THE LADY OF CASTLE WINDECK. FROM THE GERMAN OF CHAMISSO.

Rein in thy enorting charger ! That stag but cheats thy sight! He is laring thee on to Windeck, With his seeming fear and flight.

Now, where the mouldering turrets Of the outer gate arise, The knight gazed over the ruins Where the stag was lost to his eyes !

The sun shone hot above him : The castle was still as death; He wiped the sweat from his forehead With a deep and weary breath.

" Who now will bring me a beaker Of the rich old wine that here, In the choked up vaults of Windeck, Has lain for many a year ? "

The careless words had scarcely Time from his lips to fall. When the Lady of Castle Windeck Came round the ivy wall.

He saw the glorious maiden In her snow-white drapery stand, The bunch of keys at her girdle, The beaker high in her hand.

He anaffed that rich old vintage : With an eager lip he quaffed; But he took into his bosom A fire with the grateful draught.

The flowing gold of her hair ! He folded his hands in homage, And murmured a lover's prayer. She gave him a look of pity,

Her eyes' unfathomed brightness !

A gentle look of pain ; And quickly as he had seen her She passed from his sight again. And ever from that moment,

He haunted the ruins there. A sleepless, restless wanderer, A watcher with despair.

Ghost-like and pale he wandered. With a dreamy, haggard eye; He seemed not one of the living, And yet he could not die.

"I's said that the lady met him When many years had past, And kissing his lips, relieved him From the burden of life at last.

Miscellancous.

THE ARGTIC EXPEDITION.

The following despatches were received at the Admiralty on the 3rd of Oct. :

"PRINCE ALBERT," Aberdeen, Oct. 1. Sir,-I have the honor to report my return to England, and take the earliest opportunity of communicating for my Lords Commissioners' information that traces of the missing expedition under Sir John Franklin have been found at Cape Riley and Beechy Island, at the entrance to the Wellington Channel. "The annexed document was copied from one left in a cairn at Cape Riley, by Captain Ommann- after most mature consideration, to return ey the day previous to our visiting it We to England. On the 27th I ran into Eardobserved five places where tents had been ley Bay, near Cape York, and landed a pitched, or stones placed as if they had notice with some provisions. Before our been used for keeping the lower part of men could get on board, a gale commenthe tents down, also great quantities of ced with a heavy sea, which nearly drove

(yellow,) part of which I have enclosed.
"Her Majesty's ships Assistance and Elwin Bay; keeping close alongshore to GUELPH BOOT Intrepid, when last seen by me on the Possession Bay, off which place I fell in 25th of August, whilst off Point Innis, ap- with the North Star, which I found had peared to be well over with Cape Hotham met with the same impediment in Prince carrying a press of sail, with a strong Regent's Inlet as ourselves, and had conbreeze from westward. Penny's vessels sequently not succeeded in entering either were also in the entrance of the Straits, Forts Bowen or Nut, but had landed her and two American brigantines working over toward Cape Hotham. As an officer We found that the Resolute had visited belonging to Her Majesty's service, al- Possession Bay on the 18th, Capt. Austin though not having been especially sent having left the night previous in the Pioout by her Majesty's Government, I deem neer to visit Pond's Bay. On the 2d and periencing a succession of westerly gales, we arrived off Cape Farewell. On the dath we lost sight of Cape Bowen, near Articles as any produced in Canada, to 15th met some whalers off the Black Pond's Bay, and on the 6th inst. arrived Hook, returning to the Southward, not here, being the last and smallest vessel having been able to accomplish the pas-sage round Melville Bay. On the 19th in Barrow Strait. entered the ice, and on the 21st came up with Sir John Ross in a labyrinth of heavy icebergs. On the 23rd met the remainder of the fleet of whalers coming to the southward. On the 26th made out Captain Austin's and Mr. Penny's vessels beset HER MAJESTY'S ARCTIC SEARCHING EXPEDITION. in the ice, about 15 or 20 miles to the "This is to certify that Captain Omman-consisting in part of

