INTELLIGENCE COUNTY NEWS GENERAL GODERICH, ONT., FRIDAY, JAN. 6, 1888 D. McGILLICUDDY, Post cous, it were mothardiness to enter FROM THE CAPITAL choice, and now Mr Bresse is a Legisla-

n them at present; but if, upon the pinion of experts, it be proved that the us will fin the bill, then it is the Latest Political and General R will likely become a matter of neut in Underich during the coming ! ar, and it behooves every one of us to ve some attention to that scheme, too. From our own Correspondent have a very vivil recollection of the occ. My Christmas care was dead out, by advertising pressure to the caleborar Webster Brown, together with the proache from Saratoga were either missing or weefully abbreviated that week. I grained and bore the crowding one process that and bore the crowding one process that in the direction of miss excellent co-workers, in the fond hope that we would again fill a much felt want in the circumstances by the fact that the time of good cheer and cassation from arduous labor was upon us. the time of turkey and camberry sauce, plum pudding and areas mand are and are a mill, no fint terry, no are to grind, or possed mand are and are a mill, no fint terry, no are to grind, or particle.

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key and cranberry sauce, plum pudding mill, no fa to fry, no axe to grind, or Dalton McCarthy and George A Kirk. and sweetmeats galors. I always had a sweet tooth in my head, despite the fact that my stomach has many a time and charity to all, and malice toward none.'

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of the chapter.

-But while I have rested, the great big

world and the folk who live on it have

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the faults that I found against the coun-

on time, as a decent, law-abiding resi-

great things for Goderich, and if the

town council puts its shoulder firmly

ence of past years, and new blood on the

Miss Crich, of Clinton, visited here tions have passed and gone, and New last week,

Year's and the elections followed suit at

J. R. Rapson from Constance, Hullett race-horse speed. Old Father Time cut township, spent last week here with friends.

and 1888 bounded upon the scene on or about the same hour. Speaking about the nominations, it has account the Misses Horton, last week. down 1887 at 12 o'clock last Saturday,

to me that by this time the public now of Holmesville wo old friends last week, holds single blessedie enerally will be convinced that some of John Green, recen

s tree trustees perned. I always pay my taxee Kirkpatrick and H M at the t should, and I and my neighbors resigned. in which our taxes are spent. These are the reason that have impelled me to The annual supper

are the reason that have impelled me to evening last. The wis dressed in evergreen who have the reason that a most careless well laden tables load to the reason that the reason of the reason will be reason to the reason of the tastefully inanner, that the so-called waterworks ables flanked by special of oysters, achieves was an ignus fatuus system that could always be seen in the burn and Garbraid. After partaking of burn and Garbraid. distance, but never assumed tangible shape, and that even in the matter of the agricultural park and building, nearly two prices had been paid. It was nearly two prices had been paid. It was therefore highly satisfactory to me to have my statements backed by the Editor of The Signal on the municipal hustings on nomination day, and to have some of the crocked paths of the local administration made straight in

regretted to notice that D. Cumming, on account of over fatigue, brought on by two depths of the free and intelligent electors. The only regret I felt was that more time was not afforded to the discussion of the subject, for the more the doings of the council of 1927. present spend an enjoyable time. A hearty vote of thanks to the ladies for

nt of Bairyman's Association of Western On-

The annual convention of the above Listowel on the 11th, 12th and 13th gently invited to attend. Parties atthe close of the year. With the experiboard, the contemplated public improvectory arrangements with the rail should either be pushed to a

By order, C. B. CHADWICK, Foc'y. If the appropriations already made, are, Secretary's Office, Ingersoll, Dec. 1, 1888

means will fin the bill, then it is the duty of the connect to daily no longer but to complete the labor at as early a late as good work will allow. The C.

The Meeting of Parliament—The Fisherics

I am able to announce on the authority of Hon Dr Schultz himself that he will in May next assume the office of Lieut Governor of Manitoba, notwith-Question—Proposed Ocean Mail Service—Notes by the OTTAWA. Jan. 3, 1888.

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sweet tooth in my head, despite the fact that my stomach has many a time and oft reproved me for indulgence in dainoft reproved me for indulgence in dainties, and when such a thing occurs my
mentality takes a seat in the far-off corner
for the timebeing, my venerable goosequill taketh a rest, and yours truly has a
vacation for a term. 'Twas ever
thus, and it's likely to be so to the end

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British Commissioners to study the sitsident here utation further at Ottawa an adjournting among took place. Of course the proceedment took place. Of course the proceedwas filled with an appreciative audience. Of good fortune with him.

> 725,056 votes were polled, or 70 per cent of the total number. The total Government vote is given as 370,342 and that of the Opposition at 354,714, but in this latter case the exact figures are for

A new contract, calling for a very fast service to Europe and return in the carriage of the mails, is about to be awarded by the Government, the choice from the Orient Steamship Company

lying between the Allan Line and the Canadian Pacific. The second tender is

doings of the council of 1887 is discussed, the more it will be seen that an unnecessary waste of the taxes of the town has been made. However, I'm not now going to cry over spilt milk, but I merely want to say that dusing the coming year I intend to give the council a fair show, that I will give them every encouragement to do good work; and then, if they drop into the old rut, I won't fail to give them the gad, as I did their predecessors.

Since the last general elections there have been 14 elections held, two of these went by acclamation. The following sents are now vacant:—Dorchester Que., Kent, Ont., Carleton Ont., Russell, Ont., and Queens, N. B., of these three were held by Conservatives last session. In the lection of the ceries will be held, to start at 8 p. m. A collection will be taken up to help the running expenses and those present that like to help with the program outside of the members can do so by giving in their sames.

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The Conservative majority in Dorchester. POLITICS AND LOVE.

The appointment of Mr Bresse, shoe manufacturer, to the Quebec Legislative Council in the place of Hon Mr Gingently invited to attend. Parties attending the convention are advised to purchase return tickets, as the committee have heretofore failed to make any sion, but she expressed her willingness sion, but she expressed her willingness

tive Councillor. "Prosperity's the very bond of love." MANITOBA'S NEW GOVERNOR.

standing the denials in some quarters.
Senator Schulez is now in Ottawa. He represented Lisgar until 1882, when he was defeated and has been in the he war defeated and has been in the Senate for five years. Dr Schultz took a prominent part in Riel's first rebellion of 1869-70, and was condemned to death by Riel at Fort Garry, but escaped.

