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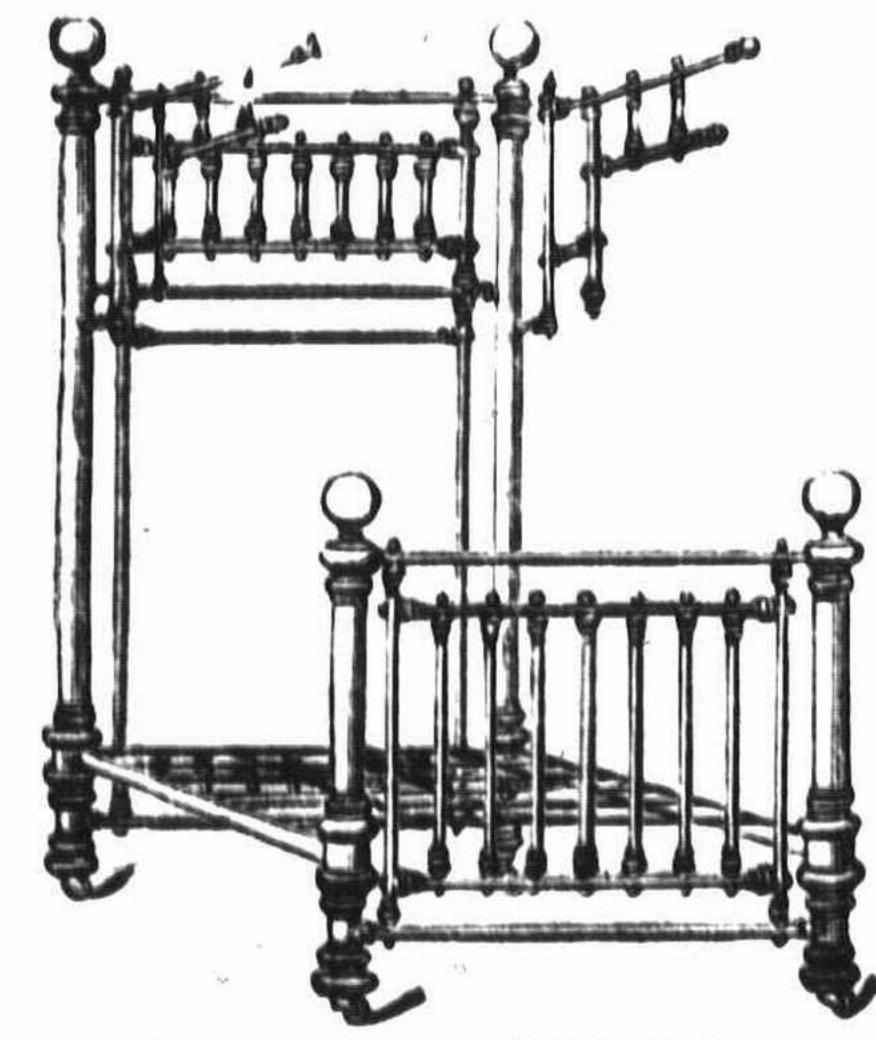


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A Very Stout Woman Dead,

many years resided with her family in the party in office." March 5th. Mrs. Mulberry was probably Mr. Whitney is the great man he has been the largest woman in Canada. Her weight during the past few years has ranged from | pictured to be by his political friends. He 450 to 485 pounds. For the past few has done nothing to merit greatness; as months she has been in failing health, and Josh Billings would say he has had it Saturday passed away at the age of forty- "hove" upon him."

entains a half tome cut of J. A. | butter and cheese association of eastern

# THE DAILY WHIG. Canada."

"Opifer per Orbem Dicor."

AUDIT OF PUBLIC BOOKS.

"It was learned to-day," said this dis- quote from the report: patch to the Toronto News, "from a most reliable source, that the report will show that the government has been defrauded out of the round sum of one million dollars by officials of the institution, the wrongbeen years."

