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FRIDAY, OCT. 8th, 1886.

ELECTORS, RALLY!

A Reform Convention will be held in Goderich, on Saturday, Oct. 16th. The meeting promises to be one of the most important that has been held in Goderich of late years.
The candidates for representation in the Dominion Parliament and Ontario Legislature will both be selected on the occasion, and addresses on the political situation will be given by M. G. Cameron, M. P., Hon. A. M. Macdonald, Treasurer of Ontario, and other well known Reformers.
The meeting will not be restricted to Goderich, but every Reformer and Conservative is cordially invited.
There will be a grand rally.

A FIRE-EATING REEVE.

The following slashing letter has been written by Dr. Rollins, reeve of Exeter, and contains much that will give satisfaction to both sides in the temperance controversy. The letter is one, however, that strengthens the position of the Scott Act advocates who ask for a paid police magistrate:

The Editor of the Times.
Sir—A friend sent me a copy of the Huron Signal, of the 24th inst., which contains an attack on myself, which I have read with interest. I have never seen the article. It appears that Mr. D. Wilson, reeve of Seaford, and president of the Scott Act Association, has asked to come to Exeter, and compel the reeve of Exeter to resign his office. I only refer to reason No. 3 given in the Signal. Mr. D. Wilson could not see that the reeve of Exeter would go by the evidence in the case.

I always had a better opinion of Mr. D. Wilson than to believe him capable of accusing one of his fellow-reeves, in his absence, of a willingness to commit perjury, having no earthly ground for such a gross accusation, than that I opposed the Scott Act. If that is Mr. D. Wilson's opinion of every anti-Scott Act man in the county, he certainly would be a "prejudiced judge" as he says in reason No. 2.

I would like to tell Mr. D. Wilson, as he don't appear to know it) that there are in the county hundreds of men who oppose the Act, who are as respectable, honorable, as good citizens, and just as far above committing a perjury as he is himself. Being President of the Scott Act Association, don't seem to fill Mr. D. Wilson with much Christian charity, if he is correctly reported by the Signal.

Mr. D. D. Wilson claims a reputation for probity and honor, but I can assure Mr. Wilson, that such absurd prejudices and accusations as that contained in No. 3, will not enhance that reputation.
I would like to ask the Signal a few questions relative to this matter.
How is it that I am singled out from every reeve and magistrate in the county for such a gross attack? How is it that the reeve of Seaford, who refused to act, escapes? How is it that the reeve of Hay, who is also a strong Scott Act man, and who has never acted, (while the village of Zurich, in his municipality, openly violated the Scott Act, from its passage) misses the lash? How is it that Mr. Hogarth, a magistrate and a strong Scott Act advocate, of Stephen township, who refused to act, for fear of being burned out, yet got scott free? Is Mr. Hogarth's life, family or property more dear to him than mine is to me?

How is it that there is no word of censure for every Scott Act magistrate in South Huron, all of whom I believe refused to act? How is it that the local member for South Huron, who is also a strong Scott Act man, or is so claimed by his friends, who is accused in the county press of deliberately burking an inquiry into a violation of the Act, advising magistrates not to take the case, etc. etc. How is it, I ask, that there is no word of condemnation for him? What prevailed on the member for South Huron to quash the case? Was it fear of being called a witness? How is it that the Inspector is so anxious to lay information in Exeter, (coming to me three times for that purpose) when the cases were closed, and has never yet found out from whom you say is the source of such cases in his own township?

over at once and get a case for Mr. Wilson's judgment? Is Mr. D. D. Wilson, like the member for South Huron, capable of dictating where and under what circumstances an information shall not be laid? The Act is quite as openly violated in Seaford as it is here, and even more so.

From THE SIGNAL article a person would suppose that Exeter was the only place in the county that the Act was violated. I must tell THE SIGNAL man, that Exeter is as morally quiet and law-abiding, as any town in the county, much more so, I believe, than either Goderich or Seaford.
I refused to act in Scott Act cases because: (1) I was only a qualified magistrate by virtue of my office, and only supposed to act in enforcing town by-laws.

(2) While every magistrate in South Huron, Scott Act and otherwise, refused to take these cases, I did not think it my duty, as an opponent of the Act, to take the whole odium, risk and responsibility of enforcing it. The men who passed the law are responsible for making some attempt to enforce it, but while they, through fear hang back, I don't propose to be made a tool of by them, leaving them to repose in safety, while I do the work.

I can only inform THE SIGNAL man, that I am not responsible to the Provincial Secy; and that he can enquire into my case, just as soon as he gets through with dismissing all the magistrates in the county, and making a few other inquiries such as I now make of THE SIGNAL man.
Yours truly,
J. A. ROLLINS.

There was no "venom" in THE SIGNAL article, and there was no absurdity. D. D. Wilson, president of the Scott Act Association, had been criticised and condemned by certain friends and opponents because of his refusal to go to Exeter and compel Dr. Rollins to take a liquor case. We repeated certain reasons, condensed into our own language, that Mr. Wilson had given why he should not go to Exeter. Mr. Wilson did not accuse Dr. Rollins of a willingness to commit perjury any more than Dr. Rollins accuses the liquor party of a determination to injure the life and property of magistrates who sit on Scott Act cases.

Mr. Wilson had only repeated legal advice from some of the best lawyers in London, to the effect that it was questionable if it would be wise to force any man to act as a magistrate in a liquor case against his will, as, while he might be compelled to act, he could not be compelled to agree to a conviction. Mr. Wilson stated a truism.

Again, if Dr. Rollins excuses himself because he is only a magistrate by virtue of his office, and was only supposed to assist in enforcing town by-laws, then he vindicates Mr. Wilson from blame for not leaving his own municipality and going to an outside one on Scott Act work, for Mr. Wilson is magistrate only by virtue of his office.

We agree with the irate doctor that the Scott Act magistrates who refused to take cases are just as bad as he is and deserve censure. The only excuse some of them have is, that they know Dr. Rollins too well to sit on a whisky case with him, where a unanimous decision was necessary to a conviction.

As for the member for South Huron, our opinion of that gentleman is well known. But, we are discussing Dr. Rollins, and not Mr. Bishop. Mr. Bishop, however, resembles the average Tory candidate very closely.

The Scott Act is better observed in Goderich than it is in Exeter. We can get at least three hotel keepers here who will endorse this statement. Liquor can yet be sold to men who can be depended upon to swear judiciously. We should not wonder that an anti-Scott reeve, such as Dr. Rollins has proven himself to be, could get a glass of whisky in Goderich.

The doctor is very angry in his letter, and an angry man generally gives away his case. In excusing himself by quoting the cowardly conduct of certain Scott Act magistrates, he gives away his position as an opponent to the appointment of a duly paid, specially appointed police magistrate. He asks: "Is Mr. Hogarth's life, family and property more dear to him than mine is to me?" That is hard on the "anties." And again Dr. Rollins writes, that he does not intend leaving Scott Act magistrates in "safety while he does the work."

He says that every magistrate in South Huron, Scott Act and otherwise, refused to take cases, and he did not wish to take all the odium, risk and responsibility of enforcing it. There is an implied statement that Dr. Rollins fears that if he does his whole duty there is danger to his life, family or property. We have never said as hard things against the liquor party of Huron.

