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CURDS.

DR. P. A. MCDUGALL,  
CAN be consulted at all hours, at  
M. L. Turner's Boarding House,  
(formerly the British Hotel),  
Goderich, April 20th, 1852.

IRA LEWIS,  
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, &c. West-  
street, Goderich, 2nd 25.

DANIEL GORDON,  
CARRIAGE MAKER, Three doors East  
of the Canada Company's office, West-  
street, Goderich, 2nd 25.

DANIEL HOME LIZARS,  
ATTORNEY AT LAW, and Conveyan-  
cer, Solicitor in Chancery, &c. has his  
office at formerly in Stratford.

J. DENISON,  
CIVIL ENGINEER, &c.  
GODERICH, C. W.  
Aug. 25th, 1852.

JOHN J. E. LINTON,  
NOTARY PUBLIC, Commissioner Q. B.,  
and Conveyancer, Stratford.

HURON HOTEL,  
BY JAMES GENTLES, Goderich.—  
Attentive Hostler always on hand.  
Goderich, Sept. 12, 1850.

STRACHAN AND BROTHIER,  
Barrister and Attorneys at Law, &c.  
Goderich, C. W.

JOHN ST. MACLELLAN, Barrister and At-  
torney at Law, Notary Public and Convey-  
ancer, Goderich, C. W.

ALEXANDER WOOD STRACHAN,  
Attorney at Law, Solicitor in Chan-  
cery, Conveyancer,  
Goderich, 17th November, 1851.

WILLIAM HODGINS,  
ARCHITECT & CIVIL ENGINEER  
Office 27, Dundas Street,  
LONDON, C. W.  
August 16th, 1852.

HORACE HORTON,  
[Market Square, Goderich.]  
AGENT for the Provincial Mutual and  
General Insurance Office, Toronto.—  
Also Agent for the St. Lawrence County  
Mutual, Ogdensburg, New York. Local  
Agent for Samuel Moulton's Old Rochester  
Nursery, July 1850.

A. NASMUTH,  
FASHIONABLE TAILOR, one door  
West of W. E. Grace's Store, West  
Street, Goderich,  
Feb. 19, 1852.

THOMAS PROCTOR,  
BROKER AND GENERAL AGENT,  
Agent for Ontario Marine & Fire In-  
surance Co.  
NOTARY PUBLIC, ACCOUNTANT  
AND CONVEYANCER,  
COMMISSIONER IN Q. B. &c.

INSURANCE effected on Houses, Ship-  
ping and Goods.  
All kinds of Bonds correctly drawn, and  
Bills and Accounts audited,  
OFFICE over the Treasury, Goderich,  
July 23, 1852.

E. H. MARLTON,  
BARRISTER AND COMMISSIONER, Gen-  
eral, Storehouse and Keeper, Mer-  
chant, for the sale of Wild Lands Cleared  
of every description.  
Office, next door, North of the Kin-  
car's Arms, Goderich,  
March 24th, 1852.

F. & C. H. BUHL,  
MANUFACTURERS of Hats, Caps and  
Furs, Wholesale and Retail,  
Dealers in Furs, Buffalo Robes, Deer Skins,  
Gloves, Mittens, &c. &c.  
Cash Paid for Furs.  
The highest price paid, at all times in  
Cash, for all descriptions of Shipping Fur,  
by F. & C. H. BUHL,  
Detroit, Michigan, Aug. 1851.

WASHINGTON  
Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co.,  
Capital \$1,000,000.  
Extra Hopkins, Hamilton, Agent for  
the Counties of Waterloo and Huron  
August 27, 1850.

DR. HYNDMAN,  
QUICK'S TAVERN, London Road,  
May 1851.

MR. JOHN MACARA,  
BARRISTER, Solicitor in Chancery,  
&c. Office, Ontario Buildings, King-St.,  
opposite the Gore Bank, and the Bank of  
British North America, HAMILTON, 4 10

MISS T. N. MOLESWORTH,  
CIVIL ENGINEER and Provincial Land  
Surveyor, Goderich,  
April 30, 1851.