northward of us. From this time to the oney, with the officers of her Majesty's ships Assistance and Intrepid, landed at casionally experiencing some very heavy shocks, when we succeeded in getting into where he found traces of an encampment, a lead, and passed Captain Austin within a and collected the remains of materials few miles, still beset. On the 10th, his ships, by the aid of steamers, got into longing to her Majesty's ships have been open water, and were towed past us in a detained on this spot. Beechy Island calm. The same evening they were again beset. On the 12th the steamers, assisted found of the same party. This is to give beset. On the 12th the steamers, assisted by blasting, forced a passage through. It being calm, Capt. Austin very kindly offered myself and Sir John Ross a tow Assistance and Intrepid were detached clear of the ice, of which we most thank-from the squadron under Captain Austin, fully and gladly availed ourselves. On off Wolstenholme, on the 15th instant, the 14th we communicated with the natives since when they have examined the North at Cape York who gave us to understand shores of Lancashire Sound and Barrow that a ship answering the description of Straits, without meeting any other traces. the North Star had wintered somewhere Capt. Ommanney proceeds to Cape Hotabout Wolstenholme Sound. The same ham and Cape Walker in search for furevening the Assistance was dispatched to ther traces of Sir J. Franklin's expedition. ascertain the truth of this report. On the 17th I parted company with her Majesty's ships Resolute and Pioneer, having August, 1850. previously arranged with Capt. Austin to undertake the examination of the South side of Lancaster Sound and Barrow Strait, he visited Possession and Pond's Bays. just reached Weston-supper-Mare of a on the property, and abundance of fine On the 18th we made the land five miles most melancholy nature—viz., that nine water. From its situation, part of the to the eastward of Cape Liverpool, closely men have met their deaths through drinkinspecting the coast, keeping within a quarter of a mile of the shore as far as the Wollaston Islands. When off Cape Hay it was blowing a gale from the eastward;

we therefore found it impossible to land, NEW been touched since they were deposited there last year, by Mr. Parker, of True-BOOT & SHOE love. From what we could see from our deck, they did not appear to have been molested; the flagstaff had been blown

o ascertain if the fuel or provisions had

down, and was lying on the top of the coals; on the outer, or Western Wollas-

ton Island, a notice was left recording our

visit, and the disposition of her Majesty's

ships, &c. The gale having increased, would not admit of our further examination

of the coast at this time, and we were

obliged, in consequence of its violence, to

stand out in the strait, and heave the ves-

sel to in the midst of drift ice. On its

moderating the next day, we found our-selves off Cape York. As it was still

blowing strong, I bore up for Port Leo-

pold. At three A. M. on the 21st, arrived

off the harbor, but found it closed with

succeeded in getting in, by being hauled

some distance over the ice. It appeared,

attempt to land them at Port Power or

Neil; otherwise everything appeared to have been untouched since her Majesty's

year. As it was intended by the parties

who fitted this vessel out, that she should

proceed to Brentford Bay, and commence

operations from that place, I made the best

of my way up to Prince Regent's Inlet in

order to effect that object. As we drew

up toward Fury Beach, the land ice gra-

dually extended off the shore, commencing

a little to the Southward of Port Leopold,

Power. Finding great quantities of drift ice setting up the inlet and likely to close

me in, with no port to take refuge in, I

sions, we got in with the land between

much the same, with no port to enter in

the vicinity of my future operations, I was

most reluctantly obliged to give up the idea

of remaining in these regions, more par-

ticularly as the season was fast advancing

when the ice begins to form, and I knew,

from experience, if this vessel was once

caught, there would be no chance of our

I have, &c.,

True copy of a paper found at Cape Riley :-

CHAS C. FORSYTH, Commander, R.N.

"Dated on board her Majesty's ship

Nine Men Poisoned .- A report has

"ERASMUS OMMANNEY."

CEORGE GOW & JAMES BENZIE (lately in the employ of Gow & Orme) respectfully announce to the inhabitants of town and country, that they have commenced business in the above line, in Wyndham Street, immediately opposite Mr. Daniel Linderman's Blacksmith Shop, under the firm of "Gow & BENZIE."

As G. & B.'s Boots and Shoes will be entirely of their own workmanship, or manufactured under their immediate in spection, they believe the quality will be such as to insure a preference over Imported Sale Work, though offered at lower prices.

Long experience in some of the best heavy ice. With much difficulty our boat shops in the Metropolis of England, by one of the firm, enables them to offer

Gentlemen's Dress Boots

gives them good grounds to anticipate

liberal share of public patronage.
STRONG BOOTS AND SHOES, ships Investigator and Enterprise left last of all sizes, and of the best material and workmanship, made to order.

LEATHER and PEGS by Retail, for

HIDES and TALLOW taken in exchange. - Guelph, Aug. 19, 1850.

