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THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has leased the above premises for a term of years, and has refitted it in a very superior and substantial manner, and hopes to share a portion of the paths and las refitted it in a very superior and substantial manner, and hopes to share a portion of the paths that the best supplied with the street on his homeward journey he was no index or the months of the paths will be supplied with the street on his homeward journey he was no index or the months of a fatte are being there perpetrated. On Thursday evening last as a man named Joseph Clark was walking along the street on his homeward journey he was struck at with a weapon by some second and the table with all the delicaches of the scarce on his fatte partons of the paths of a little closer study of position and or whom he thought his vettim, and caught him by his left wrise.

OYSTERS AND GAME,

Every day from 1 to 5 o'clock.

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LUNCHEON! OYSTERS AND GAME, coolly replied "muchly," accompanying coolly replied "muchly," accompanying the word with a stroke of the kuife across exclaiming, "Now, I've got you." Clark coolings.

Site. Dinner and Supper parties provided on the stroke of the kulic across the cords and the companying the word with a stroke of the kulic across the cords on the back of the fellow's hand, which caused it to release its hold; but being determined not to be baffled, he immediately hid hold of Clark, with the offen should be expressed by the other hand, and made an effort to throw him, when the pruning knife was again put into operation, this time upon the sconderly find the word and the cords on the proposal parties provided on the cords on the back of the fellow's hand, which caused it to release its hold; but being determined not to be baffled, he immediately hid hold of Clark, with the other hand, and made an effort to throw him, when the pruning knife was again put into operation, this time upon the sconderly find the word and the cords on the provided on the provided of the color of the sconderly indicative of grief of the railways that the cords on the back of the fellow's hand, which caused it to release its hold; but being determined not to be baffled, he immediately hid hold of Clark, with the other hand, and made an effort to throw him, when the pruning knife was again put into operation, this time upon the sconderly find the word with a stroke of the knife across the cords on the back of the fellow's hand, which caused it to release its hold; but the cords on the back of the fellow's hand, which caused it to release its hold; but the cords on the back of the fellow's hand, which caused it to release its hold; but the cords on the back of the fellow's hand, which caused it to release its hold; but the cords on the back of the fellow's hand, which caused it to release its hold; but the cords on the back of the fellow's hand which caused it to release its hold; but the mode of the fellow's hand the cords on the back of the fellow's hand the cords on the back of the fellow shand the cords of the fellow shand the cords on the back of the fellow of the fel

ishing. One of these mournful occurrences took place in South Dumfries, on Tuesday of last week, about which there is a peculiarity that shows in what strange guises death often makes its appearance. The mishap is thus narrated by the Reformer.—A young man named Wesley Wait, son of Mr. Jonathan Wait, farmer, was engaged with a boy in crosscutting saw-logs in the bush. About 12 o'clock they were engaged in cutting a fallen tree which had been uprooted. Several lengths had been taken off and while cutting the last one the saw stack.

I love and her means, could then deliber the maken by the pinan—entertained the audience between the Acta with choicest music. We have a word for some of those who will own a chromight to hear the traged in the hear the traged of the traged is included by the science of the traged is not to exit your merriment.

FERGUS RACES.—These races began on the ice on Wednesday, and were to be continued on Thursday. The first race was for a purse of \$75, open to the Province; mile heats, best three in five.

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The entries were "Billy Button," a Ham. while cutting the last one the saw stuck when nearly through and young Wait placed his head underneath to see how much was to cut. He then told the boy to work the saw so that he could see what was the matter. Immediately the timber fell on his head and smashed it almost to a jelly. The boy was unable to relieve him or bad, the driver of the winning bad. fell on his head and smashed it almost to a jelly. The boy was unable to relieve him and ran off for assistance, but when he care to pay, an prepared to offer to be pay, an prepared to offer to was lying a few inches off quite insensi
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The case terminated on the 3rd of February by a reference to arbitration. The Lord Chief-Justice was to appoint the referee. JOHN HARRIS,
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Great Scandal Case in England.

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the present lord, who is defendant in this suit, is the fortieth baron in adirect line. What is thought of his nobility in the Queen's Bench may be judged by the fol-lowing peroration of Mr. Colridge's speech in which the Lord Chief-Justice,

Mr. Coleridge said, It is true that she ad not been married to defendant, but ad not been married to defendant, but ne absence of the religious obligation ould make the relations between them would make the relations between them under the circumstances in some respects more sacred to a man of honour. She had left her husband for him, had borne him a danghter, and lived with him for fifteen years. She was as faithful to him as woman ever was to man. In health and in sickness she devoted herself to him with unwearied attention. She had but one fault; and if he had in him one spark of the feelings of a gentleman, it did not lie in hig mouth to reproach her with it. Of course, in the abstract, those things are wrong, but to what extent they are wrong, and what the complexion is of this or that case, it is not for a man to judge. Burns wrote:

"What's done we all can well compute.

next day.