JAMES WOODS,  
AUCTIONEER, is prepared to attend  
Public Sales in any part of the United  
Counties, on moderate terms.  
Stratford, May 1850.

Huron



Signal.

TEN SHILLINGS  
IN ADVANCE.

"THE GREATEST POSSIBLE GOOD TO THE GREATEST POSSIBLE NUMBER."

TWELVE AND SIX PENCE  
AT THE END OF THE YEAR.

VOLUME VI.

GODERICH, COUNTY OF HURON, (C. W.) THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1853.

NUMBER 13.

CARDS, &c.

DR. BURNHAM,  
CLINTON,  
Huron Road,  
(West of Mr. Thwait's Store.)  
Dec. 15th, 1852.

WILLIAM SHARMAN,  
BRICKLAYER AND PLASTERER,  
WEST STREET, GODERICH.  
IS prepared to furnish DESIGNS and  
PLANS, on the most reasonable terms,  
Goderich, Nov. 18th, 1852.

JOHN RALPH,  
TIN AND COPPER SMITH, next door  
to the Victoria Hotel, West Street,  
Goderich, has constantly on hand, a choice  
stock of Tinware, Coking and Box Sovers,  
&c., which he will sell at considerably re-  
duced prices.

The highest price paid in trade for old  
copper, brass, pewter, sheepskins, calf  
and beef hides, fashers and rags. All kinds of  
Merchandise produce taken in exchange at  
cash prices.  
Goderich, Feb. 19, 1852.

ROBERT SNODGRASS,  
FASHIONABLE BOOT & SHOE  
MANUFACTURER.  
(One door East of C. Cable's Store.)  
WOULD inform the inhabitants of God-  
erich and surrounding country that he is  
prepared to make to order, or otherwise,  
any kind of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Fine  
Fancy work, in the newest and most  
fashionable style. And will also furnish  
heavy Boots and Shoes, to suit the re-  
quisites of those that may favor him with  
their custom. His prices will be moderate.  
Goderich, July 29th, 1852.

ROBERT REID,  
BOOK-BINDER & STATIONER,  
(opposite Bell's Hotel), Corner of  
Dundas and Talbot-streets, London, C. W.  
The School Books, Common and Classical, Book-  
binding and Kitting of every description Favoured  
on the Premises.

Order for Account Books, from the Trade  
or Country Merchants, punctually attended to  
and a liberal discount allowed.  
London, March 1851.

J. THORNHILL,  
I WOULD return his thanks to the  
public for the liberal support he has met  
from them during his residence in Goderich,  
and hopes by strict attention to business,  
to still merit a share of their patronage.  
At his old stand, one door East of the  
Canada Company's Office,  
Goderich, Sept. 6th, 1852.

W. R. SIMPSON,  
(LATE HOPE, BIRRELL & Co.)  
GROCERS, Wine Merchants, Fruiterers  
and Oilsmen, No. 17 Dundas Street,  
London, C. W.  
February 25th 1852.

ROWLAND WILLIAMS,  
ATTORNEY, is prepared to attend Sales in  
any part of the United Counties, on the  
most liberal terms. Apply at the First  
Division Court office, or at his house, East  
Street, Goderich.

N. B.—Goods and other property will be  
received to sell either by private or public  
sale.  
January 6, 1852.

RICHARD MOORE,  
HAYING during the past two years ac-  
quired in the capacity of GENERAL  
AGENT for the collection of debts, credits  
it will merit a share of their patronage.  
Accept the Agency for the collection of  
debts in any part of the Upper Province, be-  
tween Colborne in the East and Lake Huron  
in the West. In making this announce-  
ment, he would beg to express his thanks  
to his friends for past favours, and now re-  
spectfully solicits a continuance of the same.  
All communications on business, address  
ed (post paid) to Ayr P. O., North Dum-  
fries, C. W., will be promptly attended to.  
April 1, 1852.

PETER BUCHANAN, TAILOR,  
NEXT door to H. B. O'Connor's Store,  
West Street, Goderich, Clothes made  
and repaired to the latest mode, in the  
shortest notice, and most liberal terms.  
December 3rd, 1851.