Great Reduction in Prices of BOOTS AND SHOES up to within ten or fifteen miles of Port

MOW & ORME respectfully announce T to their friends and the public genestood out to the Northward, with the in- rally, that they have now on hand the tention of proceeding down the Western largest and best assorted Stock of Boots side of North Somerset. On reaching the and Shoes ever offered for sale in Guelph, North end of Leopold Island, I found the which they will sell at the following un-

pack extending from thence across Barrow precedentedly Low Prices :-Strait, toward the entrance of Wellington Channel. After having forced our way through great quantities of heavy drift ice, the vessel receiving many severe contu-

Misses', Boys', and Children's Boots and Shoes, proportionately low.
G. & O. would invite inspection of their

Capes Herschel and Hurd, and examined the coast as far as Point Innis, in the Wellington Channel, without finding any present stock of Morrocco and Patent further traces of the missing parties, with Leather, and French and English Calf, the exception of those already mentioned which will be found of excellent quality, at Cape Riley. There being no possibiand well adapted for Ladies' and Gentlelity of my penetrating to the S.W., as I men's Fine Dress Boots; and which had intended, from the heavy ice in that they are prepared to make up in the new direction, I ran back to Prince Regent's est and most fashionable style, and on the Inlet. The appearance of the ice being shortest notice.

Guelph, May 4, 1850.

JACK'S ALIVE!

REPORTS having recently been current that Jack was shelled up, he just looks out to say that he is not only wide getting out again, as she had no power to bore through it; I therefore determined, awake, but is now actually selling Men's STRONG DOUBLE-SOLED BOOTS

AT 12s, 6d. CASH, and other articles in his line, of superior workmanship and material, at equally low

Jack has had considerable difficulty in stand for the service of Cows during the the tents down, also great quantities of beef, pork, and bird's bones, a piece of rope with the Woolwich naval mark in it first the Woolwich naval mark in it first the Woolwich I have enclosed. GUELPH BOOT AND SHOE WAREHOUSE.

JOHN HORNING. JACK will pay CASH for HIDES

16th August, 1850.

BOOT & SHOE STORE

THE Undersigned beg to announce to fenced, well watered, &c., &c. out by her Majesty's Government, I deem it incumbent on me to inform their lordships of the part this vessel has taken in ships of the part this vessel ha the search. The Prince Albert, under of Captain Austin's having been there, Building, near the Advertiser Office, Marmy command, left Aberdeen on the 5th of Perhaps the North Star may have been ket Square; and hope by strict attention June last. On the 2nd of July, after ex- more fortunate, as I saw her standing in to all orders, combined with their ability

merit a share of public support: Country Produce taken in Exchange. HOWARD & NORRIS. Guelph, Aug. 20, 1850. 165-3m.

THE Subscriber would call the attention L of Tavern-keepers and families to his Stock-of Genuine WINES AND LI-QUORS, which he is now receiving—

1 Hhd. Fine Old Cogniac Brandy,

" Martells." 2 do. Bordeaux do.

1 Cask Holland Gin.

1 do. Jamaica Rum, "Prime Old." 1 Hhd. Fine Old Port Wine, "Hunt's." 3 Qr. Casks Port Wines, "assorted qualities."

3 do. do. Sherry do. do. 1 do. do. Maderia do. do. "Fine." 50 Brls. Strong Whiskey. 2 Hhds. Peppermint.

G. ELLIOTT. Guelph, June 25, 1850.

FARM FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale a very desirable Farm in the vicinity of the Grand River, immediately adjoining the thriving village of Fergus, and about three miles from Elora—being lots 19 and 20 on the 16th Concession of Nichol, comprising 196 acres, of which about 70 acres are cleared, well fenced, and almost entirely free of stumps. There is a good Frame House, Barn, and suitable offices property might with much advantage be laid out in Park Lots.

J. LAMOND SMITH. Land Agent.

Fergus, June 29, 1850.

GUELPH FOUNDRY.

THE Subscribers, in returning thanks I to the public for the liberal support given them since commencing business in Guelph, beg to intimate that their Sets of Patterns for every description of Mill Gearing are now very complete; and as they are all new, embrace the latest improvements. They are prepared to contract for the erection of Grist and Saw Mills in any part of the Province; and their Iron and Brass Castings are not inferior to any manufactured in Canada.

