A Jack Tar.

An English paper describes an amusing *contretemps*, which occurred on the 24th ult., at the Theatre Royal, Portsmouth:—"After the drama of 'Faust,' a piece was produced entitled 'The Slave's Revenge,' the two leading characters being a slave and a planter. In the course of the play the slave is turned over to the planter, who is pretty liberal in the use of the lash. A number of seamen belonging to Her Majesty's ship Hector were seated in the pit, and it was observed that they did not appear to relish this state of things, watching the movements of the two with anxious looks and expressions of disapprobation. At length the slave is supposed to be laid, insensible, and the brutal planter is about to spurn him with his foot, when one of the seamen could stand it no longer, but leaped upon the stage, putting himself in a fighting attitude, and his appearance so startled the planter, that he made his exit from the stage as quickly as possible leaving the tar in undisturbed possession. The sailor looked upon the matter as a reality, for he loudly exclaimed: 'Kick a man when he is down; not if I know it!' and taking up the astonished slave in his arms as carefully as if he were a baby, he quietly deposited him in the wings. This strange incident excited no little commotion in a well-filled house. The curtain was lowered and it was not until Jack had been appeased by the assertion of the slave that he had not been ill-treated, that he retired from the stage and allowed the play to proceed.

ROMANTIC AFFAIR.—A beautiful, well educated, and energetic young lady, the daughter of a landed proprietor in Ireland, eloped with the son of a poor farmer, taking passage on the ship *American Congress* which arrived last week from New York. His brother followed in the *Java*, and from Halifax telegraphed to the New York police superintendent to have the lady detained should the ship arrive before he did. The detectives found the girl when the ship anchored in the bay, and she was taken to headquarters, where she stated that she should marry none but the man who was the companion of her flight; that although engaged to a gentleman now in China, with an income of $30,000*l.* a year, she chose the man of humbler rank, whom she learned to love when her passions were pure and her love that of innocence; and him she would have. She had sold her horse and borrowed 20*l.* of her brother to pay the expenses of her journey. There seemed to be but one way, and a clergyman was accordingly summoned, and the marriage ceremony performed, the brother arriving just in time to be one of the party at a wedding which he had travelled so far to thwart, but to which he became reconciled upon learning all the circumstances of the romantic affair.

A WINTER SERENADE.

The following popular serenade is being very extensively sung now:—

Oh! ask me dot to blow my dose,
By charming one, by owd;
You bay dot know the paid I feel,
It never can be dode!
Oh! hight we fly to other scedes,
Or dwell id yonder star;
Oh, thed, by lovely baid, in bliss
I'd strike by light catarrh!

The wind that blows across the boor,
Had it a dose to blow,
Wid such a cold as I hab got,
Ah! would it blow it? Do!
But see, the rays of cubbing dawd
Are gleaming od the dew;
I hear the berry bugle-hord,
By baiden fair—AT-CHIU!

A dancer once said to Socrates, "You cannot stand on one leg as long as I can."—"True;" replied the philosopher, "but a goose can."

It make a great difference whether glasses are used over or under the nose.

The old fogy who poked his head from "behind the times," had it knocked soundly by a "passing event."

As the quickest way to make a fortune, a contemporary suggests marrying a fashionable young lady, and selling her clothes.

Why is a young lady just from a boarding school like a building committee? Because she is prepared to receive proposals.

Queer thing is an insurance policy. If I can't sell it, I can cel it; and if I can-cel it, I can't sell it.

Brigham Young has been making inspecting tours round about his dominions. He was "insulted" by a backwoodsman, who propounded Artemus Ward's question direct: "How's your mother-in-law?"

An old lady and her son, five years old, were gathering scraps of iron in one of our back yards, wherewith to procure their daily bread. Old woman sat down on a rock to rest. Precocious boy exclaims—"Mammy, go to work. I can't support the whole family."

RESULT OF KISSING THE BUTCHER.

"My dear," said an affectionate wife, "what shall we have for dinner to-day?"

"One of your smiles," replied the husband; "I can dine on that every day."

"But I can't," replied the wife.

"Then take this," he gave her a kiss, and went to his business.

He returned to dinner.

"This is excellent steak," said he; "what did you pay for it?"

"Why, what you gave me this morning, to be sure," replied the wife.

"The deuce you did," exclaimed he; "you shall have money the next time."

The Market fees of the Town of Stratford were sold at public competition last week, for the handsome sum of $1835, being $235 above the upset price.

