

THE GUIDE.

Dundalk, December 20. 1877 ********* OUR PAPER.

Christmas, with all its pleasures, has almost arrived, and we are about to welcome the advent of a new year, and to 700, but refused it. grieve at parting with the old, which has furnished us with so many blessings. With the year 1877 began the publication of the Guide, and since its commencement we have made it our one study to furnish a first-class local family newspaper, and how far we have succeeded its readers alone can judge. As all men require rest, (and editors are seemingly classed among these unfortunate individuals), we have concluded to take a short holiday for recreation, and to seek a little pleasure during the Christmas holidays; but as we could not do so and publish a paper in the same week, we arrived at the conclusion to pub- Medical Hall. lish a half sheet next week, which will give all the important local news, and still allow us a few days in which to prepare better attend to a settlement at once. Goods ourselves for the coming year's toil. The rushed off lively and great bargains given. many troubles which we have had to contend with in commencing the publication Church, Maxwell, will hold their annual of a newspaper here, caused us to be un- soiree in the Orange Hall on Christmas avoidably late in publishing some weeks. Day. After tea the people will adjourn to but as those little difficulties have been to the Church for musical entertainment. successfully disposed of, we hope, during age us in the fulfilment of our hopes, let each subscriber show the GUIDE to a friend or neighbor, and induce him to enrol his name on our list; and by swelling the list, (and consequently our pocket book), it will encourage us to use greater exertion in fering a paper which will more than compare with any in the County, thereby returning much more than full value for the services rendered to us by those who will secure a few subscriptions to the GUIDE. which may be easily accomplished, as the Year's Days.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

present Reeve and some of the Council- incendiary. lors, although we believe in the past have roads of the township has been as evenly Dundalk. Addresses, Recitations, Diacinity may enjoy themselves to their heart's blame a man for voting for the motion, General Sessions and County this respect, who have expended a very o'clock. See Posters. large sum in one corner of the Township at the expense of the rest, while the ratepayers in other portions of Melanethon in many instances were denied all aid in opening up roads to their farms. It is easily understood why some of the members of of the people of Shelburne to become corporated and cut themselves off from the education of the rising generation. the Township of Melanethon, and even from the County of Grey. Of course if a "grab" had not been made during the present year the chance would have been much lessened by a separation of Shelburne from Melancthon, and the awakening that has taken place in other parts of the township, to the necessity there is of electing of the Township, and not for a small section to the prejudice of the rest of the municipality. Then again while the Reeve respected by his colleagues in the County Council, for his well-known ability and in connection with County works, for the same cause, men of mediocrity, envious of his talents, and anxious to take his place, without the necessary qualifications, will refrain from scarcely anything, no matter how low, so that in their imagination, it will tend to damage Reeve's reputation in the eyes of the public. We hear that S. L. M. Luke is candidate" of his. We need not say anything in regard to a candidate who would seek aid from such a source : nor yet de we think the ratepayers of the Township would feel flattered if such a scheme proved successful. We have too much confidence in the intelligence and experience of the ratepayers of Proton to believe that they can be gulled into placing any one in the chair at the Council Board, but such as are capable of discharging the duties of the office in a manner alike creditable to the position they occupy and the Township they represent. As regards the actions of the Corneil, we believe, as a general thing they have been satisfactory, and we think if they offer themselves the will be re-elected, if not by acclamation, by very large majorities.

ships to speak with certainty, but so far Morrow Treasurer for the Hackett Monu-

thas been changed to Hopeville. The elecstious will take place on Monday, the 7th of January.

Local and Other Items.

ware, stoves, etc., A Mr Suider of the 9th line St. Vincent

sold his 50 acres for \$3,500. CLOSMS.—The places of business her are to be closed on Christmas Day.

Mr. John Taylor, of the 4th line, Se Vincent, sold his farm for \$3,800 to a man from Artemesia.

