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The People's Column.

DRESSMAKING.—THE MISSES HESSET take this opportunity of announcing to the ladies of Goderich and vicinity that they have secured rooms over George Acheson's store, where they will carry on the business of dress and mantle making. Having had several years experience as fashionable dressmakers, they feel confident that they can give perfect satisfaction, to all who may favor them with their orders. Appointments wanted.

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Large premises known as the Tecumseh Salt Well with brick, containing one steam pan 60ft and one iron pan 50ft in length, with all other opportunities for making salt in good mining order. Working capacity 1000 lbs per day. Present price of salt 80c per barrel. \$25 a day clear profit. Apply to GEO. B. JOHNSTON, P. O. Box 70, Goderich.

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That valuable farm known as part of lot 6, Matilda con., will be sold by public auction, for further particulars apply to Monday, the 29th of May. The farm comprises 20 acres part of which is an excellent orchard of eight acres, the remainder being pasture land. It is situated about 2 1/2 miles from Goderich, and has erected upon it two fine houses and a stable, cowshed and necessary out-buildings. For further particulars apply to W. S. RAY, Notaire Public, 321, Notre Dame street, Montreal, or to John Mosely, Goderich.

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Immediately a general servant. Must be good cook and laundress. References required. Permanent engagement, and \$10 per month. Apply to Mrs. GARROW, 1837-2.

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Houses on Stanley Street, adjacent to the square. For further particulars apply to Mrs. SKIMMING, Stanley St. 1837-2.

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House on South Street, containing 8 rooms, kitchen and pantry, with hard and soft water. Apply to G. J. McMAHON, 1833-4.

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Legal.

LEWIS & LEWIS, BARRISTERS, Attorneys, Solicitors in Chancery &c. Office in the Court House, Goderich. H. A. LEWIS, M.A., B.C.L. E. N. LEWIS, 1839.

GARROW & PROUDFOOT, BAR

ATTORNEYS, Solicitors, etc. Goderich. J. T. Garrow, W. Proudfoot, 1751.

B. L. DOYLE, BARRISTER AND

Attorney, Solicitor in Chancery, &c. Goderich, Ont. 1751.

SEAGER & MORTON, BARRIS

TERS, &c., &c., Goderich and Wingham. C. Seager Jr., Goderich. J. A. Morton, Wingham. 1751.

S. MALCOMSON, BARRISTER AND

Solicitor, Office—Corner of West Street and Market Square, over George Acheson's, Goderich. 1751.

E. CAMPION, ATTORNEY AT

LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c. Office over Sheppard's bookstore, Goderich, Ont. 1751. Also at lowest rates of interest. 1751-2.

CAMERON, HOLT & CAMERON,

Barristers, Solicitors in Chancery, &c. Goderich and Wingham. M. C. Cameron, Q. C. P. Holt, M. G. Cameron, Goderich. W. E. Macara, Wingham. 1751.

Medical.

DR. HUTCHISON, DUNGANNON, Ont. 1812.

DR. R. McDONAGH, M.D., PHYSICIAN, Surgeon, &c. Graduate of Toronto University. Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians, London, England, &c., &c. M. C. P. S., Ontario. Office and residence opposite Bailey's Hotel, Hamilton street, Goderich. 1750-60.

DR. McLEAN, PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, &c., &c. Office and residence on Bruce Street, second door west of Victoria Street. 1751.

H. G. MACKID, M. D., PHYSICIAN, Surgeon and Accoucher, Graduate of Toronto University. Office opposite Cameron & Cameron's Bank, Lucknow. If not in office, enquire at the Bank. 1762-3.

DRS. SHANNON & HAMILTON, Physicians, Surgeons, Accouchers, &c. Office at Dr. Shannon's residence, near the Jail, Goderich. G. C. SHANNON, J. C. HAMILTON, 1751.

J. AIKENHEAD, V.S., (SUCCESSOR TO) Dr. Duncan Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College. Office, stable and residence on Newgate Street, four doors east of Colborne Hotel, N. B.—Horses examined as to soundness. 1751.

J. C. CURRIE, THE PEOPLE'S ATTORNEY, Goderich, Ont. 1751.

Strayed Animals.

HEIFFERS STRAYED.—STRAYED From the premises of subscriber, lot 3, 9th con., western division of Colborne. About the 22nd of April, lost 2 yearling heifers. One is white with roan about the neck and head, and the other red, with some white spots. Information leading to their recovery will be suitably rewarded by the owner. JOHN TIFFIN, Carlow P. O. 1837-2.

Loans and Insurance.

MONEY.—PRIVATE FUNDS TO Lend on easy terms in sums to suit borrowers. ALEX. MORTON, 1813-14. Goderich, Nov. 17th 1881.

\$50,000 TO LOAN. APPLY TO CAMERON, HOLT & CAMERON, Goderich. 1751.

\$75,000 TO LEND ON REAL ESTATE. TATE. Terms favorable. Apply to B. L. DOYLE, Goderich. 1751.

\$50,000 PRIVATE FUNDS TO LEND on good Farm or first-class Town Property at 8 per cent. Apply to H. RADCLIFFE, 1751.

MONEY TO LEND IN ANY amount to suit borrowers at 6 to 8 per cent. Private notices. Apply to SEAGER and MORTON, Goderich.

MONEY TO LEND.—A LARGE amount of Private Funds for Investment at lowest rates on first-class Mortgages. Apply to GARROW & PROUDFOOT.

LOANS FREE OF CHARGE.—I have money to lend at lowest rates, free of any cost or charge. SEAGER & MORTON, opposite Colborne Hotel, Goderich. 23rd March 1881.

6 PER CENT.—THE CANADA Landed Credit Company is prepared to lend money on good Farm security, at six per cent. Full particulars given upon application to HUGH HAMILTON, C. L. agent, Goderich. 1751.

\$20,000 PRIVATE FUNDS TO LEND on good Farm or first-class Town Property at 8 per cent. Apply to H. RADCLIFFE, 1751.

R. RADCLIFFE, FIRE, MARINE, Life and Accident Insurance Agent, Representing first-class Companies. Also agent for the CANADA LIFE STOCK INSURANCE CO. Money to lend on Mortgage, either in Town or Farm Property in any way to suit the borrower. Office—(up-stairs) Kay's block, Goderich.

Legal Notices.

