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GORRIE, ONT., THURSDAY, JANUARY 7TH, 1892.

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JAMES ARMSTRONG.

Veterinary Surgeon

GRADUATE of Ontario Veterinary College, and registered member of Ontario Veterinary Association.

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Card of Thanks.

Lakelet, Jan. 5th, 1892.

Six:—I desire, through the extensive circulation of your excellent paper, to extend to the people of Howick my thanks for the vote they gave me in the contest for the Reeveship. Although beaten I feel proud that my friends in the two northern polinic sub-divisions where I am best known gave me the vote they did, being seventy-two votes more than our late very popular and efficient reeve, Mr. Code, received in last advocating in connection with the Clerkslip, was correct and in sympathy with the feeling of the majority of the ratepayers. I also feel that the numb r of candidates bunched here was against me. ne.
Again thanking my friends for their unsolicited ifforts in my behalf, I remain, your well-wisher,
A. DULMAGE.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Services at Fordwich at 11 a.m.; at Gorrie, 2:30 p.m.: Bible Class at Fordwich in the evening. Sabbath School at Gorrie 1:15 p.m., Jas. McLaughim, Superintendent.

BAPTIST.—Services in Gorrie at 2:36 and 6:50 p. m. Rev. J. A. Osborne, pastor.

Local Affairs.

Miss Tuck, of Mount Forest, was visiting friends in Gorrie last week.

Dr. Brownlee, a former Gorrie physican, was in town one day last week. Try the GAZETTE job rooms for fancy

printing. We can equal anything done Mr. Alex. Welsh, wife and children, of

Foronto, spent the holiday season with

Mr. Chas. Donley, who has been suffer ing with inflammatory rheumatism lately, is now slowly recovering.

Mr. Wm. McLeod has moved into the house opposite the Methodist church,

vacated by Mr. J. B. Campbell. The Hummason farm, on the 9th concession, just east of Gorrie, was purchased by Reeve Cook on Monday, the

price paid being \$4,750. Miss Jardine and Master Chester Mc-Laughlin, who have been visiting in Paisley the past week or so, returned home to Gorrie on Tuesday.

The Methodist Sabbath School entertainment, on Christmas evening, drew out a packed house and was an unquali-

Parkhill, and manufacturer of brick and

Green, were visiting relatives in Gorrie Day, (560).

Mr. Glenn has arrived in town and opened his tailorshop in the bakery building on Main st.

Quite a number took advantage of the good ice on the dam last week and this, to enjoy a good skate. Miss Nell Stewart, of Harriston, who

spent Xmas week with friends here returned home last Wednesday. Mr. Samuel Greer, jr., made a visit

ast week to the home of his parents, returning to Toronto on Monday last. The familiar face of Mr. Anderson, of semi-occasional visitors to our village

Miss Carss now has charge of the Monday last.

Rev. Mr. Hughes, of Wingham, con ducted services in the Episcopal church last Sabbath in the absence of the pastor through illness.

A number of our citizens are on the sick list. None are dangerous, however. The changeable weather is blamed for most of the trouble.

We are sorry to report the serious illness of Rev. Mr. Wright, incumbent of the English church in this village. We hope to see him around again soon.

Dr. Tuck was at Mount Forest this week, being called there by the serious illness of his mother. We are sorry to learn she is still without improvement.

Mr. Skill, of Toronto, who has been the guest of Mr. Stevens, was taken seriously ill last week, but is now conbusiness this week.

Last week a building was being rethe road Mr. W. S. Bean purchased it occupancy.

rear of Bean's general store.

At the December meeting of the Board of Directors of the Howick Insurance Company, held in Gorrie on Decembe 16th, 92 applications for insurance were accepted amounting to \$80,280, being applications more and \$36,075 above th amount insured in the same month las

It has been suggested that a Township Sunday School convention be held i Howick. At the county convention this step was advised but in this township the matter has not been taken up. - I is thought that much good would resul from such a gathering of delegates and workers representing all denominations, at some central point. Those who favor this scheme might further its interests by leaving a note to that effect in this office; and if a sufficient number encourage it, steps will be taken to organize.

Good Guessers.

The guessing competition which culminated at McLaughlin's drug store mostly by acclamation, although there on Christmas had a very interesting were several sharp conflicts. With the termination. There were in all nearly exception of the Reeve of Hullett, 2nd | He reports that his brother is quite low 700 guesses, opinion among the com- Dep. Reeve of Ashfield, the Deputy of and his death may occur at any time. petitors varying considerably as to the Tuckersmith, and all the returns from number of seeds in that pumpkin. Some Hay, the County council will be com- on Xmas proved a most enjoyable affair. had formed the idea that but few seeds posed as follows: fled success in every way, nearly \$100 would be found, one estimating as low being realized. Among the speakers as six, while others with vivid imaginawas Rev. Mr. Ayers, formerly pastor of tions risked their chance on as high as 4.500. The majority of the guessers, Mr. Oliver Baird, of the Eagle Foundry, however, appeared to be well up in "punken seeds" for the great bulk of tile machines, made a short call on them placed the number between 450 friends in Gorrie last week. Mr. B. owns and 625. After the famous pumpkin the electric light plant in Parkhill, and had been thoroughly dissected by Messrs. while here gave much valuable informa- S. A. Seaman and I. Sanderson, it was Deputy, S. Johnstone; 2nd Deputy, Jnc. sary in the Methodist Church here. tion to our business men who are talking found that it contained the germs for Jacques of introducing the incandescent system exactly 556 other pie-producers. Three of the guessers-Mr. Ed. James, Mrs. T. McDonald. About the most unconcerned man in Alex. Strong, and Mr. Frank Davidson the township last week was Major Kaine, -had chosen 555 as the lucky number ty, Thos. Ryan. the reeve-elect. Just after the nomina- and were thus tied for first choice of the tion he started for Goderich where he prizes. They were then requested to C. A. Howe. has a law suit in progress, and after his make another guess when each chose return his face indicated that the elec- 557, thus tieing again. While a third Deputy, A. T. McDonald. tions were being held in Bolivia, not test was being prepared the competitors Howick. He need not be ashamed of settled the matter between them, Mrs. the vote Gorrie-No. 8-gave him. If Strong chosing the autoharp, Mr. Davidhe does as well for Gorrie during the son the violin, and Mr. James the baby-FRANK COLES. year as Gorrie did for him on Monday carriage. The next three prizes were all hands should be satisfied, captured by Miss Alice Wright, (554), captured by Miss Alice Wright, (554), Deputy, Wm. Cruickshank,

Mrs. I. Green and her son, Mr. Chas. Miss Jean Doig, (559), and Miss Mary

The best of good feeling prevailed throughout the contest, except that it is reported Nelson had to hide under a barn from the mob for a couple of days on account of uttering the execrable pun that he guessed he would not hold another similar competition soon.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

The Result in the County and Round About us.

A Contest All Round in Howick. The struggle for municipal honors has been very keen this year. Every chair Muskoka, has been among the many at the council board was contested and some of the candidates worked very hard.

For the Reeveship, Messrs. Kaine and junior department of the Gorrie Public Dulmage were opponents, Reeve Cook School, having assumed her duties on having declined re-nomination. Mr. Dulmage went into the contest in a very energetic manner, holding several meetings during the week in various parts of the township. His defeat by so large a majority was unlooked for by many, although it was hard to find anyoneafter the result was announced-who did not expect just about what happened.

The Deputy Reeveship vote also brought a surprise. Mr. Sothern is a was not expected that he would poll so close to Mr. Johnston who has proved so efficient a councillor during the past.

Second Deputy Reeve's chair. Mr. Jacques is an indefatigable canvasser with a good record in municipal politics and although he entered the field against a man with a brilliant showing in the council during the past year he valescent and expects to return to his managed to head the poll by a respect-

Messrs. Ferguson and Graham were noved from Mill st., and while it was on re-elected as councillors by handsome majorities, but had either Mr. and had it placed on his lot opposite the Littlejohn or Mr. Doig dropped out, Albion, where it will be fitted up for it is thought the result would have been a very close vote among the remaining Mr. John Campbell, teacher of the three. The two former have done ex-Gorrie Public School, has purchased the cellent work as councillors in the past Dr. Brownlee residence and moved into and the support they received in every it this week. Dr. Tuck has removed division showed that their services were his surgery to the suite of rooms at the appreciated. The following, corrected from the official figures, is the

Polling Sub-Div.	Reeve.		1st Deputy Reeve.		2nd Deputy Reeve.		Councillors.			
	Kaine.	Dulmage.	Johnston.	Sothern.	Jacques.	Nay.	Ferguson.	Graham.	Littlejohn.	Doig.
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Tot'l	458	327	388	362	393	363	418	402	231	219

It looked as if there would be a lively run in Wroxeter, but in a few days after the nominations all had retired except the old council who were declared elected by acclamation, as follows. Reeve-Thos. B. Saunders

Council-Thos. Hemphill, Thos. Rae John B. Vogt, Wm. Lee.

IN THE COUNTY.

The elections in the county

ty, Hugh Given.

Walter Oliver; 2nd Deputy, E. Bryan. Deputy, John Beacom.

Howick- Reeve, Jno. Kaine; 1st

Hullett-Reeve,-Hibbert-Reeve, A. McLaren; Depu-

Morris-Reeve, H. Mooney; Deputy,

Stanley- Reeve, John Torrance;

Deputy, Isaac Erratt. Stephen-Reeve, V. Ratz; Deputy, Harry Eilber.

Turnberry-Reeve, Wm. McPherson;

Usborne—Reeve, T. McKay; Deputy, trust funds.

W. Kidd. Wawanosh, East-Reeve, Thos. H. Taylor; Deputy, Finlay Anderson.

Wawanosh, West.-Reeve, Alexander Stuart ; Deputy, Jno. Bowers. Brussels—Reeve, J. W. McIntosh. Blyth—Reeve, C. Hamilton.

Bayfield-Reeve, Geo. Woods. Clinton- Reeve, A. H. Manning Deputy, D. B. Kennedy. Exeter-Reeve, Wm. Bawden; Deputy,

Hugh Spackman. Goderich-Reeve, W. Proudfoot : De puty, P. Holt.

Seaforth-Reeve, M. Y. McLean; Deputy, E. C. Coleman. Wingham-Reeve, John Hannah; De-

puty, R. C. Sparling. Wroxeter—Reeve T. B. Saunders.

