## National Characteristics.

*From the Albany Argus.*

A person will look calmly at things as they pass under his observation day after day, but he will ask some quaint, dovetail comments in the characteristics of the human race. And among all these, stand out prominently the different degrees of affection, as caused by the varied motives and promptings of the heart. We are fully aware of the delicacy of the subject of which we are speaking, and approach it with much fear, knowing full well that it is those of the gentler sex who are more capable of appreciating that feeling, which is described by Parthinia, as—

"Two souls with but a single thought,
Two hearts that beat as one!"

We therefore refrain from speaking of the affinities of love, and will merely notice the different species, if any variation there can be, as exhibited in the passing experiences of life.

The "true blue" Yankee generally loves some pretty school girl; nor does his affection stop here. Before many years have passed, he dons the epaulets and plume and is a "soger."

He loves the largest extension of liberty, as far as it is compatible with the safety of a republican government, and amid the rum-drum of business, if he can occasionally indulge in speculations, much peanuts, and march to the tune of "Yankee Doodle" under the "stars and stripes," he is a happy individual.

The Frenchman takes to frogs and moustaches as naturally as a fish to the water. To him flirtations, parties and balls are the very beauties of life, and gorgeous military parades on the *Boulevards* are as attractive as a mammoth magnet. To him human life is eternal; he looks for no future, and would scarcely speak of the Past, were it not for the interesting reminiscences that are connected with the single name of "*Napoleon le Grande*."—Let the Frenchman pass; they are a curious race of beings, whose characteristics are merely problemmatical, at the best.

The Englishman loves his roast beef, and peruses the naval history of his country, with an eye that speaks of national pride and triumphs. He is a generous, frank personage, and can view Waterloo, and Bunkerhill at the same time. To him national honour has precedence of all other claims; yet the home circle has no firmer adherent, the joys of home are not relished with keener zest, and their purity better sustained than by the Englishman. There are few better financiers in the community, for they seem to be eminently calculated to mingle in the mercantile world, there to prosper and thrive.

The Spaniard's elysium consists of black eyes, flowing ringlets and serenades by moonlight. He dreams of nothing but flowers, romantic vallies and crystal lakes. He looks upon a plough or a pickaxe with disgust, and speaks of chivalry and knighthood as the only characteristics of manhood. He is a favorite of heavy loans, at an indefinite length of time, and no interest at that. His security is generally a coat of arms (barrin Cuba, probably one of these days,) or an empty castle.

He is one of the quaer ones, and has his mission to fulfil, like all others.

The Scotchman looks upon the kilt and the sheep foldas a legitimate right of his own. He loves the "bonny braes o' Scotland," and her beautiful lassies. He speaks of Wallace, and Bruce with a glowing cheek and regards with almost holy awe their names and renown. He is as much at ease in spooling from one mountain crag to another as one of our city dandies is in promenading Broadway. He is not so queer as practicable in his movements, and generally makes a good citizen and a dauntless soldier.

The Dutchman almost reverences *lager bier* and *sour krout*. He is not very voluble and is not easily roused. But when once fairly awake, he "puffs" with extraordinary energy. His main weapon of defence is his pipe and a good cudgel. His vessels are modelled after our modern washtubs, and they nearly equal our canal boats for speed. His ballast is deposited near the mast head, and he sails his ship stern foremost. He is a quiet good natured fellow, and is as necessary an acquisition to the female portion of community as a dispenser of tape, fine combs and other "notions" as water is to those who thirst.—He is industrious and therefore respected; there are none who toil with more eagerness and perseverance.

The Turk could not live without his turban, and scimitar. He loves his horse, and adores "Allah!" beyond all else.—He sleeps with remarkable comfort in a bake oven, or on the heated desert sands. Russia is his bane, and the name of the word operates on him something similar to a fit of the hydrophobia. He loves opium and the beauties which adorn his harem having about as much regard for one as the other. He is another of the "odd" ones; let him see that the Russians evacuate the Principalities, and that the allies don't get the start of him when "the ball closes"

The Russian admires his Emperor and dwells Siberia. He is fond of plenty of *roubles* and is not frightened by monstrous snow banks. He eats an icicle with as much relish as a child does a stick of candy and carries his boots full of snow to keep his feet warm. He is generally brave and a tough enemy to handle. If he can't conquer by fighting he is sure to do so by retreating, and he would burn a dozen Moscows rather than submit to a foe. We like his spunk and hope he will have a "good time" of it.