D. D. Wilson comes out of this discussion to which he has been an unconscious party, in a much better light than do either Dr. Rollins or the weak-minded Scott Act reeve.

The moral of the whole affair is: Let Dr. Rollins vote for a paid police magistrate to do all the work the ambitious politicians and the trembling magistrates of South Huron are afraid to do. And in the meantime let the case of Dr. Rollins and these magistrates be submitted to the Provincial Secretary, to see just what is the matter with South Huron.

Meanwhile THE SIGNAL reiterates its demand of our county councillors for a paid police magistrate. There will be money in it for the county, as any licensee inspector will prove to any reeve who wishes to see the law of the land honored, and who is not afraid of the liquor party or its belters.

SCOTT ACT FINES.

The admittedly defective machinery of the Scott Act has been strengthened in one important particular by the action of the Government of the Dominion. Hitherto all penalties imposed upon those convicted of breaking the law have gone into the Dominion Treasury, but by an order-in-council passed on the 21st, the amount of the fines will go to the local municipalities. The effect will doubtless be to induce greater zeal on the part of local authorities for the detection and punishment of offenders.—Exeter Times.

The Times, like almost every other paper in Canada, has not got fully hold of the question. The Dominion Government has been playing one of its usual little games to harass the provincial governments, and make the enforcing of the Act by those administrations more difficult. Before the last meeting of parliament all the fines went into the license fund, and any deficiency in that fund was made up by the municipality in two-thirds and the provincial government in one-third shares. In case of a surplus, the amount was carried over to the next year. The sly motion sneaked through parliament last session, and the subsequent Order-in-Council has had the effect of taking the fines out of the license fund, and giving them to the municipalities. Unless some new legislation is introduced by the Ontario Government to meet this new condition of things, the effect will be that instead of the provincial government having to pay one-half of the deficiency, it will have to pay one-third of the cost of the whole work, unless the municipalities generously turn the fines into the license fund. The Dominion Government could have left well alone. However, there is now less excuse than ever for not appointing a paid police magistrate.

GUTHRIE has written: "What is your duty? The exigency of today." In his. That White ought to paste that in his hat for reference, when he is taunted about his "political exigencies" excuse.

JUSTIN MCCARTHY has been secured by the Mechanics' Institute in Lindsay to deliver a lecture on Home Rule. We would like to see the distinguished author of "The History of Our Own Times" invited to Goderich to lecture on the subject so dear to every Irish heart. The Kerry boys from Ashfield would hail him with "Cead mille failtha."

The Lindsay Post says:—"The Mail has only reached the ground taken long ago by the Globe and many other reform journals, who can cordially congratulate it on its change for the better. The Mail must now go on and help the reformers in reconstructing the Senate in the interests of temperance, if not of good government."

Up to the time of writing the Hamilton Spectator, who, by-the-way, says he was present at the Cayuga meeting at which Hon. Thomas White produced the picture of Riel with a rope around his neck, and likened the rebel chief to a new Catholic saint, has failed to state the exact words which the Minister of the Interior's aid on the occasion. In the interest of Mr. White the Spectator should take the stand.

Dunlop.

BACHELOR DUTIES.—Mr. J. Tobin had to keep "back" last week. Mrs. Tobin being away for a ten days' visit to friends near London. Old experience was useful.

Quite a number of our burghers took in the western fair at the Forest City last week.

Two weeks ago we notice our jovial friend, Mr. Zoellner, had a good yield of "fatens" from one hill, but R. Quaid beat this by 83 from one hill, against 76 and 68 from outside hills.

WHAT'S UP?

Things That Are Happening Around Us.

The Assize.—The abolition of the Grand Jury—Political Pointers—Dan Carty's Death.

—The other day I attended the assize court—leastways it used to be called the assize court, but lately, they've changed the name to the "High Court of Justice, Queen's Bench Division," or some other outlandish appellation. However, little things like that don't bother me, so long as the court is the same old court, and that's what it was, notwithstanding that a new judge presided, and the sheriff rejoiced in a cocked hat on his head, and a Damascus or, it might be, a Brummagem blade on his left hip. My old friend, Jim Addison, with a serious cast of countenance, and a legal gown, repeated the formula, "Oyes, Oyes," &c., which he had gone through time out of mind, while county high constable Dan Mackay, marshalled the tipstaffs. Clerk McDonald beamed upon the jury as he administered the oath of secrecy to the good man and true, and the good men and true, beamed upon the clerk as they responded to his adjuration.

—And, speaking about grand jury men, I'd like to know what earthly use are they anyhow. Now, I know all about the feelings of a man who is impelled as a grand jury man for the first time; and I also know about the latent pride that comes to the front when he is chosen foreman of the grand jury; and I know all about the thrill of ecstatic pleasure that permeates the entire being of the conscious juror when he undertakes to ask the crown witness a host of irrelevant questions; and I know how he takes three feet to the yard to stride to the jurors' seats and to rise in his place, the cynosure of all eyes, and report a "true bill" or "no bill," as the case may be; and I know how deferentially he listens to the congratulations of the judge upon the absence of crime within the county borders, and the invitation of his lordship to examine the jail; and I know what it is to bring in proudly a presentment which is read aloud to his lordship, and which recommends the erection of a poorhouse for the aged and infirm who are now confined in jail; and I know how the heart swells with joy when his lordship approves of the presentment, and states that he will see that the excellent presentment just read is brought to the knowledge of the county council at its next session (there to be fyled away until the end of time or some other period); and I know what it is to make up the time rate in the sheriff's office and schedule the miles travelled, and get the little debenture for time service and travelling rates, and then go home satisfied that the grand jury system is a fraud, a hollow mockery, an expensive piece of tomfoolery, and a useless appendage in the administration of the laws of the land and the dispensing of justice. Mebbe everyone won't agree with my opinion, but if the vote of all the honest yeomanry who have served upon grand juries be polled, my little demur will head the heap by a large majority, and don't you dismember it. A grand jury is a lop-sided institution which never has both sides of the question presented to it, has no judicial functions, and is more useless and less ornamental than the blue "herringbone" on the box-pleating, collar and wristbands of the lumberman's red flannel shirt. Vote it down, boys; we've no use for it.

—But I'll chance the subject, and turn my attention to the political outlook. Judge Toms has been busily engaged of late in revising the local lists in East Huron. In Grey, I understand, he has thrown out the entire Conservative appeal, and from what I heard I believe he has mighty good grounds for so doing. In that township there is a fire-eating Tory named Bob Bowen, who this year undertook the role of appellant. Bob, whom I am well acquainted with, is a jolly, bighearted Englishman, but like many of his fellow-countrymen, can't be taught anything by the "bloomin' Kanucks" who first saw the light this side of the herringpond. Well, he got all his data together, and then appealed before his honor against the "Assessment Roll" of the township of Grey in instead of against the "Voters' List." The judge decided, I've been told, that the appeal was outside of his jurisdiction,

and the result is likely to be a sockdolager for T. E. Hays in that township at the next election.

