. Stevens
feels as frisky as a kitten this winter.
He has been feeding on trout and
venison, and as the supply is running
short he is looking around Lyndhurst

lake for a fresh supply.

There will be a number of important changes on our street this spring.

John Scofield has sold his farm and will move to Lyndhurst and run the

Berney hotel there.

Clinton Scofield has moved to J. E.
Knapp's factory, where he will make
cheese the coming season.

Wm. Young is moving on to Byren McCallum's farm.
Ed. Thomas is spending his honeymoon at Wm. T. Stevens, but "expects
to move to his new quarters in a short

ELBE MILLS.

Sunday, March 7th, being Baptismal Sunday, march run, cening Daphisman Sunday, a large number of the young people were baptized by the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Scanlon.

Our Sunday school was re-opened on Feb. 21st with Mr. R. E. Cornell as

Prayer meeting was held at the residence of Mr. Byron Brown on Satur-day evening last, with a large attendance.
Mr. J. Besley has purchased the farm
of Mr. M. Coon. We wish you success,

John.
Mr. A. Empey of Easton's Corners
has been visiting his many friends and
relatives in this place for the past few

days.
Miss Edythe Bates, who has been visiting friends and relatives at Lyn, has iting friends and relatives at Byll, has returned to her home here.
Our young people of Elbe and Woodbine attended the Royal Temperance Lodge at Addison on Thursday evening last and listened to a very interesting

program, rendered by the members of the Addison Lodge. Miss, Addie B own has returned from a flying visit among her m ny friends at Delta and Philipsville.

There seems to be considerable at-traction in this place for one of Athen's

traction in this place for one of Athen's part of the spells of dizziness, and severe beadaches and was gradually wasting away until I lost all interest in life. I had tried a number of medicines but found no relief. In this apparently hopeless condition, while reading a newspaper I saw a statement of a young lady whose symptoms were almost identical with my own, whose health had been restored through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pilk. This statement was so encouraging that I determined that I would try this medicine. In my case as in that of the young lady I had read about the specific property of the Elbe Cheese Factory. Dame rumors says several of the young bachelors of this vicinity contemplate joining the benedicts. We extend our congratulations. One of our young men of South St. is observed quite frequently speeding his course in the direction of the glorious setting sun. Rumor says he loves to visit the land of hills and valleys.

SOPERTON.

Monday, Mar. 8 .- Several minia ture skating rinks scattered broad-cast through the land furnish ample scope for the exercise of that enjoyable past-

time—skating.
Miss Lydia Stafford is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Nellie Webster, Washburn's Corners. Mr. Jos. Barlow's sale came off on

were furnished with a substantial tes. Mrs. S. Stafford visited Forfar recently.

Prof. Lewis was recently a guest in

the neighborhood.

Miss Hazel Washburn has been visiting friends in Athens.

Mr. C. B. Barber spent a few days with friends here before leaving for the West. Wedding Bells, it is reported, will

soon ring on Victoria street. The old men are certainly showing their younger brethern that "it is not well for man to be alone." A number from here attended the tea-meeting at Delta on Wednesday vening.

ADDISON.

Monday. Mar. 15 - Henry and Willie Knox were visiting friends in this vicinity for a few day last week.

Mrs. C. Lewis, who has been on the sick list for some time, is, we are happy to say, under the skilful treatment Dr. Stanley, fast recovering, Mr. William Howe of Glen Buell i

At an auction sale at Mr. Andrew Pepper's last week, Mr. Charles Gray of Mt. Royal purchased the celebrated Gray Eagle. He will place him in training at the Model farm at Mt.

Mr. William Hay of Ashton made a pleasant call last week. Mr. Hay is always a welcome visitor in our

Kitley. He takes the best wishes of all that he may prosper in his new home.

Mr. James Covey has Jeased the
Experimental farm at Slab St. from
Mr. William Scott. Mr. Scott has
moved into his new residence on King St., where he will be happy to enter-

SMALL BOYS WHO COAST BEHIND.

cheese factory was held at the fibe school house on Monday evening, 8th inst, and was largely attended by those interested. Mr. E. J. Rowsom was appointed chairman.

Messrs. Bates and Brown informed those present that they had asked the Johnson creamery, and proposed running it in connection with the cheese

Mr. John Webster, cheese-dealer,

Mr. John Webster, cheese-dealer, Brockville, was present and gave a practical address on the dairy question He advised not to make much fodder cheese, and thought butter making up to May 1st and then cheese would probably pay hest. He also thought 1to per lb. for cheese and 3c for butter a fair price for manufacturing.

