

Reform Demonstration in
Harriston.

We would remind our readers of the Grand Reform Demonstration which is to take place in Harriston on Thursday the 8th October. An efficient Committee have the arrangements in charge, and they are doing all they can to make the dinner a grand success. The G. W. Railway station—a most commodious building—has been secured, so that every one who attends may have a good opportunity of hearing the different speakers. The 30th Battalion Band has been engaged to furnish the music—in fact nothing has been left undone to make the Demonstration attractive and popular. The Premier of Ontario has accepted the invitation to be present; likewise the Hon. Mr. Fraser. Besides these, several members of the Local House will be present. It is also expected that the Hon. Mr. Blake, Mr. Rymal and other members of the House of Commons will be able to attend. With such an array of speakers we expect an immense assemblage will be attracted to Harriston on that day, and that the demonstration will not only be a signal success in point of numbers, but in the enthusiasm and good will manifested towards the Ontario Government.

A Disappointed Man.

When the names of all the disappointed men on earth come to be written down, that of Thomas Scoble, who dubs himself Colonel, will occupy a page near the front. He was sent up to Guelph, after Professor McCandless resigned, to take charge of the Model Farm and keep the belligerent boys in order. He was allowed to suppose that he would eventually be made Principal of that famous institution, and in the interim he treated to the Grits thereabouts in the most egotistical manner. He backed their favorites, discharged the domestics they disapproved of, and employed servants about the place who soon earned for it a disreputable name. He even undertook to lecture the students on chemistry—by reading from a handbook—and in many other ways made himself painfully ridiculous by trying to ape the Professor. He reduced the number of working hours, purchased at the public expense foot balls, base balls, cricket paraphernalia, and all the other requisites for having a good time, and took part in the sport. Then, to make his ending and election sure he ordered (also at the public expense) Grit newspapers to be supplied to the Farm, but abstained from subscribing for a solitary Tory sheet. Poor fellow! Muddled Colonel! He fancied this title alone for his meritorious services in having voted against the Hon. George Brown, and he fancied to obtain for him absolute honor in the Government offices in this city, instead of receiving the Principalship and the fat income that attaches to it. Let us all drop a tear for the disappointed office-seeking Scoble.

(COMMUNICATED.)

Since Professor McCandless has acted on the editorial staff of the Toronto Sun, that luminary has enlightened the public who are reached by its rays; (and a very limited circulation prescribes its usefulness) with numerous and humorous articles on the School of Agriculture and Model Farm. Under the editorial "We," Professor McCandless has disported himself with the least regard to truth consistent with his amiable and truthful character, and has given the readers of the Sun such ideas of the management of the School of Agriculture and "Muddle" Farm, as will reflect, by comparison, the greatest credit upon his own incumbency. Truth to tell, it matters very little what he writes, or what the Sun prints, his efforts being eminently suited to that obscure and scurrilous journal.

But there is a point where endurance ceases to be a virtue, and in the opinion of some of our friends that point has already been passed. It remains, therefore, for Professor McCandless to choose between the inspiring or writing articles calculated to injure the reputation and detract from the usefulness of an Institution that has, since he left it, become a credit to the community, and our silence as to certain matters that will not benefit his public character, should Mr. Rykert endow him with the "finest constituency in Ontario," as he promised; or by persistence in stirring the waters of the "Muddle" Farm as he left it, to secure the publication of certain pages in his history that might, perhaps, be unsaid, though not unwritten, if he dropped into the obscurity that befits his character and talents. Of all men he should be the last to speak, whose folly, ignorance, and incompetency has made a laughing stock of the Model Farm, and whose want of tact, whose tyranny and ill-regulated mind had reduced to mutiny a class of well brought up, quiet, and respectable young men. It is a farther proof (which was not required by those who know him) of his ingratitude, that he should turn upon and abuse Mr. Scoble, through whose instrumentality alone, he was able to regulate the affairs of the Institution in such a manner as to be able to leave it with squared accounts, or safety to his person; he himself being incompetent to affect the first, and be so cowardly as to dread a castigation upon the latter, as a retaliation upon his pupils; and which no doubt he richly deserved.

So far from Mr. Scoble being a "disappointed man," as he is design-

nated by the Sun of the Professor, we are well assured that he never aspired to a position for which his education and habits do not qualify him. He is doubtless satisfied with the position which he at present fills, both creditably and efficiently, and does not need the pity of the Professor. That he did keep both the belligerent boys (who were quiet and peaceful when reasonably treated) and the Farm itself in order, and reduced chaos to system; that he dismissed the women of loose character and antecedents whom the Professor had gathered about him; that he did lecture to the students from the "hand-book," and thus fulfil a part of the duty of Principal that the Professor had neglected; that he made reasonable and suitable distribution of the hours for work, study, and play, and provided amusement for hours previously devoted to idleness and mischief; that he provided respectable and moral newspapers to impart the news of the day, are all facts; but that he was allowed to suppose that he would eventually be made Principal of the Institution, or asked for it, or toadied to Grit or Tory to get it, is a—mistake.