INDUSTRY.—Every man should remember that the world will always honor industry. The vulgar and useless idler, whose energies of body and mind are rusting for want of occupation, may look with scorn upon the laborer engaged at his toil: but his scorn is praise, his contempt honor. Dean Swift says he never knew a man rise to eminence who lay late in bed in the morning.

The Mayor of Quebec was on Tuesday made the subject of a hoax. It appears that a large number of fictitious invitations to dine with his Worship were forwarded through the post; and it is calculated that a couple of hundred were received in the Lower Town. A number of the guests were only made aware of the fact when they reached the Mayor's residence in time for the dinner.

Mrs. Partington, on reading an account of a schooner, having her jiboom carried away on Long Island Sound one night last week, wondered "why people would leave such things out o'doors at nights, to be stolen, when there were so many buglers about filtering everything they could lay their hands on."

WHOLESALE POISONING.—The Collingwood *Enterprise* says a most dastardly attempt was made on Sunday last, to poison the Rev. Dr. Lett and family, seven persons in all. Fortunately the villainous scheme was frustrated by the prompt attention of the medical gentleman of the town, who administered the necessary antidote. The lives of all were saved, and nothing worse happened than two or three hours' severe illness. A reward of $100 has been offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of the party who attempted the perpetration of so foul a crime.

THE HALIDAY DISTILLERY CASE.—This now notorious case came up before the Court of Queen's Bench in Toronto, on Tuesday, in the form of a civil suit brought by the Government for the recovery of thirty cents per gallon on 300,000 gallons of whiskey of which Halliday is accused of defrauding the excise revenue, making a total sum of $90,000. A verdict of $47,000 was given by the jury to the Government.

Fifteen hundred dollars were subscribed in Oshawa last week towards a co-operative society and store in that town. The scheme is now fully inaugerated.

Temperance Anecdote.

A small temperance society had been started in a community very much under the control of a rich distiller, commonly called "Bill Myers." This man had several sons who had become drunkards on the facilities afforded by their education at home. The whole family was arrayed against the movement, and threatened to break up any meeting called to promote the object. Learning this, Mr. Hunt went to a neighboring district for volunteers for that particular occasion. He then gave out word for a meeting, and at the time found his friends and enemies about equal in numbers. This fact prevented any outbreak, but could not prevent noise.

Mr. Hunt mounted the platform, and by a few sharp anecdotes and witty sayings soon silenced all noise except the sturdy "Bill Myers," the old Dutchman, crying out, "Mishter Hunt, money makes a mare go." To every shot which seemed ready to demolish him, the old fellow presented the one shield, "Mishter Hunt, money makes the mare go."

At last Mr. Hunt stopped and addressed the imperturbable German. "Look here, Bill Myers, you say that money makes the mare go, do you?"

"Yes, dat ish just what I say, Mr. Hunt."

"Well, Bill Myers, you own and work a distillery, don't you?" inquired Mr. Hunt.

"Dat is none of your business, Mishter Hunt. But den I'sh not ashamed of it. I has got a still, and work it, too."

"And you say, "Money makes the mare go; do you mean that I have come here to get the money of the people?"

"Yes Mishter Hunt, dat is just what I mean."

"Very well; you work a distillery to make money and I lecture on temperance to make money; and as you say, 'Money makes the mare go,' Bill Myers, bring out your mare, and I'll bring out mine, and we'll show them together."

By this time the whole assembly was in a titter of delight; and even Myers' followers could not repress their merriment at the evident embarrassment of their oracle. In the meantime we must premise that Mr. Hunt knew a large number of the drunkards present, and among them sons of Myers himself.

"Bill Myers, who is that holding himself up by that tree?" inquired Mr. Hunt, pointing to a young man so drunk that he could not stand alone.

The old man started as if stung by an adder, but was obliged to reply; "Dat ish my son; but what of Dat, Mishter Hunt?"

"Good deal of that, Bill Myers; for I guess that son has been riding your mare, and got thrown, too!"

Here there was a perfect roar from all parts of the assembly, and, as soon as order was restored, Mr. Hunt proceeded as he pointed to another son:

"Bill Myers, who is that staggering about as if his legs were as weak as potato-vines after frost?"

"Well, I suppose dat is my son, too," replied the old man, with a crest-fallen look.

"He has been riding your mare, too, and got a tumble."

At this point the old man put up both hands in a most imploring manner, and exclaimed: "Now, Mishter Hunt, if you won't say any more, I will be still."