FARM FOR SALE.  
LOT No. 20, in the Mattland Conces-  
sion, containing 127 acres of the best land,  
which 60 are cleared and well fenced, situ-  
ated on the banks of the River Mattland,  
8 miles from Goderich. There is an ex-  
cellent House and Barn on the premises,  
with an Orchard of the choicest fruits, se-  
lected from the Nursery in Upsalene, Uni-  
ted States. For terms apply to the Sub-  
scriber.  
I RATTENBURY,  
British Exchange Hotel,  
Goderich,  
26th January, 1853.

New Grocery  
AND  
PROVISION STORE.  
THE Subscriber would respectfully in-  
form the Inhabitants of Goderich and  
surrounding Country, that he has opened  
the above line, two doors north of Doctor  
McDougall's new Brick House, Market  
Square, Goderich. His stock includes all  
kinds of GROCERIES, consisting in part  
of Tea, Tobacco, Raisins, Currants, Spices,  
&c.  
Also—Apples and Ords of the very best  
kind.  
In the Provision Line will be found Flour,  
Oatmeal, Butter, Eggs, Ham, Beef, Pork,  
Potatoes, &c. &c.  
Being determined to keep none but arti-  
cles of the best quality, and to sell cheap  
at the same time, he trusts to receive a  
share of public patronage.  
Farmers and people from the country  
will do well to call, as he intends purchas-  
ing every description of Produce, for which  
he will pay the highest market price.  
A choice assortment of Whips to be sold  
cheap.  
JOHN ARTHUR,  
Goderich, Nov. 30, 1852.

MUSIC ESTABLISHMENT.

Opposite Messrs. Raymond & Rowland,  
Farrars.  
W HARRIS may be had SHEET MUSIC of  
every description, Instruction Books for  
all kinds of Instruments, &c., as they  
can be had in Toronto, Boston, or New  
York.  
All kinds of MUSICAL INSTRU-  
MENTS, from a Piano Forte down to a  
Pfe.  
String of all kinds, and of superior qual-  
ity, in short, everything which can or may  
be found in a well and carefully selected  
Music Store.

The PIANOS are from the establish-  
ments of the following celebrated manu-  
facturers: Chickering, Shoups and Dunham, ac-  
knowledged to be the best on his part of  
the globe, as are the MELODIANS, manu-  
factured by Prince & Co.  
Pianos and Melodians sold as cheap,  
and on as favorable terms as they can be pro-  
duced in Toronto, or from the makers them-  
selves.

HERMAN KORDS,  
London, January, 1852.

NEW TAILORING  
ESTABLISHMENT.

H. BARTER, Merchant Tailor, would  
respectfully inform the inhabitants of  
Goderich and surrounding country that he  
has just opened a new Tailoring Estab-  
lishment, in the north of Dr. McDougall's  
new Brick House, Market Square,  
Goderich, where he has on hand a splendid  
assortment of Broad Cloths, Cassimeres,  
Tweed, Satinets, White Cloth, &c., of  
different colors and patterns. He is also  
prepared to execute all Orders in the  
Tailoring Line, on the most Fashion-  
able style, and at moderate charges.  
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HENRY BARTER,  
Goderich, Oct. 12th, 1852.

To the Settlers of the Huron  
Tract.

THE Undersigned begs leave to give  
notice to all those who may have any  
business to transact with the Canada Com-  
pany, and surrounding country that he  
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CUSTOMS OF ITALY.

We confess ourselves indebted to the  
pen of Mr. Thompson, of the "Independent,"  
for the ensuing graphic picture of life  
in Italy:

The use of tobacco is universal in  
Italy; not, however, in the way of chew-  
ing; for I have never seen the lowest Italian  
guilty of the indecent practice—to  
which some ministers in the United States  
are addicted—of cramming his mouth with  
plugs of Cavendish, and spitting its un-  
pleasant juice, or chewing, or smoking  
stems, pipes, or cigars, and snuff-taking  
is universal with the Italians—the latter  
being an act of social feeling, or friendship.  
When one sees how universal this practice  
is, he can appreciate the self denial and  
patriotism of certain republicans at Rome  
in refusing to use tobacco with a view to  
cripple the revenue of the Pope from the  
tax on its importation. It was after the  
non-drinking-tea-conspiracy of the ancient  
Bostonsians.

