In a moment the crying ceased, the little girl walked quietly on, shaking from head to foot with fear. Nor did she ever again enjoy being on that beach. The sight of the machines and bathing women dwelt on her mind-when left for a moment alone, she remembered them-at night, when she laid down on her little bed, she covered up her face with the clothes, and every noise startled her. She was an irritable, nervious child, and had been brought to the sea for her health. Little did her mother know why she grew paler every day, and less and less enjoyed her walks. Then bathing was ordered; the child cried bitterly when she heard it, but her mother laughed it off, and accompanied her herself the first morning, which was about a week after the occurrence Esther saw with the nurse. Esther was again sitting on the beach with John, and she heard the child's screams; these however, soon ceased, and when she was lifted into her mother's arms, who was waiting in the machine to recieve her, she was in a fit!

The nurse, - that thoughtless, unprincipled nurse, who to save herself trouble had frightened the child,-now lifted up her hands as she saw the rigid frame, the tightly clenched lips and limbs, saying, "Dear, dear! who would have thought it! dear me! how flutered I am-what a turn it has given me, I declare!" and so on.

Esther preciving that something serious was the matter, hastened to the spot and helped to hold the suffering child, while a messenger was sent for a medical man. Fit succeeded fit. At length they managed to convey her home, where warm baths and other remedies were used. The parents wondered that she should have been so seriously frightened at being bathed, for she had often before talked of it with pleasure. Some said bathing could not agree with her-the nurse hinted that it was the "shock," for she was always so timid and weak. The real truth no one knew but herself. For many many days, the anxious parents had little hope of her life, or if that was spared, they feared idiotcy; and it is as well to state here, that though this severe trial was not sent, still the little girl's constitution never recovered the blow. She was always afterwards subject to fits and nervous to a painful degree-the effects followed her to the grave!

"Indeed, ma'am," said Esther to Miss Marston when talking it over. "Indeed I thought at the time how wrong it was to frighten the child so, though I dare say the woman never thought of what she was doing, and when children are so contrary one does and says things one is sorry for afterwards!"

"Wrong !" said Miss Marston. "I think a person who wilfully frightens a child, deserves almost any punishment. It is bad enough to frighten them indirectly and unintentionally-I mean, to let a child fancy things as they are apt to do, when a few words of explanation might quiet them and do away with their fancies; but wilfully and purposely to work on their fears and pervert the truth-what can be worse?"

"I have always heard mother say," returned Esther, "how fond folks used to be of frightening children, and how she was alarmed herself when a little thing. She could not bear it, and has often cautioned us against it."

"Yes," said Miss Marston, "Many years ago old nurses were very fond of telling horrid stories, and talking of ghosts and those kind of things-they were themselves more superstitious than people are now; but I doubt if these old nursery tales had ever the bad effect that such a trick as has been played on this poor child is likely to have. Those were stories told to amuse them, and in affection, though perhaps injudiciously selected; but such abominable, coldhearted threats as this woman made use of, has not one shadow of excuse."

Here the conversation ended. The next few days were occupied with packing and preparing to go home, and the following week found them once more in Mr. Parker's house.

Advertisements.

Mr. ROBERT COOPER.

BARRISTER AND SOLICITOR, Wellington-street, opposite the Commercial Bank, Toronto. Toronto, Jan. 24th, 1849.

DONALD BETHUNE, Jr.

BARRISTER AND ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery and Bankruptey, CONVEYANCER, &c.

DIVISION STREET, COBOURG, CANADA WEST.

Cobourg, Oct. 21, 1845.

DR. HALLOWELL, HOUSE AND SURGERY

No. 38, QUEEN STREET EAST, TWO DOORS FROM CHURCH STREET. Toronto, 17th March, 1849.

FRANCIS H. HEWARD, COMMISSION MERCHANT.

CASH ADVANCES MADE ON PRODUCE.

OFFICE NEW MARKET BUILDINGS TOBONTO. July 25th, 1849.

J. P. CLARKE, Mus. Bac. K. C. PROFESSOR OF THE PIANO-FORTE. SINGING AND GUITAR,

Residence, Church Street. Toronto, January 13th, 1837.

COLUMBUS INSURANCE COMPANY, EDWARD G. O'BRIEN,

AGENT. Office removed to Church Street, four doors above the Court House,

Toronto, August 11th, 1849.

OWEN AND MILLS, COACH BUILDERS

FROM LONDON, KING STREET, TORONTO.

