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Goderich, 31st August, 1871.

Business Directory.

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(of McGill College)

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M. C. CAMERON. w52 J. T. GARROW.

Doyle & Squier,

BARRISTERS AND ATTORNIES, SOLICITORS in Chancery, &c. Goderich, Ont
H. L. DOYLE. sw5 W. R. SQUIER, B.A.

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JAMES C. STRONG, Attorney at Law H. R. SQUIER
Aug 13th 1870. w30

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L. B. Hamlin,

CIVIL ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR. LAND Agent, and Conveyancer, Kincardine.

ARCHITECTURE.

The undersigned is prepared to furnish Plans, Specifications, &c., of Public and Private Buildings and also to superintend the erection of the same.
W. HICK.
OFFICE—Jordan's Block, Market Square.
Goderich, April 6th, 1871. sw64

Land Office,

A Register of Improved Farms and Wild Lands for sale.
G M TRUEMAN,
Goderich, Aug 15, 1870 sw1

Gooding's Banking Office,

WEST STREET, GODERICH,

BUYS Greenbacks, American Silver and Drafts. Good Farmers' Notes discounted and purchased, money loaned on Chattel Mortgage. Deposits received at 3 per cent interest payable on call
ANDREW WADDELL, Agent
Goderich, 13th Feb, 1871. sw 4y1

M NICHOLSON,

SURGEON DENTIST

Rooms over the Post Office, West Street, Goderich.
August 14th 1870 w30tf

I. O. O. F.

HURON Lodge, No. 62, Meets at their Hall, Bloom Block, Goderich, every Thursday evening, at 7½ o'clock. Entrance on Kingston street. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.
F. JOHNSTON, Secretary.
Goderich, Feb. 24, 1871. w3-1y—

GODERICH LODGE NO. 33

G. R. C. A. F. A. A. M.

THE REGULAR COMMUNICATION is held on the first Wednesday of each month at 7.30 p. m. Visiting brethren cordially invited.
W. DICKSON, Sec.
Goderich 4th May, 1871 sw73-1y

I. O. OF G. T.

FAITH, HOPE AND CHARITY.

GODERICH TEMPLE NO. 223, OF THIS ORDER Hold their meetings in the Temperance Hall, West St. every Monday evg. commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. Visiting brethren cordially invited.
ALEX. GORRELL, Secretary.
Goderich June 24th, 1871. sw57-6mos

Notice to Debtors.

ALL DEBTS DUE the LATE FIRM of STRACHAN & M'KENZIE, Blacksmith, must be paid to the undersigned on or before 15th September, after which date they will be put into Court for collection.
D. K. STRACHAN
Goderich, 7th Aug 1871. w32-3m

Business Directory.

NOW is YOUR CHANCE

CRABB'S BLOCK — KINGSTON STREET,

Prices to Suit the Times.

Photographs reduced to $1 per Doz.

OR 75cts. PER HALF DOZEN.

Large Photograph Reduced in Proportion.

Also will make the Largest Photographs made in Goderich, very cheap. Portraits pictures from one Dollar upward at

CAMPBELL'S
Goderich Aug. 15th 1870. Photograph Gallery w30

NEW Waggon and Carriage FACTORY.

BATES & ELLIOTT

HAVE pleasure in intimating to the public of town and country that they have opened a Waggon and Carriage Shop on St. David's st, (E. Elliott's old stand,) immediately adjoining the Western Hotel. B. & E. attend personally to all the work entrusted to them, and are prepared to turn out

Waggons, Buggies, Cutters, Sleighs,

and everything in their line, of the very best material and workmanship and at the very lowest remunerative rates.

JOBBING

Promptly attended to.

ON HAND, a large assortment of

SLEIGHS

which will be sold Cheap for **Cash or Cordwood.**
Goderich, Aug 15 1870. w30

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ZURICH, CO. HURON

JOHN PRANG, - - Proprietor.

This house is fitted up with every convenience for travelling public.
☞ Good Stabling and prompt attendance
Aug 5, 1870 w15--ft

Commercial Hotel, Mitchell, On.

JOHN HICKS, Proprietor. This is the largest and best Country Hotel in Western Canada, and charges as moderate as any house in Mitchell; Stage Proprietor, Good Stabling for 100 horses, Horses and Carriages for Hire, on shortest notice 14 7

COLBORNE HOTEL,

GODERICH.

