The London, Huron and Bruce Railway.

Possible Expedition.

The truth will transpire in this much mismanaged affair, though locked out. As will be seen by extracts which we publish from the London papers, the idea of constructing the road to Wingham has been abandoned by the Directors, and they are now willing to confine themselves with a road to Exeter. It will be remembered that the company asked for amendments to its charter at the last session of the Ontario Legislature. These amendments sought power for the Directors to repeal the bonuses which had been granted for the aid of the enterprise, under certain conditions, in the construction of any portion of the road they pleased. At the time, we pointed out the danger of granting such powers, and showed what the result would be. Events now prove that our warning was no false alarm. The desire to obtain these powers has now been explained. The Company found that they could not, in fact, build it to Clinton, but they wanted to build it, at least, as far as Exeter and they designed to gain the sanction of Parliament to force the Northern municipalities to give the bonuses they had granted for this portion of the road. Fortunately, however, this game was checked. The road was seen too transparent for the Legislature of Ontario not to see through it, and the amendment bill was shorn of its objectionable features before it was allowed to become law.

The scheme as originally projected was for the construction of a railway from London to Kincardine, via Seaforth, Brussels and Wingham. This was limited to a road from London to Wingham direct, then from London to Clinton, and now it has dwindled down to a road from London to Exeter, and appearances seem to indicate that it will ultimately commence and end in London. That the scheme has, therefore, in view of the original intention, proved a miserable failure, even its most ardent and constant supporters will scarcely venture to deny. Who is it that is responsible for this failure, it will not be difficult to show. No scheme was ever launched under more favorable circumstances. The people were anxious for it. We are not aware of a single municipality having been appealed to for a bonus in vain. The fault of failure, therefore, cannot rest upon the municipalities along the proposed routes, as they have given tangible evidence of their willingness to assist it to the utmost of their ability. Where, then, rests the blame? It will be noticed that the *Advertiser* attempts to throw the entire onus of failure upon Mr. Carling and the present Directors. In so doing, however, it goes a long way astray, as every person who is acquainted with the circumstances from beginning to end must know. That Mr. Carling is, to a certain extent, responsible, we do not deny, but his predecessors, his late colleagues on the Directorate Board, as well as those who are now associated with him as Directors of the Company, cannot by any means be freed from blame. The fact is, the failure of the scheme is due solely to the bungling incapacity, stupidity and stubborness of the Provisional Directors, as well as of those who formed the Permanent Board. That the intentions of the gentlemen who composed these

doubt, but that their courage and capacity were deficient, none can successfully deny. Had the provisional Directors remained firm to their original scheme to build a road from London to Kincardine, by Brussels and Wingham, their road might to day be in successful operation. Instead, however, of doing this, they cowardly deserted the field, and left it in the hands of their Hamilton opponents, and sought out new ground. By this one action, they ruined their chances for the carrying out of their scheme to build an independent road to Kincardine. They, in a fit of passion or pique, deserted their old friends for new ones, and allowed the projectors of an opposing scheme to gain undisputed possession of the best portion of territory which they had pre-empted for themselves. This course resulted, as we at the time predicted it would result, in the total failure and abandonment of the independent scheme. The blame, therefore, for the failure of the independent scheme, must rest on the Provisional Directors, and upon them alone. Mr. Carling, not being a Provisional Director was in no way responsible for that.

At this point, however, the Permanent Board of Directors, with Mr. Carling as one of its members, was formed. They at once saw the hopelessness of attempting to build an independent line, and applied to the Great Western Railway to take the bonuses and build and run the road. For a time the prospect of an arrangement of this kind being come to between the two companies seemed good. The Great Western sent a staff of engineers to examine the routes and report as to the probable cost of the works. This report was strongly in favor of one particular route, and the managers of the Great Western Railway seemed willing to adopt it. But this would not suit the whims and caprices of the London Directors. For reasons best known to themselves, they persisted that another and a different route,—a route that no disinterested or rational person would prefer,—be chosen. The Great Western then refused to build the road, but were still willing to adopt the route chosen by the London people, and stock and run the road, thus throwing the responsibility of construction upon the London Board. The Board accepted this responsibility, but,—as we at the time predicted they would do,—have miserably failed. Here, again, has the incapacity and mulishness of the London people displayed itself to the ruination of the scheme. Had they allowed the Great Western to take their own course, instead of splitting with them upon the selection of route, the road, by this time, might be running to Brussels. They, however, were determined, in order to gratify petty revenge, to have their own way. They got it, and the result is that instead of their scheme being a living, working reality, it is as dead as a door-nail. For this result, as we have shown, Mr. Carling is not alone to blame, although he, with the others who have formed and supported the Provisional and Permanent Boards of Directors, should bear his share of responsibility. In this connection we might mention that the *Advertiser*, which now washes its hands of the affair, strongly supported the Directors in all their meanderings and blunderings, and is as much entitled to shoulder its proportion of the onus of failure as Mr. Carling or any of the others. In attempting to shirk this responsibility, and in endeavoring to make a scape goat of Mr. Carling, the *Advertiser* shows a mean spiritedness not very creditable to it.

