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Written for the Signal.

To a Grasshopper.

PARAPHRASED FROM THE TRANSLATION OF AN ODE BY ANACREON.

O! grasshopper, whose mirthful beat
Thy joyous heart declares:
We deem thy happiness complete
Unscathed by threatning cares!
For, having sipped from lofty trees
The dropping dews of Spring,
Thou hopp'st about with cheerful ease
And chantest like a king!

Whatever charm the fields bestow
To greet thy roving sight:
What treasures from the season flow
Are thine by native right.
The toiling husbandman, in thee
A friendly guest may own:
Thou cheer'st his heart melodiously
And plottest hurt to none.

Sweet prophet of the summer hours!
All mortals share thy love:
The nurses court thee in their bowrs;
And Phœbus, from above
With azure beauty graced thy form
And varied sun bow dyes!
He fill'd thy breast with raptures warm;
Thy throat with melodies!

O! wise must be thy love of song:
All earthborn tho' it seem:
Nor sense of pain—nor dread of wrong
Can mar thy bloodless dream!
Old age may come—but careless still
Thy glowing measures breathe:
Minds loftiest, godlike principle
Immutable in death.

WM. BANNATYNE.

"The reader must not suppose that the old Greek Bard meant the brood of grasshoppers commonly known by the name in Canada and elsewhere through America, the former being harmless and beautiful insects, whilst the latter are ravenous and pestilent and should properly be called *Locusts*."

"Olive Varcoe."

CHAPTER IX.

The old mansion of Bosvigo slept—slept in deep tranquility, with its belt of giant firs keeping watch and ward around it, and all the shadows of its gaining gables and latticed windows lying stilly on the moonlit lawn. Down in the courtyard at the back lay other shadows, unquiet with the quivering of leaf and flower, and changing fitfully as the great branches swayed to and fro in the bay, standing at the gate, swayed in the uncertain breeze. Now, as the shadow of the huge oak trembled on the pavement, there glimmered distinctly among the leaves the grey and ghostly likeness of a man. Then a tawny dog sprang from his kennel his chain, whole length, and with one short angry bark, waited with watchful eye upon the trees till the branch shook violently, and the man himself swinging at arm's length dropped noiselessly on the ground. Then the dog snapped his chain, and rushed upon him with one wild spring.

'Bolster! good Bolster, down!' said the man, in a low voice.

The dog crouched at the man's feet; but his short barks of joy, and his eagerness and suppressed excitement showed that Bolster know his master.

'Have you got the dog?' whispered another voice, and a face peered anxiously over the wall.

'Yes,' said Charles Vigo, shortly. 'Recollect your master has pledged his word to me that the dog is to be well treated, and to be brought back to Bosvigo as soon as this strange hunt is over.'

'All right, Mr. Marcombe; it shall be done. And I shall be glad when the dog is back' said Sir Anthony's man, sulkily; 'for this here work do look more like dogstealing than anything else I ever said.'

Charles Vigo smiled at the man's words, and seizing the bough of the oak, he once more swung himself on to the wall, and dropped down on the other side, whistling lightly to the dog as he went. Bolster few frantically to the wall, then to the locked gate, which he finally succeeded in surmounting. Sir Anthony's man looked on with great admiration.

'Curious he do come arter you just as if you was his master,' said he.

Again Charles Vigo stooped to pat Bolster, in order to hide the smile that passed over his face.

'I have begged a pair of old shooting gloves from Mr. Vigo's servant, that once belonged to his master,' said Charles; 'and it's wonderful how these retrievers will recognise the scent.'

'Ah, it's very queer altogether,' returned the man. 'I can't say this is a hunt as I shall like to follow.'

They walked on silently through the grounds into the road, where a light cart awaited them, into which they sprang, and drove away.

It was about an hour after this, when Charles Vigo returned to Menheniot Farm, and laid his hand on the shoulder of its gloomy master, who sat cowering over a turf fire, which smouldered on the hearth, in an old fashioned wide chimney.

'Skews,' said he, 'you must go to this man-hunt.'

'You—you can't mean that you are going to let this be?' stammered the farmer, bending his white face still lower over the embers.

'Yes—why not?' said young Vigo. 'Let them hunt, and find, if they will.'

'Hore?' asked Skews, hurriedly.

'Here!' repeated Charles. 'No. Are they likely to find Mr. Vigo at your house, or any other helper in a murder?—eh, Skews?'

The miserable man glanced upwards into his questioner's face with a look of helpless cowardice and fear; but he uttered not a word.

'Bolster will not come hither to look for his master,' continued the other. 'Never fear that, man.'

'Where is the dog?' said Skews, looking around in terror.

'In Sir Anthony's stable,' was the reply. 'He will be let out at three o'clock; and Sir Anthony and a man of his, who is in the secret, will follow him on horseback.'

'Will the scent lie well, Mr.—Mr. Marcombe?' asked Skews, with his eyes still on the fire.

'Trust Bolster for making no mistake,' replied Charles. 'If it was only an old glove, he'd find it.'

Skews was silent for a moment; then curiosity evidently got the better of his fears.

'Where do you mean to go, sir, if you don't stay here?' he asked in his old hesitating way.

'Oh, we'll go together, Skews,' said he. 'We shall have some rare sport.'

Skews seemed by no means to relish this prospect; he moved uneasily on his seat, and said gloomily, 'What's the good? I don't see the good. I can't make out what you are going to do.'

'Come with me, and then you'll see what I am going to do,' said the other. 'I have chosen a splendid hiding-place.'

The commanding voice was in his ear. Sir Gryll's hand was on his shoulder, and the pointed pistol of Charles Vigo. When the time was up, and his tongue had ceased to count, the blank silence that fell upon him was more horrible than the threatening voice of the pistol of his foe, or even than the touch of that death-cold water.

'Mr. Vigo! Mr. Vigo!' he said, softly.

Silence still. Then he began to count again. He had made a mistake surely, and he knew Mr. Vigo would not speak till the minutes of grace were gone. He counted with a dry tongue and a gasping throat, for every moment was a torture now. Suppose the young man had gone away, and left him here by this hideous pool alone! The thought lifted his hair as though an unseen hand had passed through it, and brought cold beads of sweat upon his brow. And the moon was going down, the face of the pool was darkening slowly, with here and there a gleam and flash, a ripple of ghastly light always showing him the corpse of Eleanor floating towards him in horrible distinctness. The dark shadow on the water creeping ever nearer, nearer, appalled him more than the glistening light had done; and the waving of tall rushes on the pool's brink, the creak and sway of unseen boughs moaning around him, all shook his abject soul with supernatural terrors. And now a branch on the opposite side of the pool swayed wildly to and fro. It swayed without any sudden gust or moan of wind. He saw it by a line of light, which glanced between the trees from the setting moon, and struck the water like a ghostly lance, showing the branch swaying to and fro without wind, and without human hand. Then the light quivered and went out; but, as it vanished, a face rose up among the leaves of the swaying branch, and looked at him. The sight was too horrible, and he fell down on the earth, biting at the grass and clutching with quivering lips, and grasping at gnarled roots and weeds with clutching fingers.

'Mr. Vigo!' he shrieked, 'for heaven's sake speak to me, sir!'

He had his breath to listen for an answer, but none came. His heard only the swaying of the boughs, and the moan of the wind among the tree-tops. Then, gathering strength, he thought to rise and depart; but as he gained his feet, a wiry form hand pressed him down upon his knees, and a voice—not Charles Vigo's—said in cutting accents, 'This is the fit attitude for a confession, Farmer Skews. I am Mr. Vigo's friend. You might deny what you said to him, but "in the mouth of two witnesses shall a testimony be approved." Now, let us hear why you stood by, and saw a helpless girl murdered, and never stirred a finger to help her.'

The words fell like a flaxen cord through the coward's dull brain that he might deny his confession to Charles Vigo; but now, as he felt Mr. Herlot's strong hand upon him, he knew that he was hailed every turn, and that he was gone.

'Don't be hard upon me, gentleman,' he whined, as he held out his hands towards the dim form of Charles Vigo, standing between him and the pool. 'I am a poor man, from his right. You don't turn me out of house and home.'

'We will talk about that bright and honest man by and by,' said Mr. Herlot. 'If the coast is clear, I'll see that he gets some of your share of the punishment of your sin.'

'I swear to you, gentleman, I never meant—I never, rather than let that happen, would have told all I did.'

'Come, come, no more of this, if you don't want to be knocked down and kicked along the road before me.'

Skews needed not this warning. Meek, illused as he considered himself, he went a martyr, protesting he only wanted to be heard fairly, and to tell all the truth, since he must tell it, in his own way.

'I shall sit up for you, Charles,' said Mr. Herlot, as he disappeared leading the coward with him.

Charles Vigo stood, first for the moon had gone down, among the leaves, and then for the distant sound of wheels, which echoed from the road beyond the wood; and during this time the short, anxious bark that had sounded far away approached nearer, but he did not turn his ear to this till the sound of rapid wheels had died in the distance.

'They are safe away,' said Charles Vigo to himself. 'Now let Sir Anthony Roskelly find out the truth, if he can. I want none of his meddling, and I will not pander to his hate of Lady Trewavas.'

The young man walked slowly up the green knoll, and and sat down on one of the felled trees that lay desolate about the ruins of the Lady's Bower.

'Is it thus Sir Hilton Trewavas thinks to forget?' he said, wearily, as he looked upon the ruin around. 'If he had not Olive's love, I could almost pity him.'

Turning from the thought that pained him, Charles Vigo divested himself of the thick red wig that came low upon his forehead, the uncouth collar, the glaring necktie, and other devices by which he had so effectually disguised himself; after which he lighted a match, to see the time by his watch; then he lighted a cigar, and, coolly smoking, awaited his foes.

(To be continued.)

The work of enlarging the Welland canal has actively commenced. The new locks will be 270 feet long and forty-five feet wide, with a depth of water over the sills of twelve feet. The enlarged facilities of the canal will cause shipowners to increase the tonnage of vessels already constructed wherever practicable, and new vessels will doubtless be constructed of a size to suit the improved capacity of the canal.