Manitoba's new Governor is a native of Mesars Broadfoot & Box, at Seaforth, is now about sompleted, and in a few days it

dian agent at Calgary. He was a de-feated candidate for the representation of Alberta in the Commons at the last general election.

GENERAL NOTES. Sir Hector Langevin has just con-cluded his thirtieth year of public

ers and domestic servants.

At a New Year's reception yesterday the Governor General had several hunpeg for Washington on the 5th.

will ask parliament to confirm their

cans would approve a new treaty of re-ciprocity based upon the lines of the treaty of 1854. To this the American Commissioners demurred, contending that they had rights and should not be amounted to \$37.

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an idea that the old town will days of January next. Dairymen, and up gaily to quick music before all interested in dairy products, are urgestly to quick music before all interested in dairy products, are urgestly to quick music before all interested in dairy products, are urgestly to a shipbuilder, fell in the case of the latter of the

municipal officers of the county of Huron departed this life, on Dec. 31st, in the person of William McConnell, clerk and rail to marry Mr Gingras on a certain condition—a monetary one—and the seat in the Council for the division of the Laurentides was offered for \$10,000 to any rich man who coveted the honor.—Mr public men of Huron, and was univerted

Pencillings and Scissorings from Exchanges.

Items from all over Huron County, Called Cipped and Condensed—Pith and Point—The Pick of the Grist

old two days ago.

He is likely to be succeeded in the Senste by Mr R Hardisty, who is Indian agent at Calgary. He was a depleted and most complete of the best equipped and most complete furniture manufactories in Canada. Part of a window in Rattenbury St. Church, Clinton, was blown in during Wednesday night's gale, and when the caretaker went there in the morning he found a pile of anow deep enough to bury himself in.

James, son of Jas. Douglas, 16th con., The Government has advised the British authorities that there is a steady demand in Canada for agricultural laborers and domestic servants.

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The Grand Trunk, Canada Southern, and London Port Stanley railways will ask parliament to confirm their

church, Guelph.

Thos. Coad, of the 10th concession of East Wawanosh, who has been suffering with a sore foot for the past seven menths, went to Toronto recently to see some of the doctors there, and the con-clusion they came to was that the foot would have to be taken off as the bone

to this services. The address was read by Miss Mary Webster, and was replied to by the teacher in a suitable manner. The examination of S. S. No. 5., took place on the 24th of Dec. There was a from adjoining sections, who expressed themselves well pleased both with the deportment and efficiency of the pupils. The pupils were examined by Mesers. McKenzie, Camerun, Hackett and Miss Hunter. The teacher, E. Brown, is graged for the ensuing year.

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Miss Jackson, of Bay City, Mich., was the guest of Mrs A Allan at New Years. Wour architect's shooting was not favorable. Two day's steady tramping with the musket has resulted in bis being put in the hands of the sick committee for repairs.

Presonal.—Mrs A. A. Williams spent the New Years with Mr Chass the cleventh hour signed against it establishments, will be ready we hope to add any there was section should attend. Those who, at the eleventh hour signed against it establishments, will be ready we hope to add any the ready to delata with not have it and be ready to delata with not have it and be ready to delata with not have it and be ready to delata with not have it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to delata with the was it and be ready to del

in the recent election, than has been for some time as a large number of votes was polled in the different polling

What might have turned out to be a serious accident took place on Menday a month, f the 26th, but fortunately no one was

hurt. As Mr Wm Stothers and his wife and child were gring home than the anniversary in the Preshyterian church, his horse, a gentle animal took fright ran a short distance, and upset the cutter with the occupants, the amount of injury being that the cutter was somewhat out out of ordinary shape. The occupants have abundant reason to be thankful for their accordant. their escape.

A meeting of the directors of the W. Wawanosh and Ashfield Agriculture Society, was held on Tuesday in the Court room. Chas. Girvin, President, in the chair. Annual meeting will be held in the same place on 17th inst.

A lecture was given Tuesday evening of last week in the Methodist church by Rev. Mr Rogers, portraying a sermon on Ingersolism by Rev Dr Talmage, on which occasion there was a good attendance, the audience was apparently well entertained. The proceeds were for the benefit of the church.

We are sorry to have to state that an-We are sorry to have to state that another of our settlers is gone to her long home. Mrs Wm Stothers, relict of the late Wm Stothers, died on Monday morning after a weeks' illness, aged 70 years. She was highly respected by all who knew her. A good fond mother leaves behind her a large family, all grown up, and among whom is Mrs McKay wife of Dr McKay, of this village, and at whose residence she depart age, and at whose residence she departed this life. The sympathy of the community in this and surrounding locality is extended to the surviving relatives and friends. The funeral took place on Wednesday 4th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m.,

THE BAILWAY AGITATION.

The railway question is occupying the attention of the public here, and along the line from Wingham to Port Albert, a distance of about 20 miles. Hopes are entertained, that before long, an attention of the C. P. P. Fill Control of the C. P. Fill extension of the C. P. R., will contri-bute to the life and business prosperity of our town. Our geographical position. is almost on a direct line from Wing-ham to Best Albert, and a railway through this locality, must open up a trade with as fine an agricultural section was decayed. The operation was to be performed at his residence on Tuesday morning by Drs. McDonald, Young and Chisholm. Mr. Coad has the heartfelt sympathy of this community, as he is highly respected by all who know him.

John Strang, of the 3rd con of Usborne, has purchased a very fine yearling the strange of the str him.

John Strang, of the 3rd con of Usborne, has purchased a very fine yearling Durham bull from Messrs H. & W. D. Smith, at a handsome price. This animal was sired by imported "Enterprise," and his grand sire was that noted prize bull imported "Earl of Mar." Mr. Strang, as well as the neighborhood in which he resides, is to be congratulated on this purchase, as so good an animal cannot fail to have a highly beneficial effect upon the steek of that district.

ment took place. Of course the proceedings of the Commission being secret there no authority for the above, but it is generally believed, and as a matter of fact Mr Chamberlain and Sir Charles Tupper did confer together here and with the Government.

The Number of voters.

The return to the Government recently compiled shows that there are in Canada 1993,914 voters, an increase over 1882 of 1903,327. The increase was less in Quebec than in any other province. At the last general election in February 725,056 votes were polled, or 70 per cent of the total number. The total Government.