MORTGAGE SALE OF 35 LOTS IN PORT ALBERT. By Verdict of the power of sale contained in a Mortgage from Elizabeth B. Weise and Julius Weise to the Vendor (which Mortgage will be produced at the time of the sale) the said lots will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by J. Currie, Auctioneer, at his auction rooms, in the Town of Goderich, on the 24th of May, 1882 at 12 o'clock, noon, 35 contiguous lots, in the South part of the town of Goderich, and as the property owned by Mrs. Julius Weise. It contains 12 acres of excellent level land, 1 with nearly new frame dwelling house and good orchard. The property is in every way as most desirable one for a residence, market garden, small farm, and easy terms of payment will be given. Title perfect, and immediate possession given. For particulars apply to the undersigned. Dated 5th May 1882. J. C. CURRIE, Auctioneer & MORTON Barristers, Goderich.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In pursuance of Chapter one hundred and seven, section thirty four, of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of John Pasmore late of the town of Goderich, in the County of Huron, and Province of Ontario, wagon maker and harness smith, deceased, who departed this life on or about the fifteenth day of April last, are required to present their claims, in writing, to Messrs. Garrow & Proudfoot, Solicitors for Emily Pasmore, of the town of Goderich, on or before the fifteenth day of June next, a statement containing their names and addresses, and full particulars of their claims, which will be produced at the time of the said distribution of the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, regard being had only to the claims of which notice has been given as above required; and the said Executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claims claims notice shall not have been received by her said Solicitors at the time of such distribution. GARROW & PROUDFOOT, Solicitors for Emily Pasmore, Esq. et al. Dated at Goderich, this 12th May A. D. 1882. 1837-4.

MORTGAGE SALE OF A VALUABLE FARM IN THE TOWNSHIP OF ASHFIELD IN THE COUNTY OF HURON.

Under and in virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale, made by James Finn, There will be sold by public auction, by John C. Currie, auctioneer, at Delong's Hotel, in the village of Port Albert, on Tuesday, the 16th day of May, 1882, at 12 o'clock, noon, the following valuable farm property, viz. The south half of the township of Ashfield, in the County of Huron, containing fifty acres of land, more or less, of which 20 acres are cleared, fenced, and in a fair state of cultivation, and the remainder is bush land, wooded with hardwood and hemlock, and is capable of being easily cleared. The building consists of a frame dwelling house, 18x24. The soil is a clay loam of good quality. This farm is advantageously situated, being about 12 miles from the town of Goderich, and within half a mile of the gravel road, leading from Goderich to Kincardine, and within 2 miles of the village of Port Albert. Terms of sale: Ten per cent on the day of sale and the balance in one month thereafter. A portion of the purchase money may, at the option of the purchaser, remain on mortgage on the said land. The property will be put up subject to a reserved bid. The other conditions of sale are similar to the standing conditions of sale of the High Court of Justice. For further particulars apply to the auctioneer, or the Vendor's Solicitors. Dated at Goderich, this 15th day of April A. D. 1882. GARROW & PROUDFOOT, J. C. CURRIE, Vendor's Solicitors. Auctioneer, 1837-4.

GODERICH HIGH SCHOOL.

The next entrance examination will be held in the Central School on Thursday and Friday the 26th and 27th of June, beginning at 9 a.m. each day. Intending candidates are requested to notify the Head Master of the Central School, not later than the 25th inst. For any further information regarding the examination of the school, apply to the Head Master, D. A. STANG, D. A. 1837-2.

NEWS ABOUT HOME.

"A chief's amang ye, takin' notes, An' faith he'll 'prent it."

TOWN TOPICS.

Six years experience in photographing, explains why Geo. B. Ayer, Mr. E. Johnston's manager, succeeds so admirably in turning out strictly first class work. Copying and enlarging done in all sizes.

Notice is hereby given that under a writ of *Lea Et*, the property known as the Park House, will be sold at my office, by Sheriff's sale on Saturday the 13th day of May next, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon. Robert Gibbons, Sheriff. The picture taking has greatly advanced since young Benjamin West undertook to paint the likeness of his baby sister. Sallows has the newest and best appliances at his studio, and if you want a good photo, give him a call.

PROTECTION FOR THE WORKING MAN.—James Saunders & Son, protects the interests of the working man, by giving their goods at low prices, and treats all alike, who have the cash to pay. They are selling stoves and tinware at lowest in town, and have a large stock of wall paper and baby carriages, for which no reasonable offer will be refused. "The laughing and weeping."

We regret to learn of the continued illness of Miss Aitkins. The cows are pasturing on the square. Where are the authorities? Mr. W. E. Doyle, of Alpena, Mich., is in town visiting relatives.

Mr. W. Knight, the knight of the razor, has gone prospecting to Manitoba. Rev. J. W. Sutton, M. E. pastor, has leased the large brick residence of Mrs. Cattle.

On Monday last, Mr. P. O'Dea showed us a strawberry plant laden down with luscious fruit. Mr. Morton, of the firm of Morton & Cressman, has been dangerously ill of congestion of the lungs.

The first load of lumber for Williams & Murray arrived on Wednesday last from Blind River by the schooner Niagara.

We had the pleasure of seeing the smiling face of Capt. A. E. MacGregor on Saturday last, on the first trip of the Manitoba.

RHUBARB.—Mr. Wm. McCaig has our thanks for a gift of early rhubarb. It was the largest and best we have ever seen this season.

33rd BATT.—The 33rd Huron battalion will go into camp at Carling's farm, London, on the 14th of June, and remain there 12 days.

The Goderich District meeting in connection with the Methodist Church of Canada, will be held in Clinton, on the 23rd and 24th inst.

The town band has postponed its concert until about the middle of June, when they hope to be able to offer a tempting programme.

At Wingham, on last Wednesday, John Reid was fined \$500 and sentenced to imprisonment for one month for the illicit manufacture of whisky.

Dr. Roseburgh, of Toronto, the well-known oculist, will be at the residence of Mr. J. R. Miller, Goderich, on Saturday, the 20th inst., and will receive patients.

In the supplementary estimates Mr. S. Platt figures for \$22,500, this being the amount awarded him by the High Court of arbitrators in a suit of Platt vs. the Crown.

A Mrs. Lynn, of Saginaw, while on a visit to relatives in Goderich, met with a sad bereavement in the death of her little eight-month old babe, by congestion of the lungs.

Mr. Roderick Fraser (134) won the picture put up by Mrs. Walker recently for competition. Mrs. Walker desires to return her thanks to all her friends, who kindly assisted her on the occasion.

The Misses Hisset have opened a dress-making establishment in the rooms over Geo. Acheson's store. They have a reputation for good work, and will doubtless get a large share of fashionable custom.

Rev. W. Craig, of Clinton, will occupy the pulpit on Sunday evening in St. George's church on Sunday next. Rev. R. Hicks of Goderich, will exchange pulpits with Rev. Mr. Craig on the occasion.

COLLEGE HONORS.—We are pleased to learn that our young friends D. McGillivray and J. C. Robertson, have succeeded in carrying off the Classical prizes in their respective years at University College.

The contract for the foot bridge across the Maidland at Salford, has been given to Mr. Sands, and is to be finished today. The old bridge will be closed up, and the building the new bridge prosecuted with vigor.

W. Bro. W. H. Marney, of Goderich, D. G. L. of Ontario West, called on us the other day on his way home from the performance of the sad duty of attending the funeral obsequies of his father.—[Orange Sentinel Toronto.]

