Alleged Case of Child Murder in Brantford.

ARREST OF A MINISTER AND HIS MISTRESS ON THE CHARGE.

We learn from the *Planet* that on Monday last a telegram was sent from Brantford to the Mayor of Chatham, for the purpose of having arrested, on charge of child murder, a colored man named O'Banyan, and a woman named Rachel Palmer. The telegram was handed to the Police Magistrate, who put it in Constable Goodyear's hands, who was successful in effecting the arrest of both parties the same day and lodging them in gaol. On the following day they were taken in charge by an officer from Brantford, and left Chatham for that place, on the day express. The circumstances of the case, as we have heard them, are those: Last Fall O'Banyan was living in Brantford, where he has a wife, who we are told is now in gaol on charge of robbery or housebreaking. He not only preached in the Episcopal (colored) Methodist Church, but inconsistently cohabited with the female Rachel Palmer. In October last a child was born, the result of this illicit intercourse, which child was mysteriously made away with, and its whereabouts remained unknown to all save two or three, until Monday last, when, upon the revelation of an eye-witness to the murder and doing away with the child, it was found in the vault of a privy. It was upon this revelation that the arrest of O'Banyan and his paramour was made. So far as we have heard the case, there appears to be no question as to the guilt of the parties charged. At the time of his arrest O'Banyan was engaged in holding protracted religious meetings among the colored people of Chatham, where he has hitherto been looked upon as a worthy, zealous and exemplary member of the colored Episcopal Methodist denomination.

Horace Greeley taken for a Vagrant.

A New York correspondent tells the following communication to the Cincinnati *Commercial:*

"*En passant* they tell an amusing story here of Horace Greeley, whose style of dress, it is well known, is hardly of the O'Ansay model. The distinguished journalist was coming one afternoon, more abstracted and slovenly than usual, from the Bible House, where he looks himself in every day and labors on his 'American Conflict,' when he happened to be swallowed up in the crowd of vagrants and thieves that are daily sent from the Toombs (city prison) to Blackwell's Island in the East River. The white-coated philosopher, finding himself in such company, endeavoured to get out of it, but a zealous Dogberry, thinking, from his costume, that he was a vagrant desirous of escaping, seized him by the collar and marched him to the boat, amid the cheers of the unfortunate wretches, who believed him one of their crew, Mr. Greeley protested again and again that he had several editorials to write for the *Tribune*, and must not be detained; but this declaration caused the policemen to think that the 'old cove was crazy,' and must go to the lunatic asylum. The boat, full of malefactors, had already steamed out into the river, when some one on the vessel recognized H. G.—mad as a hornet, and using some very strong expletives by this time—and released him from his disagreeable predicament, greatly to the delight of the perplexed editor, and to the profound mortification of the over earnest policeman.

Discovery of Arms in Dublin.

Dublin papers of January 10th say:—"The work shop where the Dublin police made to day the large seizure of pikes is situated in one of the most thickly inhabited back parts of the city, and surrounded chiefly by butchers stalls and shops of a low class. A bench had been constructed in the shop which externally had the appearance of being unoccupied, and it was furnished with all necessary tools for a carpenter—planes, chisels, adzes, saws and other implements. The police found here nearly seventy pikes fully fitted with ash handles twelve feet long and ready for use. There were along with them 107 pike heads, well shaped, and formidable of their character. In an apartment adjoining, with an earthen floor, the officers found 133 pike heads buried, and twenty-nine unfitted handles. Subsequently they found, in the house of a man named Tracy, in the same neighborhood, fourteen rolls of sheet copper, weighing 314 lbs., for making percussion caps. Along with these they took a rifle and bayonet, and an old double-barrelled pistol. They arrested on suspicion a man named Browne, who was found at the work-shop and could give no good account of himself, and also the wife of the person in whose lodgings the copper was discovered, her husband being absent.

Hair Dressing—New Style.