M. R. Bates and G. F. Osborne were appointed salesment: M. R. Bates. M. R. Bates and G.F. Osobrae were appointed salesmen; M. R. Bates, treasurer; R. E. Cornell, secretary; E. J. Rowsom, Joseph Greenham, and the butter and chrese makers a committee

Mr. Webster and the chairman were tendered a vote of thanks. Mr. Alvah Johnston has been engaged as butter-Johnston has been engaged as butter-maker and Mr. Theodore Mustard as cheese maker. It is expected that in combining the factorie, the patrons will get good returns.

combining the factorier, the patrons will get good returns.

For several weeks past Rev. W. Warren Giles has been preaching with great acceptance to large congregations in Carleton Place, Appleton, and other points in that district. His final sermon at Carleton Place, delivery of on the 7th inst., is published in full by the Central Canadian, and respecting the points in that district. His final sermon at Carleton Place, delivery of on the 7th inst, is published in full by the Central Canadian, and respecting the speaker and his theme that journal says:

"It is not easy to analyze his power as a pracetor, for, like a mighty view as a pracetor, for, like a mighty river as a pracetor, for, like a mighty river than a weeps in grandeur to the sea, it is fed by immersable rills of character, temperament, aspiration and inspiration. By one swift act, Stunday events in first the problems of the "spectacled three of the standards of the season of the "spectacled three of the standards of the season of t

A bill has been introduced into the A oill has been introduced into the Outario Legislature by Mr. Chapple, North Ontario, to ammend the marriage act by taking out the clause inserted last year compelling the lady interested to make affidavit that she is of legal ago atte. As a worded the marriage and the legal ago atte. legal age, etc. As am nded the prospective bridegroom takes the affidavit for both. The insertion of the clause was done as an experiment, and was found to be a mistake. Young ladies

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enelone—Yes. Are you? His Advice. "Do you know anything about buy-ing crockery for the house?"
The man with the bald head looked at his questioner pityingly before ea-plying.
"A little," he said at last.

"You've tried it, start of the man I want." I have.
"Then you're just the man I want. You see, I need a little advice in regard to a dinner set."
"You may put it down as an incontrovertible truth," said the man wish the bald head oracularly, "that the only advice in that aline which is of the slightest value is contained in three words."

three sightest value is contained in three words."
"Which are."
"Don't try it. Don't let your enturesiasm and self-confidence permit you to make the mistake of your life. Just give the money to your wife."—Chicago Post.

Chicago Post.

His Farewell Sermon

"Brethren, in partin' frae ye I must
in a' truth say I'm no' sorry. Ye're
neist pastor (if ye can get ane) will be
an extraordinar' man if he ican bring
ye tae hear the word o' God. Ye dinna,
lo'e ane antiher, because since my administration nane o' ye has askit ms
tae pit ye into the holy state o' matrimony. God cansa lo'e ye, for the reasons that he ha ne'er ta'en ony o' ye
until Himsel; o' dinna lo'e me because ye haena pald my stipend, Week,
I hae been appointed chaplin 't the
jall i' the neeborhood, and will noo proceed tae preach my farewell sermon
frae ane o' the best texts in Holy Writ

—'I go to prepare a place for you."

Cause to Remember it. Cause to Remember II.

"I should say I do remember it.",
said the fat man who was asked if
he recalled a certain railroad accident.
"Williams—you remember him?—was
sititing in the seat ahead of me, and
was instantly killed, poor fellow. And
that isn't all iHe was talling one of
the funniest stories I ever heard, and
though I have tried ever since to find
what the end of that story was. I have
never been able to run across any one
who knew."—Indianapolis Journal.

The Latest Fashions

MODES AND MANNERS.

The Proper Things to Do and to Leav Undone.

The proper kind of handkerchlef to have is of very fine linen, just simply hemstitched and with your initials hand-embroidered in one corner.

The proper kind of napery to have is pure white with the border running all around. They are invariably handhemmed, and hand-embroidered initials are put across the oprier just inside the border, smaller-sized letters to match being used for the napkins. The polka dot is the pattern to have this year, the dot in the table cloth being about a quarter of an inch in diameter and the one for the napkins about half. The proper kind of a weedling ring is quite narrow, but heavy and thick through.

quite narrow, but heavy and thick through.

The proper kind of a shoc this winter has the "bull-dog" toe. Calf-skin laced ones for walking and street wear, patent leather buttoned ones, with kid uppers (never cloth). for church, teas or dressler out-door wear, and the Duchesse slipper or light colored Oxford for house wear. Indoor shoes have no tips, outdoor ones have straight tips, the pointed tip is passe. The proper kind of glove to wear is a heavy dog-skin one like a man's for your tailor-made gown or shopping, white glace four-buttoned kid ones gitched with black, for other fancier

small boys who coast behind.