Clinton is badly behind the age in some respects. On Tuesday Mr. Stevenson, a member of the town council of that town, was sent to Goderich to examine our mode of street watering. Clinton has considerable to learn from Goderich yet.

Mr. Alexander McIntosh, for the past year foreman of the blacksmith shop in connection with the Seegmiller chilled plow works, Goderich, left on Wednesday last for Benton Harbor, Mich., whether he goes to take charge of the blacksmith shop in connection with the Benton Harbor Plow Works, the American manufacturer of the Seegmiller Chilled Plow.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.—

The examination for admission to the Goderich High School will be held in the Central School, here, on the 26th and 30th of June. Persons intending to try for the examination should send their names in to Mr. Strang before the 26th inst.

The Lindsay Post came to hand last week in an enlarged and improved form. It has now adopted the eight-page style and is a first class newspaper from a literary and mechanical standpoint. It bears evidence of prosperity, and we wish it a long continuance of the same.

Mr. Henry Martin, who recently removed to Exeter, received a heavy blow on the head from a bedstead which he was handling. The blow happened to fall upon a spot where a tumor had been cut out, and it was feared that the consequences might be serious. We are glad to hear that he is not now much the worse for the accident.

Mr. James A. McLaren, an old Goderich boy, now traveller for Orr, Harvey & Co., wholesale boot and shoe dealer of Hamilton, gave us a call on Saturday. During his four years residence in the Ambitious city, Mr. McLaren has "stretched" in height, and the strapping young six footer was hardly recognized by old friends. He likes Hamilton.

We are asked to request parties closing into the Courthouse square to drive the gates when entering, and leaving. Otherwise cattle get into the enclosure and injure the young trees and do other damage to public property. All persons visiting the Park are desired to close the gate after them on every occasion, for the same reason. It should be the wish of every law abiding person to keep our parks neat and clean.

GOOD CATTLE.—Mr. W. McLean generally manages to buy the best cattle that are to be bought, and those delivered here for him this week were no exception to the rule, as the following will show:—R. Waite, 2 steers and cow, 4750 lbs.; R. Scott, cow, 1400; J. Brown, 2 steers, 2800; E. Lear, 7 head, 10200; T. Elliott, 2 head, 2800; W. Ball, 4 head, 6270; W. Ball, 5 head, 7530; James Gowley, 4 head, 5500; H. Radford, 5 head, 6210; J. A. Campbell, cow, 1410.—[New Era.]

We regret to learn that Mr. W. Hibbard, son of Hon. John Hibbard, American Consul at this port, who recently went to San Antonio, Texas, for his health, has not been benefited greatly by the change. On Saturday last his brother, Mr. Fred Hibbard, Chicago, left for San Antonio to bring the invalid home. Consul Hibbard, purposes proceeding at once to Chicago for the purpose of removing his son, to Goderich; where he hopes he will improve in health.

ACCIDENT.—On Saturday evening, while sitting in the house reading, Mr. W. L. Newton was overcome with dizziness, which was quickly followed by blood spitting from mouth. Medical aid was at once called in, when an examination indicated that he had by some means burst a blood vessel in his stomach. The accident, it was first thought, would be quite serious, but we are pleased to learn that he is now able to get about the house, and soon expects to be about again.

ARBOR DAY.—On Monday last it is estimated that between seven and eight hundred shade trees were planted here. One prudent act was the planting of a large number by the town, along the front of the cemetery. Although all planted are not likely to grow, if a fair percentage of them do, the people will be fully repaid for their outlay. It is an encouraging sign to see farmers also taking an interest in the matter. Many in this vicinity going extensively into tree planting along the front of their premises.—[New Era.]

G. H. S. L. S.—A special meeting of the Goderich H. S. L. Society was held on Tuesday at 4 p. m., to consider the question of whether or not this Society should challenge the Clinton H. S. Society to take part in a public contest. A spirited discussion took place. Some members were in favor of sending a formal challenge as soon as convenient others opposed sending any challenge whatever. It was finally proposed and carried that the Secretary of the Goderich Society should correspond with the Secretary of that of Clinton, in order that a contest may be arranged for.

OBITUARY.—In our last issue, in our proper column, we announced the death of the late Mr. John McIntosh, father of the Messrs. Macintosh, merchants of this town, who died on 4th May, at the advanced age of 74 years. Mr. McIntosh, one of the oldest pioneer farmers in the County of Huron, was a native of Aberdeen, Scotland, who came to this country about 47 years ago on his wedding trip. He was a devout and benevolent member of the R. C. Church, a loving husband and father, and a true and faithful friend to his neighbors. His wife and family have the sympathy of a very large number of friends, both Catholic and Protestant. About 6 months ago he took a very severe attack of Bright's disease, and although he rallied, death had set its seal upon his brow. His funeral was one of the largest that ever entered the R. C. Church here. The Requiem Mass was celebrated by Father Watters. The choir sang under the leadership of the Sisters of St. Joseph. Father Lamont of Seaforth, performed the funeral obsequies of his kinsman at the church, and Father MacGraith at the grave. Remains to be interred in the cemetery.

CONSERVATIVE MEETING.

Mr. Porter Before the Electors of Goderich—An Address by the Tory Candidate.

Mr. Robert Porter, the candidate of the Conservative party in South Huron, held a meeting in Victoria Hall on Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance of the electors. On motion, Mr. F. W. Johnston was called to the chair, and briefly introduced the speaker of the evening.