E. MARTIN Proprietor.

Good Accommodations. Ample Stable Room.
☞ This is admitted to be a First class House kept in Good Style.
Augus 15th, 1870 sw1-ct

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THOS. SPENCER, PRO.

Spencer's XXX Ales & Porter

Spencer's Bottled Ale in Fine condition,

Spencer's Ales in Puncheon, barrels and Half barrels at the

GODERICH DEPOT,
MARKET SQUARE.
GEO. GRANT.
Goderich, Jan. 10th 1871. sw41-1y—

GODERICH PUMP FACTORY.

THE SUBSCRIBER IS PREPARED TO FILL ALL orders for

PUMPS

and give satisfaction. Parties sending orders by mail will please give depth of well from platform, naming Township, No. of Concession and Lot. He has also on hand,

REVERSIBLE MOLEBOARD ROOT SCUFFLERS.

CHURNS AND STRAW CUTTERS.

☞ All sold on liberal terms, and order promptly attended to
Stand previously occupied by Mr. H. Dodd.
J. D. ARMSTRONG.
Goderich March 4th 1871 w sw24-tf

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MELODEONS,
HOUSE ORGANS,
CHURCH ORGANS,
Piano Stools, &c., &c

Manufactured by the celebrated Firm of
R. S. WILLIAMS & CO., TORONTO.
The most extensive makers in the Dominion.

THE undersigned begs to intimate that he has been appointed agent for Goderich and the surrounding country of the above justly celebrated firm, and is prepared to sell all articles made by them, at

MANUFACTURER'S PRICES.

Samples may be seen and terms ascertained at my Ware-Rooms, West Street.
DANIEL GORDON
Goderich, Aug 15, 1870 w30

TIME IS MONEY.

IF you want to do two days work in one day, get one of the

PATENT GROOVED IRON HARROWS

The best and cheapest ever offered in Canada. Only $20 cash, with $20.00. Inspection invited at
D. K. STRACHAN'S
Blacksmithing Shop,
Goderich March 27th, 1871. w11-tf

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THE
TRAVELER INSURANCE CO.

INSURES AGAINST ACCIDENTS CAUSING Bodily injury or loss of life, guaranteeing the payment of a stipulated sum per week, from $3 to $50, or the payment of the principal sum insured, from $500 to $10,000, if the injury cause death within three months, also grants full

LIFE INSURANCE,

and endowments of all forms at low Cash Rates. Full information can be obtained of
S. H. DETLOR, Agent
Goderich 23rd May, 1871. s478

THE SCOTTISH PROVINCIAL LIFE ASSURANCE Co.,

T. J. MOORHOUSE. Agent.
Goderich July 21, 1871.

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CASH CAPITAL $3,000,000
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The Largest Capital,
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AND
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OF ANY
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N. B.—Especial attention given to the Insurance of Dwellings, Churches, School and Public Buildings for terms of three and five years, at rates as low as they can be made with safety to the Company.

DIXIE WATSON, *Agent.*
Goderich Jan. 28th, 1871 w2 1y

1868.
THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY,

has been in existence Thirty-two years, and during that period has paid Losses exceeding **Five & a half million pounds sterling,**

The disbursement of this enormous sum over a wide area, has without doubt contributed to the establishment of this Institution, in the confidence of Public Corporations, Merchants, House holders, and business men generally wherever it is represented.

In its 1st year, 1836, the Fire Premiums alone amounted to £9,970
in its 10th year, 1846, " " " £47,700
20th year, 1856, " " " £222,275
30th year, 1866, " " " £829,353
one year later, 1867, " " " £818,025

The Fire Reserve Fund is now $4,727,464
The Life Reserve Fund is now $9,282,458
The Company is represented throughout Ontario and Quebec, by influential Agents whom application for insurance may be made.

G. F. C. SMITH, Resident Secretary, MONTREAL
A. M. ROSS, Agent for Goderich; B V Elliott, for Exeter, W. N. Watson, Seaforth
Goderich, Aug 15, 1870 w30

GODERICH Harness Shop.

