Contested Elections.

The dates fixed for the trial of the following election petitions are as follows:

Essex—Monday, August 24th, to be held at Sandwich.

Cornwall—Thursday, September 3rd.

London—Monday, September 7th.

South Renfrew—Tuesday, September 8th, to be held at Renfrew.

North Renfrew—Monday, September 14th, to be held at Pembroke.

Addington—Monday, September 21st, to be held at Napanee.

West Northumberland—Friday, Sept. 25th, at Cobourg.

Lincoln—Monday, Sept. 17th, at St. Catherines.

A few days ago, a farmer, residing near Fort Colborne, while laboring under the influence of a quantity of whiskey, drove his horses and wagon on to the railway track. While proceeding along the track a train came up behind him. The whistling of the engine caused the horses to start, and an exciting race ensued. The frightened team, however, kept ahead of the train until it was possible for the engineer to stop his engine. In their flight the team ran over a very high bridge, and it is marvelous that both team and driver were not dashed to pieces. Had the man been sober there is little doubt but he would have been killed.

THE MARKETS

Goderich, July 28, 1874.

Wheat, (Fall) ⅌ bush	$1 18	@ 1 20
Wheat, (Spring) ⅌ bush	1 12	@ 1 14
Flour, (per bbl.)	5 50	@ 6 00
Oats, ⅌ bush	0 35	@ 0 35
Peas, ⅌ bush	0 67	@ 0 68
Barley, ⅌ bush	1 00	@ 1 10
Potatoes, ⅌ bush	0 75	@ 1 00
Hay per ton	9 00	@ 10 00
Chickens per pair	0 25	@ 0 30
Butter, ⅌ lb	0 15	@ 0 17
Eggs, ⅌ doz (unpacked)	0 10	@ 0 11
Beef	5 00	@ 6 00
Hides	5 00	@ 6 00
Wool	0 30	@ 0 35
Tan Bark	4 00	@ 5 00
Wool	0 32	" 0 35

Clinton, July 28, 1874.

Wheat, (Fall) per bush	$1 15	@ 1 20
Wheat, (Spring) per bush	1 15	@ 1 20
Flour, (per bbl)	6 00	@ 6 00
Oats, per bush	35	@ 45
Peas, per bush	65	@ 67
Barley, per bush	1 00	@ 1 10
Potatoes, per bush	0 50	@ 0 60
Butter	0 16	@ 0 17
Eggs, per doz. (unpacked)	0 10	@ 0 11
Beef	4 50	" 6 00
Hay	10 00	@ 12 00
Sheep skins	0 25	@ 0 60
Hides	4 00	" 6 00
Wool	0 27	" 0 28

Seaforth, July 28, 1874.

Wheat, (Fall)	$1 18	" 1 20
Wheat, (Spring) per bush	1 15	" 1 16
Flour, (per bbl)	6 00	" 6 50
Barley, per bush	1 00	" 1 10
Oats, per bush	0 35	" 0 36
Peas, per bush	0 60	" 0 65
Potatoes, per bush	0 75	" 1 00
Butter	0 16	" 0 18
Eggs, per doz. (unpacked)	0 10	" 0 11
Beef	3 50	" 5 50
Hides	5 00	" 6 00
Hay	8 00	" 10 00
Wool	2 50	" 3 00
Wool	0 28	" 30

TORONTO MARKETS.

July 25th.—Fall Wheat, $1.25. Spring do $1.20 to $1.21. Barley 74c Oats 52c to 57c. Peas 70c Rye 75c. Butter 16c to 23c. Eggs 13c. to 15c.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

July 25th.—Wheat, $1.15 to $1.25 Peas $1.00 to $1.02½. Oats 51c. to 53c. Butter 20c to 22c. Cheese 11c. to 11½c. Eggs 15c to 16c. Ashes—Pots $6.90 to $6.00. Pearls, $7.75 to $7.80.

SUNDAY DIRECTORY.

Guide to Church Services.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH,
(Church of Scotland.)
REV. J. STRVENIGHT.
Morning service 11 A. M. Evening service 6:30 P. M. Sunday School 10 A. M.

