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Great Attraction.—The great attraction of the day is the splendid variety of fancy silks shown at S. Carsley's.—*Star*.

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English Oilcloths and Linoleums in all qualities. The line we are selling at 34c is exceedingly good value, and and warranted by English manufacturers.

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When seeing the magnificent colored moire shown at S. Carsley's we cannot help exclaiming "It is beautiful! It is handsome!"—*Post*.

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At all prices, we are showing the largest assortment and cheapest carpets in Canada. Carpets from 8c per yard upwards. Full value given, examine our stock before making your selection elsewhere.

S. CARSLEY.

LEAP YEAR AGAIN.—"Have you spoken to my daughter yet?" enquired the old man.
"Oh, your daughter is all right sir," responded the young man; "she spoke to me about it last night."—*Tit Bits*

CARPET SQUARES
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The line of carpet squares now offering surpasses anything yet shown, for superiority of quality, elegance of color and designs, and unusually low prices, new goods constantly arriving.

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Ladies are specially invited to examine a splendid line of Faillie Francaise, with combination trimming to match every shade, which are shown at S. Carsley's.—*Copied*.

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ABOUT SPOOL COTTON.

The fact that so many shirtmakers and others who do fine sewing use Clapperton's Spools in preference to other makes goes to prove that it is the best thread in this market.

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1765, 1767, 1769, 1771,
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Notre Dame Street
MONTREAL.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS TO-DAY

Lost.—Tools Gaudin.
Carpets.—S. Carsley.
For Sale or to Let.—W. J. Simpson.
Wanted.—Wm. Law, or Peter Mitchell.
Look this way.—H. Banford.
Articles.—T. Jousse.
Pasturage and Lots for Sale.—F. Hamelin.
Dress making.—G. L. Meikle.

LOCAL.

DENTISTRY.

Hereafter Dr. Stackhouse will be at Lachute eight days each month, from the 8th to the 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cushing, of Montreal, were in Lachute on Friday last, guests of Mr. J. R. McQuat.

McArthur & Co. have just opened a Meat Market in Bow's Block, Centre Ward, and don't you forget it.

Mr. Egan has opened a Tailoring establishment in the room over Creswell's Flour Store, Centre Ward, and is now prepared to do all kinds of Tailoring—good fit guaranteed.

For Timothy seed, Long Red Vermont, Short Red Western, and Alsike Clover seeds, also all kinds of field and garden seeds, go to J. R. McQuat's.

Mr. Peter McQuat, formerly of Brownburg, who has been spending the winter with his friends here, left on Wednesday last for his home in Dakota.

"A Sterling Novelty" is the Art Pattern Braid Dress Trimming, which can be separated and used with great effect. In appearance it is beautiful; in wear excellent; in price economical. At S. Carsley's.

Mr. J. C. Wilson M. P., was in Lachute last week during the Easter vacation, looking well and hearty after his parliamentary duties.

IF WE ARE ALLOWED to express an opinion, we should say that the splendid line of checked and striped silk now to be had at S. Carsley's would make beautiful spring costumes for young ladies.

J. D. Wells, Esq., of Toronto, Manager for Canada of the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association of New York was in Lachute this week a guest of R. G. Meikle, Esq.

"Court Journals" all agree in stating that more silk ribbons in an established favorite. A very big stock in all widths and colors can be found at S. Carsley's.

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The place to buy your Meat is at McArthur & Co's Meat Market, Bow's Block Centre Ward. Orders can be sent from all parts of the Town by telephone.

At the Easter Vestry meeting of St. Simon's Church, Lachute, Mr. James Fish was appointed minister's Warden, Mr. W. M. Hills People's Warden, Mr. Henry Hampton and Mr. G. M. Bishop Stewards, and Mr. H. Frost and Mr. W. J. Simpson Delegates to the synod.

TAILORING.—Suits made to order at short notice, a perfect fit guaranteed, at J. R. McQuat's.

Prof. Holmes will meet the singers of Lachute and all interested in learning to sing, on Monday evening next in Victoria Hall at 7.30. A general conference is desired to consider something of interest and practical benefit to the music loving people of Lachute.

For McKay's Silver Sheaf Flour, Oatmeal, Rolled Oats, Seed Oats, go to J. R. McQuat's.

Mr. O. B. Lafleur is getting along splendidly, with his contract building the Court House in Lachute. Mr. McNeice the sub contractor for the roofing being nearly finished with the tinning and slating and Mr. James W. Cottingham, has the first coat of plaster about finished.

