The Mill Wheel.

"And shall you come back?" she said, Where she stood by his side in the perce rosecovered.

Up in the jasmine over her head peacock butterfly poised and hovered;
And ever through hush of the languid noon
They heard the beat of the ceaseless tune,
The mill stream fretting, foaming, churning—
The mill wheel plashing, droning, turning.

He was her first, and her dear, dear lover, As far removed as the sun above her; Much she worshipped, and little knew, With raptures many and tears a few. Ah, the change that his coming wrought her ! He found her merely a child at play, She was only the miller's daughter; Now it was time he should turn away-Time he should loose her tender hand,

Time she should tremble, and understand; Would the soaring butterfly wing him down To alight on the printed flowers of her gown?

"Shall you remember the afternoons We have lived," he said, "by the stream to-

When the sweetness as of a hundred Junes Seemed gathered up in the summer weather! The day that it rained, and we chose to clamber And shelter ourselves in the great mill chamber? The talk we talked 'mid the bags of flour, While we waited there for the end of the shower With up above us the roll of thunder, And the roar of the mill wheel booming under? The day that we walked through the soft hay

Faint with the scent of the grasses dead?" She lifted eyes of innocent trouble: "Nay, how can I forget?" she said. Not a sound in the hush they heard, Not a breath through the silence stirred, But the hum of the mill wheel, never stopping, And the play of the water, dropping, dropping.

Ah, the things that his touch had taught her, Like straws whirled by in the churning stream! She was only the miller's daughter; The noise of the mill wheel drowned her dream. She stood a minute, and sighed and pondered The butterfly stirred, and fluttered onward, The leaves of a jasmine star were shed,

"Shall you never come back?" she said.

Choice Language at a Board Meeting.

by taxation.

When the school expenditure of London was under discussion by the Finance Committee of the Council, Ald. Minhinnick stated that the city's educational system was costing too much altogether. Ald. Birrell said it was almost impossible now to get female domestic servants, the time of girls being so much taken up with studying French and piano-playing. Mayor tion of the tannery, nearly half Meredith was of the same opinion.

Discipline among school officials is at low ebb in London East. The Chairman having stated that the Secretary had "hawked certain letters about the streets and made a public exhibition of them," the Secretary denied the allegation, and said he would not submit to such statements being made. "The Chairman," he said, "was too officious, and had too much to say." A member having suggested that certain replies and letters be "couched in as courteous and explanatory a manner as possible," the Secretary took exception to the speaker's "attempting to instruct him as to how he should write a letter." The Chairman rejoined, "Come to order, sir, and address the Board respectfully."

For some years back a Gaelic scholarship of \$40 per annum has been in existence in in these rumors, the only lives lost being in speech, freedom in life and freedom in connection with Knox College, which has been voluntarily subscribed by gentlemen in Toronto speaking the Gaelic language. Efforts are now being made by the Rev. Principal Cavan to collect a sufficient sum of money which if invested would for the future place the scholarship on a permanent out, instead of helping them. Incredible good fortune of having been discovered basis.

each for five years to Queen's College, viz. : Very Rev. Principal Grant, James Car. business. The total amount of loss must faith in the destiny of his country, esperuthers, of Kingston; Allan Gilmor, of be well over \$100,000. Ottawa, and James Michie, of Toronto. The following agree to give \$250 each for the same period: Chancellor Fleming, A. Gunn, M.P., and Robert Hay, M.P. Those who give \$100 for five years are: G. M. Macdonnell, B.A., R. V. Rogers, B.A., a raised is \$10,000.

TESTING TRAMPS.

A Sure Cure for Vagrancy.

January, February and March, 1881, the type-writer can telegraph. number of persons who obtained refuge in the House of Industry was 2,942, while an average of 45 persons daily, exclusive of An action is pending in the Toronto families, were supplied with soup at the courts for the recovery by one Codd of kitchen. During the corresponding months about \$250,000 from the Manitoba Southvisited the soup kitchen daily was 20. on debentures sold for the company in keeping away the idle and undeserving.

Murder of a Priest.

