STRETTA

BY HENRY ROCHELLE.

(Continued.)

'Yes—in fact,' said Gray. 'Who told you that free-trade was a good thing, except in particular cases? I allow that free-trade in corn is good—it frees the people; but free-trade in other matters is murder to us in this over populated country. When we get a nearly pure democracy, we shall have protection to native industry back again—hot and heavy. A pure democracy will never stand free-trade. When did they ever do so?'

'I don't remember,' said Roland.

'I fancy not,' said Gray. 'Your American and your Canadian laugh it to scorn. There is such a queer *petit principle* about it in the first term (correct me if I am wrong, for I have not been to Oxford and learned boatracing) which seems to me to condemn it. We practically find that we can compete (having a very rich and compact country) with every nation on earth on advantageous terms. Therefore, free-trade is as good for other nations as it is for us. And so we send our dear Cobden to tell other nations what he entirely believes—that a franc is as good as a shilling. Some nations believe him; some don't. The Americans don't and they are a trading people too.'

'But you are attacking the very principle of free-trade,' said Roland; 'why the very Tories have given it up.'

'There spoke a Whig,' said Allan Gray, laughing the while. 'Won't think for himself; will only think for his party. What are you going to do when you get into Parliament?'

'Precious little, I suspect,' said Roland, laughing also. 'It takes half a dozen first rate men, and accidents to back them, to get any thing done. And I am not a first rate man, and accidents are inseparable, and become qualities. For instance, I have too much money.'

'Give some of it to us then,' said Allan Gray.

'I will. Depend on me; you and I shall be good friends in time. Now what would you do, if *you* were in Parliament? How would you get matters done?'

'I should go on making myself a nuisance like the importunate widow, until they *were* done; look at ——. Look at him, and a fool too, all said and done.'

These two rather splendid young men were drawing nearer and nearer to one another. They were not very unlike in character, though cycles apart in thought. Roland moved closer to Allan, and said, 'What things would you have done, for instance?'

'Why,' said Allan, 'I would have the poor cared for better; and with regard to the public schools—'

He had, in reality, spoken some tolerably reasonable sentences about the public schools, but for domestic purposes we will not repeat them. There was a violent objurgation outside the door, and then a violent crash against it. The Public Schools were upon him, to the utter puzzlement of poor Allan Gray. 'Why were such fools brought into the world?' he asked himself at first. And then, when the rough prettiness of their horse-play had made him laugh, he said, 'What are they good for? Let the boy Arbuthnot answer him that question, with the flag shaping itself on his dead Jumbo! India is a great fact, my dear Allan Gray, even in these times of big things; and these boys helped to get it for you. And although the 180 000,000 don't accept Christianity, yet we have made them accept railways. Our boys are working your work, Allan Gray, and pretty near half of them have died in the service. Don't abuse the boys; they are not bad fellows when you know them.

For here they come in their fury—their quaint, petulant fury, which accounts for all kinds of battles—let us say from Agincourt to Magdala (popular, but incorrect). In comes Jimmy Mordaunt blind with wrath, body full of his grievance; in comes Johnny Mordaunt, making as much noise as his brother. The old story—the elder brother has dexterously, in pretending to get change, grabbed all the younger's money, and considers it as prize of war, refusing to give it up. The brothers Evans take violent sides in the dispute, and a row royal ensues.

It seems rather strange to Gray to see Roland taking part in such boy's play. It lasted some time, doubtless, like Tom Pinch's organ, to the great delight of the gentleman down-stairs and the gentleman over head; and when it was over, Allan Gray was gone.

CHAPTER XV.

I think that Roland was secretly angry with the elder Mordaunt as to his good humoredly bringing him to book about Mary Maynard. Miss Mordaunt was much too fine a young lady to have any mistakes made about her of any sort or kind. He would have been profoundly delighted that Roland should marry his sister, and would be very glad to see his friend happy with Mary Maynard. Of John Mordaunt, by far the shrewdest of the five boys, was determined that he should make up his mind.

Roland and Ethel had been brought up together, and had always called one another by their Christian names, as Roland would have said, were as brother and sister. So would not Ethel have said. Ethel's secret was known to two people, and guessed by a third.

