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A Bitter Disappointment.

Mr. A. G. Blair, for the present, Attorney General of New Brunswick, yesterday added paper, discussing the political questions of do. \$12; third class do. \$19; second class another defeat to his long list of humiliations, He introduced politics into the Municipal Council. He staid in the Council Chamber all day, canvassing for his party's nominee, and he was beaten. Mr. Blair wants to run everything, but the Municipal Council has kicked against his impertinent meddling.

Really, Mr. Blair should earnestly endeavor to disabuse his mind of the impression, pay him tribute. The action of the Council yesterday may assist him in the effort.

The St. John Valley Railway.

The Woodstock papers contain accounts of a recent meeting of gentlemen interested in the promotion of the St. John Valley Rail- to Mr. Wetmore; and did we know less of schools of the following amount per year:way, including Mr. Temple, M. P., Wesley its character, we would request it to make Reduction on Grammar School Van Wart, Fred. Hale, G. W. Van Wart, Fred. Moores, R. Bellany, and others. It is proposed to ask the Legislature to continue the Act incorporating the Woodstock and Harvey Railroad Company, and also to amend the said Act by changing the route therein named, so as to extend from a point in the Parish of Woodstock, Carleton County, following the St. John River on the Western side thereof, to a point at or near Fredericton, York County, The Press in commenting on the action

the meeting says: "We have no official in-"formation as to the object nor of the results " of the conclave, but it is audibly whispered "on our streets, that this meeting of local "giants marks the inception of "the St. John "Valley Railway Co.," and that it is in fact " contemplated to apply to the Legislature at "its approaching session for a charter and "subsidy in aid of a railway by way of the "valley of St, John, to connect the central " system at Woodstock and Fredericton. We "do not think it necessary to discuss the al-"already settled question of neccessity, a "matter of justice to the residents along the "river, and the undoubted financial success "of such a line-but we see in the conjunc-"tion of forces, which has hold upon the " matter, an assuredness of earnest endeavors "backed up by mental and financial capability "for the undertaking. We look forward to "an earnest support of the proposal on the " part of Local Government and the Local "Representation."

The construction of the proposed railway, would open up a fine tract of land in York County, and run thorough some of its most operator, and placing these rich speculators important settlements. The gentlemen who in a position to traffic in the country's reare pushing the proposal forward, have had sources and the poor man's labor. Since this experience in railway matters, and we are as- is an Order of Council, publicly however, sured, mean business.

Canadian Independence.

Montreal banquet, said, "we want no inde- tions rendered it necessary for small operapendence in this country except the inde- tors to give place in a great measure to those pendence that we have at this moment. What | who have capital at their command," and that country in the world is more independent | it was necessary "to furnish inducements for than we are? We have perfect independ- the investment of capital." The profitable ence. We have a sovereign that allows us investment of the small operator's limited to do as we please. We have an Imperial means and his labor, on which depended the Government that casts on ourselves the re- support of himself and family, is a matter of sponsibilities as well as the privileges of self- little concern to Mr. Blair, provided he can government. We may govern ourselves as retain the corrupt friendship of these wealthy we please, we may misgovern ourselves as firms, and "furnish them good inducements we please. We put a tax on the products of for the investment of their capital." Unable the industries of our fellow-subjects in Eng- to defend this gross outrage on popular rights, land, Ireland; and Scotland. If we are at- he pretends to find in the result of the electacked, if our shores are assailed, the mighty tion in Sunbury an endorsement of these powers of England on land and sea are used regulations. Referring to the returns, he had in our defence.

be compelled to have an army, a navy, a di- to turn over the Government's reflections on plomacy; we should have the enormous cost | this evidence of "warmest approval." of walking alone. Independant, and yet we of the Mother Land.

shall have the greater merit of encouraging of facts does not end here. Referring apemigration to the colonies, and we may look parently to our charges against the Gov't for forward, notwithstanding the opposition of the severe blow dealt our teachers and pubour own friends at home, to the people of lic education, by withdrawing \$20,000 per

These are the foes of Canada who have perior Schools.' What will be thought of offered the insult and maligned her climate, this organ's respect for the truth, when it is the friends of every country but their own. known we uttered not one word about the The present opposition by every falsehood, ranking system or Grammar Schools! Afraid every insinuation, have attempted to divert and unable to meet the issue raised, Mr. Blair immigration to other countries than Canada." conjures up a shadow of his own creation,

