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LOCAL AND GENERAL. ew Advertisements this Week.

Millinery—Mrs. E. C. Banker. Church for Sale. For sale- Farm. Impounded property for sale.

R. Davidson—Merchant Tailor.

Wanted- J. Whyte. Building for sale.

The Tarron social club of Chatham site! Ridgetown on Sunday last, Aball heir many friends were pleased to them. Call again.

LL at Mr. H. P. Wilson's Har-

bird. Swinging and other amusements

the person of Mr. Richard Boothroyd, who died at 6 o'clock on Friday morning last. Deceased was a native of residence on Victoria Ayenue. Smeaton, Yorkshire, England and came to this country in 1880, residing attracted quite a number from the with Col. Talbot two years. In 1882 village to-day. he removed to the township of How-ard and lived on the 6th. concession until 1837. He then purchased the on Tuesday against the Mechanics farm on the Ridge Road, about a mile Bank of Montreal. east of this village, upon which he has ever since resided. His wife died in Manager of the Consolidated Bank for three sens and three daughters. The remains were followed to their last resting place, at the English Church, Talage of the Bank.

Criminal precedings will be shortly instituted against The Directors and Manager of the Consolidated Bank for preparing and submitting to the shareholders an untrue statement of the affairs of the Bank. bot Street, on Sunday, by a very large tained the ripe age of 91 years.

"How came these holes in your elbows?" said the widow Smith to the ir repressible small boy. "Oh, Imother, I hid behind the sofa when little Jack Horntr was sayin' to our Jule, that he'd take her, even if you had to be thrown in; and he didnt know I was for the 4th. of Oct. tny sleeves till I bust 'em."

ing the heatest office on the line in vinit tojshian

A PEACE FESTIVAL on a large scale will be given by the Mechanics' In-stitute, on Monday evening pext, Sep-tember 1st, at the Agricultural grounds. The grounds will be handsomely il-luminated, and the band will be in at tendance. Should the weather prove unfavorable, the festival will be held in the Agricultural Hall, and a musical and literary entertainment added:

The bodies of Jimmy Orr and The bodies of Jimmy Orr and Annie Fleishing the two passengers missing from the Steinhoft have been found, the former beneath a coal heap which had fallen on him while attempting to hide from the heat of the burning steamer, the latter in the river near the hull of the fill-fated ship.

On Monday a balky horse was led through Main St..by a man who seem-ed, from his actions and treatment of the animal, more so than the horse.

Our devil laboured all forenoon the above item and produced the

A balky horse never balked Half as balky as that house balked : But the man that led the balky horse Balked far more balky, than The balky horse balked.

A CALL at Mr. H. P. Wilson & Harss Shop will convince you that his
sock is very fine and complete. He
hibits two viry handsome sets of
ngle harness and 1 double do. silver
ounted. Collar making is made a
socialty, and his stock is certainly
arge and good.

"A High-Tone This is
what the Chicago. Time calls John
McCrank, who is wanted in Ridgetown, Ont., for forgery, and who is
believed to be in Chicago:—The arrest
of this man has become almost a
question of international importance
and the Provinceal authorities are unquestion of international and the Provincial authorities are unast, as the Steamer was out practic-ing, a little son of Mr. Thomas Brown tion relative to his apprehension. It ing, a little son of Mr. Thomas Brown dentist, was run over by the hose cart, and severely injured. About the same time, a son of Mr. Passmore had his eye nearly knocked out by the stream. Boys should be careful on such occasions.

Amende Honorable.—The account of the Base Bail match last week was written in great haste in order to be in time, and through inadvertance the names of Wm. Salmond, and Geo. Pearcy, who did excellent batting, were omitted; indeed, in the opinion of many, they were the best of the day, though not fortunate in making large scores.

tion relative to his apprehensiom. It seems that he was agent for some very large estates belonging to Macdonald, ex Premier of the Dominion, and deliberately despoiled his employer through a series of years. Being an expert accountant and skilled bookkeeper he man ged by a unique and ingenious system to steal over £10,000 in the course of half a decade. This large amount of money he did not me vest but saved up in his own house, waising for the day when the crash would come. Security made him too bold, and about a fortnight ago he for the day when the crash would come. Security made him too bold, and about a fortnight ago he for the day when the crash would come. The "error" in his books was discovered and his in his books was discovered and his

We are in receipt of the "Pen Art World," a lively little sheet published at Arnprior, Ont., by D. J. B. Sa xyer, the penman in the interests of Penmanship, and are very much pleased with it. An enlargement to 8 pages is contemplated. Tri-menthly, 25 cts. a year.