The *Boudoir* has the following descriptions of New Styles of Hair Dressing, as seen at a leading establishment in New York, which may prove of interest to our lady readers: 'Besides to the elegant coiffures which we illustrated last week, we saw at the establishment of Madame Coudray three others equally elegant, but not so applicable to the majority of faces br of heads. One, of the blonde hair, was arranged in short puff curls on the brow, and surmounted by a coronet of scarlet velvet dotted with pearl. A band corresponding to the coronet crossed the middle of the head, and a comb back of the same projected above a fall of short curls. The peculiarity of these ornaments is, that they do not extend to the sides of the head, but from three brilliant bars on the top. The sides are full short clustering curls and the back hair is drawn up from the back of the head, showing the roots at the nape of the neck, after the manner of English ladies a century ago. We cannot say that we like the style. It looks bare, and as most ladies, from wearing their hair low on the neck, have no longer presentable napes," we can confidently assert that it will not become popular. Still, as ultra fashionables will have new things, as they can make their napes presentable by applications of quicklime, or by following the more complicated though still simple, directions of 'Normus Rex,' given in last week's Boudoir, we will expect to see more than one bare poll during the season. This is the point at which re-action from the waterfall must stop. It can go no further.

Among the pretty styles in blonde hair a the same establishment is the St. Cecelia. It consists of a row of Mette ni h curls on the brow. A half wreath of white violets in their leaves begins near the middle of the brow and extends along the side; the hair is combed back from the temples and puffed; the back is formed of one loop, of very large braid; two ringlets hang in the centre of the loop, and two on the right side of the braid; zephyr curls on the nape of the neck. An other—demanding a classical face—curled *a la Metternich* on the brow, the side hair combed plainly back, showing the temples, a goriole of apple blossoms around the crown and sprays descending among the curls on the brow and the knot of hair behind, said knot being curled here and there, affecting carlessness with most artistic effect."

☞It was announced some days ago that the city of Constantinople, destroyed by fire on the 7th September last, would be rebuilt at the expense of Ishmael Pacha. This was not true: Ishmael Pacha has contributed a considerable sum, about 250,000 piastres, to the subscription list opened for the relief of the persons whose property has been lost but the reconstruction of their domiciles is to be provided for out of the general sum subscribed, by large sums alloted monthly by the Sultan, as well as with the aid of one million of piastres subscribed by his Majesty on the day after the fire, for the benefit of the victims of this terrible catastrophe. According to an official notification published in all the Constantinople journals, four millions of piastres have been distributed out of the total sum subscribed to supply the most pressing wants of the sufferers. The remainder will be devoted to the rebuilding of houses in stone, in which the present families will be lodged at a very low rent.

EXETER.

DISCUSSION.—There is to be a discussion here on the evening of Friday, the 16th inst., between three speakers from Brucefield and three from this place. The subject is, "Was the beheading of Charles first of England justifiable." It will take place in the School House at 7 o'clock, and from the nature of the subject, and the known ability of the parties who are to take part in it, it is expected to be both interesting and instructive.

ONE WHO INTENDS TO BE THERE.

ANOTHER DARING ROBBERY AT HAMILTON.—A daring robbery was committed last evening, on John Street, Messrs. Levi & Bros. a Jewish firm, being the victims. Messrs. Levi are dealers in watch materials, jewellery, &c, One of the Messrs. Levi is in the country, and it appears that the other went out about half past six to go to the post-office. He locked the door of his room, taking the key with him, and leaving behind a pedlar's box, which he had been in the habit of carrying on his going through the country, and in which were deposited jewellery, specie and notes, to the value of some $4,000. On his return from the post office, Mr. Levi was startled to find the door open, with a key in the key hole, and the box in question, with all the contents removed. The key was rather bent, but in other respects was exactly similar to the one he carried with him. A servant girl in one of the adjacent rooms testifies that, during Mr. Levi's absence, she heard some person trying to unlock the door, but supposing it to be Mr. Levi himself, she paid no more attention to the matter. Mr. Levi at once gave information at the police office; but as yet the robber has not been captured.