In conclusion, we would merely offer the suggestion that it would be wisdom for those municipalities which have handed over their debentures to the company to look sharply after them, and, if possible, have them returned. Besides this, the municipalities which have promised aid, but which have wisely retained their debentures, should be relieved. Of course, many of these bonuses which have been voted will soon lapse, on account of the conditions upon which they have been voted not being fulfilled, unless the company, in order to retain them, succeed in inducing the Legislature at its next session to grant another extension of time. This is just what the municipalities have to prepare themselves to prevent. There is no doubt but a further extension of time will be asked for by the Company, although they may have no prospect of ever fulfilling their engagement. It is therefore the duty of the municipalities interested to take the necessary precautions against having their obligations to a scheme, the carrying out of which the promoters now admit to be hopeless, renewed from time to time, contrary to their interests and wishes. We give this timely warning, and it will be well for the municipalities if they act upon it.

Ottawa had a destructive fire on Saturday last. Several dwelling houses were burned.

Novel Feather Industry in Toronto.

The question is made in Le Moniteur that the intrinsic value of the chicken feathers usually thrown away in Toronto is equal to the money paid out by that nation for coffee, and the method now adopted for recovering such feathers of positive industrial use and value is described in detail. The operation in question is to cut the plume portions of the feathers from the stem, by means of ordinary hand scissors. The fibres are placed in quantities in a cosse box which, when full, is closed and subjected to a thorough kneading with the hands. At the end of five minutes, the feathers, it is stated, become disaggregated and felted together, forming a down, perfectly homogeneous and of great lightness. It is even lighter than natural eider down, because the latter contains the ribs of the feathers, which give extra weight. A quantity equal to about one and six-tenths troy ounces of this down can be obtained from the feathers of an ordinary sized pullet, and readily sells in Paris for about two dollars a pound. The down thus obtained is said to form a beautiful cloth when woven. For about a square yard of such material a pound and a half of the down is required. The fabric is found to be almost indestructible, as, in place of fraying or wearing out at the folds, it only seems to felt with a greater degree of lightness. In addition to these valuable quantities, the fabric takes dye rapidly, and is thoroughly waterproof.

THE MARKETS

GODERICH, July 14, 1874.

Wheat, (Fall) ⅌ bush	$1 15	@ 1 20
Wheat, (Spring) ⅌ bush	1 12	@ 1 18
Flour, (per bbl.)	5 50	@ 6 00
Oats, ⅌ bush	0 35	@ 0 38
Peas, ⅌ bush	0 65	@ 0 68
Barley, ⅌ bush	1 00	@ 1 10
Potatoes, ⅌ bush	0 35	@ 0 40
Hay, per ton	9 00	@ 10 00
Chickens per pair	0 25	@ 0 30
Butter, ⅌ lb	0 18	@ 0 18
Eggs, ⅌ doz (unpacked)	0 10	@ 0 10
Beef	5 50	@ 6 00
Hides	6 00	@ 6 50
Wood	5 00	@ 5 50
Tan Bark	4 00	@ 0 00
Wool	0 35	" 0 38

GLENCOE, July 14, 1874.

Wheat, (Fall) per bush	$1 22	@ 1 25
Wheat, (Spring) per bush	1 15	@ 1 18
Flour, (per bbl)	6 00	@ 6 00
Oats per bush	40	@ 50
Peas, per bush	65	@ 67
Barley, per bush	1 05	@ 1 10
Potatoes, per bush	0 30	@ 0 40
Butter	0 15	@ 0 16
Eggs, per doz. (unpacked)	0 10	@ 0 12
Beef	4 50	" 6 00
Hay	16 00	@ 16 00
Sheep skins	0 75	@ 2 00
Hides	4 00	" 6 00
Wool	0 37	" 0 38

SEAFORTH July 14, 1874.

