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WEDNESDAY EV'NG, APRIL 7, 1869.

CAUSES OF TRICHINOSIS.

Dr. Macdonald has addressed a communication to the Hamilton City Council upon this subject, in which he says that the disease in hogs is caused by feeding them with butcher's offal. "There is, as you doubtless know, established in the city a glue manufactory. In this, the material used is chiefly offal taken from the pork factory, and as all the savoury substance is not consumed in glue making, the remainder is employed in feeding swine. Some of these swine were conveyed to a pork dealer in this city, not many months since, as I am informed. To show how unfit pork so fed is for human food, let me mention another fact. The prudent people living at the railway track on Wentworth street, were some time ago informed by the wise among them, that it was a waste of trouble to prepare food for their hogs, since there was first diarrhea, then a falling off in health and condition, and afterwards the death of many more in the same way, but the owners anticipated the misfortune of natifral death by slaughtering, and then sending the carrion to the Hamilton market. Those animals alone which have eaten flesh can be infected with the trichinae. All garbage cating animals are liable to suffer from it, rats, for example, are said to be frequent vietims, and so may be, and no doubt of ten are, not only the 'poor man's pig,' but the 'poor man's pig,' but the 'poor man's pig,' but the 'poor man's cow' too, neither of which can afford to be choice in their cating."

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The Chicago Tribune has an article devoted to the quandary in which the merchants of that city are now placed as to what to do with their wheat—whether to sell it as soon as possible at whatever loss, or to hold on with the risk of making or losing which will accompany delay. Speaking of the stock on hand when the winter set in, it says, "The greater part had been bought here at \$1,500 or \$1,600 while a chance remained of avoiding such a heavy loss in addition to the cost of carrying. Low as prices were here, they were still too high to admit of profitable shipment, and prices there were too high to admit of ocean transit. The conse quence is that we have partially lost the supply of the British market this year. The wheat now held in Chicago and New York is so far a very costly article. Bought at high prices, it has been carried for months at a heavy charge for interest and insurance. No wonder that the question is one of absorbing interest—whether it be more dangerous to hold on or to let go." The conclusion to which the writer is led is that "advocates of high prices" have no very cheering prospect before them, and that "the very best thing that holders can do is to prepare to look their losses in the face as gracefully as may be, and decide to let go, lest the chance of selling be denied in toto." Such a conclusion, which certainly could not be adopted without a struggle, is worthy of careful attention.—On the other hand, a correspondent of the Prairie Farmer contains the idea of low prices, and says that the fact that "grain men feel assured of flow prices is a good reason to believe that they will not take place, since if these men were convinced that such would be the case they would not go, to the extent of publishing their views." "The receipts of wheat in Chicago have fallen off twenty per cent, within seven years, while the population of the country has increased seventy per cent, and the consumption of bread is increasing at a rate far greater than the rate of production."

Fenian Gratitude.—The pardoned Fenian convicts have anything but signalized themselves for gratitude to the Government for its leniency in dealing with them. The Daily News contains the following telegram dated Cork, Wednesday, March 17th: A soirce was held here this evening in celebration of the national festival. The Mayor presided. Col. Warren and several of the released Fenian prisoners attended, and were received with unbounded enthusiasm. Strong Fenian speeches were made by O'Mahoney. who was tried for treason Felony in 1807, and acquitted, and by Col. Warren. O'Mahoney said he regretted nothing in the past, and was hopeful of the future. Warren declared himself a believer in the sabre as the means of uplifting a downtrodden nation, exhorted the people to be united, and there was nothing they might not attain. The Mayor dissented from Col. Warren's views. The disloyal sentiments were received with loud cheers. O'Brien, the released Fenian, made a speech, but said nothing objectionable.

BELEVILLE REECTED.—The Hamilton Times says: We understand that John Sandfield Macdonald has decided to locate the Deaf and Dumb Asylum at London instead of Belleville. The reason he gives is sounder than those he generally assigns. It is that as London has sent a dumb representative to the Legislature it is but fair to give them an institution in which the remaining. Ross Illia Beat in the Hamilton Times and the Legislature it is but fair to give them an institution in which the remaining. Ross Illia Beat is but the kind state of the property in the Town of Guchy State of The Color of The

signs. It is that as London has sent a dumb representative to the Legislature it is but fair to give them an institution in which the remaining mutes may be trained. The result will be that, any new mutes London may elect as representatives will at least be able to speak in the sign language.

Late digible property in the Town of Guelph Situated opposite the Granmar School, and situated opposite the Granmar School, and situated opposite the Granmar School, and seven the complete by Mr. Jeanertt, know the Swellent land in a high state of cultivations, which are creeted a commodition house, on buildings, &c. Apply to THOMPSON & JACKSON and Guelph. 5th April.

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A writer in the Christian Advocate, the denominational organ, ably advocates the union of all the Methodist seets in the Dominion: He is also in favor of a union of Canadian with American Methodists, and very truly says that the dividing line of nations should never divide the Christian Church.