The methodist crured was filled with an appreciative audience. The program was lengthy and very instructive audience. The program was lengthy and very instructive audience. The program was lengthy and very instructive and selections for the occasion, Rev. Mr McDougall, Grey, was convicted of arison before A Hunter, J.P., last week, and committed for trial. The accument was the burning of a stack of hay and committed for trial. The accument was the burning of a stack of hay and an unused dwelling. The fire was an an unused dwelling. The fire was and an unused dwelling. The fire was an about 17 years of age. is a monomaniae on this, and dress and a beautiful sofa chair, as a possible to their eateem and appreciation of his services. The address was read by Miss Mary Webster, and was replied to by the teacher in a suitable manner. not second to any other country mill i

the eleventh hour signed against its establishment, will be ready we hope to hold up their views why Dunlop should not have it, and be ready to debate with those in favor of it. Rise early and be in time, is the watchword.

Goderich Township.

Isaac Salkeld, has a heavy draught colt, rising 2 years old which brought down the scales Saturday last at 1,450. He thinks the colt weighs well, and so He thinks the colt weighs well, and so he well that tips the beam 1 855 lbs.

A concert was held in the Methodist church on Monday 2nd inst., for the benefit of the Sabbath school.

The council for 1888 is composed of two of the late board, Messrs Lockhart and Todd and three newly elected viz: Messrs Jas Johnston, reeve, and Alex Stewart and John Bowers, councillors.

There was a more lively interest taken in the recent election, than has been for a few years enjoyed a fair practice in a few years enjoyed a fair practice in the committee. Moved by J M Roberts, seconded by J Ward, that W Line, he secretary of the committee.

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The meeting adjourned.

Grave robbers have stolen the body o Stephen Rollin, which was buried abou a month, from the cemetery at Shannon

PRICES REASONABLE AT SIGNAL

THE FOES OF A HOUSEHOLD.

A. TALE OF ENGLISH LIFE.

CHAPTER V-CONTINUED.

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peace. I should never be able to bear you out of my eight if I thought it possible you could attempt to do such a thing again. Promise me that you never

He wished partly in asking this to make a bond between them, so that if she refused that other request there would still be that promise between When she wanted to do one lar thing she would have to think him, and dony herself by his tacit influence over her on that one point.

Her voice had been very earnest as h made his request, and he looked straight into her face as he waited for her reply.

It came after a short pause. Why should I do so ? I do not like making promises.

There was again a little defiance in her tone. She had an instinctive wish to do whatever Percival told her, and promise all he saked. It was to resist this tempt ation, a last attempt to keep her freedom and be her own law that made her ask

Perhaps Percival guessed that it was so. There was no jesting in his voice or manner as he said-"Because when you do these things

you risk your own safety, and your safety is very dear to me.' She did not speak. She had when

asking her question summened all her resolution to her aid and lifted her eyes ed, and that happiness was altogether a came an almost impercentible catch in her breath.

"I won't try to tell you," he went on, "what I felt when I heard where you had gone last night. I could not put it then Helen spoke, slowly and hesitatinginto words; one feels more than talks ly. about such things. I think. But when I feared and almost thought I had lost you-when it kept coming across me that, perhaps, I had seen you and heard you speak for the last time—then I knew how dear you were to me, and how I than me," love you. When I found you, and knew that you were alive and safe-when I little severe as he saidheld you in my arms, and saw what a small creature you are, wanting some Do you suppose I do not know my own last learning to be reasonable, and to feels a desire to drink of the Water of one to take care of you, and see you you what I felt. But I made up my before I am certain if I love you? If course. As before said, Helen was not search, for it may only be undertaken mind to wait no longer, but to speak at you do not trust me it is a different strictly beautiful, and with reputation once, and if anyone fails to find it he

once, and ask you to be my wife. the couch, her face turned from him, her colour coming and going, and trembling from head to foot. Her silence lasted so long that Moore

hegan to speak again, saving-"Helen, say something, or I shall

think you are angry." She put out her hand, and he clasped

It firmly in his, as though to give her courage. "Tell me something," he said again,

"I am waiting to hear your voice." "I cannot speak," she said, casting

aside her wraps, as though they weighed upon her, and suddenly sitting up. .You said yourself just now that people cannot talk about such things, and I connot tell you what I feel." "Won't you try? Not everything, but just a little to give me an idea."

He was smiling and speaking softly and persuasively. Helen went on-

"I have been so unhappy here, and I think I was like a princess in a fairy tale always looking for a deliverer. I thought sometimes someone would be sure to come, must come; it could not go on for ever. Sometimes things were so bad I feared that if they went on I I cared for him or not, just to get away for him. from here. But I could not. Last summer a man came and wanted to marry me, and I tried to accept him, but beauty. I could not. When it came to the point my courage failed, I could not do it, though both papa and mamma were angry with me. Then it was worse because I knew that, unless some one came for whom I cared enough, I should my life. All the men who came here liked Alice best, though neither did I care for them. I began to think it would ly ?" always be so, and-

chest heaving: Percival, who had kept his hold on her hand, pressed it gently to reassure her, though he still said mothing. He wanted her to say all that was in her mind. But she said nothing more, and he at last repeated

"And now ?"

ething in his tone which ( lowed her first impulse and spoken out of the fulness of an overflowing heart : now she was ashamed and reticent. She would say no more, though as Percival continued to urge her she turned away, saying,

"I don't know."

"Well, I am going to imagine; you must stop me if I am going wrong. shall suppose that after the rejection this unwelcome suitor, who, I daresay, was an exceedingly worthy young man-I am going wrong already?" as he say Helen's lips trembling into a smile,

"He was not young," she whispered "As I was saying, a very estimable elderly gentleman, you lost all hope until fate threw in your way an individual who, though neither handsome nor brilliant, nor in any way a favorite with nature, was fortunate enough to possess something in common with yourself-something which harmonized with your own nature. That will do, will it not, unless you care to add anything yourself ?"

"Only that this same person original enough to prefer a girl for about it till I tell you." whom no one else cared. I can hardly believe my own good fortune." "Is it so very great?"

"Immense. I am only twenty. How am I to believe that to the end of my life, which may be a very long one, I am going to be perfectly happy?"

"Don't say that, Helen. When you say you can't believe it, it seems to imply that your past unhappiness has been so great as to kill in you all belief in a brighter future. I can't bear to think of it. You must consider that you have a right to happiness."

day that people's rights were very limit- any woman but yourself." to his. Now she lowered them, and there matter of conquest. However some people get what they have no right to and why should not we?" "That is better."

They were silent for some time, and

rather hasty." "How hasty ?"

