COUNTY CURRENCY.

Pencillings and Scissorings from Exchanges.

Items from all over Huron County, Culled Clipped and Condensed—Pith and Point—The Pick of the Grist from our Exchanges.

Mr Geo. Bissett, Colborne, is laid up with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr James Aikens, Hullett, has four ewes that are the mothers of nine lambs.

Mr J. S. Found, of Kincardine, has taken the position of operator at the Grand Trunk station, Clinton.

Last Friday Henry Mooney, jr., had his left hand injured in the knives of one of the machines at the flax mill, Brussels.

A young child of Mrs John Bradnock, of Wawanosh, became so badly scalded with lye on Friday last that it took convulsions and died in terrible agony. It was laid at rest in the Union Cemetery on Sunday.

Henry Mason, of Tuckersmith, the other day sold a three-year-old filly to Mr Wm. Gilroy, of Indiana, for $275, and she was worth every cent of it, too. Mr Mason has purchased a team of heavy draught three-year old geldings for $390.

That a couple of revolver shots fired by Mr Jacob Taylor, Blyth, about two o'clock Monday morning last week had the desired effect of frightening a couple of would-be burglars who were trying to gain an entrance into his boot and shoe store.

A man named Peter McIver, of the township of Tuckersmith, was instantly killed by the train going west at 9.15 on Thursday night of last week about one mile east of Seaforth. He was lying on the track, and was under the influence of liquor.

Last fall Mrs R. Rowden, Colborne, met with the said accident of getting a sliver in her eye; it gradually grew worse and last week she went to Toronto to go under an operation, and returned last Saturday with only one eye; she intends getting a glass eye in about three months' time.

John Brown, Grey township, imported a thoroughbred Collie from Scotland in 1886, and she has presented her master this spring with a litter of seven puppies, real beauties. Mr Brown will dispose of five of them if purchasers offer. He lives on lot 21, con. 12.

The wife of the late James Broadfoot, Tuckersmith, whose death was anticipated almost any time, has entirely recovered from her recent illness, and is now able to be out. Nothing preventing, she expects to go on a visit to her children in Kansas next week.

Miss Bella Deer, formerly of Blyth, has recently become "deer" Bella Whitmer, the wife of Mr Whitmer, a German minister of Michigan. Miss Deer was a highly estimable young lady, and her many friends will join with us in wishing her every success in her new sphere of life.

A small boy named Pillman, of Clinton, met with a very severe accident the other day. He was riding with another boy, when he was thrown out, and one of his ears almost torn off. Whether it was cut with the wheel, or ground on the road, is not known, but it is a very severe accident nevertheless.

Rev. Mr Trotter, who has preached in the Baptist church Clinton, several times, has accepted a call to the pastorate thereof, and will enter upon his duties about the 1st of June. He will also fill the base line appointment. He is a young man of marked ability, and will prove a worthy successor to Rev. J. Gray.

The family of David Clark, of the township of Grey, to the number of four, have died of diphtheria, there being only one now left, the baby, and it has been removed from the home to see if the disease can be avoided. There is evidently some local cause that the board of health should at once see after, or it may spread. Prompt action is required.

On Friday last a number of boys discovered a large tortoise in the river, about a mile below Blyth. On fishing it out they found inscribed on its shell the following:—"R. Porter, Blyth, 1880." This turtle, eight years ago, was in possession of that gentleman, but preferring liberty to bondage, it broke loose from its moorings one evening, and made its escape, and has not been seen since that time until last Friday.

There is now in the vicinity of Glenfarrow two of the finest herds of Durham and Holstein cattle in the county. The former, owned by Mr George Nicholson and the latter by Mr John Gemmill of the 6th concession of Turnberry. Mr Nicholson has recently bought from Mr Arthur Johnston of Greenwood, the famous young show bull, Lord Erskine. Messrs. Gemmill and Nicholson are to be congratulated on their purchase.