Mr Moore, of Collingwood township, was offered for his farm of 150 acres \$9,-

A good Watch for \$4; and a good Clock for \$1, at W. F. Doll's, watchmaker Expositor, over the signature of "Teetotaland jeweller, Flesherton.

stock of Toys, Fancy goods, Confectionery, ctc., suitable for Christmas and New Years. THE annual tea meeting of the Presbyterian Congregations of Markdale will be held in the Orange Hall on New Years mitted into his columns, but recent develope-

LIGHT! LIGHT !.-who would without a lamp after looking at the splendid assortment just arrived at the Dundalk

R. C. Hall & Co., Priceville, are collect ing their accounts close : those indebted had THE congregation of the Presbyterian

PRESBYTERIAN.-The Rev. Mr. Burr. of the coming year, to give our subscribers Komoka, preached in the School House, their paper "on time," and full of interest- Dundalk, on Sabbath morning and even- pupular Reeve of Proton, occupied the ing home and foreign news; but to encour- ing to large audiences. The building of chair. Rev. Mr. Shaw read a number of

> MR. M. E. MIRRIAM has opened Refresh ment Rooms in Flesherton. Parties can get a comfortable meal, or a cup of hot coffee just as they may choose. Tea or Coffee furnished at five cents per cup. Give him a call.

tion of our readers to the story which ap- \$116.52; from Dundalk village \$17.69. The pears on our first page. It bespeaks a amount subscribed this year in Dundalk talent which would successfuly compare and the Collecions so far are in excess advance, \$1.25 if not so paid. The Office with the writers to our most popular lite- last year. Eloquent addresses were de will be closed on Christmas and New rary periodicals, and which many covet, livered by Revs. Messrs. Powers and Scott but few are endowed with. Let the writer and the attendance at the meeting was very

On Thursday morning last about As the time draws near for the nomina- o'clock, the new store of Mr. David Wright tion of Reeves and Councillors, the activi- Eugenia, was discovered to be on fire, and ty of certain parties becomes all the more in a short time was totally consumed. The conspicuous, and we believe the present building had only just been erected, and Council of the Township will have some the fixings not quite finished insi le. The opposition, as it is well known that the loss is about \$700, and was the work of an

SABBATH SCHOOL TEA MEETING .- On done what they considered to be for the Christmas Day a Tea Meeting in connect of this village, has just finished a fine cov- nay to the motion, for fear some one best interests of the Township are looked tion with the Canada Methodist Sabbath ered rink, 30 by 150 feet. As soon as hard should remind him that he had showed his upon enviously. The expenditure on the School, will be held in the Orange Hall, frost sets in curlers and skaters in this vi- mother's ducks. While you could not and stands in strange contrast with the be given. Admission 25c. children under The Baptist body here are increasing. duce of his brother's farm, or another one conduct of the Council of Melancthon in 12 years half price. Tea served from 6 On Sabbath last one young woman and whom rumor accused of trickery in prize

amination of the public school in this Village takes place yesterday and to-day. (Thursday,)for promotion. To-morrow. the Council of Melancthon took such high- the present, of Mr. Kenned;'s labors in handed proceedings in the matter, when Dundalk, we hope to see a good turn out popularity will secure him a large support. taken in connection with the recent action of the trustees and parents of the children thus showing that deep interest is taken in

THE PROTON SHOW .- In another column will be found another communication in regard to the Proton Show. We do not hold ourselves responsible for the charges brought against the Directors, and if they are incorrect, we shall give every opportunity to those concerned to reply to these charges through the columns of the GUIDE. men to office who will act for the welfare We do not know who the parties are referred too, but we do know that at many of our Agricultural Shows there is often considerable trickery, and if the Directors of of this Township is admired and highly the Proton Agricultural Society are innoceut of the charge laid against them, these communications may cause others to take warning and refrain from doing but what is fair and honorable.

THE PLACE TO GET YOUR WATCHES RE- itable. PAIRED AND CLEANED .- Mr. John Nickle has secured the services of a first-class South Grey Registry office is mainly on getting their work done promptly and large saving. in a satisfactory manner. Mr. Nickle begallery can see for themselves.

of this lodge was held in R. Gordon's house. on Friday, the 4th inst., for the election officers for the year A. D. 1878, and finishing the business of the present year. There were 28 members present. The officers for next year are, W. M., Joseph not sufficiently acquainted with the town. don; Sec., Donald McAulay; John W. and many others, were indeed a treat to we have heard of no opposition so the present ment Fund. Committee,-John Colgan. Alex. Patterson, James Hannah, John C. The nomination will take place on the 31st Irish, James L. Reid. When the above jinst. The place of nomination for Proton officers were installed into their respective positions, the returning officers, after co gratulating them, conducted them cordially to their respective chairs. The Finan-M. P., having received a cial Accounts of the Lodge, and all matter letter from the Public Works Department pertaining to the working of the Lodge dureither a Government ing the past year, were minutely consid. Orangeville was robbed of about \$500 worth deedge or some other would be sent to ered and explained to the elected officers, of jewellery and fancy goods. summer, if the town at satisfactorily; the necessary preparation

