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"She has, however, written from

"Thought she would—the cormorant

"I must ask you to explain," said

ing mistily at him through his specta-

"Be seated—business?"

cles. "Be seated—business, of course

into the room.

shouldn't be."

how is it wagging, eh?"

" Confidential ?"

" Close as wax."

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Pure happiness comes only to us mor-tal men, if it ever comes at all, in swift electric flashes, that are gone while we are yet wondering at the phenomenon. The conviction of my hopes sent such an electric thrill through my heart, but ere yet its intense vibrations had pulsed themselves away, ever-watchful Care was up and doing. I had thought of my love, of wooing and winning, in an ethereal and abstract way; to hear Lady Rose confess that my love was requitted Rose confess that my love was requitted —that had been my goal, and I had looked no farther. But now that there dawned a possibility of reaching it, Care who never seemed to abanden one method of torture till she has secured another, was ready for me. "Wooing and winning." quoth she, are simple enough—though, by the by, the latter is no certainty for you yet-to woo and win are matters of everyday occurrence; but you know it is proverbially rare to wed the object of your first love. How are you to marry? What is your income? You wince, but that is the main question after all. Soldid? Of course it is; what isn't, pray ! Can you pay rent and taxes, wages, weekly bills, monthly bills, yearly bills, for an escablishment such as you can as! a lady to share? What is your income? Consider. Out with it!" It unfortunately called for no deep fi-

in question. The pay of a captain, a heavily-mulcted £200 a-year, and £3000 Paris for a remittance within the last a-year of my own in the Funds-it was a case of very simple addition; and this was all I had, and all I could ever cais any one looking after her there ?" "We have lost no time; Lapin has been instructed—she could scarcely be culate upon as a certainty That was bad; it was desperately bad. in better hands; but we have as yet no The failure of the three-hundred-aintelligence at all serviceable."

"Hang it!" groaned Dolly. "I don't believe you fellows are half sharp. I don't believe I'll ever get quit of her. year marriages, so much talked of once, has no doubt been painfully demonstrated long ago It is perhaps to the mortal withings of some of the poor birds who were taken captive by that specious what a heartbreaking thing it is! I wonder if she would take ten thousand

nancial calculation to arrive at the sum

lure that all the commotion in the pro-vision market is due, that the face of the public is sharpened against that reluctans the West-end tradesman, and that all the world co-operates and becomes its own grocer. The three hundred-a-year fallacy, or any fallacy in any way approximating to it, I was in no danger of falling into. I had plumbed the capabilities of £500 a-year I knew that income was barely sufficient for my own somewhat fruga wants-how, ther was it to do for two, even with grievous sacrifices on both sides? "I think you can scarcely miss the absurdity of the idea," remarked Care, as she plumped down with a heavy thud upon my

"Dolly, old boy," I said that night to my double, who was as usual lounging in my hut, "I am infernally miserable!" " So am I," replied Dolly, stolidly.

"That of course I take for grantedremedy my case, which is novel." What's the row, eh ! Badger cut u rough? or is it duns or what?" "Nothing of the sort—I think Lady Rose likes me, Dolly their agents." "Oh! that makes you miserable, does it? You're just like Dick Footrup; he was always spooning after some one

always desperately in love till he had had managed to make the girl care for him, and then he was sick of it at once and anxious to be off. 'A fellow can't hunt a dead fox,' he used to say; he was nailed at last though, by American widow-very yellow and hideous-and I think it served him right to-it hurts its professional feeling.' but I thought you were a different sort

altogether."

"So I am, Dolly, I hope; that isn't my case at all. I've only just began to think it possible that Lady Rose might accept me; and if she does, why. what " Po ? Write to her father, then to your lawyer, then to your tailor no-"But, my good fellow, I'm awfully

hard up."
"Sell your horses then; by the by, you hav'nt got any except little Cross. Well, then, draw on me-how much do you want to tide it over?"
"It's not an affair of tiding over, my good fellow: I want enough to tide over the whole of our lives-enough to keep up a respectable establishment and

support a family."
"Dolly's eyes opened very wide. stand difficulties, particularly of finance. which they haven't experienced)-"I don't quite understand; but why not

do lots of post-obits?" "Yes, I never did myself, because never was really hard up; but lots of our fellows do, and it seems to answer; they live like fighting-cocks: yes, Donald, post-obits are your game, you may depend upon it;" and he gave the opinion with the gravity of a Chancellor of the Exchequer recommending an extra penny to the income tax. I had to explain to him the theo post-obits, and that I had but £500 a-

sable value. "I thought you had a rich aunt," he said, after ruminating.
"So I have, but what of that?" "Draw her, of course."
"Easier said than done. I'm not

year and no expectations of any dispo-

necessarily her heir, and I don't fancy sponging on the old lady while she's "But, if you can't be sure of being her heir, you can't be sure of sponging on her after she's dead." Well, then ?"