Sing ho for the winter with ice and with slow. Sing ho for the maidens with cheeks all aglow!

The fairest of all is my Molly!

Each night we drive out in a cutter with furs.

The moon o'er the snow seems to blind to all the world, till it sudden occurs There's a small boy a coasting behind us.

The shimmer of moon over stretches et snow.

The crunch of the crust as we're speeding.

Seems to chord with your heart till the first thing you know.

The cause of a lover you're pleading.

I know that with Molly and me that's the wall.

I worship my Molly, I feel she loves me, And long I have vainly been praying That these little scamps would for once let me be

While out in the moonlight we're sleighing.

If rate would be kind in my manifold wees, We'd plight all the troths that would bind us;

A SOFT SNAP.

But the Bay Was Anxious to Give Amother this Great Chance.

'I wonder why in Tunkett that boy of ours ds so peekly Banxious to deave the colors and always a reper to the proper kind of a photograph frame is a hand-embroidered linen one, but mounted under glass this year. This is fastened on with white water-color paper, with the edge running over the glass about half an inch on the class of the colors of the colors of the color of the colors of the color of

Her parents had a boy and then they had a girl, and they called her Sobbenke Zweibacken when they and time. They went to church and sat in the seat where they could sleep the most. They lived in a place where the sun shone. The girl grew to be very beautiful. She did not know it. This was very convenient, for she did not need so many fine clotnes. Her eyes were blue and she had red hair. She wanderel over the heather. She slaso had a twinkle in her eye. "Life here is dead slow, said Sobbenke Zweibacken." I would seek other lands."

benke Zweibacken other lands."

The heather rustled, and then it rustled two times.

Borjen Bjunderlaken stood before her. He had a carpet bag and a steamer trunk.

"Why do you not fly with me?" he isked. He was a large, big man and he grinned.
"You should know the not why," sobbed Sobbenke Zweibacken, and coverbed Sobbenke Zweibacken, and cover-ed her entire face with her hands.
"What big hands!" said Borjen
Bjunderlaken, and took as much of
one of them as he could in both his

one of them as ne count ...

own.

They sat down on the steamer frunk and thought. The sun shone on the sunshiny places, and then the moon came out.

"Your hands shall be our fortune," sighed Borjen Bjunderlaken, and he had a very hoarse sob in his throat two times. mes. They took a ship and sailed to Newa Now there is a sign in Sixth avenue. is painted black upon white. I saw have see it if you will. It is

is painted black upon white, I saw You may see it if you will. It is a sunshiny place. It is a big sign-reads: SOBBENKE ZWEIBACKEN Swedish Massage Operator. Her hands were her fort

Borjen Bjunderlaken sits in the sun-shiny places. He is in Easy street all lay.—New York Herald. Alleged Crooked Work. Alteged Crocked Work.

Brampton, Ont., March 7.—Dan Kinsman, a C.P.R. day operator at Streetsville, and F. W. Royce, general merchant of Hillsburg, were arrested today by C. P. R. Detective Ross of Tofonto and County. Constable Broddy of ronto and County Constable Broddy of Brampton, charged with conspiracy to defraud the C. P. R. Company by falsely misrepresenting the weight of a certain shipment of potatoes from the said village of Hillsburg to the town of Petrolia, as being less by 7800 pounds, or thereabouts, than it in fact was, hereby defrauding the company. The prisoners were brought before Police Magistrate Main and remanded until Triday next. Bail was fixed at \$3000. The prisoners were taken for \$1500 and we sureties for \$750 each.

Writ Out for Wright. Ottawa, March 7.—(Special.)—The sessional program was under consideration in council yesterday.

The writ for Wright was ordered to a tseued, nomination March 16, polling the writ for Wright was ordered to be issued, nomination March 16, polling 23rd. Mayor Aubry of Hull will be the Conservative candidate and ex-Mayor Champagne the Liberal candi-date.

Running No Risk. Soubrette—Quick! Gimme some carbolic acid! My salary's absurdly small, and altogether my more than I can bear. I'm going to commit suicide! Hard-hearted Druggist—Don't take carbolic acid. Take prussic acid. It's surer. arbolic acid. Take prussic acid.
urer.
"Not on your life! Why, it might
till me!

On the Southern Railways

First Passenger—Oh! yes, I know hese Southern railroads very well. 'ye been riding on this line all my ife.
Second Passenger—That so? You nust have got on a little sooner than did.—Truth. His Question.