Mr. Porter, on coming forward, was warmly greeted by his friends. He opened his remarks by paying a high tribute to the geographical position of Goderich, its beautiful appearance, and its continental reputation as a summer resort. He was before the electors as a candidate for their suffrages, and this meeting was called so that he might have an opportunity of becoming acquainted with the electors, as he was a stranger to many of them. At the last election, he said, the question before the electors which decided the fate of the party then in power was the N. P. At that time it was on its trial, and was to a certain extent a matter of speculation. During the past three years, however, it had been tried, and now it was once more to be weighed in the balance. The speaker then went on to dilate on the beauties of the protective system, and cited the States and Belgium as examples of how countries could be developed by means of a protective tariff. Canada had prospered under the N. P., money was plentiful, and work was easy to obtain. He challenged the mechanics and laborers, if during the past year they had not been able to get work whenever they felt like working. (This challenge brought from the working men of the audience a grand chorus of "No, No, No!" and it seemed that so far as this item was concerned the speaker had ventured an unfortunate assertion.) Continuing, Mr. Porter said that he was sorry Goderich had not felt the beneficent working of the N. P., and hoped things would improve. After extolling the good that had accrued to the country as a whole, from his standpoint, he alluded to the increased import trade, and quoted figures from the Trade and Navigation returns to show that the N. P. had not discriminated against Great Britain. The surplus was then held up as an illustration of what had been done by the protective tariff. He did not intend to go into all the subjects on the present occasion. Ample opportunity would be given him to deal with them at future meetings, when he would have an opportunity of meeting his opponent face to face on the platform throughout the riding, an opportunity which he earnestly desired. Before concluding, however, he would refer to the resolution which Hon. Mr. Blake had introduced in the House, asking for enlarged powers to Canada in the making of treaties. He thought this was a step to ward independence, and the severing of the ties that bound us to Britain, and he earnestly desired meant annexation, and annexation meant the destruction of Canadian sentiment, and the building up of a great nation on this continent which would be disastrous to the welfare of the peace and harmony of the world. He was British born a Scotchman but his wife and family and all that he held near and dear were Canadian. For this reason he was opposed to the commercial treaties resolution. The Tupper-Onderdonk contract was explained by the speaker, from the Tupperian standpoint, and Brayley was made to be the scapegoat for Sir Charles in the affair. The increased receipts were next referred to and the country congratulated upon the good showing. (A voice—"What about the increased expenditures?") The speaker admitted that the expenditures had also increased, but evaded a direct answer to the question by again referring to the surplus. He was not going to deal largely with the public questions on the present occasion, but was anxious to meet Mr. Cameron face to face. (Ironical cheer, hear, and applause.) He wished the electors to consider the N. P. the keystone of the arch at the coming election, and it and the development of the North West were the questions that should govern the election. If the electors believed that Hon. Mr. Blake was the greatest statesman in Canada (hear, hear), and bowed head and shoulders over all others, then the speaker could not expect their votes in the coming contest in South Huron. (Hear, hear.) An elector wished to ask Mr. Porter a question about his misstatements on the annexation question. The chairman and the meeting decided the question was out of order. Mr. Johnston did not wish to take an unfair advantage of Col. Ross by speaking at the meeting; nevertheless he spent about ten minutes in letting the electors know that he was the Tory nominee for West Huron. Mr. Platt then paid a tribute to the eloquence of Mr. Porter, and moved a vote of thanks to that gentleman, seconded by Mr. D. H. Ritchie. The meeting closed with cheers for the Queen, Hon. Edward Blake, and Sir John Macdonald.

About Bonuses.

The Goderich SIGNAL is down on the bonus system, and with good reason. It is unjust in principle, and very often injudicious in practice. Sometimes the results are beneficial. We have supported the granting of a bonus to two industries of this town, and still believe it was prudent to do it at the time. Nevertheless the thing is wrong in most cases, and we would strongly favor an act to take away the power from municipalities of bonusing industries or even exempting them from taxation. The tub that cannot stand on its bottom, has not bottom enough to stand on. If a man's business will not pay well enough to enable him to pay his taxes, it is too poor a trade to put money into, and if it will pay well enough for that purpose the town ought not to pauperize him by its misplaced charity. The trouble has been that if one town will not bonus, another will, in this unwholesome rivalry is kept up that results in less, injustice and injury eventually to most of the parties concerned. Let the power granting bonuses be taken away.—[Waterloo Chronicle.]

Mechanics' Institute Evening Classes.

The following is the report of school Inspector Miller on the evening classes under the auspices of the Mechanics Institute, and is highly complimentary.

Goderich, May 6th 1882. Sir—I have the honor to endorse your report on examination of pupils who attended classes in Book-keeping and Drawing during this year. I think the results are very satisfactory to pupils and teachers, and I think the Directors of Goderich Mechanics' Institute are to be congratulated on their first effort in this unwholesome rivalry. I have the honor to be, your obedient servant. J. R. MILLER, I. P. S. DRAWING.

Let A. Andrews, 2nd M. Cook and M. Seegmiller, 3rd K. Ball. BOOK-KEEPING. Let V. A. Rhynas, 2nd James Heale, 3rd Geo. B. Moore, 4th R. D. Morris, 5th A. Weatherald, 6th Bella Mitchell. Average 57%.

Goderich Township.

HOLMESVILLE, May 1st, 1882. Rev. C. R. Matthews, of St. Stephen's parsonage, who is an indefatigable worker, sunshine or rain, has been obliged by illness to seek the seaside. It is said that his place during his absence, will be supplied by students from Huron College.

COUNCIL.—Council met to-day pursuant to adjournment. Members all present, minutes of last meeting read and passed. By-law No. 4, present year, passed. Moved by J. Cox, seconded by J. Peacock, that Messrs. Cambb, Bur, Furse and Brincombe be allowed to perform their statute labor on the lane on which they wrought it last year.—Carried. Moved by J. Peacock, seconded by J. Lathwait, that J. Kirkpatrick and P. Kodyly be allowed to work their statute labor on the lane where their property lies.—Carried. Moved by J. Whiteley, seconded by J. Peacock, that the assessor be paid \$15 extra for filling up seven columns on the assessment roll, more than formerly.—Carried. Moved by J. Lathwait, seconded by J. Peacock, that the sum of \$250 be granted to the road commissioner for road improvement for the present year.—Carried. Moved by J. Cox, seconded by J. Whiteley, that the petition of Geo. Miller and fifty-nine others asking a grant for cutting a path on side road between lots 35 and 36, 13th con., be complied with, and a sum of \$125 be granted to be expended under the superintendence of the Reeve.—Carried. Under the head of indigence the following suras were granted by the speaker, from the Tupperian standpoint, and Brayley was made to be the scapegoat for Sir Charles in the affair. The increased receipts were next referred to and the country congratulated upon the good showing. (A voice—"What about the increased expenditures?") The speaker admitted that the expenditures had also increased, but evaded a direct answer to the question by again referring to the surplus. He was not going to deal largely with the public questions on the present occasion, but was anxious to meet Mr. Cameron face to face. (Ironical cheer, hear, and applause.) He wished the electors to consider the N. P. the keystone of the arch at the coming election, and it and the development of the North West were the questions that should govern the election. If the electors believed that Hon. Mr. Blake was the greatest statesman in Canada (hear, hear), and bowed head and shoulders over all others, then the speaker could not expect their votes in the coming contest in South Huron. (Hear, hear.) An elector wished to ask Mr. Porter a question about his misstatements on the annexation question. The chairman and the meeting decided the question was out of order. Mr. Johnston did not wish to take an unfair advantage of Col. Ross by speaking at the meeting; nevertheless he spent about ten minutes in letting the electors know that he was the Tory nominee for West Huron. Mr. Platt then paid a tribute to the eloquence of Mr. Porter, and moved a vote of thanks to that gentleman, seconded by Mr. D. H. Ritchie. The meeting closed with cheers for the Queen, Hon. Edward Blake, and Sir John Macdonald.

Boifast.

Mr. Stanley from Lucan was visiting friends in this vicinity last week. Mr. John Bryson and family of St. Helens passed through the village on Friday last en route to Algoma.

Mr. Robert Stothers left a few days ago for Ottawa, to attend the Normal School.

The teacher and pupils of Boifast School, have planted a number of shade trees around the school yard, which will in a few years add much to the appearance of the play ground and to the comfort of the pupils.

Mr. David Barclay, an old and respected citizen of this place, died on Monday evening from paralysis. His remains were interred in the Dunganne Cemetery on Wednesday.

