

FREEDOM IN RUSSIA.

IMPORTANT DECREE ISSUED BY THE CZAR.

Liberty of Conscience—Revision of Laws Promised—Peasants to be Released From Forced Labor.

St. Petersburg, March 13.—The Czar has issued a decree providing for freedom of religion throughout his dominions, establishing to some degree local self-government and making other concessions to the village committees. The decrees, which were issued in commemoration of the anniversary of the birthday of Alexander III., is considered to be the most significant act of State since the emancipation of the serfs. The public hailed it as the proclamation of a new era, opening up bright prospects of the early improvement of Russian internal administration.

The text of the decree is as follows:—On ascending the throne of our ancestors, by the Providence of God we made a solemn vow before the Almighty and our conscience to dedicate our life to the service of our beloved fatherland in indefatigable solicitude for our subjects. We chose, in order to secure the well-being of our people, the way indicated by the memorable deeds of our predecessors, especially our never-to-be-forgotten father, God pleased to interrupt the deeds of our father by his early death, and thus laid on us the sacred duty of completing the consolidation of order and truth begun by him in conformity with the exigencies of national life.

"In demanding the fulfillment of this our will, while remaining strongly opposed to any violation of the normal course of national life, and having confidence that all will loyally discharge their local duties, we are irrevocably decided to satisfy the needs for which the State has become ripe, and have deemed it expedient to strengthen and decree the undeviating observance of the principles of tolerance laid down by the fundamental laws of the Russian Empire, which, recognizing the orthodox church as the ruling one, grant to all our subjects of other religions and to all foreign persuasions freedom of creed and worship in accordance with other rites, and we are further resolved to continue the active carrying out of measures for the improvement of the material position of the orthodox rural clergy, while enabling them to take a larger share in intellectual and public life.

"Without delay measures must be taken to release the peasants from the present burdensome liability of forced labor. Thorough reform is to be effected in the Provincial Governments and district administrations by the local representatives, while attention will be devoted to securing closer cooperation between the communal authorities and parochial trustees of the orthodox churches wherever possible.

"Calling upon all our subjects to cooperate in strengthening the moral foundations of family, school and public life, under which alone the well-being of the people and the confidence of everyone in the stability of his rights can develop, we command our Ministers and chief officials concerned in this matter to submit to us their views regarding the execution of our intentions."

RECOMMENDED TO MERCY.

Trained Nurse Who Shot Her Sweetheart Found Guilty.

Newark, N. J., March 13.—"Guilty, with a recommendation to the mercy of the court," was the verdict found in the case of Miss Annie M. Hildebrandt, the trained nurse who shot her fiancée, Bernard J. McCallum, at his boarding-house in Orange July 1st. Miss Hildebrandt was placed on trial on the charge of shooting McCallum, with intent to kill. The trial has occupied several days. Her counsel, in summing up, said she intended to commit suicide in the presence of her sweetheart, and had no intention of killing him.

Killed by a Falling Tree.

London, Ont., March 12.—(Special.)—Robert Lawrence was killed yesterday near Kerwood by a tree falling on him. He was employed by Mr. Johnston, who had the contract for supplying timber to the Columbia Harbour Company of this city. He had lately arrived from Ireland.

A Pointer Towards Happiness.

"The only absolutely infallible rule for how to be happy though married is to stay single," says "Dorothy Dix" in an article entitled "A Guide to Happiness." "There is never a man or woman like the one we did not marry, and it is only in old bachelors and old maids' dreams of wedded life that there are no family jars and scrapping matches. There is trouble a-plenty in married life. There is loneliness without it. It is one of the things that, whether you do or you do not, you are apt to regret. But happiness in matrimony, like happiness elsewhere in life, must be manufactured by the individual for his own use. To do this one has only to love much, and get a little love in return, to give without demanding compound interest; to be quick to praise and slow to blame; to be kind to virtues and blind to faults; to give to others the charity we expect ourselves. No man or woman who does this finds marriage a failure. The trouble is, we think matrimony happiness is an orchid to be found only in strange places, whereas it is a domestic plant that flourishes best in a well-tended kitchen garden."

An Atchison husband hovered at death's door so long his wife remarked that she supposed he was having his usual trouble finding the keyhole.—Atchison "Globe."

THE FOUR D'S.