W. A. MARTIN

HAS pleasure in intimating to the public of Town and County that he has purchased the Harness business of Mr Isaac Halliday, on Hamilton st. After having served his apprenticeship with Messrs W. & H. Martin, Goderich, W. A. M has worked for the last three years in the best Harness Shops in Chicago and is now prepared to make up

LIGHT AND HEAVY HARNESS
Horse-Clothing and Scotch Collars,

In first-class style and with despatch.

☞ Orders promptly attended to.

N. B.—FLY SHEETS constantly on hand throughout the summer. A large Stock of

Trunks, Whips, Curry-Combs,

&c., &c.
Goderich, 12th June, 1871 w21-1

Extensive New Premises AND Splendid New Stock.

C. Barry & Bro.

Cabinet Makers, Undertakers & Wood Turners,

HAMILTON ST.

Have removed across the street to the store next door to W. Acheson's Harness Shop, where will be found

A GOOD ASSORTMENT!

of Kitchen, Bedroom, Dining-room, and Parlor Furniture, such as

TABLES,
CHAIRS hair, cane and wood seated)
CUPBOARDS
BEDSTEADS,
WASH STANDS,
MATTRESSES,
LOUNGES,
SOFAS.

WHATNOTS, LOOKING GLASSES

GILT FRAMING.

☞ C. B. & B are prepared to sell everything in their line

Cheap for Cash.

N. B. A complete assortment of Coffins and Shrouds always on hand and a Hearse to hire; all on reasonable terms.

A CALL SOLICITED.
Goderich, 19 Aug 1870

BLACKSMITH WANTED.

IMMEDIATELY, A STEADY MANACCUSTOMED to horse shoeing and general country work, constant employment.
WILLIAM ROBERTSON
Bronsilier P. O. 14 June, 1871.
Goderich 14 June, 1871. w22-tf

Notice to Debtors

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned, whose accounts were rendered last winter, are hereby notified to pay up on or before 1st June, failing which they will be put into court for collection.
BUCHANAN, LAWSON & ROBINSON.
Goderich, April 20th, 1871 sw69-tf—

A Life Policy for Sale.

A good investment for any party who could not get his own life insured. For particulars apply to
F. ARMSTRONG.
Goderich 2nd May, 1871. West Street.

Family Matters.

SENSIBLE.—Women of sense wear calfskin in wet weather and over rough roads. Morocco and prunella are very good for sunshiny days and dry pavements, but nothing protects the feet from cold and wet like calfskin. Do not have the heels above half an inch in height. If God had intended the heel to be raised two inches higher in walking than the ball of the foot, how easy it would have been for Him to cast the original Adamic foot in that shape. But he made it for ease and grace in walking, that it might share the weight of the body equally with the other extremity of the foot. The present fashion of high heels throws the weight of the body in the wrong place, producing deformity and pain. The first thing that we do when we buy a pair of shoes is to have about an inch taken off the heels, for we prefer nature to art at this point, and comfort to fashion.

TO CAN CORN.—Remove the skins from tomatoes; boil them for three hours in a porcelain kettle. Then take fresh, tender corn, cut it from the cob, being careful not to remove any of the cob with it; stir it into the tomatoes and boil another hour; then remove from the fire, can (in the cans), and seal immediately; keep in a cool place. When used, take a pint of the mixture, add a pint of fresh water, a teaspoonful of salt, one of butter and two of flour; mix well and boil 15 minutes, and you will have a palatable dish.

GINGER BEER.—Take of white Jamaica ginger root four ounces; pound it sufficiently to break the fibres; add to it three gallons of boiling water and two ounces of cream of tartar, boil it for five or ten minutes, then strain it and add two pounds of white sugar; stir it until all is dissolved, pour it into a pail, and add half an ounce of tartaric acid, and let it stand until lukewarm; pour in three tablespoonsful of yeast, and mix it well; let it rise from six to eight hours; then bottle, securing the corks tightly. In two or three days it will be good to drink, and can be drunk without injury in the hottest weather. Six lemons can be substituted for the tartaric acid. Grate the peels and squeeze the juice into the boiling water when the ginger is first added.

