NEWS ABOUT HOME.

A chiel's among ye, takin notes
An' faith he'll prent it."

TOWN TOPICS.

Cupid has been at work, and George Stewart, photographer, is still making good pictures in various new styles.

Indian summer will soon be here, and E. R. Watson, painter, is still open for orders for painting and paperhanging. It will pay you to get the work done well while you are about it. Estimates given.

"Don't be a Clam," is the way a Philadelphia man heads his advertisement. That is not in the polite style of Sallows, the photographer, who can furnish all styles of likenesses in the shortest space of time.

Frock coats were all the rage on Thursday morning. If you want a stylish frock coat, single or double breasted, get it at F. & A. Pridham's, the fashionable tailors. They will fit you if anybody can.

The School Board troubles never interfere with the business of Mrs. Cooke, who will still supply books, slates, stationery, etc., for school purposes at low rates to delighted school children. Send the boys and girls to Mrs. Cooke's. JOHN DEACON, manager.

"FINE TAILORING."—GENTLEMEN,—Our stock is now complete for fall and winter trade. Our prices cannot possibly be surpassed, quality and style considered. Take a look through our immense range of new goods compare goods and prices, and be convinced. B. MACCORMAC, at A. P. McLean's.

Miss Smaill is visiting friends at Bay City.

P. Farr, of Dublin, spent Sunday in town.

D. B. Hodge visited Woodstock last week.

Miss Fannie Williams has gone to Toronto.

Mrs. Woolverton is visiting friends at Grimsby.

Mrs. Wilmer Smith is rapidly gaining in health.

Miss Straiton is visiting friends at Egmondville.

H. Clucas returned from Brussels on Saturday last.

Mrs. Purvis, of Sarnia, was visiting friends in town.

Charles Somerville, of London, spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Parkes was visiting friends in Toronto last week.

Miss Nellie Vanderlip is the guest of Mrs. George Black.

Miss Fisher will leave for a visit to Chicago next week

Secord & Co. have been having a boon in the lumber business.

Mrs. Rutherford, of Stratford, is the guest of Mrs. R. Wilson.

George Acheson returned from Dakota on Thursday morning last.

Mrs. W. Whitely, of Clinton, spent a few days in town last week.

Master Corsellas Hodge left for the Woodstock College yesterday.

Vesey Elwood spent a few days in town last week, seeing old cronies.

Mr. Bell, formerly of Vanstone's Marble Works, is now in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Russel have returned to their home after their holiday trip.

Messrs. Tom Finn and A. Matheson have returned from Lake Minetonka, Min.

John Fisher and family have left for Brandon, Man., where they intend to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Straiton and Miss Nellie have gone to visit friends at Oshawa and Whitby.

Miss Quick, of Woodstock, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Struthers, Huron road.

The family of George Knox left for Toronto this week, where they will in future reside.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Saunderson returned to their home at Richmond Hill on Monday last.

Harry Bolton, of Guelph, was the guest of Mrs. Mitchell, his mother-in-law last week.

Judge Sinclair, of Hamilton, is in town this week, the guest of M. C. Cameron, M.P.

The band tournament at Clinton is on the 25th inst. Professor DePeudry will be one of the judges.

Charles Young, brother of Reeve Young, is now Manager of Ridgewood farm, the Attrill estate.

W. L. Horton has returned from Sarnia, and is now tackling the books at the Loan Society's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Lachlan McDonald, of Chesley, were in town during the week, the guests of Mrs. Hyslop.

C. H. Girvin has bought one of the stores on Hamilton street the property of the late John McKenzie.

Mrs. D. Eldridge, of Chicago, who was the guest of her uncle, Dave Fisher, returned to her home last week.

FALL SHOW.—Remember that the dates for Goderich show are Tuesday and Wednesday Sept. 29 and 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Imrie and two children left for Toronto on Thursday last, and will be absent for six or seven days.

