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styles. We aim to keep the best some time, is on the mend. goods and at the very lowest possible The patrons of Farmers' Pride like to hear from said correspondent

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COUNTY NEWS.

INTERESTING LETTERS FROM OUB STAFF OF CORRESPONDENTS. A Budget of News and Gossip. Personal

Intelligence.-A Little of Everything well Mixed up.

OAK LEAF.

SATURDAY, Jan. 27 .- Mr. James Denby rejoices in an addition to the family circle. A daughter. Miss Melia Young is visiting at John Williamson's.

A number of young folks from Athens were entertained at Mr. Peter Johnson's on Friday night. Misses Addie Johnson and Maggie Morris are visiting Mrs. Fred Warren,

of Rockfield. The other evening when Mr. John Williamson and his sister in law were returning home from Soperton, they were tipped out of the cutter and his team became unmanageable. Dispite the efforts made to stop them, Mr. Williamson was obliged to let the horses go. Before going far, however, the horses got free from the cutter and only ran a short distance. No serious damage sustained.

SHEATOWN.

THURSDAY, Jan. 25 .- The vessel sailed by captain John Shea was laid up for repairs on the onion-bed shore of of Manitoba. Charleston lake, convenient to Nigger Bay. Said vessel belongs to to the East shore fleet.

The cotillion parties have ceased for a while in the new dancing school here. E. Keyes, jr., proposes to put up a telephone from Sheatown to Wexford a distance of five miles.

Ten loads of sawdust left the Cughan Bro's mill for Rockport and Mallory town last week.

Mr. H. Lewis says he can tell a Patron of Industry by the color of his

face-burning cheap oil. Jas. Cain says there are no politics became of all of some members' politics logs. when they joined the P. I.

DULSEMAIN.

MONDAY, Jan. 22 .- The Patrons of Industry seem to be a progressive organization in the Front of Leeds and cle's, Mr. John rrye's. Lansdowne. New societies are being started and the platform discussed and have some interests in the maintenance of the old party lines. Several parties are talked about as desirable men to place in the field as candidates for mattern having now set in. parliament. Herbert Horton, who has farmers together, will probably be a

A bran new baby boy at Wm. Pa-Miss Moulton, from near Delta, is

visiting her parents here this week. Mr. and Mrs. James Moulton went to Bastard on Saturday to see his sister,

who is very ill. Mrs. Göss Haskins has been very ill but, we are glad to hear, is some better. Sleighing all gone again, but good Let him please note the following :-

ADDISON.

SATURDAY, Jan. 27 .- Mr. Nelson Church has returned home and will spend the winter with friends here. It is rumored that one of our King st. gents is slightly hankering after a blooming young widow.

Mr. Charles Hayes has severed his Reynard Valley, and Mr. Joseph Moulton, of King st., is chief foreman

the Palace Factory this season.

-----PHILIPSVILLE.

alpit both morning and evening. A man of any privileges which are in The council held a short session on the continual prosperity and growth a larger amount of "Back-shee." applied both morning and evening. A their the hands of the people to bestow. Saturday morning and then adjourned. of this Fraternal Society.

and Valises, Hand Bags The couple that were married a internal factions, and Canada will couple of weeks ago went on a trip for soon be on the horns of a dilemma just passed into stock; their health and were to have re- very nearly as bad. We are afraid also, new lines of Books seption at the groom's father. They incubated for the sole purpose of a

present. Some are getting out timber srtiele to demonstrate and logically Our stock is complete in every de- for building and making improvements show that such a banded and political partment and we ask the public to for the coming spring and summer. party will, in the near future, be a call and inspect the different lines and J. V. Philips, on the sick list for great drawback to the progress and

" We are in the front rank and if ing last Tuesday evening, when the tied by popular opinion. good goods, fair dealing and popular following officers were re-elected for prices will keep us in front we are the ensuing year: Arvin Brown, president; Alex. Acheson, secretary; Arch. Stevens, accountant; and JOHNSTON Thomas Cavanagh, tressurer. It took 10 45 pounds of milk to make a pound of choose, and the milk netted the patrons \$16.35 per ton, after paying 1809 | all expenses.

William King and wife have been stopping at his father's A. King, for a AND couple of weeks.