CHARLOTTE OF PEACHES.—Divide twenty nearly ripe peaches, scald them in a light syrup, then drain and cut each half into three pieces; put these in a pan, with a quarter of a pound of powdered sugar, and half the quantity of warm butter; fry five minutes. Line the bottom and sides of a well buttered baking dish with thin slices of bread, put in the peaches, and cover with slices of bread soaked in warm milk; over all place a plate, covering closely, and bake slowly three hours. When in the dish for the table, pour over the syrup in which the peaches were scalded and serve immediately.

AUTUMN FASHIONS.—Already autumn styles have been decided on, and ladies who wish to prepare their fall suits beforehand can begin at once. *Harper's Bazar* states that neutral tints, and the dark cloth colors scarcely removed from black, will prevail. Black will be more worn than ever, and suits of black alpaca, mohair and cashmere will be made with blouse waists, lined with soft muslin, with three broad, double, box plaits in the front and back. These are so easily made that ladies who have a good-fitting blouse pattern will not need a dressmaker's assistance. The shoulder seams must be very short, the neck high, and the sleeves coat-shape or half flowing. The simple overskirt is long, and caught up by tapes falling from the belt, with a buttonhole in the end to fasten them to a button half way down the skirt. This waist and overskirt may be worn with underskirt of the same or with skirts. Black silk suits will be trimmed with fringe and passementerie.

Religious News.

An English preacher solemnly declares, but does not mention his source of information, that there are twelve women to one man in heaven. He does not give the census of "Auld Nickie Ben's den," but we suppose the proportions there must be exactly reversed.

The Russian government was reported to have listened favorably to the protest of the British and American Evangelical Alliance against the maltreatment of Protestants in the Baltic Provinces. This was in street; Prince Gortschakoff having all but told the deputation to mind their own business.

Twenty million copies of Spurgeon's Sermons have been distributed in the English language alone.

THE UNION QUESTION.—The joint committee of representatives, from the Free, United Presbyterian, and Reformed Presbyterian Churches of Scotland on Union, have met and expressed their strong sense of the necessity of measures of co-operation being taken by which their churches, as such, may be drawn together in order that their common usefulness and mutual interest and regard may be promoted.

THE WESLEYAN CONFERENCE IN MANCHESTER.—Dr. James was elected president of the Conference at Manchester. It was reported that two new missions of special interest have been undertaken, one in Oporto and the other in Rome and Naples at a cost of £10,000. The announcement that Mr. Fernley, of Southport, had offered to contribute half this sum was received with loud cheers. The total income for the past year in aid of the foreign Missions was, home receipts £110,069, foreign receipts £39,098, with which 1029 missionaries were maintained, together with about 7,000 preaching places, including chapels.

Integrity of the Bible.

It is a matter of congratulation that the Bible has passed triumphantly through the ordeal of verbal criticism. English infidels of the last century raised a premature pean over the discovery and publication of so many various readings. They imagined that the popular mind would be rudely and thoroughly shaken, and Christianity would be placed in imminent peril of extinction, and that the Church would be dispersed and ashamed at the sight of tattered shreds of its *Magna Charta*. But the result has blasted all their hopes, and the Oracles of God are found to be preserved in immaculate integrity. The storm which shakes the oak only loosens the earth around its roots, and its violence enables the tree to strike its roots deeper into the soil. So it is that Scripture has gloriously surmounted every trial. There gathers around it a dense, "cloud of witnesses,"—from the ruins of Nineveh and the valley of the Nile; from the slabs and hieroglyphs of Sennacherib and the tombs and monuments of Pharaoh; from the rolls of Chaldee paraphrasts, of monastic scribes and the dry and dusty labors of antiquarians.—*North British Review.*

At a meeting of the Presbytery of Halifax, held on the 11th inst., Mr. Hugh A. Robertson was ordained a missionary to the South Sea Islands. The proceedings on the occasion were of a most interesting character.

General News.

The King of Italy has appointed Count Menabrea, Arbitrator in the Geneva Conference on the Alabama Claims. The Count is a statesman of large and liberal views.

The French government has imposed a tax of five francs on each cat, and one franc on every caged bird. This is a new way out of insolvency.

The French government refuse to admit Alsatian produce into France without duty, until the withdrawal of the German troops.

Spain is extraditing the Communist refugees.

Japan is striking gold and silver coin to correspond with the American system. The yew being the unit and equal to a dollar.