Charles Spurgeon once said that there were three great enemies to man—"dirt, debt and the devil." He might have added one more "d" and included dyspepsia. The evil results this disease could hardly be exaggerated. Its effects are felt in mind and body, and are as far reaching as the effects of the curse that was laid on the Jackdaw of Rheims which was cursed in "eating and drinking and sleeping, in standing and sitting and lying." The good effects of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery are most marked in aggravated and chronic dyspepsia. It enables the stomach glands to secrete the necessary quantity of digestive fluids, and this at once removes that craving or gnawing sensation so common to certain forms of indigestion. It tones and regulates the stomach, invigorates the torpid liver and gives the blood-making glands keen assimilative power. "Golden Medical Discovery" cures ninety-eight per cent. of those who use it. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are superior to all other laxative medicines when the bowels are obstructed.

Truth does not need any proof of evidence, for the real truth is self-evident.

Dear Sirs.—I have been a great sufferer from rheumatism, and lately have been confined to my bed. Seeing your MINARD'S LINIMENT advertised, I tried it and got immediate relief. I ascribe my restoration to health to the wonderful power of your medicine.

LEWIS S. BUTLER.
Barin, Nfld.

When a woman feels she has been slighted it is better not to contradict her.

CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED

with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Were it not for love many a girl would be unable to make herself miserable.

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is a boon to any home. It disinfects and cleans at the same time.

The average man suffers more from an overloaded stomach than from the pangs of conscience.

WHEN YOU TRAVEL

Remember that the Grand Trunk can take you quickly and comfortably via any of its three trains, leaving Chatham for the East. The 8.32 a. m. express carries through coach to Toronto, arriving 1.30 p. m.; Pullman car, London to Buffalo, which is reached at 3.05 p. m., and has dining car, Woodstock to Niagara Falls. The New York Express leaves Chatham at 2.23 p. m. daily, and arrives Toronto 8.15 p. m., Buffalo 9.50 p. m., and New York 9.33 a. m., carries through coach to Toronto and Pullman sleeper, Hamilton to New York.

The "Eastern Flyer" leaves Chatham at 5.08 p. m., arriving Toronto 9.20 p. m., and Montreal 7.30 a. m., carries coaches and cafe parlor car to Toronto; meals "a la carte," and through Pullman sleeper to Montreal. For tickets, reservations, and all information apply to W. E. Rispin, City Passenger Agent, 115 King Street, or to J. C. Pritchard, Depot Ticket Agent.

Discretion is an old-fashioned virtue, perhaps, but it has made many women beloved and many men successful.

Coughs, colds, soreness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Oresolene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

Think of the ills from which you are exempt; and it will aid you to bear patiently those which you may suffer.

SETTLERS TRAINS TO CANADIAN NORTHWEST.

For the convenience of settlers who desire to travel with their effects, the Grand Trunk will run special trains which will leave the Union Station, Toronto, every Tuesday during March and April, at 9.00 p. m. These trains, leaving without live stock should take the train leaving Toronto at 1.45 p. m. See your nearest Grand Trunk agent for particulars and tickets. W. E. Rispin, C. P. & T. A., 115 King St.

A grasping nature is all right when it shows only in a hearty handshake.

THE "INTERNATIONAL LIMITED."

"A Pleasure to Travel" is invariably the verdict from passengers who have taken the trip from Chatham to Chicago on the Grand Trunk's famous train, the "International Limited," which leaves Chatham daily at 9.07 p. m. A cafe parlor car is carried to Detroit, connecting with through Pullman sleeper for Chicago, arriving there 7.30 a. m., insuring a comfortable trip and a good night's rest. Tickets, reservations, etc., at city or station ticket offices. Mr. W. E. Rispin, C. P. & T. A., Chatham.

The most amiable people are those who least wound the self-love of others.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

IN THE NORTHWEST

HOW OUR GREAT PRAIRIE EMPIRE STRUCK AN ENGLISHMAN.

Rev. Alfred Rowland Writes His Interesting Experiences for the London Christian World—"Jack as Good as His Master in Canada"—Shortcomings of Even Wealthy in the Matter of Dress.

