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March 24.

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HARTFORD, CONN.

Capital and Assets

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1868.

Gold & Lion & Globe

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Has existed thirty-two years, during that period paid Losses exceeding ... million of sterling.

Amount of this enormous sum over a wide area leaves no doubt contributed to the establishment of this institution, in confidence of PUBLIC BODIES, MERCHANTS, HOUSEHOLDERS, and business generally, which is reciprocated.

Its Assets for the year 1867, the Premiums amounted to			£9,970
	"	"	£17,733
	"	"	£224,279
	"	"	£309,382
	"	"	£318,055

The Reserve Fund is $4,[illegible]

The Reserve Fund is $9,[illegible]

Policies represented throughout Ontario and Residential Agent whom application may be made.

G. F. C. SMITH, Resident Sec., Montreal.

... ELL, Agent, Ingersoll. 757

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MONEY AND SILVER Bought and Sold. Notes Discounted at short ...

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ROBERT AGUR.

...TS' BANK OF CANADA. INGERSOLL BRANCH.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of ... per cent., allowed on all ... Capital remaining six clear ... on and after the 30th of November, ...

...RLEY, Agent. 766

...ds of 5 or 6 years ... security of improved ... ...ght.

... & WALSH, Barristers

...end Also, several Vil-

...ANFIELD, Solicitor, &c.

...EL, ...PRIETOR. ...e charges ...bling and a 737y

...otel, ...Depot, ...oprietor. ...way Depot, ...y attention. ...Hostlers al... ...he Hotel is ...rs taken to ...trains. 539

...HOTEL, ...RSOLL.

CHEAP SALE

DURING

The Dog Days.

JAMES MACNIVEN,

HAVING resolved to clear off his

LIGHT SUMMER STOCK

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE,

Hereby invites all parties who are desirous of obtaining Bargains; to inspect those GLISTERING LUSTRES, LIGHT BAREGES, SILK SPOTTED GRENADINES.

Newest and most graceful designs of PRINTED MUSLINS, RICH POPLINETTES, SUMMER HOSIERY, &c., all of which will be sold at prices so low as cannot fail to give entire satisfaction.

JAMES MACNIVEN.

Ingersoll, July 9, 1868. 776

"Spring Importations!"

INGERSOLL CLOTHING HALL

Just opening a large lot of

New Cloths and Gents' Furnishings.

PLEASE CALL AND EXAMINE.

JOHN I. FERGUSON.

Ingersoll, March 19, 1868. 760

Ingersoll Plow Factory.

GEORGE M'SHERRY,

MANUFACTURER OF

THE PRIZE MEDAL PLOWS,

CAST STEEL, CAST IRON, WROUGHT IRON AND WOOD,

Of different Patterns, and various prices. He has purchased the right to Manufacture

A. McSHERRY'S PATENT PLOW, Patented October 30, 1867.

The advantages of this Plow, over all other Plows are his patented Wrought Iron Beam, attached to wood handles, with adjustible Colter. It possesses all the qualities of the best Wrought Iron Plow, being much lighter, and can be manufactured as cheap as the Wood Plow. The Landside and Mould-board are of a different formation from any other Plow in the Dominion. This Plow is warranted to cut higher, save the furrows better, pack closer and draw lighter than any other plow that can be produced. This Plow has been tested against the best Plows in the Province, at two grand Plowing Matches, in the County of Wellington, in November, 1867, and carried off the first prizes in both Men's and Boys' classes.

☞ A stock of the above named Plows kept constantly on hand

762nm GEORGE McSHERRY, Ingersoll.

DRUG STORE REMOVAL!