A few weeks since the Rev. Abbe Larue, parish priest at Roxton Falls, in Quebec Province, was burned to death in his parsonage, as was believed at the time, by accident. It now appears that the authorities of the district have received information which leads them to believe is used, whereas in England lime is slaked is used, whereas in England lime is slaked that the venerable father was murdered for his and used the same day. Most building wealth, and the house subsequently set on fire specifications even require newly slaked to cover up the diabolical deed. It was well lime known in the neighborhood that the aged priest had a large sum of money of his own and belonging to the church in a trunk in his room. After the fire it was discovered that the lock of the trunk had been pried open. The local authorities are trying to unravel the mystery, and believe a suitable prayer for the young beginning that for ten dollars a night they can be they have a clue that will bring theguilty parties | their voyage over the sea of life. to justice. The matter has caused great excitement in the locality.

The following will be found a good waterproof cement for fastening sheets of pasteboard together. Good pitch and child was found breathing and was expected agreeably. gutta-percha—about equal parts—are fused to be saved. together, and to nine parts of this are

appointment of medical superintendent of the Royal Cariboo Hospital at Bakerville, drain, and send them to the table on the British Columbia.

THE VILLAGE FIRE.

Danville Destroyed by the Devouring Elements.

HUNDRED PEOPLE HOMELESS. A Richmond Station (Que.) despatch, dated Monday night, gives the following particulars of the fire at this village From Richmond to Danville is 12 miles, and it was necessary to drive the distance as no trains were due in that village until midnight. Just at dusk were reached all that was left of the pretty little town of Danville. It is situated in the valley through which the G. T. R. runs to Quebec, and as the country is of a rolling description nature provides beautiful spots for private dwellings. The scene presented was one of the utmost sadness. Ruins of the finest buildings in the place were all that were left, while in the case of buildings exclusively of wood there was no trace save the nails, the ashes having been blown away to the four winds. The afternoon of Sunday was blustering and cool, with a wind blowing from the northwest. About 4 o'clock fire was discovered coming from the boilerroom of Goodhue's tannery. Messrs. Cleveland and Stockwell were first on the ground, and soon saw that the whole building was in flames and was likely to go. The safes were gotten into the open air and the books saved, while the firemen got the hand engine up. The latter did such service as it could, but to no purpose, as the fire quickly took possession of the whole of the tannery building. As already stated, a hurricane was blowing SCHOOLS AND SCHOOLMASTERS. the time, and sparks flew in all directions one after another, and the buildings on the main street took fire and in half an hour The school estimates for the city of from the time the fire had been noticed Brantford for the current year are \$15,100. the whole town seemed to be in a blaze. Of this sum, \$13,000 will have to be raised Telegrams were tried to Sherbrooke, Rich mond and Island Pond. Being Sunday there was no response from these places, and when Richmond was reached the only satisfaction for the doomed town was the news that their engine was undergoing repairs and could not be made serviceable in time. By 6 o'clock forty or fifty buildings were in flames, and two hundred people were homeless, while, owing to the destruchundred men were thrown out of employment. In the two

between 4 and 6 o'clock the struggle on the | toast of "Canada." He was proud to propart of the residents to save their goods pose this toast. Born as he was on the was a hard one. People did what they other side of the Atlantic he was glad now could, but the wind was strong and the to drop the name of Englishman and to take sparks so thickly spread that while articles | the name of Canadian. They could be of wearing apparel were carried they took proud of Canada without belittling in the fire and had to be abandoned on the road. slightest degree any of the other nationaliway in order to save life. To add to the ties. He did not wish to speak unkindly of confusion three barrels of gunpowder which other histories, but we had lights in our had been stored in Stockwell's store history that were like Bayard-men withexploded with a terrible crash. Shortly out fear and without reproach. France afterwards one that had been thrown into and England had quarrelled in the past, a pond near the tannery floated toward but they had now shaken hands over the some burning debris, took fire and exploded sacred dust of their heroes, and in this with a terrible noise. It was these Canada of ours the intermingling of these explosions doubtless that led to the two great nationalities would be of great stories of loss of life having taken benefit. There was no exclusive class in place. Fortunately, there was no truth Canada-every man had perfect freedom those of several head of cattle. By 8 o'clock | the press.

