

Poetry.

THE MIDNIGHT WIND.

Mourfully! O, mourfully! The midnight wind doth sigh, Like some sweet plaintive melody...

MY RUSSET GOWN.

My russet gown is dear to me, Though years have passed away Since my young heart beat joyously...

THE WAR SPIRIT.

War-spirit! war-spirit! how gorgeous thy path, Pale earth shrinks with fear from thy chariot of wrath...

BOROUGHMONGERING.

FROM "THE MEMBER." BY JOHN GALT.

Next morning I had occasion to be forth at an early hour, to see some of my old friends at the Jerusalem, concerning a ballot...

"Well, Mr. Probe, I can make you an offer for my friend, taking the risk of pleasing him upon myself: I can give, I mean for him, a thousand pounds; hear what your client says, and let me know the result; I will give you guineas—for I really count on guineas; I wish, however, to have the fifty pounds for a margin—you understand."

"Very correct," replied Mr. Probe; "but he made a little mistake—I have not a seat to dispose of; but a particular friend told me that he knew of one; and now I recollect of having once mentioned the subject to Mr. Curry."

"Oh, Mr. Jobby, we need not descend on particulars; but my friend has certainly a capital sporting manor, and will either let it on lease for the remainder of his term, or for an annual rent."

"I pat the side of my nose with my fore-finger, and said, in the peculiar words of Burns, 'But Tam kent what was fu' brawly!'"

ringer, some one thing, and some another; and my friend's taste is a seat in the senate; but he is a prudent man—he looks to both...

"The last and best.—A chap, walking out came across 'Old Mose,' sitting in the broiling sun, fishing. 'Well, Mose,' said he, 'what in the world are you doing there?'"

CAUSE AND EFFECT.—A drunkard being brought before a Police Justice in New York was asked "What do you get drunk and come here in this condition for?"

Provincial Parliament. PARLIAMENT CALLED. The Canada Gazette Extraordinary, published this evening, contains the following PROCLAMATION BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL:

WHEREAS the meeting of our Provincial Parliament stand prorogued till the 4th day of March next, ensuing, at which at the city of Montreal, you were held and constrained to appear; and whereas we have judged it advisable and most consistent with the general convenience and public welfare to change the said time of meeting to an earlier period: we do therefore will that the said Parliament be held and convened on the 25th day of February next, ensuing, you meet us in our Provincial Parliament at our city of Montreal, for the despatch of business, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of our said Province of Canada, and therein to do as may seem necessary; and herein fail not.

CANADA WEST. R. T. BROCKVILLE (TOWN)—G. Sherwood, 0 1 BYTOWN—Scott, 0 1 CORNWALL TOWN—J. H. Cameron, 0 1 CARLTON—Malloch, 0 1 DUNDAS—Crysler, 0 1 MISSISSAUGA—S. Smith, 0 1 ESSEX—John Prince, 0 1 HALTOW—J. Wetenhall, 0 1 FRONTENAC—Henry Smith, 0 1 GLENORA—J. S. McDonald, 0 1 GREENVILLE—Reid Borritt, 0 1 HAMILTON—Sir A. Macnab, 0 1 HURON—W. Cayley, 0 1 HASTINGS—Billa Flint, Esq., 0 1 HALDIMAND—D. Thompson, 0 1 KINGSTON—J. A. McDonald, 0 1 LANARK—Bell, 0 1 LENOX & ADDINGTON—Symour, 0 1 LEEDS—Richardson, 0 1 LONDON TOWN—John Wilson, 0 1 MISSISSAUGA—W. Notman, 0 1 NIAGARA TOWN—W. Dickson, 0 1 NORTH BRIDLE—Meyers, 0 1 NORFOLK—H. J. Boulton, 0 1 OXFORD—F. Hinks, 0 1 PEARCE—Johnson, 0 1 PETERBORO—S. Hall, 0 1 PRINCE EDWARD—Stevenson, 0 1 RUSSELL—Lyon, 0 1 SIMCOE—W. B. Robinson, 0 1 STORMONT—McLean, 0 1 TORONTO CITY—Henry Sherwood, 0 2 WESTMONT—Dr. Smith, 0 1 WELLS—McFarland, 0 1 WATERLOO—Webster, 0 1 YORK, 1st Riding—J. Price, 0 1 do 2nd Riding—Morrison, 0 1 do 3rd Riding—W. H. Blake, 0 1 do 4th Riding—R. Baldwin, 0 1

SCHEDULE OF CONVICTIONS BY Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace within the Huron District, from the November Sessions 1847, to the January Sessions, 1848.

Table with columns: NAME OF THE PROSECUTOR, NAME OF THE DEFENDANT, FATHER OF THE CHARGE, DATE OF CONVICTION, NAME OF THE CONVICTED INDIVIDUAL, AMOUNT OF PENALTY, TIME WHEN PAID OR HOW PAID, REMARKS.

H. O'CONNOR, & CO., STRATFORD.

BEG respectfully to announce to the public at large, that they are now opening out at their store, next door to Mr. Lenton's, and opposite Mr. Daley's, a new and Select Stock of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, &c., which having been purchased by an experienced buyer, and for Cash, in the Home and Montreal markets, are determined to offer at prices that will defy competition.