THE Subscriber takes the liberty of informing the inhabitants of Ingersoll and vicinity, that he has, in order to meet the demands of increasing business, rented one of those new and commodious shops in

POOLE'S NEW BLOCK,

Nearly opposite the Niagara District Bank, where he intends to open out, a few days before Christmas, a splendid assortment of New Goods, suitable for Christmas and New Year's Presents—comprising Photograph Albums, in great variety; Ladies' Workboxes, Ladies Companions, Writing Desks, Parian Marble and Bohemian Glass Vases, Satchels, Travelling Bags, Purses, Portemonnaies, Shell Boxes, English and French Perfumery. Also, Hair Nail and Tooth Brushes, Cloth and Paint Brushes, Paints, Oils, Turpentine, Varnishes, Drugs, Chemicals, Dye Stuffs, Patent Medicines, and Choice Confectionery. Also,

IN THE STATIONERY DEPARTMENT,

A very Choice Selection of good Moral, Religious and Entertaining Books, including the British Workman, Band of Hope Review, Toy Books, School Books, Blank Books, Pens, Ink, Paper, &c. Sabbath School Libraries, Reward Books, and a Splendid Lot of

DIARIES FOR 1869.

N. B.—Sole Agent for the India and China Tea Company's Teas; also for

BRUETON, FOWLER & Co's. CELEBRATED PENS

Also an Agency from a Manufactory for the Sale of Paper Hangings.

The subscriber hopes, from an experience of about twenty years in the Drug Business, in some of the largest cities in the Dominion of Canada together with the purity of his Drugs, moderate prices, and strict attention to business, to merit a continuation of the patronage hitherto extended to him.

747h ROBERT KNEESHAW.

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Something Worth Knowing

THE RIGHT PLACE TO BUY YOUR

DRY GOODS

And READY MADE CLOTHING is at

GEORGE E. PERKINS', KING STREET,

WHERE YOU CAN GET

18 yards of Factory Cotton for	$1.00	40-Spring Hoop Skirts "Plastique"	$1.00
13 yards of Good Print for	1.00	Good all-wool Carpets	80
18 bunches Cotton Batting	1.00	Good Linen Suits	3.75

And Good Tea for $1.00 per lb.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Paper Collars and Cuffs,

The greatest variety ever offered in Ingersoll. Persons wishing to buy good Goods at low prices, should examine the stock of the subscriber.

769 GEO. E. PERKINS.

BROWETT & BARKER

THE Subscribers having entered into Co-Partnership in the Hardware Business, beg to call the attention of the Public to their New Stock of

HARDWARE!

AND

Farming Implements, Paints, Oils and Window Glass, Carpenters' Tools,

Leather Belting, India Rubber and Hemp Packing,

Platform & Counter Scales.

A large stock of Paint and Varnish Brushes just received. Also, IRON and STEEL.

All is respectfully requested.

JOSEPH BROWETT. BROWETT & BARKER,

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Ingersoll, July 16, 1868.

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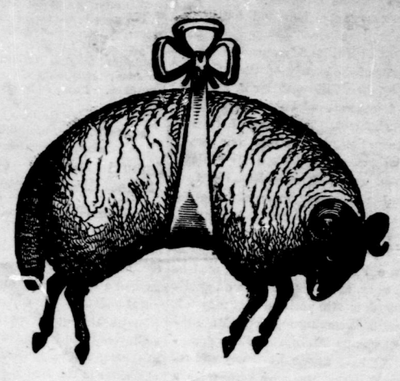

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AT THE

"GOLDEN FLEECE,"

GRENADINE DRESSES AT HALF PRICES.

DEBAZE DRESSES AT HALF PRICES.

FANCY CHALLIE DRESSES AT HALF PRICES.

A JOB LOT OF

MANTLES

AND

Shawls at a Large Reduction.

MUSLINS, MUSLINS,

In endless ... from eight cents a yard, and upward. Just received, different qualities in BL... GRENADINES. Special attention is directed to our Large Stock of

Tam... Country Linen Drills,

UNION ...

Which for Cheapness cannot be surpassed.

POSITIVELY NO SECOND PRICE.

W. WATSON,

777 Thames Street, Ingersoll.

NEW PATTENT *Air-Tight* PRESERVE Glass Jars.

$10,000 Worth of Groceries!

AT

SHRAPNELL'S,

WHICH WILL BE SOLD

Cheaper than Ever Before

IN INGERSOLL,

FOR CASH:

20 Hogsheads Bright Sugars.	25 Barrels Refined Sugar
50 Half-Chests Young Hyson Teas.	10 Kegs Prunes.
25 Barrels Currants.	50 Dozen Brooms.
20 Bags Rice	10 Cases Sardines
50 Boxes Layer Raisins.	10 Cases Lobsters

Twenty Thousand Scale Boards!

