A Lonely Grave.

A number of river drivers working for George Upham came to Woodstock one day last week with something of a sensation. It seems the drive was coming down the main River de Chute, working near the Forks. This river empties into the Wabsky. Among the men on the drive were Edwin Steeves, Mr. Godsoe, Ed. Lee, Ed. Colten of Woodstock. In going along the shore they found a grave marked by two rough posts. On one of these was written,

A. H. McLEOD, Born Pictou, N. S., Died July 23, 1898, of Blood Poisoning, aged 31 years.

One of the men on the drive said he pulled out the stake and should judge there were about eight inches over the body. Joe Margison, St. Almo, says, THE DISPATCH is informed, that last June he hauled three men into that country and left them within half a mile of the grave. They were prospecting for gold. He heard nothing more of them. The peculiar thing in regard to the affair is that not a soul in the settlement within 13 miles ever knew of the grave. It has caused considerable excitement among many who think it a strange thing that a man should be buried in that lonely section, without anyone being informed of the fact.

The Pulp Mill.

There is nothing particularly new on the pulp mill prospect. As is already known the bill allowing the property owners to vote on the question of giving \$50,000 to a pulp mill, passed, but with such restrictions that should the vote pass, the town cannot give any money excepting under such provisions as will guarantee its satety. In the meantime when the capitalists have money to invest they can come to Woodstock and talk business. There are other industrious besides pulp mills to be thought of.

Long Fine Weather.

We have heard a great deal of the long fine "spell of weather." On Saturday April the 8th it hailed, rained and snowed. There has been continuous fine weather since that date. There was a heavy shower on the evening of May 2nd and this last Saturday



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THE RUSH FOR LOGS.

Springhill the Scene of Great Business Activity.

The village of Springhill is enjoying decided boom these days. The lumber rafts representing the winter's labor of people residing along the river, are being brought down and of course tie up at Springhill, where they are quickly disposed of by the drivers. As already mentioned in these columns there has been a decided advance in the price of logs at Springhill this season. Good spruce logs having been selling at a figure in the vicinity of \$8 per thousand and up to the present time and naturally competition among them is pretty keen. A large number of rafts are brought down and there is some lively hustling among the buyers. Several containing the better class of logs were sold at 8.15 a thousand and in one case so The Herald learns, no less than 8.25 was paid by the representative of a St. John firm. While the high price which prevails is undoubtedly a good thing for the local lumber operator, it is not likely to prove so beneficial to the purchaser, as the advance in the price of deals.-Herald.

A Good Test.

If you have backache and there are brick dust deposits found in the urine after it stands for 24 hours you can be sure the kidneys are deranged. To effect a prompt and positive cure and prevent Bright's disease, suffering and death, use Dr A W Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the world's greatest kidney cure.

Provincial Prohibition.

OTTAWA, May 10.-Mr. Flint has given notice of the Dominion Alliance provincial prohibition resolution, which he will move in the House. It asserts the desirability of uniform prohibition legislation in the provinces and territories and declares that the sale of intoxicating liquors should be prohibited iu such provinces as by a majority vote declare in favor of it, and remain in force therein four years, and thereafter until repeated by vote by majority of the electors. The vote is to take place at a general election.

It further provides that in provinces wherein the law is in force liquor shall only be sold for medicinal purposes and no brewer or distiller shall produce, except for export out of the province,

Hagyard's Yellow Oil applied externally relieves pain, allays inflammation, reduces swelling, heals cuts, cures sprains, lame back, contracted cords and stiff joints. Taken in-Kidney Complaint, etc. Price 25c.

Insurance Rate War Likely.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Unless all signs fail, there is impending a war of rates among fire insurance companies doing business throughout the United States that will make all previous controversies of the kind seem insignificant. According to authorities, the fight is to be to a finish, with domestic and foreign companies generally involved, and there is believed to be a strong probability that many of the smaller concerns will be crushed in the engagement. Underwriters from all sections of the country who gathered in this city Wednesday, to attend a meeting which was announced as a final effort to avert the threatened war left for their homes without reaching an agreement.

SCROFULOUS SORES

Mrs. Annie Wright, Derham Centre, Ont, writes:
"I had Scrofula so bad that my face was all one running sore. I tried Burdock Blood Bitters and before I had taken six bottles I was completely

Timely Advice.

The London Times in its last number writing under the caption "Secret Commissions," has this well timed hint:- "It may be questioned whether there is not a good deal of tacit connivance at dishonesty in the form of paying salaries much too small for duties of an important and confidential kind. It is not good policy to give men power out of proportion to the reward paid for its honest exercise, yet everyone must have noted, both in public and in private business, a tendency to practise Chinese economy by underpaying men who have opportunities to recoup themselves by underhand methods."