AN IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.

Telegraphing to be Greatly Facilitated the hope of a greatfuture. and Himplified.

Mr. S. V. Essick, a Canton (Ohio) gentle-Friend, A. Gilmour, jun., A. Allan, A. T. man, has invented a telegraphic transmitter, Drummond, J. R. Booth, Rev. D. M. Gor- which only needs one pressure of the key to don, Dr. Charlton. The amount to be form a letter, whereas the Morse alphabet requires 82 impulses. At the receiving end the message is written out by a modification of the type-writer. The result of this invention is greatly increased rapidity of transmission. The inventions have been In the report of the combined city chari- tested on wires of the Pittsburg, Fort ties of Toronto for the past year the Wayne & Chicago Railroad, and it is principal feature is the advent of the appli- expected that one wire fitted with the cation of the "labor test" to tramps by new transmitter and receiver will do the requiring them to break stone as a condi- work of three with the instruments in tion of receiving relief. The net expense present use, while the liability of error in has only been \$158, of which \$43 is for transmission is very materially lessened. implements. The result, however, has With the new instruments in use, telebeen most remarkable, as the following graphy will be much less difficult to learn figures will show. During the months of than now, as any person who can operate a

A Heavy Action. in 1882 the number sheltered was only | western Colonization Co. Railway, which 1,144, while the average number who Codd alleges to be due him as commission While this decrease is due to some extent | England, and for expenses, etc. A motion to the milder weather, and the greater was made yesterday to extend the time for amount of employment, there is no doubt entering a defence, as the manager and that the labor test has had the effect of directors of the company are hard to find, living in different parts of the Province. The motion was enlarged.

> The London Builder attributes the marvellous durability of mortar in Italy to

was: "Keep me, O God, my boat is so tisement in the New York World. Persons small, and thy ocean is so wide." That is giving receptions, parties, etc., are informed

in France, the parents of a child certified guests, while willing to sing, play, con to have died of croup insisted on having the verse, tell stories, give recitations, and coffin opened to take a last look. The otherwise help to make the evening pas

Browned potatoes are very much liked this morning not only allayed the dust, but added three parts of boiled oil and one- now when new potatoes in the market made the streets quite muddy once more fifth part of litharge; continue the heat render the old ones tasteless. Peel them in fact the scrapers were set at work again Railway. with stirring until thorough union of the and steam them until they are tender; ingredients is effected. This is applied then about half or three quarters of an hot, or cooled somewhat, and thinned with hour before dinner-supposing there is a a small quantity of benzole or turpentine roast of beef or lamb or a fowl in the dripping-pan in the oven-lay the potatoes Dr. Watt, of Toronto, has received the under the meat. When they are browned take them out with a skimmer, let them platter with the roast.

A LUCKY MISS.

