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—OF THE—  
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The next sittings of the above Court will  
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ON THURSDAY, APRIL 27th, 1899,  
commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.  
Saturday, April 15th, will be the last day  
of service on defendants residing in this  
county. Defendants living in other coun-  
ties must be served on or before April 11th.  
S. NEVISON, E. D. HAND,  
Bailliff. Clerk.  
Fenelon Falls, Jan'y 19th, 1899.

## WHAT SHALL I GIVE ?

That ever recurring pleasant Christmas perplexity "What Shall I Give?" is here again. It's so easy to give a present, but so hard to select something that will be really appreciated. It's well to remember that something *useful* gives the greatest satisfaction and pleasure. If it contributes to the *personal comfort* of the recipient that's ever so much better. Our stock of

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How about a pair of warm Overshoes or Overgaiters for the ladies? We have a good selection of these at prices that make them an object to the buyer.

Little ones are always delighted with new shoes. Why not send Santa around with a pair?

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) ( this paper, call and see what we are  
) ( doing in Suits and Overcoats for the  
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## Preparing to Invade England.

A London despatch of Feb. 4th says that an alleged interview with the French Minister of Marine, M. Lockroy, has created considerable stir in some quarters in London, as it is held to show that France has in nowise buried the hatchet, but is determined to attack Great Britain at the first opportunity. These French menaces seem to accord with confidential information to the effect that military and naval circles here are convinced that France means war. Secret advices, it appears, have been received at the British War Office showing that the French authorities are noiselessly preparing for the struggle. In fact, it is even said the Napoleonic idea of an invasion of Great Britain is revolving in the minds of the French military authorities, and at the present moment a gradual but silent movement of troops is said to be proceeding toward the northeastern coast of France, where in two months' time, it is asserted, about 150,000 men will be concentrated. The British war authorities are determined not to wait France's convenience, but to call her hand, as they did in the Fashoda incident, and will declare that they regard this concentration of troops as an act of war. In the meantime, the British navy is paying the greatest attention to gunnery. The channel squadron this week has been engaged every morning in firing practice at moving targets. The results are being carefully noted.

## Imputing Methods to Mr. Sifton.

Unable to find fault with the Galicians themselves, and not daring to censure the Government for bringing them into the country, the *Telegram* affects to believe that Mr. Sifton has concocted a deep plot to hive the foreigners and thereby locate in the Northwest a solid colony of voters upon whom he can rely at an election. The *Telegram's* worship of the untamed terror of the West, Mr. Martin, and its jealous hatred of the less offensive man whom Sir Wilfrid preferred, Mr. Sifton, is leading that journal into hysterical nonsense. Of course it was a crime for Mr. Sifton to corral these immigrants for Canada. And of course, having captured them, he should have ruthlessly disbanded and distributed them all over this half of the continent. Of course he should have made it impossible for more than four of them to gather in one church, in one school-house or in one settlement. To allow them to settle down near together is a crime, for it will enable Mr. Sifton to herd to the polls several hundred or several thousand sturdy men who suffered all sorts of persecution and finally left their native land rather than submit to the exactions of absolutism. These men who defied the tyranny of their own land and who refused to submit to coercion at home, will of course meekly bow to the will of Mr. Sifton, who can bring no power to bear nor coerce them in any way. Mr. Sifton, of course, has had no idea that he was doing his duty or serving his country's interest in bringing the foreigners here. He conceived the idea and carried it out solely to colonize them as voters. His motives were evil and he will see that his wicked intentions succeed.

Canada and the country's good be hang-  
ed! Sifton must triumph, no matter  
who is sacrificed. This is the *Tele-  
gram's* view. Seriously, does not the  
*Telegram* see that its hatred of Mr. Sif-  
ton is leading it to extremes? Is it  
not possible that Mr. Sifton can have  
some good motives, and that in placing  
the persecuted, downtrodden Galicians  
together in three or four colonies, alter-  
nating with other races, he is disposing  
of them in the only way which will en-  
able them to preserve their spirits and  
make them contented, happy people?—  
*Toronto Star.*

## Whisky in a Mail Car.

A protest was lodged against the elec-  
tion of Wm. J. Allen, the Conservative  
member for North Hastings. The ex-  
traordinary charges are:

That J. P. Whitney, M. P. P., H.  
Corby, M. P., M. B. Morrison, M. P.  
P., and W. B. Northrup, M. P., during  
the campaign "did in the mail car on  
the train on the Central Ontario Rail-  
way and at the stations, and by other  
persons, agents of Wm. John Allen,  
supply large quantities of whisky and  
other intoxicating liquor to meetings of  
electors assembled to promote the elec-  
tion of the said William John Allen,  
and to other persons at other times,  
voters in said electoral district.

"That Mr. Allen himself had in his  
possession in his conveyance and in the  
possession of his agents, large quantities  
of whisky and other intoxicating liquor,  
which were carried from place to place  
and were used when canvassing.

"That shortly prior to said election  
and on the election day the St. Anthony  
Lumber Co., of which Edward C. Whitney  
is President, and of which J. P.  
Whitney is a shareholder, by their fore-  
men, agents and servants, did make use  
of restraint, and did by threat of dis-  
missal from the company's employ and  
of other injury, harm, damage or loss,  
prevent and hinder the employees of  
the said company who were opposed to  
said William John Allen from voting,  
at said election.

"That at the polling station at  
Bridgewater, W. R. Miller, the deputy  
returning officer, Frank J. Thompson,  
the reeve, and Dr. Harper of Madoc,  
did conspire to prevent voters from vot-  
ing by the pretence that the voters were  
ill with diphtheria, and that for that  
reason they were debarred from voting."

## Mr. Fisher as a Farmer.

A correspondent of the *Globe* writes  
from Richmond, in the eastern town-  
ships of Quebec:—

"The other day I read the strange,  
sneering article in the *Mail* on Hon.  
Mr. Fisher, in which he is described as  
a kid-glove farmer who learned his  
business at Cambridge University, Eng-  
land. This morning I have read the  
*Globe's* excellent reply. It is well  
known here in the eastern townships  
that Mr. Fisher is a gentleman of cul-  
ture, who, as a youth, deliberately de-  
termined that the best intellectual train-  
ing he could procure would be of ser-  
vice to him in the life business he pro-  
posed to follow, namely, farming, and  
to that end he went to Cambridge.  
But it is equally well known here that  
Mr. Fisher is emphatically not the mere  
farmer by proxy that the *Mail* and  
*Empire's* article would suggest. He  
has worked at every branch of farm  
work, not merely for amusement or for  
the experience, but for bread and but-  
ter! It is for this reason that Con-  
servative as well as Liberal farmers, in  
this section at any rate, hold Mr. Fish-  
er's opinions on questions of practical  
farming in the highest respect. The  
main points of an address on butter-  
making for the English market which  
he delivered at Richmond some six or  
seven years ago are quoted even to-day.  
It is further well-known that Mr. Fish-  
er is not a mere theorist in farming.  
He had a thorough training in practi-  
cal science, and his opinions are always  
arrived at after the due deliberative  
caution that the true scientific spirit  
engenders. In the face of these facts  
the *Mail* and *Empire's* article rings  
most falsely, and one can conceive of  
no other excuse for it than that of wil-  
ful ignorance."

The ratepayers of Orillia have passed  
a by-law to raise \$75,000 to instal an  
electric plant at Ragged Rapids, on the  
Seymour river, and transmit the current,  
nineteen miles, to the town. According  
to the estimates, the town will there-  
fore have the cheapest power and light in  
Canada.