A revival recently took place in A revival recently took place in the conference of the property of the service of the conference of the

A revival recently took place in Lynden. Aneaster Circuit, and nearly thirty persons were converted.

The Nor'-Wester says that in latitude 50 they have a climate precisely similar to that of Ontario, nearly six or eight degrees farther South, and that the temperature steadily rises on any given parallel of latitude from Labrador to the Pacific.

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Thereby notify all parties against burchasing or negotiating a promissory note made by me to william Hoover or order for the sum or \$100, lated the 3rd of March, 1863, and payable at my office seven months after date, as I have received no value for the same, and shall not pay it.

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A RARE CHANCE. of a First-class Hotel in the Town of Guelph for sale.

To be sold by private sale, a six year's lease and furniture of one of the best Hotels in the Town of Guolph. The subscriber bing about to leave Gunada, wishes to dispose or the above.— For further particulars apply to M. DEADY, Deady's Hotel, Guelph. Guelph, 8th Feb.

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For the Mason, Bricklayer, Carpenter, Joiner, Plaster, Iron Founder, Glazier-and Tinsmith's work for a new Stone Store for H. EERIKY, Esq. Plans and Specifications may be seen, and information obtained, at the Architect's Office, Quebec-at., after FRIDAY the 2nd April. Let The proprietor does not bind himself to a scept the lowest or any tender.

STEPHEN BOULT, Architect.
Guslph, 2nd April, 1869.

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The creditors of the undersigned are notified to meet at the Office of William Mortiner Clark, Esq, in the City of Toronto,

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864-5.

Dated at Elora, 2nd of April, 1869.

ON MONDAY, 19th OF APRIL, 1869 At 4 o'clock, p. m., to receive statements of his affairs, and to name an assignee, JOHN HENDERSON. pril, 1869. d13

SEALED TENDERS will be received up THURSDAY, THE 8th OF APRIL, '69,

For the erection of a Stable and Carriage House for JOHN HORSMAN, Esq., in the Town of Guelph

TENDERS WANTED.

Guelph.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned, Wyndham Street.

KAUFFMAN & COOPER,
ArchitectsGuelph, March 31.

Jeannie Sinclair. THE LILY OF THE STRATH

Further evidence of the truth was abuudantly forthcoming in the signs of desperate struggles which everywhere presented them asleves round the mouth of the well. The broken down thisties—and—nettles, the trampled grass, and the numerous footprints on the soft clay, where a spring kept it continually moist, told as plainly as words could do of the death wrestle which had there taken place.

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They were crowding in upon the spot with excited exclammations, when the Sheriff, in a loud voice, ordered them to keep back.

These footprints must be measured and transcribed before they are obliterated, he cried, and the propriety of this direction was at once seen and appreciated.

The Fiscal, with the aid of one of the constables, made a minute examination of the printed marks on the clay, and, though many of them were blurred and defaced by the sliding of the steps of the compatants, several remained perfect and entire, and these were carefully and accurately measured and cut out in paper. They were found to be of two kinds—one square-toed, with broad-headed hob-nails all—and this the groom from the Castle unhesitatingly declared was the impress of the Baronet's shooting boots. The other was a plain sole, with a peculiarly shaped toe-plate, a row of small nails round the edge, several rows of the same across the centre, and large flat-headed nails round the heel.

The Fiscal, while engaged in taking the

the edge, several rows of the same across the centre, and large flat-headed nails round the heel.

The Fiscal, while engaged in taking the fac-simile of these marks, observed something gleaming among the grass, and reaching forward his hand, he found it to be a brass button, with the figure of a 'stag upon it. This additional piece of important evidence he showed to the Sheriff and constables, and then put it in his pocket.

Attention was now directed towards the well, where the trailing plants, the brambles and such like were broken and displaced, and hung down into the metrior. With fear and awe they bent over the dark cavity, and peered down into its black silent depths.

A hush fell upon the multitude as they listened intensely for any sound that might come up from the well, but all there was still as the grave, and the awe-struck faces paled as they thought of what was in all probability at the bottom.

After some of those present had been asked to take particular note of the appearances presented, the mouth of the well was cleared of the growth that partly obstructed it, and preparations were made to lower a burning forch down the circular cavity—The shepherd having by this time arrived with the tar for which he had been sent.

The torch was made, lighted, and fastened to a long rope, and the lowering began, as many heads being bent over the parapet to follow its descent as could make room for themselves.