The report must be received with reserve, pending its presentation to parliament, and it is only now referred to incidentally in order to emphasize something to which the Willia has heretofore roferred. What each great public institutions of Canada require is a comptroller, \$40 Cash one who, independent of the prison staff, to it, will scrutinize every order for supplies, every invoice for goods, every document which affects the revenue and oxpenditure of the institution, and object to the payment of any account which is in any way, or to any degree, irregular.

ner and irregular in method. Granted. has passed by owing to this impossibility, the population are fools. The dairy in gave a very interesting lecture in the municipal government, in which the comp. troller cuts a conspicuous figure. Then the Columbia to Teslin lake. government should have, like the railway companies, and telephone and telegraph companies, travelling auditors who will drop into the offices of the public institutiens-penitentiaries, custom houses, post have provided for in this contract. offices, and other places where public business is done and public accounts kept and make a close and critical examination of their affairs.

Auditors are wanted, experts in their industrious enough to cover the country graph Creek, and if they do not do so world, and improvement needed for coping two to three times a year. These audits others will. The hon, gentleman has no with the competition found. should be followed by confidential reports alternative; he simply confirms us in our to heads of departments so that wherever trouble is noticed or suspected it may be States of the character which has arisen, watched and brought to a head as soon as

Theee fraude by faulty officials are becoming too numerous. They must be stopped, and the audit, unmercifully exact ing but just, will do it.

Such things we have read about before. from a foreign power. The liberals have enjoyed them in the past,

has not generally imitated the Toronto lie opinion. World and News, and other papers, and put Mr. Whitney "on top" without regard to the number of supporters he may have.

The Ottawa Citizen is one of the organs which has deemed it well to say a word or two in justification of common sense. Its source of information to the people, and it has not approved of the plan of decoption pursued by some of its contemporaries. It has not claimed that Mr. Whitney has a majority of the members elected on the let of March, but that "he won a great victory," (not a moral victory), and that "the future is on his side" Talk like this Cream, Whole Wheat has set another conservative paper, the under the heading of "An Exploded Su-

> peretition: "An absence of brilliance either in the policy or leadership of the Ontario opposi- week. tion may explain why it came nearer to success last Tuesday than the opposition could come in the days when its leader was

abler and its policy stronger.

himself a strong public man.

ownship of Augusta, near Prescott, died | There is nothing in this to indicate that Elginburg, at Isaac Watte'.

James Alexander, Montreal, came up exmed in the interests of farming and far. pressly to attend the convention of the

GOVERNMENT STANDS FIRM.

The attitude of the government on the Yukon railway, under the threat of the Eastern Ontario Association Met in Con-United States senate to interfere with be expected of courageous and patriotic tion at the former collegiate institute the market and the flavor and

Cartwright in giving expression to the

A Toronto paper prints a telegram from in view of the United States senate's ac-

Dr. Sproule-Build from Edmonton. thousand five hundred miles over three or doing extending over a term of ten or fif- line competing with Edmonton. There are strong teasons why a line from the interior should be built, but it would be antagonistic to the Stickeen line. We want a line in operation by September next and that urgency is our justification. What better has the honorable gentleman to

Sir Charles Tupper said he would tell

the right honorable gentleman. The only basis for the monstrous contract now be fore the house was for the purpose of conappointed by government and amenable structing a line immediately that would be in operation by Sept. lat, so as to get communication with Yukon. That was gone. (Cries of no, no!) Inasmuch as occupation which developsmen and wemen, the senate of the United States had taken | who are the back bone of the country. the position they had, it makes it abso. The farmer looking to the land lutely impossible to accomplish the object a living is far shead of those seeking a aimed at by this bill and he asked the fortune in the luring Klondyke. The leader of the government to consider the moving crowd to that cold and dark re It may be said that the prison staff and question "de novo" and take up the question where men spend their time in de from start to finish. Rev. Dr. 1 the comptroller, though independent of tion of a railway to an ocean port in bauchery and dissipation and leave their occupied the pulpit in the Methodist British Columbia. If Sir Wilfrid would bones on the bank to bloach, only confirms church both morning and evening. Il do that he would undertake, as the urgency Carlyle's statement that the majority of is a most elequent speaker. He also Such a thing is possible. Such a combination that for far less than is provided in this dustry, among the leading in the country, lown hall, which building was filled to tion has probably occurred in American bill by the government he could get con- is now standing on a firm basis, and not its utmost capacity. A very pleasant structed by contractors of the highest in a shaky condition, and will keep pace time was spent at the residence of Mi

