District News.

ITEMS OF INTEREST CLIPPED AND RE-WRITTEN FROM OUR EXCHANGES

A month old colt belonging to Jas. Lyons took a short though exciting trip on its own account the other day which came very near being its last. It clambered on top of an old straw stack and from there jumped about four feet onto the roof of the barn and made its way to the ridge, where it stood for some time taking in the surroundings. It then started down the opposite side, which was much higher from the ground, but it had not taken many steps before its feet slipped and it fell to the ground, about 14 feet below. It lay in a heap for some time, but finally got up and was shortly after apparently none the worse.-Creemore Star.

A little over a week ago Louis Decker was strolling through Thos. Carson's bush when he noticed a little white animal running on the curiosity —Dundalk Herald.

efforts to extinguish the fire, but not before the interior and contents were badly damaged by the flames, heat and smoke. Mr. Wurts and family are very highly thought of in the neighborhood and it is deeply regretted that such misfortune should come upon them. The evil deed is supposed to be the result of envy and jealousy and it is hoped that the perpetrator thereof, who is known, will meet with punishment to fit his crime.-Dundalk Herald.

been doing scores of Tilbury East or dyspepsia. You must prepare for farmers. They were travelling for a their appearance or prevent their refrigerator called the "Arctic," coming by taking regular doses of which they represented superior to Green's August flower, the favorite the ordinary in that no ice was need. medicine of the healthy millions. A ed, but that the contents were cooled few doses aids digestion, stimulates with water into which an alleged the liver to healthy action, purifies chemical was put. It was a most the blood, and makes you feel buoywonderful affair, in that it would ant and vigorous. You can get this keep meat fresh and sweat for four reliable remedy at Darling's Drug days sitting in the hot sun-that its Store. virtues were so great that they were willing to pay 25c per pound for all butter made in connection with it, when other common every-day butter was worth only 15c-and the price was only-just think-\$58. The gang, who made their headquarters at Merlin, disposed of dozens of them to the best farmers along middle road and other parts of the township. One of the farmers to whom one was delivered pronounced it not worth a darn. Another one says that the milk was thick after remaining a few hours in the water box, and that his wife had to cut it out with the axe. The notes were all printed and no filling in was required except the name of the victim, and the swindler talked a blue streak while the victim was signing-one prominent Tilbury farmer claimed to have been mesmerized into signing and then offered \$5 to get his note back, but without success. The machine, which is said danger. to have been made in Glencoe, was The Meaford lacrosse team played ing to directions, you find you have derepresented as being filled with here yesterday, and having missed rived no benefit from their use, you can asbestos, but a Tilbury East farmer, their steamer registered at the Seldon return the 3 empty boxes, together with who investigated, states that the House. The young men did not know outside is pine, the inside zinc, and how to use the gas, and with both the filling is of rotten elm .- Ex.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

On Monday Chief Welsh received a letter from Percival, Iowa, which stated that the body of a man about forty years of age had been found in the Missouri river. In the pockets were found a sum of money, checks for baggage sent to Clinton, Ont., and a couple of memo books from name was William McBrien. The in Chief and Mr. Harvey McBrien, who Saturday. has a brother named Will in the West, went to the Grand Trunk station and found that the baggage had arrived, but an examination of it convinced Harvey that it did not belong to his brother. From a photo found among the contents he concluded the deceased was his cousin Ed., son of Mr. Jerry McBrien, formerly of near Auburn, and whose sister, Mrs. Hugh Blacker, lives in Stratford. He telephoned to that city and Mr. Blacker came up by the first train and set at rest all doubts as to the identity of the drowned man. The body had lain in the water about two weeks when found .- Clinton News-