Arthur Elliott is home after an bsence of two years in Quebec, making cheese. He is looking as Thomas Jones has moved in the

west end vacant house. Cornelius Welsh is going to move rom the Valley out on Forfar street. Rumor has it that he is going to run

FORFAR.

Monday, Jan. 29 .- Mr. E. Moles, of Athens, spent Monday in A number from here attended th BROCKVILLE social held under the auspices of the

N. E. Grahame's. THE REPORTER Report say that wedding bells will be bride's father, where all be ringing in our midst in the near

Mrs. Grahame, of Lansdowne, has returned home after visiting friends

eacher, spent Saturday and Sunday was a great boon to those who have wood and logs to draw.

The Patrons of Industry failed in their attempt to organize a lodge The Temperance lodge has, we are

CHANTRY.

orry to say, disbanded.

THURSDAY, Jan. 25.—Mr. Samuel Klyne is conducting revival service at

Mr. L. Sirrel and mother are visitng friends here. Wedding bells are ringing.

day, on his way to Lyn to be married to Miss Lucy Marshall. Smith, by Rev. W. F. Perley. Miss Gertie Knowlton is visiting

friends in Smith's Falls.

MONDAY, Jan. 29 .- Rev. W. G. Henderson and family of Winnigez, month's leave of absence in August who had been visiting friends here next. and at Hamilton, returned home last

Schemes to pr vide a suitable public | 19 in favor of the scheme. hall are being discussed. It is to be found. A good hall is much needed.

lars being taken at the door.

SOPERTON.

from a complication of diseases, rheu- follows:

singing, which was occasioned by a leave to report as follows :--

vinction between visitors and callers submitted. and callers and passers-by. He did very well, but better guess again

A tale is told in our small town, Of a young man from "west end, Who before he becomes a critic Had best his manners mend.

He freely talks of "visitors" If they but callers be. While we may say quite truthfully. He stays from eight till three. Late, when he is returning.
And "spruce grove" draweth near.
He removed his bells so gently

That the old folks did not hear.

FRONT OF YONGE. on one hards of the greatest fairly the destroying the shop and contents. The fastest stead on the ranche and Catholics in Canada and the United one in Elizabethtown and one in their brothren. hite bed him to the best rig on the States. There must be nearly 2,090,- Augusta still available. The Court of Foresters in Athens is in old O tario would make it a visit. farm, but when he called the lady on Roman Catholics in Canada, and contained 100 acres price, \$3,600; in a very prosperous condition at I am sure that they would go home E. F. Cooke & Co., merchant tailors, and lines. was not there. Cheer up, Joe, a in the United States there are up the second, 100 acres—price, \$8,000; present, there being over 40 members with a firm resolve that henceforth Wainwright & Co., harnessmakers. Some the third, 100 acres—price, \$7,000. Enrolled on the books. At the ment and forever their pigs would have a of the stock was saved. Both buildings the third, 100 acres—price, \$7,000. There are all good also. at first you don't succeed, try, try, large array of population must con- They were all good places. He had ing of Athens Court held on Friday clean trough and a warm bed, and MONDAY, Jan. 29.—Anniversary kept up and supported partly by structed to advertise for farms, ten- facts, knowing that they will be read iddink. They would thereby get a services in connection with the services in connection with the Methodist shurch were held here yes idea of any body of men banding to committee consisting of Meusra. who are members of the Order, but by which would make a finer grade of terday. Rev. F. Chishelm filled the gether in order to deprive their fellow Saunders. Green and Ward.

A New Stock of Trunks angust tea meeting-chicken pies to Ireland, one of the most beautiful spots on the globe, was ruined by Shoes arriving were not there. They must have got certain party to gain power. The Gettieg up wood is all the rage at correspondent would require a lengthy prosperity of Canada. We would cheese factory held their annual meet- on this subject, if his hands be not

