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> menced business in the above Hotel and his guests to merit a fair share of public her for my client, and make amends for without being colored blue by the hang-A good Livery in connection.

'I won't say that,' replied the other, shaking his head. 'The evidence against white mice !' Mrs. 8- is too heavy to admit of our believing a vagrant, influenced by echoed the writer.

agent?'

the desire of, perhaps, a paid martyrdom, or the excitement of a mania.' and her ?"

'Not necessarily by you.'

But you want me to help you to be able to prove the bribe out of her own mouth, don't you ?' 'Of course we would examine her.'

'Yes, and cook her-but you must catch her first. Really, my dear sir, a very useful recipe in cuisine; and, hark ye, you can put the mice in the pan no faith in that quarter-a mere get-up; MPORTERS OF DRY GOODS AND WILSON, BOWMAN & CO., also. But, really, I am not bound, and but we're looking about for her, notcannot in justice be expected to do more. withstanding.

> peripatetic menagerie ?" 'Ridiculous !' 'Yes, ridiculus mus! But are you perfect amazement.' not the laboring mountain, yourself, HAT the Lockman Machine is not only the LATEST but also the and do you not wish me to become the clerk probably in as great amazement as The judges looked at each other, and Measuring the Height of Trees. BEST of its kind, before the midwife?'

LARITY in the short time it has tangled with equal success and apparent town. the farmer in the same collapse of hope, knackers.' by his wife, with his chin upon his breast, are to say?' to others after years of toilsome

a large amount of future annoyance and F. H. Edwards. woman and the white mice.

pen and ink, he wrote the cheque.

also a good livery in connection with this jects, to apprehend this woman. I need me, man-if you are called upon by any pure spirit of truth. not say that our precognitions are our one with the appearance of a sheriff ofcretion, if it do not shame our judgment, garet Davidson, and that they will find jury, justice, and all her angels?"

> 'Perfectly.' 'Gude Lord ! but is all this true, Mr.

'Very vague, considering your inter- with perfect good nature. 'Don't you the other half when Mrs. S-is saved.' either for life and a restoration to a preest,' replied the other. 'Where did you in your heart-or hope, at any ratethink the Lord Advocate a liar? and 'Ask me first, my dear sir, whether I has his lordship a better right to lie have found her. Perhaps not. If it is than I or Meg Davidson? Isn't the my interest to search her out, it is not world a great leavened lump of lies from surely you can have no difficulty in cause the nose of truth is out of joint a asked. when you do find her, you will substitute sltogether, if you get your wife's back

of her own accord.' 'Wonderful! the woman with the

hurried out, throwing back his injune

'Then, why ask me to help you to tions upon S- to obey his instruc-'Yes, if I chose to make her a witness ten minutes without having seized some then in the full blaze of his power, and and more as the individual persists; for the defence, and leave the jury to five or six persons by the breast of the Cockburn, so useful in examinations.— even for the present, with many men, it judge of paid martyrdom, or her real coat, and put as many questions on vari. The Lord Advocate led his proof, which is a bad thing. A person will feel madness. Paid martyrdom !- paid by ous matters of business, just as the confidential clerk of the fiscal.

'I say, man,' seizing and holding him in the usual way, 'have you catched the woman yet?

'What woman?' replied the clerk. 'The woman with the white mice.' 'Oh,' cried the young man, 'we have

that outlandish quarter, having never would not believe her.'