Southers History and Biography.—In our notice of the life of Jefferson Davis on Saturday, we find we confused that work with others of which we had an advertisement the same day, and for the sale of which agents are wanted by the head agent at the American Hotel, Hamilton. These works consist of Southern History and Biography, among which is included the life of Jeff. Davis, besides all the other prominent statesmen and warriors who figured in the late war. These books are illustrated with steel engravings, and are handsomely got up.

To the Province. Prize \$30, mile heats, sium Saloon' is the somewhat fanciful best three in five. There were three three three three in five. There were three three three in five. There were and a not the five for the Mesrs Sharpe on the night very form the night very form the sale of the Mesrs Sharpe on the night very form the night very manned of a restaurant in Toronton.

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"Pandemonium" would be a more appropriate name. He thought of the "Pandemonium" would be a more appropriate name. He thought of the words of Dante: "Abandon hope all ye who enter here." Mr. John Clark, proprietor of the establishment referred to, which seems to be a sort of concert saloon, writes sharply to the Toronto Telegraph, ertiteizing the critic, denying his statements, and intimating that he intends to institute a libel suit to give the preacher an opportusuit to give the preacher an opportunity of proving his averments.

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE,

TORONTO, Feb. 19th.

Mr. Scott (Grey) inquired of Ministers whether it is in their power to relieve the purchasers of Indian Lands in the Jownships of Sarawak, Kepple, Amabef, Albermarle, &c., who are actual settlers, from any arrears of principal and interest, and if so, whether it is their invention so to do?

Hon. J. S. McDonald said this Government had nothing to do with the Indian lands, which belonged to the Dominion Government. Possibly, when all the Provincial lands were disposed of, this Government might cast their eyes in the direction of the Indian lands, but not this year at all events.

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Mr. Beatty moved for a select committee to inquire into the present position and past management of Toronto University and University College; and also those Colleges and Universities of Ontario which have received grants from the funds of the Province—committee to have documents and After some discussion the motion was withdrawn, on the understanding that a committee would be appointed next ses-

Mr. Blake moved for a return, showing the amounts which have been received by the Crown in each year since the abolition of the Land Improvement Fund, for land sold during the existence of that fund, and also the amounts which are still receivable by the Crown, in respect of such sales, and also the sums which would but for the abolition of said fund, be payable to each municipality out of the said amounts for each year aforesaid, and for the future.—Carried.

The House went into committee on the bill respecting overholding tenants, the Common Law Procedure Bill, the traction engine Bill, the bill to incorporate the Royal Canadian Insurance Company, and the Bayham Debentures Bill; all of which were passed, and ordered to a third reading. A number of bills were read a second time and referred to committee of the whole.

Terrible Catastrophe at Naples.

The Naples correspondent of *The Pall Mall Gazette*, writing on the 29th of January, says: "This town has been afflicted Mall Gazette, writing on the 20th of January, says: "This town has been afflicted by adreadful catastrophe, by which many persons have lost their lives. Those of your readers who have been at Naples will remember the way by Santa Lucia to the Chiatamone, passing between the ancient villa of Luculus, now Castel dell' Uovo, and the precipitous cliffs of Pizzofalcone. Last evening, shortly before eight, part of the cliff became loosened, and rushing down with a horrid crash, buried the houses beneath its ruins. The shock was felt all around, and the barracks at the top of the cliff, as well as the neighboring houses below, are in a very unsafe condition, and have been cleared they were built, were fortunately not so large as Neapolitan houses usually are. Still it is feared that from 70 to 80 persons may have been in them at the time; among others, it is said, some foreignts are singer than the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the mare wounded during the tumult, and the more wounded during the tumult, and the anaround in the more wounded during the tumult, and the mare wounded during the tumult, and the mare wounded during the tumult, and the mare wounded during the tumult. among others, it is said, some foreigners just arrived by train from Rome, and who were going to their hotel in an omnibus, passing that way as the chiff fell. Some were going to their hotel in an omnibus, passing that way as the cliff fell. Some wondrous escapes are related. The owner of a coral shop had just shut his shop and had gone only a few yards when the crash came, and he stood there safe in person; but a ruined man. A cafe, full, was buried, but the vaulted ceiling resisted the pressure, and the inmates were enabled to make their exit through a fissure in the walls not quite blocked up. Next the cafe was a wine shop; that is, however, completely buried, but it is hoped that it, like the cafe, will have resisted the shock, and that the people there at the time may still be got out safe—a hope that is strengthened by the shoutings which are heard proceeding from beneath the ruins. The news spread rapidly, and all the authorities were soon on the spot; cordons were formed to keep off the mob, and the military were at once set to work by electric light to clear away the ruins. As I write the scene is most remarkable. All Naples seems to be flocking to the spot, and the excitement is intense as a mutilated corpse or some wounded person still alive is extracted from the ruins, and these latter are carried off in the military and these latter are carried off in the military at the prospect of the scholars. There was the clitical form the ruins and these latter are carried off in the military and these latter are carried off in the military and the excitement is no great that the Prefect has published an address to the citizens inculcating cammess and order."