A LIBEL.-The Markdale Expositor, in its last issue offers an ample apology to J. MR. DEAN is receiving his stock of Hard. J. Middleton, Esq., Reeve of Proton, for a most unjustifiable attack made upon that gentleman by a correspondent of the Expositor. It seems that the correspondence was not written by the person whose name accompanied it, and was therefore a wicked forgery. Mr Middleton had entered suit against the publisher of the paper, but we presume the apology and explanation given will prove satisfactory .- Orangeville right, if your late correspondent had no Advertiser.

since Mr. J. J. Middleton, of Dundalk, pressed with a more friendly feeling to was charged in a letter in the Markdale wards the people of Dundalk. I am ler" with having an interest in and being MR. P. WHITTLE has received a large connected with the Melancthon illicit still. Mr. Middleton indignantly denied the charge and we were not a little surprised shortly after the publication of the letter who the author was that our confrere ad-Durham Chronicle.

MISSIONARY MEETING .- On Sabbath evening last the Rev. Mr. Scott, of Owen Sound, preached in the Orange Hall, Dundalk, to a very fair audience. On Monday evening a Missionary Meeting was held in the same place. J. J. Middleton, Esq., the the new Church is now being proceeded extracts from the annual report. The To the Editor of the Dundalk Guide. amount contributed from all sources to the Canada Methodist Church, for the year ending June 30th, 1877, was \$145,998.92; and the expenditure \$174,355.92, being a deficit of \$28,257; thus swelling the total debt of the society to \$53,595.70. The amount contributed by the Toronto Conference was \$40,640.89. The amount raises THE STORY .- We would direct the atten- from the Dundalk mission last year was good. Meetings were held at the Orange Hall, on the 12th Con., Proton, and at Hopeville on Tuesday; at Zion on Monday afternoon, at Palmer's School House on Wednesday, and at Inistoge, (Armstrong's and Mount Zion to-day (Thursday.)

Priceville Items.

four young men were immersed in the sheep. These and another person who School Examination.—The written ex. river, in presence of a large concourse of was innocent of any charge or injustice, for this county commenced at the Court

but they now begin to get talked about. treasurer, composed the Board of Direct-(Friday) the final examination will take It is rumored that Mr. Michael Riley is to ors, that met at Hopeville on the evening teen cases. The following is a list of the place, and as this is the conclusion, for be a candidate for Priceville Ward. If so, the motion was passed. there is no doubt Mr. Riley's well known

the roadside, by Mrs. R. McLeod, of Artemesia, in full blossem, which is a rare sight in the month of December.

County Town News.

(From our own correspondent.)

The dulness of the past months has been partially removed by the meeting of th County Council which was in session last

The sitting of the County court was held at the same time, and also contributed to make us believe that we had returned to our wonted activity.

The last Session of the County Counc is said to have been unusually pleasant The debates, which were numerous, are reported to have been both able and prof-

The action of the Committee on th workman, as a watchmaker, who has had plauded. We are advised that the Office several year's experience at the business is a model structure, and has been erected in England, and has been a number of at a saving to the County of nearly \$7,000 years in Canada and the United States. compared with the one at Owen Sound. Parties having watches or jewellery to re- The Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Midpair or clean will do well to leave their dleton, certainly merits the credit that is work with Mr. Nickle, as they can depend awarded him for his part in effecting the

Before rising on Friday evening, on moing relieved of the watchmaking depart- tion of Mr. Rorke, ex-Warden, a grapt of ment, will be able to devote the whole of \$15.00 was made Mr. Middleton by the his time to taking photographs and ambro- Council in token of their appreciation of his types, which he is now able to take in a valuable services. Mr. Middleton, in gratsuperior style, as any one calling at the itude for the compliment paid him, invited the County Council to an oyster supper at L. O. L. No. 737 .- The annual meeting the Queen's Hotel, where about sixty gen-After the removal of the cloth, speaking to the various toasts continued till an early hour. The witty and humorous speeches of Messrs S. J. Lane, C. McFayden, J. McArdle; D. M., Jas. Nixon; Chap., Neil Creasor, Drs. Barnhart and Christoe, Mr. McAulay; M. C., Jas. May; Tr., Robt Gor. Grier, Inspector of schools, the Warden an uninitiated creature like your corres