"You have not seen Alice. Suppose,

"You speak without reflection. Helen. mind, or that I have no more respect take things as they were meant. No Life and sooner or later everyone goes in for you than to ask you to be my wife one put it down to the right cause, of search of it. It is rather a dangerous

turned my love."

could never tear to hear the words that friendship.

should become hard and reckless, and prove to her that her fears were un- fire of her glance and the haunting from the very first that they were wrong, and the preacher have take the first person who came, whether founded. She herself opened the way sweetness of her smile. Percival saw and console themselves by trying to be-

smile. "I have been called "nice look-ing," and "essentially ladylike." and a During this month, too, Helen's end of their lives and never find it out never get away, and it would last all few other things of the same kind, but doubts and fears seemed to vanish. She never to find it out; they are content never beautiful."

She paused, her lips trembling, her remember two or three people have told whenever she chose, she grew to have "And these are the worst off of all," hest heaving. Percival, who had kept me that I am improving; it amused me confidence in herself. It was impossible said Heler rather dreamily, as he paused very much."

the improvement about? Don't you between them without coming to a sense see it came because you were happier, that she, too, had a place in her world. the earth, than to rest stupidly content and you were happier because you had a She even forgot Alice, or if she thought with earth from inability to raise our good reason for being so? Now use of her it was as apart from herself; she eyes to heaven." But she was still ailent. She had fol- our own judgment. Which do you ceased to believe that Alice would have

for me—a beauty which is the which does not vary very much any circumstances, about which all that criticised by all tongues; or a beauty which I myself have called forth, which

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doubt it, every feature in her fage showed it. She could resist no longer, she was not proof against such flattery. Her whole being went out in response to him. Her love was patent as the sun in and fairy tales, and to seek for their real the clear September sky.

"Will you trust me now ?" he asked after a pause.

"With my whole life," she replied, arnestly. He had bent down and kissed her cently, and she received and returned

is kiss gladly and proudly.

"When may I speak to your father? "Not yet, please. Let us have a little time to ourselves, before people begin to congratulate us and watch how we behave to one another in public. ter evenings when we are beginning to And then, I won't say anything more grow tired of one another, and have exabout Alice since you hate it so, but I hausted all our subjects of conversa should like her to here when it is to be tion." made known; it is a little bit of feminine weakness, which you must allow

He promised, but they agreed that Dr Hazlitt ought to be told.

So Percival told him on his way to Brantwood, and the old gentleman received the news just as Percival had expected he would. He did not say much : little mere than-

"You have won a treasure, lad, see you keep it. Trust Helen entirely. She is as true as time, and will never grew old, or ugly or ill-tempered?" fail vou.

And to Helen he said-

"It is not to every man by a long way that I would have let you go; but you "I thought we agreed only the other may trust Moore. He will never love

> CHAPTER VI. A FAIRY TALE.

Never in all Helen's after life did she forget the month following the day on which she had promised to be Percival's wife. Each day formed a separated "I am afraid, after all, we have been item in her memory, and yet the whole month seemed like a long, happy dream from which she scarcely wished to wake. No one could fail to notice the change in after that no real sorrow or troubles when you do see her, you like her better her now. Some attributed it to her accident, which they said, by keeping her whelm him, he can defy them all : he is Percival's face was both grave and a a prisoner in the house for a fortnight, possessed of a strength which will prehelped her complexion to recover frem its summer tan. Others said she was at fact that once every man and woman thing, only you should have spoke be- for possessing an uncomfortable temper must abandon the search for ever; and was not likely to be accredited with a superfluity of lovers, and, as for Percival, Her cheeks were crimson as she re- it was not generally supposed that a man is, and it happens sometimes that those of Mr Lafone's pride of birth would who set out haphazard, or don't set out "You say hard things, and you think allow his daughters to marry the sons of at all, stumble upon it straight away you have a right to say them. You wealthy manufacturers, though he might while others who have elaborately exthink I am jealous, and I am only make them welcome to his house. Be- plored the ground and made particular speaking from experience. You have sides, Percival and Helen were discre- inquiry of others who have been success never seen people pay me attention, and tion itself. Never, in the presence of as soon as Alice came into the room, even the most insignificant third person, make some excuse for leaving me to go they fall into the familiarity of employto her. I do not grudge Alice her many ing their Christian names. It would the impulse to stoop down and drink lovers. She may have a world full, so have been impossible to detect in their leng as she leaves me my one. But I manner anything warmer than a close

had once been said to me repeated to Helen was happy—perfectly happy. another woman. Rather than that, I Her happiness overshadowed, swallowed would go through life without having a up all the daily worries of home life. single such word spoken to me. You They no longer existed for her. She cannot understand it of course; you saw them not; her eyes were fixed upon have never seen her; you do not know an object so bathed and flooded in golden how, sooner or later, every man falls in light that they were blind to mere earthly things. She was accustoming herself Pereival had risen from his chair, and to look up, and the first result of her up. was welking up and down the room. lifted gaze was that she lost sight of and pure can distinguish the right from with Alice's friends." All that Helen said showed so clearly these low impediments to her content the wrong. Most people drink at these what her training and life had been, which had formerly occupied all her at- fountains, the water of which is neither and how her doubts and fears of her-tention. If she had never before been so pure nor so cold as that of the true self had been created and fostered. His really beautiful, she was so now. There one; but their taste is vitiated—they heart ached for her; how he could seemed a glory and splendour in the soft don't know the difference. Some knew "She is so beautiful," she said, half created by him, born of the power of his and that those who go in search of it are to herself; "and I know you admire being, kept alive by the attraction of his wasting their lives in running after the "Did no one ever call you beautiful?" forth at his call, and at the call of no and only later find out their mistake, he asked, abruptly, pausing in front of one else. They had not been engaged a and feel that their lives are speilt be her couch!

week before he thanked Helen for her cause they may not set out in their wisdom in keeping the engagement a se-search again; they must abide by their

"You are quite sure; never even late- and trusted Percival. In the warmth of at those who seek the true fountain. "Yes, really now you mention it, I that her life at home might be ended them." to feel Percival's dependence on her in again, "because their natures must be to feel Percival's dependence on her in again, "because their natures must be "Well, don't you know what brought many things and the perfect sympathy coarse and low. It is better to die with

could be said has been said, and which into his plans so perfectly, he grew to has been looked upon by all eyes and feel every day more dependent upon her. Her woman's wit came in so often just where his solid common sense failbelongs to me alone, and which no one ed; her insight into character was so finding, those else perhaps would ever notice, because keen, he felt he might always trust her it would not exist for them-which judgment. Every day he felt more conbeauty do you suppose I should value vinced that in winning Helen he had some past vanity or won a treasure. and one day after a long seemed to some as if the

> half gravely, half jestingly-"Did it ever occur to you, Helen, to look below the surface of the old myths meaning?"