Wanted.

Mr. John Plunkett, of this township, has at a cost of about two thousand dollars, just completed a handsome brick dwelling. It is a credit to Mr. Plunkett, and an ornament to the neighborhood. Mr. Plunkett is anxious to enjoy it.

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WHAT MR. PORTER DID NOT EXPLAIN.

Mr. Robert Porter, has much cause to feel pleased at the good turn out to his meeting at Victoria Hall on Tuesday evening. The Conservatives were out in full force, and a goodly number of Reformers were among the audience.

1. To explain how it was that Mr. Porter, a resident of South Perth for electoral purposes, came before the people of Goderich and Colborne as the Tory candidate for their representation when no convention had been held since the gerrymandering of South Huron; and despite the fact that the Conservatives of Goderich and Colborne, by their representatives in convention at South Perth, had nominated Dr. Coleman as their standard bearer?

2. Did Mr. Porter approve of the gerrymandering of Huron by the placing of Stephen in Middlesex, Uaborne in Perth, and the southern portion of Lucknow in Bruce?

3. Was Mr. Porter in harmony with the idea of being legislated out of South Huron, where he had been for so many years a prominent resident; and was he in sympathy with the Government which had deprived him of the opportunity of polling his vote for the man of his choice in South Huron?

4. Could Mr. Porter point to any tall chimneys or other evidences of prosperity in Goderich created by the benign influence of the N. P.?

5. When had the exodus to the United States ceased? and why was it that so many of his hearers had relatives, friends and acquaintances in Dakota, Minnesota, Michigan and other American States since 1878?

6. Why was it that the trade of the Canadian ports on Lake Huron had fallen off, and Mr. Lee, Captain Dancy and others of our ship owners had their vessels tied up in port for want of freights?

7. How came it that under the N. P. the Beatty Line of steamers, which in past years had two and sometimes three boats per week calling at Goderich and doing a large trade, are now touching this port with only one boat per week, and claim that the freight does not pay even for one boat?

8. Did Mr. Porter approve of the disallowance of Provincial legislation, and favor the movement to deprive Ontario of her autonomy?

9. Was Mr. Porter prepared to lend his voice and vote to the Blues of Quebec, so as to lower Ontario in the scale of Provinces, by upholding the action of Sir John Macdonald in the matter of the non-ratification of the Boundary Award?

10. Was Mr. Porter in favor of the continuance of the Senate, as at present constituted, and did he approve of spending \$140,000 per annum to perpetuate that useless chamber?

11. Did the wrenching of a surplus of \$4,000,000 by taxation, from the people of Canada by Sir Leonard Tilley, exhibit any closer financial calculation on the part of that gentleman, than did the deficit of Sir Richard Cartwright during the depressed state of trade in 1877-78? and would we tolerate a Town Council which would make a boast of having a large surplus at the end of the year, which had been piled up by raising the taxes of the ratepayers, when a lesser rate could have been levied, and both ends met to meet?

THE NORTH HURON PLOTTERS.

There was a fly in the Tory ointment at the convention held at Wingham on Thursday of last week to select a candidate to contest the Riding at the next election. Mr. Farrow, M.P., was at Ottawa, and a number of the ambitious ones at home were conspiring to depose the absent member. So embarrassing the situation became that Mr. Porter, the defeated of South Huron, was invited to "Come over to Macedonia (Wingham) and help us," by a prominent politician of that town.

Whether Mr. Porter poured oil on the troubled waters or not it is not for us to say, but the intention was that he should "drop into Wingham by accident," and be present at the meeting. Dr. Holmes of Brussels, and Mr. F. W. Johnston, of Goderich, were anxious, it seemed, to play Brutus and Cassius to Mr. Farrow's Julius Caesar. But the conspiracy was nipped in the bud, and Mr. Farrow received the nomination. However, when the reports from the municipalities came before the convention, it was discovered that the Reformers had gained so largely in the North Riding since 1878, that it was impossible to count upon it as being any longer a safe Conservative constituency, and Mr. Farrow was immediately telegraphed to, that he might use his endeavors to have the second reading of the Re-distribution Bill postponed, in order to enable Dr. Holmes to reach Ottawa and explain the situation. This accounts for the fact that the Gerrymandering Bill was not brought down for second reading on Friday, and we now wait patiently to see if the impertinencies of the North Huron Tories will have any effect so far as the further gerrymandering of Huron is concerned. The plan of division submitted to the Government by the North Huron Convention was as follows:

- E. HURON W. HURON S. HURON
Howick Ashfield Hullett
Turnberry E. Wawanosh Hay
Morris W. Wawanosh Hay
Grey Colborne Kester
Wingham Goderich Seatons
Brussels Goderich Stanley
Blyth Tuckeromith
Wroster Clinton Bayfield.

The upshot of the conspiracy is that Bruce and Huron have been kept back, probably for further "carving" purposes, up to the time of writing. Whether the division, as proposed by the North Huron Tories, be adopted or not, their pitiful appeal to Ottawa for assistance is a virtual acknowledgment by them that the days of Toryism are numbered in that riding.

The Reform Convention for the nomination of a candidate to contest the constituency, and which was to have been held on Thursday, May 11th, has been postponed, pending the settlement of the riding boundaries.

THE ABOVE CONFIRMED. A special despatch from Ottawa, received as we go to press, states that Huron has been again gerrymandered, on the above basis.

WHO ARE THE ANNEXATIONISTS?

Mr. Porter showed a woful ignorance of Canadian political history, when he hinted at the Reformers of Canada being in favor of annexation. Mr. Porter ought to know, if he aspires to the position of a member of parliament, who the annexationists of Canada really are. An elector on Tuesday night, desired to ask the Tory candidate a question on this point, but with characteristic unfairness neither the chairman nor the candidate would listen to him. What Mr. Porter couldn't deny was this: that the chief spirits in the annexation movement were leading Conservatives. Was not Joseph Howe, Sir John's right hand man from Nova Scotia, an annexationist?

Are not Sir A. T. Galt (who, it is said, will shortly succeed Tilley as Minister of Finance), and "Look to Washington" Macdougall, a former member of a Tory Government, avowed annexationists? Mr. Porter should read up a little more of contemporary history, and not charge the Reformers with sins committed not by their leaders, but by prominent members of his own political party.

It is Sir A. T. Galt, whose name is affixed to a declaration in favor of annexation, were to take Sir Leonard Tilley's place to-morrow, would not Mr. Porter, who so vigorously denounced that sentiment on Tuesday, endorse the change?

The President of the Port Hope Conservative Association has publicly withdrawn from that organization. He says he supports the N.P., but that the conduct of the Dominion Government on the Boundary Award and the Gerrymandering Bill is more than he can stand. It is such honest minded men as Mr. Powers who will ensure the return of the Reformers to power at the next election.