At the services on Sunday last, (Easter Sunday), St. Simon's Church was beautifully decorated around the font and altar with flowers, one flower an Egyptian Lilac about nine feet in circumference, belonging to Mr. Palliser was greatly admired, and wafted its beautiful odor throughout the whole church.

For a nice assortment of Tweeds, Worsted Coatings, Pantings, Ready-made clothing, Gents Furnishings etc, go to J. R. McQuat's.

Messrs Hamelin & Ayers of this place, are doing quite a business in paper making and pulp felts, they having added this line to their already extensive manufacture of woollen goods. They have just received a large order from Messrs J. Ford & Co., Portneuf. They having ordered felts for their new pulp mills now under construction.

A Sad Prospect.
How many weary broken down invalids there are to whom life is burdensome and whose prospect is sad indeed. The nervous debility and general weakness of those afflicted with lingering disease is best remedied by the invigorating and restoring properties of B. B. B.

EASTERN MASS AT R. C. CHURCH, LACHUTE.—*Kyrie et Gloria*, (Second Tone), Solists, Messrs Carriere and Charlebois; Prose, *Victime Paschali Creda*; Solo by Mr. C. Charlebois. *Offertoire Regina Celi*, (Lambillotte); Solo by Miss M. L. Groulx. *Sanctus Agnus*; Solo by Mr. J. Carriere, Miss Groulx presided at the organ.

CARPET WEAVING.—The undersigned begs to state that she is prepared to do Carpet Weaving near Armstrong's corner, Lachute.
Mrs. R. Dora.

W. Owens, Esq., M. P., was in Lachute on Wednesday last, and leaves tomorrow for the North West to see the investments he made there last year, and see the appearance of the country at this season of the year. He will also go to Calgary, Banff Springs and other important points, returning in time for the meeting of the Local Legislature in May.

MARRIED.

NICHOLS—WARRICK.—At the residence of the bride's mother, Mount Maple, P. Q., April 4th, by Rev. John King, Mr. George Nichols, to Miss Lucy Warrick.

WHAT AM I TO DO?

The symptoms of Biliousness are unappetizing but too well known. They differ in different individuals to some extent. A Bilious man is seldom a breakfast. Too frequently, alas, he has an excellent appetite for liquids, but none for solids of a morning. His tongue will hardly bear inspection at any time; it is not white and furred. It is rough, at all events. The digestive system is wholly out of order and Diarrhoea or Constipation may be a symptom or the two may alternate. There are often Hemorrhoids or even loss of blood. There may be giddiness and often headache and acidity or flatulence and tenderness in the pit of the stomach. To correct all this if not effect a cure try Green's Angel Flower, it cost but a trifle and thousands attest its efficacy.

The First Sign

Of failing health, whether in the form of Night Sweats and Nervousness, or in a sense of General Weariness and Loss of Appetite, should suggest the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This preparation is most effective for giving tone and strength to the enfeebled system, promoting the digestion and assimilation of food, restoring the nervous forces to their normal condition, and for purifying, enriching, and vitalizing the blood.

Failing Health.

Ten years ago my health began to fail. I was troubled with a distressing Cough, Night Sweats, Weakness, and Nervousness. I tried various remedies prescribed by different physicians, but became so weak that I could not go up stairs without stopping to rest. My friends recommended me to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which I did, and from now on I am healthy and strong as ever.—Mrs. E. L. Williams, Alexandria, Minn.

I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla, in my family, for Scrofula, and know, if it is taken faithfully, that it will thoroughly eradicate this terrible disease. I have also prescribed it as a tonic, as well as an alterative, and must say that I honestly believe it to be the best blood medicine ever compounded.—W. F. Fowler, D. D. S., M. D., Greenville, Tenn.

Dyspepsia Cured.

It would be impossible for me to describe what I suffered from Indigestion and Headache up to the time I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I was under the care of various physicians and tried a great many kinds of medicines, but never obtained more than temporary relief. After taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla for a short time, my headache disappeared, and my stomach performed its duties more perfectly. To-day my health is completely restored.—Mary Harley, Springfield, Mass.

I have been greatly benefited by the prompt use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It tones and invigorates the system, regulates the action of the digestive and assimilative organs, and vitalizes the blood. It is, without doubt, the most reliable blood purifier yet discovered.—H. D. Johnson, 333 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Price 25c; six bottles, \$5.

AYER'S Sugar-Coated CATHARTIC PILLS.

If the Liver becomes torpid, if the bowels are constipated, or if the stomach fails to perform its functions properly, use Ayer's Pills. They are invaluable.

