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Medical.

PAIN KILLER

A PURELY VEGETABLE MEDICINE.

TAKEN INTERNALLY, CURES

Sudden Colds, Catarrh, Coughs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Fever and Ague, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Acid Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Canker in the Mouth, Throat or Stomach, Sick Headache, Sea Sickness, Piles, Kidney Complaints, Canker Rash, Cramp and Pain in the Stomach, Painter's Colic, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Summer Complaint, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum and Cholera.

APPLIED EXTERNALLY, CURES

Scalds, Burns, Frostbites, Chilblains, Erysipelas, Ringworms, Whitlows, Boils, Old Sores, Sprains, Bruises, Toothache, Headache, Neuralgia in the Face or Head, Pains in the Side, Pains in the Back and Loins, Rheumatism, Rheumatic Gout, Neuralgic or Rheumatic Pains in the Joints and Limbs, Stings of Insects, Scorpions, Centipedes, and the Bites of Poisonous Insects and Venomous Reptiles.

At this season, when coughs and colds are so prevalent, an effectual remedy, and one easily obtained, is *Perry Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer*. It is no new nostrum, vended by unknown agents, but has stood the test of over 20 years; and those who use the article, internally or externally, will connect with it grateful recollections of its worthy inventor.—*Hastings' Chronicle, C. W.*

PAIN KILLER.—The testimonials borne to the efficacy of this valuable medicine are sufficient to warrant its introduction into every house. Our own opinion is that no family should be without a bottle of it for a single hour. In flesh wounds, aches, pains, sores, &c., it is the most effectual remedy we know of. A bottle will last for a very long time, and its low price places it within the reach of all. Our readers will remember that the Messrs. Perry Davis & Son have opened out a house in Montreal, whence Canadian orders are supplied.—*News, St. Johns, C.E.*

☞ We are glad to learn that the "Pain Killer" is having so large a sale in our city. We have every reason to believe it to be an almost never failing cure for pain, and is a medicine that no family should be without.—*Montreal Pilot.*

If an attack of Diarrhœa, Dysentery or Cramp Colic, don't delay the use of the Pain Killer.

Rev. H. L. Van Meter, Burmah, writes, "The Pain Killer has become an almost indispensable article in my family."

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We cheerfully add our testimony in favor of this medicine.—*Roman Citizen.*

We have tested this medicine and assure our readers that it not only possesses all the virtues claimed for it, but in many instances surpasses any other remedy which we have ever known.—*Herald of Gospel Liberty.*

It is really a valuable medicine. It a used by many physicians.—*Boston Traveller.*

I have used Davis' Pain Killer, and consider it an indispensable article in the medicine box. It has effected cures in Diarrhœa, and for cuts and bruises it is invaluable.—*New York Examiner.*

Spoken of in terms of high commendation by both druggist and physician.—*Philadelphia Eagle.*

The Pain Killer is sold at wholesale by druggists and medicine dealers, and commission merchants, in the principal cities, and retailed by Apothecaries, Grocers and at Variety Shops generally, throughout the world. Price, 15 cents, 25 cents and 50 cents per bottle.

PERRY DAVIS & SON,

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INFALLIBLE REMEDY FOR CHOLERA, DIARRHŒA, and BOWEL COMPLAINTS.

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☞ This excellent mixture, which should be in every family, is only

TWENTY-FIVE CENTS A BOTTLE.

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CANADIAN COUGH EMULSION.

This valuable medicine has the extraordinary property of immediately relieving Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Difficulty of Breathing, Tightness in Chest, &c., &c. It operates by dissolving the congealed phlegm, causing free expectoration, and an agreeable moistness to the skin.

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MORTIMER'S COMPOUND ANTIBILIOUS AND FAMILY APERIENT PILLS,

A grand specific for derangement of the Digestive Organs, and for obstructions and torpid action of the Liver and Bowels.

Mortimer's Vegetable Worm Destroyer, The only sure remedy that exists, combining delicious taste and amazing power.

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Where all orders for the

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AND FOR

PRINTING, BINDING, OR STATIONERY,

may be sent, and will be punctually attended to as usual, arrangements having been made to prevent any interruption to the business.

Mr. Desbarats feels grateful for the sympathy endered him on all sides, and hopes to see his patrons and friends in his new office.

GEORGE E. DESBARATS.