The Credit Valley Railway Company seem to be very successful in obtaining bonuses. On Thursday last a by-law granting $110,000 was carried in the town of Galt and township of North Dumfries. A sectional by-law for a large amount, was also carried the same day in the County of Oxford. It is said the construction of the road will now be vigorously proceeded with, and that by the fall of 1874 it will be completed and in working order form Toronto to St. Thomas.

CREE.—From a Manitoba paper we copy one verse of the beautiful hymn, "Nearer, my God, to Thee," done up in Cree by the Rev. J. McDougall, of the Saskatchewan:

Ke-se-wog-ne-man-toom,
Ke-nah-te-tin;
Ah-ye-man-ook-ke-yam.
Ne-ga-we-koon;
Ah-yeek-wa-ga-ge-ga,
Ne ga-se ed gah-moon,
Ke-se-wog-ne-man-teom,
Ke-nah-te-tin.

A HOUSEHOLD REMEDY.—No family should be without some efficacious remedy for the cure of affections so universally prevalent as coughs, colds, sore throat, hooping-cough and croup, some remedy, too which can be relied on as safe, sure and certain. *Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry* combines the desiderata.

☞ A common cough or cold should never be trifled with, often when neglected it is converted into a serious and generally fatal pulmonary disease. The more prudent, aware of this, promptly use "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers" a curative which has sustained its reputation for over twenty years. These are always efficacious and insert a most beneficial influence on all the Bronchial and pulmonary organs. Sold by all Druggists and country dealers. Price 25 cts. per box.

The Canadian Monthly on the Pacific Railway Scandal.

We referred in our last issue to the article on "Current Events" in the *Canadian Monthly* for August, in which the Pacific Railway matter is spoken of. Hitherto the writer of "Current Events" has come out in support of the Government of Sir John A. Macdonald, but their conduct on the Railway matter has opened his eyes, and as his change of opinion has been caused by the evidence produced his views are entitled to great weight. The first portion of the article was written before the publication of Mr. McMullen's letter. Here is what he says of Sir Hugh Allan,—

"With regard to the case of Sir Hugh Allan, there can be neither doubt as to the material facts nor difference of opinion among any in whose breasts honor and patriotism have not ceased to reside; and, therefore, it is as needless as it would be painful to accumulate censure upon the head of a man of whom yesterday we were most proud. He who, if Canada owes him much, owes her everything—princely wealth, high social position, royal friendship, a title of imperial honor—stands convicted, by his own explicit confession, of having attempted to add another heap to his vast store by corrupting her constituencies, her public men, her bar, her press, in concert with a ring of foreign speculators, into whose hands he was ready to throw the great Canadian enterprise, and with it, perhaps, the very destinies of his country."

Referring to Sir John A. Macdonald he says,—

"That which really bears hard on the Prime Minister, and places him distinctly in the position of a defendant at the bar of the nation, is not any particular passage in the letters, but the general disclosures of the character and proceedings of those with whom he has been acting, and in whose hands he has placed the Pacific Railway, with its vast subsidies and its attendant power. Is it possible that, when he signed the charter, he can have been ignorant of the methods by which Sir Hugh Allan and his associates had been seeking to secure their prize—of the tendencies which they had manifested, and of the course which they were still pursuing? Is it possible that he can have been ignorant of the prevalence of bribery in the elections, or of the source from which, as it is now manifest, a good deal of the money came? A high-souled Minister, like Chatham, dwelling apart, on a pinnacle of sequestered greatness, may be unconscious of the corruption which the Newcastles and their tribe are carrying on far beneath his feet; but such unconsciousness is not credible in the case of a Minister who finds his native element in *electioneering*—*exhibits himself in company with the most party agents, and devotes with his own hands the coarsest work of the campaign.* Again, when Sir John A. Macdonald called upon his faithful majority to vote down in silence Mr. Huntington's motion, on the ground that enquiry was a gratuitous insult, did his conscience bear him out in his attitude of indignant innocence? Did he really believe that there was nothing which, if known to the people, would give rise to a righteous demand for investigation? And when, having by these tactics wrested the nomination of the Chairman of the Committee out of the hands of Mr. Huntington, and got it into his own, he nominated the member for Cardwell instead, did he suppose himself to be placing at the head of the tribunal the man who would make it his object, above all things, to do justice to the community?"

He also adds,—

"But he has governed the country to a great extent through objectionable instruments and by objectionable means. He has been the centre and organizer of a system the evil tactics of which will be left deep in the character of our people for many a day."

Referring to the conduct of Messrs. Blake and Dorion in refusing to accept a Royal Commission, he says,—

"Its members were manifestly right in refusing to allow it, without the authority of the House, to be turned into a Royal Commission appointed by the party accused."

The duty of the Governor General with reference to prorogation is thus stated,—

"The ordinary relations between him (Lord Dufferin) and his constitutional advisers are manifestly suspended while the Ministers are under impeachment. He must take the prerogative for the present into his own hands, and we must hear nothing of prorogations in the interest of either side. Till it is known how many elections Sir Hugh Allan bought, it will not even be certain that the present Ministers are at the head of a real majority, and constitutionally entitled to advise the Crown. Indeed, the sooner the Pacific Railway Parliament is sent back to the country, the better for the authority of our Legislature and the soundness of our institutions."

The above extracts were all penned before McMullen's letter appeared. If the guilt of the Government was so evident to one of their most able supporters before, what will it be now. Let us see. He says, referring to the letters and telegrams included in the letter,—

"If the genuineness of these documents cannot be disputed, it is manifestly the duty of the Governor General at once to take such measures as will place the Executive Government of the country in untainted hands."

Again,—

"The suggestion that the money drawn by Sir John A. Macdonald and Sir George Cartier was to come from any fund other than the purse of Sir Hugh Allan and his partners as railway contractors, or *that these great sums were subscribed merely on political grounds, is totally incredible.* But even this plea, so untenable that it must be regarded as the offspring of despair, leaves untouched, or rather by implication confesses, the fact that the Minister of Justice has been *guilty of spending large sums contrary to law*, as well as to public morality, in electorial corruption.

He also adds,—

"We now understand too well what was meant by the refusal, on pretexts impudently hollow, to amend the election law before the general election."

The following sentence is pretty hard on Sir John. With it we will conclude our extracts from what is a terse, written and well expressed article.

Sir John A. Macdonald, who has held office since 1858 who has the state of corruption on his British Privy Council, considering what the c[illegible] Hugh Allan were known [illegible] *lose of corruption is deep [illegible] of treason.*"

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Letter from a Canadian Watering Place.

The following letter appears in the Cincinnati *Gazette*. It is from the pen of Mr. Jas. Clegg, a former resident of Goderich, who spent a few months here this summer and who is now on the editorial staff of the *Gazette*.

To the Editor of the Cincinnati Gazette:

Goderich, Ontario, within the past few years, has grown into some favor as a place of quiet resort in summer. Other and better known places furnish to the visitor a greater amount of gayety and amusement, but I know of none offering equal opportunities for rest and pleasant relaxation.

The town is located on the eastern shore of Lake Huron, 160 miles from Buffalo, by the Buffalo & Lake Huron Division of the Grand Trunk Railway, 155 miles by water from Detroit, and by rail, via Detroit, about twenty hours' ride from Cincinnati.

Built upon a bluff, it overlooks on the west an immense expanse of blue water, and to the north the picturesque Maitland River—a clear stream of murmuring water scrambling in falls and rapids over a rocky bed between precipitous banks. The country for many miles back is a high and rolling table land of gravelly soil and marvelously healthy where fevers and all malarious diseases are unknown, and the song of the mosquito is rarely heard. To a Cincinnatian most striking is the remarkable clearness of the atmosphere, which, compared with the amber hue enveloping the landscape of his own latitude, seems here tinged to the faintest imaginable degree with green. Upon one's system the gloriously bracing and recuperative action of the atmosphere is perceptible in a single day.

During the present month of July the mercury has seldom reached 70°. No day has been uncomfortably chilly, while the nights have been so cool that a blanket has not been undesirable, and sound and refreshing sleep consequently the invariable rule.

Perhaps one of the pleasantest features of the locality is the sunset, followed by the long hour of twilight. The winds, no matter how they have been playing throughout the day, suddenly become still, and the water quieter as the sun approaches. Just as the sun seems to dip into the lake, the great body of water is burnished and brightened until it resembles a molten mass of the same material, and shadows on shore are lengthened into miles while a most indescribable tint or glamour is cast upon grass, and tree, and shrub by the peculiar reflection of light from below. As the last upper edge disappears below the wave, one by one the rays are withdrawn, and by 9 o'clock, or half past, lake and sky have resumed their usual hue, and darkness has fully set in. And then for the first time you hear the lazy slush of the waves upon the pebbly beach half a mile below.

Besides the numerous salt wells, sulpher and chalybeate springs abound, none of which, unfortunately, have yet been so utilized as to be of service to tourists.

There are now probably from a hundred to a hundred and fifty Canadian and Americans visitors at the several hotels and boarding houses. The quiet town has itself in of course not remarkably attractive, but there has been no lack of interest in boating on the broad river, in fishing for bass and brook trout, in steamboat riding on the lake, in picnic parties to the extensive grove of Sir A. T. Galt, on the north ridge, the freedom of which has kindly been given to all visitors, and in drives along the river banks to the falls, and over excellent gravel roads in all directions into the interior. Although none of the hotels are provided with ball rooms proper, the dining halls have served quite as well for many social hops, in which the fashion and beauty of Goderich have heartily participated.

A number of prominent Cincinnatians have been during the past two or three years; among whom I might mention the Rev. John H. Elliott, D.D., and family and Jas W. Gaff and family. There are but few the present season, however. On the hotel registers I see at the British Exchange the names of Ames Morrill, of Galveston, Texas, (Judge of the U. S. District Court) and family, and of Wright's Maitland Hotel the names of H. P. Bridge and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Garrison, of Detroit, and ladies, with their families from Baltimore, Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis, and other American cities. Quite a number of Americans have bought summer residences here, where their families reside during the four hot months. Among these are Albert Crane, of Chicago, Richard Hawley, of Detroit and Mrs. General Lee. There are also a number of families from St. Louis and elsewhere.