KNOX CHURCH,
(Canada Presbyterian.)
REV. R. UNA.
Morning service 11 A. M. Evening service 6:30 P. M. Sunday School 2:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH,
(Church of England.)
REV. CANON REWOON.
Morning service 11 A. M. Evening service 7 P. M. Sunday School 3 P. M.

GAELIC PRESBYTERIAN,
(Temperance Hall.)
MR. MCGILLIVRAY.
Afternoon service 2 P. M. Evening service 6:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH
REV. JAS. GRAHAM.
Morning service 11 A. M. Evening service 6:30 P. M. Sunday School 2:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7:30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
REV. MR. ROSS.
Morning service 11 A. M. Evening service 6:30 P. M. Sunday School 2:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

METHODIST NEW CONNEXION CHURCH,
REV. F. N. NUGENT.
Morning service 11 A. M. Evening service 6:30 P. M. Sunday School 2:30 P. M.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH (Huron R.)
REV. CHAS. MATTHEWS.
Morning service 11 A. M. Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH,
REV. P. J. O'SHEA.
Mass at 8 and 10:30 A. M. Catechism 3 P. M. Vespers 7 P. M.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.
Prayer Meeting Saturday at 8 P. M. and Sunday at 9 A. M.

WANTED.

A SMART BOY AS APPRENTICE to the Watchmaking business.
Apply to
W. T. WELSH.
Goderich, 21st July, 1874. 1431

WANTED.

A TEACHER OF SOME EXPERIENCE in managing boys, for a Private Academy in Montreal. Salary $600. Address *immediately*
F. S. HAIGHT, M. A.,
Scotland, P. O.
Prov. Ont.
REFERENCE—The Editor of the HURON SIGNAL. 1431c

NOTICE.

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E. BUTTERICK.,
New York and Montreal.

N. B.—Hereafter the business for Seaforth and vicinity will be conducted by Mr. O. C. WILLSON, who is our only authorized agent, and who alone is empowered to collect moneys and grant receipts for us.
(231) E. BUTTERICK & Co.

GREAT REDUCTION
IN THE
PRICE OF CLOTHING.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING PURCHASED THE
Bankrupt Stock
OF
PHILO NOBLE,
Consisting of
READY MADE CLOTHING,
CLOTHS,
HATS AND CAPS,
AND
Gent's Furnishing Goods,
Offers them for sale at a
GREAT REDUCTION
ON FORMER PRICES.

He has also purchased the
BOOK DEBTS,
and requests all indebted to pay up as soon as possible and save costs.
L. WELLS.
Goderich, 7th May, 1874. 1421

SILVER WARE.

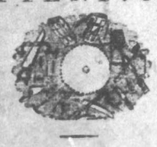
THE SUBSCRIBER HAS JUST OPENED OUT A LARGE STOCK OF
New Designs
in plated ware comprising
TEA & COFFEE SETTS,
ICE PITCHERS,
CAKE BASKETS,
BUTTER COOLERS,
WAITERS,
SYRUP JUGS,
FRUIT STANDS,
CARD TRAYS,
SPOON HOLDERS,
CRUET STANDS,
TOAST RACKS,
GOBLETS & CUPS
CALL BELLS,
&c., &c.

Plated Knives, Forks and Spoons in great variety, all of which he offers at the lowest possible prices.

☞ All goods marked in plain figures, FROM WHICH NO DEVIATION CAN BE MADE.

TERMS—Cash only.
THEO. J. MOOREHOUSE.
Goderich, May 19th, 1874.

ATTENTION.

HARDWARE.  HARDWARE.

PARTIAL LIST

of goods for sale at Parsons & Co's new Hardware Store, opposite the Market House.

NAILS, GLASS, PUTTY,
CARPENTERS TOOLS,
SPADES, SHOVELS,
SCYTHES, FORKS,
RAKES,
GRAIN CRADLES,

MANILLA ROPE,
HEMP AND RUBBER PACKING,
LEATHER BELTING, all sizes,
WHITE LEAD, all prices,
BOILED AND RAW OIL,
BLACK OIL,
MACHINERY OIL,
TURPENTINE,
And all kinds of

HARDWARE.