THE FINEST RENNETS,

Flour and Feed,

CHEAPEST IN TOWN.

5000 GLASS JARS, best and safest for Sealing.

5000 STONE JARS, CHURNS and MILK CANS, of every variety and size.

☞ These Goods having been bought in Montreal Markets for cash, I can offer great inducements to country dealers.

Barrel and Bag Salt.

NOTED TO BE THE CHEAPEST GROCER IN TOWN.

G. J. SHRAPNELL, T...

☞ All Goods Delivered Free of Charge.

DIARIES for 1869 ... French ... IN'S.

AT

C. P. HALL,

AGENT FOR

PRINCE'S

MELODEONS.

MANUFACTURED AT

BUFFALO N. Y.

747tm

NEW DOMINION

RESTAURANT,

ROYAL HOTEL BLOCK,

OPPOSITE THE COMMERCIAL BANK.

C. C. CAREY

BEGS to inform the public in general that he has opened a Restaurant, and will be happy to accommodate the public with all the luxuries of the season.

Prof. C. C. CAREY,

FASHIONABLE

French Hair Cutter.

HAIR-CUTTING, Shaving and Shampooing done in the neatest and best of style, Ladies' and Childrens' Hair Cut and Dressed either at the shop or at their residence. Thames Street

Royal Hotel Block.

Dec. 12, 1867. 749

NORTH STAR MILLS.

Flour & Feed Store

R. STUART!

BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Ingersoll and vicinity that he is prepared to furnish

Flour and Oatmeal,

Of the very BEST QUALITY, at as

REASONABLE RATES

As can be had in Ingersoll. Also, kept constantly on hand a large supply of

Oats, Peas, Shorts, Bran, Chopstuff, &c.

Every article delivered within the corporation free of charge.

R. STUART

Ingersoll, Dec. 26, 1866

NOTICE is HER... ...ction will be made to ... Dominion of Canada at the Session ... the expiration of six months from the ... notice, by MARGARET ELLIOTT, of the ... Ingersoll, in the County of Oxford, for a Bill of Divorce, from her husband, NOAH ELLIOTT, on the grounds of adultery, cruelty and desertion.

BROWN & WELLS, *Solicitors for Applicant.*

Ingersoll, March 25, 1868. 761tm

Money to Lend

ON First-Class Farm Security. Also, upon Notes at short dates.

Apply to BROWN & WELLS, Solicitors, &c.

Ingersoll, Dec. 2. 588

SCHOLARSHIP FOR SALE.

FOR SALE, a Scholarship in the "Royal Dominion Commercial College," Hamilton. A liberal discount allowed.

Apply at the CHRONICLE Office

Ingersoll, Dec. 19, 1867. 747

To Sell or Let,

A GOOD, Substantial 1½ Storey HOUSE, with about 3 acres of Land attached just outside the corporation limits. Immediate possession given.

Apply to McCAUGHEY & WALSH, Barristers

Ingersoll, Feb. 3, 1865.

For $250.

FOR SALE, an eligible CORNER TOWN LOT,

In a desirable part of the town. Will be sold for $250, and time given for part payment. Apply at the *Chronicle* Office. 755

FARM FOR SALE.

ONE OF THE BEST FARMS IN WEST OXFORD, being part of Lot 14, in the 1st Concession, situated 2½ miles from Ingersoll and Beachville. It contains 150 acres—120 cleared—with an excellent Roomy, Frame House and Good Outbuildings, and Two Wells of Water. This is a rare opportunity for any wishing to purchase a really good Farm. Immediate possession can be given.

For further particulars apply to J. Canfield, Esq., or to the Proprietor, Lewis R. Marsh, on the premises. Address, Ingersoll P. O., Ont. 761tf

NEW SADDLE AND HARNESS SHOP.

W. N. MORRISON

WOULD inform the inhabitants of Ingersoll, and surrounding country that they have commenced business in the above line

ON KING STREET,

OPPOSITE THE MARKET

Where will be found a well assorted stock of

HARNESS, WHIPS AND ROBES

SADDLERY

On hand or made to order.