During our stay in Regina, the chief city in Assiniboia, we visited the station of the famous Mounted Police, three miles out. Commissioner Perry, who commands the force, personally showed us over the premises, and took us into his house to tea with his wife and daughters. The men are often of good family, who enlist for the sake of adventure, and of this, in earlier days at least, they had their fill. No less than 250 of them volunteered for service in South Africa. They are fearless fellows, splendid horsemen and good shots. Although only about 750 in number, they keep perfect order throughout these vast Northwest territories, peopled though they are by men of different nationalities, including many Indians. The Canadians are proud of them, and make it their boast that when once they are set on the track of a criminal they never give up till he is caught, and it is claimed that the certainty of punishment is far greater on their side of the border than on the other. Some time ago 500 Indians had proved troublesome in the United States, whose authorities sent them with an escort of 200 men, to the border. A couple of Mounted Police were detailed off to receive them, and rode across the line for this purpose. "Where are your men?" asked the officer in charge, expecting a troop of soldiers. "Why, here we are," was the Canadian's answer. Then turning to the Indians he shouted "Fall in, march!" and instantly his command was obeyed. The amazed American suggested that it was risky work to bring so small a force. "Oh, that's all right," said the Canadian, "we wear the King's scarlet, and all the Indians know us. We never have trouble with them." I tell the story as it was told me, and it is simple matter of fact that the Indians under British rule give no trouble. A Lakeland over the great universal A. shopkeeper in Regina told me that he had sometimes left things out all night and they were never touched.

The worst excesses here, as in our own country, are due to drink, and of the towns we have visited Regina is in this respect one of the worst. We stayed in what we are assured is the best hotel in the place, yet even in it we were met by the notice that a drink would be served free to anyone who came between 10 and 10.5 p. m. A traveler in the hotel said, in the forcible vernacular of the district, "There's more hell in the liquor traffic here than ever I saw anywhere."

We were amused by the free-and-easy ways of those whom Englishmen are wont to receive with respect, if not servility. "Jack as good as his master," if not better. "Boots," for example, who is a lad from Whitechapel, made it a great favor to give more "shine" for five cents, and off duty he was dressed with the best, swaggering into the writing-room, chaffing the visitors, and whistling shrilly now and again, to assert his independence. The barber conducted operations in the same room, and for practice, or pleasure, began shaving himself, waving round the room, and exhibiting his skill (happily on his own throat) without even a glance into the glass, occasionally making a joke, or singing a snatch of a music-hall song. Meanwhile a young clerk, from a store close by, seated himself in the shaving chair to wait the good pleasure of the barber, who, looking at him quizzically, exclaimed, "Well, my buck, you needn't look sapious, though you may be as good as you like." The next customer was a Scot, loudly asked, "Do you want a scrape? Then I guess you must wait till I've done my own hair." With all this noisy chaff there was great good-nature. When I expressed my surprise at the impudence of Boots to one of the townsmen, he said, "Oh, we don't mind it; you see, he's an orphan from the Old Country."

The truth is these men earn good money, and their places could be easily supplied if they went off in a huff. One of the men told me that as a carpenter he earned four and a half dollars a day, and could live on one dollar. By way of change he had taken on work as a porter in the hotel, receiving board and lodging free, and earning, with tips, forty dollars a month. The town does not appear to be very healthy. The water is drawn from wells, and diphtheria was prevalent at the time of our visit.

Any Englishman must be struck with the disregard of appearances in the West. Travelers in first-class carriages, who prove to be educated, intelligent and often wealthy men, are dressed in colored shirts, open waistcoats and slouch cowboy hats; while their persons are often none too clean, and the disagreeable habit of chewing and spitting is almost universal; indeed, yesterday, to my disgust, I saw a fairly well-dressed woman guilty of this hateful habit.

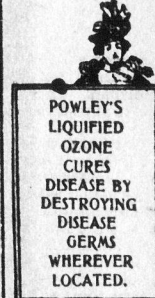
The names of places are redolent of days when Nature reigned supreme in this vast Dominion. The Crane, the Gull, the Goose and the Eagle Lakes. Red-deer Station, Crow's Nest Pass—are examples which might be indefinitely multiplied. Indian names are constantly recurring, e.g., Suckatchewan, Assiniboia, Oskewan, Pellico and Kootenay. The Catholic missions have left their traces in Lacrosse Lake, Priest River, Tete Juan Cache and Lacombe, named after the French priest who half a century ago began a work which, I believe, he still lives to carry on. Hence, although historical and archaeological associations, so well known to us in Europe, are absent here, more recent history is everywhere, and every turn—Rev. Alfred Rowland, in London Christian World.

KIDNEY TROUBLE

William Appleton Tried Drug Preparations That Did Him No Good and the Sands of His Life Were Fast Slipping Away.

