

Poetry

MY HIGHLAND HILLS.

I love my native Highland hills,
Though capped with mist and snow;
Adown whose steep a thousand rills
In sunny splendor glow;

Montreal, March 26, 1850.

Miscellaneous

CLAIRVOYANCE AT PETERHEAD.

Our correspondent in Peterhead sends us an account of the clairvoyant's revelations, which was handed to him for transmission to us a fortnight ago, but thrown aside on the unobtrusive supposition that it was an imposture.

THE GREATEST DISCOVERY OF THE AGE.

It has recently been said of the discovery, by Mr. James M. Paine, of the decomposition of water into the production of an inflammable gas, that it is the greatest discovery of the age.

Notice to Common School Teachers AND TOWNSHIP CLERKS.

AS no County Board of Education has yet been established, it is quite unnecessary for Teachers to look for certificates from that quarter.

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NEW GOODS.

NEW GOODS, suitable for the season, will be opened out at the Store of the Subscriber on Thursday next.

JAMES LYND. Guelph, 20th May, 1850. 152

ENGLISH SEED.

THE Subscriber begs to inform the Farmers, that he has for sale

Skirving's Swedish Turnip Seed, and YELLOW ABERDEEN TURNIP SEED, imported by EDWARD MURTON, Esq., this spring.

JAMES LYND. Guelph, 20th May, 1850. 152

WELLINGTON HOTEL, FERGUS.

JOHN GLOVER respectfully intimates to the Inhabitants of the County of Waterloo, and the public generally, that he has fitted up, and furnished in the most comfortable and commodious manner, the large Stone Building recently erected by Mr. A. Glover, in St. David's Street, as

A FIRST CLASS HOTEL, where Travellers may be assured of every comfort and attention.

The BAR will always be supplied with the choicest Wines and Liquors, and the TABLE with all the delicacies of the season.

Excellent Stabling and a careful Hostler. STAGES to and from Guelph, Galt, Dundas and Hamilton, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and to Owen Sound every Wednesday.

Fergus, Feb. 19, 1850. 139-4f

ELORA HOTEL.

THE undersigned having removed to the extensive and commodious building recently erected by him in Elora, begs to apprise his friends and the public generally, that he is prepared to give them

THE BEST ACCOMMODATION, AT REASONABLE CHARGES.

His House will be found to be well furnished, provided with airy Dormitories, and comfortable Sitting Rooms; while his CELLAR AND LARDER will be constantly supplied with every necessary. He therefore confidently expects that the patronage hitherto so liberally bestowed upon him will not be withdrawn.

WILLIAM SMITH. P.S.—The Stages to and from Guelph call at the house on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Elora, July 17th 1849. 100-4f

FERGUS ARMS.

JAMES BERR has entered the above EXCELLENT HORSE with the determination to make the Management, Accommodation and Comfort first rate.

The BAR is excellent and excellently supplied—SHEEPS spacious and convenient—STABLES complete and commodious, and well supplied with Provender of best quality.

A Stage starts from the door every day at 12 o'clock noon, and the Mail every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 2 o'clock P. M.—both calling at Elora, Guelph, Galt, Dundas and Hamilton from whence there is a return.

There is also a Stage leaves Fergus every Wednesday at 12 o'clock noon, direct from Hamilton to Owen Sound.

Fergus, 1st January, 1849. 29

ELGIN HOUSE.

King Street, Dundas.

THE Proprietor begs to say that no expense has been spared in making his establishment every thing which the convenience and comfort of the travelling community could desire.

The ELGIN HOUSE is commodious, offering ample accommodation for families; and those honoring it with their patronage will find themselves in possession of the Comforts of Home, in as high a degree as can be found in any other House in North America.

Extensive Stabling attached to the premises. WILLIAM McDONNELL. Dundas, 15th July, 1848.

GREY'S HOTEL, ELORA.