'I perceive I can make nothing of law did not stop to see the extent of it. only one thing that produced any soyou,' at length said the gentleman.— All his avocations, however, did not pre-Either you don't want to save your vent the coming round of that seven Lord Advocate would lay hands upon may be some who have not read it. In own business, by a senseless pack of like charge. client, or the means you trust to can- o'clock on Wednesday evening, which her, as either a murderer or a perjurer, the first place, cut a stick the length of young upstarts, whose only knowledge This talking disparagingly of one's 'God bless my soul!' roared the writer, ing with the woman on whom his hopes At that instant was he prepared. Quietery cheapest machine manu-factured anywhere, is yet must I tell you again that I have given of saving his client almost altogether ly slipping out, he got hold of the wo-as you want the log to be. Here place windy day to watch the pretty feet and or a little old, some one will be apt to actured anywhere, is yet must I ten you again that I have given of saving his cheft at the old, some one will be apt to watch the pretty the pretty to watch the pretty the pretty to watch the pretty to watch the pretty to watch the pretty the prett a cat, with nose-instinct put awry by and the woman, no doubt eager for the a crowd, called to the door-keeper who allowing for the stump about two feet. quiet of the fair owners, and making poverty: the color of the white race of victims, phenomenon of the 'louping ee,' was as stood sentry to open for the purpose of Then lie down flat on your back with foolish and senseless remarks about the "If threadbare your coat or old-fashioned Bowing the official to the door with locked the door of his office, and draw-portance to the accused; and having cross the top of the stick, and where happen to be of the same style as that Some one of course will take notice of this, these words, he was presently in some ing her as near him as possible, inquir- succeeded, as he seldom failed, he got your eye strikes the tree is the number worn by themselves. If they do not And hint rather close that you can't pay other ravelled web, which he disen- ed first whether any knew she was in the woman outside. A cab was in of feet you want, (always making due al- know, their parents or guardians -it your way,

ed a great popularity. Purchasers should not select a machine until they have ex-

The farmer was too happy to write ner of administering the same, and many vive; the blood, pulsing with more than limits of his last farthing, and, getting was so carefully recorded, that the the call of his enthusiasm. He analyzed A Pen Portrait or some of the so- in my day; a respectable girl would no whole, no doubt, looked like a veritable every part of the cause, tore up the char-'I understand you are employed for And you couldn't tell me the name precognition of facts, got from the said acters of the prosecutor's witnesses, held Mrs. S-? he said. 'We have of the woman with the mice; but I can box called the memory, as if it had been up microscopic flaws, and passed them The Table supplied with the best the mar- thought it necessary, as disinterested tell you, he continued. 'It is Margaret that not one tint of light from the conprotectors of the lives of the king's sub- Davidson; and, hark ye-come near terminous chamber had mixed with the aggeration, till they appeared serious in the eyes of the jury. Then how touch-'Now,' said he, regaining his English, ing, if not noble, was the conduct of guarantee, but I have heard a report ficer, or whatever he may be like, for when his purpose was served, 'you'll that strange witness for the defence which would seem to impugn our dis- the name of that woman, say it is Mar- stand firm to this, in the face of judge, who, a wretched criminal herself, would yet, under a secret power, so far expiate her guilt, by offering herself as a sacri-'Never ye fear.' 'Then, you will go with me to a pri- fice for innocence! Beyond all, was vate lodging, where I wish you to re- the pathos of his peroration, where he 'And, moreover, you are to tell every main, seen by as few as you can. You're brought home the case to the jury, as for you to help us to her as the salvation strangers, that it was that very woman who gave the dose to the law and that strom. Get weeds a roll and last of the law and that strom. Get weeds a roll and last of the law and that strom. Get weeds a roll and last of the law and that strom. Get weeds a roll and last of the law and that strom. who gave the dose to the lass, and that the woman herself does not down it?

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tender fathers of beloved children. A one wants his actions thoroughly critically wife has just purchased, with the re-'A' save the last, for that's no pos- ordeal not much less trying than death itself; and even she was trembling under

'Try; and, as you will need to pay the agony of a suspense, extended be-

'A' right; and did I no say my ee viously happy family, or for a death on would loup ?- but 'ae gude turn deserves a gallows, with all its ignominy. anither,' as the deil said to the loon o' That speech, which nearly cost Jeffrey Culloden, when he hauled him doun, his life, saved that of another. The

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cisely this; nothing more or less.