T. BILTON, MERCHANT TAILOR,

No. 2, Wellington Buildings, King Street, TORONTO,

CHURCH OR CHAMBER ORGAN. POR SALE, Four Rows of Pipes.— Cheap for Cash, or approved Credit. For particulars, apply to W. Townsend, corner of Bay and lichmond-streets.

September 5, 1849.

6-tf

GEORGE ARMITAGE,

MODELLER, Marble, Stone and Wood Carver, Corner of Elm and Yonge Streets, Toron

Every description of Plain and Ornamental Marble and Stone Work, consisting of Monuments, Tombs, Tablets, Grave-stones Fonts, Crests, Coats of Arms, Garden Ornaments, Chimney Pieces &c., &c., &c., executed on the shortest Notice, and on reasonable

Terms.

N. B. Monuments cleaned and Repaired, and Casts taken from
Living and Dead Subjects.

Toronto, March 27th, 1850.

35-1y

DOCTOR FOWLER, SURGEON DENTIST,

AS the honour of announcing his arrival in Toronto, with the intention of estably as a

SURGEON DENTIST.

Doctor F. feels confident, that from many years study under some of the most celebrated Surgeon Dentists in England and Scotland, and from a subsequent professional practice of Tweive Years in Britain, he will be able to give ample satisfaction to all who may honor him with their confidence.

Doctor F. has for the present rented the premises, No. 40, King t., West, adjoining the Cabinet Warehouse of Messrs. Jacques Hay, where he will be found et all hours of the day, devoting imself exclusively to the several branches of Dental Surgery. Toronto, July, 1850.

Organs! Organs! Organs!

THE SUBSCRIBERS beg leave to inform their Friends and the Public, that they will continue to Man-facture to Order any Size of

CHURCH OR CHAMBER ORGANS,

on most favourable terms. Metal Pipes and Reed Stops of every Description made to Order. N. B. All work done by H. & V., will be warranted.
Hamilton, April 2nd, 1850.

W. TOWNSEND,

PROFESSOR OF MUSIC, respectfully intimates to the Ladies and Gentry of Toronto, and its Vicinity, that he will be happy to receive orders for Tuning and epairing PIANO FORTES, on the shortest notice.

esidence—N. W. corner of Bay and Richmond-streets.
B. A fine-toned Six Octave Piano Forte for Sale.

FOR SALE.

pied by Mr. James Gibson, consisting of Four Houses and Lot the houses quite new, in good condition, and realizing about £50 per annum. THE PROPERTY on Agnes Street, at present occu-

The above property will be found an advantageous investment dwill be soid very low for Cash.

Apply on the Premises.

Toronto, May 7, 1850.

WANTED.

MARRIED MAN, with the best Testimonials and references as to character and ability, who has been accustomed to teaching for a number of years, is desirous of obtaining the charge of a School either in Town or Country, where his services may b required. His wife having likewise had experience in teaching would also assist, or separately take charge of a female or junior school. Apply if by letter (post-paid) to the Office of this paper. of this paper. Toronto, June 26th, 1850.

CASH ADVANCES ON PRODUCE.

THE SUBSCRIBER will make Liberal Advances in Cash on Produce, either for Sale in Toronto, or on Con-nent to his friends in Montreal, New York, Burlington, or

FRANCIS H. HEWARD.

JOHN S. BLOGG,

BOOT AND SHOEMAKER, (Next door to Messrs. Beckett, & Co., Medical Laboratory,)

KING STREET WEST, TORONTO,

H AS constantly on hand a heautiful Assortment of Ladies French Kid. Morrocco, and Patent Leather Shoes, together with a quantity of Satin Slippers of the very best quality.

Elastic Sandals, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Elastic Boots made to order in a style unsurpassed by any Establishment in the City.

Toronto, August 24th, 1848,

W. MORRISON,

Watch Maker and Manufacturing Jeweler, SILVER SMITH, &c. No. 9, KING STREET WEST, TORONTO. NEAT and good assortment of Jewellery, Watches, Clocks, &c. Spectacles, Jewellery and Watches of all kinds made and repaired to order.

Utmost value given for old Gold and Silver. Toronto, Jan. 28, 1847

PROSPECTUS

Church of England and Metropolitan Building Society.

Incorporated February 23, 1850,

Shares, £12 10s. each.

No Fees charged on Entrance. Monthly Subscriptions...... 1s. 3d. per Share.

JOHN ARNOLD, Esq., President. JAMES BEAVEN, D. D., Vice-President.

DIRECTORS:

The Hon. W. Cayley.
The Rev. S. Lett, LL.D. George Brock, Esq.
Jas. M. Strachan, Esq. P. Vankoughnet, Esq. G. W. ALLAN, Esq.