The Schooner M. S Gordon sailed on Saturday for the Fishing Islands with a cargo of salt and empty fish barrels.

Mrs. D. D. Wilson, of Seaforth, who spent last summer in Goderich, died in Seaforth last week after a brief illness.

Thomas Graham is about taking possession of his new purchase, the residence at present occupied by G. Evans.

A wedding party from Tuckersmith took in Goderich on their tour, and were the guests of their friend, Mrs. Parkes.

The schooner Kolfage with coal for P. McEwan arrived last Thursday, and left again this week with a cargo of salt.

D. C. Strachan is converting one of his shops on Victoria street into a dwelling, and improving the rest of his building.

Mrs. Joseph Jessop returned to her home at Chicago on Thursday last, after a very pleasant visit with her relatives here.

C. T. Donnelly, of the American express Co., of Ann Arbor, Mich., has been spending the week here, at the residence of Mrs. Gilbert Shanklin

A. Farrow, the efficient and obliging collector of customs at this port, was in London last week seeing the sights at the Provincial exhibition.

We regret to learn that Thos. McLean, cattle dealer, is down with an attack of inflammation of the lungs. We hope to hear of his speedy recovery.

The price of plums were never so low as they have been this season. Some ranged at 25c per bushel. First class plums brought as high as $2.50.

The tug Jessie, with two barges in tow, called in port on Sunday morning on her way up the lake to try and raise the sunken schooner Sweepstakes.

The Garibaldi reached harbor last week with a cargo of lumber for Secord & Co. After unloading, the Garibaldi sailed on Friday evening for another cargo.

James Sloane, wife and two children, of Melanchton, and Miss Margaret Sloane, of Campbell's Cross, are the guest of their relative, S. Sloane, seedsman.

Robt. Miller and bride, now of Wisconsin, were in town during the week, spending a portion of their honeymoon. Bob likes life in the North-western States.

There were three weddings yesterday, two of which took place in churches, and drew many of the curious. We wish prosperity to all the grooms, and happiness to all the brides.

George Sharman, of Clinton, son of Wm. Sharman, of this town, is again entering upon the work of teaching, and has made an engagement to teach in Norfolk public school.

D. McGillivray, B. A., preached in River Street Presbyterian church, Paris, on Sunday last, and will supply the pulpit there next Sunday. He is now studying for the ministry.

Mrs. Bastedo and maid left on Thursday for Toronto. They were accompanied by C. F. Straubel, Mrs. Bastedo's father, who is going to take in the sights of the Queen City.

Prof. Stewart, of McGill University, Montreal, was in town during the week. The Doctor looks as if life in the Island City agrees with him. He is always welcome to Huron, his old county.

The question is yet unsettled as to whether the Irish jig or Highland fling to bagpipe accompaniment was most popular on Wednesday evening. Harrison, of the roller rink, should secure these local attractions.

James Somerville, M.P., of South Bruce, gave us a call last week. We regret to learn that our old friend is trubled with a painful affection of the throat, which will henceforth prevent him from doing much public speaking.

Mr. Higgins, conductor, G. T. R., and two children, of Toronto, were the guests of Jas. Doyle on Saturday last. Mr. Higgins had the remains of his little child removed from the R. C. cemetery, to have interred in Toronto, where he intends to reside.

The Provincial Sunday school convention will be held in Stratford on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 20th, 21st and 22nd of October. We hope this grand gathering will be attended by many from this county. Arrangements will be made for the entertainment of visiting delegates.

Messrs. Ephraim Downing, Reese Price and F. Bingham have returned from a two months' trip to England. They report a good time, and a growth of democratic sentiment; at least the two first-named do. While in London Mr. Price heard Spurgeon several times, and was delighted with the great Baptist preacher.

WE UNDERSTAND A. McD. Allan, of Goderich, is making a collection of native and cultivated fruits for the Colonial Exhibition in England next year. Samples of plums, pears, apples, peaches, and especially wild berries, grapes, plums, etc., will be put up by Mr. Allan, if thought worthy of a place in the Canadian exhibit.