The Death Struggle.

defend the Government against the charges to the full extent of the Grammar and Su-

of journalistic courtesy, as well as of justice | Chief Superintendent robbed the teachers and

falsely attributes it to us, and then flies to

the black bottle for imaginary relief. He

We shall make his docile servant, the tem-

Grant, - - - - \$200 00

on Sup. Allowance, 104 16

Total, - - - \$852 16

Reduction on teachers' grants, 548 00

And what does his Bill give in rerurn for

this additional tax laid on the people? Why,

\$100 extra to one school in the whole County

A BUDGET OF NEWS.

Everywhere.

Levi Tuck has been appointed postmaster

of Gagetown Queens Co., in the place of the

sent him with a furnished residence on Feb.

P. T. Barnum has offered General Grant

one hundred thousand dollars for permission

The city of Rome is threatened by floods.

A conference of the friends of King's and

A sect called the anti-Deists has been

Wm. F. Best of St. John. has been ap-

morning. He had been moving about the

There is a rumour in London that Mr.

want of snow, the woods being as bare as in

the summer, and many of them are discon-

The progress of the ice castle for the

Montreal winter carnival has been materially

delayed by bad weather, some of the walls

Rev. F. X. Cormier, at one time stationed

Kent Co., recently presented \$3,000 to St.

erection of a new wing to the building.

place to be appointed by the recipients.

Joseph's College, Memramcook, to aid in the

Dradford Gardener and Andrew Estev.

assisted by George Churchill and Joseph

Delong, pressed at Wm. Kitchen's barn,

with one of G. R. Ketchum's hay presses.

A sad accident occured last Wednesday

norning. The twelve-year old daughter of

Mr. Robinson, light-keeper, Shediac Island,

eft her home to cross the ice to Point du

Chene to attend school. She left the Island

founded in Paris for the purpose of suppress-

ing the name of the Deity in all languages.

Provinces and United States.

per annum, from the company,

tinuing operations.

necessitate rebuilding.

The Upper Tiber has risen forty feet and

late Edward Simpson.

1st, his fiftieth birthday.

to exhibit his trophies and relics.

vast tracts of country are inundated.

believed to be twenty thousand dollars.

affirming the principal of amalagamation.

a phrenzy, and not only ran riot with every ter, robbed the schools and school teachers sanction of etiquette and courtesy, but also and Districts of the County of Sunbury, and with every precept of morality. The dagger | we shall then be able to appreciate in their pierced deeply, and it could do little else true sense his "school privileges." than writhe, and guash its teeth. Even the temperary success of its beloved patrons in FREDERICTON, N. B the Sunbnry election afforded it little relief. porary Chief Superintendant himself, bear It was presuming, however, too much on unwilling testimony to the nature of the general ignorance, for it to think it necessary | measure. In his Report of 1883, he tells us to say it spoke "with the full approval of there were employed in the County of Sunthe Government," since it is well known bury, during the Winter Term, ending April that the organ in question is a mere automa- 30, 1883, two first-cless male teachers, four ton, ever and only registering the thoughts second class do., seven third class do., fifteen and wishes of the Blair Government. This second class female teachers, and eleven third being the case, we are not the least sur- class do. Mr. Blair's Bill reduced these prised at finding it unable to conceive the teachers' allowances to the following extent: possibility of the editor of this, or any other first-class males, \$15 per year, second class the hour without consulting previously, some females \$10, third class do. \$17,-making a political leader. A long service of mental total annual loss to the teachers and extra servitude has been attended by the usual district tax on the whole County of \$548 per consequences. In justice, however, to the year, a very heavy proportion of which must gentleman whom the subsidized organ of the be borne by the poorer districts employing Government misrepresented, we would re- 3rd class teachers. But this is not all. The spectfully inform the latter, that neither Mr. Grammar School grant was also cut down to E. L. Wetmore, the "new man," nor any the extent of \$200 per year. Moreover, he other of the unnamed political gentlemen to took away from the Common Schools the whom it referred, had, or could have, any privilege of sharing in the Superior Allowknowledge of our articles until they appeared ance according to the work done by the that this entire country has been created to in print. However, much the announce- teachers and efforts made by the children ment may shock the servile quill driver of and districts, and divided it in the manner the subsidized organ, we assert that the stated above. Sunbury County received FARMER expresses its own views, openly and from this fund the following: in 1879-80, fearlessly, little knowing or caring whether \$100.82; in 1880-81, \$101.92; in 1881-2 they be in harmony with those of any man. \$139.74, or an average of \$104.16 per year. This being so, the organ committed a breach To sum up, Mr. Blair and the temporary