Wedding Chimes. Tuesday morning Jan. 23, St. James church on Wexford avenue was the FARMERS' NOTES BISCOUNTED | yester lay. scene of a pleasant and solemn event, it being the marriage of Mr. D. J. Judge, of Woodbin , to Miss M. J. O'Shea, of Sheatown. The day was all that one could desire; the sun shone out in all his brilliant spleodor on the two that before the sacred alter became one. The church and altar were tastefully decorated for the occasion, thus giving evident proof that the Bank Stocks which the Reporter will publis young couple fully enjoyed the respect readers :and esteem of their pastor. Miss Maggie Leeder presided at the organ, playing some of her choice marches, as the bridal party entered and departed from the church Miss M. J. Kelly honored the festivity by singing two selections, to the great delight of the assembly. The Rev. Father Kelly officiated at the marriage ceremony and was attended by his brother Mr. E. Kelly, of Montreal city, who is visiting at the rectory, and Mr. J. Flood, of Wexford. The groom was waited on by Messrs. D. Kennedy and P. O'Shea, Ladies' Guild of Emmanuel church at | and the bride by Misses K. Graham and M. O'Shea. After the nuptial

A grand banquet was given at 5 p.m., to which over 100 invited guests sat down. The bride and groom were the Miss Lizzie Moles, our popular recipients of very numerous and valuable presents, thus giving proof of their Athens this week. many friends and admirers. We The snow storm of Monday night heartily congratulate Mr. N. Shea and Cheapest place for toilet soaps and pencil. ducted wedding he gave his daughter. ville. The young couple will visit friends for some weeks and then leave for their home in Michigan.

> We extend our best wishes to the happy couple.—Spectator.

The Counties Council.

The first session of the counties council for 1894 opened at Brockville on Tuesday last. The first business | Colored chamber sets-pink, brown, was the election of a warden, and the blue and grey-only \$2, and full Joynt of North Augusta. The various | \$6 50, at China Hall, Brockvillecommittees were then appointed and T. W. DENNIS. the council adjourned till Wednesday.

Fred Vickery passed through here to-The session of Wednesday was occupied chiefly by routine business overcoats selling at half price, at H. H. and an address by Rev. Dr. Saunders Arnold's. Improve this chance—the Mr. A. Grinnam and Miss Katie on the house of industry question . . . goods must go. (\$20) be refunded to Elizabethtown crowd on Main street. Nathan Brown, James Windsor, Jas. E. Andrew, Cecclia Manhard, A fine pair of new bobs'eighs and and treasurer were each granted one and will be sold cheap.

Thursday's session was an eventweek. Mrs. Henry Lee, his mother-in | ful one as at it the important law, went with them to try the climate house of industry question was finally disposed of, the vote standing 18 to

A petition was presented from The social under the auspices of the were a number of vagrants The till spring. We have overcoats on all not coming in as brisk as it did, but one of the lower rooms for the juder's ticipate a need of more clothing."

in the P. I. There is a mystery what the mill yard is filling up with saw office; also that a provision be made for heating the jail by a furnace. A committee was appointed to confer Among the many Societies that are tion of an excel ent programme. Those

J. B. SAUNDERS, Chairman,

M. J. CONNOLLY, Secretary. Monday, Jan. 29 .- We have been outside figure would be \$16,000. Of tion

very men, many of them, bevs shill of Dr. Giles. The result of the dis- membership.

gave the pupils a half-coliday.

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ATHENS AND NEIGHBORING LOCALI-

TIES BRIEFLY WRITTEN UP. Pencil.-Local Announcements

Boiled Right Down. Dr. Talmage has resigned the pas-

orate of Brooklyn tabernacle.

family on the respectable and well con- perfumes is Barr's drug store, Brock

The cost last year was just 4% centper day to feed each prisoner in the less than wholesale prices. Carleton county jail.

portrait and historical sketch of Reeve | regret that he is seriously ill at his Willoughby, who was born in Athens | home at Grand Forks, North Dakots.

honor was conferred upon Mr. R. L. dinner sets in all the new colors for An overstock of men's and boys' Brockville.