Miss Evans had been ill, and had had a rough excision, as we saw; that awful Mrs. Gray had guessed it, and had bullied Phyllis Myrtle to give her a philter, which would have only a temporary effect, and would go off, as she hoped, after they were married, causing no gloom on Roland's part, and cause the red-handed, wild rude Mordaunt clan, to become her daughter's avenger on the Evans family for what she had suffered at their hands. It was the amiable old lady's scheme at the time, before she retired to London, where she was gone.

One more, as you may remember, knew Ethel's secret, her brother Jim. He used, when a youngster—indeed, even up to the time of the bathing accident—to bully every one he could get to stand it, and among others, of course, his sisters. Both of them high-spirited, rough, and strong, they used to have terrible battles, for she would resist in defence of her property, and resist fiercely too, though he was too strong for her. His father had thrashed him for it, his brother thrashed him with a cricket-stump for it; but the boy only lay quite quiet and silent on the grass while the blows descended, until Johnny, with a loud oath, threw the stump far and wide; and then the boy got up, and let out his sister's fancy fowls into the farm yard—a horrid kind of revenge, which he could enjoy silently in her bitter disappointment at the snows. On the whole, I think that when she was about twelve years old she fairly and honestly hated her brother James.

That there is a natural brotherly love, I know; that it may, under certain rare circumstances, [illegible] and [illegible] should not also [illegible] it is my [illegible] a bashful of their [illegible] lads, Evans, Mordaunts, and Maynard, which had been in fair fight five of the pick of London, growing chivalry. They might well [illegible], and indeed they did; and in the [illegible] of their roaring, the squire laid his hand upon his sister's arm, and said, 'Follow me, Eleanor, quickly!'

There was a narrow lane up to the hotel, and they pushed their horses up it. The yard was deserted, save by a hostler or two. Sliding off his horse, and followed quickly by Aunt Eleanor, who thought he looked strange, he went into a little parlor, and having shut the door, fainted away on the sofa.

'She rang the bell, and did what she could for him. When the man came, she said 'Doctor! quick! Don't make a fool of yourself and tell any one. Doctor, I tell you!'

Before the Doctor came he had got sensible again, but was a little stupid and wandering. Eleanor took occasion to ask the Doctor what it was, and was it the sun?

Hesaid, 'No, my dear Miss Evans. I had better trust you with secret, but I would keep it from him: it is his *heart*.'

So ended the Shrewsbury regatta, with these consequences, at least. The coachman drove the drag home, and the squire thought he would sit inside, being tired it was nothing. They rioted and shouted all the way home; and Mildred, sitting between Jim and her lover, was inexpressibly happy, and Eddy outshone himself. Ethel Mordaunt rode with Aunt Eleanor, and cast many a look up at the party on the drag, as though she would be glad to be there herself. But the squire sat alone inside, dull in the reaction after the morning's terrible excitement, and thinking of many things past; and Aunt Eleanor rode along, very dull too, and wondering whether she had done right in promising to keep his illness from his wife.

He got perfectly well the next day, and no one was the wiser. But on the 12th he made excuses: the day was hot, the birds were well-grown and wild, he would find them at luncheon at the Cairn and chance a shot there, but Roland must take his gun in the morning.

This refusal of his to shoot seemed very much to impress Squire Mordaunt. They had shot together on the 12th for so many years now, that he knew there was a reason. Very often during the day he looked very pensively and curiously at Roland, and seemed a little guilty when discovered. He talked often to Roland, but in a constrained manner, as though leading up to a purpose, which Roland, who was as quick as lightning, saw in an instant.

What a singular delusion that is, talking up to an object, of *leading* the conversation towards your question! The feeblest intellect can detect the manœuvre, and the feebler the intellect the more cautious and reticent does it become, from the mere instinct of self-preservation. Again, used towards a tolerably good intellect, this mode of gaining an answer produces irritation of the highest kind; it is an insult to the understanding. But perhaps what the Americans call the 'highest old sport,' in the way of conversation, is to hear an inferior intellect using this dodge towards a higher one.