> ly. Why sir, he has no answer, but he (Cheers.) We have taken up the Sticabiding by their treaty obligations. position. We have anticipated any trou ble that might arise with the United but let me call attention again to the chief Wrangell affects our treaty rights ?

> Sir Wilfrid Laurier here read the clause in the contract providing for the extension that route in order that we shall be aben.

lengthened confinement to the cold shades, party in this debate; he will probably who are annoyed because the party press now make another at the instance of pub- of

Orleans Occurrences. This idea that an opposition should Quite a number are attending the Sunday | fishness under present condition to the de- on. Miss Ethel Annual is visiting have a striking policy and a strong leader school convention to day at Morren. Miss triment of the industry. The co operation friends at Smith Ville, Mr. and Mrs. muse now be numbered with the exploded | Georgie Watts attended the tea-meeting | system has many advantages, recognizing | 11m .libration left list week int \.... no particular policy, and J. P. Whitney. solos in her usual pleasing manner. butter. It avoids strikes, gives equal pre- usual pre- usual predespite his good fortune, has yet to prove Charles Watte has secured a permanent fits, and encourages all persons to work | Frank Bullin, Proquers, returned home position at Camden East and will remove | harmoniously. "There is no escape then from the con his family there coon. Mrs. King, Rail- James Alexander, cheese buyer, Monwin in Ontario politics ought not to culti- Kate Kenyon. Miss Mooney, Napanee, which he advocated the advantages of and cheep at A. D. Weese & Co's. leader. The opposition should simply Miss Mand Burley spont a few days with it the system of co-operation was establish. Resemount this spring. seek to keep the country guessing as to Ethel Mabee last week. George Watts ed it would be a God send to the buyers.

Mr. Phippen is his assistant. R. Weller is PERFECT. what its policy is, and to follow a leader and wife spent Sunday at Newburgh. The result of such an establishment he who will do nothing and may nothing to Visitors: William and Frederick Moore, could not fathou at present. Dealing attract to his party any of the popular dis Newburg, at George Watt's; George Bell with the shipment of cheese, he advised content which should be left to ferment and wife, Morven, at Sidney Sproule's; that no cheese be sent to England on com-Mrs. William J. Mulberry, who for and simmer for the destruction of the Mr. and Mrs. Buck, Cataraqui, at Law- mission. Anyone who has done it has lost rence Sharp's; Henry Watte and wife, money. The agents do not hang out for

Damaged By Fire.

o'clock this morning fire broke out in the store occupied by G. W. Savage, doing damage to stock and premises to the extent of between \$800 and \$100; fully in-

ronto, is in the city attending the dairy A portion of the machinery for the M. T.

company's elevator has arrived.

traffic at Fort Wrangel, is what might eastern Ontario opened a special conven. ducts. The paper explained the wants of building this morning in the interests of quality of cheese desired. Reports the industry of this district and for the showed that the marked was over crowded "Washington gets an answer," says a benefit of the pupils in the local dairy with poorly flavored cheese. That may be conservative paper, in heading the debate school. The officers of the association are: the fault of poor milk or corrupt surroundin the commons on Monday. "Canadian D. Derbyshire, Brockville, president; vice. ing in the manufacture. A competent inpoliticians agree to conserve Canada's presidents, E. J. Madden (deceased), J. spector would remove some of these difficulties." But this agreement is not what Ormond Daley, Foxboro, treasurer; R. the factory too green, or before they are in it seems. Some conservative members G. Murphy, Elgin, secretary. Directors, fit condition. Impure water used had a have, apparently, decided, when the issue E. Kidd, North Gower; W. Eager, Mor. dangerous effect on cheese, both quality becomes a patriotic one, to sink all minor risburg; J. R. Dargavel, Elgin; T. B. and flavor. Sixty per cent. of unsaleable