☞ All Work Warranted. ☜

...end an association ...

In the province of Ontario Canada there are 246 Agricultural and Horticultural Societies.

There are invested in fruit growing for the Chicago market $2,000,000, and the sales amount to $15,000,000.

A stone-breaking machine has been invested in Waltham, Conn., that will ... a ton per hour for macadamizing highways.

The value of farms in Ohio ... in value from thirty to thirty-five per cent. between 1850 and 1860, though in some ... ties the advance was from fifty to one hundred per cent.

The New England *Farmer* urges the abolition of the system of working out taxes on the road, and the appointment of a town agent whose duty it shall be to keep the roads in repair.

Four quarts of beans and two pounds of corned beef, boiled to rags, in fifty quarts of water, will furnish a good meal for forty men at a cost of $1—two cents and a half each. So says the *Farmers' Chronicle*.

The Legislature of California has passed a bounty of $250 dollars for every 5,000 mulberry trees one may plant. Five million trees are now growing in the State ... production of silk has commenced.

In New England pure Jersey heifers bring $100 each when old enough ... Light grey (silver grey) is the fashionable color; there ... only in ...

Masonic Gleanings.

The splendid Temple at Philadelphia is ... 2 feet in height.

The first Mormon lodge at Nauvoo, was established in 1852.

Our craft was called St. John's ... prior to the year 1440.

It is known that Masonry ... Holland as early as 1731.

The first legislation against ... England, in 1425.

The Temple at Chicago ... front, 80 feet deep, and ...

The oldest form of Bye-Laws ... as a model, is in Calcutta.

Previous to 1854, ... to City had given in ... 000.

The somewhat celebrated Mrs. ... "the female Freemason," was born in ... and died 1811.

The Masonic Hall at Muscatine, Iowa, ... four stories high, and 30 by 85 feet in dimensions.

The Koran of Mahomet contains 115 chapters. It is well worthy the perusal of every Mason.

The Order of the "Eclectic Masonry," established in Germany in 1783. It acknowledged but three degrees.

October 24, 1733, St. John's Lodge, Boston, Mass., forbade non-affiliated Masons from visiting.

Many famous musicians are or were Masons. Amongst these we record Vincent Wallace, Oliver Shaw, Henry C. Watson, Ole Bull, etc.

In 1740, the Grand Lodge of England ordered that its charities should be dispensed to none who had not been at least fifty years members of lodges.

The so-called Morgan excitement began Sept. 1825. Its fury was exhausted about 1833, but its effects were visible up to 1836.

There are still three Mark Lodges in Pennsylvania, and these are all that are left of the great number at work in the early part of this century.

The whole expense of building the Temple of Solomon is estimated by Prideaux at the almost incomprehensible figures of $4,000,000,000.

The Grand Convocation at York, under Prince Edwin, of which so much is ... in the Masonic records, was held in the year 930 A. E.

One of the oldest, if not the oldest Masonic medal extant, is the "Freemason Ducat," made at Brunswick, Germany, ... 142.

In 1828, three mountebanks were travelling through the State of New York ... shows which professed to ... ual exposed, were imprisoned ... jail as vagabonds.

The first instance on record of ... payment of dues is that of ...

... land, and as a result it was ... the bill to suppress ... exempted from ... fore Parliament.

Among the secret societies, then ... Ga... 900 ... Kings of England who were ... 1660, previous to 1635 ... 1625; Charles II., ... Charles I., ...

John ... am III., 1693.

the Grand ... tor was Grand Treasurer of ... and 1800. ... of New York in 1798, 1799 ... the Grand ... t Clinton first appears in ... Grand Master ... that State in 1795, and ... Amongst the ... 1806 to 1820, inclusive: ... Grand Orient ... ased members of the ... Marshals Masse... may be named the ... Camberceres, De... allerman; the Dukes ... Horace Vernet, th... and many others. ... wise a member. ... s painter, was like... ... ship to the L... ... first less... ... Lev... ... ca... ... L...