ROLLER RINK.—The most graceful skaters at the rink on Friday evening were:—Ladies—Misses E. Crane 32, Flo. Horton 20, A. Campbell 18 Gentlemen—J. McCullough 26, R. Wilkinson 15, J. Howick 13. The rink was very inviting looking. The town band will appear tonight and Thursday evening of next week.

One of the most popular young men of the section is Tommy Wright, of the Point Farm. A few weeks ago a number of the guests at the Point Farm presented him with an address accompanied by a snug purse. He is now studying at that popular educational institution, Woodstock College. His affability and obliging ways will win him friends wherever he goes.

STILL THEY COME.—Remember the cheap popular excursion to western points on Sept. 25th and 26th. Goderich to Detroit, Port Huron and return, only $3; Saginaw and Bay City, $6; Grand Rapids, $7; Chicago, Milwaukee and Cincinnati, $9. All tickets good until Oct. 5th. Now is the time to visit your American friends. Tickets can be procured from H. Armstrong, city ticket agent G. T. R., agent Allan line, near post office, Goderich.

FATAL RAILWAY ACCIDENT.—Thomas Wyatt, was instantly killed yesterday morning while trying to put a brake chain on the brake. One of his arms was crushed, his side was injured, and he was hit about the head also. He had been in poor health for some time, and leaves a wife and a large family. No blame attaches to any one. It is to be hoped that the railway company will deal generously with the widow and orphans.

SHOOTING MATCH.—The second of the series of shooting matches of the Gun Club was held yesterday with the following score:—

C. Seager	5	Geo. Grant	10
J. Nesbitt	8	E. R. Watson	11
W. Ellard	10	T. McDermott	1
A. B. Henderson	3	F. Naftel	3
F. Pretty	2	McDermott (ex.)	1

Next match will be held on Thursday next. The series is to consist of five matches.

The London *Free Press* has the following to say about a Goderich horticulturist:—Mr. A McD. Allan, the well-known authority on fruit, of Goderich, is engaged along with other members of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association in collecting specimens for the great Colonial Exhibition. Many samples have been bottled in a solution of salicylic acid, in which they retain their natural appearance. He has in consideration a proposition from Sir Charles Tupper to accompany the Canadian fruit exhibit to England. Scarcely a better man could be procured.

We hope our young Liberals will turn out at the Reform Rooms on Tuesday evening next. The business be sure to interest them.

TAKE A HOLIDAY.—Grand popular 10 day excursion September 25th and 26th, good until October 5th, to Detroit and Port Huron, fare $3; Saginaw and Bay City, fare $6; Grand Rapids, fare $7; Cincinnati, Milwaukee and Chicago, fare $9. For tickets and correct information to A. STRAITON, G. T. R. Agent. N. B.—Tickets on sale at G. T. R. Station several days before the excursion.

The Goderich SIGNAL, one of the ablest county reform journals in the province, has entered its thirty-seventh year. The McGillicuddy Bros. have for several years been its proprietors, and under their able editorial and business management the SIGNAL has taken a front rank. We wish our confreres abundant success and prosperity.—[Lindsay Post.

Sermon to Young Men.