For some years I was a victim to Liver Complaint, in consequence of which I suffered from General Debility and Indigestion. A few boxes of Ayer's Pills restored me to perfect health.—W. T. Brightney, Henderson, W. Va.

For years I have relied more upon Ayer's Pills than anything else, to

Regulate

my bowels. These Pills are mild in action, and do their work thoroughly. I have used them with good effect, in cases of Rheumatism, Kidney Trouble, and Dyspepsia.—G. F. Miller, Attleborough, Mass.

Ayer's Pills cured me of Stomach and Liver troubles, from which I had suffered for years. I consider them the best pills made, and would not be without them.—Morris Gates, Downsville, N. Y.

I was attacked with Bilious Fever, which was followed by Jaundice, and was so dangerously ill that my friends despaired of my recovery. I commenced taking Ayer's Pills, and soon regained my customary strength and vigor.—John C. Pattison, Lowell, Nebraska.

Last spring I suffered greatly from a troublesome humor on my side. In spite of every effort to cure this eruption, it increased until the flesh became entirely raw. I was troubled, at the same time, with Indigestion, and distressing pains in

The Bowels.

By the advice of a friend I began taking Ayer's Pills. In a short time I was free from digestive troubles, the eruption on my body commenced healing, and, in less than one month, I was cured.—Samuel D. White, Atlanta, Ga.

I have long used Ayer's Pills, in my family, and believe them to be the best pills made.—S. C. Darden, Darden, Miss.

My wife and little girl were taken with Dysentery a few days ago, and I at once began giving them small doses of Ayer's Pills, thinking I would call a doctor if the disease became any worse. In a short time the bloody discharges stopped, all pain went away, and health was restored.—Theodore Esling, Richmond, Va.

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Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Sold by all Dealers in Medicines.

Do you want a new Suit or a new Dress? If you do, and want to know where you can have them made in the very best style, then we can tell you that we have now facilities for having gentlemen's Suits made up in first class manner, and having now a Dress and Mantle Department Up Stairs, under the management of a competent lady from Montreal, you may be certain of getting the very newest fashion and finish.

—ALSO—
We are daily receiving very choice materials for Suits and the newest things in Dress Goods, and will be happy to show you our stock and receive your orders for making up any Dress Goods you may buy from us, without delay, and have them made in latest style.

—Ask to see our embroidered Dress patterns.

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Any persons wanting Pasture for Cows, or to buy Lots on Mr. Ireland's Estate, will please apply to

F. HAMELIN,
Lachute Woollen Mills.

April 5th, 1888.—32-3.

LOST.

In the town of Lachute, on Tuesday the 27th March, a Pocket Book containing about \$15 in cash and some papers containing my time for work done in the shanty during the last winter. A reward of \$1 will be given to the finder upon leaving the same at Mr. Robert Banford's store, or with the owner, LOUIS GANDON, Arundel.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

A HOUSE and LOT situated just outside the limits of the Town of Lachute, in the Township of Chatham, Possession can be given on the 1st of May, 1888. For further particulars, apply to

W. J. SIMPSON
or the proprietor,
JOHN SIMPSON.

Lachute, April 4, 1888.

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Exist in thousands of forms, but are surpassed by the marvels of invention. Those who are in need of profitable work that can be done while living at home should at once send their address to Hallett & Co., Portland, Maine, and receive free, full information how either sex, of all ages can earn from \$5 to \$25 per day and upwards wherever they live. You are started free. Capital not required. Some have made over \$50 in a single day at this work. All succeed.

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Meat Market.

I wish to return thanks to my numerous customers for their patronage in the past and solicit a continuance of the same, and also intimate that I have moved to my new shop, three doors east of Bethany Road, where I will always be found. I keep constantly on hand in addition to fresh & salt meats, a large stock of all kinds of canned fish and meats and canned fruits, ham, rolled Bacon, Lard, &c., trusting for a further continued share of your esteemed patronage.

Parcels delivered to all parts of the Town free of charge at short notice.

I remain yours &c.,

JOHN STEWART,
Butcher, March 21, 1887.

STOVES!! STOVES!! STOVES!!

WM. ARMSTRONG, Blacksmith & Horse Farrier, would respectfully announce to the people of Arundel that he is now prepared to attend all troubles in Horses and Cattle (Castrating Colts, a specialty.) He is a safe and experienced hand and is going to make a special business of it.

While thanking my many patrons for their past patronage, I would request those owing me for a settlement of their accounts this month.

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WOOD FOR SALE.

