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Benjamin.
MILL RUNNING.—The Ben Miller flour-
ing mill is running once more, and bids
fair to do a good business during the
ensuing season under the management
of Mr. Pfammer.

Turnberry.
We are under the painful necessity of
chronicling the removal of one of our
oldest residents by the hand of death.
On Wednesday last the wife of our re-
spected townman, Mr. Edward Tind-
all, succumbed to that fatal disease—con-
sumption. Deceased was a sister of
Messrs. McClymont Bros. of Wingham,
and daughter of Mr. McClymont, of
Stanley.

Milburn.
FIRST AGAIN.—Mr. K. Bean, is at the
head of his neighbors by shearing his
fine black flock of sheep on Monday
last.

Quorra.—This game is becoming the
rage nowadays. Two of our players have
been challenged by two Garbrade cham-
pions, to a contest, which has been ac-
cepted. The game will take place at
Milburn, at four p. m. on Satur-
day.

Antara.
The band boys realized about \$30 on
the 24th of May.

Mr. Andrew Arthur fell from a wag-
on on Friday last, while drawing out
manure, and broke his arm. Dr. Hutchi-
son was called and reduced the fracture.
It will be some time before he will be
able to get to work again.

Messrs. S. and C. Scott have sent 125
pigs to Bluevale to use up the whey
from the cheese factory there which
they have bought. Mr. C. Scott is
there looking after them.

Dr. Hutchison has now settled in our
midst, and has his office in Hilliard's
block. The Doctor, will, we believe, do
a good business, being well known and
extremely popular.

Goderich Township.

The following is the result of the
monthly examination of pupils attend-
ing school S. S. No. 1 Goderich Town-
ship, for May.

Senr. Fourth class, 1st, Mary Rusk;
2nd, Alice Andrews. Jun. division,
1st, Harriet Andrews; 2nd, Agnes Orr.
Third class, 1st, Debora Bell; 2nd, Min-
nie Breckenridge. Second class, 1st,
Willie Munroe; 2nd, Claud Munroe.

SCHOOL PICNIC.—The annual picnic
in connection with the above school
will be held in Mr. Polley's grove on
Friday afternoon, June 10th. Friends
are cordially invited to come, bringing
baskets with them.

A few of the members in connection
with St. Stephen's church held a picnic
in the garden of Mr. Hart, on Tuesday
last, which took the shape of a formal
farewell to the Rev. Mr. Miller, former-
ly incumbent of the church. Thanks to
the efforts of Mr. and Mrs. Hart a most
enjoyable time was spent. Boating and
other recreations were indulged in, and
full justice was done to the sumptuous
repast served by the ladies on the oc-
casion. Mr. Miller, who is retiring from
the incumbency owing to ill health,
goes to reside in Hamilton, and is suc-
ceeded by Rev. Mr. Matthews, formerly
of Clinton.

Nile.
CROPS.—The crops in this vicinity look
very well. We need more rain.

SICKNESS.—We are glad to see Mr.
May around again after his severe ill-
ness.

PIC-NIC.—A union pic-nic will be held
at the Point Farm, Goderich, on Satur-
day 4th June, by public schools Nos. 1,
6 and 11, Ashfield, and No. 5, Colborne.

EDUCATIONAL.—The following are the
names of the pupils of the Nile school
who obtained the highest marks for de-
portment, punctuality and good recita-
tions for May. IV class—1 E. Kerr, 2
T. Hogan, 3 T. Sheppard, 4 E. Mallough,
5 S. Smith. III sen.—1 D. McIlwain,
2 S. Black, 3 S. Baile, 4 J. McKnight,
5 E. Garner, 6 K. Drew, 7 L. Dodd;
III jr.—1 E. Girvin, 2 M. Hogan, 3 R.
Black, 4 E. Stewart, 5 H. Ryan, 6 M.
Sprawl, 7 G. Jackson, 8 C. Elliott, 9
W. Glenn, 10 R. Echlin, 11 M. Stewart;
Junior Department, Miss Ralph, teacher.
II class—1 W. McVittie, 2 W. Carter,
3 G. Chidlow, 4 A. Bunting, 5 E. Bunt-
ing; I sen.—1 R. Kerr, 2 A. McIlwain,
3 F. Jackson, 4 M. Baile, 5 R. Hutchi-
son, 6 F. Glenn, 7 C. Young; 1 jr.—1 A.
Kerr, 2 W. Drew, 3 F. McNea, 4 A. Mc-
Knight, 5 J. Chidlow.

Leeburn.
A large garter snake over four feet,
ten inches long was killed in this neigh-
borhood last week.

PERSONAL.—Mr. James Strachan, of
Leeburn took part in the quoting match
between Goderich and Colborne last
week.