ROUND ABOUT US. Listowel-Mayor, W. M. Bruce; Reeve, J. A. Hacking; Deputy Reeve, W. T. Parke, Councillors, Wm. Dixon, Jacob Heppler, J. A. McDonald, R. T. Kemp, J. W. Bowman, John Ramford, J. Seaberger, S. M. Smith, W. E. Benning, Wm. Pelton.

Palmerston- Mayor, R. Johnston Reeve, J. Kearns; Councillors, A. Boothwick, J. W. Hunt, J. Merryfield, E. K. young, though very popular man, but it Scott, J. H. Anderson, H. Smith, T. Best, W. Moshier, J. B. Bettschen.

Walkerton-Mayor, W. Richardson; Reeve, A. B. Klein; Deputy Reeve, Hy. The real battle, however, was for the Bacon. Councillors, Lippert, Clark, Mc-Kay, Menzies, Hughes, Stovel, Ritchie, McKerracher, Holdermoss

Harriston-Mayor, Dr. Henry, (by acclamation); Reeve, James Smith, by 10 all been re-elected, as follows: Jno. majority; Councillors by acclamation. Davidson, (Treas.); Thos. Rac, (Sec.;)

Holtom; Councillors, Johnson and Mc-

Carrick-Reeve, Mr. Henderson; Dep.-Reeve, Mr. Lobsinger; Second Deputy Reeve, Jas. Darling. Councillors, Messrs.

Second Line Items.

Mr. Rolston Dunlop started last Thurs day for Brockville to attend the famous Collegiate Austitute in that place. At-Fordwich he joined Mr. A. Spotton, formerly teacher here, who was going to the same place.

Misses Victoria Cooper and Maggie Roadhouse are attending the Harriston High School, commencing this week. Mr. F.Gedcke had a "bee" last Thurs-

day killing hogs. A good days work The friends of Mr. Aaron Rogers are

pleased to see him again in our midst looking jovial as ever. Mr. T. Hick has started his work in S. S. No. 11. We wish him much suc-

isiting friends in our vicinity.

Mr. E. Cooper. Mr. Burt, of Michigan, spent Christ-

mas with his sister, Mrs. Faust. Master John Faust has returned with, ground at Blucvale. his uncle, Mr. Burt, to have a view of Uncle Sam's domains.

FORDWICH.

Mr. B. S. Cook returned from North-

The Royal Templars' entertainment A shfield—Reeve, Jos. Griffin, 1st depu-in the basement of the Methodist J. Ireland, skip—14 T. Miller, skip—2 A tasty supper was served by the ladies Church, after which all adjourned to the Colborne—Reeve, Jos. Beck; Deputy, temperance hall where a splendid pro-Archy Malloy.

Grey—Reeve, Wm. Milne; 1st deputy, dered, including an appropriate address gram of dialogues, music, etc., was renfrom Rev. Mr. Osborne. Goderich township-Reeve, John Cox; about \$30, were applied to the Band fund.

Next Sunday is missionary anniver-Rev. Jas. Caswell preaches in the morn--; Deputy, A. ing at 10.30, and at 6.30 p.m. a platform meeting will be held, to be addressed by Rev. Messrs. Caswell and Baugh. Collections in aid of the missionary funds.

Arrangments have been made for a course of three lectures to be delivered McKillop-Reeve, John Benneweis; here during the winter. The first on Jan. 14th by Rev. James Livingstone, of Listowel, on "The Imagination;" the Connell, of a daughter, second in February by Rev. Wm. Smyth of Harriston, on "Ireland and the Irish;" and the third on March 10, by Rev. W.

Carson, of Seaforth (Sec. of conference)

HALLMAN—WATSON.—At the residence of the bride's mother, 3rd con., Wallace, on December 29th, 1891, by Rev. J. W. Pring, Mr. Menno B. Carson, of Seaforth (Sec. of conference) on "The British Empire." Admission

Tuckersmith-Reeve, R. B. McLean; to single lecture, 10 c.; tickets for the three. 25c. Proceeds in aid of Methodist

The following, from the St. Thomas Evening Journal, refers to a son of our esteemed townsman, Mr. P. Hepinstall, whose many friends will be pleased to learn of the respect in which he is held: 'A very pleasant time was spent last night at the residence of Mr. Sam Whitwam, M. C. R. engineer, Railway street, where the members of Mr. O. Hepinstall's class, of the Central Methodist church, were entertained. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Hepinstall were presented with two handsome easy chairs and a well worded address, the chairs being presented by Miss Mattie Burwell and the address read by Mrs. Small. Mr. and Mrs. Hepinstall were also presented with a purse. The happy crowd left at a seasonable hour, after singing "God be with you till we meet again." Cake and coffee were served during the evening, and Mr. and Mrs. Hepinstall, who were taken wholly by surprise spoke feelingly."

WROXETER.

The death of Mrs. Alex. Thompson occurred at her home a few miles north of Wroxeter on Tuesday of last week. She was among the earliest settlers of this section, having settled there with her husband when the country was a wilderness. She had been ill but a few days. Her remains were interred in the cemetery here on the Thursday following in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends.

The old public school trustees have Minto township, Reeve, Fulton and Jno. K. Rae, M. Sanderson, I. Elliott. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. W. Gibson, were the guests of their father, Alex. Gibson,

Esq., during the holidays. The Methodist S. S. entertainment, on Christmas night, was a grand success. The hall was well filled, the programme excellent and the proceeds netted a

gratifying amount. Mr. Jno. Gibson, who recently passed the Model School examination at Mount Forest, is now teaching a school near

Clifford. A splendid entertainment was given by the members of the Presbyterian Sabbath School on Tuesday evening of last week. The program was a really fine one and a good time was enjoyed

by all. Miss Jean Gibson, of Toronto, was home last week on a holiday visit with her parents.

Miss Barbara Anderson a highly respected resident of the 7th con., Turnberry, died at her mother's home on Tuesday morning after a very brief illness. Deceased was a daughter of the late Mr. Jas. Anderson, and she Teaves a Mr. Geo. Blackwell, of Wingham, is large circle of warm friends who were drawn to her by her excellent traits of Mr. and Mrs. Follis, of Manitoba, character, and a deep feeling of sorrow pent New Years day at her brother's, is expressed over her demise. Her funeral occurs this (Thursday) afternoon at two o'clock when the remains will be laid away to rest in the family burying

The first"bonspeil" of the season was held by the Wroxeter Curling Club last Tuesday, a rink on the mill-pond having though "the stanes were a wee bit rusty ville, Mich., on Wednesday of last week. an' the bosoms unco dry," a very good game was enjoyed. The play was very even although the subjoined score shows that the "luck" was all on one side:

Thos. Gibson, M.P.P. Jos. Cowan.
Robert Black.
T. B. Saunders.
A. L. Gibson. Rev. Mr. Shaw's work here was supplied by Rev. D. Rogers, (a former pastor) on Xmas Sabbath evening, who preached to a full house on Christ's incarnation, work, etc. The Atwood Bee says "Rev. Mr. Shaw, of Wroxeter preached here acceptably morning and evening last Sabbath.'

Mr. Geo. Horton, has lately been appointed a county constable. He proposes to not only keep the peace himself but will try his best to induce others to do as

well. Fresh Oysters at Allison's.

In Lakelet, on Jan. 1st, the wife of Mr. R. Mc

Hallman and Miss Margaret Isabella Watson

The Story of a Year. A little Child in raiment white
Was sent to me one day
With message from the King of Light:
"Thy care I will repay.
If thou wilt keep her garment bright
Along the narrow way."

We wandered forth, the Ch'ld and I: But son, all careless grown. I heeded n the reliantive sigh, As, burt by thorns and stone, Or chilled by snowdrifts piled on high, She uttered weary moan.

We wandered on; more fair the land, Sweeter the fragrance round. I clasped again her little hand, And sped o'er dewy ground, Heedles of clouds the sky that spann Or wild beasts lurking round.

Still on we went, through gorgeous ways, O'er sunny sale and hill, While all too swiftly passed my days By gleaming is rook and rill. And I forgot in noontide's blaze To guard the Child from ill.

Still on we went. Cold blew the blast In autumn's morning gray; My longing gaze behind was cast Where flowery meadows lay, And broading or the vanished past, I took my careless way.

Farewell, farewell; I e'en must go,'
A voice said in my ear.'
'The distant hills are white with snow;
My last dawn draweth near.
With garments torn and brow of woe
I go—a wasted Year.'

Startled, I turned, and looked around:
No Child's form met my gaze:
But one, low-bending to the ground,
Weary with weight of days,
Whose lips could utter forth no sound
Of thankfulness or praise.

Or thankfulness or praise.

Ah me! how could I meet the King
Who gave her to my care?
Lost were the gifts she came to bring,
And alled her raimont fair.
Here, with the Old Year vanishing,
I could but kno! in prayer.

A STORY TOLD ON NEW YEAR'S EVE

JESSIE C. DENT.

Christmas evergreens still hang on the walls of my home, a brightfire burns cheerily in the polished grate, and peace and happiness brighten each dear face gathered around me. Outside, the snow lies cold and white; the bitter north-east wind is walling and moaning with strange, weird cries, that rise above the music of the pealing bells.

ells.

My heart is full of grateful joy as I sit this

ew Year's Eve in the warmth and shelter

fhome. My wife's beautiful countenance
niles at me; little children climb my knee

or home. My wife's beautiful countenance smiles at me; little children climb my knee and ask me to tell them' the story of Uncle Lance, whose picture hangs on the wall, with a wreath of green ivy round it.

The firelight falls upon a noble face—the face of a brave and chivalrous young man; upon a broad brow and a careless wave of fair brown hair; upon clear eyes, with some mysterious shadow in their depths; upon firm, well-closed lips, with a shade of melancholy in them.

My gaze follows the children's glances, and a rush of tears makes all dim; the drawing-room with its Christmas evergreens the bright glow of the lamps, all fades; and I stand once more hand in hand with the dearest and truest friend ever given to man. He will never be with us on New Year's Eve again; the brave, kindly face will never more brighten at words of mine; but his memory lives with us, and will never die.

Taking my children in my awaye.

I can see again the gentle, tender eyes, so clear and true; the sweet pure countering ance, and fair hair; the graceful, girlish figure; the pretty blush that crimsoned the white brow, as we advanced into the room, and welcomed us with half-wistful smiles. In that moment, children, I laid my heart at her feet. I gave her the love that, in death, will not change. I could not say much—her grace and beauty awed me; but Lance talked like one inspired.

During our ride home, he spoke of nothing else. "Beatrice Arle" was the one sole theme.