Ottawa, January 21, 1869. 954tf

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☞ ROCK OIL, ☜

Just received at the

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BRONZE LAMPS, &c., &c.

Chimnies, Wicks, and Lanterns.

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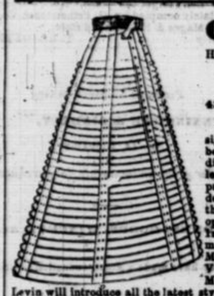

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43 Sparks-st.

The undersigned having been unable to dispose of the lease of his premises has decided to keep the business open until May 1st, under the management of MR. G. LEVIN, from Montreal. Mr. Levin will introduce all the latest styles in HOOP SKIRTS, which will be sold at manufacturers' prices, in order to clear the stock of material on hand. Attention is respectfully requested to the CAN-CAN, LA CLARITA, ISABELLA PANNIER and the DUCHESS Skirt, now worn by the elite in all the principal cities.

D. MILLAR.

Ottawa, Feb. 3, 1869. 965d

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If there are any such let them make immediate application to

THE VARIETY HALL,
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Where there is to be found everything to furnish a House. A good assortment of new and second hand Cooking and Double Stoves, Furniture of every description, and among the lot some beautiful Couches.

For Crockery, China, and Glassware,

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General Agent.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Map or Plan and Book of Reference of the Canada Central Railway Company, from the City of Ottawa to its junction with the Line of the Brockville and Ottawa Railway Company, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, and a copy of such parts of the Map or Plan and Book of Reference, as relate to the County of Carleton, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Carleton, and a copy of such parts as relate to the County of Lanark, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Lanark.

Dated this Tenth day of August, 1868.

W. R. WORSLEY,
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The Directors reserve the right to supply the Wire, and do not bind themselves to accept the lowest tender.

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February 15, 1869. 979.6

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Offer for sale an extensive importation of FALL AND WINTER GOODS, comprising Ready-made Clothing, Canadian Tweeds, Etoffes, Satinetts; also a large stock of Blankets, Flannels, Kerseys, Gray Cottons, Prints, Winceys, Plaids, &c., &c.; Broadcloths, Beavers, Witneys, Petershams, Devons, &c.; Bedford Cords, Silk Mixtures, West of England Tweeds, Doeskins, &c., wholesale and retail, which will be made up to order on the shortest notice in the latest styles of fashion and at prices that

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☞ A general assortment of Dry Goods, the largest stock ever offered for sale in this city.

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Particular attention given to the Tailoring Department, which is under the supervision of a first-class cutter.

$2 ..... GREY ETOFFE PANTS,

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75 CTS., $1 and $1.25 ..... UNDERSHIRTS,

75 CTS., $1 and $1.25 ..... DRAWERS

A DUFF.
O'MEARA & CO.

Ottawa, October 27 1868. 882y

A TOTAL ECLIPSE

to take place on the 8th of this month, and those wishing to see it can do so by coming to our store Wellington-st., Upper Town, where the

GREEN, WHITE AND BLUE FLAG

waves over the far-famed

SILVER BOOT,

and there only will it be visible that we eclipse all others in this city for

CHEAP GOODS.

We have resolved to change our business, and will, without any humbugging, sell

GOODS EXTREMELY LOW,

for that indispensible thing—Cash, and continue to do so during this month.

The winter being far advanced goods for this season will be sold at figures to induce anyone to buy, and spring goods being in advance of the season will be sold lower still.

Our stock is new, and composed of

Dry Goods,
Clothing,
Boots and Shoes,
Groceries, &c.

We will not give the prices of our goods, for this reason—that other houses would offer inferior goods at the same figures, and induce their customers to believe they were as good value as ours.

Come and look, and price our merchandise, and you will then be satisfied this is not a mere puff, but a reality.

☞ Keep a look out for the emblem of unity, the Green, White and Blue.

JAMES McCARTHY & CO.

Ottawa, February 6, 1869. 966d

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GARDENER'S

BAKING POWDER.

In 1 lb. Packets for 25 cents. | And 6 Packets for $1.25.

TEN REASONS

Why it Should be Used in Preference to all Others:

1st. Bread or Cakes made with it are more wholesome than if made with Yeast or any other process.

2nd. Its purity is such that it will stand the test of the most perfect analysis.

3rd. After having been extensively used for the last 14 years in not one instance has it failed to give entire satisfaction.

4th. Families that have used it pronounce it the best, and will use no other.