"I don't believe they had any. You are bitten with the spirit of the nine teenth century, Percival, you want to find a meaning in everything. You are trying to make out that those simple minded ancients were just as much both ered and worried as we latter day sinners. You will never do it."

"We will keep the discussion of that problem until we are married. It will do nicely to fill up one of the long win-

"I am convinced they had no mean ing," persisted Helen. "They were me. Promise you will say nothing simply petty fancies, invented to while away the evening hours, when people were too tired or too lazy to think anything mild or serious. I shall always look at them in that light."

"One at any rate had more than surface meaning," said Percival, 'and that was the one about the Water of Life. What do you suppose they meant by the Water of Life, of which when you had once taken a draught, you never "An impossibility, I should think,

said Helen, who chose at that moment to appear unsympathetic and matter of

"No," replied her companion, "they didn't; they meant human love, Listen, and I will tell you a fairy tale. Imagine that somewhere—no one knows where, but somewhere-is a fountain containing the Water of Life, an eterna spring that never fails. It is quite s small fountain to look at, but deeper than the imagination can picture : it contains a whole a whole ocean of the Water of Life-nay, it is Infinite; its depth cannot be sounded. Whoever finds the Water of Life and drinks of it, knows whatever disasters threaten to overvail against everything. Now, it is a thing, no one knows exactly where it ful in the search never find it at all Now then two people, a man and a wo man, meet at the fountain, and if only moves them at the same moment, from that time their souls are bound together, and they live happily every afterwards for they have drunk of the Water of Life, and the strength which it gives shall never fail them."

"How come so few to find it?" asked Helen thoughtfully.

"For many reasons. One is that there are other fountains scattered up and down so closely resembling the real one the beauty and rejoiced in it; beauty lieve that the real fountain is a myth. individuality; beauty which flashed rainbow. Others drink is good faith, first choice. Others, again, go on to the obeyed Dr. Hazlitt and her own instinct with what they have got-nay, they scoff his love and the peace of the thought The pure, cold water has no taste for

longing for heaven, knowing we are or

"Is it ! Some people would tell you

not miss a fe discussion on some point on which they ing their whole individ others it came quite as a had thought differently Percival said, course. No one cause they who find the for the very nature of the sear purest and best in their m everybody cannot make this their natures are not so strong,

> the true foundation. They were both silent when he finished speaking, until he said, "Now what do you think of my fairy

ing to remain unchanged they ne

"It is true enough." she answered. smiling, "very true."

Taey were on the island. They had rowed across the bay just when the tide turned, and now had to wait for it to sarry them back again. It was a still, autumn day; really autumn, with a pungent smell of faded leaves and frost, anl a keeness in the air which brought the color into Helen's cheeks, and an nawonted brilliancy into her eyes.

They were silent for some time. rything around them seemed to invite them to silence. The air was so still there was scarcely a rustle among the trees; the sun was shining softly through a golden haze, mist lay all around on the horizon, only above their heads was the sky clear and blue. The retreating sea had left the sands wet and glistening and their boat lay there helpless until the tide came up again. At last Perc val spoke-"When am I to speak to your father

Helen ?"

"Not yet," she said, "do net speak ret. We are so happy in this way, at east I am ; what about you?" "I am right enough, too, only this privacy does not suit my vanity. I want everyone to know of my good for-

tune and congratulate me upon it. "Do not build upon being overwhelm ed with congratulations. I shall get far more than you. People will wonder what has made you choose me out of all tie girls in the place."

"We must console ourselves with the hought of the unhappy position of the prophet in his own country; but, seriously, Helen. I do expect coople will envy me, and I want to be sorted." "I will not be flattered into acting

against my judgment," she said, frown ing. "I will chose my own time." Have you any reason for supposin

he will not consent !" "()h. no. don't have any fears on that head, they are quite groundless. Pape will be gla enough and mamma will be delighted. By the way, she heard from Alice this morning. ome the day after tomorrow.

"Is not that rather sooner than you expected ?"

"Yes, we did not expect her for a week, but Mrs Herford, her aunt, wants to come home sooner; they will get to London tomorrow, and Mr Herford will bring Alice here the day after."

Percival said nothing ; perhaps neither he nor Helen was prepared to give Alice a very warm welcome when he did

"You will see a great change at home after Alice comes," tent on Helen presently, "she cannot endure to be alone at home with just of reelves. A great many people will come to stay with us, the whole house will be upset, and peace and quietness up be at an end."

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"I am not a hermit among people I like, but unfortunately I cannot get on (TO BE CONTINUED.)

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FRIDAY, JAN. 6TH. 1888.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

The municipal elections in Goderich have turned out pretty much as we imagined the result would be. Eleven of the old councillors went to the poll and four-Mesers Jordan, J. Acheson, jr., Bingham and Lee-have been unhorsed in the contest.

When it is remembered that a full opposition ticket was run only in St. Andrew's ward, it will be seen that had an organized effort been made few, if any, of the old councillors would have succeeded in obtaining seats again at

We must admit we regret that councillor Jordan failed of re-election on this occasion. He was one of the few good members of the board of 1887, and his absence from the council of 1888 will be felt. He, however, identified himself with the cause of mayor Seager, and in that manner brought the animus of some of his erstwhile constituents upon him. Mr J. M. Sheppard injured his candidature in St Andrew's ward in precisely the same way-by speaking in laudable terms of the mayor, when seconding his momination. The people were of opinion that both of these gentlemen were too fully in league with his worship, and dealt harshly with them on that account. Had their utterances on nomination been more independent, both gentlemen would undoubtedly have fared better at the hands of the electors.

The infusion of new blood into the council will, however, not be inimical to the interests of the town, and we look for better work from the council of 1888 than was done by its two predecessors. At any rate the idea has been shattered that twelve or fifteen men can spend time and money without showing adequate results to the public, and we venture to predict that, during the coming year, the absurd policy of endeavoring to apare at the spigot while the bunghole is left open will not be adopted.

The council of 1888 has before it the record of its predecessor, and should endeavor to get out of the old rut. The do-nothing policy should be abandoned ; the squandering system of using public funds should cease; the interests of the town should be made paramount, and the self-seeking of individuals should be placed in the background. By such action only can we hope that anything permanent to the welfare of the town can follow.