"Well, then, you might never spong on her at all!" And he said this as by some law of nature, every created aunt must eitner in life or after deatl be subjected to a sponging process. "I think it's all confounded nonsense and pride, he went on, with more than usual mation. "What has the old woman got to do with her money? If the mar-riage doesn't come off, there may be a breaking of hearts. I suppose the old lady wouldn't like that? She's not an ogress, is she? Now if she offered you desperately, remembering my vow.
"None, sir, but you may do much a settlement, do you mean to tell me you would refuse it?" you would request to "I don't say that, but that's different from asking her."
"Still it would be sponging, as you call it, all the same; so it's only a false pride about asking that stands in your way."

Perhaps you're right but if I did

way. Perhaps you're right but if I did ask, I have no reason to be certain that hahould get anything."

"It's your only chance, as far as I can see; and you must have scmething to, offer when you propose to the father, you'know. In my opinion the aunt must undoubted y be dright and certainly given me a ray of light. My aunt was good-natured in the highest degree, liked me immensely, was very rich, and I could not but feel certain, from her little weakness already alluded to, that a niece with a title would be an irresistible inducement to her (if she required one) to be generous. But my friend was right: it

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to-morrow."

The next morning we accordingly went to tewn, and drove first to the office of the lawyers, Mesars. Frowster, Drencher & Trapp. Drencher & Trapp.
Sir Galahad was in the saddle at last. We were received by the senior partner but got so little from the department Mr. Frowster, a sedate, stork-like, spectacled man—utterly bald, except on a ridge at the extreme back of his head, suggesting the idea that a gale of wind had been suddenly arrested there in the act of barking him. His manner was dry, his voice rusty, his words precise and carefully chosen—so many of them went to the six-and-eight, probably, and he respected them accordingly.
"Good morning, Mr. Frowster!"

> and after a very successful examination.
> Miss T. leaves this township after about both as a pleasing and intelligent acquaintance and as a highly successful teacher. At the close of the examinateacher. At the close of the examina-tions in this school the pupils presented Miss Tully with a valuable Bible as a nections, and it was with the utmost token of regard Municipal matters begin to cause

some little excitement. Mr. Fairbairn is busy canvassing though at the same the lawyer, upon whose business ear Burridge's jaunty tone seemed to jar. time he would "rather pay the town-ship \$200 than be elected." Mr. F. being a man of his word, I think our township will claim the amount from him before many weeks. The Independent, as when he threw himself into the most municipal matters.

Diptheria has made it appearance in the family of Mr. Joseph Kelso. Already one—a grand-daughter—has been taken off by it. Two or three others have it, but are recovering. It was supposed at first to be scarlet fever. There is no change in markets and no other news. Wishing you a Merry Christmas and happy New Year.

WOODVILLE

pounds to commit suicide; do you think ELECTIONS From Our Own Correspondent,

"I must beg of you to recollect your-self, sir," said Mr. Frowster, with awful dignity.
"I'll tell you what," cried Burridge, hit off anything."

Looking at Mr Frowster's denuded then commanding himself said, with is not known.

make you my agent, Donald. Now then, fire away, Frowster; you can have no erecting a woodshed at the Presbyterian objection now. What salary are you to have, Donald?" and he laughed. Manse last week, was struck by a rafter and had his nose broken. "Captain Burridge," gasped the law-er. "Sir—Captain Burridge," I must take liberty of making two remarks,first, that your tone is grossly unbusiness like; and second, that it is not what our firm expects or is accustomed

