

TORONTO & NIPISSING RAILWAY.
 Trains going South—9:05, a.m.; 6:55, a.m.
 2:30, p.m.
 Trains going North—11:05, a.m.; 3:15, p.m.;
 7:25 p.m.

HIGHLAND RAILWAY OF CANADA.
 Trains going North—2:30, p.m.
 Trains going South—1:15, p.m.

The Advocate.
 "Pro Bono Publico."
 WOODVILLE, FEB. 19, 1889.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

The Public Accounts for the fiscal year ending the 30th June, 1879, were presented to the House last Friday night. The principal items of interest in the Consolidated Fund Expenditure are as follows:—

Interest on Public Debt, Charges of Manage- ment' etc.	\$ 8,604,000
Civil Government	861,170
Administration of Justice	577,900
Mounted Police	315,000
Pensionaries	308,500
Legislation	748,000
Immigration	212,000
India, etc.	777,700
Steam Packet Service	398,900
Lighthouse and Coast Service	447,600
Public Works and Build- ings	1,016,600
Transports	489,400
Charges on Revenue	5,516,500

The principal items of income are:—Custom, \$12,900,000; Excise, \$5,390,000; Post Office, \$1,172,400, and Public Works, \$1,863,000. The total Consolidated Fund expenditure was \$4,549,590, and the revenue \$22,611,000, showing a deficit of \$1,900,000. Expenditure on the Pacific Rail- way was \$2,240,000, and on the Wel- land Canal \$1,553,000; the total ex- penditure on capital account for Public Works being \$5,948,000.

RUSSIA is making a very significant addition to her fleet in the Pacific Ocean. She is also making arrange- ments for a steamship line connecting San Francisco with ports in Asiatic Russia.

In connection with the enlargement of the Agricultural College at Guelph, a temporary suggestion that the dairy department should receive special atten- tion as our farmers have greater room for improvement in that line than in any other. The Kingdom of Denmark, though poor in soil and limited in extent, has a dairy college, where both students receive a practical training, the result of which is shown in the fact that large exports of Danish butter bring five cents a pound more than our butter in the British market, and cost more than the common Canadian article. This superiority is almost entirely due to the skill of the Danes in their branch. It does not pay to make inferior quality, and the suggestion for thorough instruction in this art is an excellent one.

AFTER much trouble and great ex- pense the Grand Trunk Railway has been able to open its extension from Huron to Chicago, a distance of 1,712 miles. The new connection will be hereafter, says the Boston Herald, in connection with other roads of the North Western Grand Trunk, and will give that railway 1,712 miles of railway in Canada and the United States. The paper quoted, concludes its article in the following words:—"We most sincerely hope the Grand Trunk has a more brilliant future before it than its past has had. Since it came under the manage- ment of Capt. Tyler, its London Press and Mr. Hickson, its prospects and its management, have greatly improved. And though not wish it a future that will en- able it to pay dividends upon its treasury to pay dividends upon \$10,000,000 or \$160,000,000 that have been largely squandered upon its extension in the past, we trust that its financial condition will show a great improvement upon the last year."

Notes and News.

THE Franco-German war is estimated to have cost France three thousand million dollars, exclusive of the damage done to commerce and industry.

TWO FREIGHT trains on the Canada Southern Railway came into collision, about three miles west of Tilsonburg, Friday morning, smashing two engines and twelve cars. The train hands escaped unhurt.

THE fact that Germany is massing 40,000 men on the Dutch frontier, ostensibly for the purpose of preventing smuggling, is taken, in the present, unsettled and excited state of Europe as an indication that Bismarck has in contemplation the annexation of Holland and Belgium.

ONE of the coming advertisements will doubtless read to this effect: John Doe, tattooer to Her Majesty, is now prepared to tattoo ladies' and gentlemen's noses in the most recherche style. Satisfaction warranted to all noses or the money refunded. Liberal discount to pug noses. Tattooing of verses of scripture, in old English text, upon clergymen's noses a specialty. Refers, by permission, to the two sons of the Prince of Wales.

THE Rapid City Enterprise, the latest journalistic venture in the North-West is quite a presentable sheet. Among the advertisements is one which would seem to indicate that Rapid City would be a good place for ladies in want of husbands to emigrate to. It is headed "Wife Wanted," and goes on to state: "By a bachelor of means. Must be amiable and affectionate and able to cook a good square meal. Beauty and money not so much an object as sound common sense and an even temper. Must be prepared to marry within three months. No great objection to a widow without encumbrance."

