(From a Sheffield Paper.) escapes from gaol that ever occurred, was effected in Sheffield on Saturday. The fugitive is a ticket-of-leave man named Donovan, a'ias Mangie, and he was in custody at Shefheld, under a committal to the assizes on two | I FINANCE MINISTER, that hereafter Weekly charges of robbery, and one of attempting to Notices be published and furnished to Collectors of stab an officer. With him, in the same yard, Customs, as to the rate of discount to be allowed on were Robert Brookes, a deserter, who nearly killed two policemen in an attempt to escape at a rate equal thereto. Such notices to appear from a house in the town, and a man named every Saturday in the Canada GAZETTE. Barnet. These men were confined in a yant which adjoins the women's day-room. There is a high wall between, and communication is obtained by a door which is usually kept locked. The women's day ward adjoins Wain- IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ABOVE CANADIAN AND UNITED STATES northern sides by strong and lofty walls, which are guarded by iron cheenex-de-frise and iron Weekly Notice, and to apply to all purchases made railings. The most efficient barrier against | in the United States during that week. seem to be the height of the walls, which is at | Ottawa, February 26, 1866. least 30ft. It would seem, however, that the skilful engineer who fortified this part of the Townhall provided a means by which his thickest walls and strongest cells have been on Uatmeal! Uatmeal thickest walls and strongest cells have been on reaching the "outer air," would see in the North Gower! North Gower! The prisoner, easting about for a mode of from the wall in the left-hand corner. We will suppose that he is strong enough to be able to climb up this pipe. At the top he finds and surrounding country, that he has one himselfelinging to the bars of a grated window. | the best mills in the Province, worked by horse support until the next move is resolved upon. perfect state, and at prices that will insure satisfaction to all parties. At the distance of little more than a yard is the spiked barrier already referred to. Ingeniously inserted in the wall, between the spikes and the window, and affording foothold to the daring adventurer, is a ridge of metal. The chevaux-de-frise ought to revolve become firmly fixed by corrosion meal to the bushel. of the metal, and is as useful as a ladder. Using these "aids to freedom" the January 3, 1866. wall would be reached, and as the railing which surmounts it is only about 4 feet high, it would present a very slight obstacle, and he would only have to drop into the street. The way of escape is not very difficult when we remember that about a year ago it was successfully traversed by a woman. She was not sufficiently careful in getting down the back wall, however, or the irrepressible crinoline interfered with the freedom of her movements, and she was severely hurt by the fall. In justice to this courageous lady we ought to state that she did not get clear away from the prison, but was compelled to seek for aid at the infirmary, where she was recaptured. Shortly before Mills' Marble Works, Sparks St., noon on Saturday the turnkey on duty marshalled the prisoners under his charge who were required to go before the magistrates, and they left the cells. Those whom we have referred to by name had gone through that ceremony, and-were left below. Unfo tunately, the turnkey had left the door open in the wall which divides the two cells and the prisoners were enabled to pass into the day ward. There the means of escape A which we have described at once presented a Private Residence, Respectable Hotel, &c. themselves, and they seem to have resolved Boarding House, or a General Grocery and Proinstantly to make use of them. Denovan vision Store-consists of Two Cellars and other made the ascent by the "easy stages" we | 15 apartments (divisible into two tenements) have described, and at last stood upon the area 37 x 37 feet, and 3 stories high-buil top of the wall. Here comes in the most re- nearly three y ars ago, but Painted, &c., only markable part of the story. The time was since last new year's day. It is free from a quarter-past 12, the scene Waingate, and | Damp : whilst elegant by recent finish. Frame the chief actor in full view of all the passen- | Stable and Sheds in rear. Also, gers in that busy street. An instant alarm and immediate recapture would appear to be inevitable, but fortune favored the fugitive. He was seen by a dozen persons to cross the wall and effect his descent into the street, and yet not one of them gave an alarm! Still more curious to relate, there were two policemen standing at the corner of the Town Hall, but they were looking up the Haymarket, and saw nothing of the exciting drama which was being enacted within twenty yards of them. At last, the gathering attracted the attention of one of them (West), and he walked down the street, thinking that som thing was wrong at one end of the shops. When he got to the boundary of the Town Hall, he was saluted with jeers and cries of "You're too late; he's gone." White some pursued Donovan down the Wicker, whether Short - Hand Writing. he had been running at his speed (a proof that he had escaped unhartaby the fall), others bolt d into the receiving office, and gave information there. Mr Inspector Cooks hastened purchase a copy of the SECOND EDITION of the down stairs, and found that Brookes was just FLASH, a small work on Short-Hand Writing, climbing the first step of the ladder. He and Barnet looked extremely disappointed, as was in a clear concise style, and is condensed in such a WASHINGTON ... 3,204 tons ... 900 horse power. but natural under the circumstances. They manner as to permit the learner to embrace, by a LAFAYETTE ... 3,204 tons, 200 horse power. told the police that Donovan had levanted | single glance, as it were, the whole easemble of Sten-

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