For Sale Cheap,
BY
G. H. Parsons & Co.
Opposite the Market House,
GODERICH
June, 25, 1874.

NEW GROCERY STORE,

VICTORIA STREET,
GODERICH,
Opposite the old Burying Ground

ALEX. ADAM

begs leave to inform the public of Goderich and surrounding country that he has opened that New Store on Victoria St. with a choice stock of

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

By keeping first class articles at low prices he hopes to get a share of public patronage. Call and give me a trial and judge for yourselves.

COFFEE GROUND DAILY.

A great treat for Breakfast.

A. Adam will always have on hand a supply of spiced beef hams.

Goderich, 11th Nov. 1873. 1385

CANNED AND BOTTLED
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

GREEN PEAS, *PEACHES,*
GREEN CORN, *PEARS,*
TOMATOES, *STRAWBERRIES,*
&c. &c. &c. *PLUMS,*
ENGLISH DAMSONS,
&c. &c. &c.

A LARGE VARIETY AT
D. FERGUSON'S.
1413

BANKRUPT STOCK OF JEWELRY.

W. T. WELSH

HAVING PURCHASED THE STOCK OF
D. McKENZIE,
intends opening out in a few days with a large stock of
WATCHES, CLOCKS & JEWELRY,
AND EVERYTHING USUALLY KEPT IN A
FIRST CLASS ESTABLISHMENT.
PARTICULAR ATTENTION GIVEN TO REPAIRING
Satisfaction guaranteed in every case or no charge will be made.

N. B.—A large lot of Violins, Concertinas and Accordians will be sold very cheap as the subscriber has no room to keep them.
1431

THE EMPORIUM.

GREAT BARGAINS
IN
BLACK LUSTRES,
AT J. C. DETLOR & CO'S.
SPECIAL VALUE IN
BROWN HOLLAND.
J. C. DETLOR & CO.

CLEARING SALE
OF DRY GOODS. &C.
THE FIRM OF
W. & J. KAY

HAVING TERMINATED BY THE DEMISE OF THE JUNIOR PARTNER, in order to effect an early settlement of the estate, the whole of their

LARGE AND VALUABLE STOCK

will be offered for sale on and after WEDNESDAY 17th inst., at such prices as will insure a speedy clearance.

The Stock being just replenished with a full assortment of seasonable Goods,—with several valuable lines suitable for the Fall—parties will find it an opportunity rarely to be met with.

TERMS CASH.

N. B.—All accounts due to the late Firm are requested to be paid to the undersigned forthwith.
W. KAY.
Goderich, 11th June, 1874. 1426

A Penny Saved
—IS—
A PENNY EARNED.
JUST ARRIVED,
Spiced Roll Bacon,
Sugar Cured Hams,
Green Bacon,
Cheese,
Butter &c., &c.

OUR Moyune Young Hyson, at 80c.
OUR Ping Suey Young Hyson at 80c.
OUR Uncolored Japan at 50c.
FOR STRENGTH, PURITY, AND FLAVOR cannot be beat.

OUR STOCK OF
Groceries & Provisions
IS WELL ASSORTED
OF GOOD QUALITY
AND
WELL WORTHY OF A CALL.
H. W. BALL.
1415 West Side Market Square.

MORTGAGE SALE
OF TIMBER LAND IN ASHFIELD.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A POWER OF Sale contained in a Mortgage made by Alexander McKay, default having been made in the payment thereof, there will be sold by Public Auction by Mr. M. TRUEMAN, Auctioneer, at his Auction Rooms in the Town of Goderich, on

Monday, the Seventeenth day of August, 1874,

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK, NOON,

The South East Quarter of Lot Number Two, in the 9th concession of the Township of Ashfield, in the County of Huron, containing 50 acres.

There is a bush lot well timbered and situated about five miles from the Village of Port Albert on Lake Huron.

Terms—Ten per cent at time of sale, balance in thirty days without interest.