In the municipalities of Meaford, Euphrasia, Keppel, Osprey, and Holland, There are likely to be warm contests for the Reeveships; in other townships the

Burglary.-On Wednesday evening last week the store of Mr. W. J. Acheson,

EFFECT OF THE EARTHQUAKE.—The Lind-

The Disgusted Visitor.

To the Editor of the Guide.

DEAR SIR,-Having noticed in your last week's issue a piece in regard to the Socia recently held in this village, please allow me just to say a few words in regard to the absent visitor. I, with many others, do not think the offended gentleman deserved the abuse the last writer on this subject gave him, and I presume, if I conjecture made his appearance in our social gather ing the strange gentleman would have It will be remembered that some months gone away unmolested, and, no doubt im Yours Truly,

A RESIDENT.

The Railroad. To the Editor of the Guide. DEAR SIR .- As a reader of your paper. observe that you are thoroughly in favor of ments fully explain the point. The author granting an additional bonus to our railit appears forged Mr. John Agnew's name road. Now, I would not like to see th to a private note-Agnew makes affidavit road stopped, but before agreeing to give to this effect-to the editor, vouching for another bonus I should like to know more the correctness of every statement in the particularly how the road stands in a pe letter and thus secured its publication. Mr. cuniary sense. How much of the capital Middleton, it is quite evident has been is controlled by the bondholders and shareused badly in this matter, and is only just holders respectively, and I am certain that we should say so in our columns .- that full particulars given in a manner that

all may understand, is necessary on these and every other point concerning the road If farmers are to be got to grant this bonus. at present we feel a little in the dark, and not inclined to buy a pig in a pock. Yours Truly,

FARMER.

The Proton Show Again.

SIR,-I noticed in the columns of your popular paper an extract from the minutes of the Director's meeting of the Proton Agricultural Society, that the Secretary was instructed to reply to a communication in your issue of the 18th of October. stating that the slur cast on the Judges was false. Now, Sir, I do not think that the slur on the Judges was the trouble, but the exposing of the tricks of some of the Directors that riled them, and called forth the motion made, which was intended to make out "Observer's" statements as false. and in that manner clear themselves from the odium of their own guilty actions. But before proceeding turther allow me to make you acquainted with the Board of Direct-

ors. First we have a man of colossal human proportions, who, as "Observer" remarks, (although perhaps not self-appointed, as hitherto inferred), did, I believe, use unjust influence in directing the Judges in their decision at the show. Two others took prizes with animals, which, according to the rules of the Society, should not SEATING AND CURLING RINK .- Mr. Wait, have been allowed. Another dare not vote who had taken a prize for wheat, the proand the President, who appeared anxious Municipal matters bave been rather quiet, to sift matters fully, and the Secretary- Macpherson. The criminal business was

Under such circumstances the motion was likely to pass, but what weight will it A dandelion was found on Monday at have? Will it make "Observer's" state- Wm. Jno. Black, Michael Sullivan, Wm. ments false, as it was intended to do? I Patterson, Malcolm McMartin, H. Bates, rather think not; the truth is not so casi- ir., D Jackson, jr., A Shantz, Gavin Shaw, ly turned. This is a new way of doing jus- Thos. Fields, Hugh Taylor, Jno. Proctor, tice, but then we are advancing in civiliza- Robt. Smith, S. Horton, jr., John Winter, tion. How nicely the thing worked from Rich. Craven, And. Sibbald. first to last! Rules, regulations, and prize list, could be easily runde to suit, and then wished, indifferent to merit or justice.

