

CANADIAN ITEMS.

A fire in Ingersoll on Wednesday destroyed some eight or nine thousand dollars worth of property.

Kincardine township claims to have raised the biggest apple this season. It measured 15 inches round and weighed 29 1/2 ounces.

The Ontario Gazette contains a notice of application on behalf of Knox College for an Act granting it power to confer degrees of Divinity.

A distressing case is that of John Brown, a school teacher in North Hastings, who was lost in the woods on Saturday night week last, and perished either from cold or hunger.

Some very fine specimens of mica have lately been found on St. Paul's Island, situated off Cape North, C.B., and it is said that there are large and valuable deposits of this mineral on St. Paul's.

If a newspaper should contain all the things that all its readers want it to print it would have to be bigger than a bed sheet. If it should leave out all that each of its readers does not wish read, it would be blank paper.

At the Barrie Assize, one of the magistrates of Simcoe came to grief, and his case ought to be a warning to other J.P.s. A charge of larceny had been pending against a man named Butler, who was brought before Thos. Macham, J.P. The case was adjourned several times, and the magistrate sent word to the accused to settle with the constable about the costs, and it would be all right; whereupon the constable got \$11 from Butler, and the case dropped. The magistrate and constable were then brought up at the Assizes for illegally extorting money from Butler, where the Judge fined the magistrate \$200, and the constable \$10, stating at the same time that he would have the magistrate removed from the commission of the peace.

A terrible accident occurred at the residence of Mr. Andrew G. Muir, at Grimsby, on Friday morning, that caused the instantaneous death of Mrs. Muir. It appears that Mrs. Muir's sons had been out shooting on Wednesday, and returned and left the gun in the house loaded. They intended to go out again on Saturday morning with some friends from Hamilton, and the younger of the three sons, about sixteen years of age, was on Friday hauling one of the guns. What he was doing with it he has as yet been unable to tell. All that is known is that the gun exploded and Mrs. Muir got the whole of the contents in the head. She dropped dead on the floor. The deceased, who was about 45 years of age, leaves a loving husband and family of six children.

SENDING STORE CATTLE TO ENGLAND.—Mr. F. Frankland, of Toronto, who is so largely engaged in sending cattle to England, thus writes to the Globe.—Canada is still sending her hundreds of cattle to England by way of Montreal, and the price the farmers are getting is from three cents to three and a half cents per pound live weight; whereas if our people would only keep these cattle and feed them and make them good, they would have no trouble to realize from five to five and one quarter cents per pound live weight in April, May, and June. And, sir, when we consider the abundance of food we have in Canada this year and the great want our farmers experience in the scarcity of manure, it is a matter of regret they should sell their cattle at such low prices, and lose all the advantages they would derive from home feeding, instead of sending them to Great Britain to be finished. The purport of this letter is to impress upon our Canadian farmers that good fat cattle will sell every month in the year. Therefore fatten your own stock.

A HOG SWINDLER.—That this neighborhood is infested with a pack of swindlers in the shape of agents two cases which occurred last week will serve to show. One day last week a man representing himself to be an agent for the Empire Bar Fence Company, Montreal, called on George Swan, of Pilkington, and offered to put up fourteen feet of fencing on his premises gratis, for the purpose of having it there for an advertisement. This proposal Mr. Swan acquiesced to and was asked to sign an agent granting this privilege, which he did. After the agent had gone a quantity of material was delivered for the fence, and in a couple of days following two collectors presented to Mr. Swan the order he had signed, and demanded his note for \$200.65 in exchange of it. They assumed to know nothing of the arrangement the agent had made and by means of threats to sue for the money finally frightened Mr. Swan into giving the note. An agent for the same Company made a similar arrangement with Mr. John Laidlaw, Paisley Block, but when the collectors asked for his note he refused to give it and they destroyed the order. Cannot something be done to give such scoundrels their proper deserts?—Guelph Mercury.

The Queen has been in the habit of sending three pounds to every mother of triplets in her dominions. When Mrs. Thomas Collyer applied the second time for this gratuity, the Queen had her informed that once was enough, and she had been paid once for all.