At the licensed Wood Yard, West End, Mixed dry Wood, Maple, Birch, and Beech, \$2 per cord. Delivered \$2.50.

CHARLES BRADFORD.

G. BRADFORD, Agent.

NOTICE

THE UNDERSIGNED will be prepared to do all kinds of (Dressing and Sawing at his Saw and Planing Mills, from and after the 20th September instant.

J. B. CUSHING & Co
Cushing 10th Sept., 1888.

FOR SALE.

The property facing the new Court House, being a corner lot and well situated in the centre of the town. House new and finished inside. Apply by letter or personally to the proprietor.

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THE property known as the old Court House, being a corner lot and well situated in the Centre Ward Lachute Town containing over three quarters of an acre would make a good building for a Factory, for the manufacture of Shirts or Shoes, and could be divided into two or three good building lots fronting onto Main Street. Apply to L. C. BARRON.

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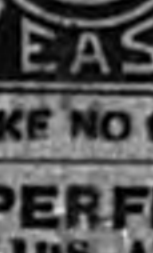
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TWO BACKWOODS BOYS.
They Stand Their Ground Against Two
Catamounts, and Kill Them Both.

PINK CREEK, Pa., April 12.—Two boys,
Willie Chambers and Frank Weston, have
been trapped during the winter for a
furrier in Philadelphia. They have caught
and skinned over twenty cats since the first
of January. On Friday they were going to a
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NEWS OF THE DAY.

CANADIAN.

The Kingston by-law for \$140,000 to im-
prove the city water works system was car-
ried yesterday by a vote of 422 to 43.

Chief Justice Armour was presented with
the traditional pair of gloves on opening the
Assizes at Kingston there being no prisoners
in goal.

Colonel John Kilborn, who served as an
ensign in the battle of Landy's Lane in 1814,
and was taken prisoner, died in Newborough
on Sunday, aged 94 years.

A memorial from the Winnipeg Icelandic
Society, praying for a public recognition of
Liel Erlanson as the first discoverer of
America, was presented in the United States
Senate on Saturday.

Clifford merchant received an abso-
lute letter, enclosing postage
stamps and stating that the writer, a woman,
had sold him a quantity of rotten eggs last
summer, and the stamps were to pay for them.

A party of Japanese gentlemen interested
in manufacturing enterprises in Yokohama
passed through Winnipeg on Friday, bound
on a tour of inspection of the large factory
establishments in Canada and the New Eng-
land States.

The Customs Collector at Buffalo has been
instructed by the Treasury Department that
clothing and other dutiable goods purchased
by residents on the frontier can not be
admitted free on their return to the United
States.

The editors of *The Atlantic*, the
paper published by the students of Victoria
University, have been suspended by the
faculty on account of criticisms of the
curriculum which appeared in that paper,
and there is a considerable commotion in
consequence.

A vigorous immigration policy will be in-
augurated by the Manitoba Government,
and a scheme for placing portions of railway
and land companies' lands under govern-
ment control for settlement is being pre-
pared for submission to the Provincial Leg-
islature.

Seven conductors on the Canadian Pacific
railway between Kilmora, a station 110 miles
east of Winnipeg, and the Pacific Coast are
to be dismissed, as they have been found
to be travelling to the coast on a stolen
ticket to escape from a detective who was
on the same train, and who finally captured
him in Vancouver.

The Trenton *Advocate* says that two men
crossing Devil Lake the other day with a
horse and cutter were pursued by a wolf, the
horse being frightened, made a sudden
spring, and threw one of them out. He had
a scaling stick in his hand, struck the wolf
over the head with it, stunned it, and then
dispatched it with a penknife.

Sir Arthur Halliburton, recently appoint-
ed to an under-secretaryship of the British
Office, was born in Nova Scotia in 1832,
and is the son of the famous "Sam Slick."
He has filled many important positions in
the British military and Civil Services, and
we believe, the only Canadian who has
ever reached a position so high in the British
service.

A young boy named Pastorius, living
near Colchester, in New County, was nearly
strangled in a curious way the other day.
He had fastened one end of a rope round a
calf's neck and the other end round a dog's
while the centre of it he wound about his
own. He was being dragged along so rapidly
that he could not get his head free, and he
was killed before he could be rescued.

Mr. Davidson, correspondent writes:—
Mr. David Blackley, who came from Scot-
land in 1884, and whose farm is seven miles
from Saskatoon, has cleaned 116 bushels of
potatoes, 500 per bushel, butter 25c
per pound, eggs 30c per dozen, beef, whole-
sale, 7c to 8c per lb.