5th. It contains no Saleratus, nor does it impair the digestive organs like those powders where Soda or an excess of Alkali predominates.

6th. It never gives to Bread or Cakes an unpleasant Alkaline or mawkish taste.

7th. The ingredients that form its composition are more beneficial than otherwise.

8th. Dyspeptic subjects can eat hot Bread or Rolls made with it and derive benefit by its use.

9th. Every Packet contains its full weight; one pound packet weigh 16 ounces.

10. It is all that it is represented to be, namely:

Unrivalled for Purity and Cheapness.

Sole Agents for Ottawa,

J. G. ROBINSON & Co.,
The Tea Pot.

The Trade supplied at the Manufacturer's prices.

Ottawa, December 10, 1868. 886-6m

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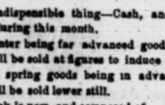

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"I HAVE NO APPETITE,"

THEN USE

WATERS' QUININE WINE,

The finest tonic in the world.

JAS. BUCHANAN,
Sussex and Wellington-sts.

Feby. 10, 1869. 970tf

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BAKING POWDER.

The subscriber has just completed arrangements with the manufacturer for the agency of the above celebrated Baking Powder, which for some years past has been almost exclusively used in the City of Montreal, and likewise getting into general use in the other cities of the Dominion. Further recommendation is unnecessary.

JAS. BUCHANAN,
Agent for Ottawa.

January 28, 1869. 958tf

COFFEE! COFFEE!

Try Buchanan's Unrivalled Mixture of Mocha, Java, Jamaica and Ceylon, roasted and ground daily on the premises by steam power.

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Sussex and Wellington-sts.

Ottawa, January 28, 1869. 959tf

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Stoves & Hardware.

BLYTH & KERR,

No. 25 RIDEAU-ST.,

Plumbers, Gas and Steam Fitters, Tin and Copper Smiths, Bell Hangers, &c., &c.

A large stock of materials for the above branches of business constantly on hand.

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STOVES! STOVES!

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Hall, Fancy, Parlour and Cook Stoves, in great variety.

Agents for Eaton's Patent Automatic, Self-Ventilating, Wood and Coal Stoves. Also Beecher & Co.'s celebrated

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SKATES, SKATES, SKATES,

AT THE

SIGN OF THE ANVIL, No. 24, RIDEAU-ST., where you can get a complete assortment of SKATES of all sizes, and at any price to suit purchasers, from 25 cents to $5.50 per pair. In the assortment will be found

The celebrated Sheffield Club,
" " Canadian Favorite,
" " Central Park do

and all other English and German Patterns.

Skate Straps, all patterns, &c., &c.

Also, a general assortment of

SHELF & HEAVY HARDWARE,

consisting in part of

GENERAL HOUSE FURNISHING,
Butcher Knives, Knives and Forks,
Pocket Knives, Table Spoons,
Tea Spoons, Tea Trays, Table Mats,
Buts, Screws, Locks,
Bolts, Catches, Latches,
Axes, Saws, Planes, Squares,
Hammers, Spokeshaves, Gouges,
Chisels, Augers, Auger Bits,
Steel Bits, Bevels,
Levels, Boring Machines,
Draw Knives, &c., &c., &c.

Together with

PAINT OF ALL COLORS,
Rose Pink, Burnt Umber,
Terra de Seinna, Chrome Yellow,
Yellow Ochre, Celestial Blue,
Paris Green, Brunswick Green,
Magnesia Green, Venetian Red,
Red Lead, White Lead, in oil or dry,
Drop Black, Ivory Black,
Lamp Black, Boiled Oil,
Raw Oil, Turpentine,
Benzole, Coal Oil,
Paint Brushes,
Varnishes, &c.

THOS. BIRKETT,
Sign of the Anvil,
No. 24, Rideau-st.

P. S.—All goods delivered free to any part of the city 408y

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SAFE! SURE! SUCCESSFUL!

We are not selling below cost!
We are not selling worthless bankrupt stock
We are not retiring from business!
We are not having a clearing sale!
But we are selling as good

COOK	STOVES,
BOX	STOVES,
PARLOR	STOVES,
DOUBLE	STOVES,
HOTEL	STOVES,
COAL	STOVES,

as are to be had in

CENTRAL CANADA,

at a reasonable advance on cost. The celebrated

"MORNING LIGHT,"

AND

ORIENTAL COAL STOVES,

House Furnishing Goods.