Wheat, (Fall)	$1 20	" 1 30
Wheat, (Spring) per bush	1 15	" 1 15
Flour, (per bbl)	6 00	" 6 00
Barley, per bush	1 00	" 1 10
Oats, per bush	0 45	" 0 46
Peas, per bush	0 60	" 0 65
Potatoes, per bush	0 35	" 0 40
Butter,	0 16	" 0 17
Eggs, per doz. (unpacked)	0 10	" 0 10
Beef,	5 00	" 5 50
Hides	6 00	" 6 00
Hay	16 00	" 18 00
Wood	5 50	" 6 00
Wool	0 35	" 37

TORONTO MARKETS

July 11th.—Fall Wheat $1.27 to $1.29 Spring do $1.26 to $1.21. Barley 70c Oats 51c to 52c. Peas 74c to 76c. Rye 75c. Butter 16c to 20c. Eggs 12c. to 13c. Wool 35c.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

July 11th. — Wheat, $1.22 to $1.25 Peas $1.09 Oats 50c. to 52c. Butter 19c to 22c. Cheese 11c. to 11½c. Eggs 14c to 15c. Ashes—Pots $5.95 to $6.00. Pearls, $8.00.

BIRTHS.

At Exeter, on the 5th inst., the wife of Mr. Jas Fanson, of a daughter.

In Grey, on the 8th inst., the wife of Mr. Malcolm Lamont, of a son.

In Morris, on the 4th inst., the wife of Mr. Robert Armstrong, of a son.

In McKillop, on the 9th inst., the wife Mr. Kenneth McLeod, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

In Pittsburg, Penn., on June 30th, at the residence of the bride's parents, 238 Lacock street, Allegheny, by Rev. Dr. Howard, John Torrance, of Goderich, Ont., to Mary, youngest daughter of Mr. John M. Reid, city engineer.

At the residence of the bride's father, on the 1st inst., by Rev. C. Lavell, Mr. John Ward to Miss Charlotte Weeks, both of Seaforth.

At the residence of the bride's father, Seaforth, on the 1st inst., by Rev. C. Lavell, M. A., Mr. David Johnson, of the firm of Johnson Bros., Hardware Merchants, to Miss Jemima Rogers, eldest daughter of R. P. Rogers, Esq., both of Seaforth.

On the 1st inst., by the Rev. Mr. Lund, Mr. Wm. T. P. Greenwood, of Usborne, to Miss Martha F. O'Brien, of the township of Hay.

At Leechville, (Gorrie), on July 7, by Rev. Mr. Softly, Mr. Samuel Borr, Edgecombe, to Miss Ellen McFaddon, Brussels.

DEATHS.

In Colborne, on the 7th inst., Mr. George Young, aged 55 years.

In Goderich, on the 8th inst., Mr. William Edward, in the 41st year of his age.

SUNDAY DIRECTORY.

Guide to Church Services.

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

KNOX CHURCH (C. Presbyterian.) REV. R. UREE.
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 ELWOOD.
Morning service 11 A. M. Evening service 7 P. M. Sunday School 3 P. M.

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. ROSE.
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.

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

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

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

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

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

IN THE MATTER OF ROBERT GARDINER, JR., OF THE TOWN OF GODERICH, IN THE COUNTY OF HURON, INSOLVENT.

The Creditors of the above named Insolvent are hereby notified that I have received from the said Insolvent a Statement of his affairs, and that I will open a Court for the purpose of examining the said Insolvent and his affairs at my Office, Goderich, on Saturday, the 18th day of July, 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., when and where they may attend if they think proper.

Goderich, July 8th, 1874.

JAMES M. BRACKENRIDGE, 1426

LIST OF LETTERS

REMAINING IN THE GODERICH P. O. on the 1st July, 1874.

Adams Thomas, Ainsley Jas, Armstrong Mrs Jane, Black Mrs Margaret, Brown Mrs Ann, Brown Mrs Mary, Cameron Mrs Margaret, Cotton Mrs Ann, Cotton Mrs Eliza, Dunlop Mrs Jane, Fraser Mrs Margaret, Gibson Mrs Ann, Gibson Mrs Margaret, Gibson Mrs Mary, Gibson Mrs Sarah, Gibson Mrs Susan, Gibson Mrs Susan C., Hamilton Mrs Ann, Hay Mrs Jane, Hay Mrs Mary, Hay Mrs Sarah, Hay Mrs Susan, Hay Mrs Susan C., Jackson Mrs Ann, Jackson Mrs Eliza, Jackson Mrs Jane, Jackson Mrs Mary, Jackson Mrs Sarah, Jackson Mrs Susan, Jackson Mrs Susan C., Lee Mrs Jane, Lee Mrs Mary, Murdoch Mrs Jane, Murdoch Mrs Mary, Murdoch Mrs Sarah, Murdoch Mrs Susan, Murdoch Mrs Susan C., McDonald Angus.