Thompson are to be married this even- On motion it was resolved that the On Saturday evening a fight that are requested to do so at once. The ing at the residence of Mr. Henry county taxes on Fairknowe Home ended in a fizzle attracted quite a large vard is clear and in good shape for

> Mrs. Durant, John Murphy and new cutter for sale at A James' black-Henry Beach were placed on the list | smith shop, Athens. The cutter and | of destitute and insane The clerk | sleighs are first-class in every respect

Mr. W. G. Richards, general mer chant, Frankville, is now conducting a great clearing sale with a view to going out of business. He has made a sweeping reduction in the price of his goods, and this week issues bills giving quotations struck this section on M nday evening that should -ecure a rapid sale.

hoped that some feasible plan may be Henry Johnson and others, of Kitley, A lady living at Moosejaw, sarcasti roads will probably result, as already asking for a grant of \$100 to help re- cally wrote the following to a frient at heavy dr ft have formed. The B. & A large congregation listened to a pair a town line between Kitley and Violet Hill: "Our house is banked W. express, however, came in on time stirring gospe! sermon from the lips of Rear Youge . . . The report of the eighteen feet thick with snow and ice this a.m. and with the aid of its snow- Frankville, to fix dates for those getting the R-v. John Burton, of Toronto, county property committee showed We have sixteen stoves going and 120 plows may succeed in keeping the roat their auction bills at this office without formerly stationed here as a Preabyteri | that the juil contained ten male and tons of hard coal in the shed. There two female prisoners, among whom is water enough in the collar to do us young people of the Presbyterian report of the prison inspector the cattle, and I am busy knitting church was a success, over thirty dol- recommended that a new house be socks and mitta for the geese and erected for the jailer, the old one to be ducks. It is only 60° below zero now, 2, promises to be in every particular a than we charge for the bills. Orders The sleighing is poor and wood is occupied by the turnkey, reserving but when the cold snap sets in we an-

A Prosperous Fraternal Society

with Judge Rennolds respecting these competing for public favor there is who have had a prep at the flag-drill suggested improvements.... On mo- probably not one that enjoys the con- declare it to be exceedingly beautiful Monday, Jan. 29 .- Miss S. Lam tion, Mr. Beaverstock was placed on fidence of the public to a greater In connection with the dill drill, King bert, of Cardinal, is visiting at her un- the list of destitute and insane . . . degree than the independent Order of Solomon and the Goddess of Liberty Several matters respecting roads and Foresters. From information that we will be presented. Among those who A young son of George Garrett met bridges were brought up and on have received from Mr. G. W. Beach | will take part in the program are Mrs. | day discovered Moore's defalcations in the with an accident which may terminate motion were referred to the com- the Court Deputy for the local Court, Byr n Liverin, Greenbush; Mr. Ker- Dominton Bank at Whitby. Falsified bygenerally accepted by all save a few tion bir boad holls by attribute it on the cellar, cutgenerally accepted by all save a let of the look, sall and save a let of the look, save a let of the look, sall and save a let of the look and save a let of the l on the house of industry for the crease for the year that closed on the Mrs. L. Sheffield is now suffering | counties was then read. It was as 31st December, was 10,500, of this large membership 22,000 are in Idaho, in renewing his subscription to GENTLEMEN :- Your special com- Ontario. The friends of the Order the Reporter last week, gave the fol The neighborhood was awakened the mittee on the matter of a house of claim that it leads all other Orders in lowing brief business sketch : done so much towards organizing the other evening by joyous laughter and Industry for the united counties beg our great Province. The number of Subordinate Courts, in Omario, is this locality, to the fearfully bat party of our young people who went 1. Your committee have given the 550. 61 of these were instituted season, as the farmers have been to lying his dishonesty. He was a blondematter their serious consideration and during the year just closed. During all the expense in harvesting their whiskered big man, weighing more than Mr. T. Ellis, of Ellisville, visited the recommend the immediate purchase of the 19 years of its operations it has Patrons of Industry here, on Friday. land and the establishing and con- paid to widows and orphans and to their work, as there is no market for Oh, say! We take the liberty of ad struction of a House of Industry, the distressed brethren about two million what little wheat that has been saved vising y ur clever west end correspon | cost of the same not to exceed \$16,- one hundred thousand dollars, and dent of last week to observe the dis- 000. All of which is respectfully has, at present, a cash surplus, for the benefit of policy holders, of \$858 857. 89. A gain in the surplus for one