Pay us a visit, and your account, if you owe one, at the same time, and oblige

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STOVES OF THE LATEST STYLE AND MOST APPROVED *PATTERNS,*

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THE HOWE SEWING MACHINES

are best for Carriage Trimmers, Shoemakers and Tailors.

Call and see for yourselves; no trouble to show you how they sew.

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Mothers Read This!—Holloway's Worm Lozenges are a certain and safe remedy for Worms in Children and Adults.—As it is a well-known and melancholy fact that one great cause of death among children is from Worms alone, it cannot be too deeply impressed upon the minds of parents the necessity of closely watching their children. By so doing; and understanding the symptoms and true cause of the disease, thousands of children might be saved from early graves. SYMPTOMS OF WORMS.—The following are a few of the very numerous symptoms and diseases which are caused by Worms: deranged appetite, emaciated extremities, offensive breath frequent picking at the nose, grinding of the teeth during sleep, hardness of the belly, with frequent slimy stools, and sometimes convulsive fits; itching of the arms, pain in the head and stomach, unquiet sleep, faintings, tremblings, coughs, indigestion low spirits, frightful dreams, and a gradual wasting away of flesh.

They are palatable and self-administered to the child—drive out the worms thoroughly without pain and completely cleanse the stomach—thereby doing away with the necessity of administering Castor Oil or other unpleasant cathartics—as in the use of other Worms.

☞ Each box contains the fac-simile signature of NORTHROP & LYMAN, Newcastle, C.W., who are the sole proprietors.

N.B. Ask for *Holloway's Worm Lozenges* ☞ and take no other. ☜ Sold by all the druggists in Ottawa, and medicine dealers everywhere. 578y

Coughs and Colds.—Sudden changes of climate are sources of Pulmonary Bronchial and Asthmatic affections. Experience having proved that simple remedies often act speedily and certainly when taken in the early stages of the disease, recourse should at once be had to "Brown's Bronchial Troches," or Lozenges. Few are aware of the importance of checking a cough, or "common cold," in its first stage. That which in the beginning would yield to a mild remedy, if neglected soon attacks the lungs. "Brown's Bronchial Troches," or Cough Lozenges, allay irritation which induces coughing, having a DIRECT influence on the affected parts. As there are imitations, be sure TO OBTAIN the *genuine.* Sold by all dealers in medicines, at 25 cents a box.

Mothers! Mothers! Mothers!—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it: there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price 25 cents. Sold everywhere. Be sure to call for "MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP." Having the *fac-simile of* "Curtis & Perkins" on the outside wrapper. All others are base imitations

UPPER OTTAWA

STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

NOTICE.

THE GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING OF THE *SHAREHOLDERS* FOR ELECTION OF DIRECTORS AND Transaction of General Business, will be held at the office of

R. W. CRUICE, SPARKS-STREET,

in this city, on

Wednesday, 3rd day of March next,

at the hour of 3 o'clock, p.m.

By order,

R. W. CRUICE,
Secretary.

Ottawa, Feby. 17, 1869. 976td

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Respectfully call the attention of the public to their magnificent stock of

PIANO-FORTES, ORGANS,

AND MELODEONS,

In their new Show Room, comprising

PIANO-FORTES, *from all the leading makers.*

WARREN'S PIPE ORGANS,

ORGANS and MELODEONS from the best factories in the United States, excelling in finish and tone anything ever brought into this country.

Now is the time for intending purchasers.

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New Sheet Music and Books constantly arriving.

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MACDONALD & CO.,

SILK AND WOOLLEN DYERS,

Scourers, Hot Pressers, &c.

☞ Gentlemen's Clothes cleaned and dyed. Kid Gloves cleaned. 894-3m

HOLIDAY PRESENTS

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THE MEDICAL HALL,

28 Sparks-st., Ottawa.

Toilet Boxes in variety,
Rimmel's New Perfumes,
Cambridge Bouquet,
Oxford Bouquet,
English Lavender Water,
Silver Top Smelling Bottles,
Scotch Plaid Smelling Bottles,
Improved Perfumed Distributors,
&c., &c., &c.

A complete stock just received of Toilet Articles, Patent Medicines,

Genuine Drugs and Chemicals,
Druggists' Sundries of all descriptions.

W. M. MARSHY,
Family and Dispensing Chemist.

TO THE ABSENT ONE.

