Buelph Evening Mercury

WEDNESDAY EV'NG, OCTOBER 28

NORAH CUSHALEEN

HAUNTED CASTLE.

Mary threw herself on the couch in a state of distraction. Her bosom was filled with horror and despair. The fate which threatened her was dreadful beyond conception, and there was no way of escape. Her burning brain was in a very whirl of horror. Reason itself seemed on the verge of dethronement. Hour after hour passed, and, as it grew late, shouts of mirth and revelry reached her from the hall below, and the finmes of the strong drink floated into the chamber.

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We shall for a little leave the poor girl lying there in shuddering agony, and see what is going forward in the large chamber from which the loud noises ascended. In this safe and secret cave among the mountains, a body of men, of whom Thady was the head, carried on to a considerable extent a system of illicit distillation. Rough, rude men they were, as befitted their place and occupation. They were not slow to patronise their own manufacture, and "drawing night" was with them a night of wild revelry and dissipation.

It was now being enjoyed with all its noisy extrawagance. The work was over, the liquor was deposited in casks, and the drunken carnival which followed this operation was going forward. Songs were boisterously sung, accompanied by a still more boisterous chorus, and toasts were drunk with violently enthusiastic demonstrations. Irishmen are naturalized the control of the contr

"Horrah, boys,' shouted Paddy Doyle, starting to his feet, with a brimming glass in his hand, 'let us drink to the health uv the pretty colleen, 'Thady's prize that's waitin' him in the chamber above. May she live for ever, and Thady along wid her.'

A series of thundering whoops, which made the vaulted roof of the chamber ring, followed this toast, and every man drawk it in a full and foaming glass. In the midst of the deafening uproar, and while they were draining their glasses, a pair of black flaring eyes were gazing, or rather glaring upon them over the edge of one of the huge tubs which stood near the wall and in the shadow. Behind this tub the tall form of Kathleen lay crouching. She had steathily entered the cavern a few minutes before, a d now lay silently watching them.—At the toast given by Paddy Doyle, a fierce, vindictive light leapt into her black eyes, and she pressed her lips firmly-together to repress the passion that was aurging through her heart.

'Likten, boys, and I'll give ye another toast,' said Thady, rising and holding on by the edge of a cask, for he, as well as the rest, was considerably intoxicated. 'Here's to the health of 'Paddy Doyle and my ould sweetheart Kathleen. It's meeself that's going to make him a present of her, and may they live wate and happy wid each other to the end of the millenium.

This toast was received with vociferations similar to those which greeted the last; but on the face of Kathleen there came a scornful scowl, which deepened and deepened till her countenance became fiendish in its expression. Then the scowl changed into a cold contemptuous smile, and, slowly rising, she glided along the back of the vats, and with footsteps as noiseless as those of a cat, ascended the winding stair which led to the room where Mary was confined.

The key of the door was in the lock outside. She had, therefore, but to turn it and enter. The slight noise caused Mary to spring from the couch, and she was standing in an attitude of horror and dread when Kathleen appeared.

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TO BE CONTINUED.

EXPORT OF AMERICAN BREADSTUFFS.
—During the last week there were shipped from New York—principally for the English market—13,517 barrels of flour, 174,974 bushels of wheat, 78,362 bushel of corn and 24,021 bushels of rye. This 174,974 bushels of wheat, 78,302 bushel of corn and 24,021 bushels of rye. This is equal to 350,000 bushels of grain, and, occurring so soon after the harvest in both countries, shows that for some to come, at least, there will be a healthy European demand for American breadstuffs. But as the crops will be good throughout Europe, it is not likely the demand will long continue as brisk as now, and the probabilities are that there will be a considerable fall in prices. The American grain and flour usually reaches the English market earlier than that from Hungary, Southern Russia and the Baltic, hence the briskness of demand now and the high prices which prevail. The grain crop is excellent in almost all parts of the United States, and this will have a strong tendency to ameliorate the financial difficulties of the country. It is estimated that the American surplus of grain will reach \$75,000,000 in gold. Add to this the value of the surplus cotton crop, and the above figures will be increased to \$150,000,000 in gold. This large amount of exports cannot but produce a most favorable effect upon American finances.—

Haution Times.

Traction Engines.—A traction engine, lately purchased in England by Messrs. Gooderham & Worts, Toronto, was on board the Ardenice which went ashore at Fox river on the 13th inst., and is consequently lost. Another is expected however, or ly in the spring consigned for sale to Mr. W. Sutherland Taylor of Toronto.

An American paper says that in one of the fashionable churches in Pittsfield, strangers are sorted according to dress.—
If elegar ity dressed they are placed near the pulpit; a moderate display secures a position half-way up the aisle; but a lady moderately attired is put as near the door as possible.

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A CHOICE LOT OF

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NCLUD'NG Indigo, Madder, Extract of Log-wood, Cudbear, Fustic, Sumac, Quereitron, Brazil, Peachwood, &c. Also, a complete assort-ment of the 'ANALINE DYES,' of every shape in liquid form to suit purchasers.

Gaelph, 27th July, 1867

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STOLEN out of a field adjoining Mr. Henry Robert 'Tave'n, York Road, near Guelph, of Sunday night, the 3th inst., a grey mare, mostly white, and a black horse. The mare has a ring bone on the righ hind foot; she is about 12 years old. The horse is about 16 years old, and had a round spot bare of hair on the nigh foreleg at the knee; his off hind foot was white. Any information which will lead to the arrest of the thiefor the recovery of the horses will be handsomely rewarled by the owner at Mr. Roberts' Tavern, Y. Road. ALEX. McLENNAN

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October 15, 1867.
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ALEX. LUTTERALL, Sec., Ostic P O

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Fall and Winter Dry Goods!

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Guelph, October 5, 1867.

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Guelph, 16th Oct., 1867

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THE above Goods are all newly imported and warranted to give satisfaction, both as to price and quality. JOHN A. WOOD.

FRESHOYSTERS \$100 REWARD TOLEN from my Trunk on the evening Wednesday last, 9th inst., \$66 about \$300 of which are in silver, the balan principally in Gore Bank \$10 bills. The suppos

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Opposite the Mark Guelph, October 18, 1867. dw-tf

STRAY HEIFER. C aME on the subscriber's farm, about the middle of June, a roan heifer, with a white star or the face. The owner can have her by proving property and paying expenses.

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