Rev. Duncan Morrison, of Owen Sound, who for the past month or so has been sojourning in Goderich, the guest of his son-in law, H. I. Strang, Principal of Goderich High School, has each week during his stay here occupied the pulpit of Knox church with great acceptance. On Sunday evening last he preached his parting sermon, and addressed himself especially to young men. He look for his text Daniel i, 8: "But Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the wine which he drank," and the lessons read were also peculiarly appropriate for young men. In the course of his sermon the preacher dwelt upon the need of a good purpose. Like Daniel's, a good purpose should be made and held to. It should not be a lip purpose, but a heart purpose. No one ever rises to anything great or good even in this world, unless he had a fixed purpose, even though it has to be carried out amid storms and sneers. He instanced the career of Lord Beaconsfield who triumphed in political affairs because added to his genius was a strong purpose. He also cited the case of Warran Hastings, the great India Governor. Among the moral heroes mentioned were Dr. Chalmers, Bunyan, John Knox, (whose purpose was expressed in the prayer "give me Scotland or I die"), and George Wishart, whose funeral pile lightened up Scotland. A young man with a purpose should be well pleased if the majority be with him, but not cast down if the world went against him, for God and a man in the right formed a majority. Young men should ally to a firm purpose, a gentle manner. Gentle demeanor was Christian demeanor, and should mark every condition in which a young man may be found. Daniel had a mild manner, but his purpose was strong. See to it, also, that if you make a purpose, that it be not a partial but a thorough one, carried out in little things as well as in great. The best resolutions are those that are made in God's great name, in silence and in solemnity, and carried out in God's strength. Thus you will be growing more and more strong and clear, growing in grace and favor, and your peace will be like a river. God will guide you, with all your imperfections, and weaknesses, until the light of time shall pass away into the glories of eternity. Daniel made his good purpose when he was was a young man. He did not wait until the close of his studies or his apprenticeship, otherwise he might never have been used. The circumstances of any young man for making a good resolution will never be more gracious than tonight, for obstacles will be sure to rise up as the days go by to hinder or make it difficult. Make your purpose with God early, and His grace be poured out upon you in unstinted measure. You can then go forth in God's name to the great practical truths of Christian life. He closed by again pressing instant acceptance, that all might experience the joy and peace and happiness of a Christian life.

Wingham Caledonian Games.

The first annual Caledonian games were held in Wingham on Thursday of last week, and took place on the agricultural grounds. The attendance was large, and the number of deadheads who lined the hill outside the fence, and gazed on the games from the vehicles, stumps and other elevations was the largest we ever saw at any games. The games were well carried out and the competition was very keen. Among the highlanders in costume were, Mark J. Paterson, G. A. Smith and J. Massie, of Hamilton, Jas. Moon, London; Robt. Ireland, New York; J. Fotheringham, Toronto; Jas. Anderson, D. Campbell and J. McPherson, Lucknow; J. Fleming, Wingham; Robt. Rankin, Woodstock, and also the following lads and lassies: John Rattray, Frank Wilson, and Robt. McKay, London; Kate McPherson and Miss Rankin, Woodstock; Calvin and Lizzie Sinclair, Hamilton; Harry McIntyre, Hamish McCrimmon and Bella McIntyre, Lucknow, and others. The athletes embraced E. W. Johnston, Archie Scott, J. D. McColl, Gideon Perrie, Kathel Kerr, J. Currie, G. Gibb, W. H. Douse, W. Burrow, J. McPherson, Doupe, D. M. Sullivan and others; while Case, Bennett, Saunders, Herriman and others represented the fleet of foot. In addition to the regular Caledonian program, there was a band contest and a horse race—two events that should never be held at Caledonian games. Independently of the two events mentioned the program was far too lengthy, and we would advise our Wingham friends to lop off events and raise the value of their prizes next year. The failure of Brussels and Lucknow to hold their games, owing to the rain was a bonanza to the Wingham Caledonian Society, and materially increased the attendance at the sports. Wingham has now got a good start, and it is to be hoped it will hereafter be able to keep up the procession.

Big Bear has been found guilty and sentenced to three years' imprisonment. The penalty is altogether disproportioned to the offense. Big Bear was the worst Indian in the whole Northwest, and the worst attrocies were perpetrated by his band. He deserves hanging, and we very much regret that such is not to be his fate. The Indians must be taught that they cannot commit crime with impunity.

Public School Board Meeting.

Sept. 14th, 1885.