ground. His first thought was that morning of last week two men drove it was a skunk and deeming "discre- up to the Lorne hotel in Rocklyn from the Queen City on Monday. tion the better part of valor" watch- and after wakening the proprietor The old home is made livelier when ed the movements of the animal with asked to get lodgings for the night. Nellie comes, suspicion from a safe distance for a Mr. McLean got up to put away the Miss Annabella Blair is spending a time. He found out that it was not horse and to show them to their few days with her cousins in Owen of the perfumery variety and gave rooms. Before going down stairs Sound. chase. There was a hot scramble for his wife told him he had better not Mrs. Hudson, of South Bentinck, the little white fellow was as nimble take his money with him and he is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. J. as a squirrel for such it was. Mr. handed over a roll of bills containing Peart. Decker showed remarkable agility, about \$65. When he stepped outside Mr. Wm. McNally, of the 6th, after he had shaken the squirrel out the door he had a dark lantern and sold a fine mare last week for \$130 of a sapling it ran up his leg, over two revolvers flashed in his face and purchased another on Saturday his back and from the top of his head with a demand for his money. Mr. from Charlie Cotton for \$95. to another tree on the trunk of which McLean gave them permission to Will Jack sold a very handsome The caught it alive and brought it take all he had. They then demand- two-year-old colt on Saturday for home where he has it caged. It is a ed that he lead the way up stairs \$105. white squirrel supposed to be a freak and they would search the house. Miss Nellie McNally, second daughof the "red" variety and is quite a He led the way and all the time he ter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McNally was using his brains to trap these of the 8th arrived home on Saturday daring robbers. He walked them to from Meaford and report says that A man named Rutledge, C. W. a room and told them all that was she and Mr. Wm. Williamson are to Rutledge, was committed to jail on in the house was in there This be quietly wedded at the Methodist Monday, and if everything that is bedroom was occupied by Mr. Wm. parsonage on Dominion Day. 'Twill said about him be true, he will likely Fulford and the sound of the men be a very happy union and we wish soon find himself in the Central. This walking and entering the room the young couple every bliss. man a year or so ago ran the Mild- awakened him. As soon as they In Toronto, on Wednesday, June may Woollen Mills. He is a married noticed that they had been led into 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Flynn a man, and about 60 years of age. He a trap they took the lantern from daughter. Mrs. Flynn was formerly is charged with the seduction of a Mr. McLean and made their sneak. Miss Maggie Robson, Congratula-Miss Jasper, a girl of some 16 years Mr. Jas. Neely, of this town, who oc- tions! of age, who worked for him in the cupied a room next to Mr. Fulford Miss Rachel Firth had a close call woollen mill. Rutledge left Mildmay that night was then aroused and last week, but is now recovering a few months ago and went to Ren- together they followed the tracks of rapidly. She had an attack of apfrew. He induced the girl to leave a horse shod with rubber shoes for pendicitis. Toronto, where she had been sent, about six miles. The rain that night Mr. Thos. Glencross' beef-ring and go to Renfew. The girl took made the tracking of the rig quite boast weighed 480 lbs. last week and sick and died, and Rutledge had the an easy matter as there was only the Mr. M. J. Davis's tipped the scale at nerve to accompany the body to Mild- one to follow. When they had locat- 470 this week. may, and even brought a minister ed where the rig came from Mr. Fulwith him to conduct the funeral ser- ford was stationed in an old log vices. The name on the coffin plate house to watch the movements of the was "Mrs. C. W. Rutledge," which people while Mr. Neely went to would appear that bigamy had been Markeale to get Constable Noble. added to his other crimes. It is said An arrest was made and the prisoner that the feeling against him in Mild- tried before Magistrate Patton. He Mr. Watermann, we regret to say, may is so strong that it was with was remanded until the following is not expected to live many days, difficulty the people restrained them- day, when Mr. McLean had Mr. Mc. having suffered a long time from Conselves from pitching him into the Cullough of Markdale appear in his sumption. mill pond.—Walkerton Telescope. behalf, and succeeded in having the Miss Jessie Coutts returned last A dastardly attempt was made last and whose home is near Feversham, a few months visiting her city friends. Friday afternoon to destroy the brick committed to Owen Sound for trial. | Measles, Mumps and Scarlatina dwelling of Fred Wurts, farmer near Another young man at Wodehouse are so prevalent that the school has Proton Station, while Mr. Wurts and is thought to know more than he been closed the past week or so. family were attending the picnic should about the matter and his Miss Gilchrist, the teacher in our perfectly cured by inhaling Catarrho-Without any doubt the place was set It is believed here that Conlin is the the summer holidays. on fire, a five gallon can of oil being person who relieved Mr. Wm. Gilson The fine large barn recently erect- disease. Catarrhozone is inhaled at Fortunately the smoke was noticed about that time. Mr. James Heslip, pletion.