MARRIAGES IN CHURCH.—A Correspondent of the Evangelist writes: It is fit and best that marriages should be solemnized in church, for which I give good and sufficient reasons, viz.: 1. The capacity of a church affords room to admit the presence of many friends so that many are gratified, and thus the ties of interest and friendliness are multiplied in community. 2. Frequently it becomes important to prove the fact of marriage long after memorials less enduring than youthful memory have suffered erasure. 2. No other surroundings can be so impressing upon the minds of the contracting parties, and makes so real to them the weighty covenant into which they enter, as those that cluster at God's altar. 4. The proprieties suited to the place secure against the enactment of unsee nly frivolities. 5. It establishes a fashion convenient for families of limited means, because capable of adjustment to any amount of expenditure. It deference to the Christian public, let it be added that this suggestion is put forth interrogatively, rather than dogmatically.

A GREAT FARMER'S MAXIMS.—The successful life of Mr. Jacob Strawn, the prince of American farmers, is attributed to the close observance of the following, originated by himself:

"When you wake up do not roll over, but roll out. It will give you time to ditch your sloughs, break them up, harrow them, and sow with timothy and red clover. One bushel of clover or two of timothy is enough Make your fence high, tight and strong, so that it will keep cattle and pigs out. If you have brush, make your lots secure, and keep your hogs from the cattle, for if the corn is clean they will eat it the better than if it is not. Be sure to get your hands to bed by seven o'clock; they will rise early by the force of circumstances. Pay a hand, if he is a poor hand, all you promise; if he is a good one pay him a little more; it will encourage him to do still better. Always feed your hands as well as you do yourself, for the laboring men are the bone and sinew of the world, and ought to be well treated. Make your tracks when it rains hard, cleaning your stables, or fixing something which you would have to stop your plow for and fix in good weather. Make your tracks fixing your fence, or a gate that is off the hinges, or weather boarding your barn where the wind has blown off the siding, or patching the roof of your house or barn. Take your time and make your calculations, don't do things in a hurry, but do them at the right time, and keep your mind as well as your body employed.

Society in Jamaica.

A writer in the English *St. James Magazine* says: "The daily life of even the thriving classes in Jamaica must appear sad to one accustomed to the order, regularity and economy of an English home. Here, men who are bankrupts, and whose official salaries are absolutely to a great extent in the liquidation of their debts, hold offices of the highest trust under government. Then, again, we hear of clergymen of the established church with judgments out against them for thousands of pounds, and yet it is more than probable that such debts amount to five times the actual value received; while on the other hand, the inability to pay has arisen from bad house hold management in the simple matter of servants being allowed to pilfer, and food, etc., not being examined. With every local advantage, provisions are dear in Jamaica, and particularly so in Kingston and its neighborhood. Any one commencing to break through established cloth would meet with no mercy. With magnificent pasturage, dessicated milk from America and salt butter from Cork are alone used as a general rule, for fresh Butter costs about four shillings per pound and milk is equally expensive. With abundance of fine poultry, eggs are not unfrequently two pence a piece. The coasts of the island are the resort of excellent fish of many varieties; and yet that imported from America is the stamp. With heards of swine feeding on the purifying orange and the hog plum which drop at their feet, unknown salt pork is imported. The island abounds in natural condiments of the choicest description, and yet the tables are supplied with the inferior pickled gherkins of New York. Then, in other respects, the same dependence on America is conspicuous. American carriages, furniture, etc., are a drug almost in the market. Those who cannot afford to keep carriages—if fem ales—are denied the useful intercourse of society; whereas, with a slight capital, a system of palanquin traveling might be introduced with great advantage in a town like Kingston. It will be observed that amongst the miscellaneous imports above mentioned, better substitutes are to be found on the spot where there are the finest cows to produce butter, swine fed on the orange, and fruit groves in large numbers.'

☞Going to Ramoth Gilead.—A sailor, who had served the king so long at sea that he almost forgot the usages of civilized society on shore, went one day into the church at his native town at Kircaldy, in Fife, where it happened that the minister chose for his text the well known passage, 'who will go up with us to Ramoth Gilead? This emphatic appeal being read a second time, and in a still more impressive tone of voice, the thoughtless tar crammed a quid of tobacco into his cheek, rose up, put on his hat, then looking around him, and seeing nobody moving, he exclaimed, 'you cowardly lubbers! Will nobody go up with the old gentleman? I'll go for one! So out he went, giving three cheers at the door, to the amazement of all present.