Della Ware—Do you believe in the Biblical admonition of giving a kiss for a blow, Mr. Westside?

Westside—Well—er—that depends. Miss Ware. How hard are you going to strike me?—Buffalo Times.

Examine the Seed Potatoes Examine the Seed Potatoes.

The earlier the potatoes can be started the better, as it is the hot, dry weather that damages them. It is now customary to sprout the small potatoes before planting, handling them carefully, in order to secure an early start. Now is the time to look over the seed potatoes, throwing out tevery one that shows the slightest signs of rot, and every potato used for seed should be carefully examined. Do not use seed that came from land where rot has occurred. Better procure sound seed from elsewhere, even if the cost is increased by so doing.

ccessful New Fodder Crop N-w f-dder crops continue to attract much attention at the Vermont station. So fa beans of the green and black varieties have proven satisfactory each year. No other leguminous heed crop das given better returns in tomage of green fodder, dry matter or protein. The green variety vielded at the rate of six and one-half tons green and two tons dry fodder, and nearly one-fourth of a ton of protein to the screen.

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REAL ESTATE

Charleston, March 12, '97

HARLEM

account of the large snow storm.

Monday, Mar. 15 .- No service was

Mrs. S. Smith spent a few days with her son at Chantry.
Mr. C. H. Smith, Chantry,

drawn a few loads of stone from this place, with which he intends to erect a building for the purpose of boxing

Some of the farmers, it appears

have got in a great rush for sugar making as some have tapped their

ed the funeral of their niece on Satur-

Miss Eva Chapman, youngest aughter of John Chapman, is very

low at present.

Mr. Geo. Rosenbarker, who received

WOODBINE

ooks like business.

MONDAY, Mar. 15 .-- Miss Nellie

Boat Livery If fine clothes you wish to try. Go to Walsh if you want to buy; Me sells cheap, you'll find it so— Walsh's suits are all the go.

day evening last.

day last. Miss

J. J. WALSH

TAILOR

ATHENS

COUNTY NEWS.

A Budget of News and Gossip. Persons Intelligence.—A Little of Every-thing Well Mixed Up.

NEWBORO

TUESDAY, Mar. 16 .- A few farmers have tapped, but have had a poor run of A sugar social will be held in the basement of the Methodist basement of the Methodist church on Friday evening, 19th. A good pro-gram is being prepared for the

Messrs. G. S. Wrathall and J. C.

proved the sleighing very much.

A number of applications have been sent in for the locks here, but as yet it is undecided who shall be the man.

My policy is: Just give a Grit a show now.

Drs. King and Preston are kept quite busy now, as there is much sickness in and around the village.

Lottie Sturgeon, who has been quite il!, is nicely improving.

The Citizens' Band are talking of giving an oyster supper in the near future. They are greatly improving.

RIVER SIDE. *

Monday, Mar. 15 .- David Haws half a mile, for the purpose of speeding his pacing mare. She is one of the his pacing mare. She is one of the best trotters in this part of the country.

We hear that a large party of young people from the direction of Mallory-town drove to Captain William Poole's, Grenadier Island, with the intention of the Captain showed them the road

appointed very much.
Gideon Scott of Pitsferry is visiting Mallory of Mallorytown is very busy filling his ice He is going to carry on a large butchering business the coming seasor George Haws and Gideon Scot Bravo Valley skated to Alex-

andria Bay on Monday last.

A number of farmers from thi place were in Brockyille last week with butter, eggs and apples. They all complain on account of the low prices of the same. Miss Ida Haws and her two brothers

were the guests one day last week David Hodge of Sawdust Bay. Wi'liam Poole and wife of Gret

dier Island were the guests of James Dear one day last week. George R. Comstock and wife ac by Mrs. Alice Shipman

companied by Mrs. Alice Shipman Bravo Valley, paid a pleasant visit friends at Rockport last Sunday. of Bravo Valley, have started a stage Bravo Valley and Mallory town, to run twice a week-a great ace to that classic locality

Point Pleasant made a large purchase of furs in Brockville Wednesday.

LOCAL SUMMARY. ATHENS AND NEIGHBORING LOCALI-TIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP.

vents as Seen by Our Knight of the

Jabez O. Bullis has purchased the I. C. Alguire farm near Lake Eloida. Sugar-making was thought to be right on " a few days ago, but the

The Golden Medicine and Con Co. open a week's engagement in the town hall on Thursday evening. The free concerts given by the Golden Medicine Co. are said to be in every respect excellent. They open here on Thursday evening.

