Colborne.

HOME, SWEET HOME. — Our jovial friend the venerable John Morris has returned from a visit to friends in the Blue Grass State, and is hale and hearty. He says his Kentucky friends treated him grandly, and he could not tear himself away from them in time to get back to vote on the 30th ult.

A NEW TEAM.—Our young friend Percy Stewart has supplied the place of the "Gallent Grays" recently sold with a pair of bay colts, which already have taken first prizes at the fall shows of Huron. The fair ones along Butternut Row are already signing for the merry jingle of the sleigh bells.

Holmesville.

Miss Lawrence, of Massachusetts, is at present visiting her brother, W. S. Lawrence.

Mr. A. R. Birks, and Mr. Legear of Dungannon, exchanged pulpits last Sabbath.

Mr. Ed. Courtice took second prize at the shooting match in Seaforth last week.

On Saturday last a few of the inhabitants of the village were amused by a set-to between Mr. Knox and P. Potter. The latter wanted to water his horses, but Mr. Knox would not let him.

W. S. Lawrence has secured the services of Mr. Stanbury, of Clinton, to teach the remainder of his term. Mr. Lawrence intends going into the book business. He carries with him the best wishes of the section.

Leeburn.

Miss Hester Patton, of Garbraid, was the guest of Mrs. E. Shaw last week.

George McAllister, of the Bayfield road, Goderich township, was the guest of his son, A. McAlister, last week. The old gentleman likes our hamlet.

Mrs. Jefferson has removed to Goderich

J. Carruthers has gone to Goderich township with his family to reside for the winter.

An eight year old girl named Susan McAllister scalded one of her feet badly by stepping into a pail of hot water, and is now laid up.

I. O. G. T.—The following are the officers installed for the ensuing quarter by D. Cumming, D.D., at last regular meeting:—Bro. John Linklater, W.C.T.; sister Ellen Horton, W.V.T.; bro. S. B. Williams, W.S.; sister Lizzie Cowan, W.A.S.; bro. J. A. McArthur, W.F.S.; bro. R. E. Brown, V.T.; bro. W. C. Stewart, W.M.; sister Edith Horton, I.G.; bro. G. H. Clutton, O.G.; bro. John Horton, W.C.; sister E. Cowan, W.R.H.S.; sister M. McManus, W.L.H.S.; bro. W. McManus, P.W.C.T.

Clinton.

Rev. J. Kenner preached an excellent discourse last Sunday, on the Bible being an inspired volume.

W. D. Doherty & Co. on Wednesday received an order for thirty-six organs from London, Eng. It speaks well for the enterprise of the firm, and the merits of their productions.

The bachelor and benedict assembly on Tuesday night was the most brilliant of the season. Fifty couples from Toronto, Montreal, London, and adjacent places were the special visitors. The inside of the town hall was tastefully got up, festooned and draped with lace curtains. The stage was used as a drawing room. The Italian band from London furnished the music. All the company enjoyed themselves in tripping the light fantastic till the wee sma' hours of the morning.

The members of the scientific and literary society and House of Commons met last Thursday evening to reorganize. It was unanimously agreed to proceed on the same basis as former years. Agreed also that the night of meeting be Friday evening of each week. The following are the elected officers, with the exception of the cabinet, which will be made known shortly: Gov.-General, J. McL. Campbell; president, G. Sharman; 1st vice, R. Holmes; 2nd vice, R. D. Bayley; treasurer, W. Beesley; secretary, D. C. Corr; executive committee, J. Scott, J. C. Stevens, A. H. Manning, H. Foster and J. McL. Campbell; emergency committee, H. Foster, A. H. Manning and R. Holmes. R. D. Bayley was chosen premier, and G. Sharman leader of the opposition. It was agreed that the subject of discussion for next meeting be exemption of church property from taxes. The above society is now in its fifth year, and the number of prominent men in its ranks augurs well for its success. The society extends a hearty welcome to its friends, and requests the pleasure of their presence.

Gorrie.

Mrs. R. James has purchased the Wilson property opposite the post office in this place, and is making great improvements on it at present.

Henry Smith, of 4th con., Howick, has sold his farm of 150 acres to a Mr. Henry, of Oxford county, for the sum of $7,200. Mr. Smith intends moving his family to the Northwest in the spring.

The Lord's Army has come to grief here. They had a banquet about three weeks ago, and it appears could not agree over the distribution of the money, so a public meeting was held to find out who was in the wrong. This took place on the 10th, and is said to be the most disgraceful meeting ever held in Gorrie. The public feeling leaned toward the general, the captains, Mr. Turner and Miss McLeod, being hissed at whenever they rose to speak. It could easily be seen that Capt. Turner was in fault, as he handled all the money and could not give an account of what he did with it. They have all disappeared from the place now, it is hoped never to return again.

Since the Scott Act was carried in Huron, the hotelkeepers of this place have placed notices on their sheds to the effect that parties using the shed in future will pay for single horse, 10c., for team, 15c. The temperance people, thinking this too high a charge, waited on the hotelkeepers to see if they would not lower the rates, telling them if they did not do so a free shed would be built for the accommodation of teams. They took two or three days to consider over the matter, and reported that the rates would not be lowered. At a meeting Saturday night a committee was appointed to find ground to build a public shed. Threats were made yesterday that the sheds would be burned as fast as Scott Act men could build them, but this only makes them more determined. The excitement over the Scott Act has not abated here yet.

Kintail.

Murdock McAulay returned on Tuesday from a week's holidays visiting friends in Ripley. He looks hale and hearty.

Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan, of Hensall, are the guests of J. Cowan. They are on their wedding tour.

Mr. Dales, wife and family arrived here on Friday from Newmarket to take charge of his new store. We wish him every success.