£25 Premium.

THE Municipal Council for the Township  
of Stanley is prepared to receive Plans,  
accompanied by Specifications and Estima-  
tes for the formation of a Highway, at or near  
the Mouth of the River Bayfield, and will  
pay for the approved plan, £25, H. C. or  
other, as may be agreed to in writing. To  
be submitted to the Clerk at Bayfield, on or  
before the 22nd day of April, next ensuing.  
W. W. CONNOR,  
Township Clerk,  
February 7th, 1853.

NOTICE.

THIS is to forbid any person or persons  
purchasing a Note drawn by the Sub-  
scriber, bearing date 3rd December, 1852, and  
due the 1st of January, as I have received no  
value for the same.  
DANIEL MCDUGALL,  
Township of Bruce,  
Feb. 6th, 1853.

TO THE SETTLERS OF THE  
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FRUIT TREES!

THE subscriber is returning thanks to the  
inhabitants of the County of Huron,  
generally for the very liberal encourage-  
ment he has met with in the Sale of Fruit  
Trees, and he is anxious to announce to the  
Settlers of these United Counties that he is  
preparing to introduce this Fall, a large and well  
selected stock, comprising every variety of  
Nursery Trees, upon his usual liberal terms.  
It would be superfluous to enlarge upon  
the superior merits of this Nursery, and  
the qualities of Fruit brought from the  
best nurseries in the world, which have been  
distributed over nearly all of Upper Canada,  
for the last 18 years has borne for this  
Nursery the highest reputation.

The notice of all those who wish to get good  
Winter Fruit, the celebrated Northern Pine  
Apple, its qualities are superior to all others  
of its kind, keeping until July, and preserv-  
ing all its sweetness and flavor, which is a  
great desideratum until that period. The  
subscriber would also intimate that his  
Dwarf Pear is in great demand as a Garden  
Fruit, bearing in two years after planting.  
Every variety of Fruit Trees, Ornamental  
and Evergreen Trees, and shrubs, Hardy  
Herbaceous Flowering Plants, Dahlias,  
Bilboes Flowering Roots, &c. Catalogues  
sent on application, and a liberal discount  
given a full description. Terms, when 50  
Trees are taken, \$25 per hundred, or \$1  
currency each, under 50 Trees. Is 61 cy-  
cles, two years credit, upon all liberal terms.  
Orders will be received, and any infor-  
mation given by Mr. Horace Horton,  
Market Square, Goderich, and Mr. Peter  
Woods, Union Hotel, Stratford, local  
agents for this Nursery.

SAMUEL MOULSON,  
Old Rochester Nursery, N. Y.  
Goderich, 18th July, 1851.

Doctr.

SLANDER.  
Not all they say or do, can make  
a head, or tooth, or finger ache,  
Nor mar my shape, nor scar my face,  
Nor put one feature out of place;  
Nor will ten thousand lies,  
Make one less virtuous, learned or wise.  
The most effectual way to balk  
Their malice, is, to let them talk!

FOR THE HURON SIGNAL,  
LINES.

Though silent with my slanders dwell  
On scenes of secret delight,  
And wouldst thou see my slanders dwell  
On scenes of secret delight,  
And wouldst thou see my slanders dwell  
On scenes of secret delight,

Now sorrow reigns where hope beamed  
Bright a few short weeks ago,  
Affliction laid his iron hand on the fair-  
est flower I know!  
But beauty deck'd with all its charms could  
not the tyrant drive,  
And in his unrelenting grasp he linger'd  
Night and day.

Long low days and weary nights and  
months of painful gloom,  
Have maddened my friend in early youth and  
And pale are now those lovely cheeks  
Where dwelt the roses hue,  
And dim the lustre of those eyes, those eyes  
of blooming blue.