While day in the lap of fair evening is lying
And cool sighing breezes blow softly along;
The heart of thy loved one is heavily sighing,
Ah! why dost thou tarry so long?

I miss the clear light of thy dark laughing eye,
I miss thy sweet voice, both in welcome and word,
I miss thy soft smile and the hours flag by,
Ah? why dost thou tarry so long?

The bright golden chain of affection that bound
Together so sweetly, so closely, so strong;
Is it broken? Alas! and no longer around us,
Ah! why dost thou tarry so long?
Ah! why dost thou tarry so long?

AILEMA.

GREECE AND THE PARIS CONFERENCE.

The *Debats*, of January 24, gives the following as the substance of the "declaration" drawn up at the conference, and signed by all the plenipotentiaries, with the exception of Djemil Pacha, who thought it better taste not to associate the Turkish Government as directly interested in a cominatory summons addressed to Greece:—

"The declaration lays down the proposition that a State cannot, without contravening the law of nations, authorize or tolerate the formation and organization upon its territory of bands of volunteers whose existence may be dangerous or threatening to its neighbours; neither can it approve or permit that trading vessels, or others bearing its flag, should arm and victual in its ports and carry supplies to insurgents in disregard of a regularly established blockade; further, that these principles of public and international law are obligatory upon all civilized countries without exception, and that no particular institution or special legislation can be an excuse for infringing them. Greece, therefore, ought to observe these principles for the future, and take all necessary measures to enforce their observance throughout her territory."

EX-GOVERNOR EYRE AGAIN.

On Friday, the 29th ult., in the Court of Queen's Bench, the Lord Chief-Justice delivered judgment in the case of Phillips v. Eyre, argued before himself, Mr. Justice Lush, and Mr. Justice Hayes in the course of last term. The action arose out of the Jamaica insurrection, and was brought by Mr. Phillips against Governor Eyre for assault and false imprisonment. The defendant by his plea justified the course taken upon the authority of the act of indemnity passed by the local Legislature. To this plea the plaintiff demurred upon the ground that an act of indemnity, passed by a local Legislature, could not deprive plaintiff of the redress allowed him in the courts of his own country for the tortious act of a fellow-subject done abroad, and then the plaintiff further replied that the Government of a foreign settlement of the crown had no authority to assent to a measure of indemnity passed in relation to conduct of his own. To this replication the defendant in turn demurred. His lordship, who read the judgment of the court, said that upon both demurrers their conclusion was that the defendant was entitled to judgment. The plaintiff admitted the full power of the Jamaica Legislature to pass an act of the Legislature indemnifying the authorities of the island for any acts bona fide done under a reasonable belief of their necessity for the suppression of the rebellion, but he denied the extension of the privilege beyond the limits of the island. The court was of opinion that the reasoning in support of this contention was utterly unsound. It was undoubtedly more difficult to come to a conclusion upon the objection that this was ex post facto legislation, and that an essential difference existed between such and the authorization given by statutory enactments previously to acts done. The conclusion, however, of the court was that the same principle must be held to apply in both cases, and that was, that where the right of action was taken away by the local Legislature before action brought, no action was maintainable in this country. As to the objection embodied in the plaintiff's replication that the Governor of a colony is without authority to assent to acts of the Legislature in which he is personally interested, such a contention was entirely untenable. As reasonably might be contended that the Sovereign herself was debarred from giving the Royal assent to an act of Parliament conferring upon Her Majesty certain rights and privileges. Judgment was entered for Mr. Eyre.

GRAND ORANGE LODGE OF ONTARIO WEST.

The election of officers of the Right Worshipful Grand Orange Lodge of Ontario West, took place at Stratford, on Wednesday. The following gentlemen were elected: Dalton McCarthy, Barrie, Grand Master, (John Coyne, M. P., resigned); W. H. Connor, Huron, J. Ross Robertson, Toronto, Deputy Grand Masters; Rev. Mr. Smith, St. Mary's, Grand Chaplain; Thomas Keys, St. Catherines, Grand Secretary; James W. Bessey, St. Catharines, Grand Treasurer; W. Parkhill, King, Grand Lecturer; W. S. Fletcher, St. Catherines, G. D. F. C.

CENTRAL GRAND ORANGE LODGE.