The Prince Edward Island Tory Government has met with a reverse. The Administration supported, and the Opposition opposed, the National Policy. This is the forerunner of large Reform gains in the Dominion election. There are six seats in Prince Edward Island for the Commons, and the Liberals expect to get four of them. All the Maritime Provinces will go Reform at the coming election.

The Conservative candidate was very unfortunate in his reference to soup-kitchens, on Tuesday. In every city in Ontario soup kitchens were open during the past three winters, and in Goderich, during the past year, it cost over \$1,000 to feed our poor.

When Mr. Porter said that the triumph of the Reformers at the next election meant a "return to the exodus," there was a perceptible titter in the audience. The good man looked in wonderment over his spectacles, and appeared to be shocked at the levity of his hearers. When Porter is told that since the N. P. five persons have left Goderich for the States to every one who went in MacKenzie's time, he will see where the laugh came in!

The platform of the Tory meeting on Tuesday last, looked very much like a political graveyard, if the number of defeated candidates be taken into account. "Politically dead" seemed to be written all around. First of the deceased politicians was Mr. Robt. Porter, the defeated of South Huron; then there was Mr. Samuel Platt, the defeated of Centre Huron; next was Mr. John Davison the defeated of West Huron, and hard by was Mr. David Hood Ritchie, the defeated of South Huron. Mr. F. W. Johnston, a candidate for the political necropolis in West Huron, occupied the chair. There was an odor of political graves, tombstones and epitaphs throughout.

By the Star of last week we find that a meeting was held in Mr. Johnston's law office, at which the candidature of Mr. Robt. Porter as nominee for South Huron was endorsed by the Goderich Tories. The Goderich Conservatives are said to be a numerous body, and how it comes that they all got into Mr. Johnston's office to endorse the nomination is a conundrum which we leave our readers to solve. The probability is that eight or ten of the tail end of the Conservative party attended the meeting and took upon themselves to endorse Mr. Porter, regardless of the fact that they were only a small end of the party, and not empowered to act for all. This is another instance of the tail attempting to wag the dog, instead of the dog wagging the tail.

The Conservative candidate also blundered on Tuesday when he appealed to the wagon makers, blacksmiths and carpenters to bear him out in the statement that the increased tariff had given them more work, and more money for their labor. The Conservative carpenters present didn't cheer: the Reform carpenters looked upon the speaker as being either a knave or a fool. The testimony of our wagon makers is dead against the N.P.; it is ruining their business. The tax on coal and iron, is of course, a great blessing (?) to the blacksmiths! Mr. Porter resides in the quiet hamlet of Kirkton, in South Perth, reads the Mail, and therefore knows nothing about the real condition of the mechanics of this town.

MR. FRED JOHNSTON, as chairman of Mr. Porter's one-sided meeting, harped upon the "good times" on Tuesday evening. Reeve Win. Campbell, chairman of the Finance Committee, sat close at his elbow on the platform, and never moved a muscle. Mr. Campbell could have told the voluble chairman and the amused audience that the town treasury, had paid out over \$1,000 as charity to the poor and unemployed during the past year, and Mr. Campbell's friends say he is a close financier. The "good times" have not reached Goderich yet, and the reference to them by the aspirant for West Huron was in keeping with the rest of the claptrap indulged in by him in his brief and very empty speech.

WHEN Mr. Robert Porter stated on Tuesday evening that the resolution, for extension of powers for Canadian commercial treaties meant independence, and independence meant annexation, and annexation meant destroying the vitality of Canadian enterprise and the enervating of the Canadian people, together with the creating of a great and powerful country which would be inimical to the welfare of the world, and a lot of other bombast to the same effect, he simply "bit off more than he could chew," to use a Westernism. He did not start on a sound proposition, and every succeeding proposition was a fallacy which he, or no one else, could argue out to a successful conclusion. Mr. Porter assumes too much, and should confine himself to facts.

A NUMBER of the Tory papers are now hinting that Mr. Blake, by his speech on the Irish resolutions, is responsible for the assassination of Lord Frederick Cavendish and Mr. Burke in Phoenix Park, Dublin, on Saturday last. If the journals are silly enough to believe the Irish resolutions had anything to do with the matter why don't they throw the blame upon the shoulders of Mr. Costigan and Sir John Macdonald, the former for introducing the resolutions, and the latter for allowing them to pass, after Mr. Blake had delivered his masterly speech. This last attack upon Mr.

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An effort is about to be made at Washington to erect a national Hospital at the United States capital, as an appropriate memorial of the high appreciation entertained of the valuable services of the late President Garfield, as well as the detestation and horror felt by the world of the crime by which his life was destroyed. It is thought the proposed memorial cannot but commend itself to the attention not only of Americans, but of all parties, of whatever nationality who abhor assassination, and wish to show their respect for the cause of law and order. The American Consul at this point, Hon. John Hibbard, is authorized to give full information of the project, to parties desiring it, and to receive and forward contributions for the object in question.

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Russell. This disease has been overpowered by the force of the "tonic," and the week nurses of the sick committee are getting a much needed rest.

Holmesville. Mr. Geo. Graham has changed his mind and he is not going to Manitoba as he intended.

James Graham is moving his barn, and intends to put in a stone foundation and make an underground cellar.

Thomas Connell has just returned from his trip to Manitoba and Dakota. He has bought 100 acres in Dakota and intends moving there next week.

Colborne. It is rumored that Mr. J. C. Le-Toussell has leased his farm to Mr. McMillan, and intends raising tobacco. Can such really be the case?

Mr. R. Wannacott has leased the Wade property, which is now in the hands of Molson's Bank.

Mrs. George Butt has returned from Michigan to her parent's home. She is very low with consumption.

Rev. T. Broad, B. C. Minister, intends leaving this circuit at next conference. It is not yet known who will fill his place.

Epidemic among horses and measles among children are prevalent.

We regret to announce the death of Miss Mary Emma, only daughter of Rev. T. Mason, of Lindsay. Mary was widely known here, and the bereaved parents have the sympathy of the community.

LEEDS. I. O. G. T.—At the last regular meeting of I. O. G. T., 213, the following officers were installed for the coming quarter: W. C. T., Bro. W. McManus; W. S., Bro. H. Horton; W. F. S., Bro. P. Stewart; W. T., Bro. J. Linklater; W. M., Bro. J. Strong; W. D. M., Sister Burke; W. J. G., Sister Lang; W. O. G., Bro. J. Hall; P. M. C. T., Bro. A. Cowan. The attendance at last quarter was very good. The Temperance hall will be let for political meetings at a reasonable figure during the campaign.

There was a large attendance of young people at the Presbyterian church last Sunday to hear the special sermon preached by the Rev. J. A. Turnbull, B. A., on the scripture contained in Matt. 6: 33. The discourse was a very suitable one, and at the close the preacher made a strong plea for the Sunday School. The new hymnal was used for the first time at the service. There was a fair attendance at the opening of the Sabbath school, and we expect to see it largely attended during the season.