—In Hullett, also, the Tory list was a day late in coming forward, so that it almost looks as if Honest Tom Gibson will have a walk-over at the next election. And so he should, for he has a solid level head well set upon square shoulders, and it's loaded with sound common sense.

—I see Dan Carty is dead! Mebbe you didn't know Dan Carty intimately, for he was neither rich nor handsome, and held no position of standing, as positions of standing go; but he was a man who will be missed, all the same. He was the sexton of St. Peter's church, and he was universally known as "Dan, the priest's man." He was a genuine type of the Irish peasantry—not troubled much with book learning, but gifted by Nature, like the majority of his countrymen, with a fair share of mother wit, a happy disposition, an undying affection for friends, and a big honest heart towards the world at large. Trusty and true in the humble position in which he was placed, he earned for himself not only the esteem of those for whom he labored, but he gained from the outside public whom he chanced to meet the goodwill of all and the ill-favor of none. All knew "Dan, the priest's man," and young and old liked the honest fellow, and returned his kindly greetings as they passed and repassed. For months the old man had been failing, but pluckily he kept to his post. Some time since the hearty laugh of the son of Erin weakened and died, and latterly the erstwhile sturdy "form bent," the heavy stick which once had been used for show now became necessary to aid the weakening steps, the square set jaw grew sharp, the face pinched, and one day it was said, "Dan, the priest's man, has taken an ill!" Poor fellow! Sickness had been his portion long before he bent beneath its weight, and his sickness was, therefore, but the prelude to his death. On Saturday last he quietly passed away. I have known many dark-bourne characters to cross to the dark bourne since I began my pilgrimage here, but I can truthfully say that I remember none who departed and left behind him so few to blame and so many to praise him. And in the years to come the children now growing up will tell their children of the genial eccentricities and merry sayings of humble "Dan, the priest's man." Peace to his ashes!

OUR TOWN FATHERS.

The regular meeting of the town council was held on Friday, Oct. 1st. Present—the mayor, reeve, and councillors Colborne, Murney, Reid, Bingham, Dunlop, Hamber, Thompson, McEwan, Butler.

REPORTS.

The fire warden's report was received and filed.

The sexton's report showed that there had been 3 adults and 3 children interred during the month ending Sept. 30.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$5,628.26.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Cameron, Holt & Cameron, solicitors for Hugh Munroe, claiming damages for injuries sustained by the latter on Britannia road. \$50 damages are claimed, if paid forthwith. Referred to public works committee.

From Moffett, Hodgkins & Clarke, Watertown, stating that an engineer would be sent to make examination of water supply in a few days.

From Chas. A. Nairn and others, asking that a lamp be placed on the corner of Victoria and Trafalgar street. Granted.

From J. Zimmerman, captain of Salvation Army, asking remit of taxation on their hall on the ground that it is a place of worship. Referred to court of revision.

From Stephen Ball, asking that the back taxes against the house and lot formerly occupied by John Sheehan as tenant, be remitted. The latter never paid any rent, and the former does not consider that his taxes should be placed against the property. Referred to court of revision.

REPORT OF WATERWORKS COMMITTEE.

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Goderich.

GENTLEMEN.—The committee to whom was referred the accounts of Wallace Bell and Van Tuijl & Fairbanks recommend: 1st. That the sum of \$100 be offered to Wallace Bell, without prejudice, in full payment of his claim for damages for loss of time in consequence of non-arrival of pump and tubing, and for time engaged in pumping water. 2nd. That we do not accept the fee charged in the account of Van Tuijl & Fairbanks, and that the same be deducted from their account, as the discharge is too small, not being the size ordered.

JOHN BUTLER,
C. A. HUMBER,
F. McEWAN.

By-law No. 7 of 1886, amending by-law No. 8 of 1875, by changing the license fee for transient traders from \$40 to \$100, was read a third time and passed.

Dunlop drew attention to the case of Mrs. Penn, as being a person requiring relief.
Moved by Johnston, seconded by Colborne, that no action be taken.
A number of accounts were presented and referred to relief committee.
The council then adjourned.

LAWN TENNIS.

The Result of the Games Played at the Goderich Tournament.

The first tournament in connection with the Goderich Lawn Tennis Club, which has been in operation for some time, came to a close last Tuesday. The play on the whole was of a high order, many of the sets, as the score will show, being stubbornly contested. A special feature of the tournament was the brilliant play of several of the ladies, no town in Canada of the size of Goderich being able to show so many good lady players. The prizes, seven in number, including an extra one kindly given by A. E. Gilbert, Bay City, Mich., will be distributed to the successful competitors at the club grounds on Saturday afternoon, at 4 o'clock. It is to be hoped that the incentive thus given to lawn tennis may result in some action being taken towards procuring better club courts for next season.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S DOUBLES.

Miss F. Horton and Mr. Drummond beat Miss M. McDermott and Mr. Buchanan, 3 to 6, 6 to 4, 7 to 6, 5.
Miss Johnston and Dr. Ross beat Miss McDermott and Dr. Johnston, 6 to 4, 6 to 4.

Miss E. Widder and Mr. Strachan beat Miss E. McDermott and Mr. Widder, 6 to 3, 9 to 7.
Miss Aggie Ross and Mr. C. C. Ross beat Miss McDermott and D. Holmes, 7 to 5, 1 to 6, 9 to 7.
Miss F. Horton and Mr. Drummond beat Miss Johnston and Dr. Ross, 6 to 1, 6 to 1.

Miss Aggie Ross and Mr. C. C. Ross beat Miss E. Widder and Mr. Strachan, 7 to 5, 6 to 3.

FINAL ROUND.

Miss Aggie Ross and Mr. C. C. Ross beat Miss F. Horton and Mr. Drummond, 8 to 6, 4 to 6, 6 to 4.

WOMEN'S SINGLES.

Miss McMicking beat Miss Middleton, 6 to 2 and 6 to 1.
Miss F. Horton beat Miss E. Widder, 6 to 2 and 9 to 7.
Miss Aggie Ross beat Miss E. McDermott, 6 to 3 and 6 to 2.
Miss M. McDermott beat Miss McDermott, 6 to 1 and 6 to 1.
Miss F. Horton beat Miss M. McDermott, 6 to 0 and 6 to 4.
Miss McMicking beat Miss Aggie Ross, 4 to 6, 6 to 2, 9 to 5.
Miss McMicking beat Miss E. Widder, 6 to 0, 4 to 6, 6 to 0.
Miss McMicking beat Miss M. McDermott, 6 to 1 and 6 to 2.

FINAL ROUND.

Miss F. Horton beat Miss McMicking, 6 to 4, 6 to 8, 6 to 3.

GENTLEMEN'S SINGLES.

Mr. Strachan beat Mr. Buchanan, 6 to 1 and 6 to 2.
Mr. C. C. Ross beat Mr. D. Holmes, 6 to 2 and 6 to 4.
Mr. Widder beat Dr. Holmes, 5 to 7, 6 to 3, 6 to 2.
Mr. C. C. Ross beat Mr. Buchanan, 6 to 4 and 6 to 2.
Mr. Strachan beat Mr. Widder, 6 to 1 and 6 to 2.
Mr. C. C. Ross beat Mr. Widder, 6 to 1 and 6 to 3.