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screaming, to a place ye maybe ken o', jury found the libel not proven; Mrs. S -- was free ; Jeffrey was made more and whaur I hae nae wish to be.' 'Where is Meg Davidson?' he then famous; but no one ever heard more of the woman with the white mice. 'Oh ay !' she replied, 'that puts me in

mind o' a man wha met me on the road, and asked me if I was the woman wi the disgrace you have brought upon an man? But, I tell you, it's not a lie; the twa white mice. I tauld him she innocent woman and a respectable fam- the woman with the white mice says it was awa east, to Montrose, and sae it is."

'Na, na, nor o' onything else, but just doesn't mean the temperance reform. It Mrs. Anderson, the widow, whase man means simply the avoidance of excess. 'The woman with the white mice!' was drouned in the Maelstream.'

Arrived at the High Street, where, as thing of the murder. Large sums were always. It is, however, always a hurt, used to be said of him, he could not be given to secure the services of Jeffrey, that will be felt by and by, and more was no darker than our writer had ascer- stupid; he will have the blues, because thought struck him on the instant, he tained it to be, when he found himself the stomach, through the nervous inpounced upon one, no other than the driven to his clever expedient. The fluence, affects the whole system, and proof for the defence began; and, after makes the body dumpish, and the mind some other witnesses were examined, dull, and the individual anything but the name of the woman with the white agreeable. Now this is a common fact ; mice was called by the macer; and here we see it everywhere, every day, every occurred a circumstance, at the time meal; people "hog it;" that's the word. known to very few. Cockburn turned Why not just cut off the little excesses, round to our country agent, who was and thus be cheerful, be healthy? Some sitting behind him, and said, in a men do this. Reader, try it, and you

Is the most complete Sewing Machine made. I have given you her name; and where this moment to come down and blow a chuckle by the rest of the party, will be was in such a place for talk in my life!" The price of the Machine, on beautiful had a culprit so peculiar and striking a Davidson was last seen on the Muir of trumpet, and tell me that what this wo. you will lead a new life. Think not you made in loud tones, intended for his ear, And then immediately commenced talkdesignation as being the proprietor of a Rannoch, and that the Highlanders in man is going to swear to is truth, I are not the one aimed at; we all are more or less at fault here. Much, much

seen white mice before, are in a state of Nor is there any doubt to be enter- more happy as a race should we be if tained, that the woman's testimony took | we paid more attention to diet. A bolt at some other person left the the court and the audience by surprise. the Highlanders; but our man of the the jury were perplexed. There was he had appointed as the hour of meet- the moment she left the witness-box.— the man who is to cut the tree. Then of etiquette and good breeding consists neighborhood. true as the time itself. The writer letting in a fresh witness of great im- your feet against the foot, and look a- dress of strangers, because it does not your dress, readiness-no time lost-the woman was lowance for the height of the stump )- | would almost seem that they are without | But don't get excited whatever they sayease; but, following him in his great 'Deil ane,' she replied; 'naebody pushed in, followed by her guardian, By this you will know if there is any such blessings—should teach them that scheme, we find him in the afternoon cares for me ony mair than I were an and in a short time, was safely disposed limb or crook in the way. It is very such actions, on their part, will not bene- And then if you have a new coat andposting again to the farm. He found auld glandered spavin, ready for the of. Meanwhile, the Crown authorities useful in cutting sills and other pieces fit the reputation of their village, but, "If you dress in the fashion, don's think to