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AWFUL RAILWAY; ACCIDENT.

Twenty-Five Persons Killed and Fifty Injured.

READING, Pa., May 12.—Shortly before 10 o'clock tonight a collision of passenger trains occurred on the Philadelphia and Reading at Exeter station, six miles below Reading. The express train, which should have left here at 3.30 p. m. from Philadelphia, was behind schedule time in leaving and stopped at Exeter for orders. A special from Harrisburg bearing excursioniats who had attended the Hartranft monument unveiling at the capital, left here twenty minutes later than the express train, and at Exeter, while pro-

ceeding at a rapid speed, crashed into the ex-

press. Several cars of the express train were

wrecked, and a number of persons are report-

ed killed. The number of dead is fully 25 and the in- N. B.

jured 50. The first train ploughed through three cars of the forward train, completely wrecking them. Eight dead were brought here at 1 a. m, A score are under the debris. A train load of wounded were brought to the hospitals here. Great excitement prevails throughout the city.

COOK'S NEW BLOOD PILLS.

Canadian Dairy Products.

It is somewhat strange that the consuming public of Great Britain are so enamored with butter and cheese from European countries as against those from this side of the water and more particularly our own Canadian products. Whether it is due to conversation upon the part of the buyers or to our failure to meet their special fancies is a matter that should be known and if possible righted without delay. Denmark today can sell her butter in increasing quantities in the English market at about four cents per pound higher than the best Canadian creamery, and yet Danish cows are known to be largely infected with tuberculosis. Danish well water is known to be notoriously bad from its proximity to the manure pits; while not more than three per cent. of Canadian cows have tuberculosis and most of the Dominion is watered with springs and rivers of purest

The greatest possible aid should be lent to the development of our export butter trade. We should aim to find out just what is wanted in the British markets and then produce that article. Our Dominion Commissioner of Agriculture and Dairying, has done much to help our food products gain a place in British estimation, and he should not relax his efforts until Canadian butter sells as well and in greater quantity in Britain than butter from any other country. The great fact of the healthfulness of our herds, and the purity of our water and fodders should be published broadcast among our customers, and every possible means lent to get our products carried in the best possible condition. The cold storage arrangements made by the Dominion Government, give good facilities where the steamship lines live up to their agreement. In this connection the boats leaving St. John and Halifax need looking after.

It is with the producer himself, the Canadian farmer, however, that the responsibility lies. It is of no use to spend large sums of public money in helping this matter along, un'ess the man who produces the milk appreciates his duties and responsibilities. He should keep only healthy cows in a cleanly manner. He must so handle his milk as to fit it for the manufacture of the very best cheese and butter. He must see that his factory is equipped and managed in such a way, that all the butter and cheese turned out are strictly first class.

What is true about the price and demand of Danish butter in England, is true of the position of the English made cheese as compared to the Canadian. Last season while our cheese was selling away below 40 shillings per hundred weight, the English cheese obtained from 50 to 60 shillings, an extra price which left a large margin of profit to the producer. Why should we not make our cheese of best English quality. You say we have not the English grasses and the English climate. Well we will admit all that, and yet we believe by more care in making our pastures, and by the controlling of our curing room temperature, and the proper care of milk on the farm, we can raise the price of our cheese over ten per cent in the estimation of the old country buyers. There is a great future for the Canadian export dairy trade, if we realize our responsibilities in the matter and meet the demand of our critical

The state of Wisconsin last year sold cheese in England at just as good price as the best Canadian, and the dairymen of that state are preparing to get all the trade they car: this year. They are employing the best Canadian makers, are getting a system of thorough inspection and are fitting nearly all their factories with sub-earth ducts to regulate the temperature of their curing rooms. If we, in the Maritime provinces, are not alive in this matter, Wisconsin and other western states, will soon outstrip us in the race for possession of the great English cheese market.

It Pays To Be Tidy.

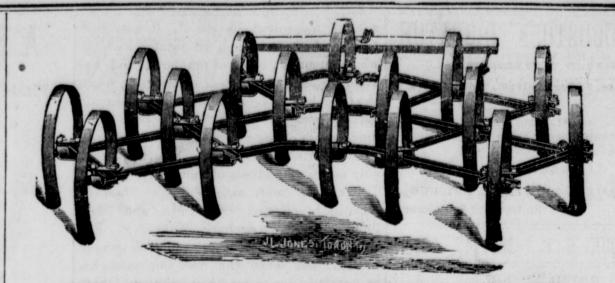
That it pays to be tidy is plain from a little incident which is related in a Houlton paper, "Some of the citizens of Presque Isle, who have been in town, have become very much impressed with the tone given our town by the concrete walks. They have been surprised at the great improvement wrought at such small expense. They are making arrangements to follow our example."

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