The board met—all the members present. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The following regulations respecting County Model schools were received:—

114. In order to entitle a Public School to be ranked and used for Model School purposes, the following conditions must be complied with:—

(1) The Principal must hold a First Class Provincial Certificate and have at least three years' experience as a Public School teacher.

(2) There must be at least three assistants holding Second Class Provincial Certificates.

(3) The equipment of the school must be equal to that required by the regulations for the fourth class of a Public School.

(4) A room for Model School purposes, in addition to the accomodation required for the Public School, must be provided, either in the same buiding or elsewhere.

(5) An assistant must be employed to relieve the Principal of Public School work during at least half the day while the Model School is in session.

The following report was read:

INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

To the Chairman and Members of the Public School Board, Town of Goderich:

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honor to submit the report on the recent examination, for promotions in the Ward and Central schools.

ST. ANDREW'S WARD.

Junior Class—Miss Wilson, teacher.

On roll 100; present at examination 63; promoted 13. Order quite satisfactory. Poor reading and spelling. Other work fairly satisfactory.

Senior Class—Miss Moore, teacher.

On roll 45; present 42; on 66⅔ % promoted 6; in junior class work was poor except in tables and geography. In senior class, reading 79½ %; spelling 55½ %; writing fair, arithmetic 40 %, tables 100 %; geography 64; order very good. At Christmas, 1884, on 75 % 4 were promoted. If same test now only 1 would be promoted.

ST. DAVID'S WARD.

Junior Class—Miss Burritt, teacher.

On roll 98; present at examination 77; promoted 34. Order and work throughout, quite satisfactory.

Senior Class—Miss Cassady, teacher.

Present at examination 51; on 66⅔ %, promoted 8. Junior class work was satisfactory throughout; senior class, reading 68, spelling 58½, writing 71, arithmetic 40, tables 100, geography 60. Order very good. At Christmas, 1884, 75 % 12 were promoted; if the same test now only 1. In justice to her I think it right to say that on account of illness of teacher she was compelled to give up work for a time. Her place was satisfactory filled by Miss Gordon. The change of teachers during term is always a drawback to pupils' progress.

ST. PATRICK'S WARD.

Junior Class—Miss Campbell, teacher.

On roll 75; present 69; promoted 16; order and work throughout quite satisfactory.

Senior Class—Miss Robertson, teacher.

On roll 53; present 50; on 66⅔ % promoted 16. In junior class the work as a whole was satisfactory; in senior class reading 78½ %, spelling 64½, writing 78, arithmetic 41⅔, tables 97, geography very good. At Christmas on 75 % 1 pupil was promoted. If same test now, 8. Order very good.

The usual plan of giving pupils a printed paper on arithmetic was not followed. This, I am convinced, has much to do with the failure in arithmetic of senior classes.

CENTRAL SCHOOL.

6th Div—Miss Margach, teacher.

On roll 64; present at examination 43; on 52 %, promoted 14. If 70 % had been exacted as at former examinations the number would be 0. Of those promoted, 3 took less than ½ marks in arithmetic; 10 in geography, and 1 in English. The work of this room was very unsatisfactory,

5th Div.—Miss Sharman, teacher.

On roll 57; present at examination 50; on 65 % 27 promoted; if 70 % had been exacted, as at former examinations, the number promoted would be 15. Work as a whole satisfactory, and all who were promoted took ½ in each subject.

4th Div.—Miss Harries, teacher.

On roll 60; present 53; on 65 % promoted 35. The test was the same as at previous exams., and all who were promoted took ½ in each subject; satisfactory work throughout.

3rd Div.—Miss Knox, teacher.

On roll 50; present 47; on 55 %, promoted 25. The test at last exam. was 90 %. Under such test the number promoted was 9. In arithmetic 2 promoted did not take ½ marks. It will be remembered that a change of teachers took place in this class during the term; considering this I think the work is quite satisfactory.