As they are themselves Practical Mechanics, they will keep no workman but of sober and industrious habits; so that persons favoring them with their orders may be assured of satisfaction.

Blacksmith work in all its branches. Castings in general use kept on hand. Percussion Wheels for Saw Mills; Cranks and Balance Wheels; Thrashing Machines; Ploughs of various patterns; some distance over the ice. It appeared, by a document left at the flagstaff, that the North Star had called here on the 13th, but from the state of the ice was unable to but from the state of the ice was unable to the ice was unable to but from the state of the ice was unable to be included by the ice was unable to be inc

Boring, Turning, Fitting-up, and Repairing, on short notice and reasonable termis.

Old Iron and Brass taken in exchange for Castings. ROBERTSON, WATT, & CO.

GUELPH FOUNDRY, ? 4th Feb., 1850.

SUPERIOR BREED OF HOGS.

THE Subscriber has for Sale a few L beautiful young Sows and Boars, of the Yorkshire Breed, which, for largeness of size, and propensity to fatten, cannot perhaps be equalled on this continent. Price £5 per pair at Guelph, or £6 5s. free on board steamer at Hamilton. Letters prepaid will receive immediate atten-

J. HARLAND.

Guelph, 3rd Feb. 1848.

FARM FOR SALE.

TO BE SOLD, a valuable Farm, within less than two miles of the Town of Guelph, containing 118 acres, of which about 60 acres are cleared. There is an excellent Log Cottage, &c., on the Farm, with Fire-wood, Water, and Rail-timber. Apply to the Rev. A. PALMER,

Guelph, March27, 1849.

THOROUGHBRED DURHAM BULL,

PATRIOT.

DATRIOT is a beautiful Roan, and is the son of FAVORITE, the very best Cow imported by Rowland Wingfield, Esq. His sire was Comer, the son of Re- bestowed upon him will not be withdrawn. FORMER and CowsLIP, both of which were

imported by Mr. Wingfield. It will therefore be seen that PATRIOT combines the best Feeding and Milking qualities ever introduced on this Continent. The Bull above described was bred by Mr. Howitt, and has been purchased by Mr. Harland, upon whose farm he will

Guelph, 21st May, 1849.

Beautiful Small Property FOR SALE.

of Elora, and 14 of Guelph, the County of best quality. Town—consisting of ONE HUNDRED A Stage starts from the door every day at 12 o'clock noon, and the Mail every

given for a considerable portion of the purchase money.

Application to be made to Messrs. Fer-GUSSON & HURD, Guelph; JOHN MILLAR, Esq., Galt; JAMES L. SMITH, Esq., Fergus, or to the Proprietor on the Premises. WM. MOORHEAD.

Fergus, Aug. 23, 1850.

FARM FOR SALE.

THE Undersigned offers for Sale Lot No. 4 on the 5th Concession of and Elora Road, and about three miles and those honoring it with their patronage Possession may be had immediately, and a part of the price be permitted to remain

on security of the property.

Application to be made to J. L. Smith,
Esq., Fergus; Mr. John Thorp, Guelph; or to the proprietor.

BARTHOLOMEW O'CONNOR.

Elora Road, June 17th 1850. 156-tf.

CIRCULAR.

MONTREAL, 25th Jan., 1850. THE Subscriber begs to state that from this date he discontinues his busines in this City, having associated himself with the Firm of Messrs. HIGGINSON, DAY, and Co., 77, Broad Street, New York, Produce and General Commission Merchants, and respectfully states that he will devote his entire time and best exertions to the interests of his friends having business in that City.

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A DAILY STAGE To and from HAMILTON by the Brock Road, being 10 miles shorter route than the subscriber, will be prosecuted. by way of Galt; and every day from

Horses and Carriages ready at noment's notice.

Fergus and Elora to Hamilton, and vice

Guelph, 5th June, 1850. WELLINGTON HOTEL. FERGUS

TOHN GLOVER respectfully intimates Waterloo, and the public generally, that he has fitted up and furnished in the most comfortable and commodious manner, the arge Stone Building recently erected by Mr. A. GLOVER, in St. David's Street, as

A FIRST CLASS HOTEL, where Travellers may be assured of every

comfort and attention. The BAR will always be supplied with the choicest Wines and Liquors, and the TABLE with all the delicucies of the

Excellent Stabling and a careful Hostler. STAGES to and from Guelph, Galt, Dundas and Hamilton, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and to Owen Sound every Wednesday.