"I'm very sorry," said Burridge;
"I didn't mean to hurt its reelings;—I beg it's pardon; but why not have a palaver with Bruce? Here I interposed with my suavest manner. "I am quite aware of your fulness. Now, Mr. Editor, if this is the professional etiquette, Mr. Frowsterwould be the last to offend against it; but as Captain Burridge and I are constantly together, and on the most confidential tooting, and as he is not much acquainted with business, I believe it would be well that I should understand the case in its legal aspect. I could advise him in his correspondence with you, and so on; and I am sure he will not object if lask you kindly to look on me, for the moment, as the principal; and perhaps, Adolphus, if you were to leave us to ourselves for a few minutes

we might get on quicker." "And mind you, Frowster, you must listen well to what Bruce says; he's a fellow to give you a wrinkle; I'll back him against twenty professionals; keep tentions in such matters were liberal, I | when he suddenly bethought himself your back straight and your ears oven; with which parting shot he was off. Mr. Frowster breathed short and hard. and stared at me through his dim spectacles; the firm's feelings were so completely paralyzed that its mouthpiece tentions. was for a moment without power of speech. "Your friend," he said at last,

permits himself a latitude of speech

to which we are utterly unused. a good-natured man myself, but the firm cannot tolerate such things. It does not permit slang in business matters. Other houses may have different systems but with this firm business is a sacred thing; a jest insults it, slang outrages it."
"I am sure," I said, "Captain Burridge has not the slightest wish to offend; but he is a little peculiar and ignorant of the world, which you, as a man of the world, will forgive; and now, not to waste your valuable time, may I ask if

there's no hope of proving this marriage void?"
"We have no doubt that the man riage is a sound one."
"What is to be done then?" "We can only trust to the acutene of Monsieur Lapin and our other cor-respondents; but I am bound with regard to the lady, to make three remarks -first, she is very wary; second, she she is no longer young; third without her assistance we can do nothing;" ard he gave a little rusty laugh—the firm was permitting itself a pleasantry.

harm by indiscreet zeal."
"It looks like a dead-lock." " It suggests the idea, certainly [TO BE CONTINUED.] BOBCA YGRON

Can I be of no use then?" I said

MATTERS-DIPTHERIA. rom Our Own Correspondent. The schools in this village closed on

Friday, the examination being held in Mr. McCulloch's division on Thursday afternoon and in Miss Bethel's and Miss Hays'on Friday torenoon and afternoon. Mr. McCulloch's division has progressed very much and has made decided improvent in all the branches of study, notwithstanding he has laboured under so many disadvantages. At the close several valuable prizes were distributed according to merit. A keen competition of the business is prepared to execute all orders given himpromptly and efficiently and at moderate prices. Also on hand a coording to merit. A keen competition generous. But my friend was right; it was the asking I fear, not the receiving.

Large and Varied Assortment

On York street,

Large and

purchasing enough at her own expense to give every child in her school a prize. At the close of her examination all ex-

The above was crowded out last week.]

About 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon last the substantial stone dwelling head, smiled contemptuously, and said, hears coupied by Mr. William Ross. "Oh, that's played out." That he was house occupied by Mr. William Ross, "I want you two fellows to knock your 3rd Con. Eldon, was discovered to be an intelligent man, or had been, was a ong h. ads together and see if you can on fire by a person who was passing at conversed with him; and those who had Looking at Mr Frowster's denuded skull, which was upplied with a formidable array of knots and knobs, I could not help thinking that it would be a most uncomfortable object to be in collision with. On that contral array and the state of his furniture and clothing and had no lision with. On that contral array and the state who is a state of his furniture and clothing and had no lision with. On that contral array array and the state who is a state which were left him. He could also take up a book or treat which he lision with. On that gentleman's mind the metaphor produced a different effect; he glared at Adolphus, and half rose, then commandian binarel soil with the commandian binarel soil with the commandian binarel soil with the soil soil with the soil with the

There are several names mentioned calm severity,—

"If you imply (for I confess your as likely to be candidates for municipal language is somewhat incomprehensible; how is for the ensuing year. A mong—if you imply a wish that I should those many as a spirant for the Reeventuce of the spiral of the spi commune with your friend, I will make ship and Me as Archd. Campbell, meanor. He was five feet nine in height, two observations,—arst, that I should John Gum, Ashman and R. Arm- well formed and proportioned, with an imagine you had had shough or extra- strong; Mr. Alex. McDonald is spoken overhanging forehead and deeply seated professional advice; and second, that of as a candidate for the Deputy Reeve our firm confers only with principals or the ship, and Messrs. J. Birmingham, Dugald their agents."

ship, and Messrs. J. Birmingham, Dugald McEachern, Jno. Thornberry, L. Currie and Archd. H. Cambell for Councillors.