A Friend Advised Powley's Liquefied Ozone—So Sick Was He That He Had Commenced on the Fourth Bottle Before Feeling Better.

Then, With the Disease Germs Destroyed, the Improvement Was Rapid, and He Was Soon at Work—Has Had No Lost Time Since.



Some time ago I was a very sick man from kidney trouble. All the medicine I was then taking did me no good. I felt the sands of life were fast slipping away. I was advised by a friend to try Powley's Liquefied Ozone, as it had raised him from a very serious sickness into perfect health. My wife at once purchased a bottle, and I commenced taking your remedy. I was very much run down at this time. I had used three 50c. bottles and commenced the fourth before I began to feel the benefit. But from the fourth bottle I mended fast, my cough left me, and my energy returned. I began work again and have been working ever since. I have the greatest confidence in your remedy and feel that I cannot afford to be without a bottle in our house all the time. You are at liberty to publish this for the benefit of other sufferers.

WM. APPLETON,
67 Stafford Street, Toronto.



The Strongest Proof is Home Proof.

Has it ever occurred to you in reading Ozone advertisements that the proof we furnish as to the remarkable curative qualities of Powley's Liquefied Ozone is of the strongest possible kind? Never has a remedy been so enthusiastically endorsed by such a great number of people, but the best of the proof we furnish is that it is not from a man in Maine or a woman in Mexico, but from people right at home. In cases of kidney trouble our home proof is particularly strong. By destroying the disease germs that cause the trouble Ozone effects cures when drug preparations have proved entirely worthless.

The following are brief extracts from the statements of other persons who have been cured:

WM. FLETCHER, Brindale, Ont., says: "For about two years I suffered from kidney disease and finally became so ill that my doctor advised me that if I had any business to settle that I had better have it attended to. Fully expecting to die I had him draw up my will. About this time Mr. Conover, a neighbor, recommended Powley's Liquefied Ozone. I felt better after taking the second dose and after taking five bottles was entirely cured. Although 73 years of age I am so well that I can do a good amount of work and feel that I am good for at least ten years to come."

W. A. PRIMEAU, Chatham, Ont., says: "For six months I was much troubled with my kidneys, during which time I tried a number of medicines supposed to cure kidney trouble, but derived no benefit from any of them. A friend advised me to try Powley's Liquefied Ozone. I soon found it to be just what I required and in a short time was in fine working condition, with every trace of the disease gone."

WALTER RAINE, city traveller for the Hough Lithographing Co., Toronto, says: "For some time I was troubled with kidney disease, which I believe was fast developing into Bright's disease. I also had rheumatism in my shoulders and knees and my digestion was far from good. I tried Powley's Liquefied Ozone. The first bottle helped me and I continued taking it until I had taken four bottles, when every symptom of my old ailments was gone. I now keep Ozone in the house and find it an excellent remedy for any sickness that we may have."

Powley's Liquefied Ozone is sold only by reliable dealers—never by peddlers. Price 50 cents and \$1.00 per bottle. Our booklet on kidney trouble and rheumatism mailed free on receipt of name and address.

THE OZONE CO., Limited,
Toronto, Ont.

AUCTION SALE

Farm stock and implements, on lot 19, concession 2, Township of Chatham, commencing at 12.30.

THURSDAY, MARCH 19,

sale to commence at one o'clock sharp. The following stock will be sold as the proprietor has sold his farm: One general purpose mare, 8-year-old; one general purpose colt, 4-year-old; one gray mare, aged; one Roadster mare, 10-year-old, in foal by Simon; one Roadster colt, 9 months old, sired by Bassora; one span of drivers, well matched; two new milch cows with calves by their sides; one 3-year-old cow; four 2-year-old heifers; two 2-year-old steers; one yearling heifer; two yearling steers; one calf, seven months old; 28 good shoats; 13 pigs; two good brood sows, will farrow early in April; one brood sow, will farrow in May; one pair of trucks; one gang plow; one sulky plow; one hay rack; two buggies; two sets of harness; one Gurney stock scale; one cutter; about 15 tons of fine clover hay and a quantity of seed potatoes; chains, forks, and other articles too numerous to mention. The above stock is all in good condition.

Terms—All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount ten months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes. A discount of 7 per cent. per annum will be allowed for cash.

WILFRED M. FLEMING, Proprietor.