Not the least, perhaps, of the luxuries of Goderich as a summer resort, is the evidence of conscience among the business men. The greatest want of the place is that of better hotel accommodation for visitors. While those already open are not crowded, one or two hotels holding three or four hundred guests could easily be filled. It is to be hoped that in one or two seasons the want may be at least partly supplied. C.

Goderich, Ont., Aug. 2.

St. Catherines:

ACCIDENT TO A G. W. ERIKSON.

NARROW ESCAPE OF 200 PASSENGERS.

ENGINE, TENDER AND ONE CAR IN THE CANAL.

St. Catherines, Aug. 19.—The No. 10 express train on the G. W. R., which passes here

New Advertisements.

Vinegar Bitters.
In Press—John Lovell.
Wanted—J. Latham & Co.
Stationery—T. J. Moorhouse.
Insolvent Notice—John Fair.
Residence for Sale—F. Armstrong.
To Summer Visitors—Lucius Carey.
Notice to Contractors—A. Armitage.
Notice of Guardianship—Margt. Holmes.
Auction Sale of Real Estate—P. G. White.
Sale of Lots at Wingham—Crown Land Department.
Sale of Lots at Port Albert—Crown Land Department.

Huron Signal.

GODERICH, Aug. 27, 1873

A Summer Hotel.

For some years past the advisability of having a large summer hotel in Goderich has been talked over. Our town is every year becoming more generally and favourably known as a pleasant resort during the summer months, and nothing but the inadequacy of our hotel accomodation has prevented large numbers, from Canadian as well as American towns and cities, from resorting hither. Unfortunately our townspeople, though ever ready to talk are slow to act, and season after season is allowed to slip past without anything being done. There is a movement on foot at present, however, which we trust will result in securing the desired accomodation. John Kirkpatrick, Esq., to whom the old Maitland Hotel and grounds belong, has on several occasions offered to hand them over to a Joint Stock Company at a fair valuation, as stock in an enterprise of the kind. His offer has never been taken advantage of, and not feeling inclined to erect a hotel himself, he at last decided to turn a portion of the grounds (which were none too large for a hotel) to his own use, and erect a private residence thereon. This move seems to have stirred up some of our people, and Mr. Kirkpatrick has been induced to suspend building operations in the meantime. We understand there are parties willing to answer for the stock in the proposed company provided the town will do its share by granting a bonus to aid in the undertaking. The matter will probably be submitted to the Council next Friday evening, when we trust they will do their duty. It is proposed to ask a bonus of $30,000, to grant which a by-law will have to be submitted to the people. That the investment would prove remunerative there can be no doubt. The trade of Goderich will be seriously affected by the Southern Extension of the W. G. and B. Railway under construction, and it is of importance to our business men, as well as others, who are their patrons during the summer months, should be induced to stay further. Unless action is taken at once, Mr. Kirkpatrick will turn the site, which is by far the best in the neighbourhood, to his own use, and the opportunity of securing it will be lost. Let our business men for once exert themselves and carry the scheme to a successful issue, and if necessary let the town grant a liberal bonus, exemption from taxation, or whatever else may be required, and we may secure that great desideratum, increased hotel accomodation for summer visitors, upon which the prosperity of our town so much depends.

The Pacific Scandal.

The Tory papers profess to be exceedingly anxious that the Pacific Railway Scandal should be investigated under oath and on this ground justify the appointment of a Royal Commission. After all, it appears that Parliament can secure the administration of an oath before its committees in three different ways, stated by the *Globe* as follows,—"*First*, it can call in a magistrate to administer the oath; *second*, it can pass an Act empowering the members of any specified Committee to administer an oath; and, *third*, it may address the Crown asking that one or more members of any Committee may be created Royal Commissioners for the purpose of administering the oath." As a Parliamentary Committee is the proper tribunal to investigate the charges it is not at all probable Mr. Huntington will appear before the Commission, composed as it is of three Tory judges, who have already been closeted with the accused and no doubt received their instructions. A copy of the Commission has been sent to Mr. Huntington with a request for him to appear before it, with his witnesses, at Ottawa, on the 4th of September. It is not likely he will do so, but will wait till Parliament meets, when the charges can be investigated in the proper way.

An Impartial Tribunal.

An Ottawa despatch says,—"Judges Polette and Day arrived here last night and Judge Gowan this morning, and were closeted all this afternoon with Sir John A. Macdonald."

We thought this Royal Commission was to be an impartial tribunal. Fancy a criminal being closeted with the jury who are to try him. But the "whitewashers" must receive their instructions as to what evidence they are to admit. This Royal Commission business is a perfect farce. We do not see how Mr. Huntington can appear before them and if rumour be correct he does not intend to.

A Long Speech.

The trial of the Tichborne Claimant, is still dragging its slow length along. On Thursday last Mr. Kenealy, the leading counsel for the defence, concluded his address to the jury. He commenced to speak on the 22nd of July, and has occupied the attention of the Court every day since, with the exception of the usual adjournment from Saturday to Monday, and an extra adjournment on the 5th of August, on account of a press of [illegible]

NEWS OF THE WEEK

A land slide recently took place about 60 miles from Lima, in Peru, which has blocked a river, the waters of which have risen to the extra height of 109 feet and threaten the town of Lima.

A despatch from Bombay reports destructive floods in the Province of Agra, where 3,500 native houses were swept away by the waters.

A few days ago, 150,000 Japanese farmers were in rebellion; but a two weeks rain set in, when the rebels struck for their respective homes at double-quick. Peace was consequently restored without a shot being fired.

Mr. James Baird, a Scotch iron master has paid over to a body of trustees, to be called the Baird Trust, half a million pounds, to be applied for religious purposes in connection with the Church of Scotland.

A despatch from Arkansas, on Saturday, says the steamer George Wolfe blew up at St. Francis Island on Friday, killing twelve persons and wounding fifteen others.

A collision occurred on Saturday morning on the Great Northern Railway at Retford near Nottingham, by which it is reported twenty lives were lost and several persons injured.

LOCAL NEWS.

A NUMBER OF LOCAL ITEMS held over from last week will be found on the fourth page.

ACCIDENT.—We understand a man named Cassady fell out of a waggon while coming up the harbour hill last Friday, and sustained severe injuries.

COLE'S CIRCUS.—Cole's Dominion Circus will exhibit here on Thursday next, afternoon and evening. It is a Canadian combination and is highly spoken of by our contemporaries.

ASSAULT.—A man named Samuel Noble is now in jail here, charged with having committed two assaults on Leonidas Peck on the 16th and 19th of August. He will be brought before Judge Toms in a day or two.

TENDERS WANTED.—Tenders are called for, for the construction of the Brick, Stone, Wood and Iron work connected with the International Salt Co's works at Goderich. See advertisement. The Co. have their derrick erected and are evidently determined to push things.

CHINESE LABOUR.—John Brown, the great contractor of Thorold, has arranged to import Chinese labourers to complete the contracts he has in hand on the Welland Canal. Should he obtain further contracts on Goderich Harbour we have strong probably see some of his Celestials working here.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—A man named Malcolm Matheson met with a very serious accident at the harbour on Thursday last. He was engaged in assisting to unload a vessel, when by some means a spar fell, striking him on the head and cutting him severely. We understand he is in a fair way of recovery.

THE CROPS.—A person who travelled over the whole of the South Riding of this County last week and who is in the habit of moving about considerably, says the crops are better than many have been for twenty years. In everything except hay the yield has been most abundant. The weather has been very favourable for harvesting, nearly all the grain has been housed in excellent condition.

PRESENTATION.—Captain Symes, the popular commander of the steamer *Meaford* of the Beatty line, was recently presented with a magnificent plated water set, consisting of pitcher, salver and two goblets, by the passengers under his charge on a recent trip to Lake Superior. The Beatty line is fast gaining popularity, and no wonder with such officers as Captain Symes.

CIVIC HOLIDAY.—Yesterday was generally observed as a holiday in accordance with a proclamation issued by the Mayor. The event of the day was a picnic and ball held at Mr. Bingham's gardens by the Odd-fellows. As we were obliged to have our forms ready for press on Monday night, in order to give our hands the benefit of the holiday, we are compelled to hold over further particulars, as well as the latest news, till next issue.

OBITUARY.—We regret to announce the death of Mr. Edward C. Sayers, brother-in-law of R. M. Kirkpatrick, Esq., and himself a late resident of this town. Mr. Sayers left for Chicago by steamer a short time ago, and when off Saginaw was prostrated by a stroke of paralysis. The boat put ashore and medical aid was summoned, after which Mr. Sayers proceeded to his destination and thence home to Cayuga where he has been residing for some time past. He gradually sank from the effect of the stroke and expired on Monday evening of last week.

THE HARBOUR.—We understand the government are having prepared as rapidly as possible, plans for the further improvement of Goderich harbour, and tenders will shortly be called for. The proposed improvements include the building of docks, the extension of the breakwater to the beach, a cut below Galt's Hill as an outlet for the river, the repair of the damage done to the new piers last spring and the dredging of a large additional area. With these improvements properly carried out, our harbour will be second to none on the lakes.

SALE OF LOTS.—As will be seen by our advertising columns, the Government of Ontario intend disposing of a large number of Town and Park lots at Port Albert and Wingham next month. The villages were originally laid out by government and a large proportion of the lots still remain on their hands. The sale at Port Albert will take place on the 9th and that at Wingham on the 17th of September. We wonder if our Prog. contemporaries will raise as great a howl about this sale as they did over the sale of timber limits on Lake Huron.

PORT WILLIAM.—The bar at the mouth of the Kaministaqua River, Lake Superior, is now dredged out, so that steamers can land at the Fort. The *Manitoba* was the first vessel to effect a landing at that point, which she did on her last trip. It had been previously announced that the captain of the first passenger steamer which reached Fort William should be presented with two town building lots of land, the one by Messrs. Oliver, Davis & Co., who have large lumber establishments in the neighbourhood, and the other by the McKellar Brothers, residents of the fort and noted explorers of the country. Captain Symes accordingly was presented with the lots. We trust he will make a good speculation out of them.