At the examinations just concluded at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, we are pleased to notice that Russel Bishop, Grey, not only passed creditably on all subjects but took honors in Agriculture, Live Stock, Arboriculture, Judging Cattle, Judging Sheep, Meterology, Entomology, Veterinary Pathology, Judging Horses, English Literature and Political economy. Eleven honors out of a possible twelve is a very creditable standing for a student. Mr Bishop wrote on the second year's course.

The hand of death has removed one of the most respected residents of McKillop in the person of Alexander Murchie, postmaster at Winthrop. He had always been a very active man, and for a number of years, up to the time of his death, had been one of the councillors of that township. He had been confined to bed only a few weeks by sickness, till death relieved him of his sufferings, on Friday last, at the age of 68 years. The deceased was well and widely known, and the remains were followed by a large number of friends to the Maitland cemetery, on Sunday afternoon.

The following is a synopsis of the assessment roll of Grey township for 1888, as presented by A. Raymann, assessor. The obliging Clerk has kindly furnished the items: Real property, $1,705,820; personal property, $74,850; real and personal property, $1,780,670; number of acres, 64,777; number of acres cleared, 35,187; school children of various ages, between 5 and 16 years, 1016; and 13,607, over 16 and under 21, [illegible]; dogs, 403; persons in family, 3,828; cattle, 6,259; sheep, 2,883; hogs, 1,191; horses, 1,847; acres woodland, 13,310; acres swamp, 16,030; orchard, 426; fall wheat, 4,046. The one very noticeable feature is the falling off in the dog line, only 403 dogs in the township of Grey. Surely the assessor did not go into the cellars.

Lanesville.

A handsome organ has been left in the Presbyterian church here by a Lucknow firm, but has not been purchased yet.

W Armstrong and family have moved into the house vacated by Mrs Ross.

A large quantity of maple syrup was made around here this spring. Some farmers made about 35 gallons.

A large number of young fellows from the east come up this way pretty often. The lassies around Lanesville must be attractive.

We are pleased to hear that James Ferguson, jr., has recovered from his recent severe illness.

Colborne.

PERSONAL.—W. F. Clark, son of Mr Jas. Clark, of this township, who passed his final exam. in 1887, and for a time was with Dr. Aikenhead, of Goderich, has opened out a large veterinary infirmary at South Bend, Indiana, and taken as a partner, T. G. McPherson, V.D., who taught the McPherson school of veterinary dentistry in connection with the Ontario Veterinary College, at Toronto. By the *Times* and *Tribune*, of South Bend, we learn that the firm is well prepared with knowledge to meet any disease that horseflesh is prone to, and have the best set of surgical instruments to perform any operations that the veterinary science knows.

Leeburn.

Miss Mary Macmanus enjoyed a pleasant visit to friends on the cut line Goderich township this week.

John McIntosh and J. Quigley, of Hullett, are sojourning here, making a canvass for a new patent fence for which they are agents.

PERSONAL.—James Strachan mechanical engineer of Buffalo, New York, was visiting his parents here last week and seeing other friends here and about Goderich.

SUCCESSFUL AGAIN.—In the recent examinations held at the Agricultural College, Guelph, our townsman, F. B. Linfield, came out well, being first on all subjects of the first year's term and second in general proficency examinations.

The recent assessment for 1888 here has not given satisfaction to many. A deputation waited upon the Laird of Lansdowne Farm, Dunlop, with a big bundle of protests, which were handed in by him to the township clerk for the coming court of revision for Colborne. The council members will likely hear a flow of oratory on this vexed question, and there is a rumor that those dissatisfied may, in the event of redress being withheld, cable across the sea for Parnell and O'Brien to come by fastest special steamship to explain the rights of the Canucks as well as the wrongs of Ireland.

THAT HOLE AGAIN.—Last fall we noted that a hole near the bridge by the temperance hall wanted repairs, which were done with stone, but have given away again, and at present is not safe. Lately the dark nights almost captured a lady returning with a group of others from a meeting, and on Sunday night a genial chat between a Dunlop knight and its jovial engineer returning home from paying their devours, was suddenly interrupted by the latter going in all fours into the hole. However his comrade pulled him out alive, and if it happens again the engineer may bring a big action for damages so we are informed against the township.