Peaches & Cream.—The social given by the young ladies of the G. M. Church, at Mr. Jno. Mitton's on Monday evening last, though not as largely attended, as it would have been, but for the coldness of the air, was an enjoyable affair. The peaches and cream were delicious and the music of the R. B. R. Band very good indeed. The

were delicious and the music of the R. up a little.

B. R. Band very good indeed. The gem of the evening was "The Mocking Bird, is which Mr. Barney which lest, the Ronald steamer on exhibition fled beautifully in imitation of that to the tank at the Creek, a distance of to the tank at the Creek, a distance of the tank at the tank at the creek, and the tank at the tank ded pleasure to the occasion.

I nearly a quarter of a mile, steam raised and water thrown in 6 minutes and 40 seconds.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT WAS ISSUED

affairs of the Bank.

concourse of friends, there being 160 Cargarr.—A match is to be played teams in the procession. He had at between Amberstburg and Ridgetown CRIGHET. A match is to be played on the Agricultural Grounds to-morrow. A good game is anticipated.

OBSERVE Mrs. Banker's new advertisment this week.

"Ten pights in a Bar-room"

re, and so I held in and laughed in THE CAVIC HOLDAN left the village · pretty well deserted yesterday. Large The Princess Louise Club have en numbers, "took in" the excursion to paged a fine, large room in the Porter Defroit, very many visited and pie-Block, pleasant for meeting and suit-nicked at Rond Eau, while others able for rehearsing &c. Their regular spent the day at the residences of meetings, on Tuesday evenings, are enlivened by music, readings, recitations teur sportsmen "went hunting," and a piano added.

a piano added.

found considerable amusement, but not much game. The weather was

ANOTHER.—Mr. Aaron Jackman last week hired a horse and buggy at Luter livery stable, with the ostensible purpose of looking after some Court business in Blenheim; but it occured to him to remove to other parts, the location of which he has not made known, probably the land of Uncle Sam. The "rig" was recovered on Bunday at Charing Cross.

C. S. R.—The "through" freight and passenger traffic on this road is at numbers from the villages west con-C. S. R.—The "through" freight and passenger traffic on this road is at present very heavy. The "local" freight at this station is also good.

The "Patent Medicine" nuisance again visited the village the other evening. It is astonishing to see how many can be gulled into paying 25 cents for what they could purchase at any drug stere for free cents.

Wallaceburg has organized a Crick-et Club, to be known as the Lorne C. Church of this place, on Thursday Theo. Sissler, the would be C. S. R. taain wrecker, has been committed for trial.

Hanlan was welcomed to St. Thom- with the C. S. Railway for reduced As by an immense, crowd at the Concert fares to Ridgetown and Charing Cross. Monday night.

The Flocter intends enlarging and improving his characteristic and enjoyable, and city fares to the round trip, \$1.25.

The craise across the lake should be converted in the Station of the fares to the form of the fares of th

Mr. H. W. Westland has returned from his trip to Cincinnati.

Mr. R. Constable and family are visiting friends in Port Berwell, Stratford and Ingersoll. Mr. P. J. McLean is very ill with

bilious fever, but is improving slowly. Mr. Robt, Mitton, near Morpeth, is Mr. Gain, formerly of Ingersoll, now of Charing Cross, called yesterday We were pleased to make the acquain

ance of Mr. J. B. Lambley, the suc cessor of Mr. Brandon as Ass't pastor of the C. M. circuit, yesterday. Mr. Sam'l Brown leaves fer Leadville Col. to look after his mining in terests there He has a partnership

in a large Silver mine. Mr. E. G. Kitchen's mother errived in town yesterday on a visit.

A STUBBORN FACT .- Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is, without a doubt, the safest and most reliable remedy in existence, for diarrhæa, dysentery, cholera morbus, scur stor dysentery, cholera morbus, scur stomach, sea sickness, and all summer complaints. It acts like a charm. Its effects are marvellous—relief instantaneous, cure speedy. Physicians and all who use it recommend it. It should be kept in every home at this season, for use in casts of emergency. For sale by all dealers.—Milleurs Britanians of the sale by all dealers.—Milleurs Britanians. TILEY, & PBARSON, PROPRIETORS, TORON

Thamesville.

From our own Correspondent.

Several of the cheese factories in the vicinity shipped their cheese here on the 19th inst. The agent for the "Royal Path of Life," delivered 15 copies of his valuable book here last week.

Mr. G. Haugh has supplied himsel with a double force pump.

The Civic Holiday was recognized on the 22nd according to appointment and nearly, all the citizens visited Port

preached here, and baptized Mr. Jas. Welch in the River Thames on Sunday the 24th inst.

Thamesville Jewelry Store has just

received a fresh shpply of jewelry.—
Call and see a well assorted stock.
You can also get your watches and clocks repaired very cheap.