FINAL ROUND.

Mr. Strachan beat Mr. C. C. Ross, 6 to 1 and 7 to 5.

Literary Notices.

The Canadian Methodist Magazine for October, 1886. Price \$2 a year; \$1 for six months; 20 cents per number.
This number gives the third and concluding paper of the splendidly illustrated series on "Our Indian Empire—its cities, its palaces, its people." Rev. Prof. Shaw contributes an admirable illustrated paper on two famous missionaries, Bishops Selwyn, and Patterson, the martyr bishop of Melanesia, to whose tragic death the Queen referred from the throne. A number of charming pictures illustrate a trip through the mountain regions of the Carolinas recently contributed a valuable paper on "Bricks and the Bible," and Rev. J. T. Seymour one on George Moore, the Merchant-Philanthropist. Geo. Stephenson, M.A., of London, England, contributes an interesting account of the relations of Yorkshire Methodism to the United States. A charming paper is given on Chivalry, by Miss Rose Cleveland, sister of the President of the United States. Condensed accounts of the General Conference and of the late British Conference are also given. The editor, who has just been re-elected by the General Conference, makes a brilliant announcement for 1887. Wm. Briggs, publisher, Toronto.

Lecturers.

FAREWELL.—Rev. J. A. McGillivray, B. A., preached his farewell sermon at this place on Sunday last. In the course of the discourse he alluded to the friendly relations that had always existed between the congregation and himself, and complimented the congregation upon the attention which they had given to the preached Word.

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AN OPEN LETTER.

Hon. H. Mercier to Hon. T. White, of the Montreal Gazette.

A scathing rebuke of White's Treachery - Patriotic Words from the French-Canadian Liberal Leader.

In an open letter to the editor of the Montreal Gazette, Hon. H. Mercier says among other things:-

You are so unscrupulous and you hold corruption so much in honor that you found no difficulty in defending and approving the gravest scandals, such as the Pacific and the Tannery scandals, while you condemned with a holy wrath and the warmest indignation the administration of the Hon. Mr. Joly - of this man whom you rightly declare today to be the most honest in the whole Province of Quebec.

In your zeal for the defence of political honesty you do not hesitate to say that the Liberal party would have a claim to your consideration in this Province if it had at its head such a man as Mr. Joly.

And nevertheless everybody knows that there is no limit to your abuse of and slanders against Hon. Mr. Joly when he was Prime Minister, and that you had no hesitation to denounce him as a dishonest man, putting your zeal so far as to distribute, in the Eastern Townships, a pamphlet notorious for its foulness, in which you called upon the English speaking electors to aid you in driving Mr. Joly from power, for the innumerable scandals of which you falsely alleged him to be guilty.

You adopted the same line of conduct towards the Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, who could find no grace at your virtuous hands; he also, according to your paper, was a corrupt man, steeped in scandals and unworthy of the confidence of honest men. And to finish with this nomenclature of your acts of political virtue and of your pious denunciations of the Liberal leaders, I will recall the legal manner in which you treated Sir A. Dorian, who also was too dishonest a politician to deserve any mercy from your merciless pen.

As you can perceive, by insulting me today, you place me in excellent company, and you truly do me too much honor; and, without meaning any disrespect or offence to you personally, I must confess that I am forced to arrive at the conclusion that the best means for any one to establish a reputation for honesty is to have the Gazette to call him "a dishonest man."

You say that "to further my own selfish aims I have not hesitated to stir up feuds of race and creed, and set citizen at war with citizen; that I am a demagogue, who seeks notoriety by arousing the worst passions in the human breast."

I suppose you allude to the position which I fell bound to take in regard to the maladministration of the Northwest and to the execution of Louis Riel. It is true I blamed, and do blame the Government of Sir John Macdonald, which, in my humble opinion, was the direct cause of the Northwest troubles, and on which I threw all the odious responsibility of having hanged a political prisoner and an unfortunate magnum.

Can you say that in this respect I am more guilty than the civilized peoples of Europe, of the United States and of England herself, who with one common impulse and with one voice prayed for clemency for Louis Riel?

Am I more guilty than the six English Protestants who composed the jury that tried Riel and the Government together, and who believed themselves bound in conscience to recommend the prisoner to the clemency of the Crown because, in their opinion, it was the bad administration of the Northwest which had forced the half-breeds into rebellion, and that Riel, without being legally irresponsible for his acts, was not morally so. For, as you are aware, or ought to be, the jury would not have rendered "a verdict of guilty" under the circumstance if they had not been convinced that Sir John and his Ministers would be governed by their recommendation to a policy of clemency. And the proof of this was given on the floor of the House of Commons by the leader of the Opposition, Hon. Edward Blake, when he read a letter from one of the jurors in the Riel trial, from which I quote the following:-

"In recommending him (Riel) to the mercy of the court, we (the jury) did so because we considered that, while the prisoner was guilty and we could not, by any means, justify him in his acts of rebellion, at the same time we felt that had the Government done their duty and redressed the grievances of the half-breeds of the Saskatchewan, as they had requested time and again to do, there never would have been a second Riel rebellion, and consequently no prisoner to try and condemn. We could not but condemn, in the strongest terms possible, the extraordinary dilatoriness of Sir John Macdonald, Sir David Macpherson, and Lieut-Governor Dewdney, and I firmly believe that had these gentlemen been on trial as accessories, VERY LITTLE MERCY, IF ANY WOULD HAVE BEEN SHOWN THEM BY THE JURY."

"Although I say 'we' in nearly every case in the above, it may possibly be that not every one held the same views as myself, but I certainly thought at the time that they did so, and I am still of the same opinion."

Have you, Mr. Editor, forgotten that the special correspondent of the Toronto Mail, (a newspaper which, today, is so severe for those who are opposed to, and who condemn Sir John's Government on this question), sent from Regina on the 3d of August, 1885, the time of the trial, the following despatch:-

"REGINA, N. W. T., 3d August, 1885. 'THREE OF THE JURORS IN RIEL'S CASE TELL ME THE MEANING OF THE RECOMMENDATION TO MERCY IS THAT, IN THEIR OPINION, RIEL SHOULD NOT BE HANGED.'"

Allow me to ask you, Mr. Editor, if, under the circumstances, I am more guilty than these jurors, when I hold, as they did, that "we could not but condemn in the strongest terms possible the extraordinary dilatoriness of Sir John Macdonald, Sir David Macpherson and Lieut-Governor Dewdney, and I firmly believe that had these gentlemen been on trial as accessories, VERY LITTLE MERCY, IF ANY WOULD HAVE BEEN SHOWN THEM BY THE JURY."

Allow me again to ask you, Mr. Editor, if, in my declarations against the Tory Government, I have been more guilty than the Hon. Mr. Mowat, Prime Minister of Ontario; the Hon. Mr. Fraser, Minister of Public Works, and other eminent statesmen of that province, who severely censured the mal-administration of the Northwest and who condemned the Government of Sir John Macdonald for having executed a political prisoner?