This announcement was received with a roar of applause and laughter, and from that moment Mr. Hunt had all the ground to himself.—*The late Rev. T. P. Hunt.*

An Ice Boat Race on the Hudson.

A lively sixteen mile race took place on Tuesday, between two boats of the Poughkeepsie Ice Boat Association. The affair was intended more for a reconnoitring expedition than a trial of speed, the officers of the association being anxious to ascertain which course was the best to sail over for the grand race for a service of silver. The two boats were the Haze and the Snow Flake. On the former were Aaron Innis, the owner of the vessel, Theodore V. Johnson, owner of the Minnehaha and Richard Knight. On the latter were Thomas Parish, owner of the vessel, David Harris and Floy Johnson, the latter the owner of the Petrel. The time made was very good, when the fact of the terribly rough state of the ice is considered. Both boats left Poughkeepsie at three p. m. the Haze in the advance. Off Blue Point, three miles south of the starting point, the Snow Flake came up with her rival, and from there to Marlborough they ran comparatively side by side. From the last named point the helmsman of the Snow Flake put his boat directly into the rough ice, leaping hummocks here, dashing into snow drifts there and running from one side to the other with fearful velocity managing to keep a full mainsail all the while, and beating the Haze to Newburg dock at least four miles. Had the owner of the Haze risked his boat in the rough ice, the distance would have been greatly lessened. The running time of the race, including the tacking from one side of the river to the other, was at least fifty miles an hour.

THE GREAT WESTERN.—The iron steamer "Great Western" is now in splendid working trim and performs her duty admirably. Her capacity is equal to the expectations ever entertained concerning her, and with some slight improvements in her motive power, that have been made, she now cuts through the ice very easily. On Monday she carried across the river 144 cars loaded with freight inside of ten hours. Heretofore the three old ferry-boats combined were unable to carry more than 75 car loads of freight in ten hours, which fact is sufficient to demonstrate the value of the new craft. The idea that the "Great Western" was a failure, obtained currency from an observation of her movements in the river, but her failure to cut through the ice then is shown to have been entirely owing to an obstruction at one end and a lack of steam.—*Detroit Tribune*

RUMORED INDISPOSITION OF THE QUEEN.—We regret to hear that her Majesty caught cold on the day of visiting the mausoleum of the Prince Consort. The cold resulted in a most painful attack of face-ache, from which the Queen is still suffering. Her Majesty has signified her intention to publicly open the Albert Memorial Asylum, at Collingwood court, Bayshot, in June next, and at the same time to lay the foundation stone of a dining-room and chapel.—[Edinburgh Scotsman.

British American Shipbuilding.

The Scottish Americans say:—"Here, in the United States, it was thought a great thing for American industry to abrogate the reciprocity treaty under which lumber came into this market from the Provinces free of duty. What has been the consequence already? Why, that American capitalists are betaking themselves to the provinces in hundreds, to avail themselves of cheap materials and cheap labor. We venture to express the belief, that every year that witnesses the continuance of the absurd duties now imposed on British American raw products, especially lumber, will see the great ship building ports of the Provinces crowded with orders, and paying orders too. St John and Quebec will not only hold their own, but they will distance all competitors on this side of the Atlantic, from the Penobscot to the Chesepeake. And we do not know but this may be equally the result, if the reciprocity treaty were revived to morrow; for until the industry of the United States is relieved from the overwhelming burden of taxation which now weighs it down, and until contracts can be made on a solid money basis instead of a fluctuating, irredeemable currency, it it impossible to see how any industry can be in a healthy condition.

Like the Clyde ship-builders, those of British America have the prime advantage of a reasonably cheap labor market, and for wooden ships they have the raw material in its cheapest form. At times the trade is overdone in the Provincial markets, but that is not an incident of the conditions under which prudent contractors carry it on; it is the result of over speculation, and those estimates of the extent of the demand for vessels.

Important Notice.

ALL Parties indebted to the Estate of Messrs John Fair & Co., must pay up their accounts AT ONCE, all unpaid claims will be put in suit for next Division Court.

D. SHADE GOODING,
Solicitor for Assignee.
Goderich, Jan. 16th, 1867. s41&wtf

SALT TERRITORY.

20 ACRES OF SALT TERRITORY to lease, situated on and adjacent to the River Maitland, and just east of the Goderich Railway Station, and fronting on G. T. Railway—very convenient for a siding into main line.