With pleasure many friends here learn that W. H. Clutton of this place has passed his final examination as an M. D. Before taking the medical course he attended the Woodstock college for a short time. Previous to that he was a student of the high school, Goderich, and was always a painstaking student and successful in all branches which he under took. He passed his matriculation examination in Toronto in 1882 with great credit for the profession he has chosen. He took a summer course with Dr Taylor, of Goderich, one of the vice presidents of the medical association of Ontario. We, with many friends, tender our hearty congratulations and hope he will be long spared to heal and ease the sufferings of humanity.

The Band of Hope entertainment which came off on Monday night saw a fair turnout in spite of the angry aspect of the weather. As the curtain rose we saw on the platform with the general chairman, A. H. Clutton were twenty-seven of its members neatly grouped who sang the opening chorus, "We never Touch the Wine," with great sweetness, followed by songs, recitations and Dialogues which were well rendered by all those who took part. The address of the Rev D. McGillivray referred to the evils of the liquor traffic in Africa and a sketch of Bishop Crowther's work there, to stop it. Miss Edith Horton's solo was sang very prettily; she also giving a Reading. J Linklater gave a song, and a reading was given by S R Williams. The two last mentioned with the Rev D McGillivray, made suitable replies to a vote of thanks moved by the members of the band. The promoters and leaders of the Band of Hope, Misses Clutton and Edith Horton, are to be congratulated for their efforts in prepairing the children for the evening with the program, and in after years they will see the effect of the good principles so early taught by them bearing good results, so that the lessons of temperance will ever keep them from tasting the fatal cup that has cut off so many in the flower of youth to an early death.

Dunlop.

Miss Grace Allen has gone for a visit of some weeks to her aunt, Mrs Chas Mason, of Brucefield.

Chas Spence, of Goderich township, gave our burg a visit of several days this this week.

Our jovial engineer, as leader of The Forlorn Hope, that assisted in a charivari in Garbraid last week, found the covering of one of the bridges a great protection from a discharge of firearms from the beseiged in answer to the irregular musketry volleys of powder accompanied by the rapturous sound of tin kettles, pans, etc., which often tell tell to the world at large that there is a newly married couple in their neighborhood.

The warm sunshine of Saturday two weeks ago was rather too tempting to a bevy of little girls, and they tried to take a bath in the sparkling and warm waters in the burn above the mill, which they heartily seemed to enjoy until suddenly there appeared in their midst an angry dame with a switch, which changed the merriment to sad lamentation.

Many friends will be sorry to learn that our townsman, Mr A. C McDonald, has been seriously ill and confined to his bed for some time past. Miss Lizzie, youngest daughter of Mr A. Allen, has also been unwell The patients, under medical treatment and the watchful care of the sick committee, are progressing favorably. There are also a number of others under the weather, and the nurses are kept on a steady hop. If it continues they will have to send to Toronto for a relay of city nurses to assist them in their press of business.

The eyes of the fair ones are lost in admiration at seeing a neat orchard laid out on the frontier farm outside Dunlop by its genial owner, ably assisted by a Saltford horticulturist. The little birds that fly from branch to branch are in great terror of being disturbed some day by the jovial engineer of our burg, with his compass, assisting our Garbraid friend in taking the bearings for a site for a house, which will result in the getting of plans and specifications for the erection of a picturesque chateau on the premises.

Colborne.