☞Come Bridget, get up! Here 'tis Monday morning. To morrow's Tuesday, next day's Wednesday—half the week gone, and nothing done yet!

☞A man named John Jones, living at Atlanta, Georgia, sends to the Wyandotte *Kansas Gazette* the small sum of $50,000 Confederate money, and asks the editor to send the paper for one month!

☞It is estimated, says the London *Times* that 300,000 fat cattle, representing about 90,000 tons of beef, are taken for the annual supply of that city. It is also estimated that 80,000 tons of larger and finer kinds of fish, enter into the year's consumption, independent of sprats, herrings and shell-fish.

Lost Sheep.

A preacher of the Methodist Church was travelling in one the back settlements, and stopped at a cabin, where an old lady received him very kindly. After setting provisions before him, she began to question him.

"Stranger where mought you be from?"

"Madam, I reside in Shelby County' Kentucky."

"Well, stranger, hope no offence, but what mought you be doin' way up here?"

"Madam, I am searching for the lost sheep of the tribe of Israel."

"John, John!" shouted the old lady, "come rite here this minit; here's a stranger all the way from Shelby County, Kentuckey, a hunting stock, and I'll jest bet my life that tangled haired old black ram that's been in our lot all last week, is one of his'n!"

☞M. Guizot is said to have sketched the proper policy of France to a friend in the Ministry in these words:—"Stop at Home, get away from Mexico as quickly as you can, and don't go near Belgium."

SENSATIONAL LITERATURE.—An inquest was held on a girl aged seventeen, whose death was attributed to the reading of "sensation" literature. Her name was Martha Wells, and she had been engaged as servant in the family of a merchant's clerk. One morning her mistress found her suspended by a rope to a beam in the wash house. Under the pillow on her bed was a romance which she had doubtless been reading during the night. It was entitled "The Only Son of his Mother," and a leaf was turned down at that point in the story where the son after murdering his mother, goes and hangs himself. The poor weak minded girl was very steady, and engaged to be married.

A QUERY.—If four cats with sixteen legs catch fourteen rats with forty two legs during the time a man is saying Jack Robinson, how many legs must eight rats have to get away from the same number of cats in two minutes, due allowance being made for tare and tret?

☞Two QUESTIONS EASILY ANSWERED.—Why should men wear beards? Because they are a great protection to the throat and lungs, and add much to their personal appearance.

Why should we use "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers? Because when used for coughs, colds, tickling in the throat, hoarseness, &c. they act like a charm. Ministers and lawyers use them, physicians recommend them, and singers and public speakers say they are the very best medicine in existence for the cure of such complaints. Sold by all medicine dealers, 25cts. per box.

☞THE RAT HOLE FLEET.—The Yankees have sunk some 20 vessels loaded with stone at the mouth of Charlestone Harbor, which will doubtless prevent any vessels drawing over a few feet of water, entering that port for a long time to come, this must prove a serious loss to the property owners there. But it will not at all interfere with the supplies of the "Canadian Pain Destroyers" for the cure of rheumatism. Tiedolourex, neuralgia, toothache, and all complaints of that nature, Sold by all Medicine Dealers everywhere, price 25cts per bottle.

☞NOT QUITE SO.—It is among the most savage and debased tribes only that the condition and comfort of the horse have been neglected; but we believe there are many in civilized countries who are guilty of the same neglect, and without the excuse of the former; here all may avail themselves of the use of an article which has done more than any thing else heretofore known to improve the condition and relieve the suffering of the horse. Those who will not use it will be the losers, their horses the sufferers, to avoid both use 'Dailey's Arnham Heave Remedy and condition Medicine,' and you will be satisfied with the result.

Remember the name, and see that the signature of *Hard & Co.'s* on each package.

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THE MARKETS.