> the amende honorable; but such cannot be The desperate nature of the defense it indertakes can be best learned through the means it employs. It is aware the Blair Administration is fast becoming a farcial combination of cowardice and corruption, crowned with a weakness that excites public as a matter of law. And yet in his subsicontempt and ridicule, and so it does not dized organ, he has the temerity to speak of besides constantly improving them. Beware hesitate to descend to low devices, and violate this as "school privileges," and of the people of the large 25c. packs; they are worthless. what gentlemen prize, in order to bolster it availing themselves of them " to the fullest up. After making light of our remarks on extent." And this is called by the temporpolitical morality, it shows its contempt of ary Chief Superintendant, recommending the the truth, by asserting that "a special edi-scheme, "remedial legislation." O. ve Gods! tion of the FARMER was issued and circu- Look on the immaculate honesty, candour lated in every nook and corner of Sunbury." and justice of this Administration, and die of It is wholly impossible it could have been envy. But credit must be given for one unignorant of the fact, that no such edition was selfish act. The people of the County should struck off or sent off. The people of Sun- not complain when they learn that this lonely bury, especially, will know how to discount \$100 for which they are so heavily taxed,

It drags in the name of the Hon. W. E. the Hon. Mr. Harrison resides, relieving him Perley, but evidently feels very uncomfort- of a portion of his tax. This reflection will, able at the fact that Mr. Morrow polled no doubt, sweeten the hard, bare bone they a majority of the votes cast in Gladstone have to pick. and Blissville, where the Hon. gentleman lives. This proof of confidence in a man ernment's administrative capacity, but in its growing old in the service of the Province. and whose reputation the subsidized organ has used its utmost efforts, but in vain, to destroy, seems to gall it to the heart. We such proofs of absurd folly and weakness must leave the "happy family" to their own bring upon it. With the back-downs on the reflections on this point.

We charged the Government with having practically sold the timber lands of the Probid for their support, crushing out the small of education effected. Mr. Blair's subsidized organ does not attempt at denial, but offers the following miserable excuse for an unjust and oppressive measure. which is arousing the honest indignation of Sir John A. Macdonald speaking at the all fair minded men, "that physical condipreviously said, that "in those Parishes

We can have an army and navy. Aye, which may be called purely agricultural, and but they may say, " we shall want no armies | consequently when the voters find employment and no navies." Look round the world, and at home, the Government made large gains." what do we see to-day? We see the nations | The italics are ours, and are significant. In of the world drawn up in hostile camps, and discussing his lumber policy farther on, be one is almost inclined to believe with Hobb, adds, "the County of Sunbury, the home of the philosopher of Malmesbury, that war is many small operators, has given it the warmthe natural state of man, and that peace is est approval." He purposely conceals the but the sickly exhibition of an exhausted fact that outside the purely agricultural civilization. Look at Europe at this moment. pariehss, and where lumbering is carried on Look at the smaller countries with a diminu- by small operators, that is in the Parishes of tive population. Look at Belgium with her Blissville, Gladstone and Northfield, the army, although her neutrality is guaranteed Government lost heavily in the late election, by the other powers. Look at Holland with its majority having fallen from 125 in Dehers. Look at little Switzerland with her cember, 1883, to 87 in January, 1885. Mr. army, although her neutrality is also guaran- Blair begins to see the handwriting on the teed. And gentleman, in our case we should wall. We shall leave the subsidized organ