Allow me, finally, Mr. Editor, to ask you if I am more guilty than the honest conscientious electorates of the County of Halton in Ontario, which, by means of the ballot, rendered, the other day, a solemn and unequivocal judgment against the Government of Sir John Macdonald; and which, although strongly urged to do so by the Hon. Thomas White, your brother, and by other leaders of the Tory party, refused to approve of the course of the Government in the Northwest and the execution of Riel.

With all these facts and precedents laid before the country I can, with all justice and fairness, claim the right to brand you as a public slanderer when you state that "I have not hesitated to stir up feuds of race and creed and to set citizen at war with citizen," and that I am a demagogue who seeks "notoriety and such influence as it may confer by arousing the worst passions in the human breast."

The movement with which I have the honor to be identified is constitutional and is not directed against any race or creed, but simply against a Government at Ottawa which I considered to be unworthy of the Canadian people and against their servants in the Government at Quebec.

Although a French Canadian and a Catholic, and proud of being such, I have always tried to be just towards the English-speaking minority in this province, and I do not regret that I point out one single word or act of mine that could be held to bear a character of the slightest hostility or ill-will towards the minority.

Having disposed of this portion of your unwarranted attack I will, if you will allow me, in subsequent communications, try to answer the charges of corruption and party treachery which you have brought against me, and I hope to be able to prove to you that all my public as well as private transactions have been honorable, and that while being favorable to a coalition for the purpose of saving the Province from the ruin to which partyism is fast bringing it, I have done nothing to deserve a want of confidence from my party or the censure of any honest and disinterested Conservative.

I have the honor to remain, Dear Sir, your ob't servant, HONORABLE MERCIER. Montreal, Sept. 21st, 1886.

A Modern Miracle. In a recent letter from R. W. Dowton, of Deloraine, Ont., he states that he has recovered from the worst form of Dyspepsia after suffering for fifteen years; and when a council of doctors pronounced him incurable he tried Burdock Blood Bitters, six bottles of which restored his health.

THE "MILLS" JUMP. An article that has excited much attention. Under the heading, "Prohibition in Canada" the Toronto Mail recently published the following as a leading editorial. It is worthy of a journal.

"The Mail has determined to cast its lot with the advocates of prohibition, and the work has been trying that agency for a long time, and though it has saved many it is not an adequate remedy by itself. On the other hand, while no one pretends that prohibition removes drunkenness absolutely, no reasonable person can deny that it is a step in the right direction, and that it is plain that if there were no liquor there would be no abuse of it. If any opponent of prohibition can point us to a better temperance measure or to one so good, we will gladly embrace it; but, as prohibition holds the field, and we intend to do what little we can for it - drumming up recruits, guarding the camp, keeping the weapons bright, and even carrying a banner in the fight if the leaders think fit to entrust us with one."

"As to the failure of prohibition in Scotland, it is necessary to remind our Anti-Scott Act friends that measure was not sought by prohibitionists. It is a compromise, and, like most compromises, a weakening. Its failure, therefore, would be no argument against a general measure of prohibition. But has it failed? We are well aware that it has not stopped drinking outright - a miracle would be required to make men 'cease to do evil' - but beyond question in those localities where an honest attempt has been made to enforce it, the Scott Act has greatly diminished drunkenness; and that is something well worth striving for. Prohibitionists, let us say again, do not swear by the Scott Act, they simply contend that it is better than nothing; and that, by the way, is a proposition which the liquor men themselves do not dispute, otherwise we should not find them opposing the Act. The real goal towards which prohibitionists are moving the suppression of manufacture as well as of sale throughout the whole Dominion, which is a very different thing from a local option measure, beset wherever it is in operation by breweries, distilleries and taverns, and by the innumerable inlets of liquor radiating from them. So vast and momentous a change is not to be accomplished in a hurry. Public opinion must be moulded and hardened, and more than a majority of the people brought to the conviction that drink is a direct, downright and irredeemable curse which ought to be outlawed from among men. This is a formidable task but we believe it is possible to complete it within five years, provided prohibitionists go straight for the mark and avoid the pitfalls which the politicians, Conservative and Reformer alike, are sure to dig for them at the instance of liquor party. But whether victory comes in five years or not for five-and-twenty, the Mail has sufficient faith in the truth and righteousness of the cause to enter the ranks as a full private and serve in that capacity to the end."

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THE "CHESTNUT."

One of Many Explanations of the Origin of the Term.

The application of the word "chestnut" to an oft-told tale has become so general and is accepted so unquestioningly by a bored public that but few stop to inquire the origin of the term used in that connection. It came about in this way:-

Two or three years ago a party of young folks of this city were enjoying themselves at a Halloo on party in the orthodox way, with apples, nuts, cider and jokes. One young man, who had probably been reading up an almanac or volume of Joe Miller for the occasion, fairly deluged his companions with anecdotes. Some were good, some were bad, some were neither good nor bad, but all were unmistakably good. The young man worked industriously at the rate of about six an hour for several hours. His listeners good-naturedly laughed at his venerable witticisms until the hour of midnight approached. Then a fun-loving young dandy devised a plan to stop his flow of talk.

"Have a chestnut, Mr. Smith!" he said, when the young man commenced another story. "Thank you," he replied. "As I was saying, when I saw the 'Chestnut did you say?' put in one of his hearers. "No, but -" "Try a few chestnuts," said another. "I have some replied the unhappy young man; but, as I was saying, when I saw the -"

"Chestnuts?" said the original operator. "It was no use. The young man gave up his story-telling, and the name 'Chestnuts' has clung to him ever since. The joke on the young man was retailed in every direction until an actor at the opera-house heard it. He thought the word "chestnut" very expressive, and in the course of conversation with his fellow thespians used it in its slangy sense. It was instantly caught up by his companions, for if there is anything thorough-going and clearly loved it is a new slang word, and within three months the word "chestnut," to designate a stale joke ran through the dressing-rooms of every theatre from New York to 'Frisco. Now it has become part of the vernacular of the United States, and the primest maiden and the staunchest deacon do not disdain to use the expressive slang term occasionally. Pittsburgh is acknowledged to be a live, progressive city, with its natural gas, typhoid fever, and city hall ring, but not everybody knows that it was the birthplace of one of the most successful slang words of the century. The history of its origin has never appeared in print before, and no one can therefore say that this narrative is a "chestnut." - Pittsburgh Penny Press.

Sept. 25, 1886. Council met at council room. All the members were present. Minutes of last meeting adopted. An account of Dr. McCormick, Kincaid, for attendance on William Turner, was read. No action taken. The collector was present. His bond was accepted by the council as satisfactory. The following orders were made - K. E. D., \$66.77, and lumber - Agricultural Society, \$25; A. Spindler, culvert and ditch S. R. 11 and 12, W. D., \$20; Wm Holland, grading and graveling on Holland's hill, \$16.16. A. & J. Taylor, plank bridge on Nine Mile river, S. R. 3 and 4, E. D., \$66.77, and lumber - repaired culvert near Carrick's, \$4.40; John McKay, ditching culvert, S. R. 3 and 4, W. D., \$3.30; Alex McKenzie, balance on culvert opposite lot 1, boundary, \$3; J. Cook, ditch on boundary, lot 1, E. D., \$3.00; John Sanderson, gravel, \$8; Joseph Hackett, ditching, Con. 12, E. E., \$2; Alex Hackett, repairing bridge, con. 10 and 11, E. D., \$1.50 and culvert S. R., 9 and 10, E. D., \$3.50; Jas. Glynn, gravel, \$5; H. S. Fisher, plank and repairing culverts, D. S. R. 8, 9 and 10, \$15.10; J. Bennett, culvert on boundary (paid by Ashfield) \$3. Next meeting of council 13th Nov. next. WM. LANES, T. P. Clark.

