FOR THE CAPLETON SENTINEL WHAT HORSE SHALL THE FARMER

BREED? This is a question that has been often written upon, but probably never will be fully decided. Breeding is not one of the certain sciences, yet there are a few rules that experience has taught are almost certain, if followed, to lead to success. I am aware that our County is full of horses, some good and some good for nothing, yet on we go; horses we will have, and we breed which ever way comes the handlest and cheapest This is a mistake. In the general depression of business and great shrinkage of values, well bred, fine horses have declined less in value than any other species of property and are the first to rally. Let us glance back. Of the old sires, the Messenger, Cannon Ball, Slashing Harry, John O'Gaunt, Harkaway, Farmer, Nigger, Lion, Champion, Clydesdale, Percheron, and others too numerous to mention, were all or mostly all good horses, therefore, there must be some good scions of the above. In this list we have placed Messen ger at the front, because we think him entitled to the position from his combined qualities and powers of prepotency. I wish to call the Farmer's attention to this fact : In England, Ireland and Germany horse flesh is rapidly deteriorating; it is estimated that in Ireland alone, there are 60,000 horses less than there were before the Franco-German war. The farmers of the old country deem it hence they must buy. We notice, also, that in Europe there is an Association being formed, whose object is to import horses from United up with more knee action and the important selection of matter to meet the varying and factors of nerve force with a level head progressive tastes of the public.

mention, both raised in this County, and the sire of many fine young borses, some operations, were not here twenty-five years ever had, full of trot and lasting qualities. spect there has been great progress, and may and Prince Humbert to the throne. His stock can speak for themselves; when we not add solid improvement. coupled with sizeable mares make the best of farm and road horses. A FARMER.

Victoria Corner, Dec. 28, 1878.

by Mr. Wm. Boyle, it would appear that at has set its seal everywhere. least one person is of a different opinion.

of Luton is concerned, it would be well to in- has changed very much. This result has augurate a Chinese policy, or in other words been effected largely through the enterprise that the Government ought to interfere in and rivalry of the City Daily Press, the protheir behalf; and take such measures as would compel the people of the British Empire to buy their especial hats, made by the twenty-five years that now every party, every such fine to be effective in the case of the disrestrain a large number of the people of the public opinion. However this may be, and

Now as Mr. Boyle and many others appear | city press. to be perfectly sincere in their opinions of the It seems to us that the mission of the counby those hat makers, to "fight it out on this the press of cities. The latter operates first line," and it he or any of those who are so and especially with a class of minds better sanguine of Protection, or all of them, will trained, in habits of thought and self judgtake the effirmative, I will try to support the ment, for forming opinions, than are those of negative of the question-shall the hat makers of Luton be Protected by a tax upon all who buy other hats than Luton hats, or domestic to arrive at just and impartial conclusions on

otherwise would not buy.

And as their is, no doubt, but many will jects constantly presented and agitating the be found to take the part of those distressed ! hat makers, it will be well to lay down some rule by which to judge as to the right or judge wisely the numerous and dissimilar wrong of the points to be raised and decided. views advanced, The constituency of a coun-I would propose first to decide whether it is try press look to it for correct opinions on a matter of abstract right, to grant the relief theoretical and practical topics, and by it or merely a measure of expediency. Furthermore that we keep in view as a criterion, or their opinions are presumably, to some exsort of touchstone, for testing the true gold, tent, at all events, moulded, so that there is three great principles, which should be al- a great responsibility resting here and claims ways kept in view in discussions of these for very guarded and very careful expressions questions, viz : Liberty, Equality, Fraternity. How will this measure affect the Liberty of of opinion. Then a weekly menue of literary in Canada, of his illustrious wife, H. R. the people? This is the greatest question of food for family enjoyment is looked for; this all, for Mr. Editor the race for Empire is real- is a demand which our city dailies do not ly the race for Liberty. All despotic forms pretend to supply, and in this respect the of government must be abolished, and that Country and that system which contains the country newspaper is especially responsible. greatest and truest liberty, will be the model To cater to the tastes of minds of all ages for all the world. Then how does Protection to afford them pleasure, healthy amusement touch Liberty? How does it touch the ques- and real mental benefit and avoid submitting tion of Equality, and will it promote that fraternal teeling which is essential to the peace and prosperity of every people? to dis- tendency, demands the most careful and jucriminate between different classes, and say dicious selection. We think the country that one class is more distressed, or more useful, or more necessary, or more deserving, and ought to be encouraged, and protected, at the

And if the right to protection cannot be enjoys the confidence of the people even more made out in favour of the Luton hat makers. largely than the more pretentious issues from then the whole question of Protection ought to fall to the ground, for if it is not good and proper for hat makers it is equally objectionable when applied to any other case. Yours,

F. P. SHARP. Woodstock, Jan. 1, 1879.

few words with reference to the Benton S. School would not be out of place. On Christmen of the place. The School was opened best of its ability. by singing and prayer, after which the Superintendent, Mr. Parsons, gave a statement now on hand is \$6.00, besides a sufficient neighbors. number of books, etc., to meet all their re-

candy, to the satisfaction of all present, after which we dispersed, feeling that the occasion had been one of great pleasure. A VISITOR.

Dec 31st 1878.

FOR THE CARLETON SENTINEL MR EDITOR,-Will some person that knows be kind enough to give the pedigree Stockford of St. John, through the columns possibility being involved of its resulting in of the SENTINEL, and oblige