Mr. John M. Davis, a former resi dent of this section, now a prosperous farmer at Markdale, Ont., is visiting

Despite the stormy weather that prevailed on Saturday last, there was a large attendance at the Hornerite convention held in Athens, many be-

A correspondent at Poele's Resort announces that Mr. Leehy, school teacher at Grenadier Island, and who is a well known Leeds county boy, is soon to enter the ministry in the Methodist conference of the state of Pennsylvania. Fred Stafford, so well-known on the

B. & W. mail stage route, has bought a half interest in the Kingston and Newboro mail stage line. Fred is a popular mail driver and will be a man to suit the public generally. Mr. Wellington Earl, near Soperton,

had the mistortune to lose a fine young horse this week. It seems that during the night the horse got one of its hind feet over the halter, became tangled and fell, sustaining such injuries that it died the following day. The Golden Medicine and Concert

Co. will open a one week's engagement (Thursday) evening. This Company gives a first class program and their entertainments are attended by crowdwill be a thing of the past, unless some protection is put on like that one processor is put on like that given to other fish.

David May, Proprietor of the Pond View House, has built an ice house ed houses everywhere. The members are courteous, gentlemanly, and re-liable. The medicines are marvelous

spring time comes she can cackle as loud as the best of the bipeds, and not without reason; for when she lays herself out to do something extra in her particular line she generally makes ner paractuar inte sue generally makes a big success of it. As evidence of this latter statement, Mr. Geo. Tackaberry of Plum Hollow last week showed the Reporter an egg weighing 4½ oz, and measuring 8½ by 6¾ inches, which was produced by a common han

The claims of Stanly Johnston and

Alva Johnston against the estate of Chas. Johnston & Son, referred to Judge McDonald for adjudication, were ecided last week. The former sought to recover on two

omisary notes made by insolvent, e for \$540, dated Dec. 1st, 1892, and the other for \$3,000 dated April Mr. Geo. Rosenbarker, who received a fall some time ago off the wagon of H. Imerson, is unable to put his foot to the ground from the hurt he related that time.

His Honor and \$2,200 from April 2, 1895, to June, 1895, and on \$3,000 from the last mentioned date.

Alva Johnston claimed \$220, but at 1,000 general part of this.

the hearing abandoned \$100 of this.

The Judge allowed him \$52.29 in all, the claim to be preferential, being for wages. The cost were fixed at \$10 which claimant was ordered to pay. Kyle of North Augusta is visiting her cousin, Miss Nellie Whitmore. Miss Pearl Brown is on the sick list.

Band's Benefit Concert,

The concert given by Miss Heacock

Athens.

A Merrickville Millionaire.

The Toronto Globe published the a former resident of Merrickville.

An item contributed by a correspondent in Santa Fe., New Mexico, appeared in the Globe, stating that in December, 1895, there died in that city, a Canadian named Joseph Field, who following interesting notice concerning a former resident of Merrickville. POOLE'S RESORT.

a Canadian named Joseph Field, who was postessed of a good deal of property, that it was understood that he had two Point Pleasant made a large purchase of the protest will there as to his beirs. The item of the protest will there as to his beirs. The item of the protest will there as to his beirs. The item of the protest will there as to his beirs. The item of the protest will there as to his beirs. The item of the protest will the treat of his beirs. The item of the protest will be the property will reven to the territory badly damaged cutter, a web horse, and a display of temper. A select party was held at the residence of Sheldon Haws last Wedness day night. Among the guests we noticed P. W. Andress of Andress burg; Geo Connotock of Musk Rats Bay; Mrs. Allice Shipman of New Washion. Miss Bay; Mrs. Allice Shipman of New Washion. Since the nothing has been heard of him. His solute; A very pleasant evening was spent.

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W. I. Mallory passed through here on Thursday, paying a flying visit to friends at Rockport.

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LYN PRESBYTERIANS.

Presbyterian Church I ated-A large and

Twenty one years ago the small congregation of the Presbyterian body in Lyn met to dedicate the beautiful little stone church, a cut of which appears above. The chairman on that occasion was Mr. John M. Gill of Brockville, who performed a like pleasant duty at the annual anniversary tea and entertainment held on Tuesday

his occupancy of the char on the evening of the dedication, 21 years ago.
While there was a tinge of sadness in
the changes that had taken place
during the interval, there were many
causes for thankfulness at the progress
made in church work throughout the



evening last, 16th inst. At the dedication services in 1876, the Rev. Jas. Smart of Brockville was present and spoke feelingly on the change that had taken place since he had first visited the Village of Lyn, then known as "Coleman's Corners". He also referred to the fact that as far back as October, 1811, he preached his first sermon in the ball room of Bronson's tavera, but it was in the year 1860 before any by songs and instrumental solos, and it was in the year 1860 before any attempt was made to organize a congregation or to settle a minister. In 1874, under the pastorate of the Rev.