It was soon evident to Roland that Squire Mordaunt was trying to lead up to something, but he could not find out *what*.

'Well shot, boy,' old Mordaunt would say. 'Ah, you should shoot well; you come of shooting stock. I suppose in your time, when it comes, you will keep up the old head of grouse, hey?'

'I don't like to anticipate that time, sir.'

'Quite right! quite right!'

Then again, 'We will take the south side of this glen, Roland. Knee-deep in fern, lad. Every acre would grow corn. Shall you, now, break any up?'

'I am very well as I am, sir. I have never thought of such things.'

'You should. Suppose you had a lawsuit over your father's will, now, with Eddy. And there's Mildred's fortune—very large, I can tell you; and then there's your mother's jointure, very large. You won't be so very rich, I can tell you.'

'I shall have enough for my wants,' said Roland; 'and, to tell you the truth, Mr. Mordaunt, my father has been such a kind and gentle friend and companion to me, that I sha'n't care much about taking possession.'

'Very meritorious. You are a good fellow, Roland; I hope my boys are of the same opinion.'

Roland could not make out his object all, and had to be yet more puzzled.

'Bless me!' said Squire Mordaunt once again during the afternoon; 'what tear-away young fellows you are nowadays. Why, there's young Redmen: his mother has lost all her jointure in railways shares, and he has given her up the estate for life, and gone to Canada to make a fortune there.'

'Happy fellow,' said Roland. 'I envy him. I'd a hundred times sooner have the making of a fortune than the spending of one.'

Mr. Mordaunt pressed him no more, and meeting Squier Evans at lunch, they talked and shot together, and Squire Mordaunt having dined with them, walked pensively home under the harvest-moon, and went straight to his study, and sat down in front of his escritoire with a candle.

'The boy,' he mused, 'will do well anywhere, if all goes against him. If all goes with him, however, he will be a poorish man. The defense of the Langley estate against the Bourden Langley claim took six years' rents. Whew! let us look at it again.'

He took out a letter. Let us look at it:

Sir,—As a friend of the Evans family myself, I wish to inform you, as another friend of the family, of this very singular fact: At the death of the present Mr. Charles Evans, the succession to the estates will be disputed.

'I know nothing, and can advise nothing. I only know that they are not going to meet during the hiring time [illegible] Squire; and, moreover, that they have a great deal of confidence.

'Yours, NEMO.'

'I don't like the look of it,' said Mr. Mordaunt. 'These people have money behind them and a good case, to judge from our friend Nemo's letter. I shall see over to old Eleanor.'

CHAPTER XVI.

SEE broad and big Squire Mordaunt pensively riding, on a great brown horse into the gate at Pulverbatch, under the dark elms, past the fish-ponds, up to Aunt Eleanor's front door. See his own daughter running out in her riding-habit to greet him, and making him bend down from his saddle for a 'regular good hug.' A pleasant sight!

'Why, puss,' said her father, 'I missed you at breakfast.'

'I rode over here. She is necessary to me at times. She does me good.'

'Stick to her, my girl. There are few like her. Where is she?'

'Out in the yard;' and having given up his horse, he followed his daughter until they came to the gate of a small old deep-littered strawyard, of great extent, hemmed in on all sides by various buildings, and on one side by a yew barn, as big as some cathedral, from the open doors of which came a pleasant smell of threshing.

Advancing slowly across the centre of the litter, in a short gown, with her back well in, and her head well up, a basket on her arm, came Miss Evans; leading a wedged-shaped procession. In front of her skimmed and hopped immaculate pigeons, about her feet and incessantly behind her were the fowls—the hens 'pawking' and gandering, the little ones eyeing their mothers in the crowd, and peeting shrilly when trodden on by the bigger ones; the cock solemnly gallant. Then about forty little black Essex Hobbes' pigs; shrieking wildly, and changing places until they looked like four hundred; then a dozen porkers, two calves, and four grunting old sows bringing up the rear. With this following, she approached the gate, and saluted Mordaunt:

'Well, George, and so you have found your way here once more?'