That Polander cannot live in peace who has not—"ski"—"ski"—occurring in his name, at every other syllable. He lives on national glory, reverences Kosciouske, and is sanguine that his country will be a great one before many days.

We have not the time to mention separately the traits of other nations, but will close with a review of that "puzzle of all puzzles."

The Hibernian, whose shelahlah is his sceptre and who indulges in a fight with all the ardour possible. He loves his whiskey, his native "bogs," and above all his *pig*! Whether from near and dear associations we cannot tell, but the late investigations of the board of health throughout our city have demonstrated the fact, that his "porker" lies nearest his heart. He will with a strange taste allot it a corner in his kitchen, or where ever he can find it convenient to locate it. He watches with tender care and anxiety, its growth, from the pig that was, to the hog that is, and with pride challenges his neighbour to produce a dirtier hog and a fatter one than his own.—He feeds it by night and caresses it by day, and when the dreaded day arrives when it is deemed to be consigned to the barrel, it is only by the tender sigh and the quivering lip that the depth of grief can be marked at the sudden interruption of such happy and agreeable associations. He loves to be a soldier, too, and thinks

"There's not a trade a going,
Worth knowing, or showing,
Like beer from every rowing,
For the build soger boy."

He lives only for the present and is seldom morose, but is possessed of much genuine wit, that is often worth recording. He makes a good citizen when he relies on his own judgment, and is not swayed by others, and repudiates all destruction with that fell destroyer which has too often proved the "poor man's bane." Unlike the Spaniard, the pick-axe is his capital, and when he dies, he generally goes off in a "gush of glory" contented with his fate let it be what it may.


## 1854

## Steamboat Notice.

HAMILTON, Toronto, Darlington, Port Hope, Cobourg, Kingston, Cape Vincent and Ogdensburgh. The following Steamers (carrying the mail) will form a daily line and run as follows, viz.:—

MAGNET, Capt. Henry Tuohy—Leave Hamilton every Monday and Thursday, at 7 A. M., leave Toronto at noon.

ARABIAN, Capt. Coleleugh—Leave Hamilton every Tuesday and Friday, at 7 A. M., leave Toronto at noon.

PASSPORT, Captain Harbottle—Leave Hamilton every Wednesday and Saturday, at 7, A. M., leave Toronto at noon.

Touching at Darlington, Port Hope and Cobourg (when the weather permits) arriving at Kingston next morning, when a steamer will be in readiness to carry passengers to Cape Vincent or Ogdensburgh. All freight payable on delivery.

Returning will leave Kingston daily, (Sundays excepted,) so as to connect with the Great Western Railway.

June 9, 1854.

## HAMILTON AND TORONTO,

CALLING AT

**Wellington Square, Oakville, And Credit.**

THE STEAMER

## HIGHLANDER

CAPT. M'BRIDE,

WILL leave Hamilton every morning (Sundays excepted) at 7 o'clock. Returning, will leave Toronto at 2½ o'clock, P. M., calling at the above ports, going and returning, weather permitting.

G. B. HOLLAND, *Agent.*

June 6, 1854. 43-tf

## TORONTO, KINGSTON AND OGDENSBURGH.

## STEAMER "BOSTON,"

CAPT. SINCLAIR,

WILL leave Hamilton every Monday, at 12 o'clock noon, for Toronto, Kingston and Ogdensburgh, calling at intermediate ports, weather permitting.

Returning, will leave Ogdensburg every Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock.

## STEAMER "MAYFLOWER,"

CAPT. MACDONALD,

WILL leave Hamilton every Thursday, at 12 o'clock noon, for Toronto, Kingston and Ogdensburgh, calling at intermediate ports, weather permitting.