Chatham's Leading Strings Severed.

the Town of Chatham from the county of Kent for municipal purposes, was mission of the By-law brought out little or no discussion, as there appear-ed to be no opposition to its going into effect, and it was taken for granted. the people at the polls, without any effort being made to ventilate the sub

The majority for the By-law was 309, and the total number of votes polled 317 .- Tribiene.

ROND EAU.

From our own Correspondent. Arrivals at Rond Eau, since the

10th of August. 10th. The Schr. "V. M. Blake," cleared for Detroit with wood.
"ARRIVED, the schr. "Caledonia," of Owen Sound, with cedar posts for

12th. The "Chicago Belle." cleared for Owen Sound. 18th. The "Ferret" of Detroit, after wood at Raglan.
14th. The scow "German," of De-

troit, cleared with wood.

15th. The schr. "Northumberland" CAUSE OF HUMAN MISERY of Coburg, shelter, arrived with rail

road ties for Buffalo.

16th. The propeller "Lake Michigan," of Hamilton, shelter. The sgow "Monia," cleared for Detroit with wood.

17th. The schr. "Ferret," of Detroit, cleared with wood. "Northumberland, cleared for Buffalo.

The scow "Grace Amelia." " Wind north, light, lake calm.

DIED. At his late residence, Ridge Road, Howard on Friday morning, the 22nd inst. Rich and Boothroyd, and 91 years, a native of Smeaton Yorkshire, England.

RIDGETOWN MARKETS. RIDGETOWN, JUNE 19 1879

Red Wheat, per bush..... No. I Spring Wheat, per bu Oats

Apples, per bu
Dried Apples, per lb
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Hides, green

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TENDERS will be received up to day, 18th Sept., for the disposa. Old Presbyterian Church in Ridgeto Apply to the

Aug. 28th, 1879.

THE southwest quarter of Lot 8, in concession, Howard, will be sold cheabout one quarter down; the balance time. For further particulars,

JOHN WHYTE, Kept Co. Bank Aug. 28th.

Notice.

Postponement of Sale

THE following property impound be sold on Tuesday, 2nd day o at 1 o'clock, p. m., without reserve No. 7, North-half, 6th concession, One light roan Durham bull, any be 3 years old.

Aug. 28th, 1879. WANTED, any amount of "E and "Consolidated" Bank

August 21st, 1879.

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Ridgetown, Ont,
May 22nd, 1879.

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Ridgetown, August 14th, 1879.

Voters' List for 1879, Junicipality of the Township of HOWARD, Co. Kent.

Hamilton.

FOR SALE

NEW Two Storey Frame House on Victoria Avenue, next door to Mr. Wm. nie's. For particulars, apply to A. LONG, At his Store, Porter Block.

N. B. All parties having case settle them at once.
Ang. 7th, 1879.

Lost. A NOTE drawn by Thos. Martin in favor A of Peter Shewburg, for \$80, due on st aug. This to caution any one finding it from negotiating same, as payment has been

Ang 14, 1879.

Farm for Sale.

CHOICE 50 acres, South part Lot No. 85, I falbot Street. Forty acres under good cultivation, and the rest in timber and pasture. Plenty of good water. A good frame barn, and an old frame house. A small ordered, large trees, apples, pears, and cherries. Situate in the Township of Howard, 14 inles East of Morpeth, on a good gravel road; first-class locality.

NELSON SHAW.

Bidgetown, Aug. 14th, 1879. 1-m.

Notice of Dissolution.

s requested.

Dated at Ridgetown, the 18th day of August, A. D. 1879. T.C. SOMERVILLE, WM. CONN.

VOTERS' LIST, 1879.

the Legislative Assembly, and at Municipal Elections, and that the said list was first posted up at my office at Clearville, on the First day of August, 1879, and remains there

HENRY WATSON,
Clerk of Oriers
Dated Clearville, Aug. 4, '79. Aug. 14.

A MONTH guaranteed. \$12 a day at home made by the industrions. Capital not required; we will start you. Men, women, boys and girls make money faster at work for us than at anything else. The work is light and pleasant. And such as anyone can go right at. Those who are wise who see this notice will send us their address at once and see for themselves. Costly Outfit and terms free. Now is the time. These rms free. Now is the time. These already at work are layiny up large sums of money. Address Taux & Co., Augusts, Maine.

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Sale. Two new residences on Albert St., neat and commodicus, each containing six rooms; five minutes walk from business por-tion of town; will be sold cheap. Terms

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April, 3, 79.

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therlie, the Deutschman, lives yet, and parts the highest market prices for HIDES, FURS, & SKINS. In the village of Ridgetown. Come up farmers with your hides, you will always find him either at Baker's Bank, or at the corner of Porter Block. There you will get your cash. April 15, 1879.