GODERICH, Feb. 6, 1866.

Spring Wheat,	1:00	(a)	1:04
Fall do	$1:27	(a)	1:30
Oats,	0:20	(a)	0:23
Flour	5:00	(a)	5:00
Barley	0:40	(a)	0:45
Peas	0:37½	(a)	0:40
Sheep	4:00	(a)	5:00
Pork	7:25	(a)	0:00
Beef	5:00	(a)	5:50
Hides (green)	4:50	(a)	0:00
Butter	0:15	(a)	0:18
Potatoes	0:20	(a)	0:25
Wood	1:75	(a)	2:25
Hay, new P ton	7:00	(a)	8:00
Turkies	0:00	(a)	0:87½

New Advertisements

County of Huron AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY SPRING EXHIBITION.

Spring Seeds, Stallions and Bulls.

AN Exhibition connected with the above Society, will be held in Goderich, on WEDNESDAY, 14th MARCH, 1866, for Spring Seeds, when the following premiums will be awarded: Best 10 bushels Spring Wheat $3.00, 2nd do 7.00, 3rd do 5.00; best 10 bushels Oats 3.00, 2nd do 2.00, 3rd do 1.00; best 10 bushels Peas 3.00, 2nd do 2.00, 3rd do 1.00; best 10 bushels Barley 3.00, 2nd do 2.00, 3rd do 1.00; best bushel Timothy Seed 1.50, 2nd do 1.00; best 2 bushels Corn 1.00, 2nd do 0.75, 3rd do 0.50; best bushel Flax Seed 1.50, 2nd do 1.00.

All the Seeds taking premiums to be sold to the members of the Society only, on the Show day, at a price not to exceed 12½ cents per bushel over and above the market price on that day.

The exhibition of Stallions and Bulls will take place at Goderich on Thursday, 12th day of April, 1866, when the following premiums will be awarded: best Stallion for general purposes $10.00, 2nd best do 8.00, 3rd best do 6.00; best Bull of any class 5.00, 2nd best do 4.00, 3rd best do 3.00.

The Stallions taking premiums must travel within the limits of the County Society and stop at the following places not later than every ninth day, viz: Goderich Town, Porter's Hill, Holmesville, Clinton, and Smith's Hill, and continue throughout the season as above.

G. M. TRUEMAN, Secretary.
Goderich, Feb. 5th, 1866. w2

Insolvent Act of 1864.

Province of Canada, County of Huron, to wit:	In the County Court of the United Counties of Huron and Bruce.

Alexander McKenzie, *Plaintiff,*
versus
Daniel L. Sills, *Defendant.*

UPON reading the application herein, the writ of Attachment and the papers filed; it is ordered that a meeting of the creditors of the above named defendent be held before me at the Court House in the Town of Goderich, in the said Counties, on Tuesday, the twenty-seventh day of February, 1866, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of giving their advice upon the appointment of an official assignee for the estate of the said defendant. And it is ordered that this notice be published in the "Canada Gazette" two weeks, pursuant to the statute, and in the "Huron Signal," at Goderich, for two weeks.

Given under my hand, this third day of February, 1866.

(Sd) ROBERT COOPER,
sw46w2td Judge Huron and Bruce,

New Advertisements

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Relieves Pain in the Head, and Sick Headache.
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The Canadian Pain Destroyer
Cures Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery and Bowel Complaints.
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Cures Sudden Colds and Sore Throats.
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Cures Neuralgia, Tic Doulourceaux and Tooth ache.
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TO MARRIED LADIES

it is peculiarly suited. It will, in a short time, bring on the monthly period with regularity.

Each bottle, price One Dollar, bears the Government Stamp of Great Britain to prevent counterfeits.

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These Pills should not be taken by females during the FIRST THREE MONTHS of Pregnancy, as they are sure to bring on Miscarriage, but at any other time they are safe.

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Full directions in the pamphlet around each package, which should be carefully preserved.