BAH! BAH!—There was a great rush
of the natives of Milburn and Leeburn
down Butternut Row, with their flocks
of sheep to the washing and shearing
last week.

DOING THEIR DUTY.—Our township
fathers led by their 510th team, were in-
specting roads, bridges, culverts, ditches
&c., on the 27th inst., and letting jobs
for repairing them.

IMPROVEMENTS.—Mr. Jas. Taylor
raised a driving shed on Thursday, May
26th. On Saturday, May 28th, Mr.
Foley had a large stable and driving shed
over 60 feet in length raised. At Fol-
ey's the raising the captains were Robert
Dulmage and William Rome, the latter's
side being the winner.

TEMPERANCE PICNIC.—Leeburn Lodge
on the 24th of May, on the Butternut
Row, so well known to lovers of nature
and Leeburn cavaliers. A large number
of friends of the Lodge were present.
Ball playing and quots were all the go.
Swings were also erected in the grove,
and a few of the bachelors made them-
selves useful by swinging the ladies—
which was hard on their hands although
not on their hearts. A sumptuous re-
past was served by the ladies at four
o'clock, under the shade of the tall
beeches, the craving of thirst being cool-

ed off by lemonade and coffee. The
gathering broke up at seven o'clock in
the evening, all being well pleased with
the afternoon's enjoyment.

Bayfield.
A BAD BITE.—Our respected Rectory,
Mr. John Eason, had a slight encounter
with a member of the canine species a
few days ago and seems to have got de-
cidedly the worst of it. He was passing
along the streets in his usual quiet way
when a neighbor's dog sprang at him
and seized him by the leg, inflicting a
severe wound. He had the wound can-
terized, and although it was intensely
painful for a few days and laid him up,
he is now recovering and is able to at-
tend to his ordinary duties as usual.

FISHING.—There have been more fish
caught from the river and harbor here,
this spring, than was ever known before
in the memory of the oldest inhabitant.
For some weeks after the fishing season
came in, they could be pulled out almost
as fast as the line could be thrown in,
and scarcely a day passed round but
fishermen would be here from Seaford,
Clinton, and other neighboring towns,
and mostly all went away with bags full.
The fish mostly caught were bass and
perch. On one or two occasions fish
weighing from two to four pounds were
pulled out. The season for this sort of
thing is now pretty well over, however
as the fish have mostly gone out into the
lake, and even the most ardent fisher-
man who can now consider the job
"sport," must have the patience of Job
or something more.

A BAD ACCIDENT.—One day last week
Mr. Paul Cleave, Councillor, of this
village, met with a very dangerous and
painful accident. He was driving
down the hill to Thompson's mill with a
span of horses and riding upon a wagon
without any box, but just sitting on a
spring board resting on the front and
rear bolsters of the wagon, as is
very common. When about half way
down the hill, which is very steep and
rendered doubly dangerous by being
lined on either side with saw logs, one
of his lines broke, and the horses started
off at a break-neck pace. Mr. Cleave
was thrown forward on to the front of
the wagon and got his feet fastened in
the "hounds" and with his head and
body hanging down backwards, he was
dragged in this way over the road for
a considerable distance. Fortunately
for him, the tongue of the wagon got
broken, thus relieving the horses from
it. They ran to the mill, where they
were stopped by the miller, who at once
went in search of Mr. Cleave. He
found him lying by the roadside in a
pool of mud, where he had been thrown,
and unconscious. He was at once con-
veyed to the house and medical aid sum-
moned. His injuries were found to be
serious but not dangerous. There was
a long deep wound on the calf of his leg
and several bad cuts on his head, and
he is otherwise bruised and injured.
We are glad to learn that although he is
not yet out of danger, there are good
hopes of his ultimate recovery. [Expor-
tator.

THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.—Among the
principal attractions were the rowing
and tug races and the tug of war. The
yacht race was very closely contested,
there being only two seconds between
the first and second boats. The tug
race elicited much amusement, as the
boys and their tubs were sure to topple
over before getting far, and then they
would have to return to shore and get a
fresh start. The tug of war after a very
hard struggle was won by the fishermen,
who, however, had on their side an ex-
tra man, and who came to their work
with their hands well seasoned with
alum and rosin, in which devices their
opponents were not so well skilled, and
had to supply muscle for artifice. The
following is a list of the successful com-
petitors: Best calisthumpians—1st, J.
Ferguson; 2nd, Alex. Shaw. Running
hop step and jump—1st, H. Pollock;
2nd, J. King; standing hop step and
jump—1st, H. Pollock; 2nd, J. King.
Standing jump—1st, H. Pollock; 2nd,
G. Looby. Putting the stone—1st, R.
Armstrong; 2nd, G. Looby. Men's
foot race—1st, H. Pollock; 2nd, J.
King. Hurdle race—1st, H. Pollock;
2nd, J. King. Tub race—1st, A.
Elliott; 2nd, J. Erwin. Rowing race—
1st, J. Falkenter; 2nd, J. Ferguson.
Trotting horse race—1st, R. Pollock;
2nd, S. Eggleston. Running horse race
—1st, R. Erwin; 2nd, R. Dalgaty.
Yacht race—1st, C. Dresser; 2nd, H.
Dresser. Tug of war—the fishermen.
This concluded the sports of the day.
Every thing passed off harmoniously and
pleasantly, and all present seemed to be
satisfied that they had spent a very
pleasant day in Bayfield.