The Tights upon may head, A saughty work is said.

And said on begins were and the saught of the s

my wilful head rose up in rebellion.

Perhaps this was why I lent a willing ear to Frank Giddon's ridiculous speeches and played the part of passenger in his pretty little yacht, while mamma and Mr. Olinton talked demurely on shore. He certainly behaved very well (Mr. Clinton, I mean) and displayed no feeling of pique at heing pushed aside for a young admirer. He same and talked to me whenever Frank Giddon was out of the way, sensibly and composedly, as if he felt that he was ever so much older than I; recommended me books to read; criticized my drawing and plano playing, and even presumed to lecture me for exposing my unprotected shoulders to the night air.

air.
The next evening Frank Giddon corne The next evening Frank Giddon cornered me somewhere among the vines and told me a hackneyed old story, but which has the peculiarity of appearing new every time it is told, and I was silly enough to be very much interested in it. As Mr. Clinton did not want to marry me—having the good taste to prefer my more attractive maxma—I was obliged to take up with Frank.

THE INDIAN QUESTION.

than I; recommended me books to read, criticised my drawing and plano playing, and even presumed to leature me for exposing my unprotected shoulders to the night I supposed this was part of the "trading" and I felt indescribably amused. When maker reaches the proper pick, Mr. Glinton would probably say, in that faultiesty genilemany way of his, "You have been a way good girl, Laura, very proper and boeledes, and I shall now reaved you by main strains a way good girl, Laura, very proper and boeledes, and I shall now reaved you by main the proper and the proper was a series of the stable. They see my wife, when I can continue your contains your the post of the post of the post of the contains your the post of the contains your the post of the post of the contains your the post of the post of the contains your the post of the contains your the post of the contains your the post of the post

ones when loaded with fruit.

Blackberries.—For bome use the fruit should be fully ripe before picking, but for market pick earlier while firm. After fruiting clear out all old canes, and leave four of the strongest new ones for the next year, and keep these at six feet in height by planching off the tips.

Baspberries.—Out out the old canes, and pinch the new growth when it is about four feet high.

Grapes.—If mildew makes its appearance give the vines a thorough dusting of sulphur. Out out any bunches affected with the "black rot." Hand-pick beetles and esterpillars.

Btrawberries.—Plants struck in pots and set this month will bear the next season. Old beds should be well manured and kept clear of weeds.

EXTOREM AND MARKET GARDEN.

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CHAPTEH.

The Annual Assembly at Guelph Yesterday.

GUELPH, Ontacio. — The Grand Chapter have refused to amend the constitution so as to allow an ordinary member to fill the chair of First Principal without having filled the chair of a Blue Lodge. The Grand Chapter decided to hold the sanual convocation on the Friday after Grand Lodge and at the same place. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year: —Daniel Spry, Toronto, Grand First Principal Z; Donald Rose, Picton, Grand Second Principal H; Judge McPherson, Owen Sound, Grand Third Principal J; D. McLellán, Hamilton, Grand Scribe E; John Fisher, Eglington, Grand Scribe R; W. Brydon, Toronto, Grand Principal Sojourner; Edward Mitchell, Hamilton, Grand Trassurer; J. McLaren, Mount Forest, Grand Registrar; W. W. Summers, Hamilton, Grand Trassurer; J. McLaren, Mount Forest, Grand Registrar; W. W. Summers, Hamilton, Grand Trassurer; J. McLaren, Mount Forest, Grand Superintendents for the various districts: London District, Dr. St. George Caulfield, Wilson Disher and C. L. Beard; Wellington District, J. M. Meakins, Hamilton; Huron District, Isaac Tome; Nisgara District, George Walker, Mount Monaly Ohapter, St. Catharines, Beamsville P. O.; Toronto District, J. B. Nixon, Toronto: Ontario District, C. Doebler, Port Hope; Point Edward District, J. B. Nixon, Toronto: Contario District, Thomas Gordon, Kingtion; New Bruoswick District, Jas. McIntosh, jun.; Manitoba District, W. Kennedy.

The Grand Committees are Companions Thomas Sargeant, Thronto; Henry Robertson, Collingwood; W. Carey and J. J. Mason, Hamilton, and W Foroas, Grimsby. The election of Companion Spry as Grand First Principal was unanimous, and gives the greatest satisfaction to the members of the Grand Chapter. Appointed by Grand Z.—James Wilson, Toronto; Robert, Lewis, London; W. Gibson, Hamilton; T. C. Magnab, Chatham; J. G. Bèrns, Toronto.

Col. Dennie, Deputy Menister of the laterior, has returned to Ottawn.

Condensed Telegraphic News

A PRETTY SCANDAL.

