

Poetry.

SONG OF THE EDITOR.

The Chicago Advertiser has the following, dedicated to his delinquent "Patrons."
Att—Then you'll remember me!
When other bills and other dues
Their tales of woe shall tell,

Scraps.

Balloon Ascent on an Ostrich.—M. Poltevin, the French aeronaut, who lately ascended on horseback in his balloon, went up on Thursday on the back of an ostrich.

An Extraordinary Feat.—It was announced yesterday morning that Herr Ryninger, would at two o'clock walk a wire from the roof of Mrs. Emerson's boarding house to the ground, a distance of 400 feet.

Rather Tart Reply.—"Why don't you hold up your head as I do?" asked a consequential lawyer of a farmer.—"Squire," replied the farmer, "look at that field of grain; all the valuable heads hang down like mine, while all having nothing in them stand upright like yours."

Home-Made Candles.—If you manufacture your own candles, immerse the wicks in lime water, in which a little (saltpetre) has been dissolved, and dry them before dipping. The light from such is much clearer, and the tallow will not "run."

Tough.—"You are rather a crooked character, Mr. Jones." "Rather, sir; but not quite so crooked as a tree I once knew. It was the tallest butternut I ever saw. Standing close to it one day in a thunder storm, I saw a squirrel in one of the top branches. The lightning struck the same branch about three feet above him, the squirrel started, the lightning had to follow the grain, and the squirrel went straight down. So confounded crooked was the tree, sir, that the squirrel, by my watch, got to the bottom precisely three minutes before the lightning." "That's a lie," exclaimed the landlord. "Lie! true, sir, as any story ever was. I afterwards saw that tree cut down, and it was so confounded crooked that it was three weeks before it lay still; then it was made into rails for a hog pasture. The hogs would crawl through twenty times a day, and so thundering crooked were them rails that every time the hogs got out they found themselves in the pasture again!"

Why is a man wrong to go from home, leaving his daughter to attend to his business?—Because she will be Miss Manning his affairs.

Can't Oblige you at Present.—In one of the engagements during the war in Egypt, a poor Frenchman falling into the power of a Highland sergeant, screamed out the only English word he was master of, "Quarter! quarter!" "She'll no hae time to quarter ye the noo," replied Donald, "she'll just cut ye in twa!"

One Reason.—Felding mentions a Clergyman who preferred punch to wine, for this orthodox reason, that the farmer was a liquor no where spoken against in Scripture.

Singular Wish.—A lazy fellow lying down on the grass, said: "Oh, how I do wish that this was called work, and I got paid accordingly."

A Sailor's Idea of Good Meat.—Warburton, in his account of his voyage up the Nile, gives an amusing instance of the singular opinions held by sailors. He says:—"On arriving at Kench, we gave the crew a FEAST, consisting of an old RAM, preferred by them to younger mutton, because it stood more CHEWING."

Sarcasm of Grattan.—Grattan was once attacked in the Irish House of Commons by an inveterate Orangeman, who made a miserable speech. Grattan replied, "I shall make no other remark on the Hon. Gentleman's personalities than—as he rose without a friend, so he has sat down without an enemy."

Ethiopian Colloquy.—"Pomp, was you ever drunk?" "No; I was intoxicated once with ardent spirits, and dat's hull for dis darkey.—Bless you, Caesar, my head felt as if it was an out-house, while all de niggers in de world appeared to be splittin' wood in it."

Hornac Smith was once asked if he knew Theodore Hook, "Oh, yes!" said he, "Hook and I are quite intimate."

ATTACHMENT.

County of Waterloo, BY virtue of a Writ of Attachment, issued out of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench at Toronto, to me directed, against the estate, real as well as personal, of Elijah Nellis, an absconding or concealed debtor, at the suit of Jordan Charles, for the sum of Fifty Pounds for debt, and the sum of Five Pounds for costs, I have seized all the estate, real and personal, of the said Elijah Nellis; and unless the said Elijah Nellis return within the jurisdiction of the Court from whence the said Writ issued, and put in bail to the action, or cause the claim of the said Jordan Charles to be discharged, within three calendar months from the first day of the publication of this Notice in the Canada Gazette, all the estate, real or personal, of the said Elijah Nellis, or as much thereof as may be necessary, will be held liable for the payment, benefit, or satisfaction of the claim or claims of such other plaintiff or plaintiffs as shall or may take proceedings against the property and effects of the said Elijah Nellis, within six months from the issuing of the above-mentioned Writ of Attachment, in virtue of which this Notice is published.