ASSEMBLY.—A number of the boarders at Wright's Hotel, as a return for the attention shown them by certain of the towns-people, gave an assembly in the large dining room of the hotel on Thursday evening last, to which their friends here, as well as a number from Stratford, Seaforth, Clinton and other places were invited. The ladies who had the affair in charge spared no pains to make the entertainment a success, which it proved to be in every respect. The room was handsomely decorated and all the other arrangements were as perfect as could be desired. Every one who was present appeared to enjoy themselves and expressed their obligations to the ladies for having spent such a pleasant evening.

GRAIN CARGOES.—For the past week the Grand Trunk Elevator has been kept busy day and night discharging grain, principally corn, of which there has been quite a rush. Lake vessels and railway cars are very busy discharging into the very large vessels last week, the the *Homer* and the *Halsted* with these are the largest entered this harbour, the latter having been somewhat bushels. The cargo of 80 cars to enter the *Halsted* 90 cars. If the capacity of our harbour vessels are able to charge. Last year, dredged, they

The Seaforth Tragedy.

FULL PARTICULARS OF THE CRIME.

(From our special correspondent.)

The following particulars, from our special correspondent, of the dreadful tragedy which occurred near Seaforth last week, a short account of which we gave in the SIGNAL of Wednesday last, came to hand just too late for last issue. It will still be read with interest by those who have not seen a full report of the terrible occurence,—

A painful tragedy has just been enacted in Hullet. It seems that Robt. Scott, late teacher at Berne in Hay, but latterly a resident of Detroit from which place he returned on Thursday last, murdered his wife, a daughter of Mr. John McMillan of Hullett, under the following circumstances. His wife had came home from the States for the benefit of her health and had been staying at her father's for three or four weeks, McMillan had been trying to get a school for Scott, as the murdered woman it seems wanted her husband to come back to Canada, McMillan had got the promise of the Egmondville School. In the meantime Scott returned rather unexpectedly on Thursday morning last and instead of going to his father-in-law's place where his wife was, it seems proceeded towards Kinburn on the morning in question (Thursday), but strange to say did not arrive at his fathers home in Kinburn until Friday morning at 4 o'clock and then somewhat the worse of liquor according to his father's statement. His wife heard he had arrived and went over on Friday evening to see him and had her child with her. They stayed all night in old Mr. Scott's and on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock they started in company for McMillan's, where they did not arrive. McMillan it seems was somewhat anxious and sent to Kinburn to see if they were there and found they had left at 10. The day passed away and night came and no word of Scott his wife and child. On Sunday morning McMillan heard the crise of a child proceeding from the wood near his barn as he was bringing home his cows. He proceeded into the woods and found the child and a shawl. He brought both home and then with his son Walter went to search for the father and mother and found them both lying with their throats cut, between two rotton logs, in a hollow place. He then sent for Dr. Campbell of Seaforth, Coroner, who proceeded to the spot with a constable but as it was Sunday no Inquest could be held, but he examined the ground, the blood marks and the wounds and then ordered the bodies to be removed to McMillan's residence. In the meantime the news spread in all directions and large numbers visited the scene of the bloody tragedy. At one time there were it is calculated over 100 persons on the spot. The Inquest was opened on Monday at 10 o'clock first on the body of Mary Scott then on the body of her husband. The proceedings occupied the whole day until nearly 9 o'clock at night. Dr. King was requested by the coroner to make an examination of both bodies which result is as follows. The murdered woman had a deep cut on the right side of the neck sufficient to have caused death. There were also cuts on the arm in the neighborhood of the principal blood vessels. Scott had wounds on both sides of the neck, the one on the left side failing to cut the blood vessels, but the one on the right severing both the artery and vein of the neck, which must have caused death almost instantly. He had also cuts on his arms near the blood vessels of that part which however had failed to reach them. He was also mutilated on the private parts and the knife smeared with blood was found as it had evidently dropped out of his hand as death had forever relaxed his grasp. His coat was under his wife's head and the upper part of the body was divested of its covering. From the spot where the child was found to where the bodies were found was 70 yards and the blood was traced all the way between the two points and at one place there was evidence of a severe struggle, the ground having been literally ploughed up with the marks of boots. The Coroner gave every opportunity for a full investigation, calling any witnesses who could cast light on the subject and charging the the Jury at the conclusion of the evidence in "both cases."

The following is a detailed account of

THE INQUEST.

On Monday morning the following gentleman were sworn in as jurymen: D. D. Wilson, foreman: C. T. Dale, W. E. Caldwell, A. Sloan, John Hinchley, Robert Campbell, D. McGregor, Sen., D. McGregor, Jr., Thomas Stanley, John Thompson, Robert Robinson, W. H. Brown, George Cope, James Sutherland, Samuel Dorrence and John Williams. The Jury, after being fully instructed as to their duties by the Coroner, proceeded to view the bodies, and the scene of the tragedy. After this was concluded, the following evidence was taken. The first case proceeded with was that of Mary Scott:

EVIDENCE IN THE CASE OF MARY SCOTT.

Robert Scott, father of the deceased man, sworn: Am a shoemaker in Kinburn; Robert Scott came to my place on Friday morning about half-past 4 o'clock; I asked him if he had been at Egmondville and he said no; he said he did not think he would teach that school, but perhaps he might, he did not know yet; said he was tired and sleepy and would go to bed; went to bed immediately and lay till about 11; at noon, when I came into the house, he was still there; at 5 o'clock Mr. McMillan's son Walter came into my shop, and afterwards went down to my house to see Robert; my daughter told Robert that Walter McMillan was in the house and he had better some down at once; I see him; he, Robert complained of being weak and did not come down; Walter went home and told that Robert was at witness' place; Mary Scott, on hearing that her husband was at my place, came over, getting to my place about 8 o'clock; Mrs. Scott stopped over night; did not notice any quarrel or disagreement between Robert and his wife; did not witness meeting between Robert and his wife; Robert received a letter Saturday morning from Mr. McMillan's youngest son: he said he though McMillan would do something [illegible] seemed to shun society; never heard him threaten to take his own life, but have heard him speak very loosely about these things; after he stopped living with me I heard that he occasionally became the worse of liquor when in company; about two years ago he told me that he was afraid these melancholy fits were going to affect his mind.

John McMillan, father of Mary Scott, sworn: Mary Scott's husband was living in Detroit; she had been living with him, but for some time had been staying with me, being in bad health, but since her arrival was recovering; in writing to her husband had urged him to come to Canada and take a school; he had occupied the position of teacher in Canada; I had frequently urged him to again keep school, but as teaching had not agreed with him, he always refused to comply with my wishes in this respect. A letter was here read by witness which had been received by Mrs. Scott from her husband. The letter showed Scott's aversion to school teaching, but in it he said that for her sake he would return to Canada, if the Egmondville or No. 1 Tuckersmith school could be got for him. He also intimated to his wife that if he came to Canada he would require to borrow a small sum of money from her father to enable him to finally settle up his affairs in Detroit.] After receiving this letter she asked me what to do; I told her the best thing was for Robert to write to Mr. Dewar, the School Inspector; she then talked of going to see Mr. Dewar; a week ago she changed her mind, and said she would not go to see Mr. Dewar but would go back to Detroit, and would write to her husband to that effect; after I learned she intended going back to Detroit, I spoke to herself and told her I would see Mr. Dewar, and she might send a letter to her husband, as I would give her the money her husband said he would require; she said she would not take the money, but if I was going to see Mr. Dewar, she would wait and see the result; I went and saw Mr. Dewar; Mr. Dewar told me that Egmondville and Section No. 1, Tuckersmith, wanted a teacher; consulted with Mr. Dewar and Mr. Shaw and concluded to try Egmondville; then I went to see Mr. Jackson, one of the trustees. Mr. Dewar wrote a letter recommending Robert Scott as a teacher for Egmondville school; Mr. Dewar said the recommendation he had given was such as he would give to few teachers; Mr Dewar, Mr. Shaw and myself went to see trustees of Egmondville school; I handed Mr. Dewar's letter to Mr. Jackson; Mr. Jackson enquired if I knew what salary he wanted; I said, no; Mr. Jackson telegraphed Robert Scott, asking him if he would take it at the rate of $350, and if so to come to Egmondville on Thursday evening; heard no more till Friday; on Friday went to Mr. Jackson to learn the result of the meeting; Mr. Jackson showed me reply from Scott saying he would accept salary, and if he was to come to Egmondville on Thursday to commence; the whole day passed away; telegram: Mr. Jackson said the trustees would take no further action until Monday, and I was to telegraph to him and get him here or get a formal application from him; I telegraphed to him as I told him to come to Egmondville before Monday afternoon, the 18th; when I came home I was surprised to learn from my boy, who had been at Kinburn, that Scott was at his father's; his wife had gone over to see him; my wife wished her to wait till I came home, and then she could go with me; I did so; when I had done; she did not wait, however, as she said she feared he must be sick; on Saturday morning I sent Robert Scott a letter. [This letter was read by witness, and was to the effect a statement of what had been done with reference to getting him the school.] The boy who carried this letter returned and told me that his sister, Mrs. Scott, would come over in a while; they did not arrive; one of my boys left home to go to Kinburn about 5 o'clock, and had gone into Mr. Stanley's shop, where Mr. Scott, Sr., works; Mr. Scott asked if Robert and deceased had got to her father's; when the boy replied in the negative, Mr. Scott said they had left his place about 10 o'clock to go to my place; when the boy returned he told me of his fears; I almost immediately went to Kinburn to Mr. Scott's, my son-in-law and his daughter, who both told me that deceased had left about 10 o'clock with the intention of going to my place; I conversed with Mr. Scott for nearly an hour; Mr. Scott's daughter was in Mr. Scott's house when I first arrived, and his wife left; she asked Robert, on leaving, would he be back at morrow? He replied, 'yes, if I am in Hullett, I will be back tomorrow.' I remember of saying to Mr. Scott that something wrong must have happened; Mr. Scott replied that it was impossible anything could have happened, and had better wait till Sunday; we finally agreed that I should go home and come down to see Mr. Shaw, who was an intimate friend, or had gone to see about Egmondville school, or about a house to live in; came home about 7 o'clock, and on my way passed about 10 or 12 rods from where I found the infant on the following morning, but heard no noise; under the circumstances, myself and family felt uneasy; about 2 o'clock in the morning my dog made a noise; got up but could hear nothing; went back to bed; I got up in the morning, Sunday, about sun-rise and went for my cows; in going for the cows heard a noise, but after listening, did not hear noise repeated; on arriving back with the cows heard a similar noise, but after listening heard no more; proceeded about 4 or 5 rods when the noise was renewed, and know it at once to be the voice of an infant crying; went to where the noise proceeded from and saw the infant sitting up, and crying as hard as he could; proceeded back to the house with the infant; near where I found the infant there was a shawl lying; met my family on road to house; gave the infant to family and returned to woods; after getting some men to look for the body not found, found Robert Scott's pipe; proceeded some distance further when we found the bodies lying; returned to the house and apprised neighbors; returned to the scene with Mr. Scott, father of Robert; when we got to them we noticed that Mrs. Scott's arms and breast were bare; both heads had been lying on his coat; took her jacket, which was lying near her feet, and placed it over their faces; afterwards on leaving ground found first traces of blood where I found shawl at fence, near where we found the baby, saw indications of a struggle; my impression is that the baby had crept a distance of 10 or 12 yards; the blood marks were visible all the way from this place to where the bodies were found.