and his eyes dim and dead. The eviparalysing more and more the tissues of for some days busy in the repository of S—— was the greatest of all modern his brain, and her held and the her repository of the Northern Railway from Colhis brain; and hope had assumed the her memory—a crazy box of shatttered orations, yet it was delivered under lingwood to Owen Sound. It surpasses all others yet attempted in the spunk-wood, through the crevices of peculiar circumstances. When he rose A Scotch baronet, being at a parish moral world of God's government. | which came the lurid lights sent from and began, he seemed languid and un- meeting, made some proposals which If we listen to all that is said as we go; 'You must cheer up,' said the writer. another box, called the imagination; well. The wonted sparkle was not seen were objected to by a farmer. 'Sir,' We'll be worried, and frettish, and keep in finished, and consequently makes a more 'Come, some milk and whisky. Move and such was the close intimacy, or in his eye, the compressed lip was loose said he to the farmer, 'do you know that about; I have got good news for you, rather mixture, of the revelations of and flaccid, and his words, though all I have been at two universities, and at these two magic centres, that they his beginnings were generally marked two colleges in each university?" 'Weel, The head of the man was raised up, could not be distinguished from one an- by a subdued tone, came with difficulty. sir,' said the farmer, what o' that? and a slight beam was, as it were, struck other; but the habit of fortune-telling Cockburn looked at him inquiringly, had a calf that suckled twa kye, and Dress-making, and would kindly solicit the sequently possesses a reater adaptability; from his eye by the jerk of a sudden had so quickened the light of the one, anxious and troubled. There was somethed that such the observation I made was, the main that such that s patronage of Burham and vicinity. Mrs. it is a greater wife-saver, labor-saver, money-Why are you here, he said, as he glimmer of the memory, to make her eye on one of the walls of the court-

eighths of the spiritual element added no muckle to remember. The lass was been blowing upon and chilling a body 'Yes, ma. Bit her right on the mouth, are not guilty of the charge, but are intercourse. But when this evil spirit amined the LOCKMAN, if they would save something even more than the five- 'Remembering! Ay,' she said, 'there's Through that opening a cold wind had 'What! William biting Jane?' to the two glasses, if you cannot tell me under the burden of shame, and couldna which, though firm and compact, was and the gal didn't holler a bit, mother.' the grounds of my hope? I could not bear it. She wanted some doctor's trash thin, wiry, and delicately toned to the 'Ah, never mind, I guess he didn't tling about neighbors I believe is prac-said of it: comprehend what you meant about the to tak that burden aff her, if it should refined requirements of the spirit that hurt her much.' carry her life alang wi't. I got the animated and moved it with a grace 'Hurt her, cracky! why, she loves it, but Hanover, I think, will stand first on Friendship is destroyed; and neigh-

root in that feir land, but in the fight trial at the oral County Assists

it is enough if I do,' replied Mr. M--, All of which was carefully written sonance with well-known pathological and didn't say nothing, but just smackas he put the jug to his mouth; 'but down; but the writer had his own way laws, produced, first depression, and then ed her lips as if it was good, she did. I and, with dignity, remarks: "Why, peace with each other are now strugthis I want you to understand in the of doing his work. He would have day a feverish reaction, which latter was seed it all through the key-hole. I'll Mrs. Tale-bearer, did you ever hear gling in the turbulant waters of strife first place, that I want an order for fifty and date, the place where doctor's trash even morbidly favorable to the develop- fire taters at him the next time he does the like ! don't you believe, Miss Care- and unhappiness. was bought, the pric; thereof, the man | ment of his powers. He began to re- it, see if I don't."

GOSSIP FROM HANOVER.

PLE WILL TALK-WHAT MRS. was a very foolish thing for her to do, BEARER ADDS TO THE STORY, &c.

HANOVER, May 11, 1870.

Editor of the Chronicis. Was ever such a thing as evil gossip people will not notice it." heard of in a village the size of Han- After discussing the quality and style over? One might think that a place of of the new dress that Mrs. Fashionable 600 inhabitants would not contain suf- has just got-hinting at the same time ficient material for any considerable that her husband had better pay his amount of that kind of small talk .- debts before his wife comes out so grand a few months, and, if his coat, perchance, takes her departure, enjoining Mrs. than, or the nether extremities not to no one about that fishin'; and Mrs. rounded off exactly similar to those Tale-bearer assures her that she won't worn by the young "snobs" of the even whisper it to a livin' soul. place he happens to be visiting, or, if | Soon after Mrs. Grundy's departure, he is unfortunate enough to wear a tall Mrs. Tale-bearer calls, to wnom the hat, the latter is the most benious of all story is told-very confidentially of

one of these villages. And, getting again upon his legs, he led the woman to her place of safety, the camel's back. And is it then so prevailing style of Toronto, has been "You well know, my dear Mrs.