We condemned the Blair Administration never could be certain but that at any moment for squandering \$45,000 of the limited rea convulsion or fit of emotion in the neigh- sources of the Province, in subsidizing fifteen bouring Republic might absorb us into the miles of useless railway in Northumberland, great republican net. Where would then be when the same length of line was being built our country, our independence, the glorious by the Dominion Government, in a more suitstate of order and prosperity we have now? able place, and not costing the Province one Here we are, free from all the complications cent. This was charged as a corrupt barof Europe. England will never go to war gain. Scarcely any defense is offered, for it unless she is obliged to in defence of her own admits of none. A weak silly excuse is put honor, and if England goes to war, we can forward, at which all well informed business defend our own shores, and as experience men must laugh. Like the doctors wellhas proved, the young men of this country, known black bottle, the Sunbury election is a and the Parliment of this country, the repre- universal panacea for all the disorders of the sentatives of the people, will vie with the Gov't especially in the hands of one who tries

whole of our people in coming to the support | but at the expense of the essential, to make "the worse appear the better reason." It The history of Europe has shown, that by labours hard to show that the waste of these slow degrees the notions are growing larger, \$45,000, which it practically admits, did no and that England is circumscribed not with- cause the people most directly concerned in standing her great power and wealth by the the Central Railway, to lose faith in its early territorial limits of the British Isles. With construction, for its says,' the parishes most her enormous energy, with her healthful cli- interested in the Central, give Mr. Glasier and mate and healthful people, that population, increased majority." Maugerville and Northif there was only standing room enough, field are the two most interested, and the Govwould keep its pace with any nation in the ernment's majority in these two combined. world. But Great Britain cannot hold the fell from 101 to 87. When such reckless people she has now, and she must send her disregard is shown of facts and figures withsurplus population to other lands. She has in every ones range of knowledge, the public found out at last, that colonies are not mere can easily see to what desperate straits this sources of weary vexation and danger. At subsidized organ is driven in its hopeless atthis moment, the different parties in England | tempt to prolong the corrupt power of a are contending with each other as to who moribund Administration. But its perversion

own lineage, those living in this country. | and the new provision for Grammar and Su-I for about \$20,000.

shore on skates, and after going but a short distance skated into weak ice and went down. England still sending their surplus popu- year from these teachers, and placing this adlation to Australia and Canada. And if ditional burden upon already heavily taxed and burned with great rapidity. It was com- world. England, by her territorial limits, is bounded, Districts, as well as by shutting out all our pletely gutted, as was, also, the adjoining she will receive expansion and strength common Schools from participation in the Mayflower and Colonial hotels. Several enough from her colonies to equal, to match, Superior Allowance, and dividing it among water, and Morton's book store (the building and to over-match any nation in the world. fifty or sixty favoured schools in towns and formerly occupied by Joe Howe,) was des-We have enemies in our camp. It is not a villages, when the rate of taxation for school troyed. The Recorder office was in great enemy that has done Canada such dishonor, purposes, is a mere fraction of that borne by danger and all the type and other movable says: "I have prescribed Scott's Emulsion

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Newsy Notes and Notions of Everything.

The Danes formerly imported nearly all their sugar, now they raise it from beets. An army of nearly 100,000 persons repre sents the aggregate of London pauperism. says, "the people of Sunbury endorsed The New Orleans Exposition is running be-In the subsidized organ's powerlessness to those changes..... by availing themselves hind at the rate of a thousand dollars a day. Of close on 60,000,000 lbs. of tea exported from India last year, 99 per cent. went to

> The whale swims by striking the water up and down, instead of laterally, with a fin-like

horizontal tail. Wycliffe died five hundred years ago, and

his many theological and polemical writings are not yet all published. A New York millionaire has a young lady ecretary, whose duty it is to mark in at least 30 newspapers daily the articles she thinks

he would like to read. One of the railway companies whose line runs out of Boston proposes submitting to its employees a temperance pledge with an ultimatum to "sign or git."

The funniest case of plagiarism for the year 1884, is that of a Texas county judge, who delivered a farewell address taken bodily from that of the Father of his country.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the most potent blood purifier, and a fountain of health and strength. Be wise in time. All baneful infections are promptly removed by this unequalled alterative.

In the matter of speed the bicycle ranks seventh-the balloon, the locomotive, and trotting, pacing and running horses having faster records. It ranks seventh, because, remarks the Currant, a lie will travel faster than any of them.

The Royal mail guards of London are loomy over the fact that they must soen doff their scarlet and gold. It is at last found that their gaudy uniform can be replaced by something more serviceable and keeping with the nature of their occupation and of London

A Hartford man, now over 80 years of age, whe has smoked for over sixty-seven years, has kept an account of his cigar expenses, and finds that if he had invested the same sum every six months and placed it at ompound interest he would now have \$200,-000 to his credit.