"I have seen her, uncle," he cried, when we caught sight of Sir Marmaduke, "and she is so beautiful! I mean to be a hero, and fight until I win her."

The Baronet smiled grimly; but there was no mistake about it, Lance had lost his heart.

I wonder if you can guess the rest; how, day by day, I loved her more dearly, until life was all blank to me, except it could be shared with her; how, in silence and sorrow, I worshiped the pure, beautiful maiden, is a standard of the same and in the same and the shared with her; how, in silence and sorrow, I worshiped the pure, beautiful maiden, is a standard of myself," he said, or black and not look into her sweet face again until standard to her ward to do with her were failed, never grown weak or cold—the love that, in death, will not change. I have forgotten its charm."

The seemed to divert his thoughts, I raised no objection.

"I wish to heaven, Rupert the place were yours!" he said. "I do not know what to do with it. I shall never live in it now. Stay here while I am away, and manage it for me."

I promised to do so; it seems to me now like a dream. We went together into the room that had been it of the command the promised to do so; it seems to me now like a dream. We went together into the command the promised to do so; it seems to me now like a dream. We went together into the command the promised to do so; it seems to me now like a dream. We went together into the command the promised to do so; it seems to me now like a dream. We w

I wonder if you can guess the rest; how, day by day, I loved her more dearly, until life was all blank to me, except it could be shared with her; how, in silence and sorrow, I worshipped the pure, beautiful maiden, letting my hungry, craving heart feed upon words and smiles that were all the world to me.

words and smites that were all the world to me.

It is given to every man, once in life, to know such love; some trifle with the treasure, others fling it away. I garnered mine in my heart, and it lives there now. When I was twenty-three, and Lance a few months older, a terrible tragedy happened at Lipton Hall. Our uncle, the good, kind old Baronet, died suddenly.

One afternoon he bade me take a note to Mr. Burton, his olicitor, telling him to come over on the day following, as he wished particularly to see him. He sat all the evening over the fire in his old-dressing-gown, refusing, for the first time, to dress for dinner; taking incoherently about Lance's commission, and my succeeding him. In the night his valet found him dead, with a smile upon his face.

his face.

We were heartily grieved; no unkind word had ever crossed his lips; in him, we lost our best friend.

word had ever crossed his lips; in him, we lost our best friend.

I need not tell you all the details of that most sorrowful week when Lipton Hall was in darkness and mourning for its kind and indulgent master. When the funeral was over, and we assembled in the library for the reading of the will, there was great consternation and listress. No will could be found. Mr. Burton said he had made it; my uncle's old friends Squire Thornbury and Mr. Dale, had both signed it. The dismay was universal, for every old servant had been remembered, Mr Burton said.

All search was in vain. Lawyers, friends, servants, every one joined in it; ne nook or corner of the old Hall was forgotten, but there was no trace of Sir Marmaduke's will. The belief that the Baronet had changed his mind, and destroyed his will, grew upon us; my note, written at his request, strengthened the impression. The end of the matter was that, as heir at law, Lance succeeded to Sir Marmaduke's estate and fortune; the title was not hereditary, and I was left without one shilling to call my own. Lance, resolutely refused to agree to anything of the kind; his fair face flushed crimsom, and he spoke eloquently but of what avail?

He stoutly maintained his resolution for many days, until Mr. Burton declared the whole estate would get into chancery; then

away.

It was long after midnight, when I heard a rap at my door,
"Let me in Rupert," said Lance; "I want

you at once."

"So it seems," was my reply but when
the door opened, and my cousin stood before
me, I saw that no light matter had brought

him.

'It is not every one who loses his love
and his fortune on the same day!" he said.

'See what I have found, Rupert! God
bless you, and make you happier than I
am!"

"" What do you mean?" I asked.
But for all answer, he held out to me a
large parchment, tiedand sealed. On it was
written, "The last will and testiment of
Sir Marmaduke Eyrle, Knight, of Lipton
Hall, Masley."
"This is the lost will "said Lance!" and

"This is the lost will," said Lance ! "and

"This is the lost will," said Lance? "and of course it gives you back what was always to have been yours. We looked in desks, cupboards, and bureau: no one ever thought of the old dressing-gown pocket. That is where I found it."

I stood, too surprised for speech.
"I understand how it happened," he cortinued. "Poor Sir Marmaduke intended having some little alteration made; took the will from the safe where Mr. Burton says it was kept, and and put it in the pocket of his dressing-gown, meaning to have it ready when Burton came in compliance with your note. It is strange none of us ever thought of that!"
"How did you find it?" I asked.
"I was packing up. When it came to

"I was packing up. When it came to the turn of the dressing-gown, I rolled it up, and then felt something hard in the pocket. At first, I passed it over; but a few minutes

and then felt something hard in the pocket.

At first, I passed it over; but a few minutes me as to what it could be. Imagine my sarprise when the lost will appeared! We will not open it until Mr. Burton comes to morrow; then you will have your own again; and I am heartily glad, Rupert. Lipton could never give me any pleasure now. Ho gave the will carelessly into my hand energy and the second of the carelessly as he would have passed a newspaper. It is not every man who voluntarily yields three thousand per annum, and a fine estate, with cheerful words. Lance wept when Beatrice sent him away, but he had no tears for the loss of Lipton. I cried out to him that I would never take it, but he laughed, and said it was a relief to him. On the day following, Mr. Burton and the two friends who had witnessed the signing of the will were summoned; signing of the will were summoned the servants were all assembled. Little surprise was expressed; every one expected that, sooner or later, something of the kind must happen. The legacies were all assifactory, and I was formally installed master of Lipton Hall.

Despite all that Lance could say, I make

I wish it were a different story to tell. As they sat there, Lance gazing with loving worship on the one being he ever loved, there came on the quiet evening air a long, horrible cry. Even as it broke the silence, three terrified servants rushed in, saying, "The Sepoys were coming!"

For one moment, Mr. Arle seemed paralyzed; then a cry, such as comes at times from a dying man, came from him. He held Beatrice in his arms, and hid her face on his breast.

RUSSIAN ATROCITIES.

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How the Jews Were Cleared Out of a Mascovite Town.

The story of the clearing of Marina Rostschia is perhaps the most cruel and repellant episode in the whole record of last spring's barbarities, says a London correspondent. As I have said, the Jews living here were of the lowest class—artisans, petty traders, and street hiswkers, porters, and daylaborers. They had congregated here, it is true, to avoid the police, but this involves no suggestion of wrongdoing on their part. Their object in getting as far away as possible from the police was not that they were criminals, but that they could not raise the money to pay them for permission to live unmolested in the town. There is no record of an arrest ever having been made among the Jews of Marins Rostscha for a criminal offence. The heads of families—all the men in fact—went daily to Moscow to work, returning in the evening to their homes. Some of their children came into the technical or handicraft school maintained by the Jewish community of Moscow. Most of them, howvever, studied their primers and elementary books at home.

Of a sudden, without warning, on an inclement wintyn ight, a troop of police and Cossacks aurrounded this out-of-the-way country suburb, and, forming an engirding cordon, proceeded to carry out Prince Golitzyn's written order to expel the entire community. This order was executed with what even Russians regarded as incredible brutality. The lights had been extinguished in almost every house, and the unsuspecting people were asleep. They were wakened by the crash of their doors being broken open, and the boisterous entrance of Cossacks with horees and drawn swords. The terrified interest were routed out, and drive with horees and drawn swords. The terrified interest were routed out, and drive with the clear of the surface of Cossacks with horees and drawn swords. The terrified interest were routed out, and drive with the clear of the surface of Cossacks with horees and drawn swords. The terrified interest were routed ou

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"I love you so dearly," he said, "that life has no charms without you. Let me diversely and indirectly, from the terrible and for you Beatrice!"

Tears arreited to her eyes, and her lips the said. "Time presses," said Lancelot. "Beatrice, touch my face once with your lips trice, touch my face once with your lips."

Sho beat over him for a moment, and kissterice, touch my face once with your lips. "Showers of snow and earth have been now and live of the Sepoys drawing nearer, the here descended into the lower nearer, the here descended into the lower nearer, the house so soon to be destroyed. They had but to cross a tangled wilderness of garden; the jungle ran close by. Once there, they were safe. There was no time elected, they were safe. There was no time elected, they were safe. There was no time of the property of the same of the s

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What a Magazine Costs.

nal of this city, says the Philadelphia stock banks are not all reliable; besides which nets him fully twice his We urge a National currency. salary. He has a staff of sixteen sal- It was then resolved that we appoint spends each month \$2,000, or about best suits them. The agent to get \$25,000 per year on miscellaneous matter twenty five cents, paid equally by both. not contributed by its regular editors, and the working force in the editorial Shearer to act in this capacity. Several department means at least \$6,000 more other subjects of interest were ably disin salaries, making over \$60,000 a year, and this represents but a single depart- the Association adjourned to meet in ment of the magazine; and I question Gorrie on the aforesaid date. whether any periodical is conducted on a more business-like and economical basis than the Journal. No wonder that J. B. Lippincott, when asked by a friend why he did not keep a yacht, replied: "A man can only sustain one luxury—I publish a magazine!"

PATRONS OF INDUSTRY.

The Howick Association Meeting at Redgrave.

Delegates from the various Associations of the Patrons of Industry of Howick met in the Grange Hall on the 9th concession on December 19th for the transaction of business that is of common interest to all farmers as well as Patrons.

Mr. Winters, president of Plough Boy Association, took the chair and ably controlled and directed the days' proceedings. He suggested that we should have officers appointed to manage our aware are locall and see us and get estimated to manage our build a great many houses every season. township associations, as by so doing more united effort could be brought to bear on the solution of the knotty social problems with which we have to deal.

After the foregoing suggestion was fully considered the election of said officers was proceeded with and the following is the result.

President-John Winters. Vice-Pres.-Edw. Harding. Secretary-T. G. Shearer. Guide-Wm. Nelson. Sentinel-Jno. Johns

It was then resolved that we meet laws in November the Township Hall, Gorrie, on March 16 next, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Several urged that prompt action should be taken to loosen the props of the many social with the many soc the many social evils with which we are anslaved. We should begin at the root ceased members. by electing men to fill our Legislative Hall who would truly represent us. 4. Relief of sick and distressed mem The official returns of the census go to show that seven tenths of the population to full, and \$1,500 to half-rate members. of this Dominion are agriculturists; then WHY IT SUCCEEDS why should the three tenths, whose interests are not in common with ours, legislate for us. You never heard of a farmer representing the street of the stree farmer representing the electors of a 4. It is extremely careful in the selection of new members. city. We say let them have their own representatives, we want ours; we do cial obligation as fast as they mature. not wish them any longer to keep us "hewers of wood" and "drawers of a Grand Fraternity."

water."