'I should come here more, if you did not scold me so.'

'That's nonsense. I only scold you when you provoke me. How are you, old friend?'

To be Continued.

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THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING RECENTLY PURCHASED the above Mills, begs to intimate that he has just got in working order a new and

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In almost all cases farmers will get their

GRISTS HOME THE SAME DAY

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Town Custom respectfully solicited, and orders care fully attended to. Highest cash price paid for wheat.

J. SOMERVILLE

Goderich Sept 9th, 1870. sw6-tf

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HE has purchased an entirely new and carefully selected stock of

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AND IS PREPARED TO GIVE CUSTOMERS, old and new, the same uniform satisfaction which Mr. Fredrick has so long done. Having had 6 years experience as

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JOHN FREDRICK.

Goderich, Nov. 17th, 1870.

TO LET

A BRICK Cottage with large orchard and nine acres of land on south Street, Goderich.

Apply to W. D. ALLEN.

Goderich Oct. 17th, 1870. sw17-tf

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Oct. 17th, 1870. w39-tf

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For Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Listlessness, Languor and Loss of Appetite, they should be taken moderately to stimulate the stomach and restore its healthy tone and action.

For Liver Complaint and its various symptoms, Bilious Headache, Sick Headache, Jaundice or Green Sickness, Bilious Colic and Bilious Fevers, they should be judiciously taken for each case, to correct the diseased action or remove the obstructions which cause it.

For Dysentery or Diarrhœa, but one mild dose is generally required.

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Goderich 4th Nov. 1870. sw22

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"THE SIGNAL OFFICE,"

Goderich, Nov. 19th, 1870. sw27 tf

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Goderich, Nov. 23rd 1870. sw28-tf

HEIFER ASTRAY.

CAME TO THE PREMISES OF THE UNDERsigned, Lot 11, 2 Con., Ashfield Township about end of August a heifer rising three years old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take it away.

MARY POLLEY.

Ashfield 24 Nov. 1870. w45-31*

STRAY CATTLE.

STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber Lot 10, 6 con. Ashfield, about the end of May—4 head of cattle, consisting of—2 two year old steers (1 brindled with wide set horns, and the other red and white with horns turned in) two yearling heifers, one white with a little red about the neck, and the other spotted red and white. Any one giving information leading to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

JOHN REID.

Dungannon, P. O.

Ashfield Oct 29th, 1870. w46-tf

STRAY HEIFER.

STRAYED from the premises of the undersigned, A near the Ontario Salt well, about end of October, a brown heifer, rising 2 years old, with white hind legs and white tip on her tail, a white dot on her forehead, and mouse-color round eyes and nose. Any one giving such information as will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded. THOMAS COWHERD.

Goderich, Nov. 21st, 1870. w44-31

Stray Heifer.

CAME to the premises of the undersigned, Lot 16, con 6, in the Township of Colborne, about 1st Oct. a red and white heifer, 2 years old. The owner is requested to prove property pay expenses and take her away. ISAAC JONES.

Colborne, 28th Nov. 1870. sw29-31—*

STEERS STRAYED.

STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber North ½ Lot 44, Lake Shore Ashfield, about the 22d day of Sept., last a yoke of steers; one red with white spot on forehead, the other white with red on both sides of head and neck. Any party giving information leading to their recovery will be suitably rewarded, and any party detaining them after this notice will be prosecuted. ARTHUR TWITCHELL

Amberley P O Oct. 25th 1870. w113t

STRAY HEIFERS.

STRAYED from the commons adjoining the premises of the undersigned, Block D Lake road, Colborne about last week of September, three heifers rising 3 years old, one spotted white and red, one bright red with white stripe down the back, and one white and brindled. Any one giving such information as will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

JOSEPH MORRIS.

Goderich, Nov. 21st, 1870. sw27-44*

STEER LOST.

STRAYED about last of August, from 9 con. of W Wawanosh a 3 year old steer, dirty white, with red hairs on the sides, nose, ears, and above the hoofs on the forelegs. Any one giving such information as will lead to the recovery will be suitably rewarded.

JEREMIAH ALTON.