FORTSMOUTH, New Handpshire,—In some towns hereabouts an appatently new disease to has, it is said, appeared among eatife, which as yet baffies all attempts to alay it.

Kirostor, Ontario.—A man named Brooks committed sticide lest night in the police station by haeging himself with his suspenders.

Tonovio, Onterio.—This morning the difference of a coal cart belonging to Mr. Balley had a narrow secape of being run over by a firer of a coal cart belonging to Mr. Balley had a narrow secape of being run over by a firer Western Reliway train on the Estaphande. He had driven over the track in front of the 7.10 passenger train which was moving forwards, when his horse commenced backing up. He was unable to check the animal until the earl was becked against the local was thrown over the roadway and the driver precipitated to the ground, but he received only minor injuries.

An inquest is to be held this evening at Deer Park on the body of Sarah Lavell, aged uninvested, which be did very suddenly on Tuesday afternoon. Dr. Armstrong, who was called to see the girl on Tuesday afternon, thought it is eight in Tuesday afternoon. Dr. Armstrong, who was easied to see the girl on Tuesday afternon, thought it is equested.

Halirax, Nova Scotia.— Testerday morning about one c'eleck David Gates, of Morgaraville, Annapolis Co., murkered his wife and immediately after quamitted uicide by drowning himself of a wharf. Temporary insanity was the cuose.

Halirax, Nova Scotia.— Testerday morning about one c'eleck David Gates, of Morgaraville, Annapolis Co., murkered his wife and immediately after quamitted uicide by drowning himself end in the course of the colored ree, is now 103 years old. She has almost entirely recovered from the states to the colored ree, is now 103 years old. She has almost entirely recovered from the state of the state of the colored ree, is now 103 years old. She has almost entirely recovered from the state of the colored ree, is now 103 years old. She has almost entirely recovered from the state of the colored

Ship Laborers' Trouble in

miss a missake. I have been to the jumping-off place, but it was fenced in, and it cost \$1 to ask where it was, \$2 to find out, \$3 to ask to look at it, \$4 to be told that you might, \$5 to get to it, \$6 to look at it, \$7 to say anything about it, \$8 to keep quiet about it, \$9 to quit looking at it, \$10 to go away from it, and \$11 for thinking about it. So I didn't try to jump off. I met a man who had been working there for seventeen years to get enough money to be allowed to jump off, but he had only amassed \$14,000, and they would only let him stick one leg over for five minutes for that.

"We struck our tents at Niagara the Falls and took the train for Niagara the City, and there we embarked on the boat for Toronio. The passage was a rough one. A heavy northeast wind chopped the lake up into a most distressing state of ig-regularity and abruptness. The steamer was crowded with excursionists, and they were happier when they let the dock than they seemed to be when we got well out on the lake.

Lake Ontario, I observed, is just like Niagara Falls.

It takes everything you have.

At least it took all the excursionists had. Talk about casting your bread upon the waters.

Supper was served on the boat, and I saw

Talk about easting your bread upon the waters.

Supper was served on the boat, and I saw one man pay seventy five cents for a supper that ought to have lasted him two weeks.

It didn't last him five minutes.

I never saw such reckless extravagance in my life.

One very pale young man told me he had crossed the lake twenty times, and had never been sick; in all the term implies, in all his life.

lite.

In ten minutes I saw that young man looking down into the angry waters, and I am a sinure if he didn't throw up everything he had in the world except his situation.

He looked wretched.

In fact, it was the retchedest time I ever any apywhere.

saw anywhere.

Col. Gzowski will return to Canada the last week in August. His idea is said to be to give a sort of garden party during the annual prize meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association, at which both fadies and gentlemen will be presented. It would be of a similar character to the garden parties given by him at Wimbledon. Six young women are spending August in six tents, near Northwood, N. H. Only one man is tolerated in camp, and he is a servant. For diversion, they fish, row. ride, shoot at a mark, play games, read, sing and frolic. The camp is called Gumption, and each of the party is "Gump 1," or "Gump 2," and so on.

so on.
Lightning is eccentric in Georgia. The
Poreyth 'deertier' says that a large tree
was struck and felled to the ground, and a
young man, riding by on a mule, received
such a basty shock as to jar the beast from
under him."

The World says Gool Burgess is playing at the Variety Theatre in this city, and claims that he never promised here or in Toronto to go back when liberated. The police told him he could do as he pleased, as he cannot be

wale of tears. That was very little in the whole of twenty five years, and our nephew dreamed of means whereby he might obtain more. He sent game, clears the Bevne des Deux Mondes—the uncle eat the first, smoked the second and cut the third, thanked him and gave nothing. The nephew ceased his attentions, hoping an explanation would be asked him. It was lost trouble. The nucle appeared not to have noticed anything. For the rest he was an admirable, jovial uncle, who lived well, and who would, at need, have offered the nephew shelter all the year round, but without ever giving him a red cent."