Victoria Corner, Dec. 30th 1878

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THE present series of the CARLETON SENmore remunerative to breed cattle and sheep, TINEL has grown by another volume, and with this issue it commences its thirty-first volume. A glance at the fyles of the past States and Canada; the capital is £200,000. show, we may venture to say, constant im-Now what is wanted in this County is an provement whether as regards size, or mechaneffusion of warm blood with our cold-blooded | ical execution and internal arrangement and

coupled with gentleness and intelligence. I The Sentinel is getting to be a pretty of care not if he can out-foot old father Time, paper and has passed through its own mede the time has fully arrived that he should of vicissitudes, but always endeavoring to know how to get one. For, let it be remem- serve its readers well. A newspaper pubbered, that it costs no more to raise a good lished in a Town like Woodstock and a and changes, physical, moral and social, in lack in the main of transmitting their own truction by fire, and there are few country I keness, simply because they are not well towns as unlike what they were twenty-five bred, or if you please, inbred. My convict years ago as is the Woodstock of to-day. In tions are that the general combined horse is that time the scope and largely the character of the one for us to breed. We do not want the heavy slogglish horse. We do the most its industries have changed. And notably of our farm work by machinery; our horses has there been a change in its business men. are more or less on the road, and they are The names of those who directed its manuthe most apt to be sought after, home and facturing interests as well as its trade and neither. A horse weighing ten to twelve commerce have with but few exceptions pascwt., providing he has the right put up and sed from its sign boards and are not heard one ton herses. I hope the Government will belm of business. The bridge over the river ation of horses, and send the right kind of the two railroads that have their depots here; men to purchase the right kind of horses. | the steam saw mills; the large and well There are two horses worthy of special patronized foundries-these, and other industries, as regards the character of their very speedy. "John Bright,' apparently ago. Even of the church buildings there is to some a small horse, yet on close inspection but one that stands as a landmark of time

as marked, though the result of less deplor- of his young and amiable bride, Mercedes. time vestments and belongings, and in its was first prostrated by care and grief over her pleasant and profitable anniversary. MR. EDITOR, - After the close of the last churches, school houses, farm houses, stores sick and dying daughter and then succumb-Dominion Election contest, you told us in and mills; in its modes of agriculture, styles ing to that fatal disease diphtheria herself, the Sentinel that the question of Protection of implements, home associations, has don- was the victim of the grim monster. A favo-

We may note that during the career of said hat makers of Luton; and that they sect, commands the use of the press as its inshould buy those hats irrespective of their strument. We are not quite sure that this fashion, material or price, and that any in-habitant of said Empire refusing to buy the change has in every respect been attended hats aforesaid, should be subjected to a fine, with good results. We are not sure that the in the shape of a duty, to be paid upon the press while extending the area of its power purchase of any hat, which might happen to has carefully maintained its position as a leadtressed hat makers, must be so heavy as to no doubt the press should lead, not follow, Empire, in the purchase of hats suitable to whatever the nature of the example set, the

their wants, or taste, and compel the purchase country press has not been backward in copying the failings as well as the virtues of the try press is one of even more importance than the rural population, and if they really desire any of the almost limitless vocabulary of subpublic mind, they are better qualified to

to them matter hurtful in its teaching and

respect, and we may add the belief that it the city press. One fact strikes us. There are certain

form which greatly interest the vast body of our people who are rural; they are becoming vital questions with others, but to these questions, the city press, as a rule, occupying it-MR. EDITOR,-Knowing the interest that self with weighty matters of trade, of nationyou, as well as many of your readers, take al politics, of international relations, doing the lessons, the events of that year should in Sabbath School work, I thought that a good service for the interests in which they teach us all. work, exerting a towering influence, give mas afternoon, I had the pleasure of meeting comparatively but little attention, and fails

But we have digressed; our intent was and Sarah Tompkins, Bridgewater. He Superintendent then, for a short time, ques- rather to tell the age of the Sentinel than leaves a wife and large number of friends to tioned the school on the lessons running over criticize the press at large. The experience mourn their loss; he was much respected and the past six months. We were forcibly of the years of the Sentinel gives better ap- will be much missed; he was 24 years old. struck by the ready and intelligent answers which were given, showing the pains-taking preciation of the responsibilities involved, the prizes would be given to those scholars gine of modern civilization, who can to the evening last. Representatives of various have ever heard on this side of the Atlantic." so much to inform the people and beautify and have ever heard on this side of the Atlantic. who had attended every Sunday during the year, and who had perfect lessons. Fiftyyear, and who had perfect lessons. Fifty on very pleasant and extended relations; present. The evening was most agreeably tinction, and fixed their eyes with anxious with regret on mistakes and failures, and es- passed in social converse and inspiring music. expectation upon their Superintendent. They pecially on misapprehensions on the part of Before the visitors left it was found that not sistant Superintendent came forward and the honest expressions of opinion in discharge words of love, commendation and encouragepresented Mr. Parsons with a book, "Can- of a public duty. Our past relations with ment for the respected Pastor and his wife, ada under the administration of the Earl of the public inspires a strong desire to make but as well bearing substantial tokens of their learn that Mr. Tilley is engaging in active Dufferin," and a suitable address, signed by this paper more useful in the future; more good will and esteem. A handsome present in Superintendent was evidently much surprised, worthy the support and confidence of its money and goods was tendered Mr. Seely as form. with all his former zeal, since his re- idly improving and is now certainly a credit to for burial. and made a feeling and suitable reply. Then friends; and have it fill a more creditable a New Year's gift.

extend the compliments of the season.

THE year just passed, was one remarkable in many aspects, and yet its events have not been, perhaps, of a character to attract very largely the attention of the historian. The year began with indications of a proof the horse "Southerner," owned by a Mr. bable war between England and Russia, the

a general European war. The catastrophe

was arrested, how our readers will remember. The treaty of Berlin while it resolved the then existing difficulties and established peace in name for a time, may, if some of the indications and the opinions of sage councellors or national officers are rightly understood, prove to have only postponed war. The trouble with the Ameer of Afghanistan probably would not have occurred but for the distaste with which Russia swallowed the provisions of the treaty, the effects of that dose being so disturbing as to prompt the Czar to seek indirect means of attaining re-

venge and of removing, should the British be unsuccessful in Afghan, some of the difficulties in the way of attaining power in India. The Ameer has, however, already been tival of the F. C. B. Church School was held in F. C. Baptist Church disposed of by his own people, and probably the church on Thursday evening of last week. A ample of that oft sung King of France, "march back again." Meanwhile Russia, prospects at present are peaceful for Europe

procured at all hours.

the following officers were installed:-

Frederick T. Bridges, W. M.;

David F. Merritt, S. W.;

Chas. N. Scott, P. M., S.;

John Hunter Watt, J. D.;

Allison B. Connell, S. S.;

John McLauchlan, J. S.;

George Clynick, I. G.;

James Baker, Tyler.