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these latter are carried off in the military ambulances to the hospital of the Pelegrini; in fact, the excitement is so great that the Prefect has published an address to the citizens inculcating calmness and order."

Western Insurance Company of England

Mr. De Grassi one of the former managers in Canada of the above compant is at present in England, and he has written to his partner in Toronto, Mr. Scott, to say that he thinks all claims will be paid in full, unless some very heavy unexpected ones should arise in future.

The Company have thought it best to commence paying without waiting to collect more and have declared a dividerd of 68 8d in the 4 on all claims admitted. Mr. Scott has doubts whether the total amount of the Company's liabilities will be paid, as he has heard that some of the stockholders are not good, and that others are endeavoring to affect a compromise; but in a letter received by Mr. Snelling, burrister, of Toronto, from the English Solicitors of the Company they state positively, that there is no doubt the creditors will receive 20s, in the £. Policy holders in the "Western" who are doubtful of their security, and desire to change their risks can do so into the "Provincial" of Canada on very liberal terms, by applying to Scott & DeGrassl, with whom also claimants who have not already done so, should communicate at once.

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BY TELEGRAPH

Despatches to the Evening Mercury.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

London, Feb. 19th—Allen, the Fenian prisoner who was discharged from custody yesterday, after being examined on the charge of causing the Clerkenwell explosion, was soon after re-arrested and imprisoned on a charge of murder.

Berlin, Feb. 19—In the Prussian house of Deputies yesterday, the Government was asked to explain why the U. S. Consul at Jerusalem was allowed to procure the arrest of one Markus, a Jewish subject of Prussia, with whose ward, a young girl, the American Consul sought to elope—and why after her guardian had been thrown into prison, to facilitate the attempt, the Prussian Consul at Jerusalem retused his demand as a subject of the King of Prussia for protection.

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Vienna, Feb. 19—The members of the royal family of Hanover, and a number of their adherents now here, met at a private banquet this week, at which King George was present. It is reported that, in a speech on the occasion, the King assured the company that he would soon return home and resume his seat upon the throne of Hanover, in spite of Prussia.

London Feb. 19—Desmackes and left-

London, Feb. 19—Despatches and letters from Lisbon represent that the political agitation in Portugal continues. The new Government is very unpopular, and tumults are reported in various parts of

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Private advices from Brazil state that a general conscription has been ordered by the Government to provide reinforcements for the army on the Rio Parana.

London, Feb. 19—The House of Commons this evening passed the bill for continued suspension of the writ of Habeas Corpus in Ireland. Leading members of the Liberal party propose to give a farewell dinner to the United States Minister Adams. Sir George Lee, Jadge of the Court of Queen's Bench, died to-day.

Florence, Feb. 19—A report is current here that the French government has detailed a frigate to watch the movements of the United States squadron, under the command of Admiral Farragut, in Adriatic gulf and the eastern end of the Mediterranean.

Dublin, Feb. 19—Mr Pigot, of the Dublin, Feb. 19—Mr Pigot, of

Dublin, Feb. 19.—Mr Pigot, of the Dublin Irishman, has been convicted of publishing treasonable and seditious libels.

London, Feb. 19—The Paris Temps of to-day says twenty persons were arrested on second performance of Victor Hugo's drama "Ruy Blas" at the Odeon.