Returning, will leave Ogdensburgh every Monday evening, at 7 o'clock.

July 6, 1854. 47-tf

## NEW HARDWARE & TOOL STORE

SIGN OF THE PADLOCK,

*No. 10, Dundas Street, London.*

JOHN SMITH, IMPORTER OF HARDWARE, begs to inform the Inhabitants of London and surrounding Country that he has opened a Hardware Store next door to Messrs. Fraser & Galbraith, where he will keep constantly on hand a general assortment of Goods, to which the attention of the public is respectfully invited.

Bar Iron, Steel, Nails, Chains, Vices, Bellows, Spades, Shovels, Hay and Manure Forks, Hoes, Rope, Glass, Putty, Varnish, Glue, Paints, Carriage Springs, Axles and Bands, Saddlery, Brushes, Locks, Hinges, Bolts, Screws, and all kinds of Horse Furnishing and Finishing Goods.—Also, every description of Mechanics' Tools; all of which will be offered at the Lowest Prices.

London, May 19, 1854. 40-3m.

## CAUTION.

THE undersigned hereby cautions all persons from purchasing or negotiating any Notes against him in favor of William McMillan, 5th Concession of North Dorchester, (South of the Thames,) as he has not received any value for them.

SOLOMON P. SMITH.

North Dorchester, June 29, 1854. 48 4*

## CAUTION.

ALL persons are forbidden purchasing or negotiating a Note for £25, drawn in favor of Thomas McFadden, of Ingersoll, the undersigned having received no value for it.

GEORGE WILKINSON.

4th Con. N. Dorchester, May 12, 1854. 43-4

## LOST.

A Note of hand for £25, drawn in favor of George Wilkinson, Dereham, 4th Concession Dorchester. All persons are forbidden to negotiate the same, the undersigned having received no value for it.

GEORGE WILKINSON.

4th Con. S. Dorchester, May 12. 36-3t

## Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of Rebecca A. Maynard, deceased, are requested to make payment to the Executors, and persons having any demands against the Estate will please hand in their accounts for collection.

GEORGE C. GROUT, Zorra } Executors.
MOSES C. CLARK, }

April 9th, 1854 15-3m.


## Proposed By-Law

Of the Municipal Council of the Township of East Nissouri.

*A By-Law to raise by way of loan the sum of Ten Thousand Pounds, payable within twenty years, for the purpose of Gravelling, Macadamizing or otherwise improving certain Roads in the Township of East Nissouri.*

WHEREAS it is expedient to raise by way of loan the sum of Ten Thousand Pounds, for the purpose of Gravelling, Macadamizing, or otherwise improving the Tenth Concession Line from the rear of the Township of East Nissouri, to the middle of the fourth range of Lots, and thence through the fourth, third, second and first lots of the Tenth Concession, southwardly to the Village of Thamesford, and also for the purpose of improving the side lines leading thereto.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to issue Debentures payable as hereinafter mentioned, for said purposes, and it will require the sum of Eleven Hundred Pounds to be raised annually as a special rate for the payment of said Debentures and the interest thereof, as the same shall become payable according to this By-Law.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the Township of East Nissouri, according to the last year's Assessment Returns of the same was *Sixty-Nine Thousand Five Hundred and Fifty-Four Pounds, Eight Shillings*, and it will require the annual rate of Four Pence in the Pound on said rateable property as a special rate for the payment of the said interest, and for the creation of a sinking fund for the payment of the principle of the said Loan, according to the requirements of the Upper Canada Municipal Corporation's Law amendment Act of 1851.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Township of East Nissouri:—

FIRST. That it shall and may be lawful for the Reeve to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body corporate or politic, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the Debentures herein mentioned, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of *Ten Thousand Pounds*, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the Township.

