A PRACTICAL JOKE.-The Weekly Ontario says. A fifty-cent jeke was played upon one of our citizens (jeweller) on Saturday A certain party had that day lought a pair of eye-glasses from th jeweller's store in his absence paying the tum of 75 cents for them. The buyer then went to the other side of the street then went to the other side of the street and watched his opportunity. A chance soon offered itself: the proprietor was walking in front of his establishment. The bayer of the speciacles came and showed them to him, saying he had bought them from a peddar for 75 cents; and wanted to know what he would charge for the same kind. The jeweller replied that he could plenty of them at 25 cents per pair "all right" said the purchaser, and stepping to the door he said: "Knock off 50 cents from these—the boss says they are only 25 cents per pair." The jeweller looked rather chop-fallen.

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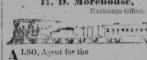


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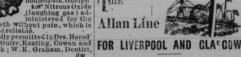
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