The Grand Orange Lodge of Central Canada met in Cobourg, on Tuesday, and the next day the following officers were elected:

M. Bowell, M. P., W. M.; D. G. Hatton, Senr. D. M.; N. S. McDonald, Jr. D. M.; S. S. Peck, Treasurer; A. J. Van Ingen, Secretary; Dr. Oronhyatekha, D. G.; Rev. W. Burns, G. C.; Dr. C. J. Potts, Lecturer; Alex. Barr, G. D. C.

—The artesian well of St. Louis, which has reached a depth of nearly three thousand five hundred feet, and is still going downward, is said to be two degrees colder than at the surface. How is this? Have the philosophers been wrong in the opinion that the temperature of the earth increases towards the centre?

—Try Gardner's Baking Powder. See advertisement.

THE NEW GOVERNOR OF CANDIA.

Omar Pasha having been appointed Governor of Candia, a few particulars concerning his past history will not be out of place. For most of them we are indebted to the *Illustrated London News.* He was born in 1801, and is of Croatian origin. He received his early instruction first at the military school of his native village, and afterwards at the high school of Thurm, near Carlstadt, in Transylvania, and it is said distinguished himself by his proficiency in mathematics. On leaving school he became a cadet in the border regiment of Ogulin, which he shortly after left to become an assistant surveyor of roads and bridges. Of this drudgery he soon became heartily tired, and deserted from the Austrian army. Some time afterwards he became a master in the military school at Constantinople. Korsrew Pasha, then Minister of War, perceived the genius and enterprise of the stranger, and from him Omar, now in his 33rd year, received the appointment of officer in the regular army of the Sultan, and shortly afterwards that of adjutant on his personal staff. It was in quelling the insurrections in Syria and Albania that Omar first distinguished himself. He was equally successful in Kurdistan. In the year 1848, having become a Pasha, he kept the aggressive policy of the Russians in check in Wallachia. In 1865 Omar Pasha was sent to effect the reduction of the hardy and warlike Montenegrins, and he had advanced to within a day's march of Cettinje when the Austrian special commissioner at Constantinople induced the Divan to recall him and abandon the war. In June, 1853, the Russian troops marched into Moldavia and Wallachia, when Omar Pasha was appointed the generalissimo of the Turkish army. The Sultan's declaration of war was dated October 4, and the first important collision between the belligerents occurred on the 4th of November, when the Russians were defeated with immense loss, as they were in subsequent actions. The repulse of the Russians at Eupatoria, February 17, 1855, was also effected by Omar Pasha, with great loss to the Russians. Subsequently Omar Pasha joined Gen. Canrobert and Lord Raglan with a part of his army before Sebastopol. His troops, however, took no part in the siege, nor had any other opportunity of distinguishing themselves. He was sent to restore order in Herzegovina in May, 1861, and, having performed various services, established Turkish rule in Candia in 1867.

A LYNCHING CASE IN IOWA.

Two Desperadoes Hung for Murder.

Sydney, Freemont C., [Jan. 17th] correspondence of the Council Bluffs (Iowa) Nonpareil.

About eleven o'clock, on Saturday night, our little city was thrown into somewhat of an excitement by the appearance of about a 100 men, principally mounted, the rest in sleighs, and supposed to be from the vicinity of Plum Hollow, in the northwest part of the county, where a Mr. Holloway of that place, received injuries resulting in death, on the evening of the 14th inst., at a dancing party in his own house. The town was not generally aware of this mysterious visitation, inasmuch as those who were attracted by the movements of the party being arrested and placed under guard as soon as their presence was known, had no opportunity of communicating the intelligence or alarm to others. The men were fully armed, besides being provided with sledge hammers, axes and other tools suited to their purpose, and immediately on arriving in town proceeded to the county jail, where Jackson and James Orton, the men charged with Holloway's murder, had been placed in confinement. They then demanded the keys of Sheriff Martin, and made various threats of violence in case they were not produced, but he resolutely refused to deliver them or reveal the place where they were concealed. Happily, these threats of violence were not carried into execution, and the mob contented themselves with placing him under guard, and began with the implements they had brought along to effect a forcible entrance to the cell where the luckless prisoners were confined; a portion of the crowd instituting in the meantime a general search for the missing keys. The work of demolition was complete, the outside door being literally cut and hammered open. While this was going on some individual discovered the keys hid under the carpet in the Sheriff's family room, but the outer lock had been so injured that in the attempt to turn the bolt the key was broken off and rendered useless. But in about two hours and fifteen minutes the door was got open, the cell within opened, the men taken out and placed in a shed with their hands and feet tied, and the crowd, immediately and rapidly, with their victims in charge, left on the Plum Hollow road. When about one and a half miles from town, on the limbs of a large white oak tree, the unfortunate desperadoes were found suspended at an early hour next morning.