the Eabbath, and, having neither educa- This tattling and talking about tion or intelligence sufficient to make one's neighbors, I am sorry to say, for any entertaining topic the subject of the peace and quiet of the village, is too conversation, make the "plug" and the much practiced, and I had thought in dress of this "Toronto gentleman," as writing this article, if these tattlers he is styled, the subject of discussion ; were to see a life-like painting of themand, if the subject of their remarks selves in print, it might be the means of happen to be passing when these enter- causing them to " see themselves as taining? subjects are being discussed, others see them," and of checking this which sometimes has been the case, evil practice. I was amused the other such remarks as "Let's get a plug and day when a lady said to me : " Did you then we will be a Toronto gentleman," ever see such a town as this for talk? by one of the "Yunng Americas," ac- You can't do anything but some one companied by a sort of a half idiotic has something to say about it! I never and if he happens to look around at ing, in no endearing terms of a number these wise? youths, they at once turn of her own neighbors, telling me how

happy to say that Hanover can boast of For they criticise then in a far different The Meaford Monitor and Owen Sound at least a few-will also suffer from the be very slow

For people will talk."

'Ma, ma, cousin Bill, he's in the parlor derstood, however, that all of the Han-quiet, enjoying themselves by frequent ticed more or less in all small villages, "Its glory has deported."

fishin' with Tom Bobkins! I never heerd on a such a thing as a girl fishin'

GRUNDY SAYS ABOUT YOUNG LADIES and then that Bobkins is such an awful FISHING-AND WHAT MRS. TALE- flirt; people will talk about it, I know." "Yes, Mrs. Grundy, people will be apt to talk about it, but then I know Katy is a good girl, perhaps a little

thoughtless, but meant no harm. We will say nothin' 'bout it and perhaps

and a mother. She had undergone an less of the rectantians of Hand a will mark that it was too gay altogether. happens to be a little longer or shorter Tale-bearer to be sure and say nothin'

crimes -he is at once put down for a course-with a strong injunction to say conceited fop, and the unfortunate and nothin' about it as she (Mrs. Taleharmless "plug" is at once made the bearer) was told it in a great secret and

subject of comment, and seems to be a had promised to say nothin' 'bout it. source of great annoyance to the "young "You know, Mrs. Tattler," she said, "he only put his arm around her when This may not be the case with all of they were fishin', which, you know, the villages in this section of the coun- wasn't so dreadful, so we must say try-and it is to be hoped that it is not nothin' bout it, for you know people -but Hanover certainly seems to be will talk. Mrs. Tattler, of course,

leaves with a promise of the utmost se-A young gentleman from Toronto, creey, and the next call she makes tells who is unfortunate enough to have, as a the story in a great secret to Mrs. covering for his head, a "plug," and Match-maker, from whom a promise of And, having thus finished, the writer that hurts. It is the feather that breaks who happens to wear his clothes in the the utmost secresy is likewise obtained.

there to lie in retentis till the court-day. hard that this little can't be avoided? visiting this place for some time, and, Match-maker," Mrs. Tattler remarks, That eventful day came round. In Yes; that is it; we must have a little although he seems to mind his own "this is an awful place for takk; and if tions. In a few minutes more he was the meantime, the prosecution never got more; there is a little more room in the business, yet there are a number of we said anything about it the story 'For our satisfaction as public offi- again upon the road, leaving the clatter access to the real white mouse-trap, and overcrowded stomach. And what is the graceless "snobs" who have as little might get bigger; it wasn't so dreadful overcrowded stomach. And what is the 'And to my detriment as a private confused thoughts of his mystified client. son, satisfied them that she knew nofeeling. Sometimes this is all; but not play an uncommon amount of ill-breedwent?' unpardonable disregard to the courtesy the story goes on, increasing in magnidue to strangers, seem to have nothing tude as it passes from one tale-bearer to

as if ashamed of their foolish and dis- husband, what Mrs. C. had said about Mrs. B., and how that nearly every Now, it is a burning shame and dis- woman in the village was talking about grace, that a stranger cannot visit his some of their neighbors, no doubt for-