true Canadian sentiment, "The Canadian with regret read a te egram from A. F. of good cheese, and a thorough inspection government will not be dragooned into McLaren, M.P., Ortawa, stating his in- of milk should be made before it is acceptsurrendering the rights of the people of to be taken a present owing to the vote ed. the house to morrow. Mr. McLaren was five per cent of the water supplied the Sir Wilfrid Laurier caught Sir Charles to address the convention. It was a pleas. factories in this district was impure, large-Tupper beautifully when, in dealing with ure, he said, for the dairy association to ly due to the drainage from the factories his plaint that something should be done poke of the recent improvements to the system is improved bad water will be used Ottawa to the effect that the commission, tion, he referred to the rights secured by ance which is greatly appreciated by all The trouble is that the cheesems kers are are wondering in amazement be- which made an enquiry into the manage- treaty in the Stickeen railway, proposed interested. He also reviewed the choose held at fault, which is not just.

Mr. Bissell, Brockville, agreed and butter market, showing the injury Mr. Bissell, Brockville, agreed with the often done to the industry by incompetent previous speakers. Much trouble resulted dealers. The dairy schools were extending from the use of bad water. Any man who a wonderful influence, producing men who desired to make a success of cheesemaking could turn out fancy goods which bring a should see every pound of milk that en-Sir Wilfrid Laurier-That would be one fancy price. The manufacture of April tered his factory. Co operation should be and November cheese was a decri- secured between the milk suppliers and four chains of mountains. I say that the ment to the trade, and in view the manufacturers. line we intend to build from Telegraph of that the directors passed a resolu. The following resolution was adopted on Creek, and which we will build, is not a line competing with Edmonton. There val of the manufacture in these months. "That the eastern Ontario association re-Both butter and cheese made in Eastern cord its appreciation of the work done by Ontario were rapidly stepping to the front, the Kingston dairy school under the guidand advancing year by year. The as. ance of principal Ruddick and his able sociation was proud of the growth, and staff of assistants, and the association hoped the pupils in the school would do strongly recommends the cheese and buttheir share in promoting the industry. Principal Grant extended a welcome to

> industry. The pupils in the school were increasing in number from year to year, and the school itself was improving in its work. This year the daily receipt of milk equalled the weekly supply last season and the limit has not yet been reached. He paid tribute to the work of land toiler, that standing a road from Alice Arm in British with the competition of the world. This in and Mrs. R. Oliver on Medinesday dustry has enlisted the sympathy of the evening, when they entertained Sir Wilfrid Laurier—Sir, I am delighted government, but there is danger accompanying this. The aim of the government after spending a couple of months in etatement. I put him the question open- is to centralize everything, and too much this vicinity, left for his home at Landcentralization encourages laziness. The of horses for the Manitoba market pupils will need to be eternally vigilant, business and has advertised his chatkeen river in the hope of the Americans industry in every detail. He would like 12th inst. Miss Johnston attended the the preference to build to an ocean port in development. Urgent work is necessary work, men who will be numerous enough and British Columbia. We can call on them to advance the industry of eastern Ontario this summer to extend the line from Tele to the fore ranks of the markets of the