James E. Drysdale, P. M., D. C.;

5. Our sister Lodges the world over; respon

K. Ross, of Alexandria Lodge, St. Mary's.

9. The Bench and Bar; responded to by Wm.

The affair throughout was an exceedingly

we expected, except that we hoped there would

be a larger vote thrown, and anticipated that,

the bill. Probably the fact that a foregone con-

clusion was reached that the voting would be

ed to by W. F. Dibblee, Esq.

Josiah Murphy, J. W.; Wm. F. Dibblee, P. M., T.;

Donald Munro, S. D.;

animal than a poor one. As ye sow so shall County like Garleton, for over a quarter of a facturing and commercial corporations intenhave seen that many of our stallions are to- its own immediate locality. In that time selves in affluent circumstances. There has large. The programme, an interesting one, was tilly unfit for patronage at any price; they the appearance of the Town has twice been, too, in Britain, displayed a more intense carried out in a way to reflect credit upon the cism and opposition, causing Lord Carnervon "Seeking to Save," and Miss Day and Miss Mcand Lord Derby to leave the Government Indoe's classes united in singing a beautiful and virtually go into opposition. In Parlia- piece entitled "Guiding Star, O Lend Thy ment, however, the Government has been Light." Miss Mary Golding and Miss Lilly sustained altho, from the preparations being Harrison each acquitted themselves well in a -1 Cor. i. 7, and Matt. xxiv. 42 51, made for the next general election, and the recitation. Brief but pointed remarks were oftone of public sentiment a return to power fered by Mr. S. J. Parsons and Mr. S. McLeod. of the Liberals may be regarded as pretty The report submitted by the Superintendent

107; average attendance 66. world-and its King, Victor Emanuel. Carof the most prepotent stock horses we have anterior to the period stated. In every re-

able circumstances. The country has grown And last month the Princess Alice of Eng- tisfaction, with the refreshments, the meeting bar-room are but few as compared to those praise. By reference to a communication in your last ned a new suit, and progressive intelligence rite child of her Royal Mother, Victoria, as she was of Prince Albert, the Princess Alice He evidently is sincerely of the opinion this paper the style and tone of Journalism the English people, and her death is mournhad likewise, endeared herself very warmly to ed in cottage as in palace.

> In the United States while there have not been wanting political movements, numerous the course of matters has been generally smooth. Specie payment has been resumed and after a good deal of talk and attempt to show why it should be evaded, the Government has paid the amount of the Halifax fishery commission award, \$5,500,000. The most notable event in France has been style for which "Bob" and his good lady are so

> the opening, successful continuance and clos- justly noted. Ample justice was first done the ing of the grand exposition at Paris. The supper, and then the following toasts were pro-

eneral elections. The issue upon which it England. turned and the result are quite sufficiently 3. The Governor General of the Dominion of resignations. familiar to our readers. In a few months and W. T. Drysdale. Parliament will have met and the policy of 4. The Most Worthy Grand Lodge of New the present government on matters affecting Brunswick. our trade be pronounced. Hon, Mr. Tilley, one of our ablest financiers, has just returned 6. Our Guests; responded to by G. Y. Dibfrom England, where, as Finance minister of blee, of Solomon's Lodge, Fredericton, and D. K. Ross of Alexandria Lodge, St. Mary's the Dominion, he secured the money required to provide for maturing claims and for the by Past Master R. A. Hay. extraordinary demands of public works in course of construction. Canada has lost the M. Connell, Esq. ablest Governor General she ever had, but has made in Lord Dufferin a constant friend, whose services in our behalf at home may be invaluable. High hopes are entertained that the career of Lord Lorne, our new Governor General, will in that position prove a great success, while from the presence and influence the Princess Louise, the happiest results soci-

The death roll of the year is crowded with well-known names largely representing all the departments, professions and classes of

The year was attended by an unusual all right, and the evident inability of the opponnumber of calamities and accidents by flood ents to create anything like enthusiasm among and field, by railway, on the ocean, and in even a small portion of the electors, induced mines, while in the Southern portion of the many of the friends to absent themselves. They United States fever proved itself an even more did wrong, we think. The measure has carried, deadly enemy to human happiness than war not so much through the strength numerically

In many nations of Europe, in the United ponents. We mean, of course, taking the vote States and Canada the harvests have been up to the average or unusually large. This cirthat business is showing signs of revivement, entering upon a new era of prosperity, and ed 1878. Happy it would be if we forget not

that all might partake of a treat which had ples at issue. Here the country press having he kept on working, however, until Thursday part interested and apparently pleased spectaof the finances during the year. The amount regards moral excellence our provincial press lief; Mr. Tompkins lingered, in great suffercollected has been \$55,00, and the amount stands in advance of that of surrounding ing, till Monday morning when death came to his relief. Deceased was the son of Samuel

turn from England.

in order of succession came the apples and position in the ranks of Provincial Journals. The Bazaar at St Gertrude's Hall, opened The following is the Programme of the To our contemporaries, old and young, we on Monday evening with great eclat. The Union Prayer Meetings for the first week in attendance was large and the sales satisfac- January, 1879, to be held in the different receive certain donations they are about to make. before Congress very early is that of extend-

> has been manifested on each following even- ing :ing since and, doubtless, will be maintained | SUNDAY, January 5th.-Sermons:-" The to the close. The Hall in which the Bazaar years of the right hand of the most High." Psalm lxxvii, 10. is being held, though small, answers the Baptist Church

purpose very well. Prof. Barry's String Band, each evening, adds to the pleasure by discoursing most excellent music. The Fancy mercy, for the goodness of His providence; and other departments of their work. giving for the peaceful settlements of Euro-| snow. fair manufacturers; some specimens of needle pean questions; also for the Divine blessing. A and crotchet work are very fine. The Re- which has attended the distribution of the from Boston on Saturday. His Worship is in the American line has done much to recover note in her handwriting was found addressed freshment tables are constantly furnished Holy Scriptures throughout the world. Con- remarkably good health. fession of unbelief and unfruitfulness. with a tempting display of choice viands;