The money question was next considered. It was concluded that our private banks were the ruination of the farming class. They charge borrowers much higher rates of interest than they give to depositors. They require good security and give you none. Many of them have collapsed and have ruined depositors. Interest is reckoned on farming class. They charge borrowers How IT IS GOVERNED.

money we never get; as for example: One borrows one hundred dollars from a A very good idea of the amount of banker @10% for a year; he gives you money it costs to successfully conduct the hundred dollars, less the interest, one of the magazines of to-day is aptly and you have to give him your note for illustrated in some figures regarding the one hundred dollars. Sometimes it is editorial cost of The Ladies' Home Jour- even worse than this. Even our joint Public Ledger. The Journal is edited does not feel safe in keeping their bills by Mr. Edward Bok. For shaping the in one's possession. There are no bank thoughts of his 750,000 women readers bills legal tender but Dominion bank each month Mr. Bok is paid \$10,000 per bills, and these are kept as reserves, year, and has an interest in the business instead of specie, by the various banks.

aried editors, which includes men and an agent to do for us what the bankers women like Rev. Dr. Talmage, Robert J. formerly did; that all tenders and bor-Burdette, Palmer Cox, Margaret Bot- rowers of money notify the agent of tome, Isabel Mallon and Maria Parloa. their desire to loan or borrow money; The combined salaries of these editors that the agent then notify them and exceed \$20,000 a year. The Journal then they can transact business as it

> The Association then appointed T. G. cussed, and after singing the closing ode

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HURON. Mr. Jno. Houston, M. A., has taken charge as head master of Clinton Collegiate Institute.

An unusual number of Christmas Tree entertainments have been held all over the county.

The remains of Mr. Thos. Wells, who died in Missouri a few days ago, were brought home to Bayfield for interment on Monday.

Mr. Jas. McLean, who settled in Tuckersmith about 1833 and has lived there ever since, died on Saturday of last week.

The editor of the Seaforth Expositor has been laid up with la grippe lately. English tae ye than I hae dune hereto 712,740 pounds of milk.

The Baines farm, at Belgrave, was English language canna touch. purchased by F. J. Baines last week for

and his thumb and first three fingers ye. It is entitled: were cut off. Drs. Carder and Milne dressed the wounded hand and Mr. Jameson, though he suffered greatly, is now doing nicely.

PERTH.

The death of Mr. Thos. Foreman took place on Dec.22, after a short illness. The deceased was one of Elma's most respected residents, and his death is deeply regretted. The funeral took place on Wednesday, and was in charge of the Canadian Order of Foresters, the deceased having been a member of Court Royal Oak, Listowel.

Listowel post office and station were entered by burglars just before Christmas. Not much was got at the post office but \$120 was captured from the

BRUCE,

The Presbytery met at Paisley on Dec 8th. Mr. Campbell was appointed moderator for the ensuing half year and took the chair. The call from Bethel church, Proof Line, in the Presbytery of London, to Mr. Little, of Underwood, was presented and parties heard in its support. Mr. Little having signified its acceptance, his translation was granted and he was instructed to wait the orders of the Presbytery of London. Mr. Anderson was appointed moderator for the session of Underwood and Centre Bruce, and was authorized to preach and declare the charge vacant on Dec. 27th. Mr. D. McKenzie reported that he had moderated in a call from Allenford, etc., to Mr. Mowat, of Merriton.

On Saturday, Dec. 18th, as the afternoon train was leaving for Toronto a misplaced switch caused the engine and tender to leave the rails at Teeswater. A force of men were employed the greater part of Sunday in getting it on the track again.

One day lately Mr. Henry McEvers of Culross township, had the misfortune A bottle containing 48 to fall from a ladder, breaking his leg.

Howick Council.

The Council met in Brown's hotel, Fordwich, on the 23rd ult., pursuant to adjournment. Members all present, the

Minutes of the last meeting read and

Moved by Mr. Johnston, seconded by Mr. Ferguson, that a debenture be issued for \$33.25 to Alex. St. Marys, and \$4.32 to J. Kemp, being Howick's share for work done on boundary.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Graham, second by Mr. Ferguson, that the collector for the east division receive a debenture for \$4.06 for taxes remitted to Mrs. Mc-Dermitt, Mrs. Baird and Mrs. McMinn.

Moved by Mr. Nay, seconded by Mr. Graham, that the clerk receive \$9.40 for telegraphing and extra work in connection with the sale of railway debentures .- Carried.

Moved by Mr. Ferguson, seconded by Mr. Graham, that the Reeve be paid \$13 for telegraphing and other expenses in connection with the sale of railway debentures.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Johnston, seconded by Mr. Graham, that the councillors receive \$50 each for council and commis-

sion fees and the Reeve \$60.—Carried. The chairman of the Board of Health reported to the council and it was moved by Mr. Nay, seconded by Mr. Johnston, that report be adopted and each member that report be adopted and each member satisfaction to all who honor me with their custom. be paid \$10 and the secretary \$5 for

salary.-Carried.

On motion of Messrs. Nay and John son the council adjourned. WM. DANE, Clerk.

Glenfarrow.

Meester Editor :- I am extra weel pleased to greet ye wi' the time-worn expression, "A Happy New Year tae ye." I hae a desire to write in better Walton cheese factory sold \$5,996.17 fore, but ye'll hae to excuse me if I use worth of cheese last season, made from a Scottish word at times, for they ha' a power o' conveyin' a meanin' that the

I have been driven to tak' my pen in \$1,686. It is considered a great bargain han' to inform ye that a son o' oor ret that price.

The Blyth Standard says: "R. E. (Sandy by name) like mony ither blytle Jameson of the firm of Ashbury&Jameson, met with one of the most painful ta spen the winter wi' "Uncle Sam," accidents that have occured here for a and as he was vera muckle thocht o' by long time on Thursday last. While the young folks o' this pairt, nae less working around the plainer in his fac- by lasses than by lads like himsel', a tory a wrench which he was using wee bit o' rhyme has come to han' that slipped letting his hand into the machine I will tak the liberty o' sendin' on till

LAMENT O' THE GLENFARROW LASSES.

e girls needna' fix 'oor bangs i' scented soap and curlin' tangs, nough ilka lass for his see langs, The "bow" to draw. e floo maun listen tae harangues, Sandy's awa'.

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LIKE A TRAPPED RAT.

Two Miners Leave a Compani n the Bottom of a Fifty-Foot Shaft.

AFTER A WHOLE DAY SPENT IN PARGY-YSMS OF HORROR HE DEVISES AN INGENIOUS PLAN OF ESCAPE.

But When Within Sight of Rescue His Ap pliances Fail and He Is Dashed to a Fearful Death.

Fearful Death.

In the summer of 1850 three men penetrated that part of Colorado now known as Gunnison county. They were a miner named Hall, an ex-sailor named Goff, and a Spanish Indian whose surname of Juarez was corrupted into "Horace" by his companiens. They came from California Gulch, in Lake cornity, Col., and were looking for gold. At those days the presence of silver was not suspected in that part of the Rockies, and the mines were all "placers." They were all three adventurers, and Goff and the Spaniard were, in addition to that, frontier desperadoes of the worst class. Hall was a young fellow from Pennsylvania. They had fallen together haphazard and started on their venture upon fortune with a few weeks' rations packed on a "burro," their tools, arms, and the clothes they stood in.

They found eventually a premising each

when he looked upward he saw a blue disk of sky, cut in twain by the windlass bar. He stared at this, and as he stared he gave a sudden yell of joy. He seized his pick and scrutinized the handle. It was made of stout, well-seasoned hickory, and very carefully he split off a piece from end to end about the bigness of his tumb. Then he tapered it gently at the extremities. It was true and elastic, and sprang under his fingers I've steel. This done he snatched off his boots. Thanks to the love of an eld mother back in Pennsylvania, he wore long blue stockings, knitted of sound, honest, homely yarn. He loosened a strand with trembling touch, and it unraveled readily. In a little while it lay in a coil at his feet. Then Ye stood erect and thought. What had he about him that would make a rope? He stripped himself to his flannels, and tore his clothing, piece by piece, to strips. He tied and tested them. It was not long enough. He split his leather belt in two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his coat was lined with a two; he twisted his suspenders into eight feed of cord; his find his point of cords and bridges in

about to fashion an arrow from the balance of his pick. He made one, heavy at one end and light in the shaft, and strung the other piece to the bow with hraided yarn. He laid the balance of the yarn'dnya loose circle, tied the end to the arrow, and, with his heart throbbing like mad, made ready.

By this time it was afternoon. At the first attempt the arrow struck the side and clattered back, bringing some lobse dirt with it. He held the yarn and tried again. Up went the arrow and dropped ontside. The miner felt the sweat start on his forehead, and very tenderly, lest he might break the string, he drew it in again. The next time he did not dare look up. Had he done so he would have seen the arrow leap straight and true into the outer air, pause for an instant like a bird on wing, and drop back on the other side of the windlass shaft.

It fell at his feet, and when he saw the cord suspended in the air he burst into wild tears of joy. His hand shook so that he could scarcely attach the rope, but it was made fast at last and went slowly up, over and back again. He waited not an instant, but, gathering his strength for a final effort, seized the rope and started up, hand over hand. But before he ascended a dozen feet he was seized with a promenition so potent that he slid back, and, tearing an old letter in two, penciled his name and story on the margin. "That in case of accident," he muttered between his teeth, and well he did so. Had he forgotten it this story, at least, would never have been told for when he was within a fathom of the top, when his haggard eyes had caught the green crests of the pines and the free air of heaven wandering miners found his corner

started on their enture upon fortune with a few week rations packed on a "burro," their tools, arms, and the clothes they stood in.

They found, eventually, a promising spot and went into camp. It was on the margin of a little stream where the sand at first showed gold in the washing pans, but after a time the placer played out, and certain surface croppings prompted them to sink a shaft. As they went down the ore that they encountered, a sort of rotten quartz, seemed continually on the point of growing richer, but continually failed, as a rronth's time found them with an unprofitable hole of fifty feet, worn out, discouraged, argyrinbries, ripe for trouble of any kind.

Old miners will never go into the mountains with a party of three. They know that harmony is impossible in such a group, and the persent instance was a case in point. Hall had favored going on with the work is do hard words, quarrels, and nights when never a word was spoken at all. An older hand would have smelled blood in the air, but Hall, as I have said, was a young fellow, and, besides this, ite had a tolerably good opinion of himself.