McCOIG & HARRINGTON, Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE

Farm Stock and Implements, at Beechwood Villa, on Lot 6, Con. 1, Tp. of Chatham, about 2 1/2 miles from Chatham; Wednesday, April 5th, 1903, commencing at 10 a. m. Lunch at Noon.

Horres. One matched team, draught mare and gelding, 7 and 8 years old, Art Gowans, weighing 2,900 lbs.; one draught team, mare and gelding, 8 and 9 years old, Sun Beams, weighing 3,200 lbs.; one general purpose mare colt coming 4 years old; one Roadmaster gelding, 7 years old; one mare, White Line, 5 years old, pace or trot.

Cattle. One registered Durham bull, fat, 4 years old; six fat steers, 3 and 4 years old; one fat heifer, 2 years old; ten milch cows in calf, one fresh cow, three steers 2 years old, one heifer 2 years old, one steer 1 year old, three fall heifer calves, one fall steer calf, one calf three months old.

Hogs. Two thoroughbred boars, Chester White; one thoroughbred sow, Chester White, in pig; three Tamworth sows in pig, one grade sow in pig, 20 shoats.

Implements. One Maxwell mower nearly new, one Maxwell disc, one Wisner drill, one Noxon rake, two Gale cultivators, 1 new, one Tiger two-horse corn planter, new, one American two-horse walking cultivator, one Scientific crusher and grinder, two Flury plows, 1 nearly new, one hand corn sheller, one hand garden drill, one Johnson steel scraper, two lumber wagons, one truck wagon, two McCubbin hay and stock racks, one Campbell fanning mill, one Crawford power cutting box, one top buggy, one 1,500 lbs. Gurney scales, one Park Bros. feed cooker, one grindstone, one Dale steel roller, three sets double harness, 1 set nearly new, one set double driving harness, one set single harness.

Grain. About 1,500 bush. of corn in ear, about 1,200 bush. of oats, about 20 ton of alfalfa hay, also a quantity of shelled corn stalks.

The above stock is all well bred and in good condition.

Everything must be sold, as the farm has been rented to Mr. Robert Warnock.

TERMS—Fat cattle and all sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount 7 months' credit will be given on approved joint notes; a discount of 8 per cent. per annum allowed for cash on credit amounts.

F. W. CHARTERIS, Proprietor.

McCOIG & HARRINGTON, Auctioneers.

EXECUTORS' SALE

Farm Stock and Implements, the property of the late Robert Glover, Lot 14, Con. 11, Township of Dover, Thursday, March 26, Sale at 10 o'clock. Lunch at Noon.

One bay mare in foal, one bay work mare, one grey mare 1,400 lbs., one Cleveland mare 6 years old, one yearling colt, five milch cows, two milch cows in calf, four steers 2 years old, one yearling steer, one good grade bull, one cow, two young calves 1 month old, five brood sows will farrow about 1st of May, 30 good shoats, about 80 chickens, one Massey-Harris binder, one Maxwell mower, one hay rake, one Beaver drill, one Western double cultivator, one good roller, one walking plow, one disc harrow, one iron harrow, one corn marker, one set bob-sleighs, one hay rack, one lumber wagon and box, one democrat, one top buggy, one open buggy, one fanning mill, one emery stone, one water trough, one blacksmith's outfit including bellows, anvil, etc., one set double harness, one set single harness, 40 rods hog fence, one iron kettle, one cooking stove, one heating stove, one Singer sewing machine, one barrel churn, 25 grain bags, about four tons hay, about 1,300 bush. corn in crib, about 400 bush. oats, together with forks, chains and many other useful articles.

Everything must be sold to settle the estate.

Terms—All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount eight months' credit will be given on approved joint notes. A discount of seven per cent. per annum allowed for cash on credit amounts.

JOHN FOY, JAMES GLOVER, Executors.

McCOIG & HARRINGTON, Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE

Farm stock and implements, on lot 24, concession 12, Township of Dover, commencing at 12.30.

