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The Watchman. THURSDAY, APRIL 29th, 1897.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Diamond Jubilee in Schools. To the Editor of the WATCHMAN. Sir.—The minister of education has issued a circular to the inspectors recommending that the afternoon on Friday, June 18th, be devoted to a consideration of the most notable events in Her Majesty's reign, particularly those bearing upon the progress made in science, invention and education; and that the history of Canada in relation to the empire be considered in brief addresses by trustees and others whose services would no doubt be available.

relief that institution is intended to afford. As I heartily approve of the above mentioned proposals, I will thank you to insert this letter in your valuable paper.

To Prevent the Spread of Diphtheria. Sir.—Some people are very careless as to how they mingle with the public. On Saturday last while at the market I noticed a strong smell of disinfectants as if some person had come out of an infected house. There are quite a number of cases of diphtheria not far from town, and people having this disease should not mingle with the public; and further, if I can find any such person or persons mingling with the public, I will prosecute them to the limit of the law, unless they have a written certificate from their attending physician or M. H. O. to do so.

That G. T. R. Horse Case in Minden. Sir.—I happened to be in Lindsay on Monday and picked up a copy of the Evening Post containing a report of the case tried in Minden. Now, as I was at the trial I wondered a little how a case tried in Minden on the afternoon of Friday could appear in a paper printed in Lindsay on Saturday, and so I read the report and concluded that it was written by the lawyer for the G. T. R., because it brings out every point that could be made against the plaintiffs and glosses over the neglect of the railroad. As your readers may not have observed it, and as it contains a question of law of considerable importance to people owning land along the railroad, I will give you a short statement of it.

The Weather. Report for week ending Saturday night, April 24th, 1897. TEMPERATURE. Highest... 73.6 Friday; Lowest... 13.8 Tuesday; Warmest day, mean of... 63.75 Saturday; Coldest... 25.3 Tuesday.

The Will. We all know that the older the seed the worse the crop, and the fresher from the hand of God the little mind the deeper we can stamp on it ideas of purity and truth.

Lindsay Markets. GRAIN. Fall Wheat per bushel... 0.75 to 0.75; Fyfe Wheat do do... 0.70 to 0.70; Spring do do... 0.70 to 0.70; Goose do do... 0.65 to 0.65.

Sudden Death of an Unknown Scotchman. On Saturday afternoon an unfortunate Scotchman named McKenzie arrived in town from Fenelon Falls in search of employment. He was without money and without friends. In the evening he visited the store of Mr. Alex. Cairns and explained his position. Mr. Keith, treasurer of the Sons of Scotland, was informed of his case and at once took him to

the Central house and arranged for his keep until Monday morning. After partaking of a light supper, he sat around for an hour, when he was shown to a room and retired for the night apparently all right. The following morning a domestic tried the door, which was locked, and supposed the room was unoccupied. Sunday in this hotel is certainly a day of rest and little or no business is transacted, and there was no one connected with the hotel around to notice whether McKenzie was about or not. On Monday forenoon the room was still locked and the domestic could not gain an entrance. On being informed Mr. Mauger at once became uneasy and sent a man up stairs to investigate, when McKenzie was found lying cold in death on the bed.

Toronto Live Stock Market. Milch cows, each... \$20.00 to \$35.00; Export cattle, per cwt... 3.75 to 4.25; Butchers' choice cattle, cwt... 3.50 to 3.75; Butcher's ord. to good cattle cwt... 3.00 to 3.25; Bulls, per cwt... 3.00 to 3.20; Feeders per cwt... 3.25 to 3.75; Stockers per cwt... 3.25 to 3.40; Sheep, per cwt... 3.00 to 3.50; Yearling lambs, per cwt... 5.50 to 6.00; Spring lambs, each... 3.00 to 5.00; Calves, per head... 5.00 to 5.15; Choice bacon hogs, cwt... 4.50 to 4.75; Thick fat hogs per cwt... 4.50 to 4.55; Light fat hogs, per cwt... 3.00 to 3.25; Stags, per cwt... 2.00 to 2.25.

Toronto Farmer's Market. Wheat, white... 0.77 to 0.80; " red... 0.76 to 0.80; " goose... 0.63 to 0.63; Buckwheat... 0.32 to 0.32; Rye... 0.31 to 0.31; Oats... 0.26 to 0.27; Peas... 0.42 to 0.42; Barley... 0.25 to 0.25; Hay... 12.00 to 14.00; Straw... 7.00 to 8.75; Dressed hogs... 5.25 to 6.50.