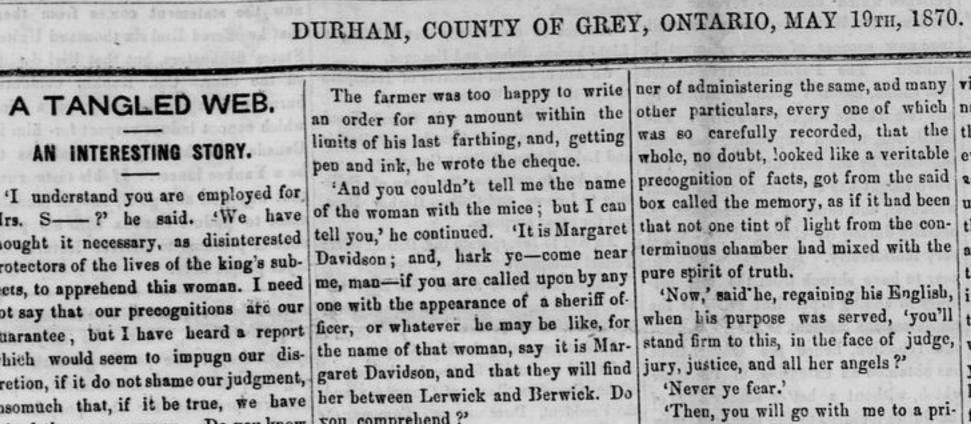
You're ahead of your means, or your bills

But mind your own basiness, and keep

For people will talk." If people would take time and consider the great amount of unhappiness caused by this idle gossip, I think there For meddlesome tongues will have some would be less of it. They certainly would not drop, even thoughtlessly, a word or two which in themselves per-Yes, people will talk; and the peculiar haps could do no harm, yet, in the kind of gossip of which I am about to tale-bearer, will bring unhappiness to, write, in Hanover, is confined mostly to and hard feelings between neighbors, the fair sex. I do not wish it to be un- who hitherto had lived peaceably and minded women-God bless them-who the happiness enjoyed by their social -



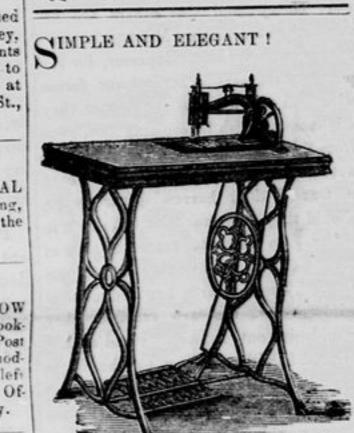
Jobbing done on the shortest notice.



PROPRIETOR. Having leased the insomuch that, if it be true, we have her between Lerwick and Berwick. Do seized the wrong person. Do you know you comprehend?" so bring along your children and have commodation to travellers and the public anything of this woman with the white generally. Good Wines, Liquors and Ci- mice, who takes upon herself the burden

of your client.' 'Too evident that for a parade of the woman herself does not deny it.' first class style, with a view to the comfort candour, replied Mr. M-. Her and accommodation of the travelling public. name is Margaret Davidson. Her white M-?

find her ?" DURHAM HOTEL, Durham, less your duty to catch her. A vagrant the Cape of Hope to the Cape of Wrath? JAMES ELLIOTT, Proprietor. with white mice is conspicuous, and And you want your wife hanged, be-Money to Lend from one to ten public generally, that he has again com- tracing her. I need scarcely add, that bit! Ay, what though it were cut off



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had been preparing their warrant, and where long timber is required. sitting in the arm-chair so long pressed 'And you've been remembering a' ye the woman was only saved from their mercies by a very few minutes. branches, and also Straw-work. Fluting quently appeals more completely to the gratify the agent, seemed to have ac-

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