year of \$278,000. The death rate autly since the 3rd of Sept. last, and be presented to the Lieut. Governor to be. Mr. Connolly has been from the has only reached the remarkably low first an ardent supporter of the scheme | average of 5.29 in the 1000. The and in response to the questions of Order has encountered a good deal of new members for information he de- adverse crivicism, its rates have been livered a ringing speech in its favor, pointed out as being too low, but ita He had corresponded with the clerks friends have demonstrated sgains and of the nine counties in which houses again their ability to pay all claims of industry were established and had and at the same time to accumulate a shown in getting up your Xmalearned from each that they were in handsome reserve. They claim that every instance giving satisfaction. the teaching of experience' proves The average cost of these houses was that their rates are ample, and cer-\$20,000, but here, where land was tainly the record the Order has made much cheaper, he thought that the would seem to bear out this conten-

asked by our much esteemed friend this sum the Ontario government. In the press, and on the platform, times in respect to the advances and and correspondent of the Athens would contribute \$4,000. An anis the advantages of the Order have been changes made in his profession Mr. Edward Stowel has the con- Reporter for Wexford what we mated discussion followed in which set forth with marked ability and (cheesemaking), is now taking a short tract to furnish 100 cords of wood for thought of the new lights designated Mr. J. P. Lamb, Mr. J. B. Saunders, moderation by the Supreme Chief course at the Guelph Agricultural by three initials-P. P. A. One thing Mr. Bissell, Dr. Gow and Mr. Darling Ranger, Dr. Oronohyatekha, the Col ege, and is making a special their contents, consisting of six horses, Mr. A. Church, of Mt. Pleasant, is is certain in the case of this foreign supported the proposal, and Mesers. High Chief Ranger of Ontario, the study of butter-making. Under date one a very valuable mare, and all last engaged drilling a well for Mr. John element, and it's this: that it will, we Webster, Wilson, Baker, Wallace and Bev. A. Macgillivrav, and by many of Jan. 19, he writes as follows: year's crops. Loss partially covered by doubt not, have a tendency to make Buchanan opposed it. Mr. Saunders other prominent officers and members The farm consists of 550 acres. The The foreman of the Model farm at our Roman Catholic friends stick said that six farms had been sub- of the Order. The Fraternal features college lecture rooms and out build-Glossville, finding time hang heavily more closely together in all public mitted by the committee in their of the Order are carefully cultivated, inga cover about ten acres. It is one of George S. Brown, Tavistock, occupied on, his hands, thought he would have affairs. Most people are not aware of report, and three of the greatest farms in the world, as by G. Lippert as a fruit store, completely

> tribute largely to the support and the owner's permission to state that evening last 26th inst, there was one that their cows would be permitted to maintenance of the country. These the one in Rear Honge was the farm initiation and seven proposals for at land smell, once a year, of a nice

> dren attending the public schools cussion was that the clerk was in- We have pleasure in giving there large all the clean water they could

The burning-out of one of the bigh school chimneys on Monday morning 1893 on the Brockvi to & Westport R.

Barber's supplies at Barr's, Brock- 4,705,285 poupois. Taking the average The attendance at the high school

is gradually mcreasing, there being already over 150 pupils enrolled. Artist's material at Barr's, Brock-

division court clerk at Delta, vice M. F. Denaut, resigned, Smoke the Pre-cription eigar only 5c each, 6 for 25c at Barr's, Brook-

ville, best in the masket. Miss M. Evertts, of Easton's Corn ers, who has been visiting her brother here for several weeks, returned home

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Arnold,

E ma street, celebra e their g lden

wedding to morrow (Wednesday). The

R. porter extends congratulations. County Lodge of Rear of Lee is and date for the lo al leg slature at the ap-Lansdowne will be he'd at Athens on praching election. Mr. R J. Jelly,

Understanding the great advantage of being e-r y in the market and getting the first choice, H. H. Arnold has already bought and passed into stock eight large cases of new spring goods

to be held in Torouto on Tuesday of next week. All railway tickets at half-fare, good for three days before and three days after the convention.

Guy Curtis, captain of Queen's football team, skated from Kingston Events as Seen by Our Knight of the to Genanoque last week in an hour week. The society possesses a large and thi ty five minutes. This is said to beat the record.