The council met in the township hall, Carlow, on May 11th, members all present, minutes of last meeting read and affirmed. The following accounts were passed, viz:—Isaac Jenkins, cutting down snow drift, $2; J Barker, breaking roads, $2 50; Wm Young, by order of pathmaster for breaking roads, $1; J Long, wood for Mrs Webster, charity purposes, $1; J Mugford, repairing culvert, $4; J McPhee, breaking stone on boundary, $1; David Sterling, 1 load of wood for Mrs Brindley, charity purposes, $2.50; A Horton, drawing slabs for Mrs Brindley, charity purposes, $2.50; A Horton, drawing slabs for Mrs Brindley, charity purposes, $2; F Jordan's, account for Mrs Brindley, charity purposes, $3.25; F Jordans' account for Mrs Brindley, charity purposes, $1; J Barker, putting snow on bridge, twice, $5. The clerk was instructed to write to Peter Adamson claiming $2.50 as Goderich share of putting snow on Maitland bridge. *Star* printing account, $9 13; Crown Land Department for a plan showing the original acerage of the township, $4. David Johnston handed in a petition, asking the board to reconsider the boundary of Ashfield, Wawanosh and Colborne Union school section. James Taylor moved, seconded by A. Malloy, that Joseph Weathering ton be appointed Arbitrator for Colborne, on said petition of re-considering the boundary. Carried. Peter McEven's request of leave to erect a scale in Saltford was granted. The board agreed to meet at Dunlop on June 2nd, at nine o'clock, for the purpose of going around and examining the roads. The council adjourned to meet again on May 26th at 10 o'clock, as a Court of Revision.

J. H. RICHARDS, Clerk.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Minutes of Last Meeting of the Coporate Body.

Council met on Friday last. Members all present excepting Dr Whitely.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's report was read and received.

The sexton's report showed that there had been five interments during the past month—one child and four adults.

A copy of order from county judge, granting the application of Canada Company to change the plan of their property from town lots to park lots; also a communication from the town solicitor bearing upon the case.

An application was received from Wm Sharman, jr., to exchange cemetery lots. Referred to cemetery committee.

Application of Jas Bailey for rent of old fair ground. Referred to public works committee.

Application of constable Yule for suit of clothes. Granted.

Application from fire warden, for firemen's boots. Granted.

Petition for opening Pine and Cedar-streets to station. Referred to board of public works.

Petition to improve South and Raglan-streets to show grounds, and to place a lamp on Britannia road and South-st. Referred to public works committee.

A number of accounts were presented.

Moved by Proudfoot, seconded by Colborne, that the chairman of finance committee advertise in the Toronto papers the town debentures for sale.

The report of waterworks committee was presented recommending that following tenders for construction be accepted: Excavation and pipe-laying, Harding & Leathom, London, $6,750.20; boilers, Chrystal & Black, Goderich, $2,580; castiron pipe and special castings, Alex Gartshone, $18,994.63.

Also report from engineer Chipman in reference to waterworks.

Moved and seconded that the report be adopted. Carried.

Moved in amenment by Cameron seconded by Proudfoot, that the letting of the tenders be delayed until further tests of quantity and quality of water be made, and to allow of the question of the advisability of going to the lake for the supply be considered. Lost.

Moved by Proudfoot, seconded by McLean, that the matter of doing further work at Holt's be left with the public works committee with power to act.

Moved by Cameron, seconded by Nicholson, that the clerk write Judge Sinclair, of Hamilton, thanking him for his efforts in getter accommodation on the G. T. R. between Goderich and Stratford.

The following letter was read from the Deputy-Minister of Marine:

MARINE DEPARTMENT

Ottawa, 7th May, 1888.

Sir,—Referring to the Order in Council of the 4th of May, 1883, by which the prayer of the petition made by the town Council of Goderich was complied with and the levying of the tolls and dues at the wharf and commercial dock done away with on the distinct understanding that the town council of Goderich should in consideration of the dues being remitted, keep in good and sufficient repair the wharf and commercial docks, I beg to inform you that the harbor master for the Port of Goderich has advised the Department that the town council have not kept up the repairs as agreed upon, and have expended no money during the five years for which the tolls have been remitted although such repairs were much required. It would also appear that the trade of Goderich has not been greatly affected by the remission of the tolls, and there does not appear to be any sufficient reason now that the period has expired for which the tolls have been remitted, that arrangements should not be made for the collection again of tolls and dues, and making also the necessary arrangements for keeping the wharf and docks in repair by the Government. I am sir, your most obedient servant, Wm. Smith, Deputy Minister of Marine.