THE French Republic is doing great things in the direction of popular education, as every Government based upon free institutions must, if it is to be permanent. According to the measure introduced by M. Jules Ferry, Minister of Education, education is to be compulsory between the ages of six and thirteen, and it to be carried on under the auspices of local committees. Education may either be in the free public schools or in private establishments, if preferred by the parents. Two hundred millions of francs are asked for, about four times the amount annually devoted to education under the Empire. About fifty thousand new school houses have been put up and more are being built. The masses of the people are warmly in favor of the measure. The defeat at the hands of the educated Germans has probably had not a little effect in convincing the French of the need of free public institutions.

THE Globe of Tuesday last contained the following paragraph with reference to the controverted election in South Ontario:—"The petition against the return of Mr. F. W. Glen for South Ontario in September, 1878, has been set finally at rest by a judgment of the Supreme Court in favor of the sitting member. Nobody but Mr. Gibbs and his friends thought it possible that Mr. Glen could be unseated, and Mr. Justice Galt, in his judgment on the case, summarily disposed of all the charges against him. That judgment has now been confirmed by the Supreme Court, and Mr. Gibbs will have the satisfaction of paying all the costs incurred on account of both petition and appeal." By the digest of the judgment, which was delivered at great length, it will be seen that there were no less than 103 original charges of corruption either by the respondent or his agents, but appeal was only taken in nine, and had these been allowed, it would have proved a severe check on the benevolence and liberality of any intending candidates for parliamentary honors. All Mr. Glen's donations for religious or charitable purposes, and even his gift of a few trees to a cemetery in which a friend was buried, were construed into acts of bribery; but Chief Justice Ritchie scouted the absurd idea, declared the charges one by one to be not proven, and dismissed the appeal with costs. All the other judges concurred in the opinion of the Chief Justice, and Mr. Glen's election was confirmed.

A CORRESPONDENT by the name of John C. Wilson, writing to the Orillia Times, says:—"I inclose 25 cents, for

which please continue my Times for the period you speak of in the last number published. I would renew my subscrip- tion for the year only for the very great change of circumstances that I expect one year to bring. If I am right in what I expect—and it seems impossible that I should be wrong to any great extent—this is the year of the resurrec- tion. No one can prove that great event to be any farther off, and so much is said in the Bible of the secret ap- proach of the time of it that the major- ity of people suppose the time to be con- cealed beyond discovery. "As a snare shall it come on them that dwell on the face of the whole earth," means, as other parts of scripture show, not the entire human race, but only the great majority. But still, it is quite probable that no one, unless it be a special wit- ness like myself, will be able to feel quite sure of the time beforehand. The resurrection takes place in two parts, and the first of these is what is now to be expected. It is, in a manner, the time of the coming of the Lord, but His personal appearance takes place about five years afterwards. The intervening time is a time of judgment and trouble much spoken of in Scripture. These things being so near, everything but the fear of the Lord and good conduct is becoming daily less important.

OF all the the measures introduced during this session of the Ontario Legislature, there is none of greater importance or more general interest than the one affecting the jurisdiction of the Division Courts, which was in- troduced by the Provincial Secretary a week ago. The following is an outline of its leading provisions: Under the second clause the jurisdiction of these courts is extended to include all claims for the recovery of a debt or money de- manded, the amount or balance of which does not exceed \$200, there being an appeal, as hitherto, when the amount is over \$100. The clerks and bailiffs will be required to furnish additional secur- ity to cover the increased business. When the claim exceeds \$100, and in the contract any place is named as the place of payment, the action may be brought in the division in which the place of payment is situated, subject to change by the judge's order to the di- vision in which the defendant resided or carried on business at the time the action was brought. The trial may be by consent, in any division within the jurisdiction of the Division Court. In contested cases for more than \$100, the judge may order a fee of \$5 and not more than \$10 to be taxed to the suc- cessful party for the fee of the attorney employed by the said party to conduct the cause or defence. When the claim ex- ceeds \$100, and the party is dissatisfied with the decision of the judge, applica- tion may be made for a new trial in the Court of Appeal. The Lieut.-Governor is empowered to appoint an Inspector of Division Courts, with a maximum salary of \$1,500 and expenses. The appointment and dismissal of clerks and bailiffs is vested in the Lieut.-Governor. It is provided that nothing in the Act shall relieve the County Judge from his existing duties. Unless when the Lieut.-Governor shall, under this Act, appoint and remove officers of the Court, the judge shall appoint and, except when the appointment has been made by the Lieut.-Governor, remove such officers. Every judge shall report the number of commitments or- dered by him during the year. In the summoning of juries, those not called at one term shall be called before the next roll of persons liable to serve is recommenced, and so on until all the rolls have been gone through. The fees to be paid to the clerk of the Division Court are increased in all cases in which the claim does not exceed \$40, 2c.; be- tween \$40 and \$100, 5c.; over \$100, 10c., to be taxed and allowed as costs in the cause. The juror's fee is fixed at \$1.