We have no objection to the Sun dropping a tear, but let it be for the lucubrations of his informant, whose course was a "scandalous chronicle" during his residence in Guelph, and who left not a single friend, Grit or Tory, who would take up his defence, save from a desire to make a little political capital. For Professor McCandless himself, let him weep over the loss of the fat income that attaches to the Principalship, for assuredly he will never again attain to such a position or income in the course of his life. Let him retire to the shades of his shoe shop, his seed store, or cabbage garden, and—if he will be wise—learn there to hold his tongue.

The editor of the Guelph Herald is deeply affected by what he calls the massacre of Mr. Hawkins at Glen-coe the week before last, when that gentleman at the Reform demonstration there, formally announced his retirement from the Conservative ranks, and his return to those of the Reformers, to which he formerly belonged. The only case like that we know of is the editor of the Herald's act of political *filio de se* when he deserted the Reform ranks. The one case fitsly balances the other.

A great Reform demonstration is to take place in North York on the 3rd Oct., when the Hon. Mr. Blake, besides several members of the Ontario Government, will be present. It is to be held in Aurora.

In the West Northumberland contested election case, the hearing of which was finished on Saturday, the seat was declared voided, but the charges of personal bribery on the part of Mr. Kerr, the respondent, were declared not proven. Mr. Kerr's opponent at last election was ex-Speaker Cockburn.

DEATHS.

FLAVIN—In Guelph, on Sabbath, 27th instant, after a protracted illness, John Flavins, aged 71 years. Deceased was for over 50 years a Deacon of the Baptist Church in Spring, Fairview, and St. John's.

The funeral will take place at 3 p. m. tomorrow (Tuesday) from the residence of Mr. Henry F. W. Mount street.

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Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Bayfield Harbor Works," will be received at this office until noon of WEDNESDAY, the 14th of October next, for the construction of crib-work, piers, and for dredging the Western section of Bayfield Harbor.

Plans and Specifications can be seen at this office, at the Town Hall, Guelph, and at Morgan's Hotel, Bayfield, from, on and after Wednesday, the 30th instant, where printed forms of tender will also be obtained. Satisfactory security on real estate, or by deposit of money, bank stock, public or municipal bonds, to an amount of five per cent. on the bulk sum of the contract will be required. Also, the actual signature of two responsible and solvent persons, willing to become sureties for the due fulfillment of said contract.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any of the tenders.

By order,
F. BRAUN, Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Sept. 23, 1874.

FARM FOR SALE IN WATERLOO.

For sale that valuable farm in the Township of Waterloo, being the south-east part of Lot No. 153, of the Gormas Company's Tract, in the Upper Block of said Township, containing 12 acres more or less. Ninety five acres are cleared, well fenced and under good cultivation, the balance covered with pine, cedar and hardwood. Fifty acres of the cleared, part in grass, commodious frame dwelling house, bank barn 78 x 22 feet built in 1871, two root-houses, 2 driving sheds, sheep and horse stables, 3 wells of good spring water with pumps, and all other conveniences required about a farm. The farm is situated 9 miles from Guelph, 7 from Galt, and 21 from Preston and Breslau, is in a good neighborhood, and in one of the best farming sections of Ontario. Terms and all other information made known by applying on the premises to the undersigned, or by letter post paid to JOHN BARRON, Preston, P. O. Ontario.
Preston, August 4th, 1874.

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

HARRISTON—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
BOSWORTH—Saturday before Guelph.
ORAVTON—Saturday before Guelph.
ELORA—The day before Guelph.
DOUGLAS—Monday before Elora Fair.
GUELPH—First Wednesday in each month.
CLIFFORD—Thursday before the Guelph fair.
TRIVINDALE—Friday before the Guelph fair.
NEW HAMBURG—First Tuesday in each month.
BERLIN—First Thursday in each month.
ELMIRA—Second Monday in each month.
WATERLOO—Second Tuesday in each month.
MOUNT FOREST—Third Wednesday in each month.
HAMBURG—Monday before Durham.
DURHAM—Tuesday before Mount Forest.
PEROVY—Thursday following Mount Forest.
ONARON—Second Tuesday in January, March, May, July, September and November.
MOUNT FOREST—Third Wednesday in January, April, July and October.
ERIN—First Monday in January, April, July and October.
MASONVILLE—First Tuesday in February, May, August and November.
BRANTFORD—First Thursday in each month.
LISTOWEL—First Friday in each month.
HILLSBURG—Second Tuesday in January, March, May, July, September and Nov.
MOOREFIELD—Monday before Guelph.
HAMILTON—Crystal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.