GEORGE J. GRANGE, Sheriff, C. W.
Sheriff's Office, }
Guelph, Oct. 9, 1850. } 174-3m
(First publication in Canada Gazette, 19th October, 1850.)

ATTACHMENT.

County of Waterloo, BY virtue of a Writ of Attachment, issued out of the County Court of the County of Waterloo, and to me directed, against the estate, real as well as personal, of James Farril, an absconding or concealed debtor, at the suit of James Ross, Arthur Ross, David Henderson, and Charles Allan, for the sum of Nine pounds and Seven shillings and One half pence currency, I have seized all the estate, real as well as personal, of the said James Farril; and unless the said James Farril return within the jurisdiction of the said Court, and put in bail to the action, or cause the claim or claims of the said James Ross, Arthur Ross, David Henderson, and Charles Allan, to be discharged within three calendar months from the first publication of this Notice in the Canada Gazette, all the estate, real as well as personal, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be held liable for the payment, benefit, or satisfaction of the said claim or claims of the said plaintiffs, as well as for the payment, benefit, or satisfaction of such other plaintiff or plaintiffs as shall or may take proceedings against the property or effects of the said James Farril, within six months of the issuing of the above-mentioned Writ of Attachment, in virtue of which this Notice is published.

GEORGE J. GRANGE, Sheriff, C. W.
Sheriff's Office, }
Guelph, Oct. 19, 1850. } 174-3m
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FARM FOR SALE.

The Subscriber offers for Sale a very desirable Farm in the vicinity of the Grand River, immediately adjoining the thriving village of Fergus, and about three miles from Elora—being lots 19 and 20 on the 16th Concession of Nichol, comprising 120 acres, of which about 70 acres are cleared, well fenced, and almost entirely free of stumps. There is a good Frame House, Barn, and suitable offices on the property, and abundance of fine water. From its situation, part of the property might with much advantage be laid out in Park Lots.

J. LAMOND SMITH, Land Agent.
Fergus, June 29, 1850. 159-4f

The Subscriber would call the attention of Tavern-keepers and families to his Stock of Genuine WINES AND LIQUORS, which he is now receiving—consisting in part of

- 1 Hhd. Fine Old Cognac Brandy, "Martells."
2 do. Bordeaux do.
1 Cask Holland Gin.
1 do. Jamaica Rum, "Prime Old."
1 Hhd. Fine Old Port Wine, "Hunt's."
3 Qr. Casks Port Wines, "assorted qualities."
3 do. do. Sherry do. do.
1 do. do. Maderia do. do. "Fino."
50 Brls. Strong Whiskey.
2 Hlds. Peppermint.

G. ELLIOTT,
Guelph, June 25, 1850. 157-4f

TO COOPERS, CARPENTERS, AND OTHERS.

JUST received, a Case of WEBB'S Locks, &c.; also several Cases of Auburn Hoops, consisting of Bench, Bead, Base, Mach, Philester, Hollows and Rounds, Rabotting and other Planes; Rochester Hand Axes, Bevels; Steel Augers, Squares, Wagon-makers' Draw-knives, &c.—the whole of which will be sold at the lowest Hamilton and Dundas Prices.

W. J. BROWN & C

FARMERS' PRODUCE WANTED.

ALL kinds of Produce taken by the Subscriber, and particularly Butter, Oats, and Lard, for which the highest market price will be given.

JAMES LYND,
Guelph, Oct. 21, 1850. 174

GUELPH FOUNDRY.

THE Subscribers, in returning thanks to the public for the liberal support given them since commencing business in Guelph, beg to intimate that their Sets of Patterns for every description of Mill Gearing are now very complete; and as they are all new, embrace the latest improvements. They are prepared to contract for the erection of Grist and Saw Mills in any part of the Province; and their Iron and Brass Castings are not inferior to any manufactured in Canada.

As they are themselves Practical Mechanics, they will keep no workman but of sober and industrious habits; so that persons favoring them with their orders may be assured of satisfaction.

Blacksmith work in all its branches. Castings in general use kept on hand. Percussion Wheels for Saw Mills; Cranks and Balance Wheels; Threshing Machines; Ploughs of various patterns; all kinds of Ploughshares, Wagon Boxes, Sleigh Shoes, Dog Irons, Sugar Kettles, Bake Kettles, Cooking, Parlor, and Box Stoves, Wrought and Cast Iron Safes. Boring, Turning, Fitting-up, and Repairing, on short notice and reasonable terms. Old Iron and Brass taken in exchange for Castings.