Apply to,
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Goderich.
Nov. 29, 1866. w45tf

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PRICES HARD TO BEAT.
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Goderich, Oct. 23, 1866. w19

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BEGS TO INFORM HIS OLD CUSTOMERS, that he is still able to sell for cash, at the lowest rates,

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At his shop on Kingston street, opposite the Huron Hotel, Goderich. Give him a call.

Goderich, Oct. 3. 1866. sw11w37

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WAGON & CARRIAGE

Manufactory.

THE subscriber would announce to the public of Huron and Bruce that he has on hand and will make to order Carriages, Wagons, Harrows, &c., which will be sold cheap for cash or approved credit. On hand and for sale cheap,

THE Subscriber has also received the Agency of the Celebrated

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MONUMENTS, HEADSTONES, Table tops, Posts, &c., Tombs, of every description and style of workmanship, furnished on short notice and at the lowest prices. Liberal reduction made for cash. All orders punctually attended to. Designs of Monuments, &c., may be seen at the shop.

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D. CAMPBELL.
Goderich, June 1, 1866. sw27

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HAVING opened an office in this city for the sale of goods on commission we are now prepared to receive consignments, and being a branch of the Montreal firm we enoy the very best facilities for conducting Canadian business.

We will at all times make liberal advances, if required, on goods consigned to our care, and will use our most diligent endeavors to dispose of the same on the best terms the market will afford.

Jan. 8th, 1867. w51 1m

GODERICH

MARBLE WORKS,
W. C. TRELEAVEN.

Monuments, Headstones, Tombs,
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Ohio Free Stone kept on hand for Building purposes such as Caps, Sills, Bases, &c., Cheap for Cash.

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D. ADAMS

RETURNS HIS MOST SINCERE THANKS for the very flattering encouragement he has received since he commenced business in Goderich, not being able to execute over one-half of the orders brought to him last season; having now secured facilities for

Carrying on Business Extensively

and employing none but first-class tradesmen And as D. A. believes his experience as Cutter is second to none in the Province, having carried on business extensively and successfully in Hamilton, principally first-class customers, and having been Cutter in one of the Principal Establishments in Edinburgh, Scotland, he fearlessly states to a discerning public that

CLOTHING CAN BE MADE

a his establishment equal to the best Establishment in Toronto or Montreal.

Goderich, Oct 30 863 sw17-1rw40

Grocery and Provision Store.

HAVING rented and fitted up the store lately occupied by A. F. Bush, for the above business, I am now prepared to furnish families with

Groceries and Provisions

which I shall sell at the Lowest Cash prices,

Flour and Feed

kept constantly on hand.

A share of your patronage will be thankfully received and faithfully attended to.

Wines and Liquors, Crockery and Glassware, Fancy Goods, &c., Oatmeal, Cornmeal, Buckwheat Flour, &c., &c

COAL OIL!
AND
COAL OIL LAMPS.

D. FERGUSON.

P. S.—Goods will be delivered in any part of the town.

Goderich, Feb. 2nd, 1866. sw45

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$20,000 on good farm security payable in one to twelve years. No interest retained in advance.

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Goderich, March 31st, 1866. sw70

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THIS property is beautifully situated opposite the Town of Goderich, on the North Bank of the

RIVER MAITLAND,

and on the Banks of Lake Huron. It contains 31 7-10 acres of Land more or less, with Dwelling House, Outhouses, Stables, &c., with large Garden, Vinery and Orchard. The Wood Land consists principally of Oak and the flowering Lindeo, Cherry, Maple, &c. The Grounds are in very good order. There are three never failing springs of pure water on the Property. The situation for a private residence cannot be surpassed in the Province.

For terms apply to
THOS. GALT, Esq.,
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Barrister, Goderich.
Goderich, 6th July, 1866. sw90t

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having disposed of his Harness Business to the Messrs. Henry & William Martin of this Town, begs to bespeak from his friends and customers a continuance of that patronage he has so long enjoyed, and would further request that all those indebted to him will call as early as possible and pay their indebtedness at his office at the old Harness Depot.

HORACE HORTON
Goderich, 16th Oct. 1866.

THE undersigned having purchased the large stock of Saddlery and entire

HARNESS

BUSINESS!

of Mr. Horace Horton, who has been so long and favorably known in that capacity, beg to state that we are prepared to continue the business on the same favorable terms to purchasers as they have hitherto enjoyed.