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And give clearness to the Voice.
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Coughs, Colds, and all diseases of the Chest and Lungs.
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NOTICE.—Came into the enclosure of the subscriber, lot 7, con. 8, township of McKillop, about the middle of Nov. last, a steer rising 2 years and a heifer rising 3 years, both spotted red and white. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take them away.

MARTIN EBERLING.
McKillop, Jan. 23d, 1866. 52 3t

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J. Y. ELWOOD,
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sw45] Opposite the Post Office, Goderich.

Mail Contracts.

TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, 2nd March, 1866, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on proposed Contracts, for four years, as under, on and from the 1st April next.

BETWEEN

Bandon and Harpurhey, three times per week, each way.
Clinton and Wingham, daily each way.
Clinton and Porter's Hill, three times per week, each way.
Donegal and Newry, three times per week each way.
Exeter and Lundey, three times per week each way.
Lisadel and Wroxeter, daily each way,

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contracts may be seen, and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices above mentioned, and at the office of the subscriber.

GILBERT GRIFFIN,
P. O. Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
London, 19 Jan., 1866. w2 3t

☞Mr. James Cousins of London was severely injured a day or two ago, by the falling of a pump log upon his chest. There are hopes of his recovery.

New Advertisements

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

CHANCERY SALE OF Real Estate.

IN pursuance of the Decree and Final Order for Sale, made in a certain cause pending in the Court of Chancery for Upper Canada, entitled "Ross against Rumball and others," will be sold by Public Auction

BY GEORGE MOON TRUEMAN,
AT HIS AUCTION ROOMS,
IN THE TOWN OF GODERICH,

With the approbation of Robert John Turner, Esq., accountant of the said Court,

On Saturday, the 17th day of Feb., 1866,

At twelve o'clock, noon, the following property in one lot:—All that capital messuage or tenement, being lot number ninety five, and situate in Cobourg street, in the said Town of Goderich, which, with the premises occupied therewith, contain by admeasurement one quarter of an acre, more or less, as the same is now in the occupation of Mr. George Rumball; the said lot is also known as lot 2, fronting on Light House Point.

The house is substantially built of brick, is in excellent repair, and well qualified for the residence of a respectable family.

The purchaser at the time of sale will be required to pay to the vendor or his solicitor a deposit in the proportion of £10 for every £100 of his purchase money, and the balance in six weeks thereafter with interest, at the rate of six per centum per annum, and upon payment thereof the purchaser will be entitled to a conveyance and to be let into possession. The conditions of sale will in all other respects be the standing conditions of the Court of Chancery.

Further particulars and conditions of sale may be had on application at the law office of Messrs. Crawford & Crombie, Masonic Hall, Toronto Street, Toronto; of J. B. Gordon, Esquire, Goderich, and of Messrs. Rumball and VanEvery, and the Auctioneer, at Goderich.

Dated the 17th day of January, 1866.

ROBERT J. TURNER.
CRAWFORD & CROMBIE,
Vendor's Solicitors. wl 3w

Insolvent Act of 1864 and Amendments.

In the matter of William Gerrend, an Insolvent.

THE undersigned has been appointed assignee in this matter, and requires claims to be filed within two months from this date.

Seaforth, Co. Huron, 9th January, 1866.

WILLIAM N. WATSON,
Assignee.
S. C. McCAUGHEY,
Solicitor for assignee. wl 2w

BROOMS FOUND.

THE party who lost a number of brooms near Goderich, can have the same by calling at A. Black's Hotel, proving property, and paying for this advertisement.

Goderich, Jan. 25, 1866. wl 3t

Consulate of the United States of America.

DARK'S HOTEL.

Office hours from 9 o'clock, a. m., to 3 o'clock, p. m.

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 County Court of the United Counties of Huron and Bruce, and to me directed against the lands and tenements of George Diggar and Nesbit Diggar, at the suit of James Hall, I have seized and taken in Execution all the right, title and interest of the said defendant in and to the south-west corner of lot Number one, in the eighteenth concession of the Township of Grey, containing one half acre of land with the buildings thereon erected, and known as Diggar's Tavern; which lands and tenements I shall offer for sale at my office in the Court House, in the Town of Goderich on Tuesday, the first day of May next, at the hour of Twelve of the clock, noon.