the Post-mistress is kept busily engaged dis-TUESDAY, January 7th. - Prayer: - For the patching letters, while the lady who presides power of the Holy Spirit to rest upon and operate in the Church of God everywhere. over the Fish Pond finds few leisure moments. The Indian wigwam, with its occupants, two so that the disciples may be led into all the handsome squaws, engaged in manufactur- truth; that errors in doctrine and corruption of Scriptural worship may be stayed; that ing baskets, is quite a novelty. Hot supper faith and hope, brotherly kindness and charlarge. is provided every evening, and oysters can be ity may be increased; and that the general tone of spiritual life may be elevated in communion with the Lord. Intercession for be-SUNDAY SCHOOL FESTIVALS .- The annual Fes- lievers who are afflicted

satisfaction will immediately be given Eng- large number of scholars were presnt. The For the energetic operation of the Holy Spirit inst. for Her Royal Highness, the Grand Duchess to aiding the mail lines, have investigated closed it, and there are the "wedding meats' land, and the British forces that marched Superintendent of this prosperous school, Mr. in the world at large, convincing men of sin, of Darmstadt. against Afghanistan, may, following the exdress, illustrating his remarks on the black-Christians under the quickening and transboard; Rev. Mr. McDonald addressed words of forming power of the truth. Also for Christian encourgement and cheer to the school and Mr. families; for the training of the young in the A capital list of speakers has been secured. fondness and respect for England, so that the children, Miss Vanwart and Miss Jones, re- error and evil, and especially that the grace spectively, presiding at the organ, sang a num- of God may be upon them

ed in all countries, and in all have been attended in degree by the same disastrous and in the degree of t results. Heavy failures of Banking, manu- On Monday evening the Methodist Sunday justice among all nations, and for their conye reap. We cannot expect to get something from nothing. Perhaps I may appear boid for the nothing. Perhaps I may appear boid for the nation its Sovereign, and all in anthmade paupers of many who considered themoula of sholars, parents and friends was unusually of sholars, parents and friends was unusually from Foreston, at reasonable charges.

There has large. The programme, an interesting one, was

FRIDAY, January 10th .- Prayer : - For are neither fit for draft or road purposes.

We have some fine looking horses, yet they lack in the main of transmitting their own lack in the description to the bitterness of political feeling, in and out of parliament, than had been seen there for lack in the distribution by fire, and the music in charge and under his lead the lack in the music in charge and under his lead the lack in the distribution by fire, and the music in charge and under his lead the lack in the distribution by fire, and the music in charge and under his lead the lack in the distribution by fire, and the music in charge and under his lead the lack in the distribution by fire, and the music in charge and under his lead the lack in the distribution by fire and out of parliament, than had been seen there for lack in the distribution by fire and out of parliament, than had been seen there for lack in the distribution by fire and missionary labors, and lack in the distribution by fire and out of parliament, than had been seen there for lack in the distribution by fire and out of parliament, the lack is a standard out of parliament. many years. The Russo-Turkish war; the had the music in charge and under his lead the render them fruitful to Christ; for the turnmany years. The Russo-Turkish war; the occupation of Cyprus; the employment of ditable manner; among the several songs were and later the relief them ruther to christ; for the turning of all Israe! to the Lord; for the growth ditable manner; among the several songs were Indian troops, and later the policy pursued two new pieces, "Hail Happy Morn," and from heathen communities; for the revival with regard to the Ameer were subjects, the "The Prodigal" which were very pretty. Mrs. of Bible Christianity in Eastern lands; for the with regard to the Ameer were subjects, the prodigal' which were very pretty. Mrs. policy of the Beaconsfield government with Cupples' class of very small children sang and for "cheerful giving" on the part of regard to which challenged vehement criti- sweetly "Jewels;" little Miss Jennie Baird, sang those who give not themselves to this work. Baptist Church :

> SATURDAY, January 11—Temperance. SUNDAY, January 12th. - Sermons: - Looking for "the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ."

AT a meeting of the St. John Temperance Alliance, Sheriff Harding, who presided, in also keeps the post office, and officially is very was especially gratifying, showing a marked his speech said :

wheel. To you who have been long Sons of a slain enemy. than a mile long, where they speedily did full 1854. When I read the returns from York two cases have proved fatal.

No. 11, F. & A. M. In the evening of that day have heard a great many liquor dealers complain of the evils of their business. However, it is a source of revenue, and the question is how will the revenue be reimbursed if the will sobriety do to increase it? I stand be- anticipated. cause which I advocate to-night, earlier.

deal of capital out of the Quebec Governorship ers it almost impassable. bers of the Lodge adjourned to the "Exchange," ed, the fate of nations is involved in the ques- where union is there is strength. where, with a number of invited guests, they tion whether Governor Letellier shall or shall

We learn from good sources that the document, asking for the dismissal of Lieutenant great show was well patronized by the Nati- posed from the chair, which was occupied by Governor Letellier, has been placed in the ons, both as exhibitors and as guests, and the Mr. F. T. Bridges, W. M., and happily respond- hands of His Excellency the Marquis of Lorne,

Mr. H. W. Bourne, organist.

Some articles have appeared in the New York Sun, under the signature of "A Canadian," in reply to aspersions on Canada. We understand they are from the pen of THE result of the vote on Saturday last, in Thomas P. Peabody, formerly of this town, York County, on the Permissive Law, was what and a graduate of the Sentinel office.

THE Ladies of the Fredericton Christian in some of the districts, there would be a stronger force in opposition. It is to be regretted that poor children, every Sabbath morning, in their rooms. On Saturday last they had a the whole vote is so small, although it may Christmas Tree, and dispensed valuable and fairly be assumed that a very large majority of useful gifts to the little ones of the Sabbath those who refrained from voting would, had they come to the ballot boxes, pronounced for school.