UNITED STATES.
Minnesota reports 116 days of sleighing
so far this winter.

A man in New York is paid \$20,000 a
year for sampling tea.

Twenty-four deaths were caused by the
mine explosion at Rich Hill, Missouri.

Oakdale, Kansas, has elected a woman
as Mayor and a City Council composed en-
tirely of women.

Only twelve Indians are left of the tribe
of 1,000 who inhabited the Yosemite Valley
a few years ago.

Losses on the western cattle ranches this
winter have been very slight, and are not
expected to exceed one per cent.

The Buffalo Bankers' Association has de-
cided to charge 2 per cent. discount on all
Canadian money received on deposit.

Claus Spreckels has decided to build a
sugar refinery in Philadelphia, with a ca-
pacity of seven thousand barrels a day.

A clay county, Dakota, farmer has a five-
year old cow which is 164 hands high and
weighs 1,800 pounds. A circus man is try-
ing to buy her.

A bill for the celebration at Washington
next spring of the centennial of the Con-
stitution of the United States was passed in
the Senate on Saturday.

A sword fish weighing 500 pounds was
caught from the wharf at Punta Gorda, Fla.
It took the combined efforts of three men
to bring it from the water.

California farmers display much anxiety
in riding the flock of the rabbit pest. At a
large rabbit drive about 2,000 men were in
line and over 4,000 rabbits were slaughtered.

The Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage is a great
walker, and thinks nothing of an early
morning slip of eight or nine miles into the
suburbs, topped off with a brisk run of half
a mile.

A resolution in favor of organic union of
the Methodist Episcopal Church and the
Methodist Episcopal Church South was
adopted at the meeting of Methodist min-
isters in Chicago on Monday.

A weekly church publication in Youngs-
town, O., is edited by the Rev. S. B.
Frazier, and is issued on Sundays. It is
probably the only Sunday newspaper in ex-
istence that is edited by a clergyman.

Mr. Orsogoboy, of Albany, and his four
boys, foot up pretty well in the aggregate.
He is 6 feet 6 inches in height, the oldest
son is 2 inches shorter, the next is 6 feet 3,
the next 5 feet 2, and the youngest, a lad of
ten years, is 6 feet 1 inch tall.

The latest "cattle queen" of the west is
Miss Kitty Wilkins, of Idaho, a tall blonde,

CABLE DESPATCHES.

British Politics Dead—Boulanger's Posi-
tion—Royal Tourists.

LONDON, April 11.—Politics are dead in
England just at present. No one is sorry.
The Liberals are quiet. Hardly any of them
except the big men appear in their seats.
The Parnellites have religiously ceased
from troubling, and the Government
have been pushing on significant measures
to triumph and rapid success.

The Boulanger question continues to ab-
sorb attention in France, and to furnish
material for reflection and wise opinions to
all the rest of Europe. The question is get-
ting bigger all the time and originators of
wise opinions are rapidly rallying to the
view that Boulanger has the very biggest
future before him if he knows how to act.

In fact, he need scarcely know even that,
for men of brains are behind him who will
bring him to the front if he will only suffer
them to pull the strings.

Royal folk in Europe seem to have been
rejoiced with a sightseeing fever worthy of
a Cook tourist in a yachting. Queen Vic-
toria at Florence is rushing about most in-
dustrially, visiting churches and monasteries
with Dowager Lady Churchill, eternal
Harriet Phipps and equally eternal Sir
Henry Ponsonby in her wake, led by the
British Consul General, Henry of
Battenberg, who is indirectly the cause of
the trouble between Blomberg and his new
master, is soon to go on a visit to
Malta, where he will meet the Duke of
Edinburgh, his brother-in-law. The King
and Queen of Italy have gone to Flo-
rence, and the Emperor and Empress of
Brazil, the latter, the most democratic of
emperors, are living at the Hotel de la Paix,
rivaling Queen Victoria in their industrious
sightseeing. The English Queen is accom-
panied by her favorite gray donkey, but has
not yet taken a ride behind him in Florence.
The Czar is off on a trip to Gatchina, and
incidentally has been polite and munificent to
the Shah of Persia, to whom he has sent
handsome portraits of himself and wife, and
his own private yacht, the *Orion*, which is
material which is now on the way to Batoum
in a Russian mail-boat, this seems to indi-
cate that the Czar feels secure in the friend-
ship of the Shah.