"He was right," the first uncle interrupted; in that way his nephew would have amused him all the year for nothing. I will try that system. Continue."

"But the uncle had one fault which is the ""Yes, but I was fasting and prayer."

which is the uncle without being wanting in "That is true."

"I ou don't go with a loose rein when you describe uncles!"

"It is because, you see, dear uncle, that nnele was not an ordinary one, because he was extraordinarily stupid. His stupidity was known fifty verste around, and there was not a landowner in the neighborhood who had not played him some trick. But our friend was very good, so that he got angry at nothing, and then he was no simple that perhaps he saw no maliciousness in any of it."

"That is true."

"All ow, uncle, if you would be kind enough to have me a little collation served.'

"Willingly, my friend; let us go upstaire."

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"Then you wish to tell me your secret," yes, my dear uncle, if you would be kind enough to have me a little collation served."

"That is true."

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"Yes, but I was fasting and it was I who did this operation."

"That is true."

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"That is true."

"That is true."

"That is two."

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"That is the kind of uncle you ought to have had, is it not?"
"I would have lost too much in the exchange!" the nephew replied, in the most amiable way.

His uncle smiled.
"From having mads so many necless presents to his nucle our unfortunate fellow found himself so noor that he determined to."
"You must count me out twenty thousand to the found himself so noor that he determined to."
"Twenty thousand roubles!"

"From having made so many pseless presents to his nucle our unfortunate fellow found himself so poor that he determined to make up in one blow all the capital he had spout, together with a little interest on it; that was only fair, since the time he had."

"No, it was not fair," the listening uncle interrupted; "do not introduce diplomatic maxims in an honest house!"

"Fair or not," continued the young rogue, "our nephew resolved to strike a great blow. He mounted his only horse, took a small valies, and went off to the city. He went at first to a jeweller, then to an herb seller, then to a merchant who sold earthenwares; having finished his purchases, he packed them carefully in his valies, and went to ward his uncle's home. It was on a Christmaseve, like to-day, and our friend, who felt his desire for pleasure was enormous, and but little in accordance with the elimness of his pures, swore to himself that he would leave his uncle's house richer than he entered it. The uncle was in good humor, a copious breakfast and an arcellent eight had made him disposed to make all manner of concessions that would not be simple gifts.

"What is it?"

"You must count me out twenty thousand roubles!"

"The uncle jumped nearly up to the ceiling. "Yes, my dear uncle."

"Yes, my dear uncle."

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"Yes, my dear uncle."

"Yes, but the materials? I must have something with which to buy them?"

"But with twenty thousand roubles!"

"But with twenty thousand roubles!"

"Doubles! But I must do something either of good, since you say it costs so little!"

"Doubless! But I must do something takes time. And then one must be fasting, you know. Are you not achamed to bargain about the possession of a secret that will make you know. Are you not achamed to bargain the secret that will make you know. Are you not achamed to bargain the possession of a secret that will make you know. Are you not achamed to bargain the possession of a secret that will make you know. The question of finances was debated for a long while, and en

was an old most from a set who counted this secret to me. He was making a pilgrimage and stopped to rest himself at my house. He took a fancy to me, and revealed this marvellous secret to me. One must prepare one's self for it by fasting and prayer.

"Yes, but I was fasting and it was I who did this carrection."

human breathing. At the end of twentynine-and-s-half hours from the time of
finding the laying ceased; seventy-eight eggs
were laid by the butterfly with her head off.

— Correspondence of Nature.

The pay of Bismarck from all sources, both
as Prussian Minister and as Chancellor of
the Empire, is only \$13,500. The highest
salary of a Prussian Cabinet Minister is
\$9,000. Pensions are on the same moderate
scale, the pension amounting to as many
eightieths of the salary which was being
received at the time of retirement as these
have been years spent in the service of the
State. Ten years are added to the record of
service in all cases where misconduct has not
called for censure. But where the salary
exceeds, \$3,000 only the half of such excess
is taken into account.

President Eliot, of Harvard, is represented
by the Ber. Lyman Abbott as saying in a letter:

"No one is a gentleman or a lady who has
not a refined and accurate use of the mother
tongue. That attainment I find essential to
my conception of a gentleman or a lady, A
gentleman or a lady will have other mental
acquisitions; but these will not be essential
as that is." There will be some criticism of
President Eliots oppinon.

For sometime past it has been proposed
to introduce some distinctive dress to be worn
by judges in Germany while administering
justice, but opinion has been divided as to
whether that dress should be a semi-military
uniform or a black gown. The Government
has just decided the question in favor of the
latter. The official dress of judges is henceforth to consist of a black gown and black
cap.