Fergus, Feb. 19, 1850. 139-tf.

ELORA HOTEL.

THE undersigned having removed to the L extensive and commodious building recently erected by him in Elora, begs to apprise his friends and the public generally, that he is prepared to give them

THE BEST ACCOMMODATION. AT REASONABLE CHARGES.

His House will be found to be well furnished, provided with airy Dormitories, and comfortable Sitting Rooms; while his

CELLAR AND LARDER will be constantly supplied with every necessary. He therefore confidently expects that the patronage hitherto so liberally

WILLIAM SMITH. P. S .- The Stages to and from Guelph call at the house on Mondays, Wednes

Elora, July 17th, 1849.

FERGUS ARMS FERGUS.

TAMES BURR has entered the above. EXCELLENT HOUSE with the determination to make the Management, Accou

modation and Comfort first rate. The BAR is excellent and excellently supplied-SHEDS spacious and conve-THE FARM known as "Springfield," nient—STABLES complete and commodicated within 1 Mile of Fergus, 3 dious, and well supplied with Provender

which Seventy Acres are cleared and fenced, well watered, &c., &c.

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There is also a Stage leaves Fergus every Wednesday at 12 o'clock noondirect from Hamilton to Owen Sound.

Fergus, 1st January, 1849.

ELGIN HOUSE, King Street, Dundas.

THE Proprietor begs to say that no expense has been spared in making his establishment every thing which the convenience and comfort of the travelling community could desire.

The ELGIN HOUSE is commodious, of-Nichol, nearly on the line of the Guelph fering ample accommodation for families; distant from the former, and ten miles will find themselves in possession of the from the latter place. The Lot comprises Comforts of Home, in as high a degree as 107½ Acres, a large proportion of which is cleared, well fenced, and now in crop. America.

Extensive Stabling attached to the premises.

WILLIAM McDONNELL: Dundas, 15th July, 1848.

GREY'S HOTEL. ELORA.

MEORGE GREY respectfully intimates T to his old friends, and the public ge nerally, that he has re-occupied the House formerly and for many years possessed by him as a Hotel in Elora. Travellers and Boarders patronizing the

house may rely on finding the BAR AND LARDER well supplied, and that every attention

will be given to their comfort and convenience.

Commodious Sheds & Stabling. the year. A Stage leaves Elora every Monday Wednesday, and Friday, at 2 P. M., for Guelph, Galt, Hamilton, &c.; and every Wednesday, at 9 A. M., for Owen Sound

Elora, 17th July, 1849.

300 TOWN LOTS FOR SALE In Guelph.

AT a moderate upset price and liberal credit or liberal discount on the pur-

chase money down. The subscriber offers Three Hundred Town Lots for sale, as shown by a new Plan of the Town of Guelph, in the possession of FRANCIS KERR, Esq., who will state terms, point out the Lots on the ground, and pro-

for parties purchasing. The instalments or purchase money for the above to be deposited to the credit of

Persons found taking wood from or otherwise trespassing on the Lands of

Guelph, 25th July, 1848.

To Blacksmiths, Waggon-makers,

THE Subscribers have now on hand a Wrought and Cut Nails, Griffin Horse do., Spikes, &c., &c., which they will sell at

W. J. BROWN & CO.

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THE undersigned has recently erected a handsome and commodious Block of Stone Stores, in one of the most business parts of the TOWN OF GUELPH; which he is now finishing off for immediate occupation. Part of them are already engaged, and the remainder will be ready to let and occupy in a few weeks.

WILLIAM DAY.

NEW STAGE LINE Belween Dundas and Hamilton. TWICE A DAY.

P. M., and return, conveying passengers from the Boats, at 7 P. M. This arrangement will continue during

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The course of instruction embraces the following branches :- English grammatically, Writing, Arithmetic, Book-keeping, History, Geography, Latin, Geometry, the theory of Land Surveying, and Algebra.

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> Guelph, Sept. 17, 1850. 169-tf

Guelph, Aug. 28, 1849.

A N ACCOMMODATION STAGE will leave the Elgin House, Dundas, at 51 o'clock A. M. for Hamilton, in time for the Boats, and return at 8 o'clock A. M. Will again leave Dundas at 3 o'clock

the season, the Stage calling at the princi-

Dundas, April 1st, 1850. FOR SALE.

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