American Despatches.

tion against Queen Isabella in the north, and that their adherents have taken up arms in considerable numbers in Navarre. Skirmishes have taken place between the civil guard and the insurgents in city of Navarre, the Queen's officers maintaining their allegiance. Some few persons were wounded during the tunult, and the ancient province of Navarre is agitated at many points. It appears as if the movement is the result of a well-planned organization. The officers have already found and carried away 3000 copies of revolutionary placards, addressed to the people of Spain. Each copy is headed with a wood cut, or portrait as is termed, of the eldest son of Don Carlos, who is entitled and named Charles VII.

New York, Feb 20—Herdit's Havans special gives advices from Nassau to the 13th inst A mass meeting had been held by the blacks, at which they openly criticised the government, charging it with inability to extricate the colony from its financial difficulties, which they charged to the lavish and extravagant measures of the government. The whitesfeel uneasy at the prospect. Gov. Rawson opened the Legislature on the 12th. His speech was unsatisfactory and Tory-like in tone.

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Guelph, 8th February, 1868.

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THURSDAY EV'NG, FEB. 20, 1868.

THE UNITED STATES NAVY. lowing article on the present condition | Ireland's opportunity, denounces Enof the United States navy :- Attention glish tyranny, all in a style which En is being generally drawn to the exact glish tyranny is not just now in the state of our navy by the introduction habit of tolerating. The habeas corof the bill providing for a board of na- pus is suspended, the civil authorities val survey and the discussion of the not less vigilant and austere than the changes it involves. It is found on military. It is certain that Train's examination that the naval arm of our excesses would be cut short but for public defence is by no means as effective or powerful as the country supposes. Under the spur of the Alabatoma's ravages on our commerce efforts of it. How to deal seriously with a were made to construct a number of man who assumes to speak for the

steam offly when going into action or when in chase? By so doing we might build useful vessels, of the Brooklys and Hartford class, which can steam resides carrying a heavy battery and accommodating a strong crew. Steam is invaluable as an auxiliary, as every seaman knows; but it must hold second rank to other valuable elements in navigation, which we have already suggested.

THE AMERICAN WATCH.—We procured one of the "P. S. Bartlett" American watches some months ago, and have pleasure in testifying that it has given us great satisfaction. We have thoroughly tested it, and have no heaitgation in saying that as a time keeper it is very correct and reliable. Since a was set, more than three months ago, it has not indicated the least variation in time. They are moreover fitted with strong, neatly chased cases, and are well finished, and have a cases, and are well finished, and have a cases, and are well finished, and have a cases, and are reader, and extra work for the American watches on the consists in the simplicity of their me. They are more over fitted with strong, neatly chased cases, and are well finished, and have a cases, and are self in the consists in the simplicity of their me. They are more over fitted with strong, neatly chased the consists in the simplicity of their me. They are more over fitted with strong, neatly chased the consists in the simplicity of their me. They are more over fitted with strong, neatly chased the consists in the simplicity of their me. They are more over fitted with strong, neatly chased the city had been all astir with demonstrations in connection with the departure of the Canadian Papal Zouaves. From an all the works being mad and the consists in the simplicity of their me. They are more over fitted with strong, neatly chased the city had been all astir with demonstrations and a second of the consists in the simplicity of their me. They are more of the consists in the simplicity of their me. They are more over fitted with strong, neatly chased the city had been all astir w

Tramway Train's Lectures.

A Cork correspondent thus speaks of Train's lectures in that city:

"Train's lectures have been crowdded, and he has been bold enough, or if you please, impudent enough to get himself arrested twice over. Ho The New York Herald has the fol- threatens war with America, talks of wessels which should combine the United States Government, and who greatest speed with the most effective proposes to buy Ireland, stock and fighting qualities. New types of vestock, \$150,000,000 in gold? "It is designed and an unlimited difficult," says the Cork correspondent amount of money appropriated to con- of a Liberal paper in London, "to exstruct them. Some have been launch- aggerate the mischief which these hared and are at sea; others are lying at rangues are doing here. The persons the docks, and the balance are still on to whom they are addressed are chiefthe stocks. The result attained, however, by actual trial of those vessels which have been sent to sea, were not such as to justify, in the minds of in telligent and thoughtful people, the propriety of completing those in process of construction upon the plans primarily adopted. But the designers and constructors seem to think otherwise, and it is likely that these nondescript bantlings will be put afloat, with all their imperfections, to add to the size of our navy on paper, while they will really prove to be a source of weakness instead of strength to the service. As now constituted, the steam wessels of our navy may be divided in to two general classes—those that are fast and weak and those that are slow and strong, for these elements seem universally to be found united. In attempting to gain immense speed we have encumbered the holds of our fast cruisers with such an enormous mass of machinery that there is scarcely room to stow six weeks provisions and only about one-quarter of the ammunition which they should carry for the batteries they possess. In other words we have failed in our purpose, if we have fa the stocks. The result attained, however, by actual trial of those vessels those who form the backbone of Feni-