Belfast P. O.

Dec. 10th, 1870. w47-41—*

YOKE STEERS LOST.

STRAYED ABOUT 28th OCTOBER, FROM THE 11 Con. Ashfield, ½ mile from Belfast, one yoke of Steers rising 3 years old; one dark and one light red; the dark with white spot in the face. Any one giving such information as will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

DANIEL ALTON Junr.

Dec. 10 1870. Belfast P. O. Ont. w48-*

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Toronto Nov 9th 1870. w45-6t

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Atkins G	Morrison Bella
Ashleford M Mrs	Mulady James
Bell D	Mark E Lucinda
Brown Joseph	Markham William
Burke John	McCann Geo
Brodie Peter	McQueen James
Conley Joseph	McGee James
Chimb John	McDonald Margaret
Cox Lizzie	McAuley Mr (Reg)
Cox J S Mrs	McCinty Mrs
Campbell Robert (Colb)	McKittrin William
Colty W	McDonald D (Fish Mer. Reg
Doehler C	Northrup Geo
Demster H W	Purdy John
Elliott Geo	Proctor Joseph
Ernest M	Pratchelf Wm
Ellis Wm	Papet Wm
Fisher Peter	Richardson Miss
Flin Patrick	Rillei Wm
Gibson John	Smith Andrew
Hogarth H J	Sprugge C
Hamilton John	Shepherd John
Halliday Wm	Scornan John
Hurly Wm	Stewart T A
Hamilton Wm	Strowgre Mr
Jackson Ann	Tenant John
Janicz J Richard	Vigit J
Loveland H John	Williams James
Lamberius Miss	Wilson Jane
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ARCH. DICKSON,
Post Master

w47-3t

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Goderich 12 Dec. 1870. sw33-1d

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December 2nd 1870.

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Goderich, Nov. 23rd, 1870 sw28-3m—

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AT the Ash Factory immediately, a good horse to purchase, and a good man to peddle.

JOHN BARNES.

Goderich Nov. 25th, 1870 —sw28tf

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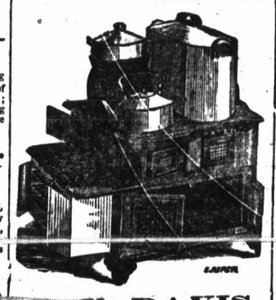

G. N. DAVIS HAS THIS DAY REMOVED TO HIS COMMODIOUS NEW BRICK BUILDING (NEARLY OPPOSITE F JORDAN'S DRUGSTORE) Convenient to the Market.

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PARTIES IN WANT OF ANYTHING IN his line will save money by inspecting his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

ALL KINDS OF JOB WORK WILL BE DONE THE SAME AS USUAL.

Goderich, 1st July, 1870. w26-tf

LANDS FOR SALE AT BAYFIELD.

LOTS NOS. 71 & 72 BAYFIELD CONCESSION Township of Goderich, comprising 140 acres of the best quality of land, within about 2 miles of the Market place of the Town of Bayfield. There is a clearance of 35 acres which could readily be prepared for crop. The remainder of the land is closely covered with the best of beech and maple timber of splendid growth, an excellent road passes on two sides of the property, which is situated in an old and well settled neighbourhood.

ALSO—Lot 24, Range A Township Stanley, containing 39 acres of well reserved timber land, which would produce a large quantity of firewood to the acre. The lot runs to the River Bayfield with a considerable water fall which could be made available for milling or manufacturing purposes.

For terms apply to, JAMES D. ALLEN, Guelph.

or W. W. CONNOR, Esq. Bayfield.

Guelph, Aug 15, 1870 w30

FARM FOR SALE.

LOT 10, CON. 10, W. D. COLBORNE, 100 ACRES, 60 cleared, good dwelling house, frme 22x36, with a commodious kitchen attached, also good barn and shed accommodation, good bearing orchard, well watered by two creeks running through the farm, and good wells. One mile from gravel road, 5 miles from Goderich. For particulars apply on the premises to undersigned, or to Mr. D Ferguson, grocer, Goderich.