THE Port Hope Times says at the last Millbrook Division Court a case was tried, which had much more of the humorous in it, than is ordinarily dis- coverable in a court of law. Mr. Mark Raper, who is proprietor of a hotel there, had promised Mr. Fallis \$1 a month if he would never enter his hotel door. Fallis took the hint, and only called around once a month to collect his dollar. But the hotel-keeper failed to pay. This bargain was kept up for several months, but still Fallis didn't get his dues, nor was he allowed to consume any mountain dew in that particular hostelry. Finally, after con- siderable urging and after a subscrip- tion to pay costs had been taken up, he sued Mr. Raper. Contrary to all ex- pectations of the litigants the judge gave judgment against "mine host," and there has been merriment thereat ever since.

Our Neighbours.

Fenelon Falls Winter Races will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, 25th and 26th inst.

SEVERAL of the County Councils are moving to do away with one of the Sessions, evidently thinking one meet- ing sufficient in the year.

MR. S. PHILIPS, of Cedar Dale, has sold, this season, the clover seed grown by him on 40 acres of land for over \$1,100, and the Oshawa Reformer says, "beat this who can."

THE Orangemen of North Ontario, at their annual meeting held last week at Port Perry, decided the celebration of the 12th of July next will take place at Port Perry. The next annual meet- ing is to be held at Cannington.

THE Port Hope Guide says, the clothes line in rear of the Royal were raided the other night by a thief who made off with a linen garment with frills which the owner described as a skirt, and as she was a lady we would not think of doubting that it was a skirt.

THE members of the Fenelon Falls brass band are making an effort to re-organize, and for several nights recent- ly have tooted away right merrily in Ingram's hall. On the 20th inst. they are going to Minden to play at a supper to be given by the Orangemen of the Haliburton District.

THREE cases of small-pox have been developed on the 3rd con. Markham, in a family by the name of Homer. The first, a young man, while butchering a hog on Monday last, remarked the hog had the small pox, from a show of dark spots on the lungs. While opening the hog he cut his hand slightly. In the evening he was taken sick. In a day or two after, two others were taken ill, when Dr. J. E. Langstaff was called in, and found unmistakable evidences of small-pox.

A SHORT time ago an enterprising female did a flourishing business in this and neighboring towns in taking orders for corsets. A flutter has been caused among the ladies by it being reported that she was a man cleverly disguised for the purpose. It is said that she has been arrested for masquerading in this fashion, by a peace officer who appre- hended him and took her before a mag- istrate, where he was accused of passing herself off on an unsuspecting commu- nity as a gentle member of the female persuasion. If he should escape she had better keep clear of this town, or he'll get every hair of her head pulled out by the ladies who patronized him, purchased her confounded corsets and helped him to earn a subsistence for her family. Oh, pshaw! we give it up. Our pro- nouns have got mixed, but what we mean to say is, that she deserves to have his ears boxed.—Oshawa Reformer.