American Cutleren in Sheppielle.—A correr-

cap.

ARRICAN CUTLYRY IN SHEFFIELD.—A correpondent of the New York Herald, writing
from Birmingham, England, says that recently
a leading manufacturer in Sheffield showed
his workmen an assortment of American
made goods, and, taking up a pair of tailor's
shears, offered to give the Union £50 if any
one of his men, in a month, would produce
one pair of shears as good as the American
sample.

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Hand Thers and Politics.—What a row there would have been about the hard times if four banks had collapsed within a few weeks during the term of office of a Liberal Ministry. There is nothing of this now and we are glad of it. We do not desire to see clap trap become the motive of political action. Still we cannot but perceive that the universal cure-all has not worked according to promise.—Montreal Herald.

The most elegant parasols of this season are of white silk, with white lace on the edges.

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Book, and of our blessed Lord, than many or indeed all of the efforts of preceding generations."

The chief Rabbis and Presidents of the two principal congregations at Jerusalem have issued an appeal for aid, in consequence of the scarcity of food, due to the adverse harvests in Palestine for the last three years. They state that the condition of poor Jews in Jerusalem is most appalling, as they have neither food nor the means of procuring any. They do not ask for money, but for wheat, barley, flour and other articles of food.

The London Tablet regrets that whatever propriety there was in former times in desgnating France, Austria, Spain, Italy, Bayaria, Belgium and Portugal as Oatholic States "has almost entirely disappeared." In Spain alone is the Government influenced by the Church, and even in Spain "the Catholicism of the State is superficial and formal, and nothing like a warm support of Catholic interest at home or abroad is to be looked for from those in power."

Mr. Spurgeon, says the London News, has been gifted by nature with a voice distinctly audible at the edge of a crowd of 10,000 persons in the open air, and his perfect mastery of his own language is never marred and spoiled, as the far inferior style of many highly-educated people is apt now a days to be, by the unsassonable intrusion of forsign idioms. But beyond and above these adventages he has the indefinable power of so asying what he wishes to say as to make it both immediately intelligible and permanently impressive to all who hear him.

It may be a matter of surprise to many that there is a Christian church in the Otty

RAST RENT PLAINDEALER, AUG. 28 1970.

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precursor of a new system of city intumination.

It always appears absurd to hear the heavy villain in the melodrama exclaim a the footlights, before secreting himself in a musty closet in the castle:—"And—now—if—I—"m—dis—cov—er-r-r-r-ed—I—"m—lost—I'm,lost!" when the stupidest boy in the top gallery knows very well that if he's discovered he's found—he's found.

A DISCOVERY.-Mr. D. O. Bricker has

A DISCOVERY.—Mr. D. O. Bricker has in his possession a piece of quartz, which he had examined at Hamilton, and which is said to contain gold. The piace where the discovery was made is known to himself and three Indians, and it is supposed the vein extends about three miles. Is it all gold that glitters?—Port Elgin Free Press.

Mr. Ward, the prisoner for breach of privilege, who was set at liberty after a week's confinement under the big bell in the tower of the House of Commous, had to pay his own personal expenses, £5 fee of arrest, £1 for the order of committed, and £1 for the order of committed, and £1 for the order of release, and £1 a day during his imprisonment.

A young Divine presched a sermon of a

imprisonment.

A young Divine presched a sermon of a very diluted character before Dr. Smith.

"That was a very poor sermon, sir, you gave your people this morning." "Was it Well, you know God does not need man's wisdom." "True, sir, but still less does He need man's ignorance.

The divorce case of the Earl and Counters of Desart, apropes of the lady's adulters with Charles Sugden, the actor, whom she has since married, is again before the London courts on the Earl's petition for a variation of the marriage settlement.

of the marriage settlement.

Scene, a sanctum. Enter the exchange find—"Ah, thought I'd drop in to look over your exchanges." Editor to devil: "Thomas, get Mr. Limberjaw the Memphis Appeal and Avalanche," Exit fiend.

In the opurse of a few days H. R. H. the Princess Louise will visit Rideau Hall incop. to inspect the improvements now in progress there. She will remain for two days only. Prince Jerome Napoleon is expected at Mont Octleri, where the Princess Clotilde resides. He will also visit the King of Italy at Monza.

The Countees of Montijo, mother of the ex Empress Engenia, expects the latter to arrive in Madrid in October. The reigning "beauties" of England ar

the East Bent Plaindealer ness. Teach them to scorn and de-THURSDAY, AUG. 28, 1879

The By-Law.