To Jurors—My first impression was that they had mutually consented to commit the deed and had left the baby to be discovered; but on finding marks of struggle, had abandoned this idea, and came to the conclusion that her husband had used violence; I still believe from what my daughter had previously stated to me that herself and her husband had ever been on the most amicable terms.

Gilbert McMichael, sworn: Am a farmer of the township of Hullett, and a distant relation of the deceased; am one of the first who saw the bodies; Mr. McMillan sent for me about 8 o'clock Sunday morning; when I proceeded to the woods I saw Mr. Scott and Mr. McMillan sitting on a log, about 30 yards from the bodies; I tracked blood marks from where the bodies were found to the fence, where the first struggle had apparently taken place; at the fence I saw pools of blood and indications of a great struggle having taken place; there were no marks of a struggle where the first blood was seen, but did see such marks about eight or ten yards from where the first blood was seen.

Dr. King, of Seaforth, sworn: The marks of external violence upon the deceased, Mary Scott, were three wounds, one upon the right side of the neck, another upon the right arm above the bend of the elbow, and the third on the left arm above the bend of the elbow; the wound upon the neck was 1½ inches in length, and three-quarters of an inch in depth; the main artery lay at the bottom of this wound, but was uninjured; the vein was cut more than half through; the wound on right arm was a quarter of an inch in length, but no vessels of importance were cut; the wound upon the left arm was trivial, appearing as if it had been made with the point of a knife; I know the wound on the neck would be sufficient to cause death; the others were harmless; deceased might have lived a long time

CHARADE.

My first you will find is the end of the Pig,
My next you'll discover in carving a Fig,
My third upon Bills is a favorite form
My next is the end of the Marquis of Lorne.

My fifth is a Bee so busy and free,
My next you will see is just before B;
My seventh is always the end of a Bull;
Of my next you will find just two in a Call.

My next you will find it's here all alone
An article is or may be a noun.

My tenth to the Blind real pleasure would give
My next is my sixth as sure as I live
My twelfth it is Fifty its funny no doubt,
My last is the same so please find me out.

For Choice Groceries
AT
FAIR PRICES.

☞ THE MOST
POPULAR BUSINESS
OF THE DAY,
TAILORING

THE MOST POPULAR MOVEMENT.
CLOTHING!
MOVING OUT OF
A. SMITH & COS.'
Merchant Tailoring
ESTABLISHMENT.

JUST received by the subscribers a full and complete assortment of
SPRING TWEEDS,
BROADCLOTHS,
FANCY COATINGS,
VESTINGS, &c.,
We are determined to sell as usual at prices to suit the times.
A GOOD FIT GUARANTEED,
OR NO SALE.
A LARGE STOCK OF
READY-MADE CLOTHING
principally home manufacture, comprising the newest things in
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
HATS, SHIRTS,
COLLARS, AND TIES.
all of which will be sold as low as any house in the trade. We say that our position as the leading Clothing House is the place to get
Good Clothes Made.
We are bound by strict attention to business, and by our facilities and experience in the trade, to be the interlopers in the clothing business. ☞ Cutting Charge. ☞ Wanted to Exchange Cloth for which the highest wages will be paid. Remember the stand, next door to the Post Office Store, on the [ ]
A. SMITH & CO.

☞ Now is your time to buy a Sewing Machine. The best, most popular Family-Machine now in the market. Agent,
Goderich, April 15, 1873.

PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION
OF THE
Agricultural & Arts Association
WILL BE HELD AT
TORONTO,
TO BE COMMENCED ON
The 22nd to 29th September, 1873.

Persons intending to exhibit will please take notice that the entries of articles in the agricultural classes must be made with the Secretary at Toronto, on or before the 2nd and other specified dates, viz:—

Horses, cattle, sheep, swine, poultry, agricultural implements, on or before Saturday, August 23rd.

Grain, field roots, and other farm products, machinery and manufactures generally, on or before Saturday, August 30th.

Horticultural products, ladies' work, the fine arts, &c., on or before Saturday, September 13th.

Prize list and blank forms for making the entries upon, can be obtained of the Secretaries of all Agricultural Societies and Mechanics' Institutes throughout the Province.

HUGH C. THOMSON,
Sec'y Agricultural and Arts Association.
Toronto, August 11, 1873. 1363c

For Sale.

HOUSE AND LOT, House with 11 rooms. For particulars apply to
JAMES MILLER,
At Foundry.
Goderich, Aug. 11th, 1873. 1362c

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to Dr. MACDOUGALL have been already notified to pay up and unless settlement be made before the FIRST of SEPTEMBER 1873, they will be sued.
SINCLAIR & SEAGER.
Goderich, 11th Aug. 1873. 1362 c

Seeds! Seeds!

Seed Potatoes,
Carrot Seed,
Turnip Seed,
BRUCE'S SELECTED EAST LOTHIAN PURPLE TOP.

This variety has been carefully selected and improved, so as to secure a globular shaped root, free from the least tendency to coarseness; it is very solid and heavy, and the flesh good in quality; it is particularly adapted to the richer description of soil; and for long keeping qualities can't be surpassed.

Per Pound 25 cents.

Also a General Stock of
GARDEN & FLOWER SEEDS,
AT
D. FERGUSON'S,
1359 Hamilton St., Goderich.

ATTENTION.

HARDWARE. HARD WARE.

PARTIAL LIST

of goods for sale at Parson's & Co's new Hardware Store, opposite the Market House.

NAILS, GLASS, PUTTY,
CARPENTERS TOOLS,
SPADES, SHOVELS,
SCYTHES, FORKS,
RAKES,
GRAIN CRADLES,

MANILLA ROPE,
HEMP AND RUBBER PACKING,
LEATHER BELTING, all sizes,
WHITE LEAD, all prices,
BOILED AND RAW OIL,
BLACK OIL,
MACHINERY OIL.
TURPENTINE,

And all kinds of
HARDWARE.
For Sale Cheap,
BY
G. H. Parsons & Co.
Opposite the Market House,
GODERICH
June, 28, 1871.

MOORE & McKENZIE have

On hand a very large Stock

Of Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots & Shoes, &c., &c.,

Received from the best markets, which

Everybody is invited to examine,

Which they offer at very low prices.

MACK also make to order

Clothing for Gents and Youths, they

Keep a complete assortment of Tweeds and Cloths

Embracing everything in the line, they will

Not allow themselves to be surpassed, but will

Zealously endeavour to furnish the very best Clothing

Intrusted workmen at the most prices that will give

Entire satisfaction to their Customers.

EXTENSIVE
Auction Sale,

Valuable Properties,
TOWN AND PARK LOTS
IN THE
TOWN OF GODERICH
AND
Township of Goderich.

THE undersigned has received instructions to sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION
at his Sale Rooms in the Town of Goderich, on
Wednesday the 3rd day of September,
at Two o'clock, P. M.

the whole of the following valuable property known as the Clark Estate:

That commodious substantially built Dwelling House and land attached situate on South Street in the Town of Goderich, adjoining the British Exchange Hotel, being composed of Lot No 169 in the Town of Goderich. The land is well stocked with standard Fruit Trees.

Also Lot No. 269, in the Town of Goderich, situate on the corner of South and Elgin Streets.

Also, Lot No. 1366 in the Town of Goderich, situate on the corner of Regent st. and Britannia Road.

Also, that beautifully situate, pleasant Homestead, consisting of fifteen acres of land on the Huron Road within one and a half miles of the Town of Goderich, with extensive buildings, large Orchard and shrubberies. This eligible property commands a splendid view of Lake Huron and the Town, and is composed of part of Lot No. 101 in the Maitland Concession of the Township of Goderich.

The remaining portions of Lot 101 Maitland Concession, will be sold in blocks of from five acres to fifteen acres to suit the purchasers.

Title indisputable—Immediate possession will be given.

TERMS OF SALE:

One Third Cash, balance in three equal annual instalments with interest at Seven per cent.

G. M. TRUEMAN,
Auctioneer.
Goderich, July 22d, 1873. 1379

AUCTION SALE
OF
Valuable Property
IN THE TOWN OF
WALKERTON.

There will be sold at HARTLEY'S HOTEL, Walkerton, on
TUESDAY, 2ND SEPT. NEXT,
at two o'clock p. m., the following valuable Town Lots, upon one of which, close to the River, there is a new frame building, measuring 40x32, erected for a foundry, and suitable for that or other factory. The Lots are No's. 1, 2, 3 & 4 on the east side of Queen Street, close to the River Saugeen, and near the Bridge, at West end of Town.

TERMS OF SALE:

One half on day of sale, the balance to be secured by mortgage on the property, payable in two equal annual payments. Interest at 8 per cent.

E. A. HEALY, Auctioneer.
Watt & Bridges, agents, Walkerton, from whom all particulars may be obtained. 1381-4w

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Voters Lists

FOR SALE AT THE SIGNAL Office, Goderich.

Lands for Sale
BY
E. WOODCOCK,
CONVEYANCER
And Land Agent.
OFFICE—Corner of West Street, Goderich.