The Subscribers have on hand at their Shop, Market Square, a very large Assortment of

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IN EVERY STYLE,
Saddles, Trunks, Valises,

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Goderich, Oct. 16th, 1866. w38

A FARM FOR SALE.

75 ACRES, 50 CLEARED. Lot 16, 6th concession of Colborne, County Huron. A New Frame Barn, Log House, and an orchard, are on the premises, with a first class mill site on the River Maitand.

Apply if by letter post-paid, to
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January 20th, 1867. w25 1m*

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS

United Counties of Huron and Bruce, To Wit: } BY virtue of two Writs of Fieri Facias issued out of Her Majesty's County Court of the United Counties of Huron and Bruce and to me directed against the lands and tenements of William Johnson, at the suit of William M. Savage and Robert Clendenning, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest of the said defendant in and to the East half of lot number Twenty-two in the third concession of the Township of Wawanosh, in the County of Huron, which lands and tenements I shall offer for sale at my office in the Court House in the Town of Goderich, on Tuesday, the twelfth day of February next, at the hour of Twelve of the clock noon.

JOHN MACDONALD,
Sheriff, H. & B.
Sheriff's Office, Goderich, 30th October, 1866. w10

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS.

United Counties of Huron and Bruce, to wit: } BY virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench, and to me directed against the lands and tenements of William Kennedy at the suit of Andrew Hogg, I have seized and taken in execution all the right title and interest of the said defendant in and to Lots numbers, twenty-two and twenty-three in the ninth Concession of the Township of Arran in the County of Bruce, which Lands and Tenements I shall offer for sale at my office in the Court House, in the town of Goderich, on Tuesday the Nineteenth day of February at the hour of Twelve of the clock noon.

JOHN McDONALD,
Sheriff, H. & B.
Sheriff's Office, Goderich, 6th November, 1866. w41

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS.

County of Huron, To wit. } BY virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of Her Majesty's County Court of the United Counties of Huron and Bruce and to me directed against the lands and tenements of Francis McGinty, at the suit of R. Park and Cook, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest of the said defendant in and to lot number nine, in the fourth concession of the Township of Ashfield, eastern division, in the County of Huron, containing one hundred acres, 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 Tuesday, the seventh day of May next, at the hour of twelve of the clock, noon.

JOHN MACDONALD,
Sheriff H.
Sheriff's Office, Goderich, 23 January, 1867. w1

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS.

County of Huron, To wit: } BY virtue of two writs of Venditioni Exponas and two writs of Fieri Facias issued out of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas and Court of Queen's Bench, and to me directed against the lands and tenements of Henry C. Gamble, John Galt, and Ira Lewis, at the suits of Malcolm McPherson, The Commercial Bank of Canada, George F. Moore, and The Bank of Montreal, I have seized and taken in execution that certain parcel or tract of land being part of lot "D" Western Division of the Township of Colborne, and more particularly described in two deeds from Robert Graham Dunlop to David Lawson and Walter Lawson, and lately the property of the late John Galt, together with the machinery used in driving the saw mill, viz., the boiler, engine and other machinery connected, the upright saw, and also the machinery connected with the circular saw, and the carriage of the same, and also the turning lathes in the said mill, the property of the said John Galt, which lands and tenements I shall offer for sale at my office in the Court House, in the town of Goderich, on Tuesday, the seventh day of May next, at the hour of Twelve of the clock, noon.

JOHN MACDONALD,
Sheriff, H.
Sheriff's Office, Goderich, 26th January, 1867. w1

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS.

County of Huron, to wit: } BY virtue of two writs of Fieri Facias issued out of Her Majesty's County Court of the United Counties of Huron and Bruce, and to me directed against the Lands and tenements of William Coulter and George Coulter at the suits of Thomas Cockburn Kerr, John Brown and William orbes Murray, and Rodolphus England, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest of the said defendants in and to the south half of lot number four, in the third concession of the Township of Morris, in the County of Huron, which lands and tenements I shall offer for sale at my office in the Court House, in the Town of Goderich, on Tuesday, the seventh day of May next at the hour of Twelve of the clock, noon.

JOHN MACDONALD,
Sheriff H.
Sheriff's Office, Goderich, 26th January, 1867. w1

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Goderich, 3rd April, 1866. w10

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January 21st, 1867. w52 m4q

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May 31st, 1866. w19

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At his old stand St. David street,

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Having had great experience in this business, and all work in his shop being done under his personal superintendence, he can warrant every article made by him to be of the best quality, while his terms will be found very reasonable.