Chicago is importing goods direct from Europe *via* Montreal, on account of the outrageous acts of the New York Custom-House.

There are 30,045 Post Offices in the United States.

Eight of the twelve Convicts who escaped from Sing-Sing have been recaptured.

In New York, last week, picked peaches sold for $2.50 a crate and the ordinary quality for $1.25. Apples ranged from $4.00 to $7.00 per Barrel.

The Scotch are delighted by the reported discovery of the sepulchre of Mary de Coaci, Queen of Alexander II, and mother of Alexander III, at Newbattle Abbey.

Redsnow, filled with countless insects, is found in Washington Territory.

Telegraph Communication is now opened between London and Cochin China *via* San Francisco, Tariff $42.25.

The "chronopher" in direct communication with the Greenwich Observatory flashes the correct time to 16 principal cities of Britain daily at 10 a.m.

In Dakota, the grasshoppers destroyed 300 acres of crops in 8 hours, on 26th July.

The United States drank six hundred million dollars worth of liquor, home-made and imported, last year.

At a banquet given to the French deputation in Dublin, who came over to thank the British public for relief afforded, the toast of "The Queen," proposed by the Mayor, was received with a storm of hisses.

A Channel Tunnel, to connect England and France, on the authority of an English paper, is at last in a fair way of being carried out. Work will be shortly commenced, on the one side at Dieppe, and on the other at Newhaven. The estimated cost is $44,000,000, and it will require the space of six years to complete the undertaking.

The Marquis of Bute is at least enterprising. He is going to run a line of steamers between Cardiff (a city of 30,000 inhabitants that he owns in Wales) and New York.

NOT GUILTY, BUT "AIRT AND PAIRT."—At the Aberdeen Summary Court on Saturday,—Sheriff Comrie Thompson on the bench,—Andrew Reid King, Old Meldrum, a decent-looking old man, was charged with creating a noise and disturbance in the Meldrum Arms' Inn Old Meldrum, on the 7th inst. The *Sheriff*—Are you guilty of that? *Prisoner* I dinna ken aboot that, I only did sum o't, *Sheriff*—Well then, you are guilty? *Prisoner*—Aye, aye, airt and pairt. (Laughter.) *Sheriff*—You must give me a direct answer, *Prisoner*—Weel, but I didna do et a'. *She* made as muckle noise as me; are ye gaen to dee onything wi' *her?* (Great Laughter.) *Sheriff* (laughing)—We will deal with you first, and then, perhaps, we may have something to say to her afterwards. *Prisoner*—Weel, weel, I'll plead guilty, for I wint to hae deen we'et. (Renewed laughter.) After the plea was signed, the Sheriff said he was sorry to see so respectable-looking a man at the bar of a court on such a charge; but as it was a first offence he would let him off for a small fine. *Prisoner*, in an insinuating tone—(Tho') it were nae fine ava'. (Great laughter, in which the learned Sheriff heartily joined.) *Sheriff*—Oh no, my man, you must be fined; but I'll limit it to 5s. *Prisoner*—Dee yet tak the siller ave' noo, my Lord! (Laughter).—*Dundee Courier.*

☞ The Mints of the United States have coined since they commenced operations (some seventy years,) the large amount of eight hundred million dollars, about one-fifth of the whole metallic currency of the world, of which amount $500,000,000 has been derived from their own mines; we are not without mines, but while we feel that they will not produce so much gold, we have the pleasure of knowing there is a sovereign remedy in the "Canadian Pain Destroyer" for sudden colds, rheumatism, neuralgia, tooth-ache, &c. Sold by all medicine dealers, at 25 cts. per bottle.

A Little Nonsense.

"A little nonsense now and then,
Is relished by the wisest men."

The St. Louis Herald wants "a real good boy to make a devil of."

Josh Billings says: "When a man ain't good for anything else, I like tew see him carry a gold-headed cane. If he can't buy a cane, let him part his hair in the middle."

An Irishman when asked by a lady wheather he would take a glass of sherry or a glass of whisky punch, answered that he would take the sherry while "Her ladyship" was mixing the punch.

"So you are going to keep a school?" said a young lady to her maiden aunt. "Well, for my part, sooner than do that, I would marry a widow with nine children." "I would prefer that myself," was the quiet reply; "but where's the widower?"