SECOND. That it shall be lawful for the Reeve to cause any number of Debentures to be made out for such sums as may be, from time to time, required, for the purposes herein before mentioned, but not to exceed in the whole, the sum of *Ten Thousand Pounds*; and that such Debentures shall be under the Corporate Seal of the Township, signed by the Reeve and Treasurer, and made payable in Sterling or Halifax Currency, within twenty years, from the time that this By Law shall come into operation, at the Township Treasurer's Office, or such other place as the Reeve shall think fit.

THIRD.—That the said Debentures shall bear Interest at and after the rate of *Six per per centum per annum*, from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable semi-annually on the last day of June and of December respectively, in each year, at the office of the Township Treasurer or at such other place as the Reeve shall deem fit.

FOURTH.—That a special rate of *Four Pence* in the Pound, shall be raised, levied and collected, over and above, and in addition to all other rates, upon all rateable property in the said Township, for the purpose of paying the said sum of *Ten Thousand Pounds*, with the interest thereon; and the proceeds of such special rate, so to be raised, levied and collected, shall be applied solely to the payment of such Debentures and the interest thereof, until the same shall be fully paid and discharged.

FIFTH.—That the said sum of *Ten Thousand Pounds*, when paid into the hands of the Township Treasurer, shall be applied for the purposes set forth in the preamble to this By-Law and for no other.

SIXTH.—That this By-Law shall take effect and come into operation on the 12th day of September, 1854.

RODERICK MACDONALD,
Township Clerk.

East Nissouri, May 30th, 1854.

## NOTICE.

The above is a true Copy of a proposed By Law, to be taken into consideration by the Municipal Council of the Township of East Nissouri, at the house of Mr. Elmer Day, 9th Concession of the said Township, on Tuesday, 12th day of Sept., 1854, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., at which time and place, the members of the said Municipality are hereby requested to attend, for the purpose aforesaid.

RODERICK MACDONALD,
Township Clerk.

East Nissouri, May 30th, 1854. 27-3m


## VILLAGE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber having laid out part of his property, adjoining the Depot of the Great Western Railroad in the Village of Ingersoll, into

## VILLAGE LOTS,

Offers the same for sale, and to which he would call the attention of intending purchasers. The situation for building purposes cannot be surpassed. Terms of payment easy. Title unexceptionable.

For particulars apply to the Subscriber on the premises,

H. CROTTY.

Ingersoll, August 19, 1853. 7-nh

## NOTICE OF Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Ebenezer Nelson Cook and William Smith, Junior, both of the Village of Ingersoll, under the firm of Cook & Smith, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 26th June, 1854.

All debts owing to the late firm are to be paid to William Smith, Junior, and all demands on the said firm are to be settled by the said William Smith.

E. N. COOK.
W. SMITH, Jun.

Ingersoll, June 26, 1854. 46-4

## Notice.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned and forbid purchasing or negotiating for a certain note of hand, given by George Quatermass of Dereham, to me amounting to eighteen pounds ten shillings, due the first of last October, the same having been fraudulently obtained from me and payment of the same having been stayed by me.

JAMES GRAHAM.

Dereham, March 22nd, 1854. 39-tf

CASH PAID for RAGS delivered at this office.

Ingersoll, June 23, 1854.


## BY-LAW No. 19.

*Authorizing the issuing of Debentures to the amount of £3,500 for the purpose of paying for the Stock held by the Municipal Council of the Village of Ingersoll in the Dereham, Ingersoll, and Dorchester Road Company, and Ingersoll and Thamesford Road Company.*

WHEREAS, by By-law No. 15, the Reeve of the Municipality of the Village of Ingersoll, was authorized to subscribe in the name of the said Municipality for 400 shares in the capital Stock of the Dereham, Ingersoll, and Dorchester Road Company, and by By law No. 18, the said Reeve was authorized to subscribe in like manner for 300 shares in the capital Stock of the Ingersoll and Thamesford Road Company.

And whereas, the said shares have been subscribed for by the said Reeve accordingly, and it is necessary that the said Municipality should raise by way of loan, the sum of three thousand five hundred pounds to pay for the said shares, and to issue Debentures for that purpose; and whreas it will require the sum of £280 to be raised annually as a special rate for the payment of the said Debentures and the interest thereon, as the same shall become payable according to the terms of this by-law.