THE SIGNAL has no personal feeling to gratify so far as the new council is concerned, and so long as we believe that body is working in the best interests of the town we will support it, so far as in us lies ; but if the old paths of the council of 1887 are to be trod in, we will not fail to warn the electors in sufficient time to have ample preparations made for new candidates at the next nomina-

The squandering, do-nothing, selfseeking policy of the council 1887 must not be perpetuated.

Norwithstanding that we are now one week gone in leap year, the marital column is not panning out to any alarming extent. The idea that clergymen willing to accept calls at smaller plaries during leap year, in the hope of king up the deficiency by wedding ations, will explode if this dearth of

eneal business continues.

CARDINE town is bidding big for s of the C. P. R. Monday last a dging \$30,000 to the construche line from Tecswater to that a crime of a vote of 222 to 4.

of the three months' offer to are requested to renew at aut THE SIGNAL for 1888,

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### TOWN TOPICS.

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

Despite the fact that Boreas and Jack Frost raign outside, Geo. Stewart can take good warm photos at his studio.

A Good Present,—The best New Years gift you can make is to give a Wirt Pen. Apply to D. McGillicuddy, agent. Goderich.

G. C. Robertson, Crabb's Blook, will. on the opening of the school on Monday next, give a present to every purchaser of school books. I l'A brew of good tea is an excellent thing when one comes in out of the storm these blustery days, and Li-quor tea is the best. To be had at Geo. Rhynas drug store.

Those having pictures to frame will find it te their advantage to leave orders at R. Sellows photo studio. Hé bas now in stock and ordered some of the finest mounts in mouldings.

ng their books at Butler's.

Call on Goode, the druggist, Albion block, or everything in the line of drugs, patent nedicines, chemicals and toilet articles. Incided personal attention to prescriptions. W. C. Goode, Druggist, Albion Block.

Captain Jack's dress suit—a new coat of aint and a paper collar tied with a string—would not be seasonable this time of the year, at the overcoats and fur trimmings turned ut by F, & A. Pridham are just the thing. Ity 'om.

THE WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION will meet regularly for the transaction of business every Tuesday afternoon at 230 o'clock, in North-at Metholist church. Every woman interested in the work is cordially

woman interested in the work is cordially invited to attend.

The advertisement of Saunders & Son in this issue will repay the reading. They are going out of picture and room moulding, window shades and several other lines, as their other branches take up all their time. Bring along your pictures and have them framed while the present stock lasts. This is the last chance, as they are positively going out. The cheapest house under the sun.

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The Big Mill shut down last week.

The Big Mill shut down last week. Rev Hamilton Wygle is spending a sew days in town, and is the guest of G.

is at present visiting relatives in Brampton and Toronto. Jas. G. Rushton, of Slater's mill,

visiting old friends. Mr V. Knechtel, wife and family Seaforth were the guests of Mr A. J. Maug-

Miss Sara Hyslop has gone to spend few weeks with her sister, Mrs L. T. McDonald, Listowel. Mrs Cassaday, of Auburn, has been risiting her daughter, Mrs McGillicuddy

during the past two weeks.

Percy L. Walton, of London, returned to that city Tuesday last after a week and a half's visit to his parents, West-st.

Mr and Mrs W. J. Holmes, of Stratford, and Mr and Mrs Archibald, of Egmondville, spent New Year's with Mr S. Megaw.

Tem Graham, of Cleveland, O., for-merly an employee of the Goderich P. O., spent New Years with the old folks at home.

Saturday of every month.

Misses A. Sharman, J. Dickson, M. Rusk and M. Allan left town on Monday for the various schools to which they have recently been engaged.

Knox church Band of Hope will meet on Saturday, Jan. 7th, at 3 o'clock. All the members are requested to be pre-sent, and others wishing to join.

The meeting of the Y. W. C. T. U., will be held on Thursday, Jan. 12th, in the library of Knox church, at 7.30 p. m. All the members are requested to

W. C. Dyment, the local representa-tive of Dyment & Co., is off on his holidays. Will is a good citizen, and since coming to our town has gained the goodwill of all with whom he came in contact.

On Friday Elijah Moore, while looking at a load of wood on the market, was struck with the shaft offs grocer's sleigh, and severely injured.

THE BAND.—Owing to the severe weather that set in during New Years day, the town band were debarred from seronading all their friends. They will take up the procession during the next few weeks, and work to a finish.

E. F. Clarke the popular mayor-elect of Toronto, is a brother-in-law of our townsman, Jehn Robertson, ex-deputy-sheriff of Winnipeg, and is also related to Sheriff Gibbons by marriage. "Ned" is well-known to many residents of Goderich.

The keel of the new tug being built by

Wm. Markon for James Clarke was placed in position yesterday. The length of the new vessel will be about 118 feet, 25 feet longer than the James Clarke, and her beam will be about 21 feet, with 101 feet depth of hold.

feet depth of hold.

James Stewart, of Saltford, desires to express his deep thanks to the friends who discovered his dead son Wednesday evening last, and kindly brought the body to the Colborne hotel until such time as the parents and friends could be compunicated with communicated with.

Gabriel Elliott, who has been for the last ten years in the employ of Wm.
McLean has purchased a nursery of
seventeen acres in Woodstock with two
glass-houses, each 100 feet long. It is
his intention to settle in that town, and
we congratulate Woodstock in having
got a good citizen in the person of Mr
Elliott.

RAISED BILLS. The western part of Ontario is now being flooded with five dellar bills of the Bank of Montreal, Bank of Commerce and Merchants' Bank, which have been raised to tens. The raising is so cleverly done that as a general thing the merchants do not discover the difference until they present their deposits at the bank.

Convictions.—The returns of con CONVICTIONS.—The returns of convictions by magistrates in the county of Huron for the three months ending Dec. 13, 1887 foot up to 119. Of these 51 were for violations of the Scott Act—40 with a fine of \$50 each. If the Scott Act fines were all collected for the three months referred to \$3,600 should have been paid into the county treasury.

Edward Acheson, of Wycliffe College. Edward Acheson, of Wycline College.
Toronto, has been spending the holidays at the residence of Geo. Acheson, of this town. Edward was for years on the road as a commercial man, but is now preparing for orders in the Anglican church. He was one of the volunteers to the Northwest during the rebellion, and figured in the reports of his friends at the front as "the fighting parson."