ROBERTSON, WATT, & CO.
GUELPH FOUNDRY, }
4th Feb., 1850. } 137-1y

NOTICE.

ALL those indebted to me, either by Note or Book Account, if not paid by the first day of January next, 1851, may, without exception, expect costs, &c.

C. NAHEGANG.
New Hope, Sept. 24, 1850. 170-15

SUPERIOR BREED OF HOGS.

THE Subscriber has for Sale a few beautiful young Sows and Boars, of the Yorkshire Breed, which, for largeness of size, and propensity to fatten, cannot perhaps be equalled on this continent. Price £5 per pair at Guelph, or £6 5s. free on board steamer at Hamilton. Letters prepaid will receive immediate attention.

J. HARLAND,
Guelph, 3rd Feb. 1848. 1

THOROUGHbred DURHAM BULL, PATRIOT.

PATRIOT is a beautiful Roan, and is the son of FAVORITE, the very best Cow imported by Rowland Wingfield, Esq. His sire was COMET, the son of REFORMER and COWSLIP, both of which were imported by Mr. Wingfield.

It will therefore be seen that PATRIOT combines the best Feeding and Milking qualities ever introduced on this Continent. The Bull above described was bred by Mr. Howitt, and has been purchased by Mr. Harland, upon whose farm he will stand for the service of Cows during the present season.

Guelph, 21st May, 1849. 48

Beautiful Small Property FOR SALE.

THE FARM known as "SPRINGFIELD," situated within 1 Mile of Fergus, 3 of Elora, and 14 of Guelph, the County of Waterloo—consisting of ONE HUNDRED ACRES OF EXCELLENT LAND, of which Seventy Acres are cleared and fenced, well watered, &c., &c.

The Buildings are of a superior description, and fit to accommodate a large family. Terms very reasonable, and time to be given for a considerable portion of the purchase money.

Application to be made to Messrs. FERGUSON & HURD, Guelph; JOHN MILLAR, Esq., Galt; JAMES L. SMITH, Esq., Fergus, or to the Proprietor on the Premises.

WM. MOORHEAD,
Fergus, Aug. 23, 1850. 166-4f

FARM FOR SALE.

THE Undersigned offers for Sale Lot No. 4 on the 5th Concession of Nichol, nearly on the line of the Guelph and Elora Road, and about three miles distant from the former, and ten miles from the latter place. The Lot comprises 107 1/2 Acres, a large proportion of which is cleared, well fenced, and now in crop. Possession may be had immediately, and a part of the price be permitted to remain on security of the property.

Application to be made to J. L. Smith, Esq., Fergus; or Mr. John Thorp, Guelph; or to the Proprietor.

BARTHOLOMEW O'CONNOR,
Elora Road, June 17th 1850. 156-4f

CIRCULAR.

MONTREAL, 25th Jan., 1850.
THE Subscriber begs to state that from this date he discontinues his business in this City, having associated himself with the Firm of Messrs. HILGINSON, DAY, and Co., 77, Broad Street, New York. Produce and General Commission Merchants, and respectfully states that he will devote his entire time and best exertions to the interests of his friends having business in that City.

JOSEPH WARD,
137-4f.

BLANK DEEDS AND MEMORIALS.

OF the most approved forms, on hand and for sale on reasonable terms, at the Herald Office.

JOHN THORP'S BRITISH HOTEL And General Stage Office, GUELPH.
House comfortable & commodious, Larder well supplied, Cellar unequalled.
EXCELLENT STABLING.
A DAILY STAGE TO and from HAMILTON by the Brock Road, being 10 miles shorter route than by way of Galt; and every day from Fergus and Elora to Hamilton, and vice versa.

WELLINGTON HOTEL, FERGUS.
JOHN GLOVER respectfully intimates to the Inhabitants of the County of Waterloo, and the public generally, that he has fitted up and furnished in the most comfortable and commodious manner, the large Stone Building recently erected by Mr. A. Glover, in St. David's Street, as a FIRST CLASS HOTEL, where Travellers may be assured of every comfort and attention.

ELORA HOTEL.
THE undersigned having removed to the extensive and commodious building recently erected by him in Elora, begs to apprise his friends and the public generally, that he is prepared to give them THE BEST ACCOMMODATION, AT REASONABLE CHARGES.

FERGUS ARMS, FERGUS.
JAMES BURR has entered the above EXCELLENT HOUSE with the determination to make the Management, Accommodation and Comfort first rate.