How couldst thou thus throw thy avonion  
Over the fairest of her kind,  
And smother'd from India's strand  
Comest thou with this ill,  
Nor can the fairest flower that decks the  
mountain side or valley.

Though time now laps on laden years  
And joys and joys are wing'd,  
And months e'en long behind us to yearn,  
We cling to hope as long,  
As sheent forth a glimmering light  
And leads us to our  
To cheer us in our lonely path  
Through life's dull dreary day.

Soon may her eyes' out-  
shine the rose on  
Her eye beams that beam divine,  
That finds no home but there;  
And health, sweet her empire lost, so ap-  
petite may be gay,  
Then joy will beam in every eye  
That happy day.

A. R.  
Tuckerburgh, April 20th 1853.

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satiries of dirt and vermin are the only  
habitations of the people. The little  
tenements of Lowell and of Manchester are  
worth infinitely more as residences than the  
deserted palaces of Genoa and of Rome.

Upon the whole, the common people of  
Europe—the great mass of the population of  
that city—are the most degraded I have  
seen in Europe. I have seen worse speci-  
mens of humanity in the rural districts of  
the south of Ireland, though Fondi on the  
northern confines of the Neapolitan king-  
dom, may be pitted against Macroom any  
day. But no where in a city have I seen  
the great body of the people living in such  
poverty, such squalor, and such dejecting  
moulding class.—These are in prison, in  
exile, or have perished on the scaffold or  
the field of battle. Cardinals rise in ur-  
gital state, but the streets are filled with  
soldiers, priests, and beggars.

Soldiers, Priests, and Beggars.—  
These are the principal constituents of an  
Italian town, and especially of Rome,  
where they exist in about equal proportion.  
And where such swarms of consumers, who  
produce nothing, prey upon the public trea-  
sury, where such enormous sums are expen-  
ded in the creation and the repair of forti-  
fications and churches, and for the men re-  
quired to keep in motion the whole ma-  
chinery of military and ecclesiastical systems  
what remains but that the mass of the peo-  
ple be beggars? The soil of Italy  
for the most part is in the hands of the  
government or of great proprietors; the in-  
dustry of the people is repressed in propor-  
tion to the repression of their liberty; they  
are taxed beyond endurance; the resources  
of the country are exhausted in construct-  
ing means of defence, in building walls, and  
forts, and citadels, in maintaining armies and  
spies, and the produce of the soil goes to  
feed hordes of indolent ecclesiastics, and of  
worthless officials. What wonder that the  
richest soil in the world is cursed with  
beggary and desolation! Let the treasury  
of the United States be bled with a  
standing army in every village, and with  
the support of tents of thousands of feet  
and a few generations would witness the  
same result.

Of what benefit is it to society that forty  
fat men, in habits and petticoats, should get  
together twice a day, in the saucy enclaved  
choir of the great cathedral at Florence,  
which none may enter but themselves—and  
chant over the same words, in the same  
drawing room tone, with no additions but  
5 or 6 old women, and as many beggars in  
a building capable of holding 30,000 per-  
sons!—Of what benefit is it to society that  
all of these descriptions and classes of people,  
among the rest, a vast convocation of beg-  
gars—the cripple and maimed in endless vari-  
eties, wrecks and remnants, divisions and  
subdivisions of men.

A priest stood on the steps of the  
church, with a waly water sprinkler in  
his hand and a little boy at his side, bearing  
the bucket. The animals were trotted up  
before him; he read a form of benediction  
in Latin, shook the sprinkler at them, and  
they were good for a twelvemonth. Of  
course, this was done for a consideration; as  
what is not in the way of church parades,  
privileges, and immunities! The first ap-  
plicants for a benediction, after our arrival,  
were two miserable old cart horses, who  
looked as though the blessings of all the  
fathers of the Church could not keep them  
on their legs for twenty-four hours. I hear  
the rite was extremely useful to them; and  
they were good for a twelvemonth, as re-  
specting the faith that the crows were  
eaten of the past skeletons for a year to come.

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