KEEPING THE SABBATH strict but Queer Scruples of Scottish Islanders. A correspondent of a Glasgow paper describes his experiences in the isolated island of St. Kilda. When he awoke on Sunday morning he desired a little water to wash with, and was supplied with a cupful, and informed by the servant that Mr. Mackay, the Free Church minister, had declared that the drawing of water on the Sabbath was a violation of the Fourth Commandment. According to this account, the day's exercise at the Free Church are severe to say the least. There is a sermon the two hours, length in the morning. This is followed by a short interval for refreshments. A bell then rings up the congregation for a two hours' sermon in the afternoon. From the church the St. Kildians proceeded to the Sunday School, and are then allowed another short interval for tea. In the evening there is another religious service, at which the spinsters and bachelors each repeat a psalm. It, through the severity of these religious exercises, any St. Kildian goes to sleep, the minister takes him to task by name, thus: "Lachlan waken your wife, she won't nod much in hall, I think. The church is rough in the extreme, there being no flooring. A stove was recently sent, but the conscientious scruples of the islanders would not admit of its being placed in the church, so it was returned to the donor.

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An "Independent" Paper.

The Mail claims to have been an independent paper since it began. Here is its position at the beginning of the present year:

"MAIL JOB DEPARTMENT. Toronto, Jan. 9th, 1886. 'Secretary Department Secretary of State, Ottawa: - 'DEAR SIR, - I understand that instructions are being issued to the Keying Department respecting the printing of this paper. Please advise us what course we shall adopt in order to secure a portion of this printing, and oblige. 'Yours truly, 'MAIL JOB DEPARTMENT, (Signed) 'P. W. A. SHEPHERD, 'Manager.'"

Freeman's Worm Powders are agreeable to take, and expel all kinds of worms from children or adults. 1m: Fun and Fancy. There is nothing like prosperity to cover faults, and may be said that money covers more than charity. 10 ARE YOU MADE miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. For sale by J. Wilson, druggist. Where one man "wants but little here below" there are others within calling distance who want all. 5 For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster, price 25 cents. For sale by J. Wilson, Druggist. "Some men have so much genius that they can't do anything but sit down in philosophy. Before you talk about it," says a philosopher. 15 FOR DYSPESPIA and Liver Complaint, you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. For sale by J. Wilson, druggist. The clergyman having remarked that there would be a fine nave in the church, an old lady whispered that she knew the party to whom he referred. 7 Shiloh's Vitalizer is what you need for constipation, loss of appetite, dizziness, and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle. For sale by J. Wilson, Druggist. "Did you ever think what you would do if you had the Duke of Westminster's income?" Village pastor - "No; but I have sometimes wondered what the Duke would do if he had mine." 8 Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. For sale by J. Wilson, Druggist. "Do you think I could mould public opinion?" asked an aspiring young politician of a veteran in the profession. "Perhaps you might," said the other; "some of the stories you introduced in your speech seemed a little mouldy."

16 A NASAL INJECTOR free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. For sale by J. Wilson, druggist. "That reminds me of the way Johnnie thanked his papa for taking him to the circus," said Warsaw. "Now, Johnnie, you had a real nice time this afternoon, didn't you?" "Yes, papa." "Well, what do you say to papa for taking you?" "Lil-lie's go again, pa."

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Mrs. Mary Thompson, of Toronto, was afflicted with Tape Worm, 8 feet of which was removed by one bottle of Dr. Low's Worm Syrup. 1m: Jones: "Smith, you are the laziest man I ever saw." Smith: "Correct." Jones: "They say you sleep fifteen hours out of every twenty-four." Smith: "Correct." Jones: "What do you do for?" Smith: "In order to economize, it costs you nothing to sleep, but the moment you wake up expenses begin."

13 "HACKMETACK" a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 30 cts. For sale by J. Wilson, druggist. Always Late. "What's this newspaper article about the late John Smith?" enquired old Mr. Badger. "Is he our John?" Guess he is. "Well, well, his affairs was slow - it's molasses in January. He never was on time in all his life, and they used to say he wasn't to his own wedding till the day after the ceremony, and now the day after he's dead they call him the late John Smith. It beats all how those newspapers do learn so much about a person."

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From the Current. "Coward!"

"There's a cowardly fellow," said the... voice and the little bookkeeper...

She was the acknowledged belle of the... Muskegon Valley, the daughter of the...

It was at a dance at a log house near... Maple Top that Mark Farnham received...

"The insidious puppy!" exclaimed Janet... with flushed cheeks. And then, a...

What would she have him do? Too well... the pale little bookkeeper knew...

Mark Farnham noticed indignantly... glances turned toward him by the...

"I wonder if Janet would be better... satisfied if I should offer myself a...

"The coward permitted that ruffian... River Dan, to insult him grossly. It'll...

"Where is the fellow now?" questioned... Wellington. "Never mind. I do not care to see him...

"No, no, and the fair girl clung to the... arm of her Apollo-like companion. "It...

Again that word. It cut like a knife... and the pallid little bookkeeper never...

"Go ashore, boys, and get a launch... the greatest danger is past. Wellington...

"I'm going past the Dam," admitted... Farnham. "Alone?" "I expect so."

"Certainly; get in." The huge bully thrust himself under...

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did seem as though they were doomed...

"There's no chance for them fellers;... they're good as gone, that's sartin,"...

"You see, I'd been takin' too many... drinks, as what ailed me, cap. I would...

"No use, miss," said River Dan... "That ar jam won't last many minnits. No...

"There is one change in hundred." A... low voice uttered the words, and...

"Goodness! It's the little bookkeeper... He'll drown, sure." But Mark Farnham...

"Quick, Mr Lyon! There's no time... to lose." The mill-owner remonstrated...

"The mill-owner remonstrated, and... urged the bookkeeper to go ahead, but...

"The logs had already formed a jam... and men in red shirts, with picks and...

"The female portion of Oxbow was... watching the movements of the red...

"Not for a farm would I risk my life... out yonder again." He was not called upon to do so.

"The man is past all earthly help."... It was Dr Gould who uttered the words...

"I saved him—Dick Wellington? I... knew you loved him; it was for your...

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she held a dead weight in her arms...

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"Look here my friend don't turn up your... nose. And say you're near dead. Well, well, I...

"He who has learned the science of... silence may hide ignorance, and even...

"The Far Reaching Perfume of a good name... heralds the claim that Putnam's Painless...