THE MACKENZIE BASIN.
OTTAWA, April 18.—Before the Mackenzie
Basin was explored, the only way to the
North, from Brockville, formerly and for
many years inspecting chief of the northern
district of the Hudson Bay Company gave
some valuable information about the
territory drained by the Mackenzie.
The district he was in charge of was
situated from the Saskatchewan to the Polar
Sea, and he had his headquarters at Fort
Simpson, on the Mackenzie River, in lat-
tude 62°. He gave interesting and practical
information regarding the navigation of the
River and lakes, at the head of the Chiro-
hill River, the Peace River, Great Slave
River and the Mackenzie itself. He read
extracts from journals of an Admiralty ex-
pedition, which, sailing from Honolulu,
passed through Behring's strait in a sailing
ship, which encountered no difficulty ex-
cept head winds, and when near the
mouth of the Mackenzie continued the ex-
ploration in the ship's boats, according to
the Mackenzie River 520 miles to Fort Simpson.
These boats were accompanied by a private
steamer, the *Albatross*, and a second Mack-
enzie River, came up to the rapid on Great
Slave Lake, and came up to the rapid on Great
Slave River, where Fort Smith is situated—
a distance of 1,360 miles. He believed sailing
and whaling vessels could be built at
this point, and the river was open long
enough to admit of their going down, fishing
for several months at its mouth, and ascend-
ing it again before the close of navigation.
He stated that the maps upon the table were
incorrect as regards the size of Great Slave
Lake and Athabasca Lake, the former be-
ing in his opinion, longer than Lake Superior,
or about 500 miles, and the latter being at
least 250 miles long.

TELEGRAPH BRIEFS.
Seeding has been begun in many parts
of Manitoba.

Winnipeg grain dealers estimate the sur-
plus of grain for export this season at be-
tween twelve and thirteen million bushels.

Mr. Alex. MacAllister, ex-surveyor of
customs at Kingston, died the other morn-
ing, aged 69 years.

Under the will of the late Hon. John
Hamilton Macdonald, the Montreal Gen-
eral Hospital gets a bequest of \$30,000, and
Trinity College University, Toronto, \$2,
500.

The London *Times* says the condition of
the Emperor's larynx is unchanged, but his
general health has suffered on account of
concomitant troubles.

The total cost of the permanent flood
dyke and pumping stations in Montreal
will amount to \$300,000. As only \$175,
000 has been granted for the work, the city
council will be asked to make up the deficiency.

Bishop Bond has received a letter from
Premier Mercier stating that the Quebec
Government has decided to comply with
the petition for a new grant to the Pro-
testant Inmate Asylum, and will ask the
concurrent of the House at the next session.

The *Marl Lane Express*, London Eng.,
says that the famous Wharfedale, said to be
the largest arable farm in the three king-
doms, lies tenanted in the hands of the
landlord. The farm is one of the best in
the Lincolnshire Wolds, and a railroad
passes through it. Mr. Jesse Collings will
introduce into parliament a bill which will
elect a commission in agriculture. It will
propose that a plot of garden ground be
attached to every public elementary school in
rural districts for the cultivation of which
the necessary technical instruction can be
given. The bill is strongly supported by
many leading men in the kingdom.

The Queen donates \$1,000 toward the proposed
Royal Agricultural Society's jubilee show
in Windsor Great Park this year. Farm
rents are being reduced in all parts of En-
gland. During the quarter ending Decem-
ber 31, 1887, there were 109 outbreaks of
electroconvulsions in Great Britain; 64
these were in England and 45 in Scotland.
The total number of cattle attacked was
336. During the same period in 1886 the
outbreaks numbered 127, and the number of
cattle attacked was 503, a slight falling off
of 107 cases during the last quarter of
1887 there were 1,280 outbreaks, involving
9,546 animals, of which number 4,164 died
and 4,550 were slaughtered. There were
60 outbreaks of anthrax.

MUSKIEBOIT TRAGEDY.
Frederic Pound Guilty of Murdering Peter
Doyle—Mrs. Doyle Acquitted.

HALIFAX, N.S., April 18.—The jury in the
Doyle murder trial rendered their ver-
dict at 10.20 the other night, finding William
Frederic Pound guilty and Mrs. Doyle not guilty.
Frederic was recommended to mercy. The
jury took five hours to arrive at the verdict.
Frederic received it with wonderful coolness,
and while conversing with his counsel was
seen to smile once or twice. Mrs. Doyle
remained in custody under an indictment of
being an accessory after the fact.

An English Steamer laden with potatoes
has started for the Azores Islands, to relieve
the famine-stricken population.

FARM.