A Valuable Farm

SITUATED in the second concession of the Western Division of the
Township of Colborne,
about four miles from Goderich, containing 200 acres of good land, nearly half of which is cleared and free from stumps, with Brick House, Barns, Stables, Workshops, &c. There is a good bearing Orchard of the choicest fruit on the estate. Well watered. Title indisputable. Terms easy.
E. WOODCOCK,
Conveyancer and Land Agent, Goderich.

Valuable Bush Lot.

BEING composed of Lot No 5, concession 10, in the
Township of Turnberry,
containing 100 acres. The soil is mixed from black loam to sandy loam, with a never failing creek running through the lot. Timber one-half Beech and Maple, the remainder Cedar, Pine and Hemlock. Soil heavy. This lot is very valuable, being situate within one mile of the Richmond, three miles from the village of Belmore, and miles from Wroxeter, and seven miles from Wingham. Title good. Terms to suit the purchaser. For further particulars apply to
E. WOODCOCK,
Conveyancer and Land Agent, Goderich.

A Good Farm,

SITUATE about six miles from Goderich, on the 5th con., E. D., of the
Township of Colborne,
containing 100 acres, 80 cleared and mostly under cultivation. The soil is good, varying from sandy loam to heavy black loam. There is a splendid creek running through the lot—also a small bearing orchard. To be sold cheap. For particulars apply to
E. WOODCOCK,
Conveyancer and Land Agent, Goderich.

Valuable Bush Farm,

SITUATE on the 12th con. of the
Township Of Grey,
within 1½ miles of the Railway. Timber mixed, Beech, Maple, and a large quantity of good Cedar. About 5 acres cleared with a Log House, &c. Soil excellent. Title indisputable—the best of sound bodies be given. Terms easy. For particulars apply to
E. WOODCOCK,
Conveyancer and Land Agent, Goderich.

A Desirable Farm,

SITUATE on the 6th con. Western Division of the
Township of Goderich,
on the Northern Road, [illegible] miles from Goderich, containing [illegible] acres of excellent land, [illegible] cleared and in good cultivation. [illegible]
E. WOODCOCK,
Conveyancer and Land Agent, Goderich.

Desirable Farm,

SITUATE in the Township of Goderich, about [illegible] from Goderich, within five walks of an [illegible], containing 80 acres, [illegible] cleared and in good cultivation. There is a Brick House and [illegible]. Large bearing orchard, [illegible] well watered. Title good, [illegible] very cheap [illegible] purchaser. For particulars apply to
E. WOODCOCK,
Conveyancer and Land Agent, Goderich.

Valuable Farm,

SITUATE [illegible] in a block in the
Township of Goderich,
about four miles from the Town, containing [illegible] acres land, with good [illegible], Stable, &c. [illegible] cleared and [illegible] Cheap. For further particulars apply to
E. WOODCOCK,
Conveyancer and Land Agent, Goderich.

Two Excellent Farms.

SITUATE on the Gravel Road between Walkerton and Brussels in the
Township of Grey,
containing each 100 acres. A good Log House, Barn and Orchard on each lot. 45 acres cleared. These farms will be sold separately or together as may be desired. Soil excellent. Terms easy. For particulars apply to
E. WOODCOCK,
Conveyancer and Land Agent, Goderich.

This valuable building site, suitable for a Protestant Villa Residence, being composed of Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 23, 24, 25, and 26, in the Wilson Survey of the Town of Goderich, containing in one block, two acres of land. The above eligible property has a frontage of about [illegible] on the Huron Road, and is well stocked with choice fruits. To be sold on reasonable terms.
E. WOODCOCK,
Office—Corner of West street, Goderich.

Valuable Town Lots,

Lot No. 652, situate on the North side of West Street in the Town of Goderich. A splendid situation either for business or private residence.

Lot No. 255, corner of Elgin and Wellington Streets in the Town of Goderich, one quarter of an acre.

Lot No. 1313 on the Huron Road, in the Town of Goderich, one fifth of an acre.

Lot Letter "C" in the Village of Maitlandville, (or Bridgend place) with a good house thereon erected and garden well stocked with bearing fruit trees.
E. WOODCOCK,
Land Agent and Conveyancer.
OFFICE—Corner of West St., Goderich.
1377

DOMINION CARRIAGE WORKS.

R. J. WHITELY

BEGS TO THANK THE PUBLIC for the liberal patronage accorded him in the past and to announce that he still carries on

CARRIAGE & SLEIGH MAKING

in all its branches, at the old stand, opposite
E. MARTIN'S COLBORNE HOTEL.
Carriages, Buggies, Waggons
and everything else in his line kept on hand or made to order of the best material and in the most workmanlike manner.
REPAIRING PROMPTLY EXECUTED.
Goderich, 25th Feb. 1873. 1358

CENTRAL EXHIBITION
1873.

$8,000 Offered in Premiums!

WILL BE HELD
IN THE TOWN OF GUELPH
ON THE
16th, 17th, 18th & 19th of SEPT.
OPEN TO ALL.

Prize Lists and Entry Papers can be had at the Secretary's Office, Guelph, and also from the Secretaries of other Societies throughout the Province.

Parties not receiving their entry tickets prior to the show will find them at the Secretary's office.

G. MURTON, Secretary. JOHN HOBSON, President.
Guelph, July 26th 1873. 1381-d

FAIRBANKS' SCALES AT MANUFACTURER'S Prices—Large Platform Scales, including Hay Scales, promptly ordered and a discount for Cash allowed.
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

CARRIAGE SPRINGS, CARRIAGE AXLES and PATENT WAGGON ARMS, for sale cheap
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

BAR AND HOOP IRON, SLEIGH SHOE and CAST STEEL, a full assortment,
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

PATENT HORSE SHOES & HORSE SHOE NAILS, by the keg or box,
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

COAL OIL BY THE BARREL OR Gallon, and COAL OIL LAMPS,
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT of TABLE, DESSERT, PEN AND POCKET KNIVES, PLATED SPOONS and FORKS in Goderich, to be had
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF LOCKWOOD'S Celebrated MILL SAW FILES, and Sorby's HAND and RIP SAWS, the best in the Market.
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

FLINT'S CHAMPION CROSS CUT SAWS and SAW HANDLES at List Prices.
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

CHOPPING AXES FROM THE best Makers, single and double bed
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF LOCKS, HINGES, NAILS, GLASS, PUTTY, PAINTS and OILS, at Lowest Cash Prices, always on hand.
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, from the best makers, at Lowest Cash Prices.
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID to the wants of the Farming Community, and orders from the country promptly attended to.
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

MILL AND CIRCULAR SAWS at Maker's Price List, carefully ordered and discount for cash allowed.
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

THE WHOLE OF THE ABOVE GOODS are offered Cheap, Cheap for Cash.
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

MILES' PATENT ALARM CASH Drawers, the best in the world. Price only $1 50.
At JOHNSON & KERR'S.

REMEMBER THE PLACE,
HAMILTON ST.,
Sign of the Cross-Cut Saw.
JOHNSON & KERR.
Goderich, March 11th, 1873.

GROWN OUT AGAIN.

DOUGLAS McKENZIE
Watchmaker & Jeweller,

DESIRES to return his sincere thanks to the public for the patronage extended him in the past, and to announce that he has removed to the premises on Kingston Street, formerly occupied as a saloon by Harry Reed, and directly opposite C. Crabbe's store, which he has fitted up in first class style. He would call special attention to the
RUSSELL WATCH
for the sale of which he is Sole agent in Goderich. A large stock of watches, Clocks, Rings and Jewelry Watches in Gold and Silver cases.

He has on hand a large and well selected stock of
JEWELLERY
of all kinds which he will sell cheap.
REPAIRING DONE AS USUAL.
A CALL SOLICITED.
D. McKENZIE.
Goderich, March 25th, 1873. 1363

THE "WEBSTER"
SEWING MACHINE,
The General Favorite Throughout the Dominion.

A Canadian Invention, and Unprecedented Success Attending it Everywhere.

IT IS STRONG AND DURABLE,
EASY AND LIGHT TO WORK,
HAS NO COGS OR CAMS,
And will do Every Kind of Work, Light or Heavy.

The most complete set of Attachments given with every Machine.

See THE WEBSTER before buying any other.

MANUFACTURED BY THE
Canada Sewing Machine Co'y,
HAMILTON, ONT.
June 13, 1873. 1374-3m

FOR SALE.

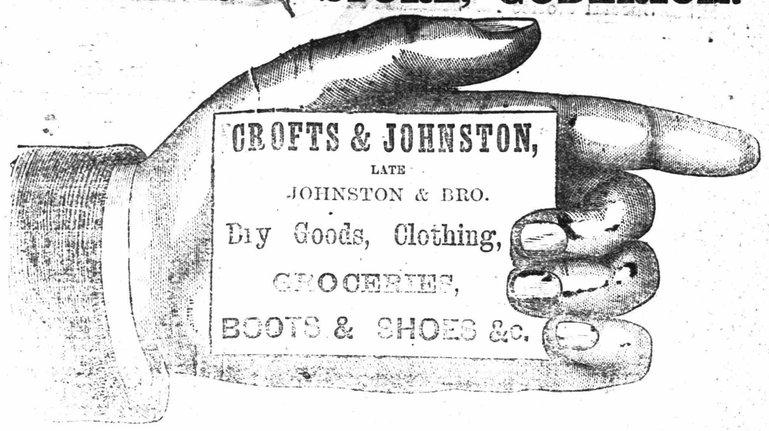
THE undersigned offer for sale the undermentioned lands, belonging to the Estate of the late HERMAN R. HOSTETTER, viz:—

Also, the North-east quarter of Lot No. 12, in the Fifteenth Concession of the Township of Sombra, in the County of Lambton, 50 acres, more or less.

For terms and particulars of sale, apply to the undersigned, personally, or by letter, to St. Catharines Post Office, Box 468.

ANGUS COOKE, } Executors.
AARON BEAD, }
Grantham, 30th May, 1873. 1373

THE RED STORE, GODERICH.



CLOSED UP FOR TWO DAYS.