Mr. GEO. A. BARBER, Secretary and Treasurer.

Solicitors—Messis. Heath and Irving. Bankers—Bank of Upper Canada. Office—Albany Chambers.

ALTHOUGH this Society has mainly in view the intention of enabling members of the Church of England to contribute, by the payment of small periodical sums, towards either the endowment of a Church of England University, (in accordance with the recommendation of His Lordship the Bishop in his recent Pastoral Letter,) or the building and endowment of Churches, Parsonage Houses, and School Houses, in connexion with the Church of England—the Society. nevertheless does not contemplate restricting its operations to those objects only. On the contrary, like other Building Societies, the advantages of the Church of England and Metropolitan Building Society will be fully open to all parties, without distinction, who may choose to take Stock therein, either for investment—the acquisition of freehold or leasehold estate—the removal of incumbrances or liabilities upon property—or the privilege of borrowing the amount of their shares in advance, upon furnishing approved mortgage security. LTHOUGH this Society has mainly in view the advance, upon furnishing approved mortgage security.

Printed copies of the By-Laws and Regulations can be obtained from the undersigned, at the Offices of the Society, Albany Chambers; and it is requested that all Communications be post paid.

. BARBER, Secretary and Treasurer. 41-tf G. A. BARBER, Toronto, April 13th, 1850.

BURGESS & LEISHMAN, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

CORNER OF KING AND CHURCH STREETS, ADJOINING THE COURT HOUSE,

HAVE on hand the Largest, the Cheapest and the best Assortment of Rendy-made Clothing and Dry Goods in Canada West.

Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, and general Dry Goods, Imported direct from Britain, by Ourselves.

Garments made to order of every escription. Paris, London, and New York Fashions Received Monthly.

THE MOST APPROVED STYLE ADOPTED. In the Ready-made Clothing Department will be found Men's Linen Coats, from 4s 4\frac{1}{2}\dot \text{do Checked} \text{ do 6s 3d do Marcelles do do Black Alpaca do 11s 3d do Russell Cord do 13s 9d do Gambroon do 11s 3d do Princess Cord do 15s 9d do Tweed do 17s 6d do Boad Cloth do 32s 6d do Cassimere do 17s 6d do Gutta Perchado 30s 6d do Buckskin do Gutta Perchado 30s 6d do Buckskin do Buckskin do Boackin do Boac do Cassimere do

Men's Moleskin Trous.7s 6d

do Linen Drill do6s 9d

do Fancy Drill do4s 3d

do Tweed do

do Cassimere do

do Doeskin do

do Buckskin do

do Sattinett do

do Cloth do

do Cassimett do

| Men's Cloth Vests, from 7s 6d | do Black Satin do 8s 9d | do Fancy do 8s 9d | do Linen do 3s 4d | do Fancy do 4s 4\frac{1}{2}\text{d} do Plush | do | Boy's Tweed Vests, from 5s 0d do Cloth do 5s 0d do Cassimere do 5s 9d Boy's Drill Trous., do 4s 44d do Fancy do 4s 0d do God do Checked do 5s 0d do Cassimere do

Boy's Fancy Vests from 3s 0d do Silk do 5s 0d do Satin do 5s 0d

White Shirts, Linen Fronts 4s 43d Striped Cotton Shirts, 2s 6d Shirt Collars and Fronts, Red Flannel Shirts, Red Flannel Shirts, Cotton Under Shirts, 2s 6d Carpet Bags, Braces

White Shirts, Linen Fronts 4s 43d Neck Handkerchiefs, Gloves and Hoisery, Red Flannel Shirts, 4s 43d Cotton Under Shirts, 2s 6d Fancy Caps, Felt Hats.

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

DRY GOODS DEPARETHER.

1000 Muslin Dresses, from 3s 11d | Ribbons and Laces, | 1000 Parasols, | 2s 11d | 500 Straw Bonnets, | 1s 6d | 6d pair, | 1

Materials for Ladies' Dresses, every variety in Orleans, Alpacas, Lustres, Cobourgs, De Laines, Henrietta Cloths, &c., &c. Country Merchants Supplied with Ready Made Clothing on the lowest Wholesale Terms.

No Second Price. 20 THOMAS BURGESS.
JAMES LEISHMAN.

Corner of King and Church Streets, Adjoining the Court House Toronto, June 12, 1850.