"All right, there is no difficulty; I'll Mr. John McArthur, carpenter, while

Communications. THE HANGMAN. KIRKFIELD TO THE FORE. but compactly built. SIR, -In your issue of the 12th inst-Sir, —In your issue of the 12th inst-and wore the regulation dress made I noticed a rather strange article over from two fabrics of different colors. At the signature of "Orion." Its strange a few minutes to eight o'clock, the apness consisted principally in its untruth-"Orion" of ancient tore or a vagrant this trying ordeal he passed without a sign that he comprehended the nature ed to this world of progress, I can well understand his remarkable ignorance of things terrestial when he makes such a wonderful gusto over that insignificant hamlet on the Victoria Road which he stepped out than a death-like pallor calls Victoriaville. I would advise Mr. "Orion" not to blow his Sac-but too much lest he may burst his "Bands," if they were not already badly fractured if they were not already badly fractured in the fall in such a rocky region. Ye astronomers! what were ye all about to break down. He shook with ill concealed emotion, while his countenance that did not discover that "Orion" has "Dolly's eyes opened very wide. "I "With all my heart—my name is don't quite understand," he said (and it as y," cried Adoiphus, jumping up; is odd how hardly some men can understand, and the lawyer made no objection. The did not discovered and increase that the discovered state of the same vacantness prospects of a wonderful incubation on the Victoria Road. His intentions are east though the thoughts of his immost big: his dreams profound. It is truly amusing to see him boast so much over HE ASCENDED THE FIRST FEW STEPS the liberality in things religious of the Victoriavillians. Had he said their in- in this timid and hesitating manner,

> Victoriaville, The people of Kirkfield have already the Sheriff, in a tremulous voice : "Will raised a respectable bonus for a grist you allow me to die on my knees?" mill in the village, to which one man and was answered, "Most certainsubscribed \$120, and several went as ly." He was then asked if he high as \$50, the maximum offered by a had anything to say, and an-Mr. A. Campbell, of Victoriaville, whose swered he had not, but raising his Mr. A. Campbell, of Victoriaville, whose swered offer your correspondent considered so eyes to heaven, and with a look and voice of exceeding great fervour, he has been accepted by an enterprising condition and the writer illies of exceeding great fervour, he prayed: "God be merciful unto me, Canadian, and the grist mill is now under contract. If the people of Victoria Road and their enterprising Englishman wish to invest their money to better advantage, I would beg leave to suggest to them the propriety of investing it in a Stone Cracker, to which I coasider they would be able to investing it in a stone Cracker, to which I coasider they would be able to investing it in a stone Cracker, to which I coasider they would be able to investing it in a stone Cracker, to which I coasider they would be able to investing it in a stone contract. Canadian, and the grist mill is now unwould be able to give more constant employment, as their locality is mere .ruit-ful in the necessary produce.
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> Vessias,

Eldon, Dec'r 19th, 1873. THE OMEMEE HIGH SCHOOL.

(To the Editor of THE CANADIAN POST.) SIR,—As will be seen by advertisenent in your columns, instructions have been issued by the Department of Pubic Instruction, intimating that the next examination for the admittance of pupils to the High Schools of Ontario will be held on Wednesday, the 7th day of January next, at 9 o'clock, and that all he had uttered the words who desire then to be admitted have done," the bolt was drawn and James been required to give notice to the Public School Inspectors on or before the 15th day of the present month. Under the 4th Regulation of the Council of ped round to the back of his neck, and tended to prolong his life. He moved Public Instruction in regard to these entrance examinations, all Local Boards of Examiners have the option of printing their own examination papers, embracing all the subjects to the extent prescribed, and of such a character as shall elicit a competent knowledge of ners at Umemee exercise this option, and will, therefore, on the present occasion as heretofore, make provision for the admitting of all who, on the day appointed for examination, shall prove themselves duly qualified whether they

EXECUTION OF BRENTON.

CLOSING SCENES .- A VIRTUAL CONFES-

SION.

James Brenton was hanged at Peterborn' last Friday morning, for the murder of Mrs. Payne, and the boy Doughty in the the township of Dummer, on the the 14th Nov., 1872. Brenton, says the Review from which we quote, was born in the township of Sydney, in the County of Hastings, some time between the years 1818 and 1821, and was conseand if you think I can be of any use I might drop in to look for you, eh!"