One morning all three went to the shaft, Hall and Horace-descending and Goff remaining above to work the windlass. They ascended and descended by means of a rude tope ladder, as one man's strength did not suffice to draw them up in the bucket. In the course of an hour or two the Spaniard made some excuse to return to the surface, and while he was gone Hall filled the bucket. He gave a signal and up it went, but when he turned to his pick gain he heard a peculiar noise, and looked around to see the rope ladder being withdrawn. It was then a dozen feet above his head. Atta this veins ran ice and his peril flashed before his mind as clear as day.

"Hallo labove there?" he shouted. "Don't take the ladder out!"

"God in heaven!" yelled the miner, you an't going to leave me here, are you?"

The Spaniard appeared at the verge with a chunk of rock in his hands. "What for you cry?" he said. "You lovestite minever goo

And the skwin.

As last he judged he had enough and set

FAR WESTERN RAILROADING.

Inimal Life as Seen from the Locomotive

Animal Life as Seca from the Lecemotive
—As Atmosphere that Deceives.

Many a strange story the locomotive engineers tell of their experience with animals on the prairies of the far West, says the Rocky Mountain News. Between the Missouri River and the Rocky Mountain Sevanity of the great plains, spreading out for hundreds of miles. Probably in no part of the country do the engineers come more in contact with a dimark. Probably in no part of the country do the engineers come more in contact with a dimark. Probably in no part of the country do the engineers come more in contact with a dimark of the great plains, spreading out for hundreds of miles. Probably in no part of the country do the engineers come more in contact with a dimark of the great plains, spreading out for hundreds of miles of the overland mail and express in the more modern days of rapid transportation. Often the old stages were in great dalager of the great herds of stampeding buffalo. The driver, express agent, and passengers, all of whom were well armed, only falo. The driver, express agent, and passengers, all of whom were well armed, only falo. The driver, express agent, and passengers, all of whom were well armed, only falo. The brain of the ridic. This would either turn the buffalo with the wild has the read of the ridic, This would either turn the buffalo wild hard the plains, and the ridic was a senger, and passengers. The read of the ridic, This would grab awift being westward, like the Indian, by the march of the ridic, was a proper way gray the passengers and the plain begin to near the lock of the ridic, was a proper way. So that it would pass in two droves on either the passenger way. So that it would pass in the more modern days of the ridic was a proper way. So that it would pass in the more modern days of rapid transportation. The cultivation of the soil is gradually driving the prairie dog, "said the only westward, like the Indian, by the march of the ridic of the

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with the wild horse and the buffalo is athing of the past. The buffalo is almost extinct and the wild horse is rarely found. Roping the wild horse used to be a rare sport and industry. A few are still said to roam the Laramie plains and remote sections of country.

But notwithstanding these changes thore is still much of interest to the engineer, as well as to guard against, on the great plains. Recently at Holyoke, in Northeastern Colorado, near the Nebraska and Kansas line, I was detained over Sunday. It is in the heart of the plains country, and is the division station of the Burlington branch that extends from Holdredge, through western Nebraska, northeastern Colorado, to Cheyenne. Wy. Locomotive engineers

breaking through the glass windows of the

cab.

Engineer Willard again resumed, saying,
"I think the swift is one of the most interesting animals on the plains. I saw one at
Akron, Col., that was about eighteen inches
long and ten inches high. I twas reddish in
color, had a white belly, and a bushy tail.
It is very fleet as its name signifies, and can
outrun a deerhound. They teed mostly on
birds. I have seen meat held out to this
one, but the swift would not touch it. But
turn your head, and the swift would grab
the meatin a second. I never heard of a
swift being

the cab and then seek its place in the waste box.

As the railroads on the plain begin to near the Rocky mountains the light atmosphere extends the vision and you can see further than in the murky, moist weather of the East. An engineer from an Eastern road is at first greatly deceived as to distances. At one section of the Burlington, in eastern Colorado, a headlight can be seen forty miles, A tenderfoot would think it was not more than two or three miles away. "In this clear atmosphere," said an engineer, "when it seems that I amaclose to a headlight I look to see if the reflection of the opposite light is on the rails."

At Stonhan, Col. a station on the Cheyenne branch of the Burlington, there is a

A Company of the Comp

A story was told on how a wolf caught in a steel trap had escaped with the trap, but was again caught by the chain becoming entangled in a wire fence. The engineer stopped the train, and the express messenger and mail clerk tried to kill it, but failed. The engineer called "time," rang the bell and the live wolf was left, still tangled in the wire fence.

The antelope still wanders, sometimes down into the section of wire fences. Being unable to escape, this fleet animal runs from the train, making one of the pretiest arces in the West. One engineer told a story of how, in eastern Wyoming a pet antelope was kept on the ranch of a stocking to every feeling and instinct of any of how in eastern Wyoming a pet antelope was kept on the ranch of a stocking to every feeling and instinct of a story of how in eastern Wyoming a pet antelope was kept on the ranch of a stocking to every feeling and instinct of any of how in eastern Wyoming a pet antelope was kept on the ranch of a stocking to every feeling and instinct of a story of how in eastern Wyoming a pet antelope was kept on the ranch of a stocking to every feeling and instinct of any of how in eastern Wyoming a pet to end to east with the engineer had seen the antelope and the lounds playing together.

Two fine Deerhounds, but they and the antelope and the lounds playing together.

Incidents were related by some of the party of the slaughter of birds. In the spring time prairie chickens, on a wet morning often sit on the rails and are sometime similar fate. Thousands of snow birds are similar fate. Thousands of snow birds are similar fate. Quali also meet a similar fate. Thousands of snow birds are all the still the state in the secrecy thrown around electrical executions by the law no satisfactory answer can be similar fate. Thousands of snow birds are all the secrecy thrown around electrical executions by the law no satisfactory answer can be similar fate. Thousands of snow birds are all the secrecy thrown around electrical executions by the law no satisfactory a

A FEW ODD FACTS

MARKETING EXTRA HEAVY OATS.

Thirty-two pounds per bushel is the standard weight for oats, and it is the best for horses, as that gives a proper proportion of chaff for good feed. Among hostelries where horses are sboarded a weight rather under than over the standard is liked best. The oats are sold by measure, and on a light weight six or eight quarts cost less than they will with oats at standard weight of above.

WHY HOG MANURE IS RICH.

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The old-fashioned notion that manure from pigs or fattening hogs is richer than that from other animals is mainly due to the fact that hogs are generally fed on grain or other concentrated food. Hogs have also the faculty of puttingon more fat from the same feed than other animals. Even when they are fed corn, their manure is rich, for they put in their excrement the flesh-forming elements richest in plant food, and use chiefly those that go to make fat, and which are of little value as fertilizers. ROOFING FOR FARM BUILDINGS.

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Slate is now much more used than it used to be. Shingles are dearer and generally of poorer quality as there are now-few rived shingles, that can only be made from the straightest grained timber. Sawed shingles absorb the water and rot out quickly. On all wooden roofs the pitch should be made steep. The water runs off faster, and so the shingles, being kept dryer, last longer. But we prefer a slate roofing. Here the pitch is of less consequence, and there is safety in case of fire in neighboring building that cannot be had with buildings having roofs of inflammable material.

MATING BREEDING SOWS.

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The period of gestation of the sow is a trifle more than sixteen weeks, usually about 115 days. They should be mated as early in December as possible. This will bring pigs the last of March or early in April. A record should be kept of each sow so that her time for farrowing may be known and an especially warm shelter provided for her then. A March pig is worth much more if well cared for early than is one a month or six weeks younger. The first will acquire strength of digestion required for a corn diet in Fall. To the younger pig corn may be too difficult of digestion, stunting rather than fallowing him. MATING BREEDING SOWS.

There appears to be a danger of our neighbours going a bit too far in their narrow-minded policy of the United States for natives only. That most liberal of liberal papers the Newcastle on Tyne Daily Chronicle says: "The important question whether the separate States of America have power to prohibit foreigners from holding land in their jurisdiction seems to be coming up in Texas. It is a question which will interest many British capitalists who have acquired land, or invested in land there. And it is quite possible that the doubt which has arisen will check future investments until it be decided. Indeed; the course of the American polity of late has been so opposed to dealing fairly with capitalists outside their own bounds that there is likely to be a check to international dealing and international investment.

TIT-BIT

Juvenile Generosity. Mrs. Grayneck—Johnny, I am very glad to see that you gave your sister the lurger half of your apple. Johnny—Yes'm, I was glad to give it to

her.
"My little son, do you know how it de-lights me to hear you say so."
"Yes'm; there was a big worm hele in that half."

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Asker—"I've often wondered how
Etna would make out in her married life.
She's been married about three years now,
hasn't she?"

Tasker—"About that, yes."

"Well, I've often heard her say, in days
gone by, that it she ever had a husband
she'd make him stand around."

"She's succeeded. She's made him stand
around the tavern barroom in preference to
enduring the daily snathemas she breeds
for the home atmosphere.

A Good thing Recommended. "Good bordig, Browde. I see you still have that bad cold."

"Yes; I'be pretty biserable."
"You ought to try Sbithera's Idfluedza
Bixture. It gobpletely cured be."

Too Much of a Show.

Jack-I know Ethel loved me. Tom-But you had no show with her Tom—But you had no snow ather, eh?
Jack—Oh, didn't I? I had a regular circus with him. That's where the trouble

Insuring a Perusal.

Fangle—What are you cutting that piece out of the paper for?
Cumso I'm going to take the paper home and I'm very anxious for my wife to read the article, as it is on economy in dress. If merely take the uncut paper home she won't see it.

little one; I'll only make you feel hungrier than before."

"I certainly regret you aren't bigger, replied the wolf, with tears in his eyes "but we cannot expect to get all we would like on this side the grave. I must just ge along as best I can with a light break fas and an early dinner."

"Do let me off this time!" said the kid; "I'm a poor, friendless orphan, and my aged parents have no other means of support but myself."

"I resemble your aged parents," answered the wolf, looking round with a heavy sigh, "for I don'tsee that means of support but yourself either."

"Then," continued the unhappy kid, "I'm a helpless stranger."

"Quite so," interrupted the wolf while a hospitable smile played around his expressive lips, "you are, and I will take you in. Welcome, little stranger!"

And he took him in!

Almost Kille d Him.

Cholly—Did you heah about poor deal ecil? The poor boy is at the point of Cecil? The poor boy is at the point of dweth.