Work will soon be commenced on the new University College, Liverpool, England. \$88,000 have been subscribed, and but little more is needed to make up the required amount. The endowments of professorships is about completed; but a further sum is required to meet the cost of a suitable and handsome building.

There are rumours in England that the Duchess of Edinburgh will not again visit St. Petersburg except to visit her father's deathbed, and that she will hereafter appear more in public and in society. The quidnuncs are also busy with conjectures concerning the Queen and the Princess Louise, inferring that there is a standing quarrel between them, because the Princess has not visited her mother since she returned from the Continent.

A Remarkable Story.

A remarkable story has just been published by the British and Foreign Bible Society. The story has been related by Sir Bartle Frere and rests entirely upon his authority. Sir Bartle Frere asserts that he met "with an instance, which was carefully investigated, in which all the inhabitants of a remote village in the Deccan had adopted idolatry and caste, removed from their temples the idols which have been worshipped there, time out of mind, and agreed to profess a form of Christianity which they had deduced for themselves from the careful perusal of a single gospel and a few tracts." These books had been left among them, not by a missionary, but by a merchant who had never espoused Christianity. This is certainly an extraordinary instance, but no man, who believes in the power of the Spirit of Truth will pronounce it impossible.

The execution of the decrees against the unauthorized religious orders is now complete in France except in Algeria and Corsica.

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At 10, 11 and 12 1/2 cents.

A lot of 50 cent KID GLOVES, the Best Value in Town.

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Dress Goods, Clouds, Hosiery,

Gloves, Flannels, Ladies wool vests,

Shawls, Blankets, Tweeds, &c. &c.

Sheetings (Grey and Bleached), Table Cloths, Table Napkins, Towelings, &c. &c.

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Rowswell's Building, Upper Town, Durham.

Sept. 30th, 1880.

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Their Christian names and surnames, address and description, the sum of their claims, a statement of their amounts and the nature of the securities of any held by them, and in default thereof they will be excluded from any claim against the said estate.

And all parties indebted to the said Estate are hereby notified to pay the same to the executor on or before the 1st day of November next. Dated at the City of Toronto, the 17th day of September, 1880.

JOHN MACRAE, JOHN McQUINN, Executors, PROCVILLE P.O.

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Feb. 12th, 1880.

MISCELLANEOUS.

"What is the first thing to be done in case of fire?" asked Professor Stearns. "See the Insurance Company," promptly answered the boy at the foot of the class, whose father had been burned out once or twice.

An American lawyer is now Attorney-General of the Sandwich Islands. In two years he doesn't own the entire country and hold the king's note for a large sum, he is no credit to the American bar.—Philadelphia Chronicle Herald.

"Did you find Mr. Spriggins, Patrick?" "I did, surr." "What did he say?" "Niver a word, surr." "Not a word? Not a word? Why not, Patrick?" "Because he was out, surr." "Out! I thought you said you found him." "I did, surr; I found him out."

One of the Guests lately at a party, addressing the gentleman next to him, said, "This is awfully dull; suppose we retire and get something to exhilarate us?" "I should only be too glad," was the reply, "but I can't leave." "Hoy is that?" asked the interlocutor. "Why," said the other, "you see, I'm the party that's giving the party."

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"Edward," said a mother to her boy of eight, who was trundling a hoop in the front garden, "you mustn't go out of that gate into the street." "No, ma, I won't," was the reply. A few minutes afterward she saw Edward in the street, engaged in manufacturing mud pies, and at once went out to him. "Didn't I tell you," she said angrily, "not to go through that gate?" "Well, I didn't, mother," was the very satisfactory reply; "I climbed over the fence."

Executors' Notice.

ALL persons holding claims against the Estate of DONALD MURCHISON, late of the Township of Gwent, in the County of York, who died on or about the 5th day of July, A.D. 1880, are hereby notified to send, if by post prepaid, to the Executors, concerned, a statement of the said Donald Murchison, deceased, on or before

TUESDAY, 23rd NOV. A.D. 1880.

Their Christian names and surnames, address and description, the sum of their claims, a statement of their amounts and the nature of the securities of any held by them, and in default thereof they will be excluded from any claim against the said estate.

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