ARCH DICKSON, P. M.

1429

PLUCK No. 1.

PLUCK No. 2.

THE NEW CHROMOS From WELLARD'S Famous Paintings.

These Elegant Chromos are by far the most expressive pictures ever given to the public, being full of humor and "Pluck" to the last extent. Size 16 by 22 inches, mounted upon canvas and strainers. Price $10 the pair. Send orders to the publisher, J. F. RYDER, 289 Superior Street, Cleveland, O.

NOTICE.

THE STATUTES OF THE PROVINCE of Ontario (last session) are now ready for distribution gratis to the officials, and Justices of the Peace of the County and to each Municipal Council therein.

DANIEL LIZARS, Clerk of the Peace, Huron.

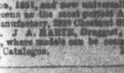
Office Clerk of the Peace, Goderich, 30th June, 1874. 1430b

R. CLEMENT'S PATENT IMPROVED ARTIFICAL LEG,

Adopted by the Surgeon General U. S. A., for the U. S. ARMY and NAVY. Very light, yet strong and durable; perfect in action. Wile of years' practical and careful experience, devoted exclusively to this special branch of Mechanical Surgery, followed by the Great Prize Medal at the World's Exposition, London, 1851, and now universally admitted by all Surgeons to be the most perfect Artificial Leg known. Manufactory, 1020 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. J. A. HARTE, Sponsor, Agent, Montreal, P. Q., where models can be seen. Send for Illustrated Catalogue. 1428-1m

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

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

MORRISH & FISHER.

Having purchased the Saw Mill of

W. M. SAVAGE

at Millburn, 5 miles North of Goderich on the Gravel Road,

are now prepared to furnish lumber of all kinds to those who require such.

Having thoroughly repaired and renovated the mill they are in a position to do first class work.

Colborne, 17th Dec. 1873. 140

ATTENTION.

HARDWARE. HARDWARE.

PARTIAL LIST

of goods for sale at Parson's & 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.

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, 13th May, 1874.

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

MULES FOR SALE.

A Span of three year old Mules well matched for sale, partly broken. Apply to the subscriber lot 25, con. 4, Goderich Township.

HENRY SEEGMILLER.

Goderich, June 1st, 1874. 1424-tf

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. MOORHOUSE.

Goderich, May 19th, 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. 1395

PUMPS, PUMPS, PUMPS.

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVING commenced the manufacture of Pumps are prepared to furnish any kind, at short notice, and on reasonable terms. Having had 9 years' experience with Mr. Dodd they can promise satisfaction. Give us a call.

Place of business—Corner of Cedar and Maple streets, near the Huron Road.

JAMES MARTIN & CO.

Goderich, June 19th, 1874. 1427

CANNED AND BOTTLED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

GREEN PEAS, GREEN CORN, TOMATOES, &c. &c. &c.

PEACHES, PEARS, STRAWBERRIES, PLUMS, ENGLISH DAMSONS, &c. &c. &c.

A LARGE VARIETY AT

D. FERGUSON'S.

1414

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.

Goderich, 11th June, 1874. 1426 W. KAY.

TORONTO HOUSE.

MISS MILLER

BEGS LEAVE TO ANNOUNCE TO THE LADIES OF GODERICH AND vicinity, that she has her establishment this season stocked with a choice variety of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

and is now prepared to please all favouring her with a call.

As well as Millinery she has also a large stock of handsome Mantlets at all prices.

MISS MILLER SOLICITS A CALL,

And guarantees that her prices, as well as her goods will please all, as she is selling some of her goods at a sacrifice at her old stand,

1422 MARKET SQUARE, GODERICH.

1874. 1874.

TO MY OLD FRIENDS AND THE Public Generally.

W. M. SAVAGE,

At his old stand, North side of the Market Square.

(Lately occupied by R. B. Smith.)

DEALER IN

General Dry Goods. HATS, CAPS, FURS, GLOVES & MITTENS. GROCERIES. DRY GOODS.

All the novelties of the season in Fancy Dry Goods, Trimmings and Staples.

HATS AND CAPS

The largest and best selected stock west of Toronto. Hats that are Hats for the Million!!!