NOTICE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

THE subscriber intending to leave Goderich, takes this opportunity of returning his grateful acknowledgments to his numerous, honest and punctual customers for the liberal patronage which they have extended towards him during his residence in this place; while at the same time he wishes to intimate that a much larger number of his customers have been very far from punctual; and these he requests in a friendly manner to call upon him at their earliest convenience and settle their accounts, as the nature of his engagements requires that all his business in this District be fully arranged before the first of April, 1848, at which date all unsettled accounts will be handed over to an Attorney for collection.

THOMAS WATKINS.

Goderich, Jan. 28, 1848. CROWN LAND DEPARTMENT, Montreal, 10th March, 1846. NOTICE is hereby given, by order of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government in Council, to all persons who have received locations of land in Western Canada, since the 1st January, 1833, and also to parties located previous to that date, whose locations were not included in the list of unpatented lands, liable to forfeiture, published 4th of April, 1839, that unless the claimants or their legal representatives establish their claims and take out their Patents within two years from this date, the land will be resumed by Government to be disposed of by Sale.

HENRY NEWMAN, BREAD, CAKE and PASTRY BAKER.

respectfully solicits the patronage of the inhabitants of Goderich and its vicinity, and trusts, by strict attention, to merit a share of their favours. N. B.—Hard Biscuit and all kinds of Crackers on hand. Cakes made to order. Goderich, Jan. 28, 1848.

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FARMERS, ENCOURAGE YOUR HOME MANUFACTURES. THE subscribers beg to inform the inhabitants of the Huron District, that they have in full operation, their NEW FOUNDRY, which for convenience and the facility with which the work is done, equals, they feel proud to assert, any county foundry in Canada.

They further pledge themselves to the public to sell all Goods in their line, as cheap, if not cheaper; as good, if not better, than they can be obtained from any other foundry in Canada or elsewhere.

GEORGE MILLER & CO.

Goderich, January 28, 1848. N. B. In order that the subscribers may be enabled to discharge the pledges given in the above advertisement, they must insist upon prompt payments, therefore, of all Notes and Book Accounts now due, immediate payment is requested.

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RESPECTFULLY acquaints his friends and customers that he continues to make men's wearing apparel, in the most approved and fashionable style and on short notice. And in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Goderich and the surrounding neighbourhood, for the liberal encouragement he has received, hopes by assiduity and punctuality, still to merit a continuance of their patronage. Goderich, Feb. 3, 1848.

HARRISON & M'LEAN, BARRISTERS, Attorneys, Solicitors in Chancery, &c., CHATHAM, C. W.

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GODERICH CABINET AND CHAIR FACTORY.

LATSCHAW & ERBE, Southwest at., Sign of the Big Chair, beg most respectfully to acquaint the public generally, as well as new settlers coming into the Huron District, that they will find it to their advantage to purchase at the above establishment, as they continue to manufacture Cabinet Ware of every description, such as Sideboards, Drawers, Sofas, plain and fancy Bedsteads, Centre, Telescope, Dining and Breakfast Tables, &c., &c., to suit purchasers, and as cheap as any other establishment in the District.

N. B.—L. & E. request all those indebted to them, after long credit by note or book account, to call and settle the same before the 15th of March next, or otherwise they will be collected after that date with Costs. Goderich, Jan. 28, 1848.

JOHN WINER, WHOLESALE DRUGGIST.

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THE INDIAN'S. See on his mat—as if he! All life-like, sits he! With that same aspect? When light to him was? But where the right hand? That breath'd so stout? What time the pipe in! Seat cheerly through! And where the hawk-like? That won the deer's pelt? Along the waves of ripp! Or fields that show us? Are these the limbs, he? That sweep the waste? What staidest stag so! Their speed outstrip! These arms that then th? Could supple from its? How stark and helms? Adorn the suffer'd? Ye want to him thus? Where snow can fall? To fields where dwells? And toil itself is o'er? Where birds are blithe? Where forests trem? Where glides the fish? One chase from year? With spirit now be fer? He leaves what glory? The deathless deeds for? The dead lay for the? While high the Death? They walls that—? They pleased—the? We lay the axe beneath? He swang, when str? The bear on which his? The way from earth? And here, new-sharpe? That sever'd from s? From which the axe he? The conquer'd scalp? The points that deck? Yes, place them in! That red the Kingly? Amidst the Spirit L.

NAPOLÉON. BY W. ELLER. We begin with o act of justice to Be that he grew up un a troubled day, a convulsed, old insti opinions shaken, old under; when the au apurned, and youth license; when the feverish by visions the passions swell millions to a reis dangerous school f well be conceived. who know the tri the secrets of th what degree crim cumstances so inau remember, in revie who were expecte But evil agent idmit education or condit fore confound the i right and wrong, a balion from atroci misery and slavery. It is also due t that there has alw a mournful obtuse regard to the crim lic. The wrong- large scale, has; that sincere, hart private vicp. Nat aggression and b issue admiration The wrongs, from most, in body and True; Christianit censure on the as But these reproci than sounds, and They are repeat we read or hear; want depth and inward, solemn, b ing from atroci reality, before th The true moral fe of public men is We believe, than Beauart's is fa consciousness of its which contributes in part the misery Of the early ind partie was formed, educated in a mil approach, is not much delicacy, feeling; for the his first duty, to consulting his co