Notes of Goderich.

Goderich is situated at the mouth of the Maitland river, on Lake Huron. The scenery along the valley is lovely, the river winding its way from a southeasterly direction extending for some miles, with a large and good harbor protected by two piers extending out into the Lake for 1,000 feet, also lighthouses and breakwater. A life boat and life saving apparatus is provided by the Government. The cliff is about 150 feet above water mark, reached by an incline for vehicles and also by steps from small but very beautiful parks on each side of the ravine. A large lighthouse crowns the top of the cliff. The town is rather awkwardly laid out, or rather it seems so to one used to the more modern square plan. It is in the shape of a wheel, with the courthouse and a large grassy space for the centre. This is called The Square but it is really octagon. The four main streets are named respectively, East, West, North and South, with short streets intervening. Some time after the town had begun to grow the square plan was followed, and in the more modern parts the streets are wide with abundance of shade trees, but no wood sidewalks. These are natural and owing to the boulevards being cut by bovine lawn mowers, it is rather disagreeable work walking the by streets after daylight. It has one advantage that the grass does not grow long enough to be disagreeable during a rainy spell. Anyway it is preferable to running the risk of breaking one's limbs by loose boards on the side walks, as in our own Royal City. There are many fine residences in and around Goderich, mostly built of wood, but there are several built of a dirty kind of brick, which detracts from the beauty of the place. The most prominent building is the new posteffice now building on West street. It is built of Guelph stone and is a substantial, neat, and handsome structure. The Dominion Government evidently do not expect the town to grow as they have only erected a building for the present which will, after the extension of the C. P. R. from Guelph, be totally inadequate. The court house is a dismal looking building, not near so imposing as our own court house on Woolwich street. There are many unused salt blocks which are an eye sore, and which give the place a forlorn appearance. There is a large agricultural park and baseball, and lacrosse grounds, also a fine cemetery. The High School is an imposing building, and there is talk of converting it into a Collegiate Institute. There are two Methodist churches, Knox (Presbyterian), Church of England and Roman Catholic and Convent, and also a Gaelic church. The officers in charge of the Salvation Army are our own Capt. Wm. Dyson and wife. There seems to be quite a large lumber trade, judging from the appearance of the wharves, which are now fully stored with piles of sawn lumber. The usual foundries, flour mills and other works which are always found in cities and towns of any note may be found here, and there is also an organ factory, employing from 25 to 30 men. Goderich seems to be suffering from some monopoly which the natives call the Grand Trunk. Any one can see that with proper railway facilities the town is bound to grow and be a place of some importance from its favorable situation on the lake. It is also the place of call for all the large lines of lake steamers, both Canadian and American. As a health seeking resort it has quite a reputation with Americans. Many families cross the lake every summer and take up their abode in Goderich. The heat is nicely tempered by the breezes from the lake, and on fine evenings scores of boats may be seen on the water for either pleasure or fishing, the mouth of the river being crowded with followers of old Isaak either in boats or on the breakwater.

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Smallpox on Board Ship.

QUEBEC, July 5.—Information was received here last night that a ship with smallpox on board had been detained yesterday at the quarantine station at Grosse Isle. Inquiry elicited the fact that the vessel in question was the barque Saratoga, which sailed from Marseilles on May 7th for this port in ballast. She was towed as far as Grosse Isle by the tug Beaver. Two of the Saratoga's crew died of the disease on the passage out and were buried at sea. Another is still down with the disease. The Beaver was permitted to return to port, but not until all her crew had been vaccinated.

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Promotion Examinations—Guelph Catholic Schools.

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Recommended—John Heffernan, John Horne, Robert O'Connor, Frank O'Donnell, William Smith.

Junior 2nd to Senior 2nd—Albert Boyd, Francis Boyd, David Burns, William Conway, Francis Ford, Edward Foster, John Hogan, Francis Lynch, James Readwin, Charles Stuart, John O'Connor.

Senior 2nd to Junior 3rd—Joseph Duignan, Francis Day, Francis Gibson, John Keleher, Thomas Keleher, Nicholas Kennedy, Edward O'Brien, Thos. O'Connor, Charles Sauer, John Wallace, Norman Reinhart. Recommended—William McGinnis, George Weisenborn, John Tracey, Chas. O'Connor.

Junior 3rd to Senior 3rd—Gregory Foltz, George Robinson, J. E. Hassan, F. Smith, Francis Johnson, John Muldoon.

Senior 3rd to Junior 4th—Arthur Hughes, John Hurley, Austin Doran, John Duggan, C. Redwin, Wm. Mulroney, Geo. Guy, E. Shipman, John D. Brunton, Geo. Goetz, E. Merlihan. Recommended—Frederick Gibson, W. B. McGowan.

Junior 4th to Senior 4th—Richard Day, Thomas O'Donnell, Albert Burns, George Hunt, James O'Brien.

GIRLS.

Tablet to 1st—Agnes Keleher, Annie Badeau, Mollie Duggan, May Flaherty, Mamie Gibson, Blandena Hoban, Agnes Boyle.