GROCERIES

Everything usually kept in this line.

—ALSO—

FLOUR AND FEED.

Having experience of 25 years in the Hat, Cap and Fur trade, I am satisfied that I can please all and every one with a "Rivven" for the head. Caps, Furs and Gloves made to order, Silk Hats renovated and any particular style of hat not in stock will be supplied by leaving the order.

The above goods have all been carefully selected by myself in the best markets and will be sold

STRICTLY FOR CASH

at prices that will defy competition.

Farmers produce taken in exchange at market prices.

W. M. SAVAGE.

April 28th, 1874. 1419

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 Suoy 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.

WANTED AT THE MANCHESTER HOUSE, GODERICH, 30,000 POUNDS OF WOOL!

And any quantity of Butter, for which the highest CASH PRICE will be paid.

CROFTS & JOHNSTON,

Manchester House, Jordan's Block, Goderich.

1423

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

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having opened out a new stock of

Groceries, Glassware, Crockery, &c., &c.

In the store lately occupied by James Brackenridge, trusts that he may be favoured with a share of the public patronage.

H. COOKE.

Goderich, Sept. 1st, 1873. 1327

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 30th, 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

TRY MOORE & GORDON'S.

THEY HAVE ONE OF THE LARGEST AND CHEAPEST STOCKS OF DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS & SHOES And Clothing in Town

OPPOSITE THE MARKET.

1417

TRY BUTTERFIELD'S CHERRY BALSAM FOR COUGHS AND COLDS.

FOR SALE AT G. SAUNDERS'S (late Parkes & Cattle's) DRUG STORE, MARKET SQUARE, GODERICH.

1400

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

in the store lately occupied by G. H. Parsons & Co., next door to G. N. Doyle's Tin Shop.

WILLIAM CAMPBELL.

Goderich, 21st April, 1874. 1418

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 out a large and choice Stock of New Goods.

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

W. R. ROBERTSON, Manager.

Goderich, April 7th, 1874. 1411

CLOTHING.

A. SMITH & CO.

Have just received the largest

Stock of Clothing

AND THE

BEST STOCK OF CLOTHS

AND

GENTS FURNISHING GOODS

Now offered in Goderich, and they are determined to sell the

CHEAPEST FOR CASH.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER

ON SHORT NOTICE.

Good Fit guaranteed or no Sale.

REMEMBER THE STAND,

Next Door to J. Bent's Drug Store,

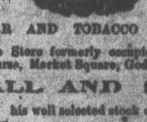
Market Square, Goderich.

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. Rooms, Organ Builder, Toronto. Orders for tuning promptly attended to. 1401

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. New 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. 1412

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

In the Matter of Hugh Gardiner and George Booth, both individually and as members of the firm of Hugh Gardiner and Company, Insolvents.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of the power vested in me as Assignee of the Estate of the above named Insolvents, I will offer for sale by Public Auction, at the Auction Mart of George Moon Trueman, in the Town of Goderich in the County of Huron, on Tuesday the twenty eighth day of July A.D. 1874, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, all the estate, right, title and interest both at law and in equity of the above named Insolvents and of myself as their assignee, of in and to the following lands and premises, namely, the West half of Lot number one hundred and thirty, on St. David's Street, in the town of Goderich in the County of Huron. Terms and conditions made known on the day of sale. For further particulars apply to Messrs. Cameron & Garrow, Solicitors, Goderich, or to

JOHN FAIR, Assignee.

Dated at the Town of Goderich this 26th day of May, A. D. 1874. 1423d

The Agricultural Mutual Assurance Association of CANADA.

CHARLES MORROW, ESQ., OF Clinton, having, some time ago, resigned his agency for the above Company, he has no authority to take applications or to collect money for the above Company, or to do any thing else implying agency.

Mr. Charles T. Doyle has been appointed in Mr. Morrow's place. He, or an assistant, duly authorised by him, will be happy to wait on any one desiring insurance.

D. C. MACDONALD, Manager.

London, Ont., 11th June, 1874. 1426d

The People's Grocery.

G. H. OLD

WOULD INTIMATE TO THE INHABITANTS of Goderich 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 Seed

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 14th, 1874. 1414

$10 REWARD.

LOST, A SHORT TIME AGO, A Gold Locket with short chain attached. The locket had a monogram on each side, one in black enammel, the other in plain gold letters, and contained a likeness. The above reward will be paid to any one leaving it at the SIGNAL OFFICE.

Goderich, June 18, 1874. 1427