D. M. Buchanan and wife left here last Friday for their future home in Goderich. Mr. Buchanan has been engaged in the mercantile business here this last four years, during which time he has proven himself a straightforward business man. Our best wishes go with him for his future welfare.

On Tuesday night of last week a number of our young gentlemen left here on foot to give Finlay McDonald, who lives on the 12th concession of Ashfield, a surprise dance. They being somewhat excited, forgot their fair ones until they got to their destination. They commenced to meditate over their negligence, but all was useless, so they had to commence their unpleasant march homewards again. Our best wishes go with the young men for their brave attempt, but we would advise them to cultivate their memories for the future.

FOOT BALL MATCH.—The foot ball match on Tuesday last between Kingsbridge and this village ended in a draw, neither side securing a goal. The ground was in rather poor condition, and during the first half of the game play was not lively. However, our boys got a few good kicks on goal after they changed ends. This raised their spirits, but with all their force they could not secure the prize. Kingsbridge has good material and after some practice with regard to the laws of the game, will no doubt do good work. In the evening they went to Mr. Young's hall, where they tripped the "light fantastic" until the wee sma' hours, when all departed much pleased with their evening's pleasure.

Dunlop.

NEW LANDLORD.—Mr. Zingk has come amongst us to take charge of our caravansary, the Royal Exchange. Fred Horton goes back to his farm at Leeburn. He was a good landlord, and we hope his successor will prove as popular.

A. McAllister, our respected constable has resigned his baton, and gone to reside at Leeburn. Until such time as a successor is appointed, our jovial engineer will act as guardian of the peace. He will carry his honors becomingly.

W. Young, sr., has returned from a six week's visit to his daughter, Mrs. Lewis, of Pontiac, Mich.

Our architect with his staff of journeymen has returned from Ashfield for a time, to do shop work.

On Saturday last Mrs. Cummings was summoned to see her mother, Mrs. John Dean, one of the oldest residents of Ashfield, 84 years of age, who met with an accident recently by upsetting a hot teapot over herself, badly scalding her ankle. The old lady will be laid up for some time.

AFTER HIS FURLOUGH.—We are pleased to again see the cheery countenance of J. C. Mountney seated on the Kintail stage, and cracking his whip louder than ever. He has purchased a new horn, which when blown reverberates across the farms of those who live along the lake shore.

The result of the Goderich "boycotting" is watched with interest. THE SIGNAL has been read with zest hereabouts since the fun commenced.

A Vagrant Hangman.

Hangman John Greenwood, who aided the Essex county authorities to hang the wife murderer, Luke Phipps, last June, was placed in the Erie county, N. Y., penitentiary on Nov. 11, for twenty days, on a charge of vagrancy. When arrested he boasted that he was the world's champion hangman. Among those upon whom he has practised were Card Manse, the Alma murderer, and the burglar Pease, who assassinated a man in Chicago. He said that he read the papers assiduously for the purpose of ascertaining what criminals were sentenced to death so he might offer his services. Three hundred dollars was the highest fee ever paid him for a single job. He is very proud of his calling, and plumes himself on having executed more murderers than any other man on earth.

At Sandwich last June, while Phipps was hanging on the scaffold, Greenwood cried out exultantly:

"Didn't I do that well?"

He left soon after for Buffalo where he went on a protracted spree which ended in a fit of delirium tremens. The attack nearly dethroned his reason. Since that time he has been a confirmed vagrant.

Auction Sales.

All parties getting their sale bills printed at this office will get a free notice inserted in this list up to the time of sale.

Auction sale of farm stock and implements, the property of J. E. Brydges, on the farm of Thos. Pentland, 1½ miles north of Dungannon, on the gravel road, by John Knox, auctioneer, at 1 o'clock p.m., on Friday, Nov. 28th, 1884.

Auction sale of farm stock and implements, the property of Patrick Finn, on the premises, lot 8, lake shore road, township of Ashfield, one mile from Kingsbridge, by R. J. H. DeLong, auctioneer, at 1 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, Nov. 27th 1884.

Auction sale of valuable town property in the town of Wingham, in the county of Huron, being lot No. 14, on the East side of Josephine street, on which is situated a large two-story stone block, divided into stores, at the Brunswick hotel, Wingham, at 12 o'clock, noon, on Saturday, the 6th day of December, 1884.

U. S. Grant was the youngest president. He was not 43 when first inaugurated. Franklin Pierce was only 47 and Grover Cleveland will be in his 49th year when inagurated.

Alex. Buntin has been found guilty of exerting undue preference over the creditors of the Exchange bank. It is averred that Mr. Buntin in his position as director of the defunct bank, caused money to be paid out to cover his losses. Some points in law which came up in the trial have been reserved for argument.

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In Clinton, on the 15th inst. the wife of Mr. Chris. Dickson, of a son.

DIED.

In Goderich, on Wednesday, November 19th, 1884, Elizabeth Anne Videan, eldest daughter of Mr. Thomas Videan, aged 17 years.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her father, West street, Goderich, on Friday, November 21st, at 3 o'clock p. m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

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Goderich Markets

GODERICH, Nov. 20, 1884.

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Oats, ℔ bush	0 30	@	0 32
Peas, ℔ bush	0 55	@	0 57
Barley, ℔ bush	0 52	@	0 52
Potatoes ℔ bush	0 30	@	0 35
Hay, ℔ ton	7 50	@	9 10
Butter, ℔ lb	0 17	@	0 19
Eggs ℔ doz. (unpacked)	0 18	@	0 19
Cheese	0 12	"	0 13
Shorts, ℔ cwt	0 90	@	1 00
Bran, ℔ cwt	0 70	"	0 80
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