For further particulars apply to Sinclair & Seager, Barristers, Goderich.
J. S. SINCLAIR,
1314 Vendors Solicitor.

NOTICE!

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO THE Signal Office for work done previous to the 21st December last, are required to pay up at once to the undersigned.
ABRAHAM SMITH
Goderich, Feb. 5, '72. mw983w3t

Spring and Summer
GOODS.
H. DUNLOP
Merchant Tailor,
WEST STREET,
GODERICH,

BEGS to direct attention to his very full stock of
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,
which he is prepared to make up in the most fashionable style and at the lowest rates.

Gents' Furnishings
of all kinds kept on hand as usual.
Goderich, 12th May, 1874.

1874. 1874.

Mackay Brothers'

STOCK OF

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS

Is now complete in every department which they are prepared to dispose of as cheap as any other house in the trade.

Next Door to the Post Office,

WEST STREET

GODERICH.

1389

GREAT CLEARING SALE
AT THE
MANCHESTER HOUSE.
CROFTS & JOHNSTON
WILL
COMMENCE THEIR CLEARING SALE
ON
SATURDAY, AUG. 1, 1874.

The Store will be closed on Friday, July 31st, for the purpose of marking down goods.

CROFTS & JOHNSTON.
JORDAN'S BLOCK, Market Square, Goderich

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES!

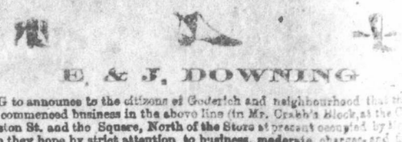
HARDWARE CHEAPER THAN EVER.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY.
TRY
KERR & McKENZIE,
FOR
BEST VALUE IN
Hardware of all Kinds,
INCLUDING
Nails, Bar Iron and Steel, Paints, Oils, Varnish, Glass, &c., &c. A large stock of Spades, Shovels and Grain Scoops from the best makers, in stock.

250 Cases of Star Glass to arrive in May, direct from Belgium.

☞ Sign of the Cross Cut Saw, Market Square ☜
Goderich, April 29th, 1874.

NEW BOOT AND SHOE STORE.



E. & J. DOWNING

BEG to announce to the citizens of Goderich and neighbourhood that they have commenced business in the above line (in Mr. Crabb's Block, at the Corner of Kingston St. and the Square, North of the Store at present occupied by Mr. Crabb) where they hope by strict attention to business, moderate charges and first-class goods, to merit a large share of patronage.

We have on hand a very large stock of ready made work selected by ourselves from the best manufacturers in the Dominion.

We shall also manufacture largely ourselves in the latest New York and European Styles. Having both been practical men for the last twenty years, it is with confidence we solicit the patronage of this Town and surrounding country.

Ordered work of every description a specialty. A perfect fit guaranteed.

A CALL IS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED.
E. & J. DOWNING

N. B.—Spanish Sole constantly on hand and for sale.
Goderich, March 31st 1874. 1415

NEW STORE
AND
NEW GOODS.
PREPARING FOR SPRING AT
R. B. SMITH'S.

THIS week we remove into our New Store, on the Corner opposite Henry Horton's (3 doors east of our present stand) and will at once open with a large and choice Stock of New Goods.

We shall be happy to have a call from our old customers and as many more as may favor us with their patronage.

W. R. ROBERTSON.
Goderich, April 7th, 1874. 1418

GREAT BARGAINS
IN
DRY GOODS
AT
MOORE & GORDON'S.

TRY
BUTTERFIELD'S
CHERRY BALSAM
FOR
COUGHS AND COLDS.
FOR SALE AT G. CATTLE'S
(Late Parker & Cattle's)
DRUG STORE,
MARKET SQUARE, GODERICH.
1416

CAMPBELL'S NEW BOOT & SHOE STORE

JUST RECEIVED, A LARGE STOCK OF
BOOTS AND SHOES,
PURCHASED FROM THE BEST MANUFACTURERS IN THE DOMINION, which will be sold
CHEAP FOR CASH
Formerly occupied by G. B. Parsons & Co., next door to G. N. Davis Tin Shop.
WILLIAM CAMPBELL.
Goderich, 17th April, 1874.