What think you of Judges that would be biased in their decision? There was but he was in the minority.

get angry with "Observer?" why wear the to.) for defendant. cap if it did not fit? If his statements, as they said, were false and incorrect, why, then, did they not contradict them. said that the man who moved the motion. owned in the ring that he interfered in udging of the horses, and in a short tim after he has the presumption to move the motion which simply means not guilty. His excuse, I hear, for interfering being that he was told by another Director to tell the Judges certain things about a team in the ring. Truly drowning men will catch at strows. Thanking for the space allowed, I remain, yours,

The Celebrated Burnet Grape. readers to the fact that the Fruit Growers | Creasor & Morrison for plaintiff; J. J Ste-Association of Ontario will send to each of phens for defendant. its members a plant of this new Grape Vine. It was originated in Prince Edward count. Verdict for \$101.99. McFayden & County by Mr. Peter C Dempsey, one of Robarts for plaintiff; Creasor & Morrison our most skillful hybridists. The fruit is for defendant. large, purplish black, sweet, and rich, and ipens earlier than the Concord. The vine is vigorous, productive and hardy. It is Cooper for plaintiff; Creasor & Morrison country that has ever been grown, and the Fruit Growers Association deserve great praise for their forethought in securing vines of this luscions grape, named in honor of the distinguished President of the Association. We counsel our readers to send at once the fee of one dollar to the Secretary, Mr D. W. Beadle, St. Cathar- tion to recover damages for alleged injur- sults may be. The latest reports are con- Wright & Co. are making board timber in ines, which will entitle them to a copy of ies to plaintiff's wife by defendant's horse. tradictory. A special despatch from Erze- Shawanaga and Carling; Randolph, of a report for 1877, now being printed which The trouble occurred in passing with sleighs roum to the London Times states that Stayner, is operating in saw-logs and board is worth the full amount of the subscrip- in the deep snow, when, as plaintiff alleged, Lord Derby has telegraphed the British timber on Henvey Inlet. And they all tion fee, and in adition thereto, a plant of defendants horse reared up and struck his consul there to leave the town. This is growl about hard times. this splendid new grape, which can not be wife on the breast with his foot doing her considered in Erzeroum as foreshadowing bought for less than a dollar apiece. If serious injury. Defence contended that a declaration of war between England and any one would like to secure two of these the horse did not touch her, that she was Russia. A Pera correspondent says:tended to the work of piling the harbour, made for the district meeting. A Scarlet say Post says that the earthquake on Sunnames of 9 persons besides his own and for plaintiff. Frost & Cowperfor plaintiff. to stop the effusion of blood, and is theregrape vines he can do so by sending the more feightened than injured. Verdict The Porte's circular says the Porte desires ed in the re- day morning, 4th ult., created a "fissure ten dollars to Mr. Beadle, and a plant will Creasor & Morrison for deft. ed the by-law for \$15,000 for harbour im- marks made on the progress of the Associ- in the earth, across a considerable tract be sent to each of the nine persons, and

Osprey Council.

Maxwell, 3rd December, 1877 .- At this date the Council met pursuant to ajournment from 20th October last. Members all present: The Reeve in the chair. circular note despatched by the Porte Minutes of former meeting read and con- the signatories of the treaty of 1871 com-

sealed, and engrossed on the Minutes.

the Township of Osprey .- Carried. sessment for 1877 .- Carried.

-Carried.

Lot No. 1, in the 14th con. for 1877 .- Car- fices, since the Porte is ready to come Moved by Mr. Speers, seconded by Mr. all for the independance and integrity of the

Winters, That the Reeve do issue his order fatherland; but the Porte is desirous to in favor of Mathew Spafford for the sum of stop the effusion of blood. \$3.00 for repairing bridge on side road.-

Winters, That the Reeve do issue his order in favor of Robert Whitson for the sum of | 77,658. 70c, being an overcharge in his assessment for 1877.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Speers, seconded by Mr. Sing, That the sum of \$4.00 be granted to John Spence for repairing bridge on 25th side road and that the Reeve do issue his order for the same .- Carried.

Moved by Mr. McIntyre, seconded by (in the interest of the Municipality) of the This immense army being now in Plevna umberland and Durham. committee of the T. G. & B. Railroad.

Moved by Mr. McIntyre, seconded by Mr. Winters, That Mr. Maxwell be paid the sum of \$10.30 for attending land sale in the interest of the Municipality, and follow in the footsteps of a portion of the that the Reeve do issue his order for the Russian army in 1829, it will advance to same.—Carried.