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The moments were moments of breathless emotion and dread expectation as to what the blazing torch might reveal. Suddenly one universal cry of horror burst from every lip, for at a depth not so very great the bottom was reached, and there lay, grim and stiff, a mangled human body, which they recognised as that of Sir Fergus Sinclair. The bottom of the well was dry, and he reclined in a half-sitting position against the side, his face gashedland bloody, and something white in one of his hands. That he was dead was evident enough, but it looked as if he had survived the fall for some time, for the posture was not that of one who had fallen and never stirred. Perchance hours had elapsed ere death came to release him from his agony, and perchance also, had he had survived the fall for some time, for the posture was not that of one who had fallen and never stirred. Perchance hours had elapsed ere death came to release him from his agony, and perchance also, had have been succored in time, his life might have been spared, or, at least, he might have uttered the name of the marderer. But, alas, he was beyond this now. Cola and rigid he lay in the silmee of death, and no one ever knew how great or protracted his sufferings had been. The question now was—how was the body to be got to the surface? There was but one way of doing it, viz., by one of their number being lowered, and passing the rope round the dead man's body, by which means it could be drawn up. But who was bold enough to undertake the task? They looked at one apother, and were silent.

'A sovereign to the man who will go down, said the Sheriff, in a quiet tone.

There was utter silence for some moments; then a voice said—
'I'll go.'

over the parapet, and with the agility of one used to climbing he took hold of the rope with both hands and called to the men to give way.

In a very little he had reached the bottom, where the torch still burned brightly, and stood beside the corpse.

The end of another strong rope was now let down to him from above, and this he coolly and deliberately fastened under the dead man's arms, taking care to make the knot secure and trustworthy. Then he called out to those who held his own rope to stand firm, and he climbed up hand over hand with the cuse and rapidity of a squirrel.

'He has a written book in one hand and a bit of cloth in the other,' he observed, when he was once more in the midst of them.' The cloth is the colour of the clothes which Master Lynedoch had on.'

As he spoke, the torch was brought up, still burning, and after it, in a slow, cautious, solemn manner, the body was raised, and was soon revealed to the universal gaze in all its horrid ghastliness—bloody and cruelly disfigured. The face was so bruised fand wounded as to be almost beyond identification, but the dress, complete in every particular, put it beyond a doubt that it was indeed the body of Sir Fergus Sinclair. As the gipsy had reported, his right hand cluthed a torn fragment of grey cloth, while in the left was a pocket-book, open at the tablets, and on these a few lines were written in pencil. The Fiscal took the book with difficulty from the dead am an's grasp, and was able to decipher the following:—

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"I have been murdered by my cousin, Lynedoch Sinclair. On this day, October 14th, 18,—be came upon me as I sat on the well, and arowed his purpose of killing me that he might get the estate. We struggled, but he overpowered me and threw me down the well. I am wounded to the death, but strive to write this, so that, if my body shall ever be discovered, he may be brought to justice for the deed. Death is near. The Lord forgive me! FERGIS SINCLAIR."

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NEURALGIA, or TIC-BOLOREUX, is one of the most painful affections to which the human family is subject. It more commonly occurs in the nerves of the face, though it is met with in different parts of the head, in the breast, hupjoint, and in other parts of the body and limbs. Its attack is usually sudden and the paroxysm of pain varies in its duration. The pain is agonising, excruciating, and shooting along the nerves like a shock of electricity, frequently feeling as if red hot wire were thrust into the parts, and after the pain passes away, a numbuess remains for awhile. At these times, instead of attacking sudenly, it comes with a slight heat, or sense of itching or numbness, which augments in severity more or less rapidly. The pain increases from time to time until it becomes almost unbearable. Dr. Brigg's Allevantor is a positive remedy. Sold by E. Barvey & Co., Guelph, and druggists and country merchants everywhere.

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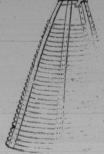
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TORONTO MARKETS.

Fall wheat, \$1.00 to \$1.65; spring wheat, \$0.06 to \$6.9; slour, No. 1 super \$4.00; extra \$4.50; batley \$1.15; peas, 766 to 766; oats, 51c to 54c.

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ALMA BLOCK

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SOME of his friends may think it a trifle too soon for JOHN A. WOOD to cry Success at so early season; but this he can assure them, that

His STORES have been Filled with CUSTOMERS

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Lot 22, n the 10th Concession. 200 acr Lots 17, 18 and 19, 8th Con., 600 acres ARTHUR. South 1stf Lot 15, 3rd Con., 100 acres, 60 of which are in a high state of critication, and well faced, watered by a creek crossing the centre of the farm; a two story house and good barn on the lot.

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West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 50 cleared, good frame barn and shed, and part log and frame dwelling house; well watered & fenced.

East-half of Lot the Ga., 100 acres, 75 are cleared; new frame house and barn; spring creek.

West-half of Lot 32; 8th Con., 100 acres; 75 are cleared; 25 excellent bush.

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West-half of Lot 1, in 15th Con, with 50 acres of Lot 2-a splendid farm, with good outbuild-ngs-190 acres of it are cared, and adjoins anoher 100 acres, \$5 of which are cleared, in Erin, making it desired a block of 250 acres, Lot M, in 12th Con, 100 acres; 60 acres cleared,

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River Lots on Queen Street, well adapted

Four Quarry Lots, being Nos. 21, 22, 42, and 43 on the Waterloo Road.

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