Archiball Brown, a move was made to build a church, but it was nearly two We understand that the attends w build a church, but it was nearly two years before the edifice was completed and dedicated. The first trustees were John Halladay, James Hamilton, Arch. Davison, Rob rt Bryson, Jas. Cumming, and James Bullock. A memorial tablet was placed in the church last fall in memory of the Rev. Arch. Brown, the first pastor, who died during 1895. in Chicaro.

We understand that the attendance and receipts were fully up to the highest expectations of the care having the matter in charge.

A langhable incident occurred at the close of the entertainment The Rev. McKenzie and Messrs. Wellis and Jones were driven to Lyn June tion to catch the midnight express. They arrived in due time and often

will be pleased to know that they will A Kingston baker sells bread at 10c be saved this ordeal, when getting

Several Americans are said to b already booking accommodation at Charleston for salmon fishing.

and the other for \$3,000 dated April 2nd, 1895 The Judge held that he was not entitled to the note for \$540, that it must have been included in the that it must have been included in the despite the unfavorable weather a neat despite the unfavorable we

Mr. W. H. Leavitt, who will con duct Cedar Park hotel next sesson, visited the lake last week. He reports 17 inches of ice, and thinks it will be now.

Mr. Joseph Beecher who has just the Methodist cronference in Cana da. It is said that the government of the United States Wesleyan Methodist.

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were visiting friends in Soperton last week.

We have lots of bachelors in Woodbine now.

Wiss Annie Wright is visiting Miss Caroline Kavanagh.

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Watertown, N. Y., on Monday, March Sth, Watson G. Wiltse, son of Edward Wiltse of Athens. Decsased was born in Athens where he resided until committee, Messrs. Green, Foster and Bissell, met on March 4th, and after viewing house and premises all over, are coing to have their wood cut by the monday of the Holiness being absent part of the year from the place where they vote.

Died, at his residence, Coffens street the cooper tools belonging to Wm. Munro, which he succeeded in getting intending to start the manufacture of pork barrels right off.

The inspector, Mr. Richardson, and committee, Messrs. Green, Foster and Bissell, met on March 4th, and after viewing house and premises all over, and settled. He leaves a wife but no children.

Card of Thanks.

The members of the Athens Civis of a first class all-around man as forserens' Bard, through the medium of the Reporter, return their sincere thanks to Miss Heacock for the benefit concert tendered them on Friday evening byther music class. They fully The night was so stormy as to preclude a very large attendance, but, der the unfavorable circumstances, the number present was such as to indicate that our citizens generally appreciated Miss Heacock's kindness in forwarding the interests of so popular.

H. W. KINGAID Loadon

Tenders for Stone.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until Monday, March and they feel very grateful for the kindness and favorable appreciation thus manifested.

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View House, has built an ice house and made other improvements on this property. He states that he will have a large share of the tourist trade this summer. Mr. May and his charming wife are very popular with the travelling public.

This is the season of big things in the hen fruit line. During the winter months the hen is a modest, retiring, almost bashful bird, but when the ber of adherents of the Lyn church, representative Presbyterians were presentative Presbyterians were presentative Presbyterians were presentative Presbyterians were presentative and state. ber of adherents of the Lyn church, representative Presbyterians were present from Brockville, Athens, Mallorytown, Caintown, Fairfield and other places. A bountiful spread was laid by the ladies in the public school hall, the room being crowded to excess from 7 until nearly 9, by those who seemed to vie with each other in making along until within a mile of town was with the good things spread out in when to his discust the very train here.

a loaf, the result of a competitive war.

Hides, pelts and deacon skins, bought by Wilson & Son, Athens Meat Market.

Mrs. J. L. Gallagher, who has been His Honor allowed the \$3,000 note little sum was placed to the credit of seriously ill for the past week, is improving slowly.

Messrs. Ed, Parish and Bert Alguire are going to have their wood cut by the steam engine.

Mr. and Mrs. Baird are visiting at Elbe Mills post office. Charlie Parish is visiting at Washburn's Corners.

We are sorry to lose some of our most esteemed friends in the persons of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Coon, who are about to move to Elgin.

Bissell, met on March 4th, and after viewing house and premises all over, reported everything working smoothly and stisfactorily.