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Spring Wheat	0 90 to 0 90
Bran	12 00 to 12 00
Barley	0 35 to 0 40
Oats	0 35 to 0 36
Rye	0 42 to 0 45
Peas	0 55 to 0 60
Hay	6 00 to 8 00
Straw	5 50 to 8 00
Wood per cord	4 00 to 4 50
Eggs per doz	0 12 to 0 13
Butter dairy packed	0 12 to 0 13
Butter rolls	0 14 to 0 16
Cheese	0 11 to 0 12
Potatoes per bag	0 55 to 0 65
Apple	0 75 to 1 00
Pork	6 00 to 6 50
Lambskins	1 00 to 1 25
Pelts	0 40 to 0 80
Hides	2 50 to 3 00
Coarse Wool	0 20 to 0 20
Fine Wool	0 22 to 0 28
Turnips	0 15 to 0 20

Hamilton Markets.

July 3, 1890.	
Fall Wheat	0 95 to 0 95
Spring Wheat	0 72 to 0 72
Barley	0 40 to 0 40
Peas	0 56 to 0 56
Oats	0 39 to 0 40
Pork	9 75 to 6 75
Butter	0 14 to 0 16
Wool	0 14 to 0 23
Eggs	0 14 to 0 15
Hay	7 00 to 8 00
Potatoes	0 90 to 1 00

Toronto Markets.

July 3, 1890.	
Fall Wheat	1 00 to 1 00
Spring Wheat	0 95 to 1 00
Barley	0 45 to 0 50
Peas	0 60 to 0 62
Oats	0 42 to 0 43
Pork	6 00 to 6 50
Butter	0 15 to 0 17
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Six of the Nihilists arrested in Paris have been sentenced to three years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of 200 francs.

Mr. Caine has written to Mr. Gladstone that he has returned to the Gladstonian party and that he is prepared to accept Home Rule in principle while reserving freedom as to details.

The wages of the Northumberland miners have been increased 2½ per cent. This makes an advance of 30 per cent in the wages of the men within a few months.

Mr. Wm. Henry Smith will shortly give up the leadership of the Tories in the House of Commons and go into the House of Lords as Lord Walton.

It is reported that the inability of Major Wissmann to return to Africa was due to the morphine habit that he contracted during his long service in the dark continent.

Mr. F. C. Burnand's new book, burlesquing Mr. Stanley's In Darkest Africa, has made an immense hit. Thousands of copies have already been sold, and the demand for the work is unabated.

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The Cession of Heligoland.

LONDON, July 5.—The handing over of the Island of Heligoland to Germany is to be made an occasion of elaborate ceremony on the part of both powers. Two imposing fleets, one having on board the Emperor of Germany and the other being under command of the Duke of Edinburgh, will arrive off the island simultaneously. The British flag will first be saluted by the fleet, and then the island will be formally handed over. The German flag will then be hoisted and in turn be saluted by the British fleet. The officers of the British squadron will subsequently dine on the German flagship in order to meet the Emperor.

The Balkan Trouble Again.

BERLIN, July 5.—There are growing signs of an impending storm in the Balkans. The situation is so grave that the holiday vacations of the leading officials of the foreign office have been stopped. A momentous change appears to have occurred in Germany's policy in the Balkans. Instead of pursuing the semi neutral diplomacy of Prince Bismarck, the Emperor has directed Herr Radowitz to take the initiative in advising the Porte to meet the contending claims of Bulgaria. The Emperor's scheme of settlement, according to the accepted report in diplomatic circles, involves the displacing of Prince Ferdinand and the substitution of Prince Karl of Sweden as ruler of Bulgaria in his stead, and also an arrangement of the Russian indemnity by capitalising the amount through the International Council of Administration which now controls the Turkish loans. A general explosion in the Balkans may occur before the powers have time to consider Emperor William's proposal. Greece and Servia have added to the general embroglio by each presenting notes to the Porte stating that any concessions to Bulgaria would require similar concessions to the Greek and Servian nationalities.

Terrible Famine in the Soudan.

LONDON, July 6.—Advices have reached Cairo that the famine which has for some time past prevailed in the Soudan is increasing rapidly. Thousands of natives are without food of any kind and the reported number of deaths from starvation is appalling. With reports of this dreadful state of affairs come horrible stories of cannibalism, which is also said to be on the increase. It is reported that not long ago the dead were being eaten by the famished survivors, but the present advices represent matters as still worse. It is now asserted that large numbers of men, women and children are deliberately put to death, that they may serve as food for their frenzied companions. Relief has been extended to these unhappy people as far as possible, but not sufficient to allay the terrible suffering in the interior settlements, which are beyond reach.

The Cholera in Spain.

MADRID, July 5.—The cholera epidemic in Valencia has slightly increased. Eleven new cases and three deaths are reported at Rolova, and three new cases and three deaths at Gaudia.

The cholera returns from Valencia show a total of 29 new cases and 18 deaths on Saturday, and a total of 21 new cases and 13 deaths on Sunday.

Kemmler's Third Sentence.

BUFFALO, N.Y., July 4.—Wm. Kemmler, the murderer, will suffer the penalty of death by electricity during the week beginning August 4th. This was the sentence passed by Judge Childs upon him today.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers; there is no doubt about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhœa, regulates the stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives scope and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price twenty five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP.

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