REPORT FROM OTTAWA COUNTY.

Horticulture and pomology in this county
are more and more coming to the front. The
acres here are better for fruit than for
grain production. The current is beginning
to take the lead among small fruits.

The Windsor cherry has no equal, either
for home use or for market. Montmorency
Ordinaire is a fine kind for market. Cherries
demand good culture, as well as other
fruits. Peaches should be well thinned early
in the season to make saleable fruit.

Early blight is a good early peach. At-
tention is called to a Texas production,
Hine's Surprise, which is earlier than Rivers,
and an entire freestone.

Steven's Riverside can be recommended as
late peach. Salway gives a big crop, having
a tendency to overbear. The Kieft is
simply wonderful. Mr. Willard has again
sold his crop at a big price, and states that
the commission merchants telegraphed him
to ship a carload. The apple crop has
brought more money to the county than any
other crop. Buyers begin to discriminate,
and will not pay a high price for inferior
fruit any more. It pays to pack the ap-
ples so that you will be proud to have your
name on the outside of barrel. Spray with
Paris green. Give food to trees and good
cultivation.

Statton's Beauty apple, and McIntosh Red
deserve special mention among the new
varieties. McIntosh is the handsomest of
all, and of fine quality. Yellow Trans-
parent is becoming popular.

THE RANCHMAN'S COMMISSIONER DEPARTMENT.
A ranchman's life is certainly a very
pleasant one, albeit generally varied with
plenty of hardship and anxiety. Although
occasionally he has to do with a few
troubles, for example, if he goes on the round up
he works as hard as any of his men—yet he no
longer has to undergo the monotonous
drudgery attendant upon the tasks of the
cowboy or of the apprentice in the busi-
ness. His life is an outlying pasture, and
it is good enough. Many ranches are
provided with nothing at all but salt pork,
canned goods, and bread; indeed, it is a
curious fact that in travelling through this
country it is often impossible to get any
fresh meat, and the ranchman is obliged to
eat his own. The owners or managers are too
busy to take enough trouble to insure their own comfort.
We ourselves always keep up two or three
cows, choosing such as are naturally tame,
and so we invariably have plenty of milk
and butter, and there is time for churning,
a good deal of butter being made.

We also keep hens, which, in spite of the
damaging incursions of hawks, bobcats and
foxes, supply us with eggs, and in time of
need, when our rifles have failed to keep us
in game, with stewed, roasted, or fried chicken
or turkey. From one of the best and best
unless drought, frost or grasshoppers inter-
fere (which they do about every second
year) other vegetables as well. For fresh
meat we depend chiefly upon our own
hunting—Theodore Roosevelt in the Century.

BROKEN LEGGED HORSES.
Some years ago, writes a correspondent of
The Cultivator, a two-year old colt, with
others in a family, was found with a
foreleg broken above the knee and hang-
ing limp and useless. It was early
June, hot weather coming on. The animal,
though fairly gentle, had never been accus-
tomed to stall or harness. I knew it was
useless to attempt putting it in a sling, or
adjusting a splint or a bandage if left in
pasture. There was a small lot available,
with excellent grazing, water and shade.
In this colt was placed, simply watched,
given a little extra nourishment in form of
milk, and left to himself. If he died, I
intended to attempt to put him in a sling,
such a way that the bone was in a natural
position, and the muscles were used to keep
the foot clear of the ground. The animal
moved about on three legs for a month,
took care of the one injured, and I do not
think it attempted to get down during the
time. Then it began to put its foot to the
ground and gradually to use the leg. By
this time pasture failed. In the fall it
had a substantially sound leg again, and
was a useful animal for years. When trot-
ting showed a slight lameness, probably
due to a little shortening of the injured leg,
but in field work and all ordinary farm pur-
poses it proved a thoroughly serviceable
one.

SPAVINED ARABIAN.
United States Senator Palmer determined
to have on his farm at Detroit, at least five
fine-blooded Arabian horses, and sent an
agent to look up a good one, and a fine
one. The agent has telegraphed his
inability to secure the horses. Upon his
arrival at Damascus he learned that a firm
had been issued by the Sultan prohibiting
the further exportation of horses because of
the probability of their being sent to the
United States. This did not daunt
Senator Palmer's agent, neither did the
historical belief that no Arabian horse is
ever disposed of except as a trophy to royal
personages and for purposes of war. His
pushing did not prevent his securing, how-
ever, he failed from far different cause, it
being none other than the fact that every
horse shown him was spavined, ringboned,
wind-broken, blind or afflicted with some
other disease to which horses, even the
planned, soft-skinned Arabian species, are
subject.