ELGIN HOUSE, King Street, Dundas.
THE Proprietor begs to say that no expense has been spared in making his establishment every thing which the convenience and comfort of the travelling community could desire.

GREY'S HOTEL, ELORA.
GEORGE GREY respectfully intimates to his old friends, and the public generally, that he has re-occupied the House formerly and for many years possessed by him as a Hotel in Elora.

Extensive Stabling attached to the premises. WILLIAM McDONNELL, Dundas, 15th July, 1848.

Commodious Sheds & Stabling. A Stage leaves Elora every Monday Wednesday, and Friday, at 2 P. M., for Guelph, Galt, Hamilton, &c.; and every Wednesday, at 9 A. M., for Owen Sound

Elora, 17th July, 1849. 109-4f

1850. FALL SUPPLIES. 1850.

New Cash Establishment, MARKET SQUARE.

THE SUBSCRIBERS beg to inform their Customers and the Public generally, that they are now receiving the completion of their Fall Stock of TEAS, GROCERIES, WINES, LIQUORS, SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, CROCKERY, &c., &c. By far the largest ever brought to this part of the country; and from the greater part having been purchased before the late rise, they are enabled to offer them at such prices as will defy competition.

At the same time, they take this opportunity to return their sincere thanks for the very general support they have received since opening, and assure the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country generally, that it will still be their utmost endeavor to merit their patronage. As a still further inducement to purchasers, they now offer their Goods

CHEAPER THAN EVER! And, trading on the only true principle of ONE PRICE, all persons buying at their Store can depend upon being Fairly and Honorably dealt with. They will not particularize the prices of a few articles, which is only calculated to deceive—as the price, and not the quality, can only be given; but beg to inform all purchasers who will give them a call, that they offer, not one, two, or three articles at a low rate; but that the Whole of their Stock will be sold at the lowest

HAMILTON PRICES. And they will not allow themselves to be undersold in any one item. Cash purchasers will do well to give them a call before going elsewhere—thereby saving much money, as well as time. ONE TRIAL will prove the fact. In their Stock of GROCERIES will be found some particularly fine qualities of

Young Hyson, Gunpowder, and Black Teas, ex-"Valley" from China to Montreal direct; Laguyra, Rio, and Roasted Coffees; Muscovado, Refined, and Crushed Sugars; Honey Dew, Cavendish, and Cut Tobaccos, Dye Stuffs, Spices, &c.

IN WINES AND LIQUORS Their Stock consists, in part, of Hennessey's, Martell's, and other Brandy's; Jamaica and E. I. Rum; Hollands Gin in Cask and Bottle; Scotch, Colobour, Toddy, and Canadian Whiskies, Peppermint, &c.; Sandimand's, Hunt's, and Graham's Port Wines; Duff Gordon's, and Dempster's Pale and Brown Sherries; Wood's Madeira; Bottled London Porter, Liqueurs, &c., of the finest qualities; also a Large Assortment of the Newest Styles of

GLASSWARE AND CROCKERY, Double Refined, Solar, Whale, Lard, Cod, Raw and Boiled OILS, Copal Varnish, Turpentine, Red and White Lead, Paints, &c. Window Glass, 7 by 9 to 18 by 24. They particularly call the attention of purchasers to their full and well-assorted Stock of

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, Among which will be found almost every description of Carpenters', Joiners', Coopers', Millwrights', and Shoemakers' Tools, of the most approved Makers; Hand, Tennon, Cross Cut, and Mill Saws; Files, of every variety; Cut, Wrought, and Horse Nails, by the lb. or package; House Furnishings, Locks, Bolts, Butts, Latches, Screws, &c., &c. All sizes of

Scotch, Swedes, and Refined, Bar, Hoop, and Band Iron. Blister, German, and Cast Steel; Logging Chains, Plough Plates, Ohio Grindstones, and every description of Shelf and Heavy Goods, usually kept in the Hardware Trade.

FARMERS' PRODUCE TAKEN AS CASH. Please Observe! the Stone Store Two Doors West of Thurl's Hotel, and facing the Market Square.

Just Received, 200 Barrels ONONDAGA SALT, which will be sold here at 8s. 14d. per barrel.

W. J. BROWN & CO, Proprietors.
Guelph, 29th October, 1850. 175-4f

CASH!!! LARGE SUPPLIES OF NEW GOODS CHEAP!