A queer slander suit is pending out in Cali fornia. A sued B and C for slander. B and C do not deny having applied opprobrious epithets to A, but insist that because A is deaf, he could not hear the slanderous language, and therefore, so far as he is concern-

Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders will positively prevent all ordinary diseases com- catch a car. mon to horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and fowl,

The Protestant clergy of Terre Haute. Ind., have held a meeting and adopted a eries of resolutions advising that hereafter the horses of funeral processions be driven at It is be-ware. a trot when going to the cemetery, that funerals be held on Sunday only when absolutely necessary, and that no religious service Jim Baker, who lives at a place called

Cowboy's Delight in Arizona, publishes an interesting notice in a local paper, thus: "If baby puts its toes in its mouth. any one should kill an elk this winter with a goes to a wealthy School District, in which circle B on it, this is to notify them that that critter is mine, and is only half elk anyway. as the other half is cow, being the calf of my old milker, Cherokee." The latest surgical luxury is an instrument

But we still have faith, not in the Govng pain. It consists of a knife which is regulated by a watch attachment, so that it advances at the rate of only one inch in six extraordinary suppleness in turning political nours. A slight sensation of uneasiness is somersaults, apparently unconscious or heedproduced, which does not, however, prevent less of the public contempt and ridicule the patient from going to sleep. I am now sixty years old, have been quite oald, and have worn a wig for over 40 years. whispers of a lover.

Stock Farm and French Department of the About a year ago I heard of the wonderful hair producing qualities of Minard's Lini-ment. I have used it but a few months and Normal School fresh in our memories, we can still hope that love of power will undo. now have a beautiful growth of hair .- MRS. a minstrel show it's different. vince for ten years to a few wealthy firms, as a what a reckless disgrace of the best interests Charles Anderson, Stanly, P. E. I., Aug. The Emperor William has a sagacious knew that to an editor time is money.

aversion to washing dirty linen in public, and never forgives any royal personage "Why, Johnnie?" "Because when Senators whose indiscretion causes a scandal. "Do Culled, Clipped and Collected from nothing; say nothing; time will put everything to rights." This is his invariable answer when one member of his family Eight Canadian voyagers have lost their comes to complain of another."

Houlton, Maine, is to have water works, mountain. Two gentlemen who recently Of the \$30,000 needed over \$20,000 has undertook to investigate it found the earth near the summit so hot that they could scarcely bear to walk upon it. Digging to the depth of a foot, they found the earth to pay and so did the speaker as he said he burning and smoking. The burning matter was brick-color, and could be moulded like

Friends of Hon. John Costigan are to pre-The custom of New York calls is almost hing of the past in New York and Brooklyn. Those who started on their usual round this year found inhospitable card-baskets at most of the doors, and what was true in these cities was true in most of the suburban towns. Those who are quite willing that the convivial feature of the day should disappear, still believe there is much in the old custom Hon. Peter Mitchell has taken charge of worth preservation.

A Wisconsin politician writes to a congressman at Washington that he wants a "forenmishun," and bases his claims for the Dalhousie colleges recently passed resolutions office partly on the fact that he has eleven children to support. Another man wants to be an examiner in the pension office, and cures by neutralizing the Rheumatic poison still another a place worth \$3,000 a year. and of such a nature that he could take the work home and do it at night, while he studied law in the day time.

pointed a commissioner to obtain exhibits in Mr. John Magwood, Victoria Road, writes: New Brunsmick for the Antwerp and London Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure is a splendid medicine. During the past year 20,000 barrels pickled My customers say they never used anything fish and 70 tons of dry fish were shipped from so effectual. Good results immediately fol- it is the more certain it is to be published Port Hawkesbury, C. B. by rail to the Upper low its use. I know its value from personal A letter the writer wants destroyed should experience, having been troubled for 9 or 10 never be marked "private." years with Dyspepsia, and since using it The Post says that H. R. Emmerson, W. digestion goes on without that depressed J. Robinson, W. George and J. McConnell have leased the Moncton Transcript for \$180 feeling so well known to dispeptics. I have no hesitation in recommending it in any case Thomas Curran, hotel keeper, Kingston troubles arising from a disordered stomach." sort of girls one can be civil to troubles arising from a disordered stomach." Kent Co., was found dead in his bed Friday

Since the improvement in the manufacture house in apparently his usual good health of electro-plated ware, the commanding officera of the British navy have preferred to she is." Snobberton—"Good figure?" Duddraw for their personal use on board ship this ley-" Y-ye-yes! "Bout a million." Gladstone will resign at the opening of Par- thus diminishing their responsibility in case of variety of table service rather than real silver. Trusted with the task of reorganizing the ministry.