Moved by Proudfoot, seconded by Dunlop, that it be referred to harbor committee. Carried.

The mayor gave verbal report of the deputation to Ottawa.

Reeve Johnston pitched into THE SIGNAL because of a communication signed "Ratepayer" which had appeared in the previous issue criticizing the action of the council in sending so large a delegation.

An account was submitted from the Royal Electric Light Co., of Montreal for $259 and interest, amounting in all to $269.28.

The mayor had received the account, some time ago but had not placed it in the clerk's hands until that evening. His worship stated that he had an offer from the Ball Co, offering $272 for the wire, and he had a communication from another firm that stated the wire was worth over $60 more now than when it was purchased at the show time last fall, owing to increase in the market value of the article.

Moved by Nicholson, seconded by Humber, that the account of the Royal Electric Light Co., be assumed by the council. Carried.

A motion by Cameron, seconded by Reid, that it be sold to the Ball Co. for $272 was voted down.

Bylaw No 4, for amending the billiard bylaw was read a first second and third and passed.

Bylaw No 5, adopted the early closing Statute of the Ontario Legislature, was read a first, second and third time, and passed.

Constable Yule was instructed to see that the bylaws be enforced.

Council adjourned at 12 30 a.m., on Saturday morning.

Address and Presentation.

An interesting and exceedingly pleasant evening was spent with the young people at North-st. Methodist church at their social Friday last. A tea was provided by the young ladies that did credit to them, and pleased the most fastidious of their bachelor friends, and an enjoyable program also was presented of choruses, solos, duets and readings. At the close a beautiful set of silver was presented to Miss Wilson, with the following address which speaks for itself:

Miss Lizzie Wilson:

DEAR FRIEND AND SISTER,—We take this opportunity before you leave us, to express, not in a flattering, fulsome way, but as our hearts feel, the Christian love and deep regard which we cherish toward you. It is God only that knows the heart; but according to His word by their fruits we are able to know who are His. Your Christian labors amongst us have been most abundant; and we all believe you have been serving God and the church with the truest motives—from true love of both. You have set to many of us an estimable example in your earnest consecration in the Young Peoples' Society, the prayer meeting, the class, the Sunday school and in all church work. We shall greatly miss you, especially those, the poor, the sick, the burdened, to whom you have been a cheering, helping presence.

We fervently pray and confidently expect, that God's blessing and grace will go with you, and be with you all your life, making it still more bright and useful; that you will meet friends appreciative always of the inner, truer character you have developed, with whom you may labor joyously and successfully in the Master's vineyard.

We pray you to accept this service of silver as a token of our friendship and love, asking you not to esteem them for their intrinsic value, which is small, but for our love, which we trust will be like God's to us, eternal.

"The Lord bless thee, and keep thee; The Lord make His face shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee; the Lord lift up His countenance upon thee, and give thee peace."—Numbers vi: 24—26.

Signed on behalf of the members and friends of North st. Methodist church, Goderich, Ont.

J. B. WALLWIN, Pastor.
R. W. MCKENZIE, Sup't. N-st. Meth. S.S.
LIZZIE CAMPBELL,
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New Advertisements This Week.

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Court of Revision—J. H. Richards, Colborne.
Special Drives—J. A. Reid & Bro.
The Mower's Friend—Clement & Co., Toronto.
Notice—G. H. Old.
Goderich Chief—Farr & Smith.

DIED.

Henderson—In Kinloss, near the village of Lucknow, Charles Henderson, aged 50 years.

Washington—In Bossevane, Man., on Friday, May 11th, 1888, Henry J. Washington, second son of John Washington, Goderich, aged 35 years.

The funeral will take place from his father's residence, Brock.st., on Friday, May 18th, at 3 o'clock p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

Dentistry.

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GIRL WANTED—A GOOD GIRL is wanted immediately. Apply, with references, to MRS. D. MCGILLICUDDY, Picton-st.