Toledo Clover Seed Market. Market dull, but steady; prime, cash and April, \$4.35; October, \$4.40; No. 2, \$3.90 Receipts, 54 bags; shipments, 360 bags.

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Crem per qt. 0.20 to 0.20; Sage per bunch... 0.05 to 0.05; Lard per lb... 0.09 to 0.10; Straw per load... 1.50 to 2.00; Timothy... 1.25 to 1.85; Clover, Alsike, per bus... 3.00 to 4.50; Clover, Red... 4.00 to 4.80; Hides—Beef... 5.00 to 6.00; Wood—dry, beech and maple 2 ft... 4.00 to 4.00; Tamarac long... 2.50 to 2.50; Tamarac short... 3.00 to 3.00; Soft wood... 2.00 to 2.00; Sheep skins... 0.50 to 0.80; Tallow... 0.3 to 0.33.

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-42 Men's All-Wool Tweed, ranging in prices from \$7 to \$10, sale price \$5
-187 Men's Scotch and English Tweed, ranging in prices from \$10.50 to \$14, sale price \$7.90
-75 Men's Black Worsteds Venetian and English Twill Suits, with Plain or Stripe Pants \$12.50 to \$16, sale price \$8.75
-40 Men's Black Worsteds Venetian and English Twill, regular price \$9 to \$11, sale price \$6.50
-72 Youth's Suits, regular price \$4.50 to \$6.50, sale price \$3
-25 Youth's Blue Serge Suits, regular price \$3.50, sale price \$2.25
-The best Youth's Suits in the house, worth \$11 for \$6.90
-Boy's All-Wool Halifax Tweed Suits 95c.
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-Boy's All-Wool Scotch Tweed Suits, pleated, all patterns, regular price from \$4 to \$5.50, sale price \$2.50 to \$3
-Boy's Blue Serge Blouse Suits, regular price \$1.25, for 69c, and 75c.
-Boy's Blue Serge Blouse Suits, regular price \$1.50, for 95c.
-Boy's All-Wool Serge Blouse Suits, regular price \$2 for \$1.35
-25 dozen Boy's Knicker Pants, all sizes, Blue and Grey, for 19c., worth 40c.
-10 dozen Men's Pants, heavy Tweed, regular price \$1.20, sale price 69c.
-Men's All-Wool Pants, heavy Tweed, regular \$1.25, sale price 85c.
-Men's All-Wool Pants, heavy Tweed, regular price \$1.50, sale price \$1
-Heavy Linen Collars, 3-ply stand up and turn down, 3 for 25c.
-Heavy Linen Collars, 4-ply 2 1/2 stand up and long point and cut away turn down, 2 for 25c.
-187 Men's Scotch and English Tweed, ranging in prices from \$10.50 to \$14, sale price \$7.90
-Washing Ties in White, Pink, Blue, regular price 10c, sale price 5c.
-Washing Ties in Linen, assorted patterns, regular price 15c. for 7c.
-Silk Ties four-in-hand and knots, regular price 20c., sale price 10c.
-Silk Ties four-in-hand and knots, regular price 25c., sale price 2 for 25c.
-25c. Bow Ties 15c.; 35c. Bow Ties 20c. each
-Men's All-Wool Rib Top Sox, oc. pair or 3 for 25c.
-Men's Black Cashmere Sox, regular price 35c., sale price 20c.
-Men's Black Cotton Sox, fast color, price 15c., sale price 3 for 25c.
-Men's Heavy Braces, regular price 20c., sale price 10c. a pair
-Men's fine Braces, regular price 25c., sale price 15c.
-Men's fine Braces with drawer supporters and Kid Trimmings, regular price 30c., sale price 25c.
-Boy's Braces, regular price 10c., sale price 5c.
-Men's Black Sateen Shirts, regular price 50c. sale price 35c.
-Men's Black Sateen Shirts, regular price 60c. sale price 45c.
-Men's Black Sateen Shirts, extra heavy and medium weights, regular price \$1.25, for 85c.
-Men's Flannellet Shirts, regular price 25c., for 15c.
-Men's White Laundried Shirts, regular price 50c., for 37c.
-Men's White Laundried Shirts, regular price 75c., for 50c.
-Men's White Laundried Shirts, regular price \$1 for 69c.
-Men's Dresden Shirts, latest New York patterns, regular price \$1.50 for \$95c.
-Men's Cambric Shirts, 2 collars and cuffs, a few odd sizes, to clear at 50c.
-Men's Summer Shirts and Drawers, regular price 30c., sale price 18c.
-Men's Merino Shirts and Drawers, regular price 35c., sale price 20c.
-Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, thread, regular price 50c., sale price 25c.
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