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" " " 10 Barrels.

" " " 14 B'les Wire.

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" " " 215 Bars Iron.

" " " 25 Bbls double boiled Linned Oil.

" " " Canadian, 17 Anvils.

" " " 126 Packages Steel.

" " " 3 Casks Screws.

" " " Ontario 150 Iron Plates.

" " " 569 B'ls Horse S. Iron.

" " " 1 Cask Vices.

EXPECTED THIS WEEK.

Ex. S. S. Quebec, 367 Bars Iron.

Carleton, (sailing vessel) from Antwerp, 620 Cases Window Glass.

Nearly all our iron, and many other goods are yet to arrive. Notice will be given when received.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

A Blacksmith Shop.

Situated on the Gray Road, Minto Township, near Palmerston, has 1 acre of land, good shop, having two fires, an excellent dwelling house and good stabling. This is a good chance for an industrious man, as there has always been a good country trade done on the premises. The above will be sold on easy terms, or rented for any number of years. Possession given on the first of January, 1875. Apply to the undersigned on the premises, or by letter to WELLINGTON WILSON, 2nd Mt. Cottswold P.O., Minto.

FARM FOR SALE.—Parts of lots 3

and 4, 4th concession of Emmons, containing 140 acres—more or less—about 115 cleared and in a good state of cultivation, balance good hardwood. Good comfortable frame house, with soft and hard water, bank frame barn, with root-house and stable underneath, and outbuildings. Well watered, two orchards—grated fruit. Farm is situated close to the village of Rockwood, on the Grand Trunk Railway. Apply to Matthew Ostrander, on the farm, Rockwood, Sept. 9, 1874.

FARM FOR SALE.—Lot No. 4, 1st

concession, Waterloo, containing 200 acres; 150 acres under cultivation, balance hardwood, with 3 acres of cedar. There is a stone house, bank barn, driving shed, with outbuildings, 2 good wells, a never-failing spring, a cistern, and a young orchard of graded fruit on the premises. The farm is well fenced and is beautifully situated near the village of Preston. Terms easy. For particulars apply to Aaron A. Erb, Preston, Post Office. S9-w10t.

FARM FOR SALE.—Lot 19, Con. 10,

Township of Puslinch, 100 acres, 75 cleared, 25 in hardwood bush, log barn 52x28, stone driving shed 52x30, stone stable, log house, root cellar, hard and soft water, good orchard of graded fruit: apple, pear, plum and cherry, also a fine flower garden; living stone on the lot; 14 acres of fall wheat. The farm is in first-class condition, well fenced in square ten here fields free from stumps and stones. There is also a milk house and cooling house. Would exchange the above for 200 acres, paying the balance in cash. Apply to John L. Erb, or Henry Hatch, land agent, Guelph.

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New Costumes,
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Our Stock is now approaching completion and the various Departments will be found to contain a very large and choice variety of all the New and Popular Styles, Textures, and Materials for the reason.

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Buying the BEST STOVES for Cash, I will sell at bottom prices, and as heretofore wage a war against high prices.

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Also: GREAT REDUCTION IN TINWARE

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Guelph, Sept. 9, 1874.

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OF CLOTHING AT THE

Elephant Clothing Store.

Previous to receiving Fall Stock we have concluded upon a Clearing Sale

DURING THIS MONTH

Of our entire stock, consisting of

MEN & BOYS' CLOTHING!

Which we will offer at prices never before equalled in Guelph.

A BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF OXFORD AND REGATTA SHIRTS JUST RECEIVED, TO BE SOLD VERY CHEAP, AND EVERYTHING IN THE WAY OF GENTS FURNISHING GOODS AT COMPARATIVELY LOW PRICES.

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In all the latest English and American styles.

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Guelph, Aug. 3rd, 1874.

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On comparison purchasers will find fully a reduction of from 25 to 35 per cent. on former prices.

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WM. STEWART.

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A CALD.—Col. Kinnear

not finding it possible to call upon all his friends and acquaintances in order to solicit them to become subscribers to his forthcoming work "Life at St. Helena during the exile of Napoleon," begs to inform them that he has left lists for signatures at the bookstores of Messrs. Day and Anderson, respectively.

Guelph, Sept. 7, 1874.