CROFTS & JOHNSTON

Will close their store on Tuesday and Wednesday next, the 26th and 27th, for the purpose of marking down the remainder of their Summer Stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots & Shoes, &c., &c.

On Thursday next, the 28th, their great Clearing Sale will commence and will continue for ninety days.

As they are about to move into new premises now being built by A. Jordan, their friends and the public may depend upon this sale as being genuine.

The whole of their Summer Stock will be sold at and under cost.

We invite every one to our great Clearing Sale. Entire complete new goods.

Their shop will be kept open until 8 o'clock every day during the sale so that Ladies may make their purchases in the cool of the evening.

[illegible] goods marked in plain figures and no second price.

C. [illegible] JOHNSTON,
Late Johnston & Bro.
Hotel for Cheap Goods.

THE GREAT FOR
MAITLANDVILLE

WILLIAM STANBURY,

THANKFUL for past favours, desires to inform the inhabitants of Maitlandville and surrounding country that he is to be found at the old stand, ready and willing to attend to the wants of his customers. He has on hand,

A FULL STOCK OF GROCERIES,
consisting of

TEA,	SUGAR,
TOBACCO,	CURRANTS,
RAISINS,	SPICES, &c.

ALSO

Dry Goods,	Notions,
Crockery,	Glassware,

FLOUR & FEED.

Having been granted a Shop License for the sale of Liquors, he will keep on hand a full stock of

WHISKEY,	*ALE*
BRANDY,	*BEER,*
GIN,	*WINES,*
&c.	&c.

IN BOTTLE OR ON DRAUGHT.

☞ The highest market price paid for Butter, Eggs and other produce.

Remember the stand, nearly opposite the School House, Maitlandville.
March 4th, 1873. 1359

H. DUNLOP
Merchant Tailor,
WEST STREET,
GODERICH,

HAS received his Spring Stock of Goods and is prepared as usual to make all kinds of Garments in the most fashionable styles and at the lowest rates.

Gents Furnishings

of all descriptions constantly on hand.

A CALL RESPECFULLY SOLICITED.

☞ Two good Tailors wanted immediately.

Goderich, 15th April, 1873.

The Confessions of an Invalid,

PUBLISHED as a warning and for the benefit of Young Men and others who suffer from NERVOUS DEBILITY, LOSS OF MANHOOD, etc., supplying *the means of self-cure.* Written by one who cured himself after undergoing considerable quackery, and sent free of charge.

Sufferers are invited to address (enclosing postage) the Author.
NATHANIEL MAYFAIR,
1374-3m Box [illegible] Brooklyn, N. Y.

Wo. [illegible]
A FULL [illegible] OF
[illegible] AND [illegible]
[illegible] CENTRE OF
Ladies Belts and Silk Neck Ties.
WITH A
Well assorted Stock of Ribbons, Laces, &c. &c.

N. B.—Special Lines in [illegible] Longcloths, Lyle Thread Laces, Cotton & Sheetings.

Goderich, August 12th, 1873.

THE
Very Thing Wanted

NEW HARDWARE STORE
in GODERICH
OPPOSITE MARKET HOUSE.

SIGN OF THE CIRCULAR SAW

THE SUBSCRIBERS BEG TO SAY THAT THEY have just completed opening out an Entire New Stock of

COMPLETE STOCK OF
HARDWARE.

which they will sell at prices that defy competition. Before purchasing elsewhere. Please call and examine Stock of Goods, next week.

G. H. PARSONS & CO'
Opposite The Market House
Goderich Jan 23rd 1871.

Goderich Harness Shop

W. A. MARTIN

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

LIGHT AND HEAVY HARNESS,
HORSE-CLOTHING AND SCOTCH COLLARS,
in first-class style and with despatch. Orders promptly attended to.

Trunks, Whips, Curry-Combs,
&c., &c.

N. B.—Fly Sheets constantly on hand throughout the summer.
Goderich, June 26, 1871.

REMOVAL.

PHILO NOBLE,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
HAMILTON STREET, GODERICH,

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COMMODIOUS NEW STORE

IN ACHESON'S BUILDINGS,

next door to Wm. Acheson's Harness Shop, and nearly opposite his old stand, where he will be prepared to offer greater inducements to purchasers than ever.

He has just received a beautiful stock of
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,
English and Canadian Tweeds,
Scotch Cheviots
Gent's Furnishings,
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Which he will dispose of
CHEAP FOR CASH.
CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER
In the most fashionable style and on shortest notice.
CALL AND JUDGE FOR YOURSELVES.
Goderich 27th May, 1873. 1371

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And a large assortment of all kinds of
HARDWARE,
At low prices for CASH. Opposite
MARKET HOUSE.
G. H PARSONS & Co
Goderich, Nov. 23, 1871

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ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO THE SUBscriber will please pay up at once.
ABRAHAM SMITH.
Goderich, 11th Oct. 1871.

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FINE ALE
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Brown Stout,
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THOMAS SPENCER
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GO TO
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Sewing Machine,
PIANO, ORGAN, MELODEON,
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SEWING MACHINE
IS THE
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J. W. WEATHERALD
1354.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAS ESTABLISHED a branch of his Toronto Sewing Machine Repairing Works,
IN CLINTON,
where all kinds of
Sewing Machines
will be repaired, altered and put in first class running order.

Having had 16 years experience in some of the largest machine manufactories in the world he can guarantee satisfaction.

Workshop—Next door to *New Era* office, Clinton.

MR. L. S. WILLSON, next to SIGNAL office, Goderich, will receive machines and take orders.
THOMAS COBERT
Clinton, 10th March, 1873. 1360

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PARTICULARS:

THURBER METAL, No. 1, is for Heavy Bearings and Railway Car Boxes, 35c per lb
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Large quantities of the Thurber Metals have been used during the past Ten years. They have been thoroughly tested and pitted against all other Metals, and finally have become almost exclusively used in all the large Lumber districts, such as the Georgian Bay and Saginaw Valley Saw Mills, Northern Railway and Lake Simcoe Mills, Peterborough, Lindsay, Port Hope, Trenton, Belleville, Napanee, Brockville, Ottawa, Montreal, Three Rivers, Quebec, and Montmorenci Mills, &c., as well as in all the Principal Foundries and Manufactories, Railway Shops, Steamboats, Propellers, &c., &c.

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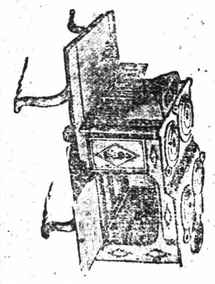

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☞ Coal Oil Lamps, &c. Old Iron, Copper, Brass, Wool Pickings and Sheep Skins taken in exchange.
J. & J. STORY.
☞ Sign of the Large Coal Oil Barrel
Goderich, Aug 15, 1870 swl

Goderich Marble works

Scott, Vanstone & Co.,
BEG TO INTIMATE THAT THEY HAVE opened a branch of their Kincardine
MARBLE-CUTTING WORKS,
in the old stand of Mr. A. M. Johnston Victoria st., Goderich, and will be able to supply
Tombstones, Mantlepieces, Window Sills,
&c., &c., &c.,
at the best style of workmanship and on reasonable terms.
GAVIN STUTHERS,
Agent.
Goderich 17th July, swm-1

Lost

A NUMBER of Parasols, on the Lucknow Road. Parasols, on the from Goderich. The finder on leaving them with Alexander Smith, Goderich, or Mr. Campbell, Blyth, will be rewarded for their trouble
May 16th, 1873. 1370

LOCAL NEWS

Grey.

BROKE HIS LEG.—On Monday last, while a son of Mr. Malcolm Lamont, of Grey, aged about eight years, was leading a horse to water, he slipped and fell, and the animal stepping on him severely fractured his leg above the ankle joint.

Blyth.

LECTURE.—An interesting lecture was delivered in Carter's Hall, Blyth, about ten days ago, by the Hon. William Colles, to a good audience. The subject of the lecture was "Dreams and Visions, Spectres and Apparitions" and was handled in an able and interesting manner.

NEW POSTMASTER.—It will be recollected that some irregularities occured in this post office some time ago in consequence of which the postmaster was removed. Mr. P. J. Rooney has been appointed the new postmaster and entered on this duties the begining of this month.

Seaforth.

MAGISTRATES' CASE.— A case came before the magistrates a few days ago in which a Mr. Hallet was concerned. He complained that his house was smashed in and his property destroyed. It seems that the neighbours have reason to complain of the manner in which the said Hallet and his wife conducted themselves, but it would be better if they would appeal to the law of the land instead of taking the law into their own hands.

SUMMER COMPLAINT.—Diarrhœa and dysentery are prevalent in this part of the country at present, owing, we suppose, principally to indiscretion in diet.

HOOPING COUGH. — This disease is somewhat on the wane, though we frequently hear a sound resembling "whoop—whoop—whoop!" as we pass along the streets.

Amberly.

The stores and other places of business at Amberly wear a very Sabbath dayish appearance at present. There seems no stir nor hum of trade whatever to indicate why a community should gather to live there. The burning down of Fraser's mills last winter has brought a sort of ever-increasing gloom over the locality, and every person you meet with looks as morose and thoughtful as if waiting for a funeral party. Cannot some pushing sensible fellow possessing some capital come to Amberly, and dig a hole there, and commence to make bricks and drain tiles, and thereby keep alive the spirit of the place, as well as oblige an extensive neighbourhood whereby such commodities are very much required and it would be sure to prove remunerative to all parties?

Colborne.

COUNCIL MEETING.—The Municipal Council of the Township of Colborne met by the special call of the Reeve in the Town Hall, Smith's Hill, on Tuesday August 13th 1873, for the purpose of dividing the said Township into polling subdivisions. No. one and two shall remain as they originally were.

That No. three shall comprise the seventh, eight, ninth and tenth concessions east and west of the Township.

That No. four shall comprise the eleventh twelfth, thirteenth and fourteenth concession east and west, with the Lake Road east and west and the Lake shore—carried. Moved and seconded that the Council do now adjourn to meet again on Saturday the 30th August 1873, at the hour of one o'clock.

JOHN A. McDONAGH, Tp. Clerk.