JOHN MACDONALD,
Sheriff, H. & B.
Sheriff's Office, Goderich, 23rd Jan., 1866. wl

Insolvent Act of 1864.

Province of Canada, United Counties of Huron and Bruce.	In the County Court of the United Counties of Huron and Bruce.

In the matter of John Maclean, of Tuckersmith, an Insolvent.

THE undersigned has filed a consent by his creditors to his discharge, and on Friday, the 30th day of March next he will apply to the Judge of the said Court for a confirmation thereof.

JOHN MACLEAN,
by his attorney *ad litem*, W.F. FINDLAY.
Hamilton, 17 January, 1866. w52*p2m

Insolvent Act of 1864 and Amendments.

THE creditors of the undersigned are notified to meet at the office of S. G. McCaughey, solicitor, Seaforth, Co. Huron, on Tuesday, the 13th day of February, 1866, at one of the clock, noon, for the purpose of receiving statements of his affairs and of naming an assignee to whom he may make an assignment under the above Act.

Domiciled at Seaforth, Co. Huron, this 1st day of December, 1865.

ROBERT HANNAH,
S. G. McCAUGHEY,
Solicitor for Insolvent. wl 2w

STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber, lot 30, con. 3rd, Wawanosh, about the middle of June last, two red steers rising two years old.

Came into the premises of the same about the last of Oct., two steers, one red and the other grey, apparently rising two years old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take them away.

JOHN BROWN.
Wawanosh, Jan. 30, 1866. wl 3t*

Notice to Fruit Growers

PARTIES desirous of having their orchards or nurseries properly pruned and dressed can have the same done at reasonable rates, and in a satisfactory manner, by applying to the undersigned, who has had a number of years experience in several of the most extensive Nurseries in Britain and America.

Address, postpaid, to

JOHN BAYNE,
River Bank, Amberly p.o.,
Ashfield.
February 2nd, 1866. w2 6w

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Very cheap for Cash.

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AT THE 'SIGNAL' OFFICE.

Jan. 16, 1866.

The Municipal Council

OF the Township of Usborne having passed a By Law repealing the By Law passed by the Electors last year, in accordance with the Temperance Act, prohibiting the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in the Township.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

That a Meeting of the Municipal Electors of the

Township of Usborne,

will be held in the Township Hall on

MONDAY, the 26th February,

at ten o'clock, A. M.,

FOR THE TAKING OF A POLL,

to decide whether or not the Repeal of said By Law be confirmed by such Electors.

WILLIAM EDMOND,
Tp. Clerk.
Usborne, Jan 30th, 1866. sw46w2td

Insolvent Act of 1864.

In the matter of Irwin Moore an Insolvent.

The Creditors of the Insolvent are notified that he has made an assignment of his Estate and his effects under the above act to me the undersigned assignee, and they are requested to furnish me within two months from this date, with their claims, specifying the security they hold, if any, and the value of it; and if none, stating the fact; the whole attested under oath with vouchers in support of such claims.

Dated at Goderich in the County of Huron this 29th of January 1866

C. CRABB,
Assignee.
sw2w 46

LOST.—On Sunday evening, 28th inst., a *White Victorine*. Any person finding the same will please leave it at Hale's Bakery. sw44

OIL LANDS IN ENNISKILLEN.

TENDERS will be received until SATURDAY, the TWENTY-FOURTH FEBRUARY next, by this Department, either for Leasing by payment of a Bonus in addition to a Royalty in money equal to one tenth of the products of Wells to be sunk, or for the absolute purchase payable in cash on issue of Patent, of the undermentioned lands:

S E ½, S W ¼, N E ¼ N W ¼, of Lot 8, 9th, Concession.
S E ¼, S W ¼, N E ¼, and N W ¼ of Lot 10, 6th Concession.
S E ¼, and S W ¼ of Lot 8, 10th Concession; S E ¼ and S W ¼ of Lot 9, 10th Concession.

Each parcel of land contains 50 Acres, and lies in the immediate vicinity of Oil workings.