The Parat. Zouaves.—A despatch from Mortreal says:—On Tuesday and Wednesday the city had been all astir with demon strations in connection with the departure of the Canadian Papal Zonaves. From an early hour last evening, the Parish Church was crowded throughout its vast extent. It was decorated for the occasion, and in the middle of the proceedings their flags were blessed by the Bishop, and handed over to the corps. The Zouaves numbered about 125, all young men, and most of them, it is said, military cadets. There is a good deal of feeling in the city with regard to the enlistmens and departure of the corps. They left to-day as three "olden fro New York on route to the lidestination, tremendous crowds accompanying the probession to the station, where Monselgneur Bourget addressed a few parling words.

Mew Advertisements.

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M. ARMOUR, Manage

MR. VALE, Leader of Orche Guelph, 20th Feb, 1868.

TOWN OF GUELPH.

WATER TANKS!

TENDERS will be received until the evening of

TUESDAY, 3rd day of MARCH, for the construction and completion of Four or more Water Tanks, in accordance with specifications which may be seen at this office.

JAMES HOUGH, Town Ch Guelph, 19th February, 1868.

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THE subscribers find it necessary to extend the time for receiving tenders for their NEW STORES to

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4th—A large proportion cannot or will not pay when they agree to; feel morose when asked to pay, cross to the other side of the street when they see their creditors coming, lose self-respect, feel and are demoralized.

5th—It is wrong to indulge customers in lush—miserable comony.

7th—I won't do any such thing. If you want to see the largest, best and cheapest stock of Boots and Shoes West of Montreal, call at the Montreal Boot and Shoe Store, Wyndham-st, Guelph. Guelph, 18th Feb, 1868. JOHN MCNEIL.

TENDERS WANTED

TENDERS WANTED for the mason, carpenter and iron work of Warehouses to be Erected in Guelph.

Plans and Specifications to be seen at the offices of JAMES MASSIE & CO., Guelph, and JAMES SMITH, Esq., Architect, King Street, Toronto.

Tenders to be sent in to the former by the 20th inst.

BRITISH AMERICAN COMMERCIAL COLLEGE.

PUBLIC TESTIMONY.

From Lyman & MacNab, Whelesale Hardware Merchants.)

TORONTO, 13th September, 1866.

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B. A. Commercial College, Toronto.

Dear Sir,—We have much pleasure in testify to the order of training for commercial purints obtained by the young men educated at your oldego.

College.

We have now in our employment one of your graduates, who, notwithstanding the fact that he never had any previous experience, has proved himself a most reliable, accurate and efficient thousels exerce.

numeri a most reliable, accurate and efficien Book-keeper. We may further state, that having had occasion We may further office hand, we gave a decide preference to one of your graduates. In short we have no hesitation in anying, that as far as on the state of the state of the state of the state and the state of the state of the state of the entity adapted; to make a thoroughly efficient office and the state of the st Yours truly, LYMAN & MACNAB.

From Morrison, Taylor & Co., Wholesale Provision Dealers.)

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THURSDAY EV'NG. FEB. 20, 1868 The Maiden's Choice

OR, THE LAIRD OF BIRKENCLEUCH.

A Tale of the Covenanters.

Now this peculiarity in her father's character was enough to give pain to Helen Cringan. Thanks to its existence, however, she had not suffered very much from it, for at a very tender age he had forced her to go to service, that he might be relieved of the necessity of supporting her, and have the joy of grasping her little carnings. At Brankswood she found a most desirable home, for Lady Barton—Sir Gilbert's mother—took a tender and motherly interest in her, and under her training she grew up into the lovely and loveable girl we have described. It was not often she paid her father a visit, and consequently she saw little of his miserly habits, but when he did come into her thoughts the knowledge which she had of these, brought a certain sadpess over her fresh young heart, and this explains the change that passed over her joyous face when she turned her eye on her father's cottage.