Lumbermen in the Upper Ottawa district are experiencing great difficulty owing to the want of snow, the woods being as here as in the consequence, the Admiralty has retained and place, the Admiralty has retained and place, the Admiralty has retained by our hair to be curled He would have done are experiencing great difficulty owing to the per credit.

The use of high pressures of steam is rapidly gaining favour with engineers. Men of ring I can sell you for \$10. It is a good, middle age remember when the pressure of heavy, solid gold ring, just what it looks to steam in a marine boiler was ordinarily from | be." "Yes, I see," replied Mrs. Rhinestone, seven to fifteen pounds, and the safety valves "but I think I'd rather have something that open inward to prevent a collapse of the looks a good deal better than it is." having been so injured by violent wind as to boiler through the inattention of the engineer. The pressure of steam in the boilers of the ships recently launched on the Clide is 150 giveness; to an opponent, tolerance; to a in St. John, now resident priest at Kingston. pounds—a gain of fifty pounds in less than two years. It is likely that double the pressure will be used inside of two years more.

A California Sheriff started out in his

Hon. D. McLellan has promised the buggy a few days ago to capture a desperado. Thistle Curling club of St. John a handsome On the way he met a man who asked for a silver cup for a bonspiel next season, open to ride. As they were riding together the he promptly answered, "Oh, it's my brother all clubs in the Maritime Provinces, time and Sheriff told the man his mission and offered that's all." "What was the matter with him \$5 if he would get the desperado drunk. The man consented, took the \$5, and went off to perform his task. Next day dunne." "What did he have?" "He had learned that the man to whom he had given Jacksontown, Carleton Co., ninety-seven the money was the desperado himself, who bales of hay in nine hours, making thirteen ton and forty pounds. This work was done

careful to keep out of the Sheriff's way. Of every twenty persons who, when a bill s presented, almost involuntarily exclaim: Leave it, I'll examine it," at least eighteen know the bill is all right, and of the eighteen probably sixteen could pay the amount just as well one time as another. It is quite as often the rich who thus thoughtlessly make a man run twice or more for his money as

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FUN, FACT AND FANCY.

Five Minutes Light Reading for Everybody.

The Roarin' Game. When curling first began to be When first was made the bonnie tee; When Skips opposing places took, On lakes, or loch, or frozen brook,

They set their men in bold array. Their minds absorbed upon their play; They cared but little for the frost. And counted not their time was lost.

I could not tell you just the time, Nor name the country or the clime: Some claim for Scotland curling's birth, The nation's outlet for its mirth.

I hear some talk of games of ball. Lacrosse, or cricket, one or all: But curling is, of games, the game, The only one that's worth the name

Get on some ice that's good and true, With polished stones, both old and new Opposing curlers true as steel. You will at once most happy feel.

The noble game has always been. Of motives vile, extremely clean: No equal has the curling game To keep a fair untarnished name.

Why was not curling born before, In ages back-in days of vore? It might have kept the world from sin, And Satan's wiles from creeping in.

Had Adam built a curling rink In some cool spot, on Gihon's brink, And with a brouch-stick make a tee, How different things just now might be. Had Eve look well about the tee.

Instead of the forbidden tree. I think the serpent and his vice Would hardly venture on the ice. What curling chances Noah lost.

All from the want of good hard frost He and his sons would've made a rink, And Shem would've been the skip, I think. But time would fail me for to tell Of Scripture worthies, what befell

Or without curling what they lost, I could not reckon up the cost. In ages all, since curling's birth, Beloved by minds of ample girth

The game of curling stands alone, For keeping up its moral tone. Now give the game itself a rest.

Come down to clubs, which is the best : And if you want to get a rub, Just tackle first, the Fredericton Club.

Where time is money—at a watch factory. Not a smile heat-A woman's race to

A wagon wheel is a lazy thing-it is

A morally couducted family should have an There is a warning in the honey comb.

If "ignorance is bliss," a great many people must be serenely happy. If you ask a man to keep your secret you ask him to do what you cannot.