2nd Div.—Miss Blair, teacher

On roll 51; present 42; on 55%, promoted 28. The test of promotion was the same as at last exam. Of those promoted 3 did not take ½ marks in grammar, 3 in history, 3 in geography, and 4 in arithmetic. The work was satisfactory in all subjects except arithmetic.

1st Division—Mr. Embury, teacher.

On roll, 55, present at exam., 49; on 50%, promoted 14. The test was the exam. for entrance to High School, the papers being examined by Mr. Strang and myself, Mr. Strang being the examiner in history, grammar and literature; of the 35 who failed 21 failed in December, 1884, and 9 failed in July, 1884; 9 failed in one subject, and passed on total; 5 failed on one subject and on the total; 8 on two subjects and on total; 9 on three subjects and on total; 3 on four subjects and on total; 1 on one subject and on total, 6 failed to take ½ marks on geography; 4 in composition; 3 in grammar; 4 in arithmetic; 12 in orthography; 12 in literature, and 32 in history. And for the sake of comparison I beg to submit the following statistics for the information of the board, such figures being taken from reports forwarded to the department from time to time. At the July examination already referred to from Goderich school 14 passed, averaging 422 marks each; 35 failed, averaging 345 marks each. At the same examination from other schools represented, 18 passed, averaging 442 marks each; 25 failed averaging 361 marks.

Date.	Passed From Goderich Model School.	Passed from other Schools.
1880 June	17 out of 29 or 59 p.c.	22 out of 40 or 55 p.c.
1880 Dec.	20 " 27 " 74 "	33 " 48 " 69 "
1881 June	19 " 22 " 86 "	26 " 48 " 54 "
1881 Dec.	19 " 23 " 83 "	13 " 24 " 54 "
1882 July	19 " 22 " 86 "	15 " 23 " 65 "
1882 Dec.	7 " 11 " 64 "	14 " 27 " 52 "
1883 July	8 " 27 " 30 "	21 " 52 " 40 "
1883 Dec.	35 " 39 " 90 "	31 " 39 " 80 "
1884 July	3 " 35 " 9 "	7 " 53 " 13 "
1884 Dec.	12 " 55 " 22 "	15 " 31 " 48 "
1885 July	14 " 49 " 30 "	18 " 43 " 42 "

I beg to report the order quite satisfactory, but the work as evidenced from results of examination very unsatisfactory. As you are aware the papers for all classes except his own were prepared by Mr. Embury, and taken altogether were much better than those of December last. I consider the method of marking spelling in Central School does not do justice to ward school teachers. The number of phrases was about the same in each class; each mistake in a phrase was deducted in ward schools from the number of phrases (24), while each mistake in Central School was deducted from 80, thus giving a very decided advantage to the senior pupils. The per centage in classes taught by Miss Margach, Miss Sharman and Miss Knox, should not be lowered at the caprice of any teacher, after such had been arranged by the trustees on recommendation of inspector by board of trustees several years ago. I may add that the step was taken without my knowledge or consent. The number of pupils promoted at midsummer was 38 per cent of those present; in December of last year 34 per cent. When the numbers and per centages at recent examinations are considered, you will learn how much truth there was in the statement made by Mr. Embury as to causes of failure in December.

In conclusion, I beg to call your attention to the recent regulations issued by the Hon. the Minister of Education, referring to the introduction of new readers. Definite action should be taken immediately, so that parents may be informed of the proposed changes.

I have the honor to be, sir,
Your obedient servant,
J. R. MILLER, P. S. I.

Dated Toronto, Aug. 31st, 1885.

Moved by Butler, seconded by Crabb, that the Inspector's Report be laid over until the next meeting of Board for the consideration of the trustees.

The statement of expenditures for August showed a total of $395.47—Filed.

A communication was read from Miss E. J. Cassady, tendering her resignation on the 1st of October.

Moved and seconded that the resignation be accepted upon the board succeeding in getting a teacher to fill her position, she paying for advertising—Carried.