Reginald—Why, no. Whateveh is the

The coal output from the Springhill, N. S., mines for this year will be nearly half a million tons.

mattah?
Cholly—His beastly cad of a furnisher actually twied to sell him a ready-made

AGRICULTURAL.

Eggs in Oold Weather.

The prices for eggs have now gone up with the cold weather, and the question now is to induce or force the hens to lay their mest. The egg basket must be kept full at this season of the year or the hens will not pay for their keep. Regularity in feeding, systematic attention to their comfort, and general oversight of the whole life of the poultry, will be demanded daily. As the weather changes the food and care of the hens should change. On cold days the chickens should receive specially prepared warm food to keep their stomachs in good order, and their house should be closely boarded up so that no cold draughts can be let in. A great many people who study their health change their underclothing weekly and often daily to suit the weather. In our changeable climate this becomes almost a necessity. If this same carefulness was applied to the chickens we would have better layers in the Winter time. When a cold spell comes on suddenly it seems to freeze the best layers into inactivity, and it is true that their systems do not work thoroughly, or the laying would not stop.

The nest of the hens is another important point to study. This should be made of clean, soft, warm hay or straw, carefully made, both as regards warmth and comfort. Put this in some place where cold winds cannot blow, nor snow, ad rain reach it Do not neglect to clean it out occasionally and put fresh hay in it. If eggs are broken in the nest do not leave them there to dirty the hay, but take them out, wash the others, and put in new hay. A little care in this way will make hens en oy sitting on the nest.

A word about gathering and marketing Eggs in Cold Weather.

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A word about gathering and marketing the eggs.

A hen likes to sit on a nest when there are eggs in it, and it is always well to have china or wooden eggs in the nest. Keep two or three in the nest all the time, and it will please the sensitive layer. In gathering the eggs the dirty ones-should be washed off at once before being put into the basket. Later when the dirt has hardened on the shell it will be almost impossible to get them clean. Dirty eggs never look so well when sent to the market, and the clean ones are always selected by customers.

Apple Families.

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Ido not know that I have not before alluded, in these columns, to the peculiarity of apple culture, in northern countries, in the formation of distinctly recognisable families. This arises no doubt from the fact that only a few kinds are found sufficiently resistant to winter's cold. The seedlings from these, not being exposed to outcrossing, as in more southern orchards with many varieties, come more or less true from seed. This accounts for the apples of the Province of Quebec being largely of the Fameuse type; while in Russia, which covers a vast territory, with very little inter-communication between its parts, the same influence led to establishing local families of fruit, all closely resembling each other, but of differing seasons of maturity. The Borovitzky (Oldenburg) family embracessome six or seven distinct varieties already known in this country, and we find in a number of cases of recent importation such names as Titus of Voronesh, Titus of Riga, &c; while we have the Antony (Antonovka) of early and late strains. In this last case a good many of us have been disappointed in getting at first, from Mr. Gibb and Prof. Budd, a so-called winter Antonovka which hardly keeps through November. This is a fine apple of its season, and the tree is very handsome, vigorous and productive, but it is to early too be called even an early winter apple. Yet, (as I understand from Mr. John Craig. Director of the Experiment at Ottawa,) the variety which he distinguishes as "Stone Antonovka" is a true winter sort, such as Mr. Gibb described, and no doubt thought he was sending to me. I have a number of fine trees of the latter now in bearing, but do not care for more of its short season.

Of all the Russian apples, Borovitzky, (Oldenburgh,) seems to have yielded the greatest variety of sorts of different seasons, and notwithstanding the dictum of not a few who claim to be apple dependence and good but to be a good keeper at least where it originated.

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me to be not only large, handsome and good but to be a good keeper at least where it originated.

I think it very well worth while to note for the benefit of your many readers in the "Cold North," these peculiar points of Russian apples. Every thing relating to them is of importance to that sectior. I suppose that very few of these readers have yet in possession specimen trees of the newer Russians of the Borovitzky family,—all fall apples, but though hardly distinguishable to sight, of somewhat different season, and quite different qualities. Five or six years ago Mr. H. H. Howlett of Baraboo, Wis., kindly sent me a half dozen varieties of Russian apples of the 1870 importation which were new to me. Among them was one labeled "Yellow Anis," which I was glad to get, as I had (and still have, so far as I know,) no tree of the true Anis family. This season this tree fruited, but instead of the small Ahis it proved to be a large apple of the Borovitzky family, indistinguishable, externally , from Oldenburgh. This I am inclined to believe to be the "Anisofky" of the 1870 list, which is an earlier Oldenburgh in appearance, but of much less acidity, being a very good desert apple. In regard to these variations of the Oldenburgh type Prof. Budd said, recently, in Rural Life;—"Of the Duchess family we have the Anisovky, Voronesh, Cinnamon, and others," with tree and fruit almost identical with the Duchess in appearance, size and habits of bearing, but fifty per cent. better in quality for any use. We have also fully fifty (Russian) varieties as hardy in tree, as free in bearing, as large and handsome in fruit, superior in quality, with all degrees of acidity from very sweet to the acidity of the Buchess, and for all seasons from July to the succeeding February. Yet strangely enough men will repeat, parrot-like, the story that "the Duchess is our best contribution from Russia!"

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story that "the Duchess is our best contribution from Russia!"

And now, in regard to popular ideas about Russian fruits; it does not astonish me that even experienced fruit-growers, in sections where iron-clad hardiness is not required, should be slow to learn about an entirely new family of apples, of which even those who have perforce given great attention to them are yet unable to give other than a qualified judgment, as to most of them. Though there is everywhere lack of information, and with a few much prejudice in regard to Russian tree fruits, yet I for one am thankful that our leading journals and most prominent pomologists are all willing to give them a "fair show." Pomologist Van Demax, when he visited my orchards two years since, had but a moderate acquaintance with Russian apples, and was possessed with the common idea that very lew if any of them were high quality. But I

he has been entirely open to conviction, and in the succeeding issues of his Report has printed handsome illustrations and a fair description of the best sorts like Prolific Sweeting and Switzer, which I have sent him. I do not think that the prejudice and hostility extends beyond a few nursery-men who do not like to change opinions and practice that involve pecuniary loss. It is true that they will influence many for a time, but the Iron-clads are too surely a necessity to be squelched by talk.—[T. H. Hoskins in Orchard and Garden.

Winter Manure Methods

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At the beginning of Winter a thick layer of straw or other material should be spread over the barnyard. If the yard is too large to warrant this it is too large for profit. Without some receptacle to retain it, most of the liquid excrement of domestic animals is wasted. This means the loss of the portion of excrement that is richest in ammonia, and, therefore, most stimulating to plant growth. Fresh urine is often so caustic that it burns vegetation to which it is applied, but it loses this injurious effect when fermented. If the barnyard is small, as it ought to be, then successive layers of bedding may be thrown down, the stock eating what it wishes. If grain is given more straw and other coarse feed will be eaten, thus taking the place of good hay and making richer manure. Before Spring this accumulation of bedding with liquid and solid excrement mixed should be piled in heaps to ferment. It is a good plan to add a small quantity of phosphate well distributed through the heap. Stable manure is generally deficient in phosphate especially if largely mixed with straw. If the two are applied separately neither does the good it should though after the stable manure is distributed grain crops should have an additional does of phosphate, as-with the drill it can be distributed in contact with the seed so as to do it most good when the plant begins to start. But the phosphate mixed with manure is most certain to do good later in the season, as it does not revert or become insoluble.

The Sablach On me

We lay our garments by, Upon our beds to rest; So death shall soon disrobe us all Of what is her possest.

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Lord, keep us safe this night.
Secure from all our fears;
May angels guard us while we sleep.
Till morning light appears.

—[Anonymous that the does act through us. Just as water through us. Just as water to house, so God depends upon us, and in a certain sense we depend upon Him. I want you to be moved by this and understand that it is the only way to get in sympathy with Christ. He bears the whole world on His heart as He stands before the world on His heart as He stands before the world on His heart as He stands before the world on His heart as He stands before the throne. As the great priest had the names of all the saints graven on his hands. We must help Him bear the load. He says: "Behold, I have graven thee upon the palms of my hands," On those housekeepers who lave mone of their own, and for their own, and for their own, and for their own taste; who eat altogether too many.

Friday—

Mince Meat

"Two months to mellow" was the advice of a famous housekeeper in regard to mince meat, it is the catch who the thin the subst out of the house! Certainly there is. Can there be a perfect way to show a destout of the house! Certainly there is.

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We build with fruitless cost, unless
The Lord the pile sustain;
Unless the Lord the eity keep.
The watchman wakes in vain.
In vain we rise before the day,
And late to rest repair.
Allow no respite to our toil.
And eat the bread of care.

—[Charles Wesley.

Saturday—Where is the mother who would willingly forget the infant that perighed like a biossom from her arms though every recollection is a pang? Where is the child that would willingly forget the most tender of parents, though to remember be but to lament? Who, even when the tomb is closing upon the remains of her he most loved—when he feels his heart, as it were, crushed in the closing of its portals—would accept of consolation that must be bought by forgetfulness?—[Henry Ward Beecher.

The Work Was Performed.

Mr. Wildwest—You surely do not mean o say you're English. Why, you don't

to say you're English. Why, you don't drop your h's!

Mr. Tewksbury-Podd—No; me valet aten ds to that for me.

FOR THE LADIES.

A Woman's Adien.

Our love is done!

I would not have it back, I say,
I would not have my whole year May!
But yet for our dead passion's sake,
Kliss me once more and strive to make
Our last kiss the supremest one;
For love is done.

Since love is done.

But love is done!
I know it, vow it, and that kiss
Must set a finish to our bliss,
Yet when I felt thy mouth meet mine.
My life again seemed half divine,
Our very hearts together run!
Can love be done!

Can love bedone?
Who cares if this be mad or wise?
Trust not my words, but read my eyes,
Thy kiss bade sleeping love awake:
Then take me to thy heart; ah! take
The life that with thine own is one,
Love is not done!
—[Anne Reeve Aldrich, in "Spirit."

Some Cleaning Hints.

A housekeeper asks, "How can I clean pans which have been smoked on a coal-oil stove? I have tried soap and water and it only makes them worse," and Mrs. Grayson re-viles is "Rel West." (1997). Which have been smoked on a coal-oil stove?