Winter Goods. "To make both ends meet," is why the The man who was ashamed to look his watch in the face, probably got it on tick. The knight of old used to put on a bold

front when he covered his stomach with

Neglected Colds, Pain in the Chest, and y which incisions may be made without givall diseases of the Lungs, are cured by using Allen's Lung Balsam. See adv. A descriptive writer said of a pompous man that he looked as if he knew so much that it made him unhappy.

> "There is a ring in those tones," shouted the girl who had been listening to the sweet A man doesn't usually enjoy a laugh at his

own expense, but when he pays his way into A Virginia editor has been sentenced to one minute in jail. The Judge evidently

"Don't I wish I was a Senator, ma! want a recess all they have do is to vote for No LADY WHO DELIGHTS IN FLOWERS

abundantly, should be without Hanington's Highland County, Virginia, has a burning Food for Flowers. Ordinary packages 30c. -sufficient for 20 plants for one year. "If he refuses to pay for it I will," said a bystander in a saloon. The first man refused

It is well enought to permit people to keep

on discovering gold mines, but when you are asked to buy stock is the time to draw down the left eye. "Talk is cheap," is the sage remark of an

exchange. So is wind, but a man doesn't want to load himself up with that commodity just for that reason.

An exchange advertises for a patent "coin detector." Anything that will detect coins in a man's pocket after the holidays ought to be very useful about the house. THROW AWAY YOUR CRUTCHES! Your

limping days are over if you will follow good advice end take a bottle of SCIATICINE. Its power over Rheumatism is marvellous. It in the blood. For sale by all Druggists and general dealers.

Natural red hair is worth \$18 to \$20 an ounce. So when you find a crimson strand in the butter, you may be sure that no low priced articles is being served you.

The private letter always beats the public letter getting into print. The more private

She-"Nice girls, those Miss Smiths So unaffected and sensible and practical and all that." He-" A-quite so! Just the

sort of girls one can be civil to without rais- to clear them, and also afford the FANCY GOODS, TOYS and GAMES. Snobberton-"Ah, Dudley, I understand you are to be congratulated. Is the fair one

liament and Lord Hartington will be en- loss. In consequence, the Admiralty has re- to a pretty niece, "if the Lord had intended

"There," said the jeweller, "there's a

The best thing to give your enemy is forfriend, your heart; to a child, a good example; to a father, deference; to your mother, conduct that will make her proud of you; to yourself, respect; to all men, charity.

There has been some illness in the family, and when a kind-hearted but inquisitive

SPINNING YARNS is frequently indulged probably got drunk in due form, but was in by many persons during the long winter evenings, and the eyes of many a youth open wide at the startling stories of their seniorswonderful effect of Sciaoicine on Rheu- In order to CLEAR OUT before All-Wool Canadian Tweed but they talk solid facts when they tell of the matism and all Rheumatic affections. It cures permanently by neutralizing the Rheumatic Poison in the Blood. For sale by all Druggists and general dealers,

"The worst thing about India," says a INSPECTION INVITED. The most disastrous fire for years occured people of moderate means. "I never make gentleman who has just returned from there, at Halifax, on the 13th inst. It originated in a man call twice for his due," remarked a "is the nuisance of numerous servants. Why, a cask of petroleum in the cellar of the gentleman a few days since, and he was when I was at Bogglywallah I had four ser-Acadian hotel opposite the Parliament build- eighty years of age. Imagine the amount of vants to look after my pipe alone?" "Four ing. The hotel is a large wooden structure happiness this man has contributed to the servants to attend to your pipe?" "Yes. LDLD FRED. B. EDGECOMBE, The first one brought it to me, the second filled it, third lit it-" " And the fourth?" "Oh, he smoked it! I never could abide tobacco in any form, you know!"

A wide spread evil.

The great source of consumption and of but it is her own familiar friends, those with country Districts, it says. "an issue was plant was removed to the street. It was frequently in the last ten years, and take ugly sores is scrofula in the blood. Burdock several hourse before the fire was got under pleasure in commending it as a valuable Blood Bitters purify the whole system and whom we have taken counsel, those of her taken on the abolition of the ranking system, control. The loss is about \$50,000; insured remedy both for adults and children in wast- cures scrofula, as well as the more combined blood humors.



January, 1885

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At Half Price.

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and several other lines of winter goods, at Great Reductions

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