HURON LODGE No 62, I. O. O. F .- A a regular meeting of the Lodge held on Thursday Evening 29th ult. The fol-Inureday Evening 29th uit. The following officers were elected for the insuing term, N. G., S. Malcomson; V. G., P. Holt; Rec. Secy., J. Straiton, reelected; Per. Secy., Geo. Stiven, reelected. Past Grands, I. F. Toms, J. W. Smith and Geo. Stiven were elected. W. Smith and Geo. Stiven were elected Brantford, was in town Monday last, to represent the Lodge at a district meet-

MORTUARY.—During the past three years, according to the report of the cemetery sexton, Mr Hood, there have been 207 interments, viz; in 1885 there were 71; in 1886, 66; and in 1887, 71. Last year there were only 42 interments from the town, and a noticeable feature was the scarcity of deaths in infants.

The average age of the interments was duties as teacher of the junior division of the Saltford school Monday.

THE RINK.-J. C. Harrison arrived and a half's visit to his parents, West-st.

Charles and George Munro, of London, visited their parents at New Years.

They left for London by the afternoon his stay in town. We understand it is his intention to put in an ice surface at an early date, so that patronizers of ice skating will have an opportunity of en-joying that healthful exercise once more. A carnival is spoken of at no distant date. The band will be in attendance this (Friday) evening.

Georgetown Herald: Rev. G. H. Cobbledick, B. A., who has been assist-Dr McDonagh will be in Goderich for consultation on! Saturday, the 7th of January, and afterwards on the first

James Brown, recently of Galt is now in change of the engine at the station. From what we have heard of station. From what we have heard of daughter of Mr. John Williams, Kinstation. daughter of Mr. John Williams, Kin-cardine, at the residence of the bride's parents, on Wednesday evening last.
The ceremony was performed by the
Rev Mr. Hannon. Miss Mary Williams acted as first bridesmaid and Miss Ada Rastall as second bridesmaid.
Ross Robertson was first groomsman and Thomas Williams second groomsman.
The happy couple started on their wedding trip by the early train Thursday

With regard to a paragraph appearing in a recent issue of the Globe stating that acting Judge James Haverson had decided in court that "any person paying a rental for a telephone had a perfect right to let whom they chose use it, in right to let whom they chose use it, in spite of any rule of the company to the sontrary." Mr. Haverson writes today that the Globe was mistaken, that no sutire atook of winter goods at saway below cost for next thirty days to make room for spring stock. Great bargains will be given. See their advertisement.

of the Dorcas Society of Knox church Goderich, in closing their work for this season wish to thank, in the warmest manner, the many friends who have, by their gifts of money and clothing made it possible to assist so many of the poor of the congregation. Since the 14th of Oct., 1887, the society has received and disbursed the sum of \$80.78, and distributed upwards of one hundred partly worn garments. The greater part of the money was spent in the purchase of warm winter clothing, shoes &c., and the balance in providing Christmas fare for thirty-four families. The members feel confident, owing to the carefulness in repeatedly visiting those aided, that in repeatedly visiting those sided, that the money was judiciously expended, and in a manner to inspire confidence

in their work in the future.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE. - A farmers' In atitute meeting will be held in Goderich on Jan. 24th and 25th, at which Profa. Mills and Robertson, of the Agricultural College will be present. A lengthy program will be prepared of subjects for discussion. Farmers who will write about a prepared of authors. short papers on agricultural subjects are invited to send in their names soon, together with the subjects chosen, so that they can be entered on the program. Commercial Union will not be discussed. As it is intended to elect of E N Lewis, discussed. As it is intended to elect officers covering the West Riding it is important that there should be a large and
representative gathering. The institute
must hold two meetings in the riding in
order to be entitled to the usual grant.
The second meeting will be decided upon
at the meeting by the newly elected officers. The public are cordially invited to
attend all the meetings. No charge is
made, and no collection is taken up.

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VISITING OLD CRONIES. - Samuel Oke, of Fairbairn, Man., is spending a short time in this section, visiting old friends. He is accompanied by his wife. Mr Oke left this section about six years ago, and went to the Northwest. At that time he was tenant on a farm in Colborne, without much backing except a large family. New he is, thanks to his change of location, and circumstances attendant, the possessor of a fine homestead in the Northwest, each of his five boys has the Northwest, each of his five boys has 160 acres of fine prairie farm, and the whole family are in the enjoyment of excellent health. This year he raised 2,700 bushels of wheat, 1,600 bushels of other grain, and roots to match. He is now a thorough-paced Manitoban, from the boots up, but he still likes the news from Huron. He dropped into The Wingham—Mayor, W. Inglis. Reev. SIGNAL office to renew his subscription for 1888, and said, "On no account would I be without THE SIGNAL ; I want the news from this part of Huron, and that's where

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The friends of Mrs H. A. Jameson, of Kansas City, formerly Miss. Smith. will be sorry to learn that she recently lost two of her children within a couple of days of each other, by diphtheris.

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H DUNLOP, F Jordan, ST. ANDREW'S WARD.

J A REID, T C NAFTEL, W Lee, J M Sheppard, There were no contest for scho

trustee in any of the wards except St. David's where Mr Butler, the trustee was opposed and defeated The following are the SCHOOL TRUSTER, 61

The public school board will consist of Mesars. W. Acheson, H. W. Ball, C. Crabb, Morton, Malcomson, Nicholson, Swanson and Price. OUTSIDE MUNICIPALITIES.

BRYSSEIS—Reeve, W. H. McCrackes. ouncillors—R. Graham, D. Stracham McIntosh, J. Ament. CLINTON—Mayor, J. Whitehead; Reeve, A. McMurchie; Deputy, A. H. Manning. Councillors—St. James ward, H. Walker, M. Kelly; St. Andrews ward, J. Johnson, B. Foster; St. George's ward, T. C. Doherty, D. Cante-

GORRIZ—1st Deputy Reeve, Sat Johnston; 2nd Deputy Reeve, W. Jacques. Councillors—Alex. ham and Alex. Littlejohn. GODERICH TOWNSHIP-John Cox

and Saml. Sturdy coun SEAFORTH—Mayor, James Beattie Reeve, D. D. Wilson; Deputy Reeve

Farley, J. Wilson, Noble Claff.