If have tried soap and water and it only makes them worse," and Mrs. Grayson replies in Table Talk: "Mineral soap is recommended for this, but I have found it easier to wipe off as much as possible with a piece of soft paper or rag dipped in vinegar, and then the sandsoap to brighten it. When using an oil stove myself, I have never had anything smoked; but some servants are not so careful to keep the wicks turned low. This treatment will also remove soot and smoke from the mica in the doors of stoves when a fresh fire is lighted with kindling wood.

And one asks how to keep the zinc under the stoves bright, and sandsoap is again recommended; but a cloth moistened with kerosene will polish zinc as bright as silver. A scrubbing brush is kept in my bathroom, and each person is requested to scrub the tub after bathing; but once a week I have it rubbed (after it is thoroughly dried with a soft towel) with a cloth which has been dipped in coal-oil.

Another one complains that her dish towels smell hally, notwithstanding the

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scason, although, doubtless, therearefamilies who eat altogether too many.

The best rule for mince meat, like the baby and the sewing machine. is generally one's own, yet there are some unfortunate housekeepers who I are none of their own, and for their benefit several excellent rules are given, from which they may select according to their own taste, pocket-book or husband's digestion. Some housekeepers buy a tongue for mince meat, others think any scraggly or cheap piece will do. I find it a satisfactory way to get a solid piece from the round. This season I shall use some boiled cider and some preserved citron of my own make. The apples will be added because they are on hand, and the grated rind and the juice of lemons which are an addition to any formula.

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Finally after it is prepared 1 must trust to housewifely vigilance to keep the mince meat in a steam-heated apartment, where every place from pantry to tiny basement storeroom is warmed day and night.

The following rule will make a delicious compound and originated with Mrs. Green, a teacher of cookery. This quantity will make ten pies.

take ten pies.

Two cups of chopped meat, five cups of molasses, three Two cups of chopped meat, five cups of chopped apple, one cup of molasses, three cups of brown sugar, one cup of boiled cider; deseason with two teaspoonfuls of cinnamon, one each of clove, allspice an mace, the juice and rind of one lemon. Add also one cup of the liquid in which the meat was boiled, one cup of vinegar, one cup of water, three teaspoonfuls of salt, two cups of chopped raisins, one and one-half cups of chopped citron and candied orange peel, two cups of currants, one-half cup of chopped suct or if no suct is used but the may be substituted. Mix altogether thoroughly and cook two hours slowly.

A much prized rule is the following:
One and one-half pounds of meat—after it is boiled—chopped fine, one and one-half pounds of suet chepped fine, three pounds of chopped sple, one pound of sugar, one cup of molasses, one quart of boiled cider, one tablespoonful each of mace, allspice, cinnamon and one-half tablespoonful of cloves, a scant quarter of a cup of salt, one nutmeg, one and one-half pounds of raisins seeded and one and one-half pounds of raisins seeded and one half pounds of currants. Cook slowly until the apple is done; then add the juice and grated rind of one lemon and one-half pound of citron cut fine.

Mrs. Lincoln gives this rule: Two cups of meat, four cups of apple, two teaspoonfuls each of salt, cinnamon and allspice, two cups of brown sugar, one cup of raisins, one cup of currants, two cups of sweet pickle winegar or one cup of water and the juice of four lemons. Chop the meat fine also the apples and the raisins after stoning them. Cook all together until the apple is soft. The same authority gives a rule for a rich mince meat in her "Boston Cook Book."

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A rule which is so old that its origin can not be given correctly, requires two pounds of chopped lean beef, one pound each of suet, raisins and currants, a quarter of a pound of citron, four pound of apples, two pounds of sugar, two nutmegs, one teaspoonful each of pepper, cloves. cinnamon and allspice, two even tablespoonfuls of salt, one-half pint of molasses and sufficient boiled cider to moisten

The Holiday Season.

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Old Scrooge is never so much out of fashion as in the beautiful processional weeks between Thanksgiving and Christmas. This is the season of good feeling, of loosened purse-strings, of unselfish planning, of conspiracies into which malice does not enter, of the holiest of mysteries. To and fro on the avenues and streets the children flit like fairies, pausing entranced before shop windows which recall the marvels of the Arabian Nights, and eagerly discussing the possibilities of the pencein their dimpled hands. Could their generosity measure out their gifts, papa, mamma, the governess, the nurse, and all the troop of cousins would be remembered at this time by every free-hearted child.

In the home a great many innocent sur-

How to Show a Guest Out.

comes to your ear. You are inexpressibly soothed and flattered, and you step of feeling that the gracious tact of the mistress is most charming where it has revealed itself in the instruction that has taught the maid to be gracious.

Solitude is as needful to the imagination is society is wholesome for the character. Eighty miners were killed by an explosion of fire damp in a mine at St. Etienne, France on Saturday.

Novosti of St. Petersburg reports that the hunger troubles have produced a peculiar effect in the book trade. The Russian people seem to have arrived at the conclusion that the principal cause of the trouble is the lack of information and skill among the farmers. The demand for farming and agricultural publications has become so great that the book stores of the metropolis are hardly able to fill all the orders they receive. There is a serio-comic side, however, to this national awakening to the necessity of education for the farmer. Publications which have long ceased to exist and books of antiquated information on farming are now sought for. This shows that the farmers, who had once upon a time read about the subject which is of such great interest to them, have not followed up their pursuit of knowledge for many years, and are at present ignorant of the schurges which have knowledge for many years, and are at pre-sent ignorant of the changes which have taken place in their profession.

VIOTORIA SLAVE SHAMBLES.

Sale of Chinese Girls Who are Imported for

The authorities of Victoria have discovered in that city regular slave shambles, where the Chinamen buy women as they would buy tea. An investigation has just revealed the careers of six Chinese girls who arrived by the Empress of China about the middle of October. These girls ranging in age from eleven to fourteen years, were in charge of two old woman, Chin Ah Die and Chan Sui. Immediately upon the arrival of the steamer they disposed of the two oldest for \$1,400 and \$1,500 respectively; but they bound the four younger ones over to Lin You, a famous procuress, with instructions to was for a better market. On Monday last she sold them for \$1,410, \$1,610, \$255, and \$770 respectively: cash being paid down.

This sale was made with the assistance of Moy Chung, the head of the highlinder gang in Victoria, and, of course, he received a good commission for his part in the transaction Moy Chung rules the Chinese residents of Victoria with a rod of iron. The powers vested in him by the chiefs of the highbinder society in Hong Kong make him feared by every Chinaman, and it is alleged that he is at the bottom of nearly every brawl and disturbance.

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Lin You, when frightened by the questions put to her, finally confessed everything regarding the sale, and added that the Empress of India on her next trip would bring more girls for the same purpose. Lin You also stated that three out of the four girls sold on Monday had up to that time led perfectly pure-lives. Two of them went to Lo Leet, one to Mah Quong Fook, and one to Chung Wan.

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On Friday night Lo Leet, a low repulsive-looking man, besotted with opium smoking, but dressed in a manner that at once proclaimed him wealthy, opened his doors to the men who were searching for the girls and regretted his carelessness the moment afterward. In the first room, huddled in a native bed, were the two young girls, but pale and with eyes like those of huxted animals. When questioned they told their tale in a plain, straightforward manner. Briefly, they were slaves, living in dread of their owner, and forced to prostitution; this in the principal street of Victoria, 200 yards from the City Hall.

Wah Quong Fook, who bought a child of thirteen, is well known even beyond Chinatown. He is a gambler and crook, and as sharp as a needle. His room is reached by ascending a steep, narrow flight of stairs, pitch dark both day and night. The door was opened to admit a "friend," and closed again with the searchers inside. The child, loaded down with the weight of costly silks and enormous ornaments, stood in the bedroom pale and sickly looking. She told her tale after a great deal of kind coaxing. It was what was expected—cruel treatment, compulsory shame, and all the criminality of this character.

How Pat Got His Receipt.

How Fat Got His Receipt.

Some time ago I was trading in a village store, says a correspondent, when one of the clerks came to the junior partner, who chanced to be waiting on me, and said:—
"Won't you please step to the desk a moment. Pat Flynn wants to settle his bill, and insists on having a receipt."

The merchant was evidently annoyed. "Why, what does he want with a receipt!" he said. "We never give one. Simply cross his account off the book; that is receipt enough."

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It is needless to say that Pat obtained his

when the first notes of "God Save the Queen" were played by the military band every evening. It was the last tune played, the signal for dispersion. A skeptic—op perhaps more than one—having insisted that the horses only knew the tune because it was always played last, and they were able to calculate time, the experiment was tried of p'aying "God Save the Queen" in the middle, nustead of at the end of the evening. Instantly there was the same excitement in the horses standing round "the course," the same impatient tossing of the head and the horses standing round "the course," now in the hospital.

Reports all indicate that the shipments prancing of the feet, the same general stampede and eagerness to start homeward. No one could longer doubt that they knew and recognized the air; in fact, that they could tell one tune from another.

Reports all indicate that the shipments of Canadian apples to the British market this season are very heavy. So far the shipments are ahead of the business done in previous years. There was a large export trade in 1889, when the value of Canadian

Late Foreign News.

An herb is said to have been discovered in Yucatan which is a specific for insanity.

The troops in the south of Russia are ordered to send in their sword blades to be sharpened.

Travellers in Italy are again warzed of the danger of having their transpected on the railways.

The twelve years the city of Paris has expended \$270,000 on statues and \$85,000 on ornamental fountains.

A recent meeting of Anarchists is Barcelona honored the memory of those hanged in Chicago in 1887.

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A Pompeiian palace in the Avenue Montaigne, originally built for the late Prince Napoleon, was sold in 1866 to M. de Lesseps for 900,000 frances. It has just been sold again for 1,800,000 frances.

An engineer on a Swiss railway was notified that he would be dismissed at the end of the year. In vengeance for that, two weeks ago he deliberately drove his engine past the adverse signals into a passenger train coming from the opposite direction. He was killed with his fireman, and three passengers burt.

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The British colony in the city of Mexico is interested in Reginald Carey, who has resigned from the British navy to begin service with the Mexican navy, his appointment to the rank of Captain having been officially announced. He has gone to Vera Cruz, where he is to take command of the new Government training ship Zaragoza on her atrival at that port from Havre.

A so-called duel took place at the out-skirts of Rome the other day between Sgr. Contarini, a member of the Municipal Coun-cil, and the Marquis Dosi, a Lieutenant in the army. The weepons were pistols. Dosi fired first and missed his man. Then Con-tarini advanced and blew out the brains of the Marquis.