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Died of consumption, at the House of Industry, Athens, on Sunday, Mar. 14th inst., Mrs. Elizabeth Richson of Johnstown, aged 78. She was committed to the institution on 8th of April, 1896. The funeral services of the Church of England, of which there was a member, were conducted by the Rev. Wm. Wright and the remains deposited in the vault at the conducted by the Rev. Wm. Wright and the remains deposited in the vault at the conducted by the Rev. Wm. Wright and the remains deposited in the vault at the conducted by the Rev. Wm. Wright and the remains deposited in the vault at the steam engine.

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Athens, March 9th, '97.

Has Five Legs.

Mr. T. H. Rhodes of Sweets' Corners has in his poss ssion a curious freak of nature. Under date of 15th just, a reliable correspondent sends us.

W. G. Parish spent last week in the back country buying lumber yard in Athens.

Mr. Reuben Peer, a former resident of Greenbush, is now owner and driver of an up-to-date cab in Smith's Falls. Last week Mr. L. A. Brown be ame a resident of Athens, moving into

Last Saturday farmers disposed of apples on Brockville market at 40 and 45c per bag. This is the price per bushel asked and obtained in Athens.

The case of the township of Bastard against the sureties of the late treasurer, Brown has been settled by the payment of \$1,800 and cost of both parties. While in Ottawa last week Mr. W. G. Parish visited the Fisheries Department and got the promise of a large shipment of salmon fry for Charleston Lake in the spring.

Mr. John Beadle of Delta had gang of hands cutting up a big pile of cordwood at the station for the B & W last week. A six horse power circula sawing machine did the work.

As will be seen by reference to adv't in this issue, the boat livery business so long conducted by Justus Smith at Charleston Lake is in the market. This should prove a paying investment to the right man, as the trade is con

Speaking of the cigarette habit speaking of the cigarette natit among the boys, a writer in the St. Thomas Journal expressed the opinion that the real cure for it hangs somewhere in the back kitchen, and that f it were oftener brought into use in the subject. There is more truth than poetry in the suggestion.

Gershom Olds, son of Moses Olds who resided in the Chase settlement near Morristown, N. Y., died at Neenah, Wis., on March 11th, aged 81 years, 3 months and 12 days sed was by trade a wagon maker of Brockville where he married Miss Ellen English by whom he had nine children. He has been a resident of Neenah since 1855 and is spoken of by the local paper as having been an exhanic, "an active busines man, a reliable citizen, and a devoted

owners of plate glass windows was de cided in the Division Court at Smith's Falls a few days ago. It was brought by the Lloyd Piate Glass Co. against Mr. H. Sutton, of the Record, for re-covery of the price of a pane of plate glass in the Record office broken by Mr. Sutton last summer. It happened one morning when he was coming down to business on his bicycle. In down to business on his bicycle. In trying to dismount in front of the window his foot caught in the pedal way with the good things spread out in lavish profusion.

Teams were in waiting to convey all who wished to the church, where the chair was taken by John M. Gill, as above related, who briefly referred to lating the convey all above related, who briefly referred to lating the convey all when the chair was taken by John M. Gill, as above related, who briefly referred to lating the convey and above related, who briefly referred to lating the convey and above related, who briefly referred to lating the convey all the convey and above related, who briefly referred to lating the convey and and the convey all the convey and and the convey all the convey and and the convey and and three whim against the glass.

The pedal and three whim against the pedal and three him against the pedal and three whim against the glass. ment has since been accordingly given in favor of the defendant for \$2.00 and

Market.

Rev. J. Scanlon is conducting reserval services at Washburn's school capacitating him from performing the marriage ceremony or administering the sacarment. In order to overcome this state of affairs he sought admis-People buy Hood's Sarseparilia year after year because it does them States as did the other ministers who now.

Mr. Joseph Beecher who has just the United States Wesleyan Methodist connexion is very much after the manner of the Methodist church in left the Brockville Business College has a position in Brockyille. A course in this institution paves the way to dictatorial powers that he has it is House of Industry Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dante, committed to the House of Industry from Kitley on 31st Dec., took their final leave of the institution on Tuesday 9th inst. He ran away on the 25th of February and walked to Toledo, al.

A bill is before the Ontario Legistration of deaths. The object of the district.

In this institution paves the way to success.

Those who think that fur-bearing animals are nearly extinct in this section will be surprised to learn that Mr. Horner has gone contrary to the rules tration may be made with the nearest tration may be made with the registrar of the district.

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Those who think that fur-bearing animals are nearly extinct in this section will be surprised to learn that Mr. J. R. Wight of Newboro pays out each year for prime furs about \$2.000.

looks like business.

Miss Effic Rowsome has returned home from Brockville,
Woodbine choir is blooming under the skillful management of Morley Earl.

The Mission Band met at *Mrs. W. G. Towriss'. There was a large at tendance.