A young man, named Frand McAlveny, of its friends, as through the weakness of its op-

Reform Club Hall, Saturday evening of last ankle. Dr. Colter was sent for; he fears the leg week, was moderately well attended. The Rev. Messrs. McDonald and Turner and Mr. the other Counties, which intend to test the James Baker. The speeches were all good.

we may urge upon the friends of Temperance for December has been republished by the Leon- assistance. this famous magazine, as always containing past. something fresh and instructive, and furnishing the best stories that are published in periodica

FATAL ACCIDENT .- Nathaniel Tompkins, feelings pervading society generally, then we serial, "John Caldigate," and a short one, comwith the school. The object for which the to assist, as we think it should, to hasten on of Bridgewater, Me., while in the woods cut- assume that New Year's Day was a gala day in- plete in this number, entitled "The Cottage by scholars were called together, was that those the reforms demanded. It is not enough for ting wood, on Wednesday, 18th of last deed. The streets were alive with a multitude the River," which touches on the supernatural, who by their constant attendance and indus-try had won prizes might receive them, and the press to give a mild assent to the princi-try had won prizes might receive them, and the press to give a mild assent to the princi-and of which no explanation is attempted. The paper on "Journalists" will attract our been kindly provided by two or three gentle- a work to do does it faithfully and to the night when he was taken with severe pains tors. Business was only in part suspended, al- brethren of the press. "The Progress of Naval Architecture" notes Other articles are "The Fruit and Vintage of has been thronged with pleasurers. Other- \_ Telegraph. many pleasing associations, so may it continue

Herefordshire," and "The Berlin Settlement." wise the town is dull enough. The bustle to bring pleasure to our readers. Mr. W. E. Eastty will present some of Dick- are as follows: The London Quarterly, Edin- and the next morning the world seems a new Marquis of Lorne went to skate on a pond the outrage as the worst ever known. Two en's celebrated characters to hisaudience, in the burgh, Westminster, and British Quarterly Re- and different one, so quiet and dull, with adjoining the Rideau Park, and one of the men were chained to a pole extending horizon. Club Hall, this (Friday) evening. Our citizens of the past of the a year for any one, or only \$15 for all, and the ought not to lose the opportunity of hearing Mr. postage is prepaid by the Publishers. Eastty read. A friend, in whose judgement we Vick's Floral Guides ment a number of occurrences have taken in company with the boys the Governor fearfully excited, and the county will be which were given, showing the pains-taking and shows them honestly though weakly discare of the teachers. After this part of the large gathering of friends took place at have full confidence, writing us from Fredericton and Seed and Plant Catalogues sent ont by our place which will have effects of importance care of the teachers. After this part of the apprehension of the apprehension of the gang. exercise, the announcement was made that charged. The newspaper, that greatest en- the residence of Rev. Mr. Seeley on Monday says of Mr. Eastty as a reader "he is the best I Seedsmen and Nurserymen, and that are doing

It was not on Saturday evening, as stated dred, while its Colored Plate is a gem. This to the floor in an apoplectic fit during a meetlast week, but Thursday, on which Hon. Mr. received their prizes with every manifestation those who, at times, have treated as personal only had they come freighted with kindly Tilley attended the Temperance reception at parlor table. Published by James Vick, Roch- rooms some ten days since, and scarcely re- this winter." Ottawa. The occasion proved a very inspir- ester, N. Y. iting one. From subsequent advices we work in connection with the Temperance Re-

tables present an array of work of various and especially for salvation in Jesus Christ, Strange! not enough snow in this district, ning steamers from Brazil to New York but ried, the day was fixed, the wedding morning kinds, useful and ornamental, which con- and for the blessings enjoyed under the pres- while in the State of New York and the Western refusing to return with American goods, arrived, the breakfast was laid out in that clusively testify to the taste and skill of the giving for the peaceful settlements of Euro-Isnow.

Wednesday.

tried at St. John. WEDNESDAY, January 8th, -Prayer: - Canadian Militia to wear mourning till the 29th and Sec'y. Evarts who were at first opposed has never been entered since the day he

In Britain, the year was noticable for the treat was through with, the scholars teachers treat was through with, the scholars teachers to the height of reminder from their son, Mr. John McCoy, supplying less than any other first-class Na- base, which size it retains to the height of

The tri-weekly mail is now carried by James

Several improvements have been made in this

is doing a good trade.

Blacksmithing is still done by Joseph Davis, line, and obliged to employ help.

scholars were seated at a table, somewhat less you to re-enact the acts of your predecessors in fever, have been quite prevalent, but so far only the Socialist successes at the pools, and the without regular employent 20,007. Of the justice to the numerous and abundant dainties I see that the vote was a success, still it is hear nothing from the German Government passed on 54,034. As to education, 7,020 King Alfonso of Spain had scarcely wedded which willing hands and loving hearts had sup-

by the force of natural laws out of its old- land, wife of the Duke of Hesse Darmstadt, dispersed after celebrating a very successful, in the city. Yet I feel that there is cause Religiously the people here are somewhat dispersed after celebrating a very successful, for encouragement in the gradual decrease of vided in creed but quite united in fellowship.

Middle Simonds Items.

fore you now an old man, yet I wish now Mr. Venor's prediction has proved a failure full confession acknowledging having com- 492,117, against \$22,018,658 at the same that I had added my aid and influence to the concerning navigation on the St. John, at least, as mitted nine murders within the last three date last year. Never since 1870 has the Some portions of the press make a good known for years; the roughness of the ice rend- with a man unknown to him, and shot him to the general trade of the country of such We have a union Sabbath school organized

which we hope may prove beneficial to all; for Mr. John Kelley's party have left for the wish them success.

Happy New Year to all.

Dec. 31st, 1878. Chistmas was observed in this place in the

pared for the occasion a bbl. of very nice apples | had poisoned him. The neighbors called next will be delivered by Mr. J. Wilkinson, A. and about two hundred bags of candy and nuts; day but Anderson could not be found. Rich-M., on Tuesday evening next, at 7.30 o'clock. the bags did not hold two bushels each but quite ards was in possession of Anderson's horses than was generally anticipated. enough to gladden the hearts of all the children and waggon. While the neighbors were Subject—" England's Great Universities" present. In addition, there were some fifty presearching the house for Anderson, Richards sents distributed to scholars for regular attend-7. Masons wives and daughters; responded to readings. The music will be in charge of terspersed with the singing of one hundred children, B. P. Rackliffe presiding at the organ. Last Sabbath the school elected their officers for the ensuing year : S. J. Parsons, Superintendent; C. W. Dickenson, Asst. Superintendent; George ards to Nebraska to-day. They think he is R. C. Rackliffe, choir leader. The average at throats in that region. tendance for the past year was about 140; ten per cent less in summer than winter, this fact