Farmers give him a call!
and see for yourselves.

N. B.—Horse shoeing and jobbing of all kinds strictly attended to.

LEWIS ELLIOTT.
Goderich, Dec., 27th. 1865. w49t

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FRESH OYSTERS!
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
BY THE KEG, CAN OR COUNT
LOBSTERS, SARDINES,
AND CLAMS.
FRESH LEMONS, ORANGES, DATES,
Cocoanuts, Figs, Grapes.
&c., &c., &c., at
E. BINGHAM'S,
West side of Market Square,
Goderich, Nov. 30, 1865. sw99

London and Paris Treatment

DR. JOHNSON'S
Office and Dispensary,
No. 64, Little St. James Street,
MONTREAL,
For the Cure of Chronic Complaints, Scrofula, Nervous Debility, Diseases of the Blood, Seminal Weakness, and all Female Complaints, &c.

DR. JOHNSON, LATE OF LONDON, EDINburgh and Paris, devotes his attention, exclusively, to the Treatment of the Complaints referred to in this notice. Many years experience in Europe, and the British Colonies, enables him to perform some very remarkable cures; and his facilities for obtaining the best and latest remedies are such, being in correspondence with the most celebrated physicians of the old world, that he can offer inducements to the unfortunate of a speedy and perfect cure.

☞ STRENGTH TO THE WEAK.—Dr Johnson's Remedies will restore in a very short time, all who are inflicted with Nervous Debility, Loss of Memory, Vigor, &c.

☞ YOUNG MEN, TAKE NOTICE.—There is an evil habit often contracted by boys at school, which grows up with them to manhood; the effects of this evil practice is most deplorable, often producing insanity, &c., &c. All who are afflicted should apply to Dr Johnson immediately and he will effect a speedy and perfect cure.

☞ DISEASES OF THE BLOOD, &c.—It is a melancholy fact that thousands fall victims to disease owing to the unskilful and improper use of mercury. Dr. Johnson's Compound Syrup will thoroughly eradicate all disease arising from a diseased or impure state of the blood. Remedies forwarded in safety to any address. Office hours from 8 till 12, and from 2 till 5. All communications should be addressed, Dr. Chas. F. Johnson, 64, Little St. James Street, Montreal, C. E.

CABINET WAREHOUSE

(THE OLDEST IN THE COUNTY.
D. GORDON,
CABINET MAKER
AND UNDERTAKER,
Manufactures and has now on hand a complete assortment of Furniture, at his Warerooms,
WEST STREET, GODERICH,
SUCH AS
Sofas, Bureaus, Tables, Bedsteads, Hair, Cane and Wool-seated Chairs, Gilt Moulding and Looking Glasses, in variety, of
Home Manufacture and Imported
D. G. has always on hand a complete assortment of **COFFINS.** Also, HEARSES TO HIRE.
☞ Lumber and Cordwood taken in exchange for Furniture.
Goderich, 27th Oct., 186 w2

Hotel Notice.

THE Subscriber in retiring from the Proprietorship of the "Union Hotel" Goderich, begs to return his sincere thanks for the liberal patronage which he has enjoyed, and at the same time inform his friends and the travelling public that in future he will be found at his old stand "Prince of Orange Hotel" Dungannon, where no efforts shall be wanting on his part to make those at home who may favor him with a call.

ANTHONY BLACK.
Goderich, April 5th, 1866. w11

INSURANCE.

Fire, Marine and Life Insurances
EFFECTED ON REASONABLE TERMS.

Office—J. F. C. Haldan's Law Chambers, Kay's Block, corner Court House Square and West St., Goderich, C. W.

JOHN HALDAN, JR.,
Agent.
Goderich, 27th Sept., 1866. w36tf

GEORGE FORBES,
AGENT of the C. W. Farmers Mutual and Stock Company, Hamilton, C. W.
G. Forbes, Lot 26, Con 3, Morris.
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MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN Stoves, Ploughs and Castings of every description. Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Ware, at the Market Stove Depot, Market Square, Goderich.

COAL OIL,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

☞ Coal Oil Lamps, &c., &c. Old Iron, Copper, Brass, Rags Wool Pickings and Sheepskins taken in exchange. 27tf

WELL NEIGHBOR, how do you get along with your plowing this wet weather? Why, I have thrown aside a good plow that cost 24 dollars, it was like plowing with a log, and went to Searle & Davis' and bought a steel plow for sixteen dollars; now I have no trouble in plowing; my horses go right along, it cleans so nice; they are real thistle cutters!