A communication from the Inspector, presenting the Board with a dozen of Scripture readings for use in the Central and Ward schools. He also stated that his report had been forwarded in time for the last meeting. Received and filed.

Moved by Crabb, seconded by Butler, that St. Patrick's ward school be painted with two coats of paint. Ball and Morton moved that the town painters be asked to send in tenders for the same.

The principal asked for 3,000 monthly reports. Referred to contingent committee.

A communication was read from S. R. McDougall complaining of the ill behavior of some boys. Referred to school management committee with power to act.

Mrs. Munro complained that her grandchild had been turned away from school, and asked that the boy be allowed to return. Referred to school management committee.

Moved by Crabb, seconded by Ball, that the Chairman correspond with the Minister of Education, asking him to allow the Board to continue the Model school work as done last year, and in case of refusal, the Chairman and school management committee make such arrangements as they think necessary—Carried.

The following accounts were received and ordered to be paid:—S. R. McDougall, $2.30; H. Hale, $1.80; R. Proudfoot, $1.15. The accounts of Yates & Acheson, $16.47, and Buchanan, Lawson & Robinson, $15.47, were referred to the finance committee.

The account of Magnus Swanson for $36.80 was referred bach to him for itemization

The board then adjourned.

In some tests made with small squares of various woods buried one inch in the ground, the following results, says the *Garden*, were noted:—Birch and aspen decayed in three years, willow and horse chesnut in four years. maple and red beech in five years; elm, ash, hornbeam, and Lombardy poplar in seven yearr; oak, Scotch fir, Weymouth pine, and silver fir decayed to a depth of one-half inch in seven years; larch, juniper, and arbor vitæ were uninjured at the expiration of the seven years.

New Advertisements This Week.

New Fall Goods—Colborne Bros.
Servant Wanted—Mrs. Strang.
Servant Wanted—Mrs. T. Detlor.
House to Let—R. C. Hays.
New Goods—James Imrie.
Fall Millinery—Miss Grahame.
Key Found—This Office.
Shawl Lost—This Office.

Dentistry.

W. L. WOOLVERTON, L. D. S. Office—Odd Fellows Hall, North St., Goderich. Charges moderate. All work warranted. 1999-

The People's Column.

SERVANT GIRL WANTED—APPLY to MRS. Strang, corner Elgin and Stanley streets. 2013-1t

LOST—ON THURSDAY MORNING, a red camel's hair shawl. The finder will please call at this office. 2013-

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED in small family. Comfortable home. Apply to MRS. T. DETLOR, South street, Goderich. 2013-1t

FOUND—A BROAD-HEADED KEY, with the name F. F. Davis on it. The owner can have it by proving property, and paying for advertisement. 2013

SERVANT GIRL WANTED—COMPETENT—Good references required. Apply to MRS. SHAW, near the Lake, Goderich. 2012-1t

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.—AS WE have decided to go out of the carriage business, all accounts now due us must be settled before the 1st of October, 1885, or they will be put into court for collection. T. & J. STORY, Carriage-makers.
Goderich, Sept. 7, 1885. 2012-3t

CAME ON THE PREMISES OF the subscriber, lot 18, con. 11, township of West Wawanosh, about the 1st of July, a year old steer, red, with some white spots. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take it away. THOMAS TODD St. Helen's P. O. 2010-4t

SHORTHAND.—ISAAC PITMAN'S PHONOGRAPHY. The most popular system taught. Instruction books for sale at THE SIGNAL office. Every boy and girl should learn shorthand. 2004

EDWARD SHARMAN, BRICKLAYER and plasterer, thanks the public for their continued patronage. He is still ready to do all work in his line in a superior manner. Prices to suit the times. Estimates given for buildings when required. 1977-1y

For Sale or to Let.