JAMES LYND begs to inform his numerous friends and the public generally, that he has just received, and is now opening out, the Largest, Cheapest, and Best Assorted Stock of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, WINES, LIQUORS, HARDWARE, AND CROCKERY.

Ever offered in this Town—all of which he is determined to sell at such prices as will really astonish all who favor him with their Cash. His Stock consists in part of 3 Hhds. bright Muscovado Sugar; 120 Loaves of Liverpool Refined Sugar; 2 Tierces of Crushed do.; 10 Bags of Coffee; 36 Chests of TEAS, a very superior article, for 2s. 6d. a lb. [This lot of Teas was purchased at the late large Sale in Montreal, from the Importers, and came direct from Canton per schooner "Balley", and are warranted Genuine.] 12 Caddies of Young Hyson, of 14 lbs. each—to be sold only in the original packages, and particularly recommended. 21 Quarter Casks of "Hunt's" Port, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd qualities, imported direct, and fully equal to any former importations. 2 Hhds. Pale Sherry, 8 Quarter Casks do.—highly recommended. 5 Casks of London Porter, in bottles; 3 Hhds. Brandy, "Hennessey's"; 1 Pipe do., "Ricart's," considered one of the first brands imported; 1 Puncheon Rum; 2 Hhds. Gin; a few Cases of pure "Schiedam"; 75 Barrels of Canadian Whiskey, at 1s. 2d. cy. by the gallon, or 1s. cy. by the barrel—Cash. 20 Boxes of Candles; 20 Boxes of Liverpool Soap; 12 Boxes of Montreal Soap; 20 Boxes of Glass, 7x9 and 8x10, "English," 15s. cy. a box—cash. Together with a general assortment of GROCERIES.

22 Cases and Bales of DRY GOODS, in part as under: 14 Pieces 6-4 Gala Plaids; 25 Pieces Cobourgs, Checked and Fancy Mohair, Orleans, and other Goods for Ladies' Dresses and Cloaks; 1000 Yards of "Hoyle's" 5-4 Lilac Prints, at 10d. a yard—cash; a Large Assortment of Shawls; 100 Pairs of Blankets; 50 Pairs of Horse Blankets; 12 Pieces Red and White Flannels; 50 Pieces of Canadian Cloths, Satinets, Oregon Cassimeres, and California Mixed Satinets; 6 Pieces Black, Invisible Green, Blue, and other shades of West of England Broad Cloths; 10 Pieces of Gentlemen's Fancy Doeskins and Black Cassimeres; a Large Assortment of Gentlemen's Winter Gloves; 300 Dozen Clarke's 200 yds. Spool Thread; 150 Pieces Grey Shirtings and Sheetings; 25 Pieces Heavy Blue Striped Shirtings. Together with Bagging and Bags, Cotton Yarn and Batting, Regatta Shirtings, Handkerchiefs, and a very large and varied assortment of Staple and Fancy DRY GOODS, LACES, RIBBONS, &c., &c., &c.

In HARDWARE, will be found a large assortment of Goods usually required by the Farmers, at very low prices for Cash, with a moderate advance if booked; as for instance—20 Kegs Nails, assorted, at \$4 50 cts. the hundred lbs; 12 Boxes Axes, at \$1 25 cts.; and every other article equally low for Ready Money.

In COMMON CROCKERY, the prices will be so low as cannot fail to give satisfaction. And in GLASS WARE, will be found 100 dozen Ribbed Tumblers, at 4s. a dozen—cash; 50 do. Prest Cut do., at 6s. 3d. do. do.

150 Barrels of ONONDAGA SALT, just arrived at the wharf in Dundas, and will be sold here at 8s. 14d. a barrel—cash.

N. B.—I wish all to understand that the above Goods cannot be sold at the prices stated but for Cash; and to those who require credit, my usual rates will be charged.

JAMES LYND, 174 MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH.

300 TOWN LOTS FOR SALE In Guelph, AT a moderate upset price and liberal credit, or liberal discount on the purchase money down. The subscriber offers

Three Hundred Town Lots for sale, as shown by a new Plan of the Town of Guelph, in the possession of FRANCIS KERR, Esq., who will state terms, point out the Lots on the ground, and procure letters of occupation or title deeds for parties purchasing.

The instalments or purchase money for the above to be deposited to the credit of the subscriber in the Montreal or Gore Bank Agency, Guelph.

Persons found taking wood from or otherwise trespassing on the Lands of the subscriber, will be prosecuted.

JOHN McDONALD, Guelph, 25th July, 1848.

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