Brain-Food Nonsense.

Another ridiculous food fad has been branded by the most competent authorities. They have dispelled the silly notion that one kind of food is needed for brain, another for muscles, and still another for bones. A correct diet will not on'y nourish a particular part of the body, but it will sustain every other part. Yet, however good your food may be, its A couple of slick swindlers have nutriment is destroyed by indigestion

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> Two Meaford Young Men Nearly Killed by Gas.-Members of Lacrosse Team Staying at Owen Sound Blew out the Light.

Toronto World.

Owen Sound, July 2 .- (Special.)-Shortly after 5 o'clock this morning the odor of gas was noticed in the corridor of the Seldon House and the doors of room 19 were thrown open.

On the bed lay Lewis and J. Cummings, two lacrosse players, from Meaford, in an unconscious condition. Dr. G. W. Daw was summoned, and after working over the young men for three hours had them both out of

the door and the fanlight closed blew out the light and retired.

One of the lacrosse players in an adjoining room smelt the gas and investigated, a fact that probably saved CHEMIST - AND - DRUGGIST Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All the lives of his companions They druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. Were able to return home to-day.

Traverston.

Intended for last week.

Two score years of age, Canada! She will soon refuse to tell her age. Not owing to the cost of the trip but a rush of other matters preventwhich they were led to believe his ed several from around here taking the Model Farm Excursion on

> Mr. Geo. Peart has erected a very neat woodshed with ample room for a year's fuel.

The Timmins Bros. have completed the stonework of Mr. John Greenwood's barn and 'tis a fine-looking

Will Edwards has made a cozy and pretty-looking home by the happy selection of paints.

Messrs. Ronald McDonald, Mal. McMillan and Will Moran are hustlers on mason work. We won't tell you whose cellar they walled up in three days, but it is a big one and

Miss Mary McNally came home from Toronto on Saturday in time for the picnic. She has only two About two o'clock on Wednesday weeks holidays this year.

Miss Nellie Davis arrived home

Vickers.

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young man, whose name is Conlin. week from Toronto where she spent

well sermon on Sunday last. The reverend gentleman has been very much respected during his term on the Varney mission.

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A Mother and Two Daughters, in Needy Circumstances, Make the Journey from Winnipeg to Gravenhurst to Seek Admission to the Free Hospital for Consumptives.

An illustration of the many distressing Child cases constantly coming before the management of the Free Hospital for Consumptives at Gravenhurst is in point this week. A week since, the Secretary, at the head office in Toronto, through whom all applications should properly be made, received a long-distance telephone message from the Physician-in-Charge at Gravenhurst, saying that a mother, with two daughters, both of whom were afflicted with consumption, had presented themselves at the doors of the Free Hospital, hoping to be at once admitted.

One daughter has the trouble only in a slight degree, and from a medical point of view is admissible, as soon as room can be made. The other has the disease in a more acute condition, and will need to take immediate rest until it becomes somewhat quiescent. The family are poor, their railway fares having been paid by a friend. The mother has been given employment on the domestic staff of the Hospital, and the daughters will board in town until there are vacant beds in the Hospital to admit them. They came all this distance poverty stricken, but in the belief that somehow they would manage to get admission to the

institution. Want of money is the only thing, the Trustees tell us, that is preventing the increase of accommodation beyond the eighty patients already provided for. Up to the present no one has been refused admission on account of his or her poverty, but we are told that the want of funds is preventing the Trustees from providing the increased accommodation June 9th '03. 8c. needed. Indeed, a heavy burden of debt is now pressing upon them, and must be promptly met if this work is to be carried

Contributions may be sent to Sir Wm. R. Meredith, Kt., 4 Lamport Ave., Toronto, or Mr. W. J. Gage, 54 Front St. West, Toronto.