Misses Essie Earl and Anna Steacy Misses Essie Earl and Robert Misses Essie Earl Misses E

vention at Winchester Springs. The new tariff bill of the United States is expected to be ready for publication this week. It is a high protective measure throughout.

The extra session of the United States Congress began on Monday. The arbitration treaty is expected to be the first important business to come up.

The United States Senate Committee on Foreign Relations' agreed to report

CRIME AND CRIMINALS.

Mr. Oliver Fuller, an aged farme living alone at Wolfville, N.S., wa found murdered in his house on Sur day.

Japan Adopts the Standard.

mportant Events in Few Words For Busy Readers

complied and Put Into Handy Attractive Shape For the Handy Our Paper—A felld Hour's Hajoyn in Paragraphed Information.

SUICIDES. Thomas McAllister, a Sydenhan lownship farmer, cut his throat with jack-knife and is dead. JHE DEAD.

Hon. A. N. Richards, ex-Lieutenan
Governor of British Columbia, died

Governor of British Columbia, died at Victoria. Prof. Henry Drummond, the author of "Natural Law in the Sphritual World," is dead. He was 46 years of CANADA AND INDIAN RELIEF.

CANADA AND INDIAN RELIEF.
Manitoba's contributions to the Indis
famine fund amount to \$13,000.

The Canadian Indian famine fund
contributions have reached the sum of
\$119,000, and another hundred thousand
rupees will be cabled to Calcutta in a
few days. few days.

THE FIRE RECORD.

Haines & Lockett's boot and shoe store at Belleville was damaged by fire to the extent of \$30,000.

The American Hotel at Forest was burned and the guests had a narrow escape, none of them saving any effects. The Grand Central Hotel at Til bury was also burned. OF INTEREST TO FARMERS of INTEREST TO FARMERS

Prof. Craig. Government Horticulturist, in the course of a lecture in Ottawa, spoke at some length of Ontarie as a fruit-growing province.

Dr. Saunders, the Director of Experimental Farms, Ottawa, has gone to Boston to deliver a lecture before the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, on "Horticulture in Canada."

POLITICS-IMPERIAL. A mass meeting of 20,000 persons was held in Trafalgar Square, London, to express sympathy with Greece in the present troubles.

The British imports from Canada increased 166 per cent, in February, and 100 per cent, in the two months of the current year, while British imports from all countries only advanced four per cent.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS RAILROAD RUMBLINGS
A number of railway officials inspected the T. H. & B. at Hamilton.
It is said the G.T.R. will transfer most of their yard work to the Port Huron side of the tunnel.
The M.C.R. officials will make a thorough inspection of the T., H. & B. Railway this week to value locomotives and other roiling stock. The road will be taken over by the M.C.R. very shortly.

The stamp mill in connection with the Kingston School of Mining is now crushing ore from different places night and day. crushing ore from different places night and day.

The commercial failures in the United States for the week just ended amount to 356. compared with 300 in the corresponding week last year.

The Furness Line has decided to build four ten-thousand ton freighters, to run between Great Britain, Montreal, Halifax and St. John, N.B.

The wheat market in Chicago was firmer on Saturday, May wheat closing 38c higher at 73 38c. Provisions closed 3ct to 10c higher. Ontario wheat was weaker, and Manitoba grades are easier. New York stocks closed higher. Canadian securities were firmer.

PURELY PERSONAL. Mr. Cecil Rhodes and Dr. Jamesonave gone to Holland on a yachtin President Faure is taking lessons in health, and he dreads the excitement of his birthday ovations. It is reported that the Duke of Man-chester is engaged to the eldest daugh-ter of, Mr. William Waldorf Astor.

Great

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Sale Register

At the farm of John G. Morris, near Charleston, on Friday, March 19, an auction sale will be held of goods and chattels, including 10 cows, 3 calves, 4 horses, vehicles, farm machinery, hay, grain, feed, &c. The farm will also be offered for sale, subject to a reserve bid.

On Thursday, March 18, W. H. Palmer will sell at his farm in Plum Hollow, 15 head of cattle, 2 horses, vehicles, implements, hay, straw, and sugar utersils. D. Dowsley but get the best-

B. Folev will sell at his farm, near the fair ground, Unionville, on Thursday, March 25th, 10 cows, 8 yearing heners (nan orea octobys), us an 2 young horses, wagon, binder, and a List, lot of small articles. Sale at 1 p. m. Geo. N. Young, Auctioneer,

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id. Terms of sale will be made to suit purchasor is far as possible. For further information and particular pply to
M. R. BATES, Elbe of to
W. A. LEWIS.
Vendors Solicitor.
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