Tuckersmith.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—Mr. John Cumming, who resides near the steam saw mill, on the Seventh Concession of Tuckersmith met with a serious accident on Monday afternoon last. Mr. Cumming was driving east along the concession with a horse and buggy. When about two miles from home his horse became frightened, and, running off, threw him from the buggy, breaking some of his ribs and severely bruising and cutting him about the face. The accident happened about 2 o'clock, and Mr. Cumming lay on the road in an insensible condition until about 4 o'clock, when he was discovered by a little girl who happened to be passing along. The alarm was at once given, and he was taken to his home. He has no recollection of how the accident occurred, and only remembers of the horse becoming frightened; but, from his appearance when found, he must have been dragged some distance, as his clothes were torn, and he was covered with dust. The horse was captured about two miles further on. We are glad to learn that the old gentleman is getting along as well as could be expected, considering his age, and the nature of his injuries.—*Expositor.*

Goderich Township.

COUNCIL MEETING.—The Council met to-day (11th August), pursuant to adjournment. The members all present.

The By-law of School Section No. 8 could not be acted upon inasmuch as there are no surplus funds set apart for educational purposes in the hands of the Treasurer.

A rate of 6 mills in the dollar for County purposes, and a rate of 4 mills in the dollar for Township purposes was ordered to be levied.

The sum of $10 was granted to defray the funeral expenses of MrLea, as he was on the indigent list.

The sum of $10 was granted to Mr. Wm. Jenkins to assist in finding material for the erection of a house for Thos. Devine who is in indigent circumstances and who recently lost his house by fire.

The Reeve was instructed to request Mr. Bay, the County Surveyor, to survey the side roads running to the River Bayfield between lots Nos. 15 and 16, and also between lots 10 and 11 in the Bayfield concession.

Moved by Mr. Ford, seconded by Mr. Elliott, that whereas the County Council having assumed the Huron Road running from the Town of Goderich to the Village of Clinton, also the 1st concession running from the Town of Goderich to the River Bayfield, and the County Engineer's estimate of repairs necessary to keep said roads in repair was reduced 60 per cent by a vote of the County Council, and as the amount allowed is not sufficient to keep the roads in repair, resolved that the Reeve take measures at once to compel the County Council to have said roads improved according to the Engineer's estimate.

The Council adjourned.

T. B. STOKES, Clerk.

Stanley.

COUNCIL MEETING.—Council met pursuant to adjournment at Mr. Morgan's Hotel, Bayfield, on Monday, the 11th inst. All the members present. The Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

A telegram was received from Peter Adamson, Esq., Country Clerk, intimating that the sum of $3583.20 is the County taxes assessed to Stanley.

Moved by Thos. Keys, seconded by Geo. Castle, that the gravel account of Thomas McIntyre, amount $18.15 be paid—Carried.

Moved by G. Anderson, seconded by G. Castle, that as the law provides that the Division Court shall not hold its meetings in any Hotel, $30 be granted towards assisting in fitting up the building on lot 249, Bayfield, on condition that said building be given free of charge for the Division Court and all municipal purposes, this being the cheapest course the Council can adopt under the circumstances—Carried.

Moved by Thos. Keys, seconded by G. Anderson, that the Reeve receive a written statement from W. W. Connor, Esq., before giving any order for a grant to offset that the hall on lot 249, may be used free for municipal purposes when required—Carried.

Moved by Thos. Keys, seconded by G. Anderson, that the time for finishing up the road now drawing on, and it is the matter, be left with Pillo Church, pathmaster, and that the Assistants in labour be notified to notify the Township Clerk be instructed to notify the Clerk be instructed to keep his accounts so that he may be enabled to return them by the last of September to return.

Moved by G. Castle, seconded by G. Anderson, that the By-law be framed for the purpose of levying a commutation on the work on the roads in this Township, namely,

For County purposes	$3583.20
Salaries	500.00
Incidental expenses	400.00
Improvement fund	1300.00
Total	$5783.20

which will require a rate of eleven mills on the dollar of the aggregate assessment for the present year—Carried.

By-law No. 4 giving effect to the above resolution framed and passed.

Moved by G. Gastle, seconded by G. Anderson, that this Council do now adjourn to meet at Mr. Dixon's Hotel, Brucefield, on the first Monday in November, at 2 o'clock P. M.—Carried.

WM. PLUNKET, Clerk.

Ashfield.

WEATHER.—The excessive solar heat of the present season, may fully justify the inference implied in the phrase so long used for distinguishing it from the other portions of the year, viz, "The Dog Days," or, as the Yankees (always itching to obtain credit for making improvements in the English language) term them the "Canicular days," must surely be the most appropriate apellation to bestow on such weather as the present is; viz. if dogs, or, (in Yankee diction) Canicular quadrupeds, claim the consideration of having any particular season allotted them for enjoying the romantic and furious satisfaction of running mad. It might, however, sometimes appear in the form of living fast, that other animals claiming a higher distinctin than dogs in the scales of mental and moral dignity, do certainly, derive such an over-heating of their frenetic organization from the downright and direct influence of solar pressure as to produce symptoms of a distempered mortality, tantamount to any commonly exhibited by the canine species even in their most virulent demonstrations of hydrophoebial excitement. These remarks would hold defensible in a variety of ways and instances morally, socially, and politically considered, but in the meantime, for brevity's sake, let the reader accept them in a political instance: "and hereby hangs a paragraph."

A certain ultro-conservative—a noisy, babbling, badgering Tory, of the gut-and-gossip school, residing in some township not many leagues away, and who, for his strong party prejudices, coupled with a certain vicar-of-brayish principle may be reckoned as remarkably heterogeneous specimen of "The Ass in breeches;" having one day recently been called upon, in order to have his name appended to a long and influential list of memorialists of all shades of conscientous political views, who are at present about to petition Parliament for an immediate and thorough investigation of the merits of the present ministry, relative to the so called Pacific Scandal which has cast so vitiating and almost indelible a shade of ignominy on the interests and character of Canada. He became suddenly so irate in discussing the subject as to lose all command of his reasoning faculties, burst into boisterous fits of declamation, pawed the ground and snorted like a war-horse! every now and again declaring that "our present Canadian government was the purest on earth!" (?) "unstained by any vicious act" (?) "perfectly platonic" (?) incapable of either moral, social, or political corruption! (?) That J. A. McDonald was the very incarnation of diplomatic worth! (?) "His political wisdom was perfection itself!" (?) "In fact a Deity when put in comparison with such renegades as the leaders of the Reform party, or his villainous accusers!" (?) classifying the whole of the latter parties as "a nest of imbeciles, quacks, and vampires," ready at all times to suck out the nations blood! (?) Cartier, he said, was "the martyr of foulsome and fiendish allegations!" (?) and so was Howe! Hinks too, came in for an overflux of sublime attributes, whilst the editor of the *Globe* and all his myrmidons were described as little better than beasts, crocodiles, &c.! And making a sudden nervous, and frantic grab at the document containing the memorial in question, he came pretty nigh tearing it out of the hand of the gentleman who held it, but he beating a hasty retreat, saved the missive and probably felt glad in having made his own escape unscathed from the rabidly disposed *cadaver*. Now morally speaking, as the government will require to employ some very formidable and despotic strategy, in order to free itself from the meshes of the dangerous infamy in which it has entangled itself, it would seem its wisest resort, instead of proroguing parliament, as at present suggested, to have the whole cabroglio brought to a first issue during "The Dog" or "Canicular days," as any amount of outrageous defence can easily be made forthcoming under the influence of the Planet Sirius.

CROPS.—Fall wheat in this vicinity is for the most part harvested and safely got in. It will prove in the main a much more remunerative crop than was expected, while spring wheat, oats and barley are generally looking well, except where the grubs made bad havoc early in the summer, they are fast tending towards ripeness, and the harvest is likely to become pretty general in the course of ten days hence. Potatoes, only for the drawback of those pestilential bugs or beetles, promise to be very prolific, they seem in most cases to be excellent in quality, and there is every prospect of a plentiful crop. Peas never showed a better appearance, they seem rich and plentiful enough to make any pig lick his lips in the anticipation of good hearty feeding during his latter days. As regards the prospect of fruit, most orchards appear very thinly supplied, the last heavy frost during the formation of the fruit did great damage to the late trees. Plums will be very scarce, and apples, much below a common average.

Mrs. Charles S. Stratton, (Tom Thumb's wife) fell down aflight of stairs at her home in Middleborough, Mass., on Thursday of last week, and badly injured her spine and head.

A BEAUTIFUL HORSE.—There is nothing that can contribute so much to render the horse beautiful and elegant, to improve his condition and make him all that is desirable, as "Darley's Condition Powders and Arabian Heave Remedy;" it has been used by many persons who own valuable carriage and other horses with decided success, and so well pleased are they with it that they always keep it on hand in case of emergency; it may be given at all times with perfect safety. Remember the name, and see that the signature of Hurd & Co. is on each package. Northrop & Lyman, Newcastle, Ont.; proprietors for Canada. Sold by all medicine dealers.

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Goderich, Dec. 29, 1871. w 50 g

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BOGUS MEDICINES.

Holloway's Pills and Ointment.

I HAVE for a considerable time past considered it to be my duty to advertise the public of the British North American Provinces against buying from unprincipled dealers medicines emanating from New York, and sold as my "Holloway's Pills and Ointment," in which much ingenuity has been displayed in passing them off as of my make. It is very difficult indeed to attempt to enumerate the many devices to which the parties have had recourse. They say, amongst other things, that a new label has been adopted by them, and with barefaced effrontery caution the public against being deceived by spurious imitations.

A poor man by the name of Holloway is employed by the so-called Chemical Company in New York, who lends his name for a small weekly sum. The medicines sold by this Company are palmed off upon the public as my "Holloway's Pills and Ointment," so that were they to injure half the community no discredit would fall upon the fabricators of these compounds, but would considerably damage the reputation of my make.

As it is not at all necessary for this Company to incur any expense in the sale of their productions, or to a very limited extent (trading as they do my name), they are in a position to offer them at a very low price in Canada, where they are purchased by a few Wholesale Houses that I can name, and will name hereafter, if they continue to vend the same.

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(Signed) THOMAS HOLLOWAY.
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London, July 1, 1873. 1351

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