Green-Eyed Mouster Misses "Mutual Friend" With a Couple

of Bullets. A sensation was created on Yonge street, Toronto, about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon by the deliberate attempt of a semiintoxicated person to assassinate a well- since there lodged with her an old lady, known merchant. The rash act may Mrs. Beater Tizard. Shortly after Mrs. probably be accounted for by the following | Tizard left her house a scheme appears to particulars : Alex. Wylie, the would be have entered the mind of Mrs. Down, the murderer, is a well-known commercial ultimate exposure of which has led Paid up Capital traveller belonging to Toronto. A few years to the present proceedings being taken. Reserve Fund ago he married a young Toronto girl of pre- The woman has succeeded in obtainpossessing appearance and rented a house ing sums of money from a Dr. Gale in the west end of the city. Mr. Walker, of during some fictitious negotiations Walker, Row & Co., 99 Yonge street, went for the sale of Buckfastleigh Abbey, which, to board with them. All went well until by a course of most ingenious deceptions, Wylie began to drink, after which he used she succeeded for a time in carrying on. to abuse his wife, and was separated from When the transaction for the purchase of her and went to St. Thomas, she in the | the abbey had reached a certain stage, Mrs. meantime keeping house for Mr. Walker. Down began to make overtures for loans, Yesterday afternoon Wylie, who had been and not suspecting her bona fides Dr. Gales imbibing rather freely, stepped into advanced her certain sums. Soon after a Walker's store, and after waiting patiently request was made for a loan of £150, and until Mr. Walker had served several waiting when Dr. Gale declined to entertain the customers, he quietly demanded an answer suggestion she brought him a note, purto the question propounded so often, porting to be written by Mrs. Tizard (for "Where is my wife?" Mr. Walker assured | whom she alleged she was buying the him that he could not let him know, as his abbey), undertaking to furnish additional (Wylie's) wife did not wish him to know. security if he required it. Thereupon Dr. Quick as lightning Wylie drew a revolver Gale insisted on being brought face to face from his pocket, in which he had been with Mrs. Tizard and upon being fumbling, and passing his hand around the accompanied by his Secretary. Mrs. deak put the muzzle near Walker's temple Down consented to his visiting Mrs. and fired. With a shout of alarm Tizard alone, but vetoed the presence of Walker dodged his head just as the his amanuensis. On those conditions Dr. bullet whizzed by, carrying a Gale accompanied Mrs. Down to her house small portion of skin from the temple. and was led into a room, and Mrs. Down Walker then rushed down the store, and as left him alone. Presently an apparently he was entering the back shop another infirm footstep entered the room and Dr. bullet grazed his head. He escaped by the Gale was addressed in an aged, quavering back way, and hurrying to the police voice by the soi-disant Mrs. Tizard. So office, despatched P. C. O'Connell to the complete was the deception that Dr. Gale scene. The clerks in the store were very had no idea he was being imposed upon, much terrified lest Wylie in his passion and he left thoroughly satisfied of the should shoot at them, but the latter genuine character of the business. informed Mr. Theobald, one of the clerks, Subsequently he had another interview that he only wanted to kill Walker. Mean- under similar conditions. time the police arrived and took Wylie days later a rumor reached into custody. He refused to say anything | that Mrs. Down had been victimizing profurther than that he blamed Walker for minent inhabitants of the town, and subsehis troubles with his wife. The revolver quently Mrs. Down was found at the neighmore cartridges.

Canada-Our Country.

At the McGill graduates' dinner the other hours | night the Rev. Dr. Stevenson proposed the

in the evening men had commenced to col. Dr. L. H. Frechette, in reply, said it was lect their thoughts to provide shelter for natural that the toast of "Canada," having the homeless. Dishonest persons from the been proposed in English, should be surrounding district are charged with steal- responded to in French, since our country ing from the unfortunate people burned had an immense advantage in the rare as this may seem it is vouched for by peopled, inherited and developed by two of The following have agreed to give \$500 several gentlemen who were too busy to the greatest nations in the world—the interfere and put a stop to the rascally Anglo-Saxon and the French. He had cially when he looked upon such institutions as McGill University, which had sprung from her soil, and were fostered under the banner of a glorious past and in

Dynamite in an Ice Waggen.

ninth ward, have been arrested, charged for these faithful companions of man has with exploding a dynamite bomb on Lyell accomplished with his pen what Landseer street, in this city, at 8 o'clock last even- has with his brush. A civil list pension of evening. By the light of matches the £100 per annum was allotted to him in bomb was carefully placed in an ice waggon. Its handlers retired several rods and threw stones at it, finally hitting and exploding it. There was a shocking report heard for a mile or two. The waggon was blown to atoms and the front was blown from a grocery store adjacent. Several children and two adults say they witnessed the entire proceedings and fully identify Quinn and Doyle as the perpetrators, though the latter have denied it. They pleaded not guilty and have been held on bail for examination. The police are looking for the possession of Doyle and Quinn. No

yet assigned. began life before the war as the keeper of a faffecting the Scottish nation. Sir Henry country store in the little village of Oneida, supported his overture in a lengthy speech, in Illinois. He sold out and removed to and was followed by Principal Rainy, who where he became very rich. The big fire sent and urgent duty to seek the dissolution ELECTRIC left him, as it did many another Chicago of the connection between the State and merchant, with little else than his pluck; the Church now established, and therefore but while the ruins were still hissing hot decline to support the overture. Dr. Begg, 4 QUEEN STREET EAST, TORONTO he had put up a rough shanty, near where in the course of his observations, said that the great hotel bearing his name now stands, and hung out a roughly painted Sir Henry's overture, he thought that they nently cured by using these BELTS, BANDS stands, and hung out a roughly painted Sir Henry's overture, he thought that they sign, "Laborers Wanted." Now he is pre- would not get anything practical except paring to build a magnificent home, a through the appointment of a Royal Comveritable palace, near Lincoln Park, for his mission. On a division, 15 supported the wn residence.