(Signed,) W. SPRAGGE,
D. S. I. A.
Indian Department,
Ottawa, 25th January, 1866. sw41wid.

PIANO TUNING.

MR. Z. HEMPHILL, agent for A. & S. Nordhiemer, will remain in town for a few days. All orders left at Dark's Hotel will be attended to. Orders received for Pianos and Melodeons.

Goderich, Jan. 26, 1866. sw43

INSOLVENT ACT 1864.

In the matter of Robert Stewart and George F. Stewart, Insolvents.

THE undersigned has been appointed Assignee in this matter, and require claims to be filed within two months from this date.

Dated at Goderich in the County of Huron, this 8th day of January, A.D. 1866.

JAMES THOMSON, Assignee
sw41] JAMES THOMSON, Assignee

Money to Lend,

ON Real Estate, at 8 per cent and upwards. Charges reasonable. Apply to

SINCLAIR & WALKER,
Goderich, 17th January, 1866. w52 3m

Farm for Sale.

A SMALL farm of excellent land nicely situate, facing the River Maitland, and within 3 miles of the flourishing Village of Wingham, being the south half of Lot No. 14, on the ninth con. of the Township of Turnberry, containing 40 acres, 23 acres chopped, 16 acres of which the stumps will come out. Will be sold cheap for cash.

For further particulars apply to

JOHN W. ROWMAN,
General Agent, Wingham.
Jan. 20, 1866. w52 3m

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

THE well known Judge Farm, lot No. 3, 8th con., E. D., Colborne. This farm is within 6½ miles of Goderich, there is 77½ acres cleared, and a frame house and barn. One half is clear of stumps, and the other half from 2 to 4 years cholped, and has never been ploughed, there are also a young orchard of 158 trees of the best assortment of fruits a good well and pump. As to terms, &c. apply to

PATRICK CARROL.
Colborne, Nov. 30, 1865. w45 1m

DIVISION COURTS

Huron and Bruce.
1866.

JANUARY.

Bayfield	22nd.
Clinton	23rd.
Harpurhey	25th.
Exeter	30th.

FEBRUARY.

Dungannon	2nd.
Goderich	5th.
Wroxeter	16th.
Riversdale	22d.
Walkerton	24th.
Paisley	26th.
Southampton	28th.

January 2nd, 1866. w49

As entered in my office.
DAN. LIZARS,
Clerk of the Peace.
Huron & Bruce.

TAVERN STAND TO LEASE!

IN THE TOWN OF GODERICH.

THE tavern lately occupied by Mr. Beggs, on the corner of Kingston and Victoria streets, (part of the Allen Estate), will be leased for a term of years. Apply to

A. ALLEN,
GEO. COX, } Executors.
Goderich, Jan. 23, 1866. w52

CANADA COMPANY LANDS.

FARMERS and others desirous of purchasing Lands, are informed that the Canada Company have

Lands to Sell or Lease

In various parts of the Province.

The Company would particularly invite attention to their WILD LANDS in the Counties of

HURON AND PERTH,

which will be disposed of on liberal terms to parties who may be prepared to pay IN CASH, or a considerable sum down.

Canada Company's Office,
Toronto, 19th Dec'r, 1865. } 52w3m

To the Municipal Electors of the Township of WAWANOSH,

NOTICE is hereby given by the Municipal Council of the said Township that a By-Law to repeal a certain other By Law passed by the said Municipal Council on the 16th day of January, 1865, for the enforcement of the Temperance Act of 1864, will be submitted for their approval in terms of the said Temperance Act of 1864, on Friday the twenty third day of February next, at the School House on lot No 27, concession 8, in the said township, at the hour of ten in the forenoon.

JAS. SCOTT,
Town'p Clerk Wawanosh.
Dated at Wawanosh this 16th day of January, A.D. 1866, } w52td

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY given that application will be made to the next Session of Parliament for an Act legalizing and confirming an agreement made between the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada and the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway Company, bearing date the seventh day of July, 1864, and for other purposes.

Brantford, January 5th, 1866