The scene of execution was visited and the ghastly spectacle witnessed by a large number of people this morning. The men were hanging about four feet apart, their feet not more than six or eight inches from the ground, Jackson's neck having doubtless been broken by the fall, while Orton apparently died from strangulation.

TASTE OF TURNIPS IN BUTTER OR MILK.—The flavour of turnips cannot be removed entirely from milk or butter when the cows are fed on them, but much may be done to mitigate it. It is said that a tablespoonful (per gallon of milk) of nitre dissolved in as much water as it will take, and put in the pail before milking the cow, and giving no turnips to the cow for two or three hours before milking, will lessen the flavour, as will, also, giving only the centre part of the turnip, having the top and bottom cut off.

CARBOLIC ACID FOR WOUNDS UPON HORSES.—If a wound will heal by the first intention, the less done to it the better. If, on the other hand, suppuration is inevitable, the most beneficial effects follow the use of carbolic acid combined with glycerine or linseed oil, in the proportion of 1 to 20; it may be applied, night and morning, with a feather. Of course, as with all other dressings, the wound must be kept clean and in the case of backs and shoulders, all pressure removed by small pads of curled horse-hair, sown on to the harness, above and below the sore.

MONO LAKE—AN UNRIPPLED SEA.

Mono Lake lies ten miles southwest of the dividing line between California and Nevada, and is about fourteen miles long and nine wide. It has never been sounded, but a trial said to have been made with a line of three hundred feet failed to reach bottom. By a chemical analysis a gallon of the water, weighing eight pounds, was found to contain 1,200 grains of solid matter, consisting principally of chloride sodium, carbonate of soda, sulphate of soda, borax and silicia.

These substances render the water so acid and nauseating that it is unfit for drinking or even bathing. Leather immersed in it is soon destroyed by its corrosive properties, and no animal, not even a fish or a frog can exist in the water for more than a short time. The only thing able to live within or upon the waters of this lake is a species of fly, which, springing from larvæ bred in its bosom after an ephemeral life, dies, and collecting on the surface, is drifted to the shore, where the remains collect in vast quantities, and are fed upon by the ducks or gathered by the Indians, with whom they are a staple article of food.

Nestling under the eastern water-shed of the Sierra, Mono Lake receives several considerable tributaries; and although destitute of any outlet, such is the aridity of the atmosphere that it is always kept at nearly a uniform level by the process of evaporation. So dense and sluggish is the water rendered through supersaturation with various salt and other foreign matters that only the strongest winds can raise a ripple on its surface. As the Sierra in this neighbourhood reaches its greatest altitude the scenery about Mono Lake is varied and majestic, some parts of it being at the same time marked by a most cheerless and desolate aspect.

The bitter and fatal waters of this lake render it literally a dead sea, and all its surroundings—wild, gloomy and foreboding—are suggestive of sterility and death. The decomposing action of the water is shown by its effect on the bodies of a company of Indians twenty or thirty in number, who, to escape from their pursuers, took refuge in the lake, where they were shot by their enemies, who left them in the water. In the course of a few weeks not a vestige of their bodies was to be seen, even the bones having been decomposed by this powerful solvent. Mineral curiosities abound in the neighbourhood of Mono Lake, among which are numberless depositions in the shape of tiny pine trees.

MISCELANEOUS.

—Cambridge University has accepted the challenge of Oxford for the usual annual race.

—Lady Henry Paget was fined forty shillings by the Marlborough-st. police magistrate, for furious riding in Hyde Park, on the 26th of December.

—There has been formed at Birmingham a "National Education League," with the object of establishing a system "which shall secure the education of every child in England."

—The subscription for the testimonial proposed to be presented to General Peel, by his old Huntingdonshire friends, now exceeds £1,000. The day for the presentation of the testimonial has not yet been fixed.

—The Queen has approved the appointment of Colonel Henderson, C. B., as the Commissioner of Police of the metropolis. Colonel Edmund Y. W. Henderson, the newly-appointed Commissioner of Police, was for 13 years (from 1847