COOK WANTED—A COMPETENT person will receive good wages. Apply to MRS. J. T. GARROW. 51-2t

The People's Column.

COURT OF REVISION.

TOWNSHIP OF COLBORNE.

Take notice that the Court of Revision for the Township of Colborne will be held in the Township Hall on Saturday, May 26th, inst., at 10 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of hearing and rectifying all complaints against or errors in the Assessment Roll of the present year. All persons interested are requested to attend.

J. H. RICHARDS, Clerk of Municipality.
Colborne, May 15th, 1888. 52-1t

COURT OF REVISION.

TOWN OF GODERICH.

Take notice that the Court of Revision for the Town of Goderich will be held in the Town Hall on Thursday, May 31st, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of hearing and rectifying all complaints against or errors in the Assessment Roll of the present year. All parties interested are requested to attend.

WM. CAMPBELL, Clerk of Municipality.
Goderich, May 17th, 1888. 52-1t

HORSES FOR SALE.—A SPAN OF good working horses, harness and wagon for sale on reasonable terms. Apply to RICHARD ALDWORTH, Goderich. 50-3t.

LOST—A SMALL GOLD EARRING. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at D. GORDON'S. 51-1t

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The dwelling house and orchards of the Jos. Kidd "International Farm" to let for the season—rent reasonable. Apply to C. A. HUMBER, or WM. BOWDEN. 51-tf

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HOUSE TO RENT—THAT CONVENIENT and comfortable brick house on Waterloo street, at present occupied as the American Consulate. For particulars, address MISS SEEGMILLER, Stratford. 1m-50.

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HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—The property of Mr D. Holmes East-St. Apply to D. HOLMES, Stratford or JAMES ROBINSON, Goderich. 45-tf.

FARM FOR SALE.—THAT HIGHLY desirable farm known as lot 30, con. 8, E. D. Colborne, containing 100 acres, 40 of which are cleared, and the rest good timber. It is situated on the gravel road, and the brick schoolhouse is on the corner of the lot. For particulars and terms apply to CHAS. YOUNG or GEORGE SWANSON, of Goderich. 2m42.

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Goderich, March 12th, 885.

Executors' Notices.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

of GEORGE PETER MONTGOMERY, deceased.

The creditors of George Peter Montgomery, late of the Town of Goderich, in the county of Huron, gentleman, deceased, who died on or about the 22nd day of April, A.D, 1888, are hereby required to send to Wm. R. Pentland, of the village of Drambo, in the County of Oxford, physician, Executor of the estate of the said George Peter Montgomery, deceased, on or before the 15th day of June, 1888, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars and proof of their claims and statement of their accounts and security (if any) held by them.

And notice is hereby given that after the said 15th of June, 1888, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall have had notice, and the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or claims he shall not have notice at the time of such distribution.

GARROW & PROUDFOOF, Solicitors for Executor.

Dated at Goderich this 10th day of May, 1888.

All parties indebted to the said late George Peter Montgomery are required to settle their indebtedness on or before the said 15th day of June next, otherwise proceedings to collect will be taken, as the affairs of the estate must be wound up.

Dated 40th day of May, A.D., 1888.

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Auctioneering.

JOHN KNOX, GENERAL AUCTIONEER and Land Valuator, Goderich Ont. Having had considerable experience in the auctioneering trade, he is in a position to discharge with thorough satisfaction all commissions entrusted to him. Order's left at Martin's Hotel, or sent by mail to my address, Goderich P. O., carefully attended to. JOHN KNOX, County Auctioneer. 1887-t

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At present the annual salt wells of Ontario is va a quarter of a million of computed that the entire wells of the three counties saline region—Huron, Br ton—amounts to nearly 4 or some 120,000,000 lbs. one-fourth of this yield, lbs., is made in this town an annual value to our $70,000. About 280 pe gaged in the manufacture in 1886, of whom fully 10 ed in Goderich. Boys ar in the dairy salt mills are cluded in the foregoing cardine ranks next to Go producing town, and is by Seaforth.

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