"A speedy cure. As a speedy cure for... Dysentery, Cholera, Diarrhoea, Colic, Cramps...

"Invisible but instantaneous. All pains or... aches will instantly be removed by drops...

"Ladies Only. The complexion is often... rendered unsightly by Pimples, Liver Spots, and...

"How a Dude Caught Cold. A slim young man... in the height of fashion was violently sneezing...

"The captain of the British yacht... Galates is named Hont. Ah! Hont—hatch-way—...

"The unequalled success of Dr. Chase's... Liver Cure is due to the fact that it is...

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It Requires a great stretch. Imagine the organ which provided...

"My daughter has taken the medicine... faithfully, according to directions, and...

"There has probably never been a... clearer case of false pretence than Sir John's...

"4 Catarrh Cured. Health and sweet... breath secured, by Shiloh's Catarrh...

"The Toronto Agent of the 12th... September, 1878, quoted wheat at \$1.07...

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"The Best Fountain Pen in the World. The... 'Wirt' fountain pen is the best thing yet...

"Sall Rheum Cured. McGregor & Parke's... Carbolic Cerate has been tried and found to be...

"1 That Hacking Cough can be so quickly... cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it...

"A man sat disconsolately on a door-step... on Lafayette avenue the other night, when...

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May be increased, the Digestive organs... strengthened, and the Bowels regulated...

"I was a great sufferer from Dyspepsia... and Constipation. I had no appetite,...

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GOODS
BRO'S
MANTLE CLOTHS
COTTONS, WINCEYS,
DEPARTMENT.
VERY CHOICE
OF CHARGE
ID & BRO.

Novels.
Jan. Timmins has returned from Detroit.
Wm. Mauer has returned from his western trip.
Rev. A. Y. Hartley has returned from his holiday trip, looking hale and hearty.
A box has been put in the drain across the boundary hill. This is an improvement which has been much needed.
Quite a number are on the sick list around here. Mrs. Evans has not yet recovered, and is, indeed, very poorly.
Potato digging is now the order of the day around here. The gardens are becoming desolate, and soon everything will be clothed in winter's garb.
A small but pleasant party met at John Robertson's, Bismarck, on Tuesday last, and on that occasion another pair were made one, the daughter of Mr. Robertson and John Black, of Turuberry. The happy couple immediately started for London.
A temperance meeting under the auspices of the Scott Act Association of this township was held in the Presbyterian church of this place on Monday evening last. Joe. Leach presided, and introduced the speaker, Thos. McMillan, one of the editors of the Goderich Signal, who kept the fixed attention of the audience for over an hour, presenting the actions of the county council in regard to the police magistrate in a plain, practical manner. After a hearty vote of thanks to the speaker, and singing "Hold the Fort," the meeting broke up, all well pleased with the evening's entertainment.

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We extend you a Cordial Invitation to Inspect our
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Our Show Rooms will be Opened on Tuesday and Wednesday, 5th and 6th Oct.
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THEN DO NOT FAIL TO SEE OUR STOCK OF DRESS GOODS.
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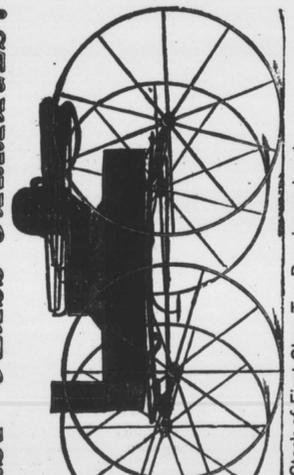
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We have much pleasure in informing our friends and the public generally, that our Fall Stock is now complete. In all the Departments our goods will be found of the newest designs and best quality.
DRESS GOODS, MILLINERY, MANTLE CLOTHS.
We are showing large ranges in French, German and English Goods in the newest makes. We have a line of Dress Mottos that will astonish you, at 12 1/2c. Come and get some of them before they are all sold. Newest things in Trimmings to match dress goods.
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DENTAL ROOMS
L. WOOLVERTON, L.D.S.
The People's Column.
COURT IS HEREBY GIVEN
W.M. CAMPBELL,
MUNICIPAL TAXES.

LECTURE.
Miss Ellen Horton is visiting friends in Hullett.
Miss Janet Nicholson, of Goderich, was the guest of Miss Cassidy this week.
Our popular medicine, W. H. Clouton, left on Friday to take his third year's course at the Toronto school of medicine. During the summer he was with Dr. Taylor, of Goderich. His many friends wish him success.
Resigned.—Alex. Watson will not teach No. 5 during 1887. His successor is John Green, an old Sheppardton boy, at present teaching in the township of Hay.
The new house of H. McManus is finished. Chas. Morris was the builder.
The Colborne fall show at Oxlow was attended by many of our residents, R. Fulford, W. Clouton and W. Strachan gaining prizes for grain, roots, cattle and horseflesh. The last two got the red ticket.
Our townsman, the tall laird, took in the fair at the Ambitious City last week, and on the way home made an interesting visit, which has rather excited his numerous lady friends.
The Morrow steamer was thrashing here last week. The genial countenances of Tail Donald and Engineer Dodd, its former staff, are replaced by A. Nicholson, of Oxlow, and J. Young, of Port Albert, as feeders.
The third of a series of temperance meetings under the auspices of the Colborne branch Scott Act Association will be held in the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening, 12th inst., to commence at 8 o'clock sharp. Doors open at 7. Good music by the church choir, and a number of addresses will be delivered. A silver collection will be taken up.

Goderich Markets
(Reported by Telephone from Harbor Mills)
GODERICH, Oct. 7, 1886.
Wheat, (Fall) @ bush 80 70 @ 80 70
Wheat, (red winter) @ bush 80 00 @ 80 00
Wheat, (Spring) @ bush 80 00 @ 80 00
Wheat, (green) @ bush 80 00 @ 80 00
Flour, (all) @ cwt. 1 10 @ 1 10
Flour, (mixed) @ cwt. 1 10 @ 1 10
Flour, (patent) per cwt. 1 10 @ 1 10
Oats, @ bush 30 00 @ 30 00
Peas, @ bush 30 00 @ 30 00
Barley, @ bush 30 00 @ 30 00
Potatoes, @ bush 1 10 @ 1 10
Hay, @ ton 12 00 @ 12 00
Butter, @ lb. 14 00 @ 14 00
Cheese, @ lb. 13 00 @ 13 00
Shorts, @ cwt. 10 00 @ 10 00
Straw, @ cwt. 1 00 @ 1 00
Chopped Stuff, @ cwt. 1 00 @ 1 00
Sawmills, @ cwt. 1 00 @ 1 00
Wood, @ cord 3 00 @ 3 00
Hides, @ lb. 6 50 @ 6 50
Hops, @ lb. 5 00 @ 5 00