C. STEWART.

August 15, 1870 w30

FARM FOR SALE,

LOT 24. CON 4.

Township of Goderich, containing 80 acres about 55 acres cleared,

2 STORY CONCRETE HOUSE, ON THE GROUND floor, Dining Room, Parlor, Kitchen, Hall and Bed room; on the second floor, Sitting Room, Large Fair lily Bedroom, and four other bedrooms; on the Basement, Dairy Room, Fruit room, Store room, Meat room Frame Barn 52x32 feet. 7 miles from Clifton and 7 from Goderich. Good large orchard of over 300 superior fruit trees. Soil, deep clay loam, well watered by spring creek and flowing well. The property is situated 1½ miles from Lake Huron, of which a good view can be had from the door. Apply to James Wilkinson, Esq., on the premises or to

G. M. TRUFMAN
Land Office Goderich

Goderich, Aug 15, 1870. w30

FARMS FOR SALE.

THE SOUTH HALF OF THE NORTH HALF OF Lot 9 in the 11th Con. Western Division, Ashfield Township, 50 acres. The land is partly cleared and fenced. Also the South half of Lot No 1, 6th concession, Western Division, Ashfield 100 acres bush.

For further particulars &c,

Apply to DAVISON & JOHNSTON,
West Street Goderich.

Goderich Oct 12th, 1870. sw16-2m

FARM FOR SALE.

FARM for sale, 100 acres being West half lot 17, con. 4th, W Wawanosh 40 acres cleared, 8 acres Fall Wheat, 15 acres ploughed ready for crop, free from thistles or other rubbish, 100 choice fruit trees, a well of excellent water with pump in it. Frame dwelling house, frame barn 60x36 with stone stabling underneath for 20 head of cattle with root house. Frame driving house and horse stable and other out buildings. The lot is 1½ miles from Dungannon. A Steam Saw Mill at one corner of it, there is a quantity of pine on it. Title indisputable, and immediate possession given. For further particulars apply to J. G. TRUAX on the premises, if by letter prepaid.

Dungannon, Nov. 15th, 1870. w43-tf—

FARM FOR SALE ON THE BAYFIELD GRAVEL ROAD,

BEING lot 22, first concession Goderich Township 116 acres, 50 of which are cleared a never failing creek runs through the land. The lot is situated on the Gravel road about 5 miles from the town of Goderich. The land is a rich clay loam being very suitable for wheat or fruit growing. The lot will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Possession can be given 1st October, for particulars and terms, apply to G. H. PARSONS or to J. DAVISON, Esq. Goderich.

Goderich, Aug 15, 1870 w30

FOR SALE

STORE AND DWELLING HOUSE WITH LOT IN the village of Maitlandville one mile from Goderich in the centre of the Goderich Salt Works. House and Store entirely new and commodious with good Stone Cellar and Lot in Excellent condition. Terms easy.

Apply to H. SPENCE, Goderich P. O.

or W. STANBURY, Burgessville, P. O.

TO SELL.

THE EAST HALF OF LOT NUMBER 8, FOURteenth concession of Hullett, on the boundary line between Blyth and Walton, post office each way. Good hardwood, watered with a never failing creek and never failing spring. Also well close by the house Forty acres cleared, well fenced, 77 acres in all. Log house and barn, a thriving orchard, 8 kinds of plums, black white and red currants, pears, red and yellow gooseberries. For further particulars apply on the premises TO RANKIN LAWSON and his Mother.

Aug 15th, 1870. w30-tf

FOR SALE.

126 ACRES OF BUSH LAND IN THE TOWNSHIP OF COLBORNE 7 MILES FROM Goderich. For particulars, Apply to

W. D. ALLEN, Huron Hotel.

Goderich 12 Nov., 1870. sw25

Farm for Sale.

LOTS 53 and 54, Bayfield Concession, in the Township of Goderich Containing 68 acres, of these over 50 acres cleared with good Frame Barn, and Log House, about 2½ miles from Clinton. For Terms of sale apply at the Division Court office at Goderich, or to Mr. WIGGINTON on the premises.

Goderich, Aug 15, 1870 w30

A BARGAIN.