TUESDAY, MARCH 24TH,

One general purpose team, 6-year-old; one heavy brood mare, in foal; one colt, 3-year-old, Wilkes Chief; one colt, 2-year-old, draught; one yearling colt, German coach; four new milch cows; two milch cows; one cow coming in in April; one heifer, coming in in May; three two-year-old heifers; one yearling heifer; two yearling steers; two calves, 9 months old; four young calves; four brood sows; 18 pigs four months old; five pigs, three months old; 19 pigs two months old; one Goodison grain thrasher; one Maple Leaf grinder; one Massey-Harris binder; one horse rake; one Toronto mower; one Wisner drill; one fanning mill; one disc harrow; one set harrows; one two horse cultivator; two single cultivators; two walking plows; one twin gang plow; one furrow plow; one sleigh; one scraper; one corn cutter; two farm wagons; one wagon box, double; one hay and stock rack combined; one bag truck; one pair bob-sleighs; one stone boat; one democrat; two top buggies; one road cart; one cutter; two sets double harness; one set light driving harness; one set single harness; one car, rope and slings complete; one car and hay fork complete; about 30 grain bags; contents of blacksmith shop; one grindstone; one Excelsior fence hook machine, gage, reel and pinchers for building Excelsior fence; four barrels; one iron kettle; one dog power, nearly new; one barrel churn; one butter worker; one Melott cream separator; one Jewel coal stove, nearly new; one Giant coal stove; and a quantity of other household furniture.

Everything must be sold without reserve as the proprietor has rented the farm.

Terms—All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount eight months' credit will be given on furnishing approved joint notes. A discount of seven per cent. per annum will be given for cash on credit amounts.

GEORGE WEMP, Proprietor.

McCOIG & HARRINGTON, Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE

Farm stock and implements, on lot 20, concession 5, Township of Dover, about four miles from Chatham, commencing at 10 a. m. Lunch at noon.

FRIDAY, MARCH 27,

One registered mare, Nell (1353) in foal to the imported Clyde stallion Lord Strathmore; one registered mare, Maud (1388) in foal to the celebrated stallion St. Nicholas (1295). The above team are noted prize winners, having won eight firsts and three second prizes, and also various prizes as colts and brood mares and best mares in their class any age; one colt Peggy (1390), coming 2-year-old, dam Maud (1388) sire St. Nicholas (1295), a prize winner as foal and yearling; one foal Geo. Ross (1243) same sire and dam as Peggy; the stallion St. Nicholas (1295), shown 13 times and won 12 first and one second; the standard bred stallion Lord Brino (33175) dam Fedget by old Rooker (7475) sire Wild Brino (10073) winner of first prize as roadster at last Chatham Fair; one good road horse, coming 7-year-old; four new milch cows, 3 to 6 years old; one cow coming in in April; six fat steers, 3-year-old; four steers, coming 2-year-old; three yearling steers; one yearling heifer; three young calves. These cattle are all high grade and in good condition; two brood sows and pigs; one Frost & Wood mower, nearly new; one 10 foot Osborne rake; one Gale cultivator, new; two wagons; one wagon box, seat and stock rack; one top buggy; one road cart; one pair bob-sleighs; one cutter; one gang plow; one walking plow; one set harrows; two sets double harness; two sets single harness; two kettles; a quantity of good clover hay; a quantity of household furniture; besides forks, chains and other articles too numerous to mention.

Parties are invited to inspect stock any time previous to sale.

Everything will be sold without reserve, as the proprietor has sold the farm.

Terms—Fat cattle and all sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount seven months' credit will be given on approved joint notes. A discount of 8 per cent. per annum allowed for cash on credit amounts.

JAS. W. FLEMING, Proprietor.

McCOIG & HARRINGTON, Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE

OF FARM STOCK

At Bridge End, Lot 27, Con. 1, West Communication Road, Township of Harwich on Friday, March 20th, commencing at 1 o'clock sharp.

HORSES—1 bay mare, 2 bay mares in foal by King Craft, 1 bay mare 4 yrs. by Sandy Scott, 1 bay mare 5 yrs. by Sandy Scott and 1 bay mare 3 yrs. by Sandy Scott and 1 chesty by Brinker Sprague, 1 bay horse, 1 team of mules and harness, 1 brown mare coming 2 yrs. old and 1 horse 1 yr. old.

CATTLE—1 Durham bull registered by McDonald Choice 11 mos, 1 Durham bull by Scottish Hero 11 mos, Durham bull by Scottish Hero 10 mos, Durham bull Lord Stanley 14 1/2 mos, 1 heifer Lord Stanley 12 mos, 1 heifer Lord Stanley 5 mos, 5 heifers coming 2 yrs. old, 4 steers coming 2 yrs. old, 4 new milch cows, 1 cow supposed to be in calf.

TERMS—Seven per cent per annum discount for cash; 9 months' credit will be given by furnishing approved joint notes.

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