JOHN ESMONDE, Iron and Tin-Plate Worker, Church Street, (One Door South of King-street)

E. having removed to the above premises, takes this opportunity of informing his friends and the public that he is now conducting the above business in all its various Branches: and as his prices will be found low, his work well executed, and of the very best materials, he begs to solicit a continuance of public patronage, and to return his sincere thanks for former favours extended to him.

COOKING, BOX, AND DUMB STOVES

Jobbing work of every description promptly executed on the most reasonable terms.

N.B .- Old Brass, Copper, Pewter, Lead, &c., taken in exchange. Toronto, August 22d, 1849.

QUEBEC FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL -- £250,000.

CONTINUES to accept Risks against Fire in and about Toronto. Losses promptly settled.



PROVINCIAL MUTUAL

AND

GENERAL INSURANCE COMPANY,

OFFICE, CHURCH STREET TORONTO NSURES in its Mutual Branch, Farm Property and detached Buildings,—all extra hazardous risks g excluded.

being excluded.

The Proprietory Branch includes Fire Insurance generally, as well as Inland and Ocean Marine Insurance, and Life Insurance. DIRECTORS:

A. M. CLARK, President.

J. S. Howard, V. P. John G. Bowes, J. L. Robinson, Esq., J. C. Morrison, W. L. Perrin, Wm. Atkinson, Wm. Gooderham,

J. J. Hayes, M. D. Solicitor - JOHN DUGGAN. Bankers - Commercial Bank.

E. G. O'BRIEN, Secretary.



MUNINAM HOME DISTRICT

MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OFFICE - No. 71, King Street, Toronto, over Darling Brothers.

INSURES Dwellings, Houses, Warehouse, Buildings in general, Merchandize, Household Furniture, Mills, Manufactories, &c.

DIRECTORS:

JOHN MCMURRICH, Esq., President. James Shaw, W. A. Baldwin, Alex'r McGlashan, Jesoph Sheard,

William Mathers, Thomas Clarkson, John B. Warren, B. W. Smith,

21-tf

J. Rains, Secretary. ust be post-paid.

Toronto, June 5th, 1850.

Franklin Jackes,

A. McMaster,

THE STEAMER PRINCESS ROYAL,

CAPT. HENRY TWOHY. W ILL leave Toronto for Kingston, calling at Port Hope and Cobourg, (weather permitting), every Wednesday and Saturday at Noon. Will leave Kingston for Toronto and intermediate ports every Monday and Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

Will leave Toronto for Hamilton every Tuesday and Friday Morning at eight o'clock. Will leave Hamilton for Toronto every Tuesday and Friday afternoon at three o'clock.

Tuesday and Friday afternoon at three o'clock.

The Steamer PRINCESS ROYAL having been furnished with new Boilers, is now one of the fastest Boats upon Lake Ontarlo, and having had her Upper Cabin extended nearly the whole length of her Deck, the accemmodatons for Passengers have been greatly increased. She has State Rooms for Upwards of Fifty Cabin Passengers, and several of them are fitted up with double French Bedsteads. She has long been well known as one of the best sea-boats upon the Lake, and is now one of the fastest and most commodious.

Royal Mail Steam Packet Office, Toronto, May 20th, 1850.

THE STEAMER SOVEREIGN.

CAPTAIN WILKINSON,

WILL leave Toronto for Niagara, Queenston and Lewiston every Afternoon, (Sundays excepted) at One o'clock.

Will leave Lewiston and Queenston for Toronto about half-past Eight o'clock in the Morning; and will arrive in time to meet the Mail Steamers for Kingston at Twelve, Noon. Cabin Passage (Meals extra one Dollar. Deck Passage, three quarters of a Dollar. Royal Mail Steam Packet Office, Toronto, May 20th, 1850.

THE STEAMER AMERICA,

CAPT. ROBERT KERR,

WILL, for the remainder of the Season leave Toronto for Rochester, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday Mornings, at Ten o clock precisely, and will touch at Port Hope and Cobourg, and intermediate Ports, (weather per-

Returning, will leave Rochester for Toronto, calling at Cobourg and intermediate ports every Monday, Wednesday and Friday Mornings at half-past Eight o'clock. Steamboat Office, 22 Front Street, Toronto, April 10th, 1850.

THE STEAMER ECLIPSE,

CAPT. HARRISON,

WILL leave Hamilton for Toronto every Morning, (Sundays excepted), at half-past seven o'clock, touching at the intermediate Ports, and will leave Toronto for Hamilton at Two o'clock in the Afternoon. Steamboat Office, 22 Front Street, Toronto, April 10th, 1850.