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In the famished districts in Russia public schools and higher institutions of learning which depend on the subsidies of the central or local governments have been closed one after the other. The yoney appropriated for the institutions is required for the purchase of bread for thestarving familes.

The daughter of Herr Bemberg, a silk manufacturer of Crefield, 22 years of age, fell in love with a weaver in her father's service, and became secretly betrothed to him. When the lover asked permission to marry the daughter the father emphatically refused, and would not yield to the entreiter of his daughter. The young woman, abandoning all hope, threw herself into the river and was drowned.

The weather in the south of Germany is unusually and unseasonably warm. In Wurttemburg orchards are blooming, and there are frequent hot winds which stimulate vegetation. The temperature is fully equal to the average of May. The situation is regarded as unwholesome, and there are feare that with the incoming of winter, the grip will reappear. will reappear.

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The German Emperor will return the visit of the King of Rommania about the middle of next March. He will be accompanied by Prince Henry, and will stay three days at Bucharest, a day at the Sinaia Palace, and a day at Jassy. A day will probably be spent on the way at Vienna as the guest of the Francis Joseph, who will, in that case, escort William to Budapest.

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"So I told him," answered the clerk, "but he is not satisfied. You had better see him."

So the proprietor stepped to the desk, and, after greeting Pat with a "good morning," said, "You wished to settle your bill, did you?" to which Pat replied in the affirmative.

"Well," said the merchant, "there is no need of my giving you a receipt. See? I will cross your account off the book"; and, suiting the action to the word, he drew his pencil diagonally across the account. "This is as good as a receipt."

"And so ye mane that that settles it?"

"And so ye mane that that settles it?" said Pat, "That settles it," said the merchant. "And ye're sure ye'll never be afther askin' me fur it again?" "We'll never ask for it again," said the merchant decidedly. "Faith, thin," said Pat, "and I'll be afther kapin' me money in me pocket, for I haven't paid it yet." The merchant's face flushed angrily, as he replied, "Oh, well, I can rub that out." "Faith, now, and I thought that same," said Pat. The Germans are watching the Russ fication of the Baltic Provinces inhelpless rage German residents are treated worse than Jews. Government inspection of primary and superior schools has been extended to female schools. The statutes of Russian universities will before long be applied to the

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They Recognized The Air.

A relation of mine, who has spent many years in India, remembers well how, when living in Lucknow and enjoying the evening drive, with other English residents in the Indian city, the carriage horses would toss their heads and paw the ground impatiently when the first notes of "God Save the". They recome from Dresden that a boy fell into the Elbe there the other night. It was dark and no one could see what had become of him, although his cries of distress could be heard as he was borne along by the Guards, hearing what had happened, threw off his sword and boots and jumped into the river. In the darkness he was lost sight of. The people lined the banks and shouted and burned torches to direct the

production of the british market be dead and eagerness to start homeward. No one could longer doubt that they knew and the cognized the air; in fact, that they could tell one tune from another.

If you grant a favor, do it without whin ing, or do not grant it at all.

The commercial treaties now before the German Reichstag absorb the attention of that body and of public men throughout the countries concerned. Their economic as well as their political character are eagerly discussed. The extreme protectionists are alarmed, and protest against their adoption. They call upon Prince Bismarck to come to the Reichstag, take part in the forthcoming debate, and defend his old principles.

A Waynesburg, Pa., despatch eags: 3 ohn to be with a Republican that Campbell would at the rein political character are against their adoption. They call upon Prince Bismarck to come to the Reichstag, take part in the forthcoming debate, and defend his old principles.

A Waynesburg, Pa., despatch eags: 3 ohn Dougherty, an oil-well driller, died on Wednerland. Perhaps the most satisfactory as the farmer the value of the matter is the fact that the Canadian product is getting a good reputation abroad. People look for it. One large Liverpeol dealer who has been operating in Montreal, says: "Canadian apples, owing to their superior keeping quality and fine appearable with a Republican that Campbell would defeat McKinley for Governor of Ohio. The loser was to climb to the top of an oil derrick, 72 feet high, and remain there from 6 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock in the overlook ed, in the morning and, although the evening. Dougherty mounted the derrick last Satu day morning, and, although the evening. Dougherty mounted the derrick last Satu day morning, and, although the evening. Dougherty mounted the derrick last Satu day morning, and, although the evening. Dougherty mounted the derrick last Satu day morning, and, although the evening. Dougherty mounted the derrick last Satu day morning, and, although the evening. Dougherty mounte

Huntingfield.

Mr. N. Harris, has moved into his fine new residence. The "move in" was delayed about two months longer than was expected, but now it seems like "new married life" in their comfortable and cosy home. Mr. Blow, of Gorrie, had the contract for the brickwork; Mr. Fraser, of Teeswater, did the wood-work and a painter from Toronto put the finishing touches on it. The building is a model one, outside and in, and is credit to the section.

Miss Emma Vogan, is home spending her holidays with her parents.

A large number of the people of this neighborhood are afflicted with colds. It almost looks as if la grippe had made another call on us.

Mr. H. Vogan, of Woodstock, with his

family, is visiting with his parents here.

The wedding of Mr. Alex. McKercher, of Con. C., and Miss Ritchie, occurred at the home of the bride's parents, on the 17th con., last Wednesday. A large number of invited guests were present to witness the ceremony and the presents were numerous and costly. The best wishes of the community go out to the happy couple for a prosperous and joyous journey down life's stream.

Municipal matters got quite warm after all, and we took care to give our councillor, Mr. Ferguson, a good, substantial vote up this way.

Mr. Edw. Johnston has begun taking out the timber for a mammoth barn to be built in the Spring. Mr. Abram, o Belmore, has the contract.

Mr. Tuos. Ritchie, who has been suffering from an infliction in his eye is going to the hospital at Toronto for treatment. We hope he will soon be restored.

The annual meeting of the McIntosh Presbyterian Church congregation will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 12th.

From Con. C.

Mr. Wm. Dodds, and his brother, Mr. Alex. Dodds, of Manitoba, are at present visiting their brother here. They speak in the highest terms of their far-away home, where they have been very successful at farming. Wm. took a few days trip down to McGillivray township last week to make a call on relatives there. The brothers start on their return to Manitoba this week.

Quite a number of our young men were in the north part of the township last Wednesday to be present at the wedding of Mr. Alex. McKercher, of "the Cline" to Miss Ritchie, of the 17th con.

Mr. Geo. Wakeford, of Chatsworth, has been home on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wakeford, for a few weeks past, returning this week.

Say, Mr. Editor, while you are putting forth efforts for better post office and stage facilities in the township, don't forget that there is no place in Howick where a post office is more needed than down here, somewheres in the neighborhood of Murray's school.

Lakelet.

The tea meeting held by the Sunday School on New Years night, passed off very successfully. The tables, which were set in the I. O. G. T. hall, were loaded down with good things. After the inner man was satisfied the people repaired to the church where they heard

been visiting at the residence of Mr. A, Dulmage, for the past week.

Mr. Smith has not yet returned from Chatham. His father who was very ill when Mr. Smith went down, has since died. His daughter Edna is now sick with diptheria at Chatham, so Mr. S. has not yet been able to return.

at last got settled down in his new house and is prepared to do all work with neatness and despatch.

Mr. James Horton gave a dinner on New Years Day at which no less than twenty-six relatives sat down, ranging in age from about 60 years down to fine time was enjoyed, the Hortons being noted for their geniality and hospi-

Redgrave Items.

programme was something worth listen. sorry to part with their loveable teacher. ing to, excellent and enjoyable. Short On Sunday evening last, the Rev. Mr. addresses were given by Rev. Mr. Carter,
Mr. Mahood and Mr. Wall. After the on the text mentioned in our last week's programme, all received a large hag of items, He was assisted by Rev. Mr. Allison's,

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To Whom It May Concern:



HEREAS, certain people (who are not aware of the real object) have seen fit to circulate the report that the Undertakara fit to circulate the report that the Undertakers' Association of Ontario is some excellent addresses from Revs.

Mahood, Shaw, Phillips and Markham.
The anniversary was, on the whole, one of the best ever held here. The proceeds amounted to \$38.55.

Our fellow townsman, Mr. R. McConnell is the happiest man in town and walks the street all smiles. Cause! a daughter.

Miss Maggie Smith, of Clifford, has been visiting at the residence of Mr. A, a great monopoly for the purpose of compelling its members to charge

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fruit well filled, and was very soon well Mahood, of Lakelet.

emptied. The tree was most beautiful to behold, laden with rich and costly Our newblacksmith, Mr. Carleton, has presents, such as Bibles, Albums, Workboxes, little negro boys for the young ladies, etc. One young lady and gentle man were presented with a pair of little dolls, another lady had the pleasure of receiving a costly fur coat. The proceeds of the evening amounted to \$32.50.

Mr. McMurchy's entertainment was three. It goes without saying that a well attended by the Redgrave representatives, two wagon loads and a onehorse rig carrying the visitors. We are pleased to congratulate the young teacher have his son from Manitoba visit him. on his success in the school, and the grand and pleasant farewell entertain-The Christmastree entertainment that ment he gave us. We are sorry to part took place in the Ninth line Congrega. with him, and judging from the excellent tional Church came off with grand present and effecting address given him Forest, consequently the school here success, considering the bad roads. The by the school, the children also feel has not commenced yet.

We are very much pleased to have our old friend, Mrs. John Douglas, (widow), of Dakota, visiting her friends and old neighbors of some years ago, spend a few weeks with us again. She is accompanied by her daughter-in-law and family, who are visiting their mother and grand mother, Mrs. McLachlin, of

Mr. and Mrs. Parr and family are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clark.

Mr. Edward Harding is pleased to

Belmore.

Mr.A. Brimmer, is lying sick at Mount Mr. Mundell, near here, is elected

the Council for Turnberry.

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For One Month, to Commence on

THESE PRICES WILL BE FOR

Cash or Produce Only!

10 Per Cent.

On all lines of Dress Goods, Prints and Chambrays Tweeds, Worsteds, Coating, and Mantlings 15 Per Cent. 15 Per Cent. 15 Per Cent. 20 Per Cent. Ready-made Clothing Boots and Shoes Felt Hats. Millinery... 20 Per Cent.

Our stock is so well known that it needs no commendation. We buy from the best Houses in the Trade and for spot cash, thus we secure every advantage that is to be obtained. The only fault of our stock is that it is too large, and with your assistance we propose overcoming this difficulty, and at the same time do you a good turn. All goods sold on credit will be charged at regular prices. This is a bona-fide clearing sale and we trust everybody will take advantage of it.

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