worker, when an equal distribution of pro | ch il is home after spending a work i fits would be demanded for providing manu- in Ottawa, G. Whitmersh, an employees facturer and dealer, in the dairy interests of Skinner & Co., Gamanoque, spent tions they simply won a moral victory. lutely free from all possible interference dustry. Those in the industry should from kemptville and spent a social share equal profite and bear the lossos evening with the league here. Mrs. in effect without being startling. The Montreal Star expresses the opinion | mutually. The patron, or producer, of Wing, Frankville, is visiting friends in Cleaned by MURRAY'S Im- and so they are able to appreciate the blat the conservative party can only the milk is the foundation of the industry, the village. proved Carpet Cleaning comfort this particular moral victory has strengthen itself in the country by taking ducer is the most important factor in the a broad-minded and patriotic stand upon industry, and if he is disregarded the There are some politicians, of the opposition. Sir Charles Tupper has whole will fall. Many schemes have been Death of George Weart - A Reading Room site side, and affected somewhat by their made one back down at the instance of his tried to interest the producer, but failure is the result because too much attention has been paid to the makers Prevnies, although a little cold for paid for milk scarcely equals the cost of come spring-like and roads are fast break. try, and that can only be done through after a langering illness from con ing up. Rev. R Laird conducted a series | the system of co-operation, or sharing of sumption. Deceased was a compenter meetings in the Presbyterian church profits. After deducting a certain per- and a highly respected citizen Il the past week with a good attendance. centage for expenser, etc., the profits leaves a wife and two children. The Capt. Micheal, Salvation army, returned should be equally divided. Another evil funeral lakes place on Wednesday in news columns are what they seem, a bome on Sunday to visit friends for a few is the existence of poor factories. Better Methodist church Everything is the weeks. A. McBride's residence has been plants and buildings are necessary to pro- quiet since election and every one is remodelled and now has an improved ap. duce good cheese. There is a tendency to a tiling down to work again, some pearance. The Salvation army's district | erect small factories owing to the prevalstring band visited the village corps on | ent bei:ef that patrons are making undue Friday evening and gave a number of fine | profits. These evils can be remedied by selections. Election excitement has sub an audit of books by competent men, and sided. Some of the farmers are tapping equal distribution of profits by co operatheir augar bushes and report a good tion, allowing the producers and maker to Judge Price was here on have a shareinfactories, and industry would some sin'i enforced here. I public Thursday. The cases this time were few. | cause many more to sett'e in this country and | maining room would be an appropriately Our butchers are doing a fair trade. I. | assist its prosperity. The makers were | iffice . After dealist line . I | and Brown Breads. They relegram, athinking, and it publishes this McWaters, who met with an accident some not receiving sufficient wages. A sad evil ville same a solo in the Methodist & weeks ago, is slowly improving and the | which existed was the saddling the burden | thurth on Sunday morning physician thinks he will pull through. The of losses on those who were not responsible. Hornerite society will commence a series A board of arbitrators would find it diffi. cupied the pulpit of the Methodist Carried of meetings in the village hall the coming, cult to locate where the cause of loss exist. Church both morning and exeming on ed, but co operation would equally di- Sunday last. Very ablessermans, were vide the lose. This exstem I laced on a proper basis would do away with the ten- dir at home. ( C. Slack is tabouting ODESSA, March 8.—The fine weather has dency of speculation, and make the mar. very patiently instructing several new several new sent the farmers to their sugar bushes. | ket more staple. There is too much sel- pupil- in the land for the coming sel-

desired prices. That knowledge cost him ten thousand dollars and he was will-Novan, Ont., March 9 .- About two ing to give it free. The co-operation eyetem, as proposed, he thought was impracticable. These schemers with fancy fads, who promise to do wonders, should be shot and done away with. He gave some practical advice on the dressing and wrapping INDIGESTION and of cheese and butter, and the quality required for export trade.

of large factories. He would like to see co-operation among the association and get

BUTTER AND CHEESE INDUSTRY | the business both in western and eastern Ontario on a staple footing.

G. C Publow, cheese instructor at the dairy school, read an instructive paper on The butter and cheese association of the needs of inspection of milk and its pro-Factory, becomes a patriotic one, to sink all minor differences and to join with Sir Richard man's Corners; H. Wade, Toronto. President D. Derbyshire presided and ouring room was necessary to the making

Principal Ruddick thought that seventy local school by the government, an assist. | and the cheese will have its poor flavor.

ter makers of eastern Ontario to take advantage of the opportunities afforded by both the pupils and to the patrons of this attending the school."