SWITZERLAND'S MILCH COWS.
Switzerland has 600,000 milch cows, all of
native breed, and divided into two sharply
defined races, the brown and the spotted.
The former color varies from deep fawn to
mouse gray, the latter shade being held
in the most extreme. The brown race
is short-horned and considered as the origi-
nal type. It corresponds to the remains
found on the sites of the Roman cities of the
third century of our era. The skulls of this
race, furthermore, are identical with those
found in the Swiss lake dwellings. The
spotted race, peculiar to Bern and
Fribourg, is believed to be of Scandinavian
origin. From the milking point of view
there is not very much difference in either
race. The average daily yield is about
twenty pounds.

Ducks usually begin to lay in February,
and until that time they may be kept at but
little expense. Cooked turnips, with a small
amount of corn-meal, makes good food for
them. After they begin to lay they should
have a proportion of animal food.

The great flow of milk of cows is artificial.
In a state of nature the cow gives only the
necessary quantity, and gives it only the
necessary time to sustain the calf. The re-
sult of better feeding, better treatment and
longer manipulation of the teats. Hence to
increase the yield of milk, feed and milk
well.

Remember that plants do the work they
ought to do require "standing-room."
They must have a mellow, porous soil or
their feet will be cramped. It pays to take

THE TIME TO PREPARE SOIL PROPERLY.

Old Jethro Tull found to his cost that ill-
drained lands would not keep up the fertility of his
fields, but he found what thousands since
his time have proved, that tillage and man-
ure work well together. Don't depend upon
surface tillage too much. Pulverize the soil
to break with.

Grass lands, as a rule, are neglected by
our small farmers. But little attention is
paid to draining in fall and winter, and no
manure or attempted improvements. As soon
as the warm weather approaches, sheep
cows are turned in to feed on the young
blades, and if the cows give milk, and the
lambs grow fairly well for the butcher, that
ends the matter. If more care were given
to seeding down and getting a good stand of
grass, no better means could be devised to
improve methods of farming. With
well seeded fields there need be less plowing,
and that might be properly limited to the
area that can be thoroughly manured and
cultivated. A really good grass or clover
crop will pay better average profits than
those requiring much more labor.

"Does your cow cringe and curl," asks
The New England Farmer, "an apparent
nervous and agitated when you sit down to
milk her?" Well, not much, she doesn't.
She isn't that kind of a cow. She isn't one
of your shy, timid, bashful cows. She just
fixes her eyes on vacancy with a glass that
will raise a blister on an ox's nose, and she
laid straight up in the air, stiff as a poker,
plants three feet firmly on the ground and
then feels around with the other for the
milk pail, milk stool, milkmaid; finds them;
fixes them up somewhere into the blue em-
pyrean, and comes down, and milks, and
tramples down on acres of your garden.
Don't talk about cringing and curling to a
cow that has to be milked with a pipe, line
and a pumping station.

Propagating Cane and Trays.
One of the chief difficulties that the
propagator meets with in rooting cuttings
of many kinds of plants is a lack of
bottom heat. Top heat he can get easily
enough; but bottom heat is the key to suc-
cess in propagating plants by cuttings, as
well as in growing them from seeds. I re-
present at Fig. 79 a sketch of a "propaga-
ting case" that, judging from my own ex-
perience with it, will meet all the require-
ments of the amateur florist, and will com-
pete successfully with the best appointed
greenhouse in the world in rooting a limited
number of roses and other favorite or high-
priced plants. It is simply a box 10 inches
deep, and as long and wide as may be de-
sired. The box is made of inch thick stuff,
and in it is placed a galvanneal iron or
tin tank 10 inches deep, and three inches less
in diameter than the inside of the box. The
one and a half inch of space between the
tank and the sides of the box should be
packed with sawdust. On one side is a fil-
ter tube, at the bottom of the tank, and a
tap for drawing off the water. A few plant
trays, four inches deep and large enough to
cover the tank, are needed. They should be
made of half-inch stuff. If covered with
glass, as shown in the sketch, they may
have a glass cover to fit over the top.

Pot about three inches of sand, or fine
perlite soil in one of these trays, set the
cuttings in it, fill the tank with hot water,
and keep it hot, or quite warm, by drawing off
the water, and replacing it with more. The
water should be changed every day, and the
trays should be kept in a place where they
will be rooted and it can be taken out
and another filled with cuttings put in its
place. After the plants in the first tray
have hardened off a few days they may be
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