| rles Clarkson, the engineer of the re dutumy, was the viotim of a al outrage on gesterday morning. near Colehour, on One-hund et, nearly a blook west of the t ut 4 o'eloek on yesterday mornin awakened by bis wife, who said a noise, and thought that bur in the house. Clarkson arone hout dreasing, seized a revolver er his pillow and stepped into the k which adjoins the bedroom oceuple couplo. <br> she opened the door between the mas we was atruck in the face by a the contents of which covered his ast, and arm. With a ery of pa ggered back, for the cup had bee with vitriol, and the horrible liqui the parta touched. A portion re dark forms of two men who h a rotreat. His eries brought his hifs side. She at once alarmed ghbors who, after making Clarks an searching for traces of the per of the deed. The traoks of two ring heavy, coarse shoes wero se snow and they led in the directi adale. They were followed for ance and at last became lost i I. <br> n examination it was found that iol bad eaten deeply finto the fle unfortunate man, but by the assa ing thrown the tin cup as well a left one is burned the worst, but sicians say that neither will be dep ight. The work of the assailauts deiberate, as it was found that coolly poured the vitriol from a which they left standing on the Clarkson's dinner pail. It is they acoomplished what they des $y$ did not come to rob the house |
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A Singular Acoident.
$\begin{array}{r}\text { Nisasha FAlis, Ont., February 6.-A } \\ \text { painfal accident occurred bere yesterday }\end{array}$ painful aceident occurred here yesterday
afternoon to Joseph Kirkland, a hackman, omployed in cutting ice off one of the buil-
ings. A heavy piece of ice, sliding swiftly, struck him and broko his leg just
above the ankle,and had he not been securabove the ankle, and had he not been secur-
od by a cope ho would have been dashed to pieces. He was cared for by Dr. Mo-
Garry, of Drummondville. The mode of outting the ice is very peculiar. The roofs
of the buildings in the vicinity of the falls of the buildings in the vicinity of the falls
are made very strong to support the heavy weight, and steep to quickly carry off the co is reached by a ladder raised up to the eaves of the building. A man then ass-
cends with an axe and euts footholds in he ice on the roofs all the way up to th man ascends in a similar manner until as many men as are required have secured po-
sitions ou the roof. Then the work of utting tho ice commences, and as it is The task is a dangerous and laborious one, When the ice is in a thawing condition
opes are fastened under the men's arm and passed over the peak to the opposite
side of the roof, und held there by stout inen to prevent the cutters from slipping
and sliding off the building. The ice ries from two to four feet in thickness in severe winters, and frequently forms a
orushing weight on tho building safoty bas to be removed.
Car A Baltimorean named Mellon Mitchdi, twenty-two yerrs of age, has just boen
divoreed from his wife, the deoree forbid ding the latter from marrying again during the life of the former lusboand. The
eause for this deeree was that the father of the lady decoyed Mitotell into hif daug, locked the door and latter was in that he should marry her then and there, as he had wronged her. The youth pro-
teated and denied, but the father, with blood in bia eye and a huge revolver in his hand or become without delay marry the he coroner. A Methodist miniater was cheoked by the aight of the father's pistol, the marriage was performed. The nnwilwony as he could, and brought tuit cereorce, with the result announced above witness in the case.
Twe Indianapolis News says : Mrs. Iyer, wife of the proprietor of the Tivoli band while he was asleep beeide her, gath. red ail the cash about the place, aod got y with a haudsomer min. loft bebind she acounes bim of trsing to kill hor with a hatelet.

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