Mr. Chas. Powell, of Montreal, is in a handy method of writing without officers was el ctad :pen or ink. It costs the inquistive public \$3 a piece to be told to use a

> H. H. Arnold is showing a few sets of choice furs-including a handsome grey lamb military -and all selling at

The many friends of Mr. C. G. The Almonte Times publishes a Algoire in this section will learn with His brother Alden, who was here spending the winter, was called home

Every genuine favorite cough drop as the word "Barr" on it, take no other, they are the best-5 and 10c. per package, at Barr's drug store,

Parties who have promised or wish to bring wood to the Reporter offic . to pay for subscription or job work, taking in twenty five or thirty cords of either stove or cord wood.

The annual missionary meeting in connection with Christ church, Athens, will be held to-morrow (Wednesday) evening at 7.30. Rev. W. A. R ad, rector of Pembroke, and Rev. A. Mackey, curate St. John's church, Ottawa, will deliver addresses The public invited.

The biggest snow storm of the season an lat noon to day (Tu s lay) the flakes | The Champion Auclioneer o are still falling. A general blocka le of

The concert to be given by Athen | parties ordering bills at this office will adies in connection with the Me han be given a free notice in this column, ies' Institute, on Friday evening Feb | This is worth, in many cases more biz success. The committees having by mail will receive prompt attent on. charge of the different departments have done their work well and everything is now in form for the presenta-

Mr. D. W. Hannah, of Moscow,

grain but can realize nothing for out of the millions of bushels raised in the Palouse country. It has been raining (and of late snowing and thawing alternately) almost inces. in every portion of the country one can see immense piles of sacked wheat lying exposed to the weather and rotting away, besides millions of bushels that have spoiled even after being deposited in warehouses. I congratulate you upon the enterprise number of R porter; it is as good as

a visit to old familiar haunts. At Guelph College.

Mr. A. H. Wilson, being arxious to keep himself fully abreast of the principles. I wish that every farmer premises were insured for \$800. est of beans and chopped corn, and others who will be pleased to learn of | butter and cheese, and bring them in

The total cheese shipments during R. to Dec. 9, were 59,883 boxes, or

price of choess sturing the season at ten cents, this would resile for the farmers the bandsome sum of \$470,528.50.

The driver of the kingston and Secley'e Bay stage, who joined the Free Methodists rec ntiy, will not in consequence of his religious convictions, Mr. L. N. Phelps has been appointed carry either tobacco or whiskey. Another stage has been put on the route in order that the traffic may not be interfered with and that people may not be deprive ! of privileges which others

when you feel a tickling in the nose which makes you sneeze and gasp when you have a racking cough which tears your larvnx like a rasp; when you're flushed by heat and chiled by Handsome triplicate anrows from 50 cold, and feet like -omething dead cents each up a ds at Barr's drug you've got the influ nza and you'd better go to bed and stay right there until you're well, no matter what the cost, for health is better far to you than

any business lost. The Conservatives of the Bro kville riding met in convention at The county The annual meeting of Loyal Orange town on Saturday last to select a con li Wednes lay, the sixth of February, at of Elizabethtown, was the unamim ous choice of the party. He is a success ful farmer and is highly esteemed by men of all shades of politics in the section where he is best known, but he will be pi ted against one of the ablest and most upright members of the Ont ario cabinet, and weether he will prove The big prohibition convention is to be "the man for Galway" only the

E. L. of C. E.

The program of the Epworth League in connection with the Methodist church for the term ending July 10th is being circulated this membership and is unquestionably a great power for the moral, social and intellectual advancement of the young The latest sharp game reported is people of the village. At the recent that of a New Yorker, who advertises | annual meeting the following staff of

PRESIDENT, Miss Annie Stevens. VICE-PRESIDENTS-Miss M. E. Stone, Christian Endeavor Dep't Miss Etta Ransier, Social Dep't Thos. H. Crawford, Literary Dep't 3. S. Clow, Musical Dep't. Miss Addie Hunt, Organist SECRETARY, Morford C. Arnold

TREASURER, Wilbur B. Hayes. How dear to our heart is Cash on subscription. When the generous subscriber Presents it to view; But the man who don't pay— We refrain from description For perhaps, gentle reader, That man might be you.