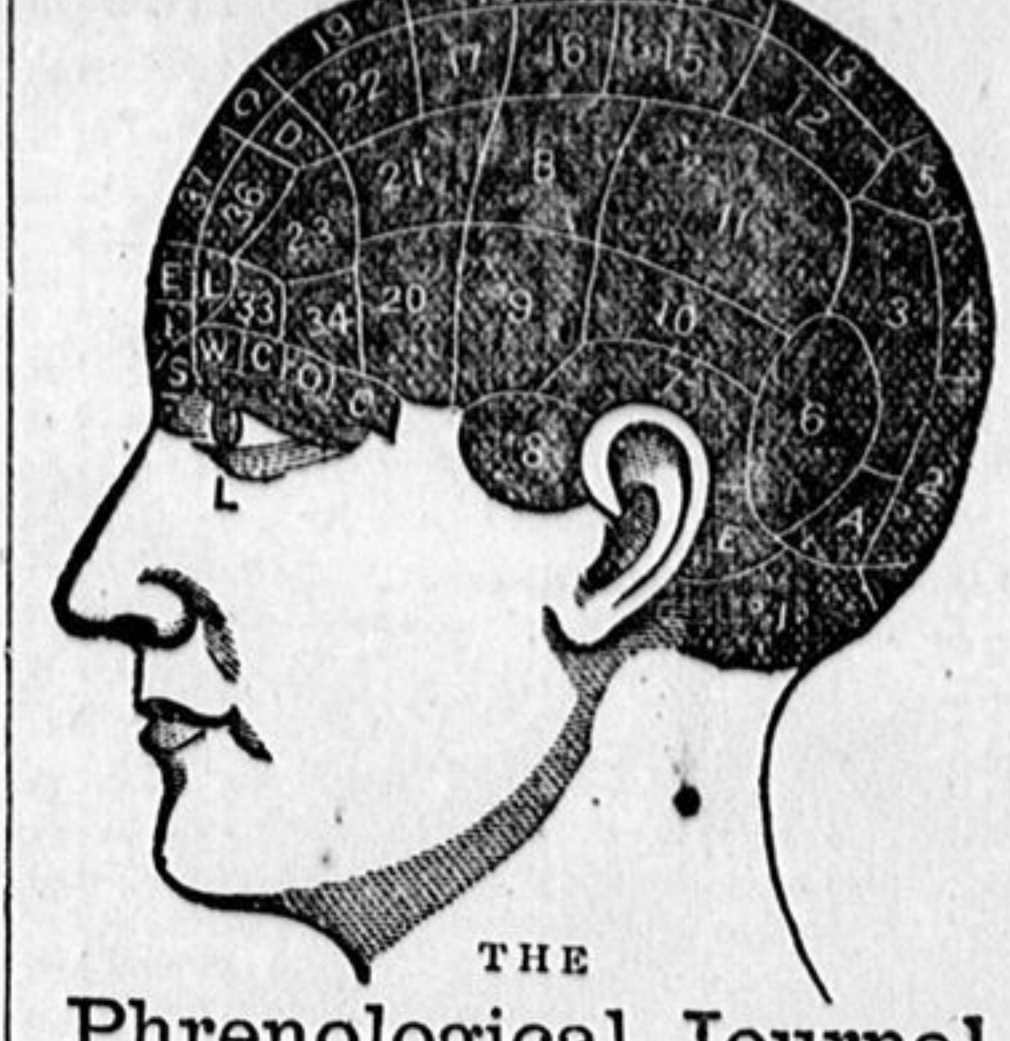
ABOUT fifteen years ago a young girl fell through the G. T. R. viaduct in Port Hope, and was only saved from a most horrible death by the style of clothing, which was then in vogue, she wore. A good many witnessed the fearful fall, but one young boy was the first to reach the girl with such an astonishing experience, and reassure her that she was not hurt. The escape was a most miraculous one, but the sequel is no less so, and is certainly very romantic. That lad, now grown up to manhood, and holding a respon- sible position in Port Hope, has gone to New York to wed the little girl of fifteen years ago, who has blossomed into a beautiful and accomplished young lady. We wish them every success in life, and trust that no such fearful fall as led to their acquaintanceship will ever fall to their experience in this life again.

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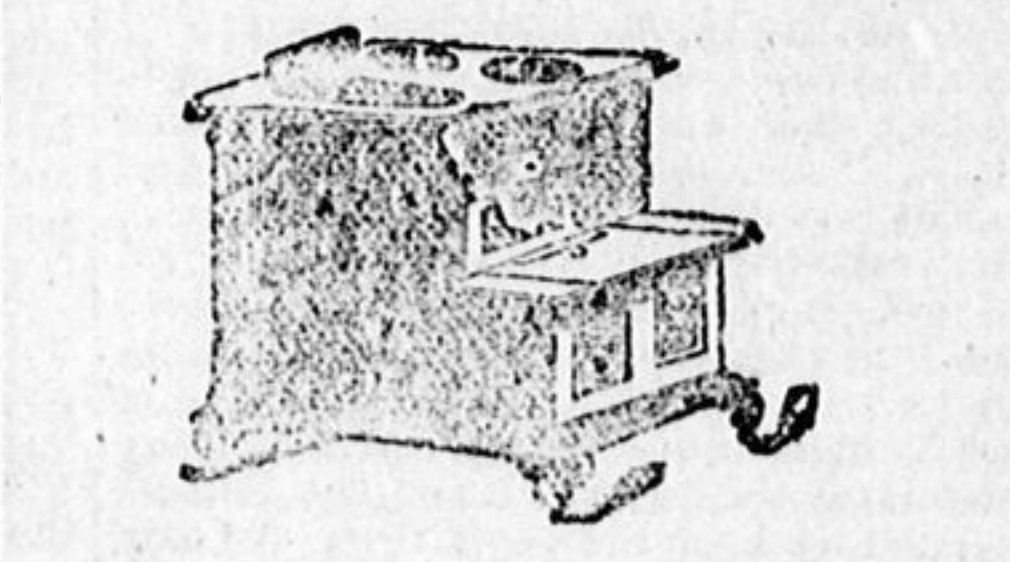
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