"Thanks old fellow; we'll settle that services for the coming year. But Miss quently between 50 and 55 years of age. have been the point of attraction for the his parents were christian people, and strove to "train him up in the way he should go," and for a number of years their prayers and labours seemed to be crowned with specess. He was a libratrustees provided \$20 worth of prizes rian or some such officer in the Sabbath but got so little from the department School at Belleville, and also a member School at Belleville, and also a member enough to go round the school, but Miss Hays remedied this deficiency by

His parents are presumed, from remarks he has let fall in his more communicative moods, to have been Baptists; but pressed themselves well pleased with both teachers and scholars and are bership of any Christian denomination. expecting far greater improvements next | The first 17 years of his life were spent year when we get our new school house at home, or as a clerk in Belleville, and built. from that time until a few years since On Thursday Miss M. E. fully's from that time until a rew years since school in S. S. No. 4, Verulam, was nothing is known of him. He says that school in S. S. No. 4, vertically was closed after a large number of prizes he afterwards taught school part of the being distributed, all ather own expense, time, but nothing definite is known. He left a respectable young man and reseven years services, taking with her the highest wishes and highest praises of all with whom she was acquainted both a clearur realist. sister living somewhere in the west. He was always very reticent in matters

> obtained. CONDUCT IN GAOL. On one occasion a gentleman visited

difficulty that any information could be

him, and in asking questions drew out some paper to write his answers down usual, is trying to mystify its readers on | violent passion, and ordered the gentleman out of his presence or "he would make short work of him." Nor would he again become reco. ciled, though efforts were made to induce him to'do so. He constantly said he was ready to die, but it could not be ascertained that he really understood his position. He said frequently that he prayed when by himself, and on the first occasion mentioned above he was asked to pray, and did so for a considerable time with much earn-estness and fervor. He was thoroughly conversant with the Holy Scriptures, and could recollect and quote passages with astonishing accuracy. He fre-quently said that portions of the Bible were "played out," and when the Com-mandment "Thou shalt do no murder" was once quoted to him, he tossed his had read and go over, one after another, the passages which had pleased him, such was the grasp of his memory. HIS APPEARANCE. There has been no more perceptible

change in his appearance since his incarceration than there has been in his devery long, and brushed back from his forehead. He had a nervous way of running his hands through it. whiskers and moustache were brown and irregular. His appearance except when in a passion was not altogether unprepossessing, or in any way repulsive.

was the same who officiated at the execution of Nesbit, in Lindsay, on Monday last. He was rather short in stature pointed time everything was in readiness and the executioner proceeded to pinion the arms of the criminal. Through of the proceeding. He was then marched out through the corridors to the door opening into the gaol yard. To this nt he proceeded with a firm step and undaunted visage, but no sooner had he overspread his countenance and he trembled violently. He placed his foot on the first step of the stairway leading

certainly could not dispute him as their and quickened his pace to a run. But liberality is yet untried, but we read of it was evident that it was labored; his a road leading to a worse place than the limbs seemed leath to obey his will. As " paved with good in- soon as he reached the platform he was directed where to stand. He asked and cause Thy face to shine upon me, prayed again, using the same words, dwelling with prolonged emphasis on the word "me," which in the Psalm containing these words is rendered "us." He therefore made a direct application of the prayer of David to his own case. After which he prayed, and he Rev'd Mr. Carroll asked you sorry for what you have done?"
He replied, "I look to Jesus for mercy and pardon." While his legs were being bound he repeated the same prayer twice with unspeakable feeling, which showed plainly that he now fully realized his dreadful position. The Rev. Mr. Figh was then said. The Rev. Mr. Fish was then asked to repeat the Lord's Prayer—the murderer himself continuing to pray—and when Fox was launched into eternity! The fall was 51 feet, and though the neck was broken by the fall, yet as the noose was not drawn quite tight enough it sliphis legs once or twice, then a violent

moved into the gaol to awaid the Coroner's inquest, which was held at 10 a.m., and a verdict in accordance with the

tremor passed through him and all was

still. His pulse continued to beat for

extinct. It is supposed that he did not

die hard, as consciousness must have departed almost instantaneously. He

was allowed to hang for half an hour

when he was cut down and his body re-

have given the notice asked for or not, and thereby dispense with a piece of circuitous formality.

Truly yours,
John Shaw,
Head Master High School, Omemee.
Omemee, 24th Decr., 1873.

N. B.—The Omemee Schools have contributed five more to the staff of teachers sent out by them—two. Wisseness of the contributed five more to the staff of teachers sent out by them—two. Wisseness of the contributed five more to the staff of teachers sent out by them—two. Wisseness of teachers sent out by the more of the sent of teachers sent out by the more of the sent of teachers sent out to the sent of teachers sent out to the sent of th

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