An artist, showing his pictures to a customer, received the following short rebuff: "Well, I don't think much of this," holding up the picture before him. "Don't think much of it! Why that's a very rare print—a very rare print indeed, Sir." "Rare! I've no doubt it is rare. It certainly is not *well done.*"

Leaning over the grand-stand railing this morning was John G. Saxe. "You look like 'the monarch of all you survey,' said Fernando Wood, patting him on the back. "No, I only have a lean on the property," replied the genial Saxe.

Wanted, a boot for the foot of the stairs, a handkerchief for the nose of a pair of bellows, a key to undo a box on the ears, some water to wash the face of the earth in, a hat to fit the head of the class, table covers for railway time tables, a spectacle for the eye of the potato, a stocking for a leg of mutton, and a pair of legs for the breeches of promise.

A laughable thing took place at a revival meeting somewhere in Mississippi not long since. The minister noticed a seedy-looking chap in one of the seats, looking as though he needed religion or a good square meal. So he stepped up to him and asked him if he was a Christian. "No, sir," said he, "I am editor of the radical paper in this place." "Then, in the name of God, let us pray," replied the devoted minister.

A little five-year-old by was being instructed in morals by his grandmother. The old lady told him that all such terms as "by golly," "by jingo," "by thunder," &c., were only little oaths, and but little better than other profanity. In fact, she said, he could tell a profane oath by the prefix "by." All such were oaths. "Well, then, grandmother," said the little hopeful, "is 'by Telegraph,' which I see in the newspapers, swearing?" "No," said the old lady, "that's only lying.

The inundation of 1771, which swept away a great of the old Tyne Bridge, Newcastle, was long remembered and alluded to with emphasis as "the flood." On one occasion Mr. Adam Thomson was put into the Witness-box at the assizes. The counsel asking his name received for answer. "Adam, Sir—Adam Thomson." "Where do you live?" "At Paradise, Sir." (Paradise is a village about a mile and a half west of Newcastle.) "And how long have you dwelt in Paradise?" continued the barrister. "Ever since the flood," was the reply, made in all simplicity, and with no intention to raise a laugh. It is needless to say that the judge asked for an explanation.

THE WOMAN SUFFRAGE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE.—In the course of a farrago of grotesque absurdities styled an interview with Mrs. Woodhull (the present leader of the New-York Woman Suffrage hosts and their candidate for the Presidency), there appears, amid many preposterous untruths, the following authentic letter, whose significance will be apparent. It refers to Mrs. W.'s acceptance of the nomination for the Presidency:

I have this moment read your letter of acceptance, my darling queen, and it is all I could ask. * * * * * You are fitted for political strife and for a pure leadership, I firmly believe. I give you my blessing, and deepest sympathy and warmest prayers. If the Lord keep in you the true womanly spirit of your letter—the gentleness, patience and faith, the spirit of self-sacrifice and heroic firmness for the right—all will go well with you and with us your sisters, and with our beloved country. Ever yours in love and hope,—ISABELLA B. HOOKER.

AMONGST the symptoms of Consumption which present themselves as the disease progresses, are cold chills, cough, shortness of breath, restlessness at night loss of appetite, loss of flesh, night sweats, hectic, expectoration of white mucous, pellets, also yellow and bluish or gray matter, sometimes streaked with blood; burning pains in the chest, diarrhœa, general prostration and incapacity for the ordinary duties of life. As the patient becomes reduced, other complications appear and he rapidly sinks. A remarkable and very common physical sign among consumptives is their exemption from alarm; notwithstanding the dangerous character of their disease they believe in ultimate recovery. This very confidence prevents the patients from resorting to the only means of cure, and that watchfulness necessary in so critical a time, until finally they lapse into hopeless irrecovery. Like the first adventurous boatman that rowed down from Erie; broad and smooth was the river, rapid his progress, and pleasant his anticipations. Alas, the tide which drifted him so rapidly was one of destruction, and when he would retrace his way he found the current too strong to stem, and that he drew nearer every instant to the mighty Niagara. Down, down he was carried amid the seething spray, and with his bark was dashed to pieces.

The consumptive is admonished to resort to Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites, when the first symptom presents itself, as it is the only cure remedy.