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
STOVES!
OVER 30 KINDS. ALSO
A LARGE STOCK OF TINWARE
On hand. Sign of Long Tea Kettle,
BASE LINE, CLINTON.
SEARLE & DAVIS.
Clinton, Sept. 20, 1866. w29

MONEY TO LEND.

THE HURON & ERIE SAVINGS AND LOAN SOCIETY.
The above Society is prepared to make
ADVANCES
ON IMPROVED
Farm Property,
ON MOST ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS.

The cost of effecting a Loan will be found much lower than in other Societies of a similar nature. The attention of the Borrower is called to the fact, that he will receive the full amount of the Loan, without any deduction being made for interest or payments in advance.

Advances may be repaid Monthly or Yearly, extending over a period of from one to fifteen years.

FOR FULL PARTICULARS APPLY TO
S. POLLOCK,
Agent and Valuator for the Society at Goderich
Goderich, C.W., 1866. sw13

COLONIAL HOUSE.
READY-MADE CLOTHING DEPARTMENT
The Subscriber has the largest
CLOTHING STOCK
in the Counties. The best quality of Goods at
The LOWEST PRICES in TOWN.
☞ Call, examine, and judge for yourselves. *American money taken at highest rates.*
CHAS. E. ARCHIBALD.
Goderich, August 22nd, 1866. w20

Take Notice.

SAMUEL POLLOCK, Esq., late Deputy Sheriff has been appointed official Assignee under the Insolvent Act of 1864 for the United Counties of Huron and Bruce.

☞ Office in Cameron's Block, Kingston street.

February 20th, 1866. w50

GODERICH
CANADIAN AXES
AXE FACTORY

THE Subscriber having recommenced the Axe Business

AT THE OLD STAND,
on the Corner of
Waterloo and Light-House Streets,

would beg to intimate to his old friends, and as many new ones as favour him with a call and trial, that he will produce and sell a

WARRANTED HOME-MADE AXE, CHEAP

also old ones jumped at a small cost. Picks, &c., Made and Sharpened on short notice

N.B.—Also a number of Sleighs on hand.

JOHN McPHERSON.
Goderich, Oct. 30th, 1866. 40-1

Money to Lend,

ON very reasonable terms. Apply to
B. L. DOYLE,
SAVAGE'S New Block.
Goderich. 9th Jan. 1865 w50-1yr

WILLIAM'S
Victoria Organs and Melodeons
IN ALL THE DIFFERENT STYLES.
Illustrated Catalogues Free.
ADDRESS—R. S. William's, Toronto' W. T. Cox, Esq., Goderich, who will supply catalogues. w50

Wanted Immediately

A YOUTH about 17 or 18 years of age who has had considerable experience in a general store, and who can be well recommended. Address, prepaid, giving references, and salary from last employer,
A. B., Goderich p.o.
Goderich, 26th Oct., 1866 w40

J. & J. SEEGMILLER,
TANNERS!
DEALERS
IN
LEATHER FINDINGS!
&c., &c.
GODERICH, C. W.
February 12, 1865. w47

ISAAC FREDERICK

WATCHMAKER & JEWELER,
WEST ST., GODERICH,
NEAR THE POST OFFICE.

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF
Gold and Plated Jewelry on Hand.
WATCHES CLOCKS AND SPECTACLES
IN GREAT VARIETY.
REPAIRING IN ALL BRANCHES
done on short notice, in good style and warranted according to agreement.

☞ Wedding Rings always on Hand.

Jobs left unclaimed in my hands will be sold at the expiration of three months to defray expenses.

☞ All articles warranted as represented.

☞ The best quality of Clock Oil at 25 cts a bottle.

Goderich, Nov. 14, 1866. w16

For Sale cheap for Cash.

THE premises now occupied by the undersigned, in the Village of Maitlandville, one quarter of a mile from the Salt Well. One acre and a quarter of land on the side hill, beautifully situated, commanding a view of the River Maitland and the harbor, and a comfortable cottage. There are two wells of good water. Also a selection of choice fruit trees.

For particulars apply on the premises to
WM. SOMERS,
or at the *Signal* office.
Goderich, July 14, 1866. w28tf

WHO WANTS A HOME?

THE FOLLOW