" Society" develops some queer charac. A fisherman's prayer when he put to sea | teristics, one of which is seen in an adversupplied with persons who will appear At the gate of the cemetery at Avignon, | well, dress elegantly, and mingle with the

The heavy rain last night or rather early on some of the thoroughfares. It was rather laughable to see one of the street watering carts in full blast on MacNab street north, the driver apparently in blissful ignorance of driving through several inches of slush. It is supposed that he the use of that great Brain and nerve last night got the order to water the street, rejuvenator, Mack's Magnetic Medicine, an last night got the order to water the street and rain or shine he was bound to carry advertisement of which appears in another out civic instructions.

MRS. DOWN'S DEVICES.

The Extraordinary Swindles of a Female. A remarkable story of fraud is reported by the Pall Mall Gasette from Plymouth, England. For some years past a Mrs. Down has been conducting a boarding house at Devonshire Villas, and up to six months which he used was found to contain four | boring railway station preparing to leave the town with several pieces of luggage. When confronted with Dr. Gale she feigned insanity and raved and laughed to herself for half an hour. Becoming at length convinced that this new cheat would not avail her, she confessed that it was herself who had personated Mrs. Tizard. Down has

mitted by Mrs. Down. OBITUARY.

been made a bankrupt, and the whole case

is undergoing thorough investigation.

Frauds upon many other people in Ply-

Death of a Canadian M. P .- The Author of "Rab and His Friends" Gone.

The death of Mr. McConville, M. P. for Joliette, took place there on Wednesday evening. He was a journalist by profession, and was on the editorial staff of the Montreal Nouveau Monde. He was ill a few weeks, having returned home from Parliament for medical treatment. He was elected in 1880 on Judge Baby being elevated to the Bench.

A cablegram from London says: John Brown, M.D., of Edinburgh, the well-known author, is dead. Dr. Brown was a son of the late Rev. Dr. Brown, of Edinburgh, and was born at Biggar, Lanarkshire, in September, 1810, was educated at the High School and University Edinburgh, was M. D. of Edinburgh University, F. R. C. P. E., and volumes of essays on professional and other subjects, entitled "Hora Subseciva," and was a contributor to the "North British Review," "Good Words" and the Scotsman. The story of a favorite dog, entitled "Rab and his Friends," reprinted from the " Hore," has met with great suc-A Rochester despatch says: Wm. Quinn cess. Dr. Brown has also written some and James Doyle, young Irishmen of the interesting chapters on "Our Dogs," and 1876 in recognition of his literary labors.

THE Free Presbytery of Edinburgh, at its And well adapted for printing newspapers last meeting, spent about six hours in discussing the overture of Sir Henry Monrepresent to Parliament the indispensable new. necessity towards a beneficial readjustment in the relations between Church and State in Scotland, of recognizing by fresh legislation the Treaty of Union and the Scottish Acts thereby ratified, so far as the enactments gave Parliamentary sanction to the five similar dynamite bombs, said to be in doctrines of the Protestant Reformation and to Presbyterian government accordmotive for their dangerous proceedings is ing to the national desire; and more particularly that they represent to Parliament the indispensable necessity of Potter Palmer, the Chicago millionaire, redressing the ecclesiastical grievances now overture and 27 the amendment of Principal Rainy.

The Postmaster-General of Canada, Hon. John O'Connor, was born in Boston.

Hop. J. L. Beaudry, Mayor of Montreal, was so dangerously ill on Sunday night that he was not expected to live till morning. It is probable that the Princess Louise,

Commodore Joseph Ashbury, of Brighton,

England, is stopping at the Prospect House, Niagara Falls, Ont. 10188 Men and women are equally benefited by

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