## MERRICKVILLE MATTERS.

Dr Lucas Lectures-An Exolting Hockey

Match-Plemant Time Spent. Merrickville, March 8. - Misses M. Crea and Conley, Kemptville, spent few days in fowe visiting friends the week. A very exciting hockey match was placed here on Mr. Prosser's rink Thursday night, between Kemptville and the home team. It resulted in a store of five too two in layor of the home team. The game was well played number of their friends. Joel Beamen,

paring to tap their sugar bushes. W Professor Dean, of Guelph dairy echool Falls, spent Sunday in town. A numin connection with the agricultural col her of young people drove out to dohn! lege, extended greetings from his school to himstrong's, Carley's Corners. Westthe eastern dairymen. His address was positive might, and were hospitably enon "True Cooperation, the Solution of permaned. Mosley & McKinbon point. Dose the hon, gentleman contend | Many Daticulties in Creamories and sold, eventy five head of young cartle | Etc. that the refusal of bonding privileges at | Cheeseries" The time is coming, said the his metion sale dast linding. Miss l'er-

ATHENS AFFAIRS.

Is Badly Needed. Athens, March 9. - Beautiful weather sugar making. The rink has succumb feeling extremely proud and some anne the reverse, Lyman Patterson, Rockpert, visiting friends here for the past new ind testricting the hearts from Rev. G. S. Reynolds, Mallot domin, or given on the subject of "Missions" Miss Edith Giles, Brockville, spent Sun-

on Monday after a pleasant visit here. clusion that the opposition which seeks to ton, spent last week with her sister, Miss treal gave a very humorous address, in Spring 1898 wall papers, choice, artistic vate strength in policy or brilliance in its is the guest of Miss Kenyon this week. cleanliness about the factory. He thought B Corrigen will ship on the steamer

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er, Man. He took with him a car load to do a larger Dress Goods business this season than proposes simply to do the very thing we directors of the ichool and the James Mills is going out of the livery we have done yet. We have spared no pains to secure promoting the interests of the schools and tels for sale by public auction on the what is newest and best. We have hunted for the most If to see the professor of bacteriology em- millinery opening at Montreal last desirable materials, kept in touch with the fashion cencontract that the contractors shall have find out all dangers and nip them before The weather is delightful with every tres and made it a point to secure correct things. They indication of spring. The snow is distarted are here now and ready for your inspection.

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# Business, March 9 Weather has bethe producer take an interest in the industry, who died on Tuesday morning skating is a thing of the past. Death last claimed another victim in Athens this week in the person of George Weart, who died on Tuesday morning SUSBURY, March 9 Weather has bethe producer take an interest in the industry who died on Tuesday morning SUSBURY AND THE SUBJECT OF THE STATE OF THE SUBJECT OF THE STATE OF THE SUBJECT OF THE STATE OF THE SUBJECT OF THE SUBJECT

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BELLEVILLIANS ABROAD.

Some Interesting Chat Regarding Those Who Have Gone to South Africa.

in writing to J. V. Jenkins gives interesting details as to the Belleville men in that locality. James Grant is local manager of the company at Lourruco, Marquis, and time of writing (February) there were only twenty left. All the others were intense, ranging from 112 to 135 in the shade. He says that bockey is unknown there, as ice costs eight cents per pound. As a sample of cost of goods he quotes the | PRINCETS NTERET, with a big Bank-CONSTIPATION. following prices: Eggs, \$1 per dozen; dog rupt Stork of New Clothing and Gents' Furmeat, 30c. per pound; potatoes, \$4 80 per | nishings. President Derbyshire discountenanced Write for samples, testimonials and guaran- bushel; beer 50c. and whiskey 40c. per Call and inspect them. glass. All the Belleville boys, he says, are doing well, but all have had a sick

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