WINGHAM—Mayor, W. Inglis. Reeve
J. A. Morton (acclamation); Deputy
reeve, Thos. Gregory (acclamation).
Councillors—No. 1 ward, John Neelands,
D. Pringle, R. M. Robertson No. 2,
Wm. Black, J. J. Homuth, Dr. Towler;
No. 3, J. A. Cline, George McKenzie,
Wm Little; No. 4, C. E. Willams, Dr
Young, Wm Holmes. Bylaw o reduce
the number of councillors was defeated.
COLEGERIS.—Reeve. Jos Beat: danu-COLBORNE.—Reeve, Jos Bect; deputy-reeve, A Malloy. Council ors, Nathan Johns, James Taylor and Alex

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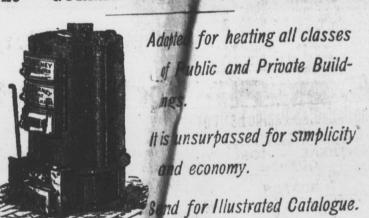
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Wife-My dear, you ought

ang Husband- I got them on cred-Still worse," "But I had to have them."

Mother (to Bobby) : I'm shocked to hear that Willie Waffles whipped the

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poor est, Bobby. My little boy wouldn't do such a thing. Bobby (with conscious moral

Bobby : I couldn't, ma ; I was holding

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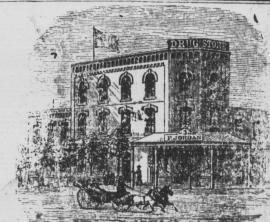
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choir, was waited upon at the residence

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tion. He will be much missed in and around Auburn, and particularly in con-

Fred Graham, G. T. brakesman, spent

Wm Small, of Mount Brydges, is the

guest of his aunt, Mrs Arthur Bennets

Jas Quaid the retiring trustee is

Christmas with his parents here.

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## Auburn.

Miss Mary Cassaday, of Goderich, is of James Symington by a large number of his friends and well-wishers, and given visiting at the homestead.

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The Christmas tree, which was held on Dec. 23rd was a success. Proceeds 330.

An entertainment in connection with the local lodge of I. O. G. T. is in constitution and the presentation made by Miss Jennie Habbart and purse by the congregation whose service of song he had so ably conducted in the past, the address being read by Rev A MacMillan, and the presentation made by Miss Jennie Habbart and the recipient of an address and purse by the congregation whose service of song he had so ably conducted in the past, the address being read by Rev A MacMillan, and the presentation made by Miss Jennie Habbart and purse by the congregation is address and purse by the congregation in the present and address and purse by the congregation is address.

Joseph Stalker, of St. Helen's and Will Habkirk, of this place, are spending their holidays in Galt.

William Downs, one day last week sold out his grocery and boot and shoe business to M. Lockhart, school teacher of this place. Mr Downs is about buy-ing out J. S. Habkirk's general store. Last Sunday morning Rev. Alex Mac-Millan preached an eloquent sermon

from Deut. 32nd chapter, first clause of the 7th verse; "Remember the days of old," which was very suitable for the first Sabbath of the New Year. Rev Thos Gee preached a very impressive sermon last Sunday evening, from Jer. xxxiii-16. "This year thou shall die." Speaking to a dying congregation, he said, he did not know where to throw the arrow, but he would throw

it at a venture, leaving the impression that some of us will pass away before the close of this year. Mrs Thos Gee, has had a relapse of the measles, and is very low at present.

Ed. Downs, of Clinton, ate his turkey at home on Christmas day. Alf. Morton and Sam. Marshall, of his place, left on the early train Saturday morning for Tuckersmith, where they will spend their New Year's holi-

John Arthur, of down the country, is in our midet, spending his holidays, the guest of his mother. Miss Sara Errot is on the sick list,

with inflamation. There was quite a stir in our town on

one and all the compliments of the sea-Prior to his departuze from our midst,

Mrs Cleveland returned a handsome present to the donor with the informa-tion that she could not accept such from anyone who might have favors to ask from her husband in the official position as president. This is not the way such The Auburn correspondent extends to gifs are always received, but some women and all the compliments of the sealend.—Brockville Recorder.

succeeded by Geo. Thurlow.

Lord Mayor Sexton, Dublin, has had Austin L Budge, for some three years

past teacher of the school in this section and leader of the Presbyterian

there is every reason to expect the croperation of the Canadian Pacific Railway in making Manitoba and the Northwest a granary for the British mit.

The Winnipeg City Councilayor Jones twelve hundred uesday night, and passed a co pry resolution on the pending ment of Senator Schultz as he

The Dover Observer contain owing pathetic request, ...
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J. M. ROBERTS, Scattering

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Town Clerk. -The smoke in connection various municipal contests he away, and once more I am abl a look around, and see been the result. Away up Wawanosh I find there will be men-Messrs Johnston and Lo stead of old Charlie Girvin, th pal warhorse of that township sturdy deputy Charles Durnin who had filled every effice in ( gift, from fenceviewer to Ward loaded with honors and remini past conquests, but Durnin, ed to fill the old reeve's shoes, hawked and scalped by the able warrior "Steelrails," and council that knew him in th closed its pertals to him. Lo

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-In Colborne Joe Beck

reeve, was elected by acciam

the fact that no opposition w out against the little tant through illness, he was not in to canvass the township, spea for his personal popularity. of the boys where boys are, s in the presence of men, ever is a good-hearted, genial, whole-souled fellow, and if been born a Tory would have factory even to me; but I'm find fault with him for that c sion. As I said before, he is popular, and in addition to t whooping Society man fro He is a great Mogul from Sal Tycoon of This, Ameer of T and-git of the other, and a se titles that I don't just rem But no matter where you fit cept on politics, he's all-wool wide, and don't you forget bird has told me that when elections come around I' carefully and see Joe captu convention in great shape I've got a pointer on the If I have, there's no harm I'm right, then I have only that the Lib-Cons. of might go farther and fare that as it may, however, Jo terror on the concession li cipal elections, and someho get there with both feet The old deputy, James this year unhorsed by Arcl neighbor of his from Ber contest seemed to hinge of ance vote, but somehow t date bobbed up serenel

ballots were counted. -In Goderich township reeve, again lifted Gabe knot, by a large majority triangular contest between Goderich township.

-But you've all seen the county, and I'll ta line of thought that I

Beacom, ex-deputy Whit waite, "Tontine" trotted with a neck ahead, One liarities of the contest in was the fact that A. M. cillor, "Fifer Jack," wh the flag on his competite municipal races, was shut sion, and didn't get a place I am teld, is going to f next year's trot, and if will be some flying. A puty stakes between him would be a great feature

the interest of the reade NAL. I see that the a and buildings up to d \$6,850.81, or within a sh Now, I think one of the should be done by our n to be to devise some way making that plot of buildings a remuneration the town. I've been t the neighbors about the came to the conclusio beneficial effort that would be to establish fair in town, to be hel and be the means of and sellers of stock every month. At Lie Palmerston, Guelph at