The News We Want.

An exchange gives some pertinent hints as to news suitable for local papers which we reproduce. THE CHRONICLE will always be pleased to receive accounts of the following :-1-Marriages, give as fully as possible. 2-Births. 3-Deaths, give sketch of life always. 4-Removals. 5-Loss by fire or otherwise. Land transfers. 7-Robberies. 8-Unusual freaks or accidents. New or important enterprises. 10-Visitors to or from a distance. 11-All township news, and in fact any kind of news that is of interest. 12 Progress of Agricultural operations. Don't forget to sign your name, which is not for publication. What not to give: jibes, hints or insinuations which only a few can make sense of and which are unkind in their nature. The mere calling of one neighbor on another unless for some public purpose. Sunday visiting, and though "every lassie has her laddie " she doesn't like the public to know every time he calls on her, and the public doesn't care for

Unnecessary to Suffer from Asthma. This distressing complaint can be which was held in that village. arrest may be announced any day. school, has gone home to Barrie for zone, a vegetable antiseptic that destroys the germs which cause the used to make quick work of the job. of the \$40 recently, as he was here ed by H. W. Hunt, is nearing com- the mouth from a convenient pocket inhaler, and after permeating the by the railway sectionmen who were blacksmith, of this town, put the John Coutts' new barn was erected minutest air cells, is exhaled slowly working along the track not far away, rubber shoes on Conlin's horse .- on Friday last. The Captains were through the nostrils. It stops the and they were able by very strong Thornbury Herald. W. Scarf and T. H. Lawrence, the cough, makes breathing regular, and former of whom came off victorious. eradicates the Asthma so thoroughly The same gentlemen were Captains from the system that it never reat Hunt's raising with the same re- turns. Don't suffer from Asthma, use Catarrhozone, it will speedily Rev. Mr. Miller preached his fare- cure you. Large outfit \$1. Small size 25c. Druggists, or by mail from

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it either.

Prompted by the murder of Glory Whalen at Collingwood, of which The tramps are suspected, the Provincial Government are sending out a circular letter to the various police magistrates. The letter reads :- "The murder of an innocent child at Collingwood has again called attention to the dangers arising from tramps and vagrants roaming about the country unchecked. Most of the burglaries and other crimes committed in various parts of the Province have been the work of tramps of the class that usually work along the railways and camp in barns on the outshirts of cities, towns and villages. It is desired that these men be driven out of the Province, and it is thought that the best way to attain this result is for the magistrates, before whom any of these tramps are brought on charge of vagrancy, to impose the full term of imprisonment Call at Durham Foundry. in the Central Prison allowed by the law. The practice of giving them the option of a fine or leaving the municipality in a few hours has produced very unsatisfactory results. The department, therefore, desires you, when any of these men are brought before you, to administer the law strictly and rigorously, and the more so as good results have followed from the action taken along the lines indicated. The railway department, and I have to ask you at all times to assist the railway constables, who may be acting in the by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire it, he will cheerfully send (free authorities are co-operating with the cases mentioned."

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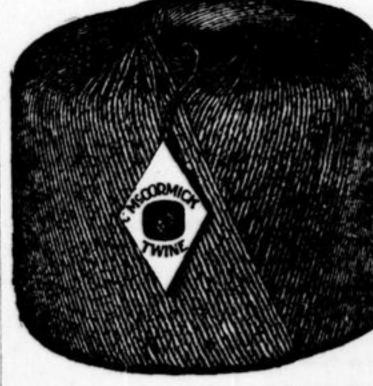
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day, suspected of the murder of Glory Whalen but were released again.

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P. O'NEILL, Mnlock P. O., Ont. May 2, 1903.-3m.-pd.

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