JAMES GIBSON, Clerk.

Court.

From the Times.

House on Tuesday before His Honor Judge light, and the civil docket contained thir-Grand jury :

John Corbet, Foreman, Edward Ryan. Arch. Campbell, Robert Algeo, J. Menzies,

The following cases were deposed of: and May (qui tam) vs. Graham .- The plaintiff our colossal friend could be sent to the in this case sued to recover the penalty importance. While the Russians may that the Police Magistrate should have the ring to direct the prizes, as the Directors from the defendant, who is a magistrate, for not making a return of conviction. The defence contended that putting the return they will hold the ground they have won, in the Post office addressed to the Clerk of one of the Judges who wished to do justice, the Peace, was sufficient transmission.

But, Mr. Editor, why did the Directors tiff : Spragg, (of Hoskin & Spragg, Toron-May (qui tam) vs. Middleton.-This was Adrianople. They have available for this also a suit to recover penalty for not mak- purpose an army of 40,000 men at Tirnova,

case was one for an offence against the In- would be well-nigh irresistible. The main land Revenue Act, it was not necessary to obstacles to this movement would be the make a return. Reserved. S. J. Lane presence of Suleiman Pasha at Elena, and for plaintiff; McFayden & Robarts for defen- the great difficulty of maintaining com-May (qui tam) vs. Graham .- This case crowned with snow. But the dismay which

son for de endant. Claxton vs. York .- Action on promis- hailed by the outraged Christians, smartsory note. Verdict by consent for \$211. ing for revenge, are considerations which

lard for defendant. Christie vs. Jones .- Action on promis-We desire to call the attention of our sory note. Verdict by consent, \$151

> Graham vs McDonald .- Action on ac MacKenzie vs. Campbell.-Action on a

for defen lant. Queen vs Allan .- This was an assault case opposite angle of the quadrilaterial, Beatty & Switzer are cutting in Foley, from the township of Normanby. Verdict threatens Silistria, and thereby forces the Christic, Ferguson, and McArthur Bros.

crown ; McFayden & Robarts for the de- fence. Taylor vs. Barclay .- This was an ac- gerents, and it is hard to say what the re-

Bill against Ezra Rex for assault.

Turco-Russian War.

The Diplomatic Situation.

firmed. Clerk presented a communication mences by the statement that the origin from the Crown Land office refering to Lot of the present important events is perfectly No. 11 and 12, 2nd R. N., whereby it is known. The Imperial Government is conthe dollar in Melancthon and 121 mills in the Porte now makes. A state of war sim. Mercury. ply retards such reforms, and is disastrous Moved by Mr. McIntyre, seconded by to the country generally, destroying the Mr. Winters, That the Reeve do issue his agricultural interests, killing industry, and order in favor of Joseph Paterson for the ruining financial reorganizations. Indeamount of \$1.45 being an error in the as- pendantly of these arrangements for reform, what reason can there be for continu-Moved by Mr. Winters, seconded by Mr. ing the war ? Russia has declared that she Sing, That the collector be instructed to is not animated by a spirit of conquest : collect the taxes against Lots No. 36, 37, the military of both sides must be abun-38, and 39, 1st con. South, for the year 1877. dantly satisfied; what object can there then be for prolonging a contest ruinous to both Moved by Mr. Speers, seconded by Mr. countries? The moment has arrived for Winters, That the Reeve do issue his order the belligerent powers to accept peace in favor of Thomas Poole for the sum of without affecting their dignity. Europe \$3.00 being an overcharge of taxes against might now usefully interpose her good of

A London despatch says Suleiman Pasha is fortifying his position on the Lom. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. A St. Petersburg telegram says the total

> Russian loss up to December the 13th was ton. A Verbitza special says 40,000 Russian left for Orchanie on Saturday.