MARRIED. Stothers-Davidson.—On the evening of the 3rd inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. R. W. Leitch, Mr. Stephen Stothers of Clinton, to Miss Sarah E. second daughter of Mr. Robert Davidson, of Duncannon.

DIED. Harris.—In Wingham, on the 7th inst., Mary beloved wife of Mr. Wm. Harris, Ashfield, aged 30 years and 5 months.

Manchester.

On Saturday of last week a gentleman from Goderich tied his horse to the post of Mr. Habkirk's veranda. The animal got frightened at a wheelbarrow and started, taking the post with him. The buggy was left at a harness shop in a demoralized condition. The horse escaped with a few slight scratches.

Mr. Parker, blacksmith, of this place, made and put on to one of Mr. Thomas Askwith's draught horses, a pair of shoes weighing eight pounds, and two ounces each. The old horse went away as light as a two year old.

Carlow. We are glad to learn that Mr. John Young, who has been attending Queen's College, Kingston, for the past four years, has succeeded in getting a first scholarship (\$100). He also gets two class prizes and his B. A.

FIRE AT.—On Friday night last a man entered the barn of Mr. Thomas Hamilton attempting to carry off some cats. Being aroused by the dog, one of the boys seized a rifle, went outside, and told the man to "speed," which he refused. Levelling his rifle he fired, and the man walked off quietly towards the woods.

STILL THEY GO.—Messrs. D. and G. McPhee, two of the most highly respected young men of this place, started for Winnipeg last Tuesday. Feeling a deep regret for their departure, we wish them a safe journey and every success.

Mrs. John Jardine arrived home on Saturday last. She has been visiting her brother in Kingston during the past week prior to her departure for Dakota.

Duncannon. Mr. Wm. McArthur is authorized to receive subscriptions for THE HURON SIGNAL, and give receipts therefor.

Inspector Miller visited the Duncannon Public Schools on Thursday, May 4th.

Mr. Finlay, tailor, of this place, took his departure from here on Monday, May 1st, to seek his fortune in other climes.

The Methodists of this place purpose holding a bazaar here, on the 24th of May. A concert will be given by the choir in the evening when a good programme will be provided.

ENTERTAINMENT.—The members of the Methodist Church choir will give an entertainment here on the evening of the 24th inst. The programme will be good, and we trust there will be a large attendance.

It becomes our painful duty this week to record the death of the wife of Mr. Wm. Harris, of Ashfield. Deceased had been ill for some weeks at Wingham, and passed away on Sabbath last. The remains were conveyed here on Monday.

On Wednesday evening, May 3rd, Miss Sarah Davidson of this place was married to Mr. Stephen Stothers, of Clinton. The happy couple shortly after took their departure for Clinton, followed by the best wishes of the community in general, and by the ad looks of some of the young fellows in particular.

Presbyterian Sabbath school was re-opened in the Orange Hall on Sabbath last, with an attendance of thirty-nine scholars, and a fair number of teachers. It is a pity that the good people at the head of the Presbyterian congregation here can't see to what extent they are standing in their own light by not erecting a new church in this village.

Quarterly meeting services were held in the Methodist church here on Sabbath last, Rev. Jas. Cassell, pastor, preached a very impressive and appropriate sermon from Leviticus xiv. 1-7, to a large and appreciative audience, and a large number remained to partake of the Sacrament.

BAZAR.—The Duncannon Ladies' Aid Society are making extensive preparations for a bazaar, which they intend to open out on the 24th inst. Foremost among the many handsome and useful articles offered for sale will be their famous autograph quilt, which will doubtless bring a good price.

The small boy has tired of marbles; and now as the shades of night draw nigh he may be seen with a long pole surmounted by a spear threading "his sinuous path" towards the creek in search of suckers. He is seen going in great numbers; but an average of one sucker to two of the small boys is a very good catch.

Goderich Markets.

Table with columns for various goods and prices. Includes items like Wheat, Flour, Pork, Butter, etc.

THE COURT OF REVISION

TOWNSHIP OF COLBORNE Will hold its first sitting on FRIDAY, MAY 26, 1882. Commencing at 10 o'clock, a.m. All parties interested are requested to attend. 1832-2 J. A. McDONAGH, Clerk.

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JULY EXAMINATION--1882.

FIRST CLASS, GRADE "C" NON-PROFESSIONAL, will begin at the Normal School, Toronto, Monday, July 10th, at 2 p.m. Intermediate at the High Schools of the County, Monday, July 3rd, at 2 p.m.

The professional examination for first-class certificates will be in the possession of the non-professional examination. The examination will begin after the conclusion of the professional examination.

It is indispensable that candidates should notify the Secretary not later than the 1st of June, of their intention to present themselves for examination, and furnish the necessary certificates of character and service.

Forms of notice to be given by each candidate previous to the examination, can be obtained on application to the Secretary.

Teachers desiring to pass the Intermediate Examination must be particular to state the High School at which they desire to write, and the optional subject which they intend to take.

PETER ADAMSON, Secretary, Goderich P.O.

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County of Huron. By virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of Her Majesty's Court of the County of Huron, and to me directed by the said Court, I have caused to be sold, to the highest bidder, the right, title and interest and equity of redemption of the above named defendants in and to the north half of lot 10 in the third concession of the township of Morris, in the County of Huron, containing 160 acres of land, more or less; which lands and tenements I shall offer for sale, at my office in the Court House, in the Town of Goderich, on FRIDAY, THE 24th DAY OF JUNE, next, at the hour of twelve of the clock, noon.

ROBERT GIBBONS, Sheriff of Huron.

1882 SPRING 1882

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PLOW POINTS

MASSEY PLOW POINTS CAN BE HAD AT THE PREMISES OF THE SUBSCRIBER. J. W. WEATHERALD, Corner of North Street and the Square Goderich, April 30, 1882.

MR. BLAKE

Mr. Blake commented on the reading of the proposed bill, indicating that the proposed bill placed the members within the Government, in selection of members might be supplied.

He did not justify made, and the how the necessary might have members might ties of Essex, and since, an county of Duff given six seats the county from that, or any man had a son Ontario, and) and carving up Bill. The base man (Sir John spread changes gether, and it political map of in such a manner to the Gov. which was now tario had never cept in a limited, and it that side of the ment would no time should have consideration of a kind, more ment itself was in consequence have upon the Government was and this of all should have been the session. A con- sideration of a different le- gislation, a m- made a laugh- ingly ago, condemn- ing the Bill had been language re- even after the i- to bolster up the liament. Moss challenged Mr. their constitu- met with the re- men to have th- to suit themselves Government B- of Ontario, b- ends, and aim- party purposes- ary on the boat This Bill showe- did not feel con- legislation to- ed by the mis- A similar at- 1872, but it- than this woul- vanced that the- resented as they previous oceanic The hon. gen- though he mig- he could not- and that thou- ers, in many- their votes agai- duty to appeal, had associated- tlemen from o- the ties of co- oak them to ap- Ontario the pr- to have appli- county bound- violated most- quoted the rem- 1872, relative- in gaining co- the right hon- still held these- present action- Mowat had n- ples. The exc- if true; but th- on an utter al- ing of Mr. Mo- cognized thro- municipal cou- Blake after w- equalizing po- while some co- 13,000 of a p- wards of 25,00- adjoining cou- population of- tencies, such- and North Lo- went over in d- to show how i- the Grits, and- stitutions he- political effe- stance after if- the Bill was- friends, while- exception of- Mr. Plumb, i- silence. The- in Bruce was- and it was J- John's preten- the populati- in the arrang- West Ridings- by the South- Bruce; by t- which, on th- 1878, would g- about 1,000- municipalities- into another- changes had- tario, where i- would be p- constituencies- being "thived"- follows:—On- 1878—North O- 688; East Sin- 583; West B- 446; total in- total in those- with an equ- in which the- gether. The-

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The Poet's Corner.