And whereas the amount of the whole ratable property of the said Village of Ingersoll for the year 1853, according to the Assessment returns of the same was £5,541 11s.; and it will require an annual rate of one shilling and a penny in the pound on the said ratable property as a special rate for the payment of the said interest, and for the creation of a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of said loan, according to the requirements of the Upper Canada Corporation Law Amendment Act of 1851.

Be it therefore enacted, by the Municipality of the Village of Ingersoll in Council assembled, First: That it shall and may be lawful for the Reeve of the said Municipality to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies, corporate or politic, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the Debentures hereafter mentioned, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of £3,500 and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Municipality for the purpose hereinbefore mentioned; Provided, that the said Reeve may if directed to do so by resolution of the said Municipal Council, pay or deliver the said Debentures or any part thereof to the said Road Companies on payment of the said stock.

Second—That it shall be lawful for the Reeve to cause any number of Debentures to be made out for such sums as may be required for the purpose aforesaid; but not to exceed in the whole the said sum of £3,500; and that the said Debentures shall be issue under the Common Seal of the said Municipality, and signed by the Reeve and Treasurer, and made payable at the office of the Treasurer, twenty years from the time of the passing of this By-law.

Third—That the said Debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of six per cent per annum from the date thereof, which interest hall be payable on the ninth day of April and ninth day of October in each year at the office of the Treasurer as aforesaid.

Fourth—That for the purpose of forming a Sinking Fund for paying the said Debentures, and the interest to become due thereon, a special rate of one shilling and a penny (1s 1d.) in the pound, on the yearly value shall be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all ratable property in the said Municipality, during the continuance of the said Debentures or any of them over and above and in addition to all other rates and assessments.

Fifth—That this By-law shall take effect and come into operation upon the ninth day of October 1854.

JAMES BERRIE, Village Clerk.

Ingersoll, July 7th, 1854.

## NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a proposed By-law, to be taken into consideration by the Municipal Council of the Village of Ingersoll, at the Royal Exchange Hotel, on Monday, the ninth day of October, 1854, at the hour of ten o'clock, a. m., at which time and place, the members of the said Municipality are hereby requested to attend for the purpose aforesaid.

JAMES BERRIE, Village Clerk.

Ingersoll, July 7th, 1854.


## NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that the subscriber has purchased from John Amsbury, who has power of attorney from Lewis Amsbury, of the Village of Oshawa, in the County of Ontario, of the Province of Canada, the patent right and sole privilege of making, constructing, using and vending a new and useful improvement in the manufacture of CHURNS, for the County of Oxford, and he cautions any person in said County of Oxford from infringing on said patent, under such penalties as are laid down by law.

ALLEN VESSELS.

Ingersoll, June 1, 1854.

## Clover Seed.

60 BUSHELS. A Superior article grown in the County of Oxford, for sale by

D. BELAN.

Ingersoll, Feb. 18th, 1854. 28-tf.

## To Farmers and Merchants

THE Subscriber begs to inform his numerous friends and customers that in addition to his Flouring and Gristing Business, he has added the necessary apparatus for making

*POT AND PEARL BARLEY,*

which he is now prepared to manufacture and sell at the lowest remunerating price and for which he solicits a fair trial.

PETER LAIR.

Ingersoll, August, 1853. 1-m

## FARM FOR SALE.

LOT 31, Concession 14th, Township of East Nissouri, on the Town Line between Zorra and Nissouri, containing 86 acres. 30 of it is improved and 50 slashed. A good Log House and Barn on the premises. Also, 50 or 60 bearing Apple Trees, together with Plumbs and Cherries, &c. Good water on the premises. The Farm is situated within 1 mile and a half of two School Houses, 1 mile from a good Grist Mill and Saw Mill. Terms of payment easy. For further particulars apply to the subscriber on the premises.

J. ROUNDS.

April 15th, 1854. 27-tf.