GEORGE GREY respectfully intimates to his old friends, and the public generally, that he has re-occupied the House formerly and for many years possessed by him as a Hotel in Elora.

Travellers and Boarders patronizing the house may rely on finding the

BAR AND LARDER well supplied, and that every attention will be given to their comfort and convenience.

Commodious Sheds & Stabling. A Stage leaves Elora every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 2 P. M., for Guelph, Galt, Hamilton, &c.; and every Wednesday, at 9 A. M., for Owen Sound

Elora, 17th July, 1849. 108-4f

BLANK DEEDS AND MEMORIALS.

OF the most approved forms, on hand and for sale on reasonable terms, at the Herald Office.

SUPERIOR BREED OF HOGS.

THE Subscriber has for Sale a few beautiful young Sows and Boars, of the Yorkshire Breed, which, for largeness of size, and propensity to fatten, cannot perhaps be equalled on this continent.

Price £5 per pair at Guelph, or £6 5s. free on board steamer at Hamilton. Letters prepaid will receive immediate attention.

J. HARLAND. Guelph, 3rd Feb. 1848.

IMPORTANT TO THE PUBLIC.

EZRA HOPKINS, OF WEST FLAMBOROUGH, having for a few months past been acting as Travelling Agent for the

Washington Mutual Insurance Co. Takes the present opportunity of thanking the inhabitants of the Wellington District for the very liberal patronage and encouragement which he has received at their hands; and has now the pleasure of informing them that he is duly authorized to act also for

The Genesee Mutual, The former Institution being exclusively devoted to the Insurance of Farm Stock and Buildings, the latter taking risks in Towns—and both on very moderate terms.

THE WASHINGTON COMPANY offers peculiar advantages to the Agricultural Interest, taking ordinary risks at one percent, doing an immense amount of business, having a very large capital on hand, and promptly settling all claims against the Institution. Capital, \$384,000; Members, 37,956,—both daily increasing.

THE GENESSEE COMPANY is intended to insure against Fire in Towns and Villages, and the rates are consequently higher in proportion as the risks are greater; but in consequence of the large business done, little more has hitherto been required than the first payment, for during the past thirteen years the Assessments have only averaged two per cent., although during that period some of the most disastrous fires ever known have occurred. Capital, \$240,125.

EZRA HOPKINS, Agent for the Wellington and Elton Districts. April 24, 1849. 41-1y

N.B.—Parties wishing to have their property insured in either of the above offices, will forward their views, and oblige E. H., by leaving their names and places of residence with either of the following gentlemen:—

JOHN GREENBERG, Cambridge. HENRY EMMETT, Berlin. THOMAS SHARROW, Guelph.

Mr. ROBERT RICHARDSON, Agent for Guelph and vicinity.

TO BREEDERS OF HOGS.

MR. HARLAND begs to intimate to all parties desirous of procuring a very superior breed of Pigs, that his justly celebrated Prig Yorkshire Boar, "WAMBA," which obtained the First Premium at the District Show, and which is doubtless the finest animal of his class in the Province, will serve sows for the present season at One Dollar each.

NOTICE.

THE SALE BY AUCTION OF THE ST. ANN'S MILLS, near Palermo, and of the Lands in the Townships of Nelson, Erin, Nassagaweya, Woodwick, Townsend, Zorra, Windham, Lebo, Carradoc, Dawn, South and North Crosby, and Cadogan, under two decrees of the Court of Chancery, made in the causes of "Crooks vs. Crooks," and "Crooks vs. Crooks and Notman," IS POSTPONED by the Master, John Godfrey Spragge, Esq., until further notice.

The undersigned is now prepared to dispose of the property by private contract, in Lots, under the authority of the Court. A reasonable time will be allowed for payment of the purchase money.

For further particulars, as to title, &c., apply to

GEO. MORPHY, Plaintiff's Solicitor. Toronto, July 26, 1849. 110-4f

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