Ferryville Items.

that put in by Mr. G. himself. Messrs. E. S. & some years, into the nature of the spectra of 17 years old, was shot, while attempting to same landing. Outside of the logs drawn this ficial spectra of different simple bodies at variforce his way into a house of questionable re- winter, Mr. Gibson has a large drive in his creek ous degrees of temperature, Mr. Lockyer has trees lodged, and while attempting to dislodge grees of condensation.

it the tree slipped from the stump striking Mr. The usual public Temperance meeting, in Riorden in the back and smashing his leg at the

Mr. Daniel Clapman fell from the staging of President, W. T. Baird, Esq., occupied the Mr. Robert Brown's barn, on which he was chair. The speakers were Mr. Chas. McLean, working, the other day; fortunately the result

Gibson's Ferry. Those anxious to cross on ice

Washington, D. C., Dec. 25, 1878.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Scott Publishing Co. (41 Barclay Street, N. Y) tinue up to the last hour of the joyful day an Ottawa telegram:—"A few days ago the information from the border county stamps eaten, merry Christmas is a thing of the past. a number of boys who were also skating. ground, and slowly burned to death. The Since the Congressional holiday adjourn- His Excellency bade the constable desist, and people in the western part of the State are upon the U.S. Legislature and the country ment going the rounds of the press that the so much to inform the people and beautify and at large. Two Congress men have died in Governor General and Princess Louise hav A revolution in naval architecture may reenrich our country, none are so instructive as Vick's Floral Guide. Its paper is the choicest, its illustrations handsome, and given by the hundred its illustration in naval architecture may reconstructive as large. It is city and one is lying dangerously ill. accepted an invitation to be present at the successful experiments which have been made with the new English ironwork, although costing but five cents, is hand- ing of the Committee of which he was Chair- decease of the Princess Alice their Excellen- a new design, the decease of the Princess Alice their Excellen- a new design, the decease of the Princess Alice their Excellensome enough for a gift Book, or a place on the man held in one of the Capitol Committee cies had no intention of leaving the Capital abandoned in favour of an clongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an clongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an clongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated, diagraphy and the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated are also an elongated at the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated are also an elongated at the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated are also an elongated at the capital abandoned in favour of an elongated at the capital abandoned are also at the capital abandoned at the capital abandoned at the capital abandoned are also at the capital abandoned at the

place at his hotel within a few days. Beverly Douglass, of Verginia, another Temple fought with pistols. Doran killed will become an average speed. The subject The 67th Band gave some excellent music, on the street, New Year's Day. This Band is rapthe street, New Year's Day. This Band is rap-Gilbert Dracker, the handsomest man in ear to ear.

The regular Saturday evening public temper- all our industries must suffer evils still greatance meeting will be held in Reform Club Hall. er than those they have experienced. All AN ATTEMPT TO MAKE IT RAIN. - A genparties in Congress are becoming interested tleman who resides near Boyton, Virginia,

in the subject, for it touches the wellfare has aspired to a new science-that of control-

Our school is still taught by D. S. Jones who a great piece of good fortune. For it is pain which are kept up until the desired effect is is now engaged on his third term. The average fully apparent that the commercial distress of produced upon the elements. His theory is of the school is good, and the scholars are ad- England demands all the thought and time of that the great heat produced in the air her statesmen, while the sufferings of her above the tower will cause the clouds to conpoor this winter will task to the utmost both centrate over it, when plenty of rain will fall section lately, notably among which is a dwelling house erected by Joseph Davis and a dwelling house and barn by Samuel I Rogers.

Post this whiter will task to the diffuse tooth centrate over it, when plenty of rain will fall public and private alms. It is said that every in that vicinity. The originator of this novel ill of life has its compensation. One of the lidea is said to be a firm believer in the practice. The mercantile business is carried on by John the manufacturing districts of England will withstanding the fact that after repeated Grey, who keeps everything usually found in a be to check the growing disposition of her trials, during which he consumed hundreds country store, and to judge by appearances, he rulers to engage in foreign wars. The Eng- of cords of wood, his tower failed to produce lish people now see that they were the hap- the desired effect from the unpropitious the lumbering done in this vicinity during the present winter, will fall far short of that done last winter.

MURDER BY WHOLESALE, - A NEBRASKA MAN besides 388 attempts at the same crime. CONFESSES TO NINE MURDERS .- Cincinnati Dec. Christmas day passed off quietly and pleasantly 24-A special from Steubensville says that traffic is stayed? But if drunkenness will do here, but owing to the scarcity of snow the young | Stephen D. Richards who was placed in jail | Commerce says : so much to increase the revenue, how much folks did not have such an enjoyable time as they charged with the murder of the Harebon The circulation during the month increased family at Kearney, Nebraska, has made a \$563,000, and was on November 1st \$20,we did not have an ice bridge here until Xmas. years. The first murder was committed near circulation been so low at this season. \* \* The river has closed the highest that has been Sand Hills, Nebraska. He had an altercation We do not need to point out the consequence through the head. The next was that of Mrs. unprecedently low prices for produce. View-Harebon and three children last Oct. He ing the position of the farmers, receiving one met Mrs. Harebon in jail, she having been ar- million and a half less for their crops, much rested on a charge of aiding her husband to improvement in the retail trade can hardly sat down to a supper, prepared in the very best not be displaced. One paper of Quebec thus lumber woods on the banks of the Mirnmichi; we staying two weeks, when he concluded to will have to exercise due caution in their murder her and take charge of her farm, dealings with distributing houses. which he had pre-empted. He broke her | \* \* \* \* \* jaw and smashed in the back of her head with a smoothing iron. He then killed the two oldest children with the same instrument, and of the Dominion have incressed also in circuseizing an infant dashed its head against the lation, \$102,000. But the most important result to France and to the principal pursuits of the world must be advantageous.

In Canada the event of the year was the grand and the event of the year was the grand and the event of the year was the grand and the event of the grand and the event of the day by a horse trot on the ice, panied by a declaration, making known to between "Jenny Lind," owned by Mr. McElroy and "Leopard Boy," owned by Mr. A. Campbell. The race was very exciting, and witnessed to be the day by a horse trot on the ice, panied by a declaration, making known to between "Jenny Lind," owned by Mr. A. Campbell. The race was very exciting, and witnessed band, but suspicion was aroused, search influence and the day by a horse trot on the ice, panied by a declaration, making known to between "Jenny Lind," owned by Mr. A. Campbell. The race was very exciting, and witnessed by many from the adjacent country. No run the lead against the day by a horse trot on the ice, floor. He then gave out that Mrs. Harebon between "Jenny Lind," owned by Mr. A. Campbell. The race was very exciting, and witnessed by many from the adjacent country. No run the lead against the day by many from the day by a horse trot on the ice, floor. He then gave out that Mrs. Harebon between "Jenny Lind," owned by Mr. A. Campbell and "Leopard Boy," owned by Mr. A. Campbell and "Leopard the Dominion Cabinet to tender him their by many from the adjacent country. No rum. stituted, and the bodies found under a straw banks in Canada, against an increase of \$1,-

stack. Richards fled. Before the Harebon 374.000 in notes and che In the afternoon a review of the Benton Sun- murder he was assisting a Swede named Peter THE opening lecture of the course, to be day School took place, at which some two hun- Anderson in putting up a building. Ander- banks in Canada in the month of September dred persons were present. Old Nic, had pre- son told some neighbors he believed Richards This decrease, and the withdrawal of \$540,escaped. Richards admits he killed Andermitted two other murders but refuses to give completely utilizes his power in ascending a the names of the victims. The sheriffs of staircase, where, at each step he has to lift Kearney and Buffalo counties will take Rich-

> A GREAT CHEMICAL DISCOVERY .. -- A great proving that it would be folly to close the school in | discovery in chemistry is claimed by Prof. Norman Lockyer, which has astonished the scientific world, and which, if his claim proves thirty met at Sawyer's Hall, for the cultivation correct, will entirely overthrow all the theorof vocal music, under the direction of R. C. Rack- ies of chemistry at present accepted. The which can be simultaneously operated; in matter was formally presented to the French Academy of Sciences at its last sitting. It produced a great sensation among the savants. The substance of his discovery is stated as

> hauled to Mr. Gibson's mill this winter, beside In a series of investigations, extending over excellent. At the Exposition it was shown Jacob Tompkins have contracted to haul to the the sun, of other celestial bodies, and the arti-Last week while Mr. Bartholomew Riorden tary bodies recognized by chemists are neither was falling hemlock in the woods, one of the more nor less than hydrogen at various de-

details, but he promises very soon to present paddles to work between them, the whole material, physical and chemical proofs of this being linked together to form a single vessel. extraordinary fact, which he states is already covered by a deck on which the inventor, placed beyond the domain of probabilities, Mr. Edgarton, proposes to carry railway and will inaugurate a new chemistry, giving trains and a thousand head of cattle at a time. us a far more expanded idea of the simplicity The Channel passage is to be made with these of the proceedings by which the world in ferries in an hour and a half; and cattle are which we live was gradually formed. Ac- to be transported across the Atlantic at the LITERARY NOTICES.—Blackwood's Magazine will have to wait until Jack Frost volunteers his cording to Mr. Lockyer the stars, which are rate of £2 a head. the most elementary bodies. The sun, which the importance, when the vote is taken, not to follow the example of the electors of York, but New York, and fully sustains the reputation of wheat this fell than he has any fall for ten years of various elements, while the colder color of various elements. The sun, which is only of medium heat, consists of a mixture of various elements, while the colder color of various elements. The sun, which is only of medium heat, consists of a mixture of various elements. The sun, which is only of medium heat, consists of a mixture of various elements. Thus far the holidays are more than usu- gator to come to such conclusions. The start- surpasses anything ever known. This, as

There is never but a few days of it in a winter | chemistry of the universe, and very natural | contemporary. in this vicinity, and when it comes on Christ- ly makes us think that the ancient astrologers, mas week it is naturally deemed an especial with their notions of the transmutation of White House near the unfinished Washing- they have been generally considered—only coln despatch of the 19th says :ton monument, and for the last four days it they turned their efforts in a wrong direction.

gained consciousness till his death which took

The friends of Rev. G. W. McDonald have in- the House of Representatives is very sick, A ROMANCE IN REAL LIFE. - An observant vited him to meet them at the F. C. B. Church small hopes of his recovery being entertained. spectator will notice that the first-floor win on Tuesday evening 14th inst., at 7 o'clock, to One of the most important subjects to come dows of a large house at the corner of Norfolk tory. The interest exhibited at the opening Churches in Woodstock, at 7 30 each even- Friends are cordially invited to contribute and ing aid in the form of a contract for carrying ance. The shutters are up, and they are the mails by the only line of American steam- covered thickly with dust, while through the The Sunday schools of Christ and St. Luke's ships now plying to the ports of South Ame- chincks can be seen the blinds, also thick Church unite in their customary Festival (with rica. Unless this contract is given the line with dust, and mouldering away with age a Christmas Tree) in St. Luke's S. School house, will have to be withdrawn, as it cannot with- These shutters and blinds have been in ex on Monday evening, at 7 o'clock. Friends are stand the combined pressure of the European actly the same position, untouched, for more manufacturers and ship owners aided by than forty years. During that time no hu Monday, January 6th, - Praise :- Praise | Small & Fisher now use a telephone for com- Government subsidies. Then our merchants man foot has entered that room. And the to God for his long-suffering kindness and municating between their new office, Main street, will be left at the mercy of those monopolists, reason is this: Forty years ago-more than who will return to their old system of run- forty-Lord Dysart was engaged to be marthat trade which we had lost before, but to the bridegroom, briefly informing him that The performance on Thursday evening of last still the fact that this line is not countenanced she had eloped that morning with his best week, by St. Gertrude's Dramatic Company was and aided by our Government is used against man, a gay and gallant captain of dragoons. well patronized. The members sustained their our merchants who trade in Brazil, because The jilted bridegroom did not say much, but the Brazil people besitate to make contracts he went alone to the room in which the wed-The usual Watch Night services were held in unless they can be assured of permanent ding breakfast was laid out, with his own the Episcopal, Methodist and Baptist Churches, facilities for trade, which they believe can hands put up the shutters and drew the the congregations of the latter church and the only come from the endorsement of the Gov- blinds, locked the door and took the key. F. C. B. Church uniting. The attendance at ernment. The American line has a contract He gave orders that the door should be nailed the respective places of worship was unusually from Brazil and has the favor of the Emperor up and barred with padlock bars, and that and the leading statesmen of that country. no one should enter the room again. When Services were held in several of the churches, In fact all the States of South America de- the house was let it was stipulated that the sire closer commercial relations with us and room in question should remain untouched, The Carleton County election case is to be stand ready to pay handsomely their propor- and the sum of £200 per annum was paid tion of the expense of American lines to con- to the tenant to compensate him for the de-An order from headquarters requests the nect them with our markets. The President privation of the use of the room. The room the facts and now report that something of mouldering silently away, and the ornaments

> Mr. James McCoy received, by express from of the whole country. We might with facil- ling the clouds in order to cause it to rain at California, the other day, a very handsome gold ities assured equal to those of the European will. With a view of attaining this end he headed cane, set with gold quartz, and Mrs. powers obtain the larger part of the valuable built a "rain tower," which novel structure run up twenty feet higher, the top of the structure reaching an altitude of sixty feet The whole concern was erected at a cost of

home troubles of England will set her rulers | English Morals.-An exchange laments thinking how those can be alleviated, and the enormity of crime in England. It apthat is one step in the direction of relief. pears that notwithstanding the high position England is not the only country in which in- which England holds among Christian na-Foreston Hotelis still kept by Wm. Statin, who ternal discontent is a pledge of peace. In tions, but little improvement is shown by Russia the last outbreak of the Nihilists-the criminal statistics in the morals of a large students demonstration—causes much anxiety class of its population. In the year 1877 The Temperance Reform Club still meets every and it is said that the Government would there were 77,982 arrests in London alone, The fact that 40 or 50 persons meet in a Saturday evening; if some do not attend the have assumed a bolder attitude in supporting Of these, on the male side of the count, there the Ameer but for the recent disturbances at Vourselves must put your shoulders to the principle as they do not wish to triumph over her regular army to suppress insurrection. Of the women a large number were washer-This part of the programme concluded, the Temperance, I need say nothing. It is for Diphtheria, whooping cough and typhoid In Germany, also, it is noticeable that since women, 1,302 domestic servants, and persons attempted assassination of the Emperor, we whole number arrested judgement has been Then in the County the changes have been as marked, though the result of less deplorate and a marked, though the result of less deplorate and control of the second finance of Spain had scarcely wedged but hopes and promises of peace. Emperor the different from the before he was called upon to mourn the death plied. After all in the room, young and old, as if it were his upperment thought. Geroth had been satisfied, to the fullest measure of same and form the second finance of Spain had scarcely wedged. The people of St. John are different from the the teacher, and though the children had never which willing hands and loving hearts had supperment the different from the the teacher, and though the result of less deplorate and promises of peace. Emperor which willing hands and loving hearts had supperment the different from the the teacher, and though the children had never which willing hands and loving hearts had supperment the different from the the teacher, and though the country. Taverns are scarce of the people in the country. Taverns are scarce did themselves much credit and received much as if it were his upperment thought. Geroth as if it were his upperment thought. The people of St. John are different from the the teacher, and though the children had never which willing hands and loving hearts had supperment the different from the the teacher, and though the children had never which willing hands and loving hearts had supperment the different from the the teacher, and though the children had never which willing hands and loving hearts had supperment the different from the the teacher, and though the children had never which willing hands and loving hearts had supperment the different from the the teacher, and though the children had never which willing hands and loving hearts had supperment the different from the threat had supperment the different from the threat had never which will be a supperment the different from the differ internal affairs. Austria and France are Drunkenness was the sole offence in 25,000 quiet for the same reason. And so, while cases and the accompanying offence in a good there is much for the nations of Europe to de many others; 6,139 were cases of theft. St. John's Day, 27th December, was duly elebrated by the members of Woodstock Lodge, to 11, F. & A. M. In the evening of that day

escape. When released, Richards visited her be expected, and the wholesale merchants The amount of specie has increased in a

his own weight, and that a man who climbed a staircase for a day would do work equival Teed, Secretary; Geo. Murray, Sr., Treasurer; one of an organized gang of outlaws and cut ent to 280,800 kilogrammetres, while if he applied his force to turning a windlass the result would only be 172,800. M. Bozerian's the operator applies his weight, the action being applied by a simple connection to a fly-

barometer is a sort of treadmill or staircase of two steps, or pedals, on which alternately wheel. There is also a windlass and crank al labors where a temporary force is to be applied, and where a steam engine is not always at hand, the barometer is regarded as running a threshing-machine and a circular saw, and for pumping water it has been approved by a commission appointed by the

BRIDGING THE ATLANTIC OCEAN .- A model for a wonderful ferry across the British Channel and the Atlantic has been tried in England. The structure consists of three For the moment he furnishes no specific parallel tubes, far enough apart to allow

TANNING IN TWENTY MINUTES - R. D. of various elements, while the colder celestial cess by which the skins of bullocks, calves, bodies show the most complex compounds. and sheep are tanned in from twenty to forty The greatest anxiety was expressed to be minutes. The strength of the bark at commade acquainted with the nature of the ex- mon temperature is the only ingredient used periments which had led the learned investi- and for durability, solidity, and strength it ally festive in Washington. It is because ling nature of the announcement is sufficient well as several other improvements he has kind Providence has given us ice—a broad to excite great are nishment, as it is utterly made, will justly rank among the most reexpanse, smooth and clear, the best of skating. opposed to all our preconceived notions of the markable in mechanical science. So says a

blessing. The skating ground is beyond the metals, were not such visionaries after all as was lately committed in Nebraska. A Lin-\$10,000 for the apprehension of the gang

The periodicals reprinted by THE LEONARD and activity of Christmas preparations con-

mond shaped figure. On a trial trip a speed of fifteen knots was obtained, and the inven-At Macon, Texas, Tom Doran and Louis tor, Mr. Froude, claims that twenty knots body eleven times, and cut the throat from and it is expected that some experimental vessels of the new class will be constructed,