## SAMUEL POOLE

GENERAL DEALER IN

**Staple & Fancy Dry Goods,**

Groceries, Hardware, Glassware and Crockery.

In addition to the above, he carries on the business of a

**Tailor, Draper, and General Outfitter,**

Clothes made up to order on the shortest notice and in the best style and workmanship. Paris, London and New York Fashions received. A large assortment of West of England Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, Doeskins, Vestings, Hats and Caps, as well as a large assortment of *READY-MAD CLOTHING*, made up on the premises, to which he would call special attention.

*Cutting Done!—Merchantable Produce taken in Exchange for Goods at Cash Prices.*

Ingersoll, October, 1853

## INGERSOLL BAKERY

## JAMES BROWN,

**Baker and Confectioner, Corne of King and Water Streets,**

BEGS to intimate to the Inhabitants of Ingersoll and the surrounding country, that he keeps every thing connected with his line of business constantly on hand, at Wholesale and Retail.

**WEDDING CAKES MADE TO ORDER AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE.**

The Saloon will be furnished with the following articles in their season, viz.:—Ice Creams, Blancmange, Marmalade, Oysters, Lobsters, Sardines, etc. Also, with fruits of different varieties.

N. B. London Porter, Leith Ale, Canadian Beer, and a choice selection of Groceries, on hand As to prices, I am equal to old London.

Ingersoll, August 12, 1853. 1-y

## W. H. LAMPHIER,

**No. 2, "Commercial Buildings," King Steet, INGERSOLL.**

VERY respectfully informs his Town and Country Customers, and the public generally, that he has just received, direct from the New York and Montreal Markets a

**Very Large Supply of Fresh Groceries**

Of the Choicest Kinds, and of every description of Goods belonging to a first-class Grocery Establishment, consisting of, in part, as follows:—Gunpowder and Young Hyson Teas, from 2s. 6d. Currency, per lb.; Sugars, Coffees, Spices, Sauces, Mustard, Pickles, Rice, Tobacco, Snuff, Fruits, &c. Also, a large stock of Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs, Glass Ware, and Crockery

To his Cellar he would particularly invite Hotel Keepers and others in the trade, as he has a rare and

**Choice Assortment of Wines and Liquors.**

A Large Supply of Montreal Whiskey kept constantly on hand.

P. S. The very liberal support which he has received since commencing business in Ingersoll warrants him to engage more extensively in the trade, and as he confines himself exclusively to the one branch, *GROCERIES*, it enables him to purchase heavier and cheaper, and by way of conviction invites all to call and price his goods, which will be sold at prices which will compete with London or Hamilton. He also embraces the first opportunity to offer his customers his very sincere thanks for past favors, and trusts by renewed attentionand care to merit still further their kind patronage.

Ingersoll, August, 1853. 1-m

## MARSHALL & SLAWSON,

**King Street, Ingersoll.**

WOULD most respectfully call the attention of the Inhabitants of Ingersoll and vicinity to their large cheap and well assorted

## STOCK OF DRY GOODS,

Which they have just received direct from the English and American Markets.

They would most respectfully invite the attention of the Ladies to their stock of new and fashionable Bonnets, Mantillas, Shawls, Muslins, Barages, Parasols, Silks, Satins, Prints and Summer Goods of all kinds, at prices which defy competition.

In addition to the above they carry on a tailoring business, and from having engaged a Cutter of great experience, they are prepared to make up Clothes on the shortest notice, and in excellent style and workmanship, at the lowest prices.

**A Large Stock of CLOTHS direct from the English Markets,**

ON HAND.—ALSO A LARGE STOCK OF

## GROCERIES, HARDWARE, & CROCKERY,

&c., &c., always on hand, at the lowest prices.

Ingersoll, May 20th, 1854. 40-tf.

## No. 1, Commercial Buildings,

**KING ST., INGERSOLL.**

THE SUBSCRIBER would beg to return her sincere thanks to her numerous customers for their very liberal support during the past winter, and would respectfully inform them and public generally that she has just returned from New York with a splendid assortment of

**NEW AND FASHIONABLE BONNETS, CAPES, Mantillas, Shawls, Muslins, Bareges, Straw Goods, Parasols, Silks, Prints, and Summer Goods,**

Of every style, quality and description, which she will sell at prices with which no one can find fault.