The result of the voting on the Bywe for the issue of debentures to purchase a steam Fire Engine, submitted last Saturday, was a surprise to all. The opponents of the scheme were astonished, while its supporters had begun to doubt of success. The result shows a majority for the Bylay of 25, to which the excellent work performed by the steamer on Friday and Saturday, no doubt attributed greatly. On Priday it was placed at at the tank on Eric St. near Lamont & Co.'s shop, and subjected to several tests, in which it proved very satisfactory and efficient. The tank was however quickly exhausted, and will have to be enlarged in order to buse full have to be enlarged in order to buse full have to be enlarged in order to buse full have to be enlarged in order to buse full have to be enlarged in order to buse full have to be enlarged more described in the evening, to see how quickly steam could be raised, and water thrown. Starting at the Benton's carriage shop, and in 6 minutes and so considered the several tests, in which it proved very satisfactory and efficient. The tank was however quickly exhausted, and will have to be enlarged in order to buse full in case of fire. A test was made full carriage shop, and in 6 minutes and so considered in a carriage shop, and in 6 minutes and the sum of the sum of three Thought the contracts, are taking orders for the exist of the carry Canada. But while these men may think they can readily substitute some of these varieties full the evening, to see how quickly steam could be raised, and water thrown. Starting at the Benton's prepared, the engine was hurried to the creek at Owens & Buchanan's carriage shop, and in 6 minutes and 50 counter the carry Canada. But while these men may think they can readily substitute some of these varieties for these with the Early Canada. But while these men may think they can readily substitute some of these varieties for these with the Early Canada. But while the same manner and at the same than the same through the same than the same through the same through the same through the aw for the issue of debentures to purand 40 seconds from the time of starting a Benton's, water was projected from the nozzle in a large and powerful stream. The supporters of the Chemical Engine boast of the celerity of getting their engines to work, but we doubt if they can do so in better time than that.

We recovered that steps will be tak-

We presume that steps will be tak-en to have the steamer delivered here at once, and the sooner the better. A rections for ordering, sending money, building will be necessary, which can &c. either be built cheaply for the present, or one rented until a good engine house has been erected. There are Jordan Station, Aug. 22nd, 1879. several eligible sites available, which can be procured on advantageous

adoption of this system of fire pro-tection are various and many, and will render our village doubly attraclocation of business enterprise in our Milburn, Bentley & Pearson, Toronto midst, owing to the greater security afforded to life and property. The benefits derived from this source, and the saving in insurance will far outweigh the slight increase necessary by-law, No. of taxation repelling settlers and merchants from the village, when it is learned to what purpose the increase is devoted, it will enhance the reputation of the place for sagacity and prudence, as well as commercial enterprise and advancement.

Upon this subject, the wit of the satirist, the wisdom of the philosopher, the denunciation of the pulpit, and even the punishment of the courts, have been expended and employed, it would seem, in vain. Is the prevalence of this repulsive and degrading habit the result of wrong education, or training,— "bringing up," or a part of the inherent meanness of our nature? There are some, indeed many, who do not stoop to make an approach and greecless case. ployed, it would seem, in vain. Is

tions of the Minicipal Act and the Amendaments interest, relative to department of the Minicipal Act and the Amendaments of the Act and the Act and the Amendaments of the Act and the Act tongue is more pestilential than the plague, and he or she who possesses it, is a curse to society. Up! Parents, toachers, preachers and philanthropists, and inculcate in the young 60 to be prop

spise such conduct as debasing to their manhood and womanhood.

Communications.

SUMMER COMPLAINTS, OR CHOLERA INcan be procured on advantageous pantum, which is carrying off the interms. We understand it is the infants and children by the thousand at terms. We understand it is the intention of the council to put down tanks in several localities forthwith.

The advantages accruing from the The advantages accruing from the The sever failed to give immediate to give immediate to give immediate to give immediate the sever failed to give immediat will render our village doubly attrac-tive to the further development and effects. For sale by all dealers.



A BY-LAW to provide for draining parts of the Town-ship of Howard, known by the name of the McCargon Drain, and for borrowing on the credit of the Municipality the sum of \$3450.-60, for completing the same.

Provisionally adopted the 16th day
August, A. D. 1879.
WHEREAS a majority in frimber of the
owners, as shown by the last revised Assessment Red of lands lying and adjoining what
is known as the McCargon Creek, running
through the property hereinafter set forth,
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AND WHEREAS the said Gouneil are of opinion that the drainage of the locality described is desirable:

Be it therefore enacted by the said Municipal Council of the said Township of Howard, pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of Potario, passed in the 36th year of Her Majesty's reign, chapter 48, and the amendments therete.

Ist. That the said report, plans and estimates be adopted, and the said Drain and the works connected therewith, be made and constructed in accordance therewith.

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