After a few minutes' survey of the scene, she passed on, and following the path, which now took a descent, arrived at length in front of the house. It had a most dirty and dilapidated aspect. The little garden was cultivated so far as pruning and weeding went, but the vegetables were stunted and sickly, for manufer was too extravagant a commodity to be applied to it. The one window was rendered nearly opaque by a crust of drt, the walls were grim with the clay with which they had been in many places patched up, and the door—strong enough on its hinges—was sadly in need of paint and washing.

It was open, and Helen walked in. On a rode wooden stool and by a table as rude, sat her father eating his supper. The meal, as may be guessed, was not sumptions. It to seemed to consist of three potatoes with a little sailt.

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'My child, you are here at last,' he exclaimed. 'I thought you were never comion.'

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You have been wearying to see me, then?

She returned, with a loving smile.

To be sure I have. It must be three
weeks now since you got your half-year's
wages, and I have looked for you every day.
You—you have not spent any of the money,
have you? he added, in a tone of nervous
fear.

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PRISON INSPECTORS.—The Board of Prison Inspectors have been in session for several days in Ottawa. Though, by the Act of Union, the County Jalls, Asylums, &c., are now transferred to the Provincial Governments, who will hereafter provide for their inspection; there remain the Penitentiaries and Marine Hospitals of all Kinny the Provinces under the supervision of Kinny and County the Provinces under the supervision of the Provinces under the Provinces the Provinces under the supervision of Inspectors of the Dominion,

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The Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH.

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Wood, ₩ cord					5
Wool		0 27			2
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Geese, each		0 25			3
Turkeys each					6
Chickens, & pair		0 20			2
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Jackson's Exchange Office. Quelph, February 20, 1868.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

rkwood, Livingstone & Co's, report by Special Telegraph to 'Evening Mercury.') Montraka, February 20, 1868. Flour—Fancy, 37, 70 to 37, 75; Superfine No. 1, 50 to 37, 65; Welland Canal, 37, 60. Bayley 95; to 60 to 83, 75. Oats 46; to 46c. Bayley 95; to Butter—dairy 15c to 19c; store packed 14e 18c. Ashes—Pots \$5, 30 to \$5, 35. pearls \$5, 75, 80.

\$5.50. Market generally unchanged. Flour-dulland heavy, with but few transactions. Grain no quotable change. Provisions unchanged. Butter fair enquiry. Hogs limited demand. Ashes quet at unchanged rates.

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HANILTON, February 19, 1868.
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wages, and I have looked for you every day. You—you have not spent any of the money, have you? he added, in a tone of nervous fear.

'Not much, father; but'—
'You have speat some, then? What a shame. But let me sage how much is gone.'
And he held out his talon-looking hand, into which Helen dropped some gold pieces. How greedily Cringan's eves gloated over the sight of the yellow coins, and with what haste he counted them.

'Six—only six!' he screamed, 'and there should be eight. What have you done with the other two?'
'I required some clothes and other little necessaries.'
'O'Cthes?—clothes again? It is only two years since you bought clothes. How could you be so extravagant, Helen, throwing money away on fine dresses? That is the ruin of many girls. They spend all their earnings on useless finery.'
'My dress is not very extravagant, father,' returned Helen, with half a smile and half a sigh.
'It is too extravagant, much yoo extravagant for the purpose. If it was coarser it would be stronger, and serve longer than thou years.'
'But you know I must keep myself neat and tidy at Brankswood. Sir Gibert would not allow me to appear before him and his visitors like a dowdle.'
'Oh, I know it is no use for monstrate,' groaned her father. You will take your own way, and spend and spend and spend like the other wasteful people von live beside. Six—only six—and it will be as many months till I receive more.'

'Is your money done then, father? she inquired. 'Is it all gone?'
'Gone?' he shricked. 'Who would take when I grow old. But I am not old yet. I won't be old for a long, long time, and you don't wish my death, do you, Helen?'
'Indeed—indeed father I do not,' answered helen, deeply pained by his question.' 'I hope I am not capable of ever dreaming such



Further particular of Messrs, Lemon & reson, Guelph, Solicitors for the Petitioner, and Mr. T. W. Samuders, Solicitor for Infants, Dated at Chambers, Guelph, Jan. 8, 1868, Dated at Chambers, Guelph, Jan. 8, 1868.

A. MACDÓN. Real Representative of the of Wellington.

SURROGATE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Judge of the Surrogate Court of the County of Wellagton, on the 14th day of March next, for the appointment of Angus Mekimon, of the Township of Erin, gentleman, to be Guardian of Archibald McKinnon, an Infant.

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