The War and the late Russian Victory.

eighteen miles of the Danube on the north;

fifty-five of Tirnova, on the south east; eighty of Rustchuk on the north-east, and ninety of Sophia in the west. Should it Sophia, whence it may, without encountering any formidable defences or natural obstacles, move leisurely on Adrianople. The road to Sophia has already been cleared of Turks as far as Etropol, fifty-Mehemet Ali has been contesting the onfrom his tardy efforts that his force is in. S. A. Haight sold 100 acres, for \$3,600. sufficient to resist the great army which the miles of Sophia, to which there is a main fall. road from Belgrade. Being thus convenient ed war against Turkey can now throw 30, 247. 000 men into the field, and the material cherish great expectations, as a sequel the fall of Plevda, it is not improbable that and allow the work of disintegration to go on in the Ottoman Empire. Irrespective Judgement reserved. S. J. Lane for plain- of other movements it is open to the Rus sians to recross the Balkans at the Shipka Pass, and descend in that way on ng return. Defence contended as the which, reinforced by the victors of Pleyna munication across a steep mountain, was identical with the last. Reserved. the re-appearance of the Russians in Rou-S. J. Lane for p'aintiff ; Creasor & Morri- melia, would cause at Stamboul, as well as the joy with which their presence would be 19. J. S. Wilson for plantiff . W. D. Pol. may outweigh the dictates of military prudence. Two other Russian armies are also available for active operations of more or District are conducted more extensively less importance. One is that of the Czaro- this winter than any season hitherto. The

fore ready to come to terms, and appeals provements, and a new by-law was intro- ation. The Lodge intend holding a Soi- of land on Armours Hill, about five miles two plants to the persons who gets up the John Creighton for assault; and a True ers, but is not yet at the end of its resour-The Grand Jury found No Bill against to the feeling of justice of the Great Pow- killed by insurgents in his own house, the ces, and is ready to sacrifice all for the in-

Such is the present position of the belli-

dependence and integrity of the

A Paris correspondent says :- It is stated that Server Pasha has informed Mr. Layard, the British Ambassador at Con-A Constantinople despatch says :- The stantinople, that a continuation of war would be a useless sacrifice, and he would endeavor to persuade the Poste to invoke the mediation of Austria and England. but as regarded the conditions of peace. shown that all arrears of taxes are Legally scious of having done nothing to provoke the political and territorial integrity of due to the Municipality on said lots, as they war. It has done everything to avoid it. Turkey was indispensable. In the face of were only once sold by the Government. | and vainly sought to discover Russia's this we have a despatch from the London By-Laws No. 170, 171, and 172 having motive in her agressive campaign. The correspondent of the Edinburgh Scotaman been introduced read a first and second Porte has shown a desire for improvement to the effect that "to-morrow Lord Destry time, passed in committee of the whole by re-organizing the judical system and will have to announce the all-important without amendment, were afterwards read devising reforms without destruction of fact that both Russia an Turkey are any a third time, passed a third time, signed, race or religion, according to the Constitu- ious to make peace." There may be some tion, which has everywhere been well re. thing in this but we are inclined to be Moved by Mr. McIntyre, seconded by ceived. Partial reform is of no avail. The lieve that in the present state of affaire. Mr. Sing, That the Clerk do call the atten- adoption of improvements in one part of neither Russia nor Turkey are in a mood tion of the Local Superintendant to a com- the empire only would be a premium to for peace making, and that the war will plaint laid before this Council that the other communities to revolt. Any doubt have to go on for a time until either pow-Trustees of School No. 1, Melancthon and as to the execution of reforms should dis. ers feel that it is exhausted and cannot Osprey, have levied a rate of 10 mills on appear before the solemn declarations continue the contest any longer. - Guelph

Canadian Items

Bartley, the alleged Beauce murderer, was removed to that county on Saturday. During a windstorm, the roof of the Methodist Church at Fort Simpson, B. C., was carried off.

way were to have been laid as far as Selkirk by Saturday evening. terms. The country is ready to sacrifice

wounded on Tuesday by a collission on the

Great excitementis reported in British Columbia over alleged gold discoveries in Cariboo, yielding from \$40 to \$90 to the

to the Hamilton and North-western Railway is being agitated by the Nottawasaga

ed a tariff of charges to be imposed upon those electors who voted in favor of the After the fall of Plevna the great question | Dunkin By-law.

now is, what will Russia do next. The Mr. Speer, That the Reeve be paid the sum force which invested Plevna is sstimated day Mr. Hector Cameron obtained a rule In the Court of Queen's bench on Friof \$5.00 for attending a meeting at Toronto at 100,000 men, with many hundred guns. nisi to quash the Dunkin by-law in Northand the neighboring villages, is within

A young man named Edward Teevin was drowned on Saturday at Fergus, while trying to save a boy who had fallen through the ice. The boy was got out alive.

of the Presbyterian Churches of Rosemont and Mulmur, held at Stanton on Monday, 3rd instant, it was resolved to extend a call to the Rev. Mr. Russell, of Barrie.