A GOOD HOUSE TO LET, NEAR the station. Apply to R. C. HAYS. 2013 1t

TO RENT—THE PREMISES KNOWN as St. Andrew's Manse, recently occupied by Rev. P. Owen-Jones. Apply at the Post Office for particulars. 2011-tf

FARM FOR SALE IN LEEBURN—A splendid farm of 100 acres, about 80 acres cleared, being lot 7, lake road east, township of Colborne. Good frame house and barn and orchard on the premises. Very convenient to school and church, and about 4 miles from Goderich. Will be sold on reasonable terms. Apply to MRS. F. HORTON, Dunlop P.O. 2003-

FARM TO LET—FOR A TERM OF years. Lot (5) five, in the Maitland concession, of the Township of Goderich, apply by letter to J. S. LIZARS, Stratford. 1969-tf

Legal Notices.

JUDICIAL SALE.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.

CHANCERY DIVISION.

ROBERTSON vs. BRECKENRIDGE.

Pursuant to the judgment and final order for sale made in this cause, there will be sold with the approbation of Sutherland Malcomson, Esquire, one of the Masters of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Goderich,

AT MARTIN'S HOTEL, IN THE TOWN OF GODERICH,

in the County of Huron, on

Saturday, the 26th day of September, 1885,

at 12 o'clock, noon, by JOHN KNOX, Auctioneer, the following valuable property, situate on St. Patrick's street (one block from the Market Square), in the Town of Goderich, in the following parcels, namely:—

Parcel No. 1.—The East half of Lot 257, running number, in the said Town of Goderich.

There is a comfortable roughcast dwelling house, 1½ storey's high, in good condition, and at present occupied by a tenant, on this parcel.

Parcel No. 2.—The West half of Lot 257, running number, in the said Town of Goderich.

There is also on this parcel a comfortable roughcast dwelling house, 1½ storey's high, in good condition, and at present occupied by a tenant.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent. down on the day of sale to the Plaintiff's Solicitors, and the balance into Court within one month thereafter, without interest, when the purchaser will be entitled to a conveyance.

The purchaser, at the time of sale, will be required to sign an agreement for the completion of the said sale.

The property will be put up subject to a reserved bid.

In other respects the conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of sale of this Court.

Further particulars may be had from the Auctioneer or from the Plaintiff's Solicitors.

Dated the 4th day of September, 1885.

S. MALCOMSON,
Local Master at Goderich.

GARROW & PROUDFOOT,
Plaintiff's Solicitors. 2012-td

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS.

County of Huron } By virtue of a writ of
To Wit: } *Fieri Facias*, issued out of Her Majesty's County Court of the County of Huron, and to me directed and delivered against the Lands and Tenements of WILLIAM CURRY, at the suit of HENRY HORTON, I have seized and taken in Execution all the right, title, interest and equity of redemption of all that tract, piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in the village of Port Albert, in the County of Huron and Province of Ontario and being composed of lot number eleven, West of the London road, in the said village of Port Albert, containing by admeasurement four acres of land be the same more or less. Which lands and tenements I shall offer for sale, at my office, in the Court House, in the Town of Goderich, on Saturday the twenty eighth day of November, 1885, at the hour of twelve of the clock, noon.

ROBERT GIBBONS,
Sheriff, Huron.

Sheriff's office, Goderich, }
August 18th, 1885. } 2010-13t

Medical.

T. E. CASE, M.D., C.M., M.C.P.S., Ont. Physician, Surgeon, Accoucheur, &c. Office—(That formerly occupied by Dr. Hutchinson) Dungannon. Night office—Martin's hotel. 1931-

DR. McLEAN, PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, Coroner &c. Office and residence Bruce Street, second door west of Victoria Street. 1751.

DRS. SHANNON & HAMILTON Paysicians, Surgeons, Accouchers, &c office at Dr. Shannon's residence, near the gaol Goderich G. C. SHANNON, J. C. HAMILTON 1751.

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Goderich, March 12th, 1885. 1986-