50 ACRES, East ½ of Lot 29, 10th con. Culross, Co. Bruce 7 acres cleared and good log house. Clear title for $500 cash or for $600 one third down and the remainder in 4 annual instalments with interest at 6 per cent per annum.

Apply to

ABRAHAM SMITH.

Lumley 5th Sept, 1870 w33-1ot Merchant Tailor.

VILLAGE LOTS FOR SALE IN BAYFIELD.

THE subscriber offers for sale four eligible lots in the Village of Bayfield. On the premises are a good frame dwelling, barn and vinegar factory. For particulars apply to

JOHN CROOK.

Goderich, July 12th 1870 sw26 t

JAMES STEWART

WHOLESALE AGENT OF

The far-famed and reliable St Catherine's Nursery

D. W. BEADLE, ESQ.

FOR ALL KINDS OF

FRUIT AND ORNAMENTAL TREES, GREEN-house Plants Grape Vines, &c., &c.

Any stock not on hand, ordered on the shortest notice. House—Maitlandville. Goderich P. O

Goderich, Aug 15, 1870 w30

DISSOLUTION of PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as General Merchants in the Town of Goderich, under the style or firm of Martin and Robertson, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the said firm are to be paid to A. Martin who will settle the liabilities of the same.

Witness, D. McMARTIN. AMOS MARTIN
70. JOHN ROBERTSON

With reference above the subscriber begs to say that he will hereafter carry on the business, on his own account, in all its departments and would respectfully solicit a continuance of public patronage.

A. MARTIN.

Goderich August 15th, 1870. w30-tf

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Partnership heretofore existing between PARKER & CATTLE as Chemists and Druggists in Owen Sound, Durham and Goderich, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts owing to the said Partnership in Goderich are to be paid to GEORGE CATTLE (who will continue the Business in the old stand), and all claims against said Partnership in Goderich are to be presented to said George Cattle, by whom the same will be settled.

Dated in Goderich the 19th July, 1870 sw35t

FOR SALE.

A frame house of one story and a half with excellent garden, in the centre of the salt wells in the Town of Goderich, and formerly occupied by Mr Charles McMullen. For particulars and terms of sale enquire of the REV. C. FLETCHER.

Goderich Sept. 23rd, 1870 sw10-3m*

MASONIC APRONS

FOR SALE AT H. GARDINER, & Co's.

Goderich, 5 July 1870. w27

SIGN OF THE BIG PADLOCK.

Best Hardware and all kinds. Cheapest

Mason Fruit Jars $2.37½ per doz

Cut Nails

White Lead, Oils and Varnish

Agricultural Tools

Coopers' Tools.

H. GARDINER & Co.,

Market Square, Goderich

Aug. 26th, 1870.

FARM FOR SALE,

THE subscriber being determined to sell, invites any man in quest of a good farm to examine the E½ Lot 29, con 8, East Wawanosh, 100 acres which is one of the best, and one of the most beautiful farms in the Township. It is 18 miles from Goderich, and 10 miles from Wingham, a proposed station of the T. G. & B. R. R. There are on the place, good building, a good orchard bearing, a never failing spring and about 55 acres cleared.

TERMS—from ½ to ¼ cash, the balance to suit purchasers.

JAS. TISDALE,
Fordyce, P. O.

Sept. 5th, 1870, w33-3m

GUINNES'S CELEBRATED DUBLIN PORTER.

IMPORTED DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURER, and sold extremely low by

GEORGE GRANT, GROCER, WEST SIDE SQUARE, GODERICH.

PRICE ONLY $1.75 PER DOZ. BOTTLES

AN EARLY CALL SOLICITED.

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HOTELS PROMPTLY SUPPLIED.

Goderich Sept. 23, 1870. sw10-tf

TWO FARMS for SALE

FOR sale two very valuable FARMS in the Township of Goderich. For particulars apply to

JOSEPH SHAW, Huron Road.

Goderich Township

August 15, 1870 w30

PRIVATE BOARD.

PRIVATE BOARD can be had for three or four gentlemen, by applying to this office.

Goderich, July 26th 1870. s