D. DOWSLEY

Leeds County. The Reporter has arrangements made with David Dowsley, auctioneer, the trouble of going to see him. Al

A TREASURER ABSCONDS

Defalcations Aggregating Many Thousand Dollars Cause His Hasty Departure. BROOKLIN, Ont., Jan. 29.—The rumor is now current that J. F. Moore, treasurer of the township of Whitby, absconded to the nited States on Thursday night last. Reeve Calder and Manager Thornton that laws and notes with Calder's name forged to them enabled Moore to get in the bank for between eight and nine thousand doi-I rs. The township council at a special meeting on Saturday repudiated all responsibility for liability to the bank on account of the forged notes. Moore got money from his neighbors as well. He was an active member of the Methodist Church. He was Grand Trunk station agent here held a number of other offices as well. Living beyond his means is given as under-

GOLD AND SILVER BULLION

Resolution Passed by the Provincial Parliament of British Columbia. VICTORIA, B.C., Jan. 29.—The British Columbia Provincial Parliament has pass-Colonies, through the Secretary of State House it is expedient' that it should be ordained by international agreement : 1st. That gold and silver be legal tender

2nd. That the value of silver in terms of 3rd. That gold and silver bullion in any amounts be freely turned into coin at the The resolution was introduced by Col. Sheetings,

James Baker, Minister of Mines, who is a

brother of the noted Baker Pashs. The resolution has caused much comment in The Fire Becord. INGERSOLL, Jan. 29 .- On Saturday at

St. John, N.B., Jan. 29.—Hall's biscuit factory was badly gutted by fire yesterday.

Much stock was destroyed and machinery

South Wentworth Reformers HAMILTON, Jan. 28 17he Reform Association of South Wentworth met here in convention on Saturday. Mr. Nicholas Awrey was again nominated as standardbearer at the next provincial election

A Toronto Island School Toocher

Drowned in the Bay.

CLINGING TO FLOATING ICE Her Strength Gives Way and She Stuks Before Assistance Arrives - The Other Members of the Party Rescued-The Body is

day. She, accompanied by a number of allow this slavery to be carried on in the other residents of the Island, was in the city on that day, and on their return home investigated. their boat was caught between ice floes and crused to pieces. The sides were smashed in and the boat sank at once, leaving the occupants struggling in the icy

For nearly half an hour those in the water kept from sinking by hanging on to the floating ice. Miss Forest, who evidently was the weakest of the lot, was the first to let go her hold and sink from view. During this time people on the shore were making every effort to reach the drowning persons. B ards, scantlings and poles were thrown, but none of them could be reached by those in the water. At last a rope was tied to a stone and thrown out, The other occupants of the boat, Mr. Gray, sland constable, his wife, Wm. Ham and David Kimmers, were rescued. The body of Miss Forest was recovered

sister a school teacher in the city. Boy Drowned. YARMOUTH, N.S., Jan. 29 .- On Friday

George Strickland, aged 13 years, was men. A freight train was drawing out of drowned. The other two were rescued the station at the ... me on which he immowith much difficulty. Nearly a Drowning. GUELPH, Jan. 29. - A son of John Squire gardener at the Ontario Agricultural Col-

lege, was nearly drowned while skating on the river on Friday night. He fell through

a hole in the ice and went down the sec-

ond time before he was rescued. ITEMS FROM OTTAWA.

Foster and the French Treaty-Agriculture Report. OTTAWA, Jan. 29.-Messrs. David Mac-Laren, of Ottawa, lumber merchant; Alex. MacLaren, of the town of Buckingham, | Westport lumber merchant; S. P. Franchot, also of Buckingham, civil engineer; Mrs. A. Franchot, of the same place, and Mr. T. W. Gibbs, of Ottawa, chemist, have made application for incorporation as the Gibbs Franchot, MacLaren Co., Ltd. The capi tal stock of the company is to be \$50,000 in 500 shares of \$100 each, and chief place | Re-Opening of Schools. of business is to be Buckingham, Que. long list of manufacturing, and includes a woollen and cotton mill, flour and grist, mining and smelting projects, barrels, boxes and woollen goods, tile, brick and sewer

pipes and electrical apparatus. There is considerable talk in political circles as to the probable action of Parliament at next session in connection with the French treaty, whether it will be ratified or otherwise. The chief feature that will make this question decidedly interesting, is the fact that the treaty will remove or lower the duty on wines imported from France. This alone will keep the eyes of the temperance people on Mr. Foster. On