Last Summer's Dress. BY BESSIE CHANDLER. I have been thought my last summer's dress Had a peculiar "closing-out day,"

ANGIE'S TRAMP.

Such an exquisite morning! The air laden with sweet scents and sounds—the grass with gems of dew-drops. Angie sat at her vine-wreathed window, chin upon hand, attempting to read, but

while tears stood in his eyes. "It's the first time I've been treated like a gentleman for years. I wasn't always like this—maybe you won't believe me, but I lived in as good a house as this

"No, no," cried Angie "not the end. Oh, think of the after life. How dare you go so unprepared! Her energy started him into life. He raised his dull eyes and looked at her.

Care of the Hands. A well-formed hand, white and soft, with tapering fingers and polished nails, is a rare gift; but where nature has denied those possessions it is easy, by proper attention, to give at least softness and delicacy of appearance to the hand

Consumption can be cured. In this changeable climate of ours, every one should remember that Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry has proven itself to be a positive cure for consumption, asthma, bronchitis, and all lung diseases.

Starting News from Ireland.

The cable brings startling news from Ireland in the cruel assassination, at Dublin, on Saturday evening, of the newly-appointed Chief Secretary for Ireland, Earl Cavendish, and of Under Secretary Burke.

A MARVEL OF INGENUITY. What a Quiet German of Waterloo Made. For the last three or four years there has lived and quietly pursued his daily work, unknown and unnoticed amongst us, a German immigrant, who has in his leisure hours completed a work which is at once a marvel of ingenuity and a monument of patient labor.

1882. Harper's Magazine. ILLUSTRATED. Always varied, always good, always improving.—CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr. Harper's Magazine, the most popular illustrated periodical in the world, begins its forty-fourth volume with the December Number.

Uncle Tom. The Great Cleansing Fluid. MRS. WARNOCK. Has great pleasure in announcing to her many friends and patrons in Goderich and vicinity, that she has secured the sole right and privilege to manufacture and sell

very fine, but everything looks spotless and bright. The chairs have no particular places, and any body feels at liberty to draw the sofa out when it pleases him. There is no pruniness about the place. It is a lovely home—place for indulgence and repose. That is the kind of a home that is needed; a room combining the freedom of bachelorhood with the soft refining influence of woman.

John Colton, a sailor on the schooner Canada, of St. Catharines, fell from aloft, fracturing the base of his skull. He died two hours afterwards.

A GENTLEMAN AGED 65, writes: "I heartily thank you for the great benefit I have gained through the use of your wonderful rejuvenator, known as Mack's Medicine. I am fully restored—feel like a young colt." Read the advertisement in another column.

ST. JACOBS OIL. THE GREAT GERMAN REMEDY. FOR RHEUMATISM, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Throat Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains, Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.

ALLAN LINE OF ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS. LIVERPOOL, LONDON, DERRY, GLASGOW. WINTER SERVICE SAILING FROM HALIFAX EVERY SATURDAY.

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SEEGMILLER Chilled Plow AND AGRICULTURAL WORKS.

Having purchased the Goderich Foundry, am fitting the premises for the manufacture of CHILLED PLOWS and AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS on a large scale.

TO BUILDERS. KINTAIL BRICK YARD. A quantity of good white brick on hand for sale at reasonable rates.

G. H. OLD Garden Seeds, Turnip & Mangold Seeds. Of all kinds and at bottom prices. Also a very large stock of first class

TEAS. A speciality. 13 VARIETIES ON HAND. AT 25, 40, 50, 60, and 75c Per Lb. AND 5 lbs. For \$1.00. Try Them.

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For 1882 is an elegant book of 120 Pages, two Colored Plates of Flowers, and more than 1000 Illustrations of the choicest Flower, Plants and Vegetables, and Directions for growing. It is handsome enough for the Gentleman or a Holiday Present.

MICA AXLE GREASE. Composed largely of powdered mica or talc, glass, is the BEST and CHEAPEST lubricant, in the world—the BEST because it does not gum, but forms a highly polished surface over the axle, reducing friction and lightening the draft; the CHEAPEST because it costs NO MORE than inferior brands, and one box will do the work of two or three other makes.

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Two centuries of trial. A woman, with plain six rusty curls, all white, and happy. About the bright, bright, bright. A pretty, in a ham, Langsh's, Dovers, while as in, And gently, "Be man in, Are neither, But of old, That is old. Fu. There lived a, Who thought, To. But he very so, "Some pe, "are always, putting thori, her for havin, A man wh, years accide, four other pe, time he ever, he forgot all, ber down wi, "I throw the p, ly said the p, the editorial, when it came, post about, in less t, table. A gentle, house hearin, morning, he, grooms hold, on a horse, r, once round, what it all m, said they "v, to market, to, able to say th, every one is, must needs, Mr. Blake b, cause. Mr. Bl, of his speech, insulting an, itself is desc, impertinent, end." We a, did his best, "blatant an, "no enemy c, more mischie, Blake attempt, ture," and th, tirade of vir, land." It se, not only the, the Mail to, Irish, but th, word in defe, be beaten ba, abuse.—[Tel, Mr. Blai, The resol, Blake are a, ground of C, ger liberty a, rights. The, ly passing w, when Sir J, them. Afte, paper, he sp, rambling at, already refe, powers. It, listen to him, quer paradi, clared that t, tie between, in the next l, Galt was ma, present time, more than b, I am sorry to, tory to his, ents. The, touched the, speeches of, Counsel. T, for independ, vote for the, the right di, they went fu, al independ, Advertiser, ALCOHOL, says that La, have found, in the blood, Grehent, it, ments, has e, proportion c, ficient to pr, of intoxican, (20) strength, doses, at an, the same tim, breathe the, lute alcohol, of pulmonar, an hour, ab, of blood ver, artery. It v, eight minin, corresponds, of blood. Th, toxicated. Fortness, Thousand, using prepe, the health c, are Billiou, poor appeti, and general, moment, b, bottle of th, ters, which, for the tridi, bune. Sol