## A HANDSOME SHOW ROOM

Has been added to her establishment, and now open. An examination of Goods and prices is solicited from all.

Ingersoll, May 5th. M. A. HUGHES.

## Sign of the Large Fiddle!

## MUSIC ESTABLISHMENT,

**South Side Dundas Street,**

OPPOSITE RAYMOND & ROWLAND, FURRIERS,

WHERE may be had SHEET MUSIC of every description, Instruction Books for all kinds of Instruments, &c., as cheap as can be had in Toronto, Boston, or New York.

All kinds of MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, from a Piano Forte down to a Fife.

Strings of all kinds, and of superior quality; in short everything which can or may be found in a well and carefully selected Music Store. The Are from the Establishments of the following celebrated makers, viz.:—Chickering, Stoddart, and Dunham, acknowledged to be the best on this part of the Globe, as are the

## MELODIANS,

Manufactured by Prince & Co. Pianos and Melodians sold as cheap, and on as favourable terms, as they can be procured in Toronto, or from the makers themselves.

Also, Second hand Pianos from £10 upward Old Pianos taken in exchange. Pianos Tuned and Repaired. Orders for tuning promptly attended to

London, August 12, 1853

## THE COLONIAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

*CAPITAL £500,000 STERLING.*

**GOVERNOR:**

The Right Hon. the EARL OF ELGIN and KINCARDINE, Governor General of British North America.

HEAD OFFICE:—EDINBURGH.

HEAD OFFICE FOR CANADA:

MONTREAL, 49 *Great St. James Street.*

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS:**

The Honorable PETER McGILL, *Chairman.*

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Hon. N. MORIN. | J. O. MOFFATT, Esq.
HENRY STARNES, Esq.

*MANAGER*—A. DAVIDSON PARKER.

THE BOARD in MONTREAL is invested with full powers to accept proposals, putting the Company on the risk at once, without communicating with the Parent Board.

This arrangement gives to the Colonial all the facilities of a Local Company, and combines the additional advantage of ample Security.

The Company grants Assurances on the Half Credit System.

Division of profits takes place as at 25th May next. Parties Assuring before that date will participate.

A. DAVIDSON PARKER, *Man. Canada.*

Agent for Ingersoll, G. H. HUGHES. 39-2m

## For Sale!

SIXTY SHARES OF STOCK in the Ingersoll and Port Burwell Road Co. Apply to

BURTON BENNETT, *Solicitor, &c*

Ingersoll, Oct. 7, 1853. 9-m

## JOHN BOLES,

**Merchant Tailor and Clother,**

Thames Street, East side, near the Depot,

**Ingersoll, C. W.**

J. BOLES would respectfully intimate to the inhabitants of Ingersoll and surrounding country that he has commenced business in the above line, next door to Mr. Swezey's Store, on Thames Street; where he will be happy to receive and execute all orders connected with his Trade, and from his experience in the business, combined with punctuality and dispatch, hope to merit and obtain a share of their patronage. J. B. begs to inform the public that he keeps a great variety of READY-MADE CLOTHING constantly on hand—Cutting, Fitting, &c., not to be excelled by any other establishment. Prices made to suit the Times. Please call and judge for yourselves

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

Ingersoll, April 21st, 1854. 37-tf.


## LIST OF LETTERS

REMAINING in Ingersoll Post Office on the 8th August, 1854.

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| Ansley George | McMurray A |
| Acton Abraham | McFadden Thomas |
| Brown Daniel | McKay Donald |
| Burtch Mary | McGrady Charles |
| Bodwell Mary | McKenzie John |
| Bell Emanuel | McChesney Mrs Alva |
| Braman C W | McGillivray Donald |
| Collins M | McKay Wm |
| Camier W J | McLean Margaret |
| Cook W | McIntosh Charles |
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