A handsome five year old robin, be-
longing to Rev. P. J. O'Shea, was stolen
from the residence of the rev. gentleman
Seaford, during his absence at church
on Wednesday last week.

Mr. Moses Springer, who has ever
since Confederation represented the
North Riding of Waterloo in the Ontario
Legislature, has resigned his seat with a
view to accepting the Shrievalty of the
county.

Metecological Report.

State of the weather for the week end-
ing May 31st, 1881.

May 25th—Wind at 10 p. m. East,
light air, clear. Number of miles wind
travelled in 24 hours 102.

May 26th—Wind at 10 p. m. South,
light, clear. Number of miles wind
travelled in 24 hours 148.

May 27th—Wind at 10 p. m. East,
light, hazy. Number of miles wind
travelled in 24 hours 267.

May 28th—Wind at 10 p. m. North-
east, light, hazy. Number of miles wind
travelled in 24 hours 262. Sprinkling
of rain at noon.

May 29th—Wind at 10 p. m. East,
light, hazy. Number of miles wind
travelled in 24 hours 221. Sprinkling
of rain at 6 a. m.

May 30th—Wind at 10 p. m. North-
east, light, partly cloudy. Number of
miles wind travelled in 24 hours 214.

May 31st—Wind at 10 p. m. North-
east, light. Slight rain. Number of
miles wind travelled in 24 hours 259.
Ceased raining through the night, rain-
fall 2.7 cubic inches.

G. N. MACDONALD, Observer.
Goderich, June 1st, 1881.

MISS STEWART

begs to remind ladies that although she has
been extremely busy this year, and has dis-
posed of a very large quantity of goods, her
stock is still well assorted, and all those pretty
novelties in

MILLINERY

which she introduced this spring, and which
have become so popular, are still represented
on her shelves, at the well known

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clay loam of great depth. The timber remaining upon the land being generally sufficient for

the settlers' use in building and fencing.

These partially cleared lands are now offered at the low price of from \$4 to \$4.50 per acre,

one-fourth cash, and the remainder at purchasers' option, at any time within nine years, with

interest payable annually at seven per cent.

Roads are being opened through these lands, and no better opportunity has ever been

offered to men of small means to secure a good farm, and intending purchasers will be wise by

availing themselves of this chance before prices advance, as the lands are being rapidly taken

and settled upon.

The lands more immediately on the line of the Detroit, Mackinac, and Marquette Railroad

from the Straits of Mackinac to Marquette are more heavily timbered, and are almost univer-
sally good agricultural lands, leaving splendid farms when the timber is removed.

The iron and lumber interests of the upper peninsula are of such magnitude as to call for

all the charcoal and lumber that the timber and wood upon the lands will produce—this will

enable the settler to make good wages while clearing the land.

Lumber Mills and Charcoal Tills will be built at various points along the line, and Furna-

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39 Newberry and McMillan Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership heretofore existing between

EPHRAIM DOWNING and **JOHN DOWNING,**

under the name and title of

E. & J. DOWNING,

Boot and Shoe dealers, Goderich, Ontario, has this day been dissolved

by mutual consent. The business will be carried on by

E. DOWNING,

to whom all moneys owed E. & J. DOWNING must be paid, and who

will pay all debts contracted by the late firm.

EPHRAIM DOWNING.

JOHN DOWNING.

S. MALCOMSON, Witness.

Goderich, May 10, 1881.

TO THE PUBLIC.

In thanking the public for the very large patronage bestowed upon the late

firm of **E. & J. DOWNING**, during the past seven years, I respectfully solicit a

continuance of that esteemed patronage. It will be my aim always to give satis-
faction to all who may deal with me, and to still further increase the excellent busi-
ness which you have heretofore assisted us in building up.

Yours respectfully

EPHRAIM DOWNING.

Corner of East Street, Court House Square, Goderich, Ontario.

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