Mr. Luke Reeves sold lot 26, con. 7. Minto, 100 acres, \$4,500, Mr. Pat Metwo miles from Plevna, and although Carty sold lot II, con. II, 100 acres, for \$3,000. Mr. Wm. Gowan sold lot 34, con. ward march of the invaders, it is evident 6, same place, 100 acres, for 5,000. Mr.

It is stated that at a council recently held Russians are now at liberty to send against at Fort Walsh, Sitting Bull and several of him. Should the Murcovites undertake his braves expressed themselves in favor of this line of attack, they may be efficiently a return to United States territory, in view aided by the Servians, who are impatient of the difficulty with the blackfeet. Other

On Monday Mr. Alleyn, the Conservato the valley leading to Adrianople, it is tive candidate in Quebec West for the Lopossible for the Servians to assail the rear cal House, was returned by a majority of of an Ottoman force defending the Balkan | 41. At the last election in this constitudefiles which give access to Sophia from ency for the same House the Conservatives the Plevna road. Servia having proclaim- returned their candidate by a majority of

The Grand Jury of York County Sessions power of punishing by flogging those found guilty of beating their wives or women ; and that boys should be more often birch. ed than sent to gaol to herd with hardened criminals. The suggestion is about the ated from a Grand Jury within the memory of the oldest inhabitant.

The grain receipts at Collingwood harbour for the past season amount to 1,378. 384 bushels. There are laid up in the harbour for the winter fourteen vessels, viz : Steamers Northern Belle and Wabuno : tugs Collingwood, Mary Ann, Magdalena, Worts, R. C. Allen, Reed Case, and Philo Scoville ; steam barge McKerrall, and barges Hutchinson and Ningara. The hulls has been taken out. There are besides the yachts Keystone and Mocking Bird, and about 35 fishing boats. Lumbering operations in Parry Sound

vanced with rapid strides. The whole regarded as inevitable. His brother, who is prisons in San Domingo are fuil, and several executions have taken place.

There are 141 patients in the Orillia Asy.

The Collingwood High School will become a Collegiate Institute next year.

The rails on the Pembina Branch Rail-

North Shore Railway near Batiscan.

The question of granting an extra bonus

The hotel keepers of Forgus have adopt-

At a meeting of the united congregations

for the fray. Their frontier is within 62 chiefs opposed any surrender until next

witch, probably 50,000 strong, which has following lumbering campanies are operatbeen posted between the Jantra and the ing in sawlegs :- The Parry Sound Lum-Lom, for the double purpose of watching bering Company is cutting in Foley, Cow-Rustchuk, and preventing Suleiman from per, McDongall, Carling, McKellar, and going to the aid of Osman Pasha. The Ferguson, and will cut a stock of 10,000,000 other is that of General Zimmerman, 40,- feet; the Guelph Lumbering Company is 000 strong, holding the Dobrudja, where it cutting in Humphrey, Foley, Christie, has been ingleriously inactive throughout Monteith, Spence, Hagerman, and Fergu note. Verdict for plaintiff \$239.50. Frost & the campaign. It is practicable now for son, and will get out 10,000,000 feet; the the Czarowitch to prepare for the invest- Magnetawan is cutting in Brown and Wilment, while General Zimmerman, at the son, and will cut a stock of 12,000,000 feet; guilty of an assault. A. Frost for the Porte to keep a large garrison for its de- are operating in board timber in McMurrich Patrick Sherry is making board timber in Ryerson ; Cook Bros. are saw-logging and making board timber in Conger; O. F.

For the Guide

A ROMANCE OF THE

CHAPTER ! An old man through the for His jetty locks of months a As white as driven snow, Wending his devious way

Thou still dost chide,

Why doth thy spirit hide know that thou art might looked on with half dazed

How can I fear Thy spirit form to see ?-

And, though I faithless pro

All strengming in the light,

Oh! come to me. I do not four

The ghost !-- of And for a space he stood

In fear; E'en the soft brooklet's voi As if a mermaid warbled

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