Hon. Mackenzie Bowell gave a lunchebn yesterday to Sir Thomas McIlwraith, Sec-Bowell, Sir Thomas Mcllwraith, Sir John Thompson, Hon. Mr. Foster, and Mr. Sandford Fleming addressed the gathering Agriculture was issued Saturday. Hon. Mr. Angers in his introductory remarks says the unusually low prices which pro-

on agriculture generally. This depression up. Apply to has been felt to a considerable extent in various parts of the Dominion, and more particularly in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories, where grain growing is the chief industry. In those districts where NOTICE TO CREDITORS. Territories, where grain growing is the mixed farming is carried on, farmers have experienced a fair degree of prosperity. An interesting scheme was broached at the closing session of the Carleton County Council Saturday. A resolution was brought forward appointing a committee to report upon the advisability of establishing an industrial farm for the poor and a place for reclaiming young criminals in-

ported by Government and county grants. Death From a Fall. OWEN Sound, Jan. 29. - A young man named Blakely, son of Mr. William Blakey. Euphrasia township, met a sudden leath by what seemed a very small accideath by what seemed a very small acci-dent. He was walking along the road with Flosselle. Arrasene, Plush and Brass Ornaa friend when he slipped on the icy ground and fell. He rose as if unburt, walked a Stamping done to order. few steps, sank to the ground and died for dyeing cleaning and making over feathers. before his shocked companion could sum- in the latest style. A few felt hats and milmon help. A physician examined the linery trimmings at low prices for cash. A

mained there. The scheme will be "up-

AN AWFUL TRAFF Beautiful Indian Gist Sold 1 age by a Propuress. VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 29 .- Wh rehasing Indian women by wh rom the Siwash in Northern Britis but one peculiar incident has come promnently before the public. Lucy Harry, an Indian girl, famous throughout the Pacific Corst. for per rare beauty, has been sold into become by an Indian procuress; named his assessed Annie. The price pard was \$150 spot cash. The father of Lasy Harry was a blonde blooded Siwauh. Lucy has an olive com-Tononto, Jan. 29 .- Miss Sarah Forest, the form of a Venue, while her face of rare who occupied the position of school teacher | beauty is framed by a wealth of golden

> Destroyed by Fire. BATH, Ont. Jan 26.—The postoriles, telephone office and general store at Emerald, Amherst Island, was destroyed by fire yesterday. The fire started up stairs and had made considerable headway before

it was discovered. London's Opinion of the Fight. LONDON, Jan. 27. - The newspapers here. Florida yesterday, express no sympathy with Mitchell in his defeat. The Evening Standard says that the fight was a pood-

liarly dirty sample of a dirty business. Attempted Highway Robbery. AILSA CRAIG, Jan. 29 .- An attempt at highw y robbery occurred here on Saturday. Mrs. Shannon, wife of a G. T. R. employe, when returning home from shopan hour afterwards and taken to the Morgue. She had been teacher at the ping and while within a few yards of her Island school for four years. She has a own door, was set upon by some person unknown, thrown down and an attempt made to take her purse out of her pocket. Mrs. Shannon, being an able bodied woman, was able to thwart his purpose long evening three boys broke through the ice enough to allow assistance to arrive. The in Third pond at Hebron, and one, named robber was chased by a couple of young

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Notice is hereby given pursuant to the pre-visions of R. S. O. (1887) Chap. 110 that all persons having claims or demands against the juvenile offenders of the county, to en estate of the said Erastus Carson late of the quire into a suitable site for the same and | said Village of Athens, deceased, who died on the cost, with instructions to report there. | 0" about the second day of January 1894, are on at the June session of the Council. The 1894, to send by post prepaid, or to deliver t privilege which the Ontario Legislature of the said deceased, their names, addresses grants to all counties in the province, and and occupations with full particulars of their which many have already taken advantage the nature of the securities (if any) held by outor of the said estate will proceed to disstead of having them sent to the county tribute the assets of the said deceased among jail, where they would be surrounded by of refuge for the poor of the county. All the inmates will be given work to perform and the criminals at least would be under severe restraint during the time they re
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