CLOTHING.

A. SMITH & CO.
Have just received the largest
Stock of Clothing
AND THE
BEST STOCK OF CLOTHS
AND
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS
Ever offered in Goderich, which they intend to sell
CHEAPER THAN CHEAP.
CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER
ON SHORT NOTICE.
Good Fit guaranteed or no Sale.
REMEMBER THE STAND,
Next Door to J. Reid's Drug Store,
Market Square, Goderich.
1390

The Smoking Turk,
W. GREENWOOD
HAS OPENED A

CIGAR AND TOBACCO STORE,
In the Store formerly occupied by S. Furse, Market Square, Goderich.
CALL AND SEE
his well selected stock of
PIPES,
CIGARS,
TOBACCOS,
POUCHES,
MOUTH PIECES,
&c., &c., &c.
Sign of the Smoking Turk. W. Greenwood is Agent for T. F. Rosser, Organ Builder, Toronto. Orders for tunings promptly attended to. 1393

SAUNDERS' VARIETY STORE.!!

Just Received,
WATCHES, WATCHES,
Silver hunting lever Watches, warranted good reliable time-keepers, at $10, $14, $16.
JEWELLERY!
Sets, Brooches, Earings, &c. Neat patterns Black and Gold Bracelets at $2.75 per pair.
A large assortment of
Borders, Window Blinds, Shade &c., in every style and variety.
Expected to arrive, WALL PAPER
☞ Remember the place
SAUNDERS' VARIETY STORE,
Cobb's Block, Market Square, Goderich.
March 17th, 1874. 1413

EXCURSIONS ON THE LAKE.

THE STEAMER

"TOMMY WRIGHT"
C. WELLS, Master.
Will give excursion on the Lake every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, leaving the wharf at 4.30 P. M. and 7 P. M.
Goderich, 23rd June, 1874. 1427

FOR SALE.

A GOOD FARM EIGHT (8) MILES from Goderich and two (2) from Port Albert, containing 50 acres, 45 cleared and 5 bush, being S. ½ Lot 1, Con. 9, E. D. Ashfield, a good bearing orchard, a creek running through the lot, frame dwelling house 30x24 with good kitchen and cellar, cedar barn 60x34 frame stable 48x24 with granary. A rare chance given for the payment. For further particulars apply to the subscriber on the premises.
ARTHUR BENNET,
Port Albert P. O.
Co. Huron.
Port Albert, July 13th 1874. 1m*

The People's Grocery.

G. H. OLD
WOULD INTIMATE TO THE INHABITANTS of the town and surrounding country that he has received and is still receiving a carefully selected stock of
FRESH, PURE GROCERIES
ALSO
A Full Assortment of Liquors
OF THE BEST QUALITY AND FINEST BRANDS,
IN
BOTTLES AND ON DRAFT.
also a large stock of
CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE
Lamps and Chimnies, &c., &c.
—ALSO—
Pure Clover and Timothy Seeds
Just Received.
FLOUR AND FEED
of all kinds kept constantly in stock and delivered in any part of the Town, all which will be sold cheap for cash or produce. As his motto is small profits and quick returns, he hopes that having always the best quality of goods, and by strict attention to business to merit a share of Public Patronage. Purchasers will find it to their advantage to call and examine his stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.
Goderich, March 18th, 1874. 1414

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

In the County Court of the County of Huron in the matter of James McNaught Brackenridge an Insolvent.

CANADA, Province of Ontario, County of Huron. } On Thursday, the twentieth day of August next at twelve o'clock noon, the undersigned will apply to the Judge of the said Court for a discharge under the said Act.
Goderich, July 6th, 1874.
JAMES M. BRACKENRIDGE.
1429a*

MULES FOR SALE.

A Span of three year old Mules well matched for sale, partly broken. Apply to the subscriber lot 24, con. 4, Goderich Township.
HENRY SEEGMILLER.
Goderich, June 1st, 1874. 1424-tf