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WASHBURN.

Feb. 8. - Trotting horses are being practised on "Bass Lake" in preparation for a race expected on Saturday, the 19th, or (if the weather be unfavorable) on Monday the 21st. - The skating rink was never in better order than on last Monday night, and those who attended it spent a jolly time. - The roads are in splendid condition and the young folks are taking advantage of them.

ODESSA.

Feb. 9. Rillia, daughter of John J. Johnston, Ernesttown, died this morning. - John McKenzie Cairns, sustained a severe kick on the head by a horse, but is recovering rapidly. - A deep-water missionary sermon was delivered Sunday evening by Rev. John Bredin, D.D. The sermon was a masterpiece in detail, and was ably delivered; \$71 was subscribed. The council took no action at the special sitting in Westbrooke creek drainage.

BREWER'S MILLS.

Feb. 9. - The redemptorist fathers conducted a mission service here last week. Though two services were held every day, and the weather was bad, the congregation assembled in immense numbers at every service. At the conclusion on Thursday evening the fathers complimented Father Deshauenac for the unity of spirit and love of concord manifested by the congregation. R. Anglin has secured thd job of sawing the timber used in the construction of Brass' Point bridge.

CATARAQUI.

Feb 8.—Mr. Leonard is doing a good business in the tobbogan line; there are no less than six slides in the vicinity. - Miss L. Rowe, has secured a permanent position as telegraph operator in the city. - There is more sickness in this neighborhood this winter than usual. - The salvation army opened fire here on Friday night last and are doing finely. - Rev. Mr. Simpson's sermon from the text "How shall we escape if we neglect so great a salvation" and represented by a chart showing the upward and downward way, was well received and will do much good.

JOYCEVILLE.

Feb. 9. David A. Rea is in East Saginaw, Mich., visiting with his son in law, F. Ostler, a successful grocer. - John Brien has secured the exclusive right of fishing in the Rideau canal between Washburn and Kingston Mills. Last week he caught a dog fish weighing ten pounds. T. Todd and D. Trotter are the happy fathers of a daughter and son respectively. Beecham Trotter, of Brandon, Man., is visiting relatives here. Matthew Ryan, Kingston, is visiting with Michael John, who has recovered from a late illness. - Much sickness prevails among the young, necessitating their removal from school. The host and hostess of the Joyce ville inn have been visiting in Elgin. -Pat rick McLaughlin, who has been on a tour through Great Britain and Ireland, is expected to arrive home in a few days.

OMPAH.

Feb. 7. - Last week Peter Watt, of this place, was struck by a falling tree while working in one of McLaren's shanties; he met with severe injuries, the bones of his shoulder being crushed and his hand pierced through with a knot. - Colonel Walsh has purchased the farm of the late Augustus Jervois, situated on-Trout Lake at Ompah, in a most picturesque and lovely spot. The gallant colonel has seen much active service. With his family he is the guest of Major Gilbert, at Trout Lake, who is his old comrade in arms. - Mrs. Bramwell Watkins continues dangerously ill. She is unable to take nourishment. There are indications of fodder becoming scarce in some localities as owing to the severity of the winter, cattle have consumed a quantity, far above the average. Again, prices being so low in the autumn farmers tried to carry over, where some, at least, should have sold.

BATTERSEA.

Feb. 9. Our village once more presents a busy appearance. Three houses are to be erected in the early spring; the materials are being placed on the sites. W. Sears and sons supply the brick. The first of the series of penny readings was held last Friday evening and proved a success. It in gurs well for the future entertainments. The ice is in prime condition and the villa gers are storing away their summer supply.

A little son of E. Hindje met with a ser ious accident by which the jaw was broken in two places. -An interesting case of dam age to property was decided on Tuesday by Isaac Lake, J. P., J. Lemmon being plain tiff, and G. De Wolfe, defendant. De Wolfe was fined \$10 and costs. We need not be surprised if in the future some of our young men occupy prominent positions in the mer cantile world, Prof. Burr the bumpologist having outlined their future course.

MISSISSIPPI.

Feb. 7. The Mississippians seem determined not to be outrivalled in tobogganing by their near friends, the McLarenites, as they have sent in an order for toboggans and have made a famous slide, daily becoming better. Old and young 'join heartily in the preparations and much fun is anticipated. Mr. and Mrs. Teverley and Mrs. McLaren left the Mississippi to-day to attend the carnival. - Miss Maggie Miller has been engaged as teacher in Lee's school. - John Hannah sold a valuable horse last week to Simon Clemow. —Willie McKinnon had a marvellous escape from death last week. Father and son have been engaged in the tie business, and on going down a steep hill the sleigh got unfastened and ran in between the two horses causing them to run away, and Willie, the teamster, was violently thrown off, but was unable to extricate himself from the sleigh until he reached the bottom of the hill. Strange to say he only received a slight scratch on his cheek where one of the ties had struck him. The horses and sleigh were not injured. - James Hughes met with an accident last week. While in the woods chopping he accidentally cut his foot. He was all alone and it was with difficulty he reached his home. - Ezra Wood is very ill. He left home a short time ago for Westport and was doing a very good business there as watchmaker, when ill health obliged him to return home.

SYDENHAM

Feb. 8.—On Sunday morning last a memorial service was held in the Methodist

stone church here, improving the death of the late Mrs. Alfred Blakeslie. A most impressive sermon was preached by the Rev. S. D. Chown on the resurection. The congregation was large, notwithstanding the bad weather.-It having been announced that at the evening service a sermon would be preached on the duty of christians in the political crisis no small curiosity was excited., A large number turned out. Unfortunately for himself your correspondent could not be present, but report says that whilst Mr. Chown's well known leaning to the conservative side cre ptout, yet it was an able discourse and well calculated to do good. Mr. Chown is very popular with all parties. -At the Sabbath school in the frame church on Sunday, the subject being "Lot's choice," the superintendant, in order to test the school, requested all present to write on a slip of paper, (unsigned) their choice, should God make them an offer to give them what they might desire. Out of sixty-three who responded fifty-seven expressed in some way their desire for eternal life. One desired a farm, and others health, wealth, education and so on. The superintendent read the answers at the close of the school amid almost breathless silence. The afternoon's session was unusually impressive -We are glad to report the genera! health of this neighborhood much improv-

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Prince Albert Victor of Wales is 23. An Ionia (Mich.) turkey has been trained

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