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 ronto, 1884; R. M. O. V. M. A.
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 offer both in fruits and ornamentals, and
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 or salary, give exclusive territory and pay
 weekly. Write to us at once and secure
 choice of territory.

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JOHN AUSTIN, Agent.

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 ital combined, \$45,000,000.
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 extraction. Visits the McArthur House,
 Fenelon Falls, the third Tuesday of every
 month. Call in the forenoon, if possible.
 Office in Lindsay nearly opposite the Simp-
 son House.

Gladstone and the Lords.

HE WILL SPEAK HIS MIND ON SEPT-
 EMBER 27TH TO THE ELECTORS OF
 MIDLOTHIAN.

New York, Sept. 17th.—A special
 London cable to the *Sun* says:

The campaign against the House of
 Lords, growing out of the rejection of
 the Home Rule Bill, has not vigorously
 begun yet, although the lines are indi-
 cated by the Liberal newspapers through-
 out the kingdom. One description of
 the Upper House, which it is urged may
 appropriately serve as its epitaph, is
 widely quoted. It is from the pen of
 Mr. Chamberlain, and is:

"During the last hundred years the
 House of Lords has never contributed
 one iota to the popular liberties or popu-
 lar freedom, or done anything to ad-
 vance the commonwealth. During that
 time it has protected every abuse and
 sheltered every privilege. It has denied
 justice and delayed reform. It is irre-
 sponsible without independency, obsti-
 nate without courage, arbitrary without
 judgment, and arrogant without know-
 ledge."

The National Liberal Federation has
 issued a manifesto denouncing their
 lordships, but its tone is not particu-
 larly robust, and there is nothing in it
 of the character of a call to arms.
 Everybody is waiting for a cue from
 Mr. Gladstone, but as yet he has given
 no sign, and an enquirer at the Liberal
 headquarters in London to-day was in-
 formed that nothing was known there of
 Mr. Gladstone's reported intention to
 issue a manifesto.

Horrible Double Murder.

MEXICAN OUTLAWS KILL A RANCHMAN
 BY DISMEMBERING HIM.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 15.—A
 horrible double murder occurred on the
 Van Horn ranch near Del Rio, Texas,
 a few days ago. Twelve Mexican out-
 laws visited the ranch, on which lived
 an American and his little son. Hav-
 ing overpowered the man and plundered
 the house of everything of value and
 failing to find any money, they bound
 the ranchman and threatened to take
 his life if he did not tell them where he
 had his money concealed. He told
 them he had none. They cut off one of
 his arms above the elbow with a hatch-
 et. They commanded him again to
 reveal the whereabouts of his hidden
 wealth, but he could not convince them
 that he had none, so they cut off his
 other arm and cut his body in a score
 of places. Then they split his head

open with the hatchet, seized the boy,
 cut his throat from ear to ear and rolled
 off, leaving the bodies to be devoured
 by vultures and coyotes. The rangers
 have captured two of the outlaws.

A Strange Experience.

Bernard Quist, a white-haired Scan-
 dinavian boy, aged seven years, is prob-
 ably the only human being living, or
 who ever did live, to undergo the experi-
 ence of being swallowed by a monster
 serpent and escaping alive. The inci-
 dent occurred at Baraboo, Wisconsin,
 where a large menagerie had wintered.
 Among the curiosities were several enor-
 mous boa-constrictors, one, it is said,
 exceeding thirty feet in length. Young
 Bernard took a boyish interest in ob-
 serving the proceedings, and, despite
 the warnings of the men engaged in the
 work of transferring the serpents from
 one cage to another, persisted in hang-
 ing about the place. While changing
 the quarters of one of the smaller ser-
 pents, a faint cry was heard, but the
 men were so busy handling their dan-
 gerous charge that they did not give
 immediate attention, and it was some
 minutes ere a bystander noticed that
 the largest boa-constrictor had seized
 the boy and was in the act of swallow-
 ing him. Of course, there were shouts
 for help and an immediate rush of the
 attendants ensued, but at first glance
 young Quist seemed beyond the reach
 of human assistance, for the boa had
 swallowed him head first as far as the
 knees. A large rope was procured and
 fastened around the body of the serpent
 just below the point where the boy's
 head was supposed to be, and willing
 hands tightening the noose, further ef-
 forts on the part of the snake to con-
 tinue swallowing were rendered futile.
 Bars of iron were procured and the
 reptile's jaws were pried asunder and
 the boy dragged forth more dead than
 alive. He soon revived under the care
 of a physician and was sent home, where
 his mother first cried at the thought of
 what might have been his terrible fate,
 and then thrashed him soundly for
 going about the menagerie, a spot she
 had strictly forbidden him to visit.
 Bernard will get well; indeed, he has
 already recovered, for he is again going
 to school; but it is not likely that he
 will forget the experience of being en-
 gulfed in a boa-constrictor's maw.

Cucumber Snakes.

Down in Miles River Neck, Talbot
 County, there is a spot where the aver-
 age Chinese would delight to dwell. It
 is a place where Chinese cucumbers
 grow to an enormous size. This vege-
 table, however, assumes sometimes a
 shape which frightens the natives of the
 neighborhood, in spite of the fact that
 Talbot is a local option county. The
 cucumber grows long and slim, and at
 times twists itself into coils resembling
 a snake. A man going from Easton
 the other day to Miles River Ferry, in
 passing a little clearing in the woods,
 noticed a green looking object in a patch
 of vegetables, and got over the fence to
 make a closer examination. He almost
 fainted. Another citizen came along
 soon afterward. The first man had re-
 vived and was leaving the patch at a
 Nancy Hanks gait. When accosted he
 said to his friend, "Been bit by a snake;
 woods full of 'em." Citizen No. 2 per-
 suaded the frightened man to go back,
 and upon examination the snake proved
 to be a Chinese cucumber, about twenty-
 seven inches long, which in the course
 of growth had twisted itself up in the
 form of a snake. The cucumber was
 sent to the American office by express
 yesterday. It was grown on the farm
 of L. W. Trail, of Miles River Neck,
 and its shape is perfectly snakelike.
 Mr. Trail, it is said, has a quarter of
 an acre of them. The Chinese cucum-
 ber is not eaten to any extent in this
 country, except by the Chinese and a
 few foolish cows. The former, however,
 import them in a dried condition from
 their native land, as they do stale eggs
 and other odorous luxuries. The Chin-
 ese like to see cucumbers grow, and
 they often cultivate them in their yards
 in the cities over here. The snakelike
 appearance of the vegetable does not
 frighten the slant-eyed foreigner, as he
 would eat with relish a green garter-
 snake if he didn't happen to have any-
 thing else handy.—Baltimore American.

Two men in the London district were
 fined for shooting ducks before sunrise.
 They knew nothing about the "suuri e"
 regulation. Slow-going people often
 suffer through not reading the news-
 papers.