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LIVELY TIMES ON THE SUN.

The Great Orb of Our Solar System is a Four remarkable spots have made their appearance on the sun's surface since the beginning of the year.

House Cleaning.

The season is now at hand which is dreaded by most housekeepers, and to which all the melancholy days are consigned.

A ROMANCE IN REAL LIFE.

Condron against James Riley and McMillan. The story is in substance: Edward Barrett, a young man employed this at Turner & Day's as a hand laborer.

REDUCED RATES.

Mr. Willis Russell, of the proposed new hotel on DuRoiis Terrace, Quebec.

CURIOS FACTS.

A tree was cut a few miles from the town of Dufferin, Quebec, that measured twenty feet in circumference.

The professor of the London Photographic Society has had a balloon built for them in which experiments in ballooning photography are to be made.

Voltaire's house is now used by the Geneva Bible Society as a repository for Bibles. The Bible Society's house in Earl Street, Blackfriars, stands on the site where, in 1378, the council met to forbid Wycliff circulating portions of the Holy Scripture.

The northern nations of Europe were taught by grim experience to dread extremities of cold more than of heat.

The commission house of H. R. Ripley & Co., Chicago, has failed. No payment has yet been made.

Mr. M. Callum, Deputy Collector of Customs, and John F. Maloe, under date of the 10th of May, have written to the Secretary of the Interior.

Mr. Griffin, cashier of the Bank of Santa Fe, has arrived at St. Louis, and discredits the capture of Prof. Bauler by Indians.

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Major Powell, the City Solicitor, and the Hon. Mr. O'Connell, the Attorney-General, have been appointed by the Hon. Mr. Alvey.

A petition has been presented at Osgoode Hall by the Consolidated Bank that the Hon. Mr. Mack, the defeated reform candidate for Cornwall, and the petitioner Mr. David T. Ross.

Large quantities of firewood have been taken from schooners, and prices have fallen accordingly.

For several days past a good many rumors have been circulated in Quebec concerning the appointment of a new Sheriff in the place of the Hon. Mr. Alvey.

A new daily paper called La Presse, published by Messrs Darveau & Lizotte, has made its first appearance at Quebec.

It is reported that Lieut-Col. Lamontagne will succeed Lieut-Col. D. Oronensis as Brigade Major at Quebec.

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The Evolution of Pantaloon.

There were the breeches of the period immediately succeeding the revolution. They were short, reaching only to the knees, mostly made of cloth, buttoning at the sides.

Epitaph for a Great Man.

This was the noblest row-man of them all.