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FURNITURE.
I AM SELLING GOOD FURNITURE LOWER THAN ANY OTHER FURNITURE MAN IN TOWN.
YOU CAN SAVE MONEY BY CALLING ON ME, AND
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Business Envelopes
American make, high cut and well gummed,
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Guaranteed Fresh and Pure, and at Lowest Prices.
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Specialty—Physicians' Prescriptions and Family Recipes Accurately Dispensed.
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FOR SALE.
Lot No. 668, on Victoria-st., in the Town of Goderich.
Occupied by THOMAS McHRIDE.
This lot is situated in a good part of the town. It has erected thereon a 2 story house, with kitchen attached, which has been painted lately, and is in a good state of preservation.
TERMS OF SALE:—Half cash, and balance on mortgage to suit purchasers.
For further particulars apply to the undersigned.
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JUST CALL IN AT THE MUSIC EMPORIUM,
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It is there you can buy the VERY
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Call and hear and see for yourself.
Eight Pieces of Music for 25 Cents.
Pianos and Organs Tuned.
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HUGH DUNLOP,
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FALL GOODS!
As this is the time of the year when people are preparing for Fall and Winter weather, I beg to call the attention of the public to my stock of
TWEEDS AND COATINGS,
Which comprise the Latest and Best Patterns and Shades the market affords.
Call and See the New Goods.
Remember the stand—West street, next door to Bank of Montreal.
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PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS,
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CATTLE—STRAYED ON TO
SPECIAL NOTICE TO CREDITORS
OF SUSAN ANN COOKE, deceased.
Call and See Them
Goderich, Sept. 30th, 1886.

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IF YOU WANT IF YOU WANT IF YOU WANT
BARGAINS
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THE FALL STOCK
IS NOW COMPLETE.
All are invited to come and examine the quality and price.
Remember the stand—THE TORONTO CASH STORE.
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MISS GRAHAM,
Fashionable Milliner,
Has returned from her visit to New York, Toronto, and other cities, with the
NEWEST STYLES & PATTERNS
and has removed from her old stand to the store
UNDER GEO. ACHESON'S NEW HALL,
where she will be pleased to see her old Customers, and a number of new ones.
A CORDIAL INVITATION IS EXTENDED TO ALL.
Goderich, Oct. 7th, 1886. 2061-1f

CEYLON'S ISLAND.

THE LAWS, CUSTOMS AND INDUSTRIES OF THE INHABITANTS.

Native Products of the Island—Ceylon Cinnamon—Cocoa Palm Trees—Coffee Plantations—The Tea Industry.

Ceylon now pays its own military expenses, the force being only one regiment of British infantry, one of native and one brigade of artillery.

The island government grants aid to schools having a required number of pupils. The Dutch requirement of a Protestant school was at once abolished.

British law conserves the forests, and prevents the extinction of wild elephants, elk, etc.

Government, from time to time, according to the will of the different governors, clears away overgrowth and excavates out of debris and earth the still remaining architecture of a civilization which ranks among the most interesting of ancient ruins.

The native people could raise plantation and garden products—pepper, cinnamon, nutmeg, chocolate, cardamoms and fruit—sell them dear, and sell rice cheap from India and Burmah.

But they take to their inherited rice culture more than to any other agriculture. Rice requires a flooded ground.

More attention is now given to the various palms. Many forebushes, Singhalas and Tamils, whose thrift also is within the last fifty years, now plant gardens of palms and other profitable trees as an investment.

There is only one large manufacturing sugar estate in Ceylon. The culture has been tried, and in most situations the cane runs in stalk, and the moist climate and soil do not allow the sap to crystallize, nor does the stalk yield enough crystalline material.

Every Singhalas garden grows a little sugar cane, usually to be chewed like candy. There is only one large manufacturing sugar estate in Ceylon.

The Arab introduced the coffee plant very anciently, yet its beverage was unknown when the Europeans arrived.

Meaning a small bright orange spot appeared on the coffee leaves, yet slightly affecting the plant. Nobody cared for it except the director of the Ceylon Botanic gardens.

But that little blight, the "Vast-of-Tricks," as was Anglicized the Pinnalela Vastatrix, brought the proprietors home from their haunts, mortgaged their estates, changed their lands, and saw a new generation of men as energetically and enthusiastically planting tea with an anticipation of more than the prosperity of coffee times.

Starvation in London. "Thirty-seven is the number of deaths reported in London for the year 1885 due to starvation or privation," says the St. James Gazette.

Little James has been taken suddenly ill, and two physicians have called to know his condition. "Aunt" Violet, the old family nurse, says: "Do doctor don't know what ails de child, an' his pa an' ma don't understand de trouble; but I write one thing—he ain't been well since plums has been on de market. I told him 'bout eatin' dem malarious veg'ables."—Harper's Bazar.

Senator Evans recently called one of his sentences to Europe, and it is noted as a curious fact that as one time it stretched from shore to shore. The experiment was made to test the capacity of the cable to resist weight, and it was eminently successful. It is estimated that it took the sentence twenty-two minutes to pass a given point.

THOMAS H. BENTON'S LAST DAYS.

Having completed his "Thirty Years in the Senate," one of the papers of which was written when he was seventy years of age, and suffering acute pain, Col. Benton, for several old friends to bid them farewell.

Among them was the president, to whom it is dying man, taking his hands. "Buchanan was a friend. I supported you in preference to Fremont, because he headed a section, party, whose success would have been the signal for disunion. I have known you long, and I know you would honestly endeavor to do right. I have that faith in you now, but you must look to a higher power to support and guide you. We will soon meet in another world; I am going how you will soon for lowly peace with God is made, my earthly affairs arranged; but I could not go without seeing you and thanking you for your interest in my child." Mr. Buchanan was deeply affected and wept as he said "Farewell."

A week before Col. Benton's death he addressed a letter to his old Tennessee friends, Senator Houston and Representative Jones, requesting that congress would not notice his departure. "I wish," he said, "no rule of either house that will defame me, and if there were such a rule I should wish it to be applied in my case, as being contrary to my feelings and convictions long cherished." Both houses adjourned, however, to attend Mr. Benton's funeral, at which there was a large attendance, including the president, heads of departments, foreign ministers, members of congress, and other distinguished persons.

Only two of his daughters, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Jacob, with their husbands, were present; the other two, Mrs. Fremont was at that time on her way to California, and Mrs. Boleau was in California. The remains of one of his grandchildren, who had died a short time before, were to be taken to St. Louis with his, and at the funeral they reposed side by side, friendly hands having strewn their common fur with flowers, some in nature blown, others just budding into beauty.—Ben. J. Foster in Boston Budget.

FASHIONLETS.

The prevailing rage in attire is for oriental patterns of goods.

Jet and colored beads upon dresses still maintain their favor.

Chall, etamine, foulard and India silk are used for girls' nice dresses.

Full waists and full sleeves are decided features of new French dresses.

Tucks are fashionable around the bottoms of the long chemises now worn.

Waists with haques terminate behind in long points or loops, in Paris.

Coarse cotton net over colored silk or woolen goods is very fashionable in Paris.

Sulad green is a fashionable color in London. Of course it will become so here.

Bathing shoes are bright red, and the more like a flamingo one can look the more fashionable she will be as a bathist.

Crinkled seersucker is all the rage for the hot weather. Cream is a fashionable shade. Gentlemen wear seersucker suits.

Large draper establishments are this